



Indiana Crop Weather

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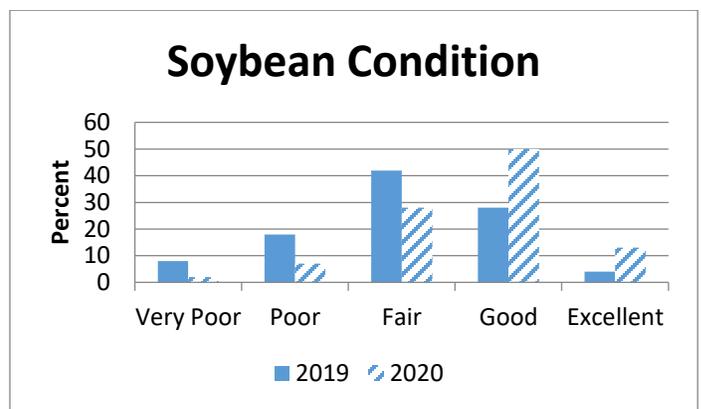
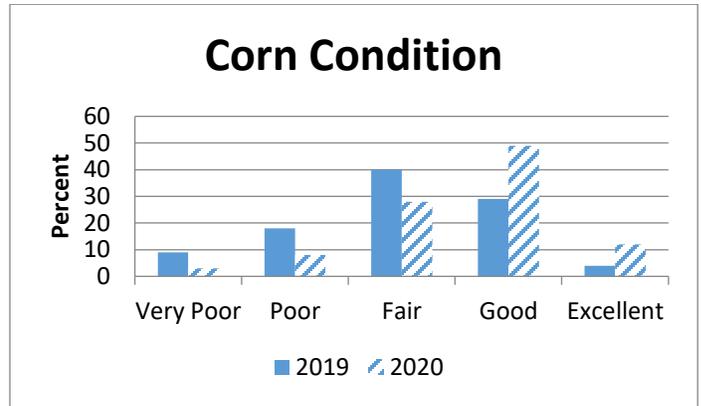
September 8, 2020

Temps Cooled, Dry Conditions Remained

Temperatures cooled off in the latter half of the week, while isolated rain events replenished moisture levels in the southern part of the State, according to USDA NASS, Great Lakes Regional Field Office. The southern portion of the State received above average rainfall, while the north and central regions remained unusually dry. Statewide, soil moisture levels decreased from the previous week.

The average temperature for the week was 70.3 degrees Fahrenheit, 0.1 degrees below normal for the State. The amount of rainfall varied from none to 4.13 inches over the week. The statewide average precipitation was 0.46 inches. There were 6.1 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending September 6.

Spotty rainfall last week benefitted some fields, but many **corn** and **soybean** fields across the State were still short on moisture. The percent of **corn** mature was in line with the five-year average, as was the percent of **soybeans** dropping leaves, though concerns remained regarding kernel and pod fill after recent dry spells. **Corn** silage harvest was well underway last week, and hay harvests continued slightly ahead of the five-year average. Livestock were reportedly in good condition as fall calving approached, though pasture conditions declined slightly amid the dry weather. Other activities for the week included harvesting specialty crops, preparing equipment for harvest, and mowing roadsides.

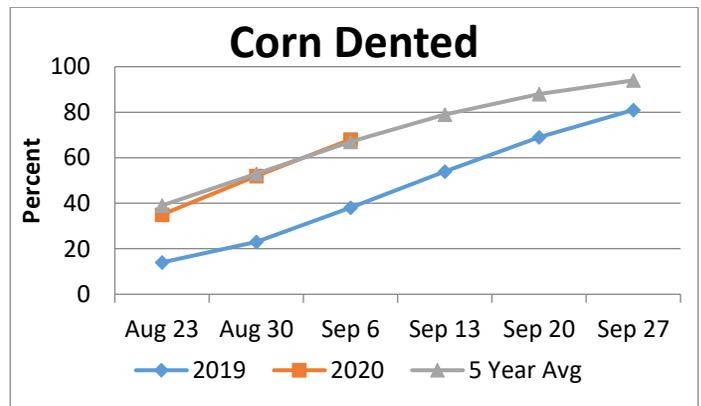


Soil Moisture: Week Ending 09/06/20

Item	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture.....	16	36	46	2
Subsoil moisture.....	14	38	46	2

Crop Condition: Week Ending 09/06/20

Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn.....	3	8	28	49	12
Soybeans.....	2	7	28	50	13
Range and Pasture...	6	16	35	38	5



