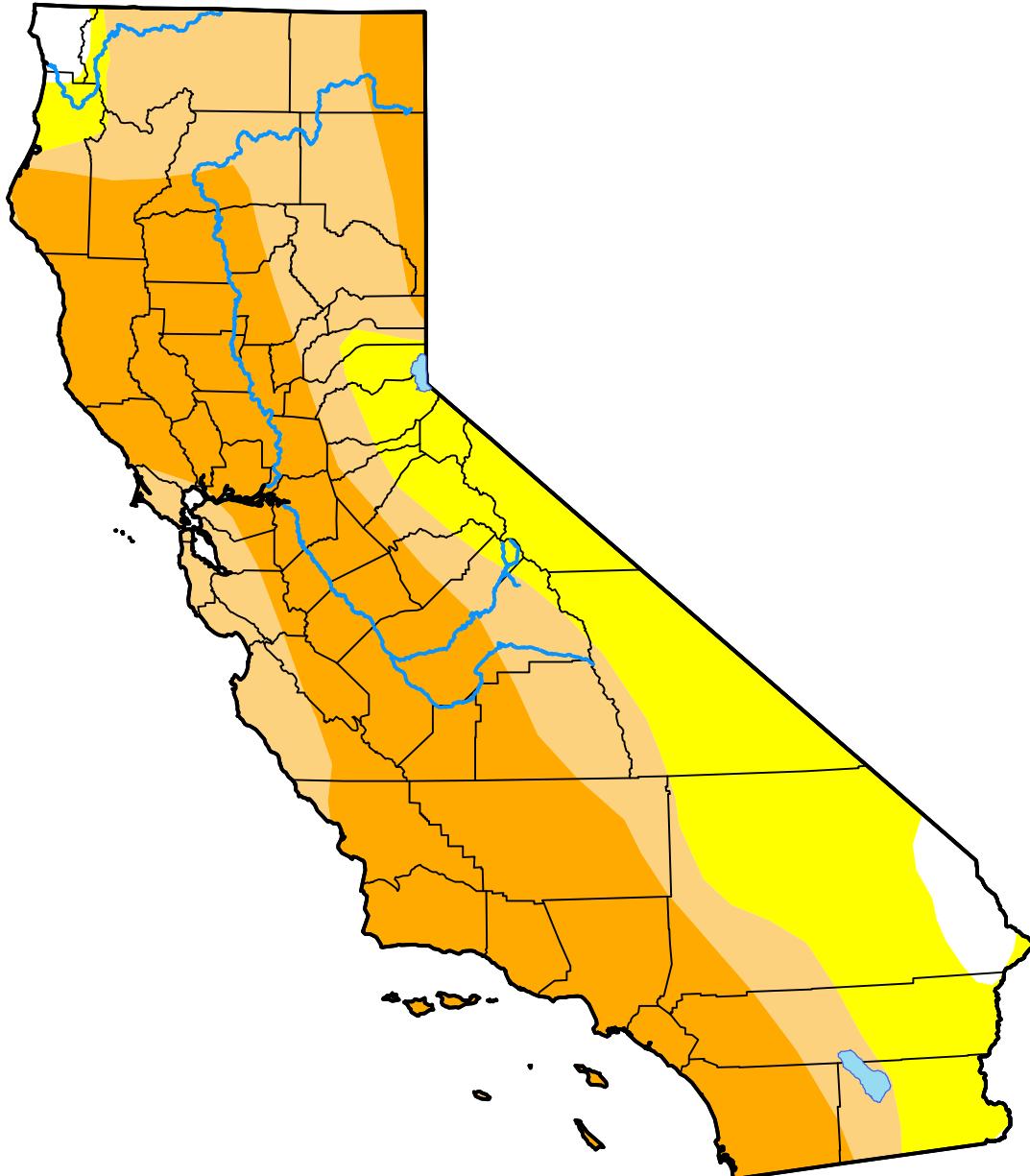


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## California



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	2.47	97.53	72.86	44.26	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-16-2009	2.47	97.53	72.86	44.26	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-23-2009	3.65	96.35	73.00	38.81	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2009	1.69	98.31	88.21	43.02	2.77	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2008	0.04	99.96	95.90	55.23	2.05	0.00
One Year Ago 07-24-2008	0.12	99.88	88.88	16.57	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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