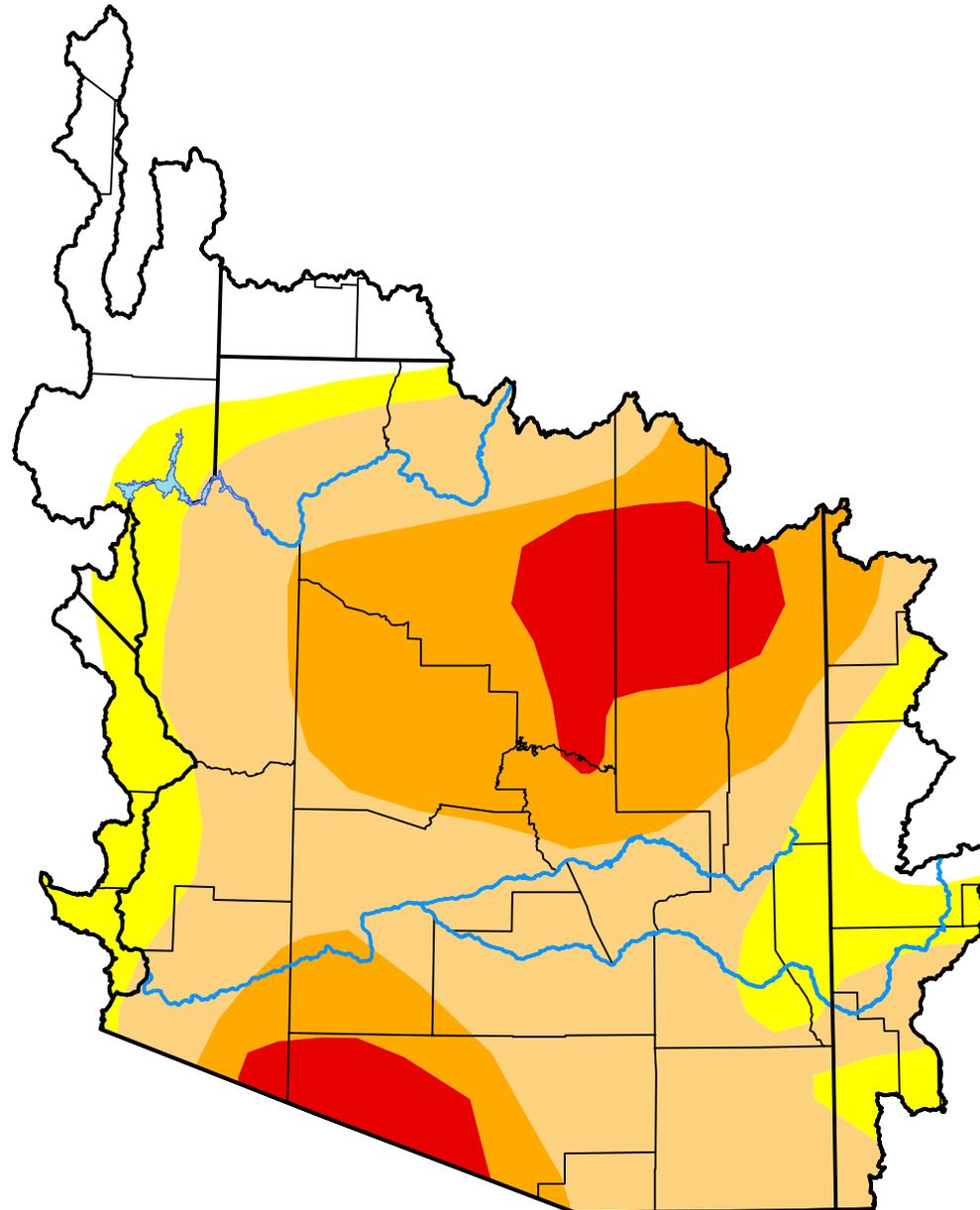


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	12.28	87.72	73.15	31.77	9.47	0.00
Last Week <i>08-17-2006</i>	11.46	88.54	75.34	46.25	12.28	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-25-2006</i>	6.48	93.52	83.00	72.82	50.79	13.71
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	13.36	86.64	36.68	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	67.55	32.45	14.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-25-2005</i>	65.86	34.14	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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