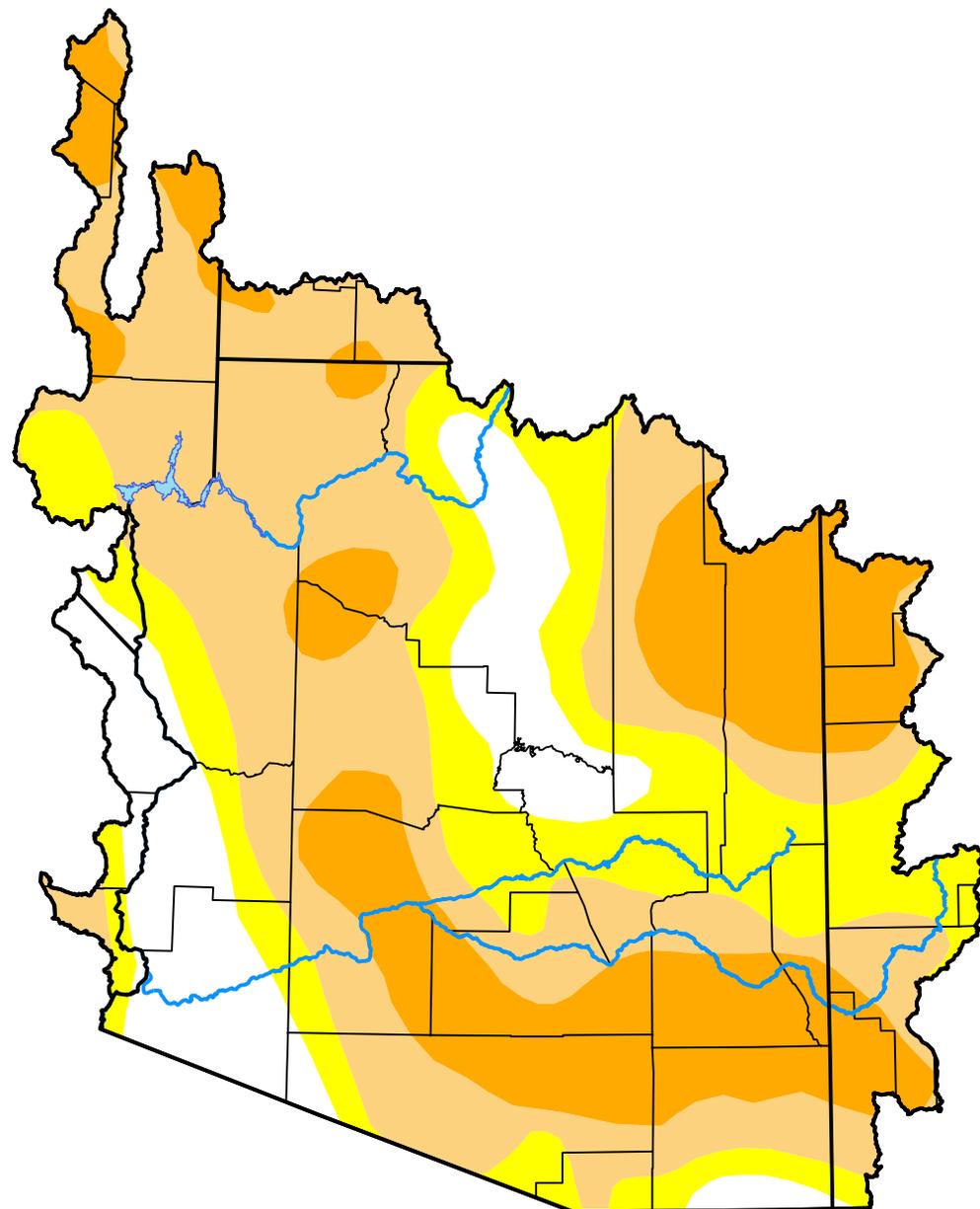


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

**October 15, 2013**  
 (Released Thursday, Oct. 17, 2013)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	14.27	22.14	38.36	25.23	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-10-2013</i>	14.31	22.17	38.30	25.23	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-18-2013</i>	0.00	7.83	22.07	43.97	23.66	2.46
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2013</i>	0.00	7.16	58.75	27.95	6.14	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2013</i>	14.18	22.29	38.30	25.23	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-18-2012</i>	0.00	5.42	71.16	20.99	2.42	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>*

***Author:***

Richard Tinker  
 CPC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP

