

Crop Progress

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**Soybeans: Percent Setting Pods,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994-1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AL	63	44	74	63
AR	78	62	68	66
GA	71	66	71	72
IL	92	*84	85	83
IN	97	88	85	81
IA	100	93	98	96
KS	75	55	96	81
KY	74	63	60	54
LA	98	91	95	91
MI	97	87	96	84
MN	98	83	99	94
MS	100	98	96	88
MO	74	56	75	70
NE	92	77	96	90
NC	55	35	49	50
OH	100	97	95	84
SC	40	28	43	49
SD	89	72	91	89
TN	77	62	67	60
19 Sts	90	79	88	83

* Revised.

¹ These 19 States planted 93% of last year's soybean acreage.

**Soybeans: Percent Dropping Leaves,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994-1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
AL	4	NA	1	0
AR	3	NA	1	2
GA	4	NA	1	1
IL	0	NA	0	0
IN	7	NA	4	1
IA	0	NA	1	1
KS	1	NA	10	5
KY	1	NA	1	1
LA	16	NA	12	7
MI	0	NA	0	0
MN	0	NA	0	0
MS	34	NA	18	11
MO	0	NA	0	0
NE	0	NA	0	0
NC	0	NA	0	0
OH	4	NA	0	0
SC	2	NA	0	0
SD	10	NA	7	6
TN	0	NA	0	1
19 Sts	3	NA	2	1

¹ These 19 States planted 93% of last year's soybean acreage.

**Corn: Percent Dough,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994-1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
CO	48	15	52	47
GA	100	100	100	100
IL	91	81	81	72
IN	97	82	80	73
IA	72	52	71	55
KS	83	72	95	83
KY	95	85	85	84
MI	62	38	62	29
MN	68	38	91	51
MO	89	79	92	84
NE	84	70	84	72
NC	88	80	89	94
OH	87	83	73	66
PA	60	45	67	59
SD	72	60	77	55
TX	98	95	97	96
WI	75	56	68	51
17 Sts	81	65	80	65

¹ These 17 States planted 90% of last year's corn acreage.

**Corn: Percent Dented,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994-1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
CO	12	0	15	10
GA	99	97	97	98
IL	56	36	41	28
IN	60	30	32	20
IA	38	12	22	16
KS	49	26	48	45
KY	72	57	60	54
MI	24	6	20	7
MN	23	4	47	15
MO	70	52	67	57
NE	27	12	37	25
NC	70	65	69	81
OH	45	27	19	14
PA	25	10	13	13
SD	28	12	27	15
TX	70	63	90	83
WI	22	7	21	11
17 Sts	42	22	36	25

¹ These 17 States planted 90% of last year's corn acreage.

**Sorghum: Percent Headed,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994-1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	100	99	99	98
CO	92	81	90	74
IL	97	90	76	80
KS	90	83	93	88
LA	100	100	100	99
MS	100	99	100	100
MO	88	82	96	89
NE	88	71	96	89
NM	78	60	33	48
OK	85	75	85	76
SD	83	55	76	80
TX	89	83	95	93
12 Sts	89	81	92	88

¹ These 12 States planted 99% of last year's sorghum acreage.

**Sorghum: Percent Coloring,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994-1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	89	64	61	65
CO	7	6	7	6
IL	36	34	15	16
KS	29	15	29	22
LA	100	100	98	87
MS	94	76	91	86
MO	42	20	55	43
NE	10	5	18	16
NM	5	3	10	5
OK	15	*12	38	25
SD	34	24	31	21
TX	59	56	74	72
12 Sts	40	32	47	42

* Revised.

¹ These 12 States planted 99% of last year's sorghum acreage.

**Spring Wheat: Percent Harvested,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994- 1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
ID	29	16	49	43
MN	51	41	89	53
MT	22	16	70	45
ND	37	18	72	39
SD	93	82	95	84
5 Sts	42	29	76	48

¹ These 5 States harvested 96% of last year's spring wheat acreage.

