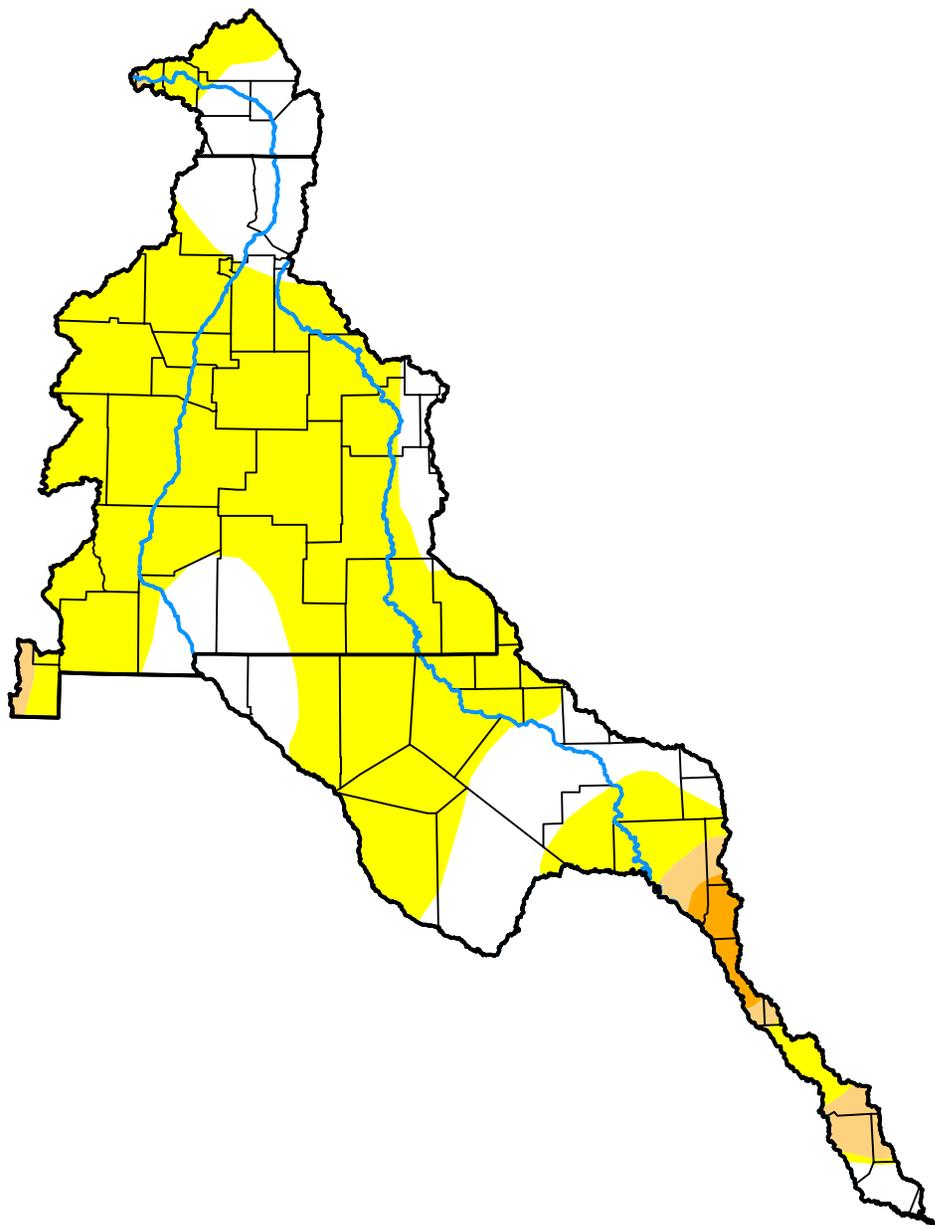


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	27.98	67.85	2.85	1.33	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-07-2010</i>	51.32	44.52	2.83	1.33	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-15-2009</i>	76.69	18.44	2.73	2.05	0.09	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2009</i>	51.32	44.52	2.83	1.33	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i>	76.80	18.37	2.37	2.24	0.22	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-15-2009</i>	77.62	16.34	3.23	1.46	1.36	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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