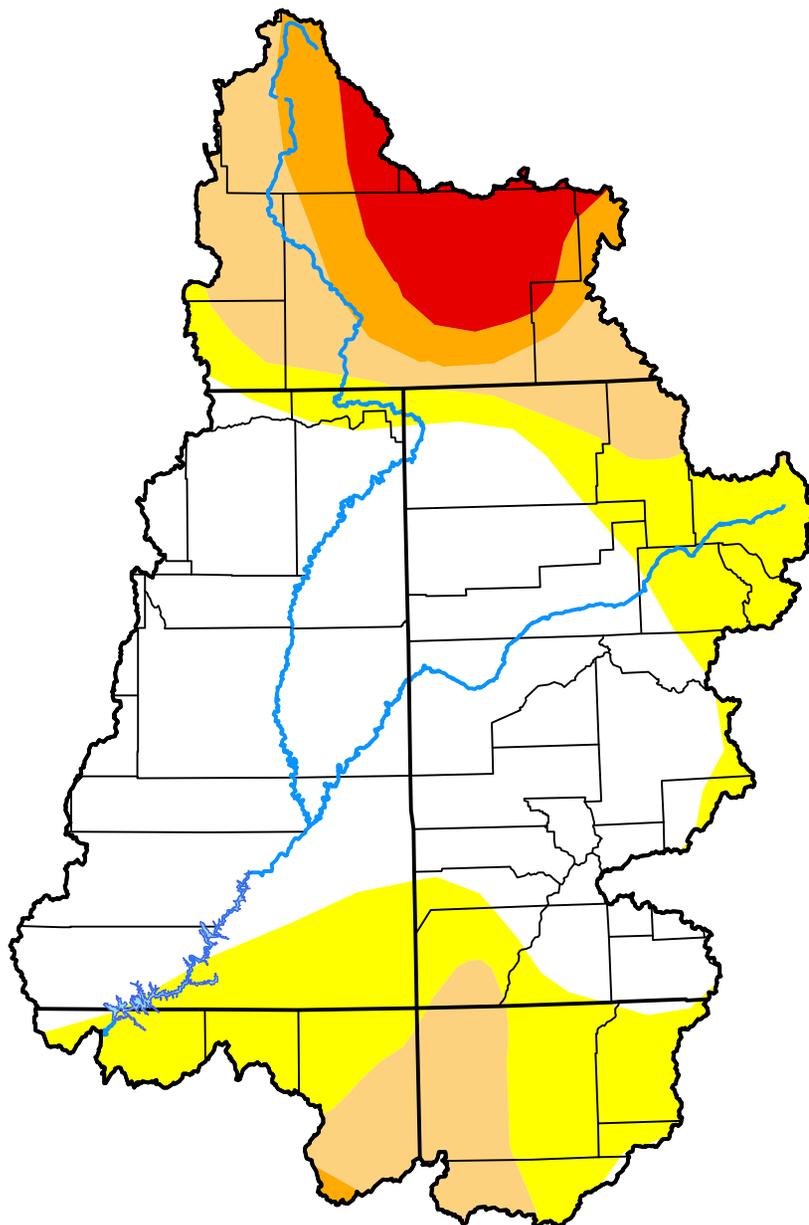


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	51.57	48.43	24.68	10.30	5.11	0.00
Last Week <i>10-12-2006</i>	51.57	48.43	24.68	10.30	5.08	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-20-2006</i>	18.28	81.72	60.56	20.63	3.54	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	44.08	55.92	19.90	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	17.61	82.39	34.21	9.36	4.70	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-20-2005</i>	50.76	49.24	21.84	0.00	0.00	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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