



Crop Progress

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Corn Dented – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 92% of the 2021 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	99	85	95	97
Illinois	97	81	85	96
Indiana	100	92	96	96
Iowa	99	97	99	97
Kansas	99	95	96	99
Kentucky	94	95	98	98
Michigan	94	90	96	91
Minnesota	100	94	98	97
Missouri	100	97	98	99
Nebraska	100	96	100	99
North Carolina	100	100	100	100
North Dakota	99	88	94	93
Ohio	99	87	93	93
Pennsylvania	89	85	92	91
South Dakota	100	95	99	96
Tennessee	100	100	100	100
Texas	100	100	100	100
Wisconsin	99	87	94	90
18 States	100	92	96	97

Corn Mature – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 92% of the 2021 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	65	40	62	58
Illinois	93	47	63	80
Indiana	86	47	67	75
Iowa	85	63	82	76
Kansas	90	72	83	87
Kentucky	87	81	91	92
Michigan	74	39	55	58
Minnesota	88	49	75	71
Missouri	93	73	82	87
Nebraska	83	71	83	78
North Carolina	99	94	98	99
North Dakota	80	36	66	61
Ohio	78	45	59	61
Pennsylvania	63	26	55	69
South Dakota	85	60	77	69
Tennessee	96	89	96	96
Texas	97	93	96	89
Wisconsin	77	42	69	59
18 States	86	58	75	75

Corn Harvested – Selected States

[These 18 States harvested 93% of the 2021 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	21	1	7	16
Illinois	38	6	13	29
Indiana	24	6	16	20
Iowa	18	5	11	12
Kansas	49	35	50	42
Kentucky	48	43	57	59
Michigan	16	3	10	9
Minnesota	19	1	5	9
Missouri	49	19	34	44
Nebraska	20	13	24	16
North Carolina	85	74	81	85
North Dakota	17	-	3	7
Ohio	10	-	7	10
Pennsylvania	6	-	2	15
South Dakota	17	8	15	10
Tennessee	55	42	64	67
Texas	86	72	80	76
Wisconsin	11	1	3	6
18 States	27	12	20	22

- Represents zero.

Corn Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 2, 2022

[These 18 States planted 92% of the 2021 corn acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	14	17	38	27	4
Illinois	3	5	23	55	14
Indiana	3	9	31	49	8
Iowa	2	8	29	50	11
Kansas	28	26	24	20	2
Kentucky	11	16	32	36	5
Michigan	1	3	30	52	14
Minnesota	3	7	29	48	13
Missouri	10	14	26	44	6
Nebraska	20	21	24	29	6
North Carolina	21	25	25	22	7
North Dakota	2	6	31	54	7
Ohio	4	9	23	55	9
Pennsylvania	-	8	25	40	27
South Dakota	10	21	31	34	4
Tennessee	15	27	33	23	2
Texas	29	23	31	14	3
Wisconsin	-	3	18	58	21
18 States	9	12	27	43	9
Previous week	9	12	27	42	10
Previous year	5	10	26	45	14

- Represents zero.

Soybeans Dropping Leaves – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 96% of the 2021 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	75	55	73	74
Illinois	81	63	80	75
Indiana	89	64	82	81
Iowa	90	61	80	82
Kansas	68	53	68	70
Kentucky	57	46	57	61
Louisiana	80	90	97	92
Michigan	93	70	83	83
Minnesota	96	61	86	87
Mississippi	77	81	90	84
Missouri	65	45	68	52
Nebraska	94	81	91	91
North Carolina	60	52	68	57
North Dakota	96	72	89	94
Ohio	86	56	84	78
South Dakota	95	82	91	88
Tennessee	60	55	75	69
Wisconsin	92	54	81	77
18 States	84	63	81	79

Soybeans Harvested – Selected States

[These 18 States harvested 96% of the 2021 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	32	20	32	32
Illinois	29	2	10	26
Indiana	26	5	17	23
Iowa	37	7	26	24
Kansas	13	9	19	11
Kentucky	24	13	22	23
Louisiana	58	68	77	74
Michigan	28	8	14	18
Minnesota	57	4	29	32
Mississippi	45	44	51	51
Missouri	10	3	9	9
Nebraska	32	13	29	28
North Carolina	9	10	14	10
North Dakota	45	5	26	31
Ohio	20	3	13	19
South Dakota	37	9	30	25
Tennessee	14	13	21	20
Wisconsin	28	-	11	16
18 States	31	8	22	25

- Represents zero.

