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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 and data from the Southern Regional Climate Center. 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: October 4, 2020

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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, October 4, 2020**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 1 percent very short, 20 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 7 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 3 percent very short, 17 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 43.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Evening Shade to 53.6 degrees Fahrenheit at Portland. Highs ranged from 69.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Kingston and Winslow to 82.8 degrees Fahrenheit at Portland. Light precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration occurring in the north central part of the State with an average of 1.08 inches.

Crop Progress for Week Ending October 4, 2020

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn harvested	86	75	92	96
Cotton bolls opening	98	95	96	97
Cotton harvested	13	6	36	29
Peanuts dug	45	38	60	50
Peanuts harvested	10	5	24	18
Rice mature	98	96	98	100
Rice harvested	70	57	79	86
Soybeans coloring	92	83	90	92
Soybeans dropping leaves	74	60	73	80
Soybeans mature	57	45	(NA)	(NA)
Soybeans harvested	27	17	34	42
Winter wheat planted	8	2	14	11
Winter wheat emerged	1	0	5	3

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending October 4, 2020

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Cotton	2	3	14	49	32
Hay, alfalfa	0	0	46	54	0
Hay, other	2	15	47	29	7
Livestock	1	6	41	44	8
Pasture	2	12	40	41	5
Peanuts	0	0	7	48	45
Soybeans	2	5	26	49	18
Vegetables	6	3	29	41	21

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/prog4120.pdf>

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Arkansas Weather Summary for Week Ending October 4, 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										
Kingston	69.7	44.8	57.3	63.3	-6.2	0.42	1	(NA)	0.90	(NA)
Lead Hill	71.0	48.0	59.5	61.6	-1.3	1.04	2	0.14	1.50	-2.29
Winslow	69.7	47.7	58.7	(NA)	(NA)	0.54	2	(NA)	1.44	(NA)
Average	70.1	46.8	58.5	62.5	-3.7	0.67	2	0.14	1.28	-2.29
North central										
Calico Rock	74.9	44.9	59.9	63.0	-3.2	1.17	2	0.18	1.37	-2.61
Evening Shade	71.6	43.7	57.6	64.8	-7.1	1.30	1	0.32	1.57	-2.11
Gilbert	73.7	46.3	60.0	64.3	-4.3	0.70	1	-0.24	1.13	-2.71
Mammoth Spring	74.0	44.4	59.2	62.4	-3.2	1.38	1	0.47	1.38	-2.32
Mountain Home	73.7	47.0	60.4	64.3	-3.9	0.78	2	-0.10	0.79	-3.12
Mountain View	75.4	46.9	61.1	64.7	-3.5	1.17	1	0.19	1.68	-2.21
Average	73.9	45.5	59.7	63.9	-4.2	1.08	2	0.14	1.32	-2.51
Northeast										
Corning	71.4	47.6	59.5	65.3	-5.8	1.02	1	0.08	1.14	-2.33
Jonesboro	74.4	47.6	61.0	65.7	-4.7	0.54	2	-0.40	1.91	-1.11
Keiser	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	67.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.10	-0.71
Newport	72.4	48.7	60.6	66.2	-5.7	0.36	1	-0.42	4.01	1.06
Pocahontas	74.4	47.4	60.9	64.4	-3.5	1.18	1	0.28	1.28	-2.02
Searcy	77.4	50.2	63.8	66.3	-2.9	0.26	1	-0.39	1.88	-1.11
Average	74.0	48.3	61.2	65.8	-4.5	0.67	2	-0.17	1.72	-1.04
West central										
Booneville	75.4	47.1	61.3	66.5	-5.3	0.71	1	-0.27	1.89	-2.03
Dardanelle	78.4	49.0	63.7	67.6	-3.9	0.40	1	(NA)	1.45	(NA)
Mena	72.0	44.4	58.2	65.1	-6.9	0.37	2	-0.86	3.81	-0.86
Subiaco	74.6	47.9	61.2	66.7	-5.4	0.82	1	-0.08	2.16	-1.42
Waldron	74.9	45.0	59.9	65.1	-5.2	0.82	1	-0.09	2.15	-1.77
Average	75.1	46.7	60.9	66.2	-5.3	0.62	2	-0.33	2.29	-1.52
Central										
Alum Fork	73.7	49.1	61.4	66.4	-4.9	0.30	1	-0.75	2.52	-1.59
Cabot	76.4	48.2	62.3	67.2	-4.9	0.00	0	-0.47	1.73	-0.58
Conway	76.1	47.3	61.7	66.7	-5.0	0.38	1	-0.41	2.07	-0.89
Hot Springs	74.7	51.1	62.9	67.7	-4.8	0.32	1	-0.71	4.79	0.89
Morrilton	77.6	47.1	62.4	66.2	-3.8	0.20	1	-0.63	1.28	-1.92
Average	75.7	48.6	62.2	66.8	-4.7	0.24	1	-0.59	2.48	-0.82
East central										
Brinkley	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	66.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Des Arc	75.9	51.3	63.6	67.7	-4.1	0.81	1	0.04	3.45	0.65
Keo	74.1	50.1	62.1	68.1	-5.9	0.50	1	-0.37	3.14	0.08
Stuttgart	77.6	53.0	65.3	67.8	-2.8	0.52	1	0.06	3.99	1.65
West Memphis	77.5	49.3	63.4	67.9	-4.5	0.66	2	0.09	3.00	0.35
Average	76.3	50.9	63.6	67.7	-4.4	0.62	2	-0.04	3.40	0.68
Southwest										
Ashdown	76.4	51.1	63.8	(NA)	(NA)	0.00	0	-1.02	7.60	3.77
De Queen	77.6	49.6	63.6	67.7	-4.5	0.71	1	-0.01	5.28	1.78
Hope	76.9	49.1	63.0	67.9	-4.9	0.03	1	-0.95	5.42	1.79
Murfreesboro	75.6	47.8	61.7	66.2	-4.8	1.98	2	1.28	6.84	3.85
Nashville	77.7	48.7	63.2	69.4	-6.2	0.05	1	-0.96	5.50	1.92
Average	76.8	49.3	63.1	67.8	-5.1	0.55	2	-0.33	6.13	2.62
South central										
Camden	71.0	45.0	58.0	67.8	-8.7	0.00	0	-0.15	0.00	-1.33
Fordyce	74.6	49.3	61.9	66.5	-4.6	0.45	1	-0.51	8.11	4.80
Magnolia	75.4	49.7	62.6	68.5	-5.9	0.08	1	-0.97	5.70	2.30
Prescott	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	67.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	5.50	3.33
Sparkman	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	66.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	73.7	48.0	60.8	67.3	-6.4	0.18	1	-0.54	4.83	2.27
Southeast										
Crossett	79.4	51.3	65.4	68.0	-2.7	0.00	0	-0.88	4.21	2.29
Eudora	79.7	53.2	66.4	71.1	-4.7	0.08	1	-0.73	7.04	4.03
Pine Bluff	76.1	51.0	63.6	68.8	-5.3	0.61	1	-0.41	5.44	1.92
Portland	82.8	53.6	68.2	69.1	-1.2	0.02	1	-0.61	6.85	4.12
Rohwer	79.7	52.7	66.2	68.6	-2.8	0.54	1	0.21	6.86	4.82
Average	79.5	52.4	65.9	69.1	-3.3	0.25	1	-0.48	6.08	3.44
State	75.0	48.5	61.7	66.4	-4.7	0.55	2	-0.25	3.20	0.04

(NA) Not available.

¹ Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

² Departure from normal.