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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Maryland, there were 5 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, September 19, 2021. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 4 percent short, 80 percent adequate, and 16 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 70 percent adequate, and 30 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there were 6.5 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 38 percent short, 62 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 9 percent very short, 21 percent short, 70 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus.

MD Crop Progress as of September 19, 2021 (in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: HARVESTED	51	38	51	47
CORN: MATURE	80	72	80	66
CORN: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	16	7	6	11
HAY, ALFALFA: FOURTH CUTTING	68	61	68	66
SOYBEANS: FULLY PODDED	96	89	97	83
SOYBEANS: COLORING	18	N/A	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: DROPPING LEAVES	5	N/A	N/A	N/A
SWEET CORN: HARVESTED	95	93	95	N/A
TOMATOES: HARVESTED	84	80	94	N/A
WATERMELONS: HARVESTED	86	82	95	N/A

MD Soil Moisture for Week Ending September 19, 2021 (in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	4	80	16
SUBSOIL	0	0	70	30

MD Crop Conditions as of September 19, 2021 (in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
APPLES	0	0	1	74	25
CORN	0	4	41	44	11
HAY, ALFALFA	0	0	22	58	20
HAY, OTHER	0	0	37	56	7
PASTURE & RANGE	0	9	56	31	4
SOYBEANS	0	0	33	38	29

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending September 19, 2021

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	38	62	0
SUBSOIL	9	21	70	0

DE Crop Conditions as of September 19, 2021

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
APPLES	1	3	16	56	24
CORN	2	12	42	33	11
HAY, ALFALFA	1	4	41	47	7
HAY, OTHER	0	4	47	43	6
PASTURE & RANGE	0	12	52	29	7
SOYBEANS	0	8	48	37	7

DE Crop Progress as of September 19, 2021

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: HARVESTED	77	63	61	62
BEANS, LIMA: HARVESTED	80	76	77	74
CANTALOUPE: HARVESTED	97	93	N/A	N/A
CORN: DENTED	98	86	90	N/A
CORN: MATURE	73	47	50	70
CORN: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	18	9	12	22
CUCUMBERS: HARVESTED	96	92	N/A	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: THIRD CUTTING	96	92	N/A	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: FOURTH CUTTING	59	26	37	58
HAY, OTHER: THIRD CUTTING	95	69	82	86
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	28	<5	22	22
SOYBEANS: FULLY PODDED	73	46	63	73
SOYBEANS: COLORING	24	N/A	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: DROPPING LEAVES	5	N/A	N/A	N/A

September 19, 2021 Maryland and Delaware Weekly Weather Summary

State	Station	Air Temperature Last Week					Precipitation						
		Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	MSG	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN	
Delaware	NORTHERN												
	Wilmington New Castle Co Ap	85.1	67.7	76.43	68.97	7.46	0.03	1.0	0.0	-1.05	4.13	0.33	
	Average	85.1	67.7	76.43	68.97	7.46	0.03	1	M	-1.05	4.13	0.33	
	SOUTHERN												
	Dover Afb	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport	84.9	68.0	76.43	70.43	6.0	M	0.0	0.0	-1.04	2.37	-1.72	
	Average	84.9	68.0	76.43	70.43	6.00	N/A	0	M	-1.04	2.37	-1.72	
	STATE TOTAL	84.9	67.9	76.43	70.11	6.32	0.01	0	M	-1.04	2.76	-1.27	
Maryland	SOUTHEASTERN SHORE												
	Ocean City Municipal Ap	M	M	M	69.19	M	0.0	0.0	3.0	-0.53	0.25	-2.78	
	Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport	86.0	68.7	77.36	69.81	7.54	0.04	1.0	0.0	-1.04	2.52	-1.68	
	Average	86.0	68.7	77.36	69.50	7.54	0.02	1	M	-0.79	1.39	-2.23	
	LOWER SOUTHERN												
	Mechanicsville 5 Ne	81.3	65.6	73.43	67.27	6.16	0.11	1.0	0.0	-1.05	4.84	0.61	
	Patuxent River Nas	85.7	71.3	78.5	71.33	7.17	0.03	1.0	0.0	-0.95	2.93	-0.83	
	Average	83.5	68.4	75.97	69.30	6.67	0.07	1	M	-1.00	3.88	-0.11	
	UPPER SOUTHERN												
	Baltimore-Washington International Airport	86.6	68.7	77.64	69.33	8.31	0.39	2.0	0.0	-0.71	5.78	1.85	
	Oxon Hill	M	M	M	70.4	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	National Arboretum Dc	92.3	67.4	79.86	71.67	8.19	0.5	2.0	0.0	-0.55	2.33	-1.21	
	Average	89.4	68.1	78.75	70.47	8.25	0.45	2	M	-0.63	4.05	0.32	
	NORTHEASTERN SHORE												
	Stevensville 2Sw	86.4	71.6	79.0	70.61	8.04	0.41	1.0	2.0	-0.33	4.85	1.92	
	Average	86.4	71.6	79.00	70.61	8.04	0.41	1	M	-0.33	4.85	1.92	
	NORTHERN CENTRAL												
	Emmitsburg 2 Se	83.4	64.7	74.07	66.16	7.91	1.42	4.0	0.0	0.05	10.14	5.86	
	Frederick Municipal Ap	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	Gaithersburg Montgomery County Air Park	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	Millers 4 Ne	82.3	65.3	73.79	66.57	7.21	0.67	2.0	0.0	-0.58	8.29	3.74	
	Reisterstown 2 Nw	84.1	63.7	73.93	M	M	1.56	4.0	0.0	M	5.23	M	
	Average	83.3	64.6	73.93	66.36	7.56	1.22	4	M	-0.26	7.89	4.80	
	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN												
	Cumberland 2	85.9	61.9	73.86	66.76	7.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.9	5.53	2.37	
	Frostburg 2	77.4	61.0	69.21	61.86	7.36	0.02	2.0	0.0	-1.03	7.27	3.56	
	Hagerstown Regional Airport	83.6	67.7	75.64	68.41	7.23	0.33	2.0	0.0	-0.65	7.03	3.69	
	Average	82.3	63.5	72.90	65.68	7.23	0.12	2	M	-0.86	6.61	3.21	
	ALLEGHENY PLATEAU												
	Savage River Dam	78.9	60.6	69.71	62.76	6.96	0.03	1.0	0.0	-0.91	5.74	2.26	
	Sines Deep Creek	75.0	56.5	65.75	59.8	5.8	0.05	1.0	3.0	M	4.85	M	
	Average	77.0	58.5	67.73	61.28	6.38	0.04	1	M	-0.91	5.29	2.26	
	STATE TOTAL	84.0	65.9	74.95	67.44	7.43	0.57	2	M	-0.58	5.56	2.21	

DFN = Departure from normal. MSG = Missing days. M = Missing value. Data may be subject to additional quality control. Weather summary provided by the Southern Regional Climate Center, <https://climdata.srcc.lsu.edu>.