

North Carolina Crop Progress & Condition Report

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CROP SUMMARY FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

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
6.6	6.5	6.6

SOIL MOISTURE PERCENT

	VS	ST	A	SS
Subsoil Moisture	8	52	40	0
Topsoil Moisture	8	52	40	0
VS= Very Short ST = Short A = Adequate SS = Surplus				

CROP PROGRESS PERCENT – WITH COMPARISONS

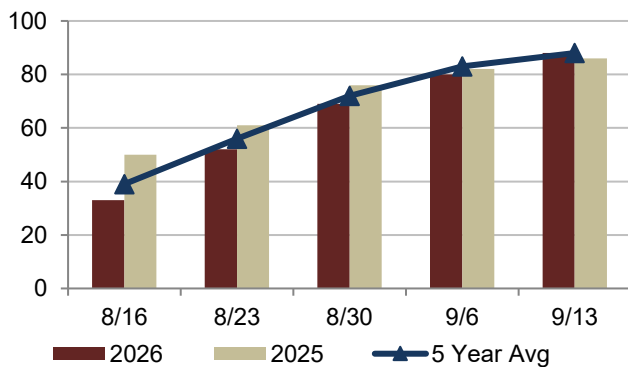
	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5Yr Avg
PHENOLOGICAL:				
Corn Mature	88	80	86	88
Cotton Bolls Opening	47	39	39	42
Soybeans Dropping Leaves	34	17	27	29
HARVESTED:				
Apples	56	45	64	54
Corn for Grain	54	38	57	52
Corn for Silage	82	71	74	78
Hay: Second Cutting	93	88	96	94
Hay: Third Cutting	46	39	43	47
Peaches	95	93	98	93
Sorghum	15	n/a	16	17
Sweetpotatoes	19	12	25	14
Tobacco: Burley	30	15	47	37
Tobacco: Flue-Cured	67	59	84	74

CROP CONDITION PERCENT

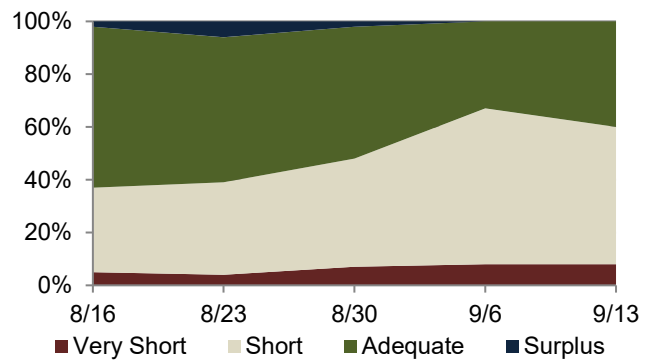
	VP	P	F	G	EX
Cotton	1	2	35	52	10
Hay	1	3	75	18	3
Pasture	0	2	53	44	1
Peanuts	0	8	27	52	13
Sorghum	0	3	51	38	8
Soybeans	4	11	27	51	7
Sweetpotatoes	2	5	41	44	8
Tobacco: Burley	0	0	43	57	0

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

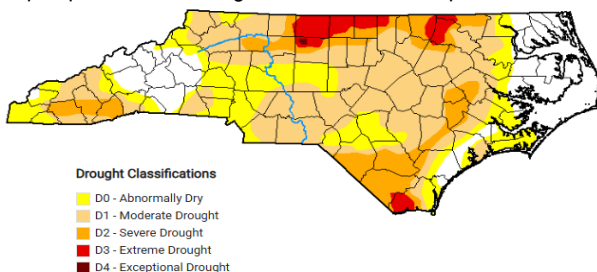
CORN MATURE



TOPSOIL MOISTURE PERCENT

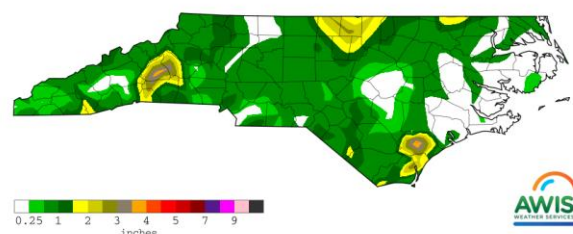


Map depicts current drought conditions as of September 8, 2026.



