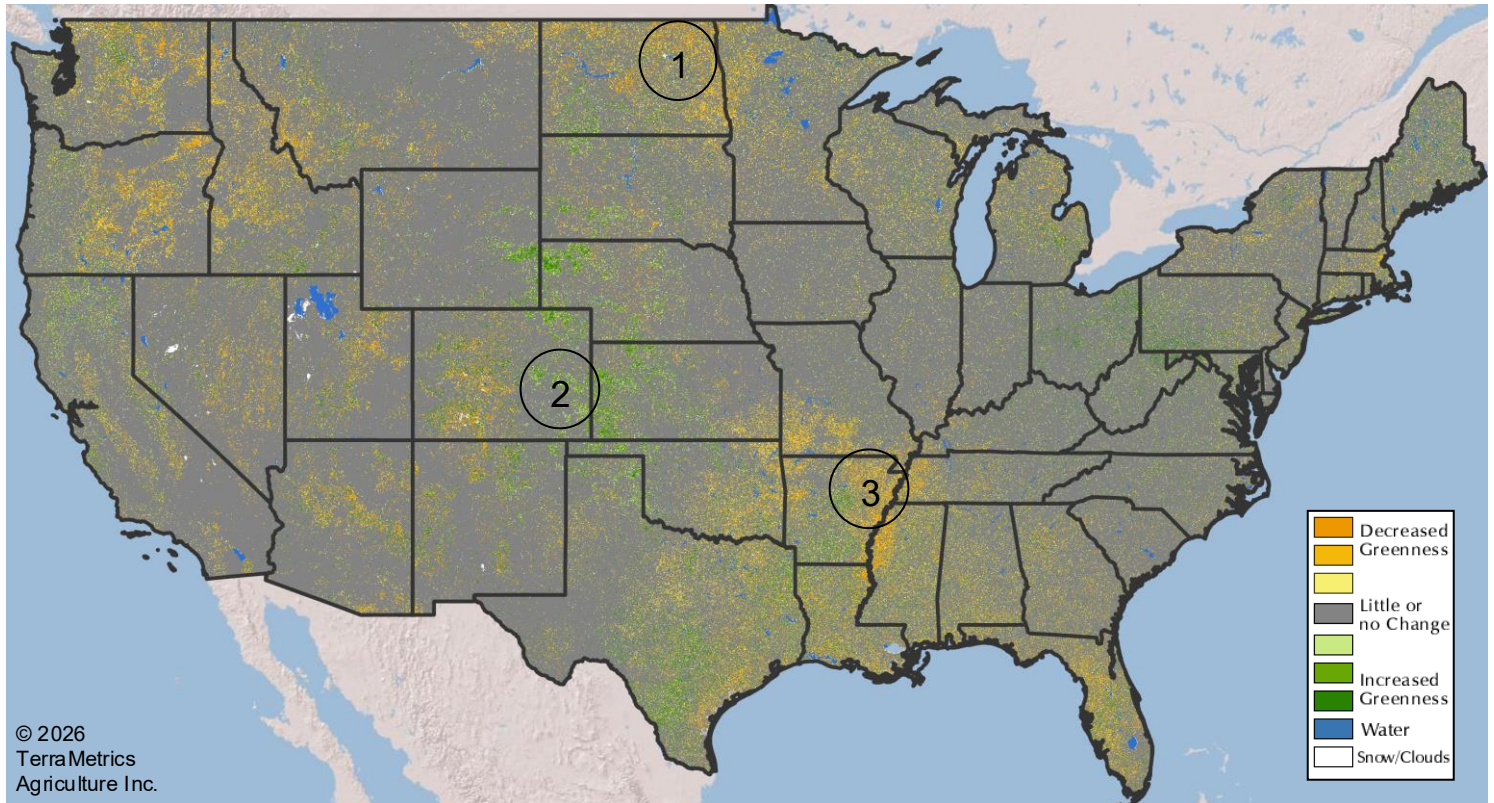


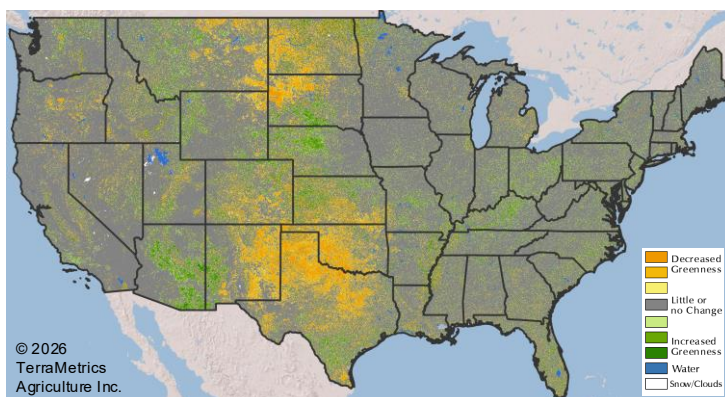
Highlights... Changes Since Last Week

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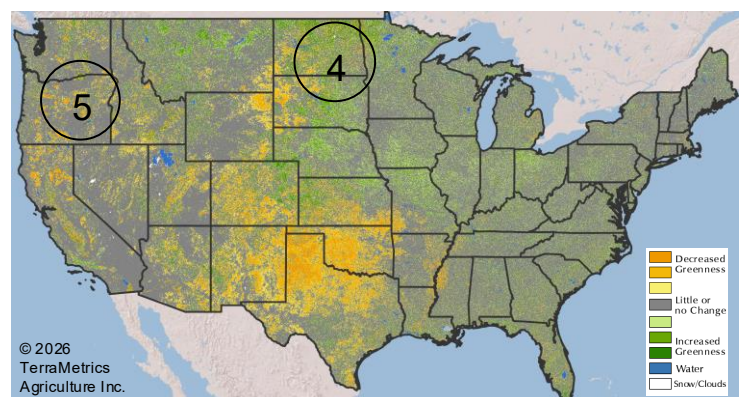


1. In North Dakota, recent warm and dry conditions have accelerated the spring wheat harvest, which has reached approximately 40% completion.
2. Moisture from the remnants of Tropical Storm Iselle strengthened monsoonal activity, bringing enhanced precipitation to portions of the High Plains.
3. Early crop maturity in the lower Mississippi Valley has supported rapid harvest progress, with more than half of the corn and rice acreage now harvested.
4. Compared to seasonal averages, the northern Great Plains are exhibiting noticeably enhanced vegetative vigor and greenness.
5. Fire-scarred areas exhibiting reduced vegetation greenness are evident across Oregon and adjacent regions.

DIFFERENCE from LAST YEAR



DIFFERENCE from AVERAGE



USDA CROP CONDITIONS Week of August 31, 2026

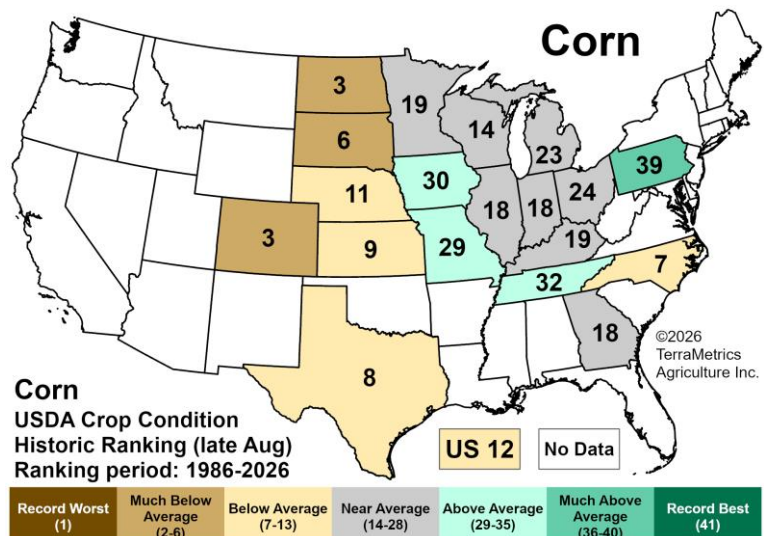
The tables below contain crop condition percentages from the most recent state-level USDA crop progress reports released 8/31/26 for the top-10 corn and soybean states. **For comparison, numbers from last week (8/24/26) are shown in parentheses.**

