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Agricultural News: The month of February was very wet with flooding. Conditions in the fields are extremely muddy, limiting fieldwork and making it difficult on livestock. Farming activities for the month included calving, lambing, and spreading hay on land to help with muddy conditions for livestock.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 02/24/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	-	37	63
Subsoil	-	-	44	56
Hay & Roughage	19	28	50	3
Feed grain	1	5	93	1

-Represents zero.

CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 02/24/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Winter Wheat	1	16	53	30	-
Cattle & Calves	-	2	36	58	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	3	33	61	3

- Represents zero.

LIVESTOCK PROGRESS for week ending 02/24/19

Crop/Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Calved	29	-	-	-
Lambled	38	-	-	-

- Represents data not available.

February Summary of Weather and Agricultural Conditions January 28 - February 24, 2019

Weather conditions in February were very wet. Overall, temperatures across West Virginia were well below normal the week ending **February 3rd**. All stations reported from six to ten degrees below average, but these low average temperatures do not indicate the extreme temperature shifts throughout the week. The first half of the week was near normal, until extreme cold moved into the State. Low temperatures during this time dropped into the negative numbers, and most stations were around 20 degrees below normal. Just days after the extreme cold event, high temperatures were in the mid 60s bringing the average for the week back to around the -8 degree mark. Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 68 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of -14 degrees. The state average temperature was 25 degrees. The State finally had a chance to dry out somewhat. All stations reported below normal precipitation amounts. The majority of the precipitation for the week fell as snow. Terra Alta had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.62 of an inch. Pineville and Bluestone Dam had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.05 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.21 of an inch.

For the week ending **February 10th**, stations across the State reported above normal temperatures. Most stations were six to ten degrees above normal, but the week began warmer. Over the first half of the week, temperatures were around 20 degrees above normal, with several daytime highs reaching the 70s; several high temperature records were broken. The last half of the week, temperatures were below average, bringing overall temperatures closer to normal. Charleston had the highest recorded temperature of 76 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 10 degrees. The state average temperature was 41 degrees. High precipitation amounts were recorded throughout the State, the only exception was the extreme Eastern Panhandle. All other stations received large amounts of precipitation as multiple weather systems moved through. Flooding was reported in the western third of West Virginia. Parkersburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 4.19 inches. Martinsburg had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.25 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.57 inches.

West Virginia temperatures averaged above normal for the week ending **February 17th**. Stations ranged from 1 to 5 degrees above normal. Highs for the week were generally in the 50s, with a couple of locations reaching the lower 60s. Low temperatures for the week were generally in the 20s, although a couple of mountain locations reached the mid to upper teens. Martinsburg had the highest recorded temperature of 62 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 16 degrees. The state average temperature was 37 degrees. Above average precipitation was reported across the State again, nearly all stations reported greater than normal amounts. The only station that did not reach climate average was Elkins. Four stations reported over two inches. Beckley had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.53 inches. Belington had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.58 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.36 inches.

The week ending **February 24th** was another warm week for West Virginia, as all stations reported above normal temperatures throughout the State. All stations were one to eight degrees over normal, with most stations around three degrees over. Temperatures began slightly below normal before a warm front pushed over the region and warmed temperatures for the remainder of the week. Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 63 degrees. Wheeling had the lowest recorded temperature of 16 degrees. The state average temperature was 40 degrees. Precipitation amounts continue to be above normal. All stations reported far above normal precipitation amounts. This was due to two very moisture laden systems moving over the State during the week. Flash flooding and river flooding were reported along the Ohio River and the Southern coalfields. Bluefield had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 3.95 inches. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.91 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 2.47 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 02/24/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2018	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	56	16	35	2	0.91	0.54	53.29	46.69	34.61
PARKERSBURG	59	20	39	3	1.92	0.69	52.32	49.53	37.28
CRESTON	61	23	40		2.70		57.54	42.23	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	60	19	38	3	1.30	0.67	51.36	47.16	37.78
CLARKSBURG	61	24	41	6	2.05	0.79	51.56	50.87	41.65
BELINGTON	62	25	41		2.12		60.93	50.20	
WESTON	61	26	41		2.28		68.25	54.23	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	63	28	45		3.41		50.47	54.35	
HUNTINGTON	59	28	42	3	2.93	0.80	54.97	45.88	38.46
CHARLESTON	61	28	43	4	2.95	0.83	57.45	46.65	39.84
RIPLEY	61	23	40		2.70		55.69	43.39	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	55	17	35		2.65		71.82	59.35	
ELKINS	60	25	41	8	2.36	0.79	63.31	44.70	41.76
MARLINTON	59	27	38		2.91		56.78	44.15	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	57	23	40	4	2.99	0.70	52.90	44.96	37.43
PINEVILLE	60	30	43		3.47		52.66	50.38	
BLUEFIELD	57	25	40	1	3.95	0.70	53.78	45.06	35.91
WHITE SUL SP	61	27	38		3.21		55.00	36.32	
BLUESTONE DAM	58	25	38		3.38		50.78	38.13	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	62	22	37	2	1.38	0.59	63.93	38.66	35.05
KEYSER	61	20	35		1.87		62.05	40.88	
MOOREFIELD	55	23	37		0.97		45.82	34.68	
State Average Temperature	40								
State Average Precipitation	2.47								

Source: Weather comments and data - Dept. of Commerce, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration National Weather Service, Charleston, WV.

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Agricultural News: The month of March was a mix of colder and warmer temperatures with snow and rain. Some producers are short on hay and pastures are muddy. Farming activities for the month included calving and lambing; cow and calf deaths have been reported.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 03/24/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	1	80	19
Subsoil	-	2	80	18
Hay & Roughage	16	36	44	4
Feed grain	1	3	93	3

-Represents zero.

CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 03/24/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Winter Wheat	1	16	47	36	-
Pasture	12	31	29	27	1
Cattle & Calves	2	14	35	44	5
Sheep & Lambs	1	6	53	35	5

- Represents zero.

LIVESTOCK PROGRESS for week ending 03/24/19

Crop/Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Calved	66	-	58	63
Lambled	70	-	63	69

- Represents data not available.

March Summary of Weather and Agricultural Conditions February 25 - March 24

Weather for the month of March was a mix of temperatures and weather conditions. For the week ending **March 3rd**, most areas across the State ended the week one to four degrees below normal. The only exception was Elkins which was one degree above average. Although the week ended near normal, West Virginia experienced both spring-like temperatures in the upper 60s near the beginning of the week, and winter-like temperatures in the teens and 20s near the end. Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 69 degrees. Wheeling had the lowest recorded temperature of 17 degrees. The state average temperature was 36 degrees. Precipitation amounts varied; the Northern half of the State received less precipitation than the Southern half. The difference in precipitation amounts was due to a frontal system that tracked over the Southern half of the State late in the workweek. Marlinton had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.87 inches. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.17 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.04 inches.

West Virginia recorded far below average temperatures the week ending **March 10th**. The cooler than normal temperatures were a result of extremely cold temperatures across the State at the beginning of the week. It was not until the second half of the week that temperatures returned to normal, and near the end of the week until any above normal temperatures were reported. Most stations were around 8 to 10 degrees below average. Pineville and Moorefield had the highest recorded temperature of 70 degrees. Wheeling had the lowest recorded temperature of 6 degrees. The state average temperature was 30 degrees. The State was somewhat on the dry side, all stations, with the exception of Huntington, were below normal. The only notable precipitation fell as a warm front crossed West Virginia late in the week. Huntington had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.17 inches. Belington had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.38 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.65 of an inch.

West Virginia temperatures tended to be above normal across the region for the week ending **March 17th**. The week started and ended near average, however a very warm period during the week pulled averages up. This period saw temperatures reach into the 60's to near 80 across the State, including the mountains. Morgantown and Clarksburg had the highest recorded temperature of 80 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 19 degrees. The state average temperature was 44 degrees. Precipitation was well below normal with a few locations remaining dry altogether through the period. A strong and windy, but ultimately dry system impacted the area later in the week with a broken line of rain showers and storms. A weak system with snow and rain impacted the area at the end of the week. Terra Alta had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.54 of an inch. Belington, Beckley, Martinsburg, Keyser, and Moorefield had the lowest with zero recorded precipitation. The state average precipitation was 0.10 of an inch.

