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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 2, 2022

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Mississippi, there were 6.9 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, October 2, 2022**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 14 percent very short, 42 percent short, 41 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 18 percent very short, 49 percent short, 30 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus.

Crop Progress for Week Ending October 2, 2022

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn harvested	95	91	94	95
Cotton bolls opening	90	85	78	87
Cotton harvested	28	16	13	21
Hay second cutting	99	96	100	(NA)
Peanuts dug	44	35	48	45
Peanuts harvested	31	25	32	25
Rice mature	100	99	99	99
Rice harvested	81	75	76	80
Soybeans coloring	95	93	90	94
Soybeans dropping leaves	90	81	77	84
Soybeans mature	76	62	66	73
Soybeans harvested	51	44	45	51
Sweet potatoes harvested	58	47	20	37
Winter wheat planted	12	8	12	5
Winter wheat emerged	1	0	3	1

(NA) Not available.

Crop Condition for Week Ending October 2, 2022

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Blueberries	0	1	12	85	2
Cotton	1	5	18	71	5
Hay, all	3	13	41	40	3
Livestock	2	5	30	54	9
Pasture	4	16	39	37	4
Peanuts	1	3	30	60	6
Soybeans	0	8	30	53	9
Sweet potatoes	2	4	31	61	2
Vegetables	6	7	40	46	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/prog4122.pdf>



Mississippi Subsoil Moisture Map for the week of September 19 – September 25, 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/>.

