



# Crop Progress

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## NASS Survey Update!

In the first two weeks of June, NASS will gather information about this season's crop production, supplies of grain in storage and livestock inventory. The information will help producers, suppliers, traders, buyers and others make informed business decisions. The results will be available beginning June 27 in the *Hogs and Pigs* report and June 30 in the *Acreage* and *Grain Stocks* reports. **Farmers should watch for their surveys and be sure to respond. Your information matters!**

## Corn Planted - Selected States

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2013 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado .....	88	83	93	90
Illinois .....	87	84	95	88
Indiana .....	83	72	87	77
Iowa .....	83	84	96	95
Kansas .....	85	86	93	93
Kentucky .....	71	74	87	82
Michigan .....	88	29	53	82
Minnesota .....	80	53	81	92
Missouri .....	81	92	97	88
Nebraska .....	94	91	97	97
North Carolina .....	99	96	98	100
North Dakota .....	70	17	67	75
Ohio .....	87	50	69	74
Pennsylvania .....	82	51	63	74
South Dakota .....	89	73	90	86
Tennessee .....	86	93	97	92
Texas .....	93	93	97	96
Wisconsin .....	61	36	67	80
18 States .....	84	73	88	88

## Corn Emerged - Selected States

[These 18 States planted 91% of the 2013 corn acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado .....	53	24	55	49
Illinois .....	61	60	81	67
Indiana .....	51	42	68	56
Iowa .....	48	28	67	77
Kansas .....	47	52	70	67
Kentucky .....	47	50	66	66
Michigan .....	48	9	23	50
Minnesota .....	35	4	32	63
Missouri .....	53	72	88	71
Nebraska .....	56	43	74	71
North Carolina .....	95	83	91	97
North Dakota .....	23	-	13	36
Ohio .....	47	18	39	51
Pennsylvania .....	46	14	40	43
South Dakota .....	47	15	48	48
Tennessee .....	71	76	87	82
Texas .....	77	79	88	83
Wisconsin .....	24	1	21	42
18 States .....	49	34	60	64

- Represents zero.

## Soybeans Planted - Selected States

[These 18 States planted 95% of the 2013 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas .....	42	49	63	53
Illinois .....	37	36	64	50
Indiana .....	56	33	58	50
Iowa .....	37	40	80	75
Kansas .....	34	32	58	48
Kentucky .....	13	14	30	32
Louisiana .....	72	87	90	81
Michigan .....	64	15	29	54
Minnesota .....	39	16	49	67
Mississippi .....	44	73	83	79
Missouri .....	28	32	61	40
Nebraska .....	59	65	88	76
North Carolina .....	27	32	43	37
North Dakota .....	31	5	31	45
Ohio .....	66	20	34	52
South Dakota .....	45	32	64	49
Tennessee .....	19	23	39	34
Wisconsin .....	26	8	39	50
18 States .....	41	33	59	56

## Soybeans Emerged - Selected States

[These 18 States planted 95% of the 2013 soybean acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas .....	28	34	48	41
Illinois .....	10	11	32	26
Indiana .....	21	11	30	30
Iowa .....	7	3	22	33
Kansas .....	7	7	25	20
Kentucky .....	3	4	12	18
Louisiana .....	55	70	77	69
Michigan .....	23	5	11	23
Minnesota .....	3	-	6	21
Mississippi .....	30	48	67	68
Missouri .....	9	10	34	20
Nebraska .....	15	13	42	35
North Carolina .....	14	18	30	21
North Dakota .....	1	-	-	10
Ohio .....	24	3	11	26
South Dakota .....	8	2	20	15
Tennessee .....	7	10	21	16
Wisconsin .....	4	-	4	14
18 States .....	12	9	25	27

- Represents zero.

