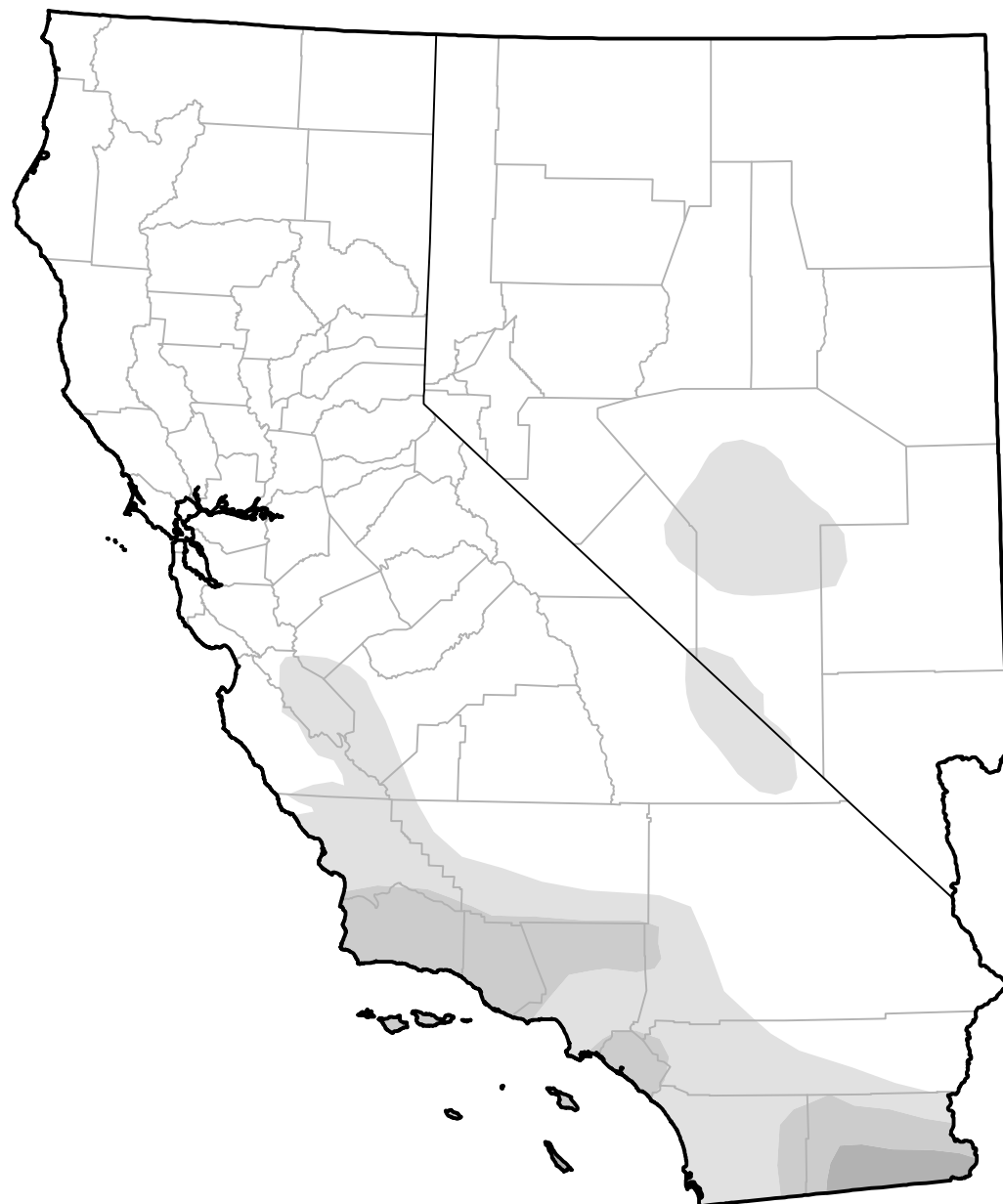


U.S. Drought Monitor

California-Nevada RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	83.61	11.54	4.23	0.62	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-11-2017</i>	83.61	11.54	4.23	0.62	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-16-2017</i>	58.74	25.82	11.07	3.93	0.43	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	25.81	20.56	18.91	12.19	11.77	10.77
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	8.08	27.66	18.68	20.27	12.91	12.38
One Year Ago <i>05-19-2016</i>	14.82	8.76	24.08	24.80	15.14	12.38

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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