**Barley: Percent Harvested,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994- 1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
ID	30	14	52	47
MN	52	38	95	61
MT	27	20	64	43
ND	37	21	86	55
SD	92	76	96	88
WA	28	17	78	69
6 Sts	35	22	75	53

¹ These 6 States harvested 84% of last year's barley acreage.

**Oats: Percent Harvested,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994- 1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
IA	100	100	100	100
MI	96	87	96	79
MN	82	70	96	79
NE	99	97	100	100
ND	51	32	81	49
OH	100	100	99	97
PA	91	83	84	80
SD	96	87	97	93
WI	89	81	98	78
9 Sts	83	74	93	79

¹ These 9 States harvested 69% of last year's oat acreage.

**Cotton: Percent Bolls Opening,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994- 1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AL	18	5	21	11
AZ	24	10	18	48
AR	22	2	8	9
CA	4	3	1	14
GA	20	15	30	22
LA	46	28	58	30
MS	54	26	50	32
MO	29	21	13	9
NM	20	1	7	13
NC	22	8	13	11
OK	2	0	8	4
SC	7	5	23	9
TN	15	2	9	6
TX	21	16	31	22
14 Sts	23	13	26	20

¹ These 14 States planted 98% of last year's cotton acreage.

**Rice: Percent Headed,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994- 1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	96	88	89	91
CA	55	40	56	80
LA	99	98	97	95
MS	95	89	92	93
TX	98	97	99	98
5 Sts	91	84	87	91

¹ These 5 States planted 96% of last year's rice acreage.

**Rice: Percent Harvested,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1994- 1998 Avg.
	Aug 22, 1999	Aug 15, 1999	Aug 22, 1998	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	2	0	1	2
CA	0	0	0	1
LA	68	61	65	52
MS	2	0	7	4
TX	53	42	62	47
5 Sts	19	16	19	16

¹ These 5 States harvested 96% of last year's rice acreage.

**Soybeans: Crop Condition
by Percent, Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AL	13	25	36	23	3
AR	5	16	32	34	13
GA	25	23	30	21	1
IL	5	13	39	37	6
IN	6	20	47	24	3
IA	3	6	17	47	27
KS	2	13	38	42	5
KY	16	32	39	13	0
LA	3	19	34	38	6
MI	3	9	26	45	17
MN	3	8	29	49	11
MS	12	17	32	31	8
MO	18	24	40	17	1
NE	2	7	25	53	13
NC	3	14	26	53	4
OH	8	15	35	35	7
SC	16	35	38	11	0
SD	2	7	30	48	13
TN	20	29	31	20	0
19 Sts	6	14	32	38	10
Prev Wk	5	12	32	39	12
Prev Yr	3	8	24	46	19

**Corn: Crop Condition
by Percent, Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
CO	1	3	10	58	28
GA	14	19	25	34	8
IL	6	15	42	31	6
IN	8	22	42	25	3
IA	3	6	20	44	27
KS	0	5	24	61	10
KY	5	20	38	34	3
MI	4	10	21	47	18
MN	2	6	25	51	16
MO	17	20	39	21	3
NE	1	4	20	58	17
NC	3	23	36	34	4
OH	9	18	35	32	6
PA	22	35	28	14	1
SD	2	6	28	48	16
TX	0	1	23	52	24
WI	0	2	10	52	36
17 Sts	4	10	28	43	15
Prev Wk	5	10	27	43	15
Prev Yr	3	7	22	48	20

**Spring Wheat: Crop Condition
by Percent, Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
ID	0	1	15	68	16
MN	2	19	37	40	2
MT	2	19	35	34	10
ND	1	9	30	50	10
SD	1	4	18	56	21
5 Sts	1	12	30	46	11
Prev Wk	2	10	30	47	11
Prev Yr	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

