

# Extension Agricultural Weather Report

December 13, 2021 - December 20, 2021.

## STATEWIDE CROP SUMMARY

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

### General

There were 6.7 days suitable for field work. Precipitation estimates ranged from little rain in some locations to 2.8 inches in Scottsmeer (Brevard County). The average temperature ranged from 60.3°F in Niceville (Okaloosa County) to 77.9°F at Bahia Honda State Park (Monroe County).

### Livestock and Pastures

Cattle condition remained mostly good throughout the state. Pasture condition remained mostly fair to good.

### Crops

A variety of fruits and vegetables were planted and marketed. Rainfall across the state relieved dry conditions. Cover crop planting continued. Cotton and soybean harvests were nearly complete. Some vegetables were being treated for disease.

### Citrus

Maximum temperatures were in the low to mid 80s across the citrus growing region. Most stations received a quarter inch or less of rainfall, but Vero Beach South (Indian River County) received 1.97 inches and Lakeland (Polk County) received 0.45 inches. According to the December 16, 2021 U.S. Drought Monitor, the entire citrus growing region was drought free. Early, midseason, and Navel oranges; Tangelos;

Sunburst, Tango, and Orri tangerines; Sugar Belles; and red and white grapefruit were all harvested for the fresh market.

Processing plants were receiving field run fruit, and accepting both orange and grapefruit packinghouse eliminations.

Grove activities included some spraying; mowing; disc harrowing under trees; dead and non-productive tree removal; and general grove maintenance.

Irrigation was run in all areas, and canal and irrigation ditch water levels were reported to be low in some locations.

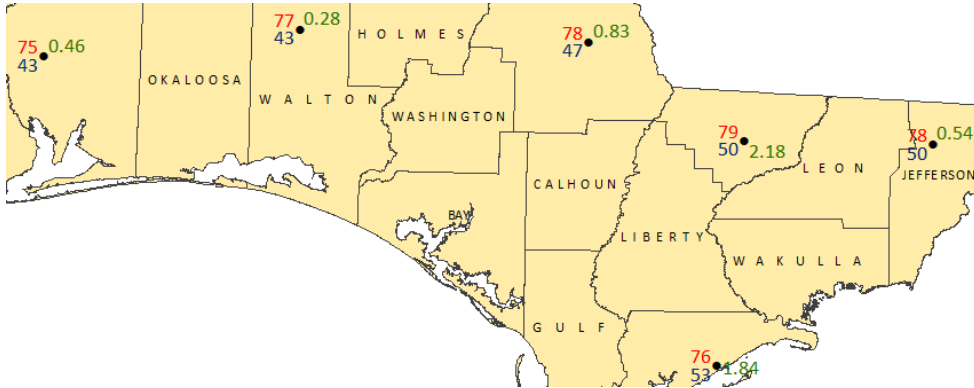
### Soil Moisture Summary

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

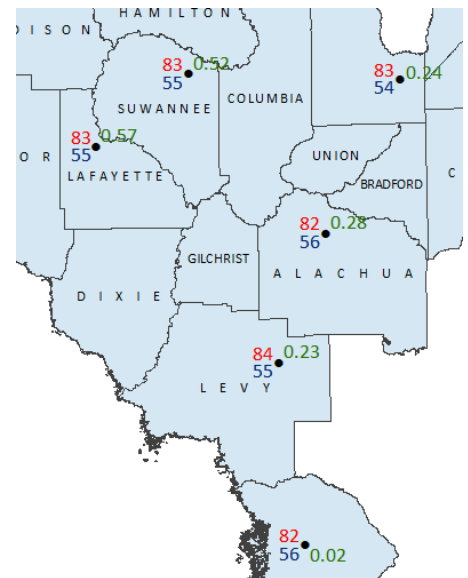
TOPSOIL	THIS WEEK (%)	PREVIOUS WEEK (%)
Very Short	7	2
Short	23	22
Adequate	68	69
Surplus	2	7

