

# Extension Agricultural Weather Report

November 2, 2020 - November 9, 2020.

## STATEWIDE CROP SUMMARY

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

### General

There were 6.2 days suitable for field work. Precipitation estimates ranged from no rain in multiple locations to 8.7 inches at Fort Lauderdale International Airport (Broward County). The average temperature ranged from 58.9°F in Niceville (Okaloosa County) to 79.5°F at West Palm Beach International Airport (Palm Beach County).

### Livestock and Pastures

Cattle and pasture condition remained mostly good throughout the state. Fields were prepared for cool-season forage.

### Fruits and Vegetables

A variety of fruits and vegetables were planted and marketed.

### Field Crops

Row crop harvesting activities continued in the panhandle after a dry week. Cotton was defoliated, and harvest continued slowly. Peanut harvest was almost complete in the panhandle. Tropical storm winds and rainfall limited the amount of time farmers spent in the fields in the southern peninsula. Hay cutting continued in the central peninsula. Sugarcane planting and harvest continued in the southern peninsula as weather permitted.

### Citrus

Maximum temperatures were in the mid to upper 80s across the citrus growing region, with Clermont (Lake County) reaching 88°F.

Most stations received less than 0.5 inches of rainfall for the week. Arcadia (Desoto County) received the most, at 2.7 inches.

According to the November 5, 2020 U.S. Drought Monitor, the entire citrus growing region remained drought free.

Growers continued harvesting Fallglo and Early Pride tangerines, red grapefruit, and Navel and Hamlin oranges, all for the fresh market.

Two processing plants were receiving packinghouse eliminations and sixteen packinghouses were shipping fruit.

Next season's citrus crop continued progressing well. Grove activities included spraying, mowing, fertilizing, hedging, dead tree removal, and general grove maintenance.

Irrigation was run several times in most areas.

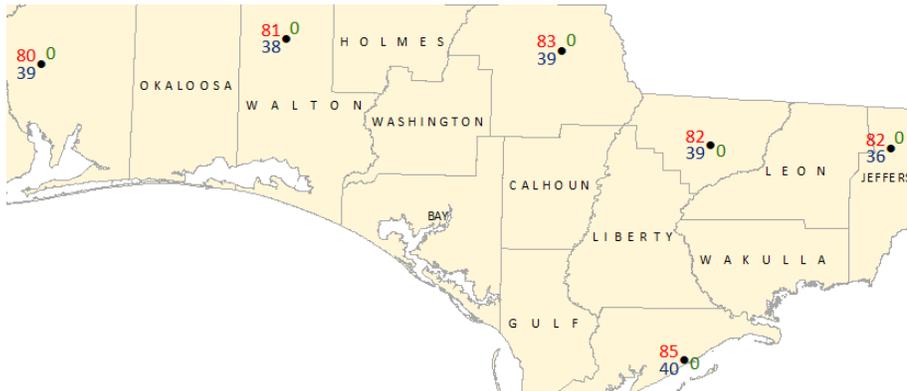
### Soil Moisture Summary

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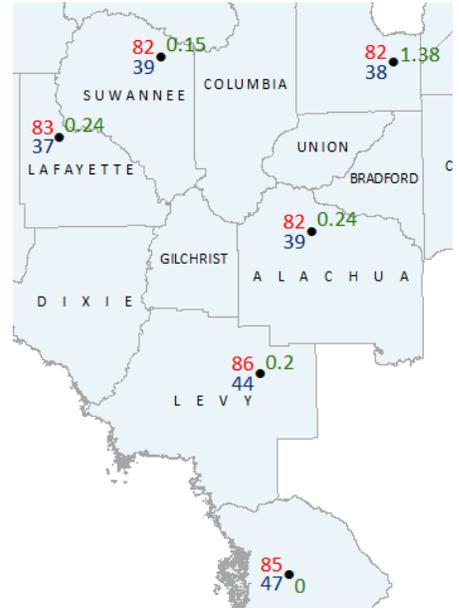
TOPSOIL	THIS WEEK (%)	PREVIOUS WEEK (%)
Very Short	1	2
Short	5	14
Adequate	67	50
Surplus	27	34

