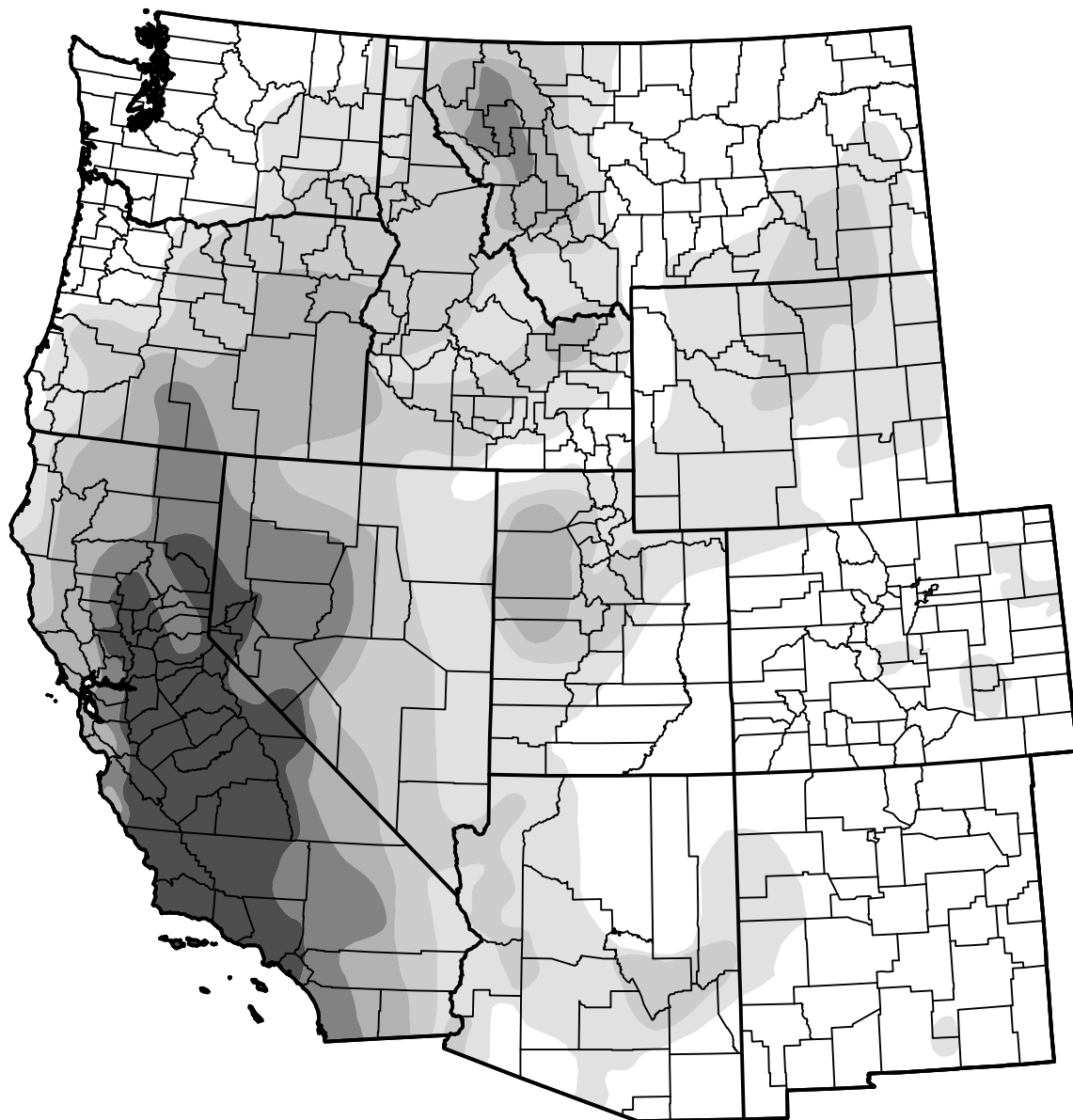


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	37.77	23.77	17.07	9.70	5.99	5.70
Last Week <i>01-26-2016</i>	37.80	23.75	16.86	9.90	5.88	5.81
3 Months Ago <i>11-03-2015</i>	27.09	18.46	15.26	16.77	15.51	6.90
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	33.17	21.75	15.77	13.38	9.07	6.85
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	22.77	19.42	15.40	15.92	18.88	7.62
One Year Ago <i>02-03-2015</i>	30.68	16.58	21.39	12.83	11.56	6.96

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate 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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