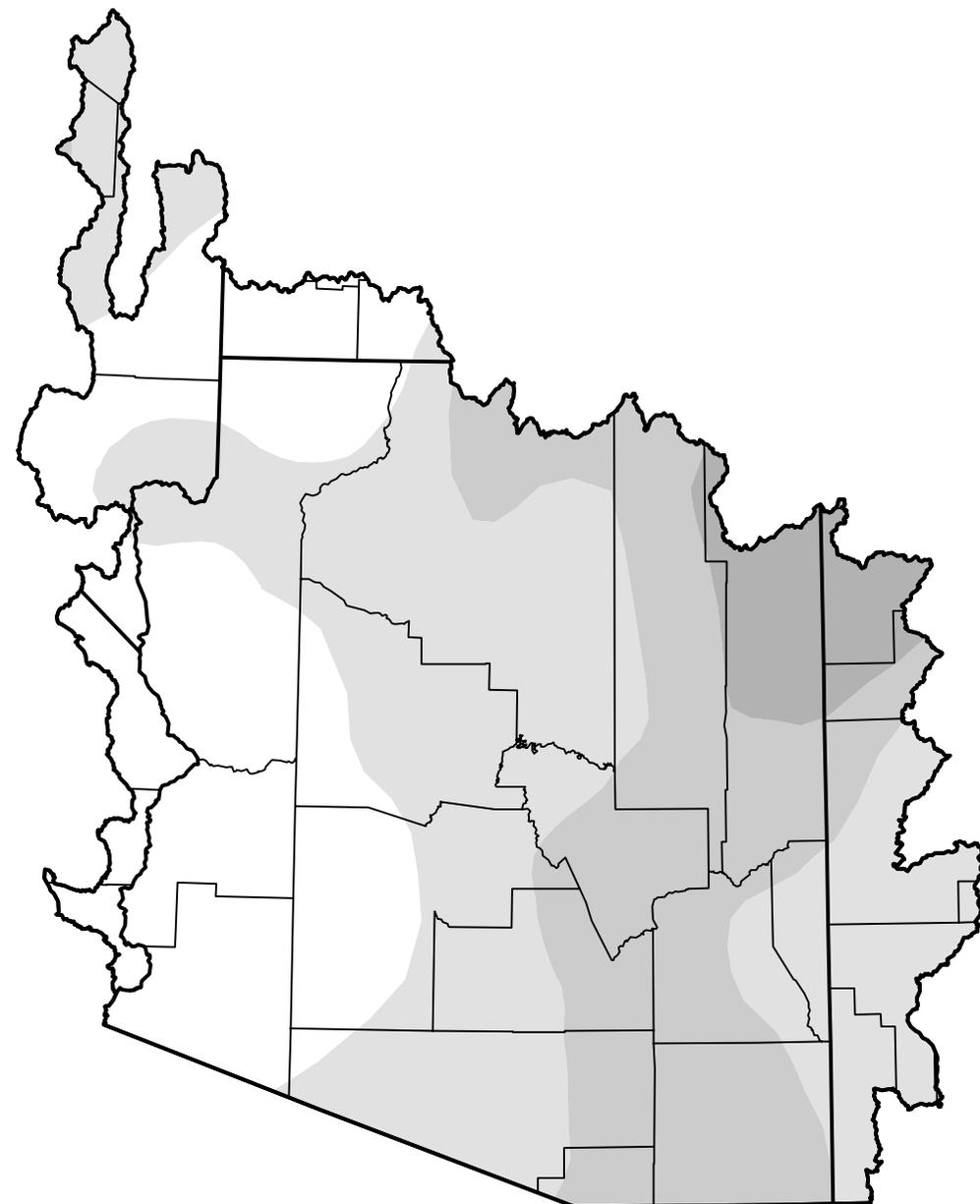


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed



March 1, 2005
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 29.61 | 41.05 | 24.15 | 5.19 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>02-24-2005</i> | 16.44 | 45.87 | 30.54 | 4.00 | 3.15 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-02-2004</i> | 0.00 | 5.83 | 32.71 | 44.84 | 16.62 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i> | 0.00 | 12.48 | 41.97 | 33.63 | 11.92 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i> | 0.00 | 7.23 | 8.10 | 45.80 | 38.86 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-04-2004</i> | 0.00 | 12.48 | 16.22 | 34.17 | 31.96 | 5.17 |

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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