

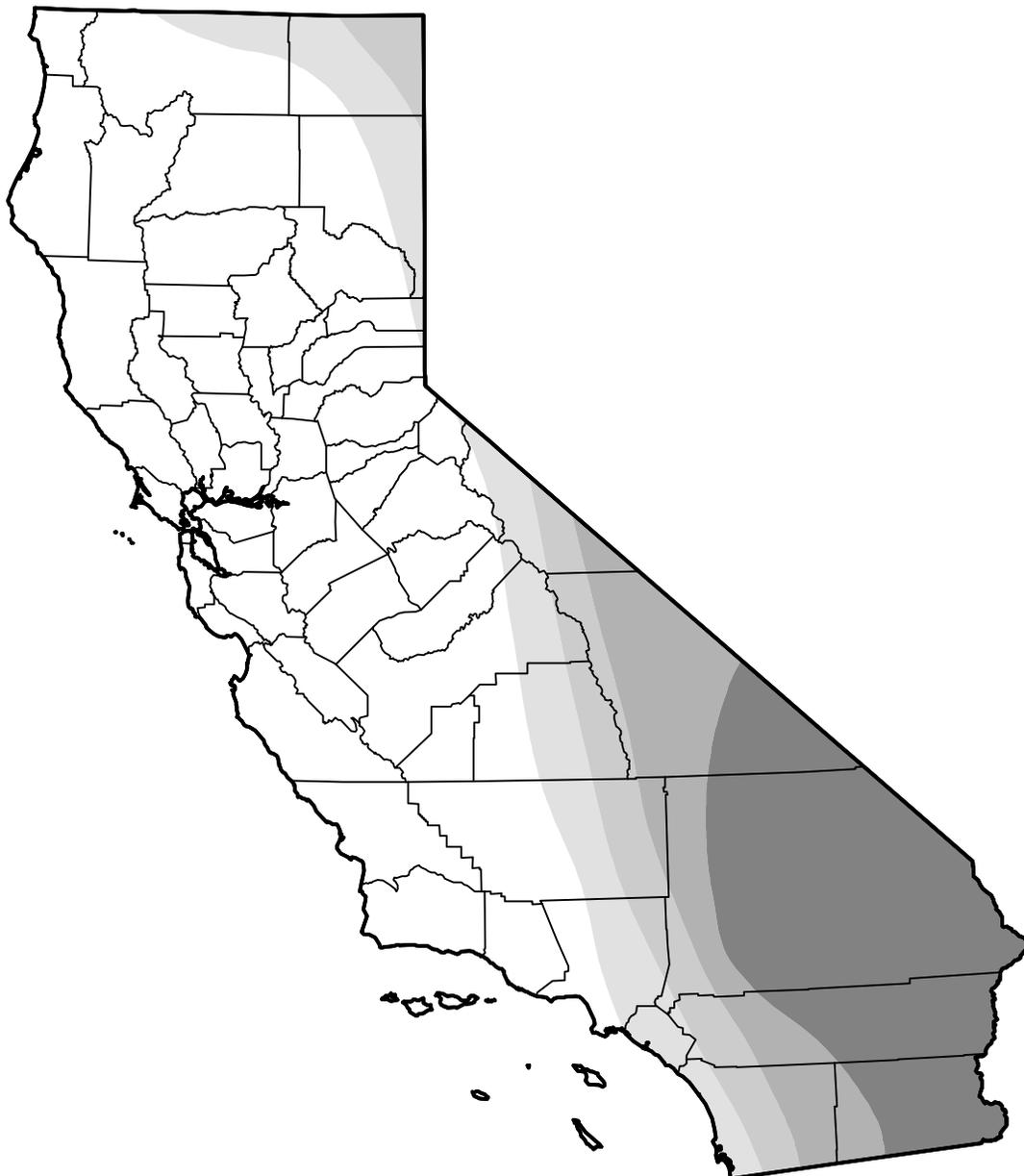
U.S. Drought Monitor California

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	56.56	10.32	6.83	8.71	17.58	0.00
Last Week <i>12-19-2002</i>	42.10	22.15	6.63	11.94	17.18	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-26-2002</i>	5.50	38.36	16.50	15.66	23.98	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	77.42	11.50	6.15	4.92	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	6.12	42.13	13.56	14.58	23.61	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-27-2001</i>	66.53	14.66	8.90	9.92	0.00	0.00



Intensity:



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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