**Cotton: Crop Condition
by Percent, Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AL	8	27	38	25	2
AZ	1	8	38	36	17
AR	0	11	33	43	13
CA	0	0	5	75	20
GA	13	19	31	29	8
LA	3	19	43	31	4
MS	7	10	32	42	9
MO	11	25	25	34	5
NM	2	5	22	47	24
NC	1	12	40	38	9
OK	0	10	21	47	22
SC	9	25	41	25	0
TN	7	27	42	22	2
TX	5	19	30	35	11
14 Sts	5	17	31	37	10
Prev Wk	5	15	32	37	11
Prev Yr	14	18	32	31	5

**Barley: Crop Condition
by Percent, Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
ID	0	3	20	58	19
MN	9	12	47	29	3
MT	6	25	37	27	5
ND	2	8	30	51	9
SD	0	2	12	66	20
WA	7	25	47	21	0
6 Sts	4	14	33	41	8
Prev Wk	5	13	32	41	9
Prev Yr	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

**Rice: Crop Condition by Percent,
Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	1	3	24	49	23
CA	0	0	25	75	0
LA	0	3	18	59	20
MS	1	5	22	56	16
TX	0	0	6	62	32
5 Sts	1	2	21	57	19
Prev Wk	1	3	20	59	17
Prev Yr	1	5	29	56	9

**Peanut: Crop Condition
by Percent, Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AL	0	7	35	38	20
FL	0	0	36	43	21
GA	9	17	36	31	7
NC	0	1	36	59	4
OK	0	11	41	36	12
SC	10	24	42	18	6
TX	2	8	22	46	22
VA	0	0	5	44	51
8 Sts	4	10	31	39	16
Prev Wk	4	9	29	42	16
Prev Yr	4	10	37	41	8

**Sorghum: Crop Condition
by Percent, Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	2	11	42	38	7
CO	0	1	7	66	26
IL	4	11	28	57	0
KS	1	4	25	61	9
LA	0	5	32	58	5
MS	1	6	28	47	18
MO	18	20	42	19	1
NE	3	7	27	57	6
NM	0	1	7	91	1
OK	0	2	16	79	3
SD	0	2	20	70	8
TX	1	14	31	42	12
12 Sts	2	8	27	54	9
Prev Wk	1	7	26	56	10
Prev Yr	8	13	23	45	11

**Pasture and Range: Crop Condition by Percent,
Selected States**

State	VP	P	F	G	EX	State	VP	P	F	G	EX
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>		<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AL	13	25	40	21	1	NJ	40	60	0	0	0
AZ	0	7	23	43	27	NM	1	5	33	52	9
AR	19	36	33	12	0	NY	13	45	21	21	0
CA	3	10	37	50	0	NC	15	34	37	13	1
CO	1	3	17	54	25	ND	1	6	24	60	9
CT	69	16	15	0	0	OH	30	28	27	13	2
DE	9	61	18	12	0	OK	2	16	38	41	3
FL	0	0	40	60	0	OR	3	26	48	20	3
GA	23	33	30	13	1	PA	49	32	16	3	0
ID	0	10	41	37	12	RI	59	21	20	0	0
IL	18	24	34	21	3	SC	26	37	32	5	0
IN	28	35	32	5	0	SD	2	6	27	48	17
IA	4	7	33	42	14	TN	24	37	28	11	0
KS	2	10	29	56	3	TX	9	25	42	21	3
KY	42	34	18	6	0	UT	2	10	34	50	4
LA	9	28	38	23	2	VT	20	38	33	9	0
ME	12	21	45	18	4	VA	37	25	26	11	1
MD	40	28	25	7	0	WA	12	33	37	13	5
MA	0	35	65	0	0	WV	45	38	17	0	0
MI	6	14	24	47	9	WI	0	2	14	64	20
MN	3	16	24	48	9	WY	0	1	23	66	10
MS	20	25	37	15	3						
MO	31	33	30	6	0	48 Sts	11	19	31	33	6
MT	8	25	29	31	7						
NE	2	6	19	60	13	Prev Wk	10	18	31	34	7
NV	2	7	25	65	1	Prev Yr	7	15	32	40	6
NH	7	20	43	30	0						

VP-Very Poor, P-Poor, F-Fair, G-Good, EX-Excellent. National crop conditions for selected States are weighted based on 1998 planted acres.

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