

United States Department of Agriculture National Agricultural Statistics Service

# Alabama Crop Progress and Condition Report



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#### June 10, 2019

### General

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Alabama, there were 5.3 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, June 9, 2019. Precipitation estimates for the state ranged from 0.49 inches of rain up to 8.05 inches. Average high temperatures ranged from the high 70s to the low 90s. Average low temperatures ranged from the low 60s to the mid 70s.

# **County Comments**

Widespread rain over the weekend has brought the county out of the extreme dry spell. This has helped recently planted crops emerge.

# Gina Harris, Walker County

Farmers got some relief from dry conditions with rains at the end of the week. Some areas received over 2 inches. The south end of the county did not receive as much rainfall. Hopefully, crops will be able to rebound from dry conditions with this much needed rain.

# Allie Corcoran, Barbour County

It has been extremely dry which has affected the crops. Most of the corn in the county was affected by dry weather. Rain received in the last week has helped, however areas have had excess rain and an evaluation will be made in those areas.

#### **Carol Nicholson, Bullock County**

Recent heavy rains beneficial to crops and livestock. Jimmy Smitherman, Montgomery County

Much needed rain received over the weekend. With much of the wheat crop harvested, double crop soybeans going in the ground. Cotton continues to look good.

#### Shannon Parker, Morgan County

# Media Contact: Cynthia Price

# Crop Progress for Week Ending 06/09/19

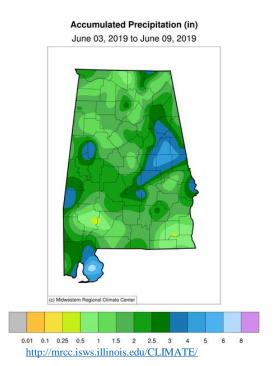
Crop stage	This week	Prev week	Prev year	5 Year avg
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn - Silking	32	10	18	25
Cotton - Planted	95	92	89	92
Cotton - Squaring	12	3	8	10
Hay - 2nd Cutting	2	NA	NA	NA
Peanuts - Planted	94	88	85	87
Peanuts - Pegging	4	NA	0	1
Soybeans - Planted	61	56	67	72
Soybeans - Emerged	50	44	59	59
Winter wheat - Harvested	46	30	44	39

#### Conditions for Week Ending 06/09/19

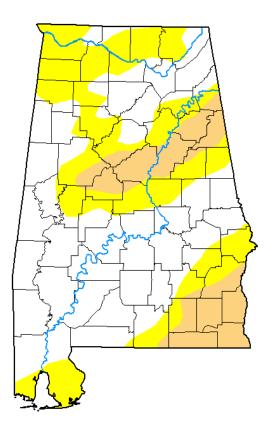
Crop	Very poor	2 Poor		Good	Excellent			
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)			
Cattle	1	4	29	62	4			
Corn	3	10	36	49	2			
Cotton	0	7	39	53	1			
Pasture and range	6	13	40	39	2			
Peanuts	2	10	54	34	0			
Soybeans	1	3	14	81	1			
Winter wheat	0	2	39	58	1			

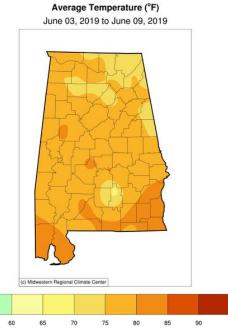
#### Soil Moisture for Week Ending 06/09/19

This week	Previous week
(percent)	(percent)
7	27
21	49
68	24
4	0
This week	Previous week
(percent)	(percent)
7	15
21	46
69	39
3	0
	(percent) 7 21 68 4 This week (percent) 7 21 69



U.S. Drought Monitor Alabama





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#### June 4, 2019 (Released Thursday, Jun. 6, 2019)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)						
	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	55.23	44.77	14.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 05-28-2019	56.16	43.84	7.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Month s Ago 03-05-2019	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2019	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-25-2018	62.25	37.75	7.95	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 06-05-2018	92.49	7.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



D2 Severe Drought D3 Extreme Drought D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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