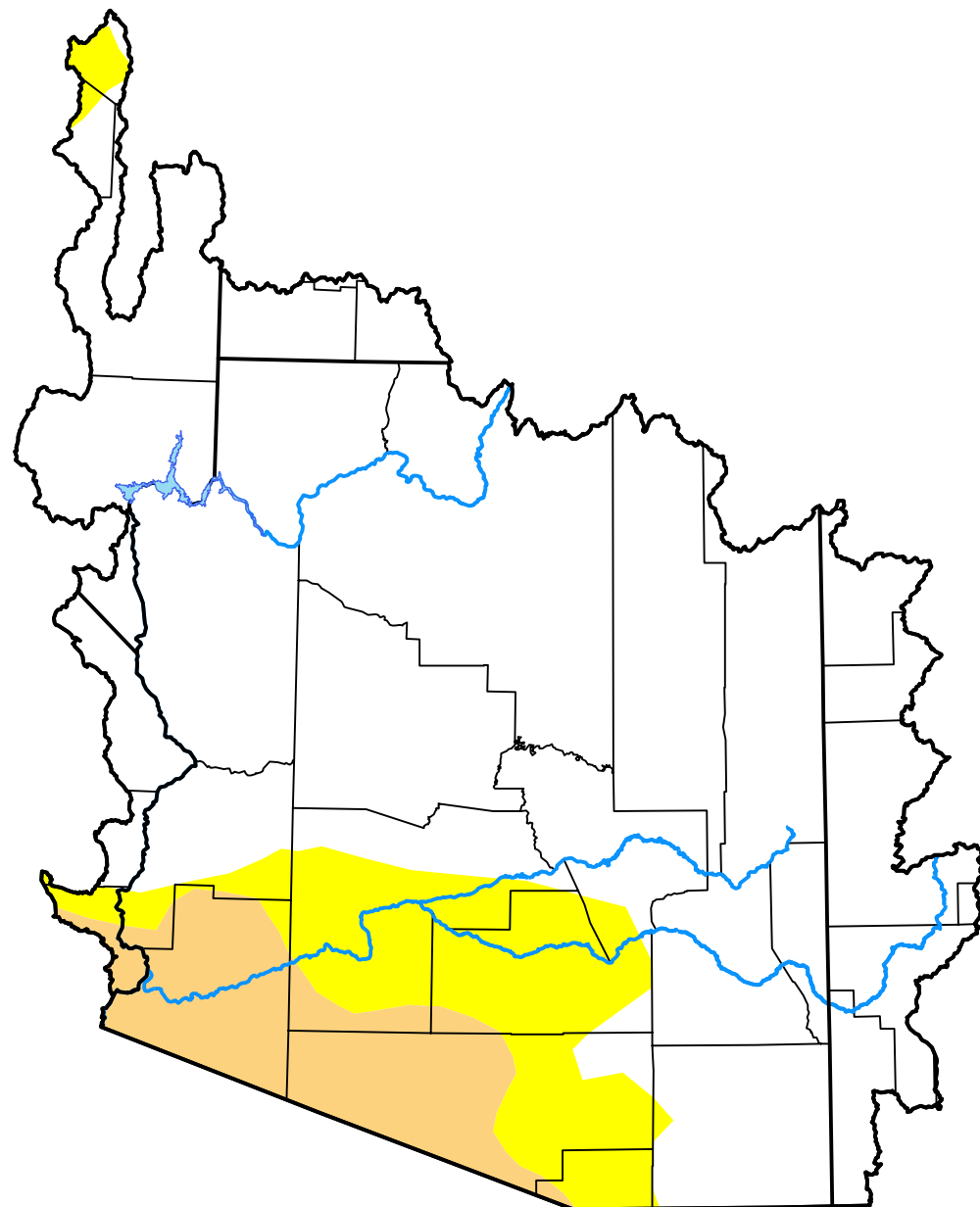


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

**September 5, 2017**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 7, 2017)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 78.61 | 21.39 | 9.09  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-31-2017</i>              | 78.61 | 21.39 | 9.09  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-08-2017</i>           | 54.86 | 45.14 | 26.02 | 0.33  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2017</i> | 45.82 | 54.18 | 21.86 | 3.25  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>    | 11.79 | 88.21 | 37.84 | 4.38  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-08-2016</i>           | 4.67  | 95.33 | 66.55 | 2.71  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

**Intensity:**

|                     |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| None                | D2 Severe Drought      |
| D0 Abnormally Dry   | D3 Extreme Drought     |
| D1 Moderate 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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