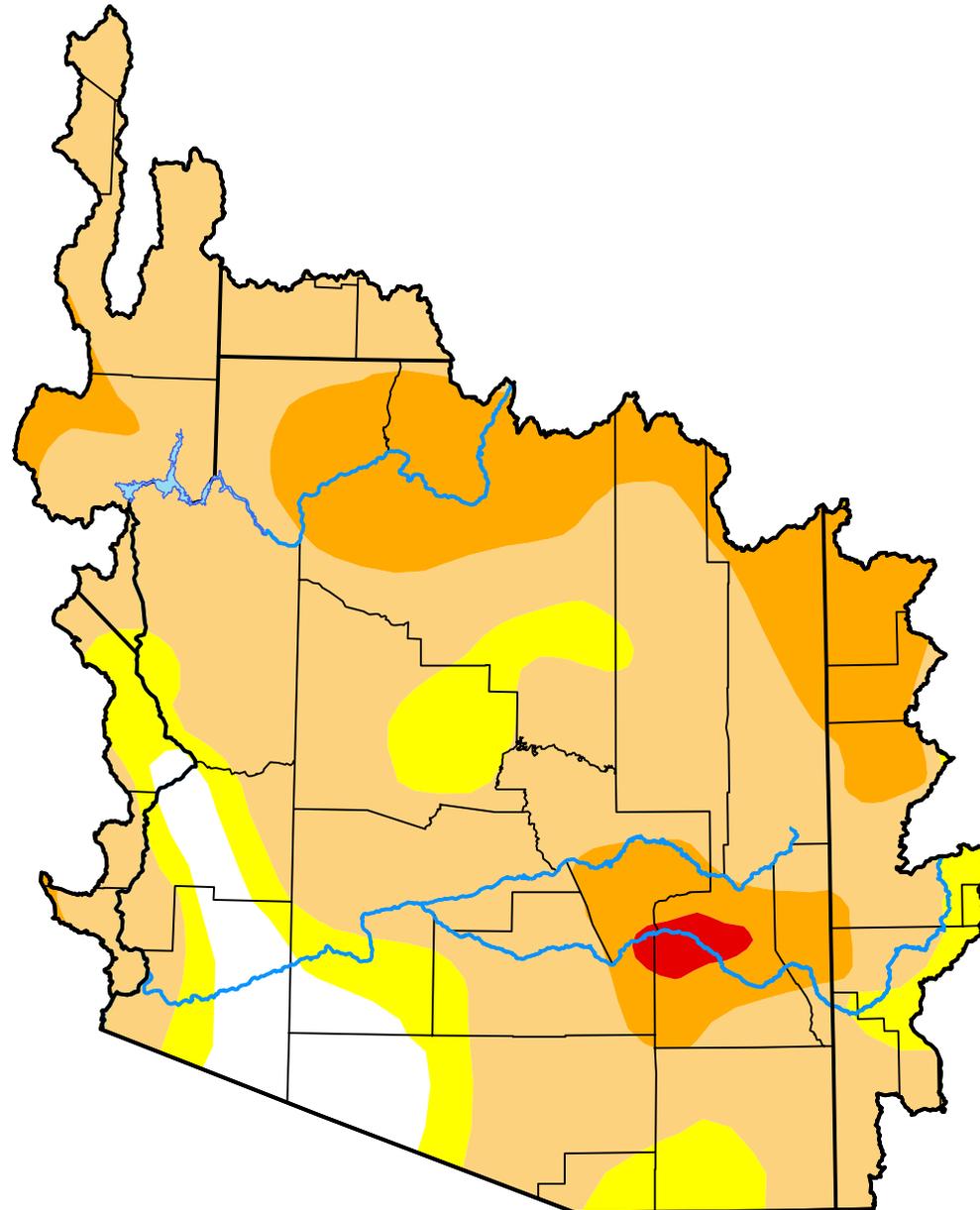


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

**March 3, 2015**  
 (Released Thursday, Mar. 5, 2015)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 5.97 | 12.66 | 60.81 | 19.76 | 0.79 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>02-26-2015</i>              | 5.97 | 11.44 | 59.86 | 18.85 | 3.88 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>12-04-2014</i>           | 0.00 | 12.36 | 52.51 | 31.56 | 3.57 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2014</i> | 0.00 | 15.19 | 49.68 | 31.56 | 3.57 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2014</i>    | 0.00 | 12.65 | 48.87 | 35.15 | 3.33 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>03-06-2014</i>           | 5.03 | 14.98 | 23.15 | 52.45 | 4.39 | 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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