

North American Drought Monitor

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Intensity:

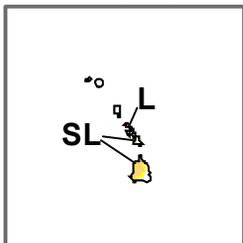
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Drought - Moderate
- D2 Drought - Severe
- D3 Drought - Extreme
- D4 Drought - Exceptional

Drought Impact Types:

Delineates dominant impacts

S = Short-Term, typically <6 months
(e.g. agriculture, grasslands)

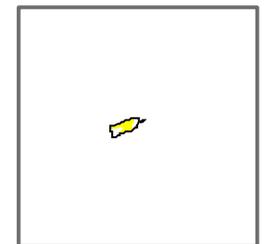
L = Long-Term, typically >6 months
(e.g. hydrology, ecology)



Drought not analyzed
in shaded areas

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



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