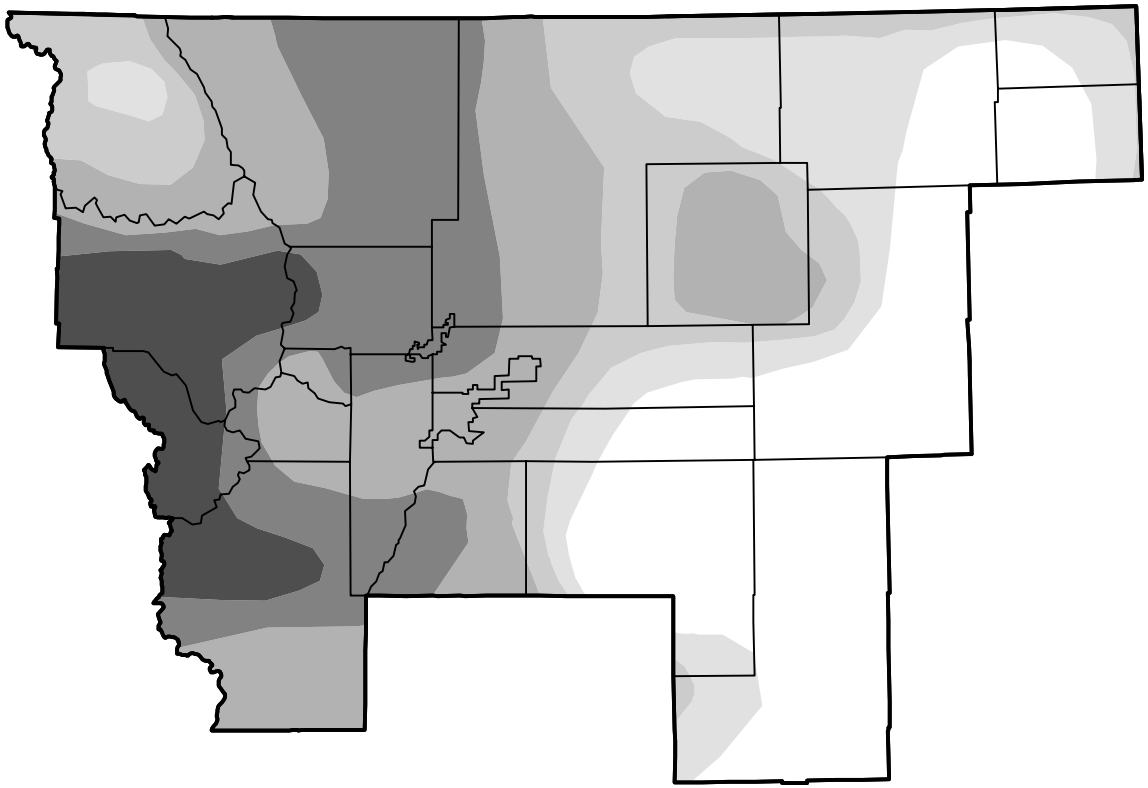
U.S. Drought Monitor

Boulder, CO WFO



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	24.14	75.86	62.68	49.20	25.97	8.22
Last Week *10-27-2026*	22.20	77.80	62.68	49.20	25.97	6.79
3 Months Ago *08-04-2026*	4.67	95.33	82.03	69.14	44.75	7.96
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	22.48	77.52	61.35	19.50	9.06	0.36
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	20.55	79.45	67.59	48.85	26.94	8.79
One Year Ago *11-04-2025*	66.00	34.00	18.47	12.07	0.00	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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