

Extension Agricultural Weather Report

May 09, 2022 - May 16, 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 2.8 inches in Pensacola (Escambia County). The average temperature ranged from 68.7°F in Jacksonville (Duval County) to 84.5°F in Key West (Monroe County).

Livestock and Pastures

Cattle and range condition remained mostly fair and good. Pastures were showing some browning due to dry conditions. Cattle were fed supplemental hay.

Crops

A variety of fruits and vegetables were harvested last week. Persistent dry conditions limited planting activities, but cotton and peanut planting continued in the northern part of the state. Sugarcane harvest continued in the southern part of the state, and was close to completion.

Citrus

Maximum temperatures were in the mid to upper 80s across the citrus growing region. The citrus growing region received light precipitation, with Mount Plymouth (Lake County) receiving the most at 0.2 inches. According to the May 12, 2022 U.S. Drought Monitor, drought continued to impact the southern part of the

state.

Severe drought conditions receded, but moderate drought conditions still encompassed half the central and nearly all the southern and western areas. All harvesting activities were winding down. Grove activities included fertilizing; herbicide, pesticide, and nutritional application; mowing; hedging; removal of dead trees; young tree; and general grove maintenance. Irrigation was run frequently in all areas, and canal and irrigation ditch water levels remained low across the state.

Soil Moisture Summary

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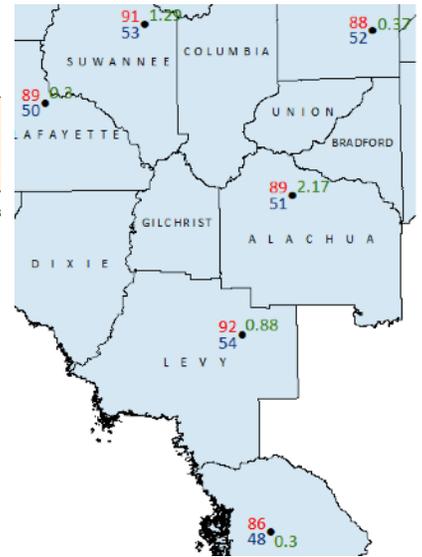
TOPSOIL	THIS WEEK (%)	PREVIOUS WEEK (%)
Very Short	6	10
Short	31	32
Adequate	61	55
Surplus	2	3

