

North American Drought Monitor

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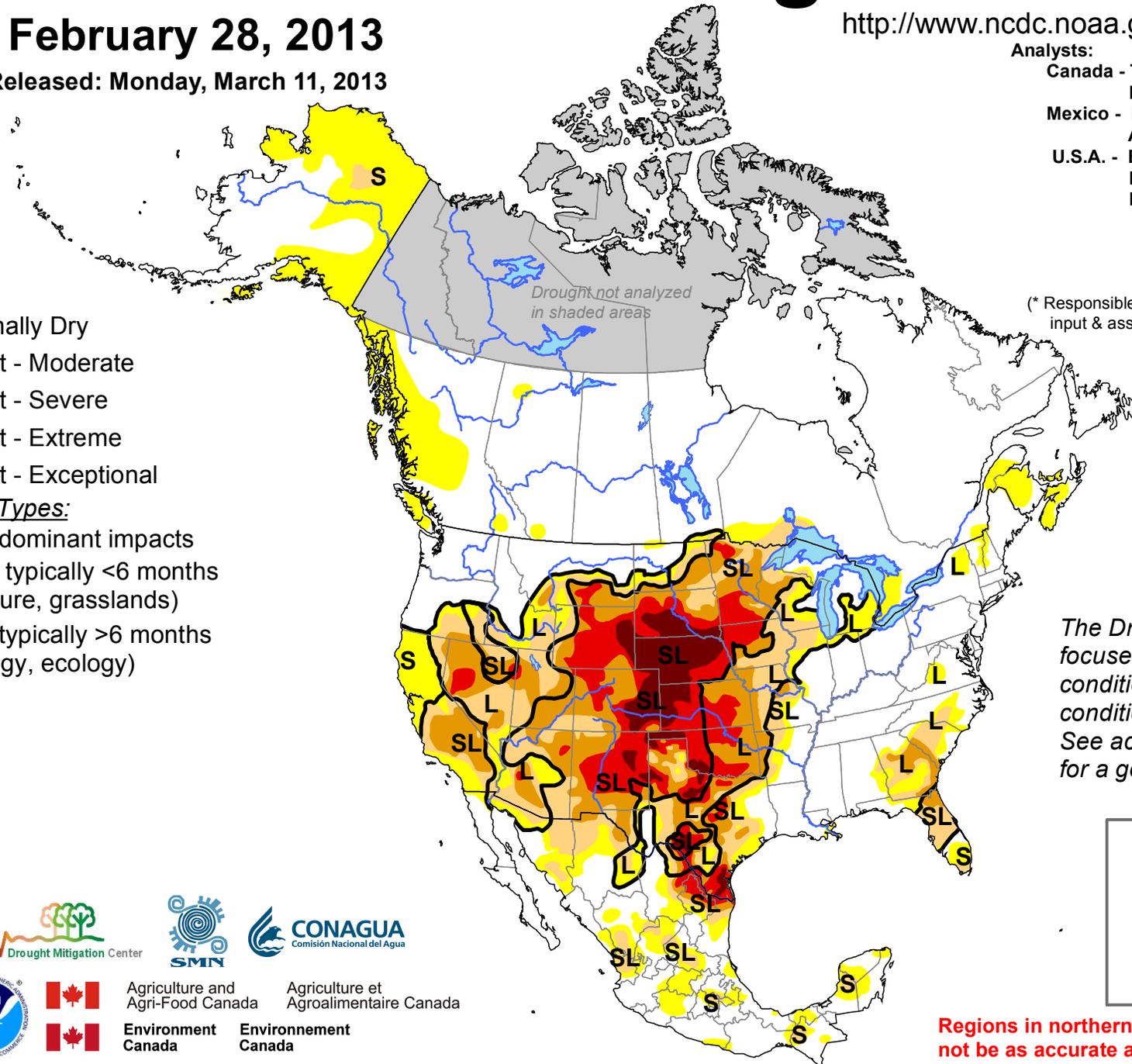
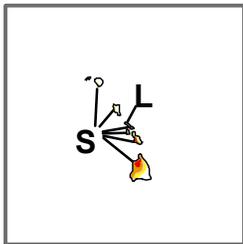
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Intensity:

- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Drought - Moderate
- D2 Drought - Severe
- D3 Drought - Extreme
- D4 Drought - Exceptional

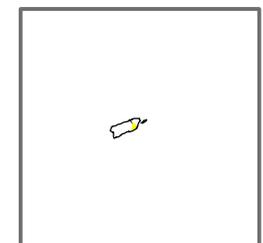
Drought Impact Types:

- Delineates dominant impacts
- S = Short-Term, typically <6 months
(e.g. agriculture, grasslands)
- L = Long-Term, typically >6 months
(e.g. hydrology, ecology)



(* Responsible for collecting analysts' input & assembling the NA-DM map)

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text for a general summary.



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