

# U.S. Drought Monitor

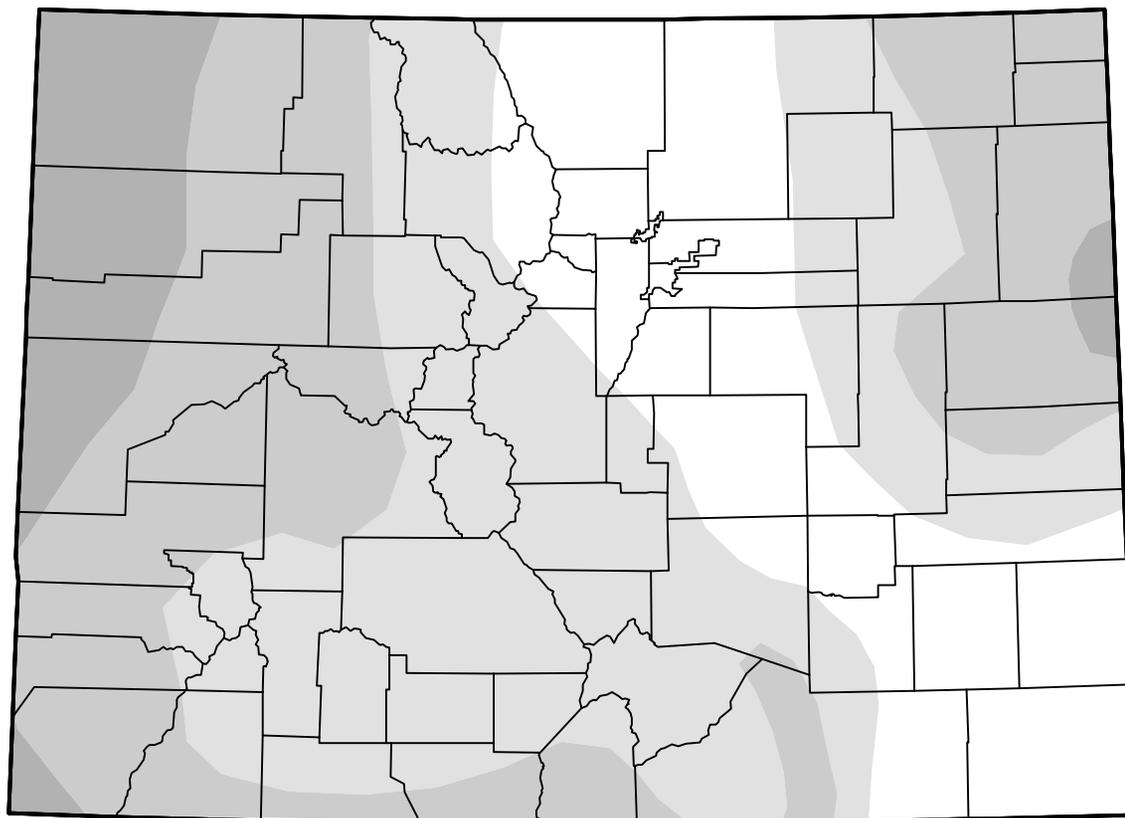
## Colorado

**December 21, 2004**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	23.97	76.03	39.31	8.37	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-16-2004</i>	23.97	76.03	39.31	8.36	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-23-2004</i>	15.83	84.17	55.11	15.86	5.21	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	77.34	64.07	21.25	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	20.52	79.48	54.39	15.85	5.21	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-24-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	81.14	63.23	18.27	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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