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Arkansas Crop Progress and Condition Report**



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**Week Ending July 9, 2017**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 3.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, July 9, 2017**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 5 percent very short, 4 percent short, 71 percent adequate, and 20 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 6 percent very short, 6 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 16 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 65.0 degrees Fahrenheit at Kingston to 75.3 degrees Fahrenheit at Crossett. Highs ranged from 80.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Kingston to 94.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Crossett. Moderate to heavy precipitation was received throughout the state, with the highest concentration occurring in the southwest part of the state with an average of 3.96 inches.

**Crop progress for week ending July 9, 2017**

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Corn, silked	95	90	97	96
Corn, dough	57	38	54	50
Corn, dent	20	5	NA	NA
Cotton, squaring	96	93	97	98
Cotton, setting bolls	50	27	60	40
Peanuts, pegging	50	36	72	NA
Rice, headed	9	4	13	13
Sorghum, headed	41	27	54	57
Soybeans, planted	100	99	100	98
Soybeans, emerged	98	97	99	95
Soybeans, blooming	79	69	72	57
Soybeans, setting pods	54	34	40	28
Winter Wheat, harvested	100	99	100	99

**Crop condition for week ending July 9, 2017**

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Corn	2	4	17	56	21
Cotton	0	3	12	49	36
Hay, alfalfa	0	9	74	16	1
Hay, other	1	5	28	54	12
Livestock	0	3	24	59	14
Pasture	1	10	23	48	18
Peanuts	0	0	25	35	40
Rice	1	6	28	47	18
Sorghum	0	2	31	60	7
Soybeans	2	6	22	56	14

NA = Not Available.

**Comments from Cooperative Extension Service County Agents**

“It was a good week in Union County. Producers continued to have a great hay production year. The biggest concern was the armyworms that arrived. Producers were harvesting hay when possible and spraying pastures for control. Rain showers were scattered. All fields were green and growing.”

-Glenda Sutherlin, Union County

“Rain slowed row crop work to almost a stand still. A few fields received herbicide applications between rains. A few rice levees had to be repaired due to rain events. Peanuts started blooming, and some began pegging.”

-Mike Andrews, Randolph County

“Over six inches of rain fell in the county last week. Melon growers were unable to harvest and spray fungicides due to muddy fields. Rain stopped hay harvest. Cattlemen were applying fly control measures.”

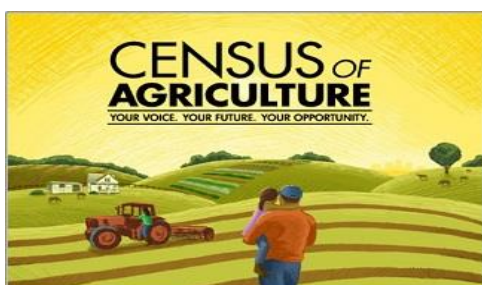
-J. Joe Moore, Sharp County

“Armyworm control in soybeans and pastures continued last week. Disease in corn and rice was monitored for fungicide applications.”



-Kevin Lawson, Perry County

“Early week rainfall halted all fieldwork and irrigation operations. Corn reached dent stage. Early rice was heading. Armyworm pressure was detected in rice and soybean fields.”

-Brent Griffin, Prairie County



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## Arkansas Weather Summary for Week Ending July 9, 2017

