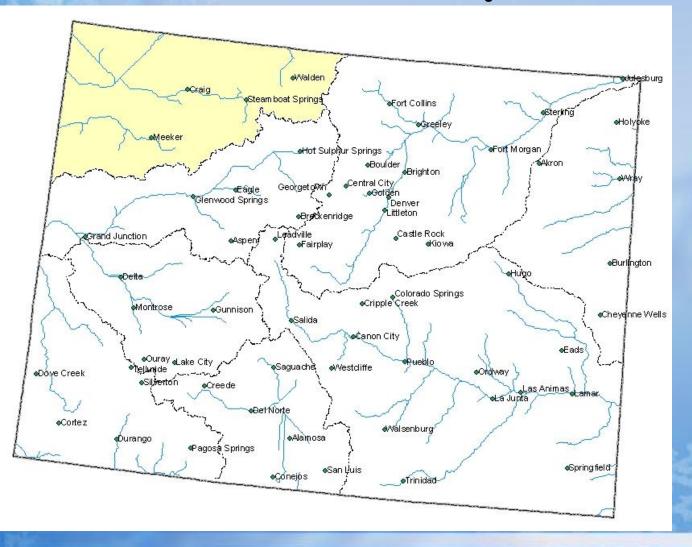
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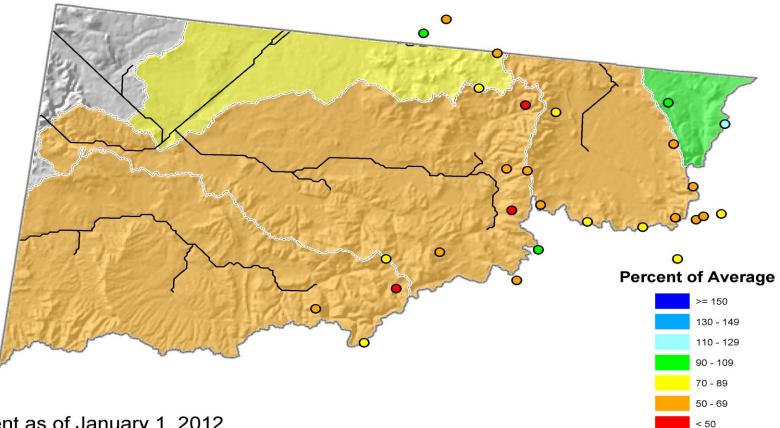
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# Yampa, White & North Platte River Basins Summary



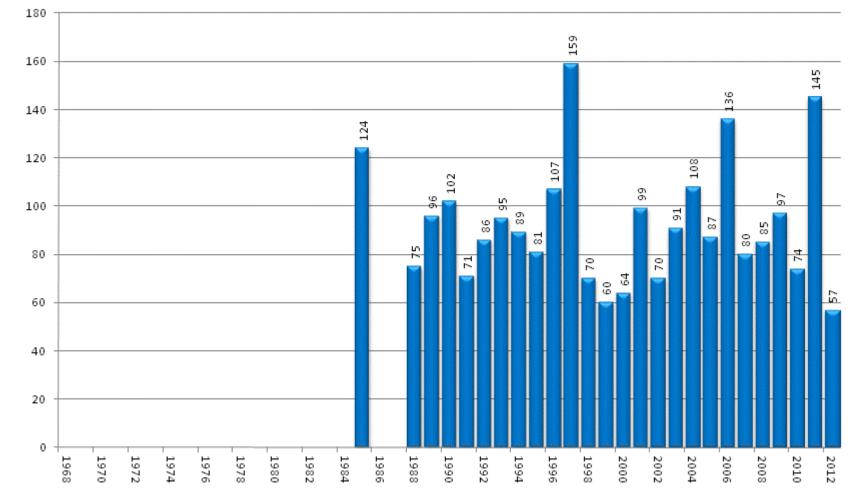
## Yampa, White and North Platte River Basins Snowpack Map

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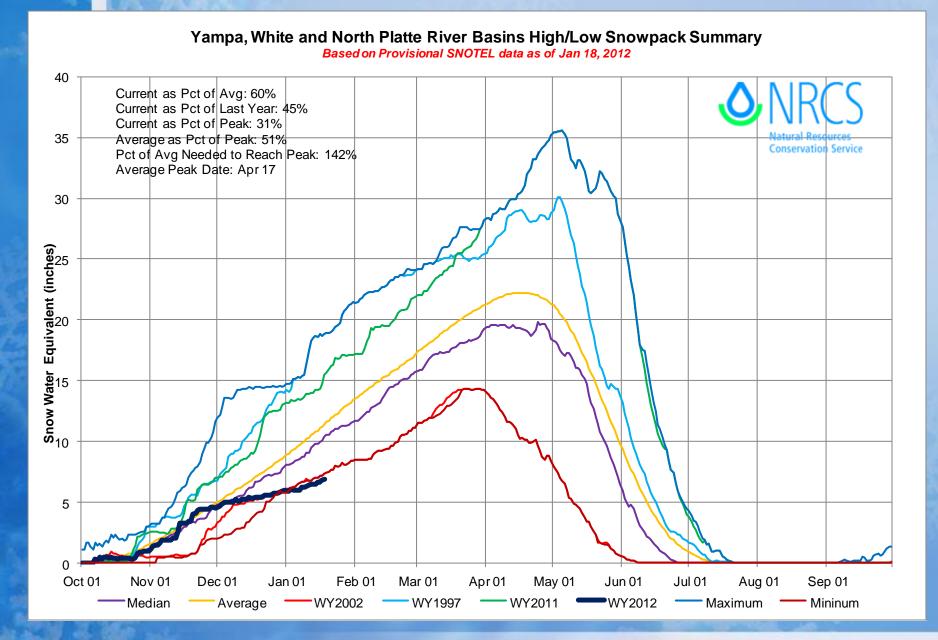
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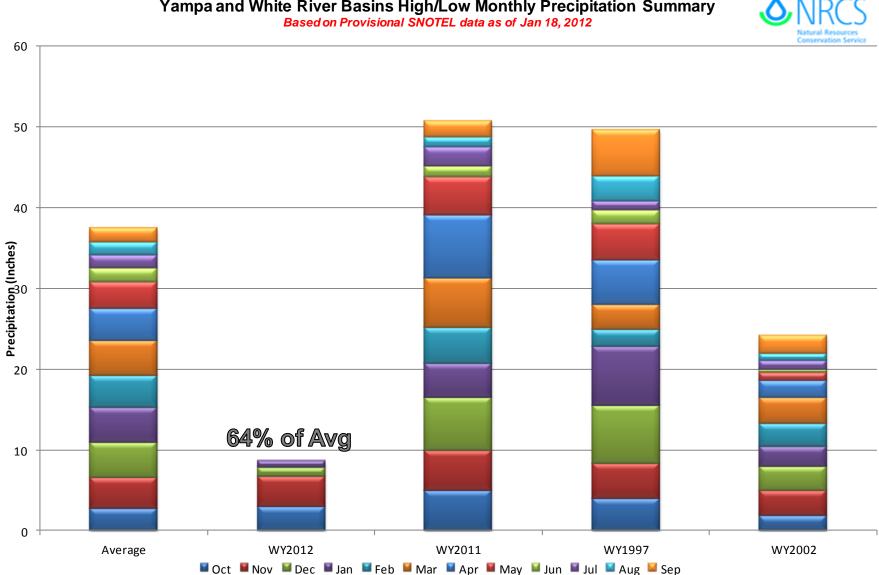
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Percent of Average

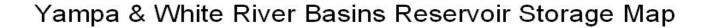




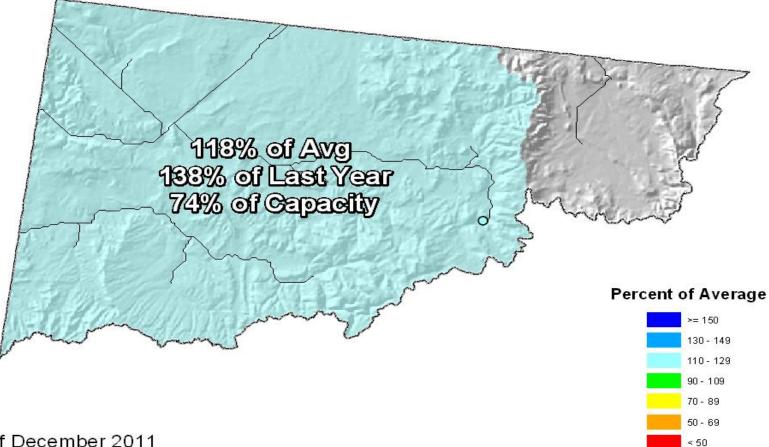


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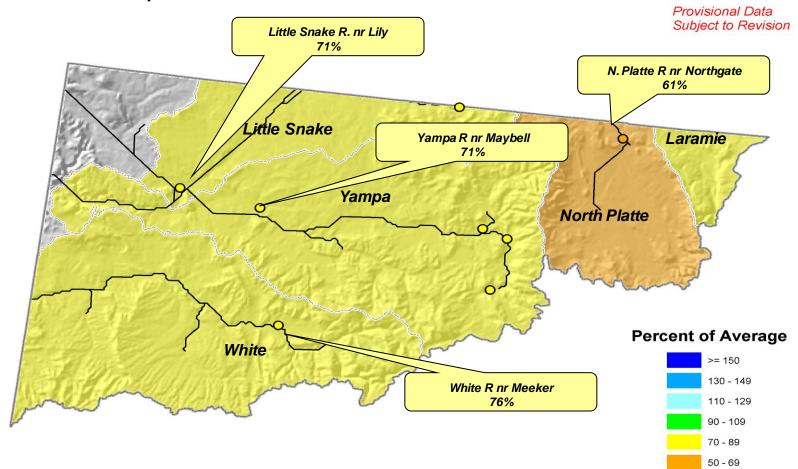


