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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: July 25, 2021

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 3.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, July 25, 2021**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 10 percent short, 66 percent adequate, and 22 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 11 percent short, 74 percent adequate, and 13 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 68.4 degrees Fahrenheit at University to 75.4 degrees Fahrenheit at Biloxi. Highs ranged from 83.5 degrees Fahrenheit at Belzoni to 91.7 degrees Fahrenheit at Columbus. Moderate precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration in the south central part of the State with an average of 3.16 inches.

Crop Progress for Week Ending July 25, 2021

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn silking	98	96	99	99
Corn dough	78	67	75	81
Corn dented	39	23	47	54
Corn mature	7	2	14	8
Cotton squaring	80	74	86	88
Cotton setting bolls	49	31	51	61
Hay first cutting	100	98	99	99
Hay second cutting	50	46	61	(NA)
Peanuts emerged	96	90	99	99
Peanuts pegging	48	33	59	69
Rice headed	65	47	71	64
Soybeans blooming	81	77	89	88
Soybeans setting pods	59	48	64	69
Soybeans coloring	3	2	1	1
Sweet potatoes planted	95	92	97	97
Watermelons harvested	83	71	83	77
Winter wheat harvested	100	98	100	100

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending July 25, 2021

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Blueberries	0	2	14	82	2
Corn	1	3	13	65	18
Cotton	2	3	18	58	19
Hay, all	2	10	32	48	8
Livestock	1	3	25	58	13
Pasture	1	6	31	53	9
Peanuts	1	4	10	75	10
Rice	0	5	13	70	12
Soybeans	1	2	16	68	13
Sweet potatoes	0	0	18	69	13
Vegetables	3	7	25	62	3

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Mississippi Weather Summary for Week Ending July 25, 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	88.4	72.3	80.4	82.6	-2.2	0.85	2	0.09	2.09	-1.41
Lambert	88.3	72.4	80.4	81.8	-1.5	2.17	3	1.50	3.56	1.24
Tunica	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	82.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	88.4	72.4	80.4	82.2	-1.9	1.51	3	0.80	2.83	-0.09
North central										
Ashland	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.00	-0.36
Batesville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hickory Flat	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	78.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Independence	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
University	89.3	68.4	78.9	81.0	-2.1	3.14	6	2.16	5.84	1.86
Average	89.3	68.4	78.9	79.8	-2.1	3.14	6	2.16	2.92	0.75
Northeast										
Booneville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Corinth	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Fulton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Tupelo	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	81.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.29	1.56
Verona	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	82.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	4.29	1.56
Lower delta										
Belzoni	83.5	72.0	77.8	82.1	-4.3	1.50	1	1.21	4.86	4.05
Moorhead	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	82.3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Rolling Fork	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	83.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Yazoo City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	85.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	83.5	72.0	77.8	83.2	-4.3	1.50	1	1.21	4.86	4.05
Central										
Kosciusko	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.7	(NA)	1.13	3	0.16	5.69	0.81
Winona	86.3	69.1	77.7	78.5	-0.8	2.01	5	0.82	3.77	-1.06
Average	86.3	69.1	77.7	79.6	-0.8	1.57	5	0.49	4.73	-0.12
East central										
Columbus	91.7	75.3	83.5	83.5	0.0	0.64	4	-0.24	3.75	0.69
Macon	87.4	74.2	80.8	80.5	0.2	1.80	2	0.88	3.35	0.35
Philadelphia	88.9	71.3	80.1	81.3	-1.2	0.30	1	(NA)	4.78	(NA)
State University	89.7	72.4	81.1	82.2	-1.1	2.09	5	1.08	4.96	0.85
Average	89.4	73.3	81.4	81.9	-0.5	1.21	5	0.57	4.21	0.63
Southwest										
Brookhaven City	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Crystal Springs	86.8	70.2	78.8	82.0	-3.3	1.71	2	0.84	3.77	0.63
Natchez	88.1	73.0	80.6	80.7	-0.1	1.26	4	0.24	5.95	2.39
Vicksburg City	88.7	74.6	81.6	83.0	-1.3	1.88	3	0.51	7.39	2.04
Average	87.9	72.6	80.3	81.5	-1.6	1.62	4	0.53	5.70	1.69
South central										
Collins	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	82.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Columbia	90.1	74.7	82.4	82.2	0.3	3.16	3	1.88	10.63	5.21
Monticello	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	83.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	90.1	74.7	82.4	82.8	0.3	3.16	3	1.88	10.63	5.21
Southeast										
Hattiesburg	90.3	72.9	81.6	81.7	-0.1	0.92	5	-0.53	11.71	5.94
Laurel	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Newton	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	81.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.09	-0.41
Average	90.3	72.9	81.6	81.5	-0.1	0.92	5	-0.67	5.76	2.63
Coastal										
Biloxi	89.4	75.4	82.4	82.7	-0.2	1.98	6	0.33	7.86	0.39
Poplarville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	80.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	3.96	0.24
Saucier	89.0	73.0	81.0	81.0	0.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	89.2	74.2	81.7	81.5	-0.1	1.98	6	0.33	5.91	0.32
State	81.8	66.6	74.3	81.4	-0.8	1.60	4	0.73	5.07	1.58

(NA) Not available.

¹ Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

² Departure from normal.