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CROP REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 12

AGRICULTURAL SUMMARY

Harvest progress of corn and soybeans was hindered during the week by rain showers and saturated soils, according to the Indiana Field Office of USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Many farmers are cutting ruts in fields and causing compaction in their efforts to finish up harvest. Emergence and growth of winter wheat continues to be slow due to the cool, wet conditions.

FIELD CROPS REPORT

There were 3.8 **days suitable for field work**. Seventy-nine percent of the corn acreage is now **harvested** compared with 95 percent for last year and 90 percent for the 5-year average. By area, 79 percent of the corn acreage has been harvested in both the north and central regions and 80 percent in the south. **Moisture** content of harvested corn continues to average about 18 percent.

Ninety-one percent of the soybean acreage has been **harvested** compared with 99 percent last year and 97 percent for the 5-year average. By area, 95 percent of the soybean acreage is harvested in the north, 94 percent in the central region, and 79 percent in the south. **Moisture** content of harvested soybeans is averaging about 13 percent.

Ninety-seven percent of the **winter wheat** acreage has been **planted** compared with 100 percent for last year and 98 percent for the 5-year average. Seventy-three percent of the winter wheat acreage has **emerged** compared with 95 percent for last year and 89 percent for the 5-year average.

LIVESTOCK, PASTURE AND RANGE REPORT

Pastures and feedlots are very muddy in many areas of the state. Hay is in good supply for the coming winter months. Livestock remain in mostly good condition.

CROP PROGRESS TABLE

Crop	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Year Avg
	Percent			
Corn Harvested	79	64	95	90
Soybeans Harvested	91	86	99	97
Winter Wheat Planted	97	93	100	98
Winter Wheat Emerged	73	61	95	89

CROP CONDITION TABLE

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	Percent				
Winter Wheat 2007	1	11	42	43	3
Winter Wheat 2006	0	2	19	68	11

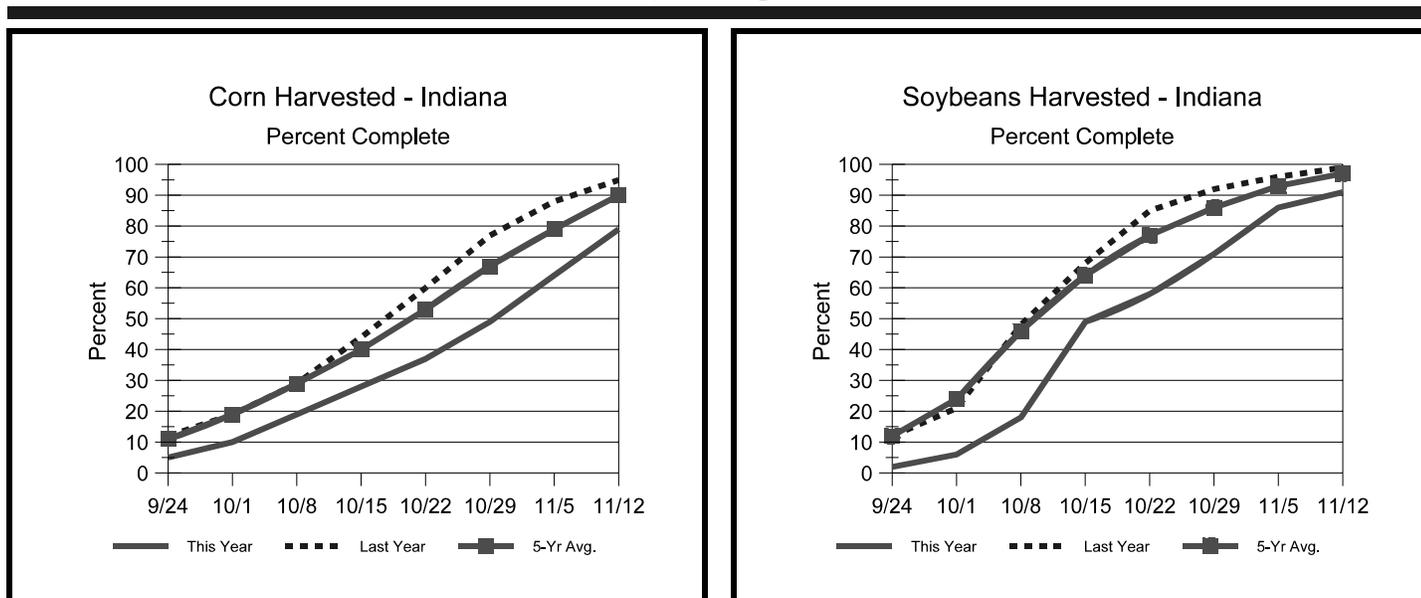
SOIL MOISTURE & DAYS SUITABLE FOR FIELDWORK TABLE

	This Week	Last Week	Last Year
	Percent		
Topsoil			
Very Short	0	0	5
Short	1	1	22
Adequate	61	69	71
Surplus	38	30	2
Subsoil			
Very Short	0	0	13
Short	2	2	29
Adequate	73	76	57
Surplus	25	22	1
Days Suitable	3.8	4.8	5.9

