

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Colorado Watershed

September 18, 2012

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0-D4  | D1-D4  | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 96.85 | 46.37 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>09-13-2012              | 0.00  | 100.00 | 100.00 | 96.86 | 47.43 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>06-21-2012           | 0.04  | 99.96  | 97.87  | 87.19 | 34.02 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-05-2012 | 85.44 | 14.56  | 5.23   | 1.97  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>09-29-2011    | 75.42 | 24.58  | 10.35  | 3.72  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>09-22-2011           | 75.42 | 24.58  | 10.35  | 3.72  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

### Intensity:

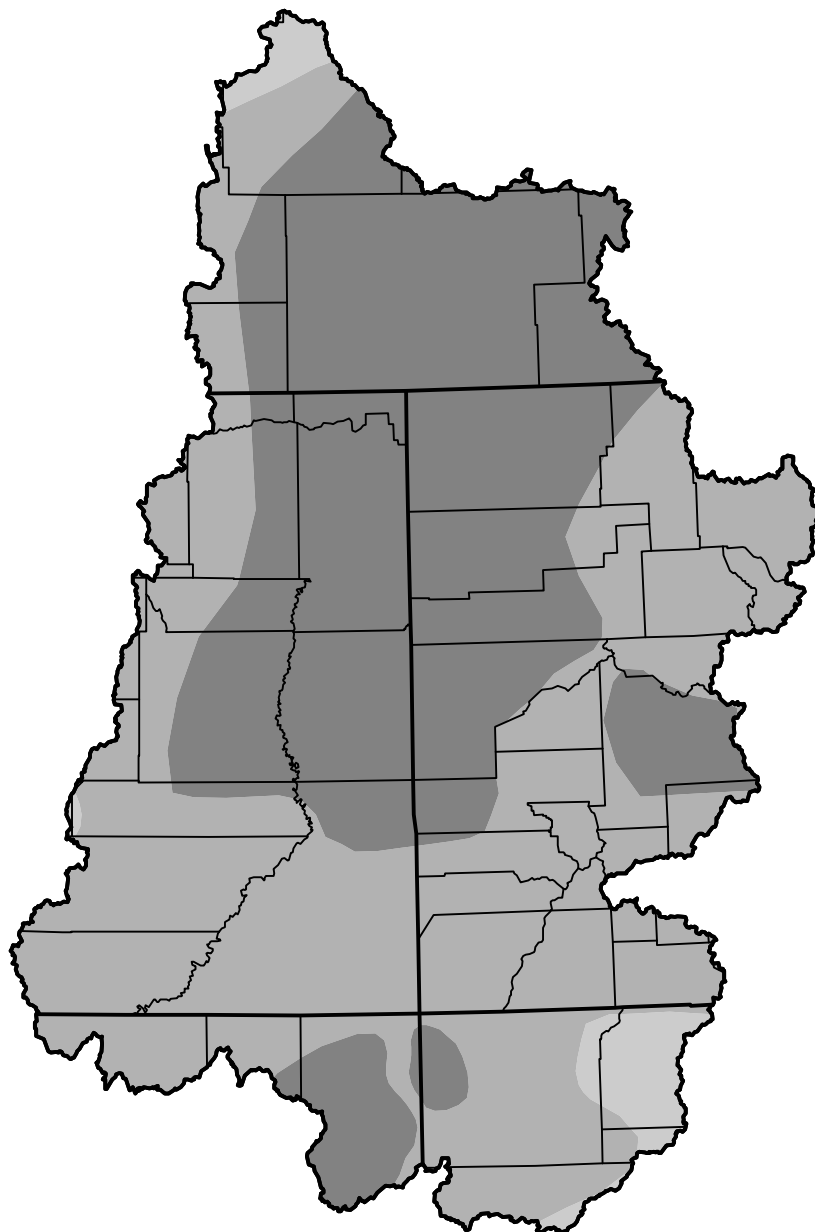
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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
|    | None                |    | 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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