



Crop Progress and Condition

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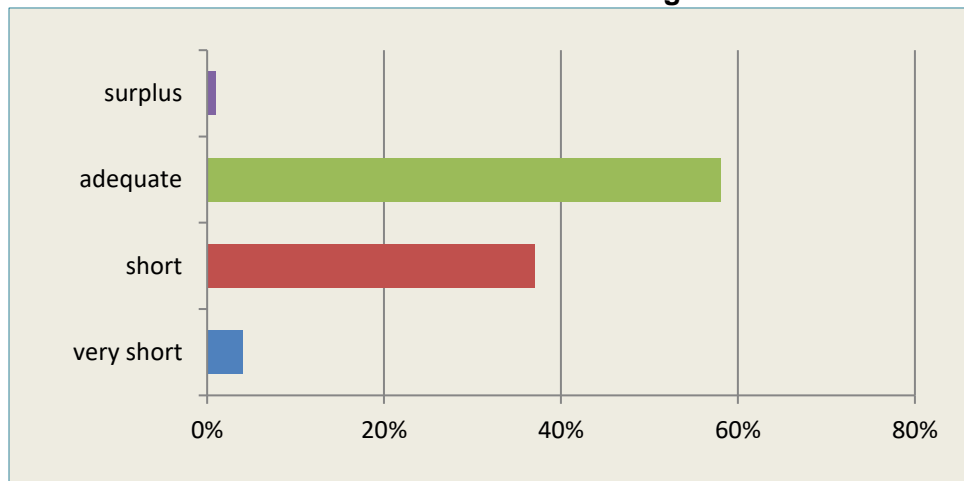
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.6. Weather conditions were cool with rain. The precipitation helped with germination. Average high temperatures were mostly in the lower 60s. There are abnormally dry to severe drought conditions in the State. Farming activities for the week included some fall calving and harvesting cotton and soybeans.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/17/24

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	4	37	58	1
Subsoil	10	43	47	-

- Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/17/24



CROP CONDITIONS for week ending 11/17/24

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Barley	1	11	45	41	2
Pasture	11	27	49	13	-
Winter Wheat	4	15	34	42	5

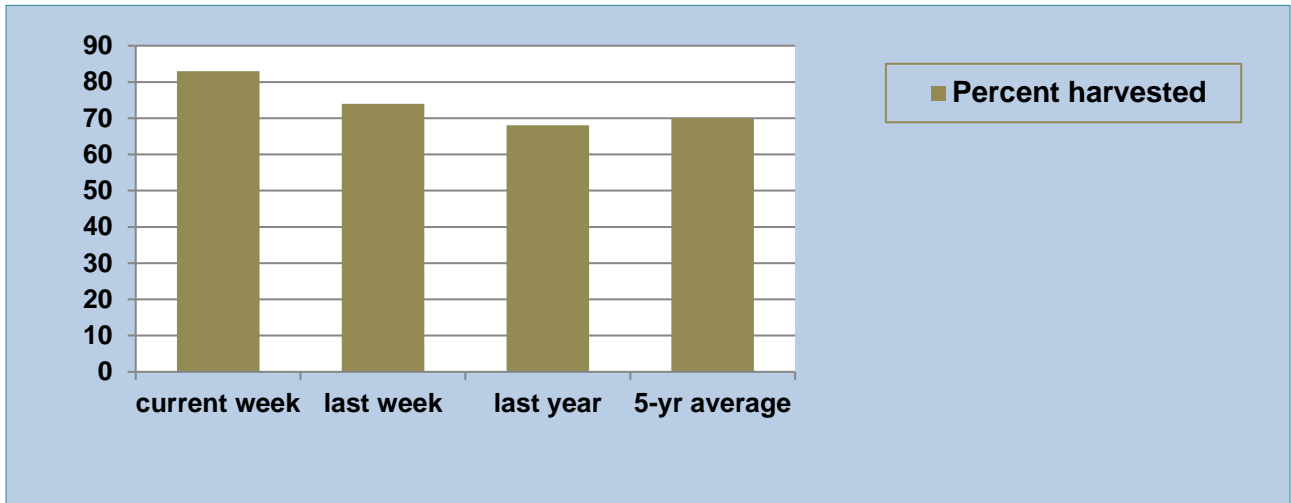
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CROP PROGRESS for week ending 11/17/24

