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Agricultural Summary

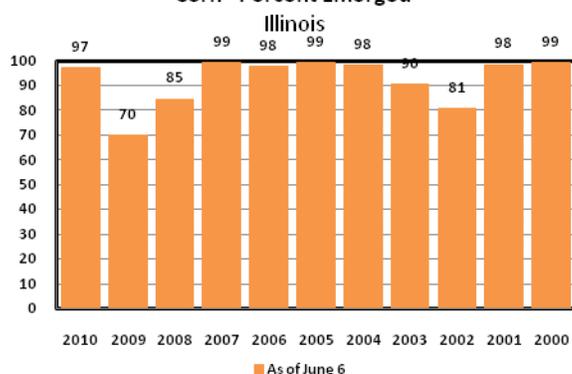
Sporadic rainstorms, some containing hail and high winds, stopped fieldwork in most areas of Illinois last week. Corn replanting has been completed in counties that received only light precipitation last week. Temperatures averaged 73.4 degrees, 5.0 degrees above normal across the state. Statewide precipitation averaged 1.73 inches, 0.80 inches above normal, with 3.2 days suitable for fieldwork. Corn emergence is at 97 percent, staying ahead of the five-year average of 90 percent. Soybeans are 82 percent planted compared to the five-year average of 81 percent. Soybean emergence is at 69 percent compared to the five-year average of 63 percent. Winter wheat is 98 percent headed, 82 percent filled, and 46 percent of the crop is turning yellow. Topsoil moisture was rated 2 percent short, 65 percent adequate and 33 percent surplus. Corn condition is 1 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 21 percent fair, 54 percent good, and 19 percent excellent. Soybean condition is 1 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 28 percent fair, 53 percent good, and 12 percent excellent. Winter wheat condition is 7 percent very poor, 11 percent poor, 42 percent fair, 36 percent good, and 4 percent excellent. Pasture condition is 13 percent poor to fair and 87 percent good to excellent.

Crop Progress Percents

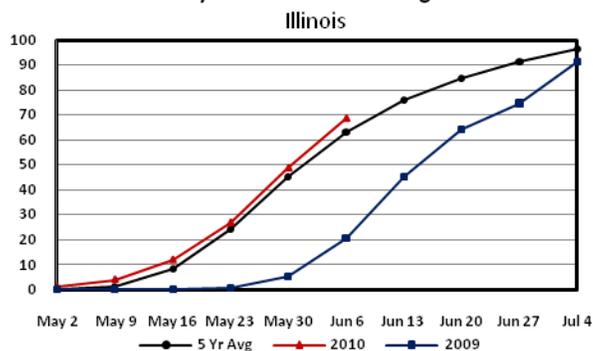
	This Week	Last Week	2009	5-Year Average
June 6				
CORN:				
Emergenced	97	94	70	90
Average Height	17	11	7	12
SOYBEANS:				
Planted	82	73	55	81
Emergenced	69	49	21	63
SORGHUM:				
Planted	53	39	10	51
WHEAT:				
Headed	98	94	93	97
Filled	82	62	76	81
Turning Yellow	46	21	34	49
Ripe	1	1/	2	6
OATS:				
Headed	80	46	26	42
Filled	24	14	8	13
Turning Yellow	2	1	1	2
ALFALFA:				
First Cut	76	64	49	67
Second Cut	5	3	0	4
RED CLOVER:				
Percent Cut:	52	38	33	57

1/ Less than one percent.

Corn - Percent Emerged



Soybeans - Percent Emerged



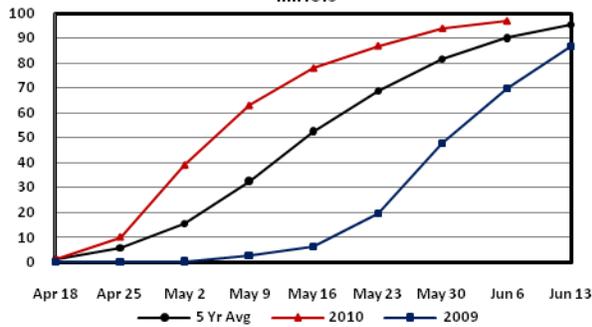
Crop Condition Percents

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
June 6					
Corn	1	5	21	54	19
Soybeans	1	6	28	53	12
Winter Wheat	7	11	42	36	4
Oats	1	3	19	64	13
Alfalfa	1	3	16	62	18
Red Clover	-	3	16	64	17
Pasture	-	1	12	64	23

