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Louisiana Crop Progress and Condition

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

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Message from the Editor

This is the **final Louisiana Crop Progress and Condition Report** for 2020. We will resume this report in March 2021. We would like to give special thanks to our Parish Agents, Louisiana Cooperative Extension Service, and the Southern Regional Climate Center for their ongoing participation.

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Louisiana, there were 4.3 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, November 29, 2020**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 1 percent short, 57 percent adequate, and 42 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 1 percent short, 54 percent adequate, and 45 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 38.4 degrees Fahrenheit at Homer to 69.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Galliano. Highs ranged from 61.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Homer to 79.3 degrees Fahrenheit at Galliano. Moderate precipitation was reported throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the east central part of the State with an average of 4.28 inches.

Crop Progress for Week Ending November 29, 2020

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Cotton harvested	100	99	100	100
Sugarcane harvested	64	57	68	69
Sweet potatoes harvested	100	98	97	98
Winter wheat planted	89	73	83	67
Winter wheat emerged	71	55	67	46

Crop Condition for Week Ending November 29, 2020

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Livestock	1	7	27	63	2
Pasture	3	14	32	49	2
Vegetables	0	2	63	33	2
Winter wheat	0	0	17	83	0

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/prog4920.pdf>



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Louisiana Weather Summary for Week Ending November 29, 2020

Division/Station	Air temperature					Precipitation				
	Max	Min	Avg	Norm ¹	DFN ²	One week	Rain days	DFN ²	Four weeks	Four weeks DFN ²
Northwest										
Minden	66.4	43.6	55.0	51.3	3.7	0.48	2	-0.76	0.78	-4.00
Mooringsport	63.3	46.6	54.9	51.7	3.3	0.62	3	-0.50	0.68	-3.70
Red River	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	52.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.09	-2.92
Shreveport	66.4	42.6	54.5	51.3	3.2	0.64	3	-0.40	0.85	-3.79
Average	65.4	44.3	54.8	51.7	3.4	0.58	3	-0.55	0.60	-3.60
North central										
Calhoun	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	51.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farmerville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	50.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Homer	61.7	38.4	50.1	50.2	-0.1	1.04	4	-0.34	1.41	-3.72
Average	61.7	38.4	50.1	50.7	-0.1	1.04	4	-0.34	1.41	-3.72
Northeast										
Lake Providence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	51.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
St Joseph	78.0	44.0	61.0	54.4	5.7	0.00	0	-0.20	0.13	-3.25
Tallulah	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	53.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Winnsboro	71.3	44.7	58.0	53.4	3.9	0.56	1	-0.01	0.83	-3.38
Average	74.7	44.4	59.5	53.1	4.8	0.28	1	-0.11	0.48	-3.31
West central										
Ashland	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	52.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hodges Gardens	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	54.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Leesville	70.9	50.4	60.6	53.9	6.7	3.86	4	2.40	4.01	-1.44
Natchitoches	68.7	47.3	58.0	53.6	4.4	2.09	4	0.75	2.45	-2.52
Average	69.8	48.8	59.3	53.7	5.6	2.97	4	1.57	3.23	-1.98
Central										
Alexandria	69.0	49.3	59.1	55.0	4.2	3.47	4	1.96	3.80	-1.56
Bunkie	69.0	49.9	59.4	55.5	3.9	4.50	5	3.08	4.50	-0.26
Eunice	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Jonesville Locks	66.7	48.0	57.4	54.7	2.6	5.42	4	3.93	5.46	0.22
New Roads	73.0	55.7	64.3	57.2	6.8	1.75	2	1.34	1.75	-1.05
Average	69.4	50.7	60.1	56.0	4.4	3.79	5	2.58	3.88	-0.66
East central										
Baton Rouge	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hammond	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	56.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Norwood	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.11	(NA)
Slidell	73.0	57.0	65.0	57.4	7.6	4.28	4	3.15	4.57	0.39
Average	73.0	57.0	65.0	56.8	7.6	4.28	4	3.15	2.34	0.39
Southwest										
Crowley	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.0	(NA)	0.00	0	-0.48	0.56	-3.32
DeRidder	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	55.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Jennings	71.7	54.5	63.1	57.5	5.5	4.08	4	3.10	4.27	-0.24
Oberlin	72.0	50.0	61.0	56.4	4.0	0.56	1	0.04	0.56	-3.59
Average	71.8	52.2	62.0	56.6	4.8	1.55	4	0.89	1.80	-2.38
South central										
Donaldsonville	74.7	55.6	65.1	57.6	7.5	3.85	3	2.84	3.87	0.08
Jeanerette	71.0	50.0	60.5	58.2	1.6	0.00	0	-0.24	1.30	-1.64
Lafayette	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Morgan City	72.2	53.2	62.8	59.3	3.2	0.36	1	-0.21	0.37	-2.30
Average	72.6	52.9	62.8	58.1	4.1	1.40	3	0.80	1.85	-1.29
Southeast										
Galliano	79.3	69.7	74.5	59.8	15.2	0.62	2	0.28	0.62	-0.28
Gonzales	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.42	3	0.35	1.50	-2.67
Grand Isle	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
New Orleans	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	60.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.89	-1.14
Average	79.3	69.7	74.5	60.2	15.2	1.02	3	0.32	1.00	-1.36
State	70.9	51.4	61.1	55.4	5.6	1.98	4	1.01	1.94	-1.92

(NA) Not available.

¹ Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

² Departure from normal.