



# WATER YOUR FACTS?

Arizona leads the nation in comprehensive water supply management.



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## ARIZONA'S WATER SUPPLIES

Arizona has developed a diverse portfolio of water supplies and management strategies which serve as the foundation of our State's robust water system. This diversity allows Arizona to more effectively manage water resources and allows the state to subsist with the effects of existing drought conditions and also provides more options in planning for our states future economic growth.



## HOW MUCH WATER DO WE USE AND HOW DO WE USE IT? ARIZONA'S WATER BUDGET

Arizona's water use can be divided into three categories: municipal, industrial and agricultural use. In 2014, Arizona's total statewide water use was approximately 7 million acre-feet.

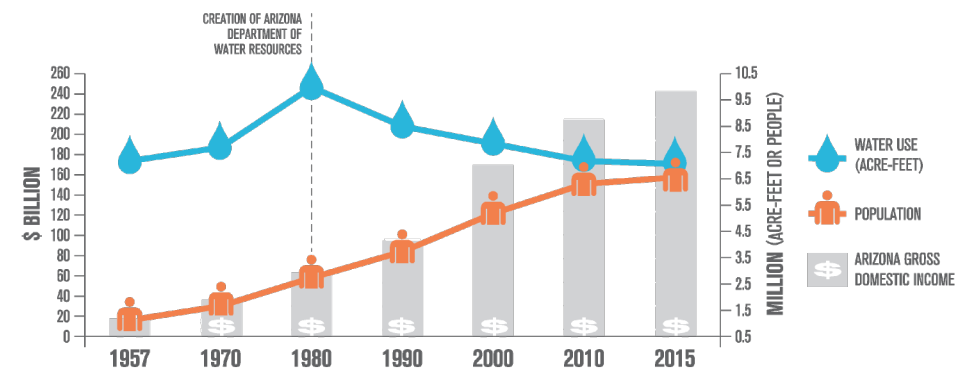
*Note: One acre-foot is equal to 325,851 gallons or the amount of water used by two families of four in a year.*

## ARIZONA'S WATER USE BY SECTOR (2014)



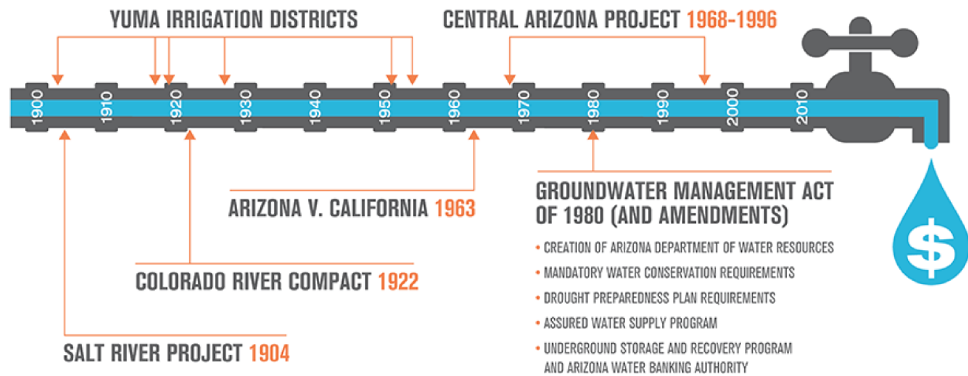
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## ARIZONA'S WATER MANAGEMENT SUCCESS



SOURCE: ADWR, 2016

# WATER CONSERVATION CONTRIBUTES TO ARIZONA'S GROWING ECONOMY



## 100 YEAR WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENT:

Within most urban areas of the state a 100-year water supply must be proven before land can be developed.

## 100 YEAR WATER SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS

### MUST BE:

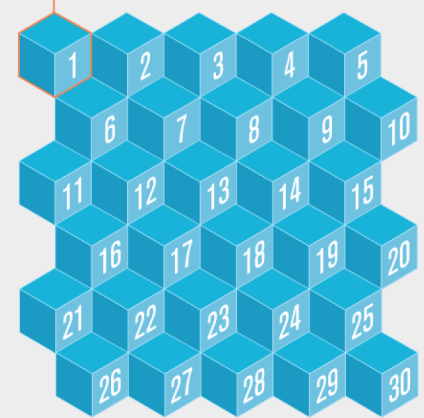
- 100 YEAR
- ✓ LEGALLY AVAILABLE
- ✓ FINANCIALLY AVAILABLE
- ✓ GOOD QUALITY
- ✓ PHYSICALLY AVAILABLE
- ✓ MUST HAVE RENEWABLE SOURCES

## ARIZONA WATER USERS SAVE WATER FOR NON-RAINY DAYS:

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**ARIZONA HAS STORED NEARLY 3 TRILLION GALLONS OF WATER FOR FUTURE USE. THAT IS EQUIVALENT TO SERVING THE CITY OF PHOENIX FOR 30 YEARS.**

**CITY OF PHOENIX 1 YEAR WATER SUPPLY: 100 BILLION GALLONS**



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