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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. 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.

Week Ending: March 30, 2025 **Released: March 31, 2025**

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Louisiana, there were 3.9 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, March 30, 2025**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 4 percent short, 61 percent adequate, and 33 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 5 percent short, 70 percent adequate, and 25 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending March 30, 2025

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn planted	81	61	67	74
Corn emerged	38	9	38	44
Rice planted	58	46	49	51
Rice emerged	30	10	35	29
Soybeans planted	6	0	8	4
Winter wheat headed	27	6	34	34

Crop Condition for Week Ending March 30, 2025

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Hay, all	1	4	38	53	4
Livestock	1	4	31	59	5
Pasture	2	12	37	45	4
Sugarcane	2	4	58	35	1
Vegetables	0	1	53	42	4
Winter wheat	0	0	38	62	0

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Louisiana Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of March 17 – March 23, 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/.