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Crop Progress



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PRELIMINARY DISTRICT ESTIMATES NOVEMBER 2006

District	Planted Acres		Harvested Acres		Yield		Production	
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006
	Thousands		Thousands		Bushels		Thousands	
Corn								
NW	952	925	919	890	154	166	141,838	147,972
NC	762	725	740	700	160	162	118,136	113,544
NE	564	515	539	490	147	156	79,241	76,500
WC	739	690	733	679	160	161	117,046	109,449
C	1,180	1,120	1,171	1,105	157	160	184,071	176,996
EC	467	460	460	450	153	154	70,400	69,343
SW	831	725	819	712	153	159	125,424	113,325
SC	202	170	193	161	130	135	25,123	21,708
SE	203	170	196	163	139	134	27,301	21,813
State	5,900	5,500	5,770	5,350	154	159	888,580	850,650
Soybeans								
NW	704	735	701	734	49	53	34,134	38,770
NC	646	660	643	659	47	54	30,518	35,505
NE	633	645	631	644	43	51	27,193	32,656
WC	647	685	645	684	52	52	33,462	35,407
C	1,170	1,225	1,166	1,223	52	53	61,085	64,600
EC	520	560	518	559	48	50	25,108	27,755
SW	643	725	641	720	49	48	31,516	34,228
SC	197	210	196	205	47	45	9,144	9,312
SE	240	255	239	252	48	45	11,460	11,447
State	5,400	5,700	5,380	5,680	49	51	263,620	289,680

Weather Information Table

Week ending Sunday November 12, 2006

Station	Past Week Weather Summary Data							Accumulation				
	Air Temperature				Precip.		Avg 4 in Soil Temp	April 1, 2006 thru November 12, 2006			GDD Base 50°F	
	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total	Days		Precipitation			Total	DFN
							Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN	
Northwest (1)												
Chalmers_5W	69	32	50	+6	0.75	4		30.52	+4.73	78	3080	-147
Francesville	70	31	50	+8	0.74	3		37.55	+11.26	93	2948	+8
Valparaiso_AP_I	65	33	49	+6	0.42	2		18.91	-9.63	61	3031	+80
Wanatah	66	32	49	+6	0.66	3	48	27.87	+0.62	84	2716	-78
Winamac	70	35	51	+9	0.79	3	45	31.18	+4.89	79	2980	+40
North Central(2)												
Plymouth	68	34	49	+6	1.27	4		28.75	+1.62	88	2853	-248
South_Bend	63	34	49	+6	0.51	2		31.50	+4.88	89	3002	+97
Young_America	69	35	51	+8	1.05	3		31.55	+5.82	86	3102	+64
Northeast (3)												
Columbia_City	67	35	47	+5	0.91	3	45	29.59	+3.93	92	2788	+19
Fort_Wayne	65	35	49	+5	0.72	4		29.69	+6.23	87	3046	-8
West Central(4)												
Greencastle	72	35	51	+6	1.95	3		39.01	+9.49	84	3078	-394
Perrysville	73	35	51	+7	0.58	2	50	28.70	+1.34	83	3416	+203
Spencer_Ag	78	38	52	+7	1.48	4		38.37	+8.88	91	3286	+50
Terre_Haute_AFB	72	38	52	+7	0.64	4		27.47	-0.37	93	3506	+61
W_Lafayette_6NW	71	32	51	+8	0.91	4	50	30.14	+4.19	92	3179	+140
Central (5)												
Eagle_Creek_AP	72	37	52	+7	1.21	5		32.89	+6.87	94	3518	+110
Greenfield	71	36	51	+6	0.98	4		40.52	+11.96	99	3148	-124
Indianapolis_AP	72	37	52	+7	1.27	4		32.84	+6.82	94	3553	+145
Indianapolis_SE	70	36	51	+5	1.08	3		33.61	+6.83	90	3116	-285
Tipton_Ag	70	35	50	+7	1.38	4	50	35.28	+8.37	95	2928	-9
East Central(6)												
Farmland	71	34	49	+6	0.65	3	48	33.47	+7.89	96	2881	+18
New_Castle	71	34	50	+7	0.72	3		35.35	+7.89	89	2948	+11
Southwest (7)												
Evansville	75	37	53	+5	1.24	4		42.76	+16.12	78	4083	+102
Freelandville	73	38	52	+6	1.13	3		27.92	+0.33	72	3699	+136
Shoals	75	38	52	+6	1.49	3		42.66	+12.67	83	3504	+48
Stendal	76	39	55	+8	1.96	4		45.54	+15.99	78	4126	+394
Vincennes_5NE	75	39	53	+7	1.61	3	49	37.13	+9.54	87	3819	+256
South Central(8)												
Leavenworth	74	39	52	+6	2.31	5		49.13	+18.94	99	3649	+218
Oolitic	74	37	51	+6	1.33	4	50	35.21	+6.39	86	3281	-1
Tell_City	76	41	54	+5	1.89	4		50.82	+20.66	78	4043	+179
Southeast (9)												
Brookville	75	37	51	+6	0.47	2		34.20	+6.60	72	3401	+297
Greensburg	74	33	51	+7	0.77	3		36.90	+9.05	81	3476	+288
Scottsburg	76	40	53	+6	1.21	4		39.71	+11.30	88	3574	+28

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

GDD = Growing Degree Days.

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

Precipitation Days = Days with precip of .01 inch or more.

Air Temperatures in Degrees Fahrenheit.

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District	Planted Acres		Harvested Acres		Yield		Production	
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006
	Thousands		Thousands		Bushels		Thousands	
Wheat								
NW	21	31	19	30	68	74	1,300	2,223
NC	37	45	35	45	76	77	2,666	3,456
NE	77	93	74	92	73	73	5,409	6,761
WC	24	27	23	27	73	65	1,686	1,747
C	49	62	47	62	83	69	3,921	4,260
EC	31	39	30	39	82	69	2,463	2,683
SW	92	135	86	133	63	65	5,449	8,700
SC	14	19	12	16	59	59	712	943
SE	15	19	14	16	62	60	874	967
State	360	470	340	460	72	69	24,480	31,740

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