

Crop Progress

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Note: These data are preliminary and will be released after 4:00 p.m. each Monday, except for holidays. See tomorrow's Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin for final progress and condition estimates.

Corn: Percent Silking, Selected States ¹				
		Week Ending		1997-
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
CO	8	1	10	3
IL	9	1	26	17
IN	9 2 5	0	20	13
IA	5	0	1	6
KS	23	9	45	33
KY	48	30	66	46
MI	0	0	0	2
MN	1	0	0	4
MO	45	21	44	41
NE	7	1	6	5
NC	75	55	72	62
ND	1	0	1	2 3
OH	1	0	3	3
PA	3	0	2	4
SD	0	0	0	0
TN	80	60	86	66
TX	76	71	66	64
WI	0	0	0	0
18 Sts	11	5	15	13

¹ These 18 States planted 93% of last year's corn acreage.

Winter Wheat: Percent Harvested, Selected States ¹

	Week Ending			1997-
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AR	98	97	96	97
CA	80	70	78	78
CO	61	22	31	36
ID	0	0	0	0
IL	90	79	89	77
IN	65	42	63	61
KS	100	87	96	85
MI	0	0	1	11
MO	97	85	95	81
MT	0	0	0	0
NE	65	27	28	29
NC	99	97	93	95
OH	36	2	18	33
OK	99	95	100	96
OR	4	0	5	1
SD	5	0	0	1
TX	96	87	94	90
WA	1	0	1	1
18 Sts	74	61	68	64

¹ These 18 States harvested 90% of last year's winter wheat acreage.

Cotton: Percent Squaring, Selected States ¹				
		Week Ending		1997-
State	Jul 7,	Jun 30,	Jul 7,	2001
	2002	2002	2001	Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AL	76	67	83	73
AZ	97	88	96	93
AR	94	84	100	96
CA	70	50	68	64
GA	87	76	74	80
LA	95	91	95	93
MS	82	70	94	91
MO	69	48	93	89
NC	86	75	75	69
OK	55	45	42	46
SC	70	55	55	66
TN	84	68	90	89
TX	60	50	64	64
VA	81	68	91	75
14 Sts	74	63	76	75

¹ These 14 States planted 98% of last year's cotton acreage.

Science States				
		Week Ending		
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AR	18	9	32	17
IL	10	4	30	24
IN	6	3	25	23
IA	50	16	16	27
KS	20	6	28	27
KY	10	2	24	15
LA	51	40	78	57
MI	9	1	13	15
MN	20	1	8	14
MS	54	39	76	64
MO	10	3	8	17
NE	18	4	6	12
NC	8	2	14	10
ND	4	0	9	5
OH	7	1	39	29
SD	22	1 5 5	7	16
TN	15	5	19	10
WI	0	0	0	2
18 Sts	19	6	20	21

Soybeans: Percent Blooming, Selected States ¹

¹ These 18 States planted 95% of last year's soybean acreage.

Cotton: Percent Setting Bolls, Selected States ¹

	Week Ending 199'			1997-
State	Jul 7,	Jun 30,	Jul 7,	2001
	2002	2002	2001	Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AL	21	11	19	20
AZ	55	40	50	42
AR	26	6	48	26
CA	20	7	14	11
GA	46	33	30	33
LA	54	37	70	51
MS	40	24	51	46
MO	17	11	35	32
NC	18	6	9	10
OK	4	1	2	1
SC	17	13	12	16
TN	19	4	15	17
TX	20	18	18	18
VA	5	0	2	0
14 Sts	27	18	27	24

¹ These 14 States planted 98% of last year's cotton acreage.

Peanuts: Percent Pegging, Selected States ¹

Scheeled States				
	Week Ending			1997-
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AL	45	35	39	43
FL	65	45	69	60
GA	63	45	52	56
NC	60	30	57	42
OK	47	40	37	45
TX	40	29	49	38
VA	40	20	40	37
7 Sts	52	36	49	47
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¹ These 7 States planted 98% of last year's peanut acreage.

