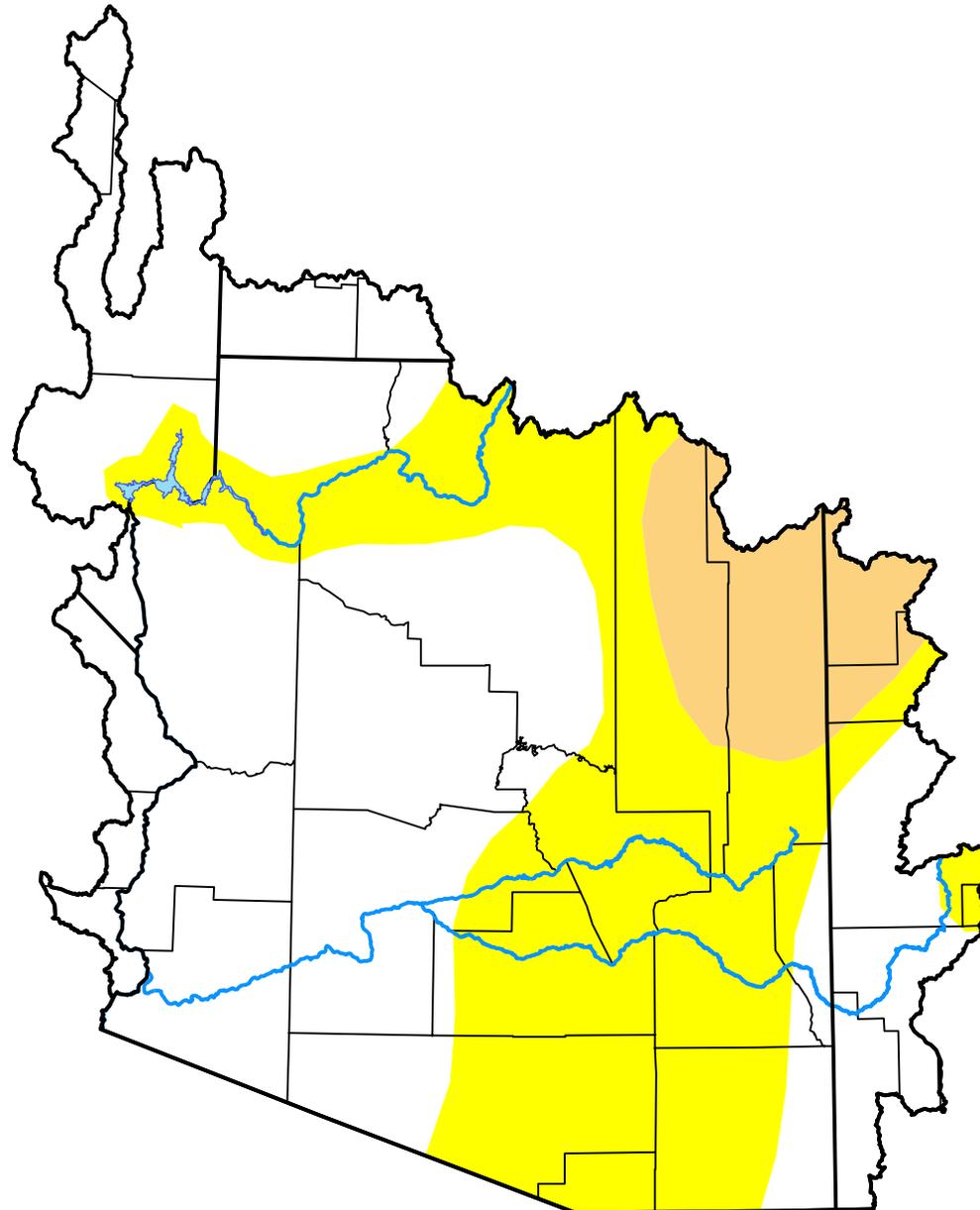


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	57.03	34.64	8.32	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-12-2005</i>	57.03	34.64	6.55	1.77	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-17-2005</i>	16.44	41.36	29.89	9.16	3.15	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>05-20-2004</i>	0.00	9.13	14.85	30.75	45.26	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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