# Weekly Temperature & Rainfall Data from FAWN Stations by District

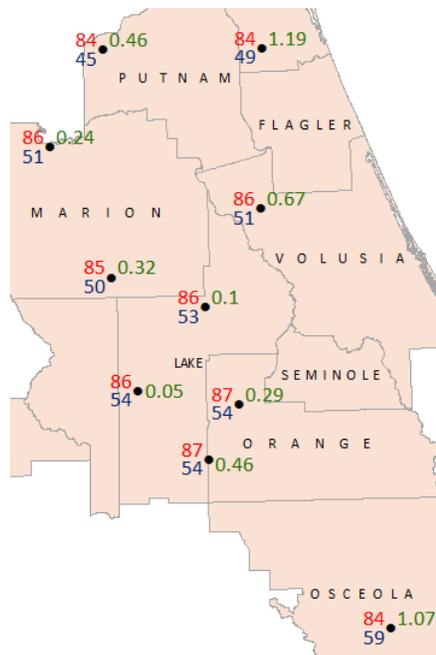
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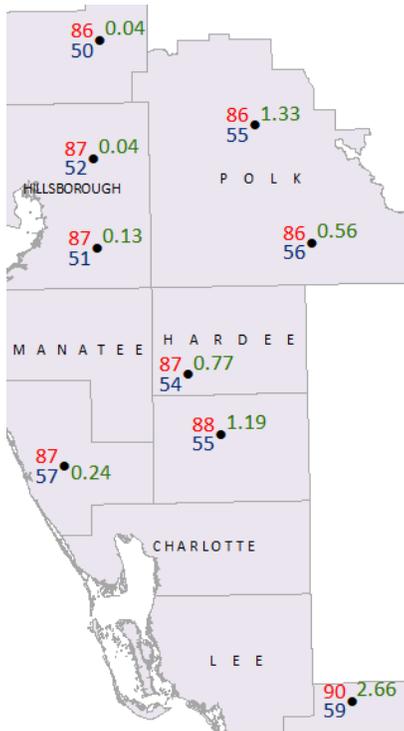
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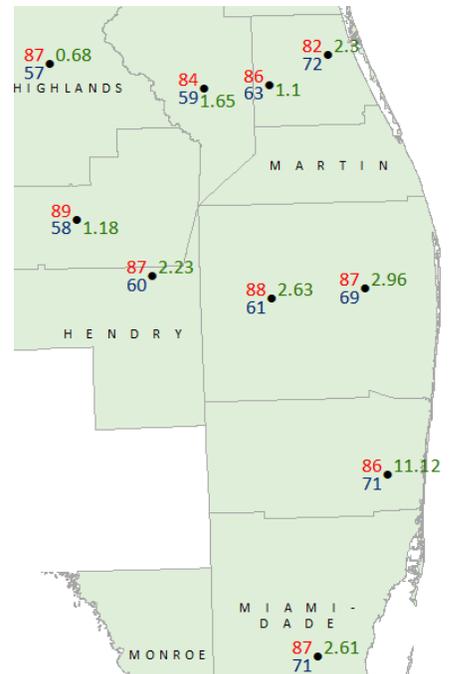
