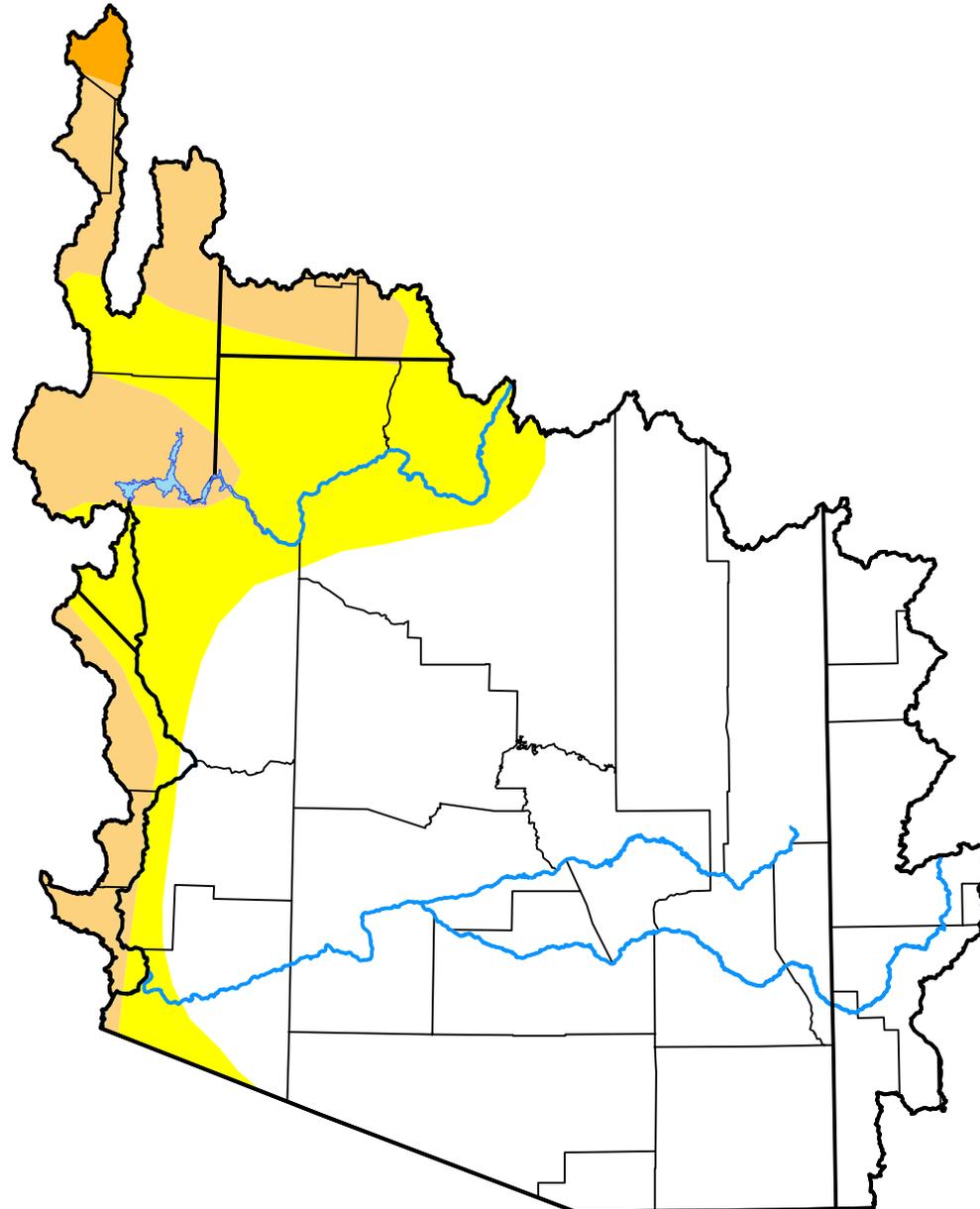


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed

October 7, 2008
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 72.90 | 16.56 | 10.07 | 0.47 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>10-02-2008</i> | 72.90 | 12.26 | 14.36 | 0.47 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>07-10-2008</i> | 34.11 | 33.38 | 28.72 | 3.76 | 0.03 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i> | 27.45 | 22.83 | 17.51 | 32.21 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i> | 72.90 | 12.26 | 14.36 | 0.47 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>10-11-2007</i> | 19.23 | 17.53 | 19.67 | 18.70 | 24.87 | 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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