

# U.S. Drought Monitor

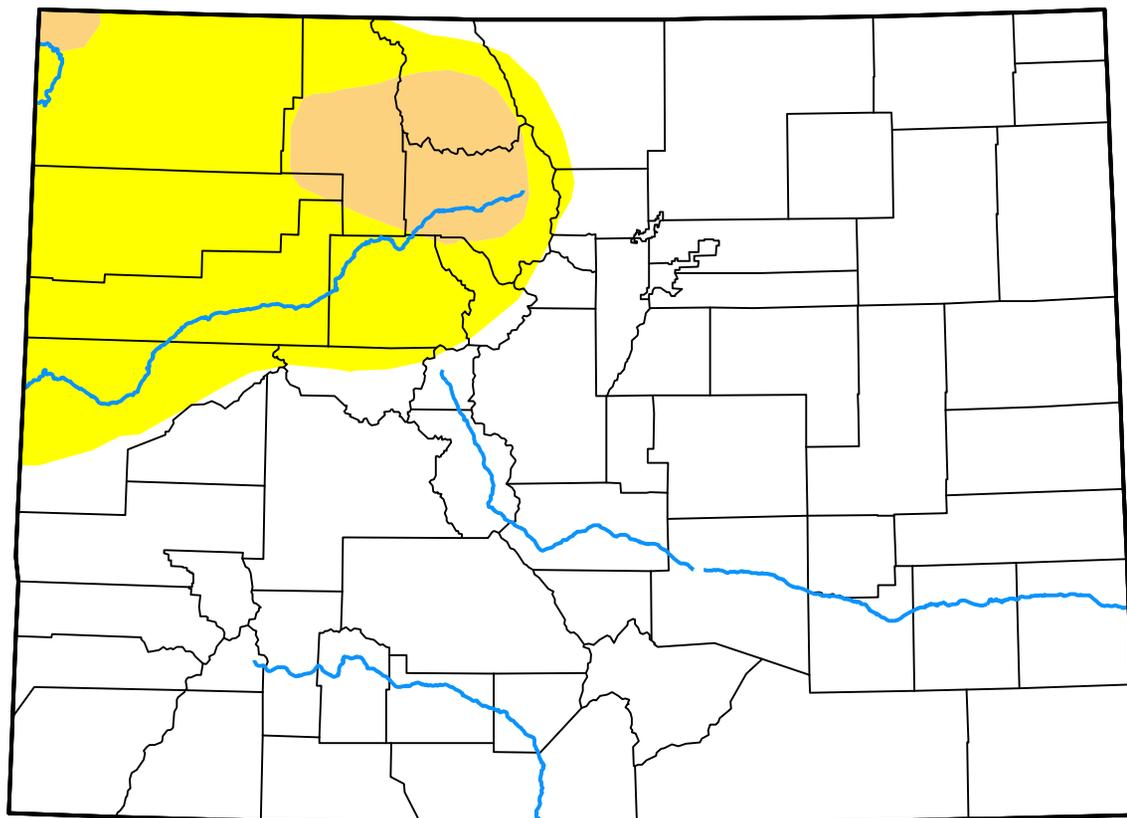
## Colorado

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	78.80	21.20	3.86	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-11-2010</i>	79.46	20.54	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-17-2009</i>	69.22	30.78	7.52	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2009</i>	69.22	30.78	7.52	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2009</i>	68.85	31.15	3.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-19-2009</i>	36.37	63.63	21.02	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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