

North Carolina Crop Progress & Condition Report

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CROP SUMMARY FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 14, 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
6.2	5.7	5.2

SOIL MOISTURE PERCENT

	VS	ST	A	SS
Subsoil Moisture	0	16	81	3
Topsoil Moisture	1	15	82	2

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

CROP PROGRESS PERCENT – WITH COMPARISONS

	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5Yr Avg
PLANTED:				
Corn	95	85	94	92
Cotton	26	14	44	37
Peanuts	35	17	37	32
Sorghum	15	n/a	29	16
Soybeans	32	15	42	31
Tobacco Burley	10	n/a	n/a	10
Tobacco Flue-Cured	83	62	72	74

PHENOLOGICAL:

Barley Headed	96	89	95	88
Corn Emerged	83	65	87	81
Soybeans Emerged	14	n/a	25	16
Winter Wheat Headed	97	93	92	90

HARVESTED:

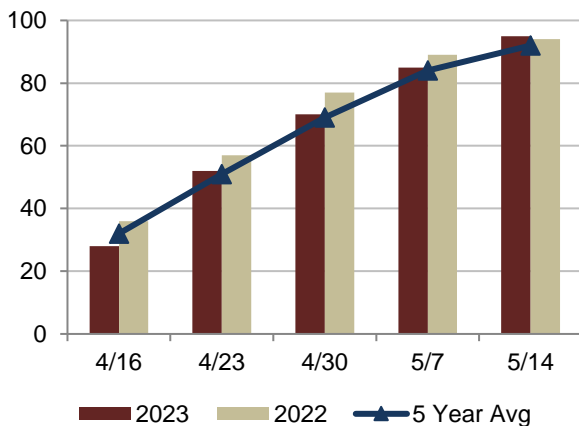
Hay: First Cutting	46	29	32	37
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CROP CONDITION PERCENT

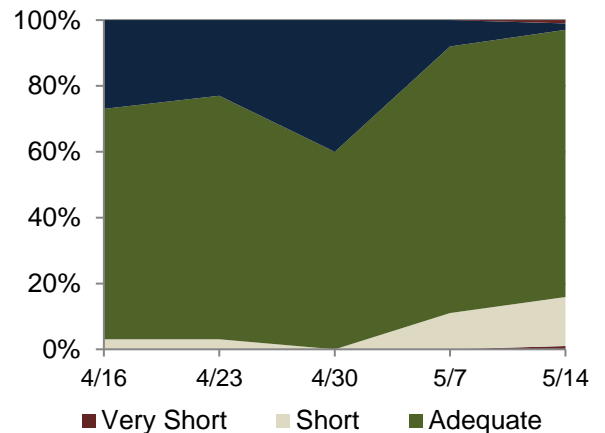
	VP	P	F	G	EX
Apples	0	0	49	51	0
Barley	0	2	7	89	2
Corn	0	1	22	68	9
Oats	1	3	4	75	17
Pasture	1	2	17	77	3
Peaches	6	54	36	3	1
Strawberries	0	2	35	61	2
Tobacco Flue-Cured	0	3	26	61	10
Winter Wheat	0	2	8	71	19

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

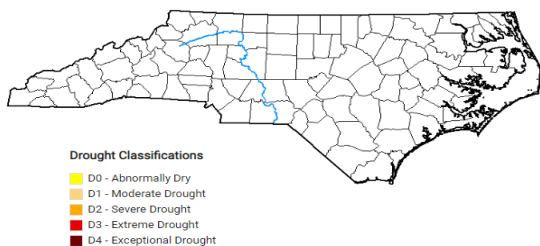
CORN PLANTED



TOPSOIL MOISTURE PERCENT

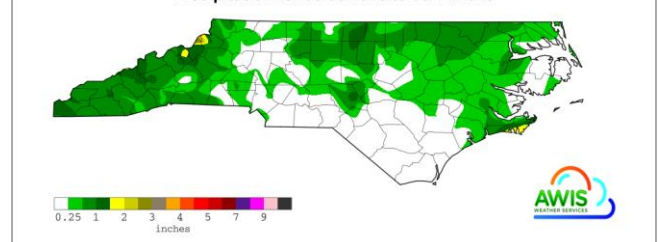


Map depicts current drought conditions as of May 9, 2023.



