

U.S. Drought Monitor California Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.44	2.81	12.13	25.83	21.69	37.10
Last Week <i>02-25-2016</i>	0.44	3.19	12.55	25.03	21.69	37.10
3 Months Ago <i>12-03-2015</i>	0.00	0.71	4.22	23.01	28.70	43.37
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	0.00	0.72	8.83	20.26	26.82	43.37
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	0.00	0.71	4.12	21.25	29.77	44.15
One Year Ago <i>03-05-2015</i>	0.00	0.80	3.02	25.82	32.08	38.29

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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