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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Pennsylvania, there were 6.0 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, April 23, 2023. Topsoil moisture supplies were 36 percent short, 62 percent adequate, and 2 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 4 percent very short, 38 percent short, and 58 percent adequate.

Soil Moisture for Week Ending April 23, 2023

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	36	62	2
SUBSOIL	4	38	58	0

Crop Progress as of April 23, 2023

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: GREEN TIP	94	86	79	N/A
APPLES: PINK	57	37	10	44
OATS: PLANTED	52	42	13	36
OATS: EMERGED	17	5	<5	21
PEACHES: GREEN TIP	80	60	59	N/A
PEACHES: PINK	53	31	7	52
SPRING TILLAGE: PERCENT COMPLETE	62	54	26	N/A

Crop Conditions as of April 23, 2023

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
BARLEY	0	1	37	56	6
HAY, ALFALFA	0	0	35	64	1
WINTER WHEAT	0	1	15	71	13

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April 23, 2023, Pennsylvania Weekly Weather Summary

Station	Air Temperature Last Week					Precipitation					
	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	MSG	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
POCONO MOUNTAINS											
Milanville	M	M	M	48.93	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Pleasant Mount 1 W	61	38.3	49.64	44.11	5.53	1.22	4	0	0.21	2.16	-1.57
Prompton Dam	59.7	39	49.33	M	M	0.04	1	4	M	1.06	M
Wilkes-Barre/Scranton International Airport	68	45.1	56.57	52.23	4.34	0.71	3	0	-0.06	1.24	-1.71
Mount Pocono Pocono Mountains Municipal Ap	60.9	38.1	49.5	46.44	3.06	1.05	4	0	0.06	1.88	-1.95
Average	62.4	40.1	51.26	47.93	4.31	0.76	4	M	0.07	1.58	-1.74
EAST CENTRAL MOUNTAINS											
Allentown Lehigh Valley International Airport	67	43.3	55.14	53.66	1.49	1.17	3	0	0.31	2.99	-0.39
Lehighton 1Ssw	65.7	44.4	55.07	51.4	3.67	0.99	2	0	0.1	1.67	-1.93
Average	66.3	43.8	55.11	52.53	2.58	1.08	3	M	0.21	2.33	-1.16
SOUTHEASTERN PIEDMONT											
Dehart Dam	M	M	M	50.97	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Middletown Harrisburg Int'L Ap	70.6	46.4	58.5	54.97	3.53	1.47	1	0	0.63	2.06	-1.25
Doylestown Airport	65.8	41.8	53.75	53.67	0.65	0.1	1	3	-0.43	0.91	-2.34
Hamburg	M	M	M	52.97	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Lancaster Airport	70.7	44	57.36	53.4	3.96	0.75	2	0	-0.05	1.35	-1.79
Neshaminy Falls	69.3	44.9	57.07	52.79	4.29	0.9	3	0	-0.01	2.32	-1.42
New Holland 2 Se	71.5	44.7	58.08	54.56	3.72	0.68	2	1	-0.03	2.54	-0.74
Philadelphia Franklin Institute	M	M	M	57.93	M	M	M	M	M	0.13	-0.45
Northeast Philadelphia Airport	71.4	46.6	59	56.46	2.54	0.76	3	0	-0.14	2.07	-1.46
Phoenixville 1 E	66	54	60	54.76	6.3	0.03	1	6	-0.08	1.05	-1.15
Heritage Field Airport	67.7	42.3	55	52.4	2.6	1.02	3	0	0.17	1.89	-1.6
Reading Regional Airport	70.4	45.1	57.79	54.29	3.5	0.5	2	0	-0.3	0.97	-2.18
Sellersville	69.9	44.3	57.07	51.73	5.34	0.78	2	0	-0.18	1.33	-2.57
Average	69.3	45.4	57.36	53.92	3.64	0.7	3	M	-0.04	1.51	-1.54
LOWER SUSQUEHANNA											
Biglerville	69.8	41.6	55.7	53.31	2.76	0	0	2	-0.65	0.72	-2.53
Carlisle Water Plant	73	42.1	57.57	52.23	5.34	0.51	2	0	-0.48	2.09	-1.16
Hanover 4 Sw	M	M	M	53.13	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
South Mountain	M	M	M	50.73	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
York Airport	71	41.7	56.36	52.76	3.6	2.23	1	1	1.57	2.92	-0.16
Average	71.3	41.8	56.54	52.43	3.9	0.91	2	M	0.15	1.91	-1.28
MIDDLE SUSQUEHANNA											
Williamsport Regional Ap	66.6	44.3	55.43	52.19	3.24	0.8	2	0	-0.04	1.65	-1.64
Lewistown	70.4	43.4	56.9	52.66	4.48	0.26	1	2	-0.32	1.18	-1.84
Selinsgrove 2 S	66.8	41.8	54.3	50.99	3.7	0.15	2	2	-0.47	0.61	-2.46
Average	67.9	43.2	55.54	51.95	3.81	0.4	2	M	-0.28	1.15	-1.98
UPPER SUSQUEHANNA											
Canton	65.9	40.3	53.07	47.39	5.69	0.83	3	0	-0.05	1.64	-1.7
Laporte	62.3	38.7	50.5	45.53	4.97	1.49	3	0	0.49	3.15	-0.65
Wellsboro 4 Sw	64	38	51	46.06	4.94	0.86	4	0	0.02	1.63	-1.62
Average	64.1	39	51.52	46.33	5.2	1.06	4	M	0.15	2.14	-1.32

