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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 19, 2021 **Released: September 20, 2021**

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 4.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, September 19, 2021**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 1 percent very short, 23 percent short, 64 percent adequate, and 12 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 1 percent very short, 22 percent short, 67 percent adequate, and 10 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 62.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Clarksdale to 74.0 degrees Fahrenheit at Columbia. Highs ranged from 80.2 degrees Fahrenheit at Crystal Springs to 88.3 degrees Fahrenheit at Columbia. Moderate to heavy precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the coastal part of the State with an average of 11.08 inches.

Crop Progress for Week Ending September 19, 2021

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn dented	100	99	100	100
Corn mature	98	97	98	99
Corn harvested	86	75	81	87
Cotton setting bolls	99	96	100	100
Cotton bolls opening	66	59	70	75
Cotton harvested	2	1	5	6
Hay second cutting	99	98	98	(NA)
Peanuts pegging	100	98	100	100
Peanuts dug	35	31	12	18
Peanuts harvested	18	15	5	8
Rice mature	96	90	88	93
Rice harvested	64	50	43	62
Soybeans setting pods	100	99	100	100
Soybeans coloring	81	74	83	85
Soybeans dropping leaves	63	53	62	67
Soybeans mature	48	36	49	55
Soybeans harvested	29	18	21	31
Sweet potatoes harvested	9	5	15	22
Winter wheat planted	1	0	0	0

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending September 19, 2021

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Blueberries	4	2	15	77	2
Cotton	4	4	22	61	9
Hay, all	2	12	37	45	4
Livestock	1	3	34	53	9
Pasture	1	7	35	50	7
Peanuts	0	2	15	76	7
Soybeans	2	2	21	64	11
Sweet potatoes	0	0	46	46	8
Vegetables	0	2	33	65	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/prog3921.pdf



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Mississippi Weather Summary for Week Ending September 19, 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	87.7	62.7	75.2	75.1	-0.4	0.00	0	-0.37	0.00	-0.54
Cleveland	86.4	69.6	78.0	76.3	1.7	0.84	3	-0.12	4.05	0.54
Lambert	83.3	63.0	73.1	75.4	-2.2	2.09	2	1.34	3.67	0.83
Tunica	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	75.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	85.8	65.1	75.4	75.5	-0.3	0.98	3	0.28	2.57	0.28
North central										
Ashland	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	72.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Batesville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	74.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hickory Flat	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	72.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Independence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	72.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
University	86.7	64.9	75.8	74.0	1.8	2.48	5	1.55	5.26	1.58
Average	86.7	64.9	75.8	72.9	1.8	2.48	5	1.55	5.26	1.58
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	87.5	73.5	80.5	76.5	4.2	1.03	1	0.83	2.39	1.46
Moorhead	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	76.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Rolling Fork	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	77.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Yazoo City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	87.5	73.5	80.5	77.6	4.2	1.03	1	0.83	2.39	1.46
Central										
Kosciusko	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	74.6	(NA)	0.10	4	-0.82	5.75	2.05
Winona	83.3	67.1	75.2	72.5	2.7	0.27	4	-0.67	7.08	3.57
Average	83.3	67.1	75.2	73.6	2.7	0.18	4	-0.74	6.42	2.81
East central										
Columbus	82.8	71.2	77.0	77.1	-0.2	0.42	4	-0.20	0.69	-1.54
Macon	84.2	71.0	77.6	74.4	3.3	2.09	4	1.28	10.13	6.87
Philadelphia	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
State University	84.4	70.0	77.2	75.7	1.5	0.86	6	0.00	7.18	3.67
Average	83.8	70.7	77.3	75.7	1.5	1.12	6	0.36	6.00	3.00
Southwest										
Brookhaven City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	75.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crystal Springs	80.2	67.2	73.7	76.9	-3.4	2.00	2	1.29	2.92	0.53
Natchez	82.9	70.7	76.8	75.2	1.6	4.87	5	3.87	6.21	1.96
Vicksburg City	84.6	71.3	77.9	77.3	0.6	0.63	3	-0.28	3.93	0.49
Average	82.6	69.7	76.1	76.3	-0.4	2.50	5	1.63	4.35	0.99
South central										
Collins	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	77.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Columbia	88.3	74.0	81.1	77.8	3.4	5.32	6	4.53	12.23	7.98
Monticello	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	78.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	88.3	74.0	81.1	77.9	3.4	5.32	6	4.53	12.23	7.98
Southeast										
Hattiesburg	83.2	70.5	76.8	77.5	-0.8	4.51	5	3.52	12.42	7.39
Laurel	87.8	67.8	77.8	76.7	1.3	2.16	3	1.51	9.76	7.03
Newton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	75.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.89	2.82
Average	85.5	69.2	77.3	76.7	0.2	3.33	5	2.52	8.69	5.75
Coastal										
Biloxi	82.7	73.3	78.0	79.3	-1.3	11.08	7	9.89	20.32	15.77
Poplarville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	76.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	8.58	5.45
Saucier	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	77.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	82.7	73.3	78.0	77.7	-1.3	11.08	7	9.89	14.45	10.61
State	**78.3**	**64.1**	**71.2**	**75.7**	**1.2**	**2.63**	**4**	**1.89**	**6.34**	**3.41**

(NA) Not available.

[1] Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

[2] Departure from normal.