



Crop Progress and Condition

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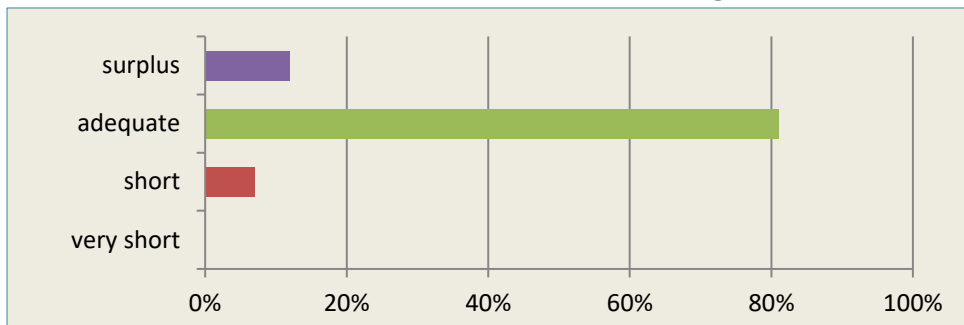
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.2. Weather conditions were warm and wet with heavy rains and high winds late in the week. Farming activities for the week included making hay and planting crops.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 5/26/24

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	7	81	12
Subsoil	3	13	76	8

- Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 5/26/24



CROP CONDITIONS for week ending 5/26/24

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Barley	-	-	46	51	3
Corn	1	3	17	74	5
Cotton	-	-	5	90	5
Hay, Alfalfa	-	2	17	74	7
Hay, Other	1	6	28	61	4
Pasture	1	5	30	58	6
Peanuts	-	-	1	97	2
Winter Wheat	-	1	21	77	1

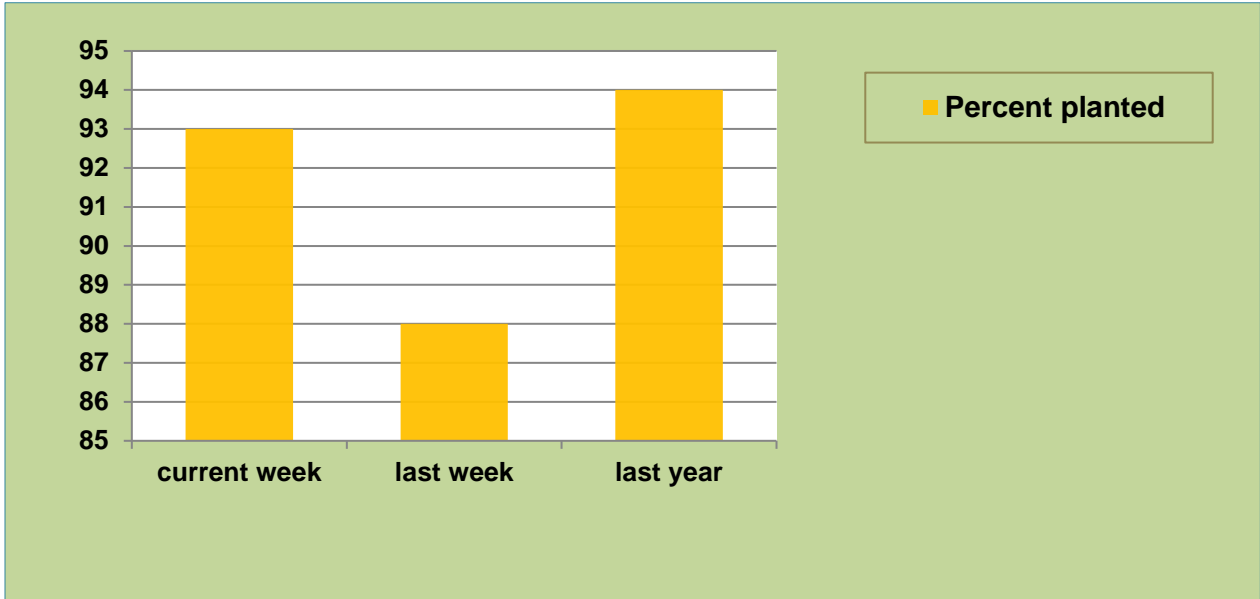
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CROP PROGRESS for week ending 5/26/24