Soybean Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 2, 2022

[These 18 States planted 96% of the 2021 soybean acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	3	8	26	50	13
Illinois	4	5	24	55	12
Indiana	3	8	31	50	8
Iowa	2	8	29	50	11
Kansas	26	24	27	21	2
Kentucky	6	10	27	47	10
Louisiana	20	26	34	19	1
Michigan	1	3	28	51	17
Minnesota	2	6	28	52	12
Mississippi	-	8	30	53	9
Missouri	7	11	33	44	5
Nebraska	14	21	30	28	7
North Carolina	2	5	30	55	8
North Dakota	2	5	35	52	6
Ohio	4	9	23	58	6
South Dakota	8	19	36	36	1
Tennessee	2	11	37	40	10
Wisconsin	1	4	19	54	22
18 States	6	10	29	46	9
Previous week	5	10	30	46	9
Previous year	4	10	28	46	12

- Represents zero.

Cotton Bolls Opening – Selected States

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2021 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	62	74	86	77
Arizona	98	79	86	98
Arkansas	97	90	96	97
California	89	60	75	66
Georgia	75	74	81	82
Kansas	69	61	76	60
Louisiana	97	94	97	98
Mississippi	78	85	90	87
Missouri	79	66	83	87
North Carolina	80	80	89	81
Oklahoma	80	61	85	67
South Carolina	65	66	75	75
Tennessee	53	57	69	78
Texas	63	62	70	66
Virginia	73	75	91	76
15 States	69	67	77	73

Cotton Harvested – Selected States

[These 15 States harvested 99% of the 2021 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	5	4	14	8
Arizona	18	15	21	19
Arkansas	6	5	19	18
California	2	-	15	3
Georgia	4	3	9	11
Kansas	1	2	7	1
Louisiana	13	23	45	35
Mississippi	13	16	28	21
Missouri	2	2	6	12
North Carolina	3	2	10	5
Oklahoma	-	-	-	1
South Carolina	3	5	7	8
Tennessee	1	2	6	10
Texas	23	25	31	23
Virginia	4	-	10	5
15 States	13	15	22	17

- Represents zero.

Cotton Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 2, 2022

[These 15 States planted 99% of the 2021 cotton acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	-	3	18	75	4
Arizona	2	-	4	46	48
Arkansas	4	5	18	51	22
California	-	-	5	95	-
Georgia	1	7	28	52	12
Kansas	11	43	31	14	1
Louisiana	5	14	44	34	3
Mississippi	1	5	18	71	5
Missouri	6	6	32	56	-
North Carolina	1	8	33	54	4
Oklahoma	43	11	39	7	-
South Carolina	1	8	21	66	4
Tennessee	2	10	32	50	6
Texas	21	48	21	9	1
Virginia	-	1	21	76	2
15 States	15	31	23	27	4
Previous week	15	27	27	27	4
Previous year	1	5	32	53	9

- Represents zero.

Sorghum Coloring – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2021 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	99	98	99	96
Kansas	97	85	92	96
Nebraska	100	95	100	99
Oklahoma	97	89	95	94
South Dakota	100	97	99	95
Texas	100	100	100	99
6 States	99	91	96	97

Sorghum Mature – Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2021 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	70	42	54	50
Kansas	68	34	53	56
Nebraska	81	43	60	72
Oklahoma	76	53	65	63
South Dakota	83	60	79	56
Texas	94	96	99	88
6 States	77	56	69	67

Sorghum Harvested – Selected States

[These 6 States harvested 100% of the 2021 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	13	5	10	10
Kansas	18	4	10	11
Nebraska	20	7	11	15
Oklahoma	19	13	20	27
South Dakota	33	12	16	16
Texas	83	82	91	81
6 States	37	27	34	35

Sorghum Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 2, 2022

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2021 sorghum acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	4	11	41	35	9
Kansas	23	33	27	15	2
Nebraska	35	30	13	18	4
Oklahoma	26	28	32	14	-
South Dakota	3	36	21	40	-
Texas	13	29	41	16	1
6 States	19	30	31	18	2
Previous week	18	28	32	20	2
Previous year	4	11	29	46	10

- Represents zero.

Peanuts Harvested – Selected States

[These 8 States harvested 96% of the 2021 peanut acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	19	9	29	25
Florida	35	34	48	43
Georgia	16	12	30	24
North Carolina	13	6	20	15
Oklahoma	5	1	1	3
South Carolina	19	10	18	20
Texas	10	-	9	6
Virginia	32	20	42	29
8 States	18	12	28	23

- Represents zero.

