

These web portals, supported by a wide variety of public and private organizations, present California water quality and aquatic ecosystem monitoring data and assessment information that may be viewed across space and time.

Welcome to My Water Quality

Is Our Water Safe to Drink?



Safe drinking water depends on a variety of chemical and biological factors regulated by a number of local, state, and federal agencies. [Learn more >>](#)

Are Our Aquatic Ecosystems Healthy?



The health of fish and other aquatic organisms and communities depends on the chemical, physical, and biological quality of the waters in which they live. [Learn more >>](#)

Is it Safe to Swim in Our Waters?



Swimming safety of our waters is linked to the levels of pathogens that have the potential to cause disease. [Learn more >>](#)

Are harmful algal blooms affecting our waters?



Harmful algal blooms can make water unsafe for swimming and other recreational activities. The toxins they produce can harm pets, livestock, and people. [Learn more >>](#)

Is it Safe to Eat Fish From Our Waters?



Aquatic organisms are able to accumulate certain pollutants from the water in which they live, sometimes reaching levels that could harm consumers. [Learn more >>](#)

Is There Monitoring Data Near Me?



A number of regional monitoring programs throughout California collect and display water quality and aquatic ecosystem health data. [Learn more >>](#)



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- Some smaller public water systems are regulated by County Environmental Health Departments. These are called "**Local Primacy Agencies**." Some even smaller water systems, called state small water systems, are subject to minimum requirements that are enforced by local health agencies.

Private Domestic Wells and Other Non-regulated Sources

- Some people get their drinking water from wells or other sources that do not meet the definition of a public water system or a state small water system because they serve a small number of people, or perhaps only one household. Those wells and small systems are not regulated by the State in terms of drinking water quality. To assist well owners, the State Water Board has prepared [A Guide for Private Domestic Well Owners](#).
- The Groundwater Ambient Monitoring and Assessment Program (GAMA) has [information for private well owners](#).
- For more information about water quality for private wells, contact your county's environmental health department.



Maximum Contaminant Levels

The State Water Board is responsible for adopting drinking water standards, including standards for contaminants, which are called [Maximum Contaminant Levels \(MCLs\)](#). The State Water Board is required to set the MCL at a level as close to the [Public Health Goal \(PHG\)](#) for that contaminant as is technologically and economically feasible, placing primary emphasis on the protection of public health. PHGs identify concentrations in drinking water that pose no significant health risk and are established by the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment ([OEHHA](#)), which is part of the California Environmental Protection Agency.



Drinking Water Contaminants

- [Information on Chemicals and Contaminants in Drinking Water](#) from the Division of Drinking Water
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- [Public Health Goals](#) from the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment
- [Factsheets for Contaminants of Concern](#) from the Groundwater Ambient Monitoring and Assessment Program
- [Drinking Water Contaminant Human Health Information](#) from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- [Table of Regulated Contaminants](#) from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency




(Updated 5/19/17)

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Daily Water Saving Tips
SET MOWER BLADES TO 3"
 Encourages deeper roots & saves 16-50 gallons per day



Save Our Water

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HUMAN RIGHT TO water PORTAL

safe & clean. affordable. accessible

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HUMAN RIGHT TO WATER (HR2W)

On September 12, 2012, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. signed Assembly Bill (AB) 685, making California the first state in the nation to legislatively recognize the human right to water.

Now in the Water Code as Section 108.3, the state statutorily recognizes that "every human being has the right to safe, clean, affordable, and accessible water adequate for human consumption, cooking, and sanitary purposes." The human right to water extends to all Californians, including disadvantaged individuals and groups and communities in rural and urban areas.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

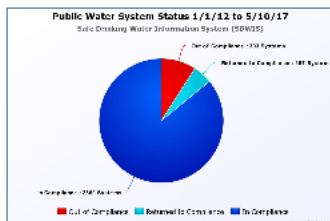
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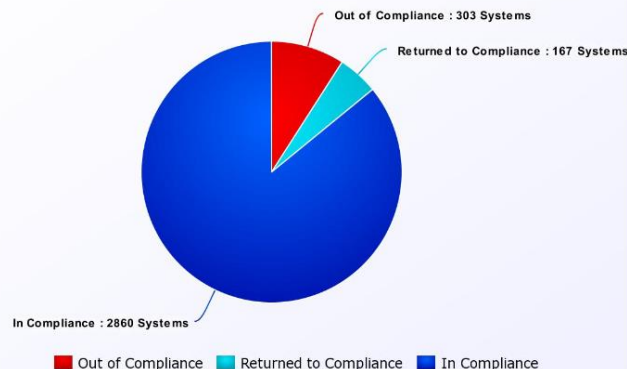
EXCEEDANCE/COMPLIANCE STATUS OF PUBLIC WATER SYSTEMS

