



Drought and Climate Change Impact on the Monterey Peninsula Water Supply

Carmel Climate Committee
January 21, 2021

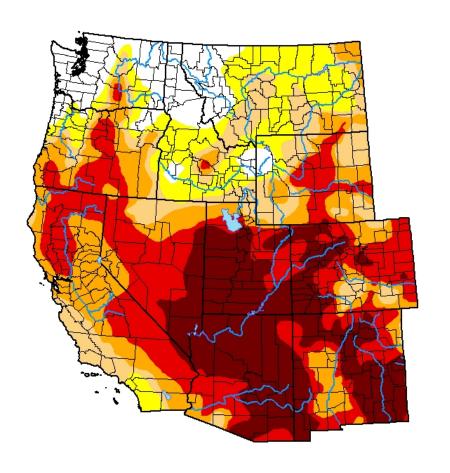


Drought Monitor – Western States January 12, 2021



U.S. Drought Monitor
West

January 12, 2021 (Released Thursday, Jan. 14, 2021) Valid 7 a.m. EST



Intensity:

None

D0 Abnormally Dry

D1 Moderate Drought

D2 Severe Drought

D3 Extreme 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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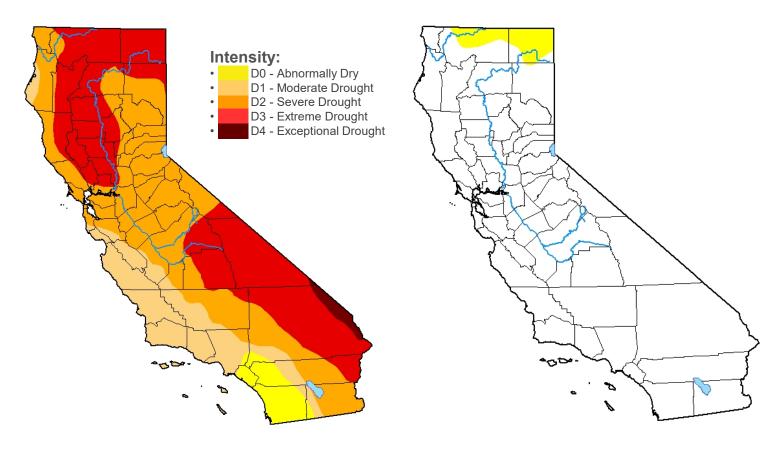


Drought Monitor – California Second Week of January



Today (2021)

