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Good Week for Field Work: New York had an average of 5.5 days suitable for field work. Storms this week brought heavy rain, heat and humidity. The hardest hit areas reported hail, power outages, downed trees and flattened or sheared off crops. The resulting moisture slowed down or prevented haying but was good for other crops. Reporters have noted few or no bugs so far this season. The condition is good for most crops including grains, pastureland and grapes. However, stone fruit yield is currently low. Planting is mostly over, due in some part to the moisture this season. Unplanted fields may be switched over to later crops. 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.

New York Soil Moisture for Week Ending June 22, 2014

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
Topsoil	0%	4%	71%	25%
Subsoil	0%	3%	75%	22%

Crop Condition (in %):

	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Barley	0	3	8	68	21
Corn	1	3	28	50	18
Hay Alfalfa	3	6	29	50	12
Hay Other Than Alfalfa	3	9	32	46	10
Oats	0	1	19	63	17
Pasture and Range	4	6	29	48	13
Soybeans	1	3	19	63	14
Winter Wheat	1	6	23	51	19

Crop Progress (%)

	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Year Average
Barley Headed	79%	50%	N/A	N/A
Cabbage Planted	92%	84%	N/A	N/A
Corn Emerged	92%	88%	N/A	N/A
Corn Average Height	19 inches	12 inches	N/A	N/A
Hay Alfalfa First Cutting	95%	90%	92%	95%
Hay Alfalfa Second Cutting	21%	10%	17%	N/A
Hay Other First Cutting	89%	81%	N/A	N/A
Hay Other Second Cutting	11%	5%	N/A	N/A
Oats Emerged	94%	94%	N/A	N/A
Oats Headed	65%	47%	N/A	N/A
Onions Planted	75%	74%	N/A	N/A
Snap Beans Planted	78%	73%	75%	83%
Soybeans Planted	96%	93%	94%	98%
Soybeans Emerged	87%	79%	N/A	N/A
Sweet Corn Planted	93%	91%	94%	96%
Winter Wheat Headed	96%	93%	N/A	N/A
Winter Wheat Harvested	9%	9%	0%	N/A
Peaches Full Bloom	84%	84%	100%	100%
Pears Full Bloom	82%	80%	100%	100%

For a complete nationwide weekly weather and crop bulletin, please visit www.usda.gov/oce/weather and click on "Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin."

July 6, 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	90	52	73	+5	0.27	2	14.02	+3.57	45	939	+125	1709
	Highmarket	86	50	69	+5	2.41	5	17.45	+2.79	46	649	+48	1306
	Hooker_12NNW	89	52	72	+9	0.99	3	19.09	+6.09	44	920	+409	1675
	Lowville	88	55	71	+5	0.86	4	12.50	+2.01	35	805	+101	1530
	Massena	91	53	74	+6	0.05	2	11.25	+1.54	43	897	+101	1657
	Watertown_Intl	90	49	74	+7	0.50	4	12.60	+3.65	47	939	+230	1723
Northeast	Indian_Lake	83	50	68	+6	0.63	3	14.45	+3.46	47	605	+148	1253
	Malone	88	50	71	+6	0.10	1	13.90	+3.58	46	774	+149	1505
	Newcomb	87	52	70	+7	1.13	4	17.30	+5.96	47	649	+147	1308
	North_Creek	92	53	71	+5	1.06	4	14.10	+1.12	40	762	+53	1478
	Plattsburgh_Int	91	60	73	+5	0.93	3	13.09	+3.08	40	866	+79	1650
	Tupper_Lake_Sun	88	48	70	+7	1.09	3	16.72	+5.31	50	662	+155	1324
Western	Avon	89	50	72	+3	0.48	4	11.08	+1.30	39	1007	+174	1806
	Buffalo_Intl_AP	86	52	72	+3	0.39	3	12.10	+1.25	42	1032	+170	1849
	Canandaigua_3S	91	57	74	+4	0.35	4	10.84	+0.30	42	1017	+149	1798
	Colden_1W	84	49	68	+2	1.04	4	14.01	+1.57	44	844	+160	1590
	Dansville_AP	90	48	72	+4	0.22	3	10.37	+0.40	41	1184	+333	2024
	Geneva_Research	89	56	73	+5	0.48	2	12.03	+1.72	39	975	+133	1757
	Rochester_NY	90	52	74	+5	0.61	4	9.58	+0.05	41	1107	+248	1934
	Warsaw	84	49	68	+3	2.11	4	13.13	+0.74	47	804	+163	1526
	Youngstown	88	55	74	+4	0.20	2	10.41	+1.18	40	925	+67	1730
Central	Auburn_NY	91	53	73	+3	0.64	5	14.13	+2.86	44	963	+58	1736
	Boonville	85	50	68	+4	0.90	4	19.66	+5.00	41	697	+96	1375
	Cooperstown	87	54	70	+4	1.56	4	16.07	+3.52	42	865	+199	1663
	Fulton-Oswego	91	55	74	+5	1.54	5	12.07	+1.56	41	977	+167	1754
	Oneonta	92	46	71	+4	1.20	5	15.92	+2.48	44	789	+43	1513
	Sherburne	89	48	71	+5	1.46	4	13.00	+1.09	45	874	+132	1624
	Syracuse_AP	94	56	76	+7	0.57	3	11.63	+0.36	38	1131	+267	1940
Eastern	Albany_County_A	91	55	75	+6	1.92	2	11.74	+0.36	38	1140	+238	1988
	Alcove_Dam	85	50	69	+1	2.78	4	15.29	+2.67	42	822	+58	1598
	Brunswick_NY	93	55	74	+8	1.41	3	12.18	-1.84	45	1027	+289	1851
	Buskirk	88	52	71	+4	1.59	4	14.53	+0.51	38	812	+74	1569
	Cobleskill	86	53	71	+4	1.64	5	14.73	+3.89	46	832	+79	1581
	Peck_Lake	86	50	69	+3	1.95	4	21.98	+8.26	48	677	-34	1360
	Saratoga_Spring	90	55	73	+3	1.28	3	14.52	+2.13	44	987	+55	1790
Southwest	Alfred	86	42	67	+2	0.58	3	13.81	+1.79	44	741	+122	1465
	Bath	93	47	72	+5	1.54	2	15.83	+5.74	38	1000	+259	1762
	Corning	87	47	69	+3	0.65	1	12.20	+2.11	42	781	+40	1513
	Franklinville	85	44	68	+3	0.87	4	13.49	+1.22	52	768	+168	1492
	Jamestown_AP	82	50	68	-1	1.04	4	12.95	-0.23	34	884	+64	1663
	Olean	86	48	69	+5	1.14	4	16.95	+3.70	48	875	+236	1650
	Perrysburg	86	48	70	0	1.00	4	17.52	+7.08	32	862	+16	1628
Southern	Binghamton_Broo	86	53	71	+4	0.39	2	11.75	+0.19	43	946	+200	1745
	Elmira_Ag	89	50	71	+3	1.02	1	12.37	+1.66	41	915	+72	1688
	Ithaca_Cornell_	89	51	72	+5	0.50	3	12.87	+1.75	45	865	+109	1622
	Mecklenburg	88	50	70	+4	0.67	3	13.68	+2.09	45	814	+122	1510
	Owego_3WSW	89	47	70	+3	0.36	3	9.98	-1.97	41	850	+88	1609
	Whitney_Point_L	87	49	70	+3	0.77	3	10.55	-1.40	43	861	+99	1627
Southeast	Bridgehampton	86	56	72	+2	1.90	3	11.90	-0.51	34	894	+39	1721
	Carmel_4N	86	53	70	-1	3.38	3	14.65	+0.81	42	880	-112	1712
	East_Jewett	86	43	67	+4	1.46	3	18.00	+3.38	45	669	+156	1388
	Mohonk_Lake	87	55	73	+3	4.11	3	18.67	+3.92	41	1073	+112	1953
	Montgomery_NY_A	91	55	74	+5	1.49	3	13.96	+0.36	38	1132	+235	1997
	New_York_LGA	91	65	77	+2	1.52	3	18.16	+5.95	38	1385	+104	2306
	Poughkeepsie_Ag	91	57	74	+4	3.16	3	15.87	+2.76	40	1075	+140	1939
	Vanderbilt_Muse	87	61	74	+2	0.95	3	13.88	+1.17	41	1160	+71	2044
	Walton	86	45	68	+2	0.79	3	14.93	+1.49	38	744	-2	1477
	Yorktown_Height	90	57	74	+4	2.13	3	14.84	+0.52	41	1104	+124	1990

