



# Indiana Crop & Weather Report

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## CROP REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 14

### AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY

Corn and soybean harvest continued early in the week, but continuous shower activity in most areas after mid-week halted field activities. Most regions of the state received over two inches of precipitation. Ponding occurred in low lying areas of some fields. Corn harvest is 1 day ahead of average, but soybean harvest is 2 days behind average. Many farmers visited FSA offices to collect on LDP.

### FIELD CROPS REPORT

There were **3.9 days suitable for fieldwork**. Ninety-nine percent of the corn acreage is **mature** compared with 100 percent last year and 96 percent for the average. Thirty-eight percent of the corn acreage is **harvested** compared with 48 percent a year earlier and 36 percent for the 5-year average. By region, 24 percent of the corn acreage is harvested in the north, 36 percent in the central region and 69 percent in the south. **Moisture** content of harvested corn is averaging 19 percent.

Virtually all of the soybean acreage is **shedding leaves** compared with 100 percent last year and 99 percent for the average. Ninety-six percent of the soybean acreage is **mature** compared with 97 percent last year and 93 percent for the average. Fifty-five percent of the soybean acreage is **harvested** compared with 62 percent last year and 62 percent for the average. By region, 43 percent of the soybean acreage is harvested in the north, 65 percent in the central region and 55 percent in the south. **Moisture** content of harvested soybeans is averaging 12.5 percent.

Forty-four percent of the **winter wheat** acreage is seeded compared with 43 percent last year and 49 percent for the average. Fourteen percent of the winter wheat acreage is **emerged** compared with 9 percent last year and 17 percent for the average.

### LIVESTOCK, PASTURE AND RANGE REPORT

**Pasture condition** is rated 7 percent excellent, 43 percent good, 32 percent fair, 14 percent poor and 4 percent very poor. Livestock remain in mostly good condition. Fall calving is winding down.

### CROP PROGRESS TABLE

Crop	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Year Avg
Percent				
Corn Mature	99	94	100	96
Corn Harvested	38	31	48	36
Soybeans Shedding Lv	100	98	100	99
Soybeans Mature	96	87	97	93
Soybeans Harvested	55	44	62	62
Winter Wheat Seeded	44	26	43	49
Winter Wheat Emerged	14	4	9	17

### CROP CONDITION TABLE

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Percent					
Corn	1	4	17	55	23
Soybeans	1	5	19	54	21
Pasture	4	14	32	43	7

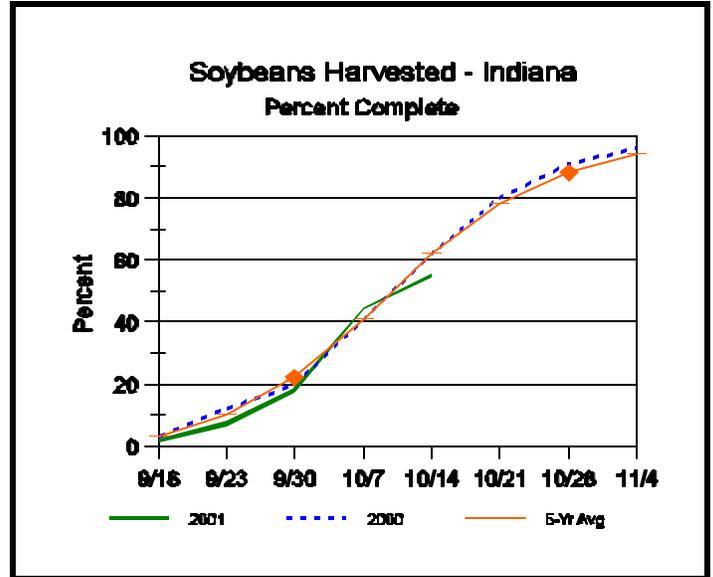
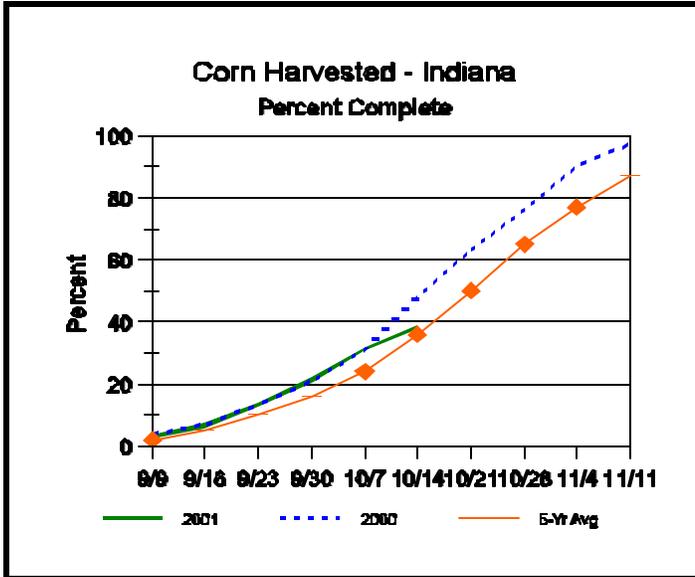
### SOIL MOISTURE & DAYS SUITABLE FOR FIELDWORK TABLE

