

U.S. Drought Monitor

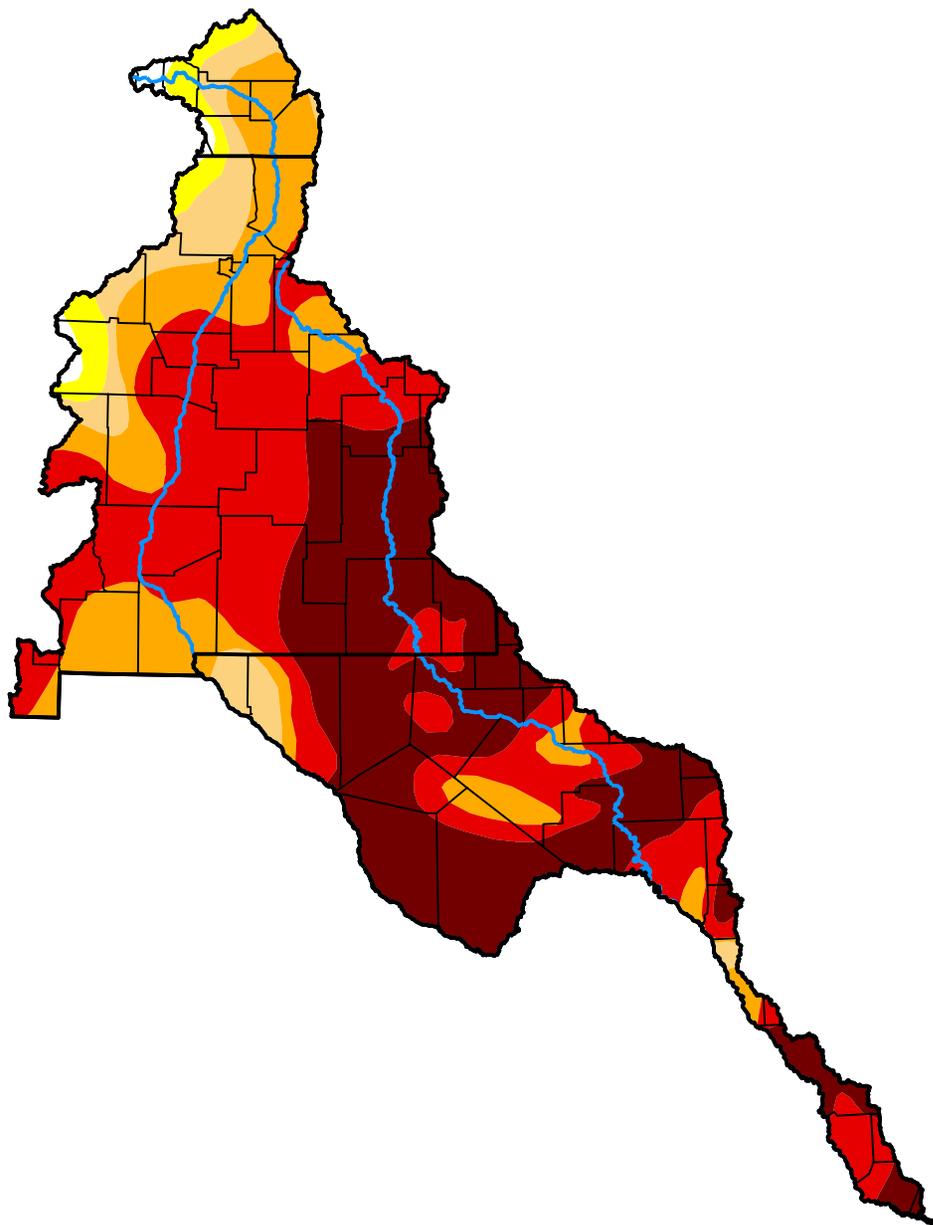
Rio Grande Watershed

December 6, 2011
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.80	99.20	96.12	89.21	69.82	34.21
Last Week <i>12-01-2011</i>	0.30	99.70	97.42	92.06	73.74	34.98
3 Months Ago <i>09-08-2011</i>	0.09	99.91	99.21	95.46	82.66	50.31
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i>	1.99	98.01	69.39	14.20	2.69	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	0.07	99.93	99.15	95.43	81.64	51.27
One Year Ago <i>12-09-2010</i>	23.62	76.38	24.18	11.30	2.44	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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