

U.S. Drought Monitor

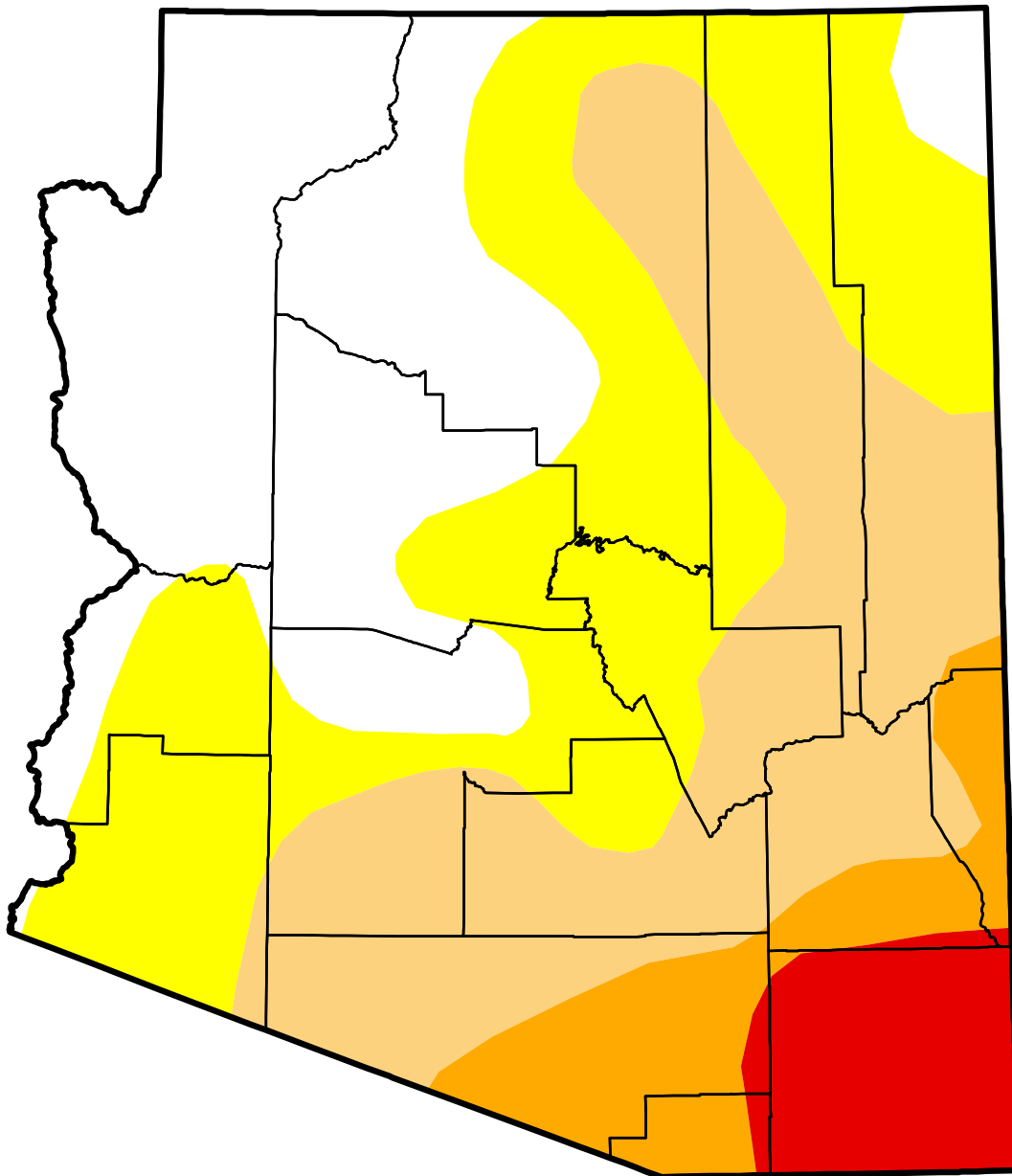
Arizona

March 22, 2011
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	28.64	71.36	40.91	13.72	5.96	0.00
Last Week <i>3/15/2011</i>	28.64	71.36	40.88	12.59	5.96	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12/21/2010</i>	5.65	94.35	36.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>1/4/2011</i>	37.05	62.95	32.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>9/28/2010</i>	40.00	60.00	18.58	3.23	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>3/23/2010</i>	32.96	67.04	23.97	6.41	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

- 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. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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