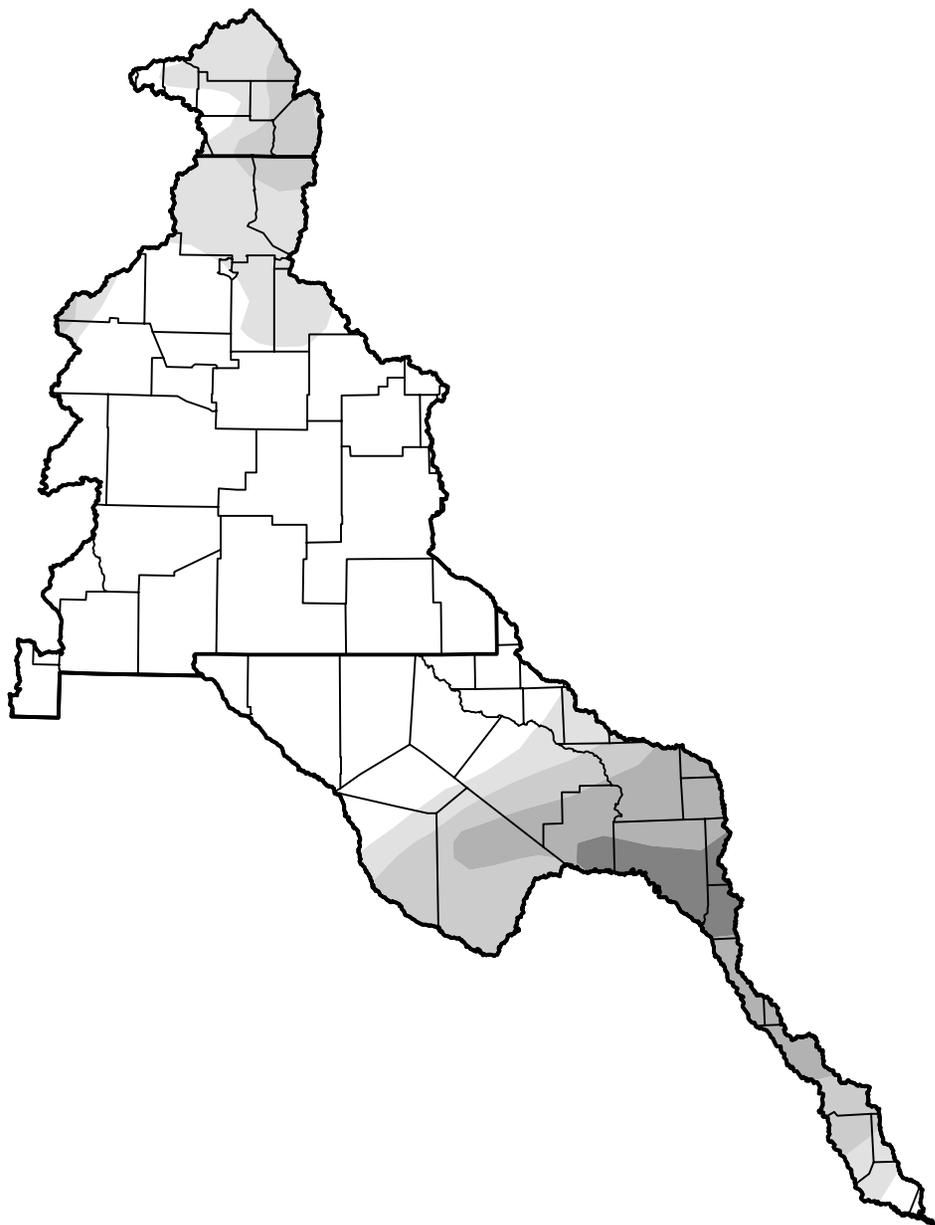


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	65.45	34.55	20.94	10.53	2.88	0.00
Last Week <i>10-19-2006</i>	65.45	34.55	20.94	10.53	2.88	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-27-2006</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	72.04	28.71	2.34
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	23.03	76.97	12.30	3.54	0.39	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	58.51	41.49	23.98	13.63	0.89	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-26-2005</i>	49.44	50.56	10.06	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



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