Below average temperatures were recorded across West Virginia the week ending **March 24th**, all stations ranged from 2 to 8 degrees below normal. For the majority of the week, high temperatures averaged in the 40s and 50s, with lows in the teens and 20s. It was not until the last day of the week that spring-like temperatures arrived, with high temperatures in the 60s and 70s. Williamson and Pineville had the highest recorded temperature of 72 degrees. Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 16 degrees. The state average temperature was 39 degrees. Most of the State received below average precipitation during the week. Only light precipitation fell from two systems that passed over the area, and there were multiple days with zero precipitation. The only exception was Martinsburg, which was effected by a strong storm that moved up the East Coast, but missed the majority of the State. Martinsburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.10 inches. Creston had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.03 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.29 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 03/24/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation					
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2018	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal	
--NORTHWEST										
WHEELING	59	24	38	-4	0.05	0.77	54.32	47.67	37.22	
PARKERSBURG	64	22	40	-5	0.30	0.86	53.84	51.29	40.53	
CRESTON	67	19	39		0.03		58.69	44.31		
--NORTHCENTRAL										
MORGANTOWN	58	25	39	-5	0.28	0.85	52.94	48.62	40.96	
CLARKSBURG	61	24	40	-3	0.10	0.95	53.00	52.16	45.05	
BELINGTON	62	21	38		0.18		62.90	51.91		
WESTON	64	21	39		0.22		70.49	56.54		
--SOUTHWEST										
WILLIAMSON	72	24	43		0.22		52.56	58.27		
HUNTINGTON	69	25	43	-5	0.05	0.90	56.81	47.69	41.95	
CHARLESTON	69	20	40	-8	0.23	0.89	59.86	49.80	43.41	
RIPLEY	67	19	39		0.08		57.21	45.47		
--CENTRAL										
TERRA ALTA	53	19	34		0.14		74.75	61.68		
ELKINS	65	19	39	-2	0.36	0.90	65.19	46.94	45.25	
MARLINTON	64	17	36		0.25		59.87	47.79		
--SOUTHERN										
BECKLEY	68	16	36	-8	0.25	0.82	55.48	48.47	40.58	
PINEVILLE	72	21	41		0.13		54.64	54.39		
BLUEFIELD	70	18	39	-8	0.12	0.81	55.57	51.51	39.04	
WHITE SUL SP	68	17	37		0.09		57.89	39.39		
BLUESTONE DAM	70	24	40		0.05		52.66	41.81		
--NORTHEASTERN										
MARTINSBURG	63	23	40	-5	2.10	0.85	67.34	39.45	38.06	
KEYSER	61	20	38		0.53		64.32	42.76		
MOOREFIELD	62	20	39		0.57		47.99	35.50		
State Average Temperature	39									
State Average Precipitation	0.29									

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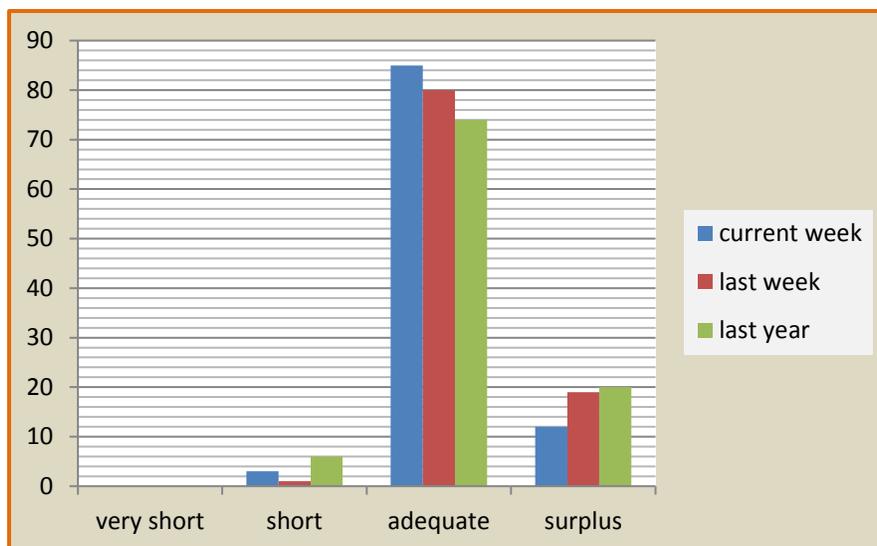
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.8. Weather conditions were drier. Farming activities this week included repairing fences, applying fertilizers, vaccinating cattle, calving and lambing.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 03/31/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	3	85	12
Subsoil	-	3	82	15
Hay & Roughage	7	42	48	3
Feed grain	-	5	92	3

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 03/31/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 03/31/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	2	66	31	1
Peaches	-	2	68	29	1
Hay	20	16	22	40	2
Winter Wheat	1	11	48	40	-
Pasture	7	41	18	32	2
Cattle & Calves	1	17	35	43	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	3	58	35	4

- Represents zero.

LIVESTOCK PROGRESS for week ending 03/31/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Calved	71	66	62	67
Lambled	74	70	67	73

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending March 31, 2019

Temperatures across West Virginia were, overall, just below average. Clarksburg (+1) was the only station that exceeded normal. Although temperatures were close to normal for the week, daily temperatures ranged from the mid to upper 70s with Southerly winds to overnight lows in the teens and 20s after a cold front passed through. The State was dry, with several days receiving zero precipitation. The precipitation during the week fell as cold fronts passed over the State early and late in the week. All stations ended the week below normal.

Temperatures: Charleston, Clarksburg, and Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 78 degrees. Elkins and Bluestone Dam had the lowest recorded temperature of 19 degrees. The state average temperature was 45 degrees.

Precipitation: Parkersburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.86 of an inch. Moorefield had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.05 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.41 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 03/31/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation					
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2018	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal	
--NORTHWEST										
WHEELING	68	24	42	-3	0.81	0.84	55.13	0.24	38.06	
PARKERSBURG	73	24	45	-3	0.86	0.88	54.70	0.51	41.41	
CRESTON	77	20	44		0.67		59.36	0.54		
--NORTHCENTRAL										
MORGANTOWN	75	25	46	0	0.64	0.87	53.58	0.60	41.83	
CLARKSBURG	78	25	47	1	0.31	1.02	53.31	0.52	46.07	
BELINGTON	76	21	44		0.26		63.16	0.61		
WESTON	76	22	45		0.33		70.82	0.61		
--SOUTHWEST										
WILLIAMSON	78	25	50		0.45		53.01	0.45		
HUNTINGTON	75	24	48	-2	0.45	0.87	57.26	0.61	42.82	
CHARLESTON	78	21	47	-3	0.30	0.83	60.16	0.90	44.24	
RIPLEY	77	20	44		0.67		57.88	0.54		
--CENTRAL										
TERRA ALTA	70	20	40		0.60		75.35	0.76		
ELKINS	75	19	44	0	0.22	0.94	65.41	0.68	46.19	
MARLINTON	71	20	43		0.16		60.03	0.24		
--SOUTHERN										
BECKLEY	71	20	42	-4	0.34	0.83	55.82	0.37	41.41	
PINEVILLE	75	24	46		0.39		55.03	0.48		
BLUEFIELD	72	21	46	-3	0.66	0.80	56.23	0.02	39.84	
WHITE SUL SP	73	21	45		0.26		58.15	0.19		
BLUESTONE DAM	72	19	47		0.13		52.79	0.17		
--NORTHEASTERN										
MARTINSBURG	77	23	46	0	0.15	0.87	67.49	0.46	38.93	
KEYSER	75	20	45		0.32		64.64	0.77		
MOOREFIELD	76	20	47		0.05		48.04	0.60		
State Average Temperature	45									
State Average Precipitation	0.41									

Source: Weather comments and data - Dept. of Commerce, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration National Weather Service, Charleston, WV.

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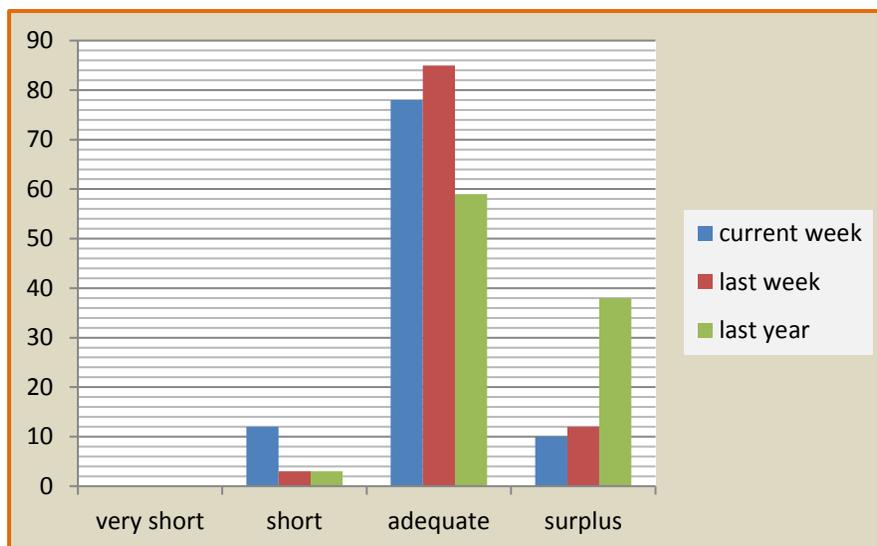
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.4. Weather conditions continued to be drier. Farming activities this week included preparing fields, calving and lambing.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 04/07/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	12	78	10
Subsoil	-	9	74	17
Hay & Roughage	3	43	51	3
Feed grain	-	2	95	3

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 04/07/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 04/07/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	68	30	1
Peaches	-	1	71	27	1
Hay	1	21	26	51	1
Winter Wheat	1	10	50	39	-
Pasture	-	38	21	38	3
Cattle & Calves	1	17	35	43	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	65	30	4

- Represents zero.

