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Arkansas Crop Progress and Condition Report



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Week Ending: June 10, 2018

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, June 10, 2018. Topsoil moisture supplies were 11 percent very short, 37 percent short, 49 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 7 percent very short, 27 percent short, 61 percent adequate, and 5 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 56.4 degrees Fahrenheit at Crossett to 70.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Stuttgart. Highs ranged from 83.0 degrees Fahrenheit at Kingston to 94.3 degrees Fahrenheit at Crossett. Precipitation was sparse throughout the State, with the highest concentration occurring in the southwest part of the State with an average of 1.02 inches.

Crop progress for week ending June 10, 2018

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	
Corn, silked	12	3	39	19	
Cotton, planted	100	99	100	99	
Cotton, emerged	97	94	98	97	
Cotton, squaring	38	11	30	15	
Peanuts, emerged	99	92	96	(NA)	
Rice, emerged	100	99	100	98	
Sorghum, emerged	99	93	99	95	
Soybeans, planted	96	91	90	80	
Soybeans, emerged	90	83	83	72	
Soybeans, blooming	23	6	27	13	
Winter wheat, coloring	99	93	100	100	
Winter wheat, harvested	39	4	61	27	

(NA) Not available.

Crop condition for week ending June 10, 2018

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	
Corn	1	5	23	53	18	
Cotton	0	1	15	50	34	
Hay, alfalfa	0	4	78	17	1	
Hay, other	1	14	47	31	7	
Livestock	1	3	34	52	10	
Pasture	4	8	42	38	8	
Peanuts	0	0	15	48	37	
Rice	1	4	29	51	15	
Sorghum	0	1	20	59	20	
Soybeans	1	7	25	53	14	
Winter wheat	2	6	32	54	6	

Comments from Cooperative Extension Service County Agents

"Rice continued to be fertilized and flooded. Soybean planting and replanting was finishing up. Wheat harvest began. Most producers finished the first hay cutting and were fertilizing for the second cutting."

- Richard Klerk, Arkansas County

"Conditions were dry which led to irrigation being initiated in many areas. Less productive soil areas within fields began showing drought symptoms."

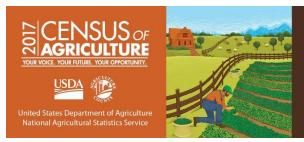
- Ray Benson, Mississippi County

"High temperatures last week. Corn was coming along rapidly. We could use a rain. Just about everyone has finished preparations to irrigate crops via ground wells.'

- Clay Gibson, Chicot County

"Spotty showers haven't been enough to maintain moisture for hay and grass production. Livestock producers are concerned that an early dry season may be a certainty. Many began looking to buy extra hay where they can find it. Some are reducing their herd size as a means to stay in production.'

- Glenda Sutherlin, Union County



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Arkansas Weather Summary for Week Ending June 10, 2018

