



# UTAH CROP PROGRESS

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## CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION WEEK ENDING JUNE 20, 2021

**AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY:** Another week of warm dry conditions 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 decreased from 22 percent last week to 17 percent. Box Elder County reports producers were busy irrigating crops. Statewide, the first cutting of alfalfa and the first cutting of other hay are 76 percent complete and 66 percent complete, respectively, both ahead of last year's progress. Statewide, barley headed is at 58 percent complete and winter wheat headed is at 87 percent complete, both ahead of last year's progress. Corn emergence is currently at 97 percent complete, ahead of last year's progress. Hay and roughage supplies were rated 20 percent very short, 23 percent short, and 57 percent adequate. Stock water supplies were rated 23 percent very short, 56 percent short, and 21 percent adequate. Irrigation water supplies were rated 12 percent very poor, 43 percent poor, 28 percent fair, and 17 percent good.

### CROP AND LIVESTOCK PROGRESS

Commodity	Current week (percent)	Previous week (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Alfalfa hay				
1 <sup>st</sup> cutting harvested .....	76	54	66	72
Barley				
Headed .....	58	35	49	63
Corn				
Emerged .....	97	82	82	NA
Other hay				
1 <sup>st</sup> cutting harvested .....	66	46	39	57
Tart cherries				
Harvested .....	5	NA	2	NA
Winter wheat				
Headed .....	87	72	80	84

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 field work .....	7.0	7.0	6.4	6.8
Topsoil moisture	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short .....	26	27	13	10
Short .....	57	51	31	29
Adequate .....	17	22	55	60
Surplus .....	--	--	1	1
Subsoil moisture				
Very short .....	29	27	8	7
Short .....	33	34	29	27
Adequate .....	38	39	62	64
Surplus .....	--	--	1	2

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	2	--	NA
Poor .....	14	13	4	NA
Fair .....	29	27	27	NA
Good.....	54	56	60	NA
Excellent.....	2	2	9	NA
<b>Barley</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	--
Poor .....	16	13	1	--
Fair .....	44	42	30	15
Good.....	34	39	59	64
Excellent.....	6	6	10	21
<b>Corn</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	--
Poor .....	6	8	7	1
Fair .....	35	29	25	18
Good.....	55	59	62	73
Excellent.....	4	4	6	8
<b>Other hay</b>				
Very poor.....	4	7	--	NA
Poor .....	20	14	2	NA
Fair .....	36	29	15	NA
Good.....	40	49	76	NA
Excellent.....	--	1	7	NA
<b>Pasture and range</b>				
Very poor.....	28	25	3	3
Poor.....	47	45	9	8
Fair.....	24	28	40	28
Good .....	1	2	47	47
Excellent .....	--	--	1	14
<b>Winter wheat</b>				
Very poor.....	15	15	5	4
Poor.....	40	37	14	11
Fair.....	29	35	39	31
Good .....	10	7	31	41
Excellent .....	6	6	11	13
<b>Cattle and calves</b>				
Very poor.....	1	1	--	--
Poor.....	5	5	1	1
Fair.....	39	33	10	13
Good .....	52	57	81	72
Excellent .....	3	4	8	14
<b>and lambs</b>				
Very poor.....	--	1	--	--
Poor.....	7	8	--	1
Fair.....	40	38	18	18
Good .....	50	50	68	70
Excellent .....	3	3	14	11

NA – not available

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