



# CALIFORNIA'S FOURTH CLIMATE CHANGE ASSESSMENT

## WHAT IS THE CLIMATE ASSESSMENT?

California's Climate Change Assessments contribute to the scientific foundation for understanding climate-related vulnerability at the local scale and informing resilience actions, while also directly informing State policies, plans, programs, and guidance, to promote effective and integrated action to safeguard California from climate change.

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### Key Findings

California's Fourth Climate Change Assessment provides information to build resilience to climate impacts, including temperature, wildfire, water, sea level rise, and governance. Here you can view a snapshot of the key findings of the Fourth Assessment. For additional information, please download the Key Findings brochure, "California's Changing Climate 2018."

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### Statewide Summary Report

The Statewide Summary Report presents an overview of the main findings from California's Fourth Climate Change Assessment, to translate the state of climate science into useful information for action. This report presents findings in the context of existing climate science, including strategies to adapt to climate impacts and key research gaps needed to spur additional progress on safeguarding California from climate change.

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