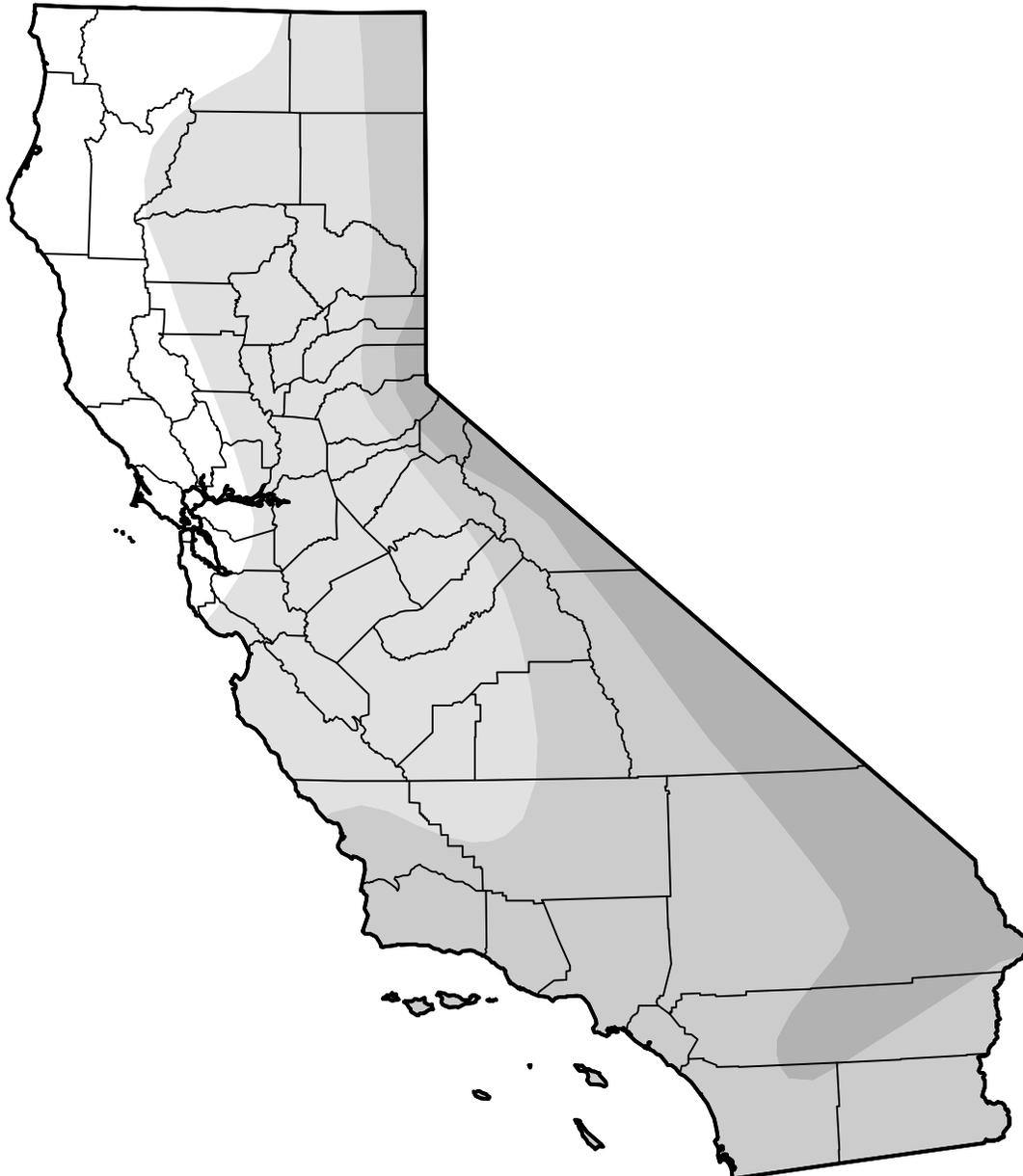


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	14.81	85.19	52.05	14.97	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-22-2004</i>	14.81	85.19	52.02	9.89	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>04-29-2004</i>	29.21	70.79	22.67	6.96	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	67.34	32.66	20.28	9.47	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i>	67.98	32.02	23.86	8.94	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>07-31-2003</i>	63.90	36.10	24.76	8.43	0.03	0.00

Intensity:



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