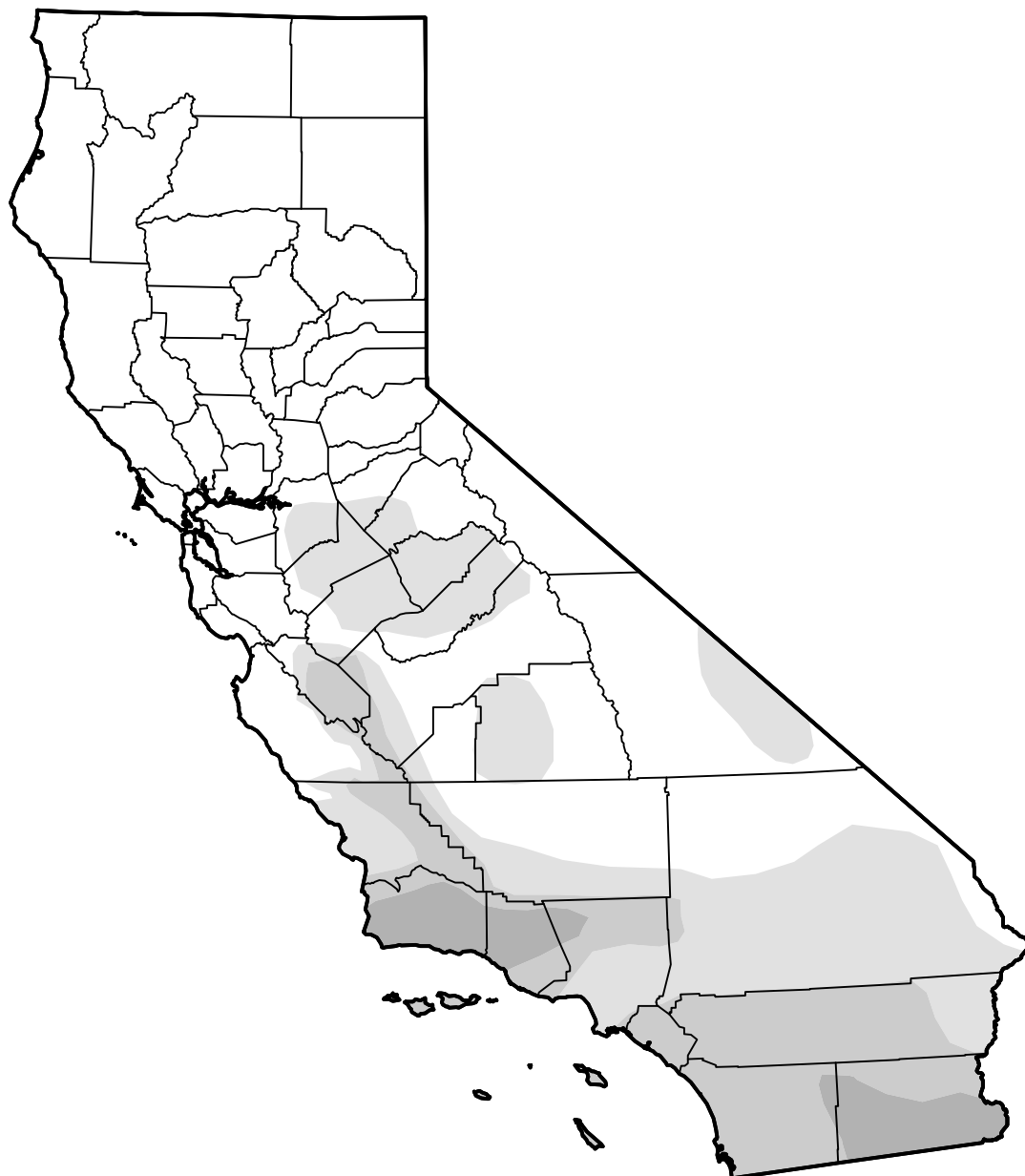


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	61.66	21.47	12.69	4.19	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-16-2017</i>	43.94	31.86	16.78	6.68	0.73	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-23-2016</i>	12.03	14.93	12.77	17.47	21.76	21.04
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	18.07	14.32	13.59	15.85	19.87	18.31
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	0.00	16.41	21.31	19.47	21.76	21.04
One Year Ago <i>02-25-2016</i>	0.43	5.19	12.56	20.96	22.38	38.48

Intensity:

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

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