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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. 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: March 16, 2025

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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, March 16, 2025**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 6 percent short, 66 percent adequate, and 28 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 1 percent very short, 6 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 21 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending March 16, 2025

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn planted	4	1	3	3
Watermelons planted	9	2	17	9
Winter wheat headed	1	0	5	2

Crop Condition for Week Ending March 16, 2025

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Blueberries	0	3	18	76	3
Hay, all	8	12	38	37	5
Livestock	2	5	24	61	8
Pasture	3	12	42	38	5
Vegetables	1	5	25	66	3
Winter wheat	0	4	19	71	6



Mississippi Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of March 3 – March 9, 2025

The Soil Moisture Active Passive (SMAP) provides measurements of soil moisture in the root zone as a weekly average, represented by pixels. Each pixel represents 9 by 9 kilometer plot or about 20,000 acres. The SMAP data measures soil moisture in cubic centimeters of water/cubic centimeters of soil. The scale represents the percent of water in a given volume of soil. More information and additional mapping is available at <https://nassgeo.csiss.gmu.edu/CropCASMA/>.

