



UTAH CROP PROGRESS

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CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 3, 2019

AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY: Colder temperatures along with isolated rain storms occurred throughout the state, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Topsoil moisture level conditions adequate to surplus decreased from 75 percent last week to 73 percent. Beaver and Box Elder Counties reported that producers were busy harvesting corn for grain. Statewide, corn mature is currently at 91 percent complete, and corn harvested for grain is currently at 42 percent complete, both slightly behind last year's progress. Garfield and Kane Counties report very dry conditions. Box Elder County reports producers were busy planting winter wheat. Statewide, winter wheat planted is currently at 90 percent complete, slightly above last year's progress, and winter wheat emergence is currently at 63 percent complete, above last year's progress. Beaver County reports cattle were being moved off pasture, and Iron County reports sheep were moved off the mountain. Cattle and calves and sheep and lambs continue to come off pasture, at 90 percent and 88 percent complete, respectively. Hay and roughage supplies were rated 10 percent very short, 20 percent short, 68 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus. Stock water supplies were rated 1 percent very short, 14 percent short, and 85 percent adequate.

CROP AND LIVESTOCK PROGRESS

Commodity	Current week (percent)	Previous week (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn				
Mature.....	91	86	96	94
Harvested for grain	42	30	47	56
Winter wheat				
Planted	90	84	87	NA
Emerged.....	63	54	55	80
Cattle and calves				
Moved from pasture.....	90	85	87	89
Receiving supplemental feed	25	NA	44	NA
Sheep and lambs				
Moved from pasture.....	88	83	97	NA
Receiving supplemental feed	28	NA	39	NA

NA – not available

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DAYS SUITABLE FOR FIELDWORK AND SOIL MOISTURE CONDITION

Commodity	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
Days suitable for field work.....	6.4	6.9	6.5	6.2
Topsoil moisture	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short.....	7	9	4	6
Short.....	20	16	35	33
Adequate.....	72	75	61	60
Surplus.....	1	--	--	1
Subsoil moisture				
Very short.....	6	5	10	9
Short.....	23	23	45	37
Adequate.....	71	72	45	53
Surplus.....	--	--	--	1

NA – not available

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CROP, LIVESTOCK, PASTURE AND RANGE CONDITION

	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	NA
Poor.....	--	--	--	NA
Fair.....	7	10	15	NA
Good.....	75	68	71	NA
Excellent.....	18	22	14	NA
Pasture and range				
Very poor.....	4	1	21	6
Poor.....	8	5	46	20
Fair.....	31	28	28	38
Good.....	54	61	5	33
Excellent.....	3	5	--	3
Winter wheat				
Very poor.....	2	NA	NA	NA
Poor.....	15	NA	NA	NA
Fair.....	48	NA	NA	NA
Good.....	35	NA	NA	NA
Excellent.....	--	NA	NA	NA
Cattle and calves				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	--
Poor.....	1	--	5	1
Fair.....	16	10	36	20
Good.....	68	68	54	67
Excellent.....	15	22	5	12
Sheep and lambs				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	--
Poor.....	--	--	6	1
Fair.....	17	12	30	20
Good.....	52	60	63	71
Excellent.....	31	28	1	8

NA – not available

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