



Indiana Crop Weather

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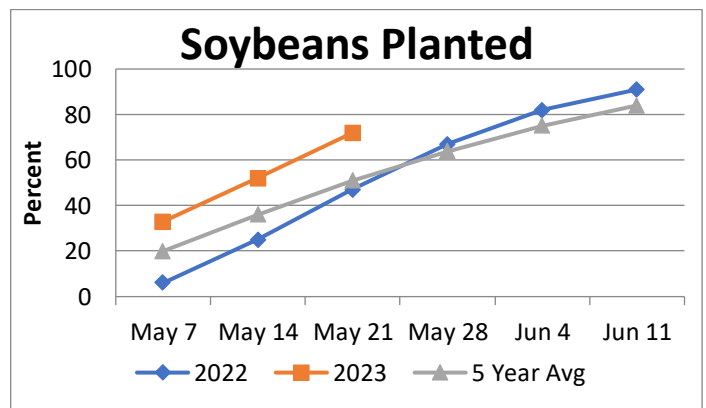
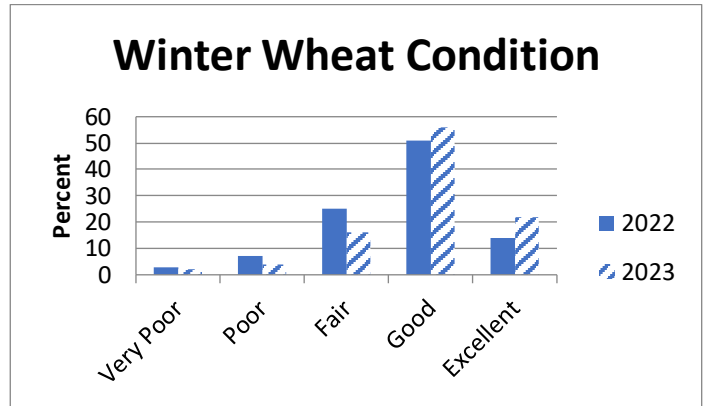
May 22, 2023

Planting Continues Ahead of Schedule

Planting progress surged forward amid cooler, slightly drier conditions, according to Nathaniel Warenski, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Indiana Field Office. Soil moisture levels decreased from the previous week, with 83 percent of topsoil moisture reported as adequate or surplus.

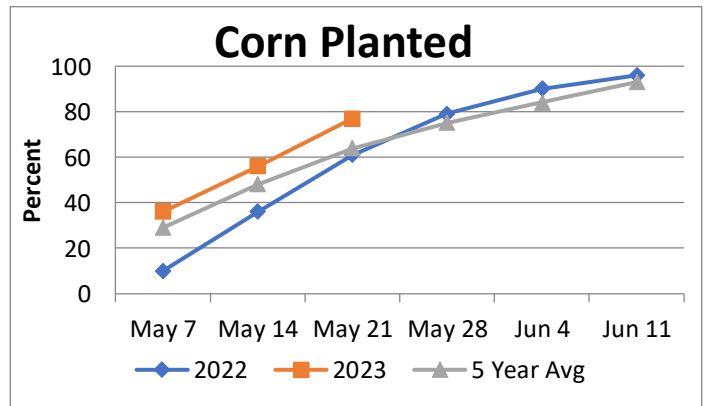
The average temperature for the week was 61.4 degrees Fahrenheit, 2.2 degrees below normal for the State. The amount of rainfall varied from none to 2.64 inches over the week. The statewide average precipitation was 0.75 inches, 0.17 inches below normal. There were 5.3 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending May 21.

Corn and soybean planting progress remained ahead of schedule after a relatively dry week throughout much of the State. Similarly, crop emergence continued ahead of their respective five-year averages despite the cooler temperatures. Winter wheat progress was slightly ahead of schedule and crop condition remained stable from the previous week. First cuttings of hay were underway last week, and pasture conditions declined slightly from the previous week with 70 percent rated in good to excellent condition. Other activities for the week included herbicide applications, manure spreading, and roadside mowing.



