



Hawaii Crop Weather

Week ending: November 4, 2018

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Weather Review

On October 30, the U.S. Drought Monitor reported mostly normal conditions for the entire state. Hawaii remained free of abnormal dryness or drought. Complete information provided by the Drought Monitor can be found on their website at <http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu>. For the week ending on November 4, 2018, the state rainfall averaged 4.15 inches.

Hawaii County

The Waimea Irrigation Systems level at the Puukapu reservoir was marked at 50.00 feet (51.70 MG) as of Friday, November 2, 2018, unchanged from the previous Friday reading. The Puu Pulehu reservoir was marked at 18.10 feet (104.00 MG) on November 2, unchanged from the prior Friday. A mandatory ten percent conservation remained in effect.

The Honokaia Reservoir was at 8.00 feet (1.00 MG) as of Friday, November 2, unchanged from the previous Friday reading.

The water level at the Paaulo reservoir was marked at 0 feet (0 MG) on Friday, November 2 unchanged from the previous Friday reading. The Paaulo and

Honokaia Reservoirs feed into the Lower Hamakua Irrigation System where no conservation measures were in effect.

Honolulu County

The Waimanalo Irrigation System water level was marked at 56.75 feet (49.57 MG) as of Friday, November 2, 2018 up 2.50 feet from the previous Friday reading. No conservation measures were in effect.

Maui County

The Molokai Irrigation System water level was marked at 41.50 feet on Friday, November 2, 2018 an increase of 0.25 feet from the previous Friday reading. Conservation measures urged all non-homestead water users to cutback water consumption by ten percent.

The Waikamoi reservoir #1 water level was marked at 14.90 MG on Monday, November 5, 2018, up 0.40 MG from the previous Monday reading. The Waikamoi reservoir #2 water level was marked at 14.50 MG on the same day, an increase of 0.60 MG from the previous Monday reading. Each reservoir has a 15.00 MG capacity.

The Kahakapao reservoir #1 was marked at 47.70 MG on

Monday, November 5, down 0.40 MG from the previous Monday reading. The Kahakapao reservoir #2 water level was marked at 47.40 MG on the same day, down 0.70 MG from the previous Monday reading. Each reservoir has a 50.00 MG capacity.

The Piiholo reservoir was recorded at 48.10 MG on Monday, November 5, 2018, down 0.90 MG from the previous Monday reading. This reservoir has a capacity of 50.00 MG.

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