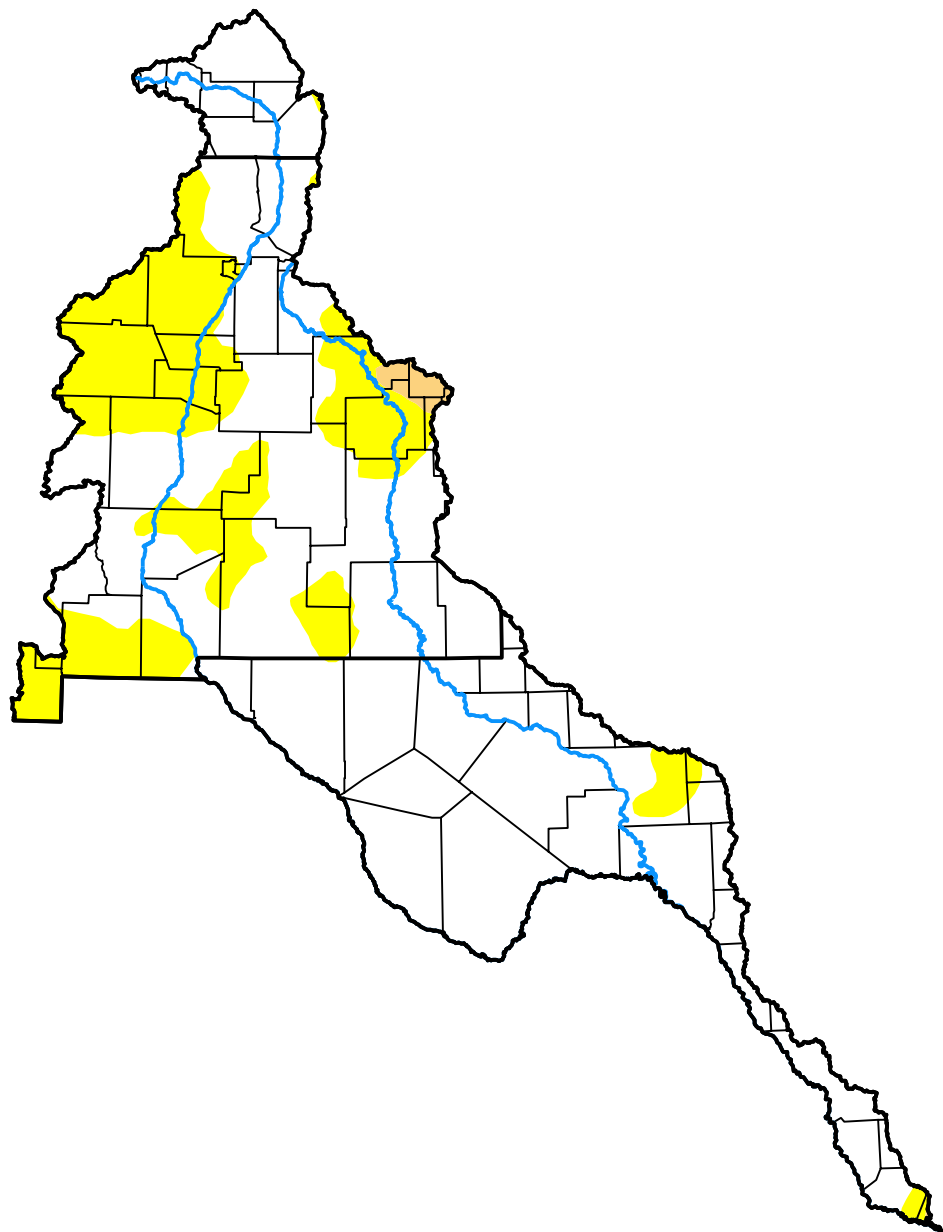


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	74.68	24.45	0.85	0.02	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-15-2016</i>	75.80	23.35	0.83	0.02	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-23-2016</i>	44.77	50.17	5.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	85.78	14.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	59.44	35.64	4.92	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-24-2015</i>	57.79	40.42	1.79	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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