Crop Progress: Week Ending 09/06/20

Crop/Activity	Percent Completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Days Suitable for Fieldwork	6.1	6.3	NA	NA
Corn Dough.....	97	94	79	93
Corn Dented.....	68	52	38	67
Corn Mature.....	20	8	6	20
Corn Harvested for Silage.....	38	17	NA	NA
Soybeans Dropping Leaves.....	19	7	2	18
Alfalfa Hay 3rd Cutting	89	82	70	83
Alfalfa Hay 4th Cutting	26	15	12	17
Other Hay 3rd Cutting	69	58	48	63

Weather Summary For Indiana

Week Ending 2020-09-06

Since April 1

	Week Ending 2020-09-06						Since April 1					
	Temperature			Precipitation			Precipitation			GDD Base 50		
	High	Low	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN	
Northwest												
KNOX WWTP	87	52	70	1	0.11	1	17.92	-3.43	61	2510	-43	
LAPORTE	84	56	70	1	0.27	2	19.35	-1.69	50	2699	165	
LOWELL	79	56	68	-1	0.00	0	16.69	-4.80	37	2402	-99	
RENSELAER	86	50	69	-1	0.25	1	17.35	-3.02	49	2627	-23	
North Central												
GOSHEN 3SW	87	51	69	1	0.02	2	17.53	-3.09	56	2630	138	
LOGANSPOUT CICOTT ST.	79	56	68	-2	0.00	0	13.44	-8.46	56	2572	-30	
ROCHESTER	86	52	69	1	0.00	0	16.33	-5.16	43	2628	137	
WABASH	82	55	68	0	0.00	0	13.47	-8.30	47	2660	201	
Northeast												
ANGOLA	85	51	68	1	0.52	1	14.69	-5.77	48	2387	143	
COLUMBIA CITY	84	43	66	-1	0.00	0	16.15	-4.86	38	2093	-276	
DECATUR 1 N	84	50	68	-1	0.22	1	18.69	-1.23	52	2586	56	
HUNTINGTON	86	50	69	0	0.88	1	16.50	-4.45	56	2540	-19	
West Central												
CRAWFORDSVILLE 6 SE	83	48	67	-1	0.07	2	17.53	-4.60	54	2566	86	
LAFAYETTE PURDUE UNIVERSITY AP	89	52	72	1	0.54	3	14.11	-5.68	55	2997	222	
PERRYSVILLE 4 WNW	86	51	69	-2	0.45	1	18.07	-3.02	49	2724	-91	
ROCKVILLE	86	49	70	-1	0.53	3	25.55	1.09	45	2804	-112	
SPENCER	85	50	70	0	0.04	2	19.56	-5.14	62	2799	109	
Central												
COLUMBUS	86	39	70	-1	0.50	2	22.07	-0.08	58	2845	-82	
FRANKFORT DISPOSAL	84	55	70	1	0.55	2	20.20	-1.26	47	2672	48	
GREENFIELD	86	50	70	-1	0.09	1	19.66	-4.19	58	2717	-31	
INDIANAPOLIS INTL AP	87	52	72	1	0.02	2	20.30	-1.08	57	2968	76	
TIPTON 5 SW	86	51	69	0	0.04	2	19.63	-0.97	58	2623	140	
East Central												
FARMLAND 5 NNW	86	53	70	2	0.00	0	16.97	-4.30	54	2512	-36	
HARTFORD CITY 4 ESE	87	51	70	0	0.04	1	13.00	-7.71	59	2575	-59	
NEW CASTLE 3 SW	84	46	67	-1	0.06	1	18.83	-3.78	53	2440	-58	
RICHMOND WATER WORKS	81	52	69	0	0.03	1	20.25	-0.61	65	2585	-71	
Southwest												
BOONVILLE 1S	81	68	74	1	0.05	1	28.27	6.17	59	3228	-98	
SHAKAMAK STATE PARK	83	52	71	-1	0.23	1	21.88	-0.95	53	2835	-57	
SHOALS 8 S	86	48	68	-3	0.54	2	24.37	1.41	51	2985	175	
WASHINGTON 1 W	87	52	74	1	0.21	1	21.63	-1.57	42	3297	6	
South Central												
BLOOMINGTON INDIANA UNIV	85	55	71	-1	0.08	2	21.10	-2.68	54	2814	-93	
OOLITIC PURDUE EX FRM	83	50	70	-1	0.24	2	25.95	2.82	55	2701	-106	
TELL CITY	82	56	72	-3	4.13	4	29.51	6.84	60	2911	-528	
Southeast												
BROOKVILLE	85	56	74	2	0.32	3	20.60	-0.74	67	2841	-10	
NORTH VERNON 2 ESE	83	49	71	-1	0.67	2	17.63	-5.64	60	2930	-47	

Note:

Summary based on NOAA Regional Climate Centers (RCCs) data. Climate normals used are for the 1981-2010 period.
Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches. Air temperature in degrees fahrenheit.