

Extension Agricultural Weather Report

June 20, 2022 - June 27, 2022.

STATEWIDE CROP SUMMARY

(Data provided by the National Agricultural Statistics Service Crop Progress and Condition Report)

General

There were 6.6 days suitable for field work.

Precipitation estimates ranged from no rain in some locations to 4.8 inches in Hollywood (Broward County).

The average temperature ranged from 79°F in Tarpon Springs (Pinellas County) to 88°F in Key West (Monroe County).

Livestock and Pastures

Cattle, pasture, and range condition remained mostly fair and good, but a need for precipitation to ease deteriorating conditions was noted.

Crops

A variety of fruits and vegetables were harvested last week.

Dry conditions and high heat indices across the state was beginning to affect crops negatively.

Rice harvest began and will continue through October.

Citrus

Maximum temperatures across the citrus growing region were in the low to mid 90s, with Clermont (Lake County) reaching 96°F, and Kenansville (Osceola County), 94°F.

Moderate rainfall once again fell across the region, with Winter Haven (Polk County) receiving the most at 2.2 inches, followed by Mount Plymouth (Lake County) at 1.9 inches.

According to the June 23, 2022 U.S. Drought Monitor, the entire citrus growing was drought free.

All harvesting activities were complete for the season, with utilization for the remainder of the year to come from cold storage or fresh squeezed fruit.

Next season's crop was progressing well, with oranges about golf ball sized, and grapefruit approximately baseball sized.

Grove activities included fertilizing; herbicide, pesticide, and nutritional application; mowing; hedging; topping; removal of dead trees; and general grove maintenance.

Irrigation was run as needed in all areas, and canal and irrigation ditch water levels remained low only in the Indian River District.

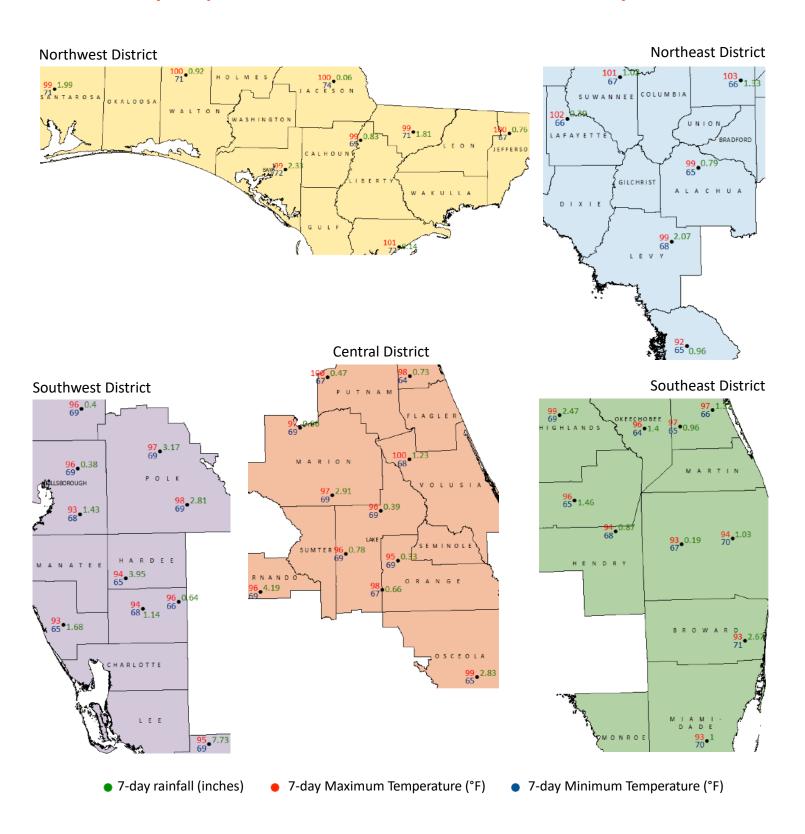
Soil Moisture Summary

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TOPSOIL	THIS WEEK (%)	PREVIOUS WEEK (%)
Very Short	2	4
Short	19	20
Adequate	74	68
Surplus	5	8

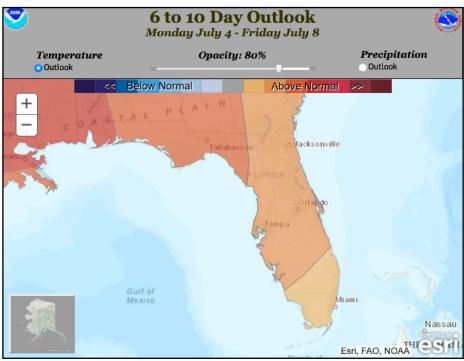


Weekly Temperature & Rainfall Data from FAWN Stations by District

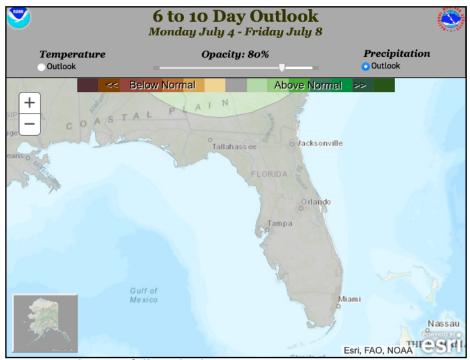




NWS 6-10 DAY OUTLOOKS



NWS 6-10 day Temperature Outlook



NWS 6-10 day Rainfall Outlook