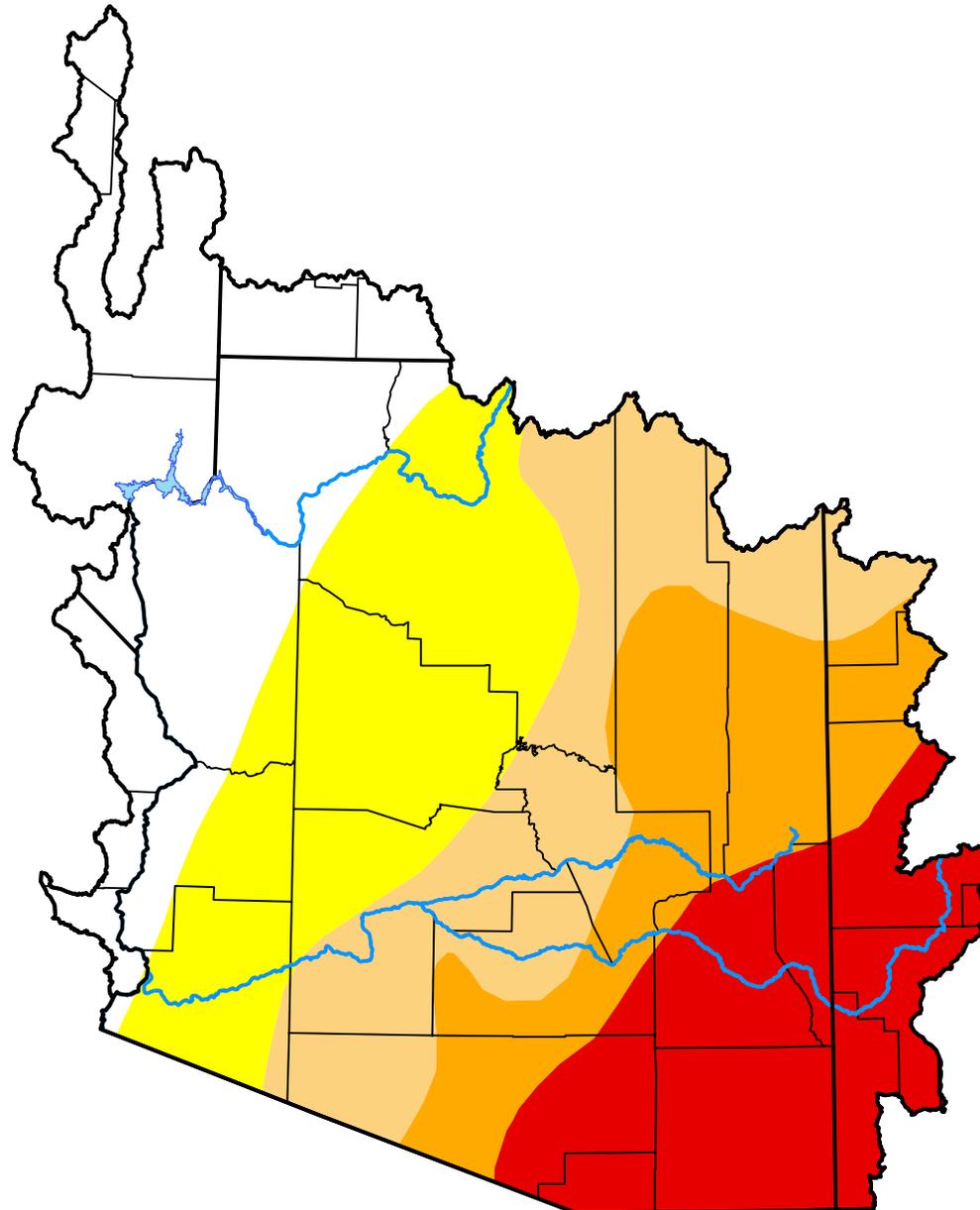


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	25.21	74.79	52.72	34.10	18.60	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-12-2011</i>	25.21	74.79	52.72	34.10	18.60	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-17-2011</i>	36.11	63.89	40.71	13.84	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2011</i>	43.99	56.01	32.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2010</i>	40.80	59.20	14.00	2.04	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-20-2010</i>	65.07	34.93	10.83	2.16	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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