Crop Progress: Week Ending 05/21/23

Crop/Activity	Percent Completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Days Suitable for Fieldwork	5.3	4.5	NA	NA
Corn Planted.....	77	56	61	64
Corn Emerged	47	22	29	38
Soybeans Planted.....	72	52	47	51
Soybeans Emerged	40	18	18	25
Winter Wheat Jointing	93	89	87	88
Winter Wheat Headed	53	32	37	45
Alfalfa Hay 1st Cutting	10	NA	NA	NA
Other Hay 1st Cutting	8	NA	NA	NA



Soil Moisture: Week Ending 05/21/23

Item	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture	4	13	74	9
Subsoil moisture	4	15	74	7

Crop Condition: Week Ending 05/21/23

Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Winter Wheat	2	4	16	56	22
Range and Pasture	1	5	24	61	9

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Weather Summary For Indiana

Week Ending 2023-05-21

Since April 1

	Temperature						Precipitation			GDD Base 50	
	High	Low	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN
	Northwest										
CHALMERS 5 W	83	45	62	1	0.33	2	4.54	-2.01	19	377	89
KNOX WWTP	76	41	58	-3	0.00	0	4.82	-1.45	16	307	-39
LAPORTE	76	44	59	-2	0.23	1	4.32	-1.90	20	337	37
North Central											
GOSHEN 3SW	77	38	59	-2	0.17	2	4.12	-2.00	25	339	34
ROCHESTER	80	43	59	-2	0.26	2	4.41	-2.31	15	329	35
WABASH	73	58	66	5	0.01	1	5.93	-0.49	19	317	21
Northeast											
ANGOLA	73	42	56	-3	0.01	1	3.75	-2.48	21	220	-9
COLUMBIA CITY	75	39	57	-3	0.00	0	3.19	-3.23	16	265	-5
HUNTINGTON	75	37	58	-3	0.00	0	6.26	-0.25	12	290	-6
West Central											
CRAWFORDSVILLE 6 SE	80	41	60	-1	0.55	3	5.52	-1.59	18	346	40
LAFA YETTE PURDUE UNIVERSITY AP	82	41	61	-1	0.10	1	2.13	-4.20	12	402	35
PERRYSVILLE 4 WNW	79	44	60	-3	0.27	2	4.38	-2.12	14	365	-30
ROCKVILLE	83	39	61	-3	0.26	2	3.60	-4.29	14	427	-18
SPENCER	81	43	62	0	0.74	3	8.02	-0.40	17	395	33
Central											
FRANKFORT DISPOSAL	80	42	60	-2	0.32	2	3.43	-3.18	19	231	-116
GREENFIELD	80	44	60	-3	1.44	4	5.83	-2.17	19	349	-25
INDIANAPOLIS INTL AP	80	46	62	-2	1.15	4	4.78	-2.49	18	452	48
TIPTON 5 SW	85	39	61	0	0.33	1	4.18	-2.60	16	362	62
East Central											
HARTFORD CITY 4 ESE	81	39	59	-3	0.45	1	4.62	-1.60	17	352	10
NEW CASTLE 3 SW	80	41	58	-3	0.91	2	6.53	-0.91	18	310	-6
RICHMOND WATER WORKS	80	41	59	-3	1.28	4	5.83	-1.21	18	324	-36
Southwest											
BOONVILLE 1S	82	54	69	2	1.39	3	7.41	-0.86	15	590	23
SHAKAMAK STATE PARK	84	47	66	2	1.02	2	6.60	-1.55	16	439	2
SHOALS 8 S	83	47	66	4	2.64	4	8.15	-0.60	18	564	161
WASHINGTON 1 W	83	46	66	0	1.18	3	5.42	-2.95	11	587	36
South Central											
BLOOMINGTON INDIANA UNIV	79	53	64	0	0.13	2	5.88	-2.58	14	373	-55
OOLITIC PURDUE EX FRM	80	43	61	-1	0.67	2	6.60	-1.88	17	370	-22
TELL CITY	80	49	65	-2	1.22	5	7.29	-1.18	16	467	-112
Southeast											
BROOKVILLE	81	42	61	-2	0.95	4	5.93	-1.91	14	395	-1

Note:

Summary based on NOAA Regional Climate Centers (RCCs) data. Climate normals used are for the 1991-2020 period. Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches. Air temperature in degrees fahrenheit.