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## Arkansas Crop Progress and Condition

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This report contains the results from the **Crop Progress and Condition** weekly survey. The survey is completed by county extension agents' visual observations and contact with producers in their county. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/ar> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all of the county extension agents who responded to this survey.

**Week Ending: May 26, 2024**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 3.0 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, May 26, 2024**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 1 percent very short, 9 percent short, 66 percent adequate, and 24 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 9 percent short, 67 percent adequate, and 24 percent surplus.

**Crop Progress for Week Ending May 26, 2024**

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn planted	100	97	99	98
Corn emerged	96	91	96	93
Cotton planted	86	68	90	82
Cotton emerged	66	44	66	54
Hay first cutting	43	29	44	31
Peanuts planted	85	78	94	80
Peanuts emerged	61	39	65	55
Rice planted	99	97	96	90
Rice emerged	93	87	91	79
Soybeans planted	88	82	87	68
Soybeans emerged	78	68	77	56
Soybeans blooming	9	1	2	1
Winter wheat headed	95	91	97	97
Winter wheat coloring	74	49	67	61
Winter wheat harvested	1	0	1	1

**Crop Condition for Week Ending May 26, 2024**

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Corn	0	4	24	52	20
Cotton	0	4	20	46	30
Hay, all	2	5	35	51	7
Livestock	1	7	20	55	17
Pasture	3	9	24	52	12
Rice	1	2	19	58	20
Soybeans	1	3	22	65	9
Vegetables	0	4	58	36	2
Winter wheat	0	7	28	57	8

The USDA NASS National Crop Progress release is a more detailed report including crop progress and condition at the National level. You can locate that release at: <https://release.nass.usda.gov/reports/prog2124.pdf>

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## Arkansas Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of May 13 – May 19, 2024

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. More information and additional mapping is available at <https://nassgeo.csiss.gmu.edu/CropCASMA/>.

