

Arkansas Rice Research Verification Program Weekly Update

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General Information

Fields in the Early-heading stage include Chicot, Crittenden, Desha and Jefferson Counties. Fields in the mid-to late-boot stage include Lonoke, Poinsett, White and Woodruff Counties. The Prairie County field is in the panicle initiation (PI) stage. Fungicide applications for fields with history of false smut and /or kernel smut include Crittenden and Desha Counties.

Refer to table below for field-specific information

County	Cultivar	Stage	Additional Agronomic Details
Chicot	RT 7521 FP*	Early-heading	Field is maturing fast. Sheath blight below threshold level. Late boot N (65 lbs) applied 6/1
Crittenden	RT 7521 FP*	Early-heading	Sheath blight below threshold level. Propiconazole (6 oz) applied mid-boot 6/28 for false smut suppression.
Desha (FIR)	RT 7531 MA	Early-heading	Field is clean and uniform 4 th shot N Urea (100 lbs) + NBPT applied 6/24 rainfall .45” Quadris Top SBX (10 oz) applied 6/23 for false smut suppression.
Jefferson	RT 7521 FP*	Early-heading	Sheath blight has progressed to more than 35% positive stops. Some movement up threatening upper three leaves. 50 % Heading 7/10 Rainfall .85”
Lonoke	Ozark	Mid-boot	Mid-season N (100 lbs/acre) applied 6/16 Field is clean with sheath blight below threshold level.
Prairie	RT 7302	Panicle Initiation	Field is looking better and uniform. Few thin spots but filling in.
Poinsett (FIR)	RT 7320	Mid-boot	4 th shot urea (100 lbs) + NBPT 6/26 Field is looking better with pigweeds going down. DD-50 Late boot 7/6-7/13
White	RT 7521 FP*	Mid-boot	Field is clean and maturing fast. Sheath blight below threshold. DD-50 Late boot stage 7/6-7/13
Woodruff	CLL18	Mid-boot	Mid-season N urea (100 lbs/acre) applied 6/24 Sheath blight below threshold. Field is clean and uniform.

+ Dyna-Gro Seed Treatment which includes insecticide, fungicide, zinc and gibberellic acid.

* RiceTec Seed Treatment which includes insecticide, fungicides, zinc and gibberellic acid.