



UTAH CROP PROGRESS

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CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION MONTH OF JANUARY 2025

AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY: Mild temperatures along with limited precipitation occurred throughout the State during the month of January, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Topsoil moisture condition rated adequate to surplus decreased from 82 percent last month to 64 percent. According to the U.S. Drought Monitor for January 28, 2025, drought conditions were present across 41 percent of the State, up 20 percentage points from December 31, 2024. Abnormally dry conditions sat at 55 percent of the State, down 12 percentage points from December 31, 2024. Moderate drought conditions sat at 33 percent of the State, up 14 percentage points from December 31, 2024. Severe drought conditions sat at 8 percent, up 6 percentage points from December 31, 2024. Daggett, Duchesne, and Uintah Counties reported above normal temperatures along with limited precipitation. Grand County noted freezing temperatures for the first half of January with warmer temperatures and limited precipitation for the past two weeks. Washington County reported very dry conditions with not enough moisture for fall small grains emergence. Cattle and calves and sheep and lambs receiving supplemental feed were at 72 percent and 46 percent, respectively. Snowpack in Utah, according to Natural Resources Conservation Service as of February 3, 2025, was 80 percent measured as percent of median snowfall.

Hay and roughage supplies were rated 1 percent very short, 5 percent short, 82 percent adequate, and 12 percent surplus, compared with 8 percent short, 51 percent adequate, and 41 percent surplus last report. Stock water supplies were rated 3 percent very short, 5 percent short, 82 percent adequate and 10 percent surplus, compared with 5 percent very short, 12 percent short, 46 percent adequate, and 37 percent surplus last report.

Note Monthly reports will be released for February on March 3, 2025; and for March on March 31, 2025.

CROP AND LIVESTOCK PROGRESS

Commodity	Current report (percent)	Previous report (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Cattle and calves				
Cows calved.....	2	1	3	NA
Receiving supplemental feed.....	72	56	84	NA
Sheep and lambs				
Ewes lambed – farm flock.....	3	2	1	NA
Ewes lambed – range flock.....	2	1	1	NA
Receiving supplemental feed.....	46	62	72	NA

NA – not available
(--) – zero

SOIL MOISTURE CONDITION

	Current report (percent)	Previous report (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Topsoil moisture				
Very short.....	7	8	--	NA
Short.....	29	10	3	NA
Adequate.....	54	82	82	NA
Surplus.....	10	--	15	NA
Subsoil moisture				
Very short.....	11	7	--	NA
Short.....	36	28	6	NA
Adequate.....	43	63	82	NA
Surplus.....	10	2	12	NA

NA – not available
(--) – zero

CROP, LIVESTOCK, AND PASTURE AND RANGE CONDITION

Commodity	Current report (percent)	Previous report (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Pasture and range				
Very poor.....	3	1	--	NA
Poor	8	3	7	NA
Fair.....	40	23	19	NA
Good	40	57	71	NA
Excellent.....	9	16	3	NA
Winter wheat				
Very poor.....	2	--	--	NA
Poor	19	--	11	NA
Fair.....	35	29	17	NA
Good	39	71	59	NA
Excellent.....	5	--	13	NA
Cattle and calves				
Very poor.....	2	1	--	NA
Poor	9	2	1	NA
Fair.....	22	8	5	NA
Good	60	84	79	NA
Excellent.....	7	5	15	NA
Sheep and lambs				
Very poor.....	2	1	--	NA
Poor	9	2	1	NA
Fair.....	23	4	8	NA
Good	62	87	73	NA
Excellent.....	4	6	18	NA

NA – not available

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