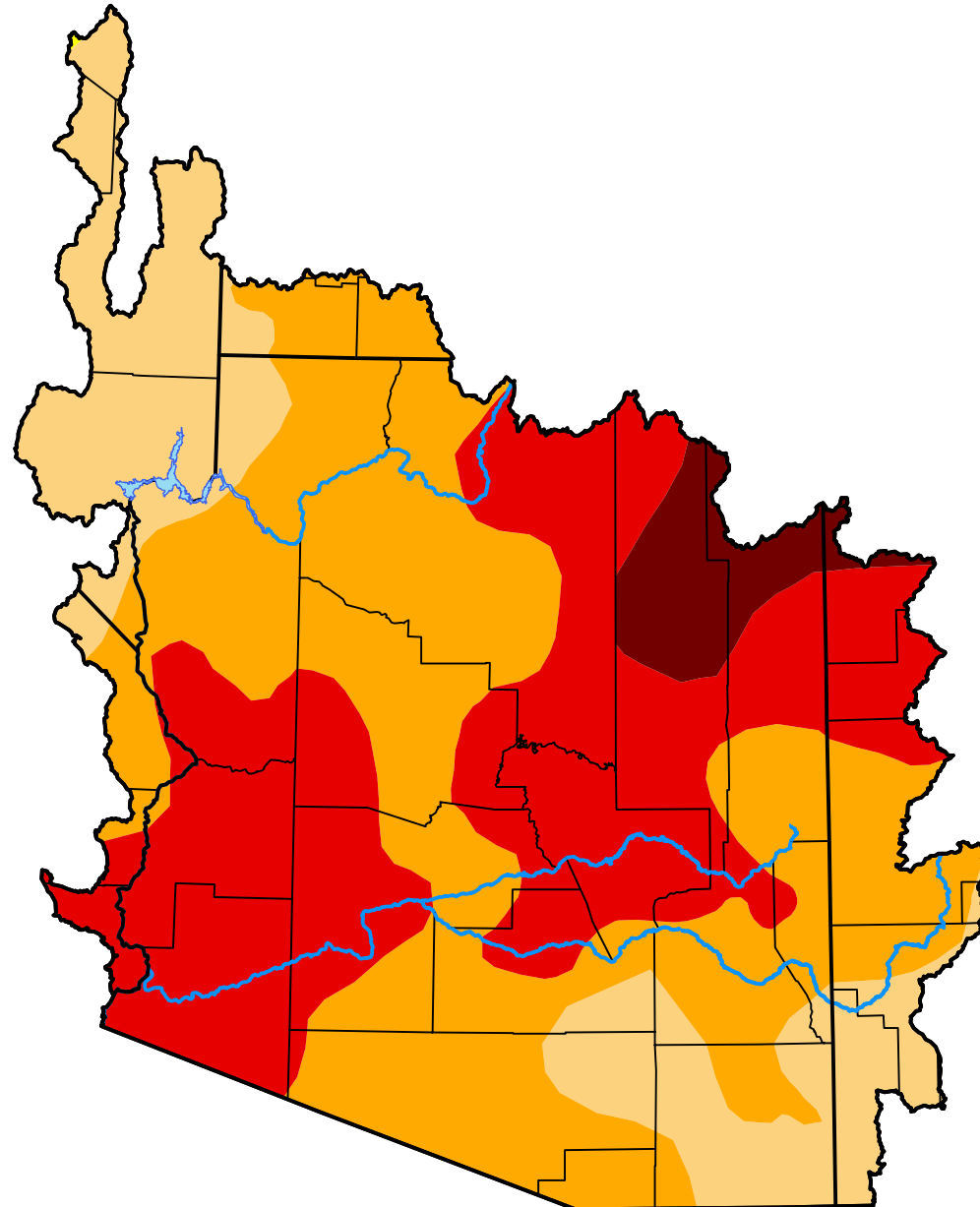


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Colorado Watershed

**August 21, 2018**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	0.02	19.29	41.82	34.59	4.28
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-16-2018</i>	0.00	0.02	19.29	41.82	34.59	4.28
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-24-2018</i>	0.00	0.02	11.89	26.50	51.54	10.05
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2018</i>	0.00	6.76	68.34	24.90	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2017</i>	48.41	42.50	9.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-24-2017</i>	78.61	12.30	9.09	0.00	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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