

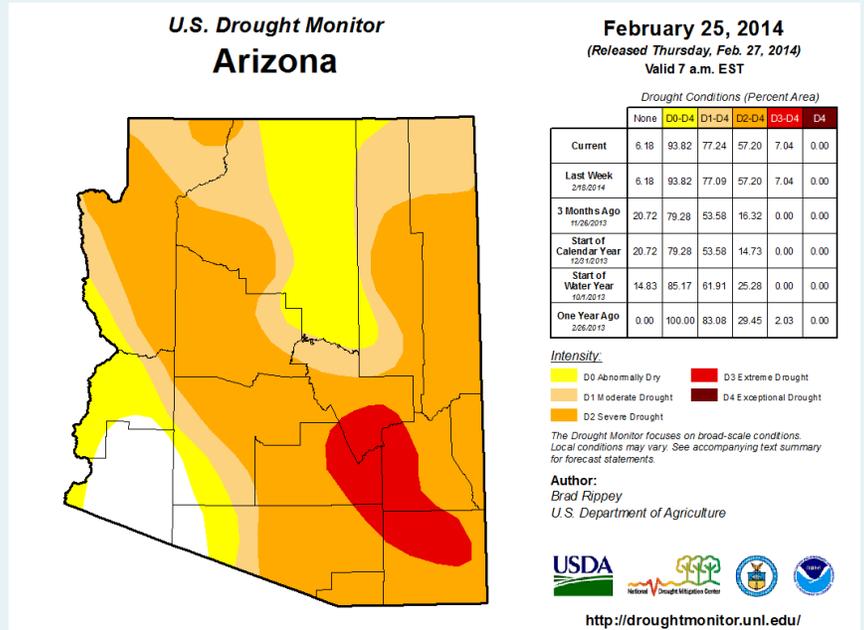
Drought Status Report

February 2014

February was dry statewide with most areas receiving no precipitation at all, and snowpack is below normal at the end of the month.

The continued dryness since late December has led to expansion of moderate drought throughout the state and the introduction of severe drought in the southeast. The area of no drought in the southwest has been reduced, as La Paz county is now abnormally dry.

We are in our third consecutive dry winter, and the unseasonably warm conditions statewide have exacerbated the drought leading to concerns for widespread, increased wildfire potential.



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