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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.

Week Ending: April 11, 2021

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 3.7 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, April 11, 2021**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 5 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 26 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 3 percent very short, 3 percent short, 74 percent adequate, and 20 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 43.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Winona to 62.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Biloxi. Highs ranged from 73.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Biloxi to 82.2 degrees Fahrenheit at Columbus. Moderate to heavy precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the coastal part of the State with an average of 5.14 inches.

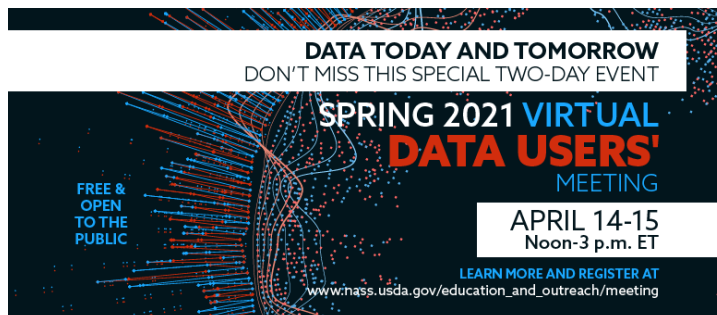
Crop Progress for Week Ending April 11, 2021

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn planted	58	38	30	55
Corn emerged	37	23	13	30
Hay first cutting	6	0	8	3
Rice planted	20	3	5	18
Rice emerged	2	0	0	5
Soybeans planted	8	2	4	12
Soybeans emerged	1	0	0	2
Watermelons planted	36	33	52	45
Winter wheat headed	28	22	32	29

Crop Condition for Week Ending April 11, 2021

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Blueberries	0	1	13	83	3
Hay, all	0	6	37	52	5
Livestock	1	4	31	56	8
Pasture	1	7	43	43	6
Vegetables	0	3	50	44	3
Winter wheat	0	2	31	54	13

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/prog1621.pdf>



Mississippi Weather Summary for Week Ending April 11, 2021

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)	59.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Clarksdale	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.50	1.37
Cleveland	77.9	53.4	65.6	60.6	5.0	1.39	2	0.32	5.80	1.61
Lambert	77.2	53.0	65.1	60.1	5.2	1.37	2	0.50	8.99	5.13
Tunica	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	60.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	77.6	53.2	65.4	60.0	5.1	1.38	2	0.41	5.43	2.70
North central										
Ashland	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Batesville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	58.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hickory Flat	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Independence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
University	79.3	47.9	63.6	58.8	4.8	1.05	3	-0.18	6.88	2.34
Average	79.3	47.9	63.6	58.2	4.8	1.05	3	-0.18	6.88	2.34
Northeast										
Booneville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.28	0.12
Corinth	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Fulton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	58.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Tupelo	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Verona	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	58.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.28	0.12
Lower delta										
Belzoni	78.0	57.5	67.8	62.0	5.9	0.00	0	-0.33	4.57	3.15
Moorhead	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	61.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Rolling Fork	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	62.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Yazoo City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	61.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	78.0	57.5	67.8	61.8	5.9	0.00	0	-0.33	4.57	3.15
Central										
Kosciusko	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.3	(NA)	4.66	2	3.52	9.61	4.62
Winona	75.4	43.7	59.6	57.9	1.7	2.64	2	1.52	8.59	4.23
Average	75.4	43.7	59.6	58.6	1.7	3.65	2	2.52	9.10	4.43
East central										
Columbus	82.2	53.3	67.8	61.3	6.6	2.98	3	2.00	10.23	6.40
Macon	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	60.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Philadelphia	80.8	46.5	63.6	61.9	2.0	0.25	1	-0.48	7.16	2.96
State University	79.6	52.4	66.0	59.8	6.2	2.20	2	1.00	7.53	3.12
Average	80.9	50.7	65.8	60.8	4.9	1.81	2	0.84	8.30	4.16
Southwest										
Brookhaven City	76.3	52.7	64.5	61.9	3.0	1.97	1	1.45	9.16	6.02
Crystal Springs	77.2	53.2	65.2	63.5	2.0	0.84	1	-0.01	6.31	3.43
Natchez	78.3	54.4	66.4	63.2	3.2	4.14	2	3.00	8.05	3.38
Vicksburg City	78.3	57.7	68.0	62.1	5.9	2.91	2	1.73	7.53	2.78
Average	77.5	54.5	66.0	62.7	3.5	2.46	2	1.54	7.76	3.90
South central										
Collins	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	62.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Columbia	80.4	58.4	69.4	63.6	5.8	3.92	3	2.60	9.12	3.95
Monticello	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	63.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	80.4	58.4	69.4	63.2	5.8	3.92	3	2.60	9.12	3.95
Southeast										
Hattiesburg	79.8	56.0	67.9	63.8	4.3	0.30	2	-0.57	5.75	1.39
Laurel	82.0	49.0	65.5	62.8	2.9	1.95	1	1.18	8.12	4.64
Newton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	60.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	9.78	6.82
Average	80.9	52.5	66.7	62.3	3.6	1.12	2	0.30	7.88	4.28
Coastal										
Biloxi	73.1	62.7	67.9	65.8	2.2	5.14	3	4.02	10.91	5.70
Poplarville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	63.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	6.24	3.21
Saucier	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	66.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	73.1	62.7	67.9	65.1	2.2	5.14	3	4.02	8.57	4.46
State	72.1	48.4	60.3	61.1	3.6	2.04	2	1.15	7.04	3.51

(NA) Not available.

¹ Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

² Departure from normal.