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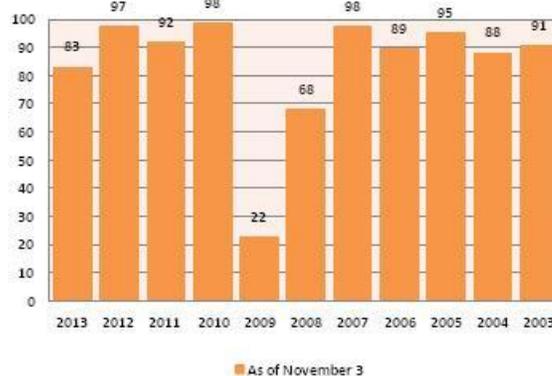
Agricultural Summary

Widespread rains slowed corn and soybean harvest across the state last week. Statewide precipitation averaged 2.07 inches, 1.26 inches above normal. Temperatures averaged 48.7 degrees, 2.1 degrees below normal. There were 4.2 days suitable for fieldwork. With the rain, topsoil moisture improved dramatically and was rated at 7 percent very short, 23 percent short, 67 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture also improved and was rated at 11 percent very short, 40 percent short, 48 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus. Corn harvest has reached 83 percent complete, compared to 97 percent last year and the 5-year average of 76 percent. Ninety-two percent of the soybean crop has been harvested, compared to 95 percent last year and the 5-year average of 85 percent. Ninety-five percent of the wheat crop has been planted and 75 percent has emerged, both of which are ahead of last year and the 5-year average. The winter wheat crop was rated at 2 percent poor, 31 percent fair, 65 percent good, and 2 percent excellent. Pasture conditions were rated at 6 percent very poor, 18 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 39 percent good, and 4 percent excellent.

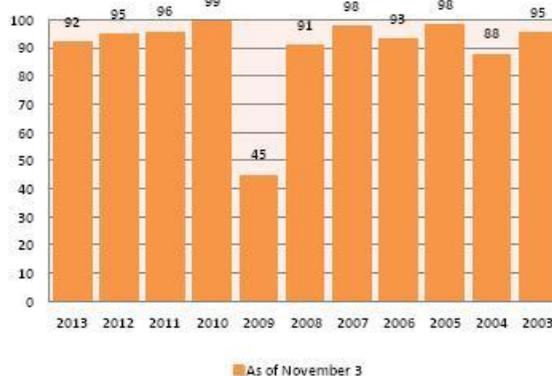
Crop Progress Percents

	This Week	Last Week	2012	5-Year Average
November 3				
CORN:				
Harvested	83	74	97	76
SOYBEANS:				
Harvested	92	85	95	85
SORGHUM:				
Harvested	85	82	92	70
Winter Wheat:				
Planted	95	89	94	84
Emerged	75	47	70	64

Corn - Percent Harvested
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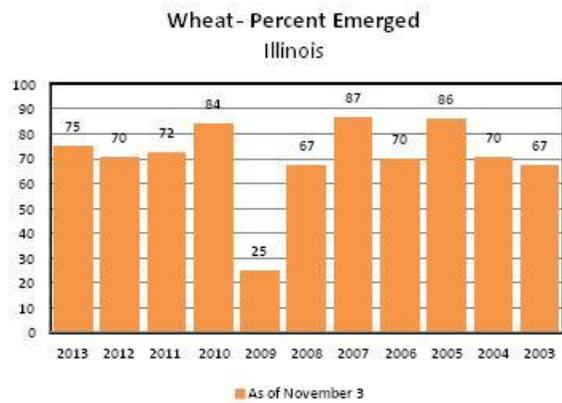
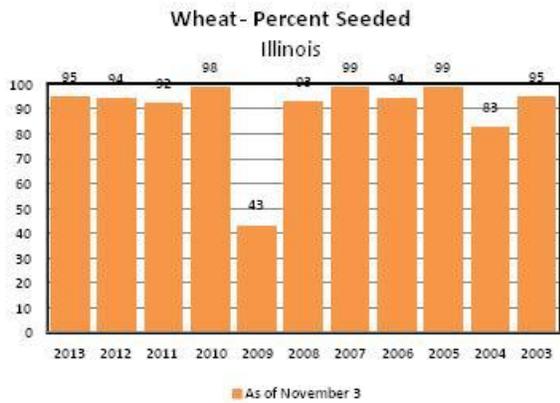
Soybeans - Percent Harvested
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Crop Condition Percents

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
November 3					
Winter Wheat	-	2	31	65	2
Pasture	6	18	33	39	4

