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Fair Week for Field Work: New York had an average of 3 days suitable for field work.

Yet another wet week for New York. More rain caused more standing water, damage to crops and property and difficulty with field work and other operations. Despite moisture problems, most crops are reported in good condition. Hay quantity is high, but is too wet to cut at this time. Field activities for the week include spreading manure and fertilizer, plowing and planting, spraying trees, repair and maintenance.

Soil Moisture for Week Ending June 21, 2015

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	5	12	36	47
SUBSOIL	0	12	50	38

Crop Conditions as of June 21, 2015

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
BARLEY	0	8	21	55	16
CORN	1	6	23	56	14
GRAPES	7	7	10	63	13
HAY, ALFALFA	0	4	26	50	20
HAY, OTHER	1	14	29	42	14
OATS	0	1	14	61	24
PASTURE AND RANGE	0	9	30	51	10
SOYBEANS	2	9	27	49	13
WINTER WHEAT	0	6	25	52	17

Crop Progress as of June 21, 2015

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
BARLEY: EMERGED	86	82	89	68
BARLEY: HEADED	30	23	25	11
CABBAGE: PLANTED	64	63	77	70
CORN: EMERGED	89	84	77	64
CORN AVERAGE HEIGHT: (IN.)	12	7	7	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: FIRST CUTTING	71	64	81	82
HAY, OTHER: FIRST CUTTING	58	51	71	63
OATS: EMERGED	89	85	90	84
OATS: HEADED	11	9	24	13
POTATOES: PLANTED	81	77	96	97
SNAP BEANS: PLANTED	45	37	59	55
SOYBEANS: PLANTED	81	74	84	85
SOYBEANS: EMERGED	65	52	62	53
SWEET CORN: PLANTED	80	74	86	82
WINTER WHEAT: HEADED	86	76	88	74

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June 21, 2015 New York Weekly Weather Summary

		Last Week Weather Summary						Accumulation Since April 1, 2015					
		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	81	49	67	+2	1.30	4	8.31	-0.49	40	734	+192	1375
	Highmarket	78	38	62	-1	1.94	5	15.85	+3.40	43	460	+71	982
	Hooker_12NNW	80	44	65	+5	1.41	4	12.59	+1.81	42	703	+383	1338
	Lowville	78	43	64	-1	0.91	4	9.50	+0.78	32	548	+86	1142
	Massena	82	42	65	-1	1.07	5	7.83	-0.19	35	675	+147	1323
	Watertown_Intl	81	40	66	+2	1.01	5	6.41	-1.25	37	649	+187	1284
Northeast	Indian_Lake	79	42	61	+2	1.98	5	13.74	+4.55	39	432	+155	934
	Malone	80	44	62	-2	1.36	6	10.85	+2.56	41	522	+126	1108
	Newcomb	78	42	61	+1	1.68	6	12.45	+3.03	38	437	+126	953
	North_Creek	82	44	63	-1	2.30	6	13.73	+2.70	32	570	+108	1154
	Plattsburgh_Int	78	44	64	-3	1.54	5	9.69	+1.32	39	611	+99	1265
	Tupper_Lake_Sun	77	40	61	+1	1.49	4	12.01	+2.63	33	445	+133	972
Western	Avon	80	46	67	0	1.74	5	12.33	+4.18	39	696	+139	1366
	Buffalo_Intl_AP	78	54	68	+3	0.88	5	8.54	-0.56	38	802	+224	1477
	Canandaigua_3S	80	48	69	+3	1.52	4	12.55	+3.86	34	769	+190	1442
	Colden_1W	76	52	66	+2	1.68	5	13.62	+3.33	44	645	+198	1271
	Dansville_AP	84	51	70	+4	1.12	4	10.28	+2.11	38	925	+352	1631
	Geneva_Research	78	47	66	-1	1.46	4	12.62	+4.09	34	670	+105	1321
	Rochester_NY	82	50	69	+4	0.85	4	10.53	+2.58	36	879	+303	1573
	Warsaw	77	51	66	+3	2.45	5	12.67	+2.54	42	590	+176	1190
	Youngstown	83	52	67	0	1.29	5	9.56	+1.85	39	673	+99	1347
Central	Auburn_NY	81	49	68	0	2.07	5	14.48	+5.16	41	715	+102	1379
	Boonville	76	45	62	0	1.05	4	13.54	+1.09	39	501	+112	1056
	Cooperstown	78	50	67	+4	1.97	4	10.42	-0.04	34	689	+258	1342
	Fulton-Oswego	81	45	68	+3	0.77	4	12.74	+3.82	36	756	+224	1419
	Oneonta	80	46	67	+3	1.29	5	9.39	-1.95	38	602	+102	1207
	Sherburne	82	47	66	+2	1.61	4	12.49	+2.59	42	632	+142	1261
	Syracuse_AP	83	50	70	+4	1.47	4	11.51	+2.19	34	871	+289	1560
Eastern	Albany_County_A	83	49	69	+3	1.48	5	8.78	-0.80	30	933	+318	1646
	Alcove_Dam	79	50	65	-1	1.65	4	8.41	-2.11	32	662	+160	1328
	Brunswick_NY	82	51	67	+3	1.26	4	9.64	-2.20	33	817	+325	1502
	Buskirk	78	44	63	-2	1.51	5	7.83	-4.01	30	630	+138	1270
	Cobleskill	80	46	65	0	1.51	5	7.81	-1.10	36	619	+126	1223
	Peck_Lake	75	46	62	-3	2.20	5	12.52	+1.06	40	487	+19	1024
	Saratoga_Spring	81	51	66	-2	1.53	5	9.11	-1.35	29	724	+81	1371
Southwest	Alfred	82	49	65	+3	1.53	5	10.31	+0.47	41	586	+184	1222
	Bath	81	51	67	+3	1.64	5	11.61	+3.41	41	696	+206	1354
	Corning	79	48	65	-2	1.22	4	10.55	+2.35	36	581	+91	1201
	Franklinville	80	51	66	+5	2.09	5	12.20	+2.13	43	595	+210	1201
	Jamestown_AP	77	52	66	0	1.33	5	8.45	-2.22	48	682	+131	1333
	Olean	81	55	68	+5	1.49	6	10.14	-0.68	44	677	+260	1331
	Perrysburg	79	53	67	+1	2.11	5	12.77	+4.28	38	673	+108	1314
Southern	Binghamton_Broo	80	51	68	+4	3.79	3	14.15	+4.44	36	762	+268	1420
	Elmira_Ag	83	51	68	+2	1.34	5	9.62	+0.86	34	721	+154	1386
	Ithaca_Cornell_	81	50	67	+2	1.21	5	11.75	+2.54	37	675	+175	1309
	Mecklenburg	81	45	65	+2	2.59	5	13.24	+3.68	43	605	+155	1233
	Owego_3WSW	83	51	68	+3	1.15	3	10.33	+0.40	36	711	+206	1370
	Whitney_Point_L	82	51	67	+2	1.35	3	10.37	+0.44	34	677	+172	1323
Southeast	Bridgehampton	83	52	67	0	1.60	4	4.93	-5.82	24	624	+63	1318
	Carmel_4N	79	58	66	-3	1.28	5	9.11	-2.44	32	657	-35	1351
	East_Jewett	79	46	62	+2	2.55	5	11.42	-1.10	39	496	+176	1068
	Mohonk_Lake	86	46	67	-1	2.00	5	11.91	-0.68	32	891	+228	1618
	Montgomery_NY_A	86	58	71	+4	1.93	4	8.40	-3.10	29	939	+331	1653
	New_York_LGA	87	63	72	0	1.40	4	6.83	-3.48	23	1099	+189	1872
	Poughkeepsie_Ag	85	57	69	+2	1.93	5	11.23	+0.13	34	848	+210	1557
	Vanderbilt_Muse	87	59	70	+1	1.23	4	5.21	-5.70	24	884	+127	1621
	Walton	82	51	65	+1	3.47	5	12.16	+0.82	40	584	+84	1187
	Yorktown_Height	85	59	69	+2	1.96	5	8.90	-3.28	31	845	+168	1569

