

# U.S. Drought Monitor

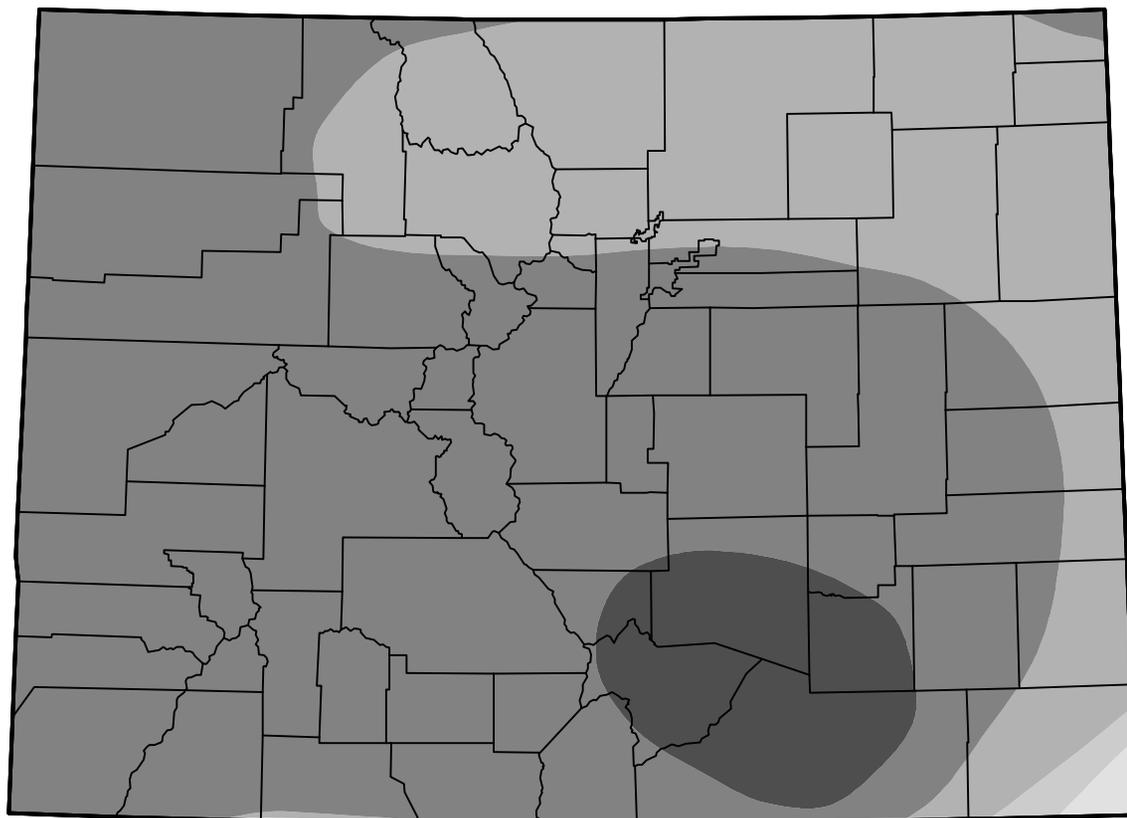
## Colorado

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	100.00	99.66	99.12	72.66	7.06
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-19-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	99.73	99.18	73.34	6.79
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-26-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	99.79	77.83	27.17
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	44.16	55.84	14.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	99.95	80.26	25.14
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-27-2001</i>	47.13	52.87	11.19	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



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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