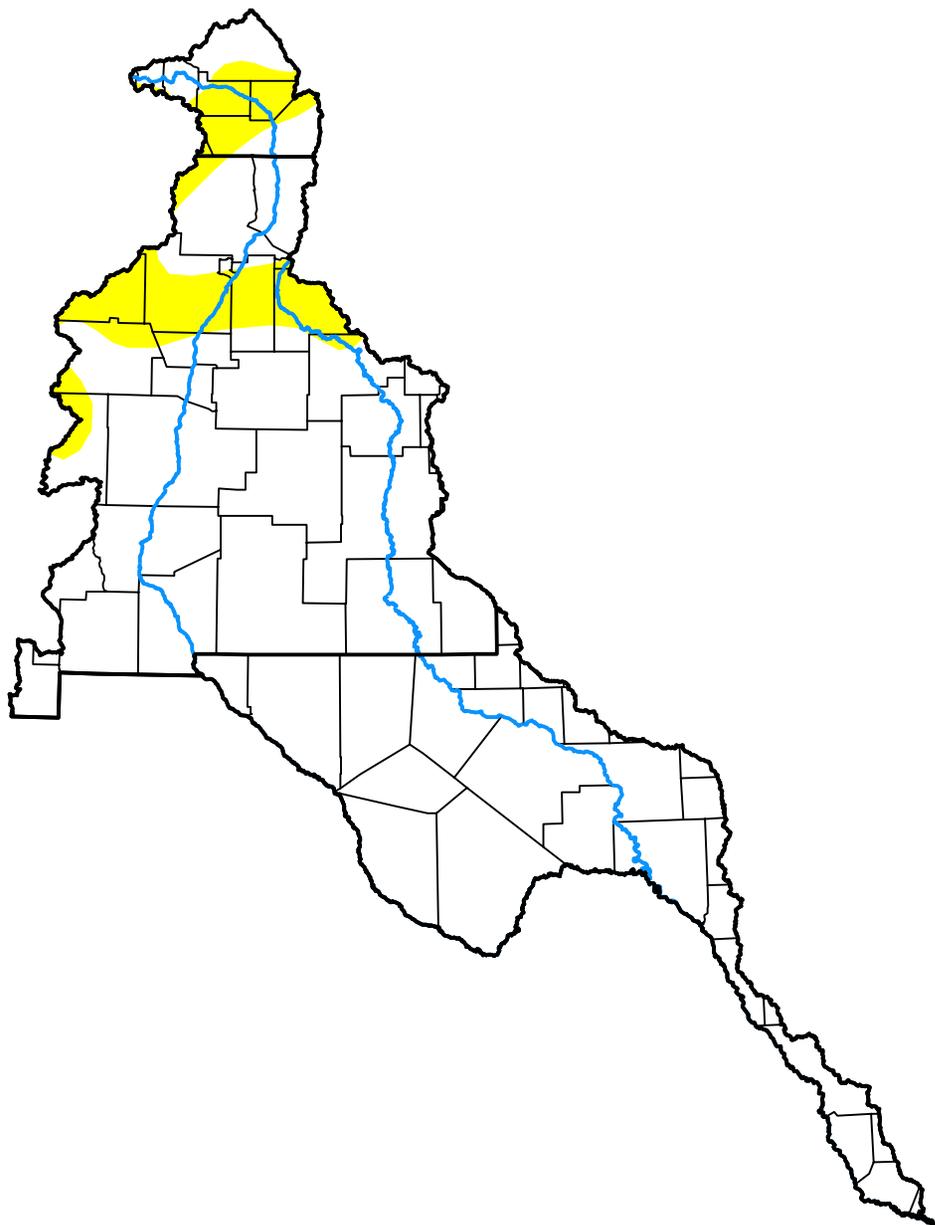


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**August 3, 2010**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	90.01	9.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-29-2010</i>	79.55	20.45	5.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-06-2010</i>	87.23	12.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2009</i>	51.32	48.68	4.15	1.33	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2009</i>	76.80	23.20	4.83	2.46	0.22	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-06-2009</i>	70.88	29.12	14.11	5.29	4.92	1.16

***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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