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Estimated soil moisture deficit and potential evapotranspiration  
over Great Britain

Soil Moisture Deficit at 0900 GMT on 2 April 1975

The limited areas in England, mainly in Essex and South Lincolnshire, where a deficit with regard to deep-rooted vegetation still existed in December were all restored to field capacity by mid March.

Insignificant deficits have developed since, mainly in southern England, east and south west Scotland. Largest deficits, amounting to some 10 to 12 millimetres, have developed in the Lothians and Ayrshire.

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