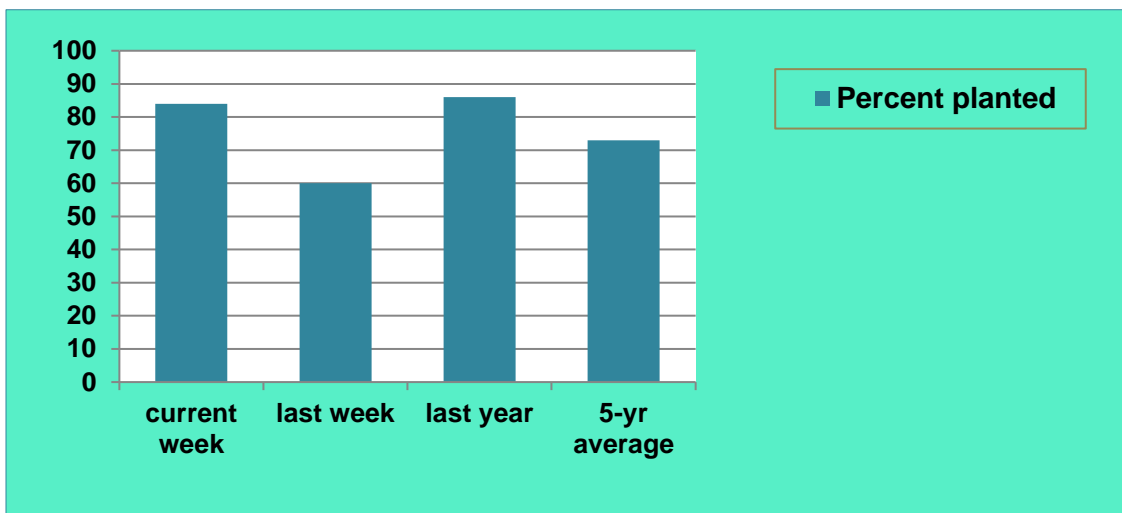
Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Barley harvested for grain	3	-	13	8
Corn planted	93	88	94	-
Corn emerged	77	64	82	80
Cotton planted	84	60	86	73
Cotton squaring	1	-	-	-
Peanuts planted	95	82	78	79
Soybeans planted	70	56	65	55
Soybeans emerged	38	22	34	32
Tobacco, Burley transplanted	61	43	54	49
Tobacco, Fire-cured transplanted	52	32	74	59
Tobacco, Flue-cured transplanted	82	66	77	73

- Represents zero or data not available.

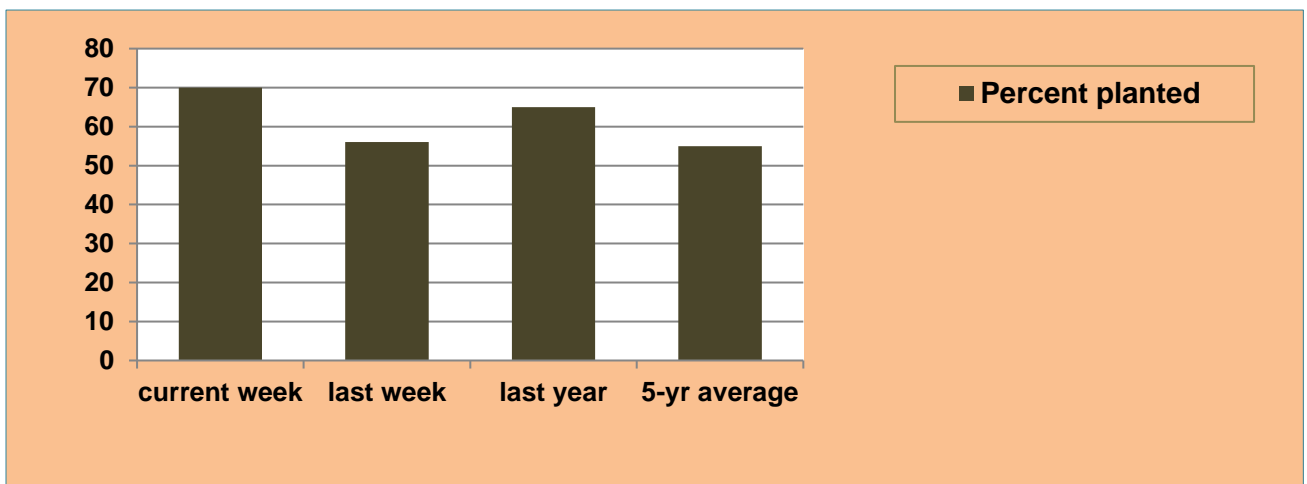
CORN PLANTED for week ending 5/26/24



COTTON PLANTED for week ending 5/26/24



SOYBEANS PLANTED for week ending 5/26/24



Weather Summary- For the week ending May 26, 2024

City	Temperature				Precipitation				
	Avg. high	Avg. low	Avg. mean	Avg. dep. from normal *	Last Week	Since Mar. 1	Mar. 1 dep. from normal *	Jan. 1, 2024 to date	Jan. 1, 2024 dep. from normal *
Lynchburg	84.6	60.0	72.3	+6.5	0.44	8.95	-1.6	18.00	+1.1
Norfolk	81.0	64.4	72.7	+2.8	1.02	15.29	+5.1	21.43	+4.9
Richmond	85.7	63.9	74.8	+6.3	0.94	15.11	+4.6	24.21	+7.9
Roanoke	85.7	63.9	74.8	+7.1	1.16	8.53	-2.0	15.16	-1.4
Wash/Dulles	87.1	62.3	74.7	+8.9	0.85	9.64	-1.3	17.09	+0.6

*Normals value based on 1991-2020 normals data. Source: NOAA Southeast Regional Climate Center <https://www.sercc.com/>.