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Field Crops

Small grain plantings continue to be active this month. Alfalfa conditions are mostly fair. Range and pasture conditions are mostly very poor. Very few areas are in poor to fair condition.

Vegetables, Fruit & Specialty Crops

Central Arizona growers shipped broccoli, bok choy, red and green cabbage, Chinese cabbage, cilantro, greens, lemons, lettuce, parsley, and spinach.

Western Arizona growers shipped anise, arugula, broccoli, cauliflower, celery, cilantro, cabbage, Chinese cabbage, citrus, endive, escarole, frisee, greens, kale, Boston, iceberg, and romaine lettuce, and green leaf, red leaf lettuce, bok choy, parsley, Swiss chard, and spinach this week.

Weather Summary

Temperatures were mostly below normal across the State for the week ending February 14, ranging from 5 degrees below normal at Flagstaff and Tucson to 0 degrees above normal at Grand Canyon, Prescott, and Winslow. The highest temperature of the week was 77 degrees at Parker and Roll, and the lowest reading of 4 degree occurred at Flagstaff. Precipitation was reported at 19 of the 22 stations. Aguila received the least at 0.01 inches of precipitation and Roll received the most at 0.70 inches of precipitation.

Range and Pasture

The State's rangeland and pastures received much needed moisture for the month of January. Showers all over the State, brought enough moisture for a good start to spring feed. Temperatures statewide were mostly above normal for January. Range and pasture conditions were poor to mostly fair across the State. Arizona cattle and calves were in fair condition. Stock water and soil moisture levels were adequate. Insect damage remained mostly light.

In Arizona's Northern region, rangeland and pasture conditions varied from mostly poor to good, depending on location. Low elevation pastures were in mostly poor condition. Mid elevation pastures were mostly poor to fair, depending on location. High elevation pastures were mostly good. Cattle and calves were in mostly poor condition. Stock water and soil moisture levels were mostly short. Insect damage remained mostly light.

In the Central areas of the State, rangeland and pasture conditions were mostly fair. Pasture conditions in low and high elevations were mostly fair. Mid elevation conditions were mostly fair. Cattle and calves were in mostly poor to fair condition. Stock water supplies and soil moisture were mostly adequate. Insect damage was mostly light.

In the Southern region, rangeland conditions varied from very poor to good, depending on location. Low elevation pastures were mostly poor. Mid elevation conditions varied from mostly poor to good, depending on location. Cattle remain in mostly fair to good condition. Stock water and soil moisture levels remain adequate. Insect damage was light.

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Temperature and Precipitation Data
February 8, 2010 - February 14, 2010

Station	Temperature				Precipitation			
	Avg.	Dep. 1/	High	Low	Past Week	Jan. 1 to Date	Departure From Normal	Percent of Normal
Aguila	51	-1	73	34	0.01	5.42	3.50	282
Buckeye	54	-1	75	38	0.13	3.49	2.54	367
Canyon De Chelly	35	-2	49	24	0.24	2.52	1.52	252
Coolidge	52	-3	73	35	0.00	3.30	2.03	260
Douglas	46	-2	66	30	0.24	2.43	1.42	241
Flagstaff	27	-5	51	4	0.31	6.54	3.52	217
Grand Canyon	28	0	50	8	0.08	2.92	-0.62	82
Kingman	44	-4	63	30	0.02	2.93	1.59	219
Marana	52	-4	72	38	0.16	2.61	0.88	151
Maricopa	52	-2	75	35	0.02	2.76	1.64	246
Paloma	52	-4	75	35	0.14	2.05	1.01	197
Parker	53	-4	77	34	0.00	2.88	1.68	240
Payson	39	-3	62	23	0.00	8.07	5.16	277
Phoenix	56	-2	73	44	0.02	2.51	1.56	264
Prescott	39	0	61	25	0.20	4.06	1.83	182
Roll	55	-1	77	37	0.70	2.56	2.07	522
Safford	46	-2	66	31	0.14	2.98	1.99	301
St. Johns	35	-3	52	21	0.27	1.70	0.75	179
Tucson	50	-5	69	36	0.58	2.76	1.60	238
Willcox	43	-4	67	26	0.37	3.17	1.81	233
Winslow	38	0	55	23	0.24	2.59	1.90	375
Yuma	58	-3	75	45	0.17	2.73	2.24	557

1/ Departure of temperature for reporting period from average temperature for that week.

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