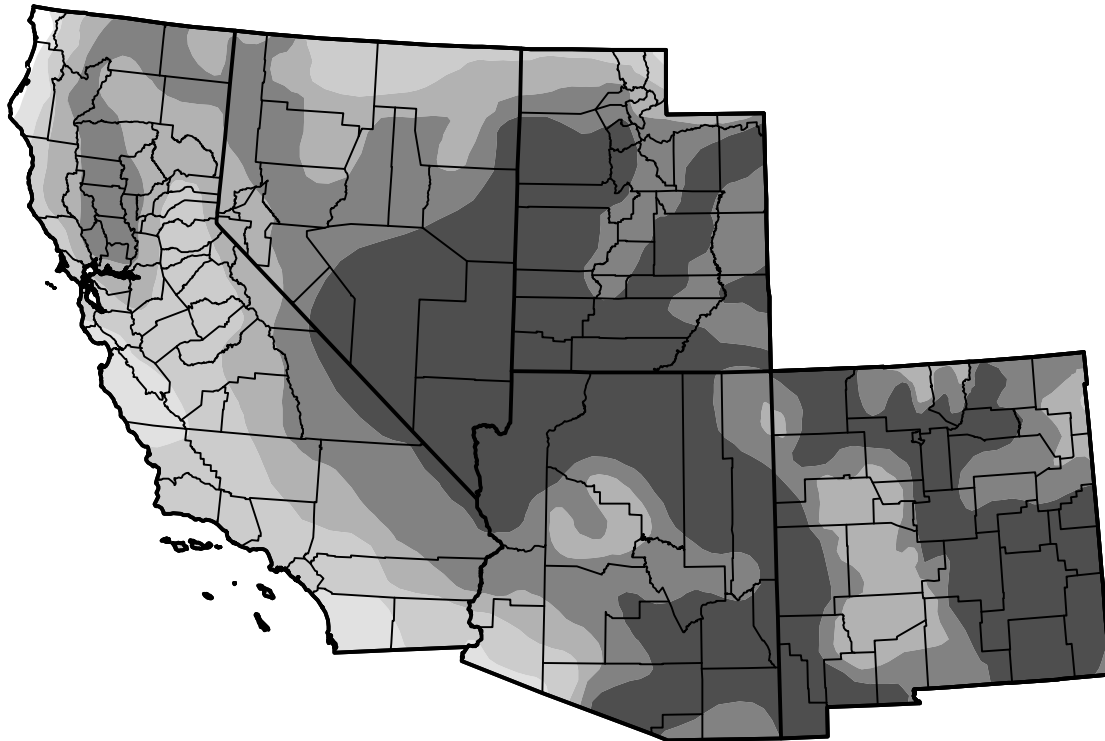


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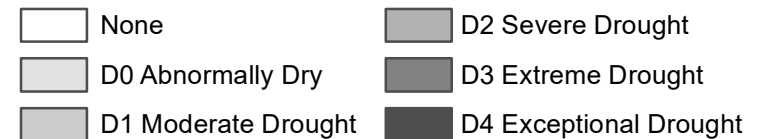


Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	1.05	98.95	96.31	85.00	66.96	37.83
Last Week <i>03-09-2021</i>	1.04	98.96	96.42	85.00	67.08	37.83
3 Months Ago <i>12-15-2020</i>	0.68	99.32	97.77	89.82	70.06	39.27
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2020</i>	0.67	99.33	97.80	89.82	70.06	39.27
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2020</i>	4.30	95.70	90.16	70.65	46.92	4.14
One Year Ago <i>03-17-2020</i>	40.94	59.06	31.05	5.02	0.00	0.00

Note: Statistics do not include areas represented by points.

Intensity:



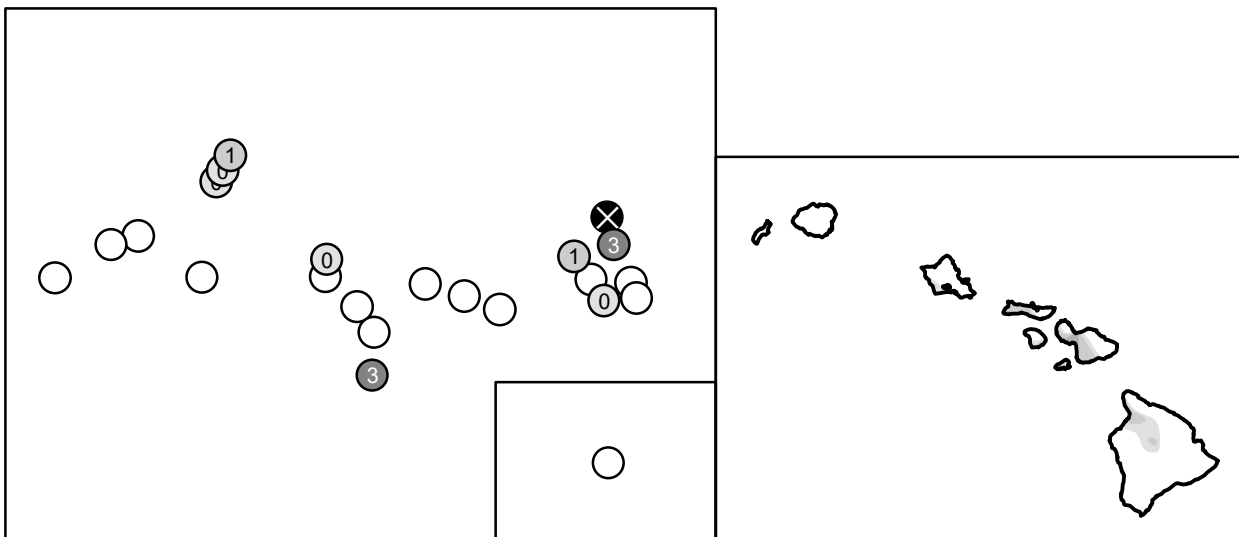
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