

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	15.92	84.08	59.87	25.22	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-12-2012</i>	5.17	94.83	80.49	47.02	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-19-2012</i>	17.39	82.61	47.30	2.10	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	27.96	72.04	47.30	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	91.81	8.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-21-2011</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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