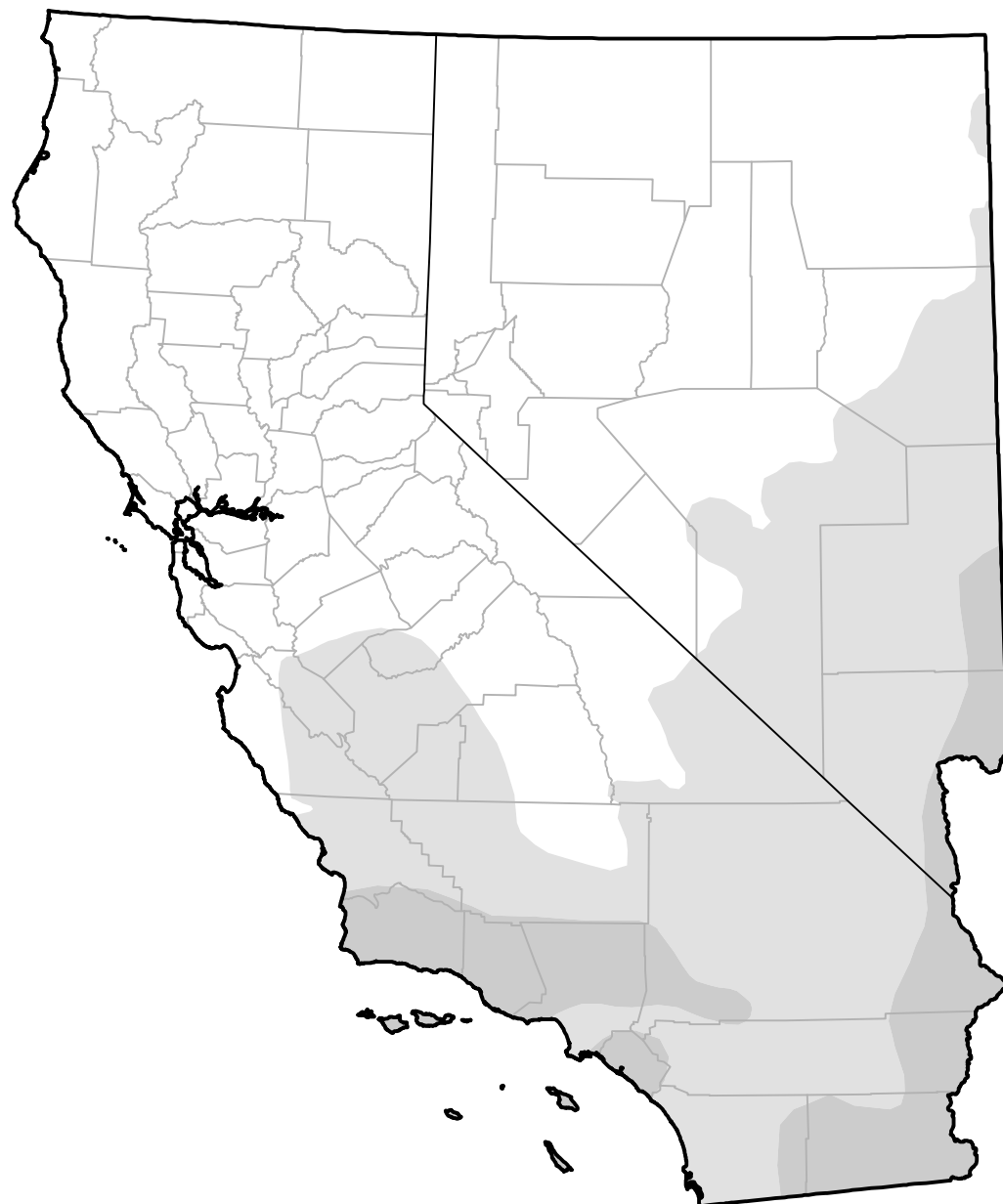


U.S. Drought Monitor

California-Nevada RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	60.85	39.15	8.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-14-2017</i>	61.21	38.79	7.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-21-2017</i>	86.44	13.56	4.85	0.02	0.00	0.00
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>09-28-2017</i>	86.44	13.56	4.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-22-2016</i>	20.90	79.10	55.34	37.73	24.53	11.62

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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