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Louisiana 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 parish extension agents' visual observations and contact with producers in their parish. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/la> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all of the parish extension agents who responded to this survey.

Week Ending: June 4, 2023

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Louisiana, there were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, June 4, 2023**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 9 percent very short, 23 percent short, 57 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 9 percent very short, 26 percent short, 62 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending June 4, 2023

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn silking	56	34	32	47
Cotton planted	98	95	100	93
Cotton emerged	86	81	96	83
Cotton squaring	1	0	11	7
Hay first cutting	67	52	83	74
Hay second cutting	10	1	1	1
Rice emerged	98	95	98	97
Rice headed	5	2	0	3
Soybeans planted	96	92	100	93
Soybeans emerged	91	83	98	86
Soybeans blooming	34	12	21	19
Sweet potatoes planted	60	35	39	55
Winter wheat coloring	98	95	99	98
Winter wheat harvested	63	52	75	59

Crop Condition for Week Ending June 4, 2023

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Corn	0	0	16	77	7
Cotton	0	0	19	80	1
Hay, all	1	2	40	54	3
Livestock	0	5	23	66	6
Pasture	1	3	25	61	10
Rice	1	3	26	64	6
Soybeans	0	1	8	90	1
Sugarcane	0	1	20	75	4
Vegetables	0	2	18	78	2

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/prog2223.pdf>



Louisiana Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of May 22 – May 28, 2023

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/>.

