

# Crop Progress & Condition



## NEW YORK

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**Good Week for Field Work:** New York had an average of 5.5 days suitable for field work. Though some areas report complications due to remaining moisture, good weather this week dried up most areas allowing first hay cutting to complete and second to begin. Hay, pasture and grain crops continue to look good. Vegetables are continuing to grow and look to be in great shape. Strawberry harvesting has begun in some areas of New York. Fruit trees are either blooming or past bloom in some parts of the state. Reports from Long Island are that vineyards are in bloom and progress is expected to proceed quickly with the nice weather. Overall crops look good but are behind schedule by about a week. Field activities for the week include cutting hay, applying fertilizer, plowing and planting of fields, mowing and baling hay, mowing pastures, spraying of trees and fixing machinery.

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### New York Soil Moisture for Week Ending June 22, 2014

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
Topsoil	0%	2%	69%	29%
Subsoil	0%	2%	74%	24%

### Crop Progress (%)

	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Year Average
Spring Tillage	95%	92%	N/A	N/A
Barley Emerged	90%	84%	N/A	N/A
Barley Headed	26%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Cabbage Planted	80%	62%	N/A	N/A
Corn Planted	94%	88%	94%	97%
Corn Emerged	79%	62%	N/A	N/A
Corn Average Height	8 inches	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hay Alfalfa First Cutting	85%	57%	83%	82%
Hay Alfalfa Second Cutting	5%	N/A	6%	N/A

Hay Other First Cutting	73%	56%	N/A	N/A
Oats Emerged	91%	84%	N/A	N/A
Oats Headed	28%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Onions Planted	73%	71%	N/A	N/A
Potatoes Planted	96%	94%	97%	98%
Snap Beans Planted	60%	55%	53%	57%
Soybeans Planted	87%	66%	75%	88%
Soybeans Emerged	66%	39%	N/A	N/A
Sweet Corn Planted	87%	80%	75%	83%
Winter Wheat Booted	94%	90%	N/A	N/A
Winter Wheat Headed	89%	81%	N/A	N/A
Winter Wheat Harvested	9%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Apples Full Bloom	94%	86%	100%	100%
Peaches Full Bloom	80%	67%	100%	100%
Pears Pink	95%	92%	100%	100%
Pears Full Bloom	71%	59%	100%	100%
Sweet Cherries Full Bloom	88%	85%	100%	100%
Tart Cherries Full Bloom	88%	83%	100%	100%

### Crop Condition (in %):

	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Barley	0	0	4	72	24
Corn	0	3	32	47	18
Hay Alfalfa	2	4	32	53	9
Hay Other Than Alfalfa	2	6	34	50	8
Oats	0	1	20	62	17
Pasture and Range	4	6	29	47	14
Soybeans	0	2	15	67	16
Winter Wheat	1	5	21	56	17