LIVESTOCK PROGRESS for week ending 04/07/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Calved	76	71	69	74
Lambled	76	74	72	78

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending April 07, 2019

West Virginia began the week with well below average temperatures, but continued to warm through the week. With the warming trend, the State ended the week very close to normal. All stations were within three degrees of average with about half of the stations warmer, and the others slightly cooler. Dry conditions continued across the State. No stations met or exceeded average, and no precipitation was recorded at all on several days. Only light precipitation was reported with a couple of weak disturbances that crossed over the State during the week.

Temperatures: Charleston and Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 79 degrees. Elkins and Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 18 degrees. The state average temperature was 49 degrees.

Precipitation: Keyser had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.66 of an inch. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.05 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.29 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 04/07/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	75	24	49	2	0.05	0.72	0.05	1.87	0.72
PARKERSBURG	73	24	51	1	0.26	0.77	0.26	2.28	0.77
CRESTON	77	20	48		0.21		0.21	2.13	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	76	27	50	1	0.33	0.83	0.33	2.03	0.83
CLARKSBURG	77	25	50	1	0.18	0.83	0.18	2.10	0.83
BELINGTON	75	23	48		0.17		0.17	1.70	
WESTON	76	22	49		0.32		0.32	2.03	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	79	24	53		0.16		0.16	1.53	
HUNTINGTON	77	24	53	0	0.25	0.78	0.25	1.45	0.78
CHARLESTON	79	22	52	-1	0.39	0.73	0.39	2.32	0.73
RIPLEY	77	20	48		0.21		0.21	1.93	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	71	19	43		0.37		0.37	3.06	
ELKINS	77	18	47	1	0.28	0.89	0.28	1.17	0.89
MARLINTON	69	23	47		0.49		0.49	1.04	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	72	18	47	-1	0.07	0.74	0.07	1.26	0.74
PINEVILLE	77	19	50		0.34		0.34	1.40	
BLUEFIELD	74	20	49	-3	0.30	0.73	0.30	0.79	0.73
WHITE SUL SP	71	21	48		0.11		0.11	0.82	
BLUESTONE DAM	71	22	51		0.29		0.29	0.61	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	72	26	47	-2	0.53	0.78	0.53	0.77	0.78
KEYSER	76	22	46		0.66		0.66	1.57	
MOOREFIELD	74	24	47		0.38		0.38	1.62	
State Average Temperature	49								
State Average Precipitation	0.29								

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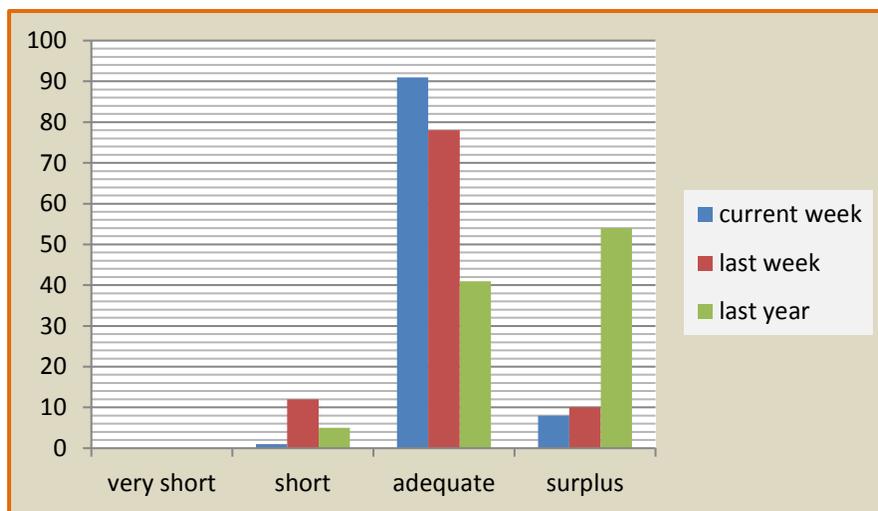
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.6. Precipitation was up from the previous week, with warmer temperatures. Pastures are greening up. Farming activities this week included planting corn, calving and lambing.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 04/14/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	1	91	8
Subsoil	-	1	93	6
Hay & Roughage	6	24	66	4
Feed grain	-	3	97	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 04/14/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 04/14/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	-	79	21	-
Peaches	-	1	71	27	1
Hay	3	15	19	63	-
Winter Wheat	-	-	75	22	3
Pasture	3	35	16	46	-
Cattle & Calves	1	22	29	45	3
Sheep & Lambs	-	3	53	42	2

- Represents zero.

CROP and LIVESTOCK PROGRESS for week ending 04/14/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	6	-	-	3
Calved	83	76	77	80
Lambled	83	76	80	84

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending April 14, 2019

The State was warmer than usual this week. All stations across West Virginia averaged from 3 to 11 degrees above normal. The week began with temperatures near normal after a cold front passed over the State, but warmed to above average temperatures quickly as warm, southerly air pushed into the area. Temperatures remained above average until another frontal system moved through at the end of the week. Precipitation returned during the week. After a drier period, all stations across the State recorded greater than normal precipitation. The majority of the precipitation fell early or late in the week, as a couple of cold fronts moved through. The rest of the week was relatively dry as high pressure dominated. The system near the end of the week produced gusty thunderstorms with heavy downpours; several stations received over an inch of precipitation in these storms.

Temperatures: Charleston had the highest recorded temperature of 86 degrees. Beckley, Marlinton, and Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 32 degrees. The state average temperature was 58 degrees.

Precipitation: Terra Alta had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.81 inches. Ripley and Creston had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.75 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.20 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 04/14/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	79	35	58	8	0.90	0.71	0.95	3.98	1.43
PARKERSBURG	83	37	60	7	0.97	0.75	1.23	3.59	1.52
CRESTON	84	34	58		0.75		0.96	3.47	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	80	36	60	9	1.62	0.82	1.95	4.35	1.65
CLARKSBURG	83	37	62	11	1.79	0.85	1.97	4.77	1.68
BELINGTON	81	35	58		1.18		1.35	4.69	
WESTON	82	36	59		1.47		1.79	4.63	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	80	40	62		0.90		1.06	3.05	
HUNTINGTON	85	39	61	6	1.11	0.78	1.36	2.34	1.56
CHARLESTON	86	37	60	5	1.00	0.73	1.39	3.66	1.46
RIPLEY	84	34	58		0.75		0.96	3.27	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	72	32	54		1.81		2.18	4.61	
ELKINS	76	33	56	8	1.19	0.86	1.47	3.72	1.75
MARLINTON	72	32	54		1.12		1.61	3.88	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	77	32	54	3	1.07	0.77	1.14	3.35	1.51
PINEVILLE	79	38	61		1.32		1.66	3.67	
BLUEFIELD	78	35	58	4	1.21	0.77	1.51	2.99	1.50
WHITE SUL SP	75	38	57		1.76		1.87	3.28	
BLUESTONE DAM	75	35	58		1.25		1.54	2.11	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	80	42	59	8	0.81	0.79	1.34	3.06	1.57
KEYSER	79	35	57		0.91		1.57	2.74	
MOOREFIELD	78	35	59		1.50		1.88	3.14	
State Average Temperature	58								
State Average Precipitation	1.20								

Source: Weather comments and data - Dept. of Commerce, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration National Weather Service, Charleston, WV.

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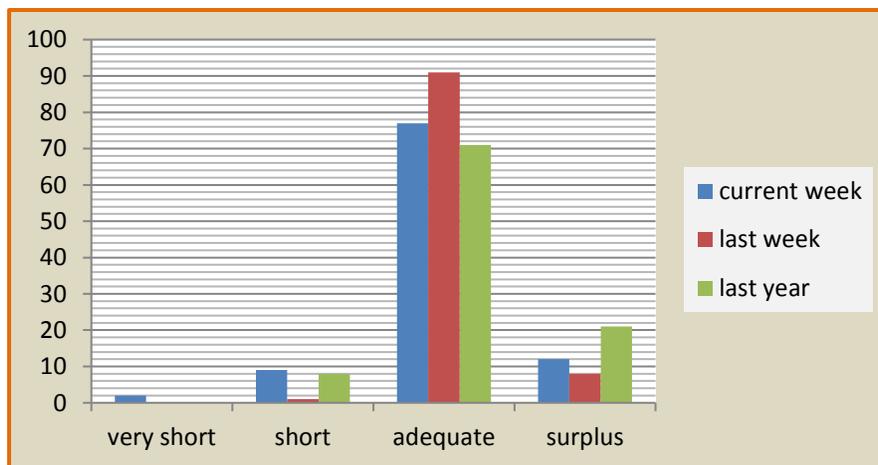
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.1. Weather conditions warmed during the week with precipitation at the end. Farming activities this week included planting corn and soybeans.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 04/21/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	2	9	77	12
Subsoil	1	8	77	14
Hay & Roughage	7	18	64	11
Feed grain	4	11	82	3

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 04/21/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 04/21/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	75	24	-
Peaches	-	1	75	23	1
Hay	7	8	39	42	4
Winter Wheat	-	9	51	40	-
Pasture	7	13	45	32	3
Cattle & Calves	2	4	33	53	8
Sheep & Lambs	1	2	44	48	5

- Represents zero.