## Cotton Planted - Selected States

[These 15 States planted 98% of the 2013 cotton acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama .....	84	47	64	80
Arizona .....	99	85	90	96
Arkansas .....	75	77	96	84
California .....	98	99	99	97
Georgia .....	65	44	66	66
Kansas .....	28	21	37	35
Louisiana .....	82	82	90	92
Mississippi .....	34	64	83	73
Missouri .....	88	62	91	88
North Carolina .....	82	65	87	84
Oklahoma .....	33	18	30	32
South Carolina .....	53	64	80	76
Tennessee .....	34	48	76	60
Texas .....	46	36	49	54
Virginia .....	87	73	83	91
15 States .....	56	46	62	64

## Sorghum Planted - Selected States

[These 11 States planted 98% of the 2013 sorghum acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas .....	87	79	91	94
Colorado .....	12	24	25	22
Illinois .....	18	13	35	24
Kansas .....	13	7	16	22
Louisiana .....	96	99	99	98
Missouri .....	36	29	56	39
Nebraska .....	35	26	57	44
New Mexico .....	5	12	15	26
Oklahoma .....	25	35	40	37
South Dakota .....	20	3	22	25
Texas .....	77	82	83	78
11 States .....	42	39	46	47

## Peanuts Planted - Selected States

[These 8 States planted 96% of the 2013 peanut acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Alabama .....	57	31	52	60
Florida .....	68	48	72	68
Georgia .....	63	49	70	66
North Carolina .....	82	48	73	80
Oklahoma .....	64	63	78	65
South Carolina .....	68	71	90	66
Texas .....	59	45	60	79
Virginia .....	76	49	65	74
8 States .....	64	48	68	68

## Sugarbeets Planted - Selected States

[These 4 States planted 85% of the 2013 sugarbeet acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho .....	100	100	100	100
Michigan .....	100	67	87	99
Minnesota .....	92	40	86	94
North Dakota .....	88	29	78	92
4 States .....	94	52	87	95

### Sunflowers Planted - Selected States

[These 4 States planted 83% of the 2013 sunflower acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Colorado .....	9	2	3	17
Kansas .....	4	3	7	10
North Dakota .....	11	1	13	23
South Dakota .....	5	1	12	14
4 States .....	8	1	12	18

### Rice Planted - Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2013 rice acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas .....	84	88	95	90
California .....	93	75	90	86
Louisiana .....	99	98	99	99
Mississippi .....	69	82	91	91
Missouri .....	95	86	95	89
Texas .....	100	96	98	99
6 States .....	89	87	95	91

### Rice Emerged - Selected States

[These 6 States planted 100% of the 2013 rice acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas .....	70	74	86	81
California .....	63	40	50	42
Louisiana .....	94	93	97	96
Mississippi .....	48	58	83	81
Missouri .....	86	71	84	77
Texas .....	92	86	95	91
6 States .....	74	69	80	77

## Rice Condition – Selected States: Week Ending May 25, 2014

[National crop conditions for selected States are weighted based on 2013 planted acres]

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Arkansas .....	-	7	30	50	13
California .....	-	5	25	55	15
Louisiana .....	-	2	20	61	17
Mississippi .....	-	2	30	56	12
Missouri .....	-	4	33	53	10
Texas .....	1	5	46	44	4
6 States .....	-	5	28	54	13
Previous week .....	-	5	29	52	14
Previous year .....	1	5	35	38	21

- Represents zero.

## Winter Wheat Headed - Selected States

[These 18 States planted 87% of the 2013 winter wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average (percent)
	May 25, 2013 (percent)	May 18, 2014 (percent)	May 25, 2014 (percent)	
Arkansas .....	100	96	99	100
California .....	99	98	99	99
Colorado .....	9	19	38	45
Idaho .....	-	-	13	3
Illinois .....	77	50	81	85
Indiana .....	63	32	61	76
Kansas .....	69	71	89	87
Michigan .....	5	2	5	22
Missouri .....	85	67	88	90
Montana .....	-	-	-	-
Nebraska .....	6	11	28	33
North Carolina .....	98	94	97	100
Ohio .....	53	4	35	60
Oklahoma .....	91	96	99	98
Oregon .....	29	20	66	24
South Dakota .....	1	-	-	15
Texas .....	78	89	94	93
Washington .....	42	13	33	24
18 States .....	58	57	70	69

- Represents zero.