Peanut Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 2, 2022

[These 8 States planted 96% of the 2021 peanut acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	-	1	9	75	15
Florida	1	3	39	55	2
Georgia	1	5	27	56	11
North Carolina	-	4	30	59	7
Oklahoma	-	-	32	68	-
South Carolina	-	1	16	76	7
Texas	4	15	51	30	-
Virginia	-	1	28	69	2
8 States	1	5	29	57	8
Previous week	1	6	25	59	9
Previous year	1	3	25	59	12

- Represents zero.

Sugarbeets Harvested – Selected States

[These 4 States harvested 84% of the 2021 sugarbeet acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho	23	25	29	27
Michigan	35	16	26	28
Minnesota	14	9	13	23
North Dakota	15	13	18	27
4 States	19	14	19	25

Sunflowers Harvested – Selected States

[These 4 States harvested 86% of the 2021 sunflower acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado	-	-	1	3
Kansas	9	1	4	5
North Dakota	4	-	-	5
South Dakota	7	1	2	3
4 States	5	-	1	4

- Represents zero.

Rice Harvested – Selected States

[These 6 States harvested 100% of the 2021 rice acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	70	61	75	76
California	51	20	30	32
Louisiana	96	90	94	97
Mississippi	76	75	81	80
Missouri	52	35	56	60
Texas	98	93	96	99
6 States	71	59	70	72

Winter Wheat Planted – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 89% of the 2021 winter wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	9	3	5	10
California	8	5	10	11
Colorado	74	48	65	71
Idaho	65	34	49	58
Illinois	11	1	4	14
Indiana	22	4	11	18
Kansas	40	19	30	39
Michigan	30	20	35	29
Missouri	5	-	3	7
Montana	51	58	66	48
Nebraska	79	40	65	76
North Carolina	7	4	6	4
Ohio	22	2	17	24
Oklahoma	36	21	28	41
Oregon	18	19	33	33
South Dakota	74	52	69	68
Texas	46	44	48	43
Washington	76	57	66	69
18 States	45	31	40	44

- Represents zero.

Winter Wheat Emerged – Selected States

[These 18 States planted 90% of the 2021 winter wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2017-2021 Average
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas	3	-	-	2
California	-	-	-	-
Colorado	35	20	31	37
Idaho	25	5	10	20
Illinois	1	-	-	2
Indiana	5	-	3	2
Kansas	15	3	6	17
Michigan	12	5	11	10
Missouri	-	-	-	2
Montana	18	17	31	13
Nebraska	41	4	25	37
North Carolina	-	-	-	-
Ohio	1	-	-	3
Oklahoma	12	4	10	12
Oregon	2	3	9	10
South Dakota	24	18	26	29
Texas	18	14	19	14
Washington	38	26	34	37
18 States	18	9	15	17

- Represents zero.

Pasture and Range Condition – Selected States: Week Ending October 2, 2022

[National pasture and range conditions for selected States are weighted based on pasture acreage and/or livestock inventories]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	-	10	37	52	1
Arizona	2	4	35	31	28
Arkansas	18	31	36	15	-
California	15	20	45	20	-
Colorado	11	21	32	31	5
Connecticut	-	-	100	-	-
Delaware	2	40	43	10	5
Florida	3	15	29	43	10
Georgia	2	11	41	40	6
Idaho	8	27	28	35	2
Illinois	9	17	31	40	3
Indiana	5	14	40	38	3
Iowa	11	24	37	26	2
Kansas	53	25	16	6	-
Kentucky	5	22	32	32	9
Louisiana	5	7	34	45	9
Maine	-	-	22	78	-
Maryland	-	8	38	48	6
Massachusetts	-	-	70	30	-
Michigan	3	20	42	31	4
Minnesota	6	13	25	46	10
Mississippi	4	16	39	37	4
Missouri	17	30	26	26	1
Montana	30	21	28	21	-
Nebraska	50	30	16	4	-
Nevada	15	15	50	20	-
New Hampshire	-	-	42	54	4
New Jersey	2	17	34	47	-
New Mexico	6	32	41	14	7
New York	4	9	26	46	15
North Carolina	1	2	29	66	2
North Dakota	2	20	38	39	1
Ohio	1	5	21	68	5
Oklahoma	32	40	25	3	-
Oregon	27	24	37	11	1
Pennsylvania	8	10	25	50	7
Rhode Island	-	-	100	-	-
South Carolina	11	10	27	48	4
South Dakota	34	26	23	15	2
Tennessee	2	15	38	41	4
Texas	27	25	30	13	5
Utah	8	26	32	33	1
Vermont	-	-	23	77	-
Virginia	2	14	38	40	6
Washington	3	25	40	30	2
West Virginia	-	5	17	72	6
Wisconsin	2	7	25	53	13
Wyoming	15	16	32	35	2
48 States	21	23	32	20	4
Previous week	20	23	31	22	4
Previous year	24	22	31	20	3

- Represents zero.

