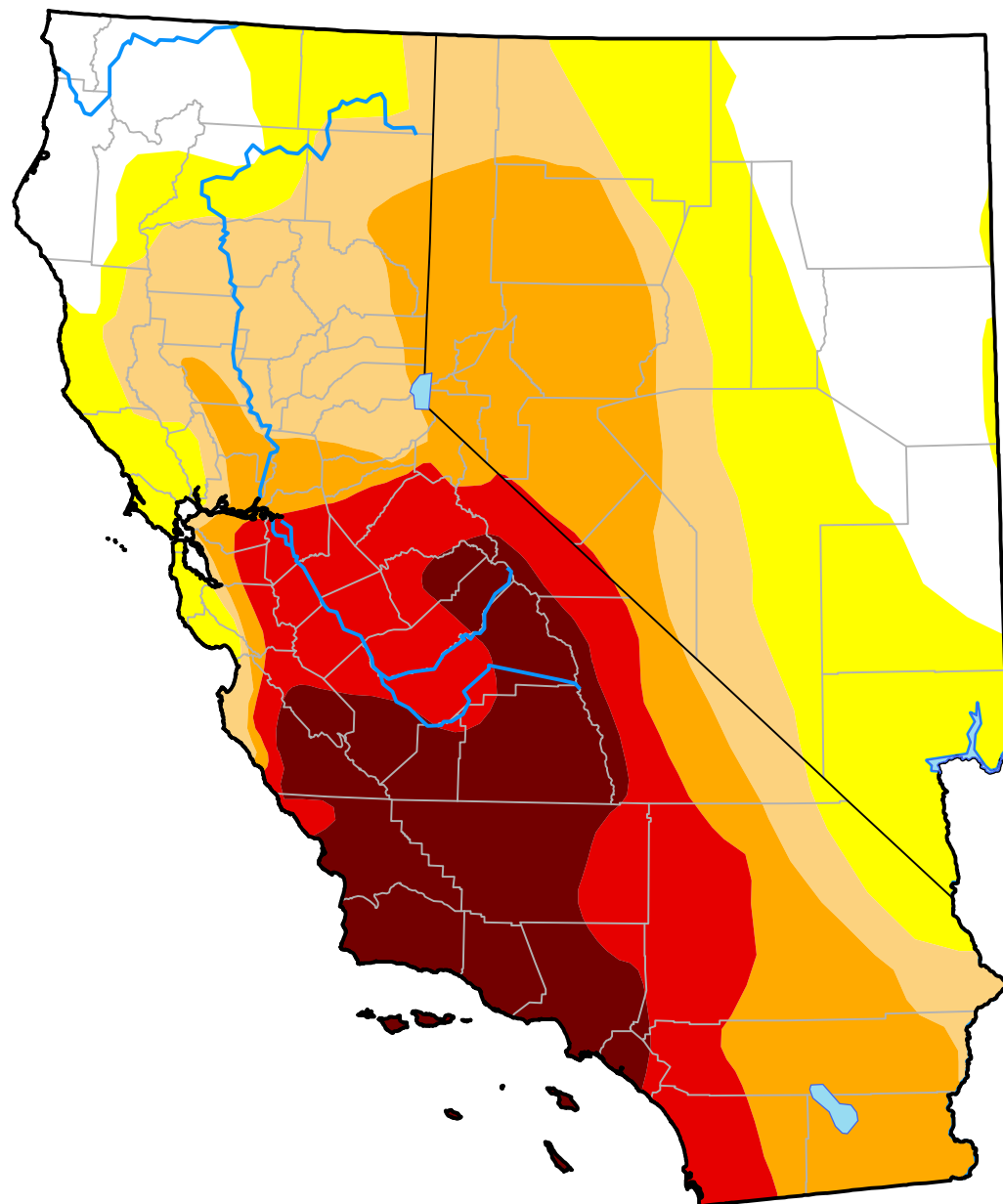


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	16.60	83.40	62.80	45.30	25.30	12.38
Last Week <i>10-13-2016</i>	8.08	91.92	64.26	45.57	25.30	12.38
3 Months Ago <i>07-21-2016</i>	13.48	86.52	63.29	43.65	25.30	12.38
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	0.55	99.45	95.58	78.48	53.71	30.24
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	8.08	91.92	64.26	45.57	25.30	12.38
One Year Ago <i>10-22-2015</i>	0.09	99.91	96.27	84.43	56.32	33.63

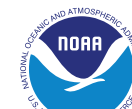
Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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