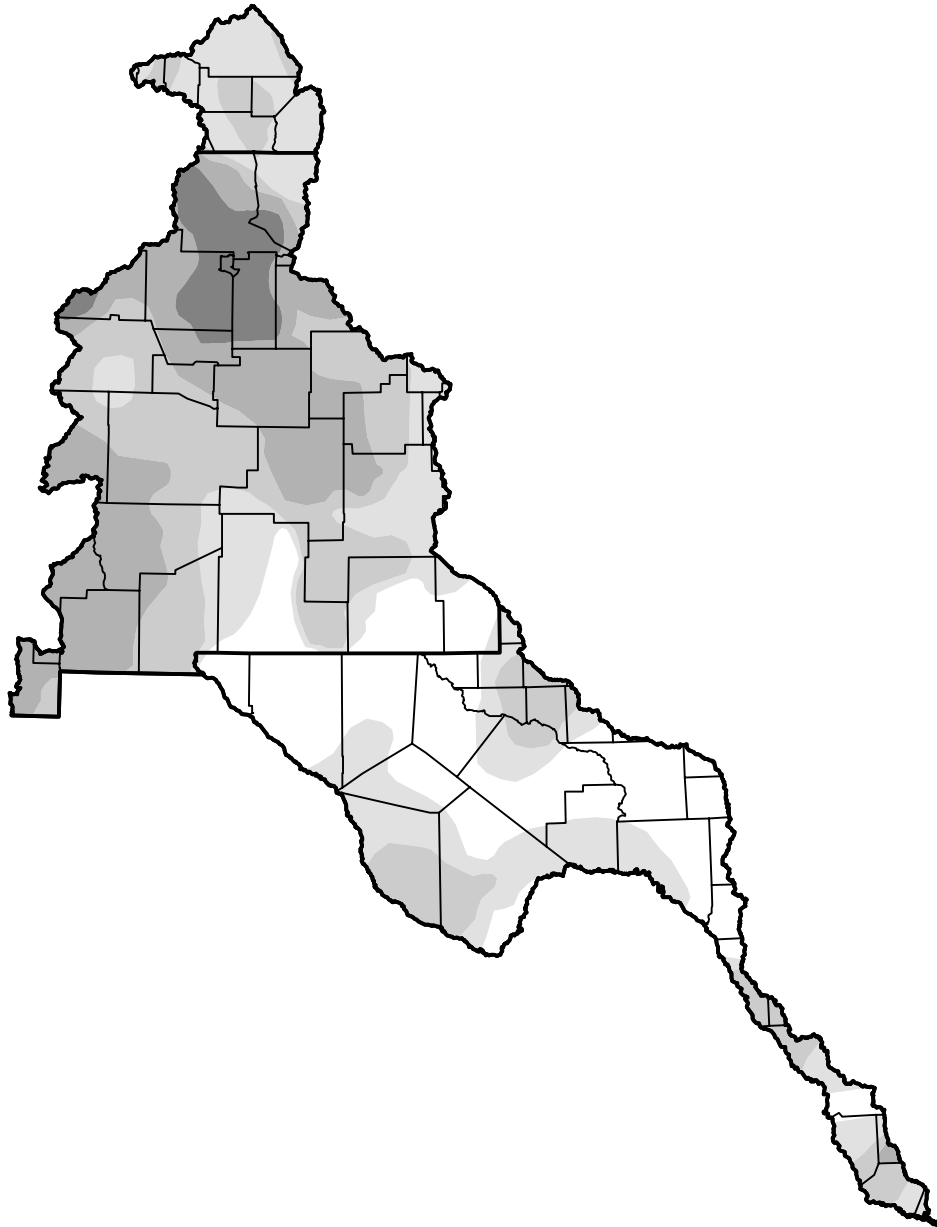


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Rio Grande Watershed

**October 19, 2021**  
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 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	24.95	75.05	50.43	24.53	5.06	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-12-2021</i>	24.46	75.54	49.93	24.31	5.06	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-20-2021</i>	28.40	71.60	59.59	44.63	24.12	7.99
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2020</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	97.08	74.46	46.82
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2021</i>	28.06	71.94	48.73	24.58	7.19	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-20-2020</i>	3.21	96.79	91.72	70.16	48.07	5.48

***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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