

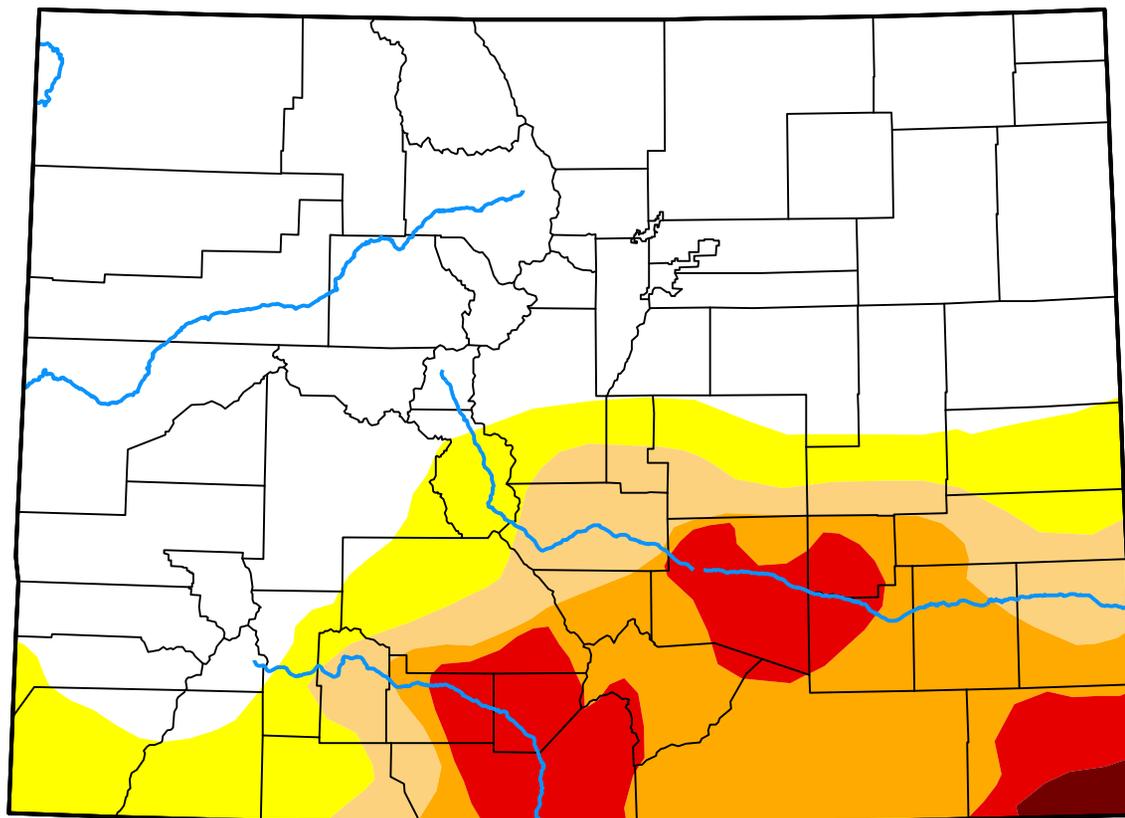
U.S. Drought Monitor Colorado

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 60.62 | 39.38 | 27.69 | 19.99 | 7.88 | 0.56 |
| Last Week <i>09-15-2011</i> | 47.15 | 52.85 | 29.54 | 22.93 | 8.63 | 0.56 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>06-23-2011</i> | 59.62 | 40.38 | 31.54 | 25.86 | 11.95 | 0.91 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i> | 41.48 | 58.52 | 49.57 | 10.13 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2010</i> | 28.86 | 71.14 | 10.70 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>09-23-2010</i> | 46.23 | 53.77 | 0.00 | 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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