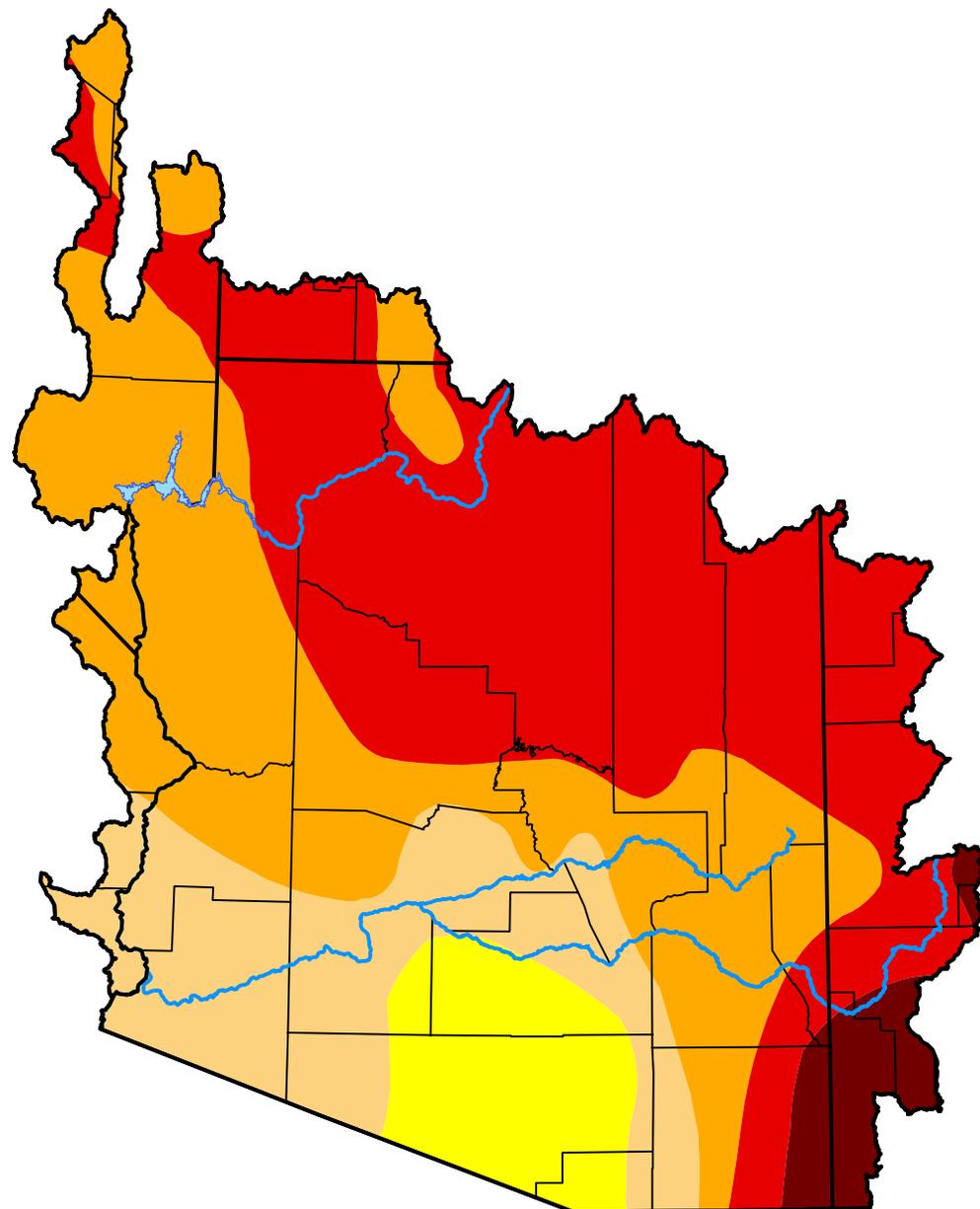


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

**March 16, 2004**  
*(Released Thursday, Mar. 18, 2004)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	8.11	16.59	32.25	39.43	3.62
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-11-2004</i>	0.00	8.11	16.59	32.25	39.43	3.62
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-18-2003</i>	0.00	13.32	26.13	26.63	29.26	4.66
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	0.00	12.33	20.02	24.23	36.44	6.98
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2003</i>	0.00	6.90	25.14	35.53	28.80	3.63
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-20-2003</i>	0.00	0.00	34.13	41.16	24.71	0.00

*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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