



Crop Progress and Condition

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Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.2. Weather conditions were more humid with scattered rain. Precipitation amounts were down from the previous week. Farming activities for the week included making hay, harvesting corn, and curing tobacco. There are some reports of white mold in peanuts.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/13/20

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	6	87	7
Subsoil	-	7	90	3

- Represents zero.

CROP CONDITIONS for week ending 09/13/20

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Corn	14	24	31	30	1
Cotton	-	4	25	71	-
Hay, Alfalfa	-	3	23	72	2
Hay, Other	1	5	30	61	3
Peanuts	-	-	43	57	-
Soybeans	1	7	31	54	7
Pasture	1	6	25	53	15

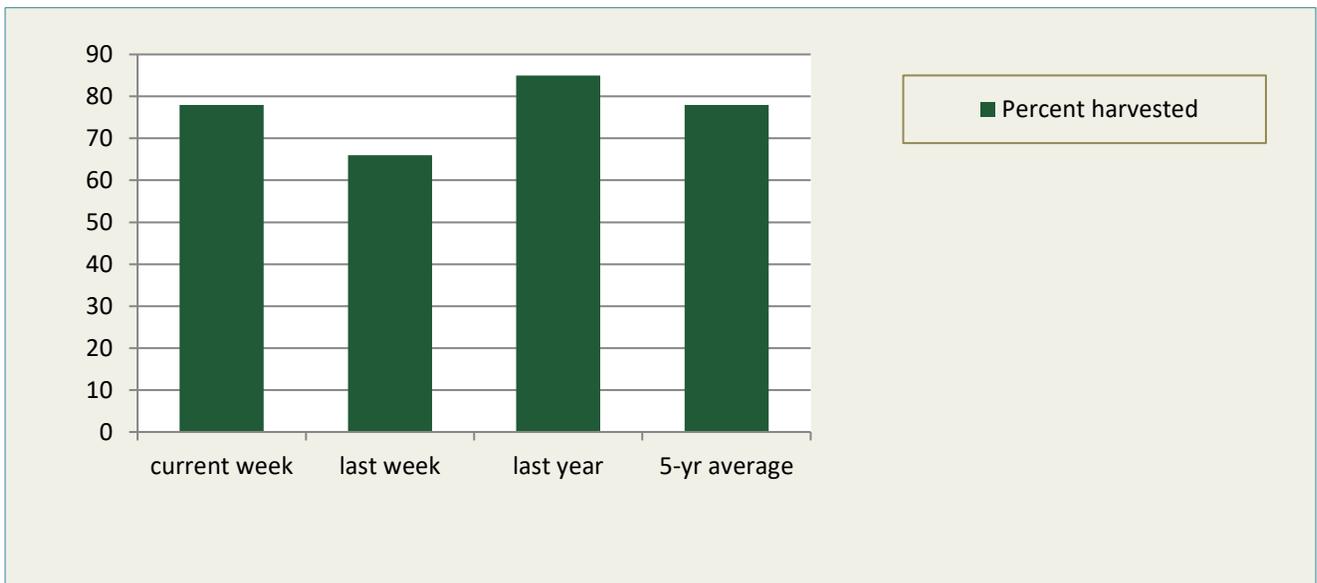
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CROP PROGRESS for week ending 09/13/20

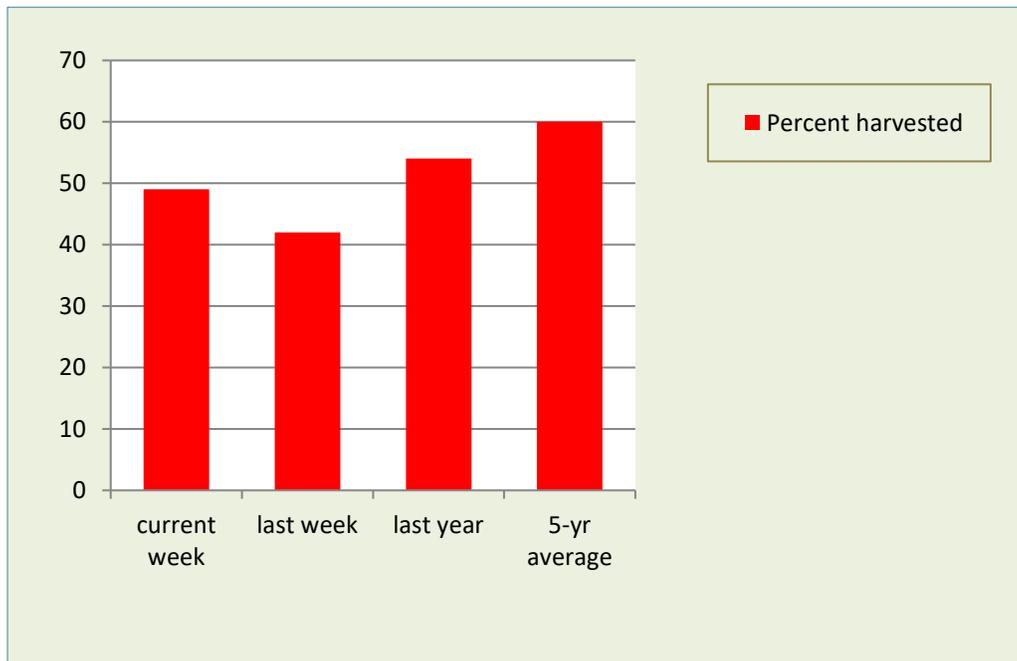
Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	49	42	54	60
Corn dented	96	94	96	-
Corn mature	74	60	82	76
Corn harvested for grain	34	21	58	41
Corn for silage harvested	78	66	85	78
Cotton bolls opening	34	27	52	41
Soybeans setting pods	89	82	93	90
Soybeans dropping leaves	14	8	14	14
Tobacco, Flue-cured harvested	62	57	82	67
Winter wheat planted	1	-	-	-

- Represents data not available.

CORN HARVESTED FOR SILAGE for week ending 09/13/20



APPLES HARVESTED for week ending 09/13/20



Weather Summary- For the week ending September 13, 2020

City	Temperature				Precipitation				
	Avg. high	Avg. low	Avg. mean	Avg. dep. from normal *	Last Week	Since Sept. 1	Sept. 1 dep. from normal *	Jan. 1, 2020 to date	Jan. 1, 2020 dep. from normal *
Lynchburg	83.0	65.4	74.2	+5.0	0.12	0.71	-1.0	43.67	+14.0
Norfolk	83.0	73.7	78.4	+4.3	0.66	0.70	-1.5	34.79	+0.7
Richmond	84.0	66.4	75.2	+2.4	0.47	1.46	-0.4	41.30	+9.4
Roanoke	83.0	66.3	74.6	+4.5	0.28	0.77	-1.0	44.06	+14.2
Wash/Dulles	81.1	63.6	72.4	+2.1	0.88	1.16	-0.4	35.30	+5.7

*Normals value based on 2010 normals data. Data were not available from NCEP/NOAA Climate Prediction Center. Source: NOAA Southeast Regional Climate Center <https://www.sercc.com/>.