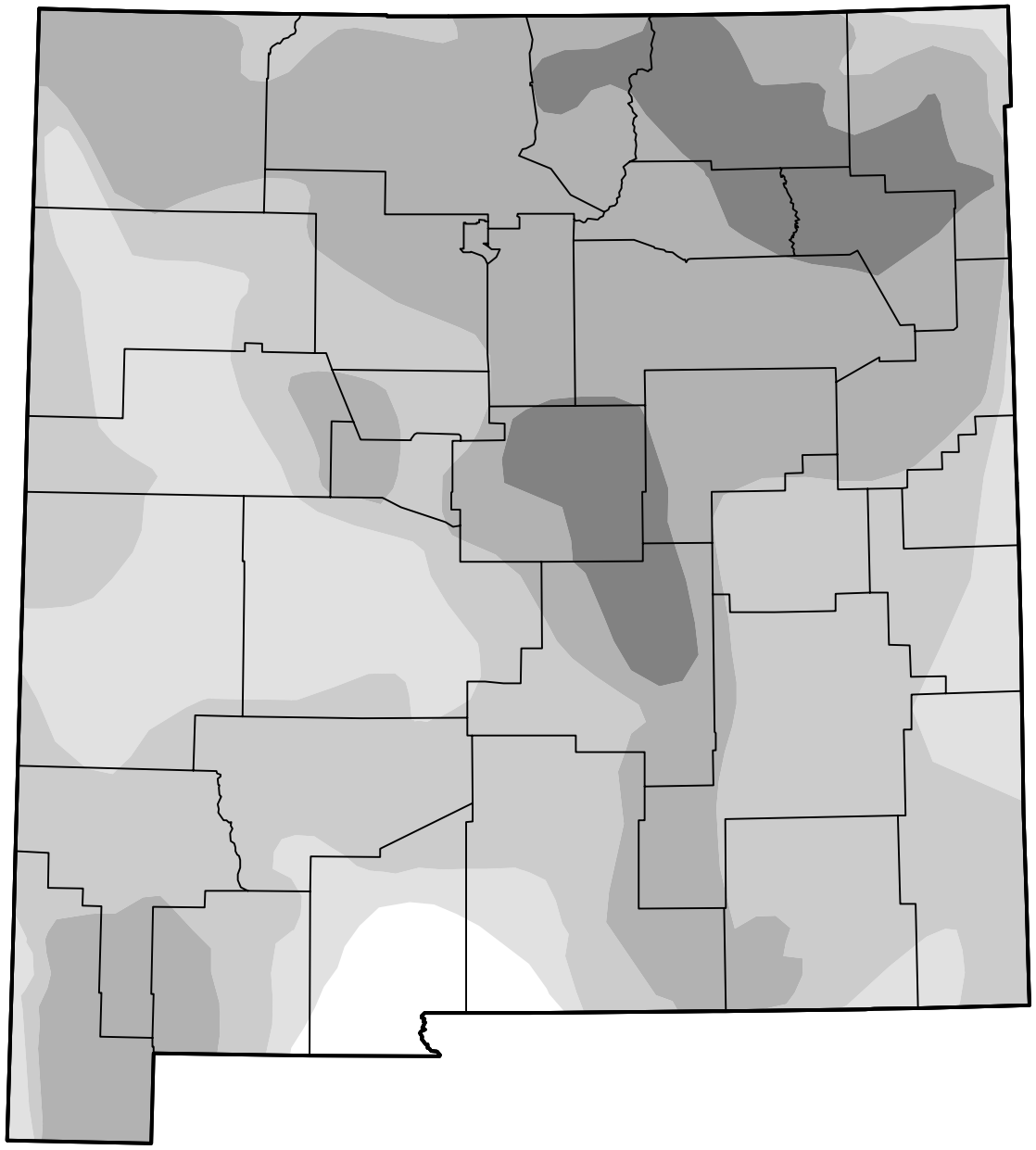
U.S. Drought Monitor
New Mexico



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	2.37	17.63	36.78	34.91	8.30	0.00
Last Week *10-06-2026*	2.35	15.29	38.90	31.46	11.99	0.00
3 Months Ago *07-14-2026*	3.69	2.77	15.94	41.47	36.13	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	0.01	28.28	19.82	49.30	2.59	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-30-2025*	19.91	11.42	21.14	33.08	12.05	2.41
One Year Ago *10-14-2025*	19.19	12.46	22.16	35.83	9.77	0.60

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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