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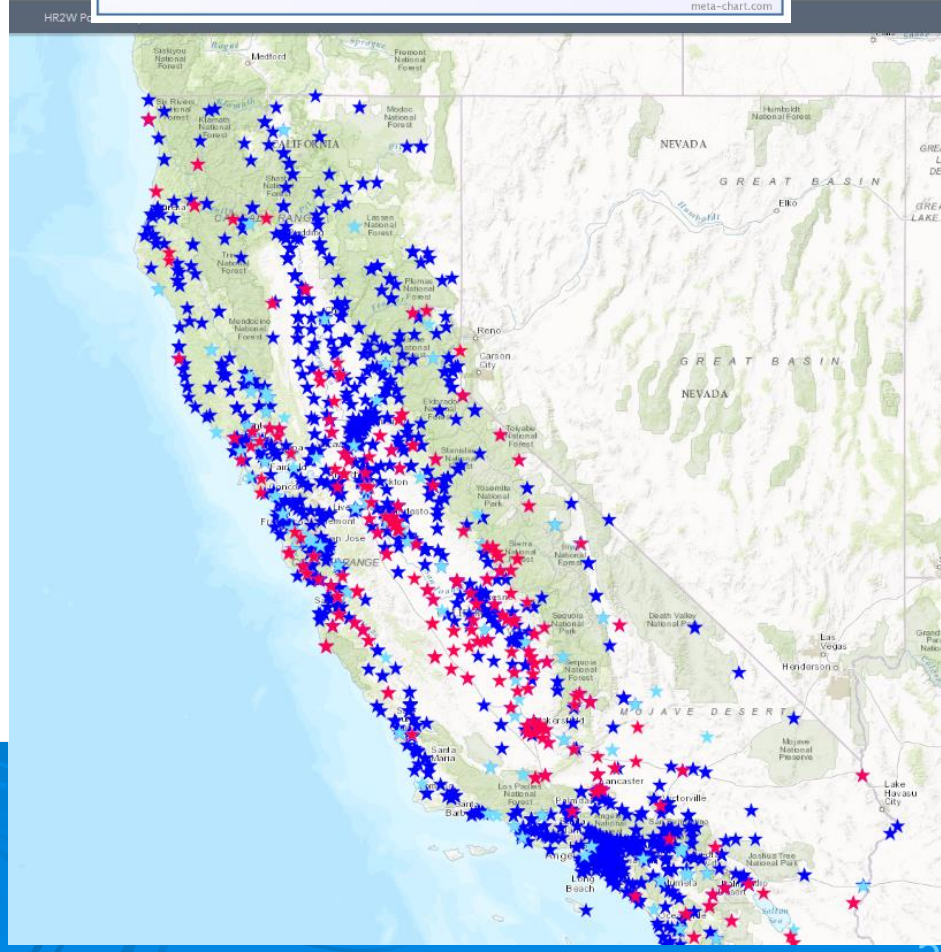
Public Water System Status 1/1/12 to 5/10/17

Safe Drinking Water Information System (SDWIS)



DOWNLOAD HUMAN RIGHT TO WATER DATA

- » [Data Disclosure](#)
- » [Exceedance/Compliance Status of Public Water Systems \(PWSs\) Data \(Excel Files\)](#)
 - » [Community, Schools, Daycares Public Water Systems Who Have Current Exceedance/Compliance Issues \(1/1/2012-5/10/17\)](#)
 - » [Community, Schools, Daycares PWSs with Return-to-Compliance for Past Exceedance/Compliance Issues \(1/1/2012-5/10/17\)](#)
 - » [Community & NTNC PWSs Currently Out-of-Compliance with Hexavalent Chromium MCL \(State-owned\)](#)
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- » [Affordable Safe Drinking Water \(ASDW\) Initiative](#)
 - » [Factsheet](#)
 - » [Explanation of Safe Drinking Water O&M Needs Estimate Spreadsheet](#)
 - » [Safe Drinking Water O&M Needs Estimate \(Excel File\) \(Jan 2017\)](#)
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 - » [For more information on affordable drinking water rate development activities, see the Low-Income Water Rate Assistance Program webpage](#)
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SDWIS Version 3.21

