



UTAH CROP PROGRESS

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CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION WEEK ENDING JUNE 5, 2022

AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY: Warmer temperatures along with limited precipitation 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 54 percent last week to 66 percent. Box Elder County reports noted rainstorms were received last weekend and corn in the county is mostly emerged. Beaver County reports noted alfalfa cutting is behind schedule due to the colder weather and the ranges and pastures are drying out due to lack of rain. Iron County reports noted another week of windy conditions with hot days and cold nights. Statewide, the first cutting of alfalfa and the first cutting of other hay are 22 percent complete and 27 percent complete, respectively. Statewide, barley emerged was at 90 percent complete with headed at 9 percent complete. Corn planted was at 84 percent complete with emergence at 64 percent complete. Winter wheat headed is at 56 percent complete. Cattle and calves and sheep and lambs moved to pasture are at 87 percent and 96 percent complete, respectively. Hay and roughage supplies were rated 25 percent very short, 50 percent short, and 25 percent adequate, compared to 39 percent very short, 36 percent short, 24 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus last week. Stock water supplies were rated 4 percent very short, 37 percent short, and 59 percent adequate, compared to 5 percent very short, 33 percent short, and 62 percent adequate last week. Irrigation water supplies were rated 11 percent very poor, 18 percent poor, 58 percent fair, and 13 percent good, compared to 14 percent very poor, 17 percent poor, 60 percent fair, and 9 percent good last week.

CROP AND LIVESTOCK PROGRESS

Commodity	Current week (percent)	Previous week (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Alfalfa hay				
1 st cutting harvested	22	6	29	28
Barley				
Emerged	90	82	90	NA
Headed	9	1	13	15
Corn				
Planted	84	75	91	NA
Emerged	64	42	67	63
Other hay				
1 st cutting harvested	27	11	25	19
Tart cherries				
Fully bloomed	90	81	NA	NA
Winter wheat				
Headed	56	37	51	45
Cattle and calves				
Moved to pasture	87	83	87	87
Sheep and lambs				
Moved to pasture	96	93	94	NA

NA – not available
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DAYS SUITABLE FOR FIELDWORK AND SOIL MOISTURE CONDITION

	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
Days suitable for fieldwork	6.2	6.2	7.0	6.7
Topsoil moisture	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short	9	9	20	9
Short	25	37	50	30
Adequate	66	54	30	57
Surplus.....	--	--	--	4
Subsoil moisture				
Very short	9	9	24	8
Short	32	41	37	27
Adequate	59	50	39	61
Surplus.....	--	--	--	4

NA – not available

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CROP, LIVESTOCK, AND PASTURE AND RANGE CONDITION

Commodity	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alfalfa hay				
Very poor	--	2	1	NA
Poor	4	5	12	NA
Fair.....	34	34	29	NA
Good	47	45	56	NA
Excellent	15	14	2	NA
Barley				
Very poor	--	--	--	--
Poor	5	4	9	3
Fair.....	43	44	42	22
Good	46	46	42	57
Excellent	6	6	7	18
Other hay				
Very poor	3	6	3	NA
Poor	8	11	16	NA
Fair.....	50	42	32	NA
Good	39	40	49	NA
Excellent	--	1	--	NA
Pasture and range				
Very poor	3	5	25	7
Poor	19	32	42	13
Fair.....	47	43	32	28
Good	31	20	1	38
Excellent	--	--	--	14
Winter wheat				
Very poor	2	2	15	6
Poor	5	25	36	18
Fair.....	35	41	36	29
Good	47	25	7	36
Excellent	11	7	6	11
Cattle and calves				
Very poor	--	--	1	--
Poor	1	1	4	2
Fair.....	19	22	36	18
Good	75	72	54	71
Excellent	5	5	5	9
Sheep and lambs				
Very poor	--	--	--	--
Poor	2	2	8	2
Fair.....	21	19	38	23
Good	73	68	51	67
Excellent	4	11	3	8

NA – not available

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