



Tennessee Crop Weather

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RAINS BRING SOME RELIEF

In West Tennessee, rain came on Thanksgiving Day, bringing much needed moisture to emerging winter wheat. In Middle Tennessee, less rain was received. Wheat was slow to germinate due to the continuing dry conditions. The dry weather also contributed to declining pasture conditions leading livestock producers to have to feed hay earlier than planned. In East Tennessee, dry conditions also prevailed. Fortunately, mild temperatures contributed to pasture growth, bringing at least some relief to livestock producers. Across the State last week, there were an average of 4.9 days suitable for field work. Statewide, topsoil moisture was 8 percent very short; 19 percent short; 71 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture was 8 percent very short; 24 percent short; 66 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus.

CROP PROGRESS	This Week	Last Week	2021	5 Year Avg.	CONDITION					
					Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	Percent					Percent				
Cotton – Harvested	95	90	92	92	Winter Wheat	0	2	43	45	10
Soybeans – Harvested	96	93	91	91	Pasture	14	29	41	15	1
Winter Wheat – Planted	96	93	94	N/A						
Winter Wheat – Emerged	85	77	82	N/A						

SEASON FINALE

This is the final issue of the 2022 Tennessee Weekly Crop Weather Report. USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service, Tennessee Field Office, extends sincere thanks to UT/TSU Extension and the numerous county agents that are responsible for the immense success of this report. The weekly report will resume in April 2023. Happy Holidays!