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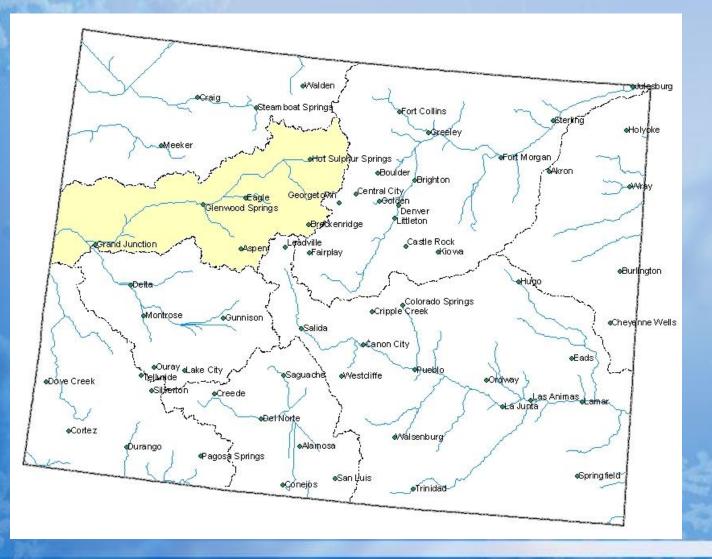
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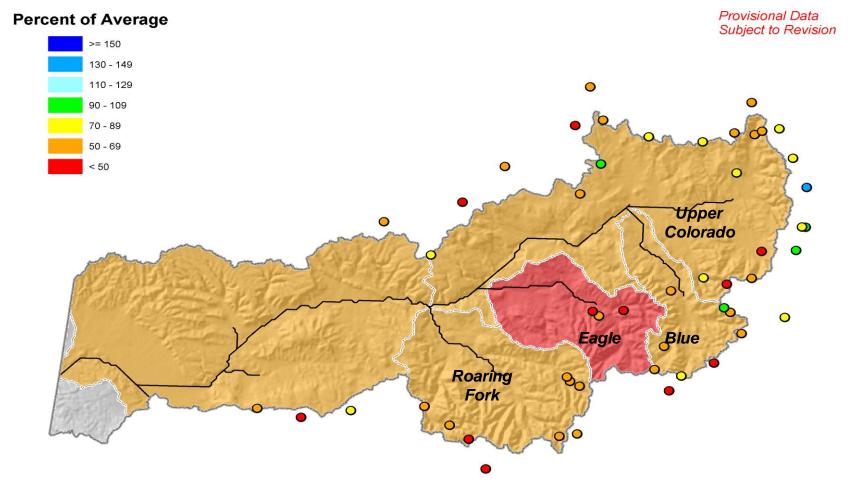
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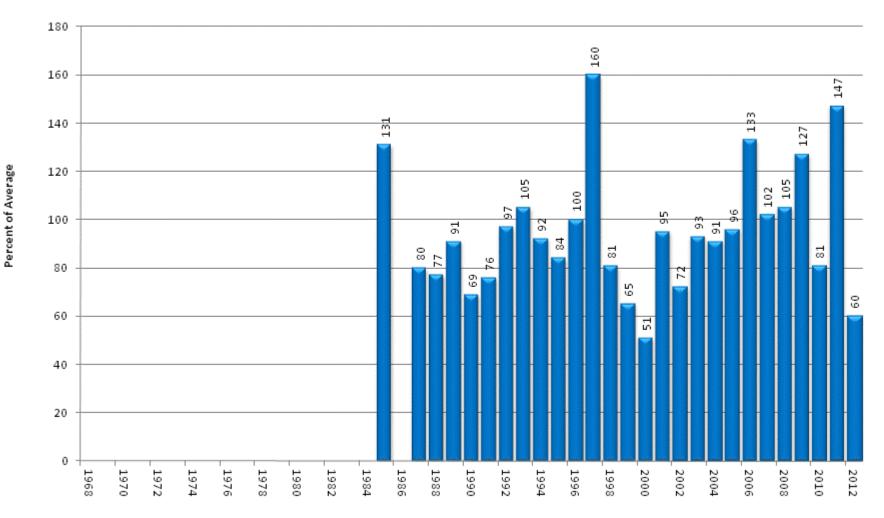


## Colorado River Basin Snowpack Map



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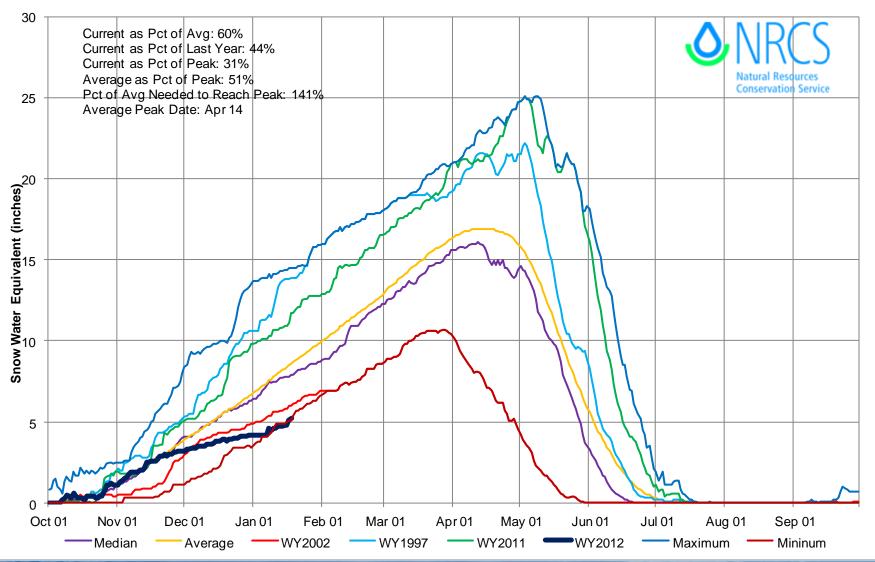
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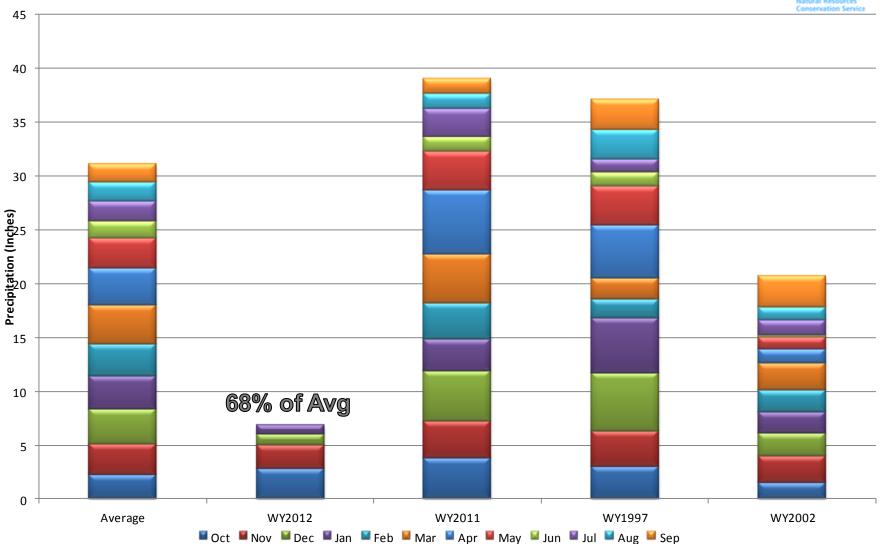


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Upper Colorado River Basin High/Low Snowpack Summary

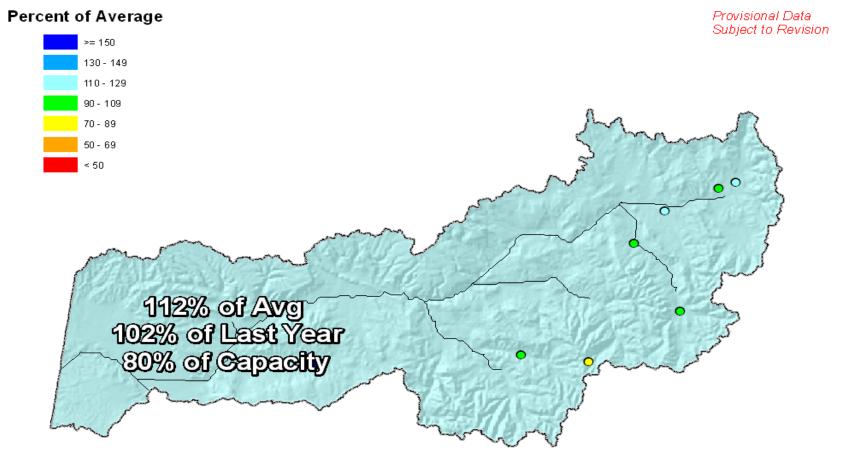
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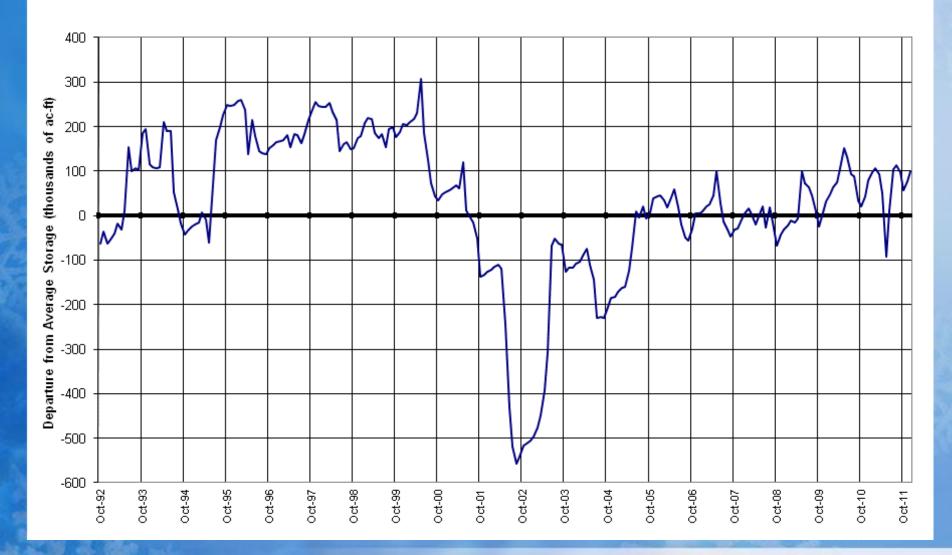
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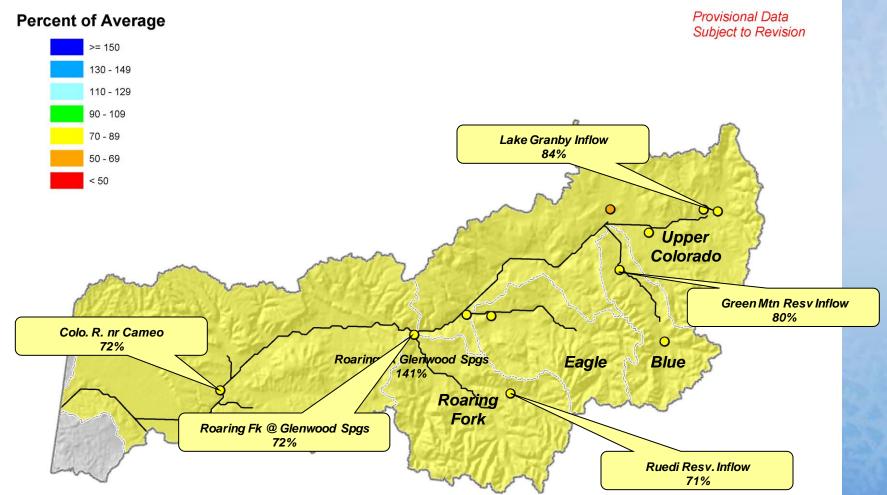


