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Corn Dough – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2025 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	59	55	59	58
Illinois	90	82	90	86
Indiana	80	69	82	81
Iowa	87	83	90	89
Kansas	87	78	87	85
Kentucky	77	81	89	76
Michigan	74	63	76	70
Minnesota	77	82	92	79
Missouri	93	89	94	93
Nebraska	80	71	84	84
North Carolina	93	92	97	94
North Dakota	60	67	80	63
Ohio	86	81	87	81
Pennsylvania	54	47	56	50
South Dakota	84	76	86	80
Tennessee	94	91	98	94
Texas	92	86	91	91
Wisconsin	65	53	70	69
18 States	81	76	86	82

Corn Dented – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2025 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	7	5	18	16
Illinois	55	31	47	50
Indiana	32	19	33	31
Iowa	42	26	47	43
Kansas	53	41	55	54
Kentucky	56	60	74	58
Michigan	24	12	23	23
Minnesota	26	28	52	26
Missouri	64	53	66	64
Nebraska	46	27	46	48
North Carolina	89	82	89	85
North Dakota	15	18	24	14
Ohio	32	15	36	33
Pennsylvania	10	8	20	11
South Dakota	35	24	40	27
Tennessee	79	76	89	73
Texas	84	72	80	82
Wisconsin	21	9	19	20
18 States	42	29	45	41

Corn Mature – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2025 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	-	-	-	1
Illinois	3	1	4	3
Indiana	1	-	-	1
Iowa	3	-	1	3
Kansas	10	8	16	12
Kentucky	22	18	38	20
Michigan	-	-	-	-
Minnesota	2	-	2	1
Missouri	13	7	14	9
Nebraska	5	2	3	6
North Carolina	61	33	52	56
North Dakota	-	-	-	-
Ohio	2	-	-	2
Pennsylvania	3	-	1	1
South Dakota	-	-	1	1
Tennessee	32	16	32	22
Texas	70	60	65	67
Wisconsin	1	-	1	1
18 States	6	4	6	6

- Represents zero.

Corn Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2025 corn acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	31	37	13	18	1
Illinois	4	8	30	43	15
Indiana	3	7	28	54	8
Iowa	2	4	16	57	21
Kansas	14	17	27	34	8
Kentucky	1	8	19	55	17
Michigan	1	7	37	39	16
Minnesota	3	7	26	47	17
Missouri	2	7	25	52	14
Nebraska	5	12	28	40	15
North Carolina	22	23	31	18	6
North Dakota	14	27	33	25	1
Ohio	2	6	31	48	13
Pennsylvania	-	-	9	55	36
South Dakota	12	17	29	36	6
Tennessee	1	3	15	47	34
Texas	9	24	31	24	12
Wisconsin	4	8	23	54	11
18 States	6	11	26	43	14
Previous week	5	10	25	47	13
Previous year	2	6	21	51	20

- Represents zero.

Soybeans Setting Pods – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 96% of the 2025 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	98	96	98	95
Illinois	90	85	90	87
Indiana	88	81	88	87
Iowa	89	82	88	92
Kansas	77	67	78	75
Kentucky	78	78	82	78
Louisiana	99	99	100	98
Michigan	94	84	89	92
Minnesota	92	93	96	92
Mississippi	96	95	97	96
Missouri	80	75	84	78
Nebraska	88	87	93	91
North Carolina	86	86	93	84
North Dakota	93	89	94	88
Ohio	91	89	93	89
South Dakota	83	83	95	87
Tennessee	85	91	96	85
Wisconsin	85	81	91	87
18 States	88	85	91	88

Soybeans Dropping Leaves – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 96% of the 2025 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	22	18	36	18
Illinois	2	(NA)	2	1
Indiana	2	(NA)	-	2
Iowa	-	(NA)	-	-
Kansas	1	(NA)	2	2
Kentucky	2	3	12	2
Louisiana	55	49	60	39
Michigan	-	(NA)	-	1
Minnesota	-	(NA)	2	1
Mississippi	37	34	51	28
Missouri	1	-	2	1
Nebraska	-	-	5	4
North Carolina	9	3	6	4
North Dakota	1	5	8	3
Ohio	-	-	-	1
South Dakota	2	-	2	5
Tennessee	9	13	27	7
Wisconsin	-	-	1	-
18 States	4	(NA)	6	4

- Represents zero.

(NA) Not available.

