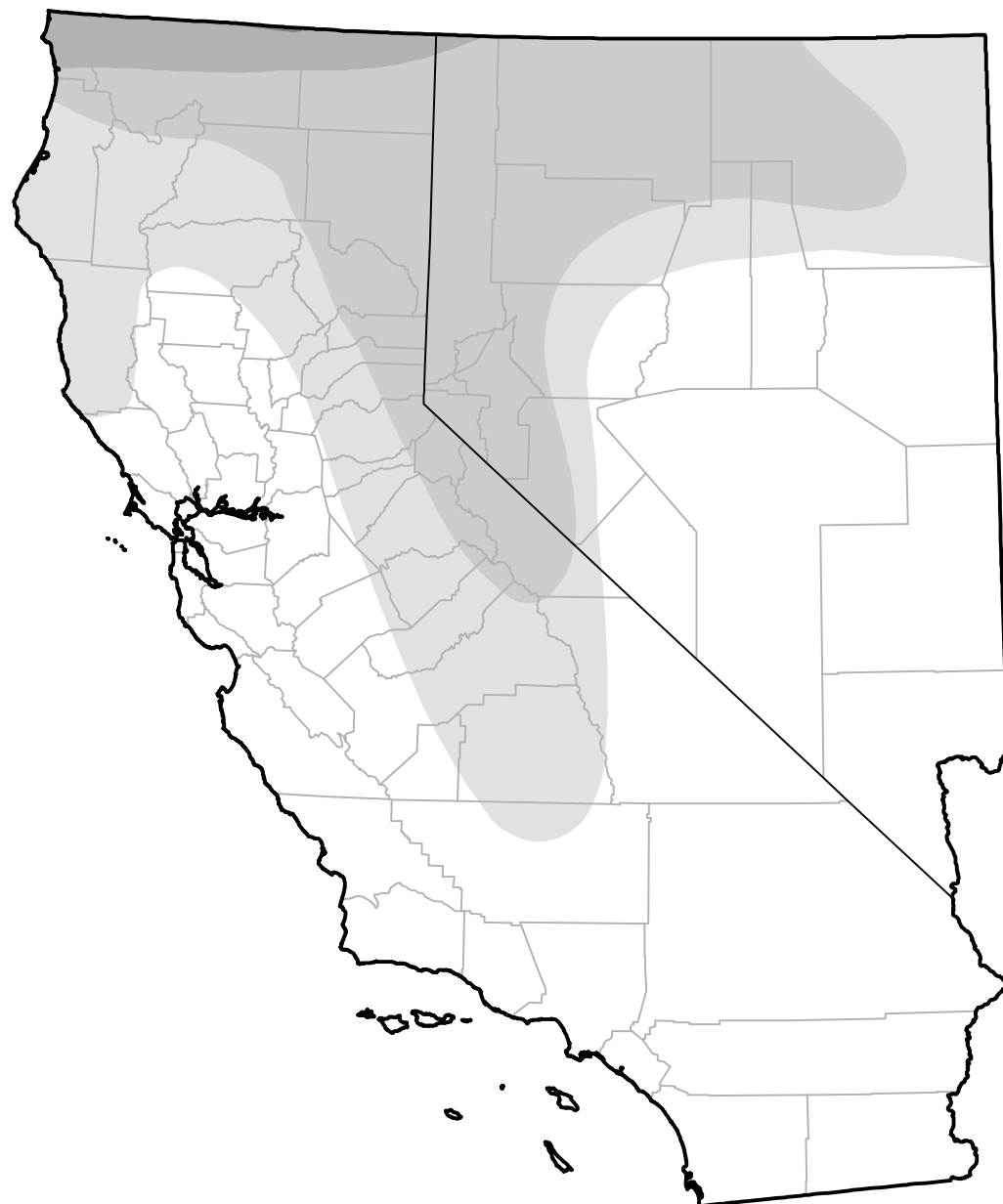


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California-Nevada RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	57.23	42.77	23.03	2.09	0.03	0.00
Last Week <i>05-10-2001</i>	61.40	38.60	21.20	2.09	0.04	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-15-2001</i>	65.13	34.87	2.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	81.83	18.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	69.98	30.02	2.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-18-2000</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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