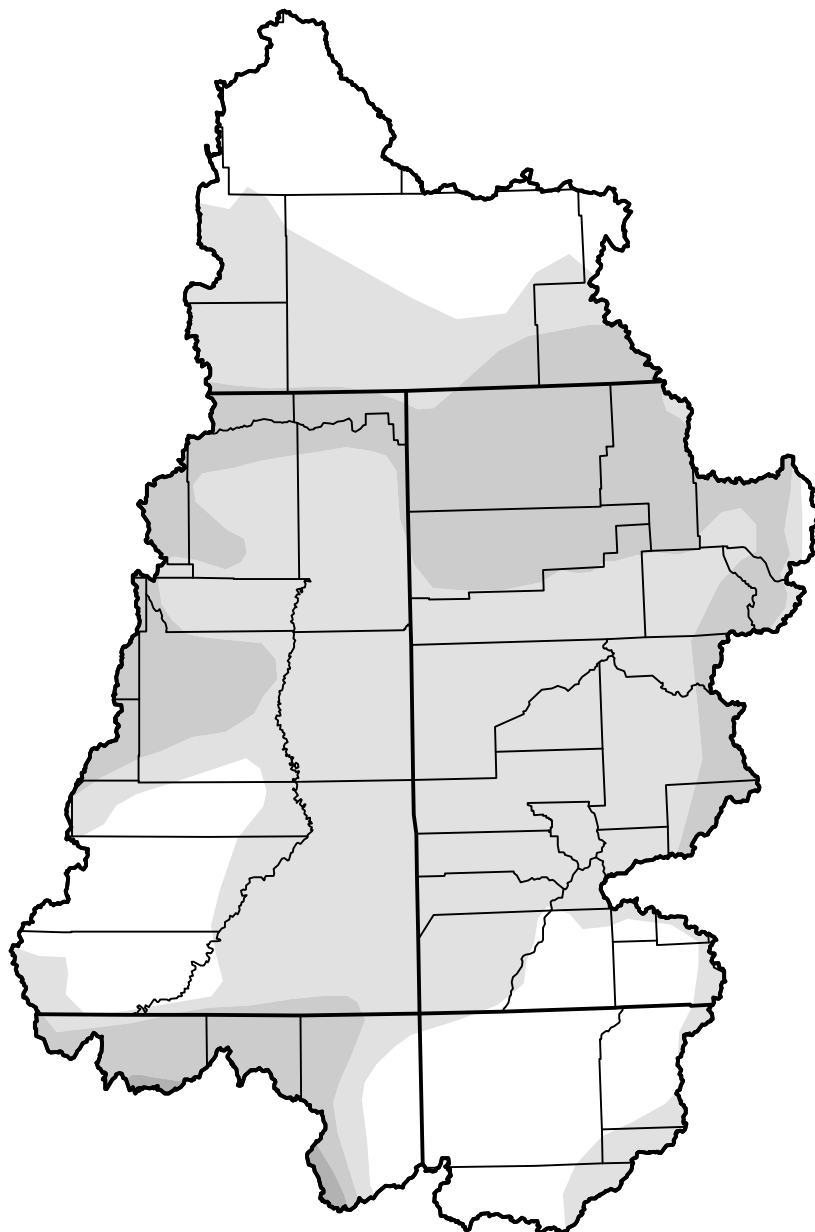


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	27.07	72.93	24.33	0.31	0.00	0.00
Last Week 02-16-2012	27.07	72.93	23.31	0.31	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 11-23-2011	85.77	14.23	6.72	2.92	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	85.44	14.56	5.23	1.97	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	75.42	24.58	10.35	3.72	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 02-24-2011	86.01	13.99	0.41	0.00	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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