

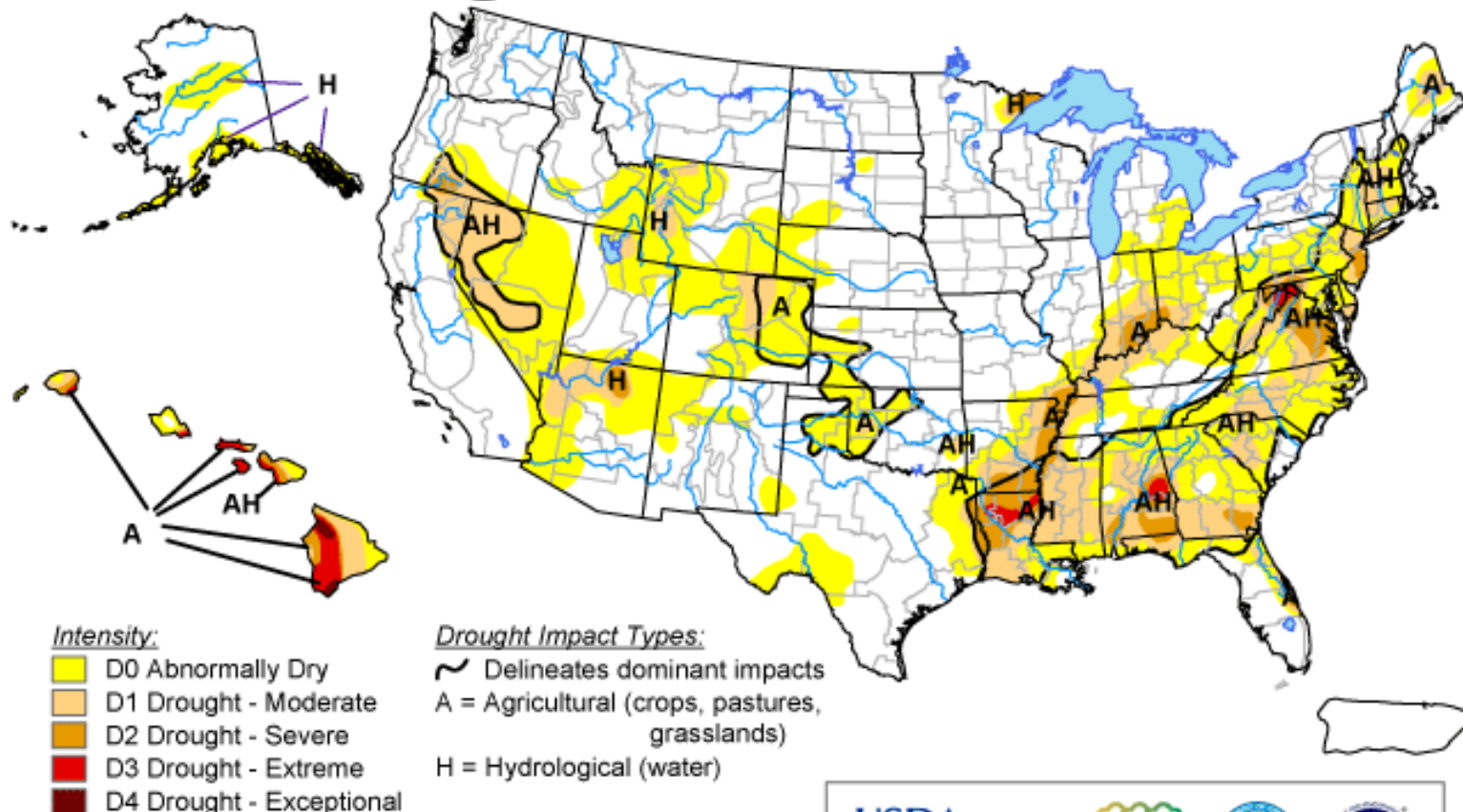
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**Appendix K
Drought Maps
2010 - 2012**

