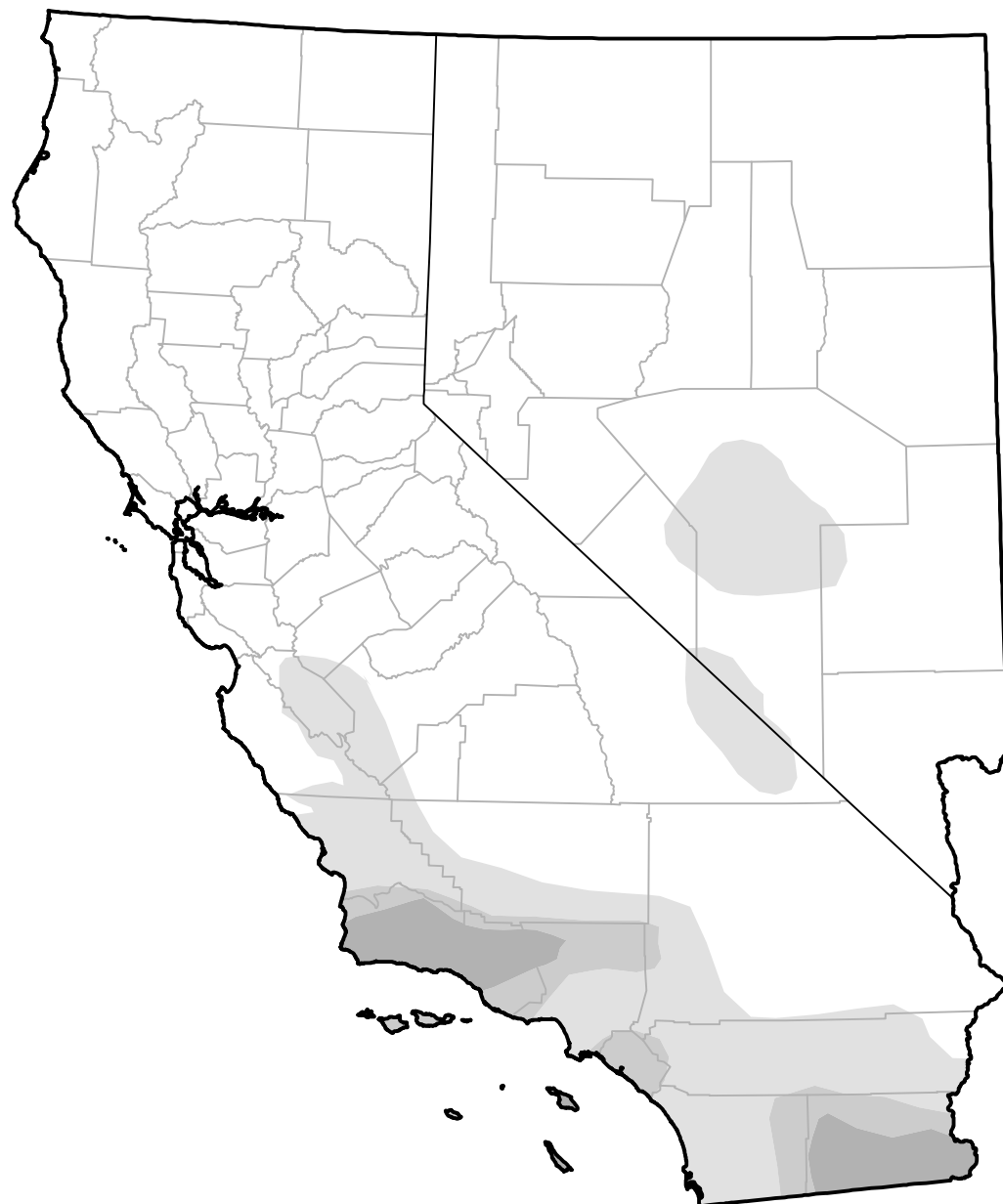


U.S. Drought Monitor

California-Nevada RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	82.44	17.56	5.14	2.40	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-23-2017</i>	74.89	25.11	9.93	2.46	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-01-2016</i>	19.11	80.89	57.03	38.55	25.30	12.38
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	25.81	74.19	53.64	34.73	22.54	10.77
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	8.08	91.92	64.26	45.57	25.30	12.38
One Year Ago <i>03-03-2016</i>	0.81	99.19	81.76	63.92	45.36	24.52

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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