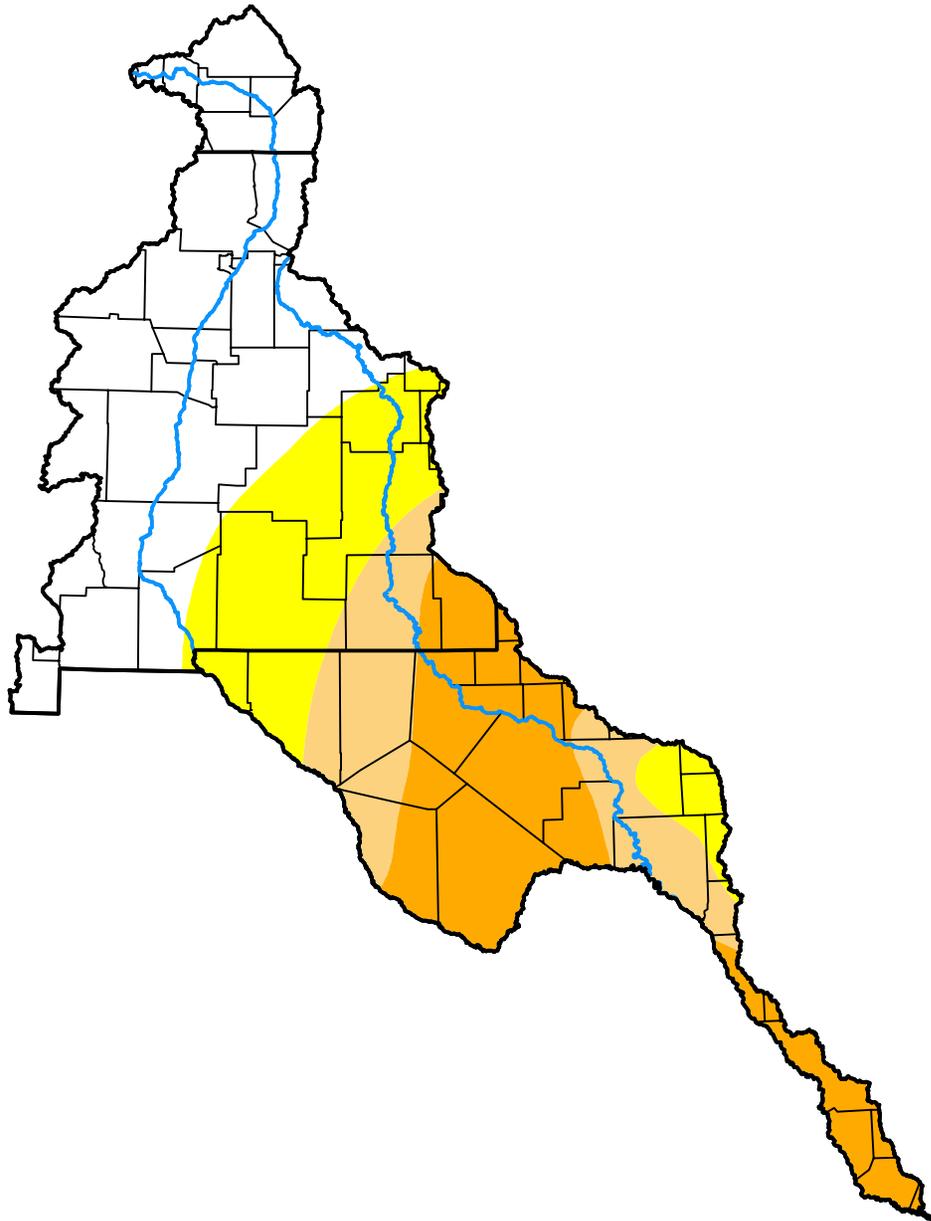


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**August 28, 2001**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	42.15	57.85	37.63	22.66	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-23-2001</i>	48.50	51.50	42.51	24.51	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-31-2001</i>	62.98	37.02	11.30	0.59	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2001</i>	37.71	62.29	16.43	0.36	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2000</i>	17.42	82.58	62.01	39.43	16.70	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-31-2000</i>	20.86	79.14	39.88	21.95	8.89	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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