

Crop Progress

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

State	Week Ending			1995-1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
CO	40	24	22	20
IL	77	53	76	46
IN	60	48	74	47
IA	87	61	70	51
KS	96	88	62	59
KY	87	75	93	71
MI	14	2	57	32
MN	60	20	41	32
MO	94	86	86	67
NE	80	53	37	29
NC	90	85	89	93
ND	35	23	23	37
OH	31	14	57	25
PA	20	5	28	28
SD	41	23	28	28
TN	97	93	99	90
TX	95	88	89	87
WI	18	6	44	33
18 Sts	67	46	59	43

¹ These 18 States planted 92% of last year's corn acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995-1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
CO	4	0	0	0
IL	13	4	11	5
IN	7	4	12	5
IA	10	3	3	3
KS	61	35	20	16
KY	33	21	60	34
MI	0	0	5	2
MN	2	0	1	1
MO	48	28	38	25
NE	18	6	3	2
NC	35	10	41	50
ND	0	0	0	1
OH	1	0	6	3
PA	2	1	10	6
SD	2	0	1	1
TN	66	49	85	52
TX	72	60	64	66
WI	0	0	2	1
18 Sts	15	7	11	7

¹ These 18 States harvested 94% of last year's corn acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
CO	81	75	76	79
IL	98	93	98	90
IN	98	97	100	86
IA	99	95	96	91
KS	100	100	98	96
KY	99	98	100	97
MI	70	33	95	73
MN	98	87	97	91
MO	100	100	100	95
NE	98	94	96	91
NC	98	95	99	98
ND	95	88	91	93
OH	85	75	98	82
PA	75	58	68	68
SD	92	75	86	85
TN	100	99	100	100
TX	100	97	95	98
WI	85	54	95	78
18 Sts	95	87	96	89

¹ These 18 States planted 92% of last year's corn acreage.

**Winter Wheat: Percent Planted,
Selected States ¹**

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	0	0	0	0
CA	2	0	0	0
CO	36	13	45	39
ID	16	8	9	15
IL	1	0	0	0
IN	2	1	1	2
KS	4	2	11	9
MI	10	0	9	7
MO	2	0	1	2
MT	9	3	17	14
NE	43	13	42	41
NC	4	1	2	2
OH	0	0	1	1
OK	8	6	15	12
OR	4	0	0	4
SD	20	9	33	44
TX	14	8	25	28
WA	38	29	55	54
18 Sts	13	6	19	18

¹ These 18 States planted 90% of last year's winter wheat acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	33	20	21	17
IL	62	33	51	31
IN	72	52	77	53
IA	82	39	29	32
KS	90	85	40	42
KY	41	17	65	31
LA	79	67	58	54
MI	25	4	55	38
MN	76	29	41	46
MS	81	34	75	57
MO	57	31	35	24
NE	76	41	28	28
NC	17	10	15	14
ND	77	36	35	55
OH	57	29	79	49
SD	83	41	44	56
TN	33	22	41	26
WI	38	16	48	34
18 Sts	66	36	45	37

¹ These 18 States planted 95% of last year's soybean acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	6	3	7	5
IL	4	1	4	2
IN	3	1	9	4
IA	7	0	1	1
KS	31	14	2	3
KY	0	0	7	1
LA	36	30	31	23
MI	0	0	3	1
MN	4	0	1	2
MS	43	34	38	25
MO	7	0	2	1
NE	9	1	1	1
NC	0	0	0	0
ND	10	1	0	7
OH	1	0	10	3
SD	4	0	1	1
TN	4	2	6	1
WI	0	0	1	0
18 Sts	7	2	5	3

¹ These 18 States harvested 95% of last year's soybean acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AL	85	78	76	62
AZ	96	88	86	93
AR	83	71	81	71
CA	75	50	33	62
GA	69	58	71	68
LA	98	97	92	91
MS	96	91	96	89
MO	70	59	91	74
NC	50	30	53	61
OK	60	39	62	41
SC	51	37	54	59
TN	98	86	95	76
TX	70	54	60	49
VA	27	20	47	66
14 Sts	74	61	68	62

¹ These 14 States planted 99% of last year's cotton acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AL	10	5	11	5
AZ	10	4	1	6
AR	11	6	6	3
CA	0	0	0	1
GA	5	3	6	6
LA	36	13	27	12
MS	23	13	19	12
MO	10	0	23	6
NC	1	0	0	1
OK	6	1	0	0
SC	3	0	4	4
TN	10	2	11	5
TX	23	19	15	19
VA	0	0	0	0
14 Sts	16	10	12	11

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

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	96	95	95	86
CO	33	6	14	10
IL	48	28	50	22
KS	77	60	35	29
LA	100	100	100	98
MO	79	62	57	47
NE	73	50	16	17
NM	3	0	3	2
OK	52	36	16	21
SD	27	19	26	29
TX	90	87	77	73
11 Sts	77	66	50	45

¹ These 11 States planted 98% of last year's sorghum acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	85	76	75	61
CO	2	0	0	0
IL	3	2	3	1
KS	47	27	9	7
LA	92	89	90	84
MO	32	12	21	16
NE	36	6	0	0
NM	0	0	0	0
OK	29	15	5	7
SD	5	4	2	2
TX	77	73	74	63
11 Sts	55	42	34	29

¹ These 11 States harvested 98% of last year's sorghum acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	99	98	100	99
CO	54	39	82	70
IL	91	88	94	76
KS	98	93	91	85
LA	100	100	100	100
MO	98	93	92	87
NE	97	87	82	83
NM	60	55	81	58
OK	71	66	74	80
SD	86	70	88	85
TX	96	94	87	91
11 Sts	94	89	88	86

¹ These 11 States planted 98% of last year's sorghum acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AR	42	23	51	44
CA	15	4	4	8
LA	93	92	91	88
MS	42	23	53	61
TX	98	97	97	88
5 Sts	51	38	55	51

¹ These 5 States harvested 95% of last year's rice acreage.

