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Crop Progress & Condition

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in New Jersey, there were 5 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, May 8, 2022. Topsoil moisture supplies were 6 percent very short, 11 percent short, 66 percent adequate and 17 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 8 percent short, 80 percent adequate and 12 percent surplus. Pasture conditions were 12 percent fair, and 88 percent good.

Soil Moisture for Week Ending May 8, 2022

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	6	11	66	17
SUBSOIL	0	8	80	12

Crop Progress as of May 8, 2022

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
BELL PEPPERS: PLANTED	38	N/A	N/A	N/A
SWEET CORN: PLANTED	25	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOMATOES: PLANTED	26	N/A	N/A	N/A

Crop Conditions as of May 8, 2022

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
HAY, ALFALFA	0	0	20	80	0
HAY, OTHER	0	0	20	80	0
PASTURE AND RANGE	0	0	12	88	0
WINTER WHEAT	0	10	17	73	0

May 8, 2022 New Jersey Weekly Weather Summary

Station	Air Temperature Last Week					Precipitation					
	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	MSG	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
NORTHERN											
Aeroflex-Andover Airport	M	M	M	56.27	M	M	M	M	M	1.78	-0.76
Belvidere Bridge	64.2	43.5	53.88	55.3	-1.35	1.42	2.0	3.0	0.91	3.55	0.6
Flemington 5 Nnw	64.2	47.4	54.9	57.5	-2.9	2.78	5.0	1.0	1.97	4.94	1.36
Newark Liberty Intl Ap	63.3	51.0	57.14	60.1	-2.96	2.52	4.0	0.0	1.67	4.56	1.0
Sussex 1 Nw	60.1	45.7	52.93	54.97	-2.04	1.58	5.0	0.0	0.65	3.41	-0.49
Average	62.9	46.9	54.71	56.83	-2.31	2.07	5	M	1.30	3.65	0.34
SOUTHERN											
Estell Manor	64.0	46.5	55.25	59.24	-4.2	1.76	3.0	3.0	1.31	4.41	1.4
Freehold-Marlboro	65.6	47.4	56.5	58.41	-1.91	2.84	5.0	0.0	2.04	5.13	1.73
Hammonton 1 Ne	M	M	M	59.0	M	1.71	4.0	0.0	0.91	3.43	0.08
Millville Municipal Airport	65.3	48.3	56.79	58.5	-1.71	1.54	5.0	0.0	0.84	3.3	0.57
Philadelphia/Mt. Holly Wfo	66.0	48.7	57.36	58.26	-0.9	2.29	4.0	0.0	1.48	3.94	0.7
New Brunswick 3 Se	63.6	48.7	56.14	58.24	-2.1	3.34	5.0	0.0	2.47	5.43	1.85
Pennsauken 1N	67.6	48.1	57.86	58.8	-0.94	2.52	5.0	0.0	1.69	4.25	0.66
Seabrook Farms	69.0	51.0	60.0	59.4	1.5	0.18	1.0	6.0	0.07	1.81	-0.67
Trenton-Mercer Airport	62.6	47.3	54.93	58.96	-4.03	3.52	5.0	0.0	2.69	5.35	1.98
Average	65.5	48.2	56.85	58.76	-1.79	2.19	5	M	1.50	4.12	0.92
COASTAL											
Cape May 2 Nw	63.7	50.2	56.92	59.17	-2.12	0.94	4.0	1.0	0.28	2.29	-0.56
Average	63.7	50.2	56.92	59.17	-2.12	0.94	4	M	0.28	2.29	-0.56
STATE TOTAL	64.4	47.9	56.07	58.08	-2.00	2.05	5	M	1.34	3.81	0.60

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>.

CURRENTLY AVAILABLE

	ARUGULA	Harvesting light to increasing volume of good quality product
	ASPARAGUS	Harvesting great volume and excellent quality. With warming weather volumes will continue to increase
	BABY SPINACH & ARUGULA	Harvesting a light to increasing volume of good quality products
	BEETS	Harvesting light to increasing volume of excellent quality product
	BOK CHOY	Harvesting light to increasing volumes of great quality product
	CABBAGE	Harvest started with very light to increasing volume of red and green
	CILANTRO	Harvesting good volume and quality
	COLLARD GREENS	Harvesting over-wintered with light volume
	DANDELIONS	Harvesting a good quantity of good quality over-wintered bunched product. Spring planted starting in light volume
	DILL	Harvesting light to increasing volume of excellent quality product
	ESCAROLE & ENDIVE	Early harvests of escarole and endive are starting in increasing volumes
	KALE	Harvesting good volume of good quality
	LEEKS	Good volume of quality over-wintered product available
	LETTUCE	Boston, red leaf and green leaf harvest starting in good volume & quality. Increasing each week
	MINT	Harvesting good quality in increasing volume. Volume will pick up each week
	PARSLEY	Good quality over-wintered plain product harvesting in light to increasing volume. New crop parsley is in production - quality is very nice with minimal defects
	RADISHES	Harvesting good quality product. Volume will pick up each week
	SCALLIONS	Harvesting overwinter with good volume. Spring harvest expected around May 20 th
	SPINACH	Harvesting good volume of good quality over-wintered product
	STRAWBERRIES	Early harvests of berries are slowly starting in very light volume, while the bulk of the crop will be harvested in mid-May, with lower volumes to continue for a week or two depending on the warmth of temperatures
	SWISS CHARD	Harvesting a light to increasing volume of good quality over-wintered product



TURNIPS

Harvesting very light volume, should pick up in coming weeks

FORECAST



BASIL

June 1st



BLUEBERRIES

June 15th



CUCUMBERS

Mid-June



PEPPERS

Early July



YELLOW SQUASH
& ZUCCHINI

End of June
