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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 16, 2024

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Louisiana, there were 6.2 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, June 16, 2024**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 12 percent short, 74 percent adequate, and 14 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 8 percent short, 79 percent adequate, and 13 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending June 16, 2024

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn silking	86	74	91	84
Corn dough	34	11	27	17
Corn dented	1	0	3	1
Cotton planted	97	92	100	98
Cotton emerged	86	79	99	94
Cotton squaring	34	12	23	31
Hay first cutting	80	70	87	84
Hay second cutting	15	6	22	12
Rice emerged	100	99	100	99
Rice headed	25	11	19	15
Soybeans planted	95	92	100	98
Soybeans emerged	91	88	97	94
Soybeans blooming	42	32	57	47
Soybeans setting pods	9	5	14	13
Sweet potatoes planted	75	55	88	81
Winter wheat harvested	85	74	95	83

Crop Condition for Week Ending June 16, 2024

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Corn	0	0	5	82	13
Cotton	0	0	5	87	8
Hay, all	0	3	25	66	6
Livestock	0	5	24	67	4
Pasture	0	3	23	70	4
Rice	0	0	12	80	8
Soybeans	0	3	9	83	5
Sugarcane	0	6	26	64	4
Sweet potatoes	0	0	0	100	0
Vegetables	0	2	14	81	3

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/prog2424.pdf>

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Louisiana Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of June 3 – June 9, 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/>.

