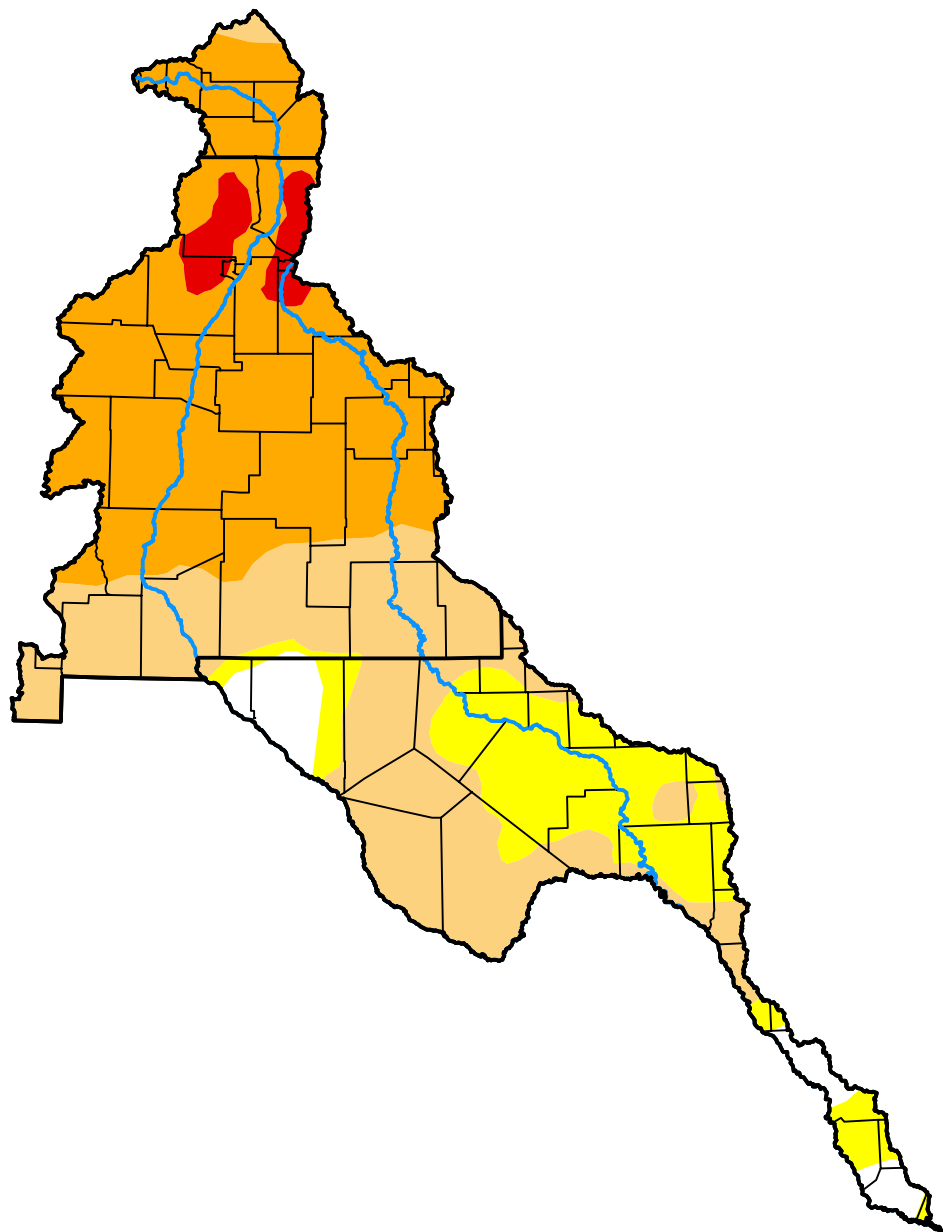


U.S. Drought Monitor

Rio Grande Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	4.46	16.54	34.11	41.79	3.10	0.00
Last Week <i>02-22-2018</i>	3.51	14.55	36.97	41.88	3.10	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-30-2017</i>	50.84	37.21	11.85	0.10	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2018</i>	29.65	46.78	23.32	0.24	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	90.47	8.07	1.45	0.02	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-02-2017</i>	89.52	8.96	1.52	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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