

U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 36.48 | 41.16 | 22.36 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>10-19-2017</i> | 45.54 | 45.37 | 9.09 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>07-27-2017</i> | 36.54 | 49.13 | 13.99 | 0.33 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i> | 45.82 | 32.32 | 18.60 | 3.25 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i> | 48.41 | 42.50 | 9.09 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>10-27-2016</i> | 28.22 | 33.94 | 33.46 | 4.38 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

Intensity:

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|  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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