



United States Department of Agriculture
National Agricultural Statistics Service



Mississippi Crop Progress and Condition

Delta Region - Mississippi Field Office

121 North Jefferson Street, Suite 230 Jackson, MS 39201

(601) 359-1259 · FAX (855) 270-2705 · www.nass.usda.gov

Cooperating with Mississippi Department of Agriculture and Commerce

This report contains the results from the **Crop Progress and Condition** weekly survey and data from the Southern Regional Climate Center. The survey is completed by county extension agents' visual observations and contact with producers in their county. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/ms> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all of the county extension agents who responded to this survey.

Week Ending: July 26, 2020

Released: July 27, 2020

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 6.2 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, July 26, 2020**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 6 percent very short, 37 percent short, 54 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 35 percent short, 59 percent adequate, and 4 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 70.9 degrees Fahrenheit at Winona to 76.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Cleveland. Highs ranged from 84.5 degrees Fahrenheit at Brookhaven City to 97.4 degrees Fahrenheit at Columbus. Light to heavy precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the coastal part of the State with an average of 3.08 inches.

Crop Progress for Week Ending July 26, 2020

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn silking	99	97	96	99
Corn dough	77	61	68	84
Corn dented	49	33	36	57
Corn mature	15	5	3	9
Cotton emerged	100	99	100	100
Cotton squaring	87	82	82	90
Cotton setting bolls	55	26	49	67
Hay first cutting	99	97	98	99
Hay second cutting	63	52	(NA)	(NA)
Peanuts emerged	99	97	99	100
Peanuts pegging	60	50	57	75
Rice headed	72	64	57	65
Rice mature	1	0	1	0
Soybeans blooming	90	81	86	88
Soybeans setting pods	67	48	59	70
Soybeans coloring	1	(NA)	0	1
Sweet potatoes planted	98	94	92	98
Watermelons harvested	84	79	78	75

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending July 26, 2020

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Blueberries	0	1	16	81	2
Corn	2	6	20	55	17
Cotton	1	5	26	53	15
Hay, all	2	6	30	54	8
Livestock	1	3	24	61	11
Pasture	1	5	29	56	9
Peanuts	0	7	18	65	10
Rice	0	4	39	48	9
Soybeans	1	6	33	50	10
Sweet potatoes	0	1	57	35	7
Vegetables	0	2	41	52	5

The USDA NASS National Crop Progress release is a more detailed report including crop progress and condition at the National level. You can locate that release at: <https://release.nass.usda.gov/reports/prog3120.pdf>



Join @usda_nass on Twitter using #StatChat to discuss the **Crop Production** report with Lance Honig.

WED, AUG. 12 1PM ET

@usda_nass
#STATCHAT



Mississippi State University
Extension Service
Dr. Gary B. Jackson
Director

Southern Regional Climate Center
Louisiana State University
Dr. Kevin Robbins
Director

United States Department of Agriculture
National Agricultural Statistics Service
Delta Region - Mississippi Field Office
Esmerelda Dickson, State Statistician

Mississippi Weather Summary for Week Ending July 26, 2020

Division/Station	Air temperature					Precipitation				
	Max	Min	Avg	Norm ¹	DFN ²	One week	Rain days	DFN ²	Four weeks	Four weeks DFN ²
Upper delta										
Charleston	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	81.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Clarksdale	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	81.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.02	-0.25
Cleveland	93.3	76.1	84.7	82.3	2.4	0.29	2	-0.40	3.63	0.23
Lambert	93.9	75.1	84.5	82.3	2.2	0.76	1	-0.02	1.53	-1.60
Tunica	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	82.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	93.6	75.6	84.6	81.8	2.3	0.53	2	-0.21	1.73	-0.54
North central										
Ashland	93.3	71.3	82.3	(NA)	(NA)	1.46	5	0.43	3.72	-0.14
Batesville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hickory Flat	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Independence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
University	93.0	72.6	82.8	80.8	2.0	1.46	2	0.51	3.79	-0.01
Average	93.2	71.9	82.5	79.9	2.0	1.46	5	0.47	3.75	-0.08
Northeast										
Booneville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Corinth	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Fulton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Tupelo	93.4	73.4	83.4	81.0	2.4	0.02	1	-0.58	2.09	-1.49
Verona	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	81.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	93.4	73.4	83.4	80.1	2.4	0.02	1	-0.58	2.09	-1.49
Lower delta										
Belzoni	92.8	76.0	84.4	82.4	2.0	0.00	0	-0.56	5.28	2.56
Moorhead	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	82.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Rolling Fork	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	82.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Yazoo City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	81.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	92.8	76.0	84.4	82.2	2.0	0.00	0	-0.56	5.28	2.56
Central										
Kosciusko	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.81	-0.25
Winona	92.3	70.9	81.6	79.0	2.6	0.08	2	-0.90	2.86	-1.28
Average	92.3	70.9	81.6	79.4	2.6	0.08	2	-0.90	2.83	-0.77
East central										
Columbus	97.4	74.6	86.0	82.0	4.0	0.10	1	-0.55	1.49	-1.04
Macon	94.4	74.4	84.4	80.8	3.6	0.48	2	-0.21	2.43	-0.20
Philadelphia	94.0	73.0	83.5	81.8	1.8	0.20	1	-0.10	7.45	4.31
State University	94.7	72.7	83.7	81.2	2.5	1.27	1	0.34	3.77	-0.03
Average	95.1	73.7	84.4	81.5	3.0	0.51	2	-0.13	3.79	0.76
Southwest										
Brookhaven City	84.5	74.0	79.3	80.7	-1.5	0.15	2	-0.17	0.15	-0.63
Crystal Springs	92.2	71.0	81.6	82.1	-0.4	0.00	0	-0.72	2.08	-0.85
Natchez	90.6	72.5	81.4	81.0	0.4	0.61	2	-0.25	3.73	0.27
Vicksburg City	90.0	72.9	81.4	81.9	-0.5	0.18	1	-0.75	1.84	-2.31
Average	89.3	72.6	80.9	81.4	-0.5	0.23	2	-0.47	1.95	-0.88
South central										
Collins	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Columbia	94.6	75.4	85.0	82.0	3.0	0.59	2	-0.24	7.57	2.99
Monticello	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	82.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.99	1.29
Average	94.6	75.4	85.0	81.7	3.0	0.59	2	-0.24	4.78	2.14
Southeast										
Hattiesburg	87.1	72.6	79.9	81.7	-1.8	1.62	4	0.35	6.82	1.71
Laurel	92.6	72.9	82.7	81.3	1.4	1.79	4	0.65	6.32	2.43
Newton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.00	-0.30
Average	89.8	72.8	81.3	81.2	-0.2	1.71	4	0.50	4.38	1.28
Coastal										
Biloxi	84.9	74.7	79.8	82.9	-3.1	6.17	6	4.72	8.80	2.20
Poplarville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	81.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.65	2.58
Saucier	91.0	73.5	82.3	82.5	-0.2	0.00	0	-0.50	7.65	2.15
Average	88.0	74.1	81.0	82.1	-1.7	3.08	6	2.11	7.03	2.31
State	92.1	73.4	82.7	81.0	1.4	0.79	3	-0.05	3.70	0.48

(NA) Not available.

¹ Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

² Departure from normal.