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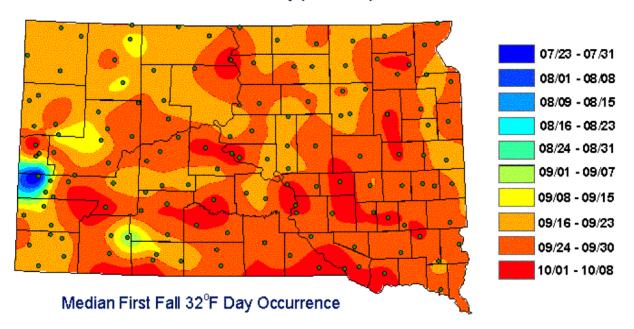
PLANT SCIENCE

South Dakota Frost Dates

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FALL FROST DATES

50% probability that the first fall 32° F temperature will occur on or before this day (1974-2003)



September 8th-15th: Custer, Hill City, Kyle

September 16th-23rd: Aberdeen, Belle Fourche, Britton, Brookings, Deadwood, Dupree, Highmore, Hot Springs, Martin, Philip

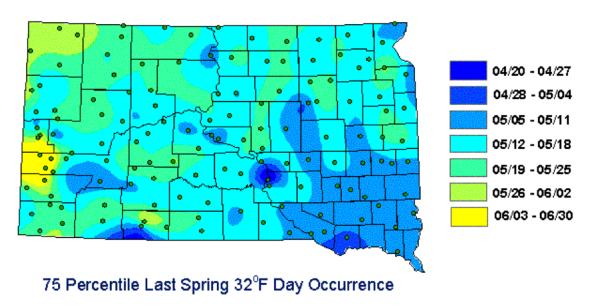
September 24th-30th: Bison, Clear Lake, Forestburg, Gettysburg, Huron, Lemmon, Madison, Mission, Rapid City, Sioux Falls, Sisseton, Timber Lake, Vermillion, Watertown

October 1-8th: Chamberlain, De Smet, Kadoka, Mitchell, Murdo, Pierre, Spearfish, Tyndall, Wagner, Winner



Spring Frost-Free Dates

75% probability that the last spring 32°F temperature will occur on or before this day (1974-2003)



April 20th-27th: Chamberlain

April 28th-May 5th: Tyndall

May 5th-11th: De Smet, Martin, Madison, Mitchell, Pierre, Sioux Falls, Vermillion, Wagner

May 12th-18th: Aberdeen, Belle Fourche, Britton, Clear Lake, Forestburg, Gettysburg, Huron, Murdo,

Rapid City, Sisseton, Spearfish, Watertown, Winner

May 19th-25th: Bison, Brookings, Dupree, Highmore, Hot Springs, Kadoka, Lemmon, Mission, Philip,

Timber Lake

May 26th-June 2: Kyle, Deadwood

June 3rd-30th: Custer, Hill City

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