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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: October 23, 2022**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 6.8 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, October 23, 2022**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 44 percent very short, 42 percent short, 14 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 39 percent very short, 45 percent short, 16 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus.

**Crop Progress for Week Ending October 23, 2022**

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn harvested	100	99	100	100
Cotton bolls opening	98	96	96	98
Cotton harvested	77	63	40	60
Peanuts dug	74	63	68	76
Peanuts harvested	57	45	52	58
Rice harvested	94	89	94	95
Soybeans coloring	100	99	99	100
Soybeans dropping leaves	98	96	94	97
Soybeans mature	95	93	88	94
Soybeans harvested	90	84	76	82
Sweet potatoes harvested	80	75	61	69
Winter wheat planted	29	21	26	18
Winter wheat emerged	14	11	14	8

**Crop Condition for Week Ending October 23, 2022**

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Blueberries	0	1	11	86	2
Hay, all	9	14	47	29	1
Livestock	2	7	29	57	5
Pasture	9	22	37	30	2
Peanuts	2	3	26	66	3
Vegetables	5	15	40	38	2

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/prog4422.pdf>



## Mississippi Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of October 10 – October 16, 2022

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/>.

