Water
Water and the American West

Revised and Updated

Cadillac Desert
The American West and Its Disappearing Water

Marc Reisner
Annual Mean Precipitation

http://ga.water.usgs.gov/edu/watercycleprecipitation.html
Bottled Water

http://www.cartoonstock.com/lowres/jmo0267l.jpg
http://www.cartoonstock.com/directory/m/mineral_water.asp
Water: Cholera

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cholera
Cholera: John Snow’s map

San Diego Water Supply

sandiegodialogue.org/pdfs/Water_Paper_Sept01.pdf
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Existing Water Resources Within SDCWA Service Area (2000)

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SDCWA Projected Water Resources - Year 2020

- Conservation: 10%
- Seawater Desalination: 35%
- Recycled: 10%
- Surface Water: 65%
- Groundwater: 7%
- Other Imported: 9%
- IID Transfer: 22%
- MWD: 34%

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Ogallala Aquifer

http://www.npwd.org/new_page_2.htm