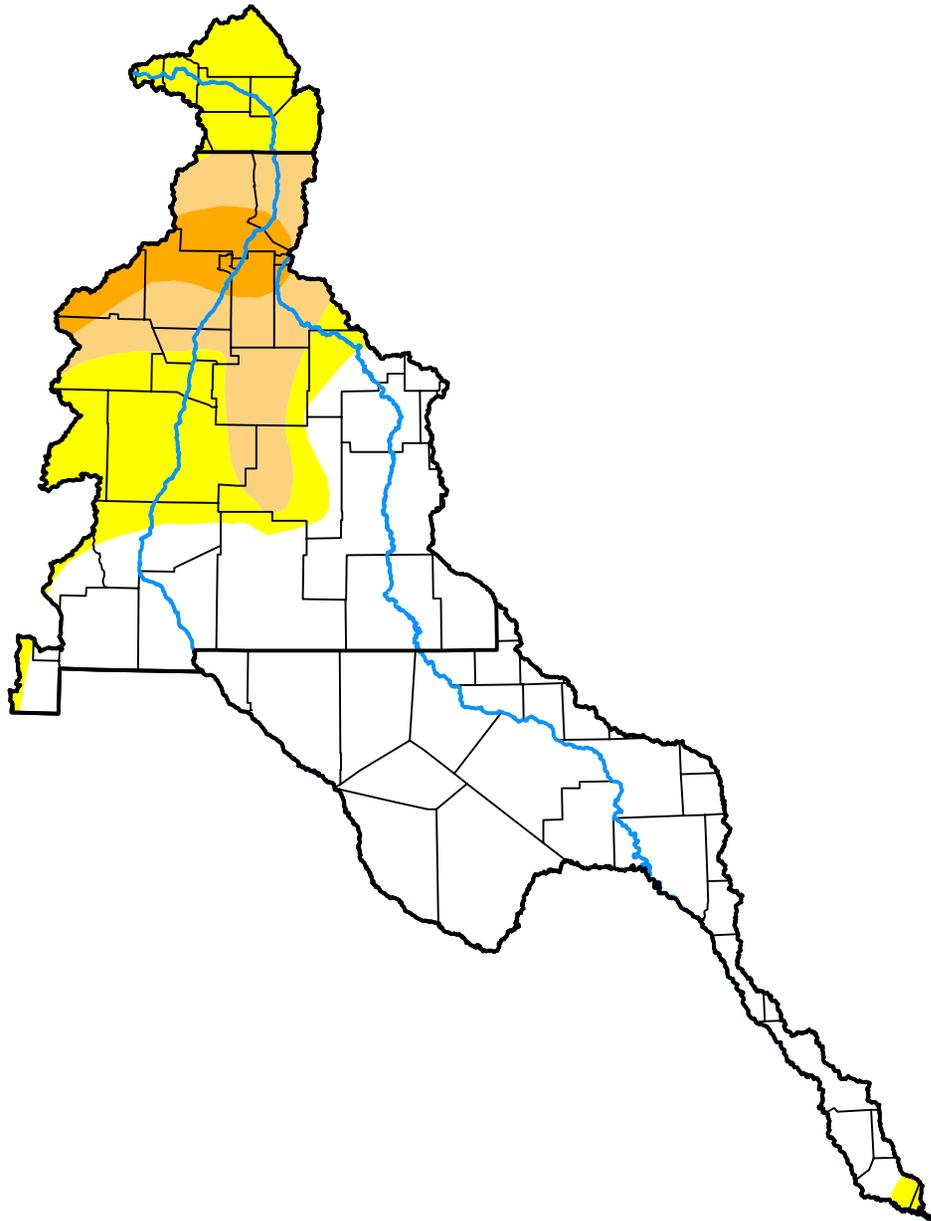


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	63.76	36.24	16.47	4.84	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-17-2005</i>	63.76	36.24	16.47	4.84	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-23-2004</i>	54.70	45.30	35.56	17.25	6.02	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	54.70	45.30	35.56	17.25	6.02	0.00
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>03-25-2004</i>	16.19	83.81	75.44	67.48	49.64	24.39

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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