## June 22, 2014 New York Weekly Weather Summary

		Last Week Weather Summary						Accumulation Since April 1, 2014					
		Temperature				Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50F		Base 40F
Region	Station	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN	Total
Northern	Fort_Drum	84	48	64	-3	0.54	3	12.34	+3.43	40	631	+72	1261
	Highmarket	83	40	59	-4	0.94	3	12.21	-0.40	38	405	+3	922
	Hooker_12NNW	88	46	65	+4	1.03	1	16.09	+5.17	38	629	+298	1244
	Lowville	83	46	61	-4	1.08	1	10.15	+1.32	28	536	+59	1121
	Massena	83	47	64	-2	1.01	1	10.62	+2.48	37	595	+51	1215
	Watertown_Intl	84	43	63	-2	0.46	2	10.97	+3.22	40	624	+147	1268
Northeast	Indian_Lake	79	39	59	-2	0.48	2	12.34	+3.03	42	392	+104	900
	Malone	79	46	61	-3	1.18	1	13.38	+4.95	43	507	+97	1098
	Newcomb	84	43	61	0	0.59	2	14.92	+5.38	40	416	+93	935
	North_Creek	86	43	62	-3	0.39	1	12.03	+0.87	34	493	+16	1069
	Plattsburgh_Int	81	44	64	-3	0.32	1	10.70	+2.22	35	579	+50	1223
	Tupper_Lake_Sun	81	42	59	-2	0.58	1	12.54	+3.03	44	416	+92	938
Western	Avon	87	48	66	-1	1.28	2	10.37	+2.10	33	701	+127	1360
	Buffalo_Intl_AP	87	50	68	+3	0.16	2	11.02	+1.79	36	701	+106	1378
	Canandaigua_3S	86	47	66	-2	0.98	2	9.15	+0.33	35	700	+103	1341
	Colden_1W	84	47	65	+2	0.21	2	11.78	+1.34	36	578	+116	1184
	Dansville_AP	89	46	68	+1	0.30	2	8.76	+0.46	35	865	+275	1565
	Geneva_Research	88	47	66	-2	0.76	2	9.88	+1.22	35	667	+85	1309
	Rochester_NY	90	48	67	+2	0.39	1	8.05	-0.01	34	772	+179	1459
	Warsaw	86	47	64	+2	0.79	3	9.53	-0.76	39	539	+111	1121
	Youngstown	89	49	66	-2	1.22	2	9.53	+1.71	34	611	+20	1276
Central	Auburn_NY	88	47	65	-3	0.70	2	11.38	+1.92	37	662	+31	1295
	Boonville	80	45	61	-2	1.76	1	15.18	+2.57	34	454	+52	992
	Cooperstown	84	46	65	+1	0.41	2	13.53	+2.92	36	596	+150	1254
	Fulton-Oswego	86	45	63	-4	0.85	1	9.21	+0.18	33	663	+114	1300
	Oneonta	84	44	63	-2	0.82	2	13.46	+1.98	37	524	+9	1108
	Sherburne	87	43	63	-3	0.78	3	9.74	-0.30	37	597	+91	1207
	Syracuse_AP	90	49	67	+2	0.24	1	9.63	+0.18	33	791	+192	1460
Eastern	Albany_County_A	90	50	70	+3	0.30	1	8.18	-1.52	34	803	+170	1511
	Alcove_Dam	87	46	65	0	0.42	1	11.06	+0.40	36	571	+53	1207
	Brunswick_NY	87	51	68	+4	0.32	1	9.39	-2.60	39	707	+200	1391
	Buskirk	85	45	63	-2	0.56	1	8.91	-3.08	33	542	+35	1159
	Cobleskill	87	43	64	-2	1.08	2	11.98	+2.94	38	561	+52	1170
	Peck_Lake	82	44	62	-3	0.56	2	17.21	+5.59	41	440	-43	983
	Saratoga_Spring	86	42	66	-2	0.39	1	11.10	+0.51	39	692	+31	1355
Southwest	Alfred	85	38	62	-2	0.65	4	11.44	+1.44	38	514	+99	1098
	Bath	89	44	65	0	0.64	4	13.75	+5.42	40	655	+149	1277
	Corning	84	40	64	-2	0.35	3	9.41	+1.08	39	528	+22	1120
	Franklinville	85	40	64	+2	0.47	4	11.19	+0.97	46	519	+121	1103
	Jamestown_AP	82	46	66	0	0.90	2	10.60	-0.25	27	621	+53	1260
	Olean	86	46	66	+3	0.67	3	14.10	+3.11	41	603	+172	1238
	Perrysburg	85	46	66	-2	0.77	3	15.10	+6.48	29	592	+9	1218
Southern	Binghamton_Broo	84	47	66	+2	0.43	2	9.40	-0.44	39	657	+148	1316
	Elmira_Ag	87	43	65	-2	0.52	3	8.73	-0.17	38	634	+50	1267
	Ithaca_Cornell_	86	42	64	-3	0.70	2	11.21	+1.87	40	579	+63	1196
	Mecklenburg	85	43	63	-2	1.24	3	11.96	+2.26	40	545	+80	1101
	Owego_3WSW	87	42	64	-2	0.07	2	7.87	-2.20	36	574	+53	1193
	Whitney_Point_L	86	45	65	-2	0.72	2	8.51	-1.56	38	588	+67	1214
Southeast	Bridgehampton	85	50	67	-1	0.45	2	10.00	-0.87	31	609	+30	1296
	Carmel_4N	82	49	66	-3	0.57	2	10.99	-0.70	37	611	-100	1303
	East_Jewett	83	39	61	-2	0.55	2	14.77	+2.11	40	452	+120	1031
	Mohonk_Lake	85	49	69	+2	0.22	1	12.14	-0.59	37	763	+82	1503
	Montgomery_NY_A	91	48	70	+3	0.43	2	12.21	+0.57	34	810	+184	1535
	New_York_LGA	88	62	75	+3	0.00	0	16.57	+6.14	34	1006	+73	1787
	Poughkeepsie_Ag	87	51	68	+1	0.17	3	12.45	+1.23	36	751	+95	1475
	Vanderbilt_Muse	87	56	71	+1	0.24	2	12.63	+1.60	37	832	+54	1576
	Walton	84	40	63	-3	0.96	3	13.36	+1.88	33	500	-15	1093
	Yorktown_Height	89	54	70	+3	0.63	2	12.51	+0.19	37	778	+82	1524

