



# Arkansas Crop Progress and Condition Report



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**Week Ending June 5, 2016**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 1.8 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, June 5, 2016**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 2 percent short, 49 percent adequate, and 49 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 5 percent short, 58 percent adequate, and 37 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 59.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Kingston to 69.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Eudora. Highs ranged from 74.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Kingston to 89.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Crossett. The precipitation for this week was spread throughout the state, with the highest concentration in the southeast region of the state with an average of 2.47 inches.

**Crop progress for week ending June 5, 2016**

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Corn, silking	5	3	3	15
Cotton, planted	100	99	95	97
Cotton, emerged	98	94	89	91
Cotton, squaring	3	0	1	12
Peanuts, planted	100	99	58	NA
Peanuts, emerged	93	90	38	NA
Rice, planted	99	99	97	98
Rice, emerged	98	96	95	94
Sorghum, planted	95	94	95	97
Sorghum, emerged	91	86	89	92
Soybeans, planted	87	85	67	72
Soybeans, emerged	81	73	58	61
Soybeans, blooming	7	1	3	3
Winter Wheat, coloring	98	96	92	18
Winter Wheat, harvested	3	0	7	27

**Crop condition for week ending June 5, 2016**

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Corn	8	5	28	48	11
Cotton	7	9	22	46	16
Hay, alfalfa	3	3	72	17	5
Hay, other	3	4	39	43	11
Livestock	2	2	27	57	12
Pasture	2	7	27	51	13
Peanuts	1	6	21	50	22
Rice	5	11	27	44	13
Sorghum	3	6	25	54	12
Soybeans	5	4	36	43	12
Winter Wheat	3	5	38	44	10

NA = Not Available.

## Comments from Cooperative Extension Service County Agents

“An abnormally dry spring delayed cool season grasses. Recent rains have now delayed spring hay crop harvest which is expected to be lower quality with lower yields.”

- Berni Kurz, Washington County

“Cool season hay has over matured due to rainy conditions hampering hay harvest. With forecast of sunshine, farmers will be trying to harvest hay. Hopefully, Bermuda grass will be of better quality. Some farmers are gearing up to spray brush when rain stops. Melons are vining and setting melons.”

- J. Joe Moore, Sharp County

“Water remains over many fields near the rivers here in the county. Have many fields that have been under for several weeks. Rivers beginning to fall some, not expected to get below flood stage for another week if we do not receive additional rain.”

-Mike Andrews, Randolph County

“Weekend rainfall halted soybean planting for the week. Replanting will be required for several acres of soybean. Rice continues to respond poorly to pre-flood nitrogen applications and flood establishment. Corn was receiving pre-tassel nitrogen applications and common rust is detectable in many fields. Dry weather is needed for first hay cuttings.”

- Brent Griffin, Prairie County

“Rain late in the week has restored top soil moisture. Early hay harvest looks good, but weeds are reducing quality. Early wet conditions reduced effective weed management. Pasture condition is excellent because of the rain.”

