



# Crop Progress and Condition



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## Thunderstorms Rolled Across Idaho

There were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork in Idaho, down from 6.2 days reported the previous week. Idaho experienced temperatures slightly warmer in most areas for the past week. In northern Idaho, some areas experienced an abundance of moisture while others remained dry. In Jerome and Twin Falls Counties, afternoon thunderstorms and high humidity made haying difficult. Baling was delayed for alfalfa due to the heavy rainfall. Some green chopped alfalfa was observed. Triticale was coming off. Corn, potatoes, and sugarbeets looked good. Beans were being planted. Winter wheat started to produce heads. Elmore and Owyhee Counties saw thunderstorms with concentrated heavy rain that impacted crop growing conditions. Temperatures were mild, and soil temperature was cooler than normal.

## Varying Conditions in Oregon

There were 6.2 days suitable for fieldwork in Oregon, up from 6.1 days reported the previous week. Weather in Oregon varied by region, from hot and dry to mild with precipitation. In north Oregon, mild weather conditions were reported, and low moisture. Field activities included planting, mowing, raking, and manure applications. Irrigation started for most crops with excellent grass hay conditions. Reports in northcentral Oregon showed mild temperatures and no precipitation. The first cutting of hay took place. There were concerns of stress for fields due to no precipitation causing fields to dry quickly, especially on shallow ground. Producers were trying to finish spraying, but windy conditions limited applications. In northeast Oregon, there were hot and dry conditions, with all croplands experiencing drought stress. In southwest Oregon, dry, windy weather conditions were reported, with a moderate outlook for hay crops. In southeast Oregon, reports showed rainfall and some hail slowing fieldwork. Growers started cutting triticale for forage and baled the first alfalfa cuttings. Most of the dry beans had emerged in this region.

## Hot and Dry in Washington

There were 7.0 days suitable for fieldwork in Washington, up from 6.8 days recorded the previous week. Western Washington saw cooler temperatures than the rest of the State, but statewide it was a dry and warm week. The dry weather did not help topsoil or pasture conditions. Skagit County started seeing the first signs of heat stress on crops. With no rain in the forecast, irrigation equipment was being prepared for use by producers. Northeast Washington continued to cut hay. In Spokane County, spring and winter crops were doing well. East Central Washington also saw hot and dry conditions, which were unfavorable to crop and soil conditions. In Douglas County, wheat was beginning to look water stressed. Spring canola was severely impacted by the Diamondback moth. Southeast Washington also had dry conditions and needed moisture.

### Soil Moisture Condition — Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: Week Ending 06/04/23

Item and State	Very short (percent)	Short (percent)	Adequate (percent)	Surplus (percent)
Topsoil moisture				
Idaho.....	-	12	81	7
Oregon.....	14	50	33	3
Washington.....	18	37	45	-
Subsoil moisture				
Idaho.....	3	20	71	6
Oregon.....	9	34	53	4
Washington.....	13	28	59	-

- Represents zero.

**Pasture, Range, and Crop Condition — Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: Week Ending 06/04/23**

Crop and State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Pasture and range</b>					
Idaho .....	1	7	25	58	9
Oregon .....	1	8	42	40	9
Washington.....	2	12	52	29	5
<b>Winter wheat</b>					
Idaho .....	1	9	35	45	10
Oregon .....	5	28	25	39	3
Washington.....	2	8	27	57	6
<b>Spring wheat</b>					
Idaho .....	-	1	42	45	12
Oregon .....	4	21	49	24	2
Washington.....	-	10	35	49	6
<b>Barley</b>					
Idaho .....	-	-	13	80	7
Oregon .....	3	12	33	49	3
Washington.....	-	6	28	64	2
<b>Oats</b>					
Idaho .....	-	-	32	56	12
Oregon .....	1	6	25	65	3
<b>Potatoes</b>					
Idaho .....	-	-	38	61	1
Oregon .....	-	2	31	52	15
Washington.....	-	1	49	38	12
<b>Corn</b>					
Idaho .....	-	-	17	65	18
Oregon .....	1	4	27	56	12
Washington.....	-	-	42	43	15
<b>Dry edible beans</b>					
Idaho .....	-	-	50	47	3
Washington.....	-	-	38	54	8
<b>Onions</b>					
Idaho .....	-	-	-	90	10
Oregon .....	-	5	23	66	6
Washington.....	-	-	33	67	-
<b>Sugarbeets</b>					
Idaho .....	-	-	10	55	35
Oregon .....	-	10	10	70	10
<b>Dry edible peas</b>					
Idaho .....	-	-	68	31	1
Oregon .....	6	13	30	36	15
Washington.....	-	-	26	69	5