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.

Cortland/Tompkins Counties, Jennifer Doty

Scattered strong storms left the majority of the county unscathed, one report of hail has come in from Newfield in Tompkins. Most producers have now given up planting, open fields will be left fallow or planted to a late summer/fall crop. Hay continues between rain showers.

Delaware County, Mariane Kiraly

Heavy rain halted hay production in a few areas; hot, humid weather was good for corn. Hay continues to move into storage and second cutting has begun.

Genesee/ Niagara/ Orleans Counties, Nathan R.Herendeen

Hay harvest, last soybean and corn silage planting. Wheat harvest will start next week. No soy aphid so far and few potato/alfalfa leafhopper.

Lewis County, Joe Lawrence

It would appear the last of the corn has been planted. A few farmers switched to sorghum sudangrass or some other summer annual for fields that were not able to get planted to corn. A small acreage remains unplanted and may see a late summer seeding or winter grain crop. Frequent rains have made scheduling hay harvest difficult but progress continues with some late first cutting and second cutting.

Livingston county, Dean Pendergast,Dir

Crops are progressing well.

Madison County, Karen Baase

Torrential rains passed through much of Madison County last week on a couple of days. The southern tier of the county seemed to be hit the hardest. By Saturday, there was some standing water

in low spots. Corn & soybeans look good. Continuous Pastures improved with the rains.

Madison County, Jessica Pylman

Crops appear to look good for the most part. Some of the corn is uneven in some spots and slightly yellowed in lower, wetter parts of the fields. Severe storms passed through the county Thursday afternoon causing power outages, down trees and flattened crops and in some cases sheered off crops in some southern areas of the county.

Oneida County, William Paddock

Early in the week in Oneida County a lot of scattered showers and high winds. Progress on hay has slowed way down due to the weather. Wet fields have stayed wet and farmers are not going to be able to go back in and get these planted to corn or to soybeans. Some rutting in fields as farmers have tried to do haying. Corn in early and on drier ground looks great and beans are looking very good as well on drier ground. Expect to see second cutting starting to be cut within the next week as well. Pastures continue to look good as ample rain keeps them green and growing.

Ontario County, Joann Rogers

Chopped and dry hay harvest continued throughout Ontario County; wheat continues to ripen with harvest expected in the near future; reports of low to no yield on stone fruit trees.

Schuyler/ Seneca Counties, Kathy Mastellar

Wheat is turning and will probably be harvested next week.

Suffolk County, Alice Wise

Long Island winegrape growers are lifting catch wires, hedging vines and removing leaves in the cluster zone to facilitate air flow. Berries are almost pea size.

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