



# Crop Progress and Condition

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**Agricultural News:** Farming activities for the month of January included planning for the new crop season and completing the harvesting of cotton and corn. Weather conditions have been normal with spotty rain; some fields are muddy. The average high temperatures during the month of January were mostly in the upper 40s. The average low temperatures during the month of January were mostly in the 30s. Monthly precipitation amounts ranged between 1 to 2 inches.

### SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 1/24/21

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	2	77	21
Subsoil	-	2	79	19
Hay & Roughage	1	13	76	10

- Represents zero.

### CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 1/24/21

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Barley	1	3	41	53	2
Winter Wheat	1	9	37	49	4
Pasture	4	22	44	26	4
Livestock	1	5	34	49	11

- Represents zero.

Forage Percent Obtained from Pastures	This Month	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%
Feed Obtained from Pastures	12	8	-

- Represents data not available.

### Weather Summary- For the week ending January 24, 2021

City	Temperature				Precipitation				
	Avg. high	Avg. low	Avg. mean	Avg. dep. from normal *	Last Week	Since Dec. 1	Dec. 1 dep. from normal *	Jan. 1, 2021 to date	Jan. 1, 2021 dep. from normal *
Lynchburg	49.1	26.1	37.6	+2.5	0.00	6.58	+0.9	1.23	-1.2
Norfolk	51.3	33.0	42.1	+1.9	0.00	5.70	-0.2	1.31	-1.3
Richmond	50.4	26.1	38.3	+0.5	0.01	8.49	+2.9	1.79	-0.6
Roanoke	47.7	30.1	38.9	+2.4	0.00	4.80	-0.4	1.17	-1.1
Wash/Dulles	45.3	24.0	34.6	+1.5	0.01	7.07	+2.1	1.26	-0.8

\*Normals value based on 2010 normals data. Source: NOAA Southeast Regional Climate Center <https://www.sercc.com/>.