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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 4, 2021 **Released: April 5, 2021**

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 2.5 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, April 4, 2021**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 2 percent short, 72 percent adequate, and 26 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 1 percent very short, 4 percent short, 71 percent adequate, and 24 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 30.4 degrees Fahrenheit at Winona to 53.3 degrees Fahrenheit at Biloxi. Highs ranged from 63.0 degrees Fahrenheit at Cleveland to 75.0 degrees Fahrenheit at Newton. Light to moderate precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the southeast part of the State with an average of 1.75 inches.

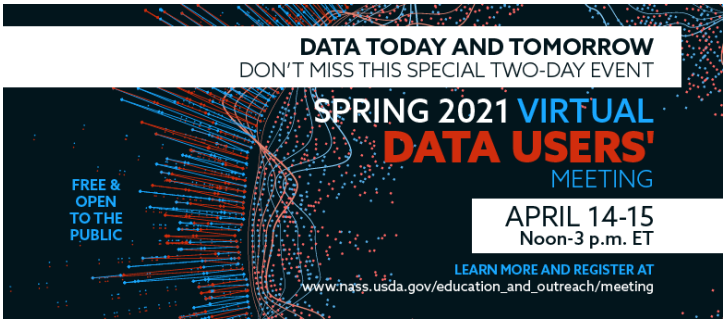
Crop Progress for Week Ending April 4, 2021

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn planted	38	24	14	40
Corn emerged	23	10	5	14
Rice planted	3	0	2	9
Soybeans planted	2	0	1	5
Watermelons planted	33	23	40	31
Winter wheat headed	22	16	15	14

Crop Condition for Week Ending April 4, 2021

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Blueberries	0	0	22	75	3
Hay, all	0	3	31	63	3
Livestock	1	4	32	56	7
Pasture	2	7	39	46	6
Vegetables	0	3	61	32	4
Winter wheat	0	2	29	59	10

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/prog1521.pdf



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Mississippi Weather Summary for Week Ending April 4, 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)	57.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Clarksdale	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.50	1.37
Cleveland	63.0	39.4	51.2	58.5	-7.3	1.35	1	0.25	4.41	0.32
Lambert	63.6	40.6	52.1	58.1	-6.1	1.79	2	0.78	7.62	3.57
Tunica	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	58.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	63.3	40.0	51.6	58.0	-6.7	1.57	2	0.52	4.51	1.75
North central										
Ashland	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Batesville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	56.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hickory Flat	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	55.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Independence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	55.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
University	65.4	32.6	49.0	56.8	-7.8	1.52	1	0.37	5.83	1.41
Average	65.4	32.6	49.0	56.2	-7.8	1.52	1	0.37	5.83	1.41
Northeast										
Booneville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	55.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.28	0.12
Corinth	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	55.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Fulton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	56.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Tupelo	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Verona	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	56.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.28	0.12
Lower delta										
Belzoni	72.0	50.0	61.0	60.0	1.5	1.00	1	0.70	4.57	3.16
Moorhead	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Rolling Fork	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	60.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Yazoo City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	59.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	72.0	50.0	61.0	59.8	1.5	1.00	1	0.70	4.57	3.16
Central										
Kosciusko	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	57.4	(NA)	0.80	2	0.05	4.95	0.43
Winona	64.0	30.4	47.2	56.3	-9.1	0.84	2	-0.23	5.95	1.52
Average	64.0	30.4	47.2	56.9	-9.1	0.82	2	-0.09	5.45	0.97
East central										
Columbus	68.7	42.0	55.4	59.6	-4.3	2.16	3	1.09	7.25	3.58
Macon	69.2	37.8	53.5	58.7	-5.2	1.92	1	1.44	6.29	3.90
Philadelphia	74.5	39.8	57.1	60.4	-3.0	0.80	1	0.11	6.91	2.86
State University	67.3	37.1	52.2	57.9	-5.7	1.79	2	0.63	5.33	1.00
Average	69.9	39.2	54.6	59.2	-4.5	1.67	3	0.82	6.45	2.83
Southwest										
Brookhaven City	68.6	41.6	55.1	60.4	-5.0	1.30	1	0.41	7.19	4.39
Crystal Springs	71.8	42.2	57.0	61.9	-4.5	1.46	3	0.79	5.47	2.72
Natchez	68.0	39.9	53.9	61.7	-7.8	0.72	2	-0.51	3.91	-0.97
Vicksburg City	69.0	46.8	57.9	60.4	-2.5	1.09	2	-0.05	4.62	-0.17
Average	69.3	42.6	56.0	61.1	-5.0	1.14	3	0.16	5.30	1.49
South central										
Collins	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	60.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Columbia	73.0	45.0	59.0	62.1	-3.1	1.08	3	-0.26	5.20	0.08
Monticello	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	62.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	73.0	45.0	59.0	61.7	-3.1	1.08	3	-0.26	5.20	0.08
Southeast										
Hattiesburg	74.7	48.3	61.5	62.3	-0.4	0.34	2	-0.17	4.66	0.66
Laurel	73.7	38.0	55.8	61.2	-5.3	2.12	3	1.18	6.17	2.60
Newton	75.0	39.0	57.0	58.5	-1.1	2.78	3	2.09	9.78	5.63
Average	74.5	41.8	58.1	60.7	-2.3	1.75	3	1.03	6.87	2.96
Coastal										
Biloxi	67.6	53.3	60.4	64.1	-3.7	0.12	2	-1.10	5.77	0.36
Poplarville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	62.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Saucier	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	64.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.00	-0.40
Average	67.6	53.3	60.4	63.6	-3.7	0.12	2	-1.10	2.88	-0.02
State	**63.7**	**37.8**	**50.7**	**59.4**	**-4.3**	**1.12**	**2**	**0.26**	**5.01**	**1.57**

(NA) Not available.

[1] Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

[2] Departure from normal.