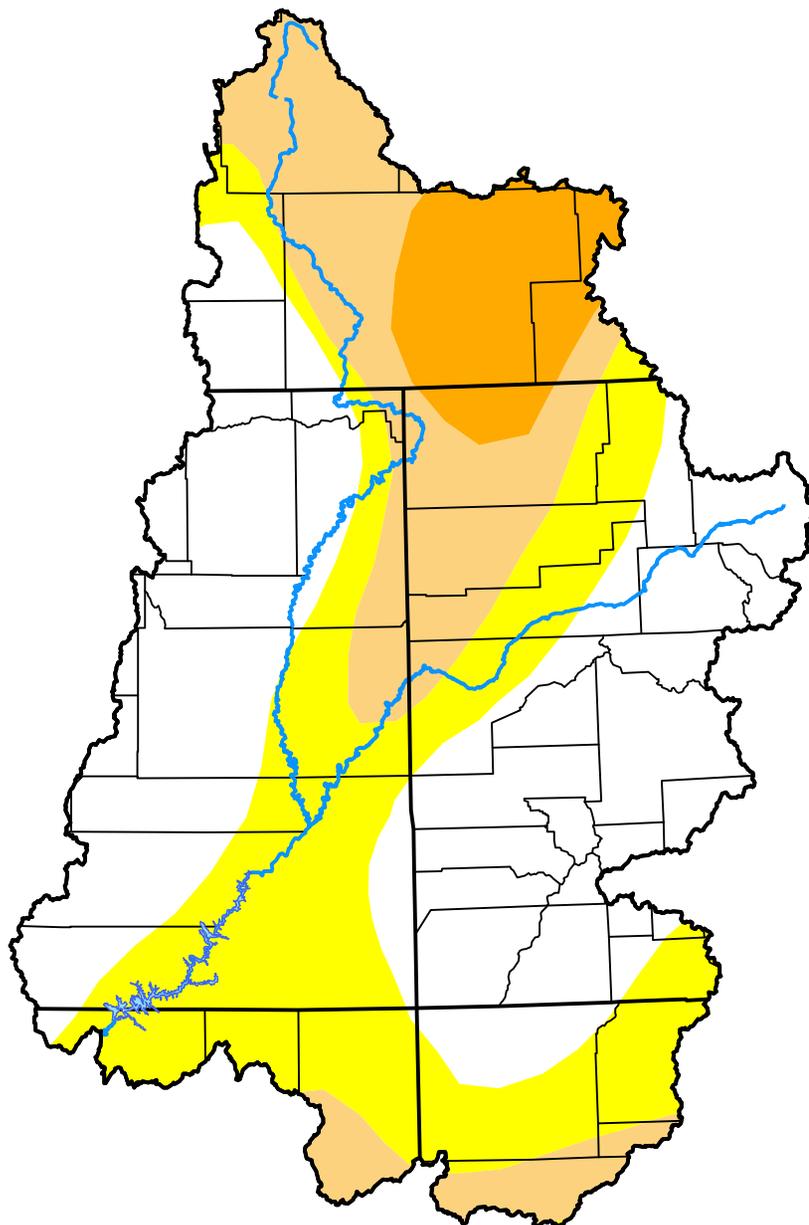


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Colorado Watershed

**August 23, 2005**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	44.81	55.19	25.71	7.61	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-18-2005</i>	44.81	55.19	26.70	7.61	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-26-2005</i>	45.15	54.85	29.16	9.54	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	0.74	99.26	89.12	52.16	11.97	0.04
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	0.23	99.77	97.03	74.29	42.46	0.14
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-26-2004</i>	0.00	100.00	98.05	76.40	46.45	0.09

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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