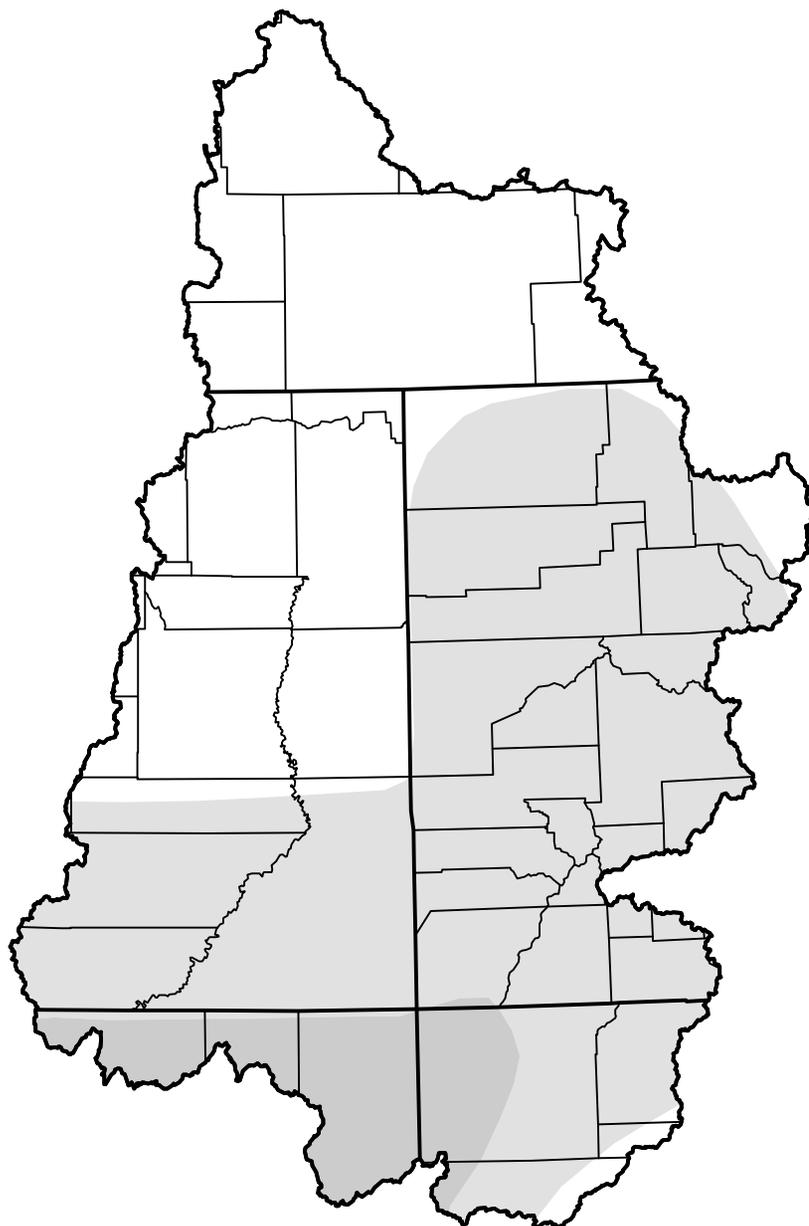


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Colorado Watershed

**September 15, 2009**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 17, 2009)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 40.63 | 51.14 | 8.23  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-10-2009</i>              | 31.49 | 57.82 | 10.69 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-18-2009</i>           | 88.22 | 11.78 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-01-2009</i> | 50.37 | 37.14 | 12.49 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2008</i>    | 66.94 | 20.17 | 12.89 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-18-2008</i>           | 66.94 | 20.17 | 7.09  | 5.81 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

***Intensity:***



*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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