



Illinois Crop Progress and Condition

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There were 3.4 days suitable for field work during the week ending July 04, 2021. Statewide, the average temperature was 74.2 degrees, 0.4 degrees below normal. Precipitation averaged 1.35 inches, 0.32 inches above normal. Topsoil moisture supply was rated 3 percent very short, 13 percent short, 67 percent adequate, and 17 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated 5 percent very short, 15 percent short, 71 percent adequate, and 9 percent surplus. Corn silking reached 14 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 22 percent. Corn condition was rated 2 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 27 percent fair, 46 percent good, and 19 percent excellent. Soybeans blooming reached 22 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 23 percent. Soybeans condition was rated 3 percent very poor, 7 percent poor, 27 percent fair, 46 percent good, and 17 percent excellent. Winter wheat harvested for grain reached 87 percent, compared to the 5-year average of 82 percent.

Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Supply: Week Ending July 4, 2021

State	Days Suitable for Fieldwork	Topsoil Moisture Supply				Subsoil Moisture Supply			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
Illinois	3.4	(percent) 3	(percent) 13	(percent) 67	(percent) 17	(percent) 5	(percent) 15	(percent) 71	(percent) 9

Crop Progress – Illinois

Item	Week ending			2016-2020 Average
	July 4, 2021	June 27, 2021	July 4, 2020	
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn silking	14	(NA)	9	22
Soybeans blooming	22	8	20	23
Winter wheat harvested	87	63	79	82
Alfalfa hay 2nd cutting	50	22	35	45

(NA) Not available.

Corn Condition – Illinois

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
July 4, 2021	2	6	27	46	19
June 27, 2021	1	6	25	52	16
July 4, 2020	2	6	31	48	13

Soybeans Condition – Illinois

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
July 4, 2021	3	7	27	46	17
June 27, 2021	1	6	26	51	16
July 4, 2020	2	6	29	48	15

Pasture Condition – Illinois

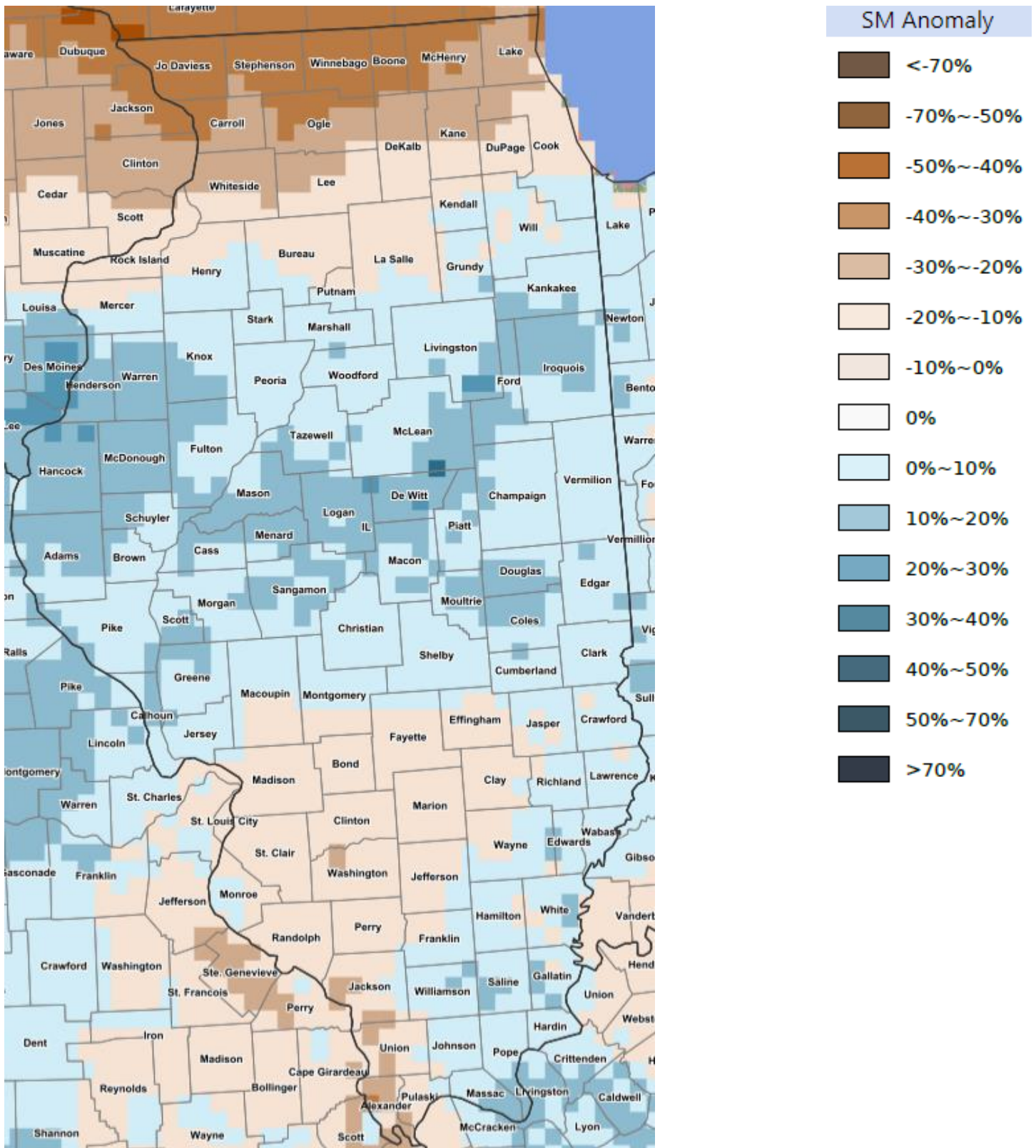
Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
July 4, 2021	3	6	34	44	13
June 27, 2021	2	6	29	45	18
July 4, 2020	1	3	30	55	11

