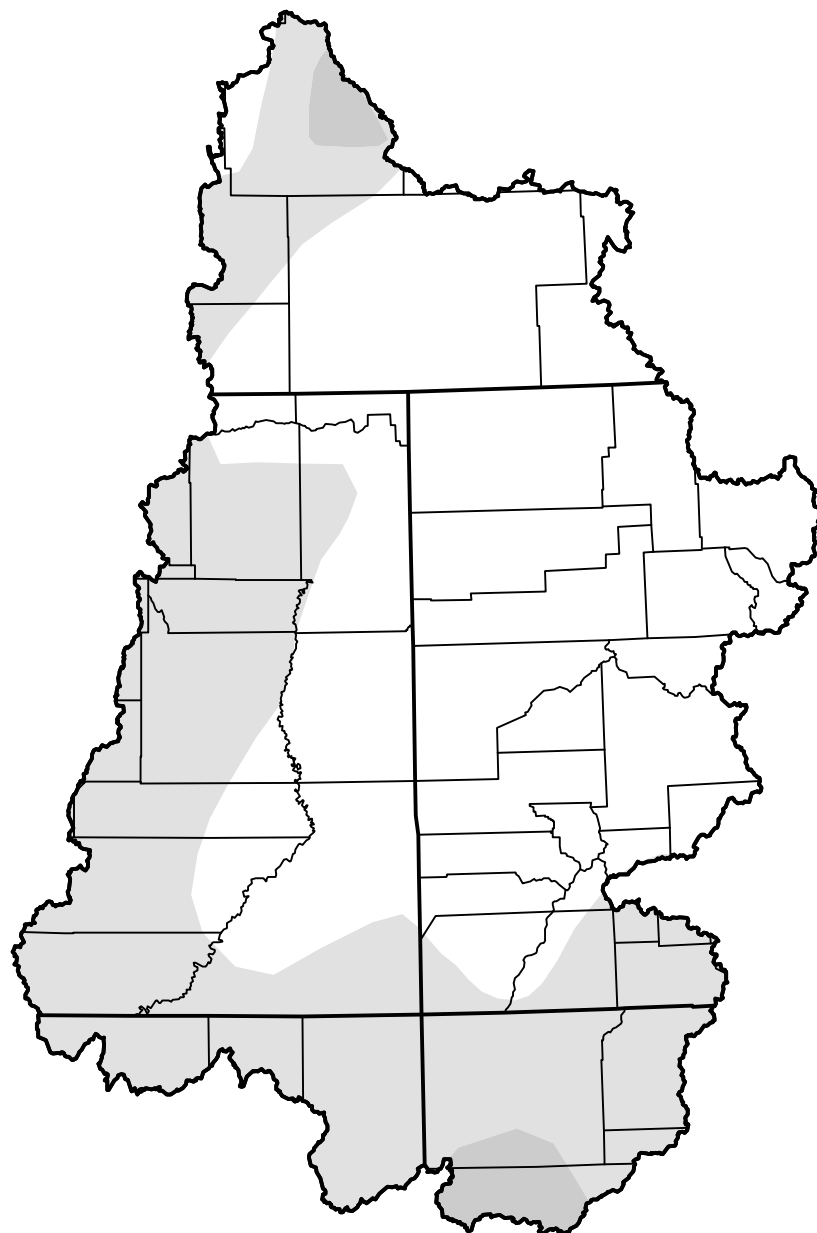


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Colorado Watershed



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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 58.14 | 39.16 | 2.70  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>04-28-2016              | 40.92 | 55.20 | 3.88  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>02-04-2016           | 71.53 | 27.30 | 1.18  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>12-31-2015 | 49.73 | 44.83 | 4.95  | 0.49  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-01-2015    | 51.58 | 33.62 | 14.28 | 0.51  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>05-07-2015           | 3.99  | 7.47  | 45.42 | 43.11 | 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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