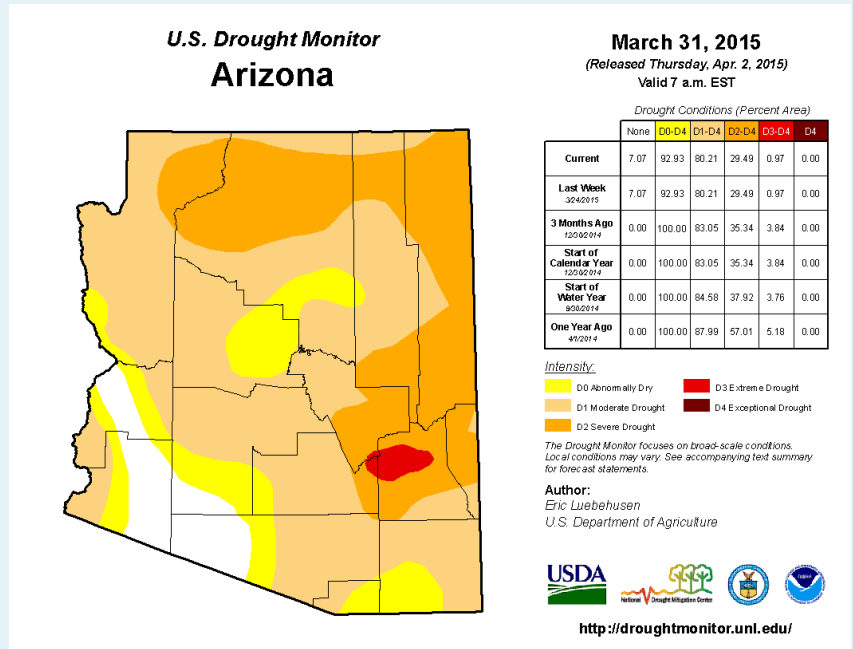


Drought Status Report

March 2015

March was not a wet month, but sufficient precipitation fell in most parts of the state to prevent dryness from increasing.

However, the White Mountains of eastern Arizona were very dry in March leading to a worsening drought condition. As a result, southern Navajo and Apache counties, as well as northeastern Gila and northern Greenlee counties, were downgraded from moderate drought (D1) to severe drought (D2).



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