



# Illinois Crop Progress and Condition

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Scattered rainfall continued throughout the state last week as temperatures fell to an average of 66.1 degrees, 5.4 degrees below normal. Operators continued to spray herbicides and cut hay as weather permitted. Statewide precipitation averaged 1.27 inches, 0.30 inches above normal. There were 3.1 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending June 15. Soybeans planted reached 94 percent, ahead of the 5-year average of 89 percent. Soybeans emerged reached 89 percent, ahead of the 5-year average of 75 percent. Sorghum planted reached 78 percent, ahead of the 5-year average of 70 percent. Oats planted and oats headed reached 94 and 59 percent respectively. Corn condition was rated 76 percent good to excellent. Soybeans condition was rated 72 percent good to excellent. Winter wheat headed reached 98 percent. Winter wheat condition was rated 59 percent good to excellent. Pasture condition was rated at 1 percent very poor, 3 percent poor, 26 percent fair, 50 percent good, and 20 percent excellent. Topsoil moisture supply was rated at 5 percent short, 80 percent adequate, and 15 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated at 2 percent very short, 14 percent short, 78 percent adequate, and 6 percent surplus.

## 1 Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending June 15, 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 .....	3.7	1	11	82	6	5	17	76	2
Northeast .....	4.9	-	7	91	2	-	24	74	2
West .....	2.0	-	10	90	-	17	42	41	-
Central .....	4.0	1	11	82	6	2	17	77	4
East .....	3.1	-	7	81	12	2	14	80	4
West Southwest .....	2.2	-	2	77	21	-	7	88	5
East Southeast .....	2.8	-	2	69	29	-	3	87	10
Southwest .....	3.0	-	1	79	20	-	6	86	8
Southeast .....	1.8	-	-	52	48	-	-	70	30
Illinois .....	3.1	-	5	80	15	2	14	78	6

- Represents zero.

## 2 Crop Progress – Illinois

Item	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	June 15, 2014	June 8, 2014	June 15, 2013	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Soybeans planted .....	94	92	86	89
Soybeans emerged .....	89	80	64	75
Sorghum planted .....	78	75	80	70
Winter wheat headed .....	98	93	99	99
Oats planted .....	94	93	100	100
Oats headed .....	59	33	71	72
Alfalfa hay 1st cutting .....	83	72	72	80
Alfalfa hay 2nd cutting .....	2	(NA)	1	12
Other hay cut <sup>1</sup> .....	75	61	(NA)	(NA)

(NA) Not available.

<sup>1</sup> Data not collected prior to 2014.

### 3 Crop Condition – Illinois: Week Ending June 15, 2014

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn .....	1	3	20	53	23
Soybeans .....	1	3	24	54	18
Sorghum .....	2	2	19	69	8
Winter Wheat .....	2	7	32	45	14
Oats .....	-	5	29	58	8
Pasture .....	1	3	26	50	20

- Represents zero.

### 4 Crop Progress by District: Week Ending June 15, 2014

Item	NW	NE	W	C	E	WSW	ESE	SW	SE
	(percent)								
Soybeans planted .....	98	99	98	97	97	96	96	86	76
Soybeans emerged .....	91	98	91	94	92	93	90	80	71

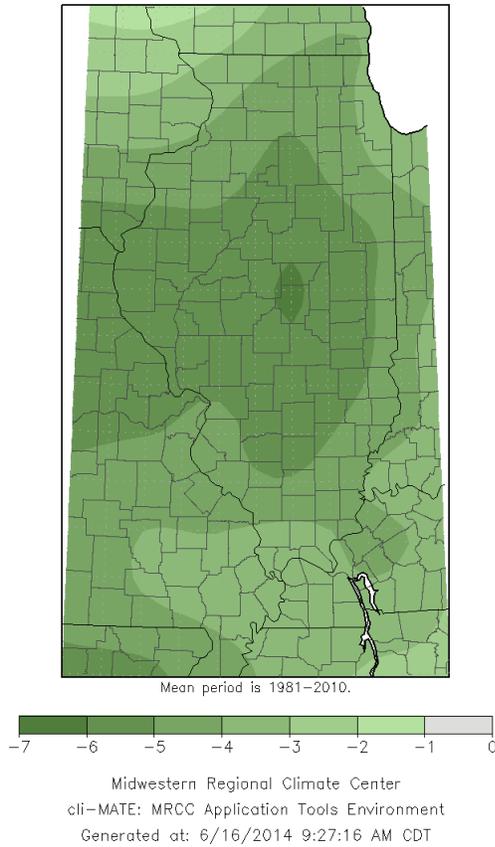
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### 5 Weather Information: Week Ending June 15, 2014

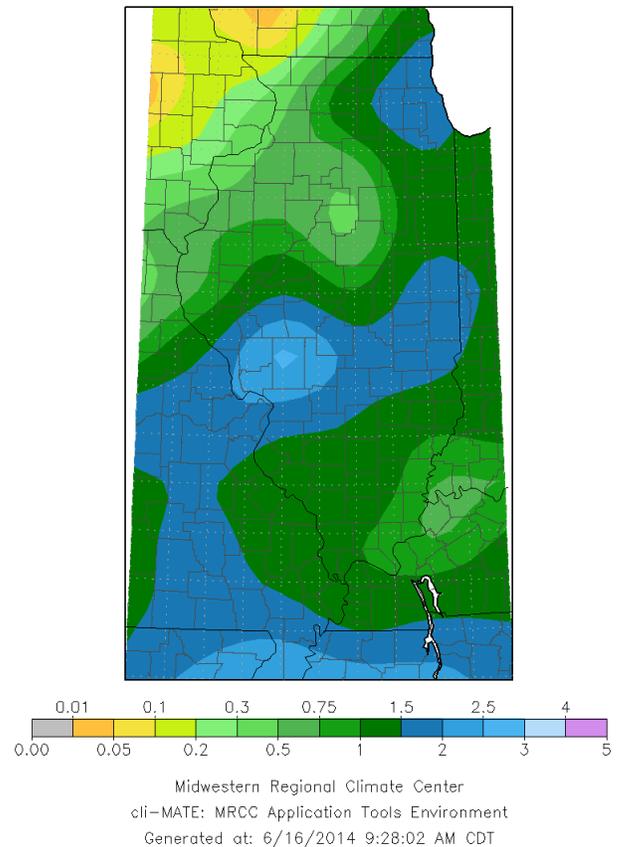
District and State	Temperature		Precipitation		Growing Degree Days	
	Average	Departure from Normal	Total	Departure from Normal	Since May 1	Departure from Normal
	(degrees - F)	(degrees - F)	(inches)	(inches)		
Northwest .....	64.6	-4.8	0.59	-0.64	663	3
Northeast .....	64.1	-4.7	1.52	0.31	628	-3
West .....	65.8	-5.9	0.84	-0.16	749	17
Central .....	64.9	-6.4	0.76	-0.16	738	14
East .....	65.6	-5.5	1.28	0.31	718	2
West Southwest .....	66.3	-6.2	2.31	1.46	796	23
East Southeast .....	67.0	-5.7	1.62	0.73	803	23
Southwest .....	68.6	-4.8	1.18	0.39	854	38
Southeast .....	69.2	-4.5	1.06	0.22	868	41
Illinois .....	66.1	-5.4	1.27	0.30	753	17

Weather data provided by the Midwestern Regional Climate Center: <http://mrcc.isws.illinois.edu>

Average Temperature (°F): Departure from Mean  
June 9, 2014 to June 15, 2014



Accumulated Precipitation (in)  
June 9, 2014 to June 15, 2014



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