

# U.S. Drought Monitor

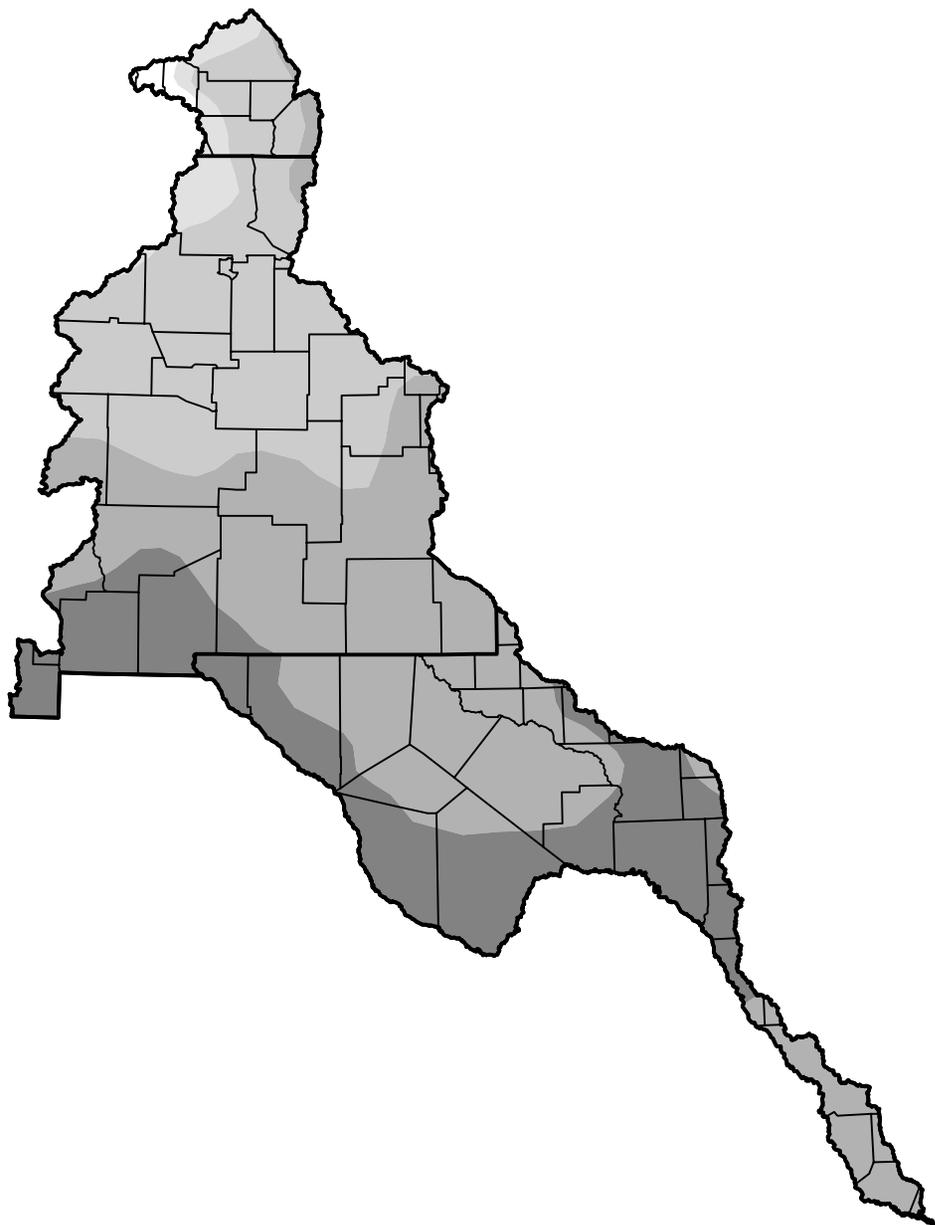
## Rio Grande Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.56	2.69	27.92	43.27	25.56	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-17-2011</i>	2.05	5.19	33.83	44.26	14.67	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-23-2010</i>	0.51	30.33	56.21	10.26	2.69	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2011</i>	1.99	28.63	55.19	11.51	2.69	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>03-25-2010</i>	80.59	19.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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