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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: September 22, 2024**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 4.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, September 22, 2024**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 7 percent very short, 18 percent short, 60 percent adequate, and 15 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 7 percent very short, 13 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus.

**Crop Progress for Week Ending September 22, 2024**

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn mature	100	98	99	99
Corn harvested	90	84	84	79
Cotton bolls opening	95	92	92	89
Cotton harvested	7	3	3	4
Hay second cutting	100	98	97	(NA)
Peanuts dug	22	18	20	22
Peanuts harvested	8	5	1	4
Rice mature	99	98	95	92
Rice harvested	75	68	67	56
Soybeans coloring	87	81	88	78
Soybeans dropping leaves	74	66	67	55
Soybeans mature	63	55	51	40
Soybeans harvested	35	29	26	18
Sweet potatoes harvested	10	0	(NA)	(NA)
Winter wheat planted	3	1	4	2

(NA) Not available.

**Crop Condition for Week Ending September 22, 2024**

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Cotton	0	15	17	46	22
Hay, all	7	25	42	24	2
Livestock	3	10	30	48	9
Pasture	12	25	35	26	2
Peanuts	0	1	18	41	40
Soybeans	1	11	23	52	13
Sweet potatoes	0	0	14	86	0
Vegetables	0	12	52	35	1

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/prog3824.pdf>

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## Arkansas Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of September 9 – September 15, 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/>.

