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## 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 20, 2024**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 7.0 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, October 20, 2024**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 38 percent very short, 40 percent short, 22 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 27 percent very short, 33 percent short, 40 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus.

**Crop Progress for Week Ending October 20, 2024**

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Cotton harvested	68	52	66	58
Peanuts dug	81	72	93	87
Peanuts harvested	45	34	45	40
Rice harvested	98	95	95	93
Soybeans coloring	100	99	100	99
Soybeans dropping leaves	96	93	97	95
Soybeans mature	92	86	92	88
Soybeans harvested	82	72	78	66
Sweet potatoes harvested	64	51	(NA)	(NA)
Winter wheat planted	34	26	34	38
Winter wheat emerged	16	8	14	17

(NA) Not available.

**Crop Condition for Week Ending October 20, 2024**

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Hay, all	22	37	33	6	2
Livestock	6	12	38	39	5
Pasture	19	34	30	16	1
Peanuts	0	7	24	37	32
Vegetables	1	14	48	36	1

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: <https://release.nass.usda.gov/reports/prog4224.pdf>

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## Arkansas Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of October 7 – October 13, 2024

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/>.