## Winter Wheat Condition - Selected States: Week Ending May 25, 2014

[National crop conditions for selected States are weighted based on 2013 planted acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Arkansas .....	-	4	28	51	17
California .....	-	-	15	30	55
Colorado .....	24	16	31	26	3
Idaho .....	-	1	13	73	13
Illinois .....	2	6	27	47	18
Indiana .....	1	4	26	54	15
Kansas .....	27	34	28	10	1
Michigan .....	5	14	34	40	7
Missouri .....	2	9	38	44	7
Montana .....	2	5	25	40	28
Nebraska .....	8	19	33	38	2
North Carolina .....	-	4	25	59	12
Ohio .....	1	7	34	49	9
Oklahoma .....	50	28	17	5	-
Oregon .....	4	10	38	39	9
South Dakota .....	-	6	36	56	2
Texas .....	34	31	23	11	1
Washington .....	5	16	41	36	2
18 States .....	22	22	26	24	6
Previous week .....	22	22	27	24	5
Previous year .....	23	19	27	26	5

- Represents zero.

## Spring Wheat Planted - Selected States

[These 6 States planted 99% of the 2013 spring wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho .....	100	100	100	97
Minnesota .....	84	20	67	88
Montana .....	90	74	90	84
North Dakota .....	60	25	59	73
South Dakota .....	99	83	89	97
Washington .....	100	100	100	99
6 States .....	77	49	74	82

## Spring Wheat Emerged - Selected States

[These 6 States planted 99% of the 2013 spring wheat acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho .....	85	83	94	79
Minnesota .....	29	8	20	61
Montana .....	41	36	58	55
North Dakota .....	25	6	26	46
South Dakota .....	74	42	59	82
Washington .....	97	90	98	91
6 States .....	39	24	43	57

### Oats Planted - Selected States

[These 9 States planted 65% of the 2013 oat acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Iowa .....	99	97	99	100
Minnesota .....	83	61	85	92
Nebraska .....	100	98	100	100
North Dakota .....	66	29	66	73
Ohio .....	97	86	90	89
Pennsylvania .....	99	89	93	95
South Dakota .....	98	81	90	95
Texas .....	100	100	100	100
Wisconsin .....	84	55	76	93
9 States .....	91	78	89	94

### Oats Emerged - Selected States

[These 9 States planted 65% of the 2013 oat acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Iowa .....	89	81	93	96
Minnesota .....	47	26	48	76
Nebraska .....	91	89	96	95
North Dakota .....	32	6	28	46
Ohio .....	79	67	79	78
Pennsylvania .....	95	67	81	86
South Dakota .....	76	56	64	80
Texas .....	100	100	100	100
Wisconsin .....	51	26	47	77
9 States .....	74	61	72	82

### Oats Headed - Selected States

[These 9 States planted 65% of the 2013 oat acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Iowa .....	-	-	3	7
Minnesota .....	-	-	-	1
Nebraska .....	3	-	6	10
North Dakota .....	-	-	-	-
Ohio .....	1	-	1	9
Pennsylvania .....	-	-	-	1
South Dakota .....	-	-	-	1
Texas .....	91	93	99	97
Wisconsin .....	-	-	-	1
9 States .....	28	27	30	31

- Represents zero.



## Oat Condition – Selected States: Week Ending May 25, 2014

[National crop conditions for selected States are weighted based on 2013 planted acreage]

State	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Iowa .....	-	2	41	49	8
Minnesota .....	1	2	22	71	4
Nebraska .....	2	17	41	39	1
North Dakota .....	-	-	20	75	5
Ohio .....	-	10	30	55	5
Pennsylvania .....	-	-	21	63	16
South Dakota .....	-	-	24	70	6
Texas .....	13	20	35	26	6
Wisconsin .....	1	2	19	67	11
9 States .....	4	8	28	53	7
Previous week .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Previous year .....	4	9	35	45	7

- Represents zero.

