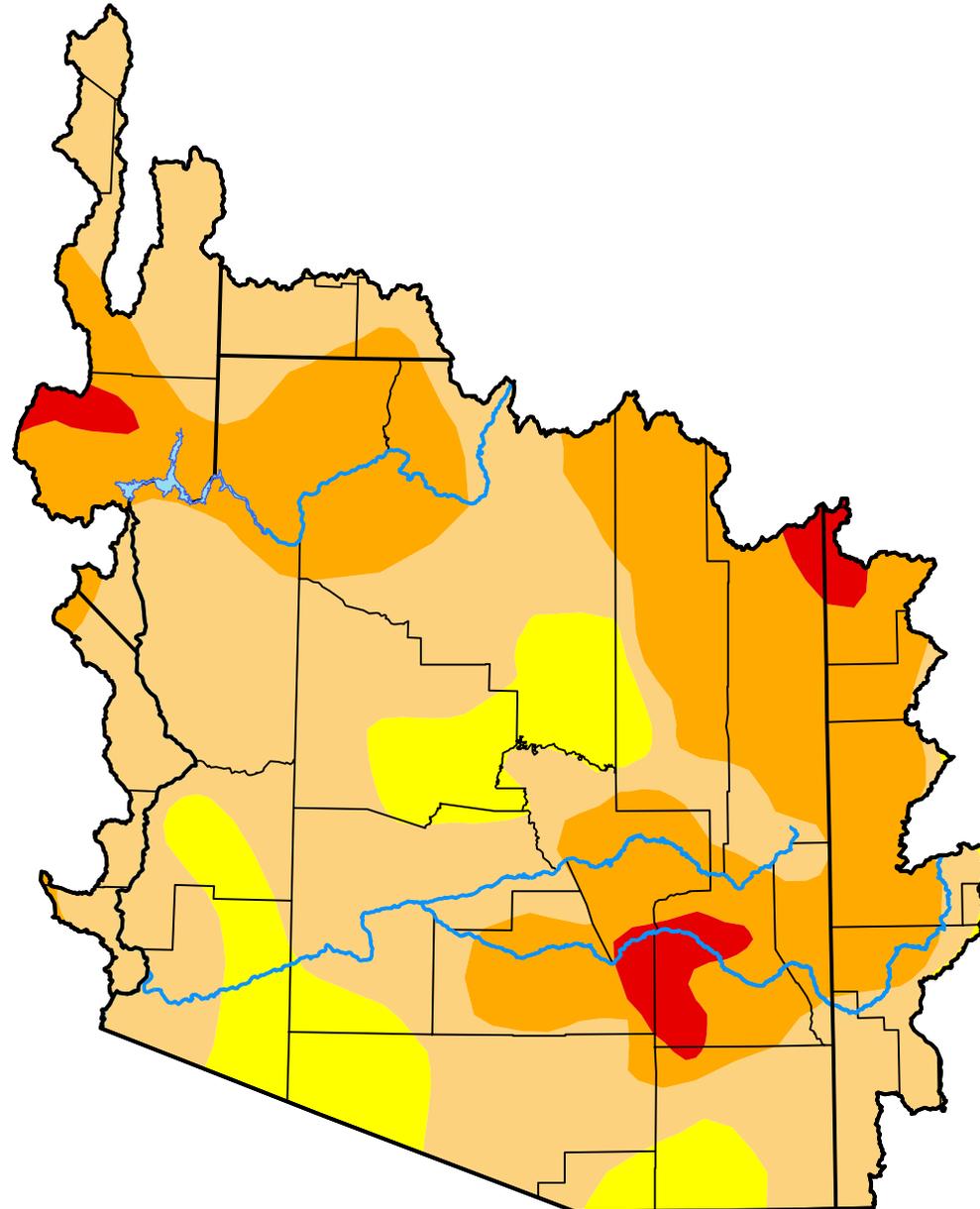


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

**October 21, 2014**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	100.00	87.35	37.11	3.01	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-16-2014</i>	0.00	100.00	87.35	38.48	3.33	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-24-2014</i>	0.00	100.00	98.28	79.14	22.29	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	18.96	81.04	56.59	17.33	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2014</i>	0.00	100.00	87.35	38.48	3.33	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-24-2013</i>	14.21	85.79	63.59	25.23	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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