



# Crop Progress and Condition



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## Above Average Temperatures Across Idaho

There were 3.8 days suitable for fieldwork in Idaho, up from 2.9 days reported the previous week. Idaho experienced above average temperatures for the week. Elmore and Owyhee counties received moisture late in the week, accompanied by strong winds that dried out fields. Fall tillage activities were reported in Jerome and Twin Falls counties, with rain early in the week. Fremont, Madison, and Teton counties had dry and warm temperatures for this time of year. Snow and cold temperatures were reported in Bannock, Bingham, and Butte counties.

## Field Maintenance in Oregon

There were 5.3 days suitable for fieldwork in Oregon, down from 5.5 days reported the previous week. Temperatures were mild, with scattered showers reported throughout the State. Polk County reported mild temperatures conducive to planting, germination, and emergence. There was evidence of cutworms and wireworms in grass seed production. In Columbia, Multnomah, and Washington Counties, temperatures were mild, providing opportunities to get agronomic crop fields weeded and slug management under control. Pastures and agronomic crops were in good condition. Fall activities for crops and livestock operations were winding down. Clatsop and Tillamook Counties reported cold temperatures and rain. Field activities consisted mainly of manure applications. North Central Oregon reported that crops were coming in well due to the rain. Pastures have come back and held strong, which allowed for livestock to keep grazing and not require as much supplemental feed. Umatilla County reported above normal temperatures with spraying and field work taking place.

## Fall Weather in Washington

There were 4.7 days suitable for fieldwork in Washington, up from 3.6 days reported the previous week. Western Washington remained cooler than normal compared to the rest of the state. Central Washington was warmer than usual at this time of year. In Yakima County, farmers were back in the fields and planted acreage they would typically wait until spring to plant. Cattle were still grazing, with some being supplemented. Northeast Washington had normal seasonal weather, which caused the ground to freeze and end fall fieldwork. Southeast Washington saw warmer than normal fall temperatures.

**Soil Moisture Condition — Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: Week Ending 11/19/23**

Item and State	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture				
Idaho.....	1	7	89	3
Oregon.....	9	28	58	5
Washington.....	24	33	39	4
Subsoil moisture				
Idaho.....	1	31	67	1
Oregon.....	23	36	40	1
Washington.....	33	30	33	4

**Pasture, Range, and Crop Condition — Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: Week Ending 11/19/23**

Crop and State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Pasture and range					
Idaho.....	6	23	34	32	5
Oregon.....	24	18	36	21	1
Washington.....	14	45	26	15	-
Winter wheat					
Idaho.....	1	1	18	78	2
Oregon.....	-	21	40	35	4
Washington.....	2	8	38	45	7

- Represents zero.

**Crop Progress — Idaho: Week Ending 11/19/23**

Crop and activity	Percent completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Field corn harvested for grain .....	80	67	74	83

**Crop Progress — Oregon: Week Ending 11/19/23**

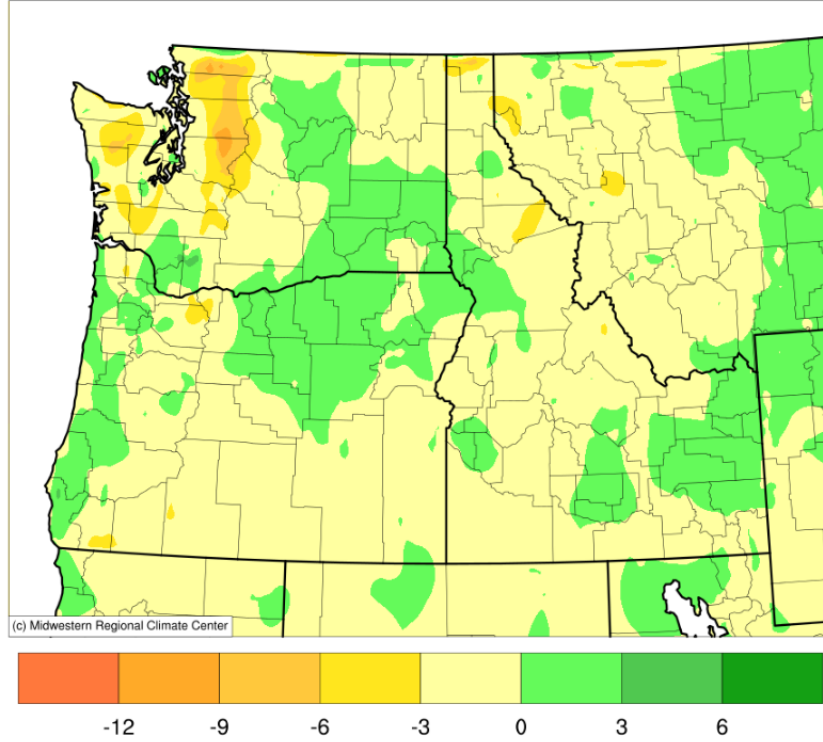
Crop and activity	Percent completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Winter wheat emerged.....	80	68	82	76

**Crop Progress — Washington: Week Ending 11/19/23**

Crop and activity	Percent completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Field corn harvested for grain .....	95	90	97	90

**Accumulated Precipitation (in): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals**

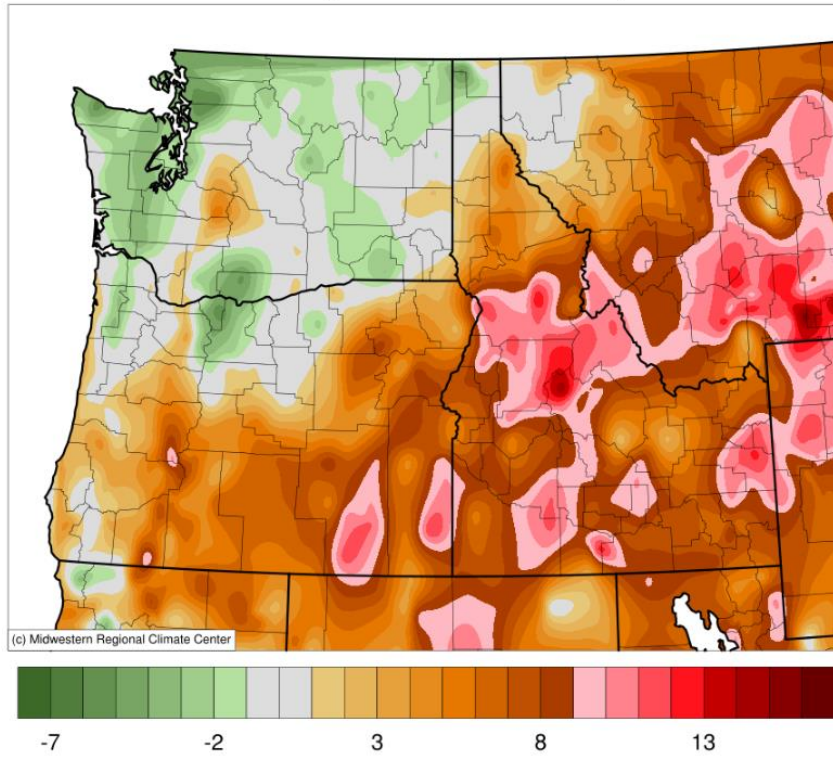
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**Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals**

November 13, 2023 to November 19, 2023



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