



# Missouri Crop Progress and Condition

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Temperatures last week averaged 75.6 degrees, 0.8 degrees below normal. Precipitation averaged 1.33 inches statewide, 0.55 inches above normal. There were 5.1 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending August 20. Topsoil moisture supply was rated 9 percent very short, 24 percent short, 66 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated 7 percent very short, 25 percent short, and 68 percent adequate. Corn in the dough stage reached 90 percent, up 5 percentage points from last week. Corn dented reached 64 percent, up 17 percentage points from last week. Corn condition was rated 3 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 50 percent good, and 11 percent excellent. Soybeans blooming reached 92 percent. Soybeans setting pods reached 75 percent. Soybean condition was rated 3 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 51 percent good, and 10 percent excellent. Cotton setting bolls reached 90 percent. Cotton condition was rated 1 percent very poor, 11 percent poor, 29 percent fair, 48 percent good, and 11 percent excellent. Rice headed was at 90 percent. Rice condition was rated 1 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 51 percent good, and 10 percent excellent. Pasture and range condition was rated 2 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 35 percent fair, 52 percent good, and 5 percent excellent.

## Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending August 20, 2017

District and State	Days Suitable for Fieldwork	Topsoil Moisture Supply				Subsoil Moisture Supply			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
		(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Northwest .....	5.0	4	23	73	-	5	21	74	-
North Central .....	5.9	23	43	34	-	10	49	41	-
Northeast .....	6.4	31	44	25	-	27	48	25	-
West Central .....	4.6	-	3	92	5	-	4	95	1
Central .....	4.1	-	5	94	1	1	14	85	-
East Central .....	4.9	11	31	57	1	10	30	59	1
Southwest .....	4.5	-	-	98	2	-	6	92	2
South Central .....	4.6	1	17	78	4	1	13	82	4
Southeast .....	5.3	2	29	69	-	1	23	76	-
Missouri .....	5.1	9	24	66	1	7	25	68	-

- Represents zero.

## Crop Progress – Missouri

Item	Week ending			2012-2016 Average
	August 20, 2017	August 13, 2017	August 20, 2016	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn dough .....	90	85	92	89
Corn dented .....	64	47	60	60
Soybeans blooming .....	92	88	90	88
Soybeans setting pods .....	75	64	69	64
Cotton setting bolls .....	90	83	75	84
Rice headed .....	90	88	94	84
Sorghum headed .....	93	88	86	87
Sorghum turning color .....	53	38	42	39
Alfalfa hay 3rd cutting .....	82	75	71	62

**Crop Condition – Missouri: August 20, 2017**

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn .....	3	6	30	50	11
Soybeans .....	3	6	30	51	10
Cotton .....	1	11	29	48	11
Rice .....	1	4	34	51	10
Sorghum .....	1	4	34	59	2
Pasture .....	2	6	35	52	5

**Crop Progress by District: August 20, 2017**

Item	NW	NC	NE	WC	C	EC	SW	SC	SE
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn dough .....	82	90	88	91	94	94	98	90	98
Corn dented .....	47	47	69	60	78	69	89	71	86
Soybeans blooming .....	96	94	92	82	94	98	73	97	93
Soybeans setting pods .....	78	85	73	51	83	86	43	92	77

**Crop Condition by District: August 20, 2017**

Item	NW	NC	NE	WC	C	EC	SW	SC	SE
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
<b>Corn</b>									
Very Poor .....	4	-	2	-	4	2	-	-	8
Poor .....	4	6	5	5	8	12	3	1	12
Fair .....	19	54	39	30	13	28	31	40	30
Good .....	63	27	46	59	63	56	55	40	29
Excellent .....	10	13	8	6	12	2	11	19	21
<b>Soybeans</b>									
Very Poor .....	2	1	2	1	3	-	-	-	9
Poor .....	5	4	3	5	4	4	4	-	11
Fair .....	21	52	39	27	12	21	35	44	27
Good .....	63	36	46	61	71	69	60	34	36
Excellent .....	9	7	10	6	10	6	1	22	17

