



# Missouri Crop Progress and Condition

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Temperatures last week averaged 66.1 degrees, 3.6 degrees above normal. Precipitation averaged 0.06 inches statewide, 1.02 inches below normal. There were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending September 27, 2020. Topsoil moisture supply was rated 3 percent very short, 24 percent short and 73 percent adequate. Subsoil moisture supply was rated 3 percent very short, 21 percent short and 76 percent adequate. Corn mature progressed to 69 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 84 percent. Corn harvested for grain was 20 percent complete, compared to the 5-year average of 41 percent. Corn condition was rated 1 percent very poor, 3 percent poor, 16 percent fair, 62 percent good, and 18 percent excellent. Soybeans turning color was 66 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 70 percent. Soybeans dropping leaves was 29 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 39 percent. Soybean harvest was 1 percent complete, compared to the 5-year average of 6 percent. Soybean condition was rated 1 percent poor, 18 percent fair, 61 percent good, and 20 percent excellent. Cotton bolls opening progressed to 90 percent compared to the 5-year average of 78 percent. Cotton harvest was 3 percent complete, compared to the 5-year average of 7 percent. Cotton condition was rated 2 percent very poor, 10 percent poor, 38 percent fair, and 50 percent good. Rice harvest was 26 percent complete, compared to the 5-year average of 59 percent. Rice condition was rated 1 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 22 percent fair, 47 percent good, and 22 percent excellent. Winter wheat planted progressed to 1 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 5 percent.

## Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending September 27, 2020

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)
Missouri .....	6.6	3	24	73	-	3	21	76	-

- Represents zero.

## Crop Progress – Missouri

Item	Week ending			2015-2019 Average
	September 27, 2020	September 20, 2020	September 27, 2019	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn mature .....	69	65	67	84
Corn harvested .....	20	13	23	41
Soybeans turning color .....	66	57	51	70
Soybeans dropping leaves .....	29	24	22	39
Soybeans harvested .....	1	(NA)	1	6
Cotton bolls opening .....	90	62	71	78
Cotton harvested .....	3	2	6	7
Rice harvested .....	26	16	59	59
Winter wheat planted .....	1	(NA)	2	5

(NA) Not available.

### Corn Condition – Missouri

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
September 27, 2020 .....	1	3	16	62	18
September 20, 2020 .....	2	4	18	56	20
September 27, 2019 .....	5	16	33	41	5

### Soybeans Condition – Missouri

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
September 27, 2020 .....	-	1	18	61	20
September 20, 2020 .....	1	2	22	57	18
September 27, 2019 .....	4	10	36	44	6

- Represents zero.

### Cotton Condition – Missouri

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
September 27, 2020 .....	2	10	38	50	-
September 20, 2020 .....	2	11	37	50	-
September 27, 2019 .....	7	9	52	32	-

- Represents zero.

### Rice Condition – Missouri

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
September 27, 2020 .....	1	8	22	47	22
September 20, 2020 .....	1	8	22	47	22
September 27, 2019 .....	3	5	37	41	14

### Pasture Condition – Missouri

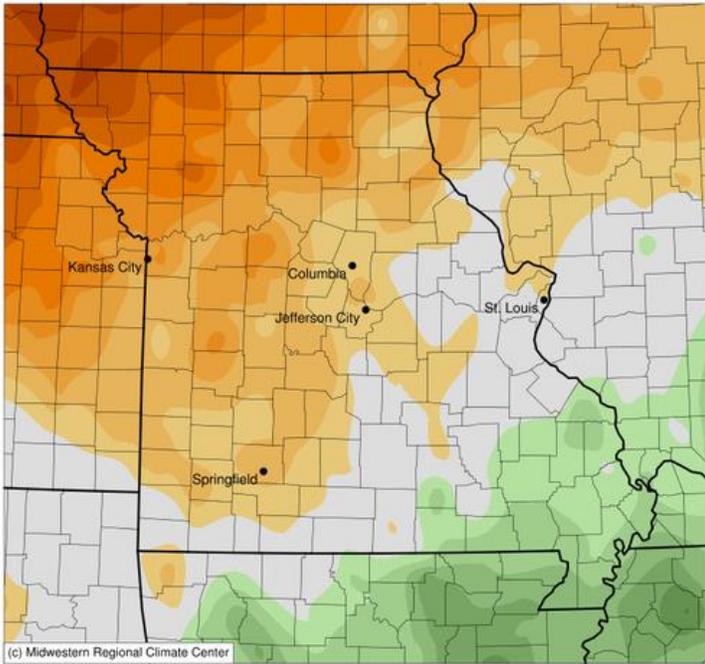
Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
September 27, 2020 .....	2	10	34	47	7
September 20, 2020 .....	2	11	34	46	7
September 27, 2019 .....	1	6	25	58	10

