

# ARIZONA CROP PROGRESS



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## CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION MONTH OF JANUARY 2020

**AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY:** By the end of the month, 50 percent of barley has been planted and 47 percent has emerged, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Seventy percent of Durum wheat has been planted and 65 percent has emerged. Alfalfa conditions were rated mostly good to fair, depending on location last week with harvesting taking place on half of the alfalfa acreage across the State. For the entire State, pasture and range conditions were rated mostly fair. In the southeastern part of the State there are still a few fields of cotton that needed to be picked, due to rain conditions, and most ranchers are reporting tank water and some forage starting to grow.

**Note:** The monthly report for February will be released on Monday, February 24, 2020.

### CROP PROGRESS

Commodity	Current report (percent)	Previous report (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Barley				
Planted .....	50	38	NA	NA
Emerg'd .....	47	35	NA	NA
Durum wheat				
Planted .....	70	56	NA	NA
Emerg'd .....	65	53	NA	NA

NA – not available

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### SOIL MOISTURE CONDITION

	Current report (percent)	Previous report (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Topsoil moisture				
Very short.....	--	--	NA	NA
Short.....	--	2	NA	NA
Adequate .....	100	85	NA	NA
Surplus .....	--	13	NA	NA
Subsoil moisture				
Very short.....	--	--	NA	NA
Short.....	--	2	NA	NA
Adequate .....	100	87	NA	NA
Surplus .....	--	11	NA	NA

NA – not available

(--) – zero

**CROP, LIVESTOCK, PASTURE AND RANGE CONDITION**

Commodity	Current report (percent)	Previous report (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Alfalfa hay				
Very poor .....	--	5	NA	NA
Poor.....	5	10	NA	NA
Fair.....	24	21	NA	NA
Good .....	48	44	NA	NA
Excellent .....	23	20	NA	NA
Pasture and range				
Very poor .....	10	25	NA	NA
Poor.....	16	34	NA	NA
Fair.....	51	30	NA	NA
Good .....	16	10	NA	NA
Excellent .....	7	1	NA	NA

NA – not available

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