

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: March 23, 2025

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 6.3 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, March 23, 2025**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 3 percent very short, 19 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 6 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 15 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending March 23, 2025

Сгор	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average			
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)			
Corn planted	10	2	4	2			
Corn emerged	1	0	(NA)	(NA)			
Rice planted	2	0	1	Ó			
Winter wheat headed	7	3	4	1			

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending March 23, 2025

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Hay, all	3	20	52	22	3
Livestock	2	9	47	37	5
Pasture	4	23	46	24	3
Vegetables	0	6	30	63	1
Winter wheat	0	4	35	57	4



Arkansas Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of March 10 – March 16, 2025

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/.

