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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, October 30, 2022. Topsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 9 percent short, 89 percent adequate, and 0 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 13 percent short, 84 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there were 6 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 5 percent short, 90 percent adequate, and 5 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 30, 2022 (in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	2	9	89	0
SUBSOIL	0	13	84	3

MD Crop Conditions as of October 30, 2022 (in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
HAY, OTHER	3	5	23	59	10
PASTURE & RANGE	4	13	40	40	3
SOYBEANS	1	15	36	41	7
WINTER WHEAT	0	1	1	56	42

MD Crop Progress as of October 30, 2022 (in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
CORN: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	84	76	90	88
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	94	85	65	66
SOYBEANS: DROPPING LEAVES	96	87	92	N/A
SOYBEANS: HARVESTED	31	25	46	47
WINTER WHEAT: PLANTED	67	58	65	64
WINTER WHEAT: EMERGED	33	<5	38	36

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending October 30, 2022

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	5	90	5
SUBSOIL	0	30	70	0

DE Crop Conditions as of October 30, 2022

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
HAY, ALFALFA	0	30	60	10	0
HAY, OTHER	0	40	50	10	0
PASTURE & RANGE	0	40	50	5	5
SOYBEANS	0	30	60	10	0
WINTER WHEAT	0	0	0	100	0

DE Crop Progress as of October 30, 2022

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: HARVESTED	83	75	N/A	N/A
CORN: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	88	80	N/A	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: FOURTH CUTTING	75	61	N/A	N/A
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	82	50	82	84
SOYBEANS: COLORING	76	69	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: DROPPING LEAVES	65	60	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: HARVESTED	16	11	29	35
WINTER WHEAT: PLANTED	38	25	51	59
WINTER WHEAT: EMERGED	28	14	39	35

October 30, 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	63.9	48.9	56.36	53.04	3.31	0.17	3	0	-0.59	1.67	-1.63	
	Average	63.9	48.9	56.36	53.04	3.31	0.17	3	M	-0.59	1.67	-1.63	
	SOUTHERN												
	Dover Afb	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport	65	52.9	58.93	55.19	3.74	0.02	1	0	-0.85	2.31	-1.42	
	Average	65	52.9	58.93	55.19	3.74	0.02	1	M	-0.85	2.31	-1.42	
	STATE TOTAL	64.8	52	58.36	54.72	3.65	0.05	1	M	-0.79	2.17	-1.47	
Maryland	SOUTHEASTERN SHORE												
	Ocean City Municipal Ap	63.7	52.9	58.29	54.33	3.96	0.02	1	0	-0.93	2.92	-0.74	
	Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport	65	51.1	58.07	54.43	3.64	0.01	1	0	-0.85	1.87	-1.87	
	Average	64.3	52	58.18	54.38	3.8	0.01	1	M	-0.89	2.4	-1.31	
	LOWER SOUTHERN												
	Mechanicsville 5 Ne	61.3	46.3	53.79	52.11	1.67	0.38	2	0	-0.53	2.35	-1.42	
	Patuxent River Nas	65.1	53	59.07	56.27	2.8	0.08	1	0	-0.79	2.69	-0.93	
	Average	63.2	49.6	56.43	54.19	2.23	0.23	2	M	-0.66	2.52	-1.18	
	UPPER SOUTHERN												
	Baltimore-Washington International Airport	64	48.4	56.21	53.29	2.93	0.11	2	0	-0.73	3.13	-0.42	
	Oxon Hill	M	M	M	54.13	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
	National Arboretum Dc	65.7	49.2	57.42	55.23	2.07	0.28	3	1	-0.56	2.07	-1.31	
	Average	64.8	48.8	56.81	54.22	2.5	0.2	3	M	-0.65	2.6	-0.86	
	NORTHEASTERN SHORE												
	Stevensville 2Sw	62.4	54.2	58.3	55	2.94	0.85	4	2	0.13	3.89	0.11	
	Average	62.4	54.2	58.3	55	2.94	0.85	4	M	0.13	3.89	0.11	
	NORTHERN CENTRAL												
	Emmitsburg 2 Se	61	43.4	52.21	50.64	1.57	0.19	3	0	-0.57	2.37	-1	
	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	60.4	44.7	52.57	51.46	1.11	0.4	3	0	-0.46	2.69	-1.08	
	Reisterstown 2 Nw	63.1	46.3	54.71	M	M	0.31	2	0	M	4.33	M	
	Average	61.5	44.8	53.16	51.05	1.34	0.3	3	M	-0.52	3.13	-1.04	
	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN												
	Cumberland 2	67.3	40.9	54.07	50.84	3.23	0.17	1	0	-0.42	0.92	-1.61	
	Frostburg 2	60.9	38.4	49.64	46.71	2.93	0.17	1	0	-0.52	0.78	-2.13	
	Hagerstown Regional Airport	63.3	45.3	54.29	52.57	1.71	0.04	1	0	-0.51	0.45	-2.02	
	Average	63.8	41.5	52.67	50.04	2.62	0.13	1	M	-0.48	0.72	-1.92	
	ALLEGHENY PLATEAU												
	Savage River Dam	60.6	37.3	48.93	47.46	1.47	0.29	1	0	-0.34	0.76	-1.88	
	Sines Deep Creek	63.8	31.5	47.62	45.96	1.22	0	0	4	M	0.45	M	
	Average	62.2	34.4	48.27	46.71	1.34	0.14	1	M	-0.34	0.6	-1.88	
	STATE TOTAL	62.8	46.4	54.59	52.08	2.16	0.25	2	M	-0.53	2.52	-1.14	

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>.