



Crop Progress and Condition



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ALASKA: There were **5.8 days suitable for fieldwork** for the week ending June 9. **Progress of fieldwork** was reported as normal across the state. No major weather events were reported, but smoke was reported in the Tanana Valley. **Local hay supplies** were reported as 55% short and 45% adequate. **Condition of livestock** was reported as 5% poor, 20% fair, 70% good, and 5% excellent. **Range and pasture condition** was reported as 10% fair, 80% good, and 10% excellent. Weed spraying started in the **Tanana Valley**. Other activities included planting annual forage crops and cover crops. Livestock pens were cleared out and manure spread on fallow land. Some machinery was being prepped for harvesting.

	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil Moisture – State.....	0	8	92	0
Tanana Valley.....	0	10	90	0
Matanuska Valley.....	0	0	100	0
Kenai.....	0	30	70	0
Subsoil Moisture – State	0	0	100	0
Tanana Valley.....	0	0	100	0
Matanuska Valley.....	0	0	100	0
Kenai.....	0	0	100	0

Soil Temperatures (F°) at 4-inch depth and weekly conditions

	June 9						Week ending June 9		
	Grass			Fallow			Air Temperature		Precipitation (inches)
	2024	2023	2021	2024	2023	2021	High	Low	
Sawmill Creek	48	45	48	NA	NA	NA	78	33	0.14
UAF - Matanuska Experiment Farm.....	40	35	49	47	57	53	71	38	0.79

Pan evaporation ^{1/} UAF Matanuska Experiment Farm: 01.17

NA – Not Available.

Crop Progress -- Alaska

	Percent completed			
	This week	Last week	2023	5-year Average 1/
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Barley emerged.....	>95	65	76	90
Oats emerged.....	>95	70	79	93
Potatoes emerged.....	25	NA	5	18

^{1/} Excludes 2022 ^{1/}Not available

Crop Condition -- Alaska

	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Barley.....	0	0	45	55	0
Oats.....	0	0	45	55	0

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