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.

Albany/ Fulton/ Hamilton/ Montgomery/ Schenectady/ Schoharie Counties, Andrew Michael:

Here in Eastern Central New York including Schoharie, Schenectady, Albany, Montgomery, Fulton and Hamilton Counties it has been another week with some rain which we do not need at this time. All crops are responding well and once we have at least 3 days of dry weather there will be a lot of hay moved for harvest.

Broome County, Maria Heath:

Standing water on fields. Strawberries rotting. Field work has come to a standstill.

Cortland/ Tompkins Counties, Jennifer Doty:

Lots of rain arrived, ending the dry spell. Some fields now have standing water. Corn planting is finishing up, soybean planting is going, hay/haylage continues as weather allows. Southern Tompkins county end up with some washing in corn fields and damage to farm roads on the steeper slopes, along with general debris from the 6/14 flood.

Delaware County, Mariane Kiraly:

Continual rains making dry hay harvest nearly impossible. Pastures are receiving a good amount of rain and are in good shape.

Essex County, David Reckahn:

Wet weather is holding up hay harvest but still has enough dry weather to not affect growth of other crops.

Franklin County, Jennifer Bosley:

Nearly daily rainfall is making it difficult to even do silage or balage. No dry hay has been made. Corn is starting to yellow due to the excessive moisture.

Lewis County, Joe Lawrence:

Many fields remain very wet which continues to slow first cutting progress and is making weed control spraying challenging in row crops.

Livingston County, Dean R Pendergast:

Limited planting was completed, field conditions are still wet.

Madison County, Shelby Henty:

In lower elevations of the county corn and soybeans are yellow from the surplus of water. The higher elevations have seen some wash outs in fields due to heavy rains. Wet conditions are putting a hold on things like getting the rest of first cutting and spraying done.

Ontario County, Joann Rogers:

Ontario County was mostly at a standstill with standing water in fields and continued rain showers on and off all week.

Schuyler/ Seneca Counties, Kathy Mastellar:

The week ended with sunny weather, however most fields are still too wet for any additional planting. Planted crops are stressed.

Suffolk County, Alice V Wise:

Long Island vineyards progressed quickly through bloom into fruit set this past week. Growers are adjusting catch wires and leafing the cluster zone to improve light and air flow.

Yates County, Amy Parmelee:

Parts of the county were hit with another huge rainstorm Sunday/ Monday.