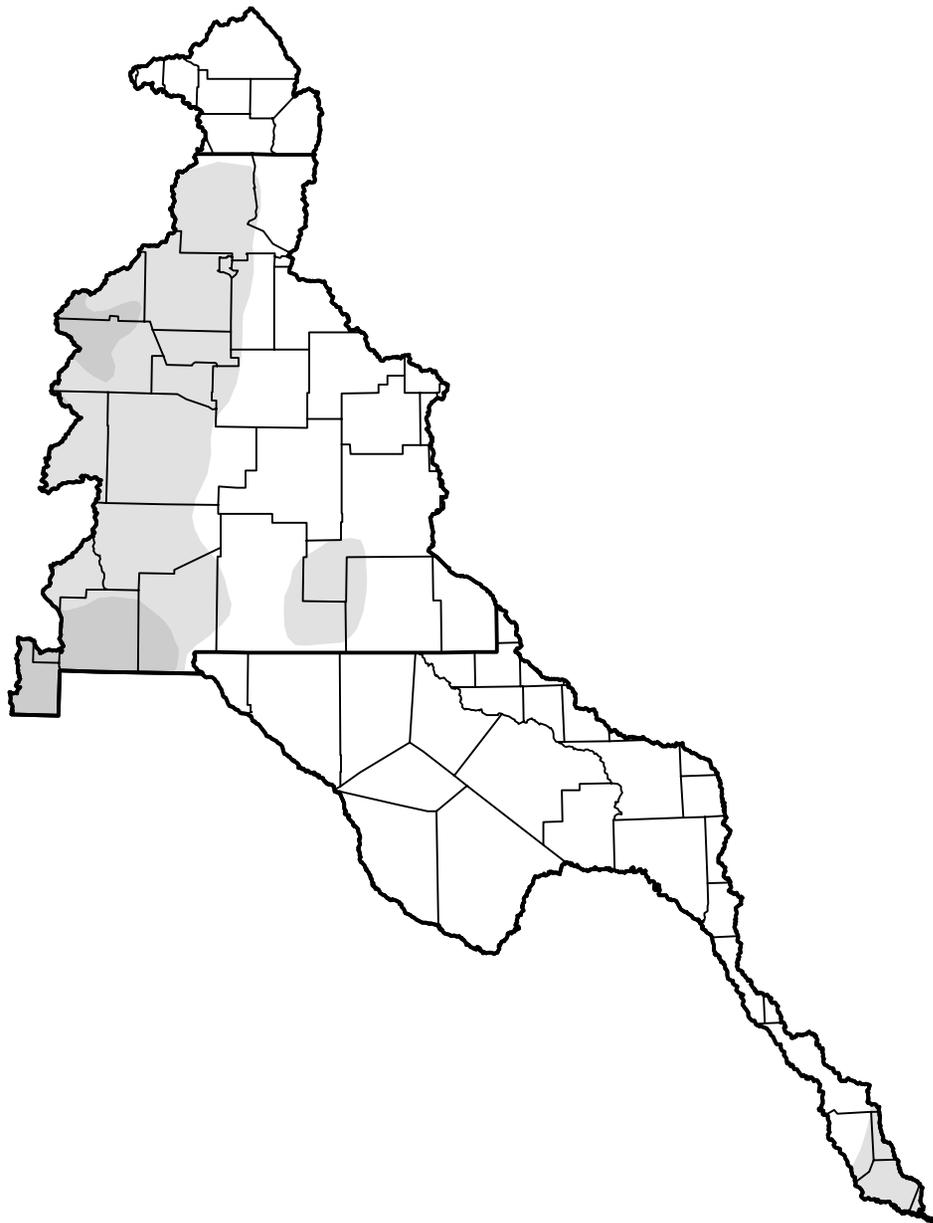


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**August 11, 2015**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	69.49	25.05	5.46	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-06-2015</i>	70.82	23.72	5.46	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-14-2015</i>	51.03	19.64	25.59	3.75	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2014</i>	37.70	26.55	31.24	4.03	0.48	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2014</i>	38.89	26.32	29.02	5.68	0.09	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-14-2014</i>	6.15	45.86	31.12	15.05	1.82	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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