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Louisiana Crop Progress and Condition

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This report contains the results from the **Crop Progress and Condition** weekly survey. The survey is completed by parish extension agents' visual observations and contact with producers in their parish. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/la> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all of the parish extension agents who responded to this survey.

Week Ending: July 31, 2022

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Louisiana, there were 5.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, July 31, 2022**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 26 percent very short, 24 percent short, 41 percent adequate, and 9 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 27 percent very short, 21 percent short, 44 percent adequate, and 8 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending July 31, 2022

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn dough	99	94	98	100
Corn dented	88	80	80	92
Corn mature	51	31	41	58
Corn harvested	5	(NA)	6	9
Cotton squaring	99	97	100	100
Cotton setting bolls	89	83	80	87
Cotton bolls opening	8	3	4	11
Hay second cutting	64	58	52	70
Rice headed	91	85	86	89
Rice mature	35	26	23	43
Rice harvested	11	7	12	21
Soybeans blooming	98	97	98	98
Soybeans setting pods	93	88	84	90
Soybeans coloring	21	11	9	20
Soybeans dropping leaves	9	1	1	5
Soybeans mature	4	0	0	2
Sugarcane planted	1	0	1	2

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending July 31, 2022

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Corn	1	9	20	69	1
Cotton	0	11	26	61	2
Hay, all	1	16	43	36	4
Livestock	0	6	38	52	4
Pasture	1	14	36	44	5
Rice	0	2	11	80	7
Soybeans	1	8	21	66	4
Sugarcane	1	6	26	54	13
Sweet potatoes	0	2	19	79	0
Vegetables	0	8	20	71	1

The USDA NASS National Crop Progress release is a more detailed report including crop progress and condition at the National level. You can locate that release at: <https://release.nass.usda.gov/reports/prog3222.pdf>

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Louisiana Subsoil Moisture Map for the Week of July 18 – July 24, 2022

The Soil Moisture Active Passive (SMAP) provides measurements of soil moisture in the root zone as a weekly average, represented by pixels. Each pixel represents 9 by 9 kilometer plot or about 20,000 acres. The SMAP data measures soil moisture in cubic centimeters of water/cubic centimeters of soil. The scale represents the percent of water in a given volume of soil. More information and additional mapping is available at <https://nassgeo.csiss.gmu.edu/CropCASMA/>.

