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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: October 24, 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, October 24, 2021**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 3 percent very short, 34 percent short, 61 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 3 percent very short, 32 percent short, 62 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 40.2 degrees Fahrenheit at University to 61.8 degrees Fahrenheit at Biloxi. Highs ranged from 69.0 degrees Fahrenheit at Clarksdale to 80.5 degrees Fahrenheit at Macon. Light precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the southeast part of the State with an average of 1.54 inches.

Crop Progress for Week Ending October 24, 2021

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn harvested	100	99	100	100
Cotton bolls opening	96	93	99	99
Cotton harvested	41	32	61	70
Peanuts dug	70	59	77	80
Peanuts harvested	53	43	59	62
Rice harvested	94	91	94	96
Soybeans coloring	99	96	100	100
Soybeans dropping leaves	95	90	98	98
Soybeans mature	89	84	95	96
Soybeans harvested	78	65	78	86
Sweet potatoes harvested	63	46	65	73
Winter wheat planted	27	17	18	18
Winter wheat emerged	14	13	7	7

Crop Condition for Week Ending October 24, 2021

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Blueberries	1	1	16	80	2
Cotton	4	5	29	55	7
Hay, all	1	10	44	42	3
Livestock	1	3	37	51	8
Pasture	1	12	39	42	6
Peanuts	0	9	18	65	8
Sweet potatoes	0	3	36	52	9
Vegetables	0	0	34	66	0

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/prog4421.pdf>



Mississippi Weather Summary for Week Ending October 24, 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	69.0	49.5	59.3	61.9	-2.1	0.00	0	-0.32	1.70	0.57
Cleveland	79.1	50.0	64.6	63.0	1.5	0.00	0	-1.22	0.93	-3.50
Lambert	74.3	47.2	60.8	61.2	-0.6	0.00	0	-0.86	3.15	-0.38
Tunica	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	61.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	74.1	48.9	61.5	62.0	-0.4	0.00	0	-0.80	1.93	-1.10
North central										
Ashland	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.09	-0.49
Batesville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	61.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hickory Flat	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Independence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	58.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
University	76.2	40.2	58.2	60.7	-2.5	0.00	0	-0.75	2.91	-0.29
Average	76.2	40.2	58.2	59.8	-2.5	0.00	0	-0.75	1.50	-0.39
Northeast										
Booneville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Corinth	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	58.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Fulton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Tupelo	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	61.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Verona	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	61.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	60.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Lower delta										
Belzoni	79.4	52.0	65.7	63.7	1.9	0.00	0	-0.72	0.60	-1.60
Moorhead	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	64.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Rolling Fork	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	64.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Yazoo City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	66.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	79.4	52.0	65.7	64.9	1.9	0.00	0	-0.72	0.60	-1.60
Central										
Kosciusko	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	61.1	(NA)	0.02	1	-0.54	2.35	-1.33
Winona	73.4	41.6	57.5	59.1	-1.6	0.12	1	-0.64	3.72	0.38
Average	73.4	41.6	57.5	60.1	-1.6	0.07	1	-0.59	3.04	-0.48
East central										
Columbus	77.4	49.4	63.4	64.1	-0.9	0.00	0	-0.62	3.44	0.82
Macon	80.5	42.0	61.3	61.7	-0.4	0.00	0	-0.25	3.61	1.81
Philadelphia	76.8	44.5	60.6	63.1	-3.1	(NA)	0	(NA)	3.46	(NA)
State University	76.7	47.6	62.1	62.3	-0.2	0.03	1	-0.87	2.81	-0.75
Average	77.8	45.9	61.9	62.8	-1.1	0.01	1	-0.58	3.33	0.63
Southwest										
Brookhaven City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	63.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crystal Springs	76.8	50.8	63.8	64.7	-1.3	(NA)	0	-0.55	3.17	1.04
Natchez	78.6	53.0	65.8	63.1	2.6	0.00	0	-1.02	2.87	-0.59
Vicksburg City	79.8	54.0	66.9	65.4	1.6	0.00	0	-1.00	0.93	-3.09
Average	78.4	52.6	65.5	64.2	1.0	0.00	0	-0.86	2.32	-0.88
South central										
Collins	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	65.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Columbia	78.9	55.0	66.9	65.7	1.2	0.06	1	-0.89	3.16	-0.09
Monticello	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	65.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	78.9	55.0	66.9	65.4	1.2	0.06	1	-0.89	3.16	-0.09
Southeast										
Hattiesburg	79.7	55.6	67.6	65.8	1.8	2.87	1	2.06	6.74	3.43
Laurel	78.6	51.4	65.0	64.3	0.3	0.21	1	-0.35	6.46	4.08
Newton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	62.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2.50	2.02
Average	79.2	53.5	66.3	64.3	1.1	1.54	1	0.85	5.23	3.18
Coastal										
Biloxi	78.5	61.8	70.1	68.7	0.9	0.63	1	0.16	4.46	1.47
Poplarville	71.5	(NA)	(NA)	65.6	(NA)	0.00	0	-0.29	3.07	0.04
Saucier	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	66.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	75.0	61.8	70.1	67.0	0.9	0.32	1	-0.06	3.76	0.76
State	77.1	49.7	63.5	63.0	0.0	0.26	1	-0.46	2.87	0.11

(NA) Not available.

¹ Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

² Departure from normal.