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Mississippi Crop Progress and Condition

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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.

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Message from the Editor

This is the **final** *Mississippi Crop Progress and Condition Report* for 2020. We will resume this report in March 2021. We would like to give special thanks to our County Agents, Mississippi State University Extension Service, and the Southern Regional Climate Center for their ongoing participation.

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 4.7 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, November 29, 2020**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 20 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 16 percent short, 67 percent adequate, and 15 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 33.4 degrees Fahrenheit at Ashland to 59.5 degrees Fahrenheit at Biloxi. Highs ranged from 60.5 degrees Fahrenheit at Winona to 73.8 degrees Fahrenheit at Columbia. Light to moderate precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the southwest part of the State with an average of 3.00 inches.

Crop Progress for Week Ending November 29, 2020

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Cotton harvested	98	95	96	98
Peanuts dug	100	99	96	99
Peanuts harvested	98	94	86	94
Soybeans harvested	99	98	99	99
Sweet potatoes harvested	100	98	97	99
Winter wheat planted	87	76	67	74
Winter wheat emerged	71	52	51	58

Crop Condition for Week Ending November 29, 2020

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Blueberries	1	2	12	84	1
Livestock	1	6	33	48	12
Pasture	2	12	43	35	8
Vegetables	1	6	24	63	6
Winter wheat	4	6	36	51	3

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Mississippi Weather Summary for Week Ending November 29, 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)	48.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Clarksdale	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	48.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.00	-0.36
Cleveland	64.0	40.0	52.0	49.5	2.5	1.14	3	-0.24	1.23	-3.47
Lambert	61.6	36.1	48.9	48.9	0.0	0.31	1	-1.00	0.44	-3.99
Tunica	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	49.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	62.8	38.0	50.4	49.1	1.2	0.72	3	-0.62	0.56	-2.61
North central										
Ashland	61.9	33.4	47.6	(NA)	(NA)	0.36	3	-0.98	0.64	-3.90
Batesville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	48.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hickory Flat	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	46.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Independence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	47.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
University	64.2	34.0	49.1	48.8	0.4	0.19	2	-0.81	0.36	-3.77
Average	63.0	33.7	48.4	47.8	0.4	0.28	3	-0.90	0.50	-3.83
Northeast										
Booneville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	46.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Corinth	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	46.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Fulton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	48.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Tupelo	64.0	37.3	50.7	48.6	1.3	0.27	1	-0.32	0.53	-3.10
Verona	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	49.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	64.0	37.3	50.7	47.7	1.3	0.27	1	-0.32	0.53	-3.10
Lower delta										
Belzoni	65.0	48.0	56.5	51.5	5.7	0.23	1	0.05	0.23	-1.85
Moorhead	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	50.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Rolling Fork	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	51.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Yazoo City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	51.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	65.0	48.0	56.5	51.2	5.7	0.23	1	0.05	0.23	-1.85
Central										
Kosciusko	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	49.2	(NA)	1.80	4	0.45	1.92	-2.96
Winona	60.5	34.0	47.3	48.8	-1.4	0.99	3	-0.10	1.02	-2.02
Average	60.5	34.0	47.3	49.0	-1.4	1.40	4	0.17	1.47	-2.49
East central										
Columbus	68.0	43.0	55.5	50.6	4.8	0.77	2	-0.13	0.91	-2.47
Macon	65.8	38.2	52.0	50.6	1.2	0.56	2	-0.30	0.87	-3.13
Philadelphia	64.5	36.5	50.5	52.6	-2.9	0.00	0	-0.35	0.33	-3.41
State University	65.1	38.7	51.9	50.0	1.9	0.86	3	-0.39	1.01	-3.32
Average	65.8	39.1	52.5	51.0	1.3	0.55	3	-0.29	0.78	-3.08
Southwest										
Brookhaven City	67.8	53.8	60.8	53.1	8.1	3.55	4	2.83	3.79	2.38
Crystal Springs	69.5	41.5	55.5	54.3	0.6	0.00	0	-0.33	0.00	-2.19
Natchez	69.4	48.0	58.7	54.0	4.7	6.79	4	5.48	6.92	2.40
Vicksburg City	68.0	47.7	57.8	52.0	6.0	1.68	3	0.66	1.76	-2.17
Average	68.7	47.8	58.2	53.4	4.8	3.00	4	2.16	3.12	0.10
South central										
Collins	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	53.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Columbia	73.8	51.2	62.5	54.4	8.0	1.83	3	0.89	1.83	-1.94
Monticello	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	54.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	73.8	51.2	62.5	54.0	8.0	1.83	3	0.89	1.83	-1.94
Southeast										
Hattiesburg	72.3	44.3	58.3	54.8	2.9	0.00	0	-0.52	0.03	-3.84
Laurel	70.8	50.3	60.6	53.2	7.5	2.79	3	1.74	2.90	-1.21
Newton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	50.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	71.5	47.3	59.5	52.9	5.2	1.40	3	0.61	1.46	-2.52
Coastal										
Biloxi	69.5	59.5	64.5	58.2	6.3	2.77	4	1.77	2.82	-0.22
Poplarville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	55.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Saucier	69.0	48.0	58.5	58.3	-0.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	69.2	53.8	61.5	57.3	2.9	2.77	4	1.77	2.82	-0.22
State	66.6	42.9	54.7	51.4	3.0	1.31	3	0.42	1.41	-2.13

(NA) Not available.

¹ Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

² Departure from normal.