U.S. Drought Monitor

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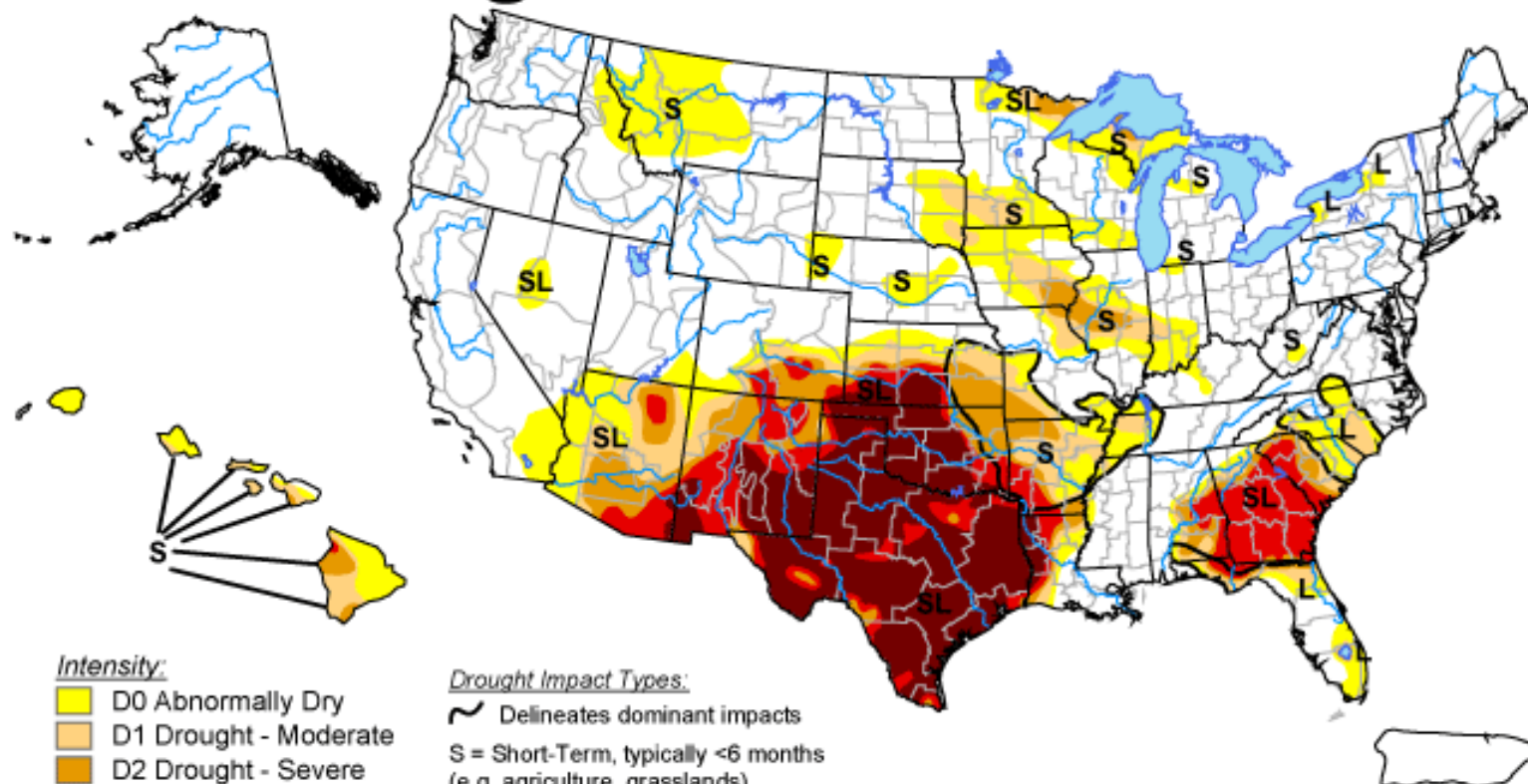
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Intensity:

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

Drought Impact Types:

