

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Colorado Watershed

January 15, 2013

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4  | D1-D4  | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 96.01 | 47.34 | 0.36 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>01-10-2013</i>              | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 96.05 | 42.38 | 0.36 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>10-18-2012</i>           | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 94.83 | 45.03 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2013</i> | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 96.05 | 42.38 | 0.36 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2012</i>    | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 96.85 | 46.37 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-19-2012</i>           | 40.63 | 59.37  | 5.23   | 1.97  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

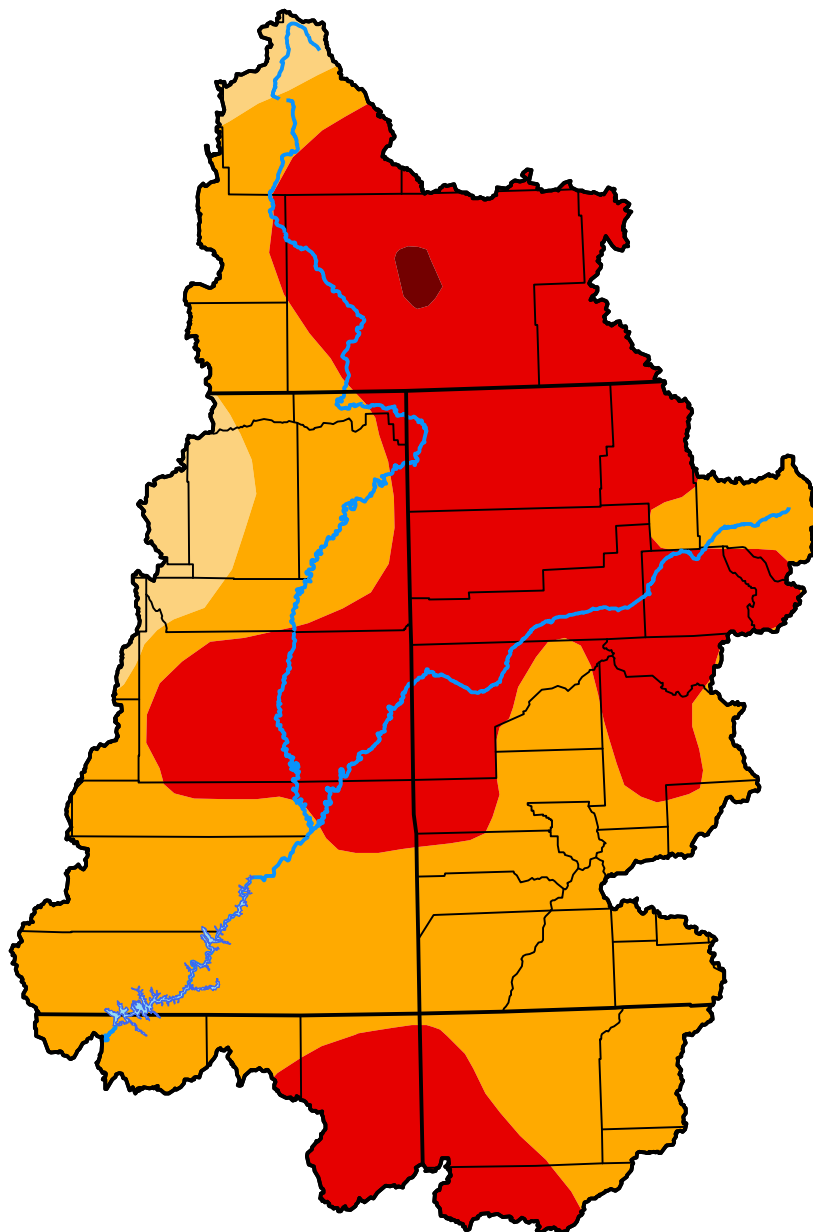
### Intensity:

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