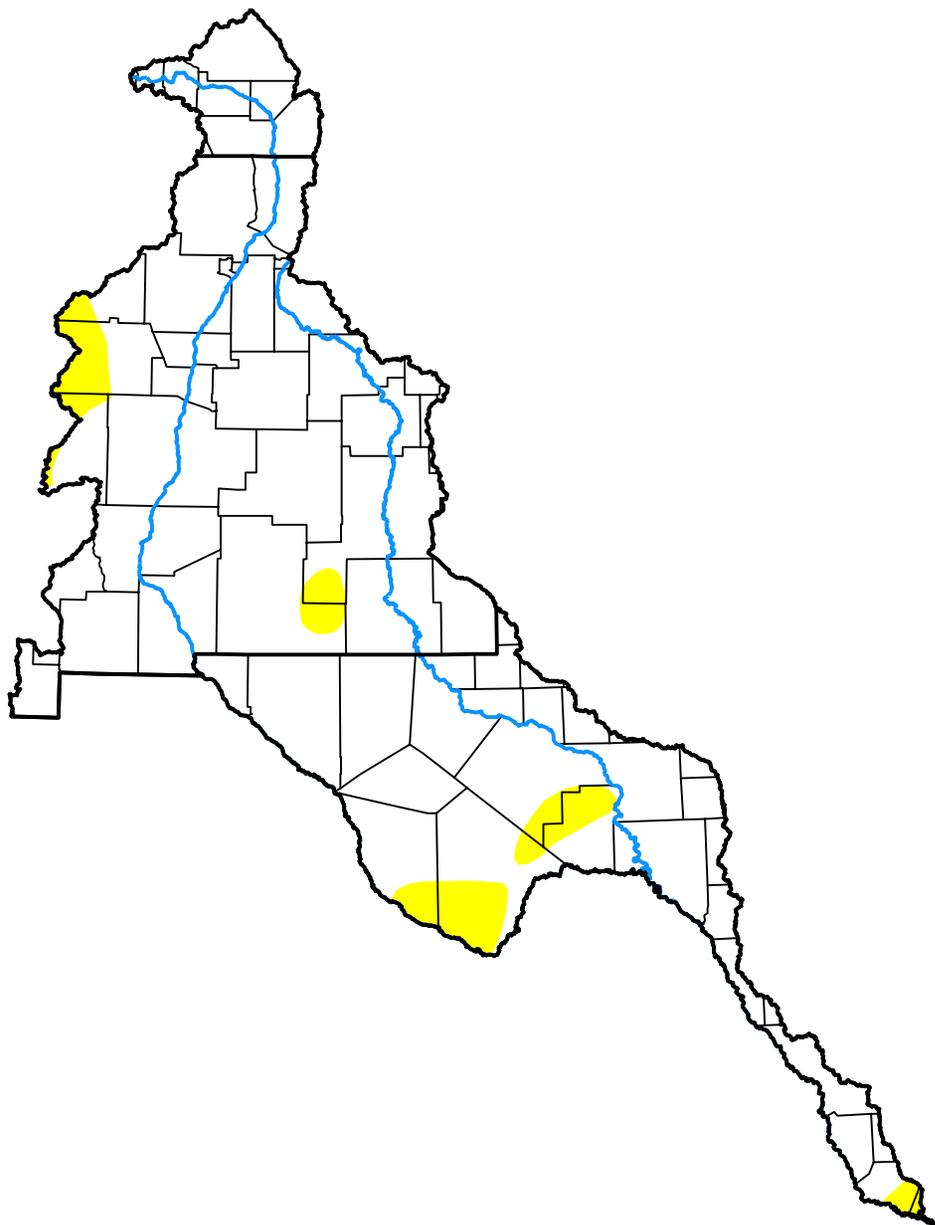


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**February 2, 2016**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	93.47	6.53	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-28-2016</i>	93.53	6.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-05-2015</i>	87.45	12.55	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2015</i>	85.78	14.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2015</i>	59.44	40.56	4.92	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-05-2015</i>	40.31	59.69	33.98	4.36	0.48	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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