CROP and LIVESTOCK PROGRESS for week ending 04/21/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	11	6	3	7
Soybeans planted	2	-	-	1
Calved	91	83	84	86
Lambled	90	83	88	89

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending April 21, 2019

West Virginia started the week very cool in the aftermath of a cold front that had passed near the end of the previous week. Warming then occurred through mid-week as southerly air flowed in just before another cold front. The week ended with below average temperatures as another front pushed through. Overall, most stations were just on the warm side of normal while a few stations ended somewhat cool. The State was dry for the majority of the week. The only significant precipitation fell as a strong cold front crossed over the State late in the workweek, heading into the weekend. During this frontal passage, several stations received over one inch of precipitation in 24 hours.

Temperatures: Charleston had the highest recorded temperature of 90 degrees. Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 27 degrees. The state average temperature was 55 degrees.

Precipitation: Martinsburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.71 inches. Parkersburg had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.45 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.08 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 04/21/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	79	35	57	5	0.54	0.65	1.49	4.40	2.08
PARKERSBURG	84	36	58	3	0.45	0.75	1.68	3.90	2.27
CRESTON	86	30	54		0.82		1.78	3.56	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	83	36	58	4	0.59	0.80	2.54	5.01	2.45
CLARKSBURG	86	36	58	4	1.42	0.84	3.39	5.11	2.52
BELINGTON	86	30	54		0.76		2.11	5.09	
WESTON	87	31	55		0.82		2.61	5.13	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	89	34	55		0.87		1.93	3.25	
HUNTINGTON	85	33	57	0	0.57	0.78	1.93	2.50	2.34
CHARLESTON	90	30	55	-2	0.89	0.73	2.28	3.75	2.19
RIPLEY	86	30	54		0.82		1.78	3.36	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	81	29	51		0.92		3.10	5.62	
ELKINS	83	30	53	2	0.89	0.88	2.36	4.24	2.63
MARLINTON	80	29	51		1.38		2.99	3.97	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	83	27	50	-3	1.44	0.78	2.58	3.50	2.29
PINEVILLE	87	30	54		1.24		2.90	4.07	
BLUEFIELD	82	28	52	-4	1.48	0.78	2.99	3.17	2.28
WHITE SUL SP	81	29	53		1.67		3.54	3.39	
BLUESTONE DAM	83	31	53		1.69		3.23	2.18	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	77	41	58	5	1.71	0.75	3.05	3.13	2.32
KEYSER	86	37	57		1.26		2.83	3.64	
MOOREFIELD	85	33	55		1.47		3.35	3.36	
State Average Temperature	55								
State Average Precipitation	1.08								

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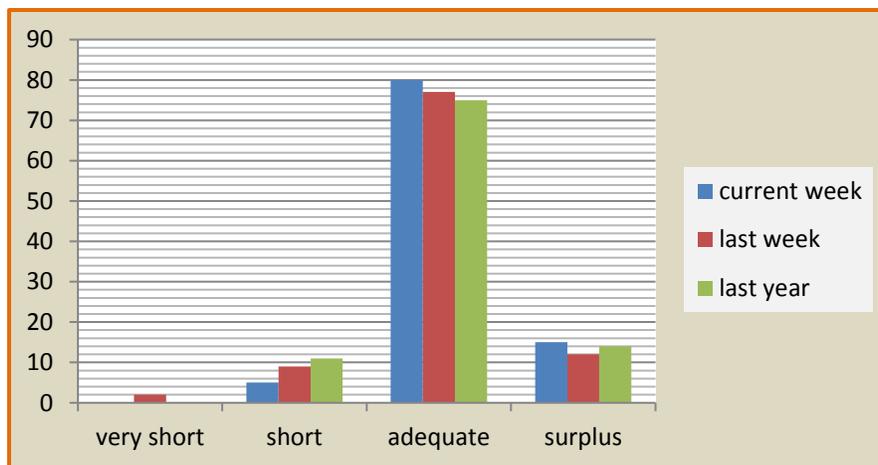
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.5. Weather conditions fluctuated with spring showers; blooms abound and some fields continue to be wet and muddy. Farming activities this week included clipping pastures, repairing fences and planting crops.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 04/28/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	5	80	15
Subsoil	-	9	76	15
Hay & Roughage	3	32	58	7
Feed grain	-	9	87	4

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 04/28/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 04/28/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	73	26	-
Peaches	-	1	75	23	1
Hay	7	8	35	48	2
Winter Wheat	-	8	52	38	2
Pasture	1	12	40	43	4
Cattle & Calves	-	7	37	50	6
Sheep & Lambs	-	2	50	43	5

- Represents zero.

CROP and LIVESTOCK PROGRESS for week ending 04/28/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	15	11	8	11
Soybeans planted	5	2	2	3
Winter Wheat headed	2	-	11	12
Calved	95	91	88	91
Lambled	94	90	92	93

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending April 28, 2019

In West Virginia, the week began somewhat cool due to lingering cold air from a previous cold front. Temperatures quickly jumped mid-week as warm, southerly winds moved in just prior to another cold front late in the week. The temperatures then dropped again, once the second cold front pushed through. Overall, temperatures were near normal, with Martinsburg (+5), Elkins (+4), and Clarksburg (+3) reporting the farthest from normal. Spring showers, mostly associated with frontal passage, dominated the precipitation across the State. As with showery type precipitation, total accumulation numbers varied from site to site. Of the 10 climate sites, six stations recorded above average precipitation, while the other four were below.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 88 degrees, and the lowest recorded temperature of 32 degrees. The state average temperature was 57 degrees.

Precipitation: Creston had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.14 inches. Bluestone Dam had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.41 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.06 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 04/28/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	76	38	54	-1	1.19	0.74	2.68	5.39	2.82
PARKERSBURG	82	38	57	0	1.61	0.78	3.29	5.04	3.05
CRESTON	84	35	55		2.14		3.92	4.71	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	81	41	57	1	0.90	0.84	3.44	5.65	3.29
CLARKSBURG	83	39	59	3	0.71	0.84	4.10	5.81	3.36
BELINGTON	82	36	57		1.07		3.18	5.82	
WESTON	83	38	57		1.52		4.13	6.12	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	87	44	62		0.74		2.67	3.96	
HUNTINGTON	83	40	59	0	0.93	0.86	2.86	2.97	3.20
CHARLESTON	85	38	59	0	0.59	0.82	2.87	4.40	3.01
RIPLEY	84	35	56		1.60		3.38	4.51	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	78	35	54		1.25		4.35	6.78	
ELKINS	81	37	57	4	1.21	0.91	3.57	4.88	3.54
MARLINTON	82	36	56		1.13		4.12	4.84	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	79	34	55	0	0.59	0.83	3.17	4.01	3.12
PINEVILLE	84	38	59		1.00		3.90	4.45	
BLUEFIELD	79	36	57	-1	1.17	0.82	4.16	3.71	3.10
WHITE SUL SP	81	40	57		1.47		5.01	4.65	
BLUESTONE DAM	82	40	60		0.41		3.64	2.97	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	83	36	60	5	0.46	0.79	3.51	4.04	3.11
KEYSER	88	32	57		0.83		3.66	4.91	
MOOREFIELD	79	36	56		0.74		4.09	4.35	
State Average Temperature	57								
State Average Precipitation	1.06								

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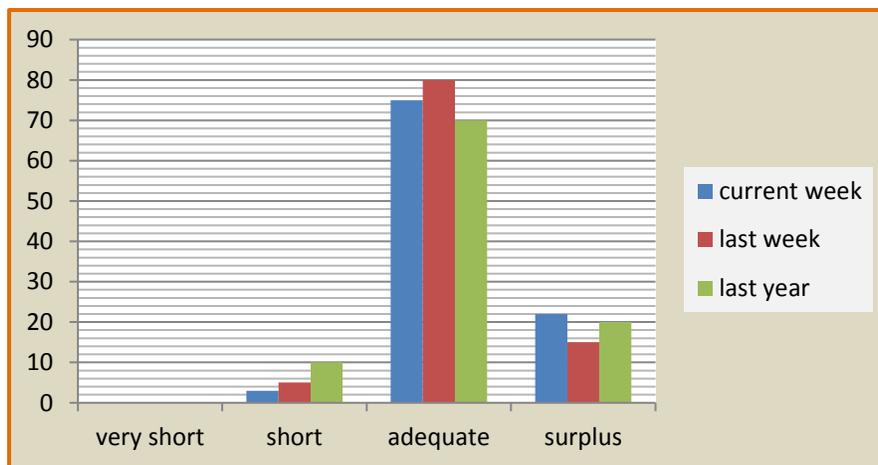
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.6. Weather conditions during the week started warm and dry, but ended cooler and wet with some flooding in parts of the State. Farming activities this week included spraying fruit trees and planting crops.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 05/05/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	3	75	22
Subsoil	-	6	72	22
Hay & Roughage	4	25	65	6
Feed grain	-	4	94	2

