

# U.S. Drought Monitor

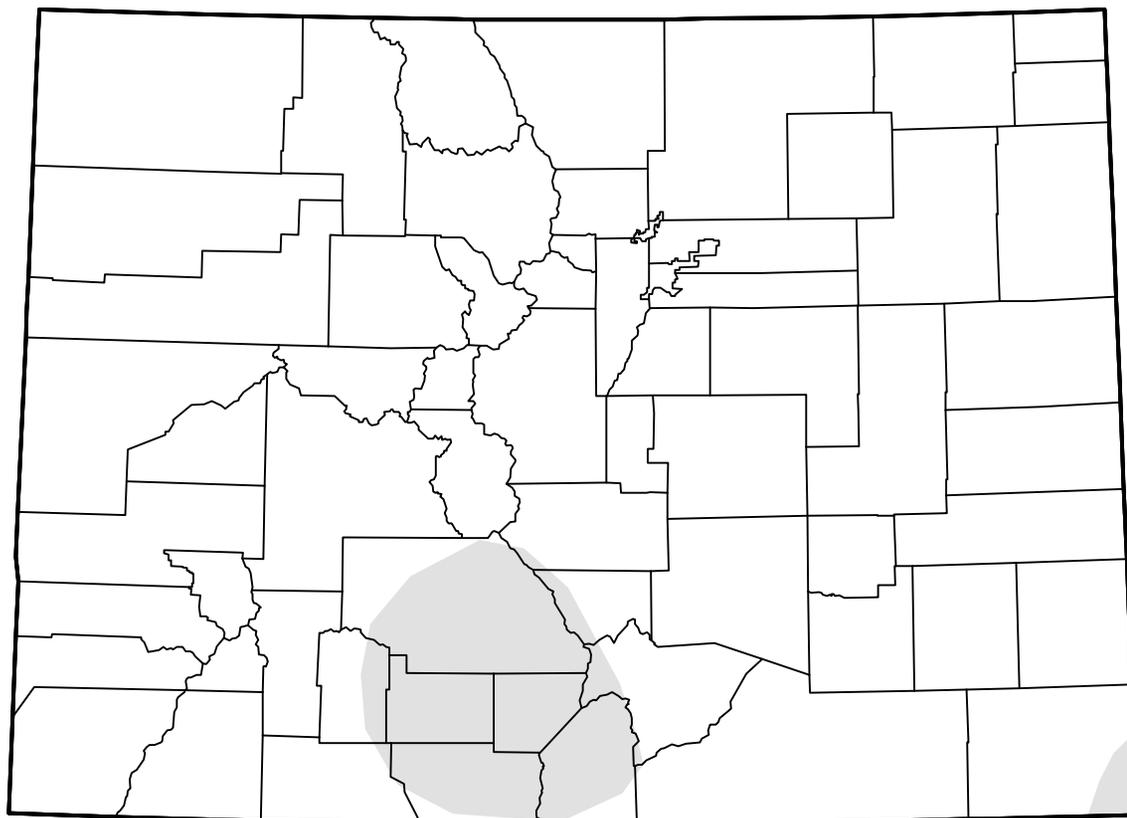
## Colorado

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	93.13	6.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-13-2009</i>	93.13	6.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-21-2009</i>	56.12	37.42	6.47	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	23.00	71.10	5.91	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	43.04	44.27	9.34	3.36	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-21-2008</i>	42.09	40.01	14.22	3.68	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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