

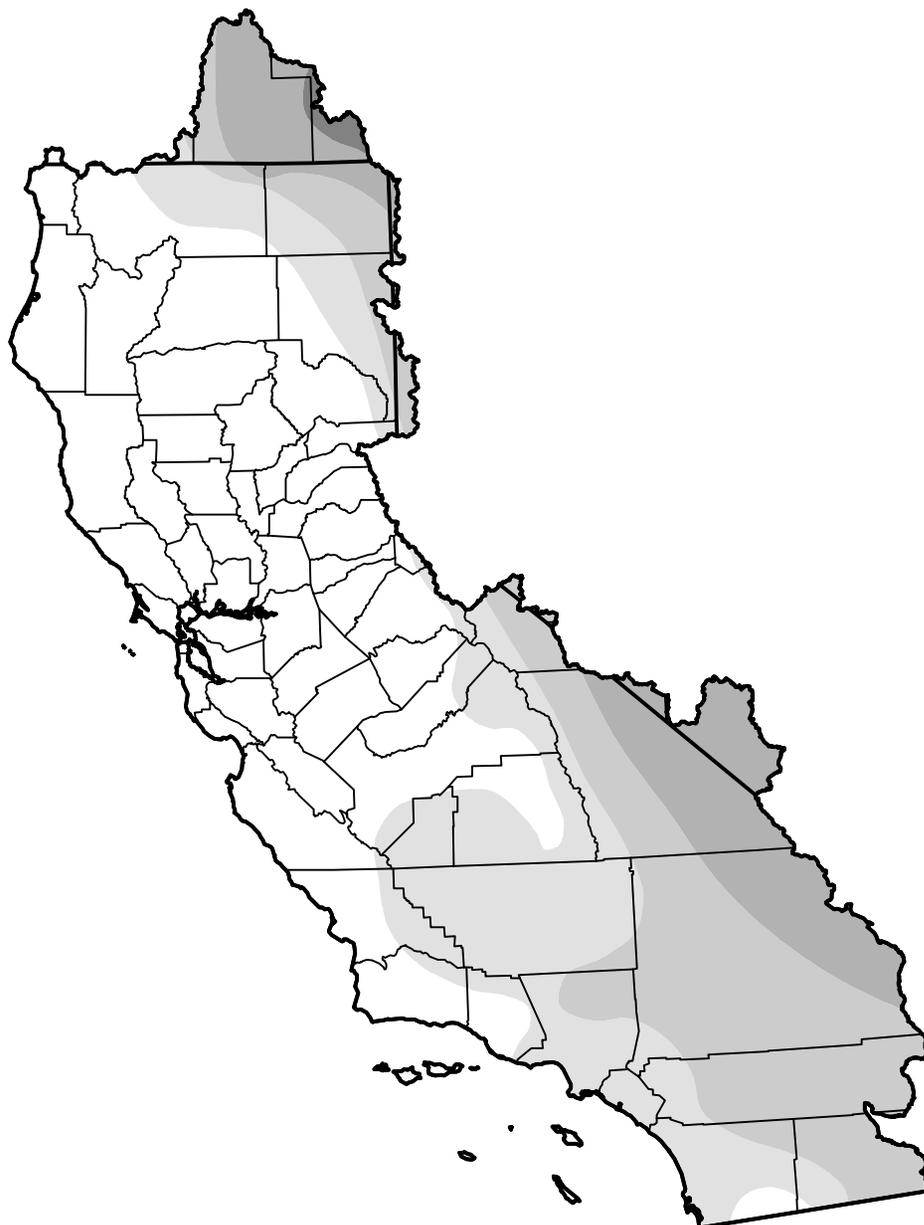
# U.S. Drought Monitor California Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	46.37	21.78	20.11	11.30	0.44	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-04-2003</i>	42.67	26.64	20.61	10.08	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-11-2003</i>	65.30	6.64	18.40	9.65	0.01	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	59.76	9.67	6.38	9.33	14.86	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2003</i>	67.14	8.39	15.39	9.08	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-12-2002</i>	0.00	49.44	21.16	14.34	15.06	0.00



***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

*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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