

North Carolina Crop Progress & Condition Report

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CROP SUMMARY FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 26, 2026

Crop information in this report is provided voluntarily by county officials of the Cooperative Extension Service, FSA, NRCS, and other knowledgeable individuals.

DAYS SUITABLE FOR FIELD WORK

This Week	Last Week	Last Year
3.6	5.2	6.4

SOIL MOISTURE PERCENT

	VS	ST	A	SS
Subsoil Moisture	9	34	51	6
Topsoil Moisture	1	19	59	21
VS= Very Short ST = Short A = Adequate SS = Surplus				

CROP PROGRESS PERCENT – WITH COMPARISONS

This Week Last Week Last Year 5Yr Avg

PLANTED:

PHENOLOGICAL:

Corn Dough	73	56	80	65
Corn Dented	41	29	55	30
Cotton Squaring	93	90	92	87
Cotton Setting Bolls	67	44	60	47
Peanuts Pegging	97	84	93	86
Soybeans Blooming	80	66	70	64
Soybeans Setting Pods	49	35	46	39

HARVESTED:

Apples	17	13	10	n/a
Hay: Second Cutting	44	40	71	48
Oats	95	89	94	95
Peaches	56	48	65	54
Tobacco: Flue-Cured	12	n/a	30	14

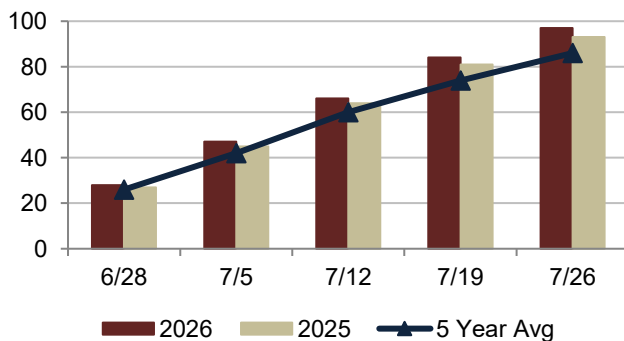
CROP CONDITION PERCENT

VP P F G EX

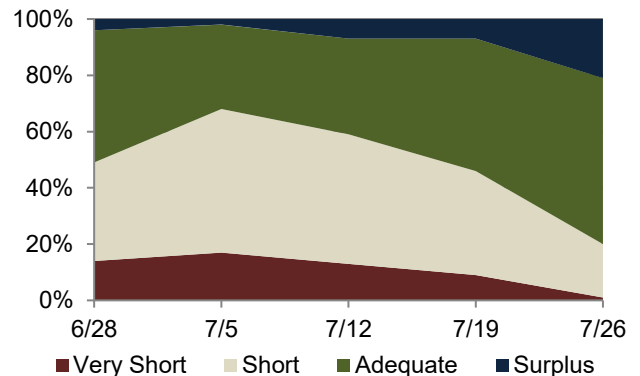
Apples	0	4	30	66	0
Corn	16	25	35	18	6
Cotton	1	1	21	48	29
Hay	2	56	25	15	2
Pasture	5	34	38	21	2
Peanuts	1	1	17	47	34
Sorghum	0	4	42	41	13
Soybeans	1	6	30	49	14
Sweetpotatoes	3	3	28	40	26
Tobacco: Burley	0	5	33	62	0
Tobacco: Flue-Cured	1	5	35	42	17

VP = Very Poor P = Poor F = Fair G = Good EX = Excellent

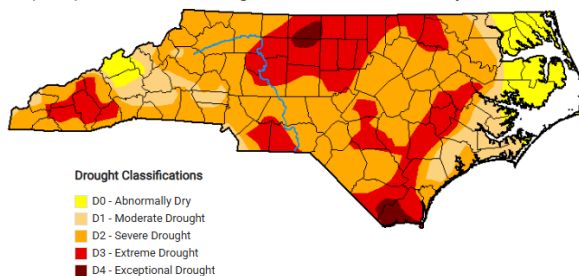
PEANUTS PEGGING



TOPSOIL MOISTURE PERCENT

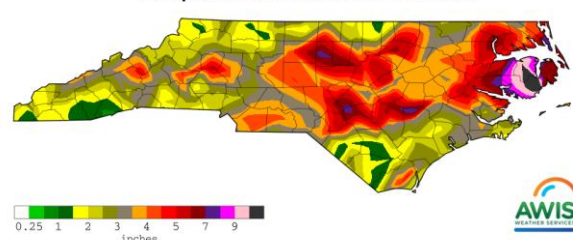


Map depicts current drought conditions as of July 21, 2026.