# Weekly Temperature & Rainfall Data from FAWN Stations by District

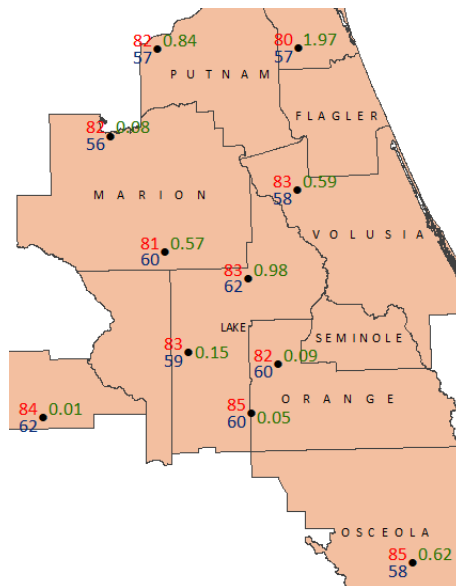
Northwest District



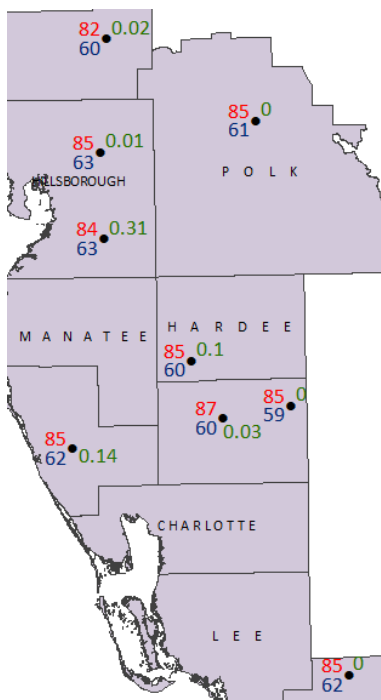
Northeast District



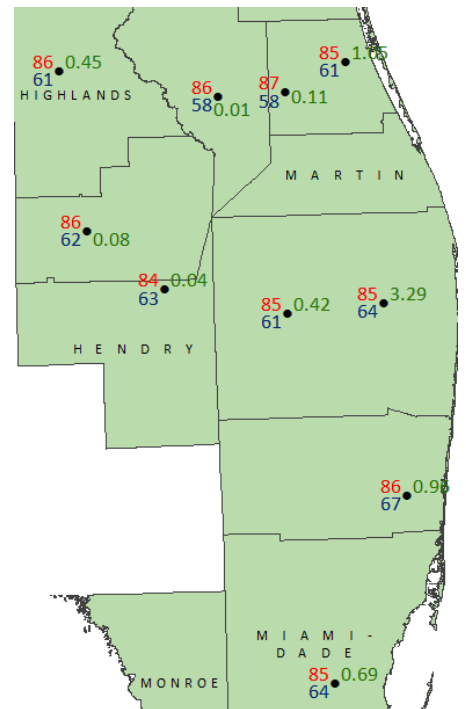
Central District



Southwest District



