



UTAH CROP PROGRESS

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CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION MONTH OF JANUARY 2020

AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY: Mild temperature along with isolated snow storms occurred throughout the state for the month of January, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Topsoil moisture level conditions rated adequate to surplus increased from 72 percent last month to 86 percent. Cattle and calves and sheep and lambs receiving supplemental feed are 81 percent and 71 percent complete, respectively. Box Elder County reports producers are busy feeding cattle. Beaver County reports livestock are doing well, but it has been a mild winter with low snowpack. Iron County reports producers are hauling water to sheep due to a lack of snow. Hay and roughage supplies were rated 6 percent short and 94 percent adequate. Stock water supplies were rated 7 percent short, 86 percent adequate, and 7 percent surplus.

Note: Monthly reports will be released for February on Monday, February 24, 2020; and for March on Monday, March 30, 2020.

CROP AND LIVESTOCK PROGRESS

Commodity	Current report (percent)	Previous report (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Cattle and calves				
Cows calved.....	4	1	NA	NA
Receiving supplemental feed	81	88	NA	NA
Sheep and lambs				
Ewes lambed – farm flock	14	NA	NA	NA
Ewes lambed –range flock	1	NA	NA	NA
Receiving supplemental feed	71	77	NA	NA

NA – not available

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SOIL MOISTURE CONDITION

Commodity	Current report (percent)	Previous report (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Topsoil moisture				
Very short.....	--	10	NA	NA
Short.....	14	18	NA	NA
Adequate	80	65	NA	NA
Surplus	6	7	NA	NA
Subsoil moisture				
Very short.....	--	19	NA	NA
Short.....	12	14	NA	NA
Adequate	84	67	NA	NA
Surplus	4	--	NA	NA

NA – not available

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CROP, LIVESTOCK, PASTURE AND RANGE CONDITION

	Current report	Previous report	Previous year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Pasture and range				
Very poor	--	--	NA	NA
Poor.....	7	8	NA	NA
Fair.....	39	45	NA	NA
Good	54	47	NA	NA
Excellent	--	--	NA	NA
Winter wheat				
Very poor	--	--	NA	NA
Poor.....	6	--	NA	NA
Fair.....	41	66	NA	NA
Good	53	34	NA	NA
Excellent	--	--	NA	NA
Cattle and calves				
Very poor	--	--	NA	NA
Poor.....	--	2	NA	NA
Fair.....	11	11	NA	NA
Good	87	72	NA	NA
Excellent	2	15	NA	NA
Sheep and lambs				
Very poor	--	--	NA	NA
Poor.....	2	1	NA	NA
Fair.....	16	11	NA	NA
Good	80	70	NA	NA
Excellent	2	18	NA	NA

NA – not available

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