



United States Department of Agriculture
National Agricultural Statistics Service
**Georgia Crop Progress
and Condition Report**



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General

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Georgia, there were 5.2 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, June 12, 2016. Precipitation estimates for the state ranged from no rain up to 3.8 inches. Average high temperatures ranged from the high 80s to the low 90s. Average low temperatures ranged from the low 60s to the mid 70s.

County Comments

Seven days with no rain and temperatures 90 degrees and above. Grass was starting to crunch under our feet.

Brenda Jackson, Murray and Whitfield Counties

Wheat harvest completed. Too dry to finish soybean planting. Forage growth slowed and stressed due to dry conditions.

Wade Hutcheson, Spalding County

Tropical Storm Colin provided an abundance of rain on Monday. Toward the end of the week, growers were able to get back into fields to continue small grain harvest. Growers were also able to continue planting of cotton, peanuts, and soybeans. Very hot temperatures occurred later in the week.

Raymond Joyce, Laurens County

Sprayed corn with fungicides for southern corn rust and insecticide for stink bugs. Applied herbicides to peanuts. Fixing to apply gypsum or land plaster to peanuts. Sprayed tobacco for worms. Harvested vegetables and sweet corn.

Mark von Waldner, Coffee County

Crop Progress for Week Ending 06/12/16

Crop stage	This week	Prev week	Prev year	5 Year avg
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Blueberries - Harvested.....	67	65	66	69
Corn - Silking	64	38	NA	NA
Cotton - Planted.....	93	87	94	94
Cotton - Squaring.....	19	10	11	13
Hay - 1st Cutting	96	93	95	90
Oats - Harvested.....	82	68	88	85
Peaches - Harvested.....	39	28	30	40
Peanuts - Planted	97	93	97	96
Peanuts - Pegging	6	NA	1	3
Rye - Harvested.....	79	63	86	83
Sorghum - Planted	70	53	71	64
Soybeans - Planted.....	74	61	76	66
Soybeans - Emerged	62	47	NA	NA
Soybeans - Blooming.....	0	NA	NA	NA
Tobacco - Topped.....	6	2	NA	NA
Winter Wheat - Harvested.	81	67	83	78

Conditions for Week Ending 06/12/16

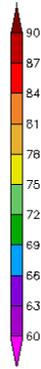
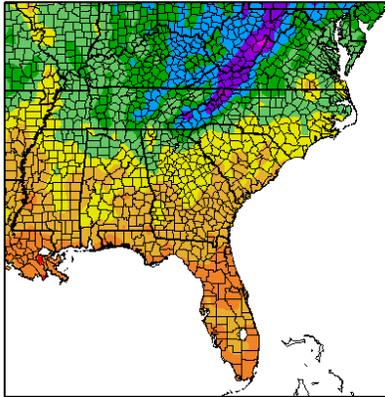
Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Cattle.....	1	3	22	62	12
Corn.....	1	5	23	53	18
Cotton.....	0	4	31	54	11
Pasture and range	3	10	38	42	7
Peaches.....	0	0	7	66	27
Peanuts	0	2	22	59	17
Sorghum.....	0	0	24	73	3
Tobacco.....	1	9	38	43	9

Soil Moisture for Week Ending 06/12/16

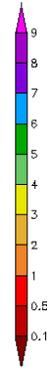
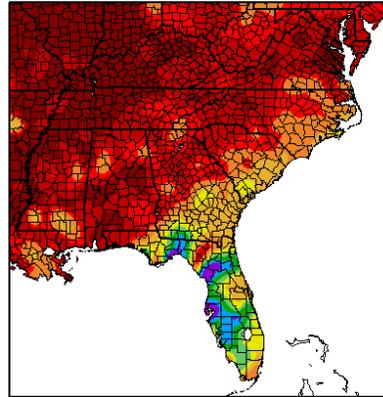
Topsoil	This week	Previous week	5 Year avg
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short	6	11	14
Short.....	34	37	21
Adequate	47	42	55
Surplus	13	10	10

Subsoil	This week	Previous week	5 Year avg
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short	4	6	13
Short.....	31	36	22
Adequate	59	52	58
Surplus	6	6	7

Temperature (F)
6/6/2016 - 6/12/2016



Precipitation (in)
6/6/2016 - 6/12/2016



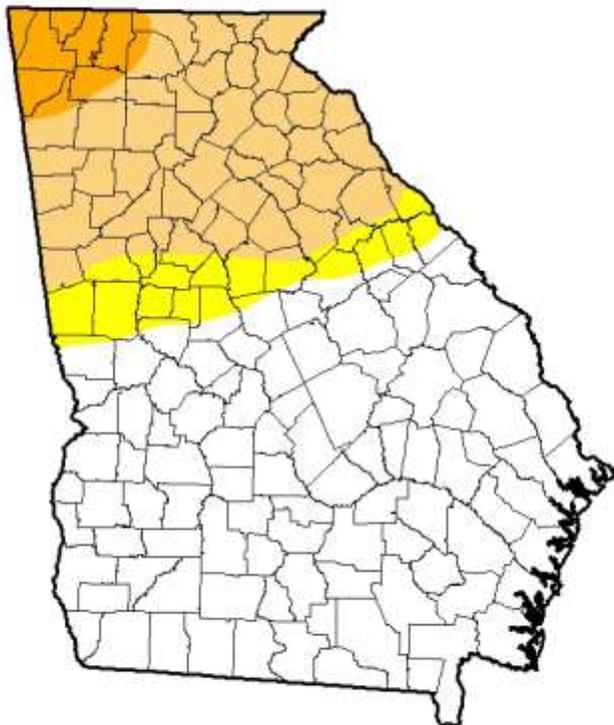
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U.S. Drought Monitor Georgia



June 7, 2016

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	64.71	35.29	27.96	4.06	0.00	0.00
Last Week 5/31/2016	62.64	37.36	27.96	4.06	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 3/6/2016	90.36	9.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 1/2/2016	87.36	12.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Winter Year 9/29/2015	63.46	36.54	17.71	1.20	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 6/9/2015	76.65	23.35	5.67	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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