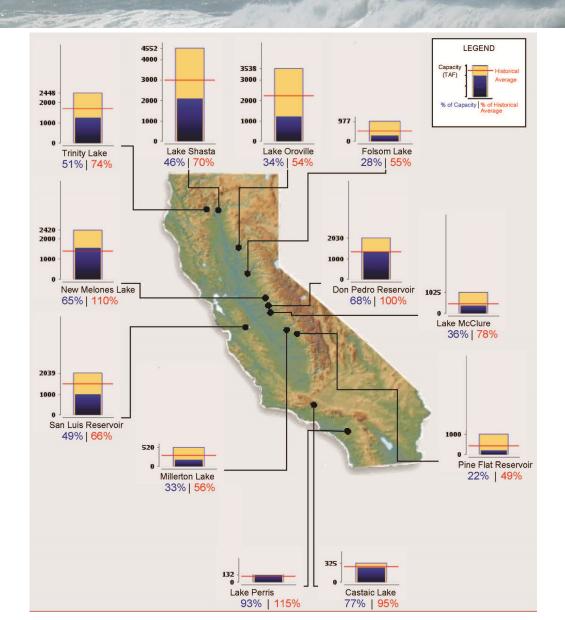
1 Year Ago





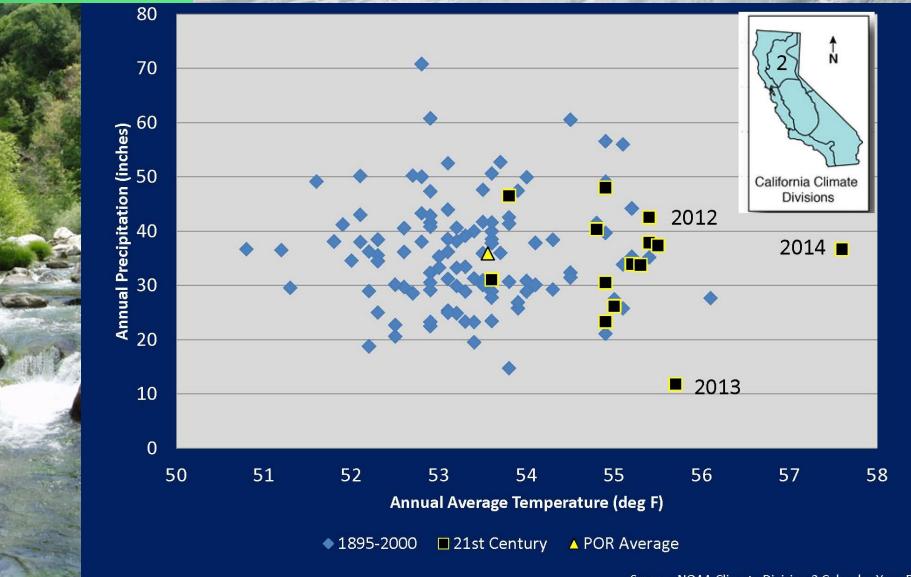
January 19, 2021 Reservoir Conditions





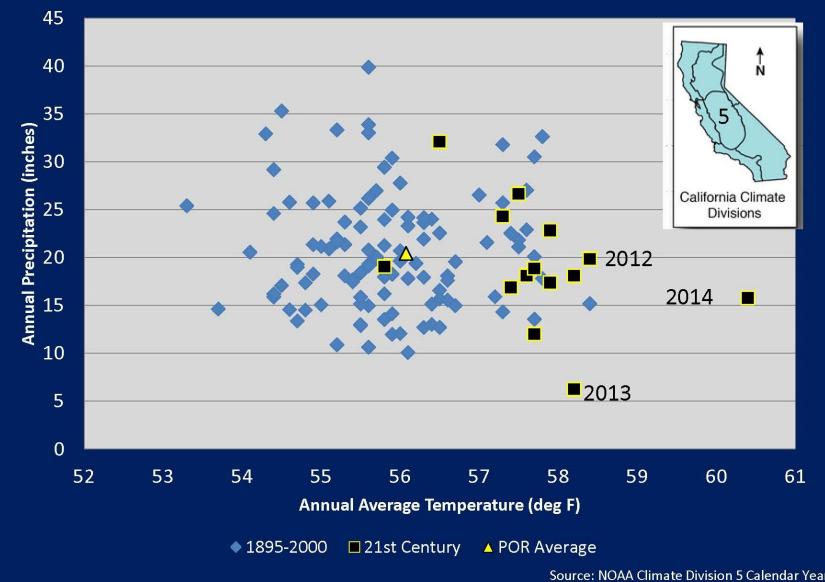


2015 Drought Data: Its Getting Warmer – Sacramento Valley





2015 Drought Data: Its Getting Warmer - San Joaquin Valley

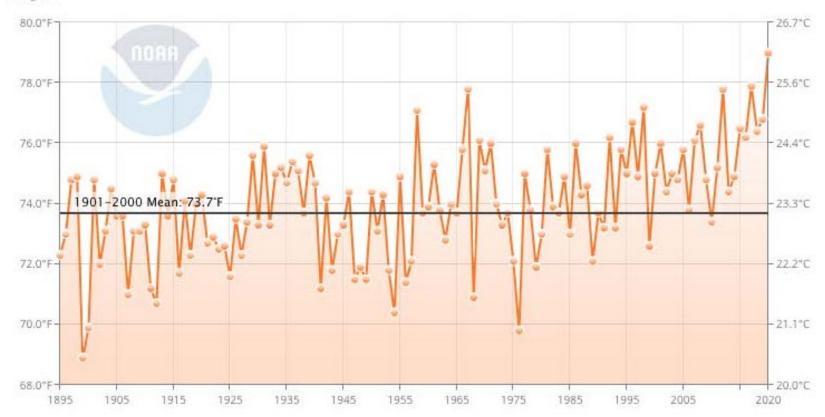




Was California's August 2020 Hottest Ever or Coolest of Next 100 Years?

