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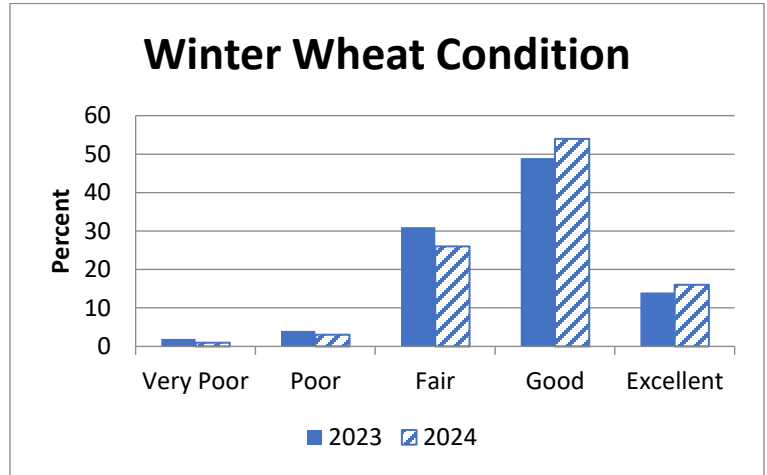
Ohio Crop Weather

April 15, 2024

Sustained Wet Conditions

Heavy rains last week saturated fields and prevented any large-scale planting activities, according to Ben Torrance, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Ohio Field Office. Topsoil moisture conditions were rated 31 percent adequate and 69 percent surplus. Statewide, the average temperature for the week ending on April 14 was 56.8 degrees, 9.4 degrees above normal. Weather stations recorded an average of 1.86 inches of precipitation, 0.98 inches above average. There were 0.7 days suitable for fieldwork during the week ending April 14.

Farmers reported that with the excess rain, the only field work that could be done was applying herbicide and fertilizing wheat. Oats were 11 percent planted. Winter wheat was 51 percent jointed and winter wheat condition was 70 percent good to excellent. Warmer than normal conditions continued to push fruit crop development.



Soil Moisture: Week Ending 04/14/24

Item	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Topsoil moisture	0	0	31	69
Subsoil moisture	0	1	44	55

Crop Progress: Week Ending 04/14/24

Crop/Activity	Percent Completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Days Suitable for Fieldwork ..	0.7	0.3	NA	NA
Winter Wheat Jointing	51	16	36	19
Oats Planted	11	7	31	27
Oats Emerged	6	1	4	7
Corn Planted	0	0	0	1
Soybeans Planted	0	NA	0	1

Crop Condition: Week Ending 04/14/24

Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Winter Wheat	1	3	26	54	16

Weather Summary For Ohio

Week Ending 2024-04-14

Since April 1

	Temperature			Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50		
	High	Low	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN
	Northwest										
BRYAN 2 SE	75	39	53	6	1.59	3	3.26	1.65	8	27	-2
TOLEDO EXPRESS AP	81	41	57	10	2.94	4	4.85	3.37	9	54	21
VAN WERT 1 S	75	41	55	7	2.46	3	5.75	4.22	8	40	2
North Central											
BUCYRUS	74	29	55	8	2.89	5	5.39	3.83	10	46	12
FREMONT	75	30	56	9	0.95	3	2.68	1.09	8	29	-3
MANSFIELD LAHM RGNL AP	79	41	56	8	1.88	6	4.18	2.22	11	50	15
Northeast											
CHARDON	75	28	54	10	1.71	4	3.25	1.34	10	28	6
CLEVELAND-HOPKINS INTL AP	80	44	58	10	1.87	5	3.70	1.99	9	62	23
WARREN 3 S	76	26	54	8	1.21	3	4.08	2.37	9	28	0
West Central											
BELLEFONTAINE	72	36	56	8	1.16	3	4.59	2.94	9	37	-6
GREENVILLE WATER PLANT	74	44	59	11	0.30	2	3.50	1.79	7	35	-6
SIDNEY 1 S	75	30	55	7	0.53	2	4.55	2.95	8	48	13
Central											
CENTERBURG 2 SE	75	37	55	6	1.63	4	6.37	4.61	9	49	3
CIRCLEVILLE	76	30	57	6	1.28	4	3.15	1.56	9	72	15
MARYSVILLE	74	42	58	8	1.87	4	5.79	4.29	9	52	1
East Central											
DENNISON WATER WORKS	76	28	55	7	1.46	6	4.93	3.22	11	53	17
STEUBENVILLE	75	28	54	5	2.41	4	6.56	4.94	10	46	3
Southwest											
DAYTON WRIGHT BROTHERS AP	81	47	61	10	1.19	5	2.29	0.53	10	83	27
EATON	74	30	54	5	1.91	5	3.63	1.84	9	41	-1
South Central											
HILLSBORO	77	30	55	5	1.64	4	4.11	2.19	9	70	17
PORTSMOUTH-SCIOTOVILLE	75	32	56	2	1.10	4	3.03	1.45	10	84	9
SOUTH POINT	77	38	58	5	1.79	3	3.75	1.93	9	99	27
WAVERLY	78	30	57	6	1.81	4	4.15	2.41	9	86	28
Southeast											
BEVERLY STP	76	43	59	9	1.13	4	3.35	1.80	10	72	24
HANNIBAL LOCKS AND DAM	74	30	55	5	2.30	5	5.79	4.21	11	65	21
LOGAN	78	28	56	8	1.36	4	3.84	2.16	9	75	38
ZANESVILLE MUNICIPAL AP	82	41	60	10	0.95	4	5.08	3.48	9	91	42

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.