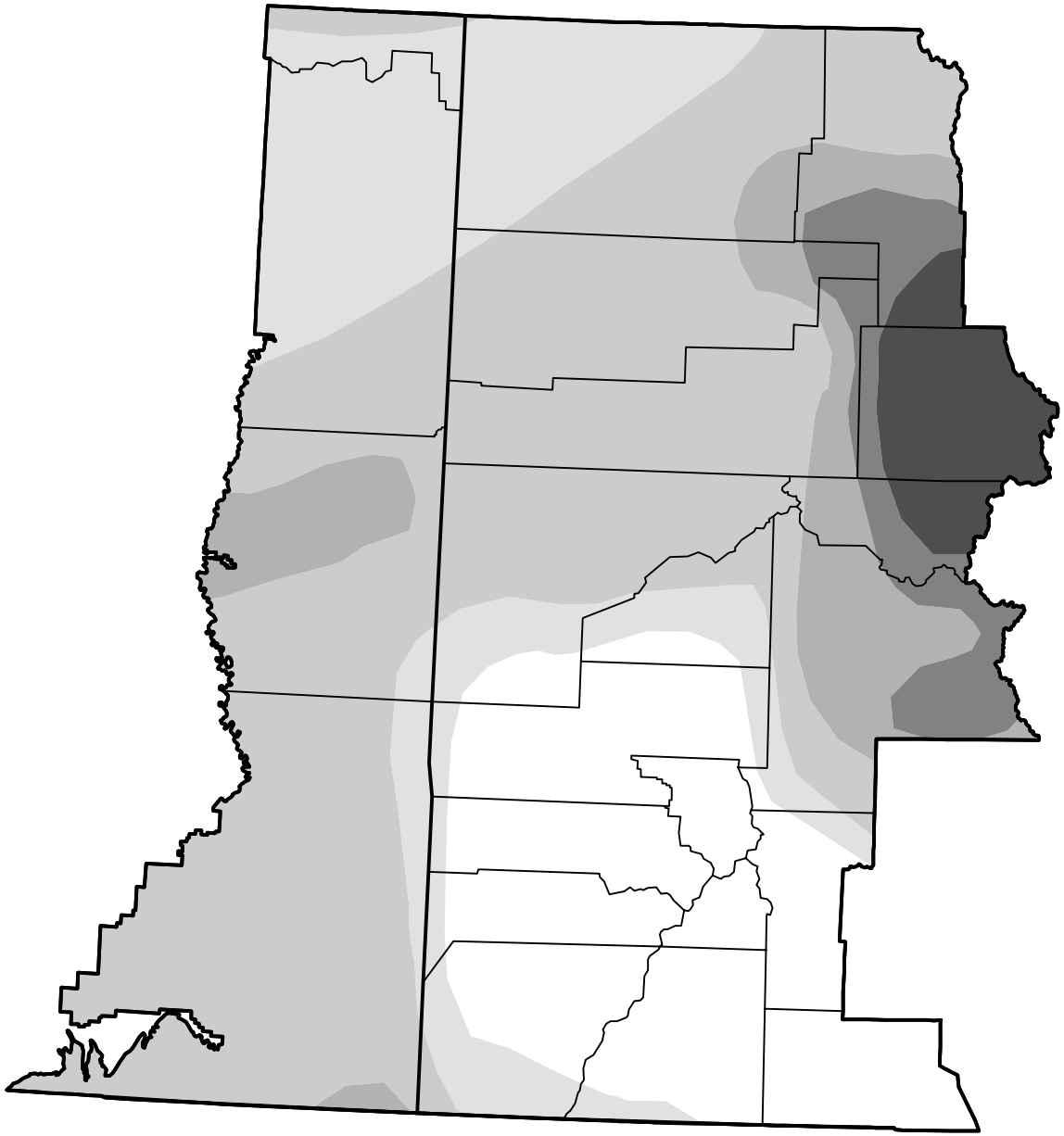
U.S. Drought Monitor

Grand Junction, CO WFO



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	21.01	78.99	60.46	17.24	8.67	4.19
Last Week *10-20-2026*	1.77	98.23	71.16	35.90	11.89	6.16
3 Months Ago *07-28-2026*	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	41.47	13.11
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	0.00	100.00	68.92	27.25	3.48	1.13
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	0.00	100.00	98.74	74.56	29.06	7.67
One Year Ago *10-28-2025*	7.42	92.58	71.93	30.95	4.36	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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