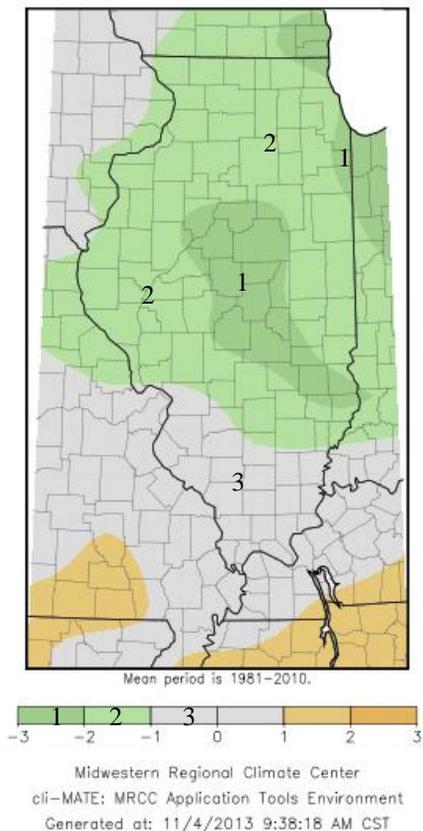
District	Days Suitable For Fieldwork	Topsoil				Subsoil			
		Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
Oct 28 - Nov 3		November 3							
Northwest	4.2	-	10	89	1	22	47	31	-
Northeast	4.1	-	-	97	3	-	22	77	1
West	3.7	9	26	65	-	23	48	29	-
Central	4.2	9	26	63	2	3	47	50	-
East	4.8	9	30	60	1	10	44	46	-
W Southwest	3.9	6	39	53	2	4	17	79	-
E Southeast	4.4	12	28	58	2	13	44	43	1
Southwest	3.2	4	35	56	4	6	33	55	6
Southeast	3.7	3	4	76	16	9	41	47	3
State	4.2	7	23	67	3	11	40	48	1



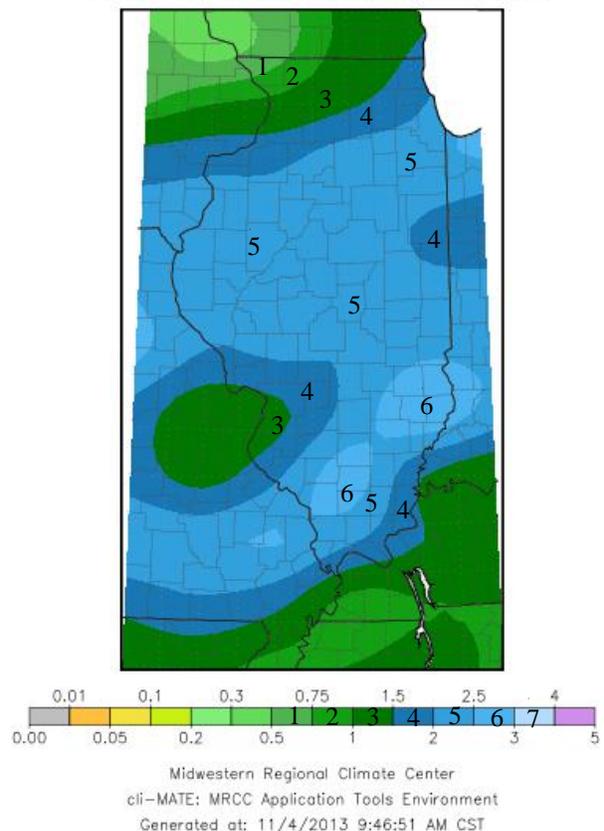
District	Corn Harvested	Soybeans Harvested
November 3		
Northwest	76	97
Northeast	70	92
West	77	87
Central	92	94
East	90	96
W Southwest	78	90
E Southeast	83	90
Southwest	92	84
Southeast	80	82
State	83	92

District	Temperature		Precipitation	
	Average	Departure	Total	Departure
October 28 – November 3				
Northwest	44.9	-2.5	1.45	0.59
Northeast	45.4	-2.7	1.91	1.11
West	48.1	-2.2	2.19	1.24
Central	47.0	-3.0	2.27	1.43
East	47.2	-2.5	2.05	1.28
W Southwest	49.2	-2.7	2.09	1.24
E Southeast	49.6	-3.0	2.36	1.61
Southwest	54.3	0.3	2.28	1.48
Southeast	54.9	0.5	2.18	1.43
State	48.7	-2.1	2.07	1.26

Average Temperature (°F): Departure from Mean
October 28, 2013 to November 3, 2013



Accumulated Precipitation (in)
October 28, 2013 to November 3, 2013



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