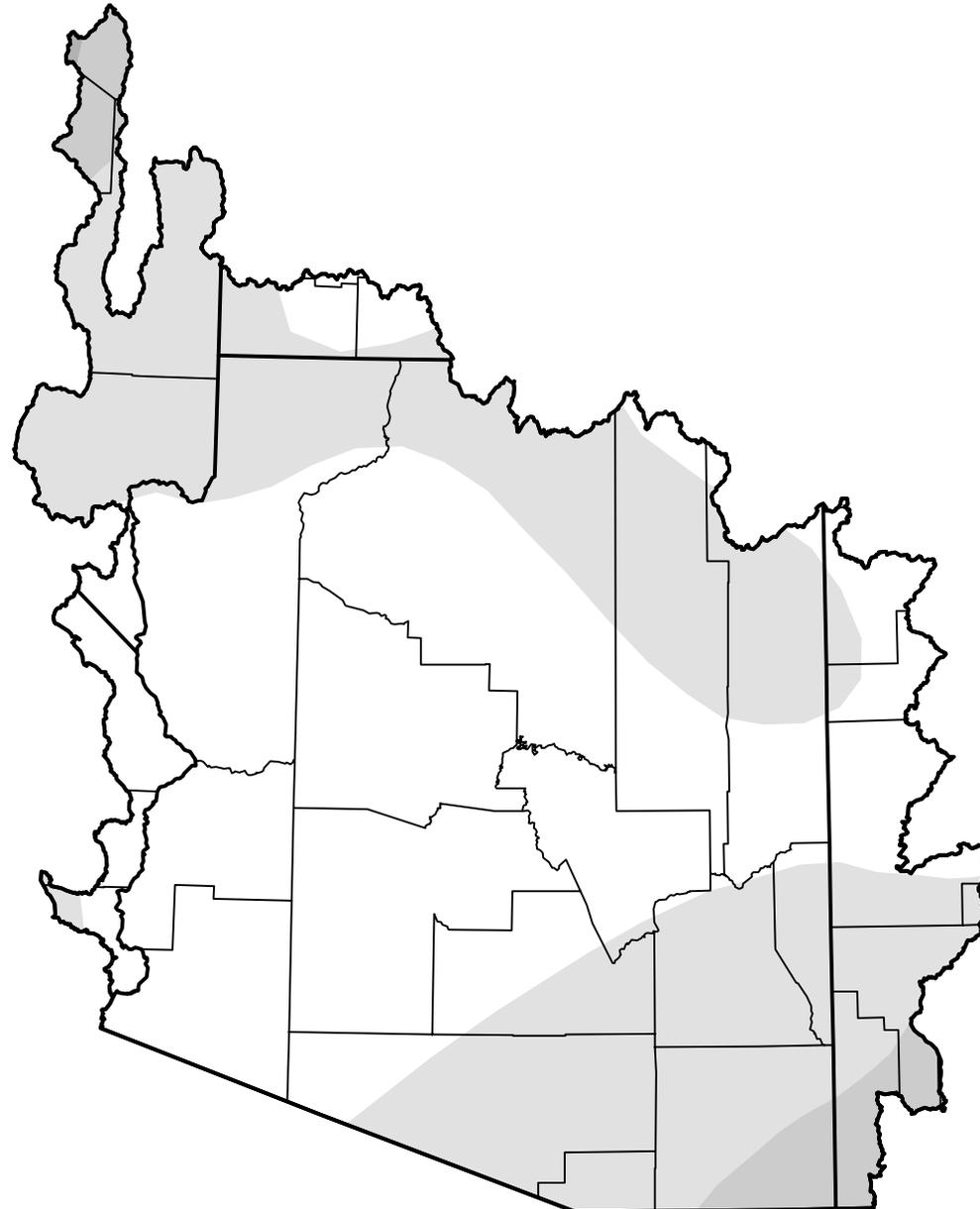


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	55.15	44.85	3.86	0.05	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-05-2009</i>	63.00	37.00	4.98	0.05	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-11-2008</i>	37.72	62.28	10.98	0.77	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	53.49	46.51	9.58	0.77	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	72.90	27.10	14.84	0.47	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-13-2008</i>	54.90	45.10	25.73	6.40	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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