



Crop Progress and Condition

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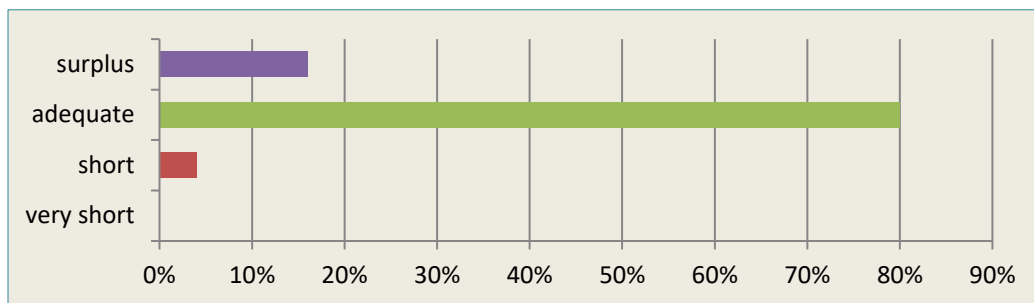
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.8. Weather conditions were mostly wet during the week with some heavy rains. Farming activities for the week included sampling soils and topdressing winter grains with nitrogen and other nutrients.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 3/31/24

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	4	80	16
Subsoil	-	5	83	12

- Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 3/31/24



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 3/31/24

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	-	12	83	5
Barley	-	5	38	49	8
Hay, Alfalfa	-	-	28	66	6
Hay, Other	1	3	20	71	5
Pasture	1	10	34	47	8
Winter Wheat	1	3	32	57	7
Livestock	-	2	28	59	11

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for the week ending 3/31/24

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	1	-	-	-

- Represents zero.

Weather Summary- For the week ending March 31, 2024

City	Temperature				Precipitation				
	Avg. high	Avg. low	Avg. mean	Avg. dep. from normal *	Last Week	Since Mar. 1	Mar. 1 dep. from normal *	Jan. 1, 2024 to date	Jan. 1, 2024 dep. from normal *
Lynchburg	64.7	39.0	51.9	+1.7	0.60	4.20	+0.4	13.25	+3.1
Norfolk	59.4	44.9	52.1	-1.9	3.22	10.30	+6.6	16.44	+6.4
Richmond	64.3	39.1	51.7	-0.5	1.42	7.13	+3.1	16.23	+6.4
Roanoke	64.3	45.7	55.0	+3.1	0.39	2.91	-0.6	9.54	-0.00
Wash/Dulles	60.7	36.3	48.5	+0.3	0.36	3.89	+0.4	11.34	+2.3

*Normals value based on 1991-2020 normals data. Source: NOAA Southeast Regional Climate Center <https://www.sercc.com/>.