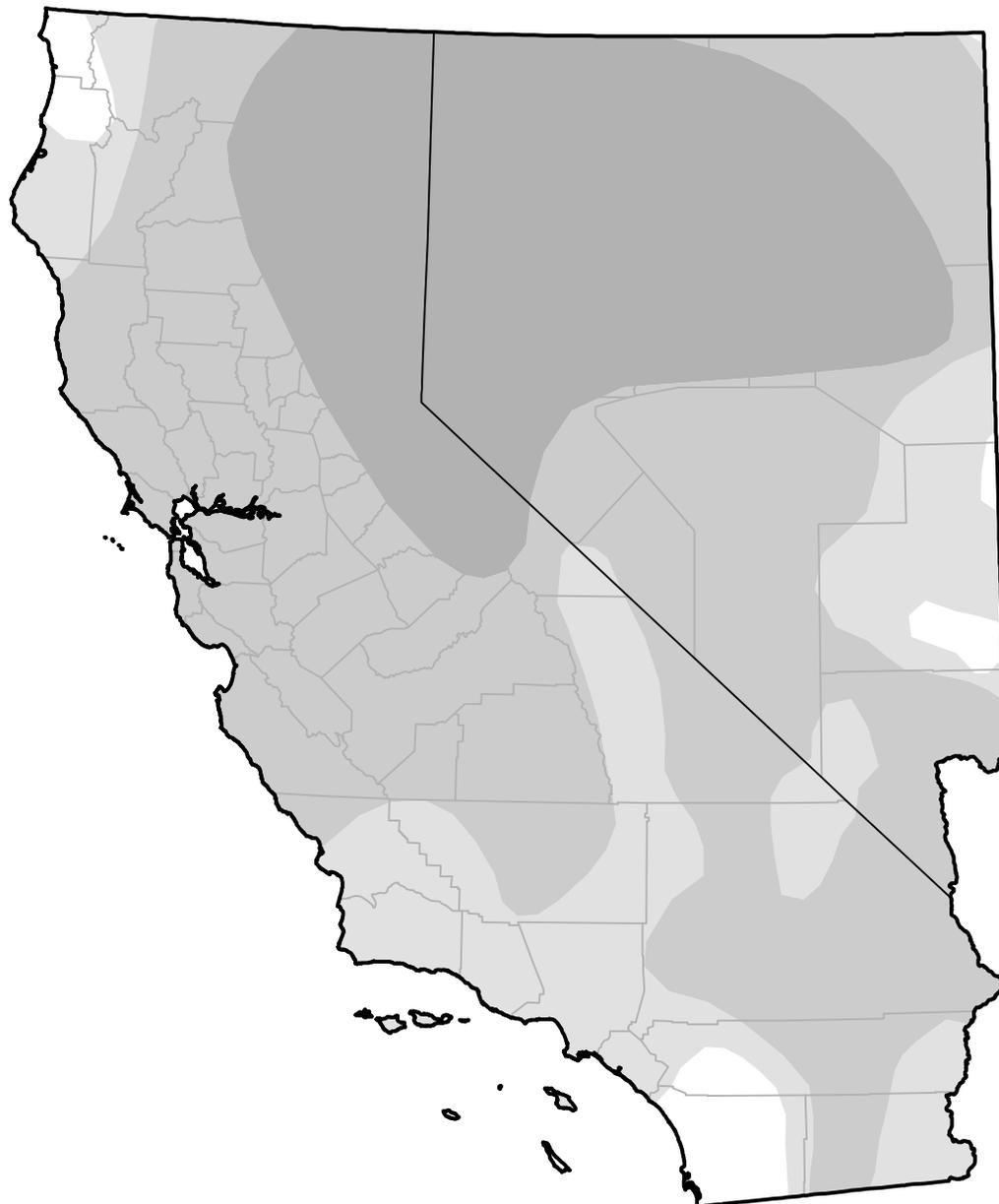


U.S. Drought Monitor

California-Nevada RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	3.19	18.79	49.09	28.93	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-23-2012</i>	3.41	23.05	68.23	5.30	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-01-2011</i>	89.83	10.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	25.08	34.08	40.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	89.46	10.54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-03-2011</i>	99.96	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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