



**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 6.2 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, June 30, 2019. Precipitation estimates for the state ranged from no rain to 2.82 inches. Average high temperatures ranged from the high 70s to the mid 90s. Average low temperatures ranged from the high 50s to the mid 70s.

**County Comments**

Dry conditions persisted over the past week which allowed producers ample time to work in the fields. However, we remain in need of rain as grazing ranges overall looked poor to fair. The second cutting of hay has occurred slowly, leaving many producers to opt to wait for more growth before their second cutting.

**Thad Glenn, Stephens County**

County saw little rainfall last week and topsoil moisture quickly decreased. Many crops progressed faster, especially corn. Southern rust was found in the county. Growers applied fungicides to corn fields. Peanuts were pegging, cotton setting bolls, and growers applied plant growth regulators and nitrogen to cotton. Most corn fields have reached dent stage. Haying began again across the county.

**Raymond Joyce, Laurens County**

Corn rust has been found all around us, but still none confirmed here. Corn was mostly in the dent stage and combines were getting ready. Cotton has been looking great, but aphids were getting very bad. Entire terminals were covered, even the stems, and sooty mold started getting thick from the honeydew on the leaves. No official white mold yet, but it is likely coming after the prolonged heat we had in May. Scattered showers reached corners of the county last week.

**Seth McAllister, Terrell County**

**Crop Progress for Week Ending 06/30/19**

Crop stage	This week (percent)	Prev week (percent)	Prev year (percent)	5 Year avg (percent)
Blueberries - Harvested..	95	89	92	NA
Corn - Silking .....	95	90	94	NA
Corn - Mature .....	3	NA	NA	NA
Cotton - Squaring .....	58	43	56	56
Cotton - Setting Bolls.....	12	2	7	8
Hay - 2nd Cutting .....	44	27	NA	NA
Peaches - Harvested.....	64	48	46	61
Peanuts - Pegging.....	61	44	58	43
Soybeans - Planted.....	94	92	92	92
Soybeans - Emerged.....	88	82	83	NA
Soybeans - Blooming .....	15	7	11	NA
Tobacco - Topped .....	58	37	67	NA

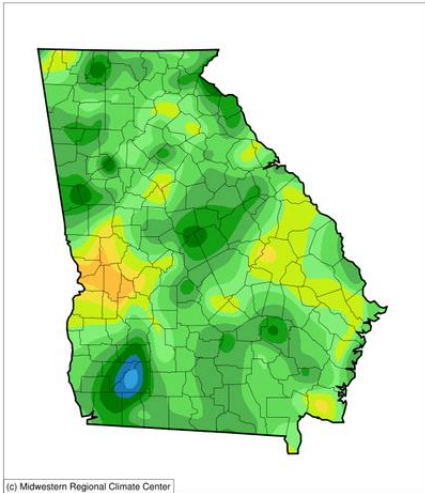
**Conditions for Week Ending 06/30/19**

Crop	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Cattle .....	0	7	27	60	6
Corn .....	5	11	26	44	14
Cotton .....	3	10	29	52	6
Pasture and range.....	3	13	39	41	4
Peaches.....	0	1	6	41	52
Peanuts.....	1	6	26	58	9
Soybeans.....	2	6	32	57	3
Tobacco.....	2	7	42	44	5

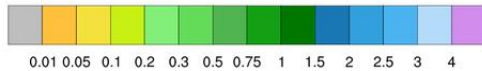
**Soil Moisture for Week Ending 06/30/19**

Topsoil	This week (percent)	Previous week (percent)
Very short.....	4	3
Short .....	37	23
Adequate.....	55	70
Surplus.....	4	4
Subsoil	This week (percent)	Previous week (percent)
Very short.....	3	3
Short .....	30	25
Adequate.....	65	69
Surplus.....	2	3

**Accumulated Precipitation (in)**  
June 24, 2019 to June 30, 2019

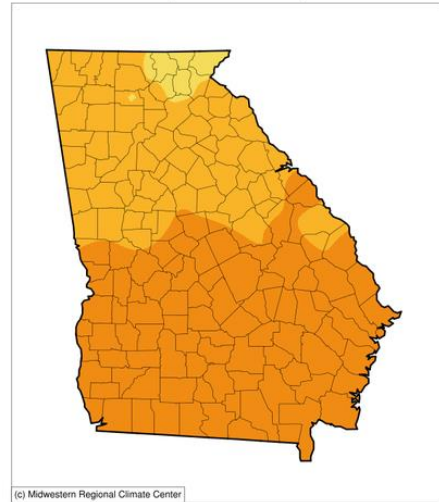


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**Average Temperature (°F)**  
June 24, 2019 to June 30, 2019



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## U.S. Drought Monitor Georgia

**June 25, 2019**

(Released Thursday, Jun. 27, 2019)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	56.68	43.32	6.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 06-18-2019	50.93	49.07	22.15	2.15	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 03-26-2019	39.33	60.67	6.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-01-2019	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-25-2018	70.95	29.05	6.72	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 06-26-2018	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- 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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