California Average Temperature

August





55 Inches of Sea Level Rise Monterey Quadrangle

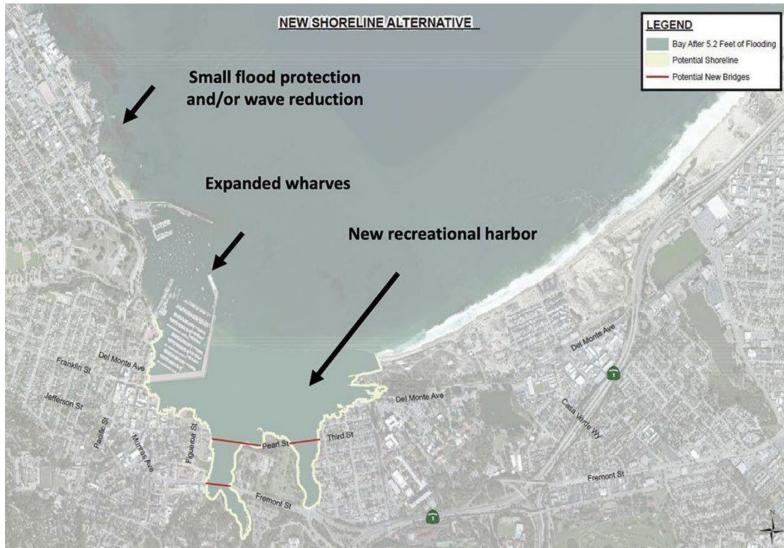






62 Inches of Sea Level Rise City of Monterey

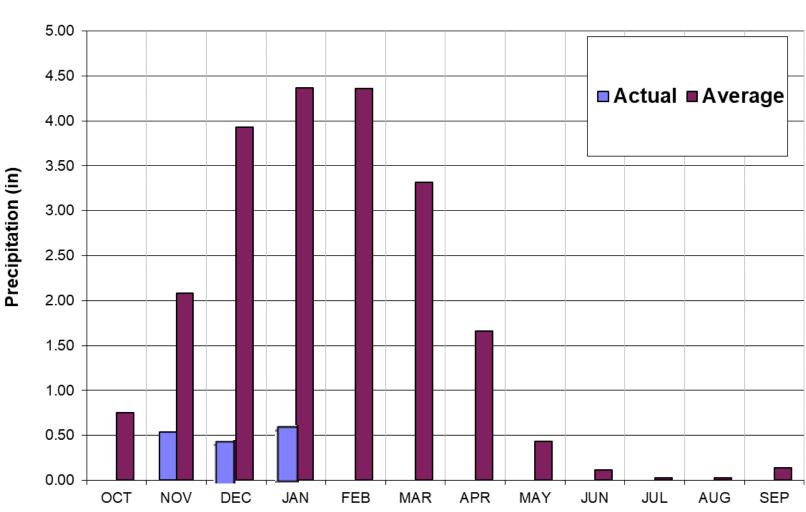






Recorded Rainfall at San Clemente Dam: Water Year 2021 to Date

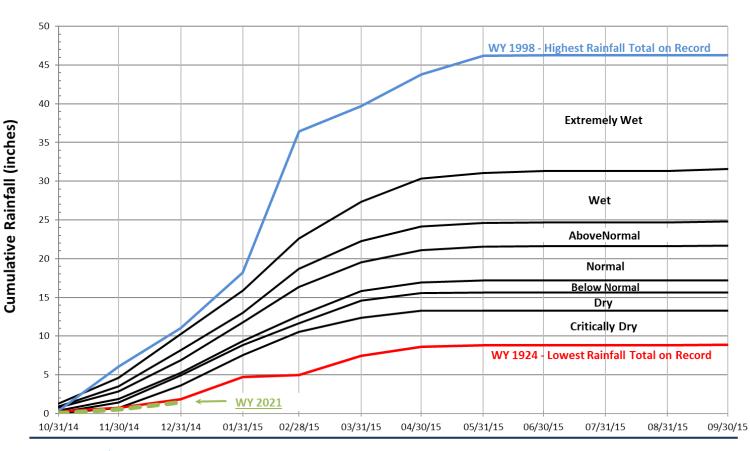






Monterey Peninsula Water Year Classes By Recorded Rainfall





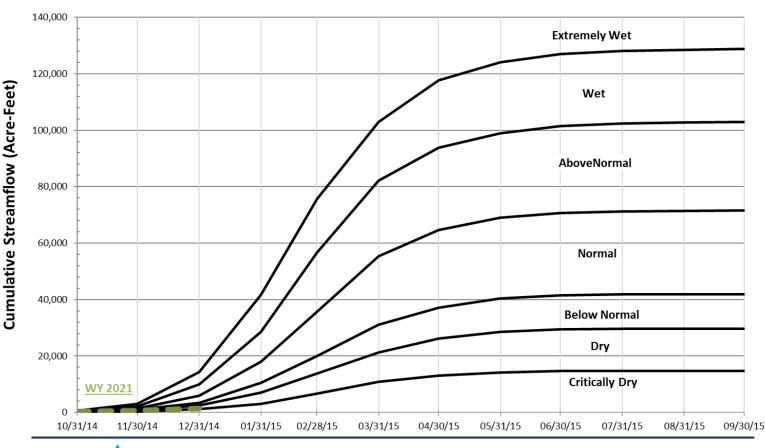


Water Year Classification Types for Rainfall Recorded at San Clemente Dam 1922 to Present, Carmel Valley, California.



