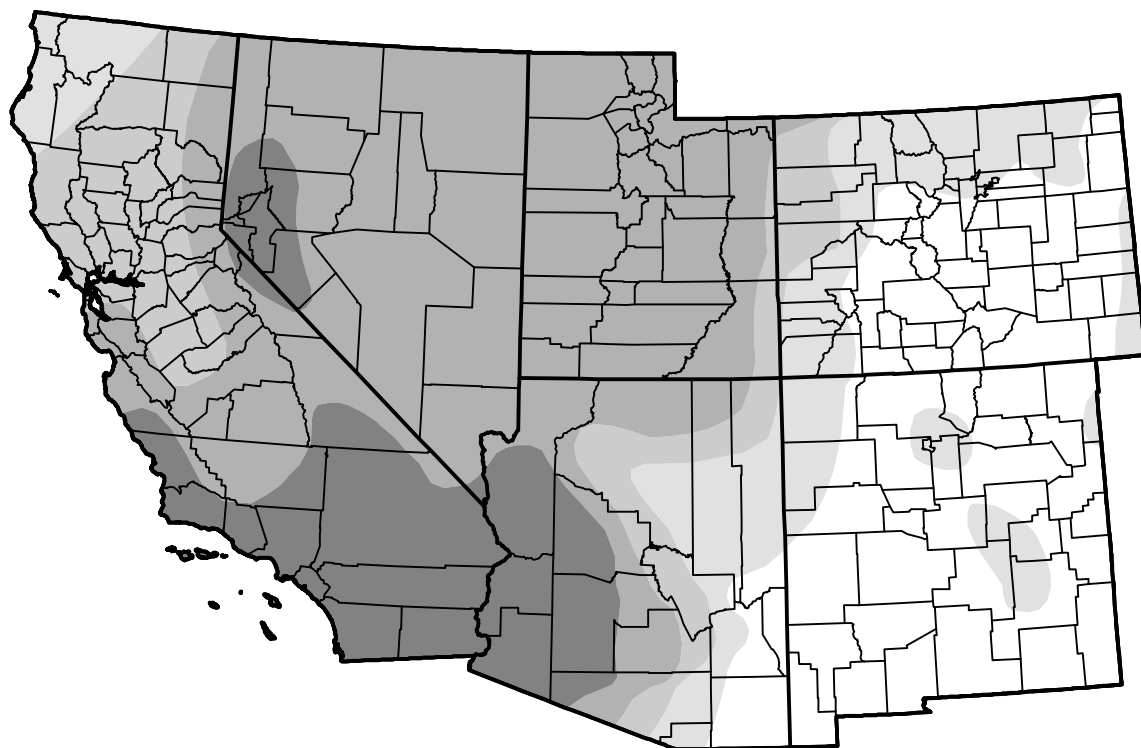


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	24.70	13.34	11.02	36.84	14.10	0.00
Last Week <i>08-14-2007</i>	22.91	10.03	15.82	36.91	14.33	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-22-2007</i>	23.54	8.92	33.07	22.95	11.52	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	50.28	26.88	18.71	3.62	0.50	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	57.23	22.63	13.93	5.01	1.20	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-22-2006</i>	51.24	15.18	21.92	9.10	2.56	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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