

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: October 16, 2022

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, October 16, 2022**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 46 percent very short, 32 percent short, 22 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 40 percent very short, 40 percent short, 20 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending October 16, 2022

Сгор	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn harvested	99	97	99	98
Cotton bolls opening	100	99	100	100
Cotton harvested	50	34	32	52
Peanuts dug	83	66	82	76
Peanuts harvested	21	15	32	34
Rice mature	100	99	100	100
Rice harvested	95	90	88	91
Soybeans coloring	100	99	99	98
Soybeans dropping leaves	91	85	91	92
Soybeans mature	81	72	82	84
Soybeans harvested	62	47	54	56
Winter wheat planted	23	8	32	32
Winter wheat emerged	3	0	11	15

Crop Condition for Week Ending October 16, 2022

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Cotton	6	5	15	51	23
Hay, alfalfa	15	17	66	2	0
Hay, other	27	31	29	10	3
Livestock	2	15	46	30	7
Pasture	34	29	27	10	0
Peanuts	1	4	18	40	37
Vegetables	3	8	29	42	18

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: <u>https://release.nass.usda.gov/reports/prog4322.pdf</u>



Arkansas Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of October 3 – October 9, 2022

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/.