Days Suitable for Fieldwork - Selected States

[Days suitable for fieldwork are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Week ending		
	October 2, 2021	September 25, 2022	October 2, 2022
	(Days)	(Days)	(Days)
Alabama	5.2	6.8	6.9
Arizona	6.7	5.5	7.0
Arkansas	4.5	6.9	7.0
California	7.0	5.1	7.0
Colorado	6.7	5.3	5.9
Connecticut	5.0	6.0	6.0
Delaware	7.0	6.5	4.0
Florida	6.9	6.5	4.5
Georgia	6.5	6.7	6.4
Idaho	6.7	6.5	6.5
Illinois	6.0	5.6	7.0
Indiana	5.5	6.0	6.7
Iowa	5.5	5.5	6.7
Kansas	5.3	5.4	6.7
Kentucky	5.7	6.7	6.8
Louisiana	3.5	7.0	7.0
Maine	4.0	5.0	6.0
Maryland	6.5	6.5	5.0
Massachusetts	5.0	6.0	6.0
Michigan	5.2	4.7	5.5
Minnesota	5.3	5.5	6.3
Mississippi	4.1	6.7	6.9
Missouri	5.5	6.3	6.9
Montana	7.0	6.5	4.9
Nebraska	5.5	5.4	6.8
Nevada	7.0	6.4	7.0
New Hampshire	4.0	6.0	6.5
New Jersey	7.0	7.0	5.5
New Mexico	5.9	6.8	6.7
New York	4.5	3.0	3.5
North Carolina	6.7	6.9	4.7
North Dakota	6.1	5.3	5.9
Ohio	5.7	5.7	5.4
Oklahoma	5.7	6.7	6.8
Oregon	6.6	6.8	6.9
Pennsylvania	6.0	5.0	5.5
Rhode Island	5.0	6.0	6.0
South Carolina	6.6	6.8	5.1
South Dakota	4.9	6.5	6.7
Tennessee	4.9	6.6	6.7
Texas	5.6	6.8	6.9
Utah	6.5	5.9	6.5
Vermont	5.0	3.0	5.7
Virginia	6.7	6.6	4.7
Washington	6.7	6.8	6.1
West Virginia	6.0	5.3	4.1
Wisconsin	6.1	5.5	6.1
Wyoming	7.0	6.1	5.5

Topsoil Moisture Condition - Selected States: Week Ending October 2, 2022

[National topsoil moisture conditions for selected States are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama	7	49	44	-
Arizona	10	1	87	2
Arkansas	29	57	14	-
California	10	30	55	5
Colorado	23	41	35	1
Connecticut	-	-	100	-
Delaware	-	-	82	18
Florida	10	14	30	46
Georgia	23	44	32	1
Idaho	9	49	42	-
Illinois	11	38	51	-
Indiana	10	33	56	1
Iowa	17	36	46	1
Kansas	54	32	14	-
Kentucky	19	44	35	2
Louisiana	3	33	64	-
Maine	-	-	100	-
Maryland	-	3	79	18
Massachusetts	-	2	98	-
Michigan	3	13	82	2
Minnesota	8	29	61	2
Mississippi	14	42	41	3
Missouri	31	39	30	-
Montana	47	40	12	1
Nebraska	45	36	19	-
Nevada	25	25	50	-
New Hampshire	3	22	75	-
New Jersey	-	-	57	43
New Mexico	18	48	32	2
New York	-	6	70	24
North Carolina	2	18	74	6
North Dakota	12	41	45	2
Ohio	20	11	66	3
Oklahoma	42	50	8	-
Oregon	28	45	27	-
Pennsylvania	-	37	58	5
Rhode Island	-	-	100	-
South Carolina	4	11	82	3
South Dakota	37	43	18	2
Tennessee	7	43	49	1
Texas	40	28	32	-
Utah	12	37	50	1
Vermont	-	-	68	32
Virginia	1	8	76	15
Washington	22	43	35	-
West Virginia	-	-	80	20
Wisconsin	2	14	78	6
Wyoming	29	46	24	1
48 States	24	34	40	2
Previous week	21	33	43	3
Previous year	17	29	50	4

- Represents zero.