- Delineates dominant impacts
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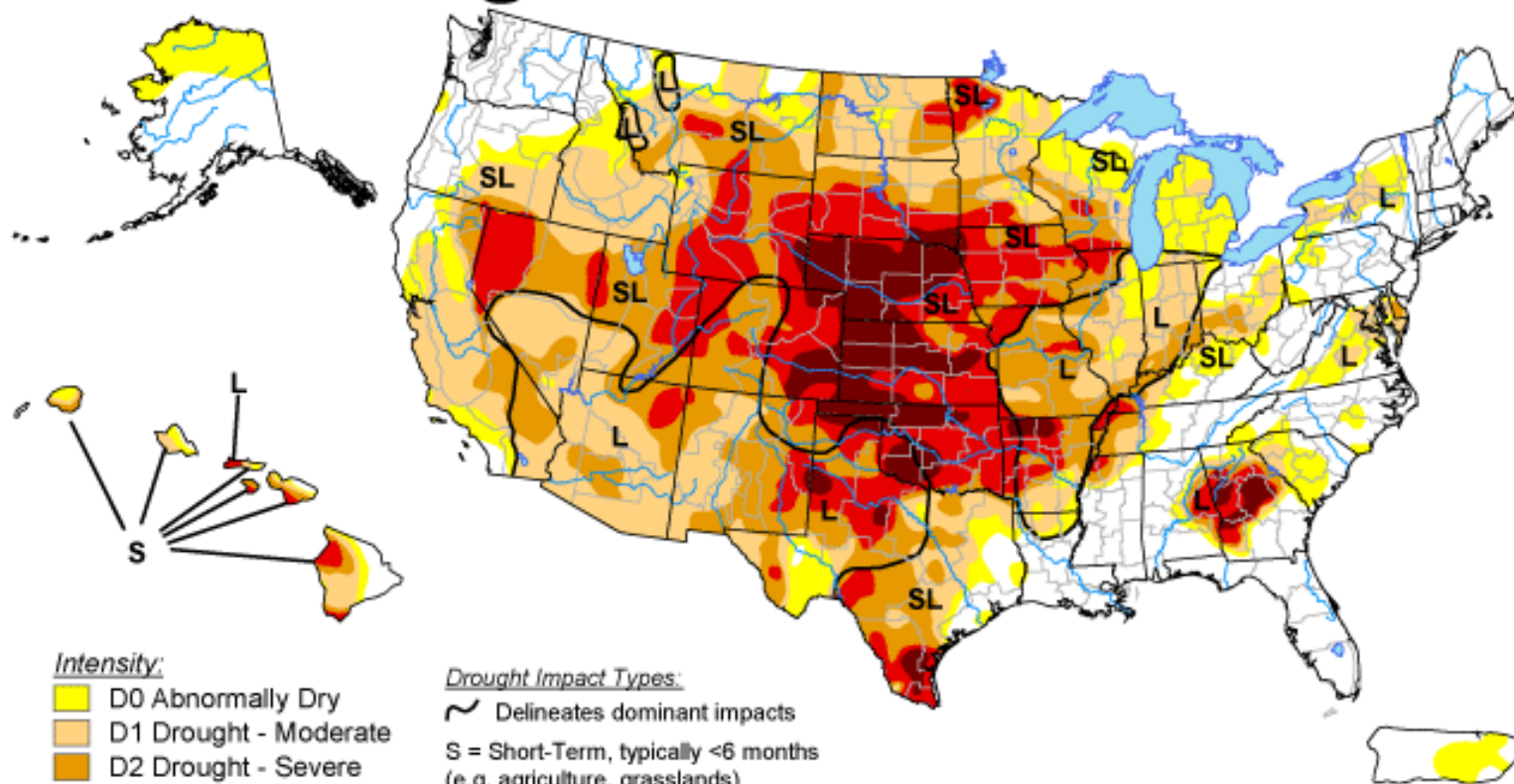
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Intensity:

- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Drought - Moderate
- D2 Drought - Severe
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