



Crop Progress and Condition

Week Ending April 14, 2013

Agricultural Summary

Wet weather across the State limited tillage and planting progress. There were 1.8 **days suitable for fieldwork**. The northern 3 districts and the west-central district had less than 1 day suitable for fieldwork. **Topsoil moisture supply** was 3 percent short, 70 percent adequate, and 27 percent surplus. The northeast and west-central districts were rated 45 percent or more surplus. **Subsoil moisture supply** was 9 percent very short, 24 percent short, 62 percent adequate and 5 percent surplus. **Spring tillage** was 33 percent, compared to 69 percent last year, and the 5 year average (normal) of 39 percent.

Field Crops Report

Corn planting was 8 percent complete, 13 days behind last year and 6 days behind normal. The southeast district was 44 percent planted. Corn emerged was 1 percent completed with reports in the southeast and south-central districts. **Rice** planting was 17 percent complete, 12 days behind last year and 2 days behind normal. **Winter wheat** condition was rated 1 percent poor, 24 percent fair, 62 percent good, and 13 percent excellent. Winter wheat heading was reported in the southeast district.

Pasture & Livestock

Pasture condition were 9 percent very poor, 23 percent poor, 52 percent fair, 15 percent good, and 1 percent excellent. **Supply of hay and other roughages** was 33 percent very short, 36 percent short, 30 percent adequate and 1 percent surplus. **Stock water supplies** were 4 percent very short, 10 percent short, 78 percent adequate, and 8 percent surplus.

Weather Summary

Temperatures were 2 degrees below average to 4 degrees above average. Average nightly low temperatures ranged from 37 to 52 degrees. Precipitation averaged 1.78 inches statewide. Clay County reported 3.61 inches of precipitation.

Audio Commentary

Weekly Crop Progress and Condition Audio Commentary is available

http://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/Missouri/Publications/Audio/

Weather Data

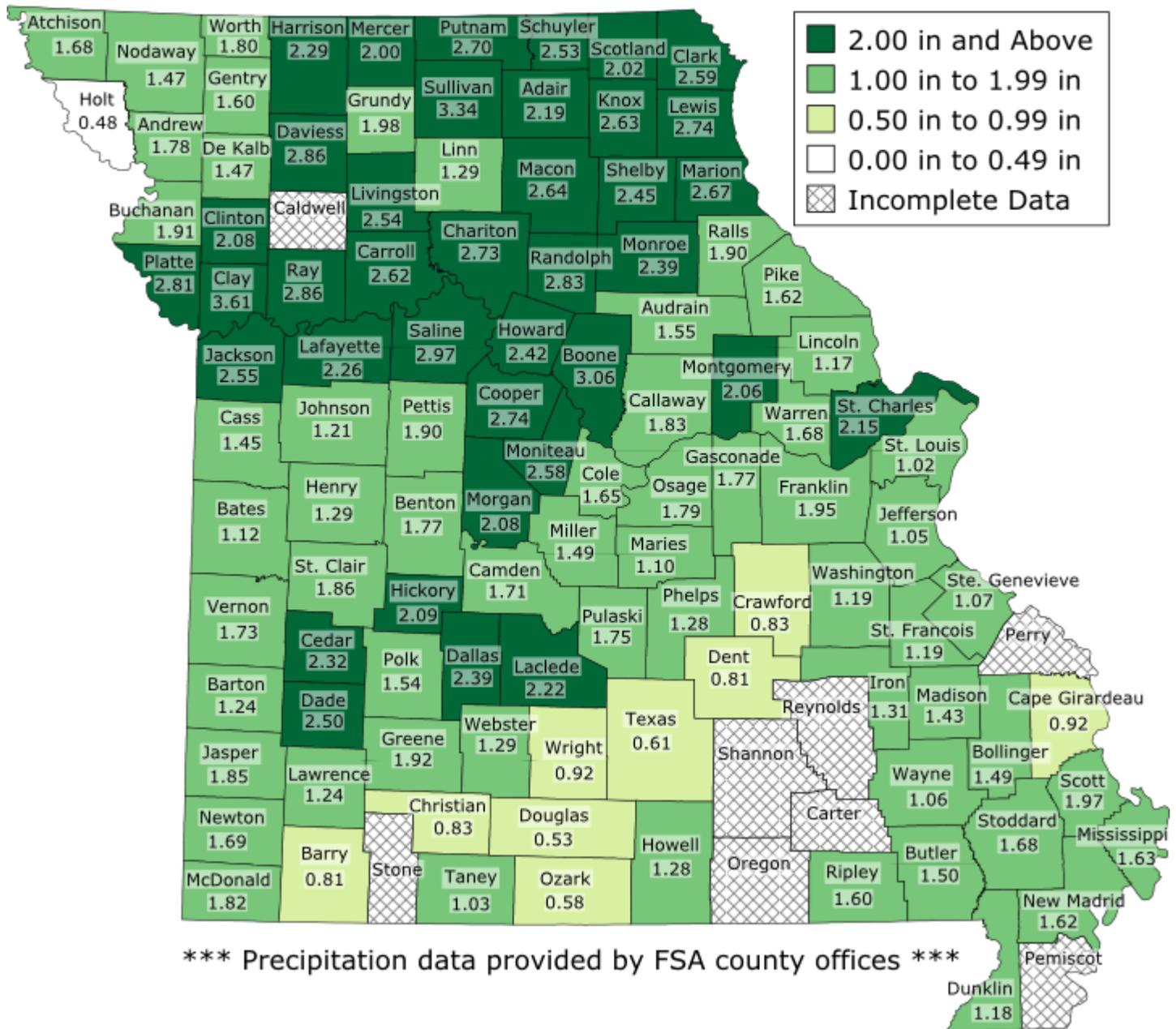
Hourly and daily weather data from stations throughout the state is available at:

