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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Maryland, there were 2 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, April 7, 2024. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 44 percent adequate, and 56 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 0 percent short, 67 percent adequate, and 33 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there was 1 day suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 2 percent short, 22 percent adequate, and 76 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 3 percent short, 28 percent adequate, and 69 percent surplus.

MD Soil Moisture for Week Ending April 7, 2024

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus		
TOPSOIL	0	0	44	56		
SUBSOIL	0	0	67	33		

MD Crop Conditions as of April 7, 2024

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent		
BARLEY	0	6	27	58	9		
WINTER WHEAT	0	5	19	62	14		

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending April 7, 2024

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus		
TOPSOIL	0	2	22	76		
SUBSOIL	0	3	28	69		

DE Crop Conditions as of April 7, 2024 (in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent		
BARLEY	3	9	52	30	6		
WINTER WHEAT	5	9	50	31	5		

		Air Temperature Last Week			Precipitation							
State	Station	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Davs	MSG	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
Delaware	NORTHERN			8				Days				2111
	Wilmington New Castle Co Ap	53	40.9	46.93	49.67	-2.74	3.71	4	0	2.87	7.14	3.41
	Average	53	40.9	46.93	49.67	-2.74	3.71	4	M	2.87	7.14	3.41
	SOUTHERN											
	Dover Afb	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М
	Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport	55.9	42.1	49	52.03	-3.03	0.53	4	0	-0.25	3.32	-0.16
	Average	55.9	42.1	49	52.03	-3.03	0.53	4	М	-0.25	3.32	-0.16
	STATE TOTAL	55.3	41.8	48.54	51.51	-2.97	1.23	4	М	0.44	4.16	0.63
Maryland	SOUTHEASTERN SHORE											
	Ocean City Municipal Ap	58.1	44.9	51.5	49.09	2.41	0.59	4	0	-0.14	4.51	1.11
	Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport	57.4	41.7	49.57	51.17	-1.6	0.53	3	0	-0.29	3.88	0.24
	Average LOWER SOUTHERN	57.8	43.3	50.53	50.13	0.41	0.56	4	М	-0.21	4.2	0.68
	Mechanicsville 5 Ne	57.9	39	48.43	50.97	-2.54	1.5	5	0	0.73	5.51	1.98
	Patuxent River Nas	59.3	45.7	52.5	52.37	0.13	0.91	4	0	0.07	4.95	1.35
	Average UPPER SOUTHERN	58.6	42.4	50.47	51.67	-1.21	1.21	5	М	0.4	5.23	1.67
	Baltimore-Washington International Airport	54.7	41.4	48.07	50.86	-2.79	2.88	4	0	2.08	5.41	1.85
	Oxon Hill	М	М	М	51.96	М	М	М	М	М	М	М
	National Arboretum Dc	56.8	42.8	49.8	52.63	-2.44	2.58	5	2	1.99	5.17	1.93
	Average	55.8	42.1	48.94	51.82	-2.62	2.73	5	М	2.04	5.29	1.89
	NORTHEASTERN SHORE											
	Stevensville 2Sw	53.8	42.6	48.2	50.74	-2.16	2.51	5	2	2.04	6.05	2.85
	Average	53.8	42.6	48.2	50.74	-2.16	2.51	5	М	2.04	6.05	2.85
	NORTHERN CENTRAL											
	Emmitsburg 2 Se	53.1	38.9	46	47.5	-1.5	3.29	5	0	2.41	7	3.19
	Frederick Municipal Ap	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М
	Gaithersburg Montgomery County Air Park	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М	М
	Millers 4 Ne	51.9	38.9	45.36	48.71	-3.36	3.84	5	0	2.95	5.91	2.12
	Reisterstown	54.4	41	47.71	М	М	3.47	4	0	М	5.65	М
	Average	53.1	39.6	46.36	48.11	-2.43	3.53	5	М	2.68	6.19	2.66
	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN											
	Cumberland 2	56	40.3	48.14	49.16	-1.01	3.73	6	0	3	4.93	1.87
	Frostburg 2	49.4	36.9	43.14	43.37	-0.23	3.92	6	0	3.08	5.34	1.83
	Hagerstown Regional Airport	53.7	40	46.86	50.23	-3.37	2.13	4	0	1.43	3.29	0.43
	Average	53	39.1	46.05	47.59	-1.54	3.26	6	М	2.5	4.52	1.38
	ALLEGHENY PLATEAU											
	Savage River Dam	55.1	42.9	49	44.7	4.3	4.13	6	0	3.35	5.56	2.52
	Sines Deep Creek	56.2	38	47.1	42.2	5.28	4.55	4	3	М	5.9	М
	Average	55.7	40.5	48.05	43.45	4.79	4.34	6	М	3.35	5.73	2.52
	STATE TOTAL	54.9	40.9	47.93	48.99	-1.25	2.72	5	М	1.93	5.49	2.06

April 7, 2024, Maryland and Delaware Weekly Weather Summary

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.