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.*

### **Broome County, Maria Heath**

Great week for getting dry hay in. Pastures doing well. Many pastures being clipped as they are getting ahead of animals.

### **Cortland/Tompkins Counties, Jennifer Doty**

Farmers continue to finish planting of corn, soy and oats while completing first cutting hay. Second cutting has just begun on a few farms.

### **Delaware County, Mariane Kiraly**

Excellent progress with first cutting. Lots of dry hay made with favorable weather. Corn looks very good.

### **Lewis County, Joe Lawrence**

Some fields continue to be wet. The corn on good drained ground appears to be doing great. First cutting continues to progress but slowed in some fields by wet conditions. More hayfields with ruts from equipment than you would like to see.

### **Madison County, Karen Baase**

Spotty rains, again, delayed hay harvest mid-week. However, much of the alfalfa 1st cutting is harvested. Grass harvest is a bit more delayed. Most soybeans have emerged and are up 2-4". Second cutting hay harvest has begun on some of the larger farms.

### **Madison County, Jessica Pylman**

Most of the crops are in. I've heard there is still some short day corn to be planted yet but for the most part the corn and soybeans are growing well. Saw some thin and even bare spots in some corn fields from where last weeks rains sat in the fields but otherwise everything else looks good.

### **Oneida County, William Paddock**

Another pretty good week in Oneida County, as other than a couple of days in the middle of the week, farmers have been able to continue to work in fields. Still some last minute corn going in

but it is pretty much wrapped up. Corn and soybeans that were planted early look quite good as well. Lots of hay being cut but still a lot to go yet. Pastures are looking quite good and have received adequate moisture to keep them green and growing well.

### **Ontario County, Joann Rogers**

Some Ontario County are still planting (such as but not limited to corn, soybeans, cabbage and snap beans) with wet spring conditions; dry and chopped hay continues and the strawberry harvest has started in the area.

### **Rensselaer/Saratoga/Warren/Washington Counties, David Holck**

After receiving .5 inches of rain on Tuesday, we had a beautiful week of weather. Farmers were able to get good quality dry hay baled. Corn is growing and second cutting is growing back nicely.

### **Schuyler/ Seneca Counties, Kathy Mastellar**

A week of nice weather allowed producers to finish up planting or taking prevented planted due to some fields still being too wet plant. Hay crops have been affected by the spring weather. The wheat crop is looking good. Grape crops may be affected by mildew due to the wet weather.

### **Suffolk County, Alice Wise**

Long Island vinifera vineyards are now in bloom, which should proceed quickly due to warm sunny weather.

### **Suffolk County, Susan Gawlik**

All crops are going well, about 10 days behind, but catching up quickly.

### **Yates County, Amy Parmelee**

All the fruit trees are well beyond full bloom. That happened weeks ago.

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