



# WYOMING CROP PROGRESS

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## CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 10, 2019

**AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY:** Warmer conditions were seen across much of Wyoming last week with scattered precipitation across the state, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Topsoil and subsoil moisture levels were mostly in the adequate to short ranges. A report from Northwestern Wyoming indicated that the cool muddy conditions of the past few weeks has given way to freezing temperatures and the sugarbeet harvest is in jeopardy. Corn harvest continued but is still behind last year and the five-year average. Corn was rated to be in mostly good to fair condition. Snow and cold weather has forced many ranchers into winter feeding operations. About one quarter of the hay and roughage supplies were rated very short to short. The U.S. drought monitor released on November 7th, showed most of Wyoming with good moisture, but with abnormally dry conditions in the Southwestern and South Central parts of the state. Stock water supplies across Wyoming were rated 3 percent very short, 9 percent short, and 88 percent adequate while last year at this time it was rated 1 percent very short, 23 percent short, and 76 percent adequate. Hay and roughage supplies were rated 10 percent very short, 16 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus.

### CROP AND LIVESTOCK PROGRESS

Commodity	Current week (percent)	Previous week (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn				
Harvested for grain .....	44	26	64	56
Sugarbeets				
Harvested .....	86	70	100	98

NA – not available  
(--) – zero

### DAYS SUITABLE FOR FIELDWORK AND SOIL MOISTURE CONDITION

Commodity	Current week	Previous week	Previous year	5-year average
Days suitable for fieldwork .....	4.0	2.2	5.1	5.4
Topsoil moisture	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short .....	8	8	6	9
Short .....	31	33	34	32
Adequate .....	47	51	60	57
Surplus .....	14	8	--	2
Subsoil moisture				
Very short .....	8	9	8	11
Short .....	36	42	39	33
Adequate .....	50	41	53	55
Surplus .....	6	8	--	1

NA – not available  
(--) – zero

**CROP, LIVESTOCK, PASTURE AND RANGE CONDITION**

	Current week (percent)	Previous week (percent)	Previous year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
<b>Corn</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	NA	NA
Poor.....	3	6	NA	NA
Fair.....	19	18	NA	NA
Good.....	76	72	NA	NA
Excellent.....	2	4	NA	NA
<b>Pasture and range</b>				
Very poor.....	5	4	6	NA
Poor.....	11	18	10	NA
Fair.....	41	45	46	NA
Good.....	37	30	33	NA
Excellent.....	6	3	5	NA
<b>Winter wheat</b>				
Very poor.....	4	5	2	1
Poor.....	11	14	2	3
Fair.....	27	24	3	26
Good.....	54	52	90	68
Excellent.....	4	5	3	2
<b>Livestock</b>				
Very poor.....	--	--	--	--
Poor.....	2	3	2	1
Fair.....	7	12	12	11
Good.....	81	78	83	78
Excellent.....	10	7	3	10

NA – not available

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