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

**General**
There were 5.5 days suitable for field work.
Precipitation estimates ranged from no rain in multiple locations to 8.1 inches in Apalachicola (Franklin County).
The average temperature ranged from 72.8°F in Chipley (Washington County) to 85.7°F in Key West (Monroe County).

**Livestock and Pastures**
Cattle and pasture condition remained mostly good throughout the state, with recent rains providing plenty of grass and room to roam.
Some producers reported that early calving had begun in some herds.

**Fruits and Vegetables**
A variety of fruits and vegetables continued being planted and marketed.
Vegetable growers in the southern peninsula continued field preparations for fall planting.

**Field Crops**
Many panhandle producers reported cotton loss due to heavy rains from Hurricane Sally, and more rainfall this week prevented field work.
Cotton producers reported ball rot.
Panhandle peanut producers reported fungal disease and rotting, and that they were not able to harvest.
Hay was cut in the central peninsula.
Sugarcane harvest began in the southern peninsula.

**Citrus**
Maximum temperatures were in the high 80s across the region, with a few locations in the low 90s.
LaBelle (Hendry County) received 7.4 inches of rainfall, followed by Sebring (Highlands County) which received 5.4 inches.
According to the September 24, 2020 U.S. Drought Monitor, the entire citrus growing region was drought free.
Next season’s early oranges were approximately baseball sized, Valencia oranges were approximately tennis ball to baseball sized, and grapefruit were approximately softball in size and larger.
Field workers reported less fruit drop than last season.
Grove activities included mowing, spraying herbicides and nutritional, fertilizing, removal of dead trees, planting of new trees, and general grove maintenance.

**Soil Moisture Summary**
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Weekly Temperature & Rainfall Data from FAWN Stations by District

Northwest District

Northeast District

Central District

Southeast District

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

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NWS 6-10 DAY OUTLOOK

6 to 10 Day Outlook
Monday October 5 - Friday October 9

Temperature
Outlook

Opacity: 100%

Precipitation
Outlook

<< Below Normal | Above Normal >>

NWS 6-10 day Rainfall Outlook

NWS 6-10 day Temperature Outlook