



Illinois Crop Progress and Condition

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Corn and soybean harvest continued last week. Activities included fall tillage and nitrogen application. There were 5.8 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending November 9th. Statewide, precipitation averaged 0.42 inches, 0.26 inches below normal. The average temperature was 44.2 degrees, 0.8 degrees below normal. Corn harvest was 87 percent complete, 5 percentage points behind last year, but ahead of the 5-year average of 84 percent. Soybean harvest was 91 percent complete, 5 percentage points behind last year and behind the 5-year average of 93 percent. Sorghum harvest was 83 percent complete. Eighty-four percent of the winter wheat had been planted and 52 percent had emerged. Winter wheat condition was rated at 3 percent very poor, 3 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 58 percent good, and 2 percent excellent. Pasture condition was rated at 1 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 27 percent fair, 50 percent good, and 16 percent excellent. Topsoil moisture supply was rated at 7 percent short, 78 percent adequate, and 15 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated at 1 percent very short, 9 percent short, 80 percent adequate, and 10 percent surplus.

Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending November 9, 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	6.1	-	20	64	16	4	21	63	12
Northeast	7.0	-	12	86	2	-	15	84	1
West	6.3	-	1	78	21	-	6	84	10
Central	6.6	1	5	86	8	2	7	85	6
East	5.8	-	4	93	3	2	8	90	-
West Southwest	5.4	-	3	81	16	-	3	83	14
East Southeast	4.8	-	2	59	39	-	2	77	21
Southwest	4.6	4	22	61	13	3	21	67	9
Southeast	5.2	-	2	80	18	-	3	80	17
Illinois	5.8	-	7	78	15	1	9	80	10

- Represents zero.

Crop Progress – Illinois

Item	Week ending			2009-2013 Average
	November 9, 2014	November 2, 2014	November 9, 2013	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn harvested	87	77	92	84
Soybeans harvested	91	83	96	93
Sorghum harvested	83	75	94	83
Winter wheat planted	84	69	98	91
Winter wheat emerged	52	36	77	74

Crop Condition – Illinois: Week Ending November 9, 2014

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Winter Wheat	3	3	34	58	2
Pasture	1	6	27	50	16

Crop Progress by District: Week Ending November 9, 2014

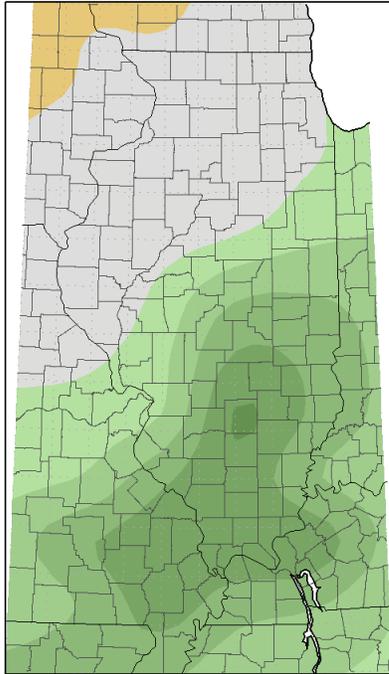
Item	NW	NE	W	C	E	WSW	ESE	SW	SE
	(percent)								
Corn harvested	81	88	86	93	91	91	86	95	80
Soybeans harvested	94	97	91	94	92	92	90	84	85

Weather Information: Week Ending November 9, 2014

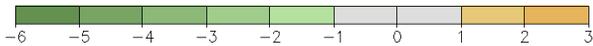
District and State	Temperature		Precipitation	
	Average	Departure from Normal	Total	Departure from Normal
	(degrees - F)	(degrees - F)	(inches)	(inches)
Northwest	42.9	1.3	0.22	-0.31
Northeast	42.9	0.4	0.11	-0.52
West	45.4	1.0	0.13	-0.48
Central	44.1	0.1	0.22	-0.42
East	43.3	-0.8	0.42	-0.22
West Southwest	45.5	-0.6	0.41	-0.30
East Southeast	43.7	-3.1	0.66	-0.04
Southwest	45.2	-3.2	0.96	0.12
Southeast	45.8	-3.1	0.75	-0.13
Illinois	44.2	-0.8	0.42	-0.26

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Average Temperature (°F): Departure from Mean
November 3, 2014 to November 9, 2014

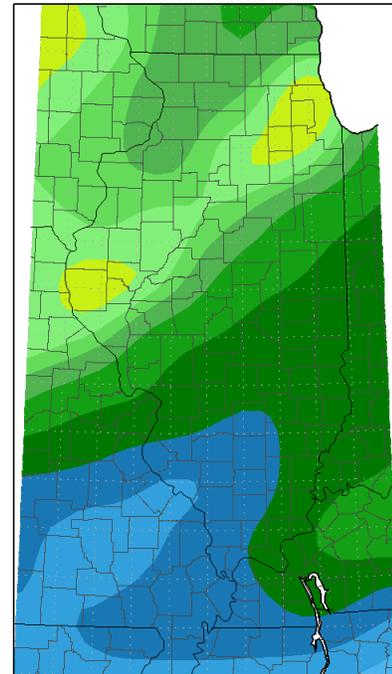


Mean period is 1981–2010.



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Accumulated Precipitation (in)
November 3, 2014 to November 9, 2014



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