

# U.S. Drought Monitor California Watershed

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4  | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 2.55  | 97.45  | 86.00 | 18.19 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>07-10-2008</i>              | 2.78  | 97.22  | 86.00 | 18.19 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>04-17-2008</i>           | 26.99 | 73.01  | 37.75 | 5.76  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2008</i> | 11.20 | 88.80  | 81.76 | 54.14 | 13.88 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2007</i>    | 0.00  | 100.00 | 90.08 | 60.53 | 30.73 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>07-19-2007</i>           | 0.00  | 100.00 | 89.78 | 61.98 | 31.78 | 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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