

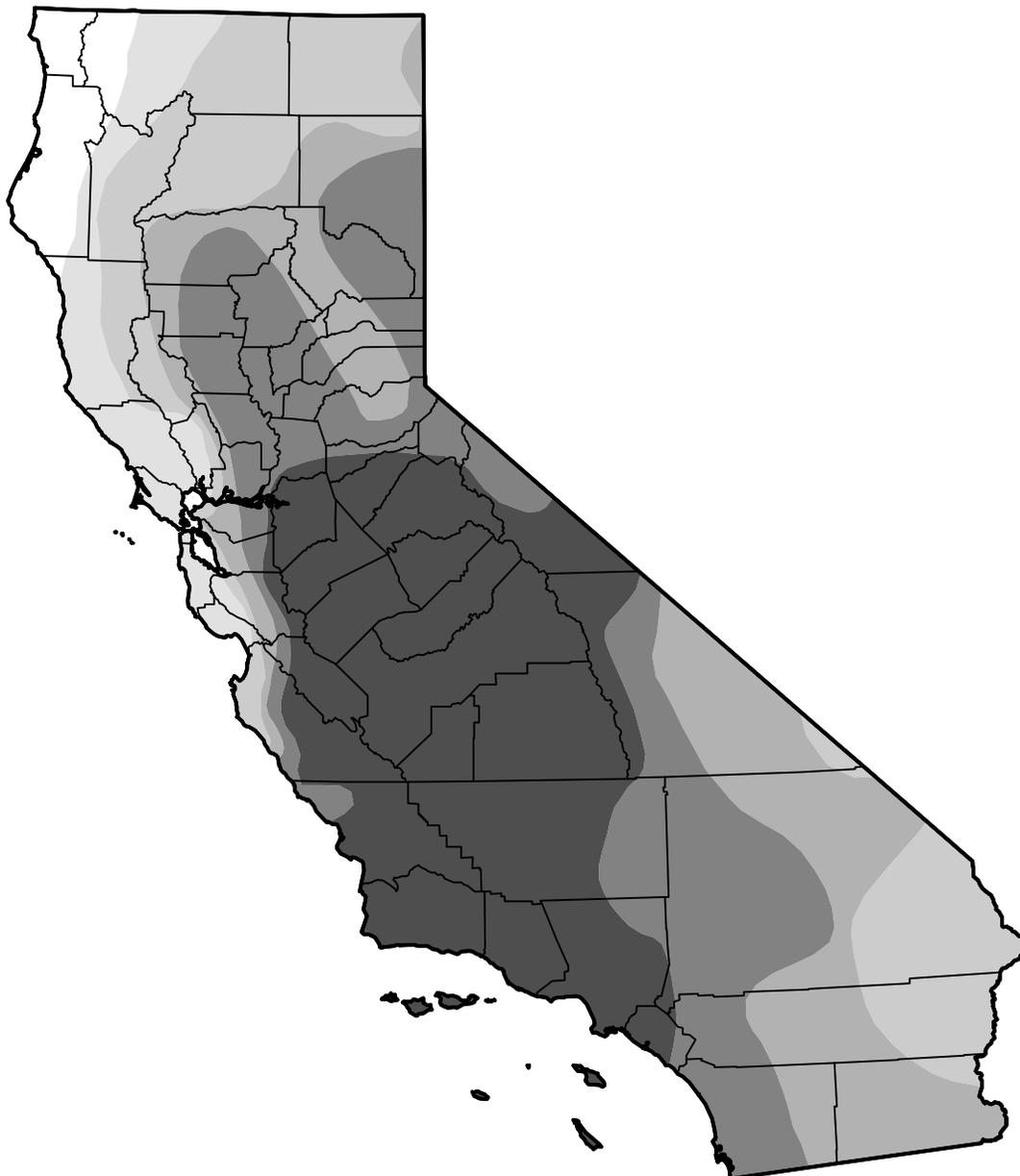
# U.S. Drought Monitor California

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	3.55	5.87	16.21	19.11	23.57	31.68
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-31-2016</i>	3.55	5.87	17.76	17.57	20.51	34.74
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-07-2016</i>	0.00	2.67	9.78	18.49	24.22	44.84
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2015</i>	0.00	2.67	9.78	18.49	24.22	44.84
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2015</i>	0.14	2.53	4.97	21.29	25.08	46.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-09-2015</i>	0.15	1.74	4.67	26.84	22.28	44.32



***Intensity:***



*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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