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THE AIM OF MY WORK IS TO  
SHOW THE DANGER OF THE  
DROUGHT  
THE ACTUALITY OF THIS  
THEME IS THAT DROUGHTS  
ARE SEEN MORE IN OUR  
COUNTRY SO IT WILL BE  
HELPFUL TO KNOW ABOUT IT  
MORE



***DROUGHT IS AN EXTENDED PERIOD WHEN A REGION NOTES A DEFICIENCY IN ITS WATER SUPPLY WHETHER SURFACE OR UNDERGROUND WATER. A DROUGHT CAN LAST FOR MONTHS OR YEARS, OR MAY BE DECLARED AFTER AS FEW AS 15 DAYS. GENERALLY, THIS OCCURS WHEN A REGION RECEIVES CONSISTENTLY BELOW AVERAGE PRECIPITATION. IT CAN HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL IMPACT ON THE ECOSYSTEM AND AGRICULTURE OF THE AFFECTED REGION. ALTHOUGH DROUGHTS CAN PERSIST FOR SEVERAL YEARS, EVEN A SHORT, INTENSE DROUGHT CAN CAUSE SIGNIFICANT DAMAGE AND HARM TO THE LOCAL ECONOMY. PROLONGED DROUGHT HAS CAUSED CAUSE MASS MIGRATIONS AND HUMANITARIAN CRISES.***



**PERIODS OF DROUGHTS CAN HAVE SIGNIFICANT ENVIRONMENTAL, AGRICULTURAL, HEALTH, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CONSEQUENCES. THE EFFECT VARIES ACCORDING TO VULNERABILITY. FOR EXAMPLE, SUBSISTENCE FARMERS ARE MORE LIKELY TO MIGRATE DURING DROUGHT BECAUSE THEY DO NOT HAVE ALTERNATIVE FOOD SOURCES. AREAS WITH POPULATIONS THAT DEPEND ON AS A MAJOR FOOD SOURCE ARE MORE VULNERABLE TO FAMINE.**



**DROUGHTS CAN  
CAUSE FOREST  
FIRES BECAUSE OF  
THE HEAT AND NO  
WATER THAT  
BRINGS TO BIG  
DANGER.**







**SO BEWARE OF  
DROUGHTS  
AND BE READY  
TO  
EVERYTHING**





THANKYOU  
FOR YOUR  
ATTENTION!)