



Crop Progress

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Corn Harvested – Selected States

[These 18 States harvested 93% of the 2019 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	51	53	70	42
Illinois	49	66	80	76
Indiana	45	48	62	63
Iowa	23	65	78	45
Kansas	71	76	85	79
Kentucky	93	80	86	90
Michigan	19	24	34	35
Minnesota	19	63	72	47
Missouri	61	64	72	81
Nebraska	40	58	76	46
North Carolina	96	93	95	96
North Dakota	5	55	73	33
Ohio	34	24	32	52
Pennsylvania	50	33	48	52
South Dakota	13	64	79	37
Tennessee	97	83	91	96
Texas	84	85	89	83
Wisconsin	11	27	40	32
18 States	38	60	72	56

Soybeans Harvested – Selected States

[These 18 States harvested 96% of the 2019 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	73	50	62	77
Illinois	64	81	90	80
Indiana	66	72	82	76
Iowa	61	90	94	72
Kansas	49	64	78	55
Kentucky	66	42	51	59
Louisiana	97	93	97	96
Michigan	47	64	73	63
Minnesota	56	96	98	83
Mississippi	89	72	79	89
Missouri	38	40	50	53
Nebraska	78	92	97	78
North Carolina	38	18	21	31
North Dakota	26	92	97	76
Ohio	66	65	73	78
South Dakota	51	90	95	78
Tennessee	69	41	51	66
Wisconsin	42	72	85	65
18 States	57	75	83	73

Cotton Bolls Opening – Selected States

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2019 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	98	92	96	95
Arizona	100	100	100	100
Arkansas	100	100	100	100
California	96	90	95	92
Georgia	97	90	92	97
Kansas	94	88	92	86
Louisiana	100	100	100	100
Mississippi	99	98	99	99
Missouri	99	100	100	100
North Carolina	99	92	96	98
Oklahoma	94	91	95	94
South Carolina	98	92	98	95
Tennessee	99	95	98	99
Texas	92	92	94	89
Virginia	100	96	98	99
15 States	94	93	95	92

Cotton Harvested – Selected States

[These 15 States harvested 99% of the 2019 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	57	20	34	54
Arizona	30	27	35	33
Arkansas	74	47	67	79
California	31	20	25	36
Georgia	54	19	27	43
Kansas	8	6	11	9
Louisiana	86	73	87	89
Mississippi	70	46	63	75
Missouri	46	25	31	68
North Carolina	48	14	19	36
Oklahoma	27	16	21	25
South Carolina	58	6	9	36
Tennessee	58	32	46	59
Texas	35	42	48	34
Virginia	57	14	19	44
15 States	44	34	42	42

Cotton Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 25, 2020

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2019 cotton acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	1	4	21	63	11
Arizona	-	-	6	41	53
Arkansas	1	3	16	45	35
California	-	5	45	45	5
Georgia	3	12	28	49	8
Kansas	2	8	42	43	5
Louisiana	-	3	56	41	-
Mississippi	1	13	31	40	15
Missouri	3	11	38	48	-
North Carolina	3	12	32	46	7
Oklahoma	-	10	45	45	-
South Carolina	6	6	17	53	18
Tennessee	6	12	18	50	14
Texas	9	37	29	19	6
Virginia	7	27	34	32	-
15 States	6	25	29	32	8
Previous week	10	23	27	31	9
Previous year	5	15	40	33	7

- Represents zero.

Sorghum Harvested – Selected States

[These 6 States harvested 100% of the 2019 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	65	43	65	46
Kansas	44	49	64	46
Nebraska	36	60	82	51
Oklahoma	58	47	55	60
South Dakota	16	83	87	46
Texas	95	92	95	83
6 States	60	63	74	61

Peanuts Harvested – Selected States

[These 8 States harvested 96% of the 2019 peanut acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	86	42	62	76
Florida	86	67	76	86
Georgia	80	42	59	70
North Carolina	71	27	33	56
Oklahoma	56	33	50	50
South Carolina	75	41	50	52
Texas	31	24	35	37
Virginia	92	24	39	72
8 States	74	41	56	66

Peanut Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 25, 2020

[These 8 States planted 96% of the 2019 peanut acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	-	4	19	66	11
Florida	7	34	33	26	-
Georgia	1	6	25	55	13
North Carolina	1	1	14	73	11
Oklahoma	-	3	5	86	6
South Carolina	1	3	19	61	16
Texas	-	-	51	48	1
Virginia	-	8	43	49	-
8 States	1	7	28	55	9
Previous week	1	7	25	55	12
Previous year	5	11	30	46	8

- Represents zero.

