

U.S. Drought Monitor

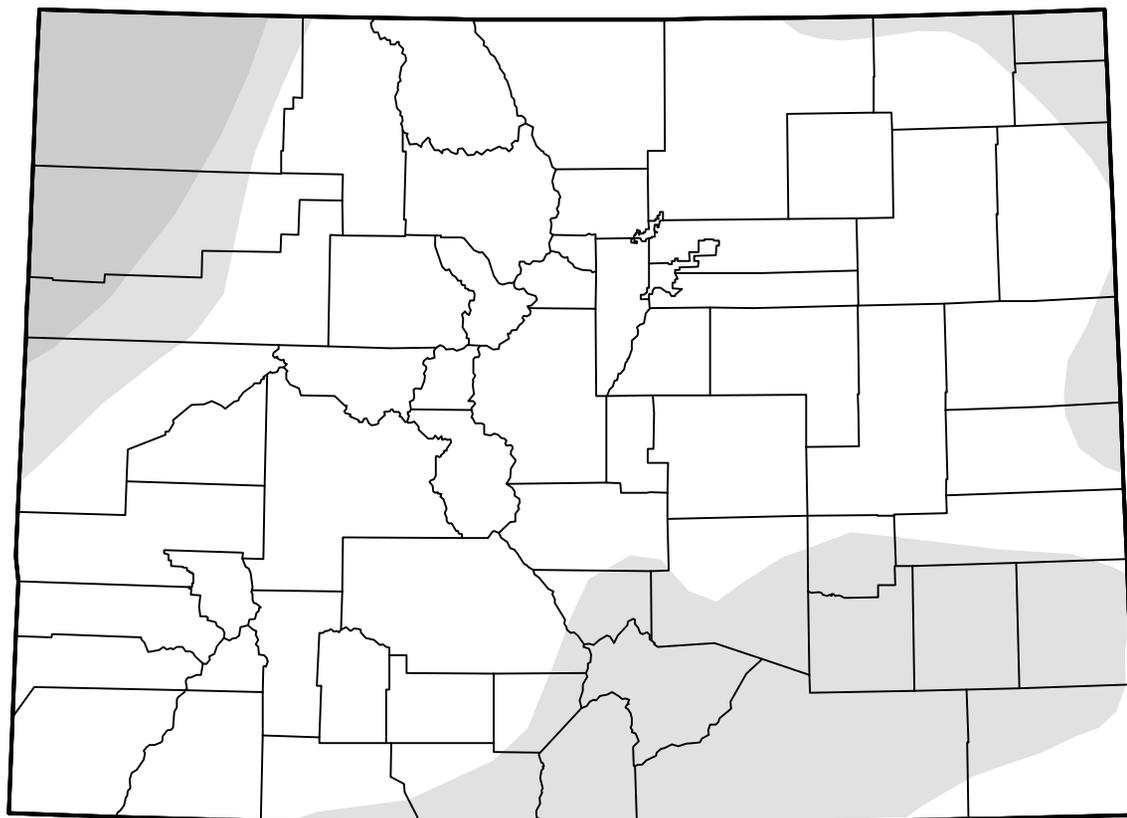
Colorado

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	71.10	23.08	5.81	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-13-2005</i>	71.07	23.12	5.81	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-21-2005</i>	75.88	16.38	6.57	1.17	0.00	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>09-29-2005</i>	50.85	41.26	6.85	1.03	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-21-2004</i>	22.72	24.95	36.78	10.34	5.21	0.00



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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