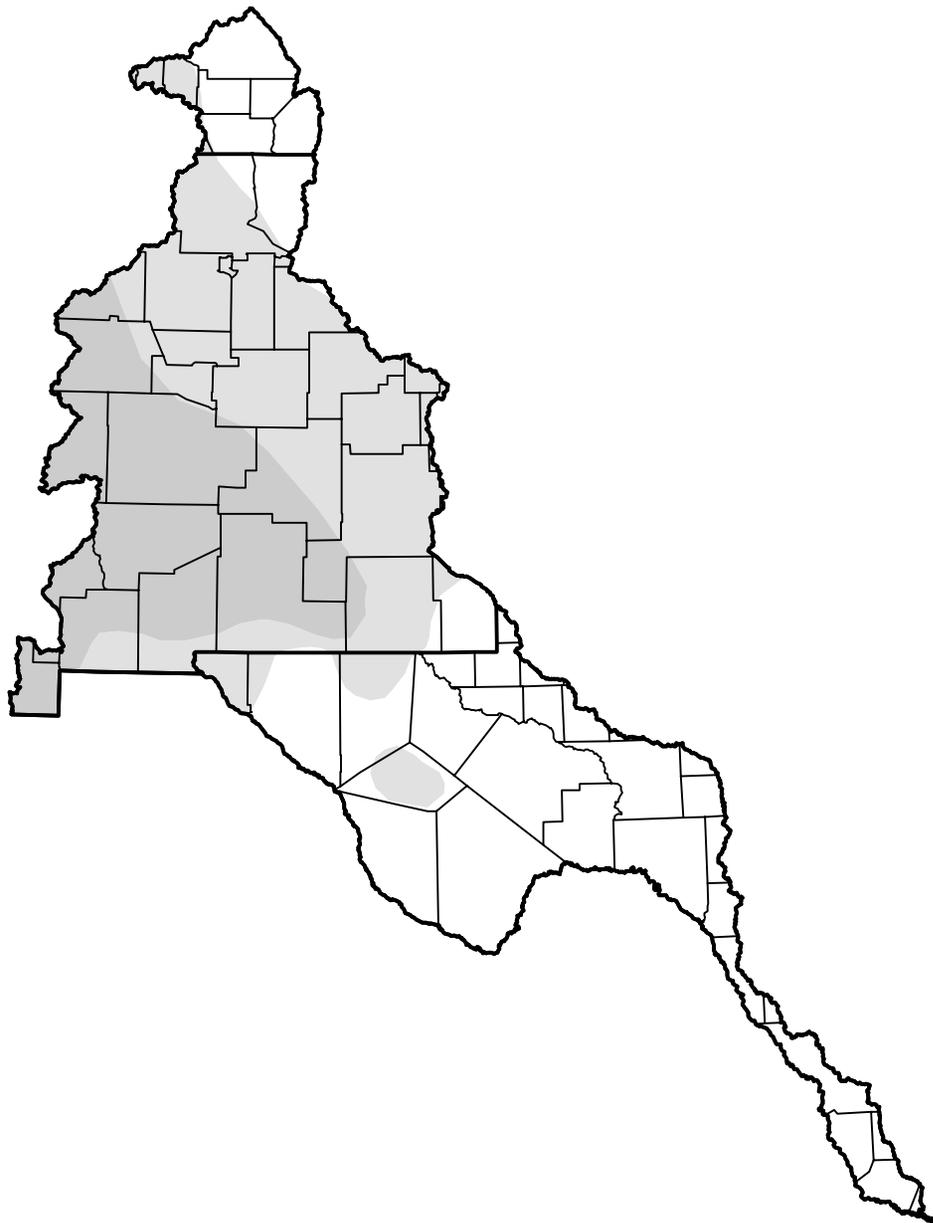


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**May 17, 2016**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	42.63	32.55	24.82	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-12-2016</i>	33.45	41.73	24.82	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-18-2016</i>	88.11	11.71	0.18	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	35.64	4.92	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-21-2015</i>	56.22	21.29	21.71	0.78	0.00	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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