Division/Station	Air Temperature					Precipitation				
	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
<b>Northwest</b>										
Kingston	80.7	65.0	72.9	76.2	-3.3	2.00	5	NA	5.48	NA
Lead Hill	83.6	65.4	74.5	76.2	-1.7	2.51	4	1.67	5.00	1.57
Winslow	82.3	66.6	74.4	NA	NA	2.01	5	NA	6.13	NA
Extreme/Average	82.2	65.7	73.9	76.2	-2.5	2.17	5	1.67	5.54	1.57
<b>North Central</b>										
Calico Rock	82.9	65.7	74.3	76.7	-2.4	4.10	5	3.26	6.42	3.12
Evening Shade	83.9	66.6	75.2	79.6	-4.4	3.55	5	2.60	6.18	3.01
Gilbert	85.3	67.0	76.1	78.3	-2.1	2.22	3	1.48	4.63	1.38
Mammoth Spring	85.1	65.9	75.5	77.1	-1.6	3.67	6	2.82	5.74	2.54
Mountain Home	84.9	66.6	75.7	78.6	-2.9	4.54	5	3.63	7.19	3.68
Mountain View	85.6	67.6	76.6	79.4	-2.8	5.28	5	4.59	9.58	6.33
Extreme/Average	84.6	66.6	75.6	78.3	-2.7	3.89	6	3.06	6.62	3.34
<b>Northeast</b>										
Corning	86.8	69.7	78.3	80.6	-2.4	3.81	5	3.13	7.04	4.18
Jonesboro	85.7	69.3	77.5	80.0	-2.5	2.18	5	1.41	3.71	0.74
Keiser	NA	NA	NA	82.1	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.75	-0.48
Newport	85.6	70.1	77.9	81.0	-3.2	1.48	6	0.61	3.63	0.41
Pocahontas	88.1	69.0	78.6	79.2	-0.6	1.23	4	0.44	5.59	2.73
Searcy	88.7	71.7	80.2	81.0	-0.8	3.02	4	2.32	7.63	5.08
Extreme/Average	87.0	70.0	78.5	80.6	-1.9	2.34	6	1.58	4.89	2.11
<b>West Central</b>										
Booneville	88.0	69.2	78.6	79.9	-1.3	3.29	5	2.59	7.84	4.45
Dardanelle	89.0	69.6	79.3	80.9	-1.6	3.20	3	NA	5.87	NA
Mena	85.9	67.4	76.6	77.9	-1.3	3.62	6	2.48	6.49	2.52
Subiaco	90.4	70.7	80.6	80.3	0.3	2.32	4	1.48	5.51	2.03
Waldron	87.4	67.9	77.6	79.0	-1.4	3.43	6	2.56	5.64	1.62
Extreme/Average	88.1	69.0	78.5	79.6	-1.1	3.17	6	2.28	6.27	2.65
<b>Central</b>										
Alum Fork	86.1	69.0	77.6	78.9	-1.3	2.42	6	1.52	4.84	1.05
Cabot	89.0	69.9	79.4	80.5	-1.0	2.41	7	1.59	5.20	2.18
Conway	90.6	69.9	80.2	80.2	0.0	2.78	5	2.05	6.32	3.15
Hot Springs	89.3	70.7	80.0	81.1	-1.1	1.67	4	0.67	3.25	-0.62
Morrilton	89.1	70.1	79.6	80.1	-0.5	3.47	5	2.61	4.64	1.95
Extreme/Average	88.8	69.9	79.4	80.2	-0.8	2.55	7	1.69	4.85	1.54
<b>East Central</b>										
Brinkley	NA	NA	NA	81.0	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.25	0.80
Des Arc	88.7	71.4	80.1	81.9	-1.8	3.71	5	3.04	5.09	2.45
Keo	88.0	70.6	79.3	81.1	-1.8	2.91	7	2.04	6.24	3.48
Stuttgart	87.4	72.0	79.7	81.6	-1.8	0.88	2	0.32	4.76	1.96
West Memphis	87.1	71.3	79.2	81.5	-2.3	1.51	4	0.70	3.12	0.00
Extreme/Average	87.8	71.3	79.6	81.4	-1.9	2.25	7	1.52	4.29	1.74
<b>Southwest</b>										
Ashdown	87.7	70.3	79.0	NA	NA	4.52	4	3.64	8.88	5.18
Dequeen	86.0	68.8	77.4	80.0	-2.5	5.61	3	5.06	7.30	3.56
Hope	88.0	70.5	79.3	80.7	-1.7	0.01	1	-0.27	1.39	-1.73
Murfreesboro	86.5	69.5	78.0	78.1	-0.1	4.26	4	3.39	5.78	2.40
Nashville	88.0	70.3	79.1	81.7	-2.5	5.41	5	4.44	6.83	2.79
Extreme/Average	87.2	69.9	78.6	80.1	-1.7	3.96	5	3.25	6.04	2.44
<b>South Central</b>										
Camden	88.6	71.6	80.1	81.1	-1.0	2.91	3	2.25	6.96	3.50
Fordyce	87.6	70.0	78.8	79.4	-0.6	2.45	4	1.61	5.75	2.10
Magnolia	86.5	69.8	78.1	80.6	-2.4	0.81	2	0.32	4.11	0.90
Prescott	87.3	69.7	78.5	79.5	-0.9	1.40	3	0.99	4.75	1.27
Sparkman	85.0	70.4	77.7	80.5	-2.8	2.52	4	1.76	7.20	3.50
Extreme/Average	87.0	70.3	78.6	80.2	-1.5	2.02	4	1.39	5.75	2.25
<b>Southeast</b>										
Crossett	94.7	75.3	84.9	80.2	4.7	0.16	2	-0.75	7.16	4.65
Eudora	92.2	71.8	82.0	82.9	-1.0	0.93	3	0.39	3.74	1.12
Pine Bluff	88.7	71.0	79.8	81.8	-1.9	0.96	3	0.25	5.79	3.08
Portland	88.2	73.2	80.7	81.3	-0.5	0.26	1	-0.44	5.07	1.69
Rohwer	87.9	72.6	80.2	81.9	-1.7	1.97	3	1.10	5.70	2.65
Extreme/Average	90.3	72.8	81.5	81.6	-0.1	0.86	3	0.11	5.49	2.64
<b>State</b>	<b>87.1</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>78.3</b>	<b>79.9</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>2.58</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1.84</b>	<b>5.49</b>	<b>2.25</b>

DFN = Departure from Normal.

Normal= Averaged Collected Data from the Years 1981-2010.

NA = Not Available.