



New Mexico Crop Progress

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Crop Summary for the Week Ending June 8, 2014

New Mexico: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.2. Topsoil moisture was 40% very short, 26% short and 34% adequate. Subsoil moisture 43% very short, 23% short and 34% adequate. Wind damage was 10% light, 28% moderate and 7% severe.

County Comments: Taos – Main activity this week is flood irrigation on crop lands. Colfax - Alfalfa 1st cutting will start in a few weeks. It has been cloudy, with spot showers. Some golf ball sized hail. Quay Rains have improved pasture outlook. Three days of 100+ degree heat with winds sapped moisture from crops and pasture.

Crop Progress Table

Crop	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-year Average
Alfalfa Hay 1 st Cut	85	74	88	94
Alfalfa Hay 2 nd Cut	19	NA	21	44
Corn Planted	84	75	77	93
Corn Emerged	55	38	30	60
Cotton Planted	95	92	97	97
Cotton Squaring	5	NA	3	4
Sorghum Planted	30	25	23	45
Peanuts Planted	60	45	62	81
Lettuce Harvested	100	98	90	96
Onions Harvested	15	10	20	27
Winter Wheat Headed	95	76	91	97
Winter Wheat Hvst	5	NA	-	12

Soil Moisture Condition Table

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
Topsoil Moisture				
Current Week	40	26	34	-
Last Week	44	22	34	-
Last Year	76	23	1	-
5-Year Average	56	32	12	-
Subsoil Moisture				
Current Week	43	23	34	-
Last Week	43	22	35	-
Last Year	NA	NA	NA	NA
5-Year Average	NA	NA	NA	NA

Crop and Livestock Condition Table

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Alfalfa Hay	1	3	36	46	14
Corn	6	9	33	26	26
Cotton	-	12	31	19	38
Chile	1	5	41	48	5
Lettuce	-	-	20	40	40
Onions	-	-	10	41	49
Pecans	-	-	24	39	37
Peanuts	4	32	60	4	-
Winter Wheat	43	21	14	9	13
Cattle	3	20	50	26	1
Sheep	19	25	46	10	-

Range and Pasture Condition Table

	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Northwest	62	29	8	1	-
Northeast	28	25	32	15	-
Southwest	8	43	43	6	-
Southeast	25	46	29	-	-
State: Current Week	25	40	25	10	-
State: Last Week	26	42	24	8	-
State: Last Year	65	31	4	-	-
State: 5-Year Average	40	32	20	8	-

New Mexico Weather Data – June 2–8, 2014

Station	Temperature			Precipitation				
	Average	Maximum	Minimum	Week	Month	Year-to-Date	Monthly Normal	Yearly Normal
Northwest								
Albuquerque	78.4	97	59	0.00	0.00	1.01	0.66	3.20
Chama	58.6	83	35	0.00	0.00	4.07	1.09	9.99
Farmington	70.2	93	45	0.00	0.00	1.64	0.21	3.30
Gallup	65.5	91	34	0.00	0.00	0.49	0.48	3.94
Grants	65.4	91	36	0.00	0.00	0.49	0.55	3.41
Johnson Ranch	62.8	88	39	0.00	0.00	2.08	0.72	4.36
Los Alamos	69.6	87	48	0.40	0.40	3.04	1.52	6.99
Red River	-	-	-	-	-	2.77	1.42	9.76
Santa Fe	70.5	94	43	0.14	0.14	3.01	1.29	5.07
Northeast								
Capulin	66.1	93	47	0.45	0.45	3.12	2.49	7.22
Clayton	70.9	96	50	1.31	1.31	3.06	2.27	6.30
Clovis	74.4	98	57	0.62	0.62	3.29	2.62	7.31
Las Vegas	65.3	92	45	0.09	0.09	1.85	2.31	6.46
Moriarty	69.1	95	46	0.00	0.00	2.57	0.89	4.98
Raton	67.0	97	45	0.27	0.27	2.05	2.28	7.37
Roy	68.0	90	50	0.49	0.49	1.52	2.08	6.06
Tucumcari	76.4	102	51	1.72	1.72	4.12	2.19	7.12
Southwest								
Animas	83.1	103	62	0.00	0.00	0.83	0.56	2.81
Deming	80.4	105	54	0.00	0.00	0.57	0.70	3.11
Gran Quivira	74.4	96	49	0.00	0.00	2.53	1.18	4.94
Quemado	63.3	91	35	0.00	0.00	1.39	0.40	3.10
Socorro	82.5	105	60	0.00	0.00	0.28	0.60	2.88
T or C	84.0	104	63	0.00	0.00	0.45	0.84	2.92
Southeast								
Alamogordo	82.1	106	58	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.79	3.43
Carlsbad	84.2	110	62	0.39	0.39	2.23	1.53	4.86
Carrizozo	80.1	102	53	0.00	0.00	0.78	0.78	3.50
Las Cruces	83.2	106	61	0.00	0.00	1.33	0.66	2.49
Roswell	78.8	101	60	0.15	0.15	5.17	1.77	5.29
Ruidoso	69.1	98	43	0.00	0.00	1.54	2.06	6.99
Tatum	76.8	103	61	0.32	0.32	5.70	2.03	6.17

(T) Trace. (-) No Report. (*) Correction. All reports based on preliminary data. Precipitation data corrected monthly from official.