"Historic Rank" was determined by compiling nearby condition rating since the mid-1980s and evaluating how the latest 2026 condition ratings stack up.

USDA CORN CROP CONDITIONS

State	VP-P	F	G-E	Historic Rank*
IA	6 (6)	17 (16)	77 (78)	30 (31)
IL	12 (12)	30 (30)	58 (58)	18 (14)
NE	17 (17)	25 (28)	58 (55)	11 (11)
MN	12 (10)	26 (26)	62 (64)	19 (22)
IN	10 (10)	28 (28)	62 (62)	18 (18)
SD	32 (29)	29 (29)	39 (42)	6 (6)
KS	31 (31)	27 (27)	42 (42)	9 (8)
OH	8 (8)	31 (31)	61 (61)	24 (22)
MO	7 (9)	25 (25)	68 (66)	29 (28)
WI	13 (12)	25 (23)	62 (65)	14 (15)
US	17 (17)	26 (26)	57 (57)	12 (11)

* 1 = worst, 41 = best



USDA SOYBEAN CROP CONDITIONS

State	VP-P	F	G-E	Historic Rank*
IL	12 (12)	29 (29)	59 (59)	20 (17)
IA	5 (5)	18 (18)	77 (77)	32 (31)
MN	13 (9)	30 (26)	57 (65)	16 (24)
IN	10 (11)	27 (28)	63 (61)	19 (17)
NE	11 (12)	24 (24)	65 (64)	19 (17)
MO	8 (10)	30 (30)	62 (60)	30 (29)
OH	8 (9)	34 (33)	58 (58)	24 (22)
SD	25 (24)	30 (30)	45 (46)	5 (5)
ND	29 (30)	41 (43)	30 (27)	3 (3)
KS	24 (17)	32 (33)	44 (50)	11 (12)
US	13 (12)	29 (28)	58 (60)	22 (21)

* 1 = worst, 41 = best