### Supply of Hay and Other Roughages and Stock Water Supply: September 27, 2020

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)
Missouri .....	3	7	76	14	1	8	91	-

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**Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1981-2010 Normals**  
September 21, 2020 to September 27, 2020

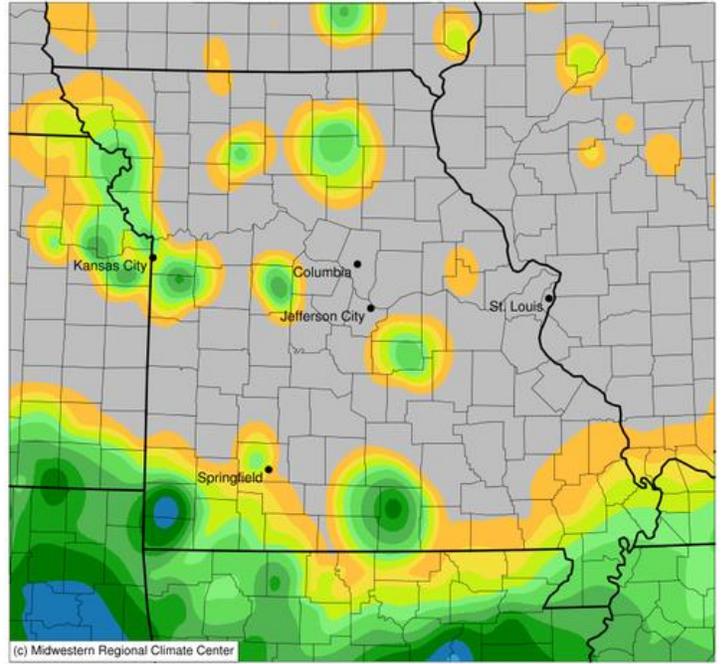


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**Accumulated Precipitation (in)**  
September 21, 2020 to September 27, 2020



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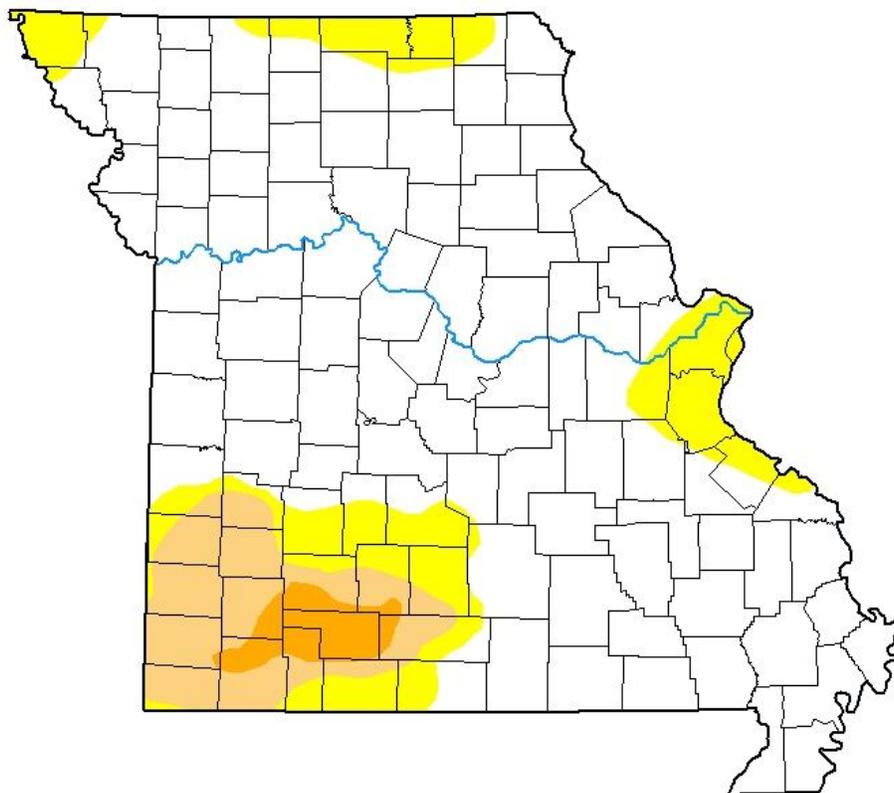
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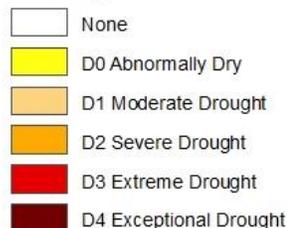
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## Missouri

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