Soybean Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[These 18 States planted 96% of the 2025 soybean acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	1	4	28	54	13
Illinois	4	8	29	46	13
Indiana	3	8	28	53	8
Iowa	1	4	18	58	19
Kansas	4	13	33	44	6
Kentucky	1	4	21	57	17
Louisiana	-	6	27	59	8
Michigan	1	11	40	34	14
Minnesota	2	7	26	53	12
Mississippi	-	3	24	42	31
Missouri	3	7	30	51	9
Nebraska	3	9	24	49	15
North Carolina	2	7	28	47	16
North Dakota	8	22	43	26	1
Ohio	2	7	33	46	12
South Dakota	9	15	30	40	6
Tennessee	1	4	21	54	20
Wisconsin	4	10	23	53	10
18 States	3	9	28	48	12
Previous week	2	8	29	49	12
Previous year	2	6	23	54	15

- Represents zero.

Cotton Setting Bolls – Selected States

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2025 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	89	86	92	93
Arizona	99	95	97	99
Arkansas	97	97	98	98
California	89	80	90	89
Georgia	94	86	92	92
Kansas	95	89	93	92
Louisiana	86	96	98	94
Mississippi	81	72	79	89
Missouri	81	85	92	89
North Carolina	89	91	93	91
Oklahoma	81	74	90	80
South Carolina	89	84	88	93
Tennessee	90	95	97	94
Texas	73	64	73	79
Virginia	95	89	94	95
15 States	80	74	81	84

Cotton Bolls Opening – Selected States

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2025 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	14	15	21	13
Arizona	58	59	71	56
Arkansas	30	15	27	26
California	4	-	5	3
Georgia	19	8	15	14
Kansas	12	8	13	15
Louisiana	33	30	43	41
Mississippi	27	12	24	27
Missouri	3	-	1	2
North Carolina	7	3	13	7
Oklahoma	7	3	17	6
South Carolina	11	3	8	9
Tennessee	17	17	36	12
Texas	20	17	20	23
Virginia	13	7	16	16
15 States	19	14	20	20

- Represents zero.

Cotton Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2025 cotton acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	-	3	19	65	13
Arizona	-	-	15	46	39
Arkansas	-	2	24	50	24
California	-	-	5	5	90
Georgia	2	7	28	54	9
Kansas	5	21	49	21	4
Louisiana	-	7	25	58	10
Mississippi	-	4	43	42	11
Missouri	-	-	14	85	1
North Carolina	1	1	20	53	25
Oklahoma	17	24	54	4	1
South Carolina	-	14	33	43	10
Tennessee	4	7	21	55	13
Texas	15	29	37	17	2
Virginia	1	1	39	59	-
15 States	10	19	34	31	6
Previous week	8	18	36	32	6
Previous year	3	10	33	43	11

- Represents zero.

Sorghum Headed – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2025 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	83	75	85	86
Kansas	83	62	72	81
Nebraska	84	74	82	89
Oklahoma	73	71	84	72
South Dakota	94	68	78	94
Texas	95	93	96	96
6 States	87	73	81	86

Sorghum Coloring – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2025 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	20	30	40	20
Kansas	28	20	28	28
Nebraska	32	20	32	32
Oklahoma	33	37	38	32
South Dakota	32	10	17	34
Texas	82	76	82	82
6 States	43	36	43	43

Sorghum Mature – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2025 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	-	-	-	-
Kansas	5	-	3	2
Nebraska	1	-	1	1
Oklahoma	7	10	21	2
South Dakota	1	-	1	1
Texas	70	60	70	70
6 States	22	16	21	21

- Represents zero.

Sorghum Harvested – Selected States

[These 6 States harvested 100% of the 2025 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	-	(NA)	-	-
Kansas	-	(NA)	-	-
Nebraska	-	(NA)	-	-
Oklahoma	-	(NA)	5	-
South Dakota	-	(NA)	-	-
Texas	60	40	55	58
6 States	16	(NA)	14	16

- Represents zero.

(NA) Not available.

Sorghum Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2025 sorghum acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	16	19	36	27	2
Kansas	12	21	39	22	6
Nebraska	5	20	40	32	3
Oklahoma	13	24	42	18	3
South Dakota	20	26	27	23	4
Texas	7	22	47	19	5
6 States	11	21	41	22	5
Previous week	11	22	39	24	4
Previous year	3	8	26	47	16

Peanut Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[These 8 States planted 95% of the 2025 peanut acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	-	6	20	65	9
Florida	1	1	16	81	1
Georgia	1	7	33	51	8
North Carolina	1	1	16	48	34
Oklahoma	2	9	22	65	2
South Carolina	-	9	29	55	7
Texas	1	7	43	46	3
Virginia	-	5	29	66	-
8 States	1	6	29	55	9
Previous week	1	7	29	54	9
Previous year	-	3	23	62	12

- Represents zero.

