

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Colorado Watershed

October 10, 2017

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0    | D1   | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 48.18 | 48.10 | 3.72 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>10-05-2017              | 40.24 | 53.71 | 6.05 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>07-13-2017           | 48.80 | 48.50 | 2.70 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-05-2017 | 76.02 | 22.64 | 1.34 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>09-28-2017    | 39.10 | 54.15 | 6.75 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>10-13-2016           | 69.91 | 25.96 | 4.09 | 0.04 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

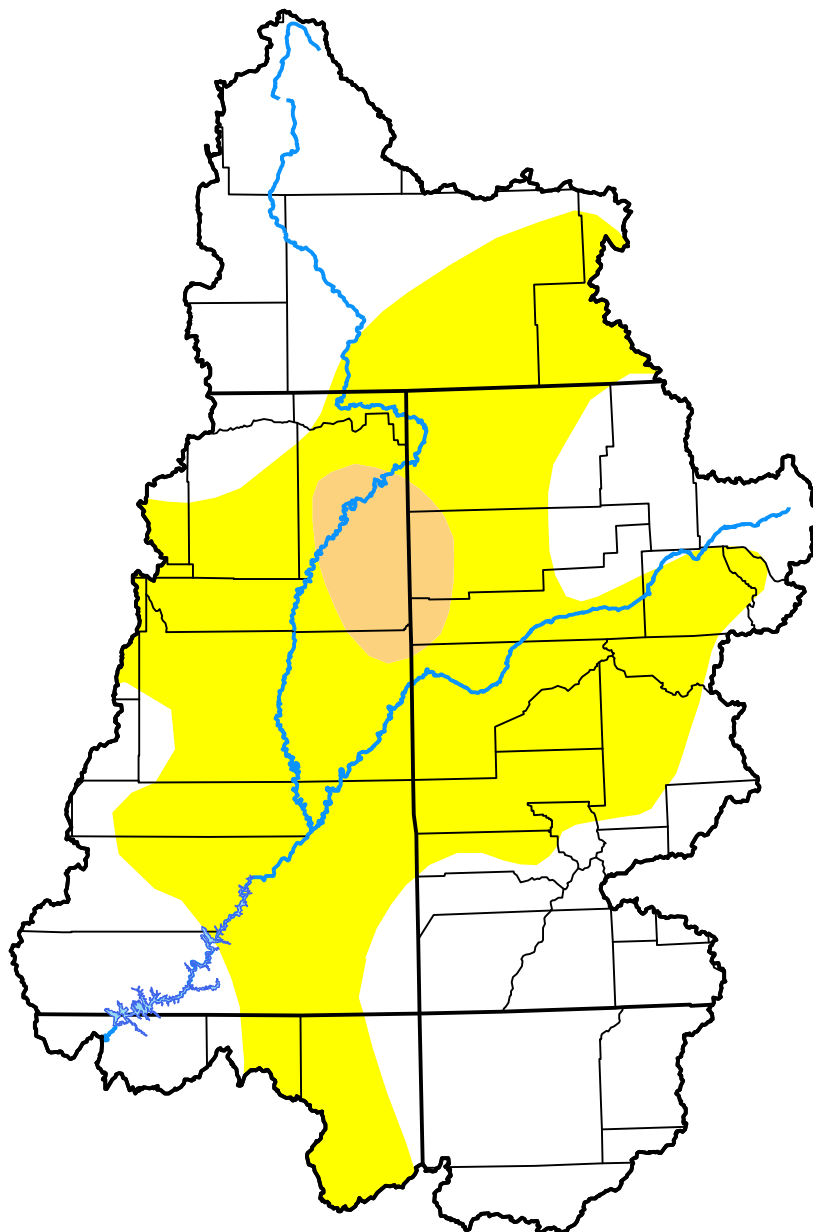
### Intensity:

|                                                                                                           |                                                                                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  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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