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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: September 25, 2022**

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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, September 25, 2022**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 9 percent very short, 33 percent short, 53 percent adequate, and 5 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 12 percent very short, 39 percent short, 45 percent adequate, and 4 percent surplus.

**Crop Progress for Week Ending September 25, 2022**

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn mature	100	98	100	100
Corn harvested	91	82	90	91
Cotton setting bolls	100	99	100	100
Cotton bolls opening	85	72	72	80
Cotton harvested	16	5	4	11
Hay second cutting	96	93	100	(NA)
Peanuts dug	35	30	40	32
Peanuts harvested	25	17	24	16
Rice mature	99	97	98	97
Rice harvested	75	60	70	71
Soybeans coloring	93	84	86	90
Soybeans dropping leaves	81	67	69	75
Soybeans mature	62	46	55	62
Soybeans harvested	44	34	35	39
Sweet potatoes harvested	47	36	16	28
Winter wheat planted	8	1	4	2

(NA) Not available.

**Crop Condition for Week Ending September 25, 2022**

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Blueberries	1	1	12	84	2
Cotton	0	8	22	66	4
Hay, all	3	9	48	37	3
Livestock	2	5	31	55	7
Pasture	3	11	39	43	4
Peanuts	0	3	25	67	5
Soybeans	0	14	33	45	8
Sweet potatoes	3	7	32	57	1
Vegetables	3	4	38	54	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/prog4022.pdf>



## Mississippi Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of September 12 – September 18, 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/>.

