



Illinois Crop Progress and Condition

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Warm and dry conditions continued throughout the state last week allowing operators to continue planting. Both corn and soybean crops have emerged ahead of 5-year averages. Statewide precipitation averaged 0.62 inches, 0.35 inches below normal. Temperatures averaged 74.0 degrees, 7.2 degrees above normal. There were 5.4 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending June 1. Corn planting increased to 98 percent complete while corn emerged reached 91 percent. Soybeans planted reached 85 percent, ahead of the 5-year average of 65 percent. Soybeans emerged reached 59 percent, ahead of the 5-year average of 44 percent. Oat and sorghum planting progressed to 92 and 61 percent complete respectively. Winter wheat headed reached 88 percent, behind the 5-year average of 94 percent. Topsoil moisture was rated at 1 percent very short, 13 percent short, 77 percent adequate, and 9 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture was rated at 4 percent very short, 18 percent short, 75 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Winter wheat condition was rated at 2 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 26 percent fair, 48 percent good, and 19 percent excellent. Pasture condition was rated at 1 percent very poor, 7 percent poor, 31 percent fair, 42 percent good, and 19 percent excellent.

Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending June 1, 2014

District and State	Days Suitable for Fieldwork	Topsoil Moisture Supply				Subsoil Moisture Supply			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
		(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Northwest	5.0	-	8	87	5	5	19	75	1
Northeast	5.4	-	11	86	3	-	27	69	4
West	6.3	12	31	55	2	28	44	28	-
Central	5.8	2	23	69	6	5	27	65	3
East	4.3	-	16	79	5	1	18	80	1
West Southwest	4.9	1	19	71	9	1	22	74	3
East Southeast	6.1	-	1	85	14	-	3	94	3
Southwest	5.6	-	4	72	24	-	8	80	12
Southeast	5.6	-	2	67	31	-	-	85	15
Illinois	5.4	1	13	77	9	4	18	75	3

- Represents zero.

Crop Progress – Illinois

Item	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	June 1, 2014	May 25, 2014	June 1, 2013	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn planted	98	95	91	94
Corn emerged	91	81	79	82
Soybeans planted	85	64	48	65
Soybeans emerged	59	32	29	44
Sorghum planted	61	35	53	39
Winter wheat headed	88	81	91	94
Oats planted	92	90	97	99
Alfalfa hay 1st cutting	60	32	30	55
Other hay cut ¹	50	27	(NA)	(NA)

(NA) Not available.

¹ Data not collected prior to 2014.

Crop Condition – Illinois: Week Ending June 1, 2014

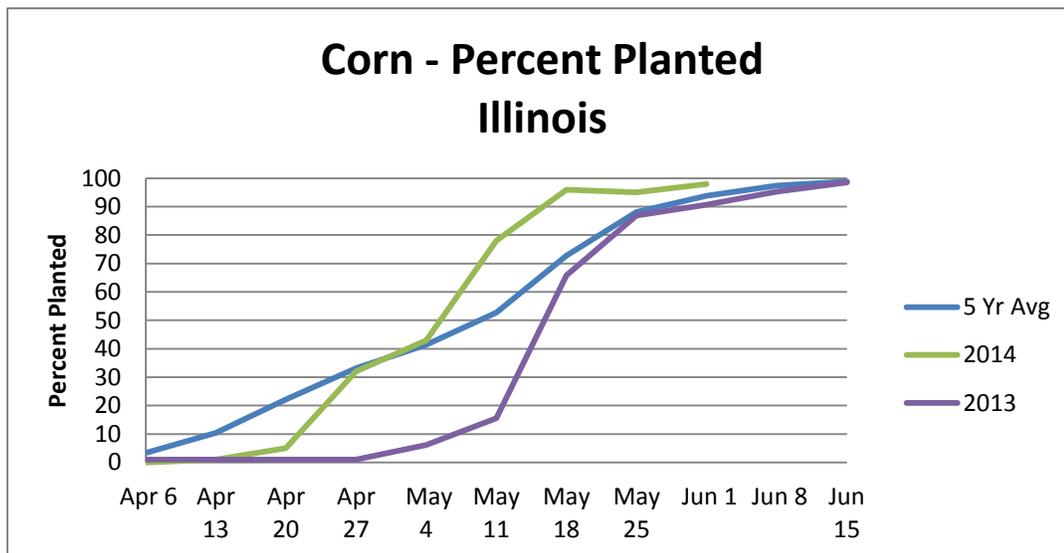
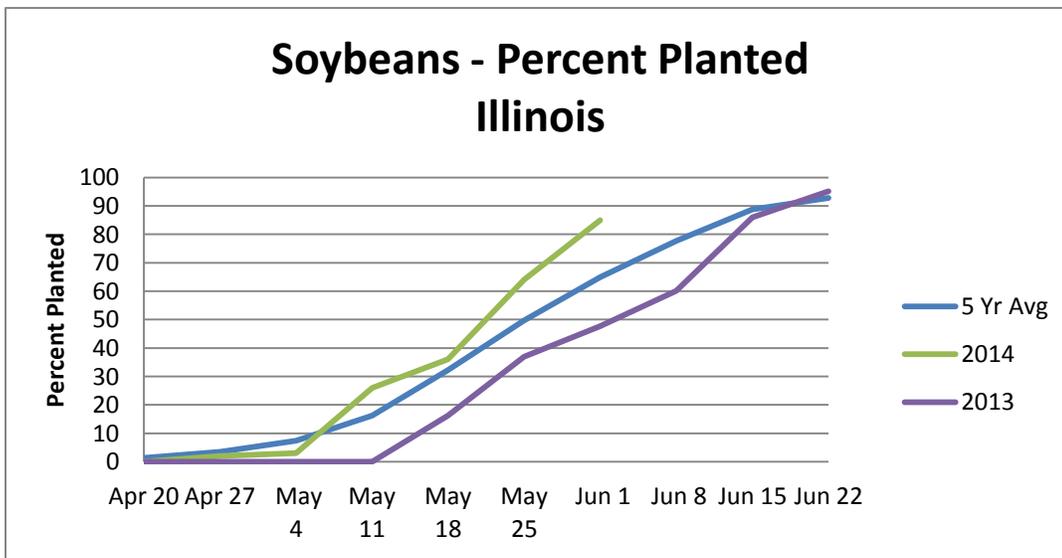
Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn	1	2	27	53	17
Winter Wheat	2	5	26	48	19
Oats	-	5	31	55	9
Pasture	1	7	31	42	19