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COLORADO RIVER BASIN Reservoir Storage Departure from Average

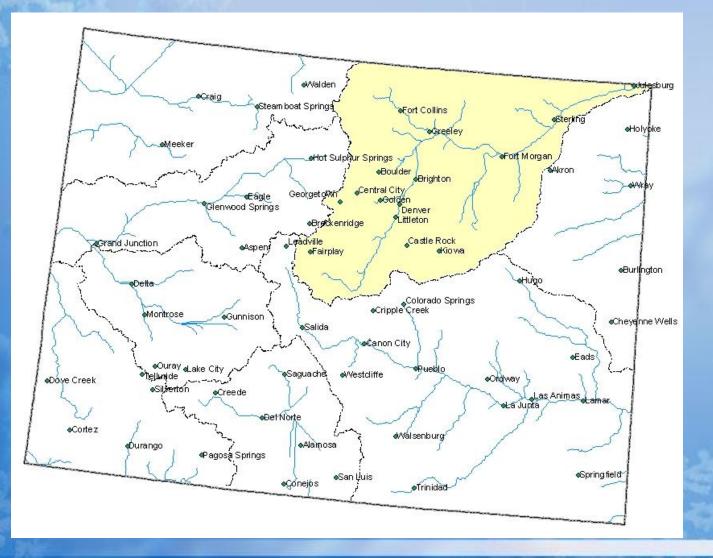


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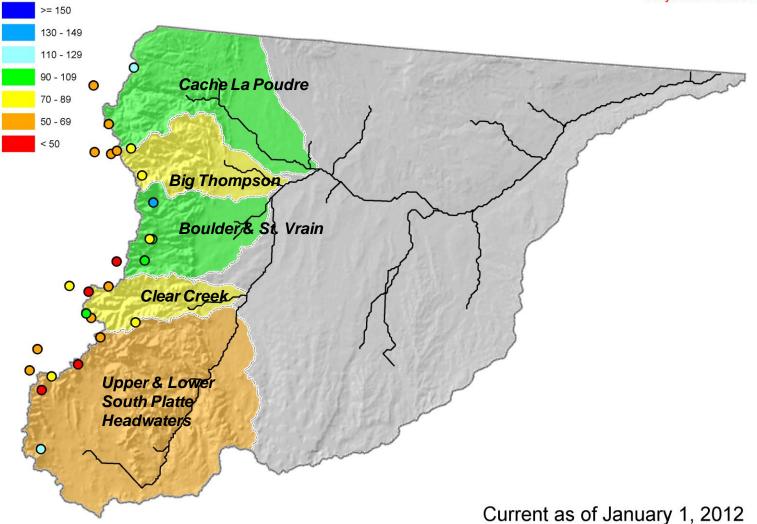
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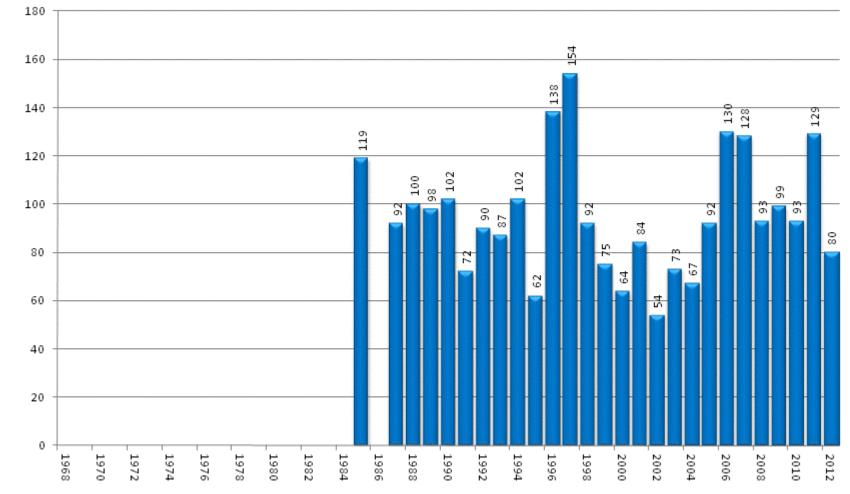
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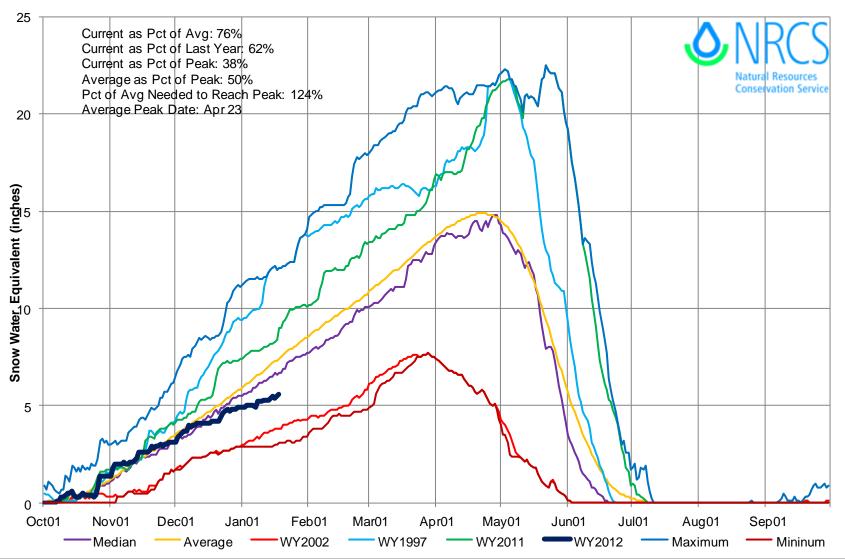


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South Platte River Basin High/Low Snowpack Summary

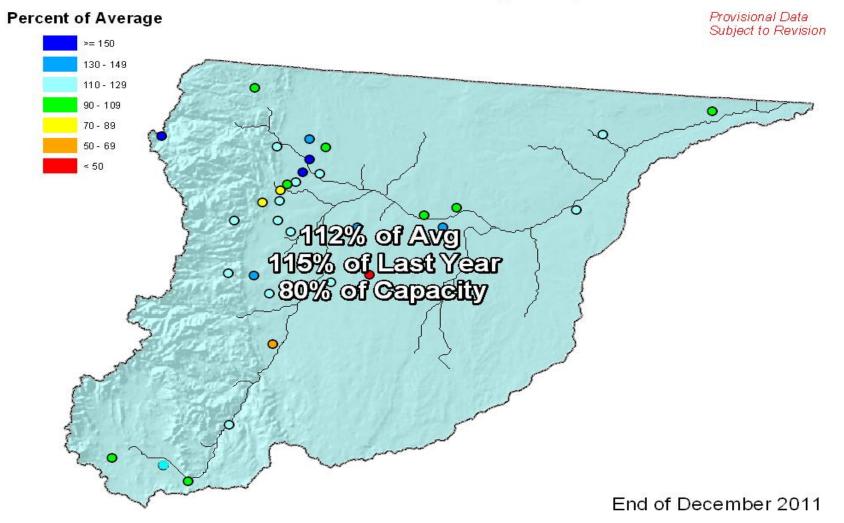
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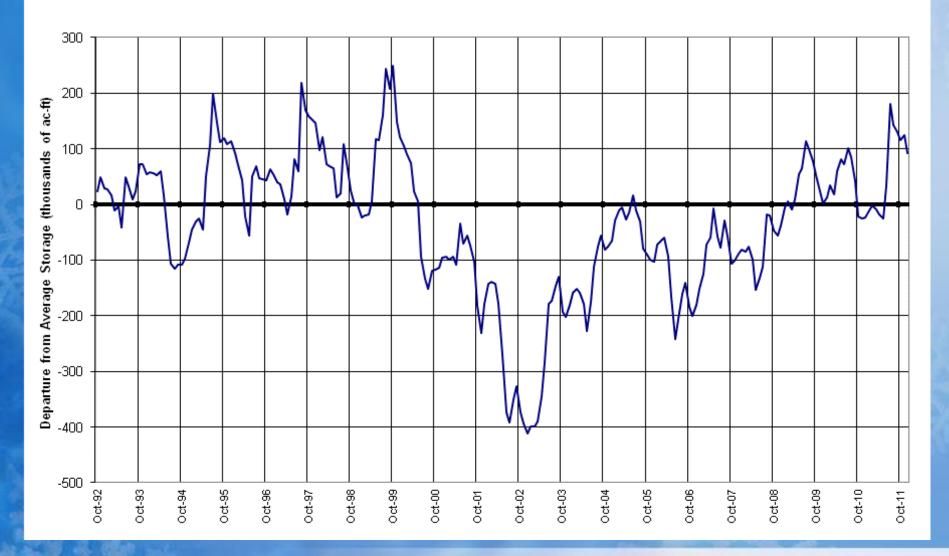
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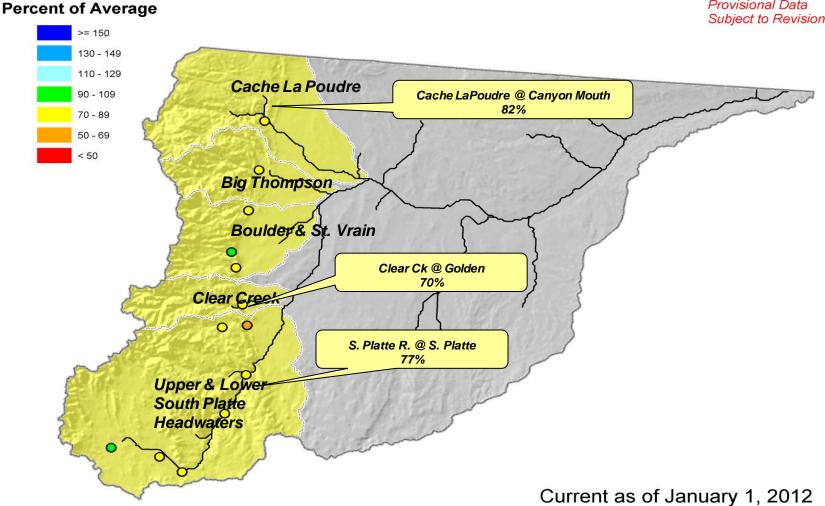
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### SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN Reservoir Storage Departure from Average

