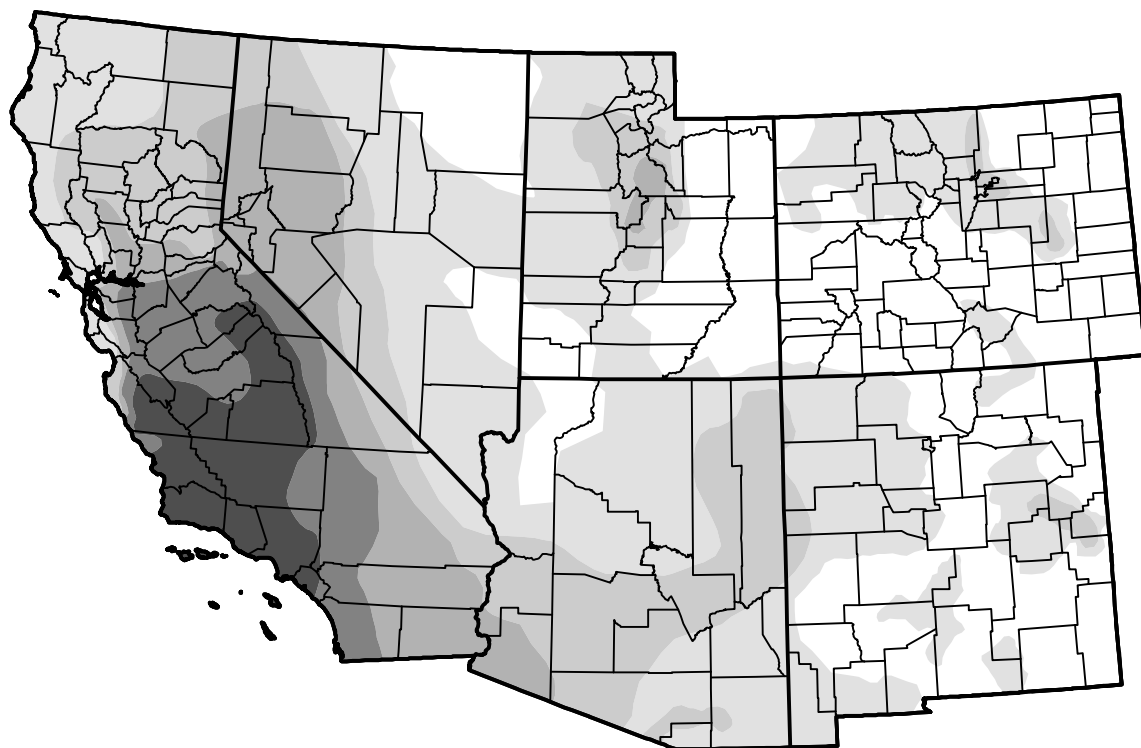


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	29.25	70.75	35.05	18.65	9.80	4.80
Last Week <i>09-20-2016</i>	25.08	74.92	35.34	18.82	9.80	4.80
3 Months Ago <i>06-28-2016</i>	29.70	70.30	37.04	18.23	9.80	4.80
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	31.79	68.21	48.49	33.36	20.81	11.72
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	23.90	76.10	56.71	37.02	22.19	13.03
One Year Ago <i>09-29-2015</i>	23.90	76.10	56.71	37.02	22.19	13.03

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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