- Represents zero.

### Crop Progress — Idaho: Week Ending 06/04/23

Crop and activity	Percent completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Spring wheat emerged .....	93	84	82	89
Spring wheat headed .....	2	(NA)	1	2
Winter wheat headed .....	33	8	21	32
Barley planted .....	98	94	97	98
Barley emerged .....	88	81	90	92
Barley headed.....	1	(NA)	1	3
Oats planted .....	98	94	96	96
Oats emerged .....	91	82	85	87
Potatoes planted.....	95	90	(NA)	(NA)
Potatoes emerged.....	66	61	46	62
Field corn planted .....	95	86	90	95
Field corn emerged .....	78	64	68	82
Dry edible beans planted .....	83	79	79	86
Dry edible beans emerged .....	64	45	61	64
Dry edible peas emerged .....	94	84	82	87
Alfalfa hay 1st cutting.....	24	16	5	23

- Represents zero.  
(NA) Not available.

### Crop Progress — Oregon: Week Ending 06/04/23

Crop and activity	Percent completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Spring wheat headed .....	29	1	2	(NA)
Winter wheat headed .....	89	60	43	78
Barley emerged .....	97	91	95	(NA)
Barley headed.....	28	-	(NA)	(NA)
Oats emerged .....	95	84	95	(NA)
Oats headed .....	23	-	(NA)	(NA)
Potatoes emerged.....	83	72	80	87
Field corn planted .....	95	89	92	(NA)
Field corn emerged .....	74	69	65	80
Alfalfa hay 1st cutting.....	69	41	44	54

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(NA) Not available.

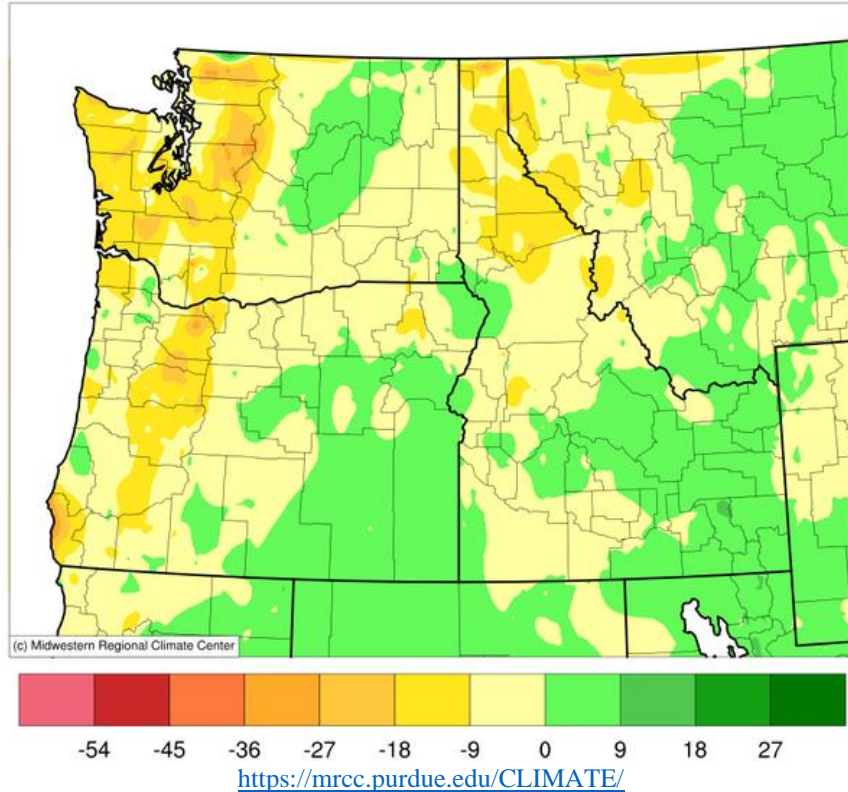
### Crop Progress — Washington: Week Ending 06/04/23