-Glenda Sutherlin, Union County

## Arkansas Weather Summary for Week Ending June 5, 2016

Division/Station	Air Temperature					Precipitation				
	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
<b>Northwest</b>										
Kingston	74.1	59.1	66.6	69.4	-2.7	1.56	5	NA	6.43	NA
Lead Hill	77.3	61.3	69.3	68.5	0.8	2.68	5	1.62	5.90	1.89
Winslow	75.1	63.1	69.1	NA	NA	1.92	6	NA	11.47	NA
Extreme/Average	75.5	61.2	68.4	68.9	-1.0	2.05	6	1.62	7.93	1.89
<b>North Central</b>										
Calico Rock	78.7	62.9	70.8	70.0	0.8	1.92	3	0.99	8.08	3.93
Evening Shade	81.0	64.4	72.7	72.2	0.8	0.42	2	-0.23	9.61	5.73
Gilbert	80.3	64.1	72.2	71.1	1.1	0.65	3	-0.45	7.36	2.96
Mammoth Spring	81.3	63.4	72.4	70.0	2.3	3.18	5	2.31	10.59	7.08
Mountain Home	80.1	64.6	72.4	71.0	1.4	1.41	6	0.57	10.02	6.03
Mountain View	82.1	63.7	72.9	71.6	1.3	2.52	5	1.49	7.61	3.29
Extreme/Average	80.6	63.8	72.2	71.0	1.3	1.68	6	0.78	8.88	4.84
<b>Northeast</b>										
Corning	83.3	66.4	74.9	74.0	0.9	0.66	6	-0.22	10.66	6.68
Jonesboro	83.2	65.7	74.4	73.5	0.9	0.60	4	-0.12	11.77	7.74
Keiser	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Newport	81.9	67.9	74.9	74.4	0.5	1.97	5	1.05	7.28	3.24
Pocahontas	82.3	62.9	72.6	72.5	0.1	0.97	4	0.11	9.84	5.84
Searcy	85.7	67.6	76.6	74.5	2.1	0.30	3	-0.54	4.42	-0.06
Extreme/Average	83.3	66.1	74.7	73.8	0.9	0.90	6	0.06	8.79	4.69
<b>West Central</b>										
Booneville	80.0	65.1	72.6	72.5	0.0	1.54	5	0.41	4.48	-0.47
Dardanelle	81.7	65.3	73.5	74.2	-0.7	0.58	2	NA	4.62	NA
Mena	80.0	62.1	71.1	71.2	-0.2	1.11	7	-0.20	4.77	-1.15
Subiaco	80.4	65.3	72.9	73.3	-0.5	0.34	3	-0.73	3.60	-0.75
Waldron	80.1	62.9	71.5	71.9	-0.4	0.43	5	-0.82	2.51	-2.84
Extreme/Average	80.4	64.1	72.3	72.6	-0.3	0.80	7	-0.33	4.00	-1.30
<b>Central</b>										
Alum Fork	78.0	64.6	71.3	72.3	-1.0	1.26	6	0.11	4.14	-0.56
Cabot	84.8	64.8	74.8	74.1	0.6	1.21	5	0.37	3.18	-1.33
Conway	84.6	65.0	74.8	73.6	1.2	0.84	6	-0.02	4.40	0.57
Hot Springs	79.1	65.3	72.2	74.3	-2.1	1.27	5	0.02	2.89	-2.52
Morrilton	81.7	64.7	73.2	73.0	0.2	2.11	4	1.08	4.65	0.50
Extreme/Average	81.6	64.9	73.3	73.5	-0.2	1.34	6	0.31	3.85	-0.67
<b>East Central</b>										
Brinkley	82.4	67.9	75.1	74.7	0.5	1.55	5	0.59	5.20	0.57
Des Arc	84.9	68.9	76.9	75.7	1.1	1.83	5	0.94	6.02	1.81
Keo	82.0	66.4	74.2	75.6	-1.4	1.88	6	1.00	4.15	0.28
Stuttgart	84.3	68.1	76.2	75.6	0.6	1.96	3	1.34	3.00	-0.68
West Memphis	87.1	68.7	77.9	75.2	2.7	1.14	5	0.10	7.33	2.72
Extreme/Average	84.1	68.0	76.1	75.4	0.7	1.67	6	0.79	5.14	0.94
<b>Southwest</b>										
Ashdown	82.2	66.3	74.3	NA	NA	2.85	6	1.91	5.86	1.22
Dequeen	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Hope	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Murfreesboro	81.4	64.1	72.8	72.0	0.8	2.04	6	0.95	5.17	0.12
Nashville	83.0	65.9	74.4	75.4	-1.0	2.14	7	1.04	3.81	-1.20
Extreme/Average	82.2	65.4	73.8	73.7	-0.1	2.34	7	1.30	4.95	0.05
<b>South Central</b>										
Camden	84.9	67.3	76.1	75.0	1.1	1.88	4	0.83	2.98	-1.40
Fordyce	84.4	66.3	75.4	72.9	2.5	3.04	6	1.89	4.30	-0.51
Magnolia	83.2	65.5	74.3	74.7	-0.4	2.03	5	1.04	2.79	-0.83
Prescott	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Sparkman	81.1	65.9	73.5	73.4	0.1	1.66	5	0.72	2.72	-1.56
Extreme/Average	83.4	66.3	74.8	74.0	0.8	2.15	6	1.12	3.20	-1.07
<b>Southeast</b>										
Crossett	89.1	68.3	78.7	74.7	4.1	1.87	5	0.80	3.11	-1.91
Eudora	89.0	69.1	79.1	78.0	1.1	0.94	3	-0.04	2.88	-1.37
Pine Bluff	84.3	67.1	75.7	75.7	0.0	4.94	6	4.04	7.56	3.53
Portland	85.6	67.7	76.6	76.1	0.5	1.82	4	0.87	3.52	-0.70
Rohwer	84.0	68.7	76.4	76.5	-0.1	2.77	5	1.80	4.65	0.27
Extreme/Average	86.4	68.2	77.3	76.2	1.1	2.47	6	1.49	4.34	-0.04
<b>State</b>	<b>82.1</b>	<b>65.4</b>	<b>73.8</b>	<b>73.3</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>1.65</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0.73</b>	<b>5.68</b>	<b>1.09</b>

DFN = Departure from Normal.

Normal= Averaged Collected Data from the Years 1981-2010.

NA = Not Available.