



Nevada Crop Progress & Condition

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Week Ending October 13, 2024

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Weather Summary

Temperature and precipitation information for Nevada are not available this week.

Crops Summary

Days Suitable for Fieldwork: 7.0 days. Topsoil Moisture: 25% very short, 35% short, 30% adequate, and 10% surplus. Subsoil Moisture: 5% very short, 55% short, 35% adequate, and 5% surplus. Pasture and Range Condition: 30% very poor, 10% poor, 20% fair, 25% good, and 15% excellent. Temperatures remained unusually high during the week and conditions were very dry. **Corn** silage harvest was halfway complete.

Weather for the Week of 10/7/2024 through 10/13/2024

Station	Temperature				Precipitation ²
	High	Low	Average	Departure from Normal ¹	
	-- Degrees Fahrenheit --				
Reno	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Elko	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Ely	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Winnemucca	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Eureka	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tonopah	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Las Vegas	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

¹ Normal periods 1990-2020 used in departure from normal calculations.

² Rain or melted snow/ice.

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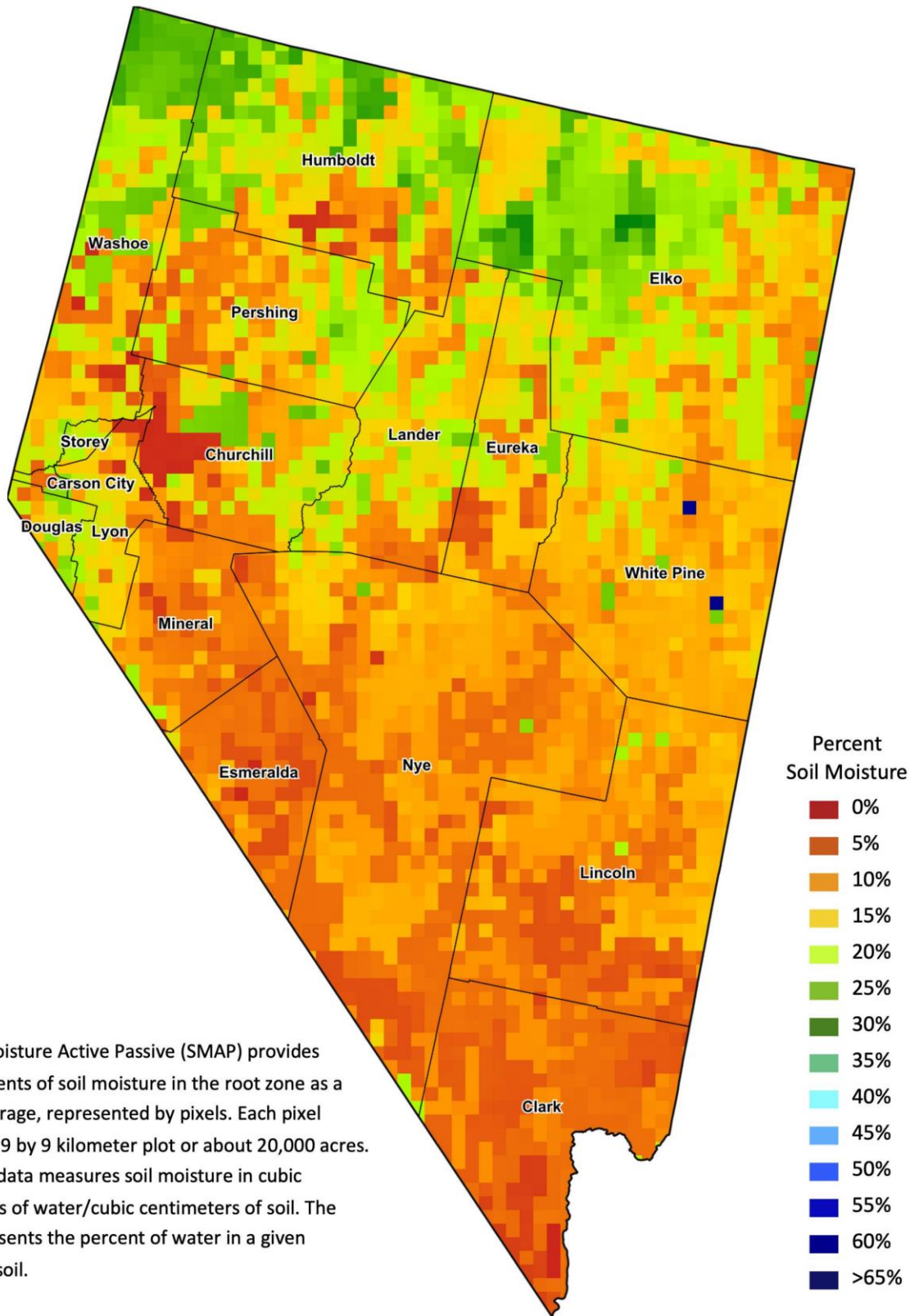
Drought Conditions from the U.S. Drought Monitor as of 10/8/2024

Time	Percent of Land in Drought Rating						Drought Severity (DSCI)
	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4	
Current	0.00	67.40	19.29	13.31	0.00	0.00	146
Last Week	0.11	67.65	32.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	132
3 Months Ago	77.98	21.78	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	22
One Year Ago	94.27	4.12	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	7

The U.S. Drought Monitor is jointly produced by the National Drought Mitigation Center at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, the United States Department of Agriculture, and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.
droughtmonitor.unl.edu/CurrentMap/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?NV



Nevada Soil Moisture Map for the Week of September 30 - October 6, 2024



The Soil Moisture Active Passive (SMAP) provides measurements of soil moisture in the root zone as a weekly average, represented by pixels. Each pixel represents 9 by 9 kilometer plot or about 20,000 acres. The SMAP data measures soil moisture in cubic centimeters of water/cubic centimeters of soil. The scale represents the percent of water in a given volume of soil.