



Georgia Crop Progress & Condition Report

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General: According to the National Agriculture Statistics Service's Georgia Field Office, there were 6.3 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, November 10, 2013. Statewide topsoil moisture was rated at 11% very short, 36% short, 52% adequate, 1% surplus. Subsoil moisture 7% very short, 30% short, 62% adequate, 1% surplus. Precipitation estimates for the state ranged from no rain up to 0.4 inches. Average high temperatures ranged from the low 60s to the mid 70s. Average low temperatures ranged from the low 30s to the low 50s.

Crop Progress				
Crop	This Week	Last Week	2012	5-Yr Avg
Percent				
Cotton – Bolls Opening	96	93	100	100
Cotton – Harvested	47	34	61	60
Hay – 3 rd Cutting	90	88	99	N/A
Oats – Planted	67	54	47	60
Onions – Transplanted	23	21	8	10
Peanuts – Dug	97	93	99	95
Peanuts – Harvested	91	82	94	86
Pecans – Harvested	47	24	45	35
Rye – Planted	63	62	56	64
Sorghum – Harvested	65	59	62	63
Soybeans – Harvested	54	34	61	45
Winter Wheat – Planted	29	17	32	30

Crop Condition					
Crop	VP	P	F	G	EX
Percent					
Cotton	4	13	39	35	9
Oats	0	3	57	40	0
Pecans	2	17	46	28	7
Range and Pasture	5	15	44	32	4
Rye	0	5	57	38	0
Soybeans	3	8	36	45	8

VP- Very Poor, P-Poor, F-Fair, G-Good, EX- Excellent

County Extension Comments

“Received well needed rain this past week that farmers have been waiting on for their fall crops.”

Tripp Williams, Columbia, District 60

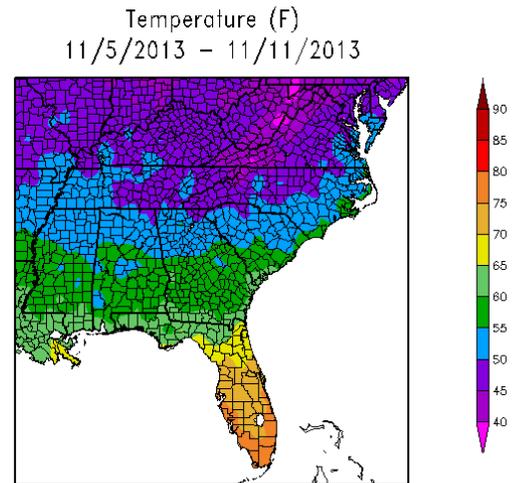
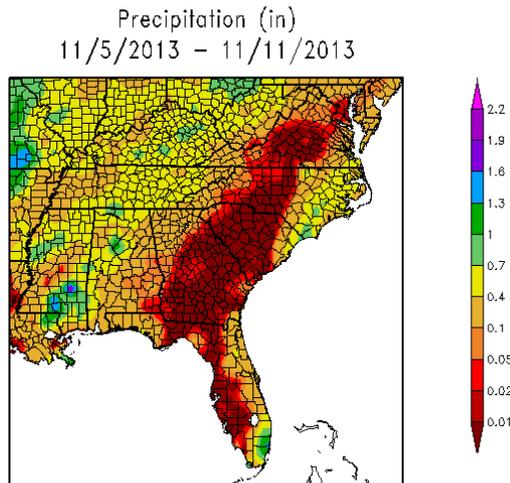
“Peanuts are almost completely harvested while cotton is halfway harvested in the county.”

Andy Shirley, Nichols, Ben Hill, District 80

“Cotton harvest is in full swing.”

Garvie Nichols, Brooks, District 80

Southeastern U.S. Precipitation & Average Temperature



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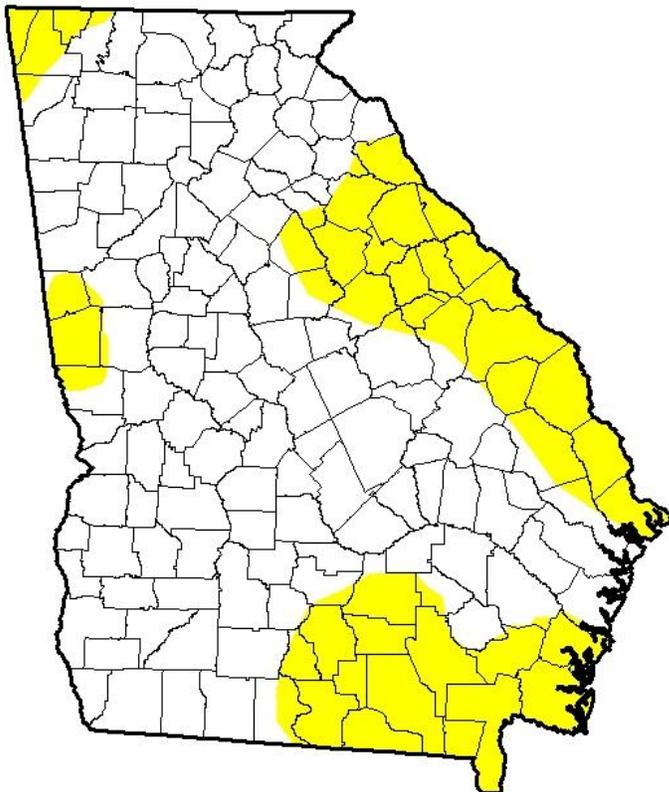
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U.S. Drought Monitor Georgia

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	70.98	29.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10/29/2013	74.05	25.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 8/6/2013	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 1/1/2013	1.63	98.37	89.49	64.87	36.96	10.25
Start of Water Year 10/1/2013	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 11/6/2012	11.09	88.91	55.17	42.56	26.70	13.98

Intensity:

- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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