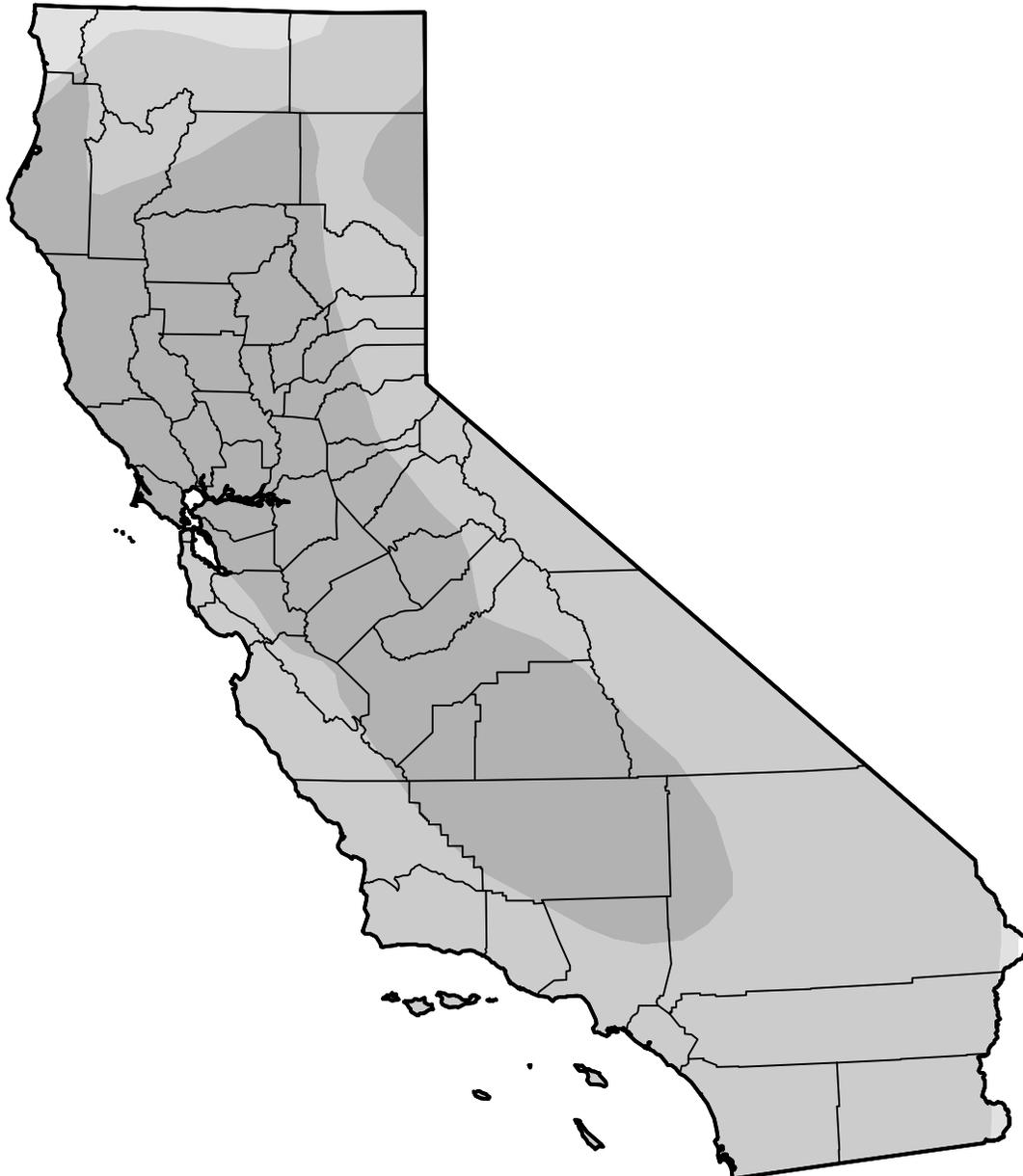


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.04	99.96	97.69	43.08	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-21-2008</i>	0.04	99.96	96.88	41.38	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-29-2008</i>	8.91	91.09	47.51	9.26	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	8.87	91.13	84.70	58.04	14.55	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	0.00	100.00	92.56	64.62	33.76	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-30-2007</i>	0.00	100.00	92.56	65.34	35.21	0.00

Intensity:



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