Spring Wheat: Percent Headed, Selected States ¹				
		Week Ending		1997-
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
ID	44	28	67	59
MN	63	30	51	72
MT	29	10	53	60
ND	48	29	49	54
SD	92	76	82	85
WA	98	82	92	92
6 Sts	52	32	56	63

¹ These 6 States planted 98% of last year's spring wheat acreage.

Barley: Percent Headed, Selected States ¹

	Week Ending			1997-
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
ID	53	36	65	58
MN	63	36	52	68
MT	38	21	62	58
ND	44	16	46	49
WA	97	70	94	95
5 Sts	51	28	59	59

¹ These 5 States planted 78% of last year's barley acreage.

Oats: Percent Headed, Selected States ¹

	Week Ending			1997-
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
IA	100	98	93	97
MN	83	65	72	84
NE	100	97	93	97
ND	51	18	54	51
OH	90	77	98	97
PA	88	71	86	90
SD	93	77	80	82
WI	68	52	65	89
8 Sts	78	60	74	79

¹ These 8 States planted 49% of last year's oat acreage.

Rice: Percent Headed, Selected States ¹

	Week Ending			1997-
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AR CA	3 0	$2 \\ 0$	2 0	$\begin{array}{c} 4\\ 0\end{array}$
LA MS	67 6	53 4	50 9	47 12
MO TX	0 70	0 60	0 50	1 51
6 Sts	17	14	13	14

¹ These 6 States planted 100% of last year's rice acreage.

Sorghum: Percent Headed, Selected States ¹

		Week Ending 1997-		
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AR	51	27	55	35
CO	0	0	0	0
IL	5	5	8	2
KS	1	*1	7	4
LA	66	45	83	58
MO	4	1	11	7
NE	1	0	0	0
NM	0	0	3	1
OK	7	0	12	6
SD	1	0	2	2
TX	63	62	51	50
11 Sts	25	24	25	22

* Revised.

¹ These 11 States planted 97% of last year's sorghum acreage.

Sorghum: Percent Coloring, Selected States ¹

	Week Ending			1997-
State	Jul 7, 2002	Jun 30, 2002	Jul 7, 2001	2001 Avg.
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AR	0	NA	0	0
CO	0	NA	0	0
IL	0	NA	0	0
KS	0	NA	0	0
LA	7	NA	8	5
MO	0	NA	0	0
NE	0	NA	0	0
NM	0	NA	0	0
OK	0	NA	0	0
SD	0	NA	0	0
TX	40	NA	39	39
11 Sts	14	NA	14	14

¹ These 11 States planted 97% of last year's sorghum acreage.

Corn: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

by Tercent, Selected States									
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX				
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent				
CO	2	7	35	46	10				
IL	3	11	33	42	11				
IN	4	12	36	42	6				
IA	3	10	22	54	11				
KS	3 5	14	37	39	5				
KY	1	8	28	46	17				
MI	6	15	34	40	5				
MN	2 5	6	29	53	10				
MO	5	15	42	34	4				
NE	6	13	36	36	9				
NC	15	19	41	25					
ND	6	10	39	42	0 3 7				
OH	3	11	38	41	7				
PA	2	5	32	38	23				
SD	8	16	34	39	3				
TN	2 8 3	8	27	51	11				
TX	8 3	14	26	38	14				
WI	3	5	24	47	21				
18 Sts	4	11	32	43	10				
Prev Wk	3	9	30	46	12				
Prev Yr	1	6	24	53	16				

Cotton: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

by Fercent, Selected States									
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX				
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent				
AL	4	19	47	30	0				
AZ	0	3	12	57	28				
AR	2	7	38	48	5				
CA	0	0	10	60	30				
GA	2	8	35	44	11				
LA	1	6	37	44	12				
MS	0	5	26	43	26				
MO	2	19	35	42	2				
NC	2 3	5	40	50	2				
OK	0	5	36	58	1				
SC	2	9	56	33	0				
TN	2 2	10	31	49	8				
TX	10	16	30	36	8				
VA	0	8	45	43	4				
14 Sts	5	11	32	41	11				
Prev Wk	7	11	34	40	8				
Prev Yr	6	11	27	44	12				

