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MD Crop Progress as of October 31, 2021 (in percent)

According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Maryland, there were 3.5 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, October 31, 2021. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 5 percent short, 89 percent adequate, and 6 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 5 percent short, 92 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there were 3.5 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 98 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 30 percent short, 70 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus.

MD Soil Moisture for Week Ending October 31, 2021 (in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	5	89	6
SUBSOIL	0	5	92	3

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: HARVESTED	89	83	N/A	N/A
CORN: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	90	87	88	86
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	66	60	94	64
SOYBEANS: DROPPING LEAVES	93	88	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: HARVESTED	47	39	40	52
WINTER WHEAT: PLANTED	69	40	62	67
WINTER WHEAT: EMERGED	41	22	41	41

MD Crop Conditions as of October 31, 2021 (in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
HAY, OTHER	0	2	20	70	8
PASTURE & RANGE	0	4	42	45	9
SOYBEANS	0	1	20	33	46
WINTER WHEAT	0	1	3	93	3

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending October 31, 2021

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	0	98	2
SUBSOIL	0	30	70	0

DE Crop Conditions as of October 31, 2021

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
HAY, OTHER	2	18	47	24	9
PASTURE & RANGE	1	23	51	15	10
SOYBEANS	1	5	35	42	17
WINTER WHEAT	1	2	13	74	10

DE Crop Progress as of October 31, 2021

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	86	58	89	82
SOYBEANS: HARVESTED	31	14	24	40
WINTER WHEAT: PLANTED	53	36	44	63
WINTER WHEAT: EMERGED	43	18	31	38

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October 31, 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	67.4	51.7	59.57	52.7	6.87	2.22	6.0	0.0	1.46	5.32	2.03	
	Average	67.4	51.7	59.57	52.70	6.87	2.22	6	M	1.46	5.32	2.03	
	SOUTHERN												
	Dover Afb	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport	69.0	52.7	60.86	54.83	6.03	2.55	4.0	0.0	1.69	3.42	-0.3	
	Average	69.0	52.7	60.86	54.83	6.03	2.55	4	M	1.69	3.42	-0.30	
	STATE TOTAL	68.6	52.5	60.58	54.36	6.22	2.48	4	M	1.64	3.84	0.21	
Maryland	SOUTHEASTERN SHORE												
	Ocean City Municipal Ap	69.7	55.7	62.71	53.97	8.74	1.43	3.0	0.0	0.48	2.39	-1.05	
	Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport	69.7	53.1	61.43	54.09	7.34	1.88	3.0	0.0	1.02	4.2	0.48	
	Average	69.7	54.4	62.07	54.03	8.04	1.65	3	M	0.75	3.29	-0.29	
	LOWER SOUTHERN												
	Mechanicsville 5 Ne	65.9	49.9	57.86	51.8	6.06	4.22	5.0	0.0	3.32	5.32	1.56	
	Patuxent River Nas	71.9	56.3	64.07	55.93	8.14	2.03	3.0	0.0	1.16	2.79	-0.82	
	Average	68.9	53.1	60.96	53.86	7.10	3.12	5	M	2.24	4.05	0.37	
	UPPER SOUTHERN												
	Baltimore-Washington International Airport	68.7	51.9	60.29	52.94	7.34	5.0	4.0	0.0	4.16	5.24	1.71	
	Oxon Hill	M	M	M	53.79	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	National Arboretum Dc	69.0	52.9	60.93	54.87	6.06	4.03	4.0	0.0	3.03	4.39	0.58	
	Average	68.8	52.4	60.61	53.87	6.70	4.52	4	M	3.59	4.81	1.15	
	NORTHEASTERN SHORE												
	Stevensville 2Sw	69.0	53.0	61.0	54.64	6.0	1.23	4.0	2.0	0.53	1.54	-2.23	
	Average	69.0	53.0	61.00	54.64	6.00	1.23	4	M	0.53	1.54	-2.23	
	NORTHERN CENTRAL												
	Emmitsburg 2 Se	64.7	47.6	56.14	50.29	5.86	2.95	5.0	0.0	2.21	3.9	0.58	
	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	64.3	47.3	55.79	51.11	4.67	3.57	5.0	0.0	2.72	4.27	0.53	
	Reisterstown 2 Nw	67.4	46.6	57.0	M	M	4.68	3.0	0.0	M	5.13	M	
	Average	65.5	47.2	56.31	50.70	5.27	3.73	5	M	2.46	4.43	0.55	
	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN												
	Cumberland 2	62.6	47.4	55.0	50.46	4.54	1.15	4.0	0.0	0.57	1.84	-0.67	
	Frostburg 2	57.1	43.4	50.29	46.37	3.91	2.31	6.0	0.0	1.62	3.3	0.39	
	Hagerstown Regional Airport	63.6	48.6	56.07	52.23	3.84	0.95	4.0	0.0	0.4	1.35	-1.1	
	Average	61.1	46.5	53.79	49.69	4.10	1.47	6	M	0.86	2.16	-0.46	
	ALLEGHENY PLATEAU												
	Savage River Dam	57.4	45.7	51.57	47.11	4.46	2.51	5.0	0.0	1.88	3.35	0.72	
	Sines Deep Creek	57.4	40.4	48.9	45.6	2.94	0.85	3.0	3.0	M	1.3	M	
	Average	57.4	43.0	50.23	46.36	3.70	1.68	5	M	1.88	2.33	0.72	
	STATE TOTAL	66.0	49.5	57.74	51.73	5.83	2.88	5	M	1.97	3.66	0.18	

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>.