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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 12, 2022. Topsoil moisture supplies were 31 percent very short, 15 percent short, 53 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 30 percent very short, 22 percent short, 47 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there were 6 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 65 percent short, 28 percent adequate, and 5 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 32 percent very short, 38 percent short, 30 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus.

MD Crop Progress as of September 11, 2022 (in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: HARVESTED	39	32	36	36
CORN: DOUGH	97	93	N/A	N/A
CORN: DENTED	83	70	90	80
CORN: MATURE	37	13	65	46
HAY, ALFALFA: THIRD CUTTING	93	90	97	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: FOURTH CUTTING	65	61	58	57
HAY, OTHER: THIRD CUTTING	92	88	89	64
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	14	10	<5	<5
SOYBEANS: SETTING PODS	97	94	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: FULLY PODDED	76	63	88	75

MD Soil Moisture for Week Ending September 11, 2022 (in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	31	15	53	1
SUBSOIL	30	22	47	0

MD Crop Conditions as of September 11, 2022 (in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
APPLES	4	14	23	51	8
CORN	2	6	31	47	14
HAY, ALFALFA	0	1	23	65	11
HAY, OTHER	6	11	21	56	6
PASTURE & RANGE	10	17	30	34	9
SOYBEANS	2	11	36	43	8

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending September 11, 2022

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	2	65	28	5
SUBSOIL	32	38	30	0

DE Crop Conditions as of September 11, 2022

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
APPLES	2	3	27	54	14
CORN	4	16	34	34	12
HAY, ALFALFA	2	18	55	19	6
HAY, OTHER	4	37	39	16	4
PASTURE & RANGE	4	40	43	9	4
PEACHES	5	15	65	9	6
SOYBEANS	2	26	38	30	4

DE Crop Progress as of September 11, 2022

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: FRUIT SET	62	57	N/A	N/A
APPLES: HARVESTED	9	6	61	53
CORN: DOUGH	100	94	N/A	N/A
CORN: DENTED	52	46	81	79
CORN: MATURE	31	9	43	43
HAY, ALFALFA: THIRD CUTTING	70	64	91	N/A
HAY, OTHER: SECOND CUTTING	85	78	N/A	N/A
HAY, OTHER: THIRD CUTTING	24	19	68	77
PEACHES: HARVESTED	35	26	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: BLOOMING	96	88	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: SETTING PODS	85	77	96	N/A
SOYBEANS: FULLY PODDED	16	7	43	45

September 11, 2022, 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	79.4	65.9	72.64	71.59	1.06	2.34	4	0	1.38	3.51	-0.07	
	Average	79.4	65.9	72.64	71.59	1.06	2.34	4	M	1.38	3.51	-0.07	
	SOUTHERN												
	Dover Afb	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport	81.1	65.7	73.43	72.67	0.76	2.01	3	0	0.9	2.18	-1.77	
	Average	81.1	65.7	73.43	72.67	0.76	2.01	3	M	0.9	2.18	-1.77	
	STATE TOTAL	80.7	65.7	73.26	72.43	0.83	2.08	3	M	1.01	2.47	-1.39	
Maryland	SOUTHEASTERN SHORE												
	Ocean City Municipal Ap	78.9	67.6	73.21	71.41	1.8	1	3	0	0.06	1.19	-2.21	
	Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport	81	65.3	73.14	72.13	1.01	1.95	3	0	0.91	4.39	0.11	
	Average	80	66.4	73.17	71.77	1.41	1.48	3	M	0.48	2.79	-1.05	
	LOWER SOUTHERN												
	Mechanicsville 5 Ne	78.1	63	70.57	69.86	0.71	0.7	4	0	-0.41	2.27	-2.05	
	Patuxent River Nas	84.7	68.1	76.43	73.69	2.74	0.7	2	0	-0.22	0.84	-3	
	Average	81.4	65.5	73.5	71.78	1.73	0.7	4	M	-0.32	1.55	-2.52	
	UPPER SOUTHERN												
	Baltimore-Washington International Airport	81.6	66.9	74.21	71.99	2.23	2.65	4	0	1.67	3.86	0.14	
	Oxon Hill	M	M	M	73.09	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	National Arboretum Dc	83.9	67	75.43	74.4	1.03	1.72	4	0	0.8	4.16	0.77	
	Average	82.8	67	74.82	73.16	1.63	2.19	4	M	1.23	4.01	0.46	
	NORTHEASTERN SHORE												
	Stevensville 2Sw	81.4	70.6	76	73.1	2.62	0.53	3	2	-0.24	0.99	-1.72	
	Average	81.4	70.6	76	73.1	2.62	0.53	3	M	-0.24	0.99	-1.72	
	NORTHERN CENTRAL												
	Emmitsburg 2 Se	79.7	62.4	71.07	68.74	2.33	3.06	4	0	1.96	4.31	0.79	
	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	77	61.9	69.43	69.04	0.39	2.54	5	0	1.36	3.35	-0.81	
	Reisterstown 2 Nw	83	64.3	73.64	M	M	3.5	3	0	M	4.71	M	
	Average	79.9	62.9	71.38	68.89	1.36	3.03	5	M	1.66	4.12	-0.01	
	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN												
	Cumberland 2	80.1	63	71.57	69.56	2.01	3.35	6	0	2.57	4.52	1.57	
	Frostburg 2	72.6	59	65.79	64.47	1.31	2.37	6	0	1.4	5.39	2.01	
	Hagerstown Regional Airport	78.1	64.9	71.5	70.99	0.51	3.69	5	0	2.85	4.64	1.7	
	Average	76.9	62.3	69.62	68.34	1.28	3.14	6	M	2.27	4.85	1.76	
	ALLEGHENY PLATEAU												
	Savage River Dam	74.7	61	67.86	65.39	2.47	1.98	6	0	1.08	2.91	-0.32	
	Sines Deep Creek	67.8	57.4	62.6	61.96	0.54	1.2	4	2	M	2.55	M	
	Average	71.2	59.2	65.23	63.67	1.51	1.59	6	M	1.08	2.73	-0.32	
	STATE TOTAL	79.5	64.4	71.94	69.94	1.54	2.16	5	M	1.09	3.35	-0.38	

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://www.srcc.tamu.edu>.