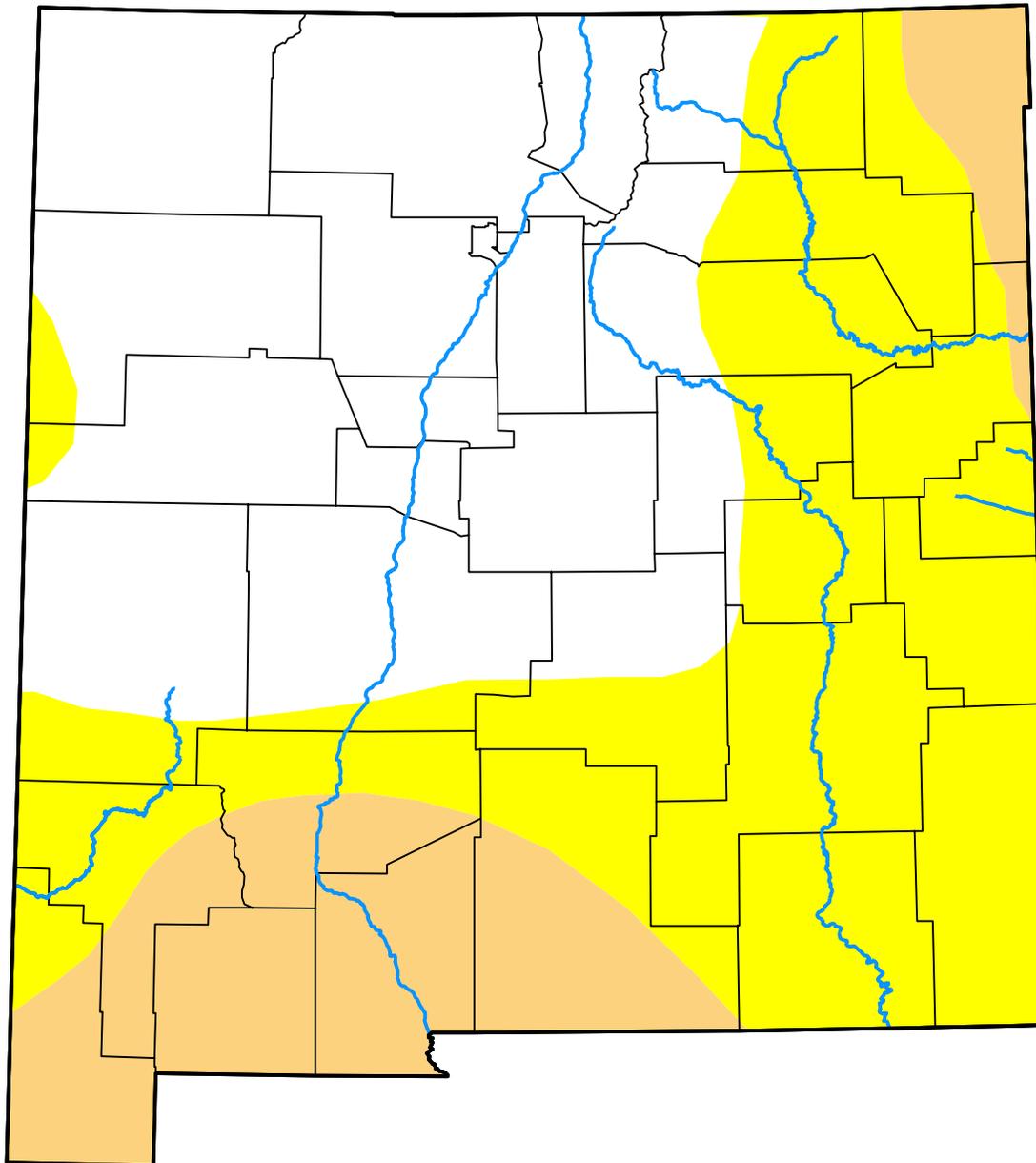


# U.S. Drought Monitor New Mexico

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	44.45	55.55	16.48	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-12-2009</i>	44.45	55.55	16.48	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-18-2008</i>	60.56	39.44	1.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	68.74	31.26	1.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	70.65	29.35	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-20-2008</i>	40.77	59.23	23.74	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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