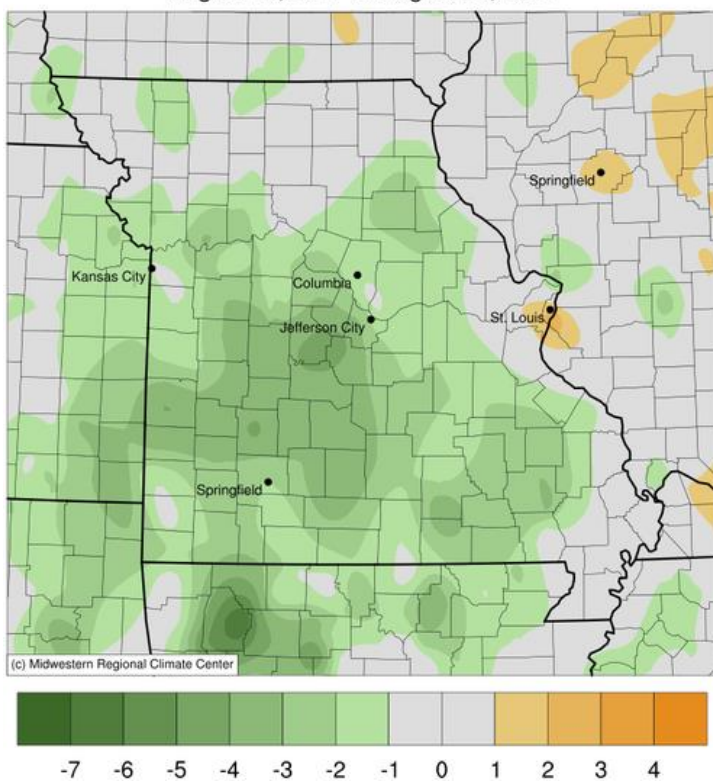
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**Supply of Hay and Other Roughages and Stock Water Supply: August 20, 2017**

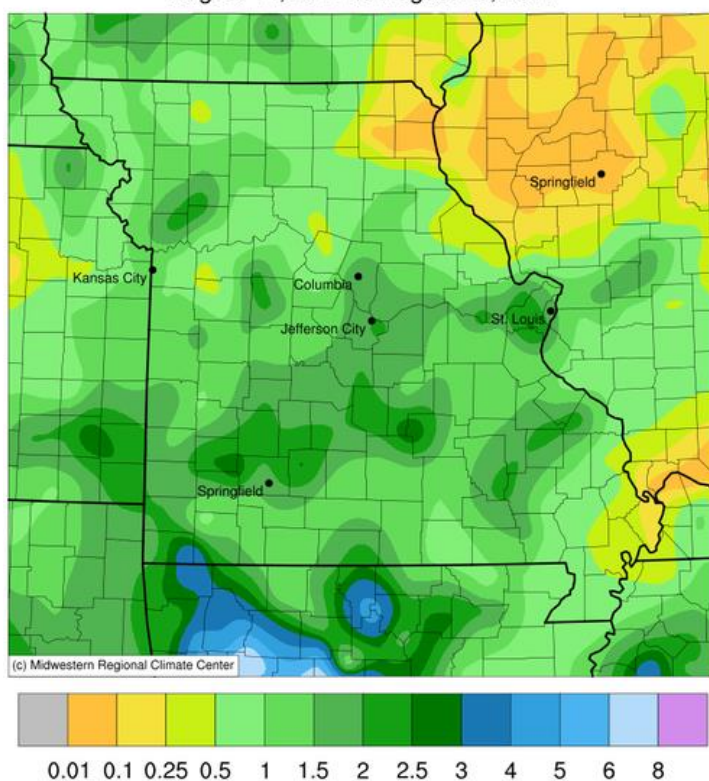
District and State	Supply of Hay and Other Roughages				Stock Water Supply			
	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Northwest .....	-	12	71	17	-	3	96	1
North Central .....	-	3	83	14	9	14	77	-
Northeast .....	2	11	74	13	2	11	86	1
West Central .....	-	-	75	25	-	1	98	1
Central .....	-	-	88	12	-	4	88	8
East Central .....	-	9	91	-	2	10	81	7
Southwest .....	-	7	59	34	-	-	100	-
South Central .....	-	4	87	9	-	3	95	2
Southeast .....	-	5	95	-	-	6	94	-
Missouri .....	-	4	80	16	1	5	91	3

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**Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1981-2010 Normals**  
August 14, 2017 to August 20, 2017



**Accumulated Precipitation (in)**  
August 14, 2017 to August 20, 2017



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