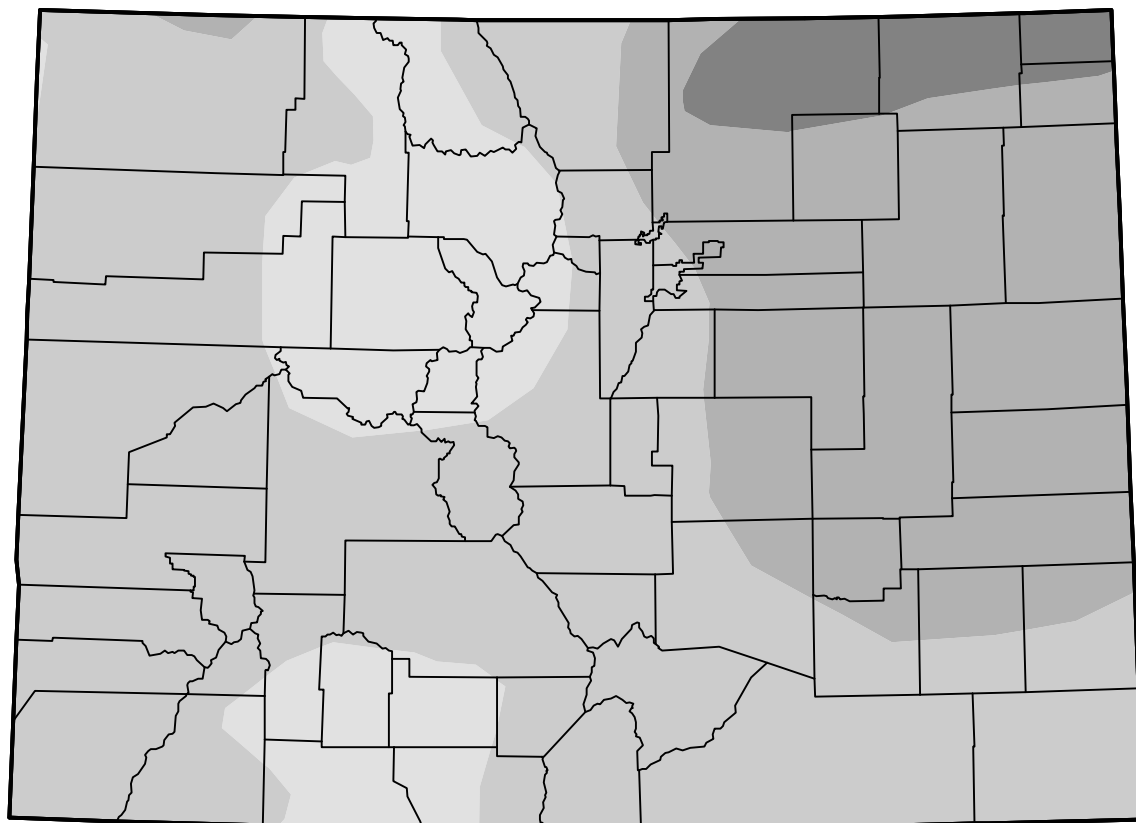


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	14.79	55.33	25.72	4.16	0.00
Last Week <i>08-10-2006</i>	0.00	12.99	46.79	36.07	4.16	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-18-2006</i>	24.54	20.58	24.27	29.04	1.57	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	59.12	37.43	3.45	0.00	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>08-18-2005</i>	51.06	40.89	7.02	1.03	0.00	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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