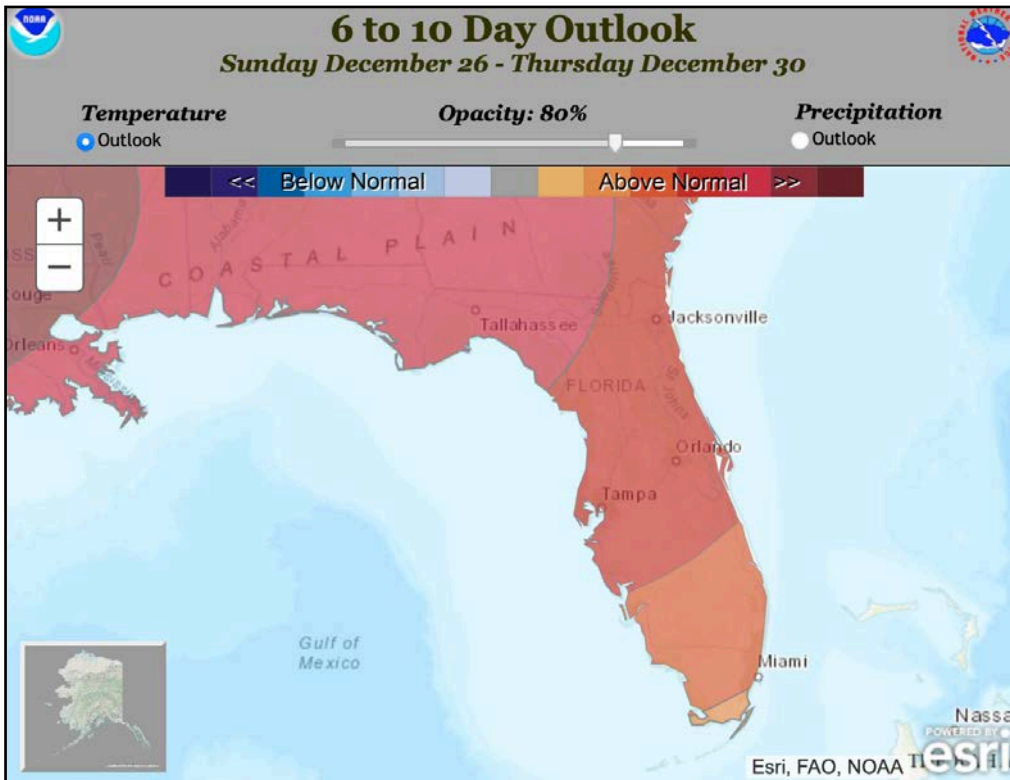
Southeast District



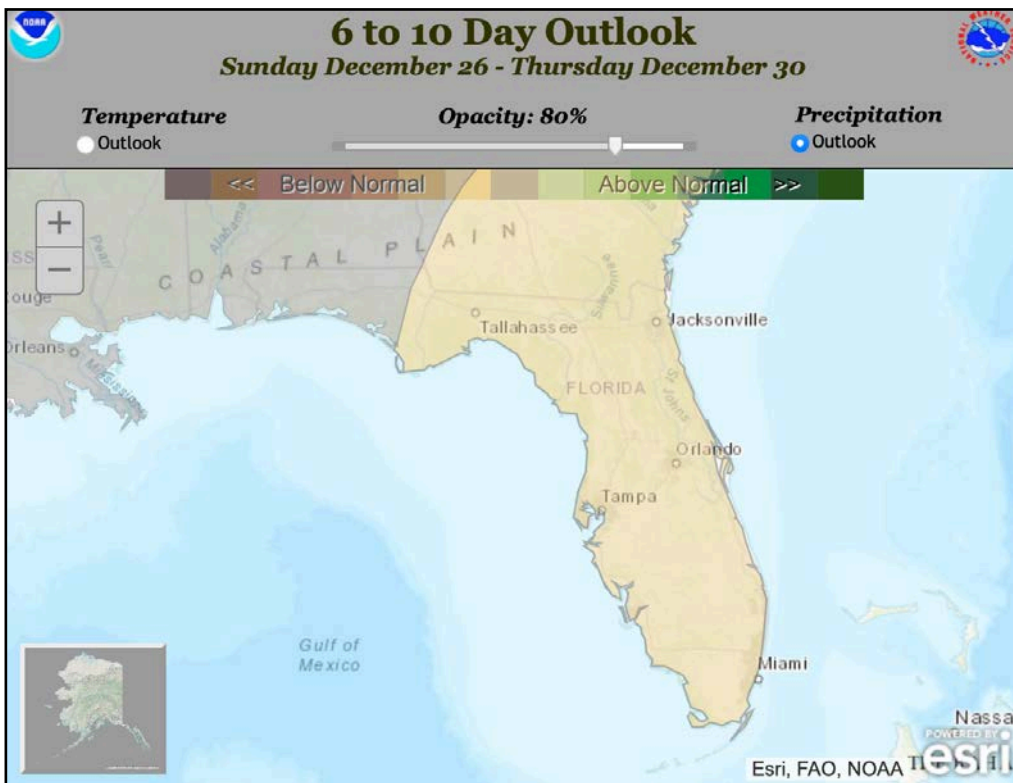
● 7-day rainfall (inches) ● 7-day Maximum Temperature (°F) ● 7-day Minimum Temperature (°F)



## NWS 6-10 DAY OUTLOOKS



NWS 6-10 day Temperature Outlook



NWS 6-10 day Rainfall Outlook

