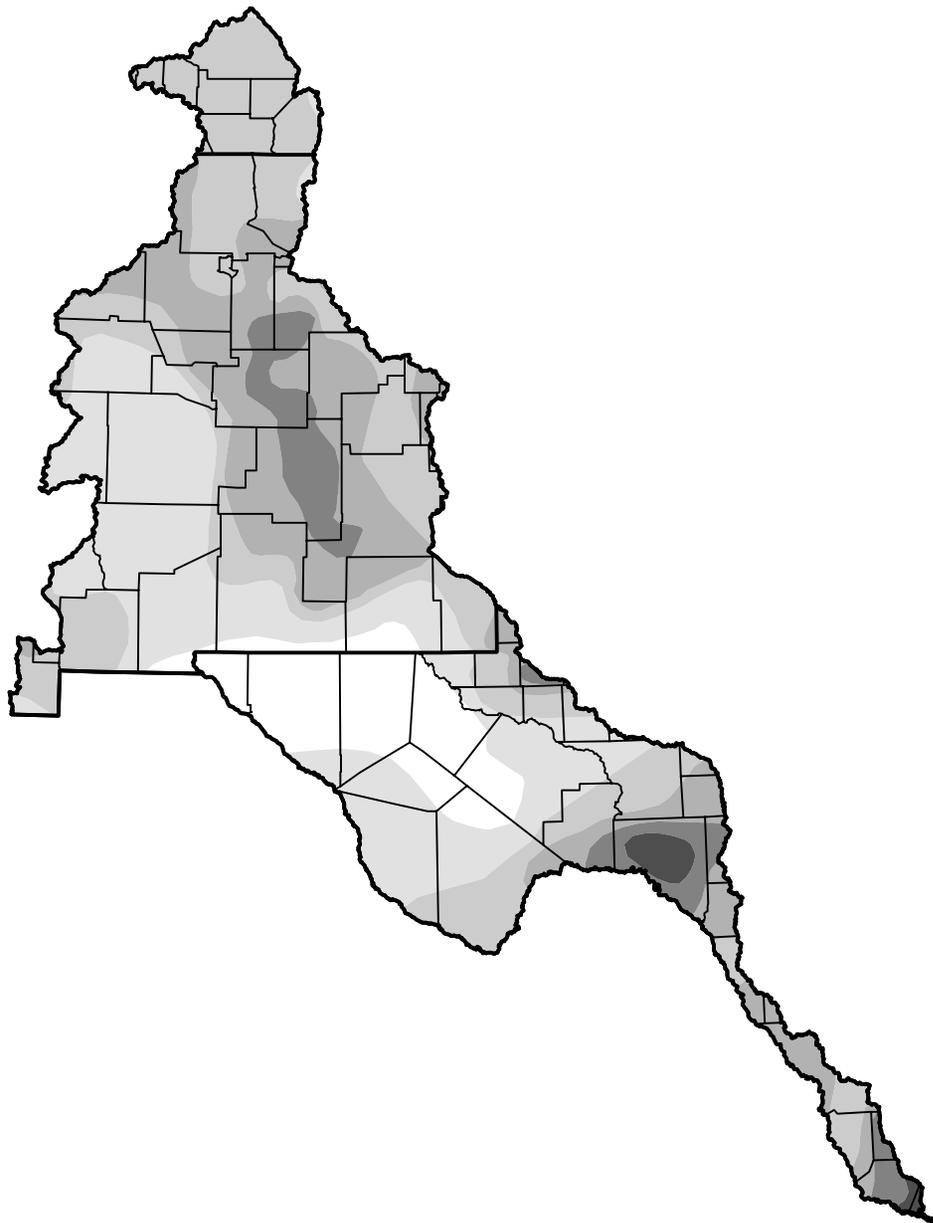


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**September 17, 2013**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	12.11	87.89	59.06	29.77	7.88	1.12
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-12-2013</i>	8.61	91.39	76.32	54.76	26.07	6.62
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-20-2013</i>	0.00	100.00	90.80	76.33	53.46	29.73
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2013</i>	3.23	96.77	84.72	75.83	13.36	1.29
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2012</i>	1.09	98.91	87.07	54.06	9.98	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-20-2012</i>	1.09	98.91	86.93	53.94	8.32	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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