

# U.S. Drought Monitor

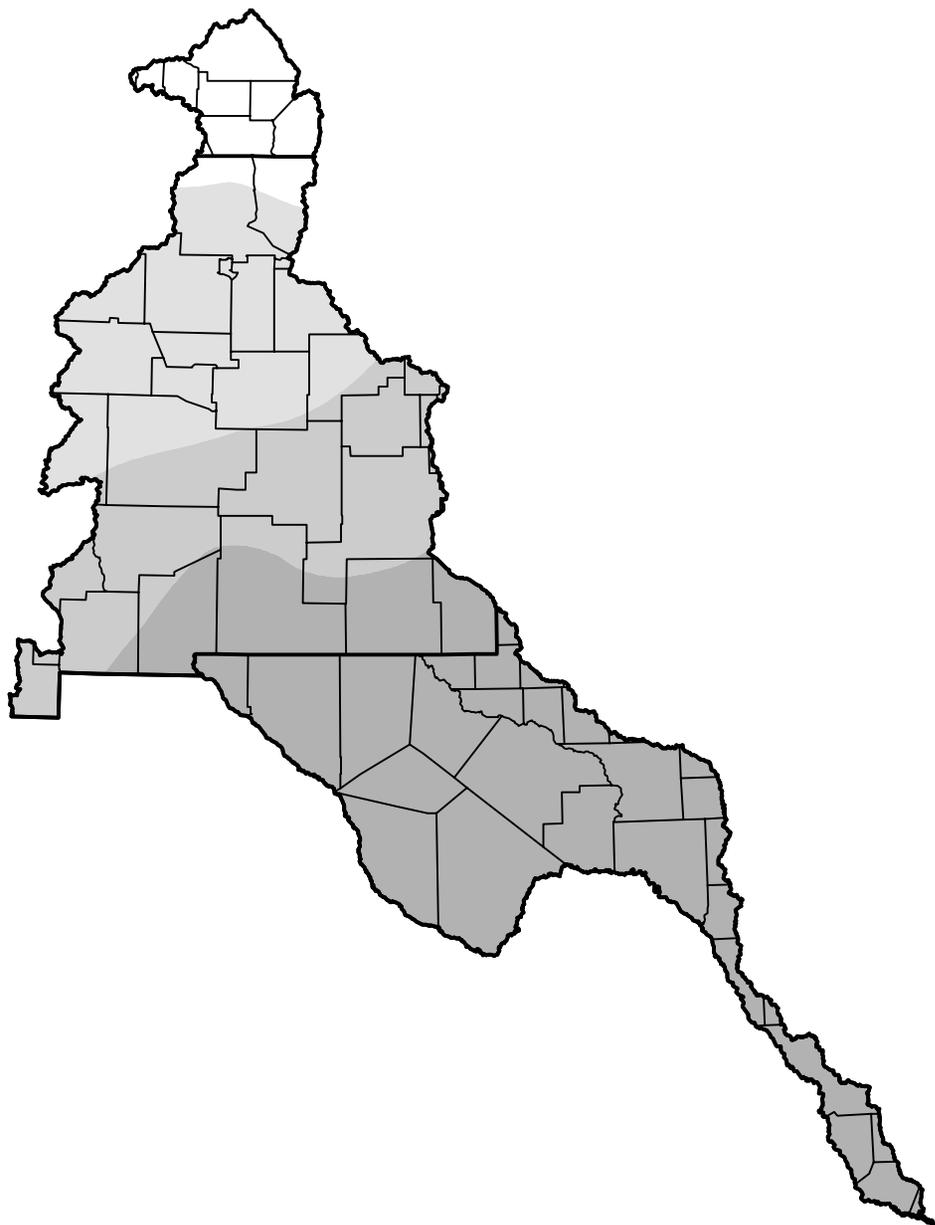
## Rio Grande Watershed

**March 21, 2000**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 7.28  | 21.14 | 22.51 | 49.07 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>03-16-2000</i>              | 6.81  | 22.69 | 28.43 | 42.07 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b>                                | -     | -     | -     | -     | -    | -    |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-06-2000</i> | 32.99 | 35.50 | 4.35  | 27.16 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b>                         | -     | -     | -     | -     | -    | -    |
| <b>One Year Ago</b>                                | -     | -     | -     | -     | -    | -    |



***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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