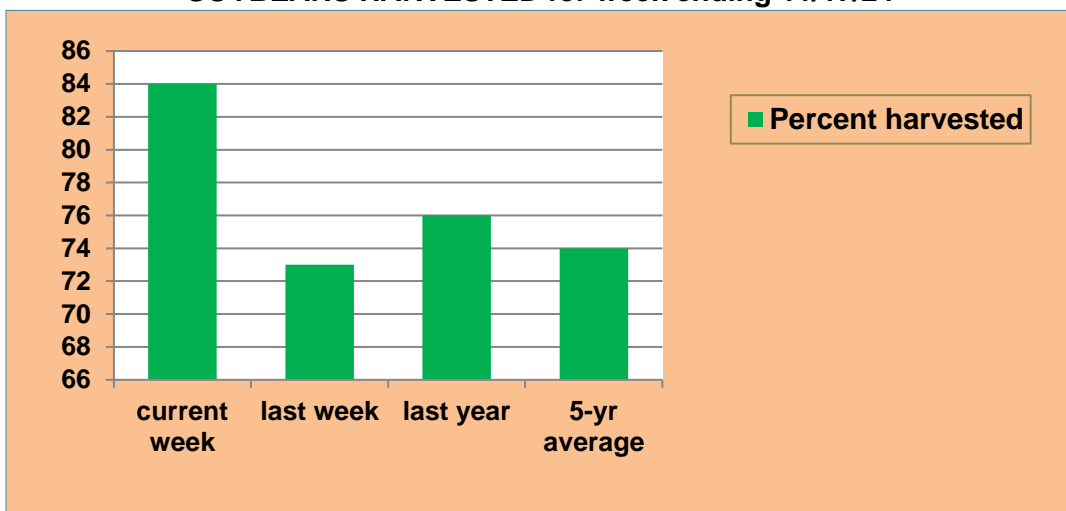
Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Barley planted	96	93	95	-
Cotton harvested	83	74	68	70
Soybeans harvested	84	73	76	74
Winter Wheat planted	93	83	86	88

- Represents zero or data not available.

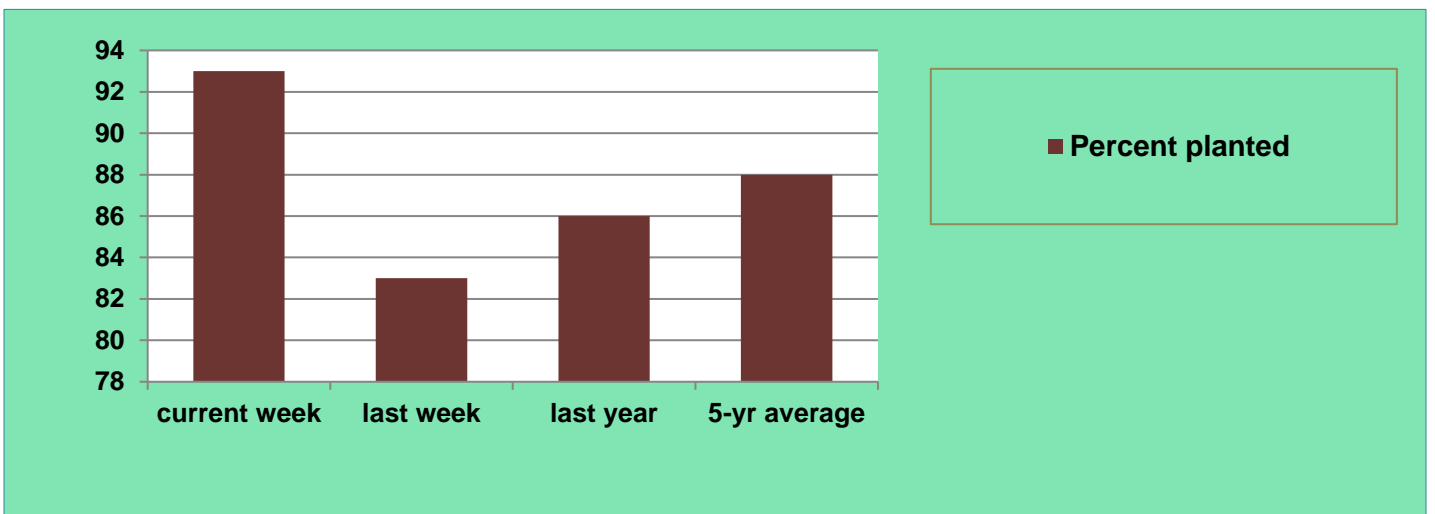
COTTON HARVESTED for week ending 11/17/24



SOYBEANS HARVESTED for week ending 11/17/24



WINTER WHEAT PLANTED for week ending 11/17/24



Weather Summary- For the week ending November 17, 2024

City	Temperature				Precipitation				
	Avg. high	Avg. low	Avg. mean	Avg. dep. from normal *	Last Week	Since Sept. 1	Sept. 1 dep. from normal *	Jan. 1, 2024 to date	Jan. 1, 2024 dep. from normal *
Lynchburg	61.7	39.1	50.4	+3.6	1.03	8.18	-0.8	38.72	+1.0
Norfolk	63.4	52.6	58.0	+4.5	1.43	5.93	-5.2	46.27	+1.6
Richmond	62.1	44.6	53.4	+3.4	1.52	5.45	-4.3	45.28	+4.6
Roanoke	61.0	40.9	50.9	+2.2	1.00	10.65	+2.0	36.44	-1.9
Wash/Dulles	59.6	41.1	50.4	+3.9	0.37	3.97	-5.4	29.75	-8.8

*Normals value based on 1991-2020 normals data. Source: NOAA Southeast Regional Climate Center <https://www.sercc.com/>. Drought information can be found at <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/CurrentMap/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?VA>.