Monterey Peninsula Water Year Classes By Unimpaired Streamflow







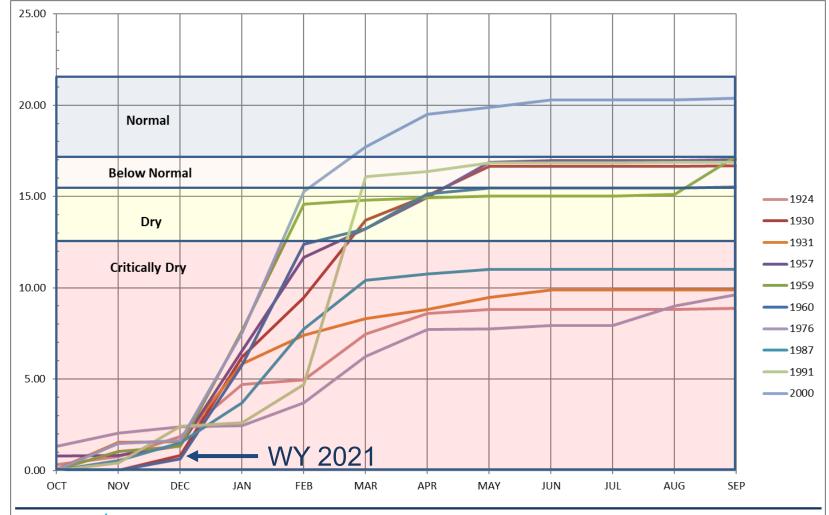
Water Year Classification Types for Unimpaired Flow Recorded at San Clemente
Dam 1902 to Present, Carmel Valley, California.

Datasource: MPWMD



10 Worst First 3 Months Rainfall



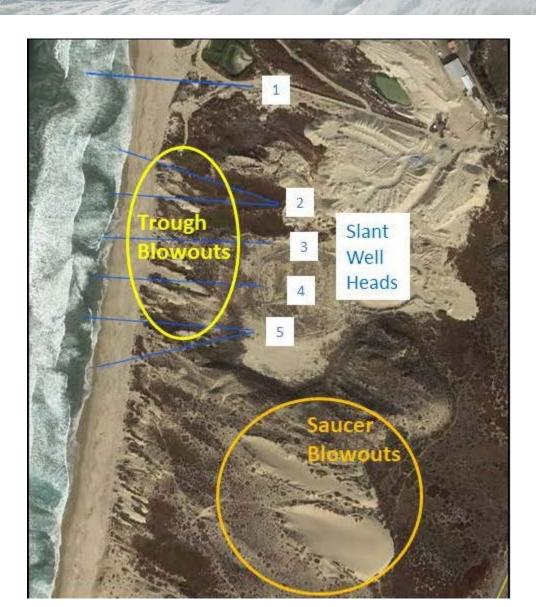






Local Impacts of Climate Change Desalination Plant Intake Wells







Local Impacts of Climate Change Pure Water Monterey







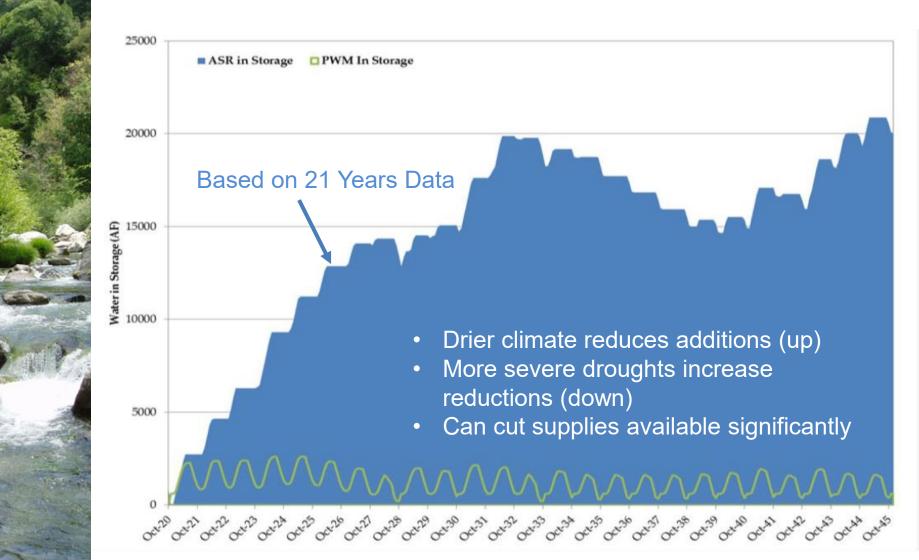




Each source water is impacted differently by climate warming and drought, but the project has right of first of refusal for each.



Local Impacts of Climate Change Aquifer Storage & Recovery









QUESTIONS?