



## 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: April 17, 2022**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 2.4 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, April 17, 2022**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 1 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 30 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 1 percent short, 74 percent adequate, and 25 percent surplus.

### Crop Progress for Week Ending April 17, 2022

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn planted	45	34	65	64
Corn emerged	20	12	50	47
Cotton planted	1	0	1	2
Hay first cutting	6	3	9	7
Rice planted	11	7	34	28
Rice emerged	3	1	14	10
Soybeans planted	10	7	14	22
Soybeans emerged	4	1	4	7
Watermelons planted	48	34	47	56
Winter wheat headed	22	17	37	44

### Crop Condition for Week Ending April 17, 2022

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Blueberries	1	1	17	77	4
Hay, all	2	10	46	38	4
Livestock	1	6	33	48	12
Pasture	2	12	39	39	8
Vegetables	2	4	41	47	6
Winter wheat	1	1	18	76	4

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/prog1722.pdf>



## Mississippi Subsoil Moisture Map for the Week of April 4 – April 10, 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/>.

