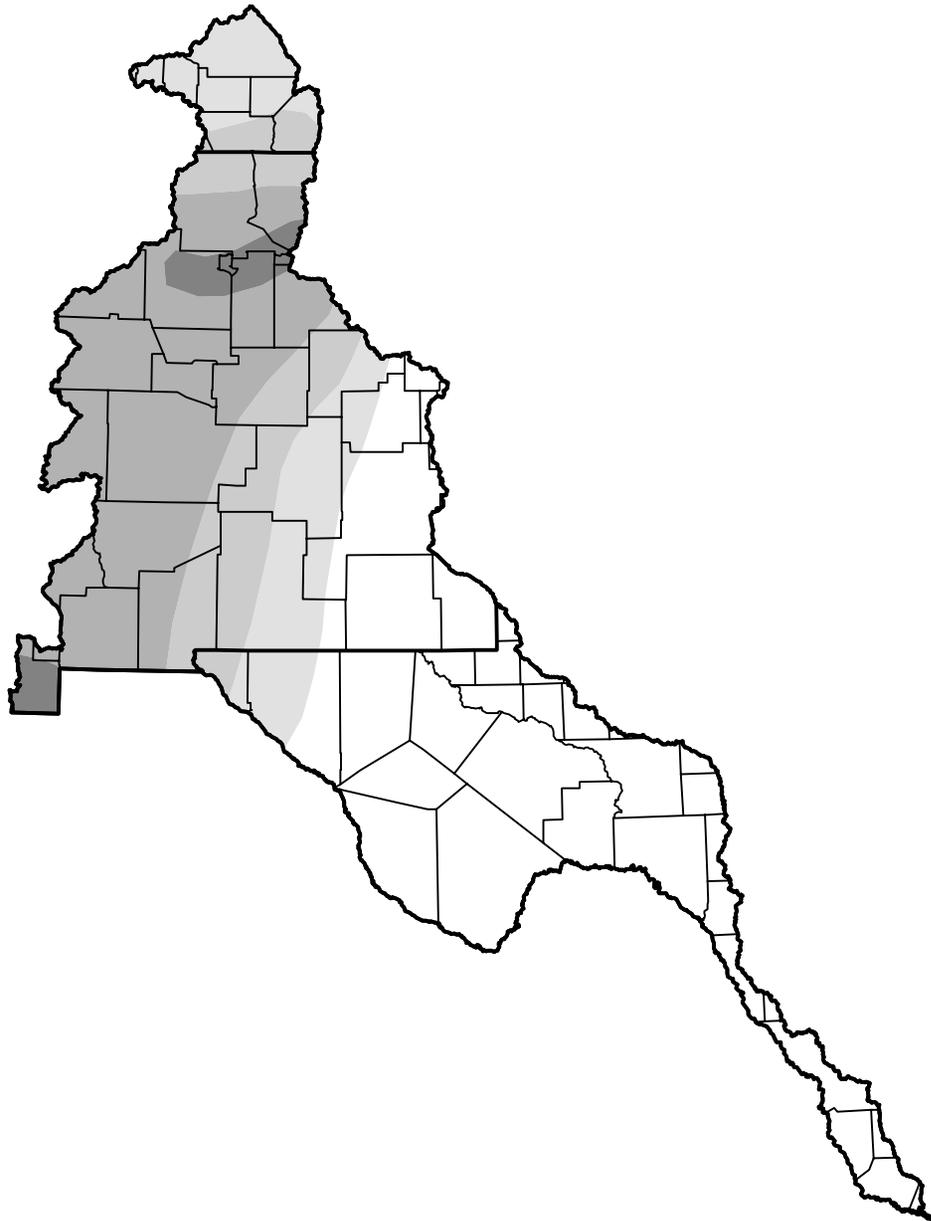


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	45.69	54.31	41.01	28.91	2.89	0.00
Last Week <i>09-30-2004</i>	40.50	59.50	41.01	28.91	2.89	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-08-2004</i>	15.41	84.59	63.61	31.41	5.78	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	16.66	83.34	80.05	77.42	64.26	16.54
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	40.50	59.50	41.01	28.91	2.89	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-09-2003</i>	11.42	88.58	83.83	78.25	58.89	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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