Subsoil Moisture Condition - Selected States: Week Ending October 2, 2022

[National subsoil moisture conditions for selected States are weighted based on cropland acreage]

State	Very short (percent)	Short (percent)	Adequate (percent)	Surplus (percent)
Alabama	3	37	60	-
Arizona	8	1	87	4
Arkansas	28	50	22	-
California	20	20	60	-
Colorado	35	33	32	-
Connecticut	-	-	100	-
Delaware	51	4	37	8
Florida	3	18	29	50
Georgia	14	45	40	1
Idaho	15	40	45	-
Illinois	12	28	59	1
Indiana	12	31	56	1
Iowa	22	35	42	1
Kansas	59	29	12	-
Kentucky	14	40	43	3
Louisiana	4	29	67	-
Maine	-	-	100	-
Maryland	-	2	81	17
Massachusetts	-	2	98	-
Michigan	3	14	82	1
Minnesota	8	26	64	2
Mississippi	18	49	30	3
Missouri	25	42	33	-
Montana	53	36	11	-
Nebraska	51	33	16	-
Nevada	20	25	50	5
New Hampshire	3	15	82	-
New Jersey	-	6	94	-
New Mexico	30	50	20	-
New York	-	6	84	10
North Carolina	4	22	72	2
North Dakota	11	40	48	1
Ohio	6	26	66	2
Oklahoma	47	48	5	-
Oregon	29	39	32	-
Pennsylvania	-	45	55	-
Rhode Island	5	65	30	-
South Carolina	-	11	84	5
South Dakota	30	49	19	2
Tennessee	6	36	57	1
Texas	42	41	16	1
Utah	20	36	43	1
Vermont	-	-	100	-
Virginia	1	22	73	4
Washington	17	40	43	-
West Virginia	-	-	93	7
Wisconsin	1	15	80	4
Wyoming	42	40	18	-
48 States	25	34	40	1
Previous week	23	33	43	1
Previous year	20	30	47	3

- Represents zero.

Crop Progress and Condition Tables Expected Next Week

Corn: Mature, Harvested, Condition

Cotton: Bolls Opening, Harvested, Condition

Pasture and Range: Condition

Peanuts: Harvested, Condition

Rice: Harvested

Sorghum: Mature, Harvested, Condition

Soybeans: Dropping Leaves, Harvested, Condition

Sugarbeets: Harvested

Sunflowers: Harvested

Winter Wheat: Planted, Emerged

Days Suitable for Fieldwork

Topsoil Moisture Condition

Subsoil Moisture Condition

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Crop progress and condition estimates are based on survey data collected each week from early April through the end of November. The non-probability crop progress and condition surveys include input from approximately 3,600 respondents whose occupations provide them opportunities to make visual observations and frequently bring them in contact with farmers in their counties. Based on standard definitions, these respondents subjectively estimate the progress of crops through various stages of development, as well as the progress of producer activities. They also provide subjective evaluations of crop conditions.

Most respondents complete their questionnaires on Friday or early Monday morning and submit them to the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) Field Offices in their States by mail, telephone, fax, e-mail, or through a secured internet website. A small number of reports are completed on Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday. Regardless of when questionnaires are completed, respondents are asked to report for the entire week ending on Sunday. For reports submitted prior to the Sunday reference date, a degree of uncertainty is introduced by projections for weekend changes in progress and condition. By the end of the 2020 season, over 95 percent of the data were being submitted through the internet website. As a result, the majority of all data are submitted on Monday morning, significantly reducing projection uncertainty.

Respondents are sent written reporting instructions at the beginning of each season and are contacted periodically to ensure proper reporting. Terms and definitions of crop stages and condition categories used as reporting guidelines are available on the NASS website at www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/National_Crop_Progress.

Estimating Procedures: Reported data are reviewed for reasonableness and consistency by comparing with data reported the previous week and data reported in surrounding counties for the current week. Field Offices summarize the reported data to district and State levels, weighting each county's reported data by NASS county acreage estimates. Summarized indications are compared with previous week estimates, and progress items are compared with earlier stages of development and historical averages to ensure reasonableness. Weather events and respondent comments are also taken into consideration. State estimates are submitted to the Agricultural Statistics Board (ASB) along with supporting comments, where they are compared with surrounding States and compiled into a National level summary by weighting each State by its acreage estimates. National crop planting progress, progress of development stages, and condition estimates are weighted using the program State's average planted acres over the previous three crop years. National crop harvest progress estimates are weighted using the program State's average harvested acres over the previous three crop years. Pasture and range condition is weighted using pasture acreage and/or livestock inventories from the most recent Census of Agriculture. Days suitable for fieldwork, topsoil moisture and subsoil moisture are weighted using cropland acreage from the Census of Agriculture.

Revision Policy: Progress and condition estimates in the *Crop Progress* report are released after 4:00 pm ET on the first business day of the week. These estimates are subject to revision the following week.

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