

U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	55.15	40.99	3.81	0.05	0.00	0.00
Last Week 03-12-2009	55.15	40.99	3.81	0.05	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 12-18-2008	37.72	51.30	10.21	0.77	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2009	53.49	36.93	8.81	0.77	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2008	72.90	12.26	14.36	0.47	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 03-20-2008	54.90	19.37	19.33	6.40	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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