

# U.S. Drought Monitor California Watershed

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 13.63 | 9.46  | 47.41 | 29.51 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>01-10-2008</i>              | 13.63 | 9.46  | 48.97 | 27.94 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>10-18-2007</i>           | 1.13  | 8.79  | 29.56 | 29.79 | 30.73 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2008</i> | 11.20 | 7.04  | 27.62 | 40.26 | 13.88 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2007</i>    | 0.00  | 9.92  | 29.56 | 29.79 | 30.73 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-18-2007</i>           | 38.33 | 37.80 | 23.10 | 0.76  | 0.00  | 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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