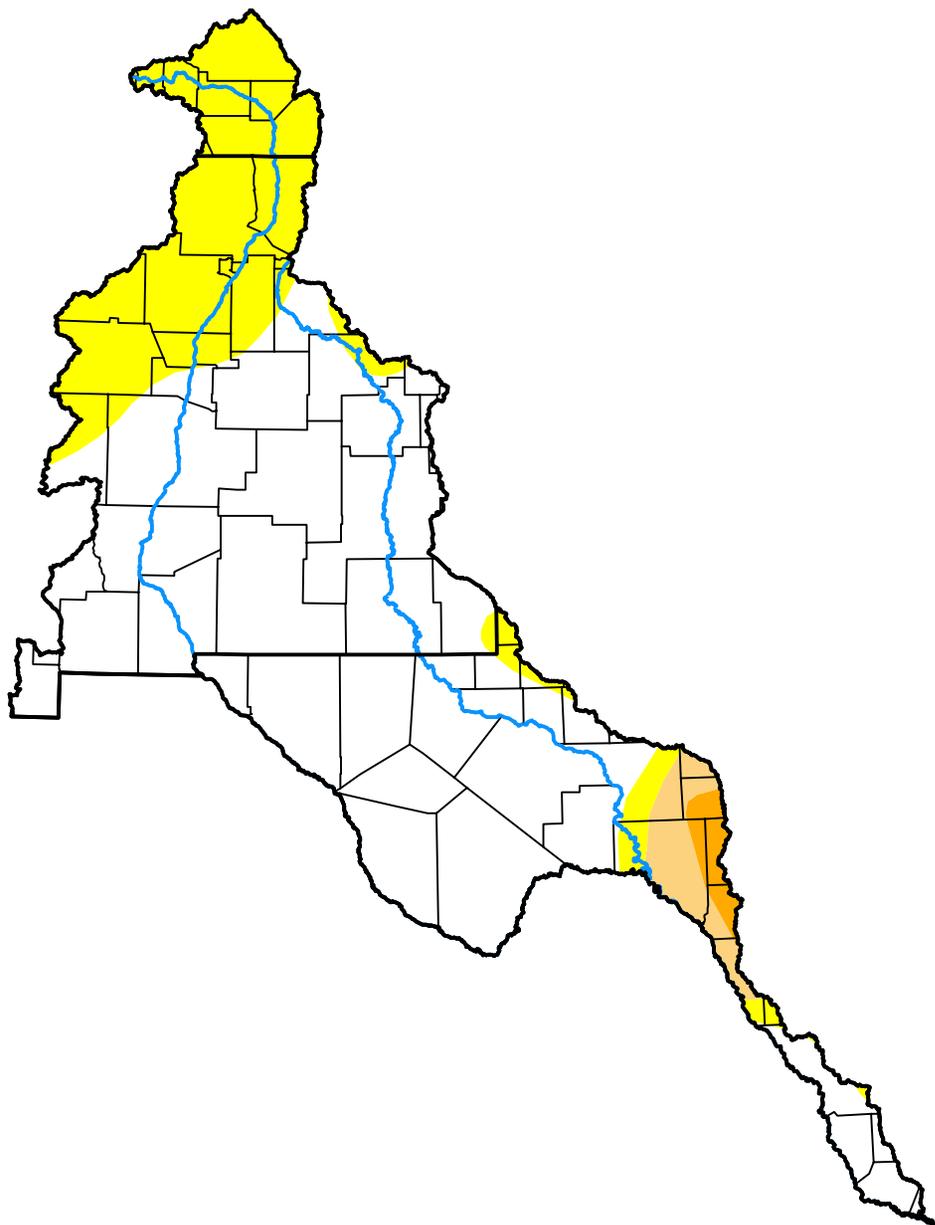


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	72.42	23.00	3.21	1.37	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-13-2008</i>	80.99	14.44	3.21	1.37	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-21-2008</i>	53.27	37.10	5.33	3.41	0.89	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	64.81	31.83	3.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	77.02	20.26	2.25	0.47	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-21-2007</i>	78.80	21.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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