Sugarbeets Harvested – Selected States

[These 4 States harvested 83% of the 2019 sugarbeet acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	65	57	76	63
Michigan	36	47	63	44
Minnesota	56	98	99	85
North Dakota	50	97	99	86
4 States	53	83	89	75

Sunflowers Harvested – Selected States

[These 4 States harvested 86% of the 2019 sunflower acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	67	68	79	44
Kansas	38	38	59	36
North Dakota	10	44	58	37
South Dakota	10	26	39	36
4 States	15	37	50	37

Rice Harvested – Selected States

[These 6 States harvested 100% of the 2019 rice acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	96	89	93	98
California	91	90	95	90
Louisiana	100	99	100	100
Mississippi	95	92	94	97
Missouri	94	81	85	96
Texas	100	100	100	100
6 States	96	91	94	97

Winter Wheat Planted – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2019 winter wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	61	34	50	49
California	24	20	25	29
Colorado	98	98	99	96
Idaho	92	91	98	94
Illinois	72	73	89	73
Indiana	73	69	80	77
Kansas	85	84	92	82
Michigan	74	81	91	81
Missouri	40	42	51	50
Montana	85	77	88	91
Nebraska	99	94	98	98
North Carolina	19	15	20	21
Ohio	89	84	92	86
Oklahoma	86	74	82	82
Oregon	89	62	85	82
South Dakota	96	97	100	97
Texas	72	64	71	70
Washington	92	88	96	92
18 States	83	77	85	80

Winter Wheat Emerged – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2019 winter wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	39	18	33	28
California	9	5	8	8
Colorado	77	68	78	80
Idaho	66	51	61	70
Illinois	42	25	57	46
Indiana	42	24	50	49
Kansas	58	61	70	60
Michigan	49	45	63	58
Missouri	22	18	30	28
Montana	52	57	65	71
Nebraska	90	72	84	89
North Carolina	7	4	9	8
Ohio	69	37	65	60
Oklahoma	74	47	66	66
Oregon	55	21	29	44
South Dakota	85	71	80	84
Texas	49	40	49	49
Washington	69	65	68	69
18 States	60	51	62	60

Winter Wheat Condition - Selected States: Week Ending October 25, 2020

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2019 winter wheat acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	3	11	41	36	9
California	-	-	5	70	25
Colorado	11	20	45	23	1
Idaho	-	-	35	48	17
Illinois	5	7	20	59	9
Indiana	2	6	33	51	8
Kansas	7	17	47	26	3
Michigan	2	4	23	59	12
Missouri	1	11	39	43	6
Montana	1	1	18	79	1
Nebraska	5	16	36	40	3
North Carolina	-	5	15	75	5
Ohio	1	5	26	55	13
Oklahoma	10	15	64	11	-
Oregon	4	17	33	34	12
South Dakota	1	4	18	62	15
Texas	8	19	36	26	11
Washington	1	4	22	58	15
18 States	6	13	40	35	6
Previous week	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Previous year	4	9	31	44	12

- Represents zero.

(NA) Not available.

Pasture and Range Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 25, 2020

[National pasture and range conditions for selected States are weighted based on pasture acreage and/or livestock inventories]

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Alabama	1	2	24	67	6
Arizona	23	35	36	6	-
Arkansas	7	17	43	28	5
California	45	10	35	10	-
Colorado	38	29	26	7	-
Connecticut	26	30	40	4	-
Delaware	1	31	16	42	10
Florida	1	4	27	54	14
Georgia	3	8	32	51	6
Idaho	14	22	33	31	-
Illinois	13	13	30	43	1
Indiana	13	26	38	21	2
Iowa	13	27	42	18	-
Kansas	11	22	40	25	2
Kentucky	3	10	24	56	7
Louisiana	-	6	27	64	3
Maine	75	25	-	-	-
Maryland	-	11	37	42	10
Massachusetts	26	30	40	4	-
Michigan	6	24	30	36	4
Minnesota	14	10	33	39	4
Mississippi	1	6	35	46	12
Missouri	5	19	47	27	2
Montana	20	18	37	24	1
Nebraska	18	22	27	32	1
Nevada	20	25	30	25	-
New Hampshire	28	26	46	-	-
New Jersey	-	2	17	81	-
New Mexico	12	31	42	8	7
New York	8	26	38	23	5
North Carolina	-	1	22	62	15
North Dakota	15	34	34	15	2
Ohio	5	19	43	30	3
Oklahoma	10	21	45	22	2
Oregon	36	50	10	4	-
Pennsylvania	21	32	26	21	-
Rhode Island	-	50	50	-	-
South Carolina	1	3	38	51	7
South Dakota	8	29	43	20	-
Tennessee	2	7	34	47	10
Texas	14	26	42	17	1
Utah	20	32	36	12	-
Vermont	2	8	77	13	-
Virginia	2	9	25	51	13
Washington	31	27	37	5	-
West Virginia	4	9	22	62	3
Wisconsin	4	13	31	34	18
Wyoming	37	34	29	-	-
48 States	18	25	37	18	2
Previous week	17	27	36	18	2
Previous year	8	17	30	38	7

- Represents zero.

