

U.S. Drought Monitor California Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	77.32	22.68	12.40	9.12	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-13-2010</i>	68.89	31.11	13.02	9.36	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-18-2010</i>	60.40	39.60	13.79	4.41	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2009</i>	6.42	93.58	71.02	9.03	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i>	0.00	100.00	74.61	45.12	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-21-2009</i>	2.35	97.65	73.18	35.22	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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