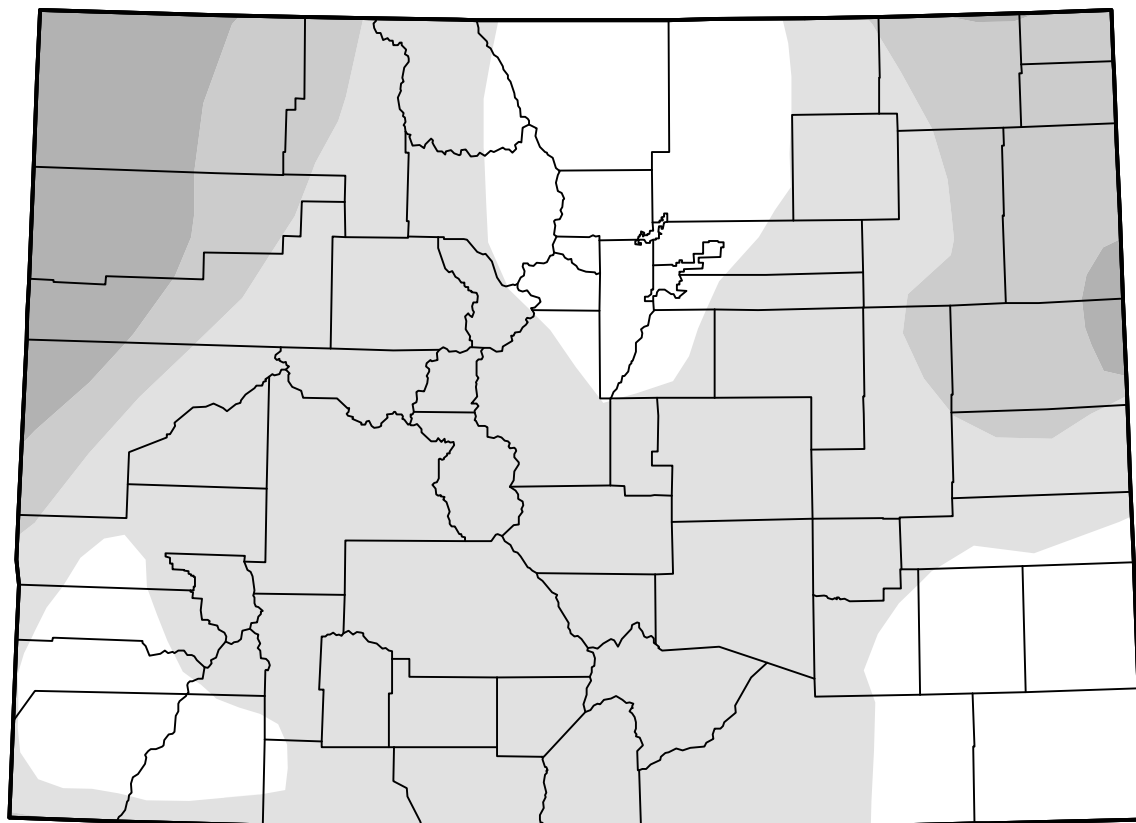


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	22.96	56.19	13.86	7.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-17-2005</i>	25.34	53.81	13.86	7.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-24-2004</i>	22.61	26.05	37.74	8.66	4.94	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	23.97	36.72	30.93	8.37	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	20.52	25.10	38.54	10.64	5.21	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-26-2004</i>	0.00	18.95	26.59	25.76	28.70	0.00

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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