

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Colorado Watershed

October 12, 2010

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 42.46 | 57.54 | 5.86  | 0.73  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-07-2010</i>              | 42.58 | 57.42 | 5.86  | 0.73  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-15-2010</i>           | 56.21 | 43.79 | 6.49  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2009</i> | 33.82 | 66.18 | 29.42 | 10.41 | 0.51  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2010</i>    | 42.58 | 57.42 | 5.86  | 0.73  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-15-2009</i>           | 52.22 | 47.78 | 20.70 | 10.84 | 0.00  | 0.00 |

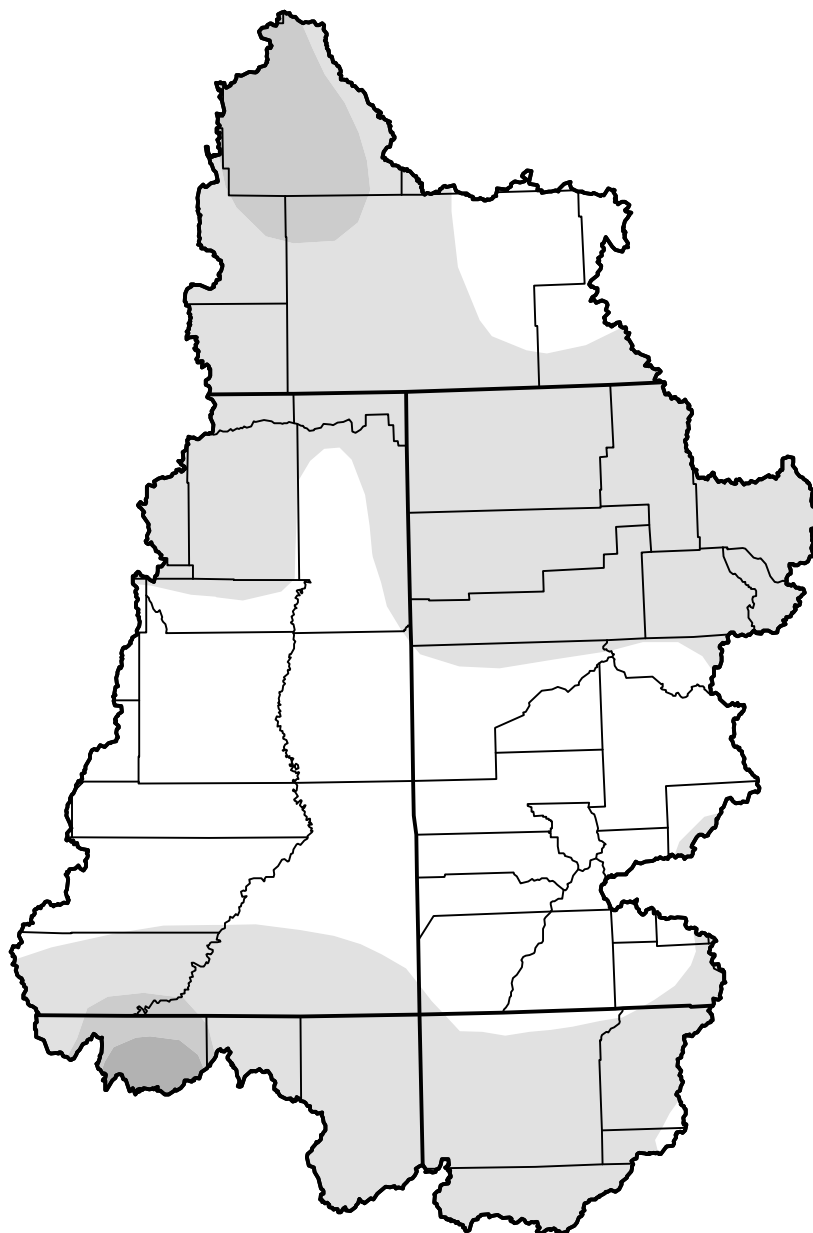
### Intensity:

|                                                                                                           |                                                                                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  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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