	This Week	Last Week	Last Year
Percent			
<b>Topsoil</b>			
Very Short	1	2	0
Short	4	15	8
Adequate	60	74	78
Surplus	35	9	14
<b>Subsoil</b>			
Very Short	5	7	6
Short	16	24	16
Adequate	66	66	66
Surplus	13	3	12
<b>Days Suitable</b>	3.9	6.0	6.1

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# Crop Progress



## Other Agricultural Comments And News

### PRELIMINARY DISTRICT ESTIMATES OCTOBER 2001

District	Planted Acres		Harvested Acres		Yield		Production	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	Thousands		Thousands		Bushels		Thousand Bushels	
<b>Corn</b>								
NW	913	930	894	910	140	153	124,940	139,613
NC	750	790	719	760	137	155	98,708	118,124
NE	549	560	520	535	136	141	70,616	75,643
WC	697	740	686	725	146	165	100,192	119,954
C	1,185	1,220	1,172	1,205	153	168	179,266	202,997
EC	456	480	447	470	154	165	68,978	77,763
SW	774	790	759	775	160	163	121,105	126,673
SC	188	190	176	180	146	154	25,745	27,796
SE	188	200	177	190	149	165	26,300	31,437
State	5,700	5,900	5,550	5,750	147	160	815,850	920,000
<b>Soybeans</b>								
NW	749	770	747	768	43	49	32,055	37,361
NC	646	710	644	708	45	48	29,080	33,725
NE	618	660	614	658	42	46	25,563	30,009
WC	670	700	668	698	47	48	31,357	33,248
C	1,192	1,240	1,188	1,236	50	54	59,296	66,390
EC	521	570	519	567	47	50	24,208	28,158
SW	671	700	669	697	45	48	29,958	33,201
SC	193	210	192	209	49	47	9,303	9,744
SE	240	240	239	239	47	48	11,260	11,384
State	5,500	5,800	5,480	5,780	46	49	252,080	283,220

