

# **United States Department of Agriculture National Agricultural Statistics Service**



# **Texas Crop Progress and Condition**

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Most of the state reported hot and dry conditions, little to no rain was reported. However, in areas of the Trans-Pecos, the Cross Timbers, the Southern Low Plains, and the Northern High Plains received up to 2.0 inches of precipitation. There were 6.2 days suitable for fieldwork.

**Small Grains:** In the Blacklands, wheat harvest has concluded. Wheat harvest continues in the Northern High Plains, harvesting was delayed due to hot and dry weather conditions.

**Row Crops:** In most areas of the state, cotton is in need of moisture. Corn in the South Central, the Blacklands, and the Northern High Plains has been reported as drying too fast due to heat. Sorghum is being harvested in the Lower Valley, the Costal Bend, and the Blacklands.

**Fruit, Vegetable and Specialty Crops:** There is fruit loss in the Blacklands due to excessive heat. Almost all vegetable crops in South Texas have stopped producing due to heat.

Livestock, Range and Pasture: Cattle is being culled and fed on supplemental feed across the Northern High Plains, the Cross Timbers, North East Texas, the Trans-Pecos, and the Edwards Plateau. There has been an increase in grasshoppers in the Cross Timbers and South East Texas. Pasture and range land are becoming stressed in the Southern High Plains, the Southern Low Plains, the Cross Timers, the Blacklands, North East Texas, South East Texas, and the Edwards Plateau due to excessive heat and low moisture. Range and pasture conditions are rated 75 percent, very poor to poor.

#### **Crop Progress**

01		Percent of Acreage						
Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	Previous Year	5 Year Average				
Corn								
Silked	70	61	66	60				
Dough	35	19	33	35				
Cotton								
Squaring	29	23	28	28				
Setting Bolls	12	10	9	10				
Peanuts								
Planted	95	91	89	94				
Pegging	6	1	4	4				
Rice								
Headed	32	17	30	32				
Sorghum								
Headed	60	50	61	59				
Coloring	27	(NA)	40	40				
Soybeans		, ,						
Planted	95	88	94	96				
Emerged	90	80	89	90				
Blooming	40	26	39	40				
Sunflowers								
Planted	81	76	82	81				
Harvested	7	1	6	15				
Winter Wheat								
Harvested	80	72	73	79				
Oats								
Harvested	87	82	85	89				

(NA) Not available.

#### **Crop Condition**

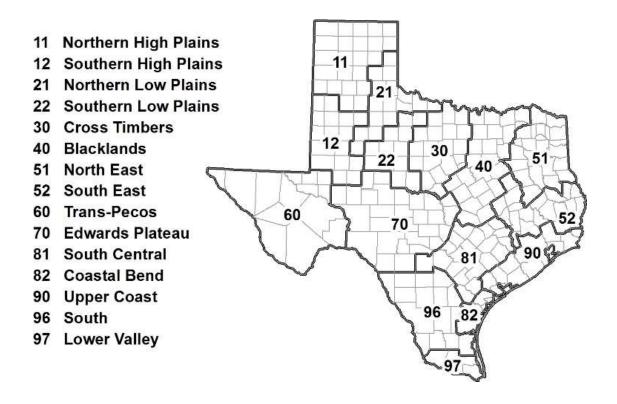
Crop	Percent of Acreage					Index <sup>1</sup>				
	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Very Poor	2022	2021			
Corn	5	19	38	30	8	53	86			
Cotton	0	17	37	26	20	45	69			
Peanuts	5	25	49	17	4	62	70			
Rice	10	27	63	0	0	73	84			
Sorghum	1	19	38	25	17	48	87			
Soybeans	2	32	56	9	1	67	76			
Wheat	1	4	12	23	60	21	55			
Oats	1	8	13	30	48	26	51			
Range and Pasture	0	7	18	32	43	27	64			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The formula for the condition index is I = (5V + 25P + 60F + 90G + 110E)/100 where I = crop condition index and V, P, F, G, E = percentage of crop rated very poor, poor, fair, good, excellent.

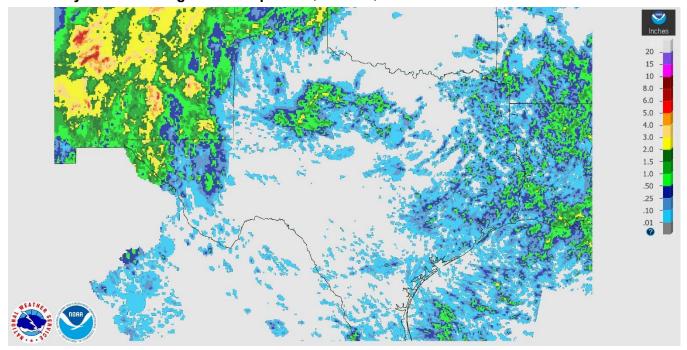
#### Soil Moisture and Days Suitable by District

Topsoil Moisture Condition by District   Subsoil Moisture Condition by District	Days Suitable for Fieldwork 6.5
Very Short         Short         Adequate         Surplus         Very Short         Short         Adequate         Surplus           11         50         49         1         0         53         47         0         0           12         94         6         0         0         94         6         0         0	for Fieldwork
11 50 49 1 0 53 47 0 0 12 94 6 0 0 94 6 0 0	Fieldwork
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	0.5
24   49   52   20   0   22   50   40   0	5.4
21   16   55   29   0   22   59   19   0	7.0
22   81   19   0   0   80   20   0   0	6.7
30   50   47   3   0   39   50   11   0	5.8
40   51   35   14   0   43   44   13   0	6.3
51 23 58 19 0 11 72 17 0	6.7
52   24   64   12   0   21   63   16   0	6.9
60   43   26   31   0   44   25   31   0	3.8
70   75   22   3   0   69   28   3   0	6.6
81   60   40   0   0   39   55   6   0	6.7
82   90   10   0   79   21   0   0	7.0
90   64   28   8   0   25   58   17   0	6.6
96   44   39   17   0   42   40   18   0	5.3
97   38   44   18   0   17   39   44   0	5.4
State         59         34         7         0         54         38         8         0	6.2

## **Texas Agricultural Districts**

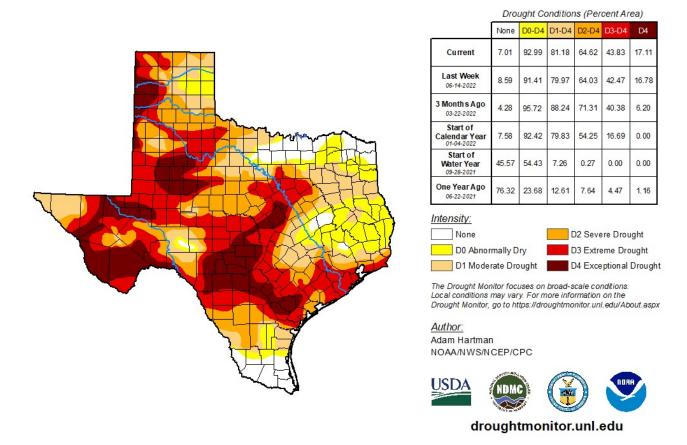


### Seven Day Observed Regional Precipitation, June 26, 2022.



Source: National Weather Service, www.nws.noaa.gov

#### Drought Monitor, Valid June 21, 2022.



Source: National Drought Mitigation Center, a partnership with USDA, U.S. Department of Commerce/NOAA, http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu