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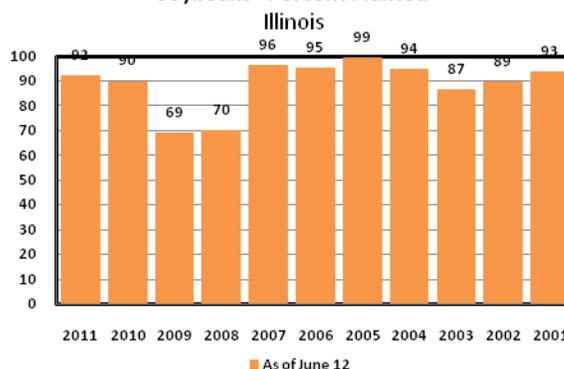
Agricultural Summary

Warm weather and sunny skies gave crops a boost early in the week before rains brought things to a halt on Friday. The average statewide temperature was 75.2 degrees, 4.8 degrees above normal. Average statewide precipitation was above normal this week at 1.32 inches. The norm for the time period is 0.92 inches. With 4.5 days suitable for fieldwork, some farmers were able to finally finish planting/re-planting, while others were out spraying herbicides and baling hay. Standing water is still a problem in some parts of the state, and some fields that had dried out are back under water for the second time. There are several reports of yellow spotting on corn and beans in areas where standing water was previously present. Topsoil moisture was 1 percent very short, 4 percent short, 69 percent adequate, and 26 percent surplus. Corn planted increased to 99 percent, of which 97 percent is now emerged. Soybeans planted jumped to 92 percent, up from 78 percent planted the previous week and above the five-year average of 84 percent. Seventy-six percent of soybeans have now emerged compared to 53 percent the previous week. Winter wheat was 96 percent filled and 72 percent turning yellow. Wheat conditions were 2 percent very poor, 7 percent poor, 35 percent fair, 47 percent good, and 9 percent excellent.

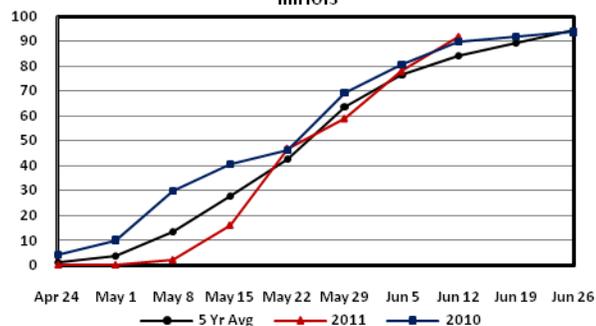
Crop Progress Percents

	This Week	Last Week	2010	5-Year Average
June 12				
CORN:				
Planted	99	98	100	98
Emerged	97	90	98	95
Height (inches)	14	9	26	19
SOYBEANS:				
Planted	92	78	90	84
Emerged	76	53	79	71
SORGHUM:				
Planted	70	42	74	56
WHEAT:				
Filled	96	91	92	91
Turning yellow	72	48	70	66
Ripe	19	2	28	23
Harvested	1	1/	9	5
OATS:				
Headed	59	39	82	60
Filled	22	12	43	26
Turning yellow	4	1/	13	6
ALFALFA:				
First cut	81	57	77	72
Second cut	3	2	9	6
RED CLOVER:				
Cut	69	48	59	62

Soybeans - Percent Planted



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1/ Less than 1 percent.

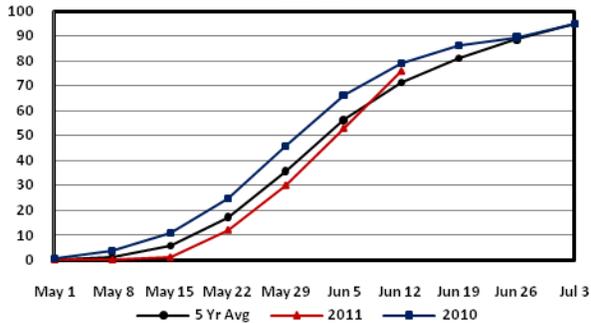
Crop Condition Percents

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
June 12					
Corn	2	5	24	55	14
Soybeans	1	4	29	55	11
Sorghum	-	6	64	30	-
Winter Wheat	2	7	35	47	9
Oats	-	3	24	67	6
Alfalfa	1	2	17	68	12
Red Clover	-	2	26	58	14
Pasture	-	2	16	63	19

