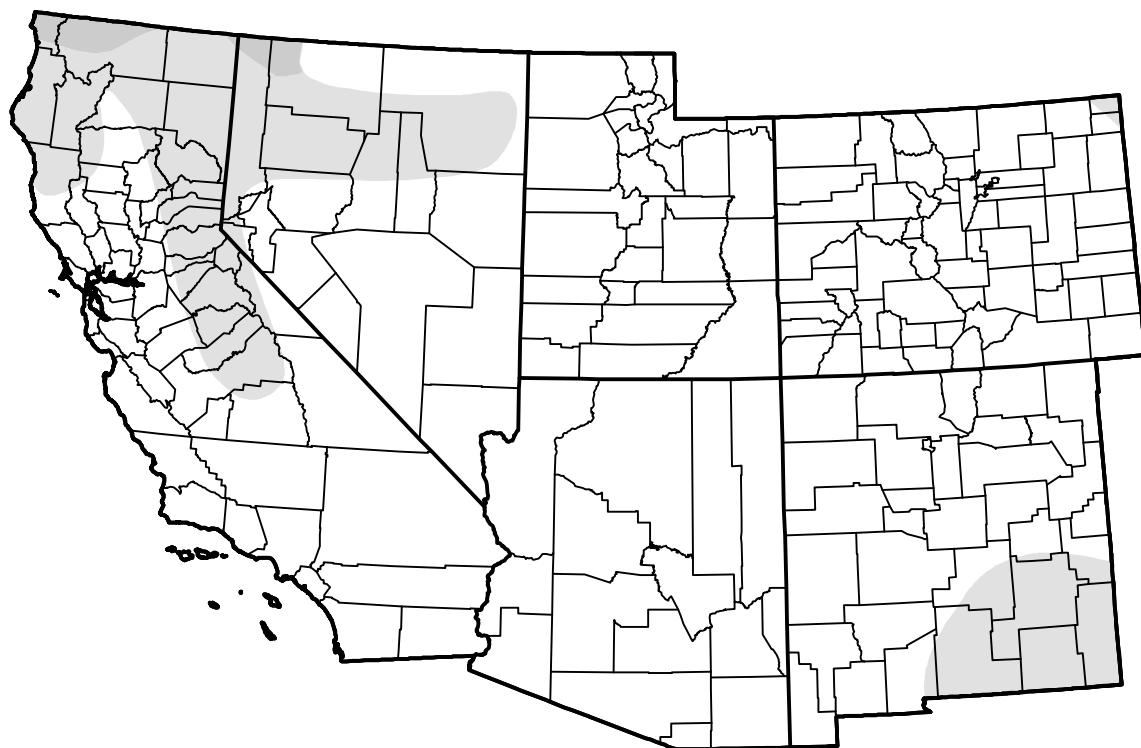


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	84.32	14.86	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-13-2001</i>	82.78	16.30	0.92	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-21-2000</i>	86.81	12.09	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	85.70	13.22	1.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	37.41	39.48	17.00	6.11	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-22-2000</i>	55.21	33.45	11.32	0.02	0.00	0.00

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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