Days Suitable for Fieldwork - Selected States

[Days suitable for fieldwork are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Week ending		
	October 25, 2019	October 18, 2020	October 25, 2020
	(Days)	(Days)	(Days)
Alabama	4.2	5.6	6.0
Arizona	7.0	7.0	7.0
Arkansas	3.9	5.8	4.9
California	7.0	7.0	7.0
Colorado	6.2	6.7	6.1
Connecticut	6.0	7.0	7.0
Delaware	4.5	3.5	4.5
Florida	6.4	6.4	6.1
Georgia	5.1	6.2	6.0
Idaho	6.4	6.1	5.6
Illinois	5.1	6.4	4.3
Indiana	4.9	5.8	4.0
Iowa	4.1	6.4	3.8
Kansas	6.3	6.9	6.0
Kentucky	4.9	5.6	4.0
Louisiana	2.4	4.5	5.4
Maine	3.5	5.8	7.0
Maryland	4.0	5.0	5.0
Massachusetts	6.0	7.0	7.0
Michigan	4.1	4.7	3.2
Minnesota	4.0	5.7	2.6
Mississippi	2.9	5.0	5.2
Missouri	4.6	6.4	3.7
Montana	5.0	5.6	1.5
Nebraska	6.1	6.5	5.2
Nevada	6.9	7.0	7.0
New Hampshire	5.0	5.0	5.9
New Jersey	5.5	5.5	6.0
New Mexico	6.4	6.8	6.5
New York	4.0	5.0	4.5
North Carolina	4.7	4.6	6.1
North Dakota	3.6	6.0	3.7
Ohio	5.3	5.4	2.8
Oklahoma	5.2	6.6	6.2
Oregon	6.6	6.6	6.5
Pennsylvania	4.5	5.5	5.5
Rhode Island	6.5	6.0	6.0
South Carolina	5.1	6.1	6.3
South Dakota	4.0	6.7	3.3
Tennessee	4.4	5.2	5.2
Texas	5.5	6.4	6.3
Utah	6.9	7.0	6.9
Vermont	3.5	4.0	3.1
Virginia	4.7	4.9	5.7
Washington	6.2	5.9	5.8
West Virginia	5.3	5.7	5.9
Wisconsin	4.0	5.2	3.2
Wyoming	5.0	6.9	4.9

Topsoil Moisture Condition - Selected States: Week Ending October 25, 2020

[National topsoil moisture conditions for selected States are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Very short (percent)	Short (percent)	Adequate (percent)	Surplus (percent)
Alabama	1	4	90	5
Arizona	21	15	64	-
Arkansas	2	15	66	17
California	70	5	25	-
Colorado	42	39	19	-
Connecticut	-	5	95	-
Delaware	-	15	74	11
Florida	2	8	58	32
Georgia	4	35	56	5
Idaho	30	27	43	-
Illinois	7	17	71	5
Indiana	10	26	59	5
Iowa	11	29	56	4
Kansas	32	45	23	-
Kentucky	2	9	80	9
Louisiana	-	4	70	26
Maine	5	30	65	-
Maryland	-	11	34	55
Massachusetts	-	5	95	-
Michigan	1	3	69	27
Minnesota	3	9	79	9
Mississippi	2	11	70	17
Missouri	7	23	68	2
Montana	16	49	35	-
Nebraska	27	46	27	-
Nevada	25	40	35	-
New Hampshire	35	52	13	-
New Jersey	-	3	91	6
New Mexico	45	43	12	-
New York	14	18	64	4
North Carolina	-	1	84	15
North Dakota	24	40	34	2
Ohio	3	13	62	22
Oklahoma	27	42	31	-
Oregon	37	43	20	-
Pennsylvania	12	39	49	-
Rhode Island	-	-	100	-
South Carolina	9	5	85	1
South Dakota	18	39	43	-
Tennessee	1	10	79	10
Texas	34	39	22	5
Utah	34	45	21	-
Vermont	-	12	77	11
Virginia	-	7	73	20
Washington	12	37	49	2
West Virginia	11	21	67	1
Wisconsin	1	7	76	16
Wyoming	45	33	22	-
48 States	18	28	48	6
Previous week	22	34	41	3
Previous year	6	13	62	19

- Represents zero.