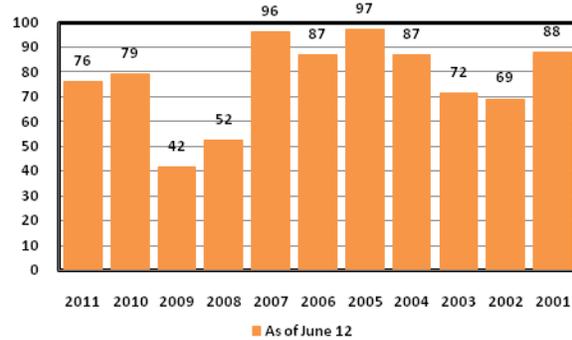
Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Topsoil Moisture Percents

District	Days Suitable For Fieldwork	Topsoil Moisture Percents			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
June 6 - 12		June 12			
Northwest	3.0	-	1	67	32
Northeast	3.1	-	-	53	47
West	3.4	-	-	72	28
Central	4.7	-	2	83	15
East	4.7	-	6	67	27
W Southwest	4.8	-	1	69	30
E Southeast	5.4	-	4	80	16
Southwest	6.7	-	17	63	20
Southeast	5.9	12	25	46	17
State	4.5	1	4	69	26

**Soybeans - Percent Emerged
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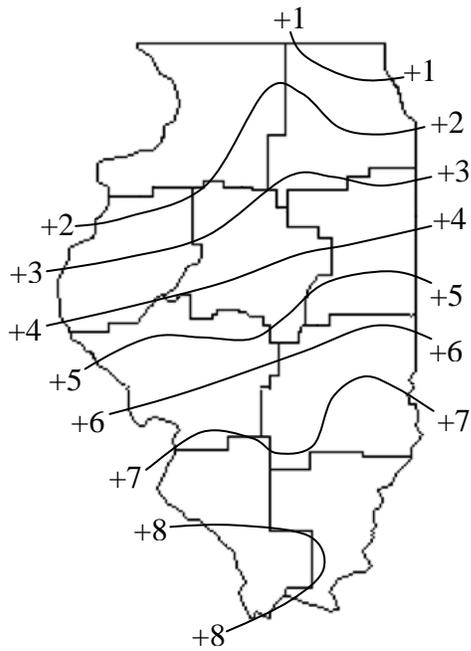


Crop Progress Percents by Districts

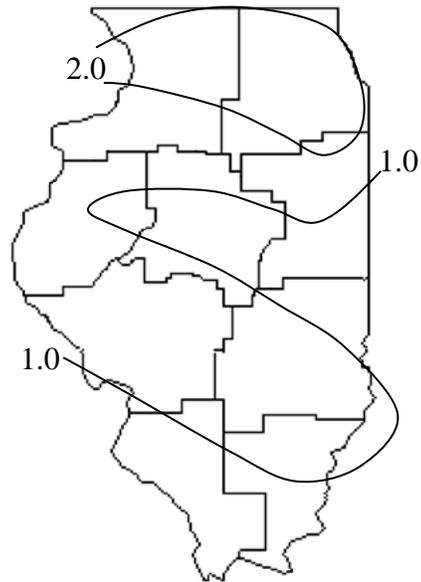
District	Corn Planted	Corn Emerged	Soybeans Planted	Soybeans Emerged
	June 12			
Northwest	100	98	97	78
Northeast	100	99	95	84
West	100	100	96	84
Central	100	99	96	91
East	100	98	97	79
W Southwest	100	98	94	82
E Southeast	99	93	88	67
Southwest	92	78	62	38
Southeast	97	88	79	55
State	99	97	92	76

Weather Information Table

District	Temperature		Precipitation		Growing Degree Days	
	Average	Departure	Total	Departure	Since May 1	Departure
June 6 - 12						
Northwest	70.4	1.9	1.96	0.99	621	21
Northeast	69.8	2.0	2.34	1.36	585	14
West	74.0	3.5	1.08	0.20	712	47
Central	74.1	3.9	0.95	0.10	700	42
East	74.6	4.5	1.13	0.21	691	40
W Southwest	77.1	5.8	1.45	0.57	757	54
E Southeast	78.5	6.9	1.21	0.26	774	63
Southwest	80.0	7.8	0.55	-0.30	819	74
Southeast	80.4	7.8	0.79	-0.20	833	78
State	75.2	4.8	1.32	0.40	716	47



Temperature (°F) Departure
June 6 - 12



Precipitation (in.) Total
June 6 - 12

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