		Pary for Week Ending June 10, 2018 Air Temperature					Precipitation			
Division/Station	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
Northwest										
Kingston	83.0	65.4	74.2	70.8	3.4	0.00	0	(NA)	2.35	(NA)
Lead Hill	85.9	61.3	73.6	69.9	3.7	0.05	1	-0.97	1.54	-2.72
Winslow	83.3	66.3	74.8	(NA)	(NA)	0.19	1	(NA)	2.55	(NA)
Extreme/Average	84.1	64.3	74.2	70.3	3.6	0.08	1	-0.97	2.15	-2.72
North Central Calico Rock	84.2	57.3	70.8	71.2	-0.4	0.00	0	-0.76	3.30	-0.54
	86.0	60.3	70.8 73.2	71.2 73.7	-0.4 -0.4	0.00 0.00	0 0	-0.76 -0.73	5.52	-0.54 1.72
Evening Shade Gilbert	86.7	61.1	73.2 73.9	73.7 72.5	-0.4 1.5	(NA)	0	-0.73 -1.05	1.33	-2.88
Mammoth Spring	86.9	59.4	73.3	71.4	1.7	0.00	0	-0.86	3.00	-0.47
Mountain Home	85.3	64.3	74.8	72.5	2.3	0.00	0	-0.83	4.63	0.85
Mountain View	86.8	62.0	74.4	73.1	1.5	0.00	Ö	-0.88	3.74	-0.32
Extreme/Average	86.0	60.7	73.4	72.4	1.0	0.00	Ö	-0.85	3.59	-0.27
Northeast						0.00				
Corning	89.9	65.1	77.5	75.5	2.0	0.00	0	-0.82	1.69	-2.05
Jonesboro	88.0	62.9	75.4	75.0	0.5	0.00	0	-0.75	5.14	1.37
Keiser	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	77.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6.33	3.34
Newport	88.6	65.7	77.1	75.8	`1.4	0.00	Ò	-0.89	4.11	0.11
Pocahontas	88.6	65.0	76.8	73.9	2.9	0.00	0	-0.80	7.80	4.33
Searcy	91.6	66.7	79.1	75.9	3.3	0.00	0	-0.73	5.56	1.55
Extreme/Average	89.3	65.1	77.2	75.6	2.0	0.00	0	-0.80	5.10	1.44
West Central										
Booneville	89.6	63.4	76.5	73.8	2.7	0.39	1	-0.54	3.18	-1.27
Dardanelle	89.7	64.3	77.0	75.5	1.5	0.20	1	(NA)	3.41	(NA)
Mena	88.0	59.9	73.9	72.5	1.5	0.07	2	-1.16	2.64	-3.03
Subiaco	92.7	66.0	79.3	74.6	4.6	0.10	1	-0.78	2.59	-1.53
Waldron	88.7	62.0	75.4	73.2	2.1	0.10	1	-1.11	2.58	-2.62
Extreme/Average	89.7	63.1	76.4	73.9	2.5	0.17	2	-0.90	2.88	-2.11
Central Alum Fork	97.4	62.3	74.9	72.6	1.2	1 11	4	-0.04	2.45	1 22
Cabot	87.4 90.6	62.3 61.4	74.9 76.0	73.6 75.4	1.3 0.6	1.11 0.00	1 0	-0.04	3.45 4.29	-1.22 -0.01
Conway	92.0	64.4	78.2	74.9	3.3	0.00	1	-0.69	1.75	-2.13
Hot Springs	90.7	68.3	79.5	75.6	3.9	1.40	1	0.26	3.34	-1.48
Morrilton	90.7	64.0	77.4	74.3	3.0	0.05	1	-0.91	2.21	-1.94
Extreme/Average	90.3	64.1	77.2	74.8	2.4	0.57	1	-0.46	3.01	-1.36
East Central	00.0	0		7 1.0		0.07	•	0.10	0.01	1.00
Brinkley	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	76.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Des Arc	90.7	67.9	79.3	77.1	2.2	ò.oó	` ó	-0.84	1.74	-2.18
Keo	88.8	67.2	78.0	76.8	1.2	0.47	1	-0.15	3.43	1.02
Stuttgart	91.4	70.1	80.8	76.9	3.9	0.06	1	-0.80	0.34	-3.59
West Memphis	90.6	67.4	79.0	76.5	2.5	0.00	0	-1.00	1.35	-3.02
Extreme/Average	90.4	68.2	79.3	76.7	2.4	0.13	1	-0.70	1.72	-1.94
Southwest										
Ashdown	92.4	66.4	79.4	(NA)	(NA)	0.78	2	-0.24	0.91	-3.67
De Queen	88.2	63.0	75.6	75.0	1.0	0.34	3	-0.34	1.53	-3.08
Hope	90.1	63.7	76.9	75.6	1.4	0.00	0	-1.13	3.05	-1.58
Murfreesboro	88.9	60.7	74.8	73.2	1.6	2.77	2	1.75	3.36	-1.43
Nashville	91.6 90.2	64.4	78.0 77.0	76.6	1.4	1.21 1.02	4 4	0.13 0.03	2.61 2.29	-2.17 -2.39
Extreme/Average	90.2	63.6	77.0	75.1	1.3	1.02	4	0.03	2.29	-2.39
South Central Camden	90.6	64.6	77.6	76.2	1.4	0.14	1	-0.91	1.78	-2.53
Fordyce	90.6	64.8	77.6 77.7	76.2 74.1	3.6	0.14	1	-0.91	0.77	-2.53 -4.08
Magnolia	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	74.1 75.9	(NA)	0.13	1	-0.96	1.76	-0.69
Prescott	87.5	59.0	73.3	75.9 75.0	-1.2	(NA)	0	-0.13	1.70	-2.87
Sparkman	89.3	62.7	76.0	73.0 74.7	1.3	(NA)	0	-0.32	2.30	-2.42
Extreme/Average	89.6	62.6	76.0 76.1	75.2	1.3	0.11	1	-0.65	1.55	-2.52
Southeast	55.5	02.0	. 5. 1	. 5.2	1.0	0.11	•	0.00		2.02
Crossett	94.3	56.4	75.2	75.8	-0.7	0.00	0	-0.81	2.68	-1.96
Eudora	92.4	64.1	78.3	79.1	-0.8	0.00	0	-0.95	3.37	-0.74
Pine Bluff	90.0	64.8	77.4	76.9	0.7	0.00	0	-0.51	0.29	-3.00
Portland	89.0	67.0	78.0	77.3	0.7	0.02	1	-0.86	3.70	-0.14
Rohwer	88.4	67.9	78.1	77.7	0.5	0.00	0	-0.95	3.64	-0.59
Extreme/Average	90.8	64.0	77.4	77.4	0.1	0.00	1	-0.82	2.74	-1.29
State	89.0	64.1	76.6	74.7	1.9	0.21	1	-0.69	2.82	-1.39

Normal= Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.
DFN = Departure From Normal.
(NA) Not available.