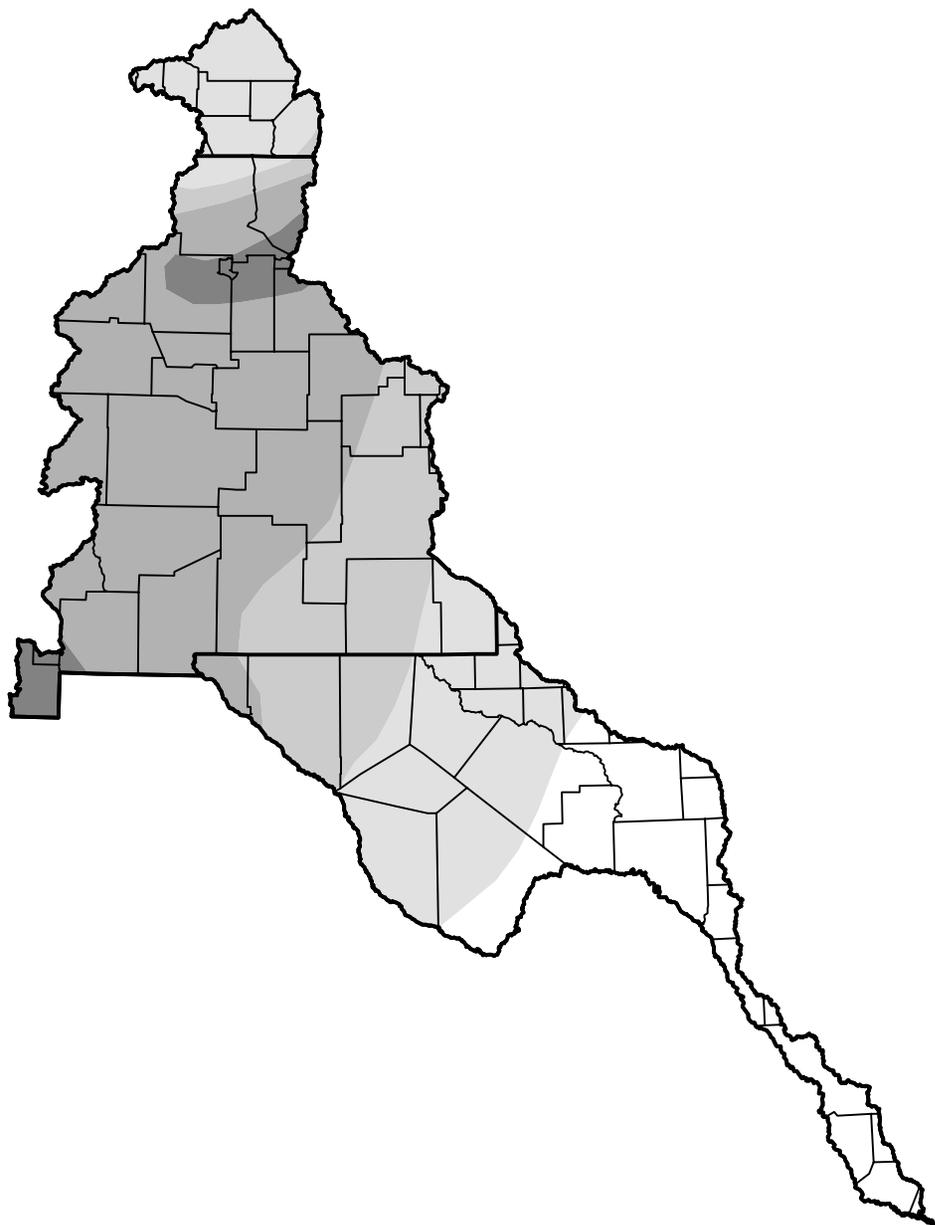


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**July 20, 2004**  
 (Released Thursday, Jul. 22, 2004)

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	15.50	24.10	18.37	38.27	3.76	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-15-2004</i>	15.50	24.07	18.40	38.27	3.76	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-22-2004</i>	23.60	17.78	23.47	29.74	5.42	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	16.66	3.29	2.62	13.16	47.72	16.54
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2003</i>	11.45	4.76	5.77	18.86	59.17	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-24-2003</i>	9.00	3.14	26.16	42.00	19.69	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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