General
According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Georgia, there were 5.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, April 25, 2021. Precipitation ranged from 0.1 of an inch of rain to 8.1 inches. Average high temperatures ranged from the low 60s to the high 70s. Average low temperatures ranged from the mid 30s to the high 50s.

Crops
A mostly dry and cool week until heavy rainfall was received throughout most of the state over the weekend. A late freeze the past week caused damage to crops in the northern and middle parts of the state. There was notable concern about the extent of the damage to berries, vegetables, and previously emerged corn. The southern part of the state reported heavy rains and hail as damage to crops is still being evaluated. Producers noted that the heavy rains could require reapplication of fertilizers and nutrients to crops. Corn planting progressed closer to completion across the state with much of it already emerged. Dry soil and cool temperatures for much of the week delayed cotton and peanut planting as producer plans to pick back up in the upcoming days. Hay is moving along slowly as cool and dry conditions have delayed development in some areas. Pecans were in full bloom across the state.

Livestock and Pastures
Livestock and pastures were generally in good condition throughout the state. Pasture growth was slow as the dry and cool conditions limited growth.