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

Drought Impact Types:

- **S** = Short-Term, typically less than 6 months (e.g., agriculture, grasslands)
- **L** = Long-Term, typically greater than 6 months (e.g., hydrology, ecology)

Intensity:

- None
- **D0** Abnormally Dry
- **D1** Moderate Drought
- **D2** Severe Drought
- **D3** Extreme Drought
- **D4** Exceptional Drought

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