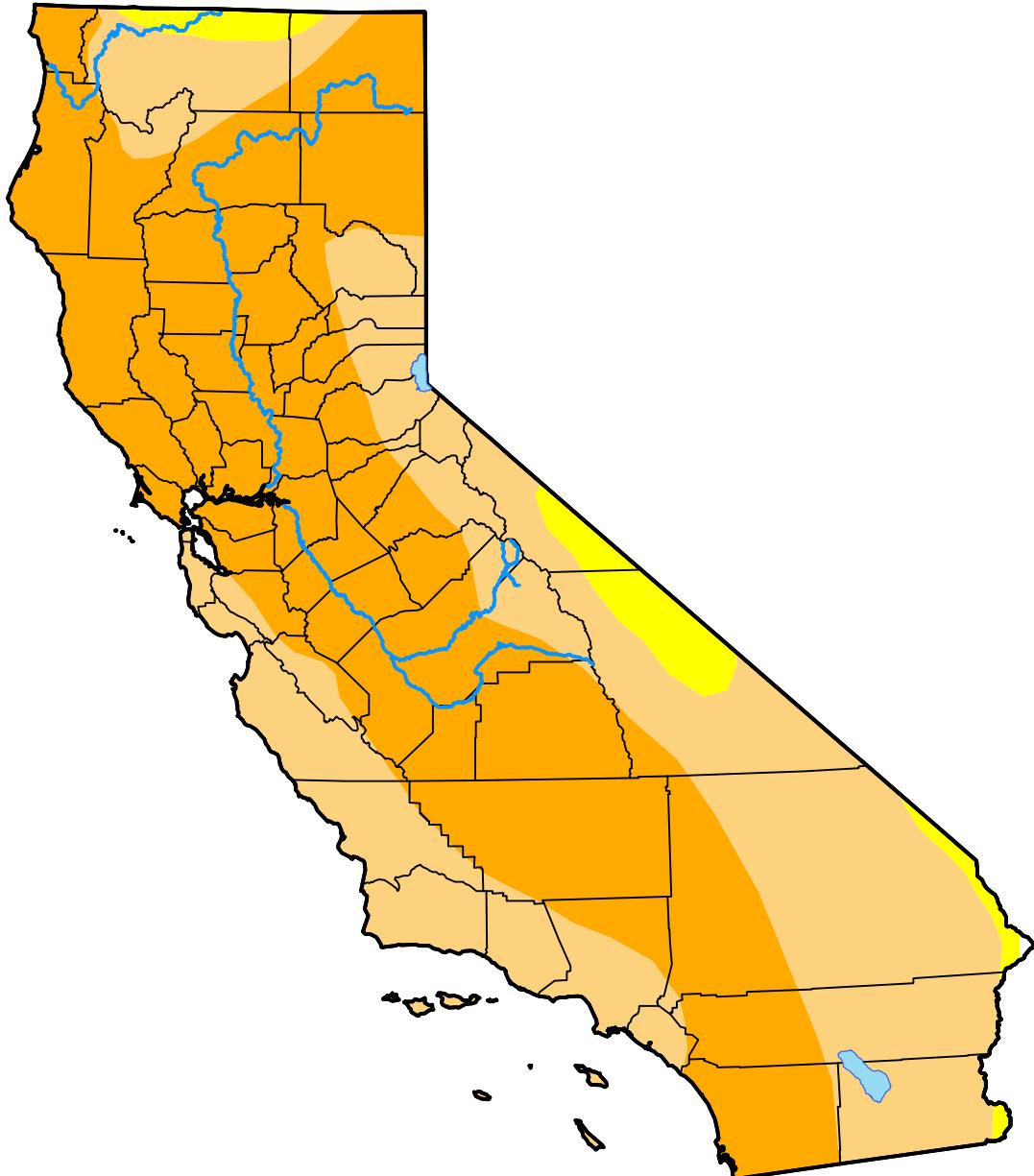


U.S. Drought Monitor

California



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.04	99.96	95.90	55.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-02-2008	0.04	99.96	95.90	55.23	2.05	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-10-2008	0.14	99.86	89.20	18.07	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2008	8.87	91.13	84.70	58.04	14.55	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2008	0.04	99.96	95.90	55.23	2.05	0.00
One Year Ago 10-11-2007	0.10	99.90	92.56	64.62	33.75	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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