Rice Headed – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2025 rice acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	97	94	98	95
California	84	85	90	87
Louisiana	98	100	100	98
Mississippi	100	100	100	99
Missouri	95	93	98	93
Texas	100	99	100	99
6 States	95	94	97	95

Rice Harvested – Selected States

[These 6 States harvested 100% of the 2025 rice acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	13	7	16	9
California	-	-	-	-
Louisiana	68	80	83	70
Mississippi	18	9	20	9
Missouri	2	-	4	2
Texas	66	50	69	66
6 States	24	20	27	21

- Represents zero.

Rice Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2025 rice acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	-	4	33	46	17
California	-	-	15	65	20
Louisiana	-	3	23	68	6
Mississippi	-	4	51	33	12
Missouri	-	-	15	68	17
Texas	-	1	47	52	-
6 States	-	3	29	54	14
Previous week	-	3	27	54	16
Previous year	1	3	22	55	19

- Represents zero.

Spring Wheat Harvested – Selected States

[These 6 States harvested 100% of the 2025 spring wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	62	45	68	48
Minnesota	70	63	78	59
Montana	56	28	55	60
North Dakota	38	37	56	40
South Dakota	82	81	91	85
Washington	70	45	69	67
6 States	51	41	62	52

Spring Wheat Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2025 spring wheat acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	1	2	22	75	-
Minnesota	-	1	8	85	6
Montana	-	10	36	39	15
North Dakota	5	15	41	34	5
South Dakota	4	17	37	39	3
Washington	2	6	43	45	4
6 States	3	11	35	44	7
Previous week	2	10	36	46	6
Previous year	4	14	33	43	6

- Represents zero.

Oats Harvested – Selected States

[These 9 States harvested 78% of the 2025 oat acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Iowa	96	96	97	96
Minnesota	77	75	90	77
Nebraska	95	92	94	97
North Dakota	41	61	74	44
Ohio	98	88	90	99
Pennsylvania	100	97	98	80
South Dakota	91	91	94	92
Texas	100	100	100	100
Wisconsin	79	73	83	77
9 States	78	80	88	78

Barley Harvested – Selected States

[These 5 States harvested 85% of the 2025 barley acreage]

State	Week ending			2021-2025 Average
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	67	52	73	54
Minnesota	70	55	83	61
Montana	44	30	50	56
North Dakota	49	53	73	51
Washington	72	50	70	69
5 States	53	43	64	55

Barley Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[These 5 States planted 81% of the 2025 barley acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	-	3	30	67	-
Minnesota	1	2	15	75	7
Montana	2	10	38	30	20
North Dakota	2	11	45	40	2
Washington	1	3	41	54	1
5 States	1	8	38	44	9
Previous week	2	9	38	39	12
Previous year	5	18	35	40	2

- Represents zero.

Pasture and Range Condition – Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[National pasture and range conditions for selected States are weighted based on pasture acreage and/or livestock inventories]

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Alabama	1	2	20	66	11
Arizona	35	37	14	13	1
Arkansas	20	40	25	13	2
California	-	-	30	60	10
Colorado	30	34	30	6	-
Connecticut	-	-	28	70	2
Delaware	12	25	34	29	-
Florida	4	15	24	37	20
Georgia	3	15	41	37	4
Idaho	4	35	41	20	-
Illinois	4	7	29	51	9
Indiana	2	6	27	58	7
Iowa	2	8	25	54	11
Kansas	11	19	35	28	7
Kentucky	-	5	26	60	9
Louisiana	3	13	41	41	2
Maine	4	13	50	30	3
Maryland	8	17	47	24	4
Massachusetts	-	-	27	70	3
Michigan	2	21	45	19	13
Minnesota	18	31	31	18	2
Mississippi	7	18	37	32	6
Missouri	2	6	19	66	7
Montana	21	26	26	20	7
Nebraska	35	29	27	9	-
Nevada	5	35	40	15	5
New Hampshire	-	4	28	68	-
New Jersey	6	11	28	55	-
New Mexico	27	34	34	5	-
New York	1	9	23	58	9
North Carolina	1	4	50	42	3
North Dakota	20	30	31	19	-
Ohio	-	4	35	57	4
Oklahoma	24	34	31	10	1
Oregon	6	27	36	30	1
Pennsylvania	-	12	24	59	5
Rhode Island	-	-	-	100	-
South Carolina	7	17	32	40	4
South Dakota	40	27	23	10	-
Tennessee	3	9	25	56	7
Texas	21	29	34	14	2
Utah	10	53	19	17	1
Vermont	3	6	50	41	-
Virginia	11	17	34	36	2
Washington	11	11	35	43	-
West Virginia	23	31	30	14	2
Wisconsin	5	13	34	44	4
Wyoming	40	31	25	4	-
48 States	22	28	29	18	3
Previous week	22	26	29	20	3
Previous year	11	21	31	28	9

