

# U.S. Drought Monitor

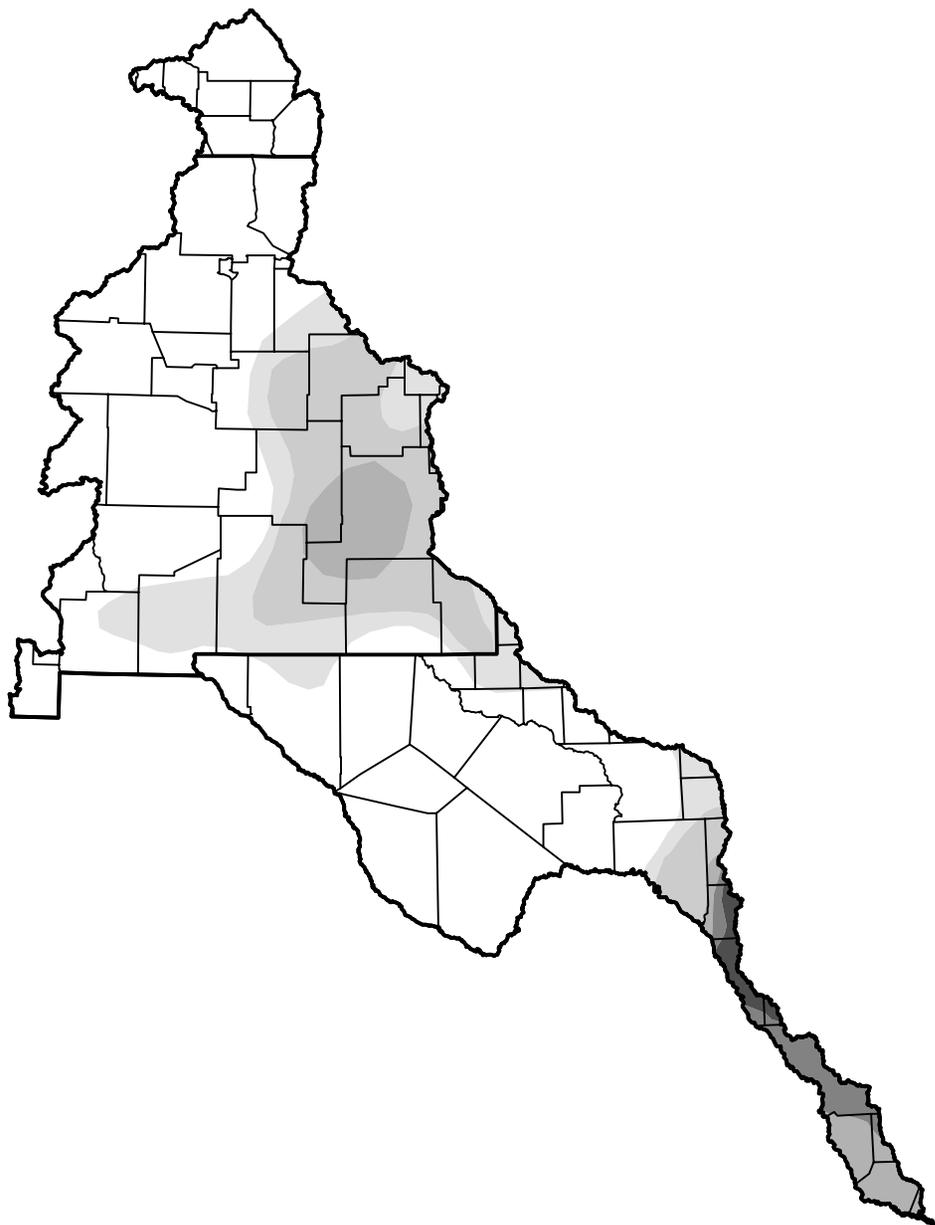
## Rio Grande Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	65.84	34.16	21.53	8.12	2.59	0.80
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-09-2009</i>	65.84	34.16	21.53	6.48	1.22	0.23
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-16-2009</i>	30.26	69.74	49.96	24.50	4.19	0.19
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	71.45	28.55	4.74	1.37	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	77.02	22.98	2.72	0.47	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-17-2008</i>	7.03	92.97	66.03	34.36	0.97	0.00



***Intensity:***



*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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