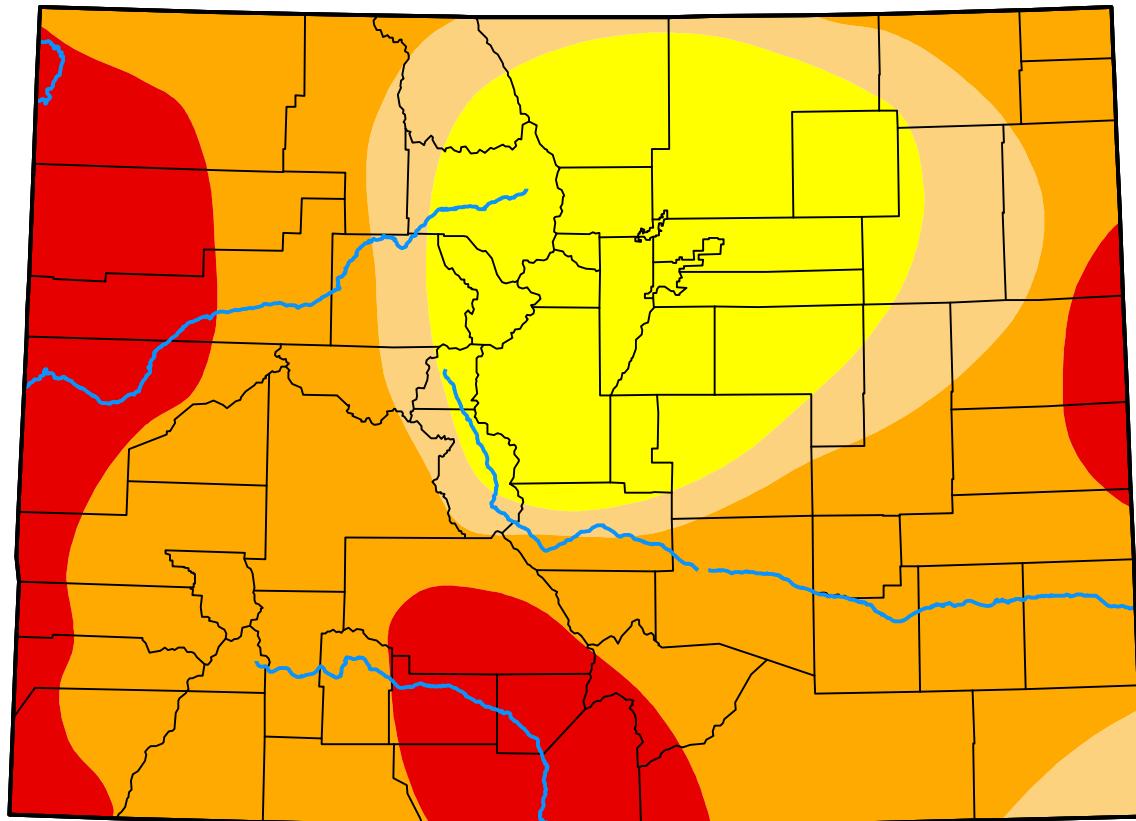


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Colorado



October 21, 2003

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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	79.30	67.07	17.69	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 10-16-2003	0.00	100.00	78.56	67.06	18.30	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 07-24-2003	0.00	100.00	87.09	63.75	36.55	0.71
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-02-2003	0.00	100.00	99.66	98.98	72.73	7.05
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 10-02-2003	0.00	100.00	79.12	61.74	14.43	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 10-24-2002	0.00	100.00	100.00	99.97	75.95	7.44

### 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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