Weather Information: Week Ending July 4, 2021

District and State	Temperature		Precipitation	
	Average (degrees - F)	Departure from Normal (degrees - F)	Total (inches)	Departure from Normal (inches)
Northwest	73.5	1.1	0.50	-0.63
Northeast	72.6	0.8	1.20	0.18
West	74.3	-0.6	1.63	0.48
Central	73.8	-0.2	1.17	0.11
East	72.9	-0.7	1.39	0.29
West Southwest	74.7	-1.0	1.95	1.12
East Southeast	74.7	-1.0	1.74	0.72
Southwest	75.6	-1.3	1.17	0.20
Southeast	75.8	-1.1	1.42	0.33
Illinois	74.2	-0.4	1.35	0.32

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

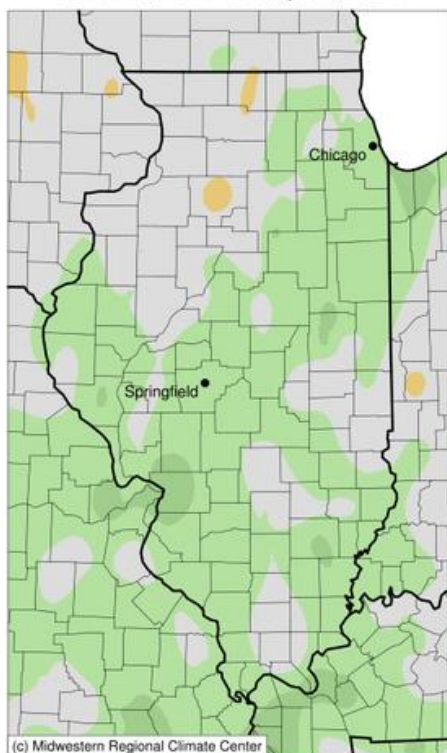
Soil Moisture Deviation from Historical Average – July 2



<https://cloud.csiss.gmu.edu/Crop-CASMA/>
 (historical average includes 2015-2020)

Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals

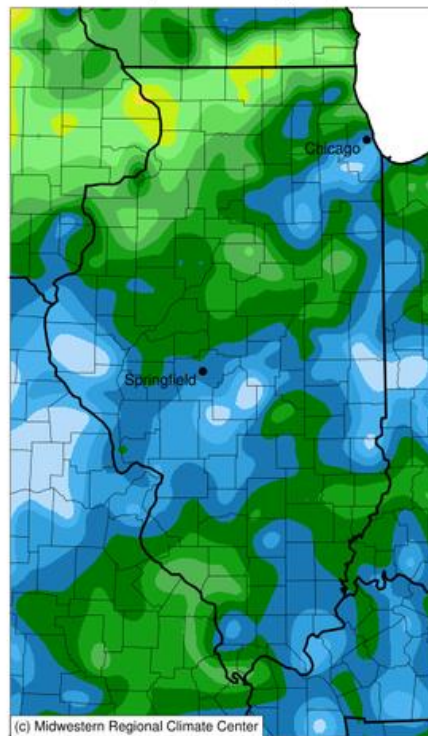
June 28, 2021 to July 04, 2021



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Accumulated Precipitation (in)

June 28, 2021 to July 04, 2021



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