



Illinois Crop Progress and Condition

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The 2016 harvest season is rapidly drawing to a close, with many producers switching to fall tillage and waiting for the ground to cool for NH3 applications. Statewide, the average temperature was 58.3 degrees, 10.3 degrees above normal. Precipitation averaged 0.64 inches, 0.31 inches below normal. There were 5.1 days suitable for fieldwork during the week ending November 6. Topsoil moisture supply was rated at 1 percent very short, 6 percent short, 82 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated at 1 percent very short, 7 percent short, 86 percent adequate, and 6 percent surplus. Corn harvest was 94 percent complete, compared to 99 percent last year. Soybean harvest was 95 percent complete, compared to 95 percent for the 5-year average. Winter wheat planted reached 93 percent, compared to 94 percent last year. Winter wheat emerged was at 78 percent, compared to 81 percent last year. Winter wheat condition was rated 3 percent very poor, 1 percent poor, 27 percent fair, 56 percent good, and 13 percent excellent. Pasture and range condition was rated 2 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 26 percent fair, 54 percent good, and 14 percent excellent.

Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending November 6, 2016

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	5.4	-	5	89	6	1	4	93	2
Northeast	4.2	-	-	95	5	-	-	97	3
West	4.8	5	2	87	6	6	1	93	-
Central	4.8	1	5	88	6	-	9	85	6
East	5.5	-	1	86	13	-	2	85	13
West Southwest	4.5	-	17	68	15	-	18	76	6
East Southeast	5.3	-	3	77	20	-	2	88	10
Southwest	5.5	1	13	78	8	-	20	76	4
Southeast	5.8	1	12	77	10	1	4	89	6
Illinois	5.1	1	6	82	11	1	7	86	6

- Represents zero.

Crop Progress – Illinois

Item	Week ending			2011-2015 Average
	November 6, 2016	October 30, 2016	November 6, 2015	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn harvested	94	91	99	92
Soybeans harvested	95	89	99	95
Sorghum harvested	83	74	93	86
Winter wheat planted	93	85	94	92
Winter wheat emerged	78	63	81	71

Crop Condition – Illinois: November 6, 2016

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Winter Wheat	3	1	27	56	13
Pasture	2	4	26	54	14

Crop Progress by District: November 6, 2016

Item	NW	NE	W	C	E	WSW	ESE	SW	SE
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn harvested	88	83	95	97	97	99	98	97	98
Soybeans harvested	95	95	92	97	98	98	93	93	87

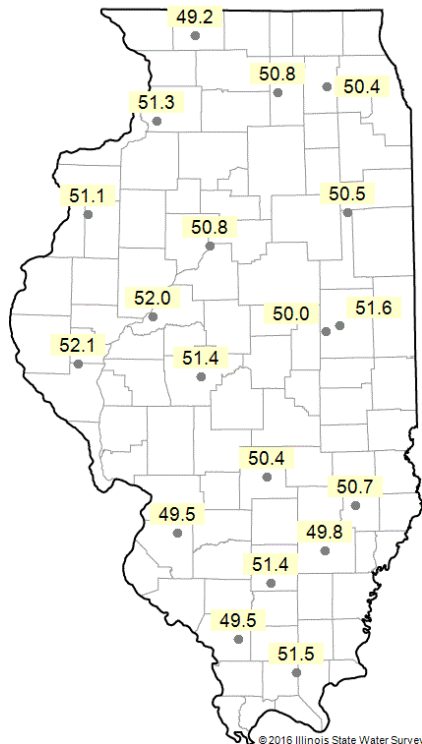
Weather Information: Week Ending November 6, 2016

District and State	Temperature		Precipitation	
	Average	Departure from Normal	Total	Departure from Normal
	(degrees - F)	(degrees - F)	(inches)	(inches)
Northwest	56.0	11.5	0.58	-0.31
Northeast	55.3	9.9	0.69	-0.21
West	59.0	11.8	1.02	-0.02
Central	57.5	10.5	0.95	-0.01
East	56.9	9.9	0.67	-0.18
West Southwest	60.3	11.2	0.93	-0.09
East Southeast	59.2	9.3	0.42	-0.48
Southwest	60.7	9.2	0.26	-0.78
Southeast	61.2	9.2	0.09	-0.87
Illinois	58.3	10.3	0.64	-0.31

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

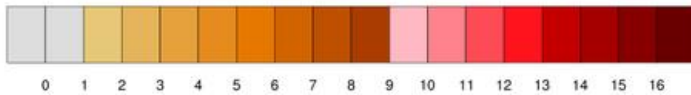
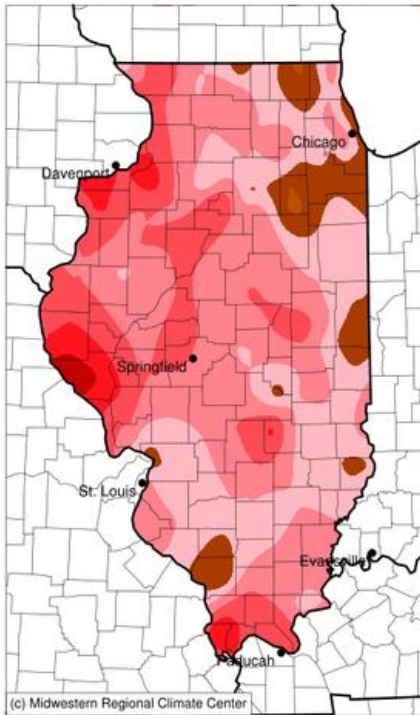
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10 AM 4-Inch Soil Temperature Under Bare Soil (° F)



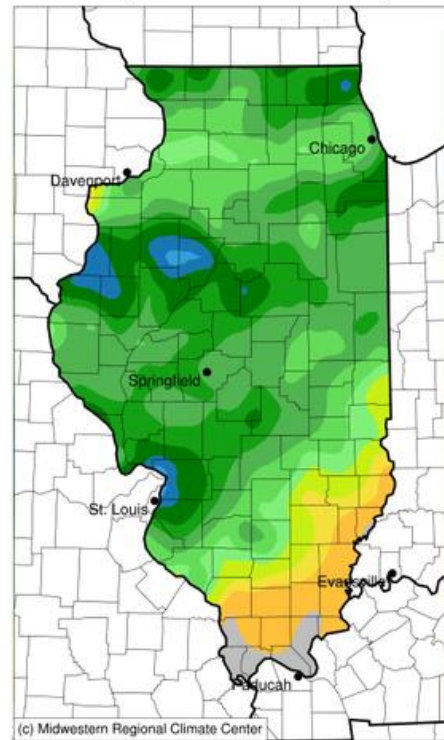
Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1981-2010 Normals

October 31, 2016 to November 06, 2016



Accumulated Precipitation (in)

October 31, 2016 to November 06, 2016



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