



# UTAH CROP PROGRESS

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## CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION WEEK ENDING JUNE 25, 2023

**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. A week of dry conditions allowed producers to resume cutting alfalfa and other hay. Statewide, the first cutting of alfalfa hay and the first cutting of other hay were 84 percent complete and 69 percent complete, respectively. Statewide, barley headed was at 65 percent complete and winter wheat headed was at 85 percent complete. Hay and roughage supplies were reported as 3 percent very short, 29 percent short, 63 percent adequate, and 5 percent surplus, compared with 10 percent very short, 31 percent short, 54 percent adequate, and 5 percent surplus last week. Stock water supplies were reported as 1 percent short, 87 percent adequate, and 12 percent surplus, compared with 4 percent short, 82 percent adequate, and 14 percent surplus last week. Irrigation water supplies were reported as 9 percent fair, 54 percent good, and 37 percent excellent, compared with 1 percent poor, 5 percent fair, 53 percent good, and 41 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 .....	84	57	78	77
2 <sup>nd</sup> cutting harvested .....	1	NA	NA	NA
Barley				
Headed .....	65	45	69	66
Corn				
Emerged .....	95	86	NA	NA
Other hay				
1 <sup>st</sup> cutting harvested .....	69	44	70	62
Winter wheat				
Headed .....	85	68	96	NA
Sheep and lambs				
Ewes lambled – range flock .....	97	94	NA	NA
Moved to pasture .....	95	90	NA	NA
Sheep shorn – range flock .....	95	92	NA	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 fieldwork.....	6.8	6.3	6.8	6.7
Topsoil moisture	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short .....	1	2	23	18
Short .....	29	20	34	35
Adequate .....	64	72	43	47
Surplus .....	6	6	--	--
Subsoil moisture				
Very short .....	--	2	21	18
Short .....	16	16	43	34
Adequate .....	76	73	36	47
Surplus .....	8	9	--	1

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 .....	1	1	--	--
Poor .....	1	2	5	7
Fair .....	26	29	30	25
Good .....	60	59	47	58
Excellent .....	12	9	18	10
<b>Barley</b>				
Very poor .....	--	--	--	--
Poor .....	--	2	4	5
Fair .....	15	18	28	24
Good .....	78	73	47	52
Excellent .....	7	7	21	19
<b>Corn</b>				
Very poor .....	--	2	--	--
Poor .....	1	3	5	4
Fair .....	16	25	42	27
Good .....	73	65	45	59
Excellent .....	10	5	8	10
<b>Other hay</b>				
Very poor .....	--	1	4	2
Poor .....	1	2	11	10
Fair .....	20	24	41	24
Good .....	63	63	40	54
Excellent .....	16	10	4	10
<b>Pasture and range</b>				
Very poor.....	--	1	7	10
Poor.....	1	2	32	21
Fair.....	20	20	34	30
Good .....	63	65	27	29
Excellent.....	16	12	--	10
<b>Winter wheat</b>				
Very poor.....	2	7	12	9
Poor.....	9	12	19	18
Fair.....	42	39	27	28
Good .....	41	32	31	32
Excellent.....	6	10	11	13
<b>Cattle and calves</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	--
Poor.....	--	1	4	4
Fair.....	19	23	26	19
Good .....	68	64	62	66
Excellent.....	13	12	8	11
<b>Sheep and lambs</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	--
Poor.....	--	3	4	4
Fair.....	36	44	33	25
Good .....	49	42	54	62
Excellent.....	15	11	9	9

NA – not available

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