California Public Water Supply Systems Search Parameters

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[Click Here for the County Map of CALIFORNIA](#)

CA Drinking Water Watch

Water System Details

Water System No. :	CA3410020	Federal Type :	C
Water System Name :	CITY OF SACRAMENTO MAIN	State Type :	C
Principal County Served :	SACRAMENTO	Primary Source :	SW
Status :	A	Activity Date :	01-01-1976

Water System Contacts

Type	Address	Phone		Email - Web Address
Administrative Contact	7501 COLLEGE TOWN DR. SACRAMENTO,CA 95826	Business	916-808-3765	
Administrative Contact	1395 35th Avenue SACRAMENTO,CA 95822	Business	916-808-1434	
Physical Location Contact	CA3410020-CITY OF SACRAMENTO MAIN			

Division of Drinking Water District / County Health Dept. Info

Name	Phone	Email	Address
DISTRICT 09 - SACRAMENTO	916-449-5600		1616 CAPITOL AVE. MS 7407 P.O. BOX 99737 SACRAMENTO CA 95899-7377

Annual Operating Periods & Population Served

Service Connections

Start	Start	End	End Day	Population Type	Population				Meter

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CITY OF SACRAMENTO DEPARTMENT OF UTILITIES

2015 WATER QUALITY REPORT

A Consumer Confidence Report for the Citizens of Sacramento

DROUGHT ALERT

As California faces an unprecedented drought, water is more precious than ever. The City of Sacramento has limited watering days for residents and businesses. Find your watering days, tips to save water and available water conservation services and rebates at www.SpareSacWater.org.

Congratulations! Your water meets or exceeds all federal and state drinking water standards.

TRADITION OF EXCELLENCE

Since its founding in 1849, the City of Sacramento has considered water quality of the utmost importance. This Consumer Confidence Report is presented to enhance your understanding of where your water comes from, what it contains, and to confirm that your drinking water continues to meet or exceed all state and federal drinking water standards.

The City of Sacramento Department of Utilities is dedicated to providing our customers with dependable, high quality water, storm drainage

and wastewater services in a fiscally and environmentally sustainable manner. In doing so, we work to conserve and preserve our water sources.

TEAMWORK: TOGETHER WE CAN PROTECT OUR WATER RESOURCES

The City of Sacramento Department of Utilities works hard to bring you quality drinking water. Please be careful as you live, work and play to limit what goes into the storm drains and rivers, so we can continue to preserve the quality of the water and our diverse river ecosystem.

City of
SACRAMENTO
Department of Utilities

Consumer Confidence Report Certification Form

(To be submitted with a copy of the CCR)

Water System Name: City of Sacramento Main

Water System Number: 3410020

The water system named above hereby certifies that its Consumer Confidence Report was distributed on 06/02/2016 (date) to customers (and appropriate notices of availability have been given). Further, the system certifies that the information contained in the report is correct and consistent with the compliance monitoring data previously submitted to the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water (DDW).

Certified by: Name: Pravani Vandeyar
Signature: [Signature]
Title: Water Quality Superintendent
Phone Number: (916) 808-3765 Date: 7/13/2016

To summarize report delivery used and good-faith efforts taken, please complete this page by checking all items that apply and fill-in where appropriate:

- CCR was distributed by mail or other direct delivery methods (attach description of other direct delivery methods used).
- CCR was distributed using electronic delivery methods described in the Guidance for Electronic Delivery of the Consumer Confidence Report (water systems utilizing electronic delivery methods must complete the second page).
- "Good faith" efforts were used to reach non-bill paying consumers. Those efforts included the following methods:
 - Posting the CCR at the following URL:
<http://www.cityofsacramento.org/Utilities/Education/water-quality>
 - Mailing the CCR to postal patrons within the service area (attach zip codes used)
 - Advertising the availability of the CCR in news media (attach copy of press release)
 - Publication of the CCR in a local newspaper of general circulation (attach a copy of the published notice, including name of newspaper and date published)
 - Posted the CCR in public places (attach a list of locations)
 - Delivery of multiple copies of CCR to single-billed addresses serving several persons, such as apartments, businesses, and schools
 - Delivery to community organizations (attach a list of organizations)
 - Publication of the CCR in the electronic city newsletter or electronic community newsletter or listserv (attach a copy of the article or notice)
 - Electronic announcement of CCR availability via social media outlets (attach list of social media outlets utilized)
 - Other (attach a list of other methods used)
- For systems serving at least 100,000 persons: Posted CCR on a publicly-accessible internet site at the following URL: www._____

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