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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: September 12, 2021

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 6.5 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, September 12, 2021**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 4 percent very short, 24 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 3 percent very short, 22 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 6 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 54.0 degrees Fahrenheit at University to 70.9 degrees Fahrenheit at Biloxi. Highs ranged from 85.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Winona to 90.3 degrees Fahrenheit at Belzoni. Light to moderate precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the southeast part of the State with an average of 1.77 inches.

Crop Progress for Week Ending September 12, 2021

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn dented	99	98	100	100
Corn mature	97	93	94	96
Corn harvested	75	61	65	75
Cotton setting bolls	96	94	98	100
Cotton bolls opening	59	55	52	59
Cotton harvested	1	0	1	1
Hay second cutting	98	94	96	(NA)
Peanuts pegging	98	96	99	100
Peanuts dug	31	20	8	10
Peanuts harvested	15	10	3	5
Rice mature	90	82	76	87
Rice harvested	50	18	26	46
Soybeans setting pods	99	97	99	99
Soybeans coloring	74	66	72	74
Soybeans dropping leaves	53	36	50	53
Soybeans mature	36	19	36	40
Soybeans harvested	18	9	11	21
Sweet potatoes harvested	5	0	9	13

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending September 12, 2021

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Blueberries	1	4	15	79	1
Cotton	4	4	22	60	10
Hay, all	1	8	32	54	5
Livestock	0	2	33	56	9
Pasture	1	6	33	52	8
Peanuts	0	0	14	85	1
Rice	1	3	18	71	7
Soybeans	2	2	18	66	12
Sweet potatoes	0	0	39	54	7
Vegetables	0	2	31	67	0

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Mississippi Weather Summary for Week Ending September 12, 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)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Clarksdale	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cleveland	87.6	61.6	74.6	78.3	-3.7	0.05	1	-0.87	4.61	1.21
Lambert	86.4	59.4	72.9	77.5	-4.6	(NA)	0	-0.75	3.79	0.94
Tunica	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	77.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	87.0	60.5	73.8	77.7	-4.2	0.05	1	-1.38	3.63	0.50
North central										
Ashland	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	74.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Batesville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	75.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hickory Flat	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	74.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Independence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	74.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
University	86.7	54.0	70.4	76.0	-5.7	0.00	0	-1.05	8.25	4.60
Average	86.7	54.0	70.4	74.9	-5.7	0.00	0	-1.05	8.25	4.60
Northeast										
Booneville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Corinth	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Fulton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Tupelo	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Verona	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Lower delta										
Belzoni	90.3	64.0	77.2	78.4	-1.2	0.00	0	-0.31	1.81	0.83
Moorhead	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Rolling Fork	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Yazoo City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	90.3	64.0	77.2	79.4	-1.2	0.00	0	-0.31	1.81	0.83
Central										
Kosciusko	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Winona	85.1	57.1	71.1	74.4	-3.3	1.91	1	0.97	8.09	4.55
Average	85.1	57.1	71.1	74.4	-3.3	1.91	1	0.97	8.09	4.55
East central										
Columbus	88.3	66.0	77.2	78.9	-1.8	0.27	1	-0.42	1.97	-0.40
Macon	87.0	64.8	75.9	76.4	-0.5	1.72	1	0.98	9.09	5.93
Philadelphia	87.0	62.9	74.9	77.5	-2.5	0.00	0	(NA)	7.48	(NA)
State University	87.0	63.4	75.2	77.7	-2.4	0.70	1	-0.21	9.93	6.25
Average	87.3	64.3	75.8	77.6	-1.8	0.67	1	0.12	7.12	3.93
Southwest										
Brookhaven City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crystal Springs	86.5	63.0	74.8	78.4	-3.7	0.00	0	-0.29	3.10	0.48
Natchez	85.6	62.9	74.2	76.9	-2.7	0.04	1	-1.06	2.37	-1.35
Vicksburg City	86.7	62.8	74.8	79.2	-4.4	0.25	2	-0.54	3.74	0.48
Average	86.3	62.9	74.6	78.2	-3.6	0.10	2	-0.63	3.07	-0.13
South central										
Collins	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Columbia	89.0	69.4	79.2	79.3	-0.1	0.07	1	-0.92	7.00	2.02
Monticello	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	89.0	69.4	79.2	79.5	-0.1	0.07	1	-0.92	7.00	2.02
Southeast										
Hattiesburg	87.1	67.0	77.1	79.0	-1.9	0.23	2	-1.04	9.36	3.84
Laurel	90.0	70.5	80.3	78.3	1.7	3.31	3	2.72	9.73	6.70
Newton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	88.5	68.8	78.7	78.7	-0.1	1.77	3	0.84	9.54	5.27
Coastal										
Biloxi	85.7	70.9	78.3	80.5	-2.2	1.40	4	-0.02	9.31	4.31
Poplarville	87.6	(NA)	(NA)	78.3	(NA)	0.38	2	-0.41	9.55	5.09
Saucier	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	86.7	70.9	78.3	79.4	-2.2	0.89	4	-0.21	9.43	4.70
State	80.6	58.3	69.4	77.5	-2.3	0.52	1	-0.17	5.80	2.74

(NA) Not available.

¹ Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

² Departure from normal.