

# U.S. Drought Monitor California

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None | D0-D4  | D1-D4  | D2-D4  | D3-D4 | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 99.80  | 81.92 | 58.41 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>07-31-2014</i>              | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 81.89 | 58.41 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-08-2014</i>           | 0.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 95.93  | 76.68 | 24.77 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2014</i> | 2.61 | 97.39  | 94.25  | 87.53  | 27.59 | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2013</i>    | 2.63 | 97.37  | 95.95  | 84.12  | 11.36 | 0.00  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-08-2013</i>           | 0.00 | 100.00 | 98.23  | 93.86  | 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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