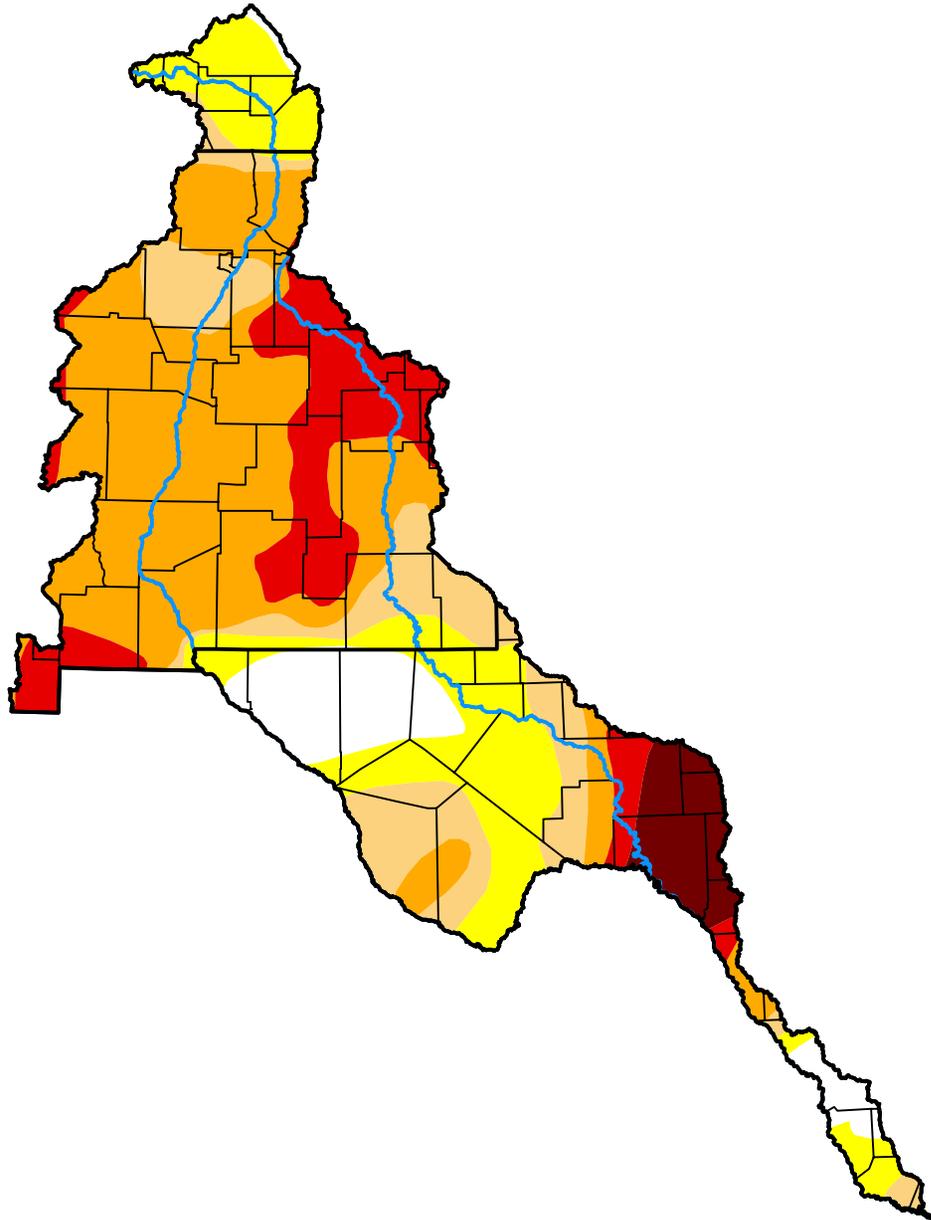


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**May 20, 2014**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	8.63	18.97	16.44	36.95	14.16	4.84
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-15-2014</i>	8.41	18.98	17.18	37.10	15.60	2.73
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-20-2014</i>	14.89	21.56	37.67	18.96	6.91	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	14.11	38.35	29.16	15.19	3.18	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2013</i>	12.01	33.22	33.95	17.92	2.86	0.04
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-23-2013</i>	0.00	5.02	14.41	28.17	21.25	31.15

***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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