



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: June 16, 2024

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 6.7 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, June 16, 2024**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 9 percent very short, 27 percent short, 62 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 8 percent very short, 26 percent short, 63 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending June 16, 2024

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn emerged	100	99	100	100
Corn silking	60	37	46	41
Corn dough	3	0	1	1
Cotton planted	96	94	95	96
Cotton emerged	93	88	91	90
Cotton squaring	11	4	13	9
Hay first cutting	91	80	88	85
Hay second cutting	8	2	2	(NA)
Peanuts planted	91	87	85	82
Peanuts emerged	84	74	78	66
Peanuts pegging	6	3	7	5
Rice planted	100	99	100	99
Rice emerged	98	95	100	98
Soybeans planted	98	96	97	96
Soybeans emerged	94	93	94	91
Soybeans blooming	43	25	47	35
Soybeans setting pods	8	3	3	5
Sweet potatoes planted	78	66	64	55
Watermelons planted	95	93	97	96
Watermelons harvested	14	11	20	23
Winter wheat coloring	98	97	95	94
Winter wheat harvested	68	46	58	54

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending June 16, 2024

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Blueberries	1	2	28	63	6
Corn	1	3	25	62	9
Cotton	0	2	26	65	7
Hay, all	1	5	31	58	5
Livestock	2	6	28	56	8
Pasture	1	5	32	56	6
Peanuts	1	3	20	72	4
Rice	0	0	41	43	16
Soybeans	0	3	26	55	16
Sweet potatoes	0	5	23	65	7
Vegetables	1	3	67	27	2
Watermelons	12	12	35	29	12
Winter wheat	0	5	29	62	4

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Mississippi Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of June 3 – June 9, 2024

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/>.

