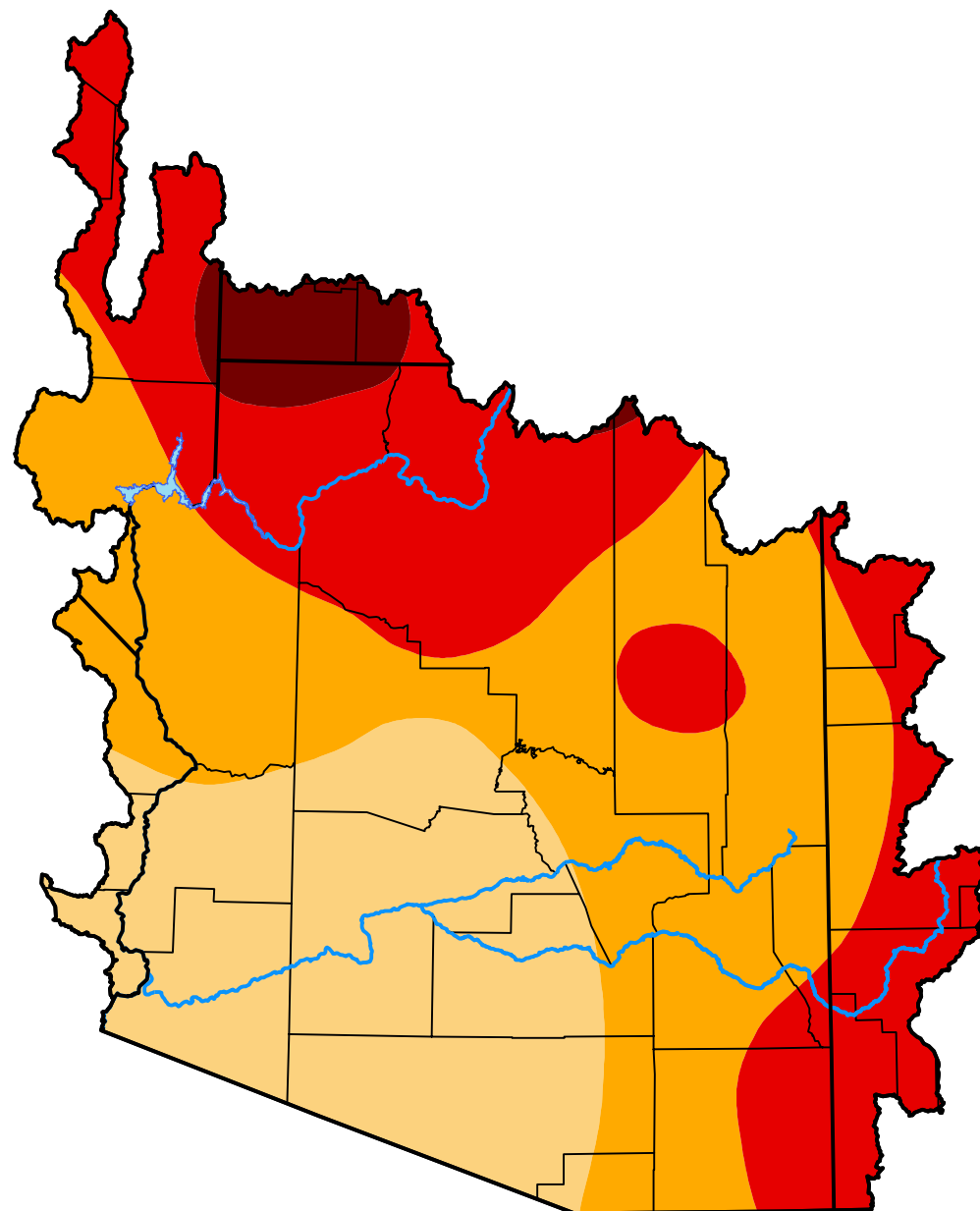


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	0.00	26.97	38.96	30.45	3.62
Last Week <i>09-11-2003</i>	0.00	0.00	25.54	35.93	34.25	4.29
3 Months Ago <i>06-19-2003</i>	0.00	0.97	18.12	50.77	29.11	1.03
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	0.00	0.00	17.18	30.41	45.25	7.17
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	0.00	0.00	9.39	35.03	46.19	9.39
One Year Ago <i>09-19-2002</i>	0.00	0.00	7.70	35.87	44.41	12.02

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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