



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



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This report contains data collected each week from respondents across the state whose occupations provide them opportunities to discuss agricultural production with farmers in their counties as well as to make visual observations. We thank all who have contributed to this report.

November 8, 2021

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**General**

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Georgia, there were 5.7 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, November 7, 2021. Precipitation ranged from no rain to 3.9 inches. Average high temperatures ranged from the mid 50s to the high 60s. Average low temperatures ranged from the high 30s to the low 50s.

**Crops**

Ideal harvest conditions remained throughout the beginning of the week, although scattered showers and cooler temperatures arrived later. Some areas had their first frost occur as low temperatures at night began to dip into the 30s. Cotton bolls mostly finished opening and cotton harvest was starting to pick up. Cotton quality was noted to have been negatively affected by wet conditions throughout the fall, resulting in subpar yields for some producers. Most peanut fields had been dug as harvest continued to wrap up. Soybeans dropping leaves neared completion and steady progress was made harvesting.

**Livestock and Pastures**

Livestock remained in generally good condition throughout the state. Producers began to feed protein supplements to their herds and were stocking up on baled forages. Pasture conditions were fair, but conditions are continuing to decline as temperatures are dropping.

**Crop Progress for Week Ending 11/07/21**

Crop stage	Prev year (percent)	Prev week (percent)	This week (percent)	5 Year avg (percent)
Cotton - Bolls Opening.....	97	93	96	99
Cotton - Harvested.....	50	33	48	62
Oats - Planted.....	64	45	53	53
Onions - Transplanted.....	8	NA	2	5
Peanuts - Dug.....	92	86	93	94
Peanuts - Harvested.....	78	69	81	86
Pecans - Harvested.....	48	24	33	38
Rye - Planted.....	49	34	41	49
Soybeans - Dropping Leaves.....	97	93	98	97
Soybeans - Harvested.....	56	40	48	61
Winter wheat - Planted.....	29	21	28	25
Winter wheat - Emerged....	11	3	12	7

(NA) Not available.

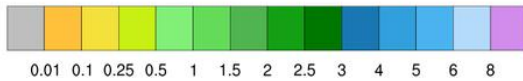
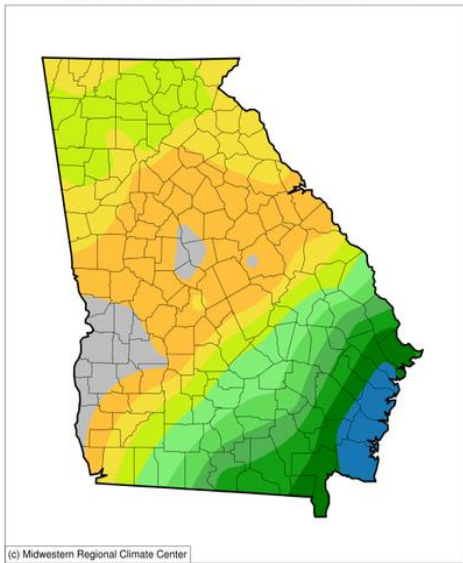
**Conditions for Week Ending 11/07/21**

Crop	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Cattle.....	0	4	20	63	13
Cotton.....	1	7	23	61	8
Pasture and range....	3	9	28	51	9
Pecans.....	0	4	34	55	7
Soybeans.....	0	2	18	70	10

**Soil Moisture for Week Ending 11/07/21**

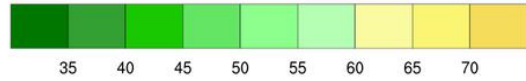
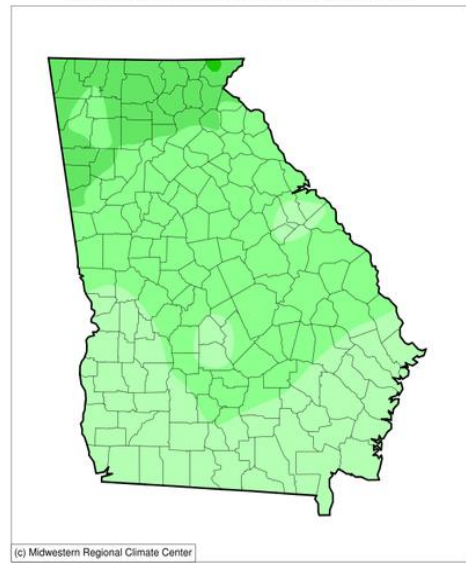
Topsoil	Previous week (percent)	This week (percent)
Very short.....	0	1
Short.....	10	13
Adequate.....	81	77
Surplus.....	9	9
Subsoil	Previous week (percent)	This week (percent)
Very short.....	0	0
Short.....	12	10
Adequate.....	81	84
Surplus.....	7	6

**Accumulated Precipitation (in)**  
November 01, 2021 to November 07, 2021



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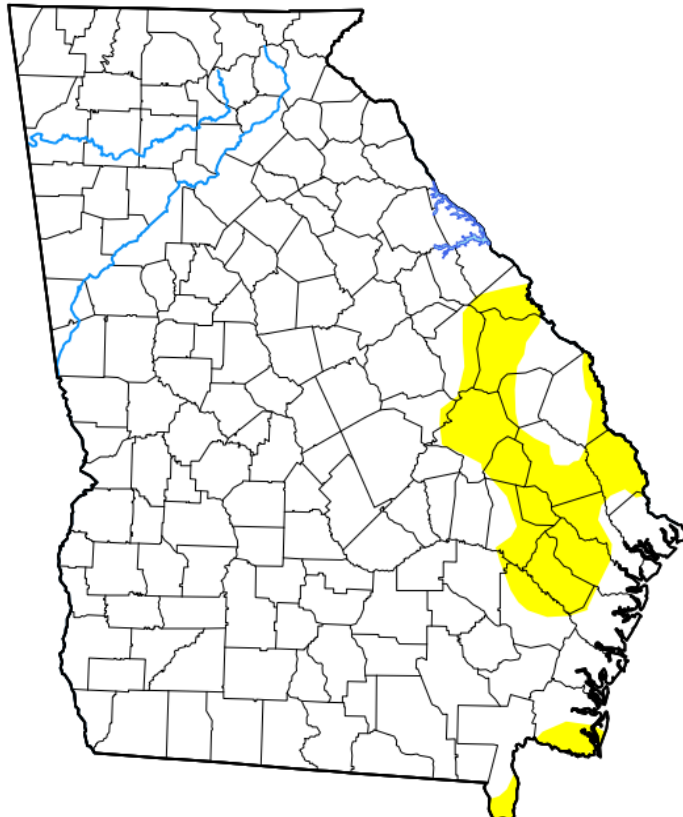
**Average Temperature (°F)**  
November 01, 2021 to November 07, 2021



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## U.S. Drought Monitor Georgia

**November 2, 2021**  
(Released Thursday, Nov. 4, 2021)  
Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	91.16	8.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 10-26-2021	85.30	14.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 08-03-2021	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 12-29-2020	65.78	34.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-28-2021	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 11-03-2020	87.31	12.69	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. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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