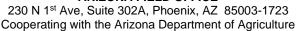
ARIZONA CROP PROGRESS



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CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 21, 2021

AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY: Seventy-one percent of the cotton crop had been harvested, compared with 65 percent last year, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Eighty-seven percent of the alfalfa crop was rated excellent to good depending on location last week, with harvesting taking place on over three-quarters of the alfalfa acreage across the state. Eighty-six percent of the pasture and range was rated fair to good as soil moisture conditions remained mostly adequate. According to the United States Drought Monitor, no exceptional drought was documented during the week. Lower temperatures were concentrated in the north central and northeastern part of the state. No measurable precipitation was reported for the week.

CROP AND LIVESTOCK PROGRESS					
Commodity	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average	
Cotton	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	
Harvested	71	58	65	65	

NA - not available

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	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
Days suitable for fieldwork	7.0	7.0	7.0	6.6
Topsoil moisture	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short			10	4
Short	10	8	11	20
Adequate	90	92	79	73
Surplus				3
Subsoil moisture				
Very short			9	7
Short	7	5	11	17
Adequate	93	95	80	74
Surplus	-			2

NA – not available

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CROP, LIVESTOCK, PASTURE AND RANGE CONDITION

Commodity	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alfalfa hay				
Very poor				3
Poor	3	3		3
Fair	10	10	16	19
Good	30	28	40	42
Excellent	57	59	44	33
Pasture and range				
Very poor	1	1	59	28
Poor	9	10	27	26
Fair	46	47	10	28
Good	40	38	4	17
Excellent	4	4		1

NA – not available

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