# Weather Information Table

**Week ending Sunday October 14, 2001**

Station	Past Week Weather Summary Data							Accumulation				
	Air				Precip.		Avg	April 1, 2001 thru October 14, 2001				
	Temperature				Precip.		4 in	Precipitation		GDD Base 50°F		
	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Soil Temp	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN
<b>Northwest (1)</b>												
Valparaiso_Ag	72	39	59	+4	4.87	5		30.09	+4.54	95	3124	+248
Wanatah	72	30	55	+2	3.66	4	58	30.12	+5.54	90	2826	+90
Wheatfield	73	31	56	+3	4.00	4		26.66	+2.91	82	3077	+285
Winamac	72	28	56	+2	3.38	4	56	29.12	+5.47	85	3069	+190
<b>North Central(2)</b>												
Logansport	71	36	57	+3	3.70	4		34.19	+11.22	82	3116	+138
Plymouth	72	28	56	+2	3.13	4		27.63	+3.27	86	2920	-111
South_Bend	72	41	58	+5	2.92	3		27.49	+3.81	81	3111	+271
Young_America	73	36	57	+3	3.25	3		30.44	+7.47	74	3163	+185
<b>Northeast (3)</b>												
Bluffton	73	34	57	+2	2.31	4	57	26.38	+3.78	84	3143	+77
Fort_Wayne	73	37	58	+4	3.03	3		30.12	+9.10	81	3114	+131
<b>West Central (4)</b>												
Crawfordsville	72	33	55	-2	4.86	4	59	28.50	+3.90	77	3068	-131
Perrysville	72	37	57	+3	4.71	5	61	25.14	+0.41	71	3321	+187
Terre_Haute_Ag	73	31	57	-1	6.24	4	61	34.73	+9.75	71	3554	+205
W_Lafayette_6NW	72	36	57	+3	4.89	4	58	25.62	+2.30	72	3264	+294
<b>Central (5)</b>												
Castleton	72	31	57	+1	2.75	4		32.02	+8.16	75	3400	+88
Greenfield	73	40	61	+5	3.88	3		35.54	+10.05	79	3679	+489
Greensburg	74	40	60	+5	3.19	4		31.90	+7.08	85	3542	+435
Indianapolis_AP	73	40	60	+5	3.65	4		30.49	+7.17	67	3612	+295
Indianapolis_SE	72	36	57	+2	3.21	3		29.85	+5.99	76	3279	-33
Tipton_Ag	72	29	56	+3	3.19	3	50	25.99	+2.10	67	3010	+135
<b>East Central (6)</b>												
Farmland	75	31	57	+4	2.63	4	55	31.29	+8.26	82	3062	+258
New_Castle	68	28	56	+2	2.45	3		35.19	+10.76	77	2774	-101
<b>Southwest (7)</b>												
Dubois_Ag	75	36	60	+4	3.69	5	60	28.29	+1.40	71	3781	+389
Evansville	75	40	62	+4	3.72	4		28.03	+4.39	72	4096	+243
Freelandville	71	35	59	+3	4.53	3		27.10	+2.51	55	3742	+281
Shoals	71	31	58	+2	3.63	4		29.83	+3.28	68	3555	+199
Vincennes_5NE	73	38	61	+4	4.80	4	57	24.76	+0.17	57	3933	+472
<b>South Central(8)</b>												
Bloomington	72	33	59	+2	3.91	4		29.27	+4.04	73	3548	+140
Tell_City	75	35	61	+3	2.87	4		26.12	-0.79	54	4029	+297
<b>Southeast (9)</b>												
Scottsburg	75	34	60	+4	3.14	4		29.83	+4.55	87	3686	+240

DFN = Departure From Normal (Using 1961-90 Normals Period).

GDD = Growing Degree Days.

Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches.

Precipitation Days = Days with precipitation of 0.01 inch or more.

Air Temperatures in Degrees Fahrenheit.

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## PRELIMINARY DISTRICT ESTIMATES (CONTINUED)

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	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	<u>Thousands</u>		<u>Thousands</u>		<u>Bushels</u>		<u>Thousand Bushels</u>	
	<i><b>Wheat</b></i>							
NW	20	21	18	20	70	63	1,255	1,266
NC	44	36	42	35	69	66	2,884	2,321
NE	101	65	94	64	69	65	6,517	4,179
WC	45	29	43	28	68	63	2,932	1,772
C	73	63	70	58	77	69	5,383	4,021
EC	42	36	40	35	79	72	3,174	2,532
SW	164	110	151	104	65	65	9,750	6,791
SC	32	19	25	16	61	53	1,517	852
SE	29	21	27	20	66	67	1,778	1,346
State	550	400	510	380	69	66	35,190	25,080

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