Subsoil Moisture Condition - Selected States: Week Ending October 25, 2020

[National subsoil moisture conditions for selected States are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Very short (percent)	Short (percent)	Adequate (percent)	Surplus (percent)
Alabama	1	6	88	5
Arizona	21	15	64	-
Arkansas	2	16	67	15
California	75	5	20	-
Colorado	38	42	20	-
Connecticut	-	5	95	-
Delaware	25	25	45	5
Florida	1	6	58	35
Georgia	4	31	62	3
Idaho	30	36	30	4
Illinois	10	30	58	2
Indiana	15	37	45	3
Iowa	18	35	45	2
Kansas	24	46	30	-
Kentucky	3	12	78	7
Louisiana	-	3	75	22
Maine	14	44	42	-
Maryland	-	8	35	57
Massachusetts	-	2	98	-
Michigan	5	14	68	13
Minnesota	5	11	79	5
Mississippi	3	12	76	9
Missouri	7	33	60	-
Montana	14	54	32	-
Nebraska	28	41	30	1
Nevada	25	40	35	-
New Hampshire	38	30	32	-
New Jersey	-	3	87	10
New Mexico	47	40	13	-
New York	15	11	74	-
North Carolina	-	-	87	13
North Dakota	22	37	38	3
Ohio	6	22	61	11
Oklahoma	24	37	39	-
Oregon	35	46	19	-
Pennsylvania	28	37	35	-
Rhode Island	8	89	3	-
South Carolina	9	4	85	2
South Dakota	14	46	40	-
Tennessee	1	10	83	6
Texas	27	42	26	5
Utah	31	34	35	-
Vermont	-	34	66	-
Virginia	-	6	74	20
Washington	9	31	58	2
West Virginia	9	19	71	1
Wisconsin	2	8	77	13
Wyoming	59	28	13	-
48 States	17	31	48	4
Previous week	20	33	44	3
Previous year	7	15	63	15

- Represents zero.

Crop Progress and Condition Tables Expected Next Week

Corn: Harvested

Cotton: Harvested, Condition

Peanuts: Harvested

Rice: Harvested

Sorghum: Harvested

Soybeans: Harvested

Sugarbeets: Harvested

Sunflowers: Harvested

Winter Wheat: Planted, Emerged, Condition

Days Suitable for Fieldwork

Topsoil Moisture Condition

Subsoil Moisture Condition

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Crop progress and condition estimates are based on survey data collected each week from early April through the end of November. The non-probability crop progress and condition surveys include input from approximately 3,600 respondents whose occupations provide them opportunities to make visual observations and frequently bring them in contact with farmers in their counties. Based on standard definitions, these respondents subjectively estimate the progress of crops through various stages of development, as well as the progress of producer activities. They also provide subjective evaluations of crop conditions.

Most respondents complete their questionnaires on Friday or early Monday morning and submit them to the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) Field Offices in their States by mail, telephone, fax, e-mail, or through a secured internet website. A small number of reports are completed on Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday. Regardless of when questionnaires are completed, respondents are asked to report for the entire week ending on Sunday. For reports submitted prior to the Sunday reference date, a degree of uncertainty is introduced by projections for weekend changes in progress and condition. By the end of the 2019 season, over 95 percent of the data were being submitted through the internet website. As a result, the majority of all data are submitted on Monday morning, significantly reducing projection uncertainty.

Respondents are sent written reporting instructions at the beginning of each season and are contacted periodically to ensure proper reporting. Terms and definitions of crop stages and condition categories used as reporting guidelines are available on the NASS website at www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/National_Crop_Progress.

Estimating Procedures: Reported data are reviewed for reasonableness and consistency by comparing with data reported the previous week and data reported in surrounding counties for the current week. Field Offices summarize the reported data to district and State levels, weighting each county's reported data by NASS county acreage estimates. Summarized indications are compared with previous week estimates, and progress items are compared with earlier stages of development and historical averages to ensure reasonableness. Weather events and respondent comments are also taken into consideration. State estimates are submitted to the Agricultural Statistics Board (ASB) along with supporting comments, where they are compared with surrounding States and compiled into a National level summary by weighting each State by its acreage estimates. National crop planting progress, progress of development stages, and condition estimates are weighted using the program State's average planted acres over the previous three crop years. National crop harvest progress estimates are weighted using the program State's average harvested acres over the previous three crop years. Pasture and range condition is weighted using pasture acreage and/or livestock inventories from the most recent Census of Agriculture. Days suitable for fieldwork, topsoil moisture and subsoil moisture are weighted using cropland acreage from the Census of Agriculture.

Revision Policy: Progress and condition estimates in the *Crop Progress* report are released after 4:00 pm ET on the first business day of the week. These estimates are subject to revision the following week.

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