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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 23, 2024**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Louisiana, there were 6.1 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, June 23, 2024**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 1 percent very short, 20 percent short, 71 percent adequate, and 8 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 15 percent short, 78 percent adequate, and 7 percent surplus.

### Crop Progress for Week Ending June 23, 2024

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn silking	95	86	97	93
Corn dough	52	34	46	35
Corn denting	12	1	12	7
Cotton planted	100	97	100	100
Cotton emerged	95	86	100	97
Cotton squaring	48	34	37	50
Hay first cutting	85	80	91	89
Hay second cutting	17	15	24	18
Rice headed	41	25	30	30
Soybeans planted	98	95	100	99
Soybeans emerged	94	91	99	98
Soybeans blooming	48	42	66	60
Soybeans setting pods	16	9	21	25
Sweet potatoes planted	89	75	93	90
Winter wheat harvested	94	85	98	94

### Crop Condition for Week Ending June 23, 2024

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Corn	0	0	4	78	18
Cotton	0	0	4	88	8
Hay, all	0	2	25	66	7
Livestock	0	4	22	68	6
Pasture	0	2	22	71	5
Rice	0	0	12	80	8
Soybeans	0	3	9	74	14
Sugarcane	0	4	23	70	3
Sweet potatoes	0	0	0	100	0
Vegetables	0	2	17	79	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/prog2524.pdf>

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## Louisiana Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of June 10 – June 16, 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/>.

