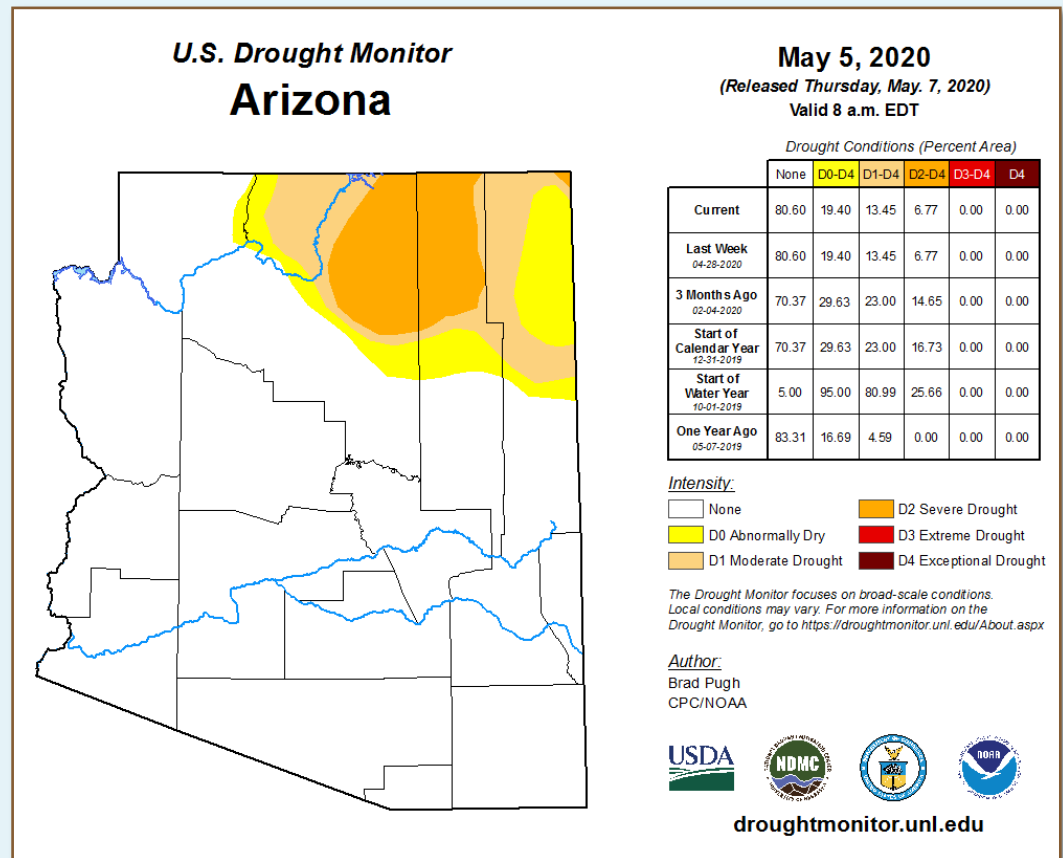


Arizona Short-term Drought Status Report

April 2020

A strong winter storm during the last week of March and a weak low-pressure system in early April brought enough rain and snow across northern Arizona to improve drought conditions in northern Coconino, Navajo and Apache counties.

Severe Drought (D2) in northern and central Apache County was improved to Moderate Drought (D1) and Moderate Drought in the Chuska Mountains area was improved to Abnormally Dry (D0) conditions. Areas of the state with no drought conditions increased from 77% to 81%.



As Arizona heads into its typically dry period, warmer than normal conditions are projected prior to the onset of the monsoon storms around the end of June or beginning of July.