Crop and activity	Percent completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Spring wheat emerged .....	99	94	88	92
Winter wheat headed .....	63	45	15	55
Barley emerged .....	87	81	88	86
Potatoes emerged.....	81	70	45	81
Field corn planted .....	90	82	79	(NA)
Field corn emerged .....	65	50	35	74
Dry edible beans planted .....	95	90	(NA)	(NA)
Dry edible beans emerged .....	73	51	84	81
Dry edible peas emerged .....	89	81	84	(NA)
Onions emerged .....	83	76	81	(NA)
Alfalfa hay 1st cutting.....	52	40	29	58

(NA) Not available.

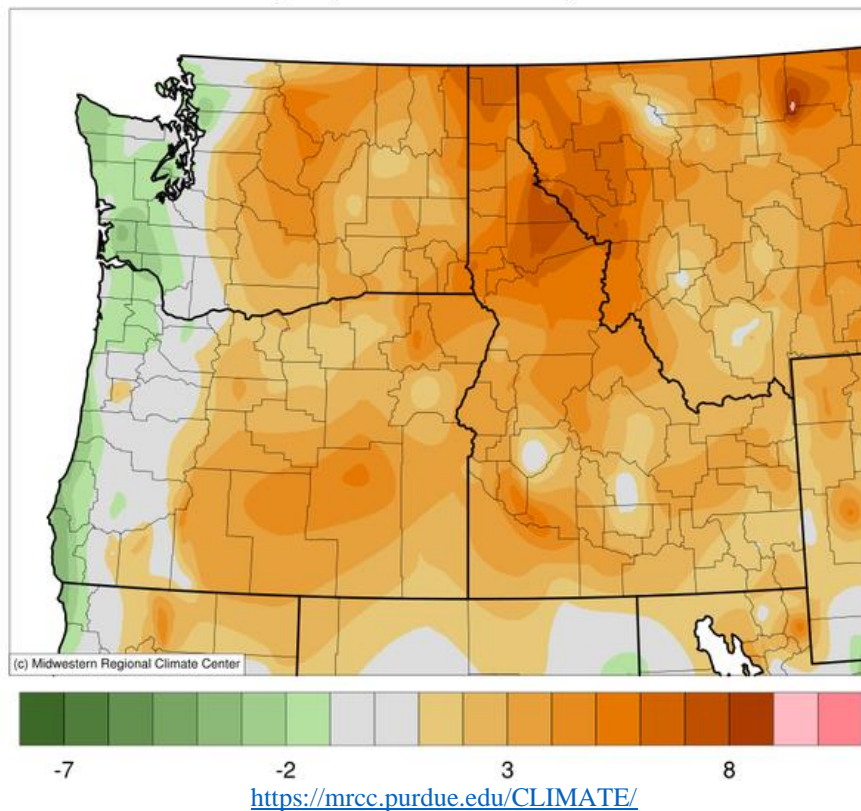
**Accumulated Precipitation (in): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals**

October 01, 2022 to June 04, 2023



**Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals**

May 29, 2023 to June 04, 2023





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