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

State	Week Ending			1995- 1999 Avg.
	Sep 17, 2000	Sep 10, 2000	Sep 17, 1999	
	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
AL	11	5	25	22
FL	17	9	38	NA
GA	7	2	22	19
NC	2	0	6	3
OK	4	1	0	1
TX	7	4	11	8
VA	7	1	0	6
7 Sts	8	3	18	NA

¹ These 7 States harvested 98% of last year's peanut acreage.

**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	6	16	32	33	13
IL	1	5	21	50	23
IN	1	5	21	54	19
IA	3	11	24	48	14
KS	9	15	30	39	7
KY	0	4	18	45	33
MI	2	8	25	56	9
MN	1	7	28	49	15
MO	0	2	19	52	27
NE	17	16	33	25	9
NC	1	2	17	65	15
ND	3	6	19	57	15
OH	2	5	21	47	25
PA	1	4	14	43	38
SD	4	8	25	43	20
TN	6	11	24	38	21
TX	0	4	30	55	11
WI	2	6	18	51	23
18 Sts	4	8	24	47	17
Prev Wk	5	8	25	44	18
Prev Yr	5	10	27	45	13

**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>
AR	20	22	30	24	4
IL	2	5	25	55	13
IN	2	6	28	52	12
IA	4	11	28	46	11
KS	27	34	26	12	1
KY	0	3	28	43	26
LA	34	30	27	9	0
MI	1	5	32	54	8
MN	2	6	33	47	12
MS	16	22	32	24	6
MO	5	16	27	39	13
NE	27	23	31	16	3
NC	1	2	19	67	11
ND	6	14	25	47	8
OH	4	10	28	44	14
SD	2	11	28	42	17
TN	11	22	38	25	4
WI	1	3	14	54	28
18 Sts	7	12	28	42	11
Prev Wk	8	12	28	40	12
Prev Yr	9	15	32	36	8

**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	25	22	38	15	0
AZ	0	7	16	53	24
AR	3	17	35	38	7
CA	0	0	15	75	10
GA	10	20	36	28	6
LA	29	26	24	20	1
MS	8	23	40	24	5
MO	0	14	36	44	6
NC	1	2	22	68	7
OK	18	24	37	18	3
SC	1	10	42	43	4
TN	3	14	43	37	3
TX	24	27	29	16	4
VA	0	1	10	70	19
14 Sts	15	20	31	29	5
Prev Wk	14	20	30	31	5
Prev Yr	8	19	35	31	7

**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	4	9	27	50	10
CO	11	21	44	23	1
IL	0	2	36	51	11
KS	12	23	32	29	4
LA	3	11	45	37	4
MO	0	6	25	54	15
NE	18	27	36	18	1
NM	75	9	11	5	0
OK	5	24	37	33	1
SD	3	32	36	27	2
TX	12	23	34	25	6
11 Sts	12	22	33	28	5
Prev Wk	12	21	35	28	4
Prev Yr	2	11	31	46	10

**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	5	22	54	18
CA	0	0	40	50	10
LA	3	3	50	29	15
MS	0	5	22	52	21
TX	0	0	10	48	42
5 Sts	1	3	29	49	18
Prev Wk	1	3	29	48	19
Prev Yr	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

**Peanuts: 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	58	28	13	1	0
FL	0	17	67	16	0
GA	8	16	32	37	7
NC	1	3	17	75	4
OK	20	32	31	15	2
TX	19	13	26	36	6
VA	0	0	27	63	10
7 Sts	17	16	29	33	5
Prev Wk	16	16	32	31	5
Prev Yr	8	15	37	32	8

**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	35	30	27	8	0	NJ	0	0	0	73	27
AZ	9	22	41	24	4	NM	20	41	30	9	0
AR	39	43	16	2	0	NY	0	0	17	46	37
CA	20	20	40	20	0	NC	2	7	26	56	9
CO	26	33	36	5	0	ND	11	17	33	35	4
CT	0	11	11	60	18	OH	1	4	25	56	14
DE	0	2	10	81	7	OK	19	39	35	7	0
FL	0	0	40	60	0	OR	4	31	36	26	3
GA	6	17	38	36	3	PA	4	7	24	56	9
ID	24	40	32	4	0	RI	0	0	5	50	45
IL	3	10	32	43	12	SC	1	8	44	45	2
IN	1	5	29	52	13	SD	11	21	36	26	6
IA	22	26	28	22	2	TN	18	30	34	16	2
KS	28	40	27	5	0	TX	43	35	19	3	0
KY	1	7	23	53	16	UT	19	43	30	8	0
LA	36	40	22	2	0	VT	0	10	48	32	10
ME	0	2	37	39	22	VA	0	2	12	64	22
MD	1	1	5	63	30	WA	0	36	51	13	0
MA	0	2	23	73	2	WV	0	0	11	64	25
MI	3	9	34	48	6	WI	4	12	28	47	9
MN	8	20	31	35	6	WY	40	40	17	3	0
MS	29	33	24	13	1						
MO	34	28	25	13	0	48 Sts	23	25	27	21	4
MT	52	33	12	3	0						
NE	59	29	11	1	0	Prev Wk	22	24	27	23	4
NV	6	16	25	53	0	Prev Yr	14	21	31	29	5
NH	0	1	44	45	10						

VP-Very Poor, P-Poor, F-Fair, G-Good, EX-Excellent. National crop conditions for selected States are weighted based on 1999 planted acres.

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