Soybeans: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

by refcent, selected states									
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX				
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent				
AR	2	8	33	48	9				
IL	2	9	35	43	11				
IN	2	12	35	46	5				
IA	2 2 2 1	9	25	50	14				
KS	1	8	39	46	6				
KY	1	8 5	28	51	15				
LA	7	15	35	40					
MI	4	11	33	47	3 5 8				
MN	2 1	7	31	52	8				
MS	1	8	25	36	30				
MO	4	14	45	33	4				
NE	5	21	44	27	3				
NC	4 5 3 2 4	10	40	47	3 0				
ND	2	11	37	42	8 7				
OH	4	11	38	40	7				
SD	6	17	32	41	4				
TN	1	5	27	56	11				
WI	1	4	24	52	19				
18 Sts	3	11	34	43	9				
Prev Wk	2	9	33	46	10				
Prev Yr	$2 \\ 2$	8	29	50	11				

Sorghum: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AR	1	8	32	49	10
CO	13	37	40	8	2
IL	0	10	30	48	12
KS	3	15	40	40	
LA	1	20	37	37	2 5 3
MO	0	7	51	39	3
NE	6	25	47	22	0
NM	31	32	31	6	0
OK	5	7	26	60	2
SD	21	28	33	18	0
TX	7	17	39	33	4
11 Sts	6	17	38	36	3
Prev Wk	7	15	39	35	4
Prev Yr	3	14	33	44	6

VP-Very Poor, P-Poor, F-Fair, G-Good, EX-Excellent.

National crop conditions for selected States are weighted based on 2001 planted acres.

by Percent, Selected States									
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX				
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent				
ID	1	3	21	66	9				
MN	10	10	36	39 50	5				
MT	3	5	31		11				
ND	8	12	33	41	6				
SD	36	26	20	15	3				
WA	0	9	44	40	7				
6 Sts	10	11	32	40	7				
Prev Wk	8	13	31	42	6				
Prev Yr	5	9	20	50	16				

Spring Wheat: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

Barley: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

by I creent, Selected States									
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX				
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent				
ID MN MT ND WA	$ \begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 14 \\ 3 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{array} $	3 14 10 8 10	13 38 28 33 54	75 27 47 48 34	8 7 12 6 2				
5 Sts	4	8	31	49	8				
Prev Wk Prev Yr	2 5	7 12	29 26	54 46	8 11				

Oats: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

by I creent, Selected States									
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX				
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent				
IA	1	7	26	56	10				
MN	4	12	29	47	8				
NE	15	26	41	18	0				
ND	18	17	29	34	2				
OH	2	12	31	50	5				
PA	0	4	26	51	19				
SD	28	32	27	12	1				
WI	3	5	21	55	16				
8 Sts	12	15	28	38	7				
Prev Wk	9	16	27	40	8				
Prev Yr	1	5	22	58	14				

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Rice: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

Selected States									
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX				
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent				
AR	2	6	29	47	16				
CA	0	0	25	70	5				
LA	0	1	22	56	21				
MS	0	2	18	48	32				
MO	1	6	29	40	24				
TX	1	1	15	53	30				
6 Sts	1	4	26	51	18				
Prev Wk	1	3	27	55	14				
Prev Yr	1	3	22	56	18				

Peanuts: Crop Condition by Percent, Selected States

by Tercent, Selected States									
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX				
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent				
AL	0	2	32	49	17				
FL	0	0	10	70	20				
GA	1	5	35	46	13				
NC	0	2	35	62	1				
OK	0	2 3	23	60	14				
TX	0	1	23	57	19				
VA	0	8	37	52	3				
7 Sts	0	3	29	54	14				
Prev Wk	1	5	33	48	13				
Prev Yr	0	7	22	59	12				

