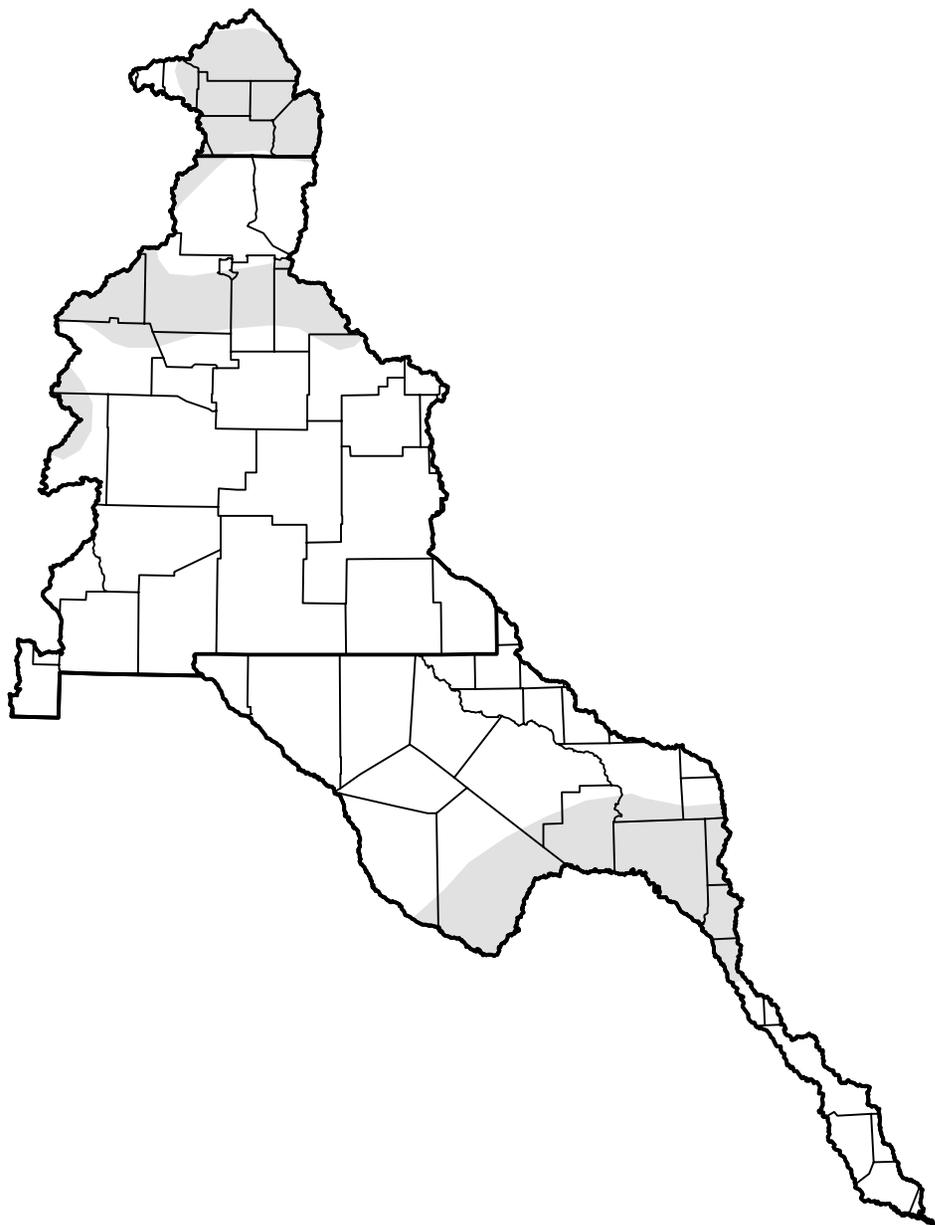


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**September 7, 2010**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1   | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 78.29 | 21.71 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-02-2010</i>              | 80.01 | 19.27 | 0.72 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-10-2010</i>           | 90.15 | 9.85  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2009</i> | 51.32 | 44.52 | 2.83 | 1.33 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2009</i>    | 76.80 | 18.37 | 2.37 | 2.24 | 0.22 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-10-2009</i>           | 63.52 | 22.37 | 8.82 | 2.15 | 1.98 | 1.16 |

***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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