

# U.S. Drought Monitor

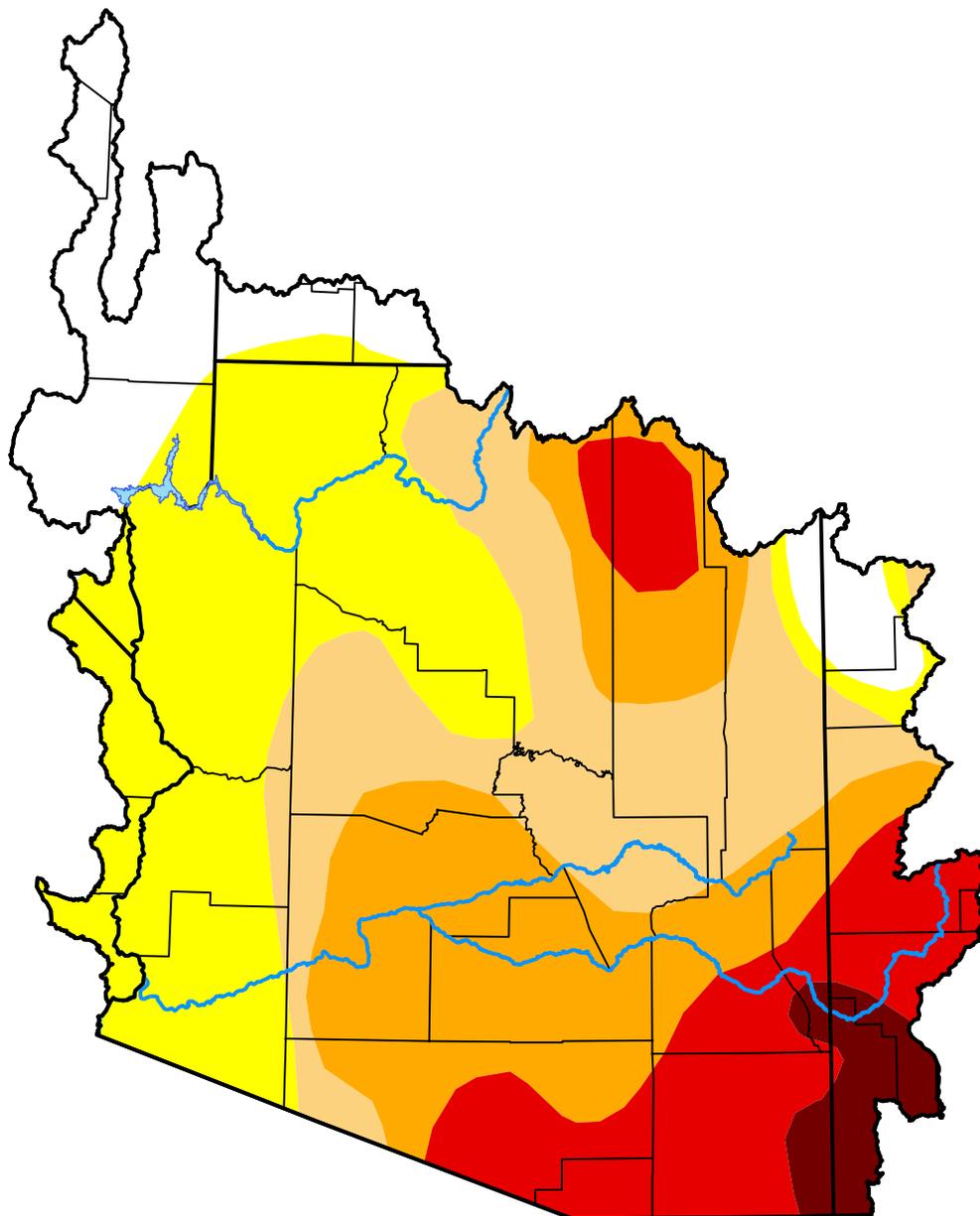
## Lower Colorado Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	11.45	28.69	20.28	21.98	14.35	3.26
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-13-2011</i>	10.07	28.40	21.92	22.01	14.35	3.26
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-21-2011</i>	19.73	26.27	16.92	19.35	9.57	8.16
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2011</i>	43.99	23.23	32.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	9.35	28.39	22.46	21.65	12.50	5.66
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-21-2010</i>	40.60	53.40	3.96	2.04	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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