- Represents zero.

Crop Progress by District: Week Ending June 1, 2014

Item	NW	NE	W	C	E	WSW	ESE	SW	SE
	(percent)								
Corn planted	99	99	100	100	99	99	98	94	95
Corn emerged	87	95	93	97	96	95	89	90	78
Soybeans planted	92	91	93	91	83	90	86	78	63
Soybeans emerged	52	68	72	81	57	71	48	38	46

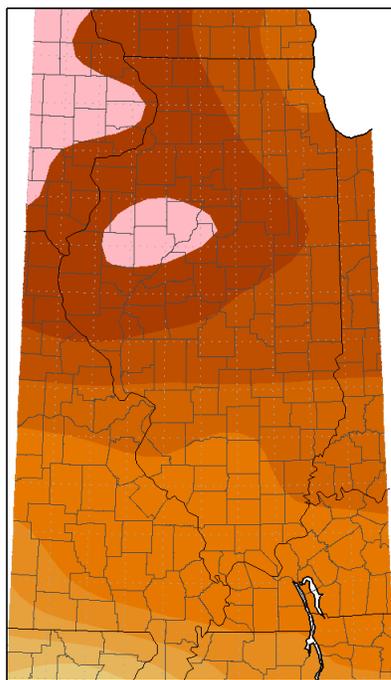
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Weather Information: Week Ending June 1, 2014

District and State	Temperature		Precipitation		Growing Degree Days	
	Average	Departure from Normal	Total	Departure from Normal	Since May 1	Departure from Normal
	(degrees - F)	(degrees - F)	(inches)	(inches)		
Northwest	72.6	7.7	0.76	-0.20	433	27
Northeast	70.5	6.4	0.68	-0.31	404	18
West	75.0	8.4	0.43	-0.63	494	43
Central	74.6	8.1	0.37	-0.52	490	42
East	73.7	7.3	0.37	-0.52	469	26
West Southwest	75.1	7.5	0.89	-0.01	530	48
East Southeast	74.9	7.1	0.35	-0.66	529	43
Southwest	74.5	5.8	0.95	-0.07	576	62
Southeast	75.1	6.1	0.84	-0.26	584	64
Illinois	74.0	7.2	0.62	-0.35	497	41

Average Temperature (°F): Departure from Mean
May 26, 2014 to June 1, 2014

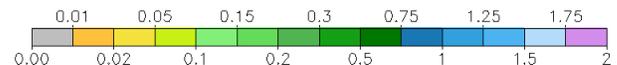
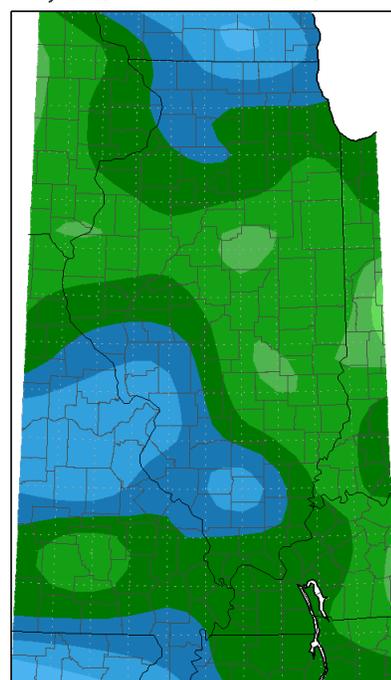


Mean period is 1981-2010.



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Accumulated Precipitation (in)
May 26, 2014 to June 1, 2014



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