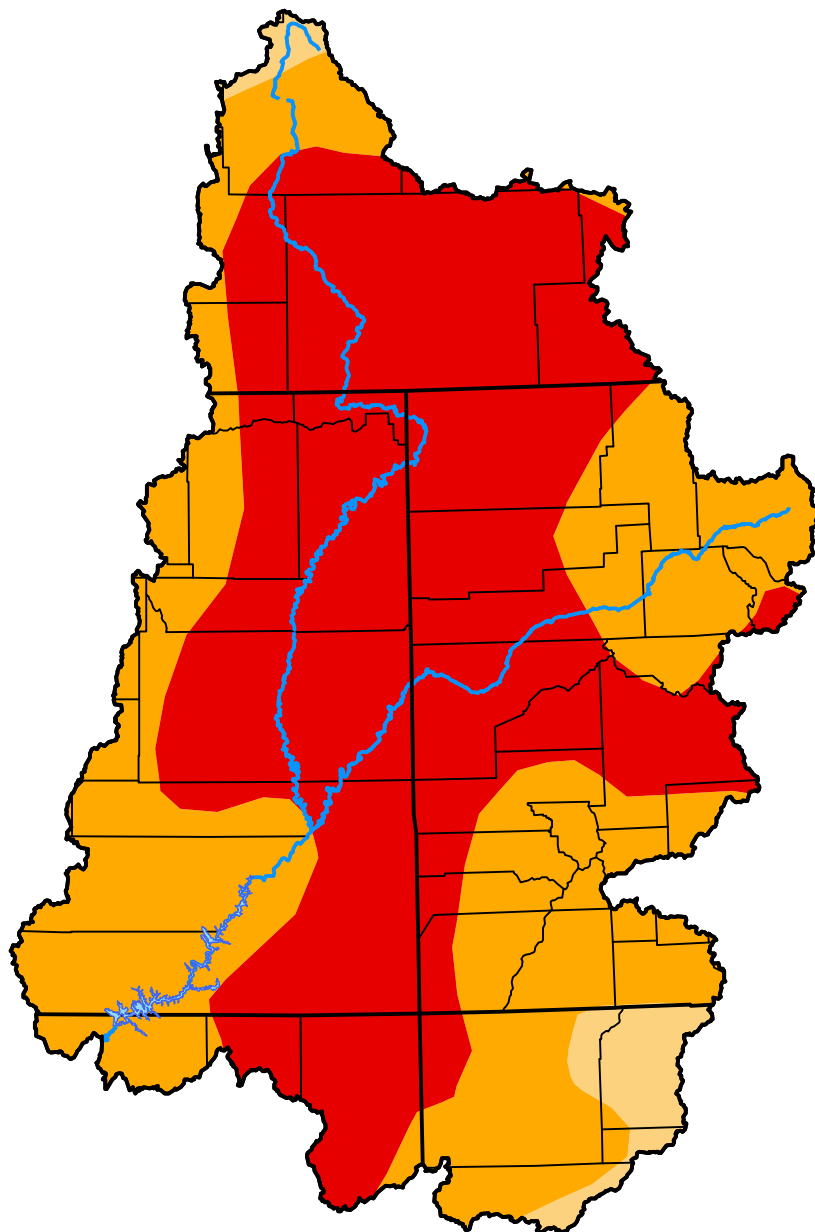


U.S. Drought Monitor

Upper Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.00	100.00	100.00	96.59	55.91	0.00
Last Week 08-23-2012	0.00	100.00	100.00	93.30	56.67	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-31-2012	0.04	99.96	94.63	61.13	11.45	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 09-01-2011	75.08	24.92	16.36	3.83	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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