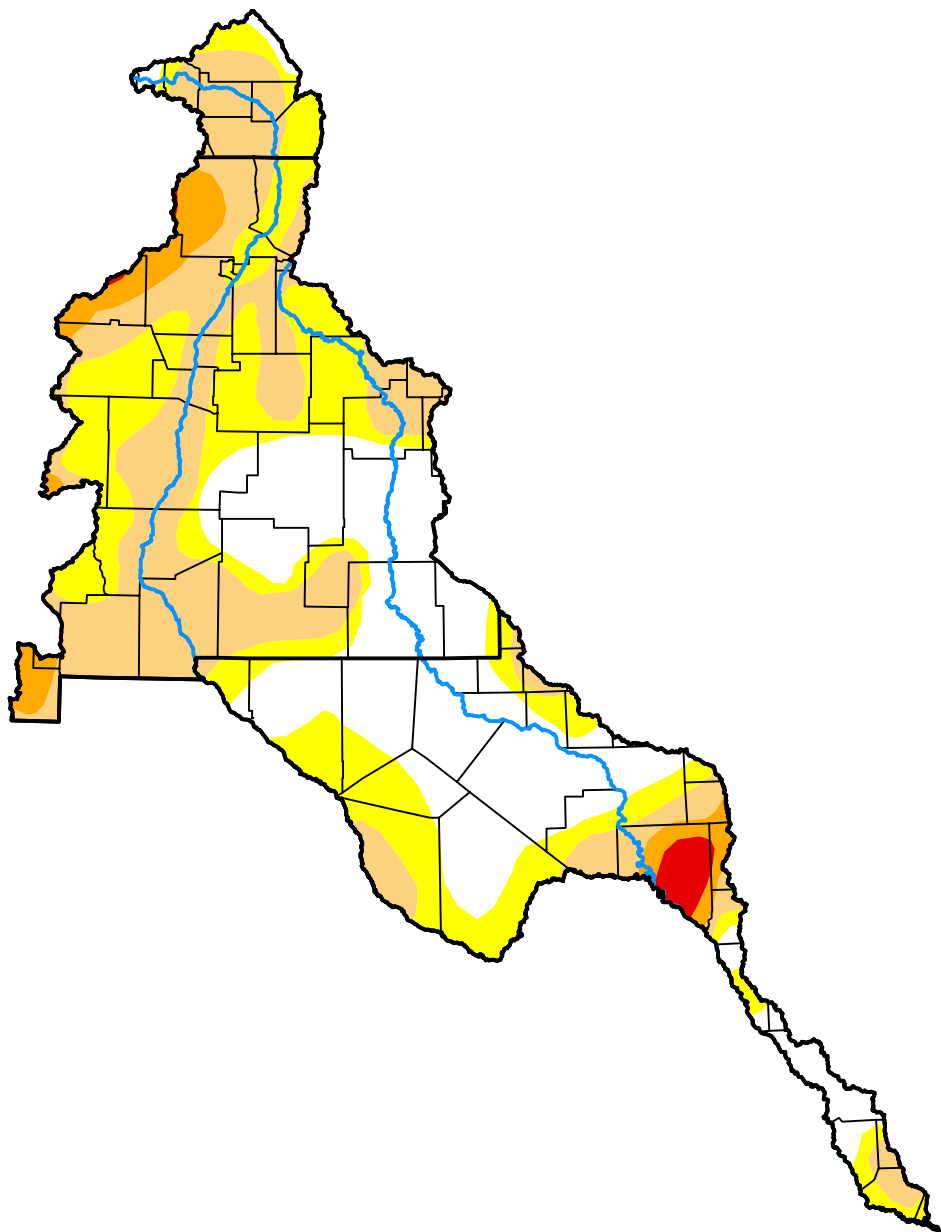


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	33.29	66.71	36.99	5.95	1.27	0.00
Last Week <i>09-18-2014</i>	14.53	85.47	41.72	13.79	1.74	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-26-2014</i>	2.68	97.32	78.67	47.56	12.65	0.38
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2014</i>	14.11	85.89	47.53	18.37	3.18	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2013</i>	12.01	87.99	54.77	20.82	2.90	0.04
One Year Ago <i>09-26-2013</i>	14.06	85.94	53.67	23.59	3.28	0.10

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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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