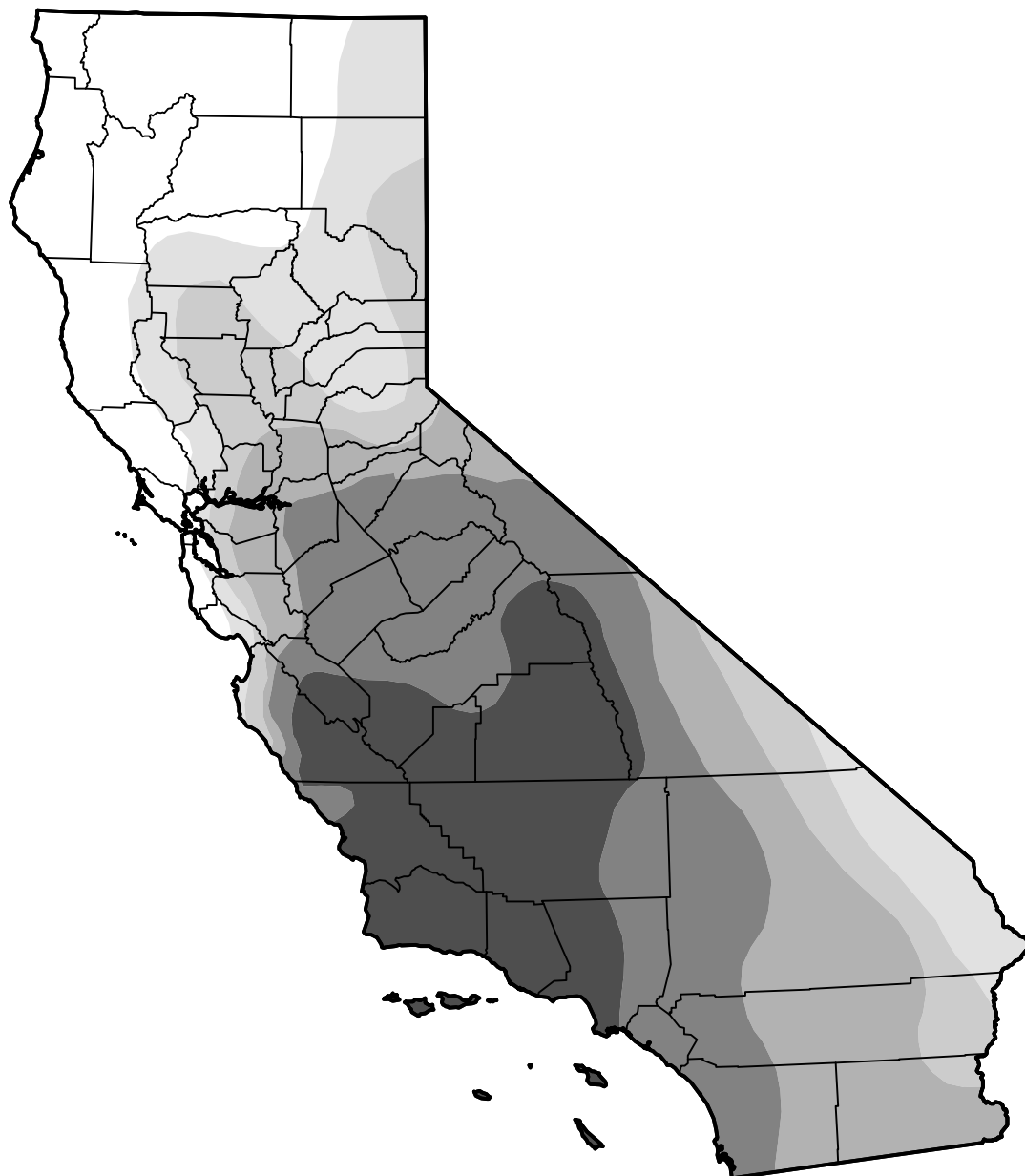


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	17.47	82.53	68.87	57.79	40.60	18.31
Last Week 12-22-2016	15.09	84.91	70.11	59.09	41.55	19.75
3 Months Ago 09-29-2016	0.00	100.00	83.59	62.27	42.80	21.04
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015	0.00	100.00	97.33	87.55	69.07	44.84
Start of Water Year 09-29-2016	0.00	100.00	83.59	62.27	42.80	21.04
One Year Ago 12-31-2015	0.00	100.00	97.33	87.55	69.07	44.84

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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