Pasture and Range:	Crop Condition by Percent,							
Salacted States								

Selected States											
State	VP	Р	F	G	EX	State	VP	Р	F	G	EX
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AL	3	13	40	39	5	NJ	0	3	68	29	0
AZ	22	60	18	0	0	NM	46	37	15	2	0
AR	1	4	28	58	9	NY	0	8	20	64	8
CA	15	65	20	0	0	NC	28	34	31	7	0
CO	63	21	14	2	0	ND	31	24	31	13	1
CT	0	16	21	63	0	OH	2	12	39	42	5
DE	10	29	37	21	3	OK	2	5	26	53	14
FL	0	0	15	75	10	OR	19	26	30	23	2 6
GA	8	19	43	27	3	PA	5	13	41	35	6
ID	1	9	30	54	6	RI	0	0	56	40	4
IL	1	11	37	46	5	SC	16	41	29	14	0
IN	3	12	38	44	3	SD	35	34	22	8	1
IA	6	26	41	25	2	TN	10	23	33	31	1 3 7
KS	19	26	25	24	6	TX	18	22	29	24	7
KY	2	13	26	50	9	UT	23	31	35	11	0
LA	3	14	38	41	4	VT	0	0	24	61	15
ME	0	1	5	51	43	VA	17	39	35	8	1
MD	11	21	49	18	1	WA	1	8	73	18	0
MA	0	2	27	69	2	WV	2	10	43	40	5
MI	4	22	36	32	6	WI	1	9	26	51	13
MN	5	14	36	40	5	WY	47	25	24	4	0
MS	6	11	34	41	8						
MO	4	15	42	37	2	48 Sts	15	22	30	28	5
MT	16	25	36	20	3						
NE	32	34	26	8	0	Prev Wk	15	20	29	30	6
NV	7	28	35	25	5	Prev Yr	7	16	31	39	6 7
NH	0	3	14	60	23						

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Crop Progress and Condition Survey and Estimating Procedures

Survey Procedures: Crop progress and condition estimates are based on survey data that are collected each week from early April to the end of November. The Crop progress and condition surveys are non-probability surveys that include a sample of more than 5,000 reporters whose occupations provide them opportunities to make visual observations and frequently bring them in contact with farmers in their counties. Based on standard definitions, these reporters subjectively estimate progress of farmers' activities and progress of crops through their stages of development. They also provide subjective evaluations of crop conditions.

Most reporters complete their questionnaire on Friday or early Monday morning and submit it to the Agricultural Statistics Service's office in their State by mail, telephone, fax, e-mail, or through a secured internet website. A small number of reports are completed on Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday. Regardless of the time that the questionnaire is completed, reporters are asked to report for the week ending on Sunday. For reports submitted prior to the Sunday reference date, a degree of uncertainty is introduced into the projections for weekend progress and crop condition changes. By the end of the 2001 season, nearly two-thirds of the data were being submitted through the internet website. As a result, about one-half of all data are submitted on Monday morning, which has significantly reduced this projection uncertainty.

Reporters are sent written reporting instructions at the beginning of each season and are contacted periodically to ensure proper reporting. Terms and definitions of crop stages and condition categories that are used as reporting guidelines are available on the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) website at: www.usda.gov/nass/pubs/cwterms.htm.

Estimating Procedures: Reported data are reviewed for reasonableness and consistency by comparing with data reported the previous week and data reported in surrounding counties for the current week. Each State Statistical Office summarizes the reported data to district and State levels, weighting each county's reported data by NASS county acreage estimates. Summarized indications are compared with previous week estimates, and progress items are compared with earlier stages of development and historical averages to ensure reasonableness. Weather events and reporter comments are also taken into consideration. State estimates are submitted to the Agricultural Statistics Board (ASB) along with supporting comments, where they are compared with surrounding States and compiled into a National level summary by weighting each State by its acreage estimates.

Revision Policy: Progress and condition estimates in the "**Crop Progress**" report are released at 4:00 pm ET on the first business day of the week. These estimates are preliminary and subject to corrections or updates in the "**Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin**" National Summary that is released at 12:00 pm ET on the second business day of the week. These estimates are then subject to revision the following week.

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