The US Drought Monitor focuses on broad scale conditions. Information provided for North Carolina is relative to information provided from all other states and the North Carolina Drought Management Advisory Council. Local conditions may vary.
<http://www.ncdrought.org/>

Precipitation for 07/20/2026 to 07/26/2026



Map depicts accumulations through dates listed. This product is made possible by AWIS Weather Services, Inc. <http://www.awis.com/>

WEATHER SUMMARY FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 26, 2026 ¹

Location	Precipitation (Inches)				Temperature (Degrees F)				
	This Week		Year to Date		This Week				
	Total	Departure from Normal	Total	Departure from Normal	High	Low	Avg.	Departure from Normal	Degree Days (YTD)
Asheboro	4.55	3.49	19.43	-7.43	91	65	75	-3	2654
Asheville_Munic	3	2.14	28.29	0.31	88	64	75	2	2339
Boone	2.28	1.23	24.15	-7.18	85	58	69	2	1711
Burlington AP	7.53	6.48	20.65	-5.95	97	64	77	-2	2819
Charlotte	2.6	1.73	18.71	-6.43	98	67	80	-1	3213
Clayton WTP	6.4	5.28	26.44	-0.33	93	66	76	-3	2928
Clinton_2NE	3.41	1.8	21.43	-9.26	99	64	79	0	3116
Elizabeth City 1.8 SE	3.94	2.8	24.99	-2.7	94	63	77	-2	2946
Elizabethtown_NC	1.08	-0.39	17.52	-10.41	99	69	83	3	3408
Erwin_AP	3.09	1.83	19.94	-8.14	98	69	79	0	3114
Fayetteville_AP	4.37	3.07	17.44	-9.43	99	67	81	0	3311
Frisco	3.2	1.98	27.9	-1.91	88	71	79	0	3030
Gastonia-Gaston	2.17	1.26	16.99	-10.23	98	66	79	-1	2946
Goldsboro_AFB	3.76	2.5	21.52	-6.8	98	67	80	-1	3266
Greensboro_AP	4.11	3.11	18.25	-6.93	93	65	76	-2	2849
Greenville Airport	3.47	2.24	20.37	-8.18	96	64	78	-1	3195
Hickory	2.99	2.08	18.55	-10.91	92	64	76	-2	2776
Jacksonville_AP	3.03	1.39	20.19	-9.76	95	67	82	2	3247
Jacksonville_EOC	3.03	1.36	24.37	-7.8	95	67	82	2	3246
Jefferson_2E	1.85	0.81	21.48	-6.42	86	58	70	0	1680
Kinston Airport	3.73	2.54	18.19	-10.04	97	64	79	-2	3209
Louisburg	6.48	5.45	26.83	0.59	93	65	77	0	2761
Mt_Airy_2W	1.47	0.43	21.88	-4.64	90	65	74	-1	2329
New_Bern	2.71	1.17	23.28	-7.63	94	68	80	1	3209
North_Wilkesboro	2.85	1.88	19.82	-9.31	90	63	75	-1	2436
Oxford_NC	1.47	0.39	14.97	-10.67	91	62	73	-5	2485
Raleigh	5.69	4.71	21.22	-3.93	92	66	77	-2	3196
Red Springs 3.8 NW	1.48	0.11	18.84	-10.34	96	68	81	0	3227
Reidsville_2NW	1.95	0.9	14.92	-11.23	95	66	76	-1	2849
Roanoke_Rap_Dam	3.13	2.01	19.74	-6.98	92	65	77	-2	2875
Robbinsville_AG	1.69	0.43	27.59	-10.69	88	66	76	3	2397
Rockingham	3.59	2.15	19.93	-8.79	96	69	80	1	3245
Roxboro Airport	2.28	1.23	18.12	-7.2	93	64	76	-1	2618
Southern_Pines	4.3	3.13	20.23	-7.36	97	66	79	-1	3204
Statesville_2NNE	4.12	3.28	21.48	-5.34	91	63	75	-2	2565
Tarboro_1S	4.08	3.02	19.57	-7.27	96	64	77	-2	2878
Vale_Ag_2SW	1.59	0.6	21.26	-6.59	94	64	76	-1	2688
Wadesboro_AP	4.12	2.93	16.26	-11.82	99	70	81	0	3138
Washington	5.28	3.84	21.87	-7.97	96	64	78	-1	3195
Waynesville_1E	2.68	1.77	23.38	-4.86	88	65	73	3	1990
Whiteville_7NW	1.66	0.3	17.05	-12.79	99	69	83	2	3385
Williamston_1E	4.56	3.3	25.34	-2.94	96	64	77	-1	3022
Wilmington_AP_NC	3.16	1.38	19.36	-12.22	96	69	83	2	3392
Winston-Salem	2.21	1.21	20.03	-5.15	92	65	76	-2	2629

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