

North Carolina Crop Progress & Condition Report

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CROP SUMMARY FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 20, 2023

Crop information in this report is provided voluntarily by county officials of the Cooperative Extension Service, FSA, NRCS, and other knowledgeable individuals.

DAYS SUITABLE FOR FIELD WORK

This Week	Last Week	Last Year
6.5	6.2	5.6

SOIL MOISTURE PERCENT

	VS	ST	A	SS
Subsoil Moisture	11	28	60	1
Topsoil Moisture	16	37	46	1

VS= Very Short ST = Short A = Adequate SS = Surplus

CROP PROGRESS PERCENT – WITH COMPARISONS

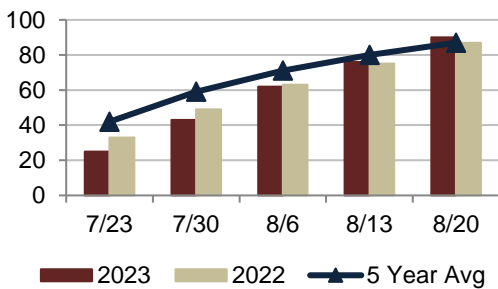
	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5Yr Avg
PHENOLOGICAL:				
Corn Dough	93	86	90	94
Corn Dented	76	59	76	81
Corn Mature	46	30	44	50
Cotton Setting Bolls	90	76	87	87
Soybeans Blooming	95	88	95	91
Soybeans Setting Pods	83	71	83	72
HARVESTED:				
Apples	26	18	17	24
Corn for Silage	33	13	39	45
Hay: Second Cutting	83	75	74	82
Hay: Third Cutting	32	22	11	19
Peaches	82	71	71	77
Tobacco Flue-Cured	41	32	33	37

CROP CONDITION PERCENT

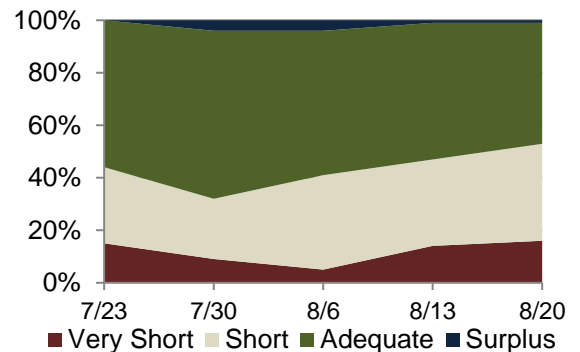
	VP	P	F	G	EX
Apples	0	0	43	57	0
Corn	1	5	23	62	9
Cotton	3	10	34	51	2
Hay	2	6	23	66	3
Pasture	3	4	35	56	2
Peanuts	2	4	32	59	3
Sorghum	3	12	34	49	2
Soybeans	3	8	30	55	4
Sweet Potatoes	4	14	43	37	2
Tobacco Burley	0	0	47	53	0
Tobacco Flue-Cured	4	12	32	50	2

VP = Very Poor P = Poor F = Fair G = Good EX = Excellent

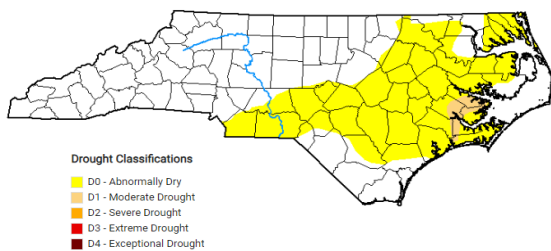
COTTON SETTING BOLLS



TOPSOIL MOISTURE PERCENT

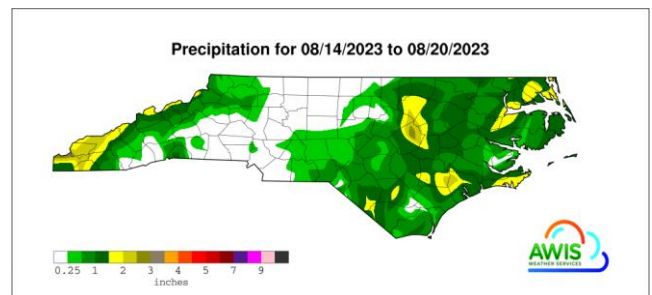


Map depicts current drought conditions as of August 15, 2023.



