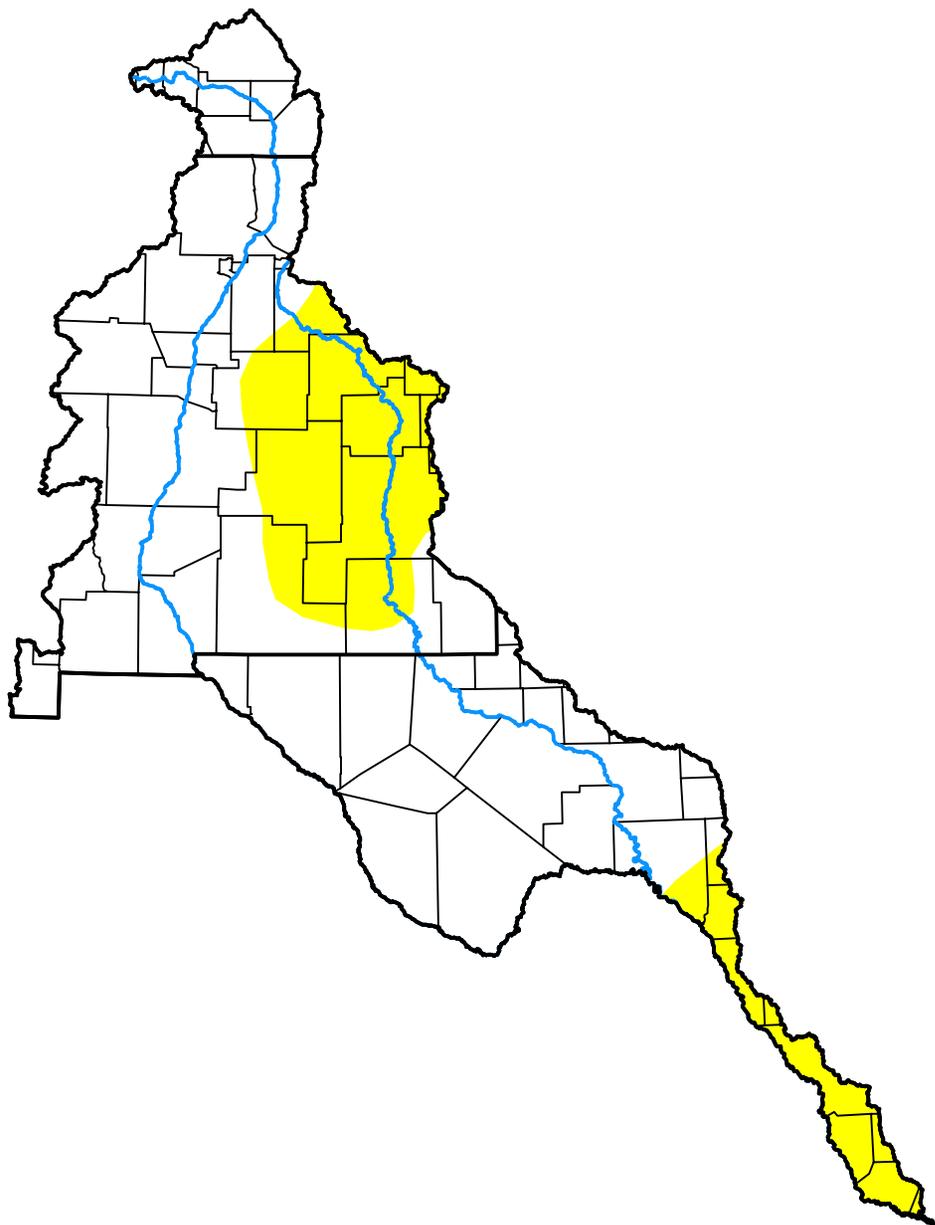


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	76.82	23.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-13-2007</i>	51.93	48.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-20-2007</i>	96.94	3.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	36.82	38.40	11.17	4.99	6.47	2.15
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	98.19	1.81	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-21-2006</i>	30.62	44.60	11.17	4.99	6.47	2.15

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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