

U.S. Drought Monitor California

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	58.71	11.17	21.79	8.33	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-01-2003</i>	59.37	11.17	21.79	7.67	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-06-2003</i>	47.36	20.87	5.98	10.10	15.70	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	58.39	9.39	6.17	8.87	17.19	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	6.12	42.13	13.56	14.58	23.61	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-09-2002</i>	53.54	9.33	10.92	25.76	0.45	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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