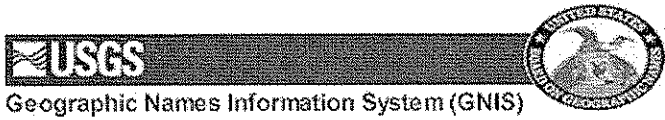
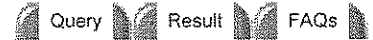


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Feature Detail Report for: Gila River

ID: 42838
Name: Gila River
Class: Stream ([Definitions](#))
Description: Heads at the confluence of the West fork Gila River and the East Fork Gila River and flows generally SW leaving New Mexico and continuing generally W across Arizona to join the Colorado River approximately 4 miles East of the community of Yuma, Arizona.
Citation: U.S. Geological Survey. Geographic Names Phase I data compilation (1976-1981). 31-Dec-1981. Primarily from U.S. Geological Survey 1:24,000-scale topographic maps (or 1:25K, Puerto Rico 1:20K) and from U.S. Board on Geographic Names files. In some instances, from 1:62,500 scale or 1:250,000 scale maps.
Entry Date: 08-Feb-1980
***Elevation:** 118/36

*Elevations in feet/meters from the [National Elevation Dataset](#)

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Variant Name	Citation
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Rio de las Balsas	Citation
Rio del Nombre Jesus	Citation
Rio del los Apostoles	Citation
Xila River	Citation
Zila River	Citation

Board on Geographic Names Decisions

Name	Authority	Decision Type	BGN
Gila River	Board Decision	Official	1969
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Citation

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