Weekly Temperature & Rainfall Data from FAWN Stations by District

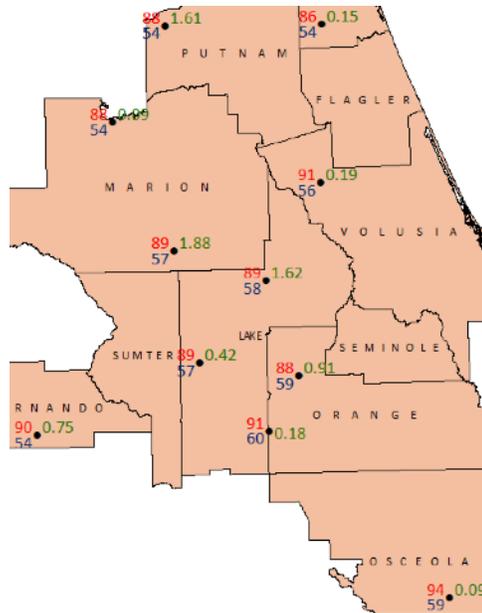
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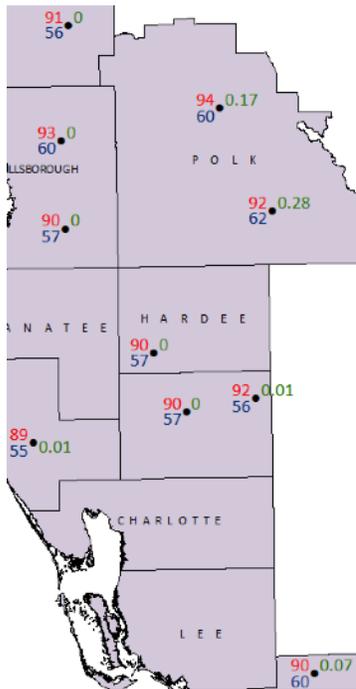
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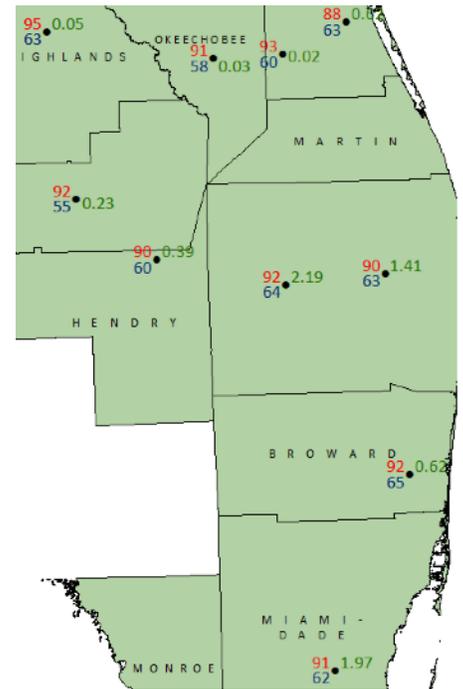
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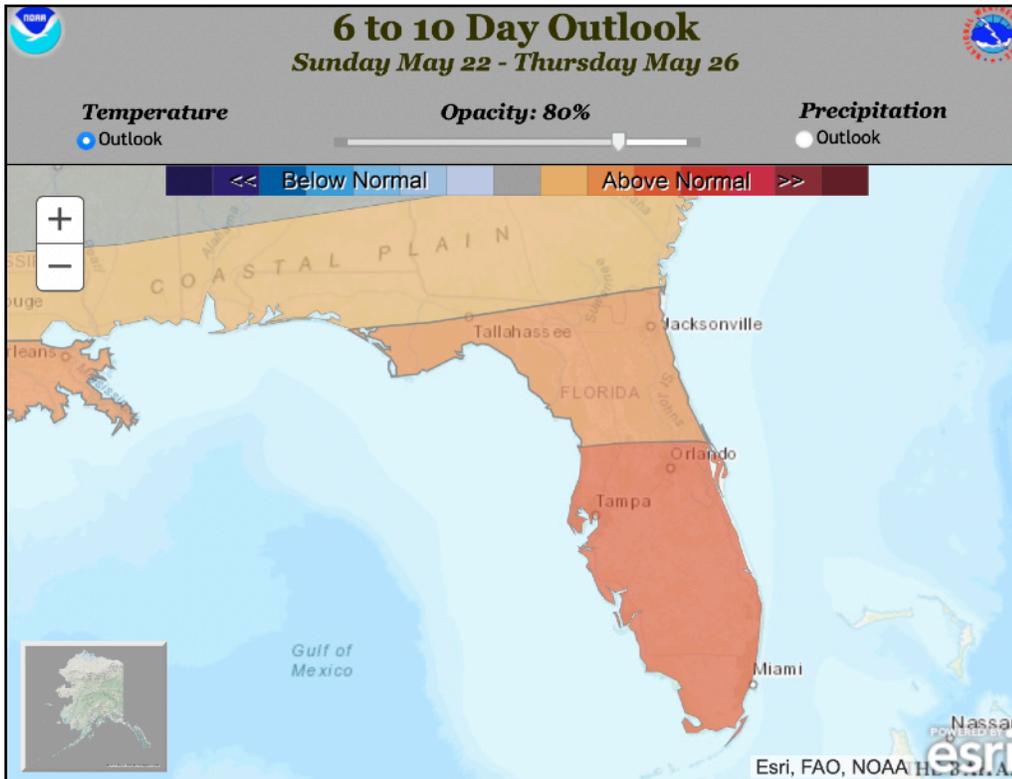
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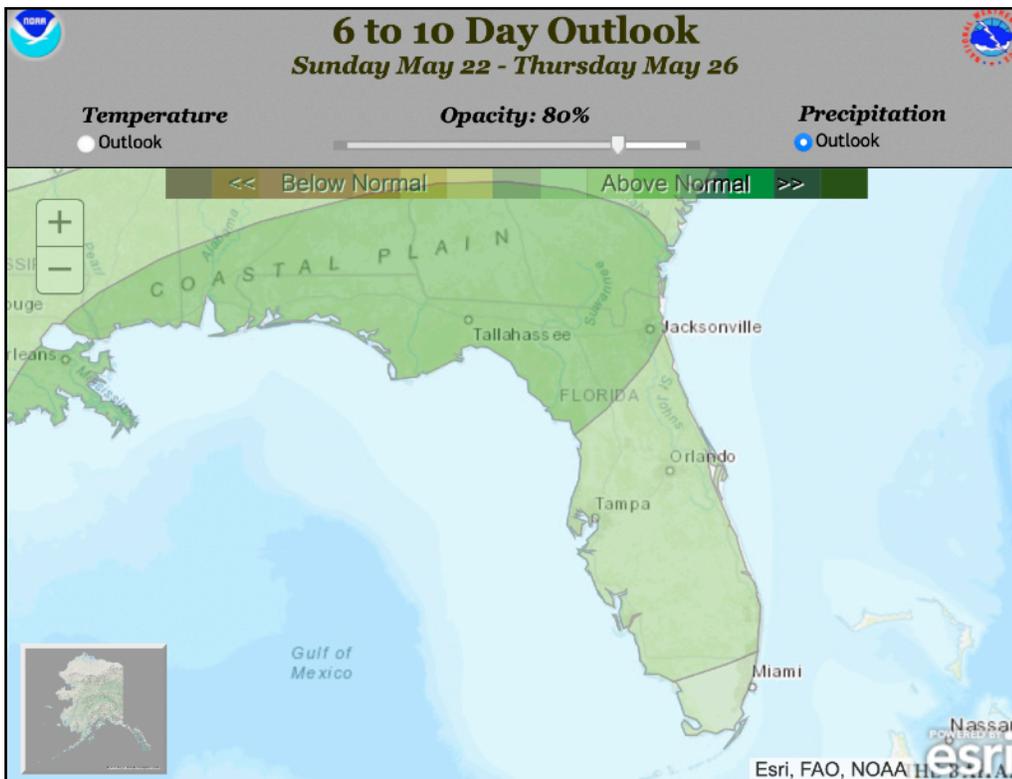
● 7-day rainfall (inches) ● 7-day Maximum Temperature (°F) ● 7-day Minimum Temperature (°F)



NWS 6-10 DAY OUTLOOKS



NWS 6-10 day Temperature Outlook



NWS 6-10 day Rainfall Outlook

