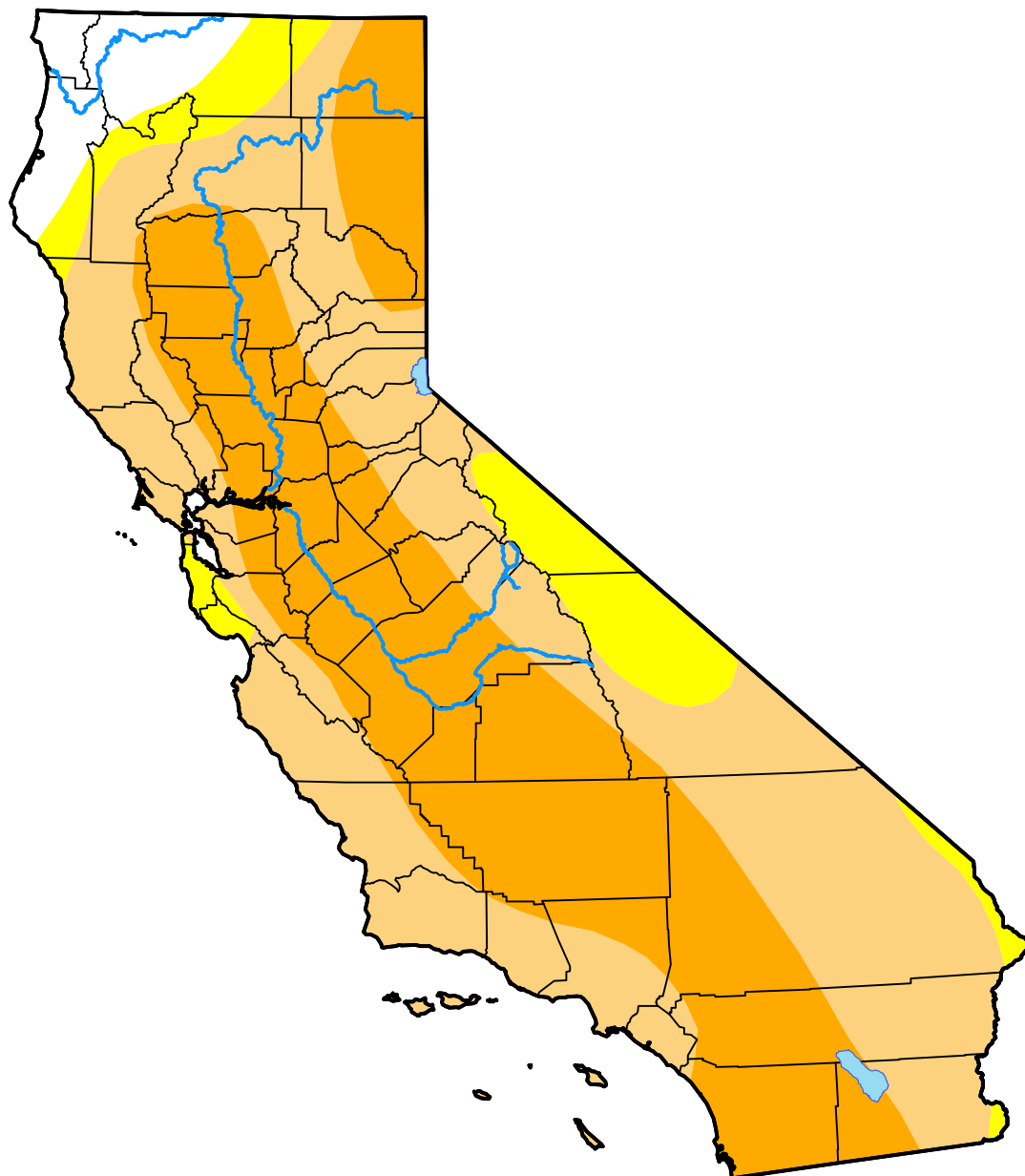


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	4.71	9.27	44.68	41.34	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-13-2008</i>	4.71	9.27	44.68	41.34	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-21-2008</i>	0.04	3.07	55.51	41.38	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	8.87	6.43	26.65	43.49	14.55	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	0.04	4.06	40.66	53.18	2.05	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-21-2007</i>	8.87	6.30	26.81	24.34	33.68	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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