- Represents zero.

Days Suitable for Fieldwork - Selected States

[Days suitable for fieldwork are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Week ending		
	August 23, 2025	August 16, 2026	August 23, 2026
	(Days)	(Days)	(Days)
Alabama	5.4	6.1	6.1
Arizona	6.5	6.0	6.0
Arkansas	6.8	6.9	6.6
California	7.0	7.0	7.0
Colorado	5.8	5.8	6.6
Connecticut	6.0	7.0	6.0
Delaware	5.5	5.5	5.0
Florida	5.7	6.8	6.1
Georgia	5.3	6.0	6.3
Idaho	7.0	6.3	6.6
Illinois	6.3	3.3	4.3
Indiana	6.2	1.9	3.5
Iowa	5.6	3.3	5.2
Kansas	6.3	6.2	6.0
Kentucky	6.7	5.4	5.7
Louisiana	5.2	6.7	6.4
Maine	7.0	7.0	6.0
Maryland	5.0	6.0	4.5
Massachusetts	6.0	6.0	6.0
Michigan	5.7	4.6	5.6
Minnesota	5.0	5.6	6.1
Mississippi	6.4	6.7	6.2
Missouri	6.6	5.7	5.4
Montana	7.0	5.0	6.8
Nebraska	6.2	4.9	4.6
Nevada	7.0	5.7	7.0
New Hampshire	6.8	6.0	7.0
New Jersey	6.0	7.0	6.0
New Mexico	6.5	7.0	6.8
New York	6.0	5.5	5.0
North Carolina	6.0	6.5	5.9
North Dakota	5.7	5.9	6.3
Ohio	6.3	0.9	2.1
Oklahoma	6.6	6.6	6.4
Oregon	6.8	7.0	7.0
Pennsylvania	6.5	5.5	5.0
Rhode Island	6.0	7.0	5.0
South Carolina	5.5	5.9	6.4
South Dakota	5.9	5.9	6.6
Tennessee	6.7	6.4	6.0
Texas	6.3	6.2	6.1
Utah	6.9	5.3	6.6
Vermont	7.0	5.0	6.0
Virginia	6.2	5.9	6.1
Washington	7.0	7.0	6.9
West Virginia	6.2	3.1	2.8
Wisconsin	5.6	5.9	5.7
Wyoming	6.6	6.4	6.7

Topsoil Moisture Condition - Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[National topsoil moisture conditions for selected States are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	1	19	67	13
Arizona	20	21	59	-
Arkansas	42	33	24	1
California	5	10	85	-
Colorado	25	47	27	1
Connecticut	-	5	95	-
Delaware	11	15	62	12
Florida	4	19	75	2
Georgia	9	42	46	3
Idaho	15	42	39	4
Illinois	3	10	68	19
Indiana	2	7	55	36
Iowa	3	16	70	11
Kansas	25	36	36	3
Kentucky	1	10	83	6
Louisiana	29	52	18	1
Maine	11	51	38	-
Maryland	1	11	86	2
Massachusetts	-	16	84	-
Michigan	10	39	48	3
Minnesota	14	36	48	2
Mississippi	31	40	28	1
Missouri	6	25	62	7
Montana	17	53	30	-
Nebraska	19	24	53	4
Nevada	30	45	25	-
New Hampshire	-	19	81	-
New Jersey	22	2	76	-
New Mexico	60	30	10	-
New York	-	11	87	2
North Carolina	4	35	55	6
North Dakota	28	42	29	1
Ohio	-	1	50	49
Oklahoma	47	34	19	-
Oregon	45	41	14	-
Pennsylvania	6	9	81	4
Rhode Island	-	-	100	-
South Carolina	11	27	59	3
South Dakota	35	40	24	1
Tennessee	6	31	58	5
Texas	43	43	13	1
Utah	7	45	48	-
Vermont	3	84	13	-
Virginia	14	31	52	3
Washington	18	42	40	-
West Virginia	4	21	56	19
Wisconsin	14	27	58	1
Wyoming	62	24	14	-
48 States	19	30	45	6
Previous week	18	30	45	7
Previous year	11	25	58	6

- Represents zero.