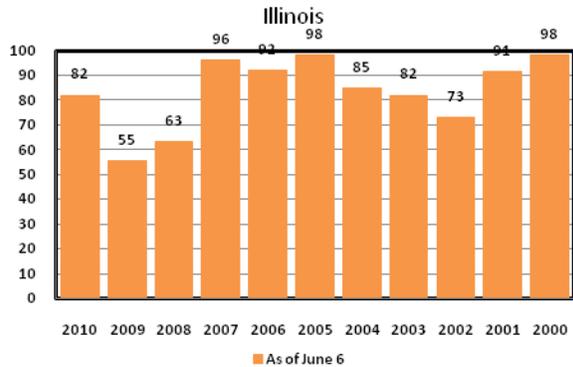
Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Topsoil Moisture Percents

District	Days Suitable For Fieldwork	Topsoil Moisture Percents			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
May 31 - June 6		June 6			
Northwest	3.3	-	5	75	20
Northeast	2.3	-	-	74	26
West	1.9	-	-	38	62
Central	2.3	-	2	57	41
East	3.6	-	3	76	21
W Southwest	3.2	-	-	63	37
E Southeast	3.6	-	-	78	22
Southwest	5.1	-	-	58	42
Southeast	4.8	5	16	41	38
State	3.2	-	2	65	33

Corn - Percent Emerged
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Soybeans - Percent Planted

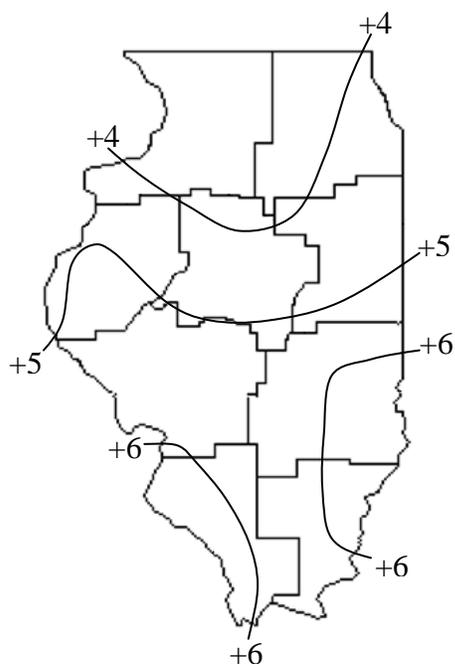


Crop Progress Percents by Districts

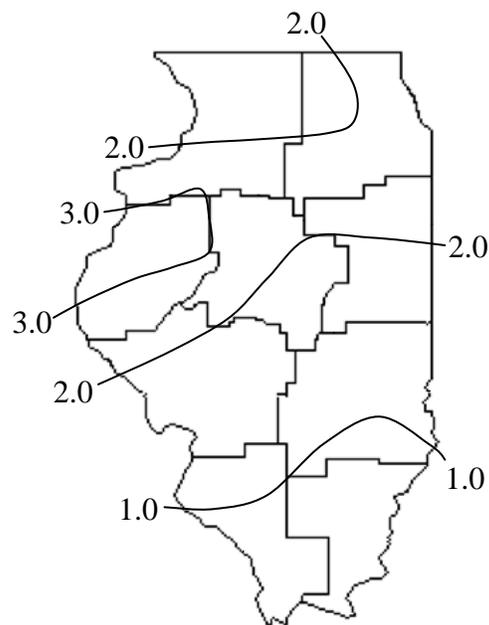
District	Corn Emerged	Corn Average Height	Soybeans Planted	Soybeans Emerged
June 6				
Northwest	98	13	95	83
Northeast	90	16	89	77
West	95	14	73	55
Central	99	19	91	77
East	99	19	97	88
W Southwest	98	15	76	63
E Southeast	97	18	76	62
Southwest	99	14	66	52
Southeast	98	17	74	60
State	97	17	82	69

Weather Information Table

District	Temperature		Precipitation		Growing Degree Days	
	Average	Departure	Total	Departure	Since May 1	Departure
	May 31 - June 6					
Northwest	70.0	3.6	1.99	1.24	523	35
Northeast	69.9	4.0	2.23	1.45	520	56
West	73.4	5.2	2.91	2.06	577	35
Central	72.8	4.6	2.24	1.39	578	40
East	72.6	4.6	1.72	0.77	587	55
W Southwest	74.6	5.5	1.46	0.54	610	33
E Southeast	75.4	6.0	1.20	0.11	660	78
Southwest	76.4	6.1	0.94	-0.19	694	81
Southeast	76.6	6.0	0.75	-0.35	725	103
State	73.4	5.0	1.73	0.80	604	55



Temperature (°F) Departure
May 31 - June 6



Precipitation (in.) Total
May 31 - June 6

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