

U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	17.08	33.04	40.20	4.32	5.37	0.00
Last Week <i>04-03-2003</i>	17.14	33.33	39.29	4.53	5.71	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-09-2003</i>	15.26	22.69	52.58	3.00	6.46	0.01
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	15.61	23.40	51.47	3.42	6.08	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	1.37	7.82	64.13	19.65	2.22	4.81
One Year Ago <i>04-11-2002</i>	0.04	5.85	18.36	68.35	7.41	0.00

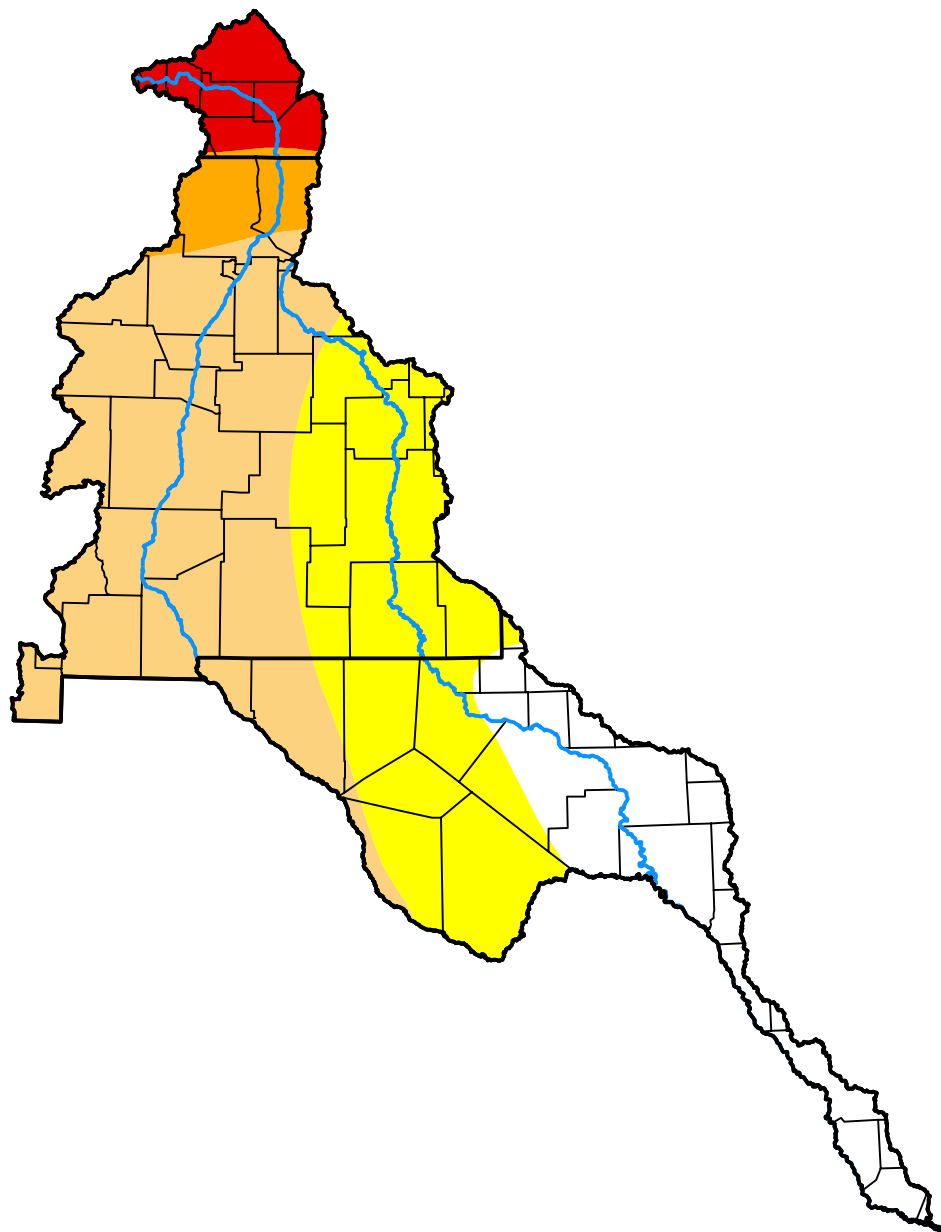
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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