

National Predictive Services Forecast

California South Ops

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Predictive Service Area (PSA)	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Jun	Jun	Jun	Jun	Jun	Jun	Jun
SC01 - Eastern Sierra							
SC02 - Central Sierra							
SC03 - Southern Sierra							
SC04 - Sierra Foothills							
SC05 - Central Valley							
SC06 - Central Coast Interior							
SC07 - Central Coast							
SC08 - South Coast							
SC09 - Western Mountains							
SC10 - Eastern Mountains							
SC11 - Southern Mountains							
SC12 - Lower Deserts							
SC13 - Eastern Deserts							
SC14 - Central Mojave							
SC15 - Upper Deserts							
SC16 - Northern Deserts							

Weather Discussion

Turning Breezy this Afternoon

Above Normal Temperatures through the Weekend

High pressure over the Eastern Pacific and the Southwest will continue to produce very warm temperatures over the next few days. However, onshore flow combined with a bit deeper marine layer will bring noticeable cooling to the coast and some of the coastal valleys today and Friday. High temperatures the next couple of days will range from the 90s in the valleys and lower foothills to 102-108 in the San Joaquin Valley to 115 in the desert. **West and southwest winds of 15-25 mph with gusts to 35 mph will be possible across the Antelope Valley, Banning Pass and nearby areas this afternoon.** Isolated showers and thunderstorms may be a bit more numerous this afternoon along the Sierra Crest, but they should stay confined to the highest elevations. This weekend, onshore flow will weaken and the flow aloft will turn more northerly. This may bring warmer weather to a few regions such as the south coast of Santa Barbara and Ventura County as well as the L.A. Basin. Temperatures in these

areas may climb into the 90s to near 103 in the valleys Saturday and Sunday. Local north winds of 10-20 mph will be possible Friday night into Saturday morning. Expect a handful of storms near the Sierra Crest each afternoon. Next week, a trough over the Pacific Northwest is expected to bring additional cooling - especially to Central California. Highs will be a few degrees above seasonal averages, but most valleys will stay in the lower to mid 90s which is 10-15 degrees cooler than the temperatures experienced earlier this week.

Fuels/Fire Discussion

Large fire potential will remain elevated through the weekend in the urban interface regions and the foothills due to very warm temperatures, strong sunshine and low afternoon RH. Minimum RH will continue to drop into the single digits on desert-adjacent slopes which will result in rapid rates of spread through all dead fuels and cured grasses. **The highest large fire potential today will likely be from Canyon Country into the north sides of the Angeles and San Bernardino N.F.'s where breezy conditions and very warm temperatures will occur this afternoon.** Rapid rates of spread and even some long range spotting may occur in continuous fuels in these areas with some live fuels below the canopy capable of carrying fire. Next week, cooler and more humid conditions should allow for lower a lower large fire potential overall. IA will be moderate to heavy through Sunday, then light next week.

Resource Discussion

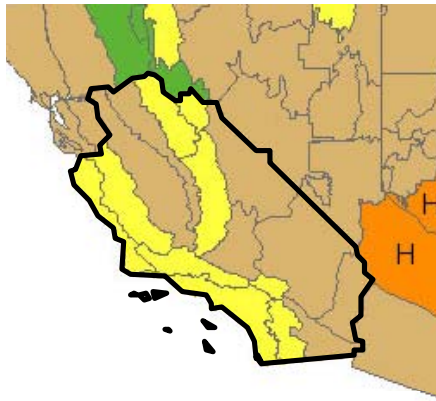
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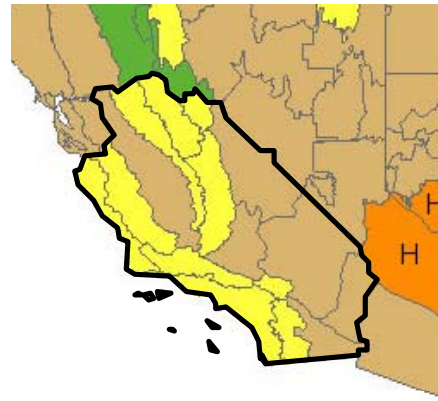
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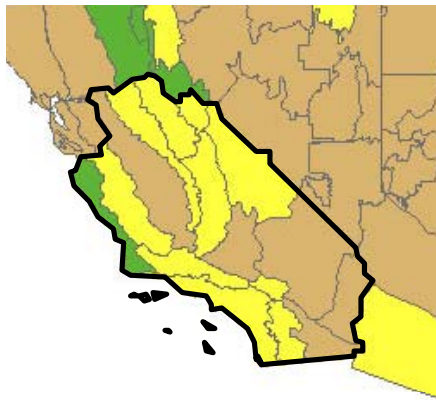
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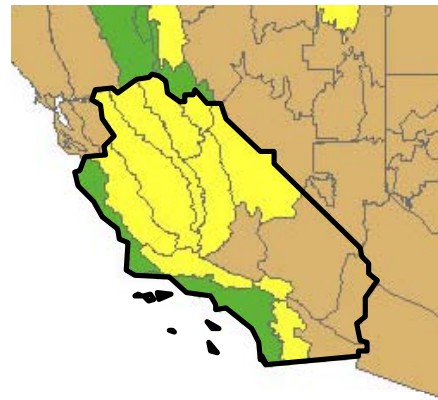
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