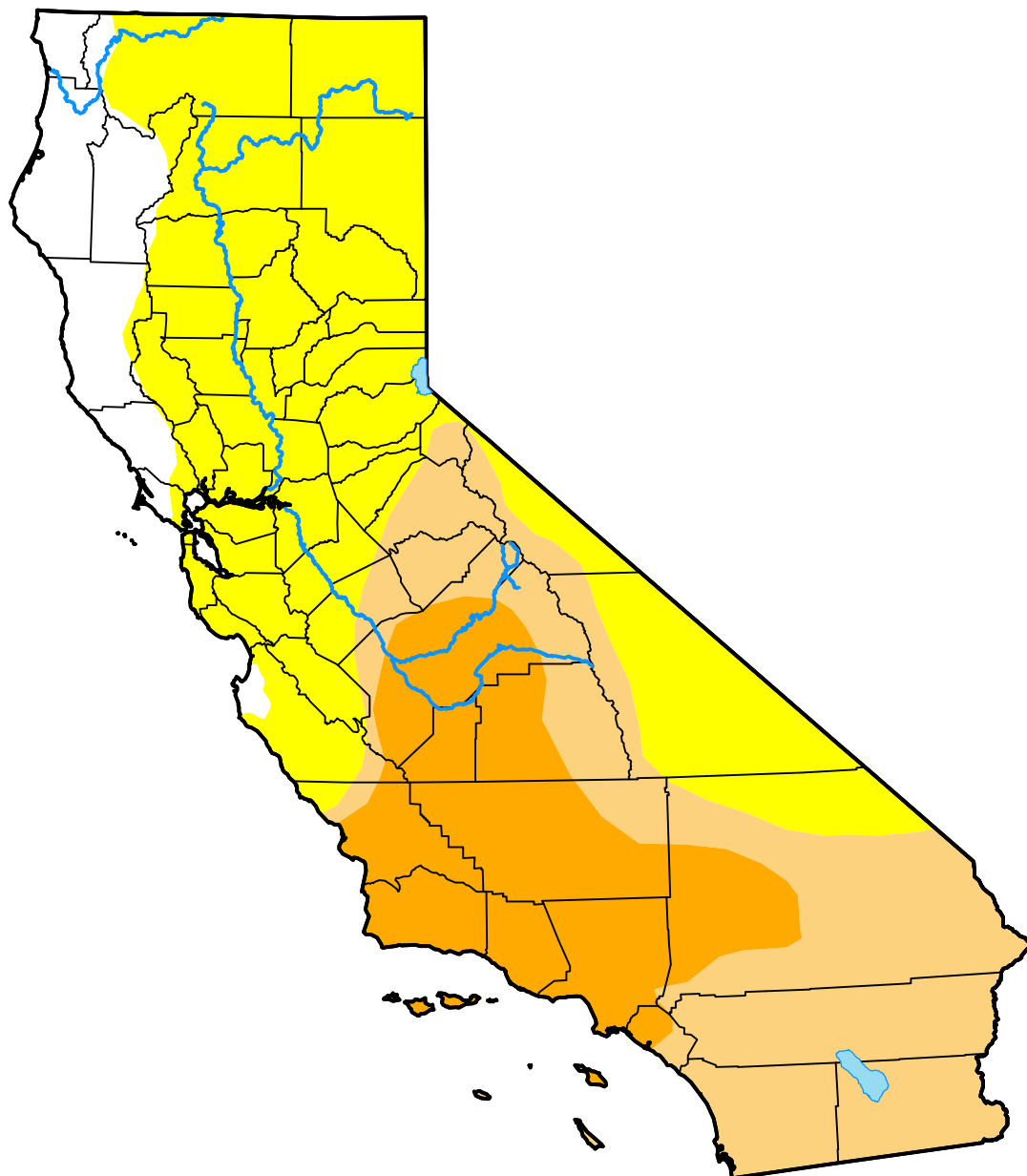


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA California Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	8.48	91.52	47.87	19.98	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-20-2018</i>	8.43	91.57	47.87	19.98	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-28-2017</i>	69.09	30.91	8.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2018</i>	55.70	44.30	12.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	77.88	22.12	8.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-28-2017</i>	74.49	25.51	8.73	4.08	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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