



# Illinois Crop Progress and Condition

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There were 1.5 days suitable for fieldwork during the week ending April 21, 2019. Statewide, the average temperature was 53.9 degrees, 0.6 degrees below normal. Precipitation averaged 1.11 inches, 0.16 inches above normal. Topsoil moisture supply was rated at 1 percent short, 45 percent adequate, and 54 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated at 1 percent short, 51 percent adequate, and 48 percent surplus. Corn planted reached 1 percent compared to 3 percent last year and 17 percent for the 5-year average. Winter wheat headed was 2 percent, compared to 4 percent last year and the 5-year average of 6 percent. Winter wheat condition was rated 5 percent very poor, 10 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 50 percent good, and 5 percent excellent.

## Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending April 21, 2019

State	Days Suitable for Fieldwork	Topsoil Moisture Supply				Subsoil Moisture Supply			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
Illinois .....	1.5	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
		-	1	45	54	-	1	51	48

- Represents zero.

## Crop Progress – Illinois

Item	Week ending			2014-2018 Average
	April 21, 2019	April 14, 2019	April 21, 2018	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn planted .....	1	(NA)	3	17
Winter wheat headed .....	2	1	4	6

(NA) Not available.

## Winter Wheat Condition – Illinois

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
April 21, 2019 .....	5	10	30	50	5
April 14, 2019 .....	4	9	28	55	4
April 21, 2018 .....	1	6	37	49	7

## Pasture Condition – Illinois

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
April 21, 2019 .....	1	7	40	39	13
April 14, 2019 .....	3	11	36	40	10
April 21, 2018 .....	2	18	39	34	7

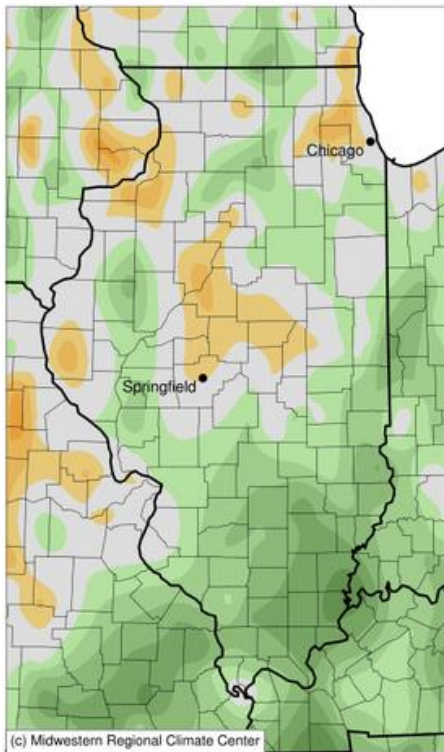
# Weather Information: Week Ending April 21, 2019

District and State	Temperature		Precipitation	
	Average	Departure from Normal	Total	Departure from Normal
	(degrees - F)	(degrees - F)	(inches)	(inches)
Northwest .....	52.0	0.3	0.26	-0.70
Northeast .....	51.3	0.4	0.78	-0.12
West .....	55.1	0.5	0.78	-0.18
Central .....	53.5	-0.3	0.98	0.12
East .....	52.7	-0.5	1.24	0.42
West Southwest .....	55.5	-0.2	1.34	0.42
East Southeast .....	54.6	-1.3	1.80	0.81
Southwest .....	55.7	-1.9	1.20	0.17
Southeast .....	54.8	-3.0	1.69	0.59
Illinois .....	53.9	-0.6	1.11	0.16

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

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

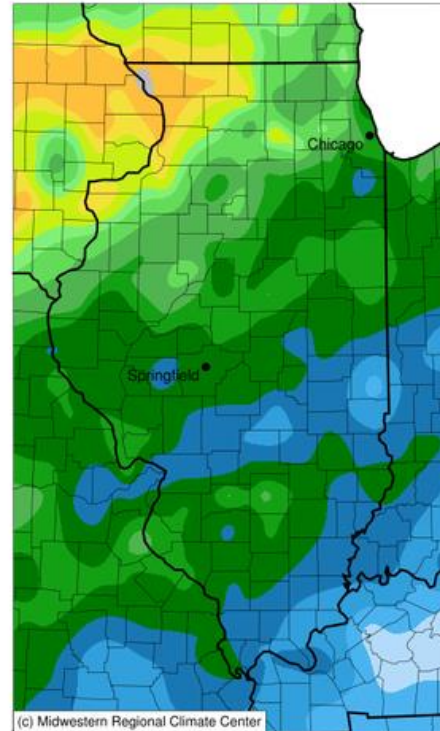
April 15, 2019 to April 21, 2019



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## Accumulated Precipitation (in)

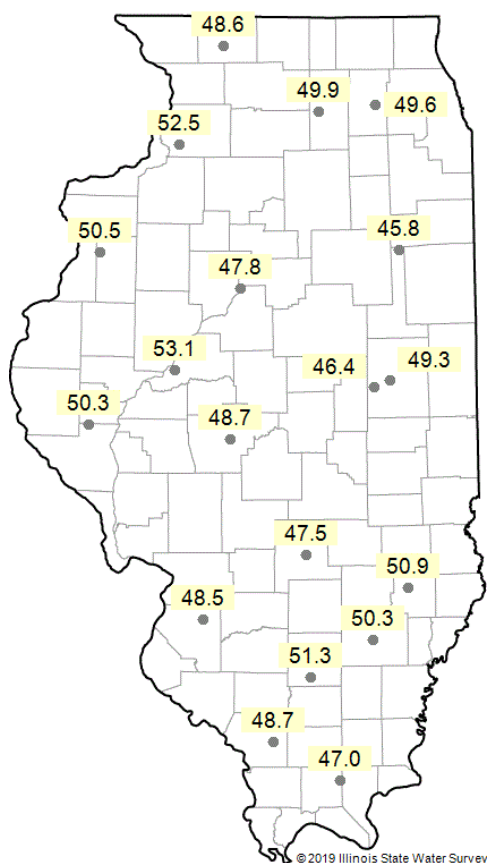
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**April 21, 2019**

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



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