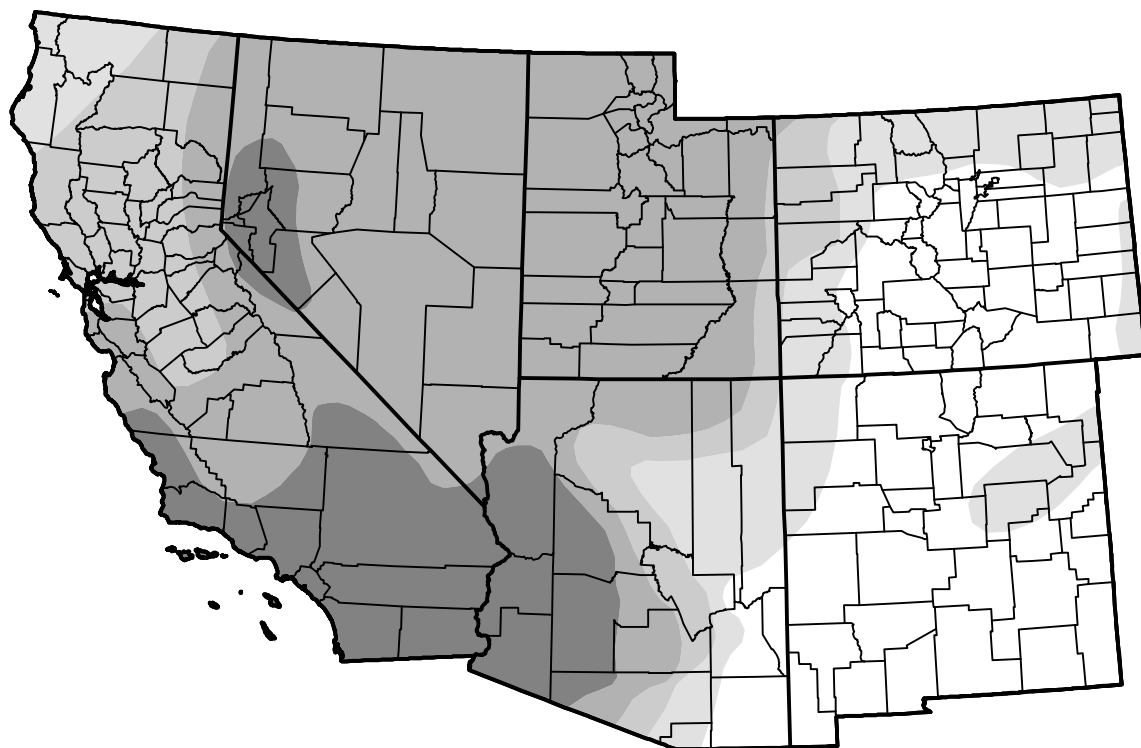


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	25.02	13.07	11.01	36.79	14.10	0.00
Last Week <i>09-11-2007</i>	26.38	11.72	11.01	36.80	14.09	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-19-2007</i>	22.03	10.60	28.88	26.99	11.50	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>09-19-2006</i>	57.21	18.13	18.55	4.92	1.20	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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