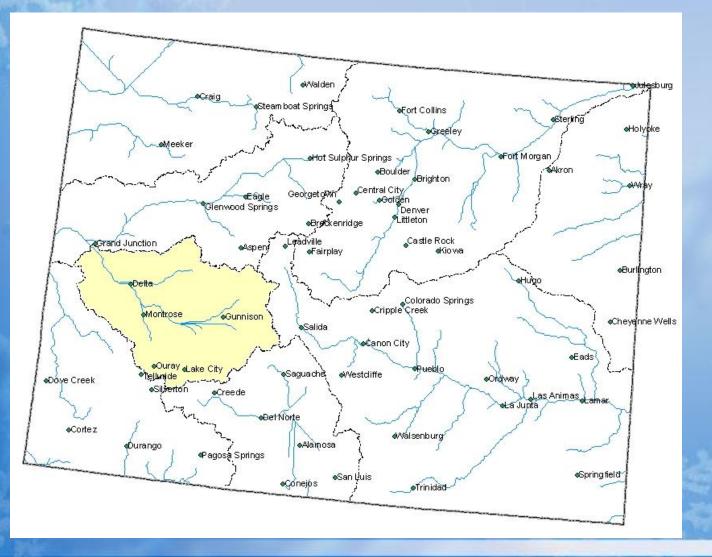


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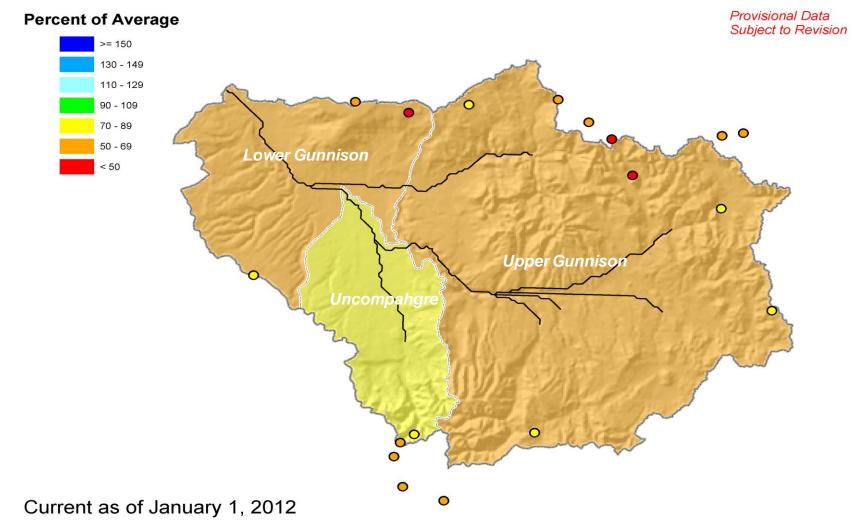


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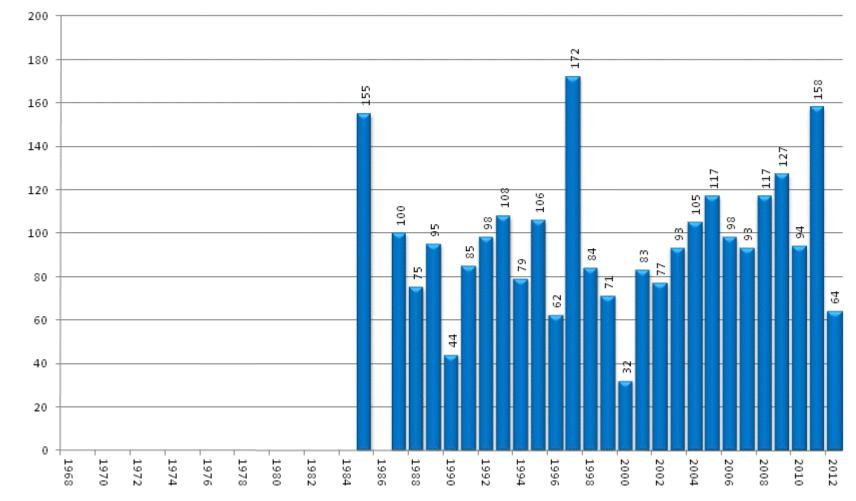
# **Gunnison River Basin Summary**



## Gunnison River Basin Snowpack Map



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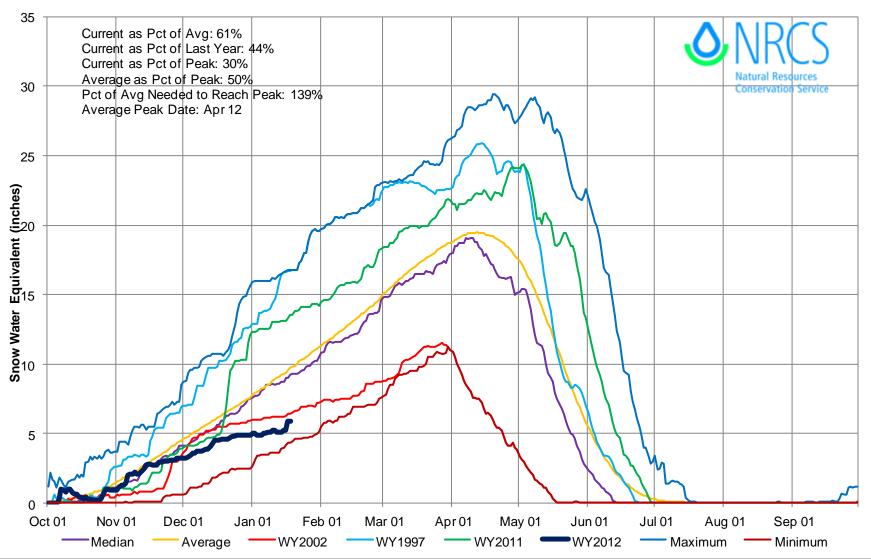


