



United States Department of Agriculture
National Agricultural Statistics Service
**Alabama Crop Progress
and Condition Report**



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This report contains data collected each week from respondents across the state whose occupations provide them opportunities to discuss agricultural production with farmers in their counties as well as to make visual observations. We thank all who have contributed to this report.

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General

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Alabama, there were 6.8 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, June 26, 2022. Precipitation ranged from no rain to 1.1 inches. Average high temperatures ranged from the low 90s to the high 90s. Average low temperatures ranged from the mid 60s to the mid 70s.

Crops

Some of the state received scattered showers throughout the week while most of the state experienced hot, dry weather. Crop conditions and soil moisture for much of the state remained mostly good and adequate. Many farmers ran irrigation to supplement the lack of rainfall this week. The hot, dry weather has slowed progression in crops such as corn, and soybeans. Corn fields continued silking and remained behind the five-year average. Soybeans planted is close to completion and have continued blooming across the state. Cotton was reported to be looking better this week. Winter wheat harvest was close to completion and double crop soybeans continued being planted.

Livestock and Pastures

Cattle continued to be in mostly good condition across the state. In some parts of the state, livestock were experiencing heat stress. Pastures were reported to be dry and in need of rain.

Crop Progress for Week Ending 06/26/22

Crop stage	Prev year (percent)	Prev week (percent)	This week (percent)	5 Year avg (percent)
Corn - Silking.....	66	34	69	73
Cotton - Squaring.....	23	29	47	40
Cotton - Setting Bolls.....	2	0	2	2
Hay - 2nd Cutting.....	21	23	41	25
Peanuts - Pegging.....	15	7	21	30
Soybeans - Planted.....	82	89	93	90
Soybeans - Emerged.....	70	77	85	77
Soybeans - Blooming.....	7	8	21	24
Winter wheat - Harvested...	88	72	91	90

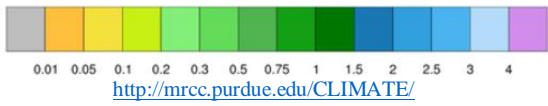
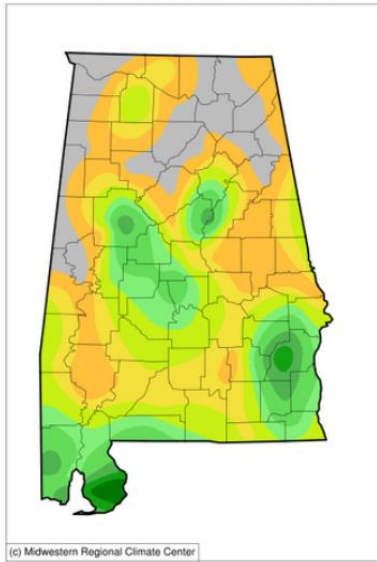
Conditions for Week Ending 06/26/22

Crop	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Cattle.....	0	1	16	80	3
Corn.....	1	15	27	56	1
Cotton.....	0	4	20	73	3
Pasture and range	1	5	33	61	0
Peanuts.....	0	1	19	79	1
Soybeans.....	1	12	22	65	0

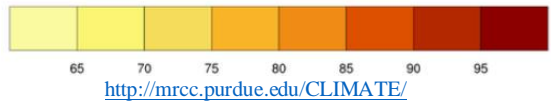
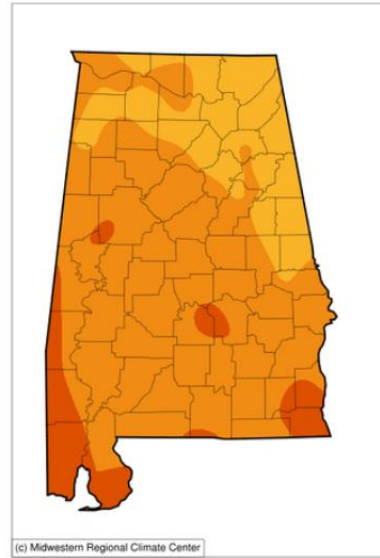
Soil Moisture for Week Ending 06/26/22

Topsoil	Previous week (percent)	This week (percent)
Very short.....	1	8
Short.....	22	33
Adequate.....	71	58
Surplus.....	6	1
Subsoil	Previous week (percent)	This week (percent)
Very short.....	2	7
Short.....	17	30
Adequate.....	69	60
Surplus.....	12	3

Accumulated Precipitation (in)
June 20, 2022 to June 26, 2022

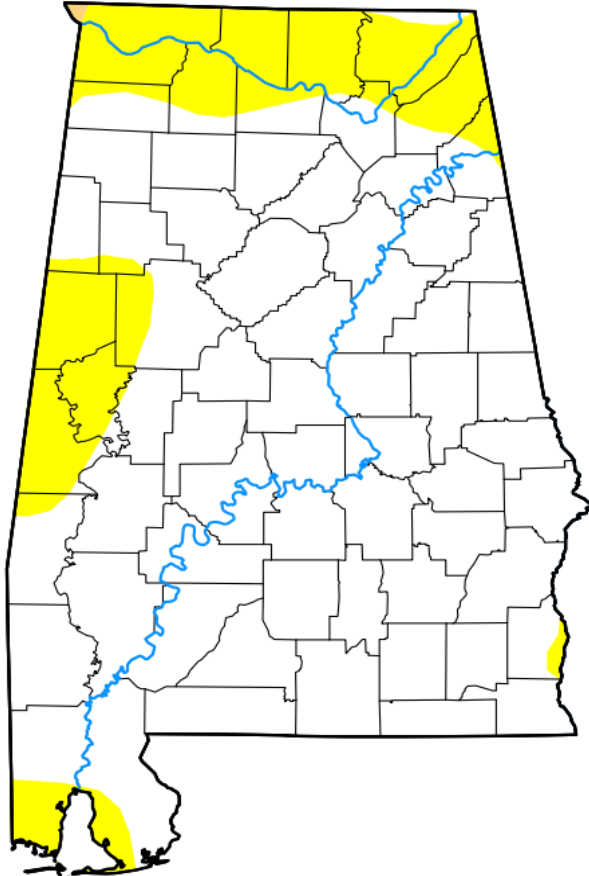


Average Temperature (°F)
June 20, 2022 to June 26, 2022



U.S. Drought Monitor Alabama

June 21, 2022
(Released Thursday, Jun. 23, 2022)
Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	81.55	18.45	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>06-14-2022</i>	99.18	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>03-22-2022</i>	82.08	17.92	0.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2022</i>	76.82	23.18	3.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2021</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>06-22-2021</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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