The US Drought Monitor focuses on broad scale conditions. Information provided for North Carolina is relative to information provided from all other states and the North Carolina Drought Management Advisory Council. Local conditions may vary. <http://www.ncdrought.org/>

Precipitation for 08/14/2023 to 08/20/2023



Map depicts accumulations through dates listed. This product is made possible by AWIS Weather Services, Inc. <http://www.awis.com/>

WEATHER SUMMARY FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 20, 2023 ¹

Location	Precipitation (Inches)				Temperature (Degrees F.)				
	This Week		Year to Date		This Week				
	Total	Departure from Normal	Total	Departure from Normal	High	Low	Avg.	Departure from Normal	Degree Days (YTD)
Asheboro	0.25	-0.87	30.59	-0.27	94	62	78	2	3062
Asheville_Munic	0.23	-0.75	26.06	-5.34	90	56	73	2	2651
Boone	0.72	-0.38	37.61	2.31	82	50	67	2	1822
Burlington AP	0.1	-0.88	32.72	2.56	95	60	78	1	3087
Charlotte	0.18	-0.66	31.98	3.84	96	66	80	2	3622
Clayton WTP	2.19	1.21	32.06	1.6	97	66	81	4	3658
Clinton_2NE	1.02	-0.3	35.33	-0.53	98	68	83	5	3622
Elizabeth City 1.8 SE	1.41	0.4	27.32	-4.05	98	68	82	5	3523
Elizabethtown_NC	1.77	0.59	29.57	-2.98	100	70	83	6	3931
Erwin_AP	0.42	-0.7	32.82	0.55	99	66	82	6	3542
Fayetteville_AP	0.5	-0.76	27.03	-4.48	99	68	84	6	3923
Frisco	1.09	-0.45	42.43	7.45	89	74	82	4	3560
Gastonia-Gaston	0.12	-0.86	34.17	3.57	93	63	77	0	3236
Goldsboro_AFB	1.35	0.07	31.53	-1.31	100	69	83	5	3732
Greensboro_AP	0.18	-0.61	29.41	1.22	92	62	77	2	3086
Greenville Airport	1.15	-0.31	28.92	-4.71	100	66	83	6	3601
Hickory	0.04	-0.81	31.5	-0.97	91	61	75	0	3040
Jacksonville_AP	1.08	-0.32	29.79	-5.43	94	71	82	4	3704
Jacksonville_EOC	1.56	-0.03	35.17	-2.88	97	70	83	5	3744
Jefferson_2E	0.28	-0.63	32.15	0.87	82	46	66	-1	1762
Kinston Airport	1.19	0	30.62	-1.85	100	70	83	4	3661
Louisburg	1.81	0.69	31.76	1.56	96	59	78	3	3112
Mt_Airy_2W	0.02	-0.82	39.44	9.77	89	53	72	-1	2537
New_Bern	0.29	-1.25	29.49	-6.98	97	71	84	6	3868
North_Wilkesboro	0.74	-0.35	40.01	7.14	91	56	74	0	2804
Oxford_NC	1.13	0.11	28.96	-0.46	92	56	76	0	2686
Raleigh	0.32	-0.52	30.87	2.64	100	64	83	6	3702
Red Springs 3.8 NW	0.64	-0.41	26.61	-6.66	98	67	82	4	3981
Reidsville_2NW	0	-0.84	26.67	-2.75	92	54	76	1	3020
Roanoke_Rap_Dam	0.75	-0.29	28.05	-2.51	98	65	81	5	3219
Robbinsville_AG	2.54	1.42	47.62	5.2	90	53	71	-2	2527
Rockingham	0.95	-0.07	28.91	-3.98	99	67	82	5	3620
Roxboro Airport	0.41	-0.62	29.64	0.56	91	55	74	0	2526
Southern_Pines	0.35	-0.67	23.71	-7.71	98	63	81	4	3555
Statesville_2NNE	0.24	-0.67	29.13	-0.84	91	58	75	-1	2831
Tarboro_1S	0.98	-0.21	23.34	-7.65	100	67	82	6	3445
Vale_Ag_2SW	0	-0.9	36.42	5.24	92	59	75	0	2913
Wadesboro_AP	0.4	-0.65	28.53	-3.5	98	64	82	3	3392
Washington	1.4	0.09	27.27	-7.41	98	69	83	5	3592
Waynesville_1E	0.42	-0.49	34.56	2.92	85	56	70	1	2038
Whiteville_7NW	0.9	-0.15	31.05	-2.89	95	71	83	4	3816
Williamston_1E	0.92	-0.28	28.41	-4.31	98	66	82	6	3594
Wilmington_AP_NC	0.36	-1.25	35.74	-1.77	97	72	84	5	4258
Winston-Salem	0.02	-0.77	30.25	2.06	94	60	78	3	3236

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