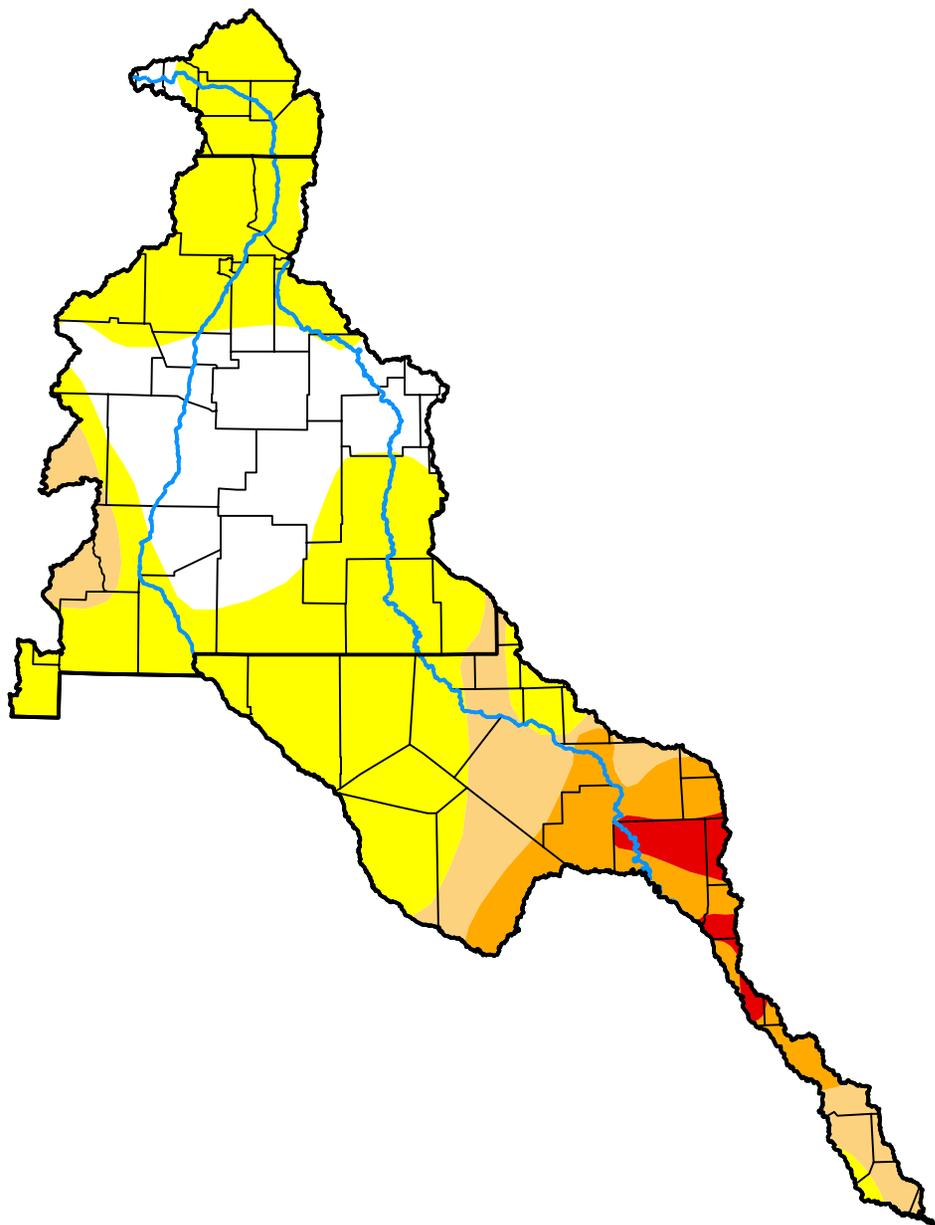


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**December 7, 2010**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 9, 2010)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	23.62	52.20	12.88	8.86	2.44	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-01-2010</i>	50.74	29.83	10.19	8.99	0.26	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-09-2010</i>	78.29	21.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2009</i>	51.32	44.52	2.83	1.33	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2010</i>	73.47	26.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-10-2009</i>	53.41	42.12	1.82	2.10	0.56	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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