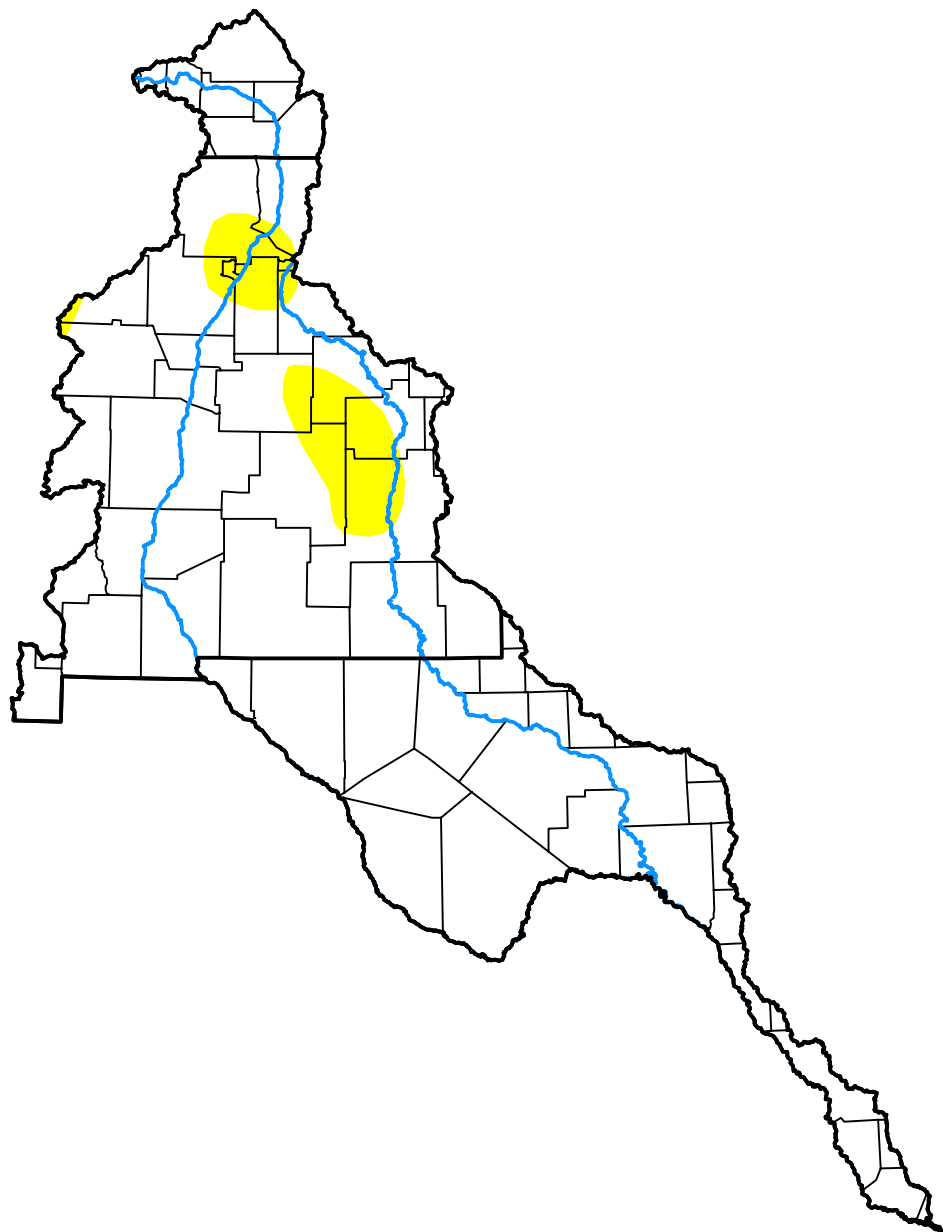


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	92.49	7.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-16-2007</i>	95.92	4.08	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-24-2007</i>	90.05	9.95	0.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	36.82	63.18	24.78	13.61	8.62	2.15
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>08-24-2006</i>	20.80	79.20	50.80	26.88	17.61	2.14

Intensity:

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