<http://agebb.missouri.edu/weather/history/>

District Summaries As Of April 14, 2013

	Missouri	NW	NC	NE	WC	C	EC	SW	SC	SE
Days Suitable For Fieldwork										
This Year	1.8	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.8	1.6	3.3	2.6	5.1	3.6
Last Year	4.3	3.1	3.3	3.9	4.3	3.7	4.9	3.1	6.1	6.8
Topsoil Moisture Supply										
Very Short	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short	3	11	2	0	0	0	2	3	0	1
Adequate	70	82	64	51	55	62	87	70	100	70
Surplus	27	6	34	49	45	38	11	27	0	29
Subsoil Moisture Supply										
Very Short	9	32	6	21	1	2	0	0	0	0
Short	24	41	31	30	21	14	14	30	19	7
Adequate	62	27	49	45	58	82	86	70	81	82
Surplus	5	0	14	4	20	2	0	0	0	11
Ground Worked Spring Tillage, Percent										
This Year	33	40	29	5	36	28	32	40	27	52
Last Year	69	57	59	53	70	75	76	79	73	87
Normal	39									
Corn Planted, Percent										
This Year	8	2	3	1	2	1	6	6	20	44
Last Year	37	11	18	29	58	36	49	68	38	85
Normal	17									
Corn Emerged, Percent										
This Year	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5
Last Year	10	1	3	11	8	5	8	11	3	39
Normal	2									
Rice Planted, Percent										
This Year	17									17
Last Year	68									68
Normal	21									
Winter Wheat Condition										
Very Poor	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Poor	1	5	4	5	3	2	1	0	0	0
Fair	24	34	29	37	28	19	10	26	26	19
Good	62	56	61	42	59	65	82	49	73	69
Excellent	13	5	6	15	10	14	7	25	1	12
Supply of Hay and Other Roughages										
Very Short	33	39	9	32	16	48	23	9	57	45
Short	36	36	29	30	47	26	53	58	25	36
Adequate	30	25	62	32	33	25	24	34	18	19
Surplus	1	0	0	6	4	1	0	0	0	0
Stock Water Supplies										
Very Short	4	26	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short	10	40	13	15	0	4	0	0	3	13
Adequate	78	34	76	72	77	93	88	82	97	85
Surplus	8	0	11	9	23	3	12	18	0	2
Pasture Condition										
Very Poor	9	12	9	29	1	6	1	6	15	0
Poor	23	48	20	30	9	28	23	13	13	3
Fair	52	23	50	36	55	57	55	77	61	41
Good	15	17	18	5	31	8	21	4	11	54
Excellent	1	0	3	0	4	1	0	0	0	2
Average Precipitation	1.78	2.05	2.45	2.26	1.75	2.04	1.37	1.50	1.03	1.60

Precipitation for Week Ending April 14, 2013



Precipitation for Four Weeks Ending April 14, 2013

