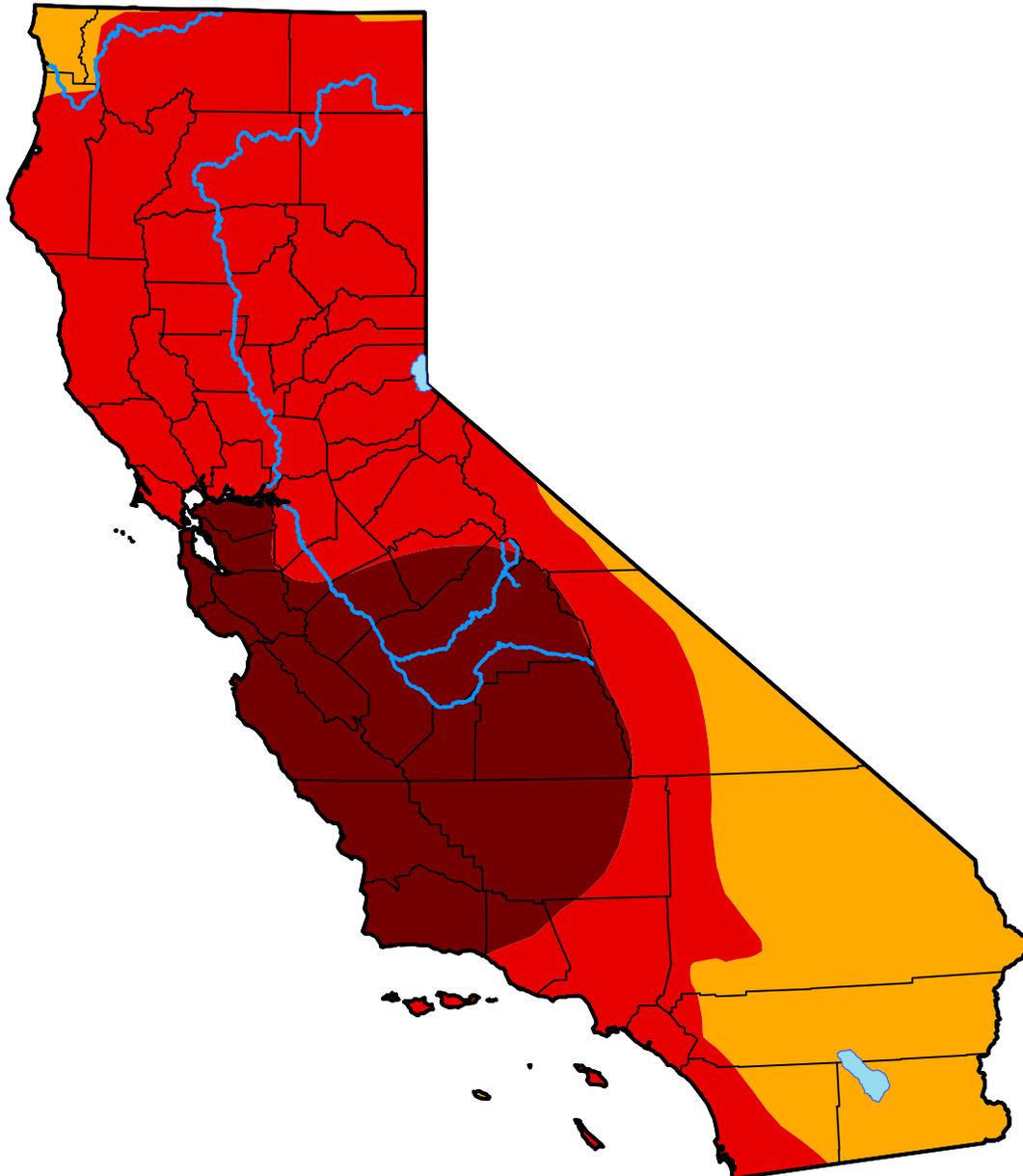


U.S. Drought Monitor California

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Current | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 23.31 | 51.92 | 24.77 |
| Last Week <i>05-15-2014</i> | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 23.31 | 51.92 | 24.77 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>02-20-2014</i> | 0.00 | 5.45 | 3.72 | 22.52 | 53.68 | 14.62 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2014</i> | 2.61 | 3.14 | 6.71 | 59.94 | 27.59 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2013</i> | 2.63 | 1.42 | 11.83 | 72.77 | 11.36 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>05-23-2013</i> | 0.00 | 1.84 | 51.91 | 46.25 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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