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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Maryland, there were 3.0 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, September 13, 2020. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 11 percent short, 85 percent adequate, and 4 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 4 percent short, 88 percent adequate, and 8 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there were 6.5 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 20 percent short, 75 percent adequate, and 5 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 40 percent short, 50 percent adequate, and 10 percent surplus.

MD Soil Moisture for Week Ending September 13, 2020 (in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	11	85	4
SUBSOIL	0	4	88	8

MD Crop Conditions as of September 13, 2020 (in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
APPLES	0	0	16	42	42
CORN	0	0	21	60	19
HAY, ALFALFA	0	0	13	68	19
HAY, OTHER	0	2	31	52	15
PASTURE & RANGE	0	14	36	38	12
SOYBEANS	0	1	14	65	20

MD Crop Progress as of September 13, 2020 (in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: HARVESTED	48	31	35	37
CORN: DENTED	95	74	90	80
CORN: MATURE	68	26	53	N/A
CUCUMBERS: HARVESTED	93	86	93	91
HAY, ALFALFA: FOURTH CUTTING	63	48	61	63
HAY, OTHER: THIRD CUTTING	65	60	58	59
SOYBEANS: FULLY PODDED	93	65	87	74
SWEET CORN: HARVESTED	94	90	91	N/A
TOMATOES: HARVESTED	93	76	90	88

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending September 13, 2020
(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	20	75	5
SUBSOIL	0	40	50	10

DE Crop Conditions as of September 13, 2020
(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
CORN	0	0	25	60	15
HAY, ALFALFA	0	0	20	73	7
HAY, OTHER	0	0	23	70	7
PASTURE & RANGE	0	6	33	54	7
SOYBEANS	0	0	23	62	15

DE Crop Progress as of September 13, 2020
(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: HARVESTED	58	50	61	58
BEANS, LIMA: HARVESTED	73	63	75	72
CANTALOUPE: HARVESTED	95	90	N/A	N/A
CORN: DENTED	88	52	82	88
CORN: MATURE	36	14	42	66
CUCUMBERS: HARVESTED	98	93	N/A	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: FOURTH CUTTING	30	N/A	31	52
HAY, OTHER: THIRD CUTTING	79	71	81	83
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	13	N/A	<5	18
SOYBEANS: FULLY PODDED	52	23	52	62
SWEET CORN: HARVESTED	98	93	98	N/A
TOMATOES: HARVESTED	98	90	95	93
WATERMELONS: HARVESTED	95	93	97	N/A

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September 13, 2020 Maryland and Delaware Weekly Weather Summary

State	Station	Air Temperature Last Week					Precipitation				
		Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
Delaware	NORTHERN										
	Wilmington New Castle Co Ap	80.1	64.4	72.29	70.03	2.26	0.4	2.0	-0.54	3.58	0.46
	Extreme/Average	80.1	64.4	72.29	70.03	2.26	0.40	2	-0.54	3.58	0.46
	SOUTHERN										
	Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport	81.9	67.4	74.64	70.54	4.1	0.3	1.0	-0.76	2.9	-0.81
	Extreme/Average	81.9	67.4	74.64	70.54	4.10	0.30	1	-0.76	2.90	-0.81
	STATE TOTAL	81.5	66.7	74.12	70.43	3.69	0.32	1	-0.71	3.05	-0.53
Maryland	SOUTHEASTERN SHORE										
	Ocean City Municipal Ap	80.1	68.7	74.43	70.36	4.07	1.33	3.0	0.45	3.63	0.26
	Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport	83.3	67.3	75.29	70.29	5.0	0.34	3.0	-0.6	4.57	0.92
	Extreme/Average	81.7	68.0	74.86	70.33	4.54	0.84	3	-0.07	4.10	0.59
	LOWER SOUTHERN										
	Mechanicsville 5 Ne	77.9	63.1	70.5	68.76	1.74	3.97	2.0	3.02	8.67	5.12
	Patuxent River Nas	81.9	68.6	75.21	72.24	2.97	2.87	3.0	1.95	8.45	5.04
	Extreme/Average	79.9	65.8	72.85	70.50	2.35	3.42	3	2.48	8.56	5.08
	UPPER SOUTHERN										
	Baltimore-Washington International Airport	81.3	65.4	73.36	70.01	3.34	0.66	2.0	-0.23	4.59	1.44
	Oxon Hill	81.1	66.0	73.57	72.07	1.5	2.49	2.0	1.59	7.33	3.81
	National Arboretum Dc	82.8	69.5	76.12	72.61	3.5	3.36	3.0	2.65	9.16	6.27
	Extreme/Average	81.7	67.0	74.35	71.56	2.78	2.17	3	1.34	7.03	3.84
	NORTHEASTERN SHORE										
	Stevensville 2Sw	82.6	68.8	75.7	71.34	4.06	1.09	2.0	N/A	7.13	N/A
	Extreme/Average	82.6	68.8	75.70	71.34	4.06	1.09	2	N/A	7.13	N/A
	NORTHERN CENTRAL										
	Emmitsburg 2 Se	80.4	59.9	70.14	67.19	2.96	N/A	0.0	-0.99	1.8	-1.65
	Millers 4 Ne	79.1	61.9	70.5	67.0	3.5	0.36	2.0	-0.67	1.88	-1.86
	Reisterstown 2 Nw	79.8	63.6	71.7	N/A	N/A	1.25	2.0	N/A	7.87	N/A
	Extreme/Average	79.8	61.8	70.78	67.09	3.23	0.80	2	-0.83	3.85	-1.75
	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN										
	Cumberland 2	83.7	61.7	72.71	69.63	3.09	0.1	2.0	-0.64	2.98	0.11
	Frostburg 2	76.4	56.9	66.64	63.24	3.4	0.1	3.0	-0.76	3.53	0.25
	Hagerstown Regional Airport	81.1	64.6	72.86	67.96	4.9	0.02	2.0	-0.72	1.99	-0.87
	Extreme/Average	80.4	61.1	70.74	66.94	3.80	0.07	3	-0.71	2.83	-0.17
	ALLEGHENY PLATEAU										
	Savage River Dam	76.2	57.8	67.0	64.19	2.77	0.0	0.0	-0.78	3.74	0.65
	Sines Deep Creek	79.3	57.7	68.5	N/A	N/A	0.0	0.0	N/A	1.55	N/A
	Extreme/Average	77.8	57.8	67.75	64.19	2.77	0.00	0	-0.78	2.65	0.65
	STATE TOTAL	80.4	63.8	72.10	68.49	3.34	1.15	2	-0.02	4.83	0.45

DFN = Departure from normal.

Weather summary provided by the Southern Regional Climate Center, <https://climdata.srcc.lsu.edu>.