Percent of Average

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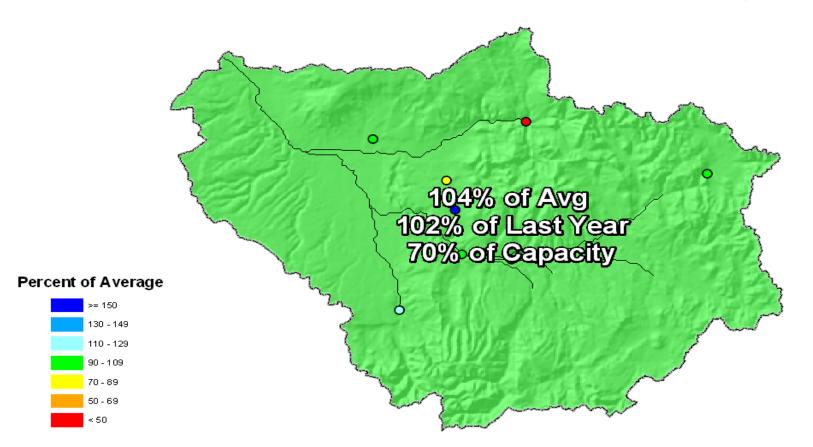
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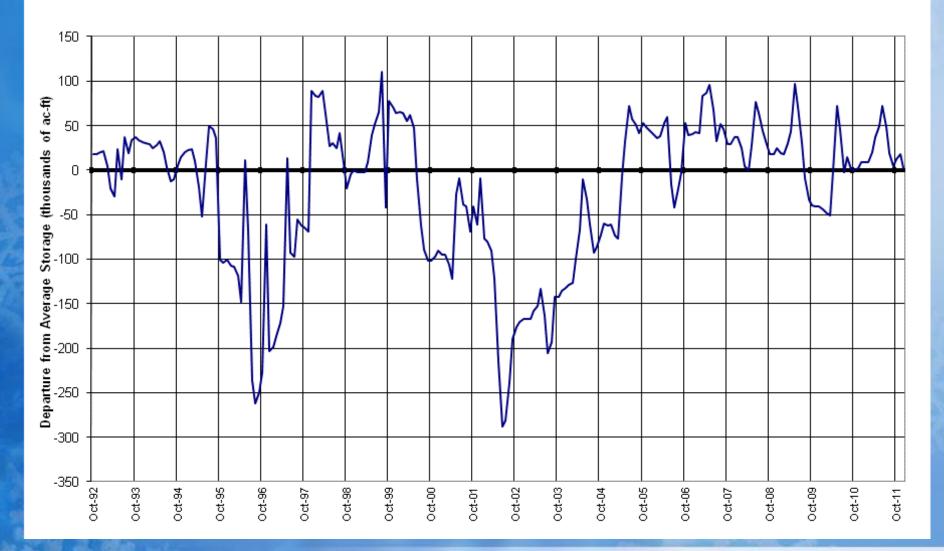
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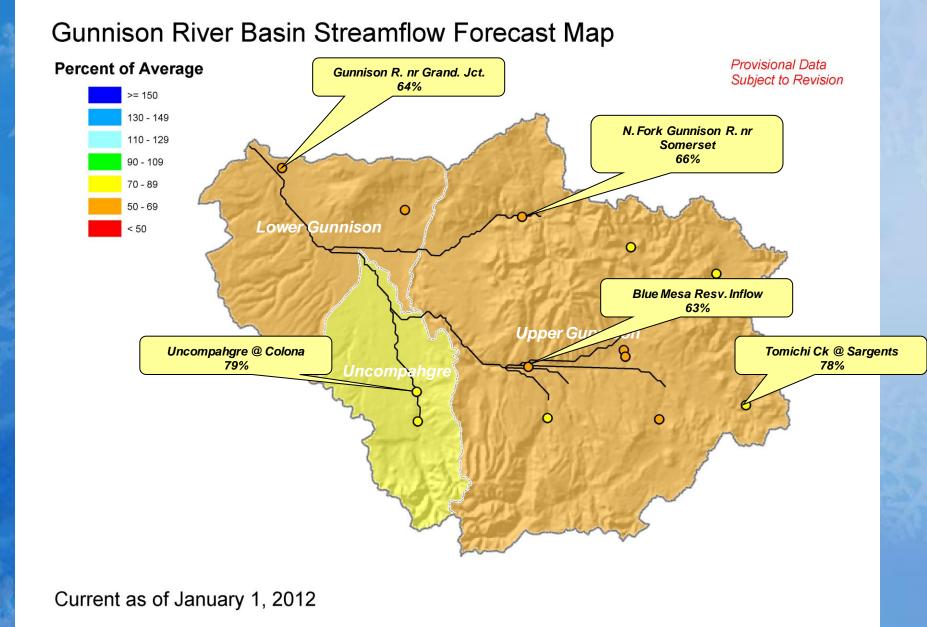
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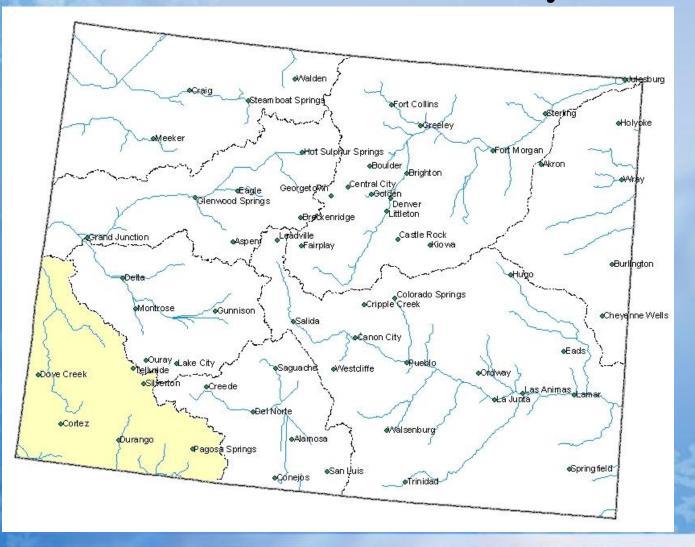
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### SAN MIGUEL, DOLORES, ANIMAS AND SAN JUAN RIVER BASINS Reservoir Storage Departure from Average

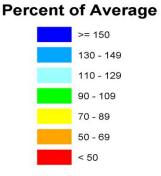


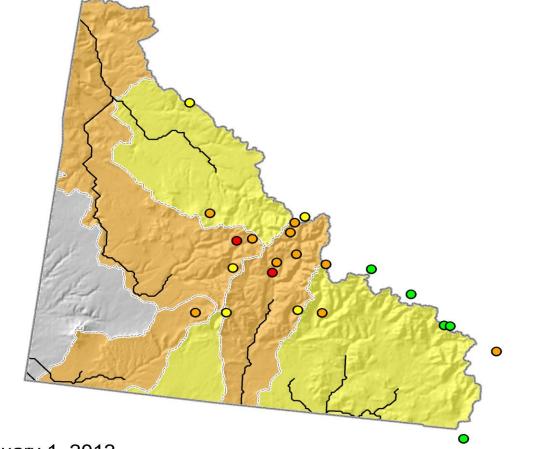


# San Miguel, Dolores, Animas & San Juan River Basins Summary



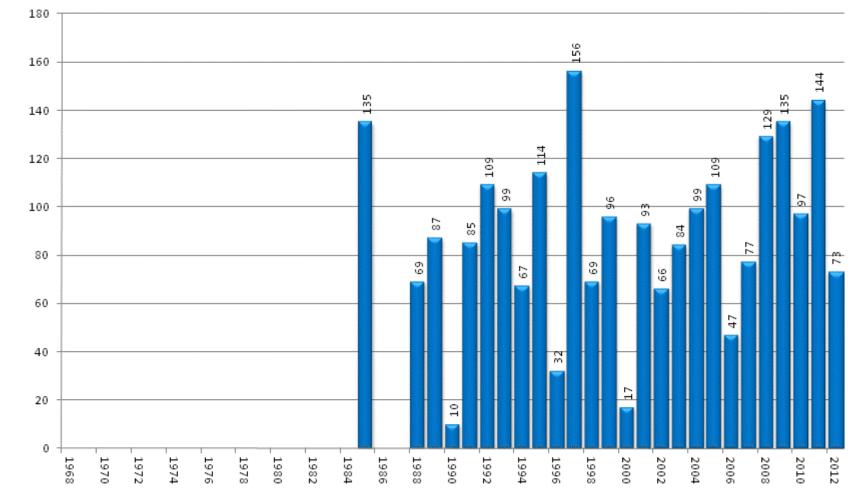
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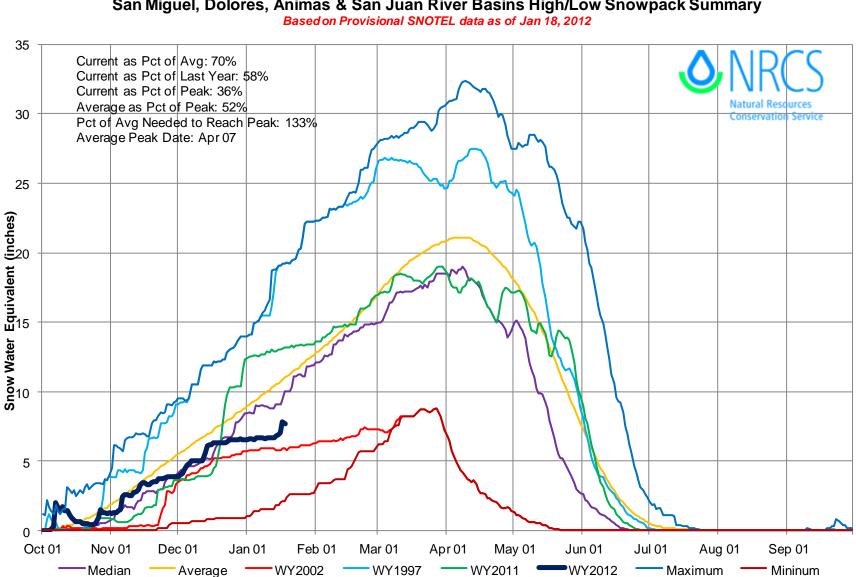
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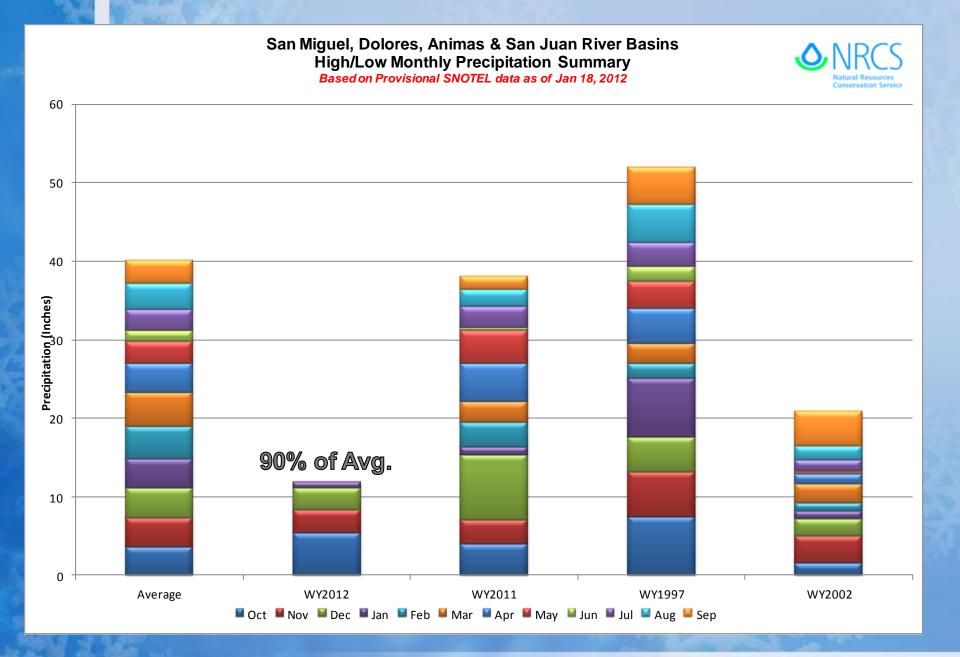
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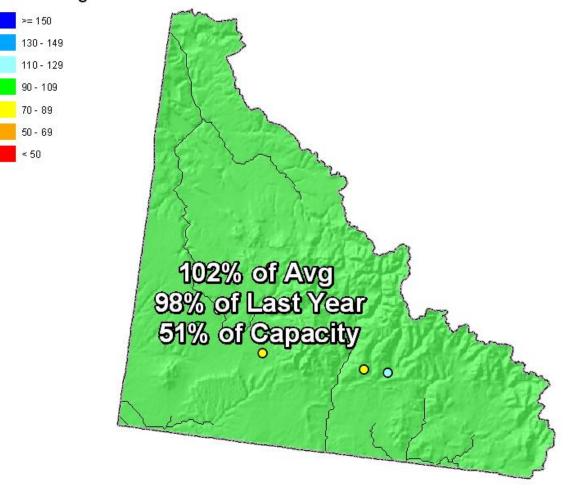
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San Miguel, Dolores, Animas & San Juan River Basins High/Low Snowpack Summary