Subsoil Moisture Condition - Selected States: Week Ending August 23, 2026

[National subsoil moisture conditions for selected States are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	2	20	66	12
Arizona	19	21	60	-
Arkansas	35	38	27	-
California	5	10	85	-
Colorado	31	35	33	1
Connecticut	10	25	65	-
Delaware	12	23	62	3
Florida	5	19	75	1
Georgia	13	45	40	2
Idaho	9	43	48	-
Illinois	5	13	67	15
Indiana	2	8	61	29
Iowa	5	21	66	8
Kansas	25	38	34	3
Kentucky	1	9	83	7
Louisiana	26	51	22	1
Maine	12	49	39	-
Maryland	5	47	48	-
Massachusetts	23	23	54	-
Michigan	9	43	47	1
Minnesota	15	39	44	2
Mississippi	29	40	29	2
Missouri	4	25	66	5
Montana	26	60	14	-
Nebraska	26	31	42	1
Nevada	10	45	45	-
New Hampshire	-	7	93	-
New Jersey	26	18	56	-
New Mexico	49	36	15	-
New York	-	8	91	1
North Carolina	7	34	57	2
North Dakota	24	41	35	-
Ohio	1	7	57	35
Oklahoma	46	35	19	-
Oregon	35	45	20	-
Pennsylvania	5	27	68	-
Rhode Island	-	-	100	-
South Carolina	12	34	51	3
South Dakota	37	36	26	1
Tennessee	7	32	58	3
Texas	39	41	18	2
Utah	16	46	37	1
Vermont	6	61	33	-
Virginia	19	31	50	-
Washington	16	45	39	-
West Virginia	4	25	59	12
Wisconsin	10	26	63	1
Wyoming	38	44	18	-
48 States	19	32	44	5
Previous week	18	32	45	5
Previous year	10	25	60	5

- Represents zero.

Crop Progress and Condition Tables Expected Next Week

Barley: Harvested

Corn: Dough, Dented, Mature, Condition

Cotton: Setting Bolls, Bolls Opening, Condition

Oats: Harvested

Peanuts: Condition

Sorghum: Headed, Coloring, Mature, Harvested, Condition

Soybeans: Setting Pods, Dropping Leaves, Condition

Spring Wheat: Harvested

Rice: Harvested, Condition

Pasture and Range: Condition

Days Suitable for Fieldwork

Topsoil Moisture Condition

Subsoil Moisture Condition

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Crop progress and condition estimates are based on survey data collected each week from early April through the end of November. The non-probability crop progress and condition surveys include input from approximately 3,600 respondents 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 respondents subjectively estimate the progress of crops through various stages of development, as well as the progress of producer activities. They also provide subjective evaluations of crop conditions.

Most respondents complete their questionnaires on Friday or early Monday morning and submit them to the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) Field Offices in their States 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 when questionnaires are completed, respondents are asked to report for the entire week ending on Sunday. For reports submitted prior to the Sunday reference date, a degree of uncertainty is introduced by projections for weekend changes in progress and condition. By the end of the 2020 season, over 95 percent of the data were being submitted through the internet website. As a result, the majority of all data are submitted on Monday morning, significantly reducing projection uncertainty.

Respondents 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 used as reporting guidelines are available on the NASS website at www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/National_Crop_Progress.

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. Field Offices summarize 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 respondent 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. National crop planting progress, progress of development stages, and condition estimates are weighted using the program State's average planted acres over the previous three crop years. National crop harvest progress estimates are weighted using the program State's average harvested acres over the previous three crop years. Pasture and range condition is weighted using pasture acreage and/or livestock inventories from the most recent Census of Agriculture. Days suitable for fieldwork, topsoil moisture and subsoil moisture are weighted using cropland acreage from the Census of Agriculture.

Revision Policy: Progress and condition estimates in the *Crop Progress* report are released after 4:00 pm ET on the first business day of the week. These estimates are subject to revision the following week.

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