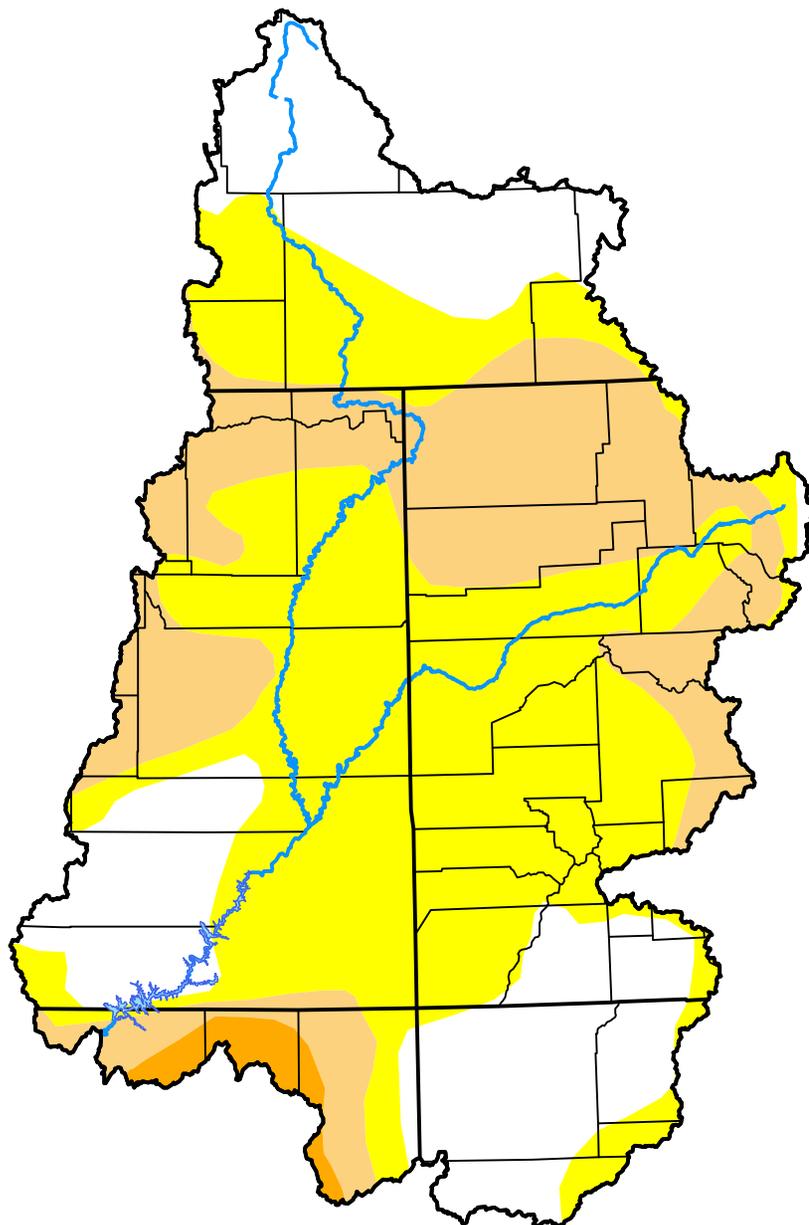


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Colorado Watershed

March 20, 2012
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 26.48 | 46.60 | 25.24 | 1.69 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>03-15-2012</i> | 26.43 | 46.65 | 24.62 | 2.30 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-22-2011</i> | 87.64 | 7.13 | 3.27 | 1.97 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i> | 85.44 | 9.33 | 3.27 | 1.97 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i> | 75.42 | 14.23 | 6.63 | 3.72 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-24-2011</i> | 84.13 | 15.34 | 0.53 | 0.00 | 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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