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CENTRAL MOUNTAINS											
Lock Haven Sewage Plant	66	40.4	53.2	51	2.6	0.6	1	2	0.01	1.73	-0.43
Renovo	68.7	41.6	55.14	50.29	4.86	0.85	4	0	-0.01	1.94	-1.33
Ridgway	64.7	37.4	51.07	47.8	3.27	1.17	5	0	0.24	2.7	-0.62
Stevenson Dam	67.9	39.4	53.64	47.4	6.24	0.83	4	0	-0.1	1.93	-1.54
State College	68.3	41.9	55.07	51.36	3.71	0.57	4	0	-0.26	1.78	-1.41
Average	67.1	40.1	53.62	49.57	4.14	0.8	5	M	-0.02	2.02	-1.07
SOUTH CENTRAL MOUNTAINS											
Altoona Blair County Ap	65.6	39.4	52.5	52.27	0.23	0.32	3	0	-0.47	1.49	-1.46
Prince Gallitzin St Park	72.8	32.2	52.5	49	3.6	0	M	7	M	1.11	-0.25
Everett	M	M	M	52.19	M	M	M	M	M	0.01	-0.54
Average	69.2	35.8	52.5	51.15	1.92	0.16	3	M	-0.47	0.87	-0.75
SOUTHWEST PLATEAU											
Butler 2 Sw	M	M	M	49.13	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
New Castle 1 N	M	M	M	51.3	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Slippery Rock 1 Ssw	63.9	37	50.43	48.5	1.93	0.92	4	0	-0.01	1.99	-1.51
Connellsville 2 Ssw	68.3	38.7	53.5	52.5	1	0.61	5	0	-0.38	1.78	-1.52
Grays Landing	68.4	39.3	53.86	52.36	1.5	0.44	3	0	-0.44	1.32	-2.09
Indiana 3 Se	65	36.8	50.88	50.2	1.07	0.34	2	3	-0.22	2.09	-1.2
Meyersdale 2 Ssw	M	M	M	47.59	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Pittsburgh Allegheny County Ap	62.9	43.1	53	54.07	-1.07	0.24	4	0	-0.55	1.47	-1.69
Pittsburgh International Airport	61.1	40.7	50.93	53.43	-2.5	0.66	4	0	-0.12	1.69	-1.35
Waynesburg 1 E	69.1	37.7	53.43	51.91	1.51	0.34	4	0	-0.46	1.12	-2
Average	65.5	39	52.29	51.1	0.49	0.51	5	M	-0.31	1.64	-1.62
NORTHWEST PLATEAU											
Clarion 3 Sw	63.2	35.4	49.3	48.36	1.36	0.37	2	2	-0.33	0.68	-1.54
Erie Intl Ap	53.7	39.9	46.79	49.27	-2.49	1.15	4	0	0.34	3.52	0.32
Franklin	69.1	39.7	54.43	49.39	5.04	0.95	4	0	-0.06	2.81	-0.95
Meadville Port Meadville Ap	56.6	38.4	47.5	49.37	-1.87	0.03	1	0	-0.86	1.35	-2.12
Springboro 3 Wnw	61.4	37.7	49.57	47.29	2.29	1.65	5	0	0.71	4.02	0.41
Titusville Water Works	58.9	36.4	47.64	47.1	0.54	0.97	4	0	-0.05	2.52	-1.36
Warren	67.9	38.4	53.14	48.3	4.84	0.78	4	0	-0.22	2.4	-1.31
Bradford Regional Airport	58.6	38.9	48.71	46.8	1.91	0.48	4	0	-0.36	2.33	-0.9
Coudersport 1 Sw	67	37.5	52.25	45.64	7.65	0.89	2	4	0.52	2.4	-0.35
Kane 1Nne	66.8	35.8	51.25	45	5.85	0.46	4	3	-0.12	0.79	-1.21
Oswayo 1 Ene	M	M	M	43.91	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Dubois Regional Airport	59.4	39.6	49.5	49.16	0.34	0.5	3	0	-0.39	2.71	-0.64
Average	62.1	38	50.01	47.47	2.31	0.75	5	M	-0.07	2.32	-0.88
STATE TOTAL	66	40.2	53.11	50.17	2.93	0.67	4	M	-0.11	1.75	-1.34

DFN = Departure from normal.

MSG = Missing days.

M = Missing value.

Data may be subject to additional quality control.

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