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 05/05/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 05/05/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	74	25	-
Peaches	-	-	74	25	1
Hay	6	13	38	42	1
Winter Wheat	-	8	53	37	2
Pasture	2	9	47	38	4
Cattle & Calves	1	14	35	46	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	57	38	4

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 05/05/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	21	15	12	15
Corn emerged	9	-	-	4
Soybeans planted	14	5	5	7
Winter Wheat headed	3	2	15	17

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending May 05, 2019

Temperatures across the State were well above average for the week. All stations were at least five degrees over normal, and Elkins reported in 12 degrees warmer than average. The above normal temperatures were due to strong high pressure that settled in over West Virginia during the middle of the workweek. The high pressure brought mostly sunny and warm conditions, with many stations reaching the upper 80s during this time. Temperatures dropped back to near normal at the end of the week as a large, low pressure system moved through and brought in cooler temperatures. The State remained mostly dry under high pressure during the first half of the week. The second half of the week received lots of rain. Overall, nearly all stations exceeded precipitation averages for the week. The high rainfall amounts late in the week were due to a moisture laden low pressure system that slowly moved through. Flood events were reported in the Kanawha Valley and central lowlands during this time. Seven stations received over two inches of rain.

Temperatures: Clarksburg and Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 90 degrees. Keyser had the lowest recorded temperature of 33 degrees. The state average temperature was 65 degrees.

Precipitation: Martinsburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 3.33 inches. Clarksburg had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.50 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.68 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 05/05/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	84	38	62	6	0.65	0.86	3.33	5.68	3.68
PARKERSBURG	86	39	65	6	1.05	0.85	4.34	6.11	3.90
CRESTON	87	38	65		1.48		5.40	6.00	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	88	42	66	8	0.97	0.90	4.41	6.90	4.19
CLARKSBURG	90	41	67	9	0.50	0.81	4.60	7.67	4.17
BELINGTON	89	36	66		1.29		4.47	7.32	
WESTON	89	40	66		0.91		5.04	8.12	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	90	49	69		2.38		5.05	5.77	
HUNTINGTON	86	44	66	5	2.79	0.95	5.65	4.97	4.15
CHARLESTON	89	44	67	6	2.96	0.93	5.83	6.05	3.94
RIPLEY	87	38	65		1.48		4.86	5.80	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	82	38	62		1.99		6.34	8.19	
ELKINS	88	50	66	12	2.10	1.00	5.67	7.28	4.54
MARLINTON	86	41	63		1.03		5.15	7.34	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	86	46	64	7	2.44	0.94	5.61	5.99	4.06
PINEVILLE	87	47	67		1.56		5.46	6.81	
BLUEFIELD	85	47	65	5	1.55	0.89	5.71	5.28	3.99
WHITE SUL SP	87	42	65		0.74		5.75	6.78	
BLUESTONE DAM	89	46	66		1.81		5.45	5.71	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	87	41	65	8	3.33	0.88	6.84	5.00	3.99
KEYSER	87	33	64		2.17		5.83	5.89	
MOOREFIELD	83	39	64		1.78		5.87	5.92	
State Average Temperature	65								
State Average Precipitation	1.68								

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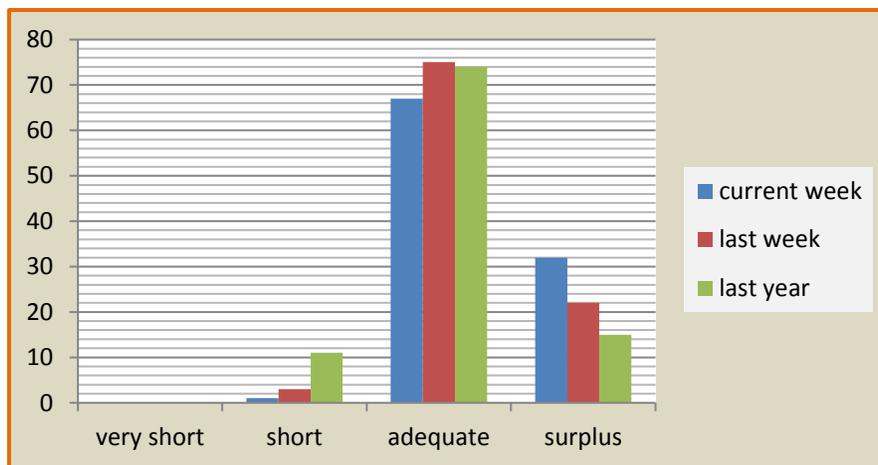
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 3.7. Weather conditions were warm and dry, but ended cooler and wet this week. Some pastures are showing signs of stress and poor regrowth. Farming activities this week included planting crops.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 05/12/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	1	67	32
Subsoil	-	2	78	20
Hay & Roughage	6	20	69	5
Feed grain	2	5	91	2

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 05/12/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 05/12/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	74	25	-
Peaches	-	-	73	26	1
Hay	1	6	45	45	3
Winter Wheat	-	8	52	38	2
Pasture	2	6	40	47	5
Cattle & Calves	1	14	34	47	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	50	46	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 05/12/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	26	21	20	22
Corn emerged	15	9	3	9
Soybeans planted	19	14	13	12
Winter Wheat headed	11	3	24	29

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending May 12, 2019

West Virginia temperatures were above average for the week, although temperatures ended much cooler than normal. Temperatures were above normal due to high pressure and warm southerly winds affecting the State for the first half of the week. Temperatures dropped late in the week as a cold front pushed over the State. The week started dry as the State was under high pressure. Multiple disturbances, as well as a cold front late in the week brought rain across the State. Overall, about half of the stations reported excess precipitation. The Northwestern areas of West Virginia were the driest.

Temperatures: Charleston, Belington and Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 86 degrees. Marlinton had the lowest recorded temperature of 41 degrees. The state average temperature was 63 degrees.

Precipitation: Marlinton had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.76 inches. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.68 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.19 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 05/12/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	79	42	60	2	0.68	0.92	4.01	6.79	4.60
PARKERSBURG	84	47	63	2	0.92	0.94	5.26	6.36	4.84
CRESTON	83	44	61		1.25		6.65	6.17	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	82	49	63	4	1.64	1.02	6.05	8.14	5.21
CLARKSBURG	85	49	65	5	1.08	0.96	5.68	8.02	5.13
BELINGTON	86	45	63		1.22		5.69	7.73	
WESTON	85	48	64		1.25		6.29	8.20	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	86	52	67		0.80		5.85	6.44	
HUNTINGTON	84	45	64	2	1.12	1.03	6.77	5.14	5.18
CHARLESTON	86	45	65	3	0.86	1.06	6.69	6.09	5.00
RIPLEY	83	44	61		1.25		6.11	5.97	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	78	45	60		1.66		8.00	9.38	
ELKINS	82	42	64	8	0.97	1.16	6.64	7.58	5.70
MARLINTON	80	41	63		1.76		6.91	7.59	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	81	42	61	3	1.38	1.02	6.99	6.06	5.08
PINEVILLE	85	47	65		0.92		6.38	6.94	
BLUEFIELD	81	44	64	3	1.17	0.93	6.88	5.54	4.92
WHITE SUL SP	82	44	65		0.96		6.71	6.97	
BLUESTONE DAM	82	50	66		1.49		6.94	6.12	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	84	47	63	4	1.07	0.93	7.91	5.90	4.92
KEYSER	83	43	62		1.57		7.40	7.11	
MOOREFIELD	82	44	64		1.11		6.98	7.00	
State Average Temperature	63								
State Average Precipitation	1.19								

Source: Weather comments and data - Dept. of Commerce, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration National Weather Service, Charleston, WV.