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 05/08/2023 to 05/14/2023



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 MAY 14, 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	0.35	-0.61	17.02	0.34	83	52	69	4	793
Asheville_Munic	0.51	-0.47	16.08	-1.77	81	54	67	7	564
Boone	0.74	-0.38	16.94	-3.23	76	45	63	7	313
Burlington AP	0.8	-0.17	16.82	0.84	85	49	69	4	751
Charlotte	0.16	-0.68	18.2	1.72	89	56	72	5	1021
Clayton WTP	0.11	-0.8	17.27	0.81	88	56	72	6	1163
Clinton_2NE	0	-1.07	14.99	-2.35	88	51	70	3	1062
Elizabeth City 1.8 SE	0.09	-0.94	14.51	-2.78	83	51	70	4	960
Elizabethtown_NC	0.03	-0.83	15.69	-0.32	91	55	72	4	1218
Erwin_AP	0.27	-0.55	16.27	-0.49	88	51	70	5	977
Fayetteville_AP	0	-0.77	12.56	-3.4	91	53	72	6	1176
Frisco	0.44	-0.46	18.29	-1.42	81	54	70	4	1065
Gastonia-Gaston	0.38	-0.52	19.62	2.32	87	51	69	3	856
Goldsboro_AFB	0.33	-0.51	15.81	-1.84	89	52	71	2	1097
Greensboro_AP	0.83	-0.08	18.76	3.05	84	54	69	5	773
Greenville Airport	0.44	-0.52	14.76	-2.25	86	50	70	3	1011
Hickory	0.43	-0.55	16.57	-2.03	85	53	69	4	754
Jacksonville_AP	0.2	-0.64	12	-4.78	88	54	70	2	1161
Jacksonville_EOC	1.24	0.12	16.04	-2.04	90	51	70	2	1161
Jefferson_2E	0.35	-0.73	17.46	0.17	78	40	60	4	276
Kinston Airport	0.38	-0.46	15.47	-1.55	86	51	70	2	1065
Louisburg	0.43	-0.59	20.42	3.78	82	46	68	5	767
Mt_Airy_2W	0.26	-0.74	20.2	3.6	84	46	66	4	511
New_Bern	0.37	-0.56	15.46	-2.78	87	54	70	3	1183
North_Wilkesboro	0.19	-0.79	18.17	0.07	83	50	67	5	663
Oxford_NC	0.65	-0.26	15.96	0.06	82	48	67	2	598
Raleigh	0.43	-0.43	19.03	3.07	87	54	72	7	1047
Red Springs 3.8 NW	0.61	-0.17	17.7	1.08	92	54	73	5	1234
Reidsville_2NW	0.05	-0.88	15.24	-0.72	84	52	68	5	748
Roanoke_Rap_Dam	0.54	-0.44	17.31	0.84	84	50	68	4	757
Robbinsville_AG	1	-0.19	27.5	1.31	83	51	67	6	539
Rockingham	0.01	-0.9	15.81	-0.8	88	53	71	5	1034
Roxboro Airport	0.6	-0.24	16.08	0.57	81	46	66	3	555
Southern_Pines	0.8	-0.04	15.26	-1.43	88	50	71	5	1014
Statesville_2NNE	0.16	-0.81	17.03	0.55	84	49	67	2	635
Tarboro_1S	0.4	-0.47	16.09	-0.55	84	52	69	4	943
Vale_Ag_2SW	0.18	-0.86	18.83	1.53	86	49	68	3	690
Wadesboro_AP	0.1	-0.78	15.58	-1.44	87	49	70	2	876
Washington	0.43	-0.63	14.38	-2.37	85	49	69	3	1025
Waynesville_1E	0.53	-0.45	21.65	2.62	81	48	64	6	390
Whiteville_7NW	0.14	-0.87	14.04	-2.86	91	54	71	2	1202
Williamston_1E	0.66	-0.33	14.11	-2.66	86	51	69	4	1022
Wilmington_AP_NC	0	-0.96	14.77	-2.37	93	57	73	4	1446
Winston-Salem	1.02	0.11	16.91	1.2	84	54	70	6	836

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