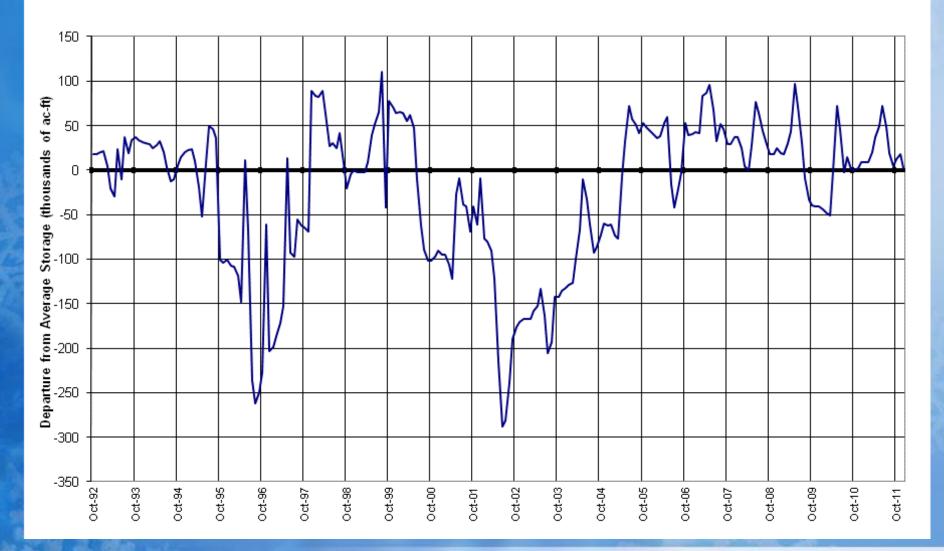
#### San Miguel, Dolores, Animas and San Juan River Basins Reservoir Storage Map Percent of Average



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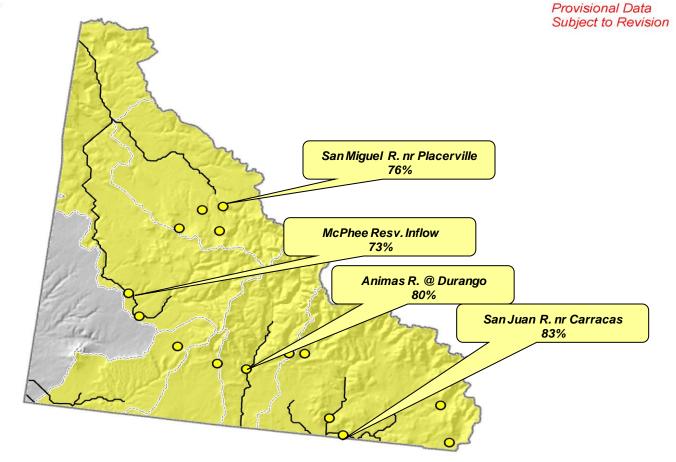
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#### SAN MIGUEL, DOLORES, ANIMAS AND SAN JUAN RIVER BASINS Reservoir Storage Departure from Average



#### San Miguel, Dolores, Animas and San Juan River Basins Streamflow Forecast Map

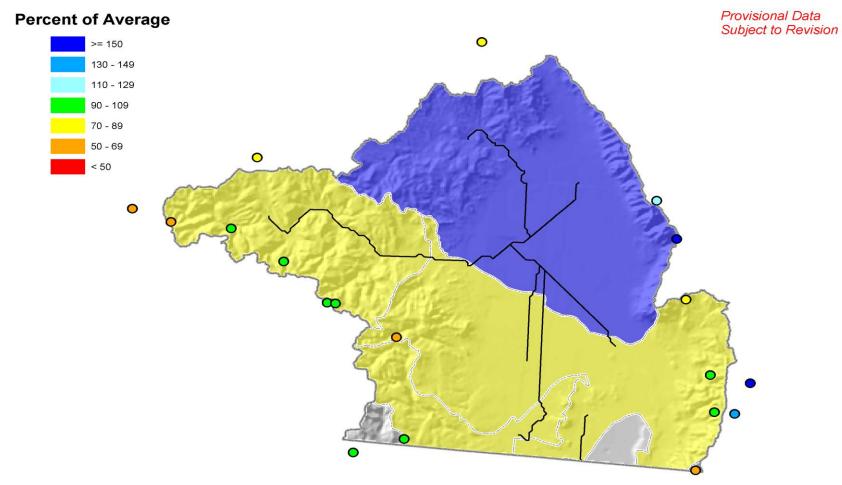
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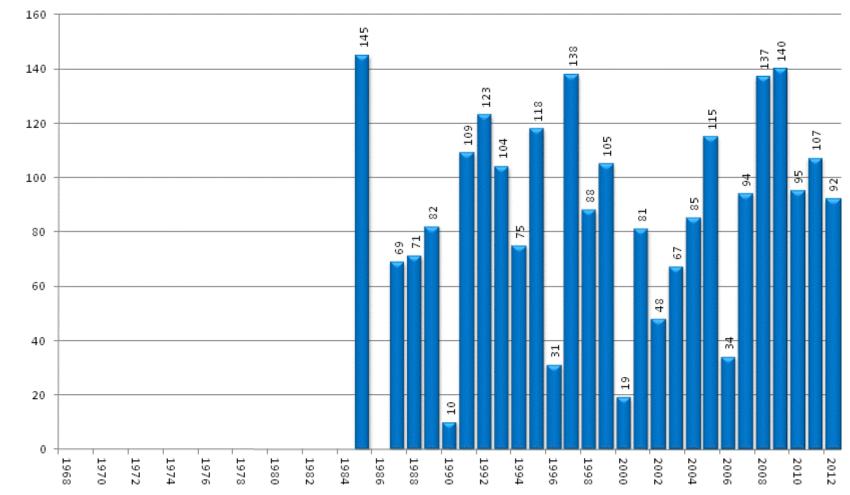
# **Upper Rio Grande Basin Summary**



### Upper Rio Grande Basin Snowpack Map



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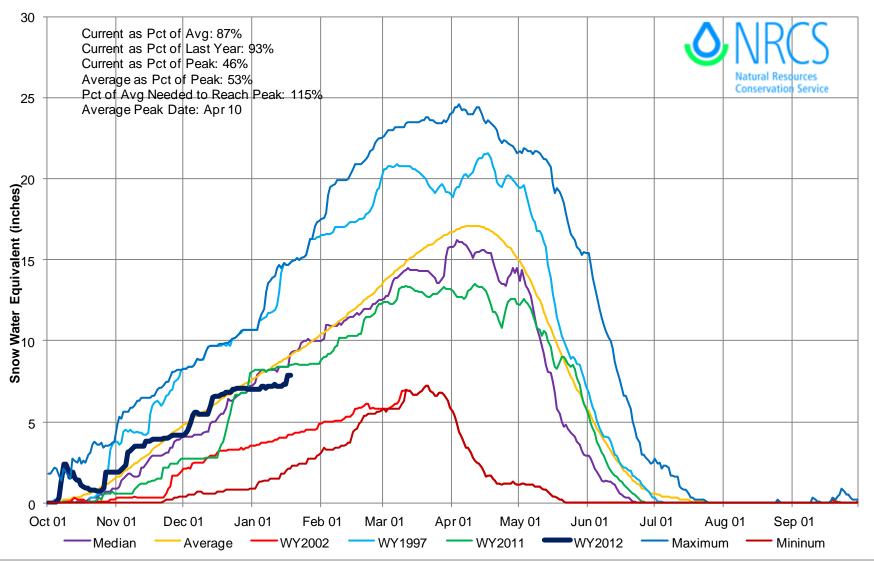


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Upper Rio Grande Basin High/Low Snowpack Summary

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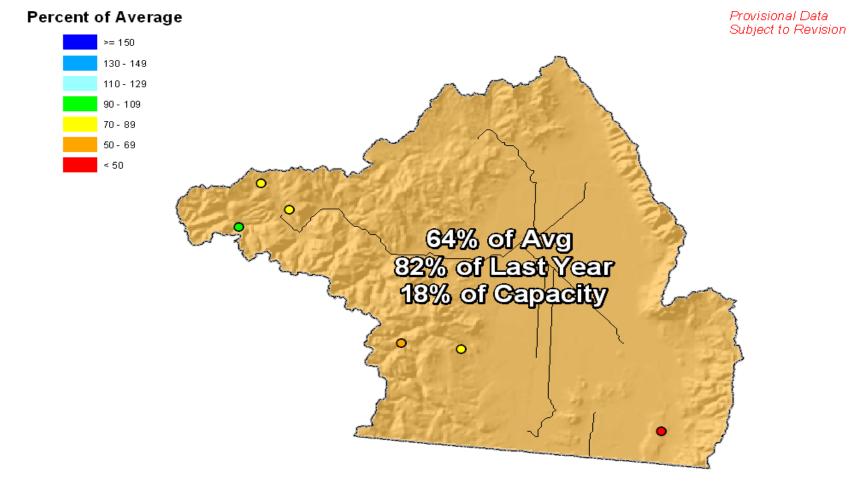


