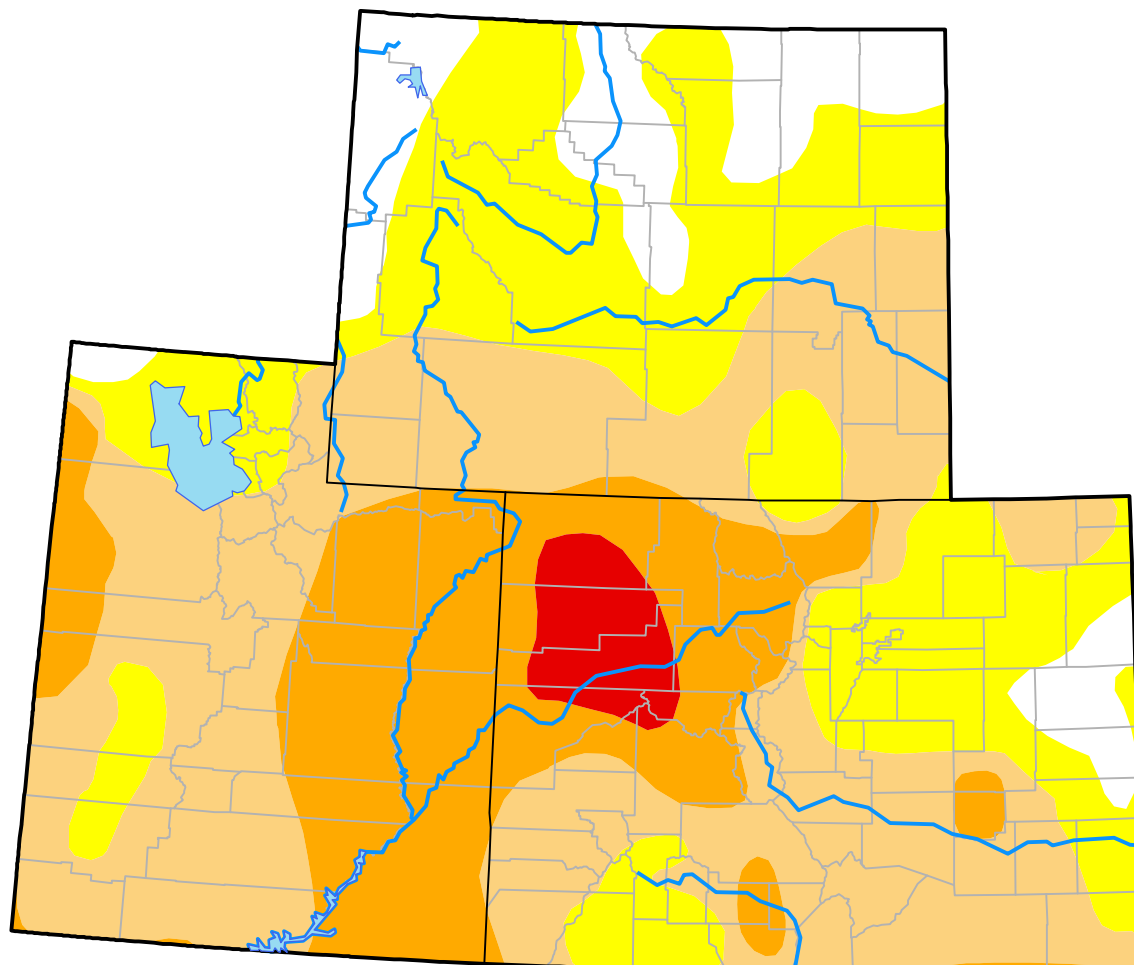


*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	9.36	90.64	61.84	23.18	2.64	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-17-2012</i>	11.94	88.06	51.45	18.20	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-23-2012</i>	44.56	55.44	26.76	3.87	0.08	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	84.03	15.97	9.17	3.85	0.01	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	83.02	16.98	10.15	7.26	2.86	0.20
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-26-2011</i>	81.78	18.22	13.59	9.52	2.74	0.32



**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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