

# **Crop Progress and Condition**

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## **Frosty Week for Idaho**

There were 4.5 days suitable for fieldwork in Idaho, down from 4.7 days the previous week. Idaho mostly experienced cooler than normal temperatures for this time of year. Most of the State received moisture, with northern Idaho receiving the most precipitation. Jerome and Twin Falls Counties reported seasonal weather with cold nights and cool days. Conditions remained dry, and it froze most nights. Harvest was complete for most crops except for grain corn. Major activities included fall tillage and hauling manure. Madison County reported that fieldwork was wrapping up, while Teton County reported freezing temperatures and snow on the ground.

## **Cool Days and Freezing Nights in Oregon**

There were 5.5 days suitable for fieldwork in Oregon, up from 4.9 days the previous week. Columbia, Multnomah, and Washington Counties reported very wet conditions, which caused an increased risk of slugs on new grass seed plantings. Field activities were otherwise routine for the fall season. Field activities in Clatsop and Tillamook Counties consisted of manure application and grass seeding between rain events. Conditions were consistently cool amidst the almost constant rainfall, which brought field moisture to capacity. Hood River, Sherman, and Wasco Counties experienced cool days and freezing nights. The increase in precipitation was much needed for emerging wheat crops. Umatilla County welcomed some light rain. Malheur County moved cattle to fall pastures as field activities transitioned to the latter stages. Some corn had yet to be combined, and winter wheat was still being planted. Germination and emergence slowed with the colder temperatures. Sugarbeet harvest was complete, and fall projects such as pivot installation were in full swing.

## **Colder Temperatures Across Washington**

There were 4.8 days suitable for fieldwork in Washington, down from 5.2 days the previous week. Northwest Washington had another wet week. In Clark County, grass started going dormant, and enough rain was received to stop fieldwork. In central Washington, the week was mostly dry and cold. Cattle were still out on pasture but being heavily supplemented. Northeast Washington received precipitation for most of the week. Winter was settling in, and most cattle were brought in from pasture. East central and southeast Washington also received a little moisture during the week.

### Soil Moisture Condition — Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: Week Ending 11/10/24

Item and State	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	
Topsoil moisture Idaho Oregon Washington	10	25 40 17	64 46 71	4 4 6	
Subsoil moisture Idaho Oregon Washington	12 12 12	43 37 30	42 48 53	3 3 5	

## Pasture, Range, and Crop Condition — Idaho, Oregon, and Washington: Week Ending 11/10/24

Crop and State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Pasture and range Idaho Oregon Washington		30 32 51	27 32 16	31 19 12	2 2 -
Winter wheat Idaho Oregon Washington		1 7 7	57 24 36	37 41 43	5 26 11

- Represents zero.

#### Crop Progress — Idaho: Week Ending 11/10/24

	Percent completed				
Crop and activity	This	Last	Last	5 Year	
	week	week	year	average	
Winter wheat emerged	89	83	97	92	
Sugarbeets harvested	95	89	94	95	
Field corn harvested for grain	62	49	62	68	
Alfalfa hay 4th cutting	95	92	92	(NA)	

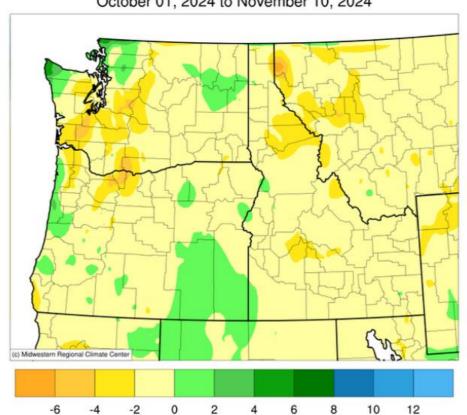
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### Crop Progress — Oregon: Week Ending 11/10/24

	Percent completed				
Crop and activity	This	Last	Last	5 Year	
	week	week	year	average	
Winter wheat emerged	72	66	66	64	
Field corn harvested for grain	87	79	94	83	

### Crop Progress — Washington: Week Ending 11/10/24

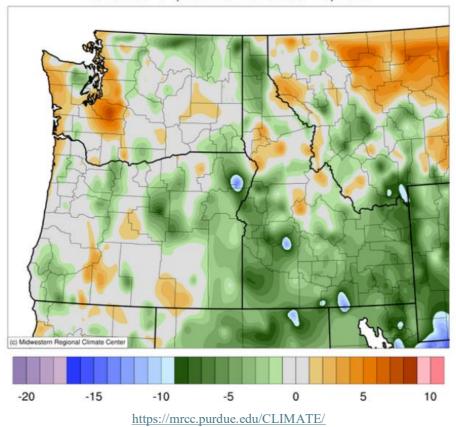
Crop and activity	Percent completed				
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average	
Field corn harvested for grain	86	77	88	86	



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

October 01, 2024 to November 10, 2024

Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals November 04, 2024 to November 10, 2024





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