

Big Bend Area and Rio Grande Wild & Scenic River River Mileages & Estimated Minimum Days Required Between Strategic Points

This chart provides basic distance and estimated time for float trips on the Rio Grande from Presidio to Langtry. The number of days estimated for segments is given certain safety and pleasure considerations, e.g. layover days, extended trip lengths, bad weather and injuries. Fifteen to twenty miles per day is a normal pace on the Rio Grande Wild & Scenic. These calculations are estimates only. Feasibility of a particular trip varies with season and river level. Always check current conditions before planning your float trip. The number under each Strategic Point is the official river mile designation assigned by the International Boundary and Water Commission (IBWC).

Presidio

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Key to Table																			
Strategic Points																			
Official IBWC river mile																			
Days Est. minimum length																			
Miles Between Strategic Points																			
33	2	Rancherias														925			
54	4	2	Lajitas													904			
73	5	3	2	Terlingua Ck. Confluence												885			
74	5	3	1	1	Santa Elena Takeout											884			
80	5	3	2	1	1	Cottonwood C.G.										878			
98	7	4	3	2	2	2	Johnson Ranch								860				
103	8	5	3	2	2	2	1	Reed Camp							855				
108	8	5	4	3	3	2	1	1	Woodson's Camp						850				
120	9	6	4	3	3	3	2	2	1	Talley					838				
130	10	6	5	4	4	3	2	2	2	1	Solis				828				
145	11	7	6	5	5	4	3	3	3	2	1	Gravel Pit Camp			813				
148	11	8	6	5	5	5	3	3	3	2	2	1	Rio Grande Village		810				
182	13	10	9	7	7	7	6	5	5	4	3	3	3	Heath Canyon		776			
204	15	11	10	9	9	8	7	7	6	6	5	4	4	2	Taylors Farm	754			
264	19	16	15	14	14	13	12	12	11	11	10	9	9	6	5	Dryden Crossing	694		
300	21	19	17	16	16	16	14	14	14	13	12	11	11	9	7	4	Fosters Ranch	658	
318	22	20	19	17	17	17	16	15	15	14	14	13	12	10	9	4	2	Langtry	640