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 09/07/2026 to 09/13/2026



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 SEPTEMBER 13, 2026 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	0.31	-0.55	23.79	-10.35	93	58	75	3	3978
Asheville_Munic	0.19	-0.72	33.4	-1.26	90	58	73	6	3568
Boone	0.5	-0.44	32.83	-5.91	84	54	68	7	2728
Burlington AP	1.14	0.3	25.25	-7.94	95	56	76	4	4221
Charlotte	1.47	0.56	23.91	-7.22	97	64	79	5	4733
Clayton WTP	0.23	-0.67	32.57	-1.03	95	60	76	4	4395
Clinton_2NE	0.39	-0.62	28.21	-11.48	93	58	77	3	4508
Elizabeth City 1.8 SE	0.79	-0.47	33.22	-2.19	92	60	78	4	4424
Elizabethtown_NC	0.63	-0.29	24.47	-11.54	94	63	79	5	4971
Erwin_AP	0.09	-0.84	24.22	-11.49	96	60	77	5	4629
Fayetteville_AP	1.26	0.2	23.52	-11.91	94	62	77	3	4857
Frisco	0	-1.35	33.23	-6.66	88	70	80	4	4567
Gastonia-Gaston	0.53	-0.38	23.11	-10.67	96	61	77	4	4378
Goldsboro_AFB	0.55	-0.78	27.53	-9.89	97	61	80	4	4882
Greensboro_AP	0.43	-0.61	21.11	-10.33	93	62	77	6	4275
Greenville Airport	0	-1.04	26.1	-11.68	96	59	77	4	4722
Hickory	0.21	-0.81	23.03	-12.76	92	62	75	5	4139
Jacksonville_AP	0.54	-1.04	28.02	-12.45	92	66	78	3	4800
Jacksonville_EOC	0.54	-0.71	37.73	-5.06	92	66	78	3	4789
Jefferson_2E	0.6	-0.38	31.36	-3.2	88	52	68	5	2700
Kinston Airport	0.41	-0.99	24.44	-12.6	95	57	77	2	4715
Louisburg	0.57	-0.31	28.3	-5.26	95	55	75	4	4179
Mt_Airy_2W	0.22	-0.76	27.63	-5.2	91	57	74	5	3616
New_Bern	0.22	-1.14	33.22	-8.21	91	64	78	3	4740
North_Wilkesboro	1.45	0.47	31.53	-4.88	91	53	72	4	3706
Oxford_NC	1.43	0.65	19.14	-13.26	93	56	73	3	3771
Raleigh	0.57	-0.47	24.01	-7.47	98	60	78	6	4718
Red Springs 3.8 NW	0.43	-0.56	21.53	-15.16	94	60	77	3	4732
Reidsville_2NW	0.67	-0.1	18.08	-14.02	95	60	77	7	4312
Roanoke_Rap_Dam	0.71	-0.13	22.84	-10.85	96	61	77	5	4384
Robbinsville_AG	0.24	-0.74	36.05	-9.89	90	57	73	5	3625
Rockingham	0.06	-0.78	23.49	-12.4	94	62	77	4	4753
Roxboro Airport	2.63	1.79	23.94	-8.21	93	55	74	5	3952
Southern_Pines	0.59	-0.25	23.56	-10.96	97	59	77	4	4717
Statesville_2NNE	0.9	-0.01	28.11	-4.98	91	59	74	3	3889
Tarboro_1S	0.11	-0.87	24.08	-10.56	96	57	77	5	4345
Vale_Ag_2SW	0.64	-0.2	29.55	-4.51	93	54	75	3	4034
Wadesboro_AP	0.53	-0.37	20.66	-14.59	96	60	77	3	4616
Washington	0.42	-0.72	28.38	-10.43	96	59	77	3	4722
Waynesville_1E	0.46	-0.38	32.9	-1.74	90	56	71	7	3091
Whiteville_7NW	0.86	-0.21	34.17	-3.43	94	63	79	4	4765
Williamston_1E	0.07	-0.98	32.52	-4.02	96	54	76	3	4486
Wilmington_AP_NC	2.05	0.33	36.8	-6.55	91	66	78	2	4953
Winston-Salem	0.34	-0.7	24.94	-6.5	92	60	76	5	4023

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