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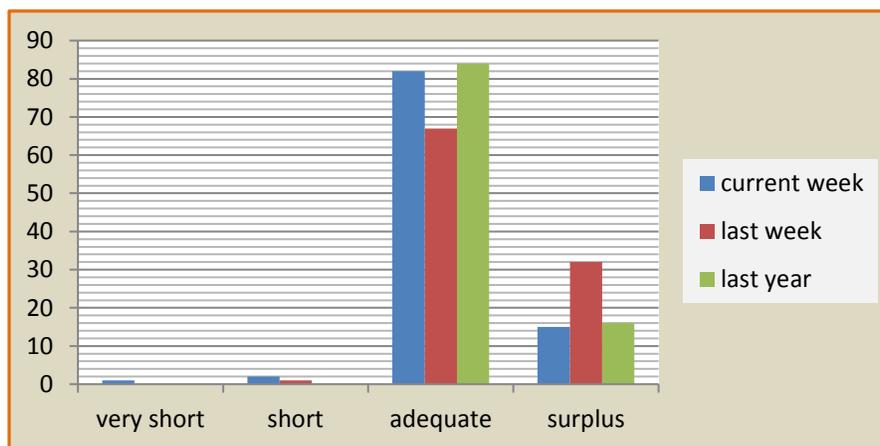
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.7. Weather conditions started cooler, but warmed up. Precipitation amounts varied; some fields continue to be wet. Farming activities this week included planting crops.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 05/19/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	1	2	82	15
Subsoil	1	3	84	12
Hay & Roughage	5	27	62	6
Feed grain	2	6	90	2

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 05/19/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 05/19/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	72	25	2
Peaches	-	-	73	26	1
Hay	1	3	40	53	3
Winter Wheat	-	8	52	38	2
Pasture	2	7	32	53	6
Cattle & Calves	1	9	33	53	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	42	54	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 05/19/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	35	26	24	35
Corn emerged	20	15	8	15
Hay first cut	4	-	4	4
Soybeans planted	26	19	17	19
Soybeans emerged	6	-	3	4
Winter Wheat headed	19	11	29	38

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending May 19, 2019

The week started very cold as all stations across the State recorded temperatures 10 to 15 degrees below normal for the first couple of days. For the rest of the week, temperatures increased until they were around 10 degrees above normal the last couple of days. Even though a snapshot of any day during the week might have told a different story, overall temperatures were very close to normal. Charleston, Beckley, and Bluefield were the only stations to end the week with below normal temperatures. Areas of showers and thunderstorms popped up during the week as warm air filtered back into the area after a cold beginning. Because the precipitation fell in the form of showers and thunderstorms, precipitation amounts varied. However, nearly all stations reported less than normal precipitation amounts. Charleston was the only station to exceed average due to thunderstorm activity that passed directly over Charleston late in the workweek. Although most stations did not reach average, seven stations did exceed one inch of precipitation.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 90 degrees. Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 32 degrees. The state average temperature was 61 degrees.

Precipitation: Charleston had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.05 inches. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.39 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.90 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 05/19/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	85	43	62	2	0.39	0.95	4.40	7.84	5.55
PARKERSBURG	87	40	63	1	0.69	0.97	5.95	7.91	5.81
CRESTON	88	36	61		0.97		7.62	7.49	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	87	42	62	1	0.45	1.06	6.50	9.28	6.27
CLARKSBURG	88	40	62	1	0.53	0.96	6.21	9.09	6.09
BELINGTON	87	36	60		1.02		6.71	11.04	
WESTON	89	39	62		0.99		7.28	9.95	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	89	42	64		0.54		6.39	7.53	
HUNTINGTON	86	42	64	0	0.84	1.07	7.61	6.24	6.25
CHARLESTON	87	39	63	-1	2.05	1.10	8.74	6.67	6.10
RIPLEY	88	36	61		0.97		7.08	7.43	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	81	35	58		1.07		9.07	12.19	
ELKINS	85	35	59	1	0.83	1.20	7.47	10.93	6.90
MARLINTON	86	35	58		0.91		7.82	9.89	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	82	32	58	-2	0.93	1.08	7.92	7.60	6.16
PINEVILLE	86	41	62		0.53		6.91	8.80	
BLUEFIELD	84	34	58	-5	0.59	0.96	7.47	8.39	5.88
WHITE SUL SP	85	33	58		1.37		8.08	9.09	
BLUESTONE DAM	84	39	61		1.27		8.21	9.39	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	88	38	62	1	0.54	0.93	8.45	9.71	5.85
KEYSER	90	36	61		1.22		8.62	11.12	
MOOREFIELD	86	38	61		1.16		8.14	9.79	
State Average Temperature	61								
State Average Precipitation	0.90								

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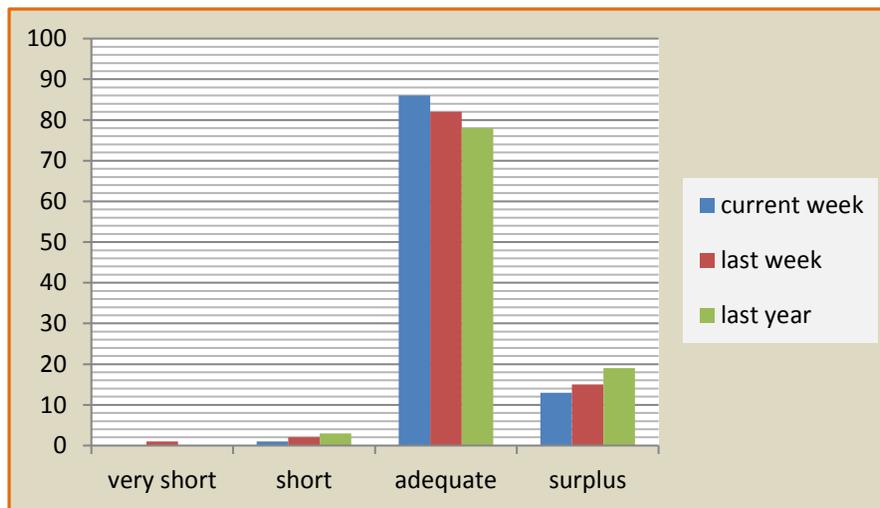
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.4. Weather conditions were mostly warm and dry, with spotty showers and thunderstorms. Farming activities this week included planting crops and making hay.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 05/26/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	1	86	13
Subsoil	-	4	83	13
Hay & Roughage	-	26	70	4
Feed grain	-	3	97	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 05/26/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 05/26/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	2	77	21	-
Peaches	-	4	76	20	-
Hay	-	1	35	62	2
Winter Wheat	-	8	54	37	1
Pasture	-	3	27	67	3
Cattle & Calves	-	4	36	58	2
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	33	65	2

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 05/26/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	48	35	36	50
Corn emerged	22	20	16	28
Hay first cut	9	4	8	13
Soybeans planted	36	26	42	34
Soybeans emerged	9	6	6	9
Winter Wheat headed	24	19	47	49

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending May 26, 2019

All stations across West Virginia were above average for the week. The State started the week somewhat cool as a cold front exited the area. Once the cold front departed, high pressure then settled in and dominated the weather. The influence of high pressure kept warm conditions across the State for the remainder of the week. As high pressure dominated the majority of the week, weather was mostly dry with showers and thunderstorms developing along waves of instability that crossed over the State. As with this type of pattern, the precipitation values ranged all across the State in both timing and amount. Although all stations received some precipitation during the week, only two stations exceeded average. The North Central area from Clarksburg to Morgantown received the majority of the rain, while the Southern half of the State was the driest.

Temperatures: Charleston, Huntington and Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 89 degrees. Ripley, Creston, Terra Alta and Keyser had the lowest recorded temperature of 45 degrees. The state average temperature was 69 degrees.

Precipitation: Morgantown had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.73 inches. Bluestone Dam had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.13 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.69 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 05/26/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	83	46	67	5	0.42	1.02	4.82	9.92	6.57
PARKERSBURG	85	48	70	5	0.16	1.02	6.11	8.54	6.83
CRESTON	88	45	68		0.99		8.61	7.77	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	86	50	69	6	1.73	1.09	8.23	11.20	7.36
CLARKSBURG	87	52	71	8	1.27	1.07	7.48	9.53	7.16
BELINGTON	87	52	70		0.70		7.41	11.88	
WESTON	87	48	69		0.95		8.23	10.67	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	89	55	74		0.16		6.55	8.73	
HUNTINGTON	89	52	73	7	0.45	1.07	8.06	6.32	7.32
CHARLESTON	89	50	72	7	0.35	1.11	9.09	7.37	7.21
RIPLEY	88	45	68		0.99		8.07	7.85	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	81	45	65		1.22		10.29	13.68	
ELKINS	86	51	69	9	0.89	1.19	8.36	11.48	8.09
MARLINTON	83	47	66		0.63		8.45	10.79	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	82	48	66	5	0.71	1.09	8.63	8.00	7.25
PINEVILLE	86	52	72		0.65		7.56	9.33	
BLUEFIELD	83	49	68	4	0.23	1.01	7.70	9.17	6.89
WHITE SUL SP	85	49	68		0.90		8.98	9.50	
BLUESTONE DAM	82	51	69		0.13		8.34	9.99	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	87	46	69	6	0.49	0.93	8.94	11.10	6.78
KEYSER	88	45	68		0.87		9.49	12.89	
MOOREFIELD	88	46	70		0.31		8.45	10.07	
State Average Temperature	69								
State Average Precipitation	0.69								

