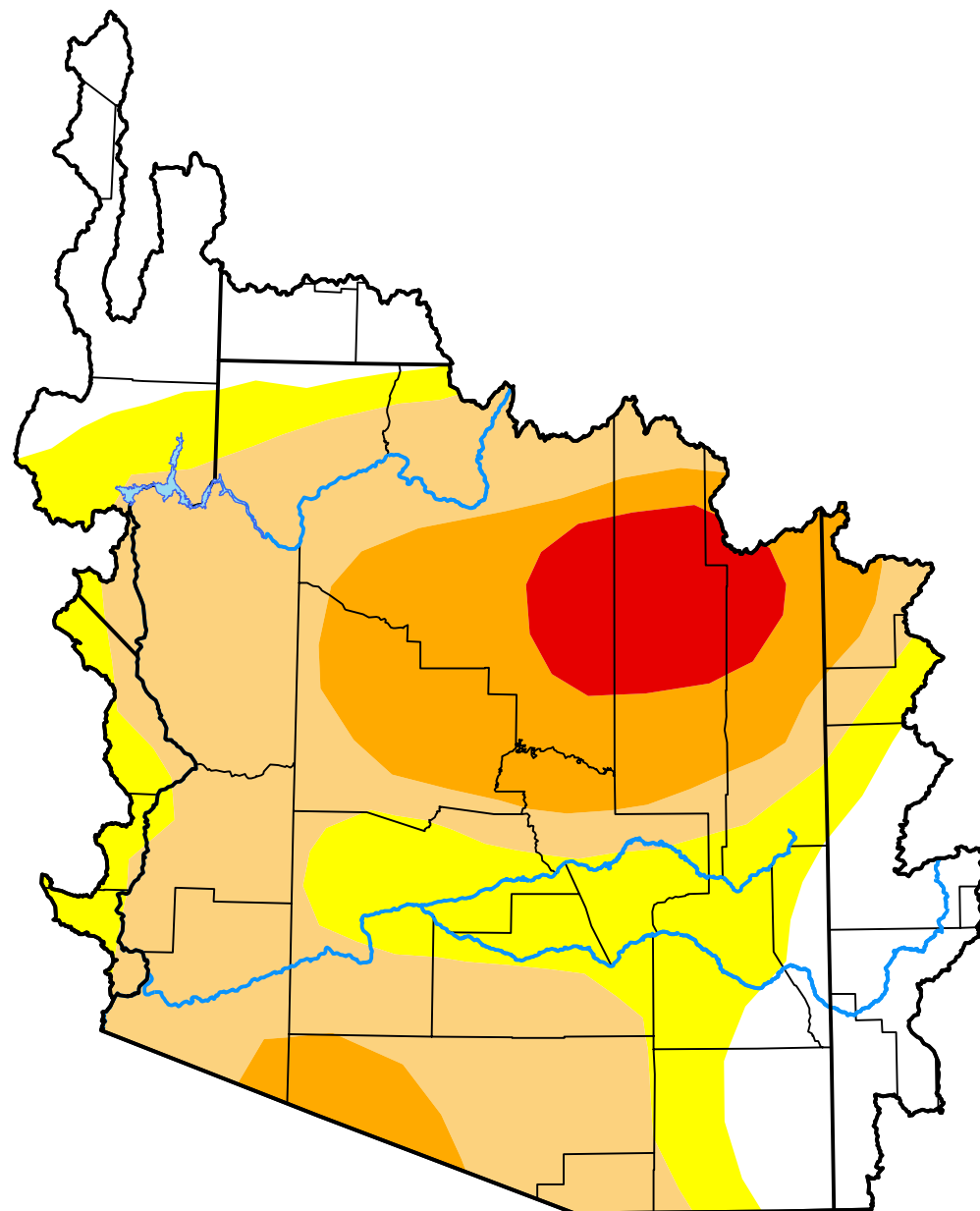


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	19.02	20.13	37.78	17.29	5.79	0.00
Last Week <i>09-14-2006</i>	12.49	16.78	39.94	22.64	8.15	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-22-2006</i>	6.65	8.31	9.85	24.39	37.32	13.47
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>09-22-2005</i>	67.33	18.49	14.18	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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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