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Excellent Week for Field Work: New Jersey had an average of 6.0 days suitable for field work. The weather is really getting heated. According to a reporter Crops currently harvested: Blueberries, cherries, cucumbers, greens, herbs, hot peppers, lettuces, sugar snap peas, summer squash and sweet corn.

NJ Soil Moisture for Week Ending July 06, 2014 (equal to 100%)

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
Topsoil	3%	18%	70%	9%
Subsoil	2%	13%	74%	11%

Crop Condition (in %):

	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Apples	1	4	26	60	9
Alfalfa Hay	2	13	39	38	8
Corn	1	6	27	53	13
Other Hay	1	9	39	36	15
Pasture	4	6	37	39	14
Peaches	0	0	27	73	0
Soybeans	1	1	27	60	11
Winter Wheat	1	4	26	60	9

Crop Progress (in %):

	This week	Last Week	Last Year	5-year Average
Hay Alfalfa Second cutting	12	7	35	27
Other Hay First cutting	90	87	81	75
Other Hay Second cutting	5	N/A	N/A	11
Soybeans Emerged	96	88	70	90
Sweet Corn Planted	57	52	92	86
Sweet Corn Emerged	49	43	N/A	N/A
Winter Wheat Coloring	91	85	N/A	N/A
Winter Wheat Mature	34	14	N/A	N/A
Winter Wheat Harvested	12	N/A	49	82

For a complete nationwide weekly weather and crop bulletin, please visit www.usda.gov/oc/weather and click on "[Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin](#)."

July 6, 2014 New Jersey Weekly Weather Summary

Station	Last Week Weather Summary						Accumulation Since April 1, 2014					
	Temperature				Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50F		Base 40F
	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN	Total
Andover	92	54	74	+4	2.44	3	15.99	+2.07	37	1140	+233	2003
Belvidere_Bridg	90	54	73	+3	0.85	3	13.88	+0.55	33	1050	+107	1916
Cape_May	90	60	76	+2	1.82	2	9.58	-0.99	33	1355	+189	2274
Estell_Manor	94	55	75	+2	1.68	3	11.21	+1.08	33	1262	+135	2166
Flemington	95	55	75	+4	1.99	3	17.62	+3.43	42	1202	+176	2077
Freehold_Marlbo	96	56	75	+3	0.75	3	14.52	+2.46	38	1260	+123	2164
Hammonton	96	58	77	+3	1.42	3	11.42	-1.26	36	1327	+99	2242
Lakehurst_NAS	96	59	77	+4	0.90	3	11.27	+0.23	32	1283	+104	2159
Marlton	97	60	77	+4	1.87	3	16.93	+4.57	43	1378	+120	2300
Millville	93	55	76	+1	0.98	3	9.73	-1.66	32	1338	+95	2251
Mt_Holly_NWS	93	58	75	+2	2.08	2	15.06	+2.48	36	1275	+69	2190
Newark	96	61	78	+3	2.60	3	18.94	+6.34	34	1450	+141	2371
New_Brunswick	95	55	76	+3	2.25	2	16.50	+3.09	38	1275	+150	2167
Pennsauken	95	59	77	+2	0.79	2	16.99	+4.02	39	1348	+13	2271
Seabrook_Farms	94	59	77	+3	0.71	3	11.59	-0.20	30	1416	+150	2353
Sussex_2NW	92	55	74	+5	5.27	3	16.75	+2.42	38	1131	+255	1978
Trenton	93	57	76	+4	2.43	3	14.06	+0.86	31	1335	+241	2245

Summary based on NWS data. DFN = Departure From Normal.

Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches.

Air Temperatures in Degrees Fahrenheit.

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REPORTERS COMMENTS, By County

Reporters are from Extension Service (Ext), Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), Farm Service Agency (FSA), Conservation District (CD), farmers, commodity specialists, or other knowledgeable individuals.

Mercer County, Meredith Melendez

Weed control and disease scouting continues. Crops currently harvested: sweet corn, cherries, hot peppers, blueberries, cucumbers, sugar snap peas, greens, lettuces, turnips, herbs, summer squash.

Monmouth County, Bill Sciarappa

Nice timely rains; bugs and diseases up

Salem County, Jasen Berkowitz

Hay work, baling wheat straw, no tilling soybeans behind wheat, some irrigation, livestock condition good, milk production average

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