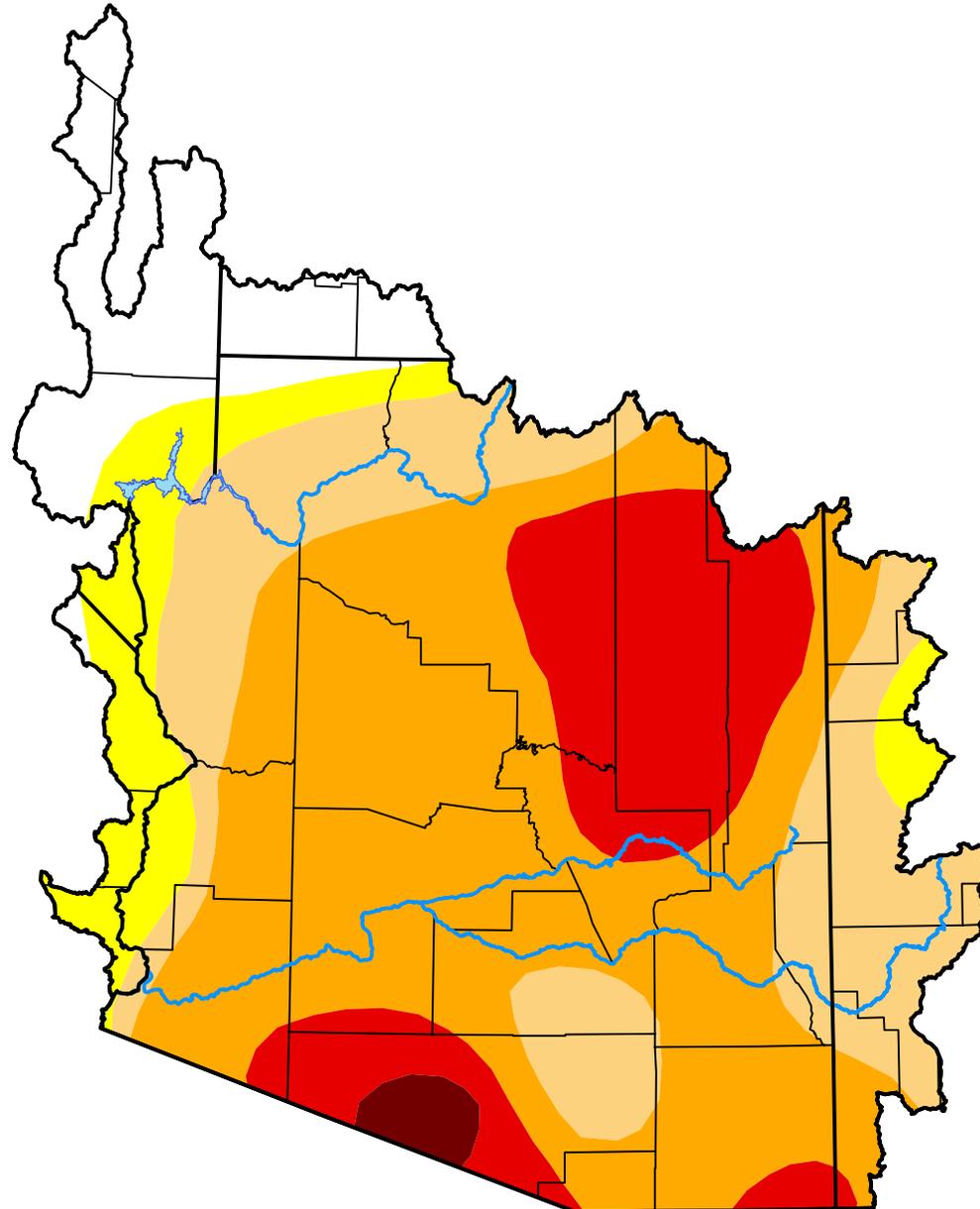


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed

August 1, 2006
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 3, 2006)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	10.22	8.89	21.45	41.76	16.47	1.21
Last Week <i>07-27-2006</i>	8.54	8.78	14.27	29.83	33.25	5.33
3 Months Ago <i>05-04-2006</i>	6.48	12.57	11.03	35.19	22.71	12.02
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	13.36	49.96	36.68	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	67.55	18.27	14.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-04-2005</i>	27.67	45.07	27.26	0.00	0.00	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>

Author:

David Miskus
 NOAA/NWS/NCEP/CPC