(NA) Not available.

## Barley Planted - Selected States

[These 5 States planted 77% of the 2013 barley acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho .....	99	96	99	95
Minnesota .....	76	25	63	87
Montana .....	94	88	96	89
North Dakota .....	47	22	56	67
Washington .....	100	88	100	97
5 States .....	77	68	84	82

## Barley Emerged - Selected States

[These 5 States planted 77% of the 2013 barley acreage]

State	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	May 25, 2013	May 18, 2014	May 25, 2014	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Idaho .....	79	70	86	71
Minnesota .....	30	6	21	61
Montana .....	52	39	68	57
North Dakota .....	10	3	17	40
Washington .....	92	74	95	83
5 States .....	44	37	57	55

## Pasture and Range Condition – Selected States: Week Ending May 25, 2014

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

State	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Alabama .....	1	3	26	52	18
Arizona .....	25	30	29	15	1
Arkansas .....	1	4	33	50	12
California .....	25	50	20	5	-
Colorado .....	13	26	27	32	2
Connecticut .....	-	-	23	70	7
Delaware .....	2	4	23	29	42
Florida .....	-	7	36	53	4
Georgia .....	-	6	34	50	10
Idaho .....	-	-	21	65	14
Illinois .....	1	4	34	42	19
Indiana .....	1	5	23	55	16
Iowa .....	5	9	32	42	12
Kansas .....	18	25	38	18	1
Kentucky .....	2	6	22	55	15
Louisiana .....	2	16	39	40	3
Maine .....	-	2	42	49	7
Maryland .....	-	1	12	65	22
Massachusetts .....	-	3	31	56	10
Michigan .....	5	12	32	39	12
Minnesota .....	1	4	37	51	7
Mississippi .....	1	7	29	53	10
Missouri .....	2	12	49	34	3
Montana .....	3	14	35	40	8
Nebraska .....	12	15	40	32	1
Nevada .....	25	15	40	15	5
New Hampshire .....	-	3	35	40	22
New Jersey .....	4	5	19	43	29
New Mexico .....	28	44	23	5	-
New York .....	6	8	38	39	9
North Carolina .....	1	6	31	55	7
North Dakota .....	1	5	27	56	11
Ohio .....	2	6	27	57	8
Oklahoma .....	20	24	33	22	1
Oregon .....	2	20	35	41	2
Pennsylvania .....	4	8	25	41	22
Rhode Island .....	-	-	-	100	-
South Carolina .....	-	5	38	56	1
South Dakota .....	-	3	35	52	10
Tennessee .....	1	6	25	61	7
Texas .....	15	21	33	25	6
Utah .....	-	6	40	49	5
Vermont .....	-	-	12	58	30
Virginia .....	2	9	34	48	7
Washington .....	1	5	50	39	5
West Virginia .....	1	2	33	64	-
Wisconsin .....	2	3	23	57	15
Wyoming .....	1	4	17	65	13
48 States .....	7	14	33	39	7
Previous week .....	8	14	34	38	6
Previous year .....	10	17	31	35	7

- Represents zero.

## Crop Progress and Condition Tables Expected Next Week

**Barley:** Planted, Emerged, Condition  
**Corn:** Planted, Emerged, Condition  
**Cotton:** Planted, Squaring  
**Oats:** Planted, Emerged, Headed, Condition  
**Pasture & Range:** Condition  
**Peanuts:** Planted  
**Rice:** Planted, Emerged, Condition  
**Sorghum:** Planted  
**Soybeans:** Planted, Emerged  
**Spring Wheat:** Planted, Emerged  
**Sugarbeets:** Planted  
**Sunflowers:** Planted  
**Winter Wheat:** Headed, 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 4,000 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 2013 season, over 90 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](http://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. Each State Field Office summarizes 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.

**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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