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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: August 7, 2022

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 5.2 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, August 7, 2022**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 13 percent very short, 35 percent short, 50 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 14 percent very short, 42 percent short, 42 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending August 7, 2022

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn dough	94	90	94	93
Corn dented	83	69	74	78
Corn mature	44	34	36	37
Corn harvested	3	0	3	3
Cotton squaring	95	93	94	95
Cotton setting bolls	85	73	77	80
Cotton bolls opening	5	1	19	8
Hay second cutting	74	71	77	(NA)
Peanuts pegging	79	66	75	81
Rice headed	90	78	87	87
Rice mature	15	3	4	10
Soybeans blooming	97	96	93	94
Soybeans setting pods	89	86	81	85
Soybeans coloring	13	9	19	14
Soybeans dropping leaves	2	0	2	2
Watermelons harvested	91	86	92	91

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending August 7, 2022

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Blueberries	2	4	27	62	5
Corn	4	15	27	45	9
Cotton	5	13	35	41	6
Hay, all	3	11	43	40	3
Livestock	2	6	32	54	6
Pasture	3	17	37	39	4
Peanuts	1	5	26	67	1
Rice	0	3	33	52	12
Soybeans	0	13	31	41	15
Sweet potatoes	8	13	41	37	1
Vegetables	1	9	20	69	1

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/prog3322.pdf>

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Mississippi Subsoil Moisture Map for the Week of July 25 – July 31, 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/>.

