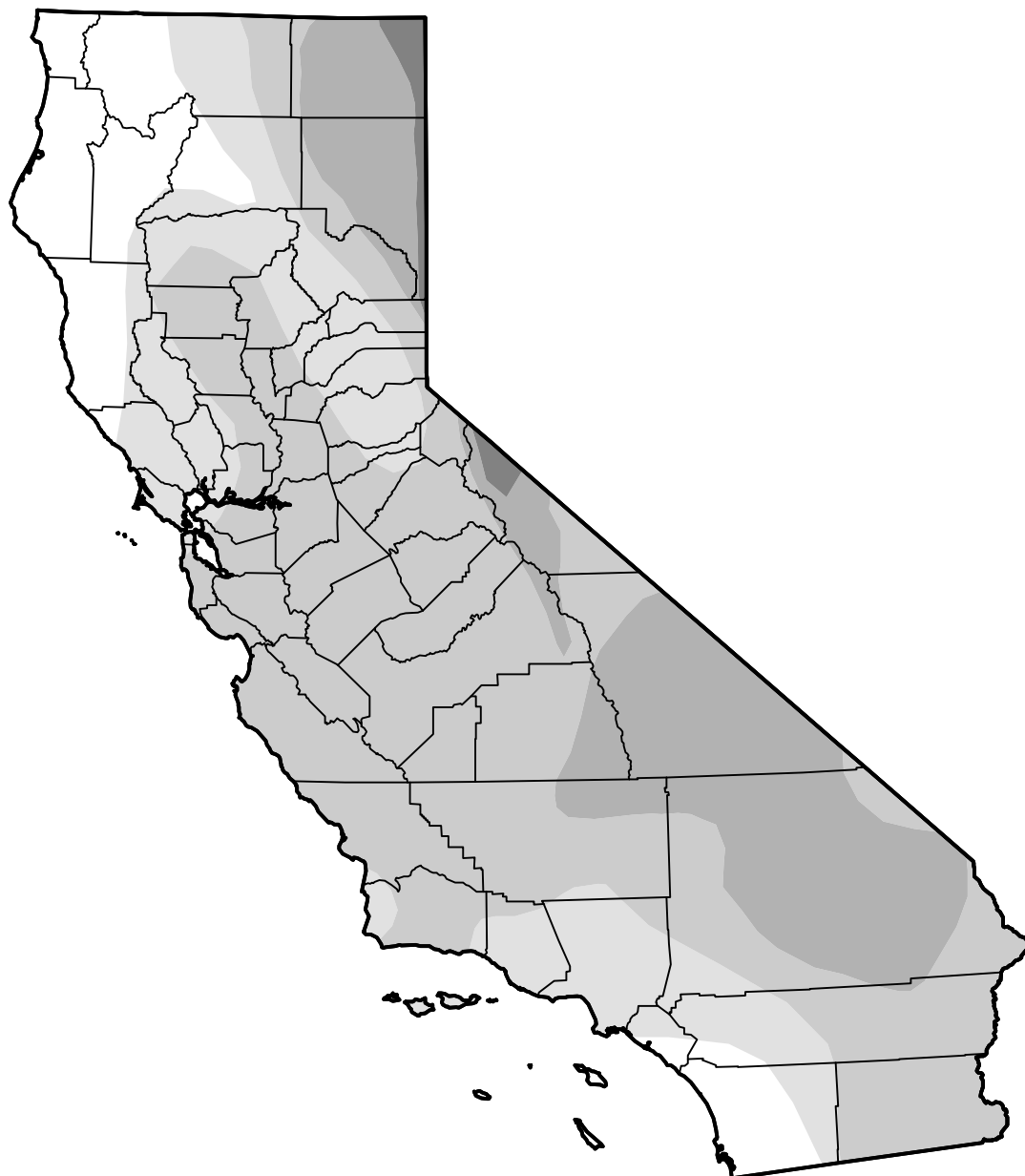


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	11.74	19.13	46.82	21.17	1.14	0.00
Last Week <i>09-06-2012</i>	11.74	18.97	46.53	21.61	1.14	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-14-2012</i>	15.89	25.22	36.30	22.60	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	29.91	23.75	46.34	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	89.14	10.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-15-2011</i>	87.36	12.64	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

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