



# UTAH CROP PROGRESS

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## CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION WEEK ENDING JUNE 7, 2020

**AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY:** Warm temperatures along with rain and wind storms occurred throughout the state last week, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Topsoil moisture level conditions rated adequate to surplus increased from 41 percent last week to 55 percent. Statewide, the first cutting of alfalfa and the first cutting of other hay are 27 percent complete and 12 percent complete, respectively. Statewide, barley headed is at 12 percent complete and winter wheat headed is at 48 percent complete. Corn planted is currently at 87 percent complete with emergence at 58 percent complete, both ahead of last year's progress. Beaver and Duchesne Counties report grasshoppers in alfalfa fields. Uintah County reports grasshoppers and weevils in alfalfa fields. According to the latest U.S. Drought Monitor report, some central west and southeast counties are experiencing extreme drought (D2), with moderate drought (D1) throughout the rest of the state. Stock water supplies were rated 20 percent short, 70 percent adequate, and 10 percent surplus. Irrigation water supplies were rated 1 percent very poor, 10 percent poor, 13 percent fair, 70 percent good, and 6 percent excellent.

### CROP AND LIVESTOCK PROGRESS

Commodity	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alfalfa hay				
1 <sup>st</sup> cutting harvested .....	27	14	21	36
Barley				
Headed .....	12	8	25	33
Corn				
Planted .....	87	83	78	NA
Emergenced .....	58	54	55	72
Other hay				
1 <sup>st</sup> cutting harvested .....	12	9	17	27
Winter wheat				
Headed .....	48	39	29	57
Cattle and calves				
Moved to pasture .....	79	72	94	88
Sheep and lambs				
Ewes lambed – range flock .....	95	90	94	NA

NA – not available

(--) – zero

### DAYS SUITABLE FOR FIELDWORK AND SOIL MOISTURE CONDITION

Commodity	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
Days suitable for field work .....	6.1	7.0	6.3	6.6
Topsoil moisture	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	percent)
Very short .....	13	21	--	4
Short .....	32	38	4	21
Adequate .....	50	41	81	71
Surplus .....	5	--	15	4
Subsoil moisture				
Very short .....	5	10	--	4
Short .....	33	40	5	24
Adequate .....	59	50	81	68
Surplus .....	3	--	14	4

NA – not available

(--) – zero

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

	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Alfalfa hay</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	NA
Poor .....	--	2	3	NA
Fair .....	15	18	15	NA
Good .....	67	69	68	NA
Excellent.....	18	11	14	NA
<b>Barley</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	--
Poor .....	4	6	--	--
Fair .....	35	44	10	12
Good.....	52	44	61	66
Excellent.....	9	6	29	22
<b>Corn</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	NA	NA
Poor .....	--	2	NA	NA
Fair .....	22	23	NA	NA
Good.....	65	56	NA	NA
Excellent.....	13	19	NA	NA
<b>Other hay</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	NA
Poor .....	2	2	4	NA
Fair .....	12	18	11	NA
Good .....	78	73	65	NA
Excellent.....	8	7	20	NA
<b>Pasture and range</b>				
Very poor.....	3	5	--	1
Poor.....	8	13	--	5
Fair.....	37	40	8	25
Good .....	46	40	51	49
Excellent .....	6	2	41	20
<b>Winter wheat</b>				
Very poor.....	1	3	--	3
Poor.....	21	23	12	7
Fair.....	34	36	26	21
Good .....	38	30	46	52
Excellent .....	6	8	16	17
<b>Cattle and calves</b>				
Very poor.....	1	1	--	--
Poor.....	2	1	1	1
Fair.....	7	9	22	14
Good .....	86	83	62	72
Excellent .....	4	6	15	13
<b>Sheep and lambs</b>				
Very poor.....	1	--	--	--
Poor.....	2	2	--	--
Fair.....	16	25	15	18
Good .....	69	63	72	73
Excellent .....	12	10	13	9

NA – not available

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