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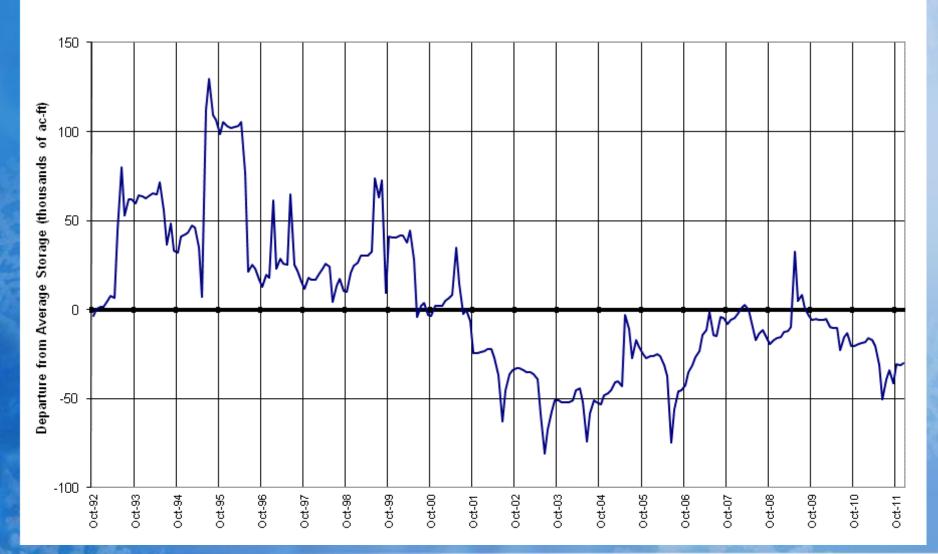
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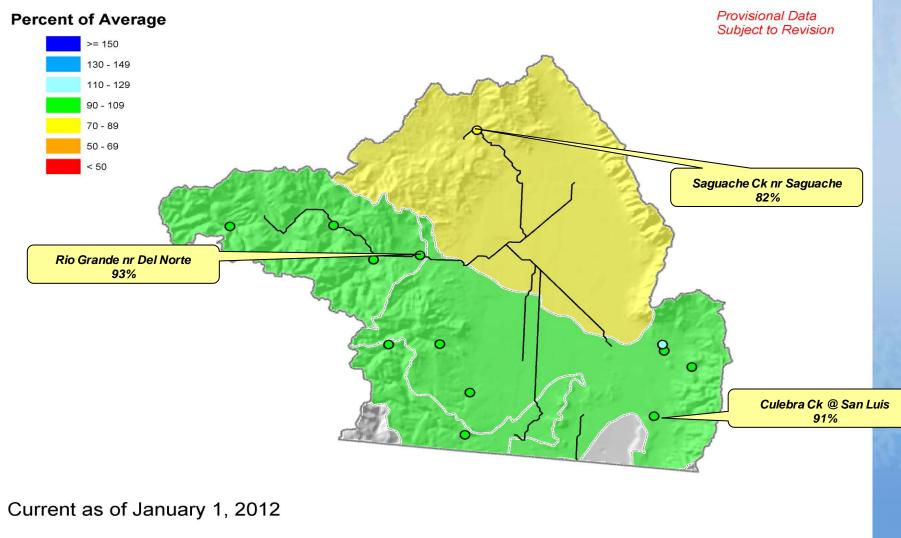


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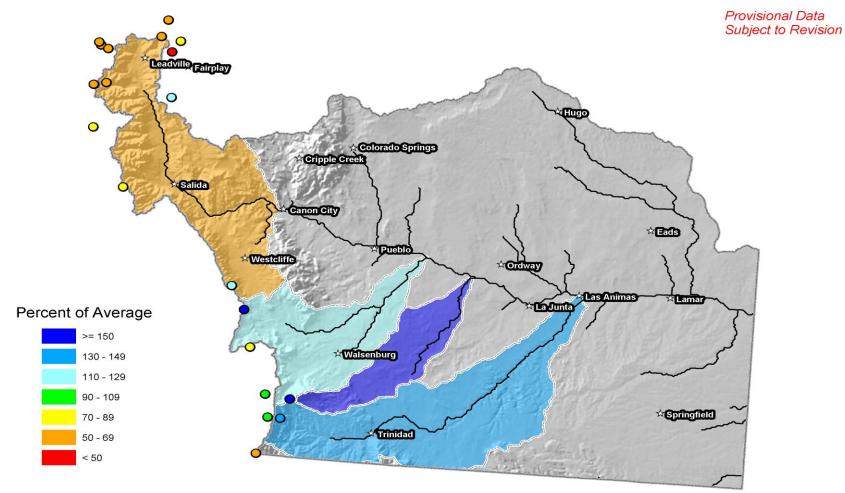
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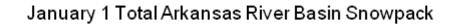


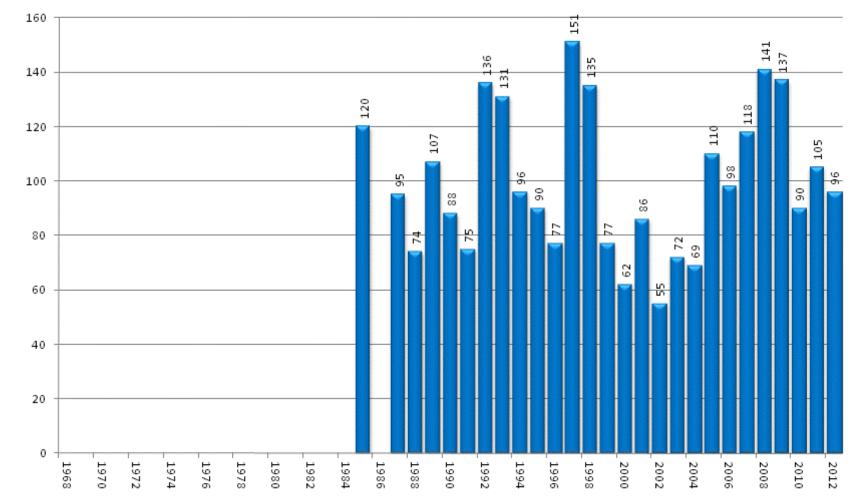
# Arkansas River Basin Summary



#### Arkansas River Basin Snowpack Map





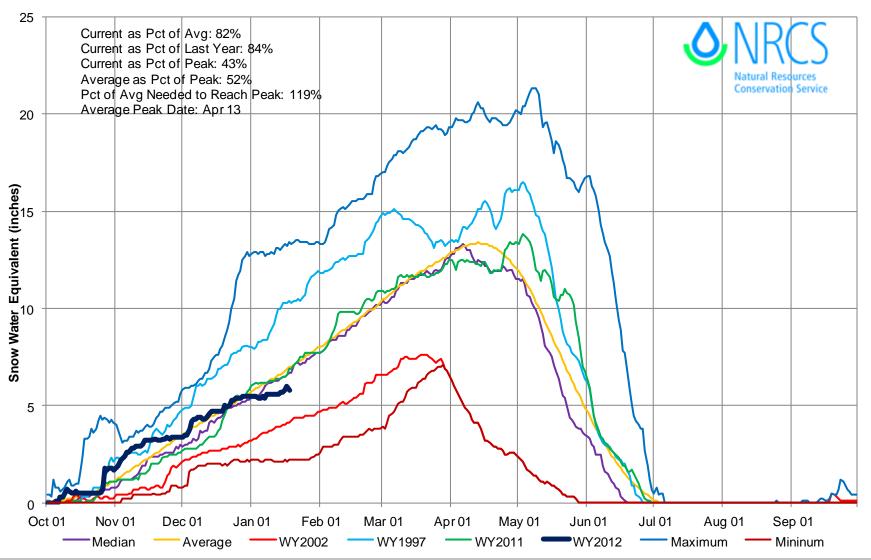


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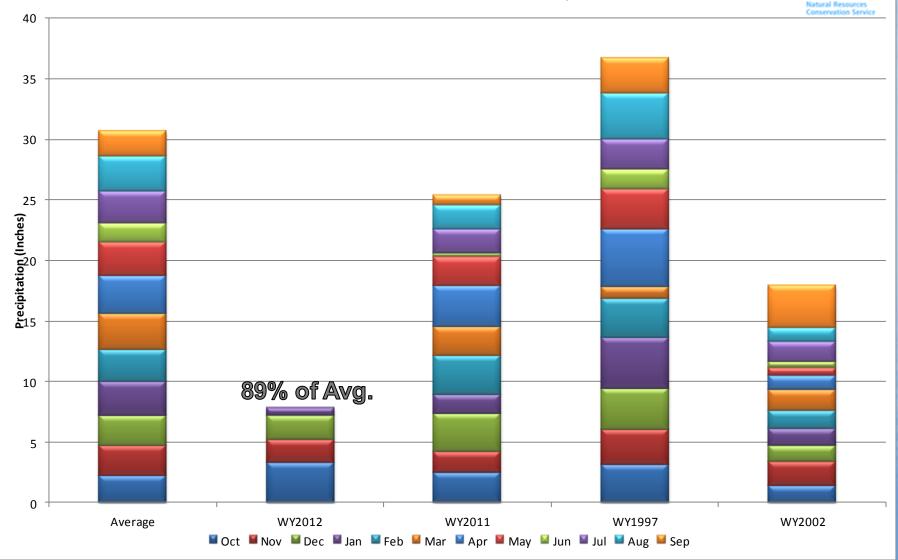
Arkansas River Basin High/Low Snowpack Summary

