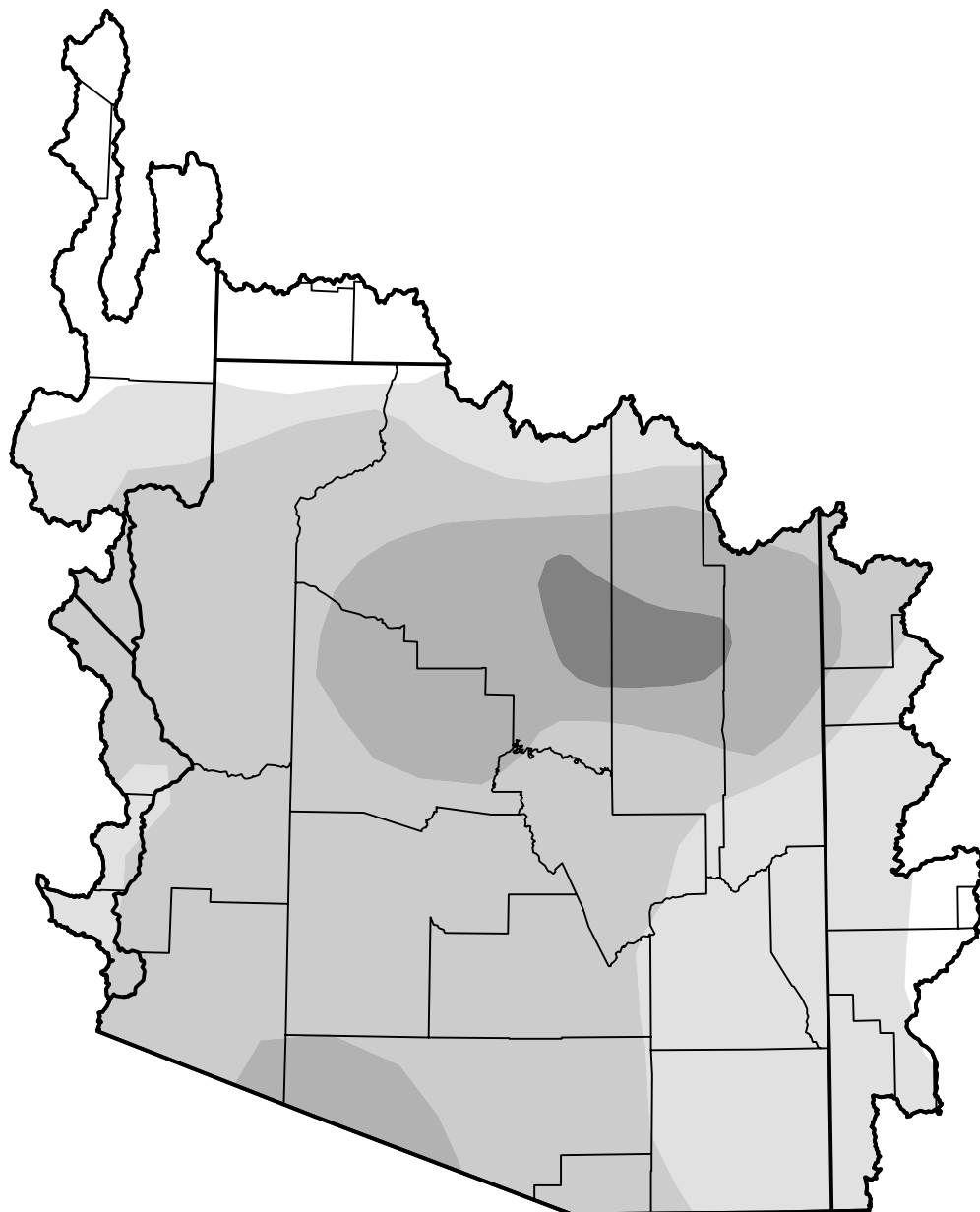


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	9.59	90.41	65.74	18.65	2.46	0.00
Last Week <i>12-14-2006</i>	9.69	90.31	64.75	18.65	2.46	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-21-2006</i>	19.02	80.98	60.86	23.08	5.79	0.00
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>09-28-2006</i>	18.95	81.05	60.86	23.08	5.79	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-22-2005</i>	30.92	69.08	20.33	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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