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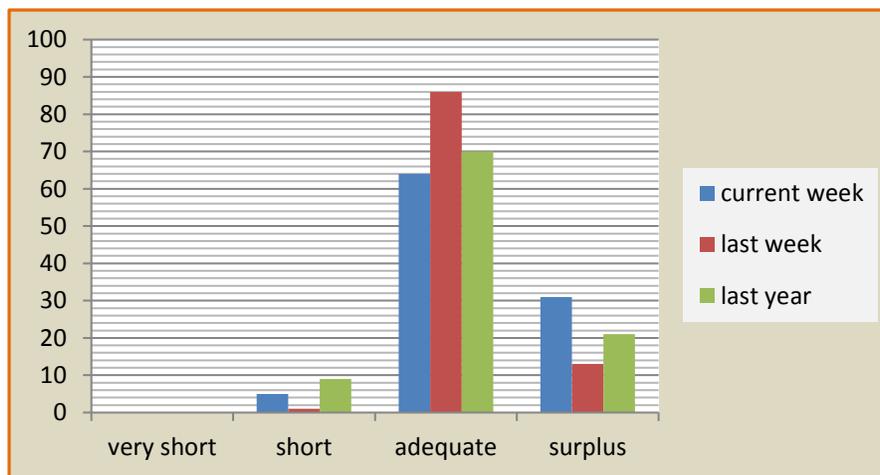
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.8. Weather conditions fluctuated during the week with warmer and cooler temperatures, and spotty showers and thunderstorms. Some areas are having trouble harvesting hay. Farming activities this week included planting crops and making hay.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 06/02/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	5	64	31
Subsoil	-	10	61	29
Hay & Roughage	-	27	67	6
Feed grain	-	6	91	3

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 06/02/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 06/02/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	73	25	1
Peaches	-	1	77	22	-
Hay	-	3	37	54	6
Winter Wheat	-	7	55	35	3
Pasture	-	5	28	60	7
Cattle & Calves	-	4	38	54	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	24	73	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 06/02/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	60	48	44	63
Corn emerged	34	22	24	43
Hay first cut	16	9	10	21
Soybeans planted	43	36	56	50
Soybeans emerged	19	9	27	23
Winter Wheat headed	29	24	56	60

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending June 2, 2019

All stations across West Virginia were above average for the week. The beginning of the week started off with high pressure and seasonably warmer temperatures. However, by Wednesday the weather deteriorated and a cold front came through bringing showers, storms and cooler weather into Friday. High pressure briefly came around again for the middle of the weekend and temperatures became relatively seasonable although storms on Sunday added to cooler temperatures and more rainfall. Even with high pressure on and off through the week, the area still received a lot of precipitation. This was mainly due to convection associated with numerous frontal boundaries which initiated thunderstorms during the afternoons and evenings. A few of the stations managed to miss most of the rain all together. The wetter than normal season still prevails. The only area that is still below season average is in the Northwest part of the State.

Temperatures: Martinsburg had the highest recorded temperature of 91 degrees. Terra Alta and Keyser had the lowest recorded temperature of 45 degrees. The state average temperature was 69 degrees.

Precipitation: Charleston had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.30 inches. Moorefield had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.04 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.97 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 06/02/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	84	50	68	4	1.40	1.11	6.22	10.26	7.68
PARKERSBURG	86	50	70	3	0.37	1.04	6.48	8.75	7.87
CRESTON	84	50	70		0.99		9.60	8.65	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	85	50	70	5	0.88	1.05	9.11	12.19	8.41
CLARKSBURG	86	50	72	7	0.66	1.18	8.14	10.46	8.34
BELINGTON	85	54	69		1.16		8.57	13.09	
WESTON	87	54	71		1.26		9.49	12.55	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	87	58	72		0.93		7.48	9.44	
HUNTINGTON	87	56	71	3	1.01	1.13	9.07	7.36	8.45
CHARLESTON	88	54	71	4	2.30	1.15	11.39	8.40	8.36
RIPLEY	88	50	70		0.99		9.06	9.34	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	81	45	65		1.51		11.80	14.66	
ELKINS	84	53	69	7	1.76	1.13	10.12	14.65	9.22
MARLINTON	85	48	67		0.88		9.33	11.31	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	81	50	66	3	0.62	1.05	9.25	8.82	8.30
PINEVILLE	88	54	71		0.81		8.37	10.33	
BLUEFIELD	83	51	67	1	0.92	1.06	8.62	9.54	7.95
WHITE SUL SP	85	50	68		0.71		9.69	10.17	
BLUESTONE DAM	83	54	68		0.74		9.08	10.40	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	91	50	72	7	1.02	0.91	9.96	15.65	7.69
KEYSER	89	45	70		0.38		9.87	14.65	
MOOREFIELD	87	48	71		0.04		8.49	12.63	
State Average Temperature	69								
State Average Precipitation	0.97								

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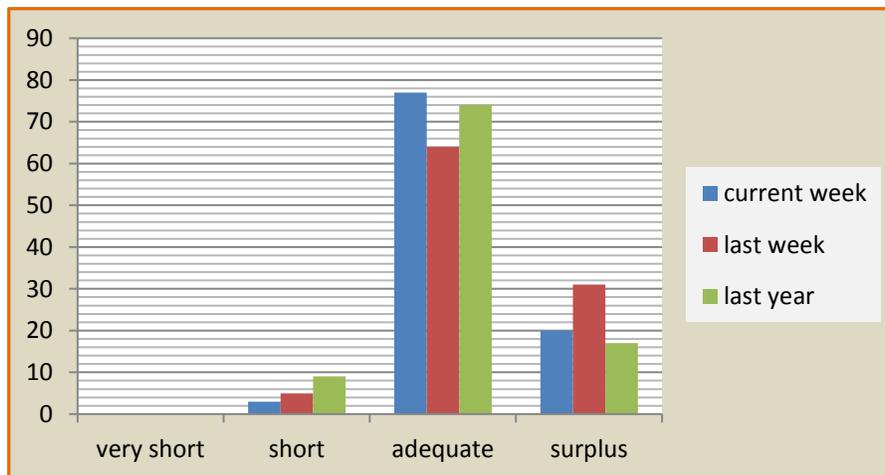
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.7. The week started with cooler temperatures and warmed up with periods of rain. Some dry hay harvest was prevented and producers are buying wrappers. Farming activities this week included repairing fences, brush hogging pastures and planting crops.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 06/09/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	3	77	20
Subsoil	-	6	82	12
Hay & Roughage	2	25	66	7
Feed grain	-	5	93	2

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 06/09/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 06/09/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	72	26	1
Peaches	-	-	76	24	-
Hay	-	3	31	57	9
Winter Wheat	-	7	53	37	3
Pasture	-	3	24	64	9
Cattle & Calves	-	5	30	58	7
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	15	80	5

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 06/09/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	66	60	54	73
Corn emerged	46	34	33	54
Hay first cut	22	16	19	33
Soybeans planted	52	43	60	60
Soybeans emerged	25	19	31	38
Winter Wheat headed	37	29	62	69

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending June 9, 2019

Temperatures across the State were very close to normal for the week. Most stations were within a couple of degrees of average both above and below. Overall, Southeastern West Virginia was somewhat cooler than normal, while Northcentral West Virginia averaged the warmest in comparison to average. The State began somewhat on the cool side as all stations reported below normal temperatures at the beginning of the week as a cold front exited the area. The rest of the week, temperatures increased to just above normal as several disturbances moved over the State mixing in both warm and cool air masses. The precipitation this week varied greatly throughout the State. The week was bookended with cold fronts, as well as upper level disturbances through the week which aided in shower / thunderstorm formation. This instability affected the Southern part of the State much more than the North and precipitation amounts reflect this.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 87 degrees. Moorefield had the lowest recorded temperature of 39 degrees. The state average temperature was 66 degrees.