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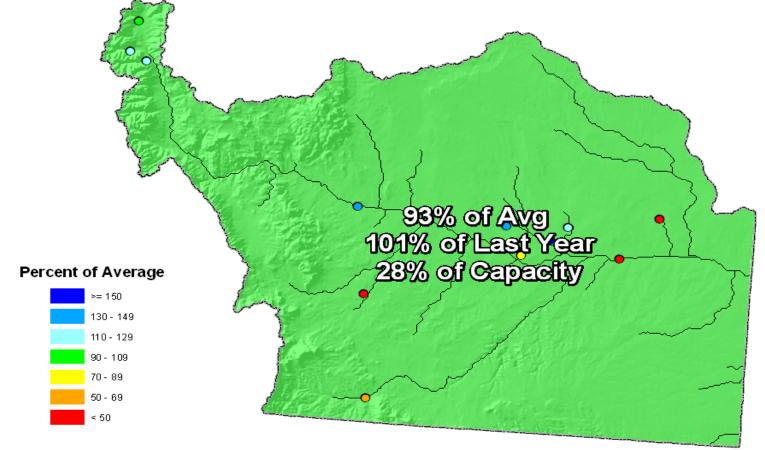
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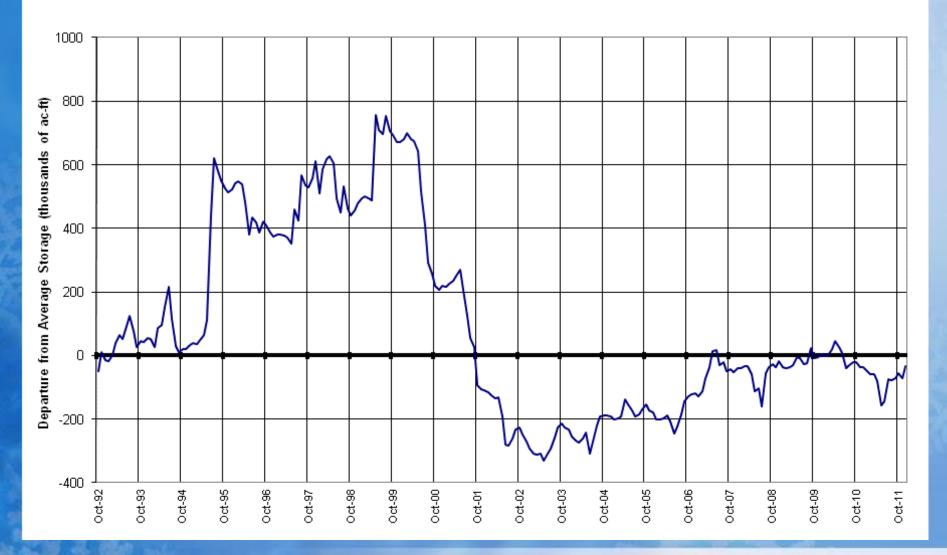
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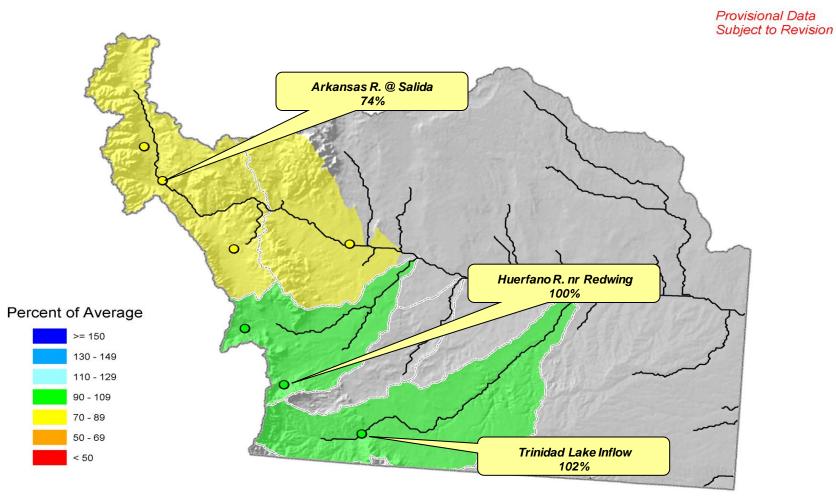


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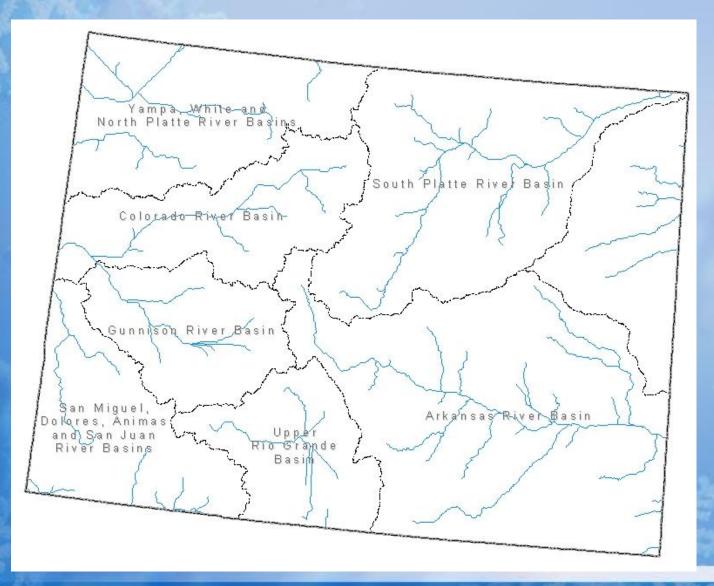
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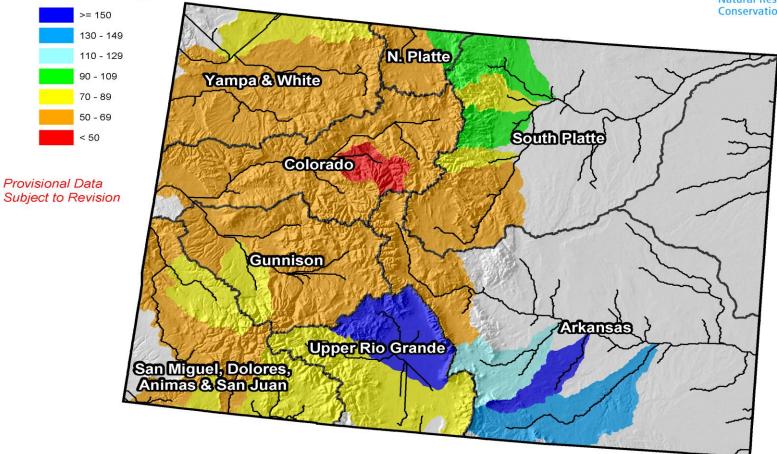
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## Colorado Snowpack Map

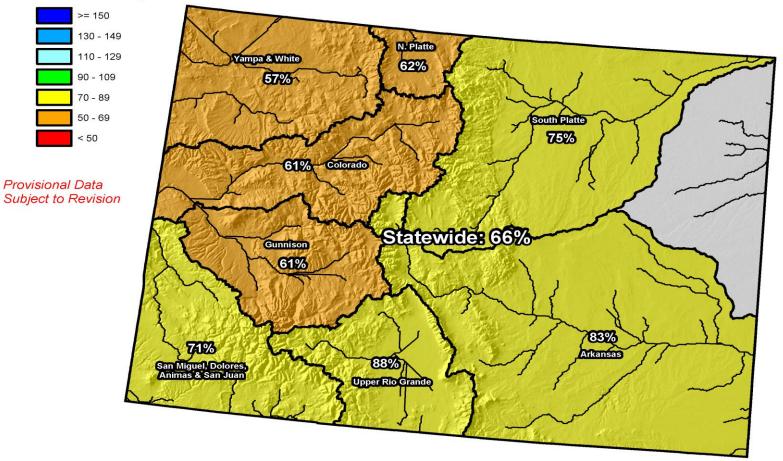
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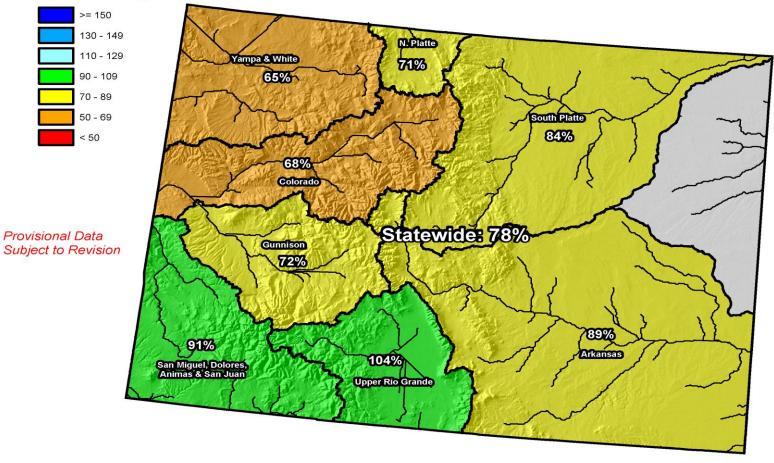


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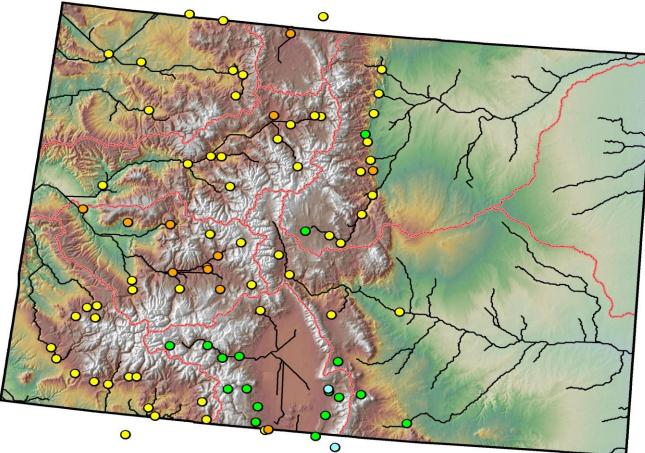
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## Colorado Streamflow Forecast Point Map

#### Percent of Average

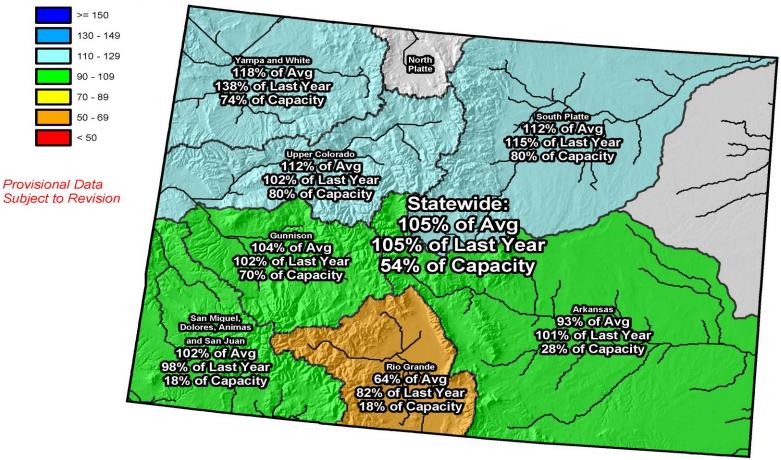


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### Colorado Reservoir Storage Map

#### **Percent of Average**



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