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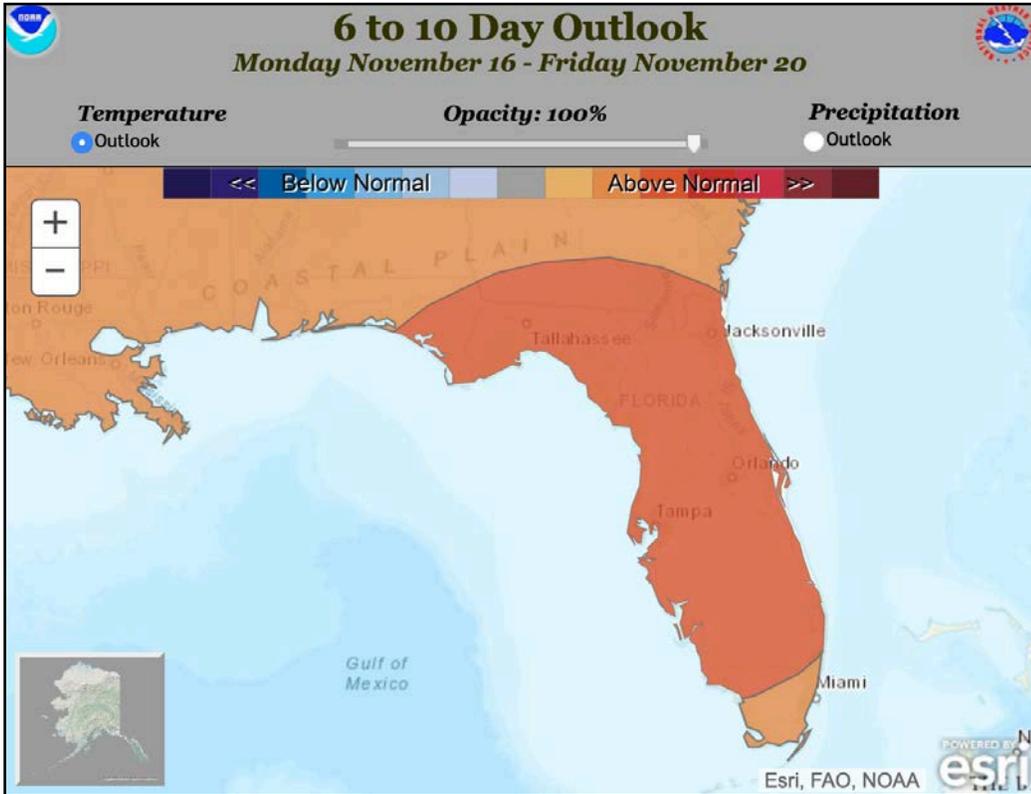
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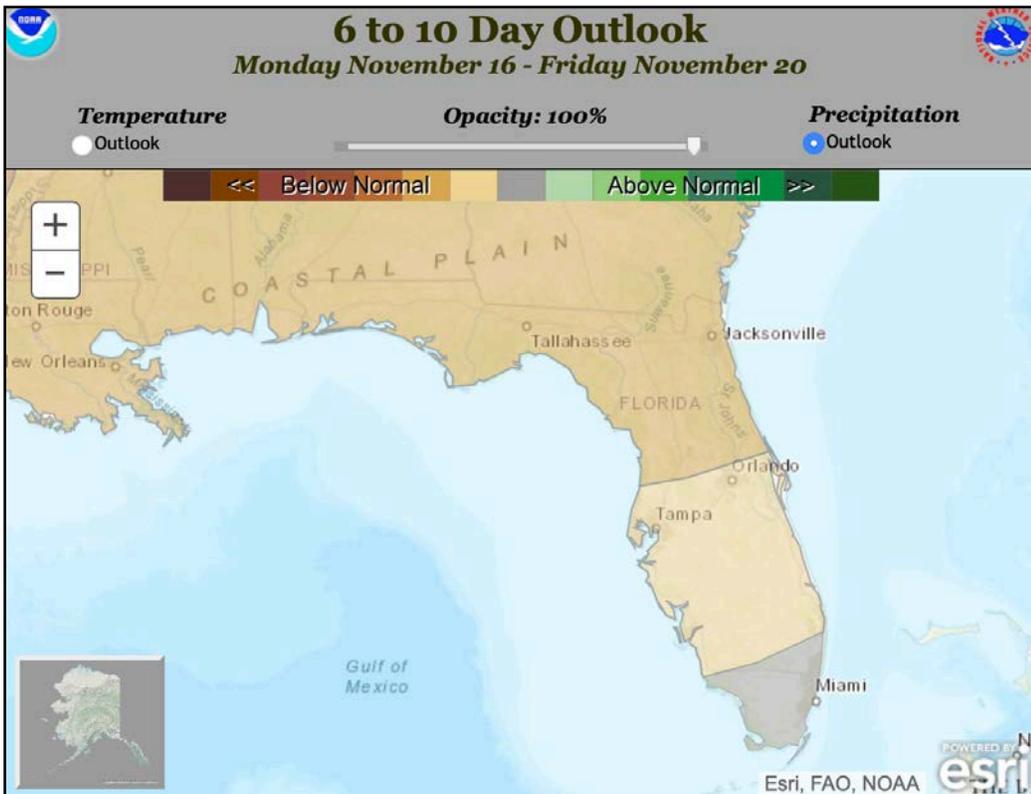
● 7-day rainfall (inches)    ● 7-day Maximum Temperature (°F)    ● 7-day Minimum Temperature (°F)



## NWS 6-10 DAY OUTLOOKS



NWS 6-10 day Temperature Outlook



NWS 6-10 day Rainfall Outlook

