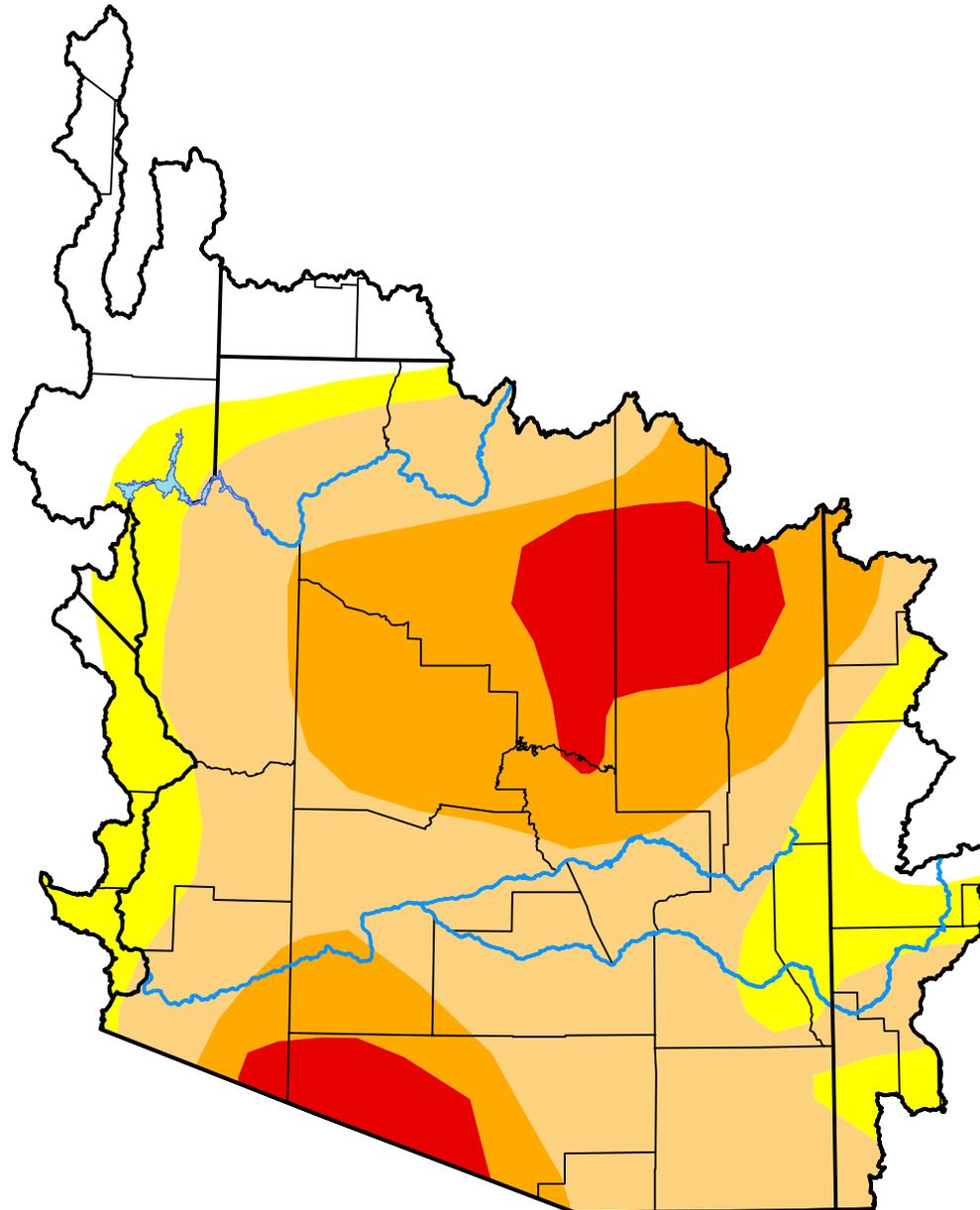


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

**August 22, 2006**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	12.28	14.57	41.38	22.30	9.47	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-17-2006</i>	11.46	13.20	29.09	33.97	12.28	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-25-2006</i>	6.48	10.52	10.18	22.03	37.08	13.71
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2006</i>	13.36	49.96	36.68	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	67.55	18.27	14.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-25-2005</i>	65.86	19.95	14.18	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>*

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