



# Nevada Crop Progress & Condition

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## Weather Summary

The average lows for Nevada ranged from 25 degrees in Ely to 65 degrees in Las Vegas. The average highs ranged from 75 degrees in Ely to 91 degrees in Las Vegas. No precipitation was observed at any of the reporting stations in Nevada.

## Crops Summary

Days Suitable for Fieldwork: 7.0 days. Topsoil Moisture: 35% very short, 25% short, and 40% adequate. Subsoil Moisture: 25% very short, 25% short, and 50% adequate. Pasture and Range Condition: 25% very poor, 25% poor, 35% fair, and 15% good. Hay cutting was nearing completion in the northern part of the state. Temperatures were unusually warm for the season.

## Weather for the Week of 10/10/2022 through 10/16/2022

Station	Temperature				Precipitation <sup>2</sup>
	High	Low	Average	Departure from Normal <sup>1</sup>	
	-- Degrees Fahrenheit --				
Reno	83	42	64	8	0.00
Elko	80	28	55	7	0.00
Ely	75	25	51	4	0.00
Winnemucca	82	30	56	6	0.00
Eureka	76	30	54	6	0.00
Tonopah	79	41	61	6	0.00
Las Vegas	91	65	78	6	0.00

<sup>1</sup> Normal periods 1990-2020 used in departure from normal calculations.

<sup>2</sup> Rain or melted snow/ice.

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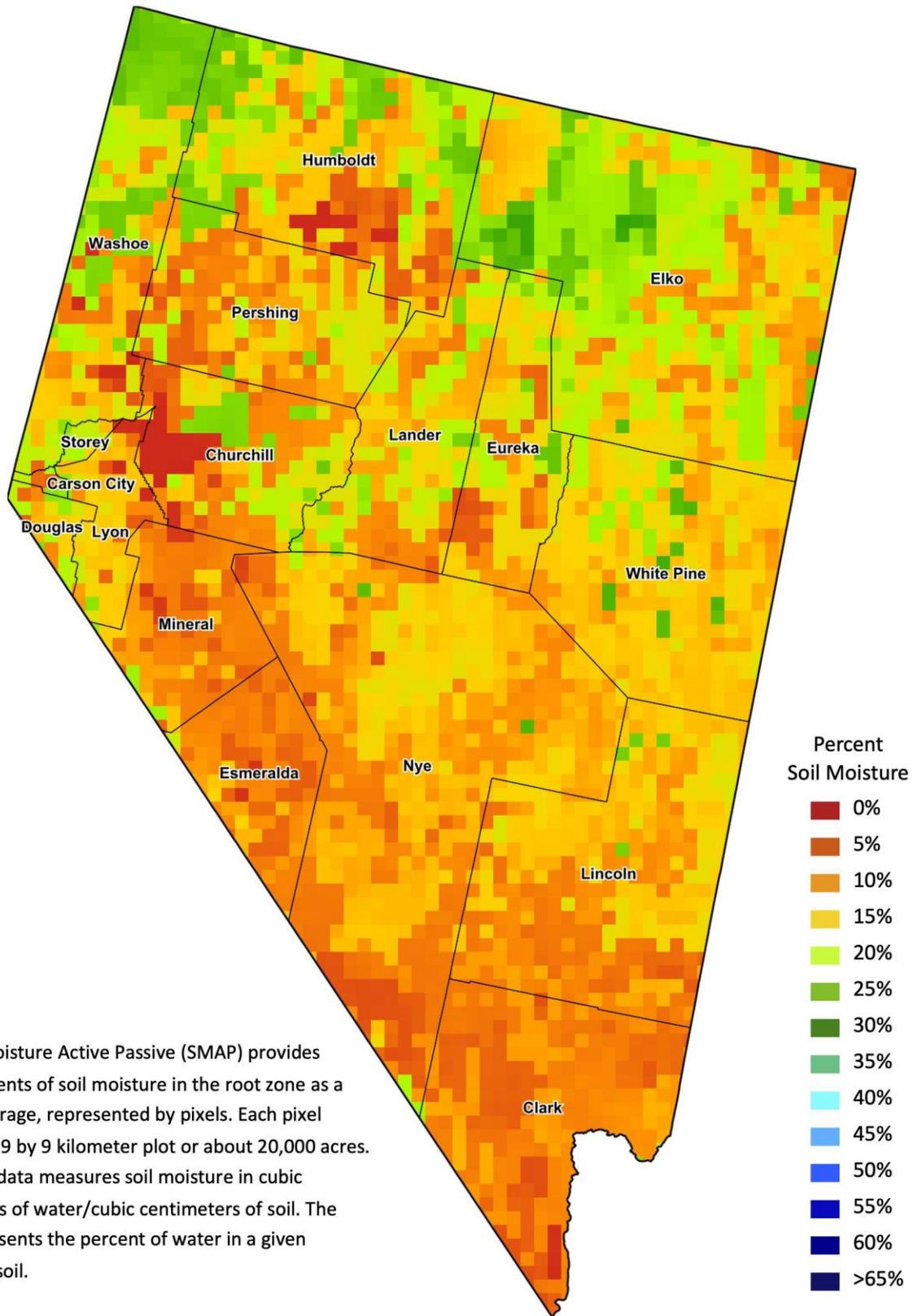
## Drought Conditions from the U.S. Drought Monitor

Time	Percent of Land in Drought Rating						Drought Severity (DSCI)
	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4	
Current	0.00	0.00	0.48	54.91	44.61	0.00	344
Last Week	0.00	0.00	0.48	53.68	45.85	0.00	345
3 Months Ago	0.00	0.00	0.48	36.65	33.07	29.80	392
One Year Ago	0.00	0.00	4.82	27.57	42.58	25.02	388

The U.S. Drought Monitor is jointly produced by the National Drought Mitigation Center at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, the United States Department of Agriculture, and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.  
[droughtmonitor.unl.edu/CurrentMap/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?NV](http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/CurrentMap/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?NV)



# Nevada Soil Moisture Map for the Week of October 3 - 9, 2022



The Soil Moisture Active Passive (SMAP) provides measurements of soil moisture in the root zone as a weekly average, represented by pixels. Each pixel represents 9 by 9 kilometer plot or about 20,000 acres. The SMAP data measures soil moisture in cubic centimeters of water/cubic centimeters of soil. The scale represents the percent of water in a given volume of soil.