Precipitation: Williamson had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.46 inches. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.12 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.91 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 06/09/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	80	46	66	0	0.12	1.23	6.34	13.06	8.91
PARKERSBURG	81	46	68	0	0.53	1.03	7.01	8.94	8.90
CRESTON	84	44	67		0.67		10.27	8.91	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	81	44	66	-1	0.35	0.96	9.46	12.42	9.37
CLARKSBURG	84	45	68	1	0.27	1.10	8.41	10.87	9.44
BELINGTON	81	44	66		0.45		9.02	13.56	
WESTON	83	46	67		0.74		10.23	12.70	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	82	49	70		2.46		9.94	9.44	
HUNTINGTON	81	51	70	0	1.19	1.00	10.26	7.36	9.45
CHARLESTON	83	47	69	-1	1.28	1.05	12.67	8.40	9.41
RIPLEY	84	44	67		0.67		9.73	9.60	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	79	41	64		0.41		12.21	15.49	
ELKINS	80	41	67	3	0.70	0.98	10.82	14.88	10.20
MARLINTON	80	42	62		1.58		10.91	11.80	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	77	41	63	-2	1.57	0.95	10.82	9.41	9.25
PINEVILLE	83	46	68		1.59		9.96	10.48	
BLUEFIELD	79	44	64	-4	1.00	1.01	9.62	9.55	8.96
WHITE SUL SP	80	42	64		1.17		10.86	11.21	
BLUESTONE DAM	81	48	65		1.75		10.83	11.12	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	86	43	68	-1	0.25	0.89	10.21	17.29	8.58
KEYSER	87	40	66		0.85		10.72	15.92	
MOOREFIELD	83	39	65		0.51		9.00	13.58	
State Average Temperature	66								
State Average Precipitation	0.91								

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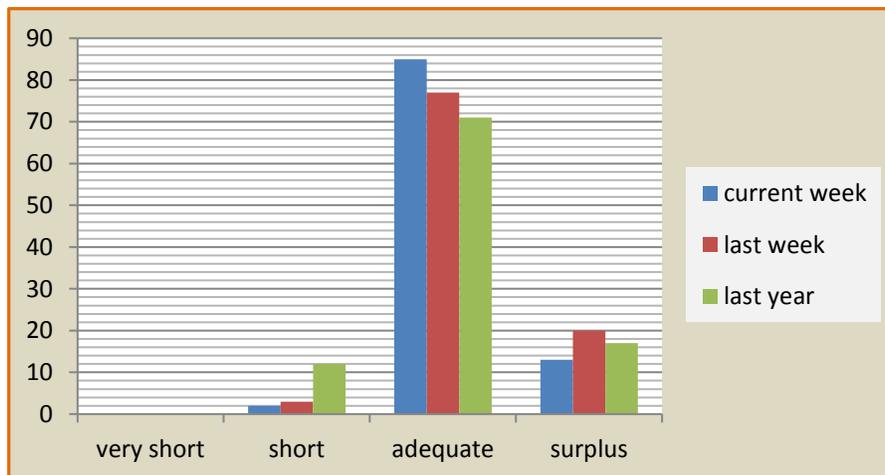
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.1. Weather conditions during the week were cooler and wet. In parts of the State, low pastures and hay fields are still wet; there are some concerns over hay quality and safety with wrapping hay. Farming activities this week included making hay and planting crops.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 06/16/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	2	85	13
Subsoil	-	4	87	9
Hay & Roughage	1	19	74	6
Feed grain	-	4	94	2

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 06/16/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 06/16/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	67	24	8
Peaches	-	-	77	23	-
Corn	-	4	45	41	10
Hay	-	4	26	65	5
Winter Wheat	-	6	53	38	3
Pasture	-	3	20	70	7
Cattle & Calves	-	4	21	70	5
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	10	87	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 06/16/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	80	66	64	82
Corn emerged	53	46	45	64
Hay first cut	33	22	32	45
Soybeans planted	70	52	69	69
Soybeans emerged	40	25	56	53
Winter Wheat headed	63	37	66	77

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending June 16, 2019

With a combination of cloud cover and successive cold fronts moving over the State, West Virginia reported below average temperatures across the State last week. All areas were two to seven degrees below normal. High temperatures for most stations barely reached the 80s, with some stations never reaching the 80 degree mark. Low temperatures dropped into the 40s for some sites nearly every night during the week. West Virginia had another wet week; heavy precipitation was recorded across the State as moisture laden frontal systems crossed over. All stations with the exception of Bluefield exceeded their precipitation averages and nearly every station in the State received over one inch of precipitation. Overall, the Southeastern coal fields received the least amount of rain, while the Northcentral received the most.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 87 degrees. Creston and Pineville had the lowest recorded temperature of 44 degrees. The state average temperature was 64 degrees.

Precipitation: Ripley had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.16 inches. Bluestone Dam had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.59 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.27 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 06/16/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation					
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal	
--NORTHWEST										
WHEELING	79	49	64	-4	1.32	1.17	7.66	14.20	10.08	
PARKERSBURG	80	49	65	-5	1.15	0.95	8.16	9.55	9.85	
CRESTON	81	44	64		2.15		12.42	9.40		
--NORTHCENTRAL										
MORGANTOWN	79	51	64	-5	1.53	0.95	10.99	13.32	10.32	
CLARKSBURG	83	51	66	-3	1.60	1.00	10.01	11.58	10.44	
BELINGTON	86	49	65		0.93		9.95	15.39		
WESTON	83	49	65		1.17		11.40	14.98		
--SOUTHWEST										
WILLIAMSON	85	49	67		0.77		10.71	10.79		
HUNTINGTON	85	50	66	-6	1.46	0.90	11.72	8.68	10.35	
CHARLESTON	86	48	66	-6	1.34	0.99	14.01	9.22	10.40	
RIPLEY	81	45	64		2.16		11.89	10.09		
--CENTRAL										
TERRA ALTA	75	45	61		1.95		14.16	15.83		
ELKINS	80	46	64	-2	1.73	0.98	12.55	16.26	11.18	
MARLINTON	83	45	62		0.77		11.68	11.92		
--SOUTHERN										
BECKLEY	79	45	60	-7	1.52	0.89	12.34	9.53	10.14	
PINEVILLE	85	44	65		1.19		11.15	11.40		
BLUEFIELD	81	45	64	-6	0.69	0.96	10.31	9.78	9.92	
WHITE SUL SP	83	47	62		0.77		11.63	11.46		
BLUESTONE DAM	80	45	63		0.59		11.42	11.23		
--NORTHEASTERN										
MARTINSBURG	86	51	67	-3	1.53	0.90	11.74	17.75	9.48	
KEYSER	87	45	64		0.79		11.51	17.12		
MOOREFIELD	86	45	66		0.81		9.81	13.87		
State Average Temperature	64									
State Average Precipitation	1.27									

Source: Weather comments and data - Dept. of Commerce, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration National Weather Service, Charleston, WV.

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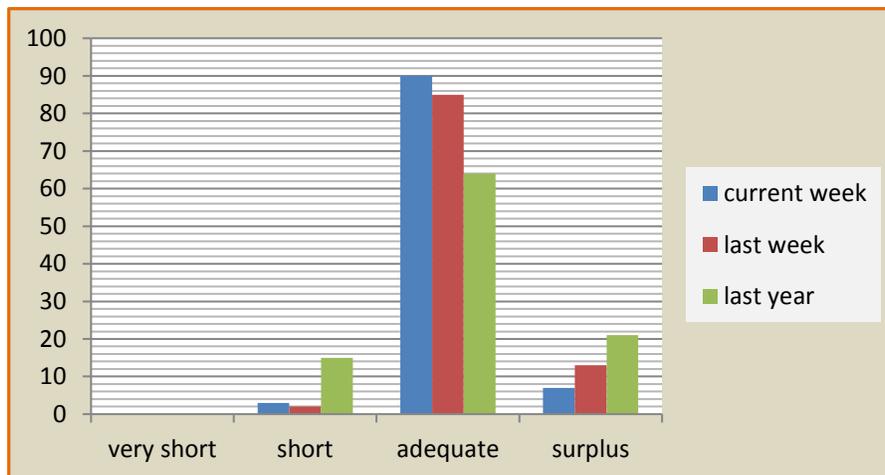
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.4. Weather conditions during the week continued to be cooler and wet with drier conditions late in the week. Some farmers were able to put up hay during dry weather periods. Farming activities this week included making hay and planting crops.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 06/23/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	3	90	7
Subsoil	-	3	93	4
Hay & Roughage	1	15	83	1
Feed grain	1	3	89	7

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 06/23/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 06/23/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	67	24	8
Peaches	-	-	76	24	-
Corn	-	3	39	45	13
Hay	-	8	32	58	2
Winter Wheat	-	6	52	39	3
Pasture	1	4	28	63	4
Cattle & Calves	-	1	17	78	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	12	86	2

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 06/23/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	87	80	70	88
Corn emerged	61	53	55	74
Hay first cut	40	33	41	55
Soybeans planted	74	70	73	78
Soybeans emerged	43	40	65	65
Winter Wheat headed	74	63	70	85

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending June 23, 2019

West Virginia recorded at or below normal temperatures for the second week in a row. A stationary front just North of the State allowed cooler and drier air to filter into the area for the first several days of the week. Temperatures struggled to consistently reach 80 degrees through the week, and several stations dropped into the 40s. High pressure moved in later in the week bringing the temperatures and humidity back to near normal for the end of the week. The stationary front allowed several areas of instability to slide across the State during the week. These areas allowed for the formation of showers and thunderstorms that occurred across the State for the majority of the week. High pressure the last few days of the week brought dry conditions for the weekend. Overall, the Northern half of the State was much wetter than the Southern half.

Temperatures: Keyser and Moorefield had the highest recorded temperature of 86 degrees. Marlinton had the lowest recorded temperature of 45 degrees. The state average temperature was 69 degrees.

Precipitation: Wheeling had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.89 inches. Bluestone Dam and White Sulphur Springs had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.56 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.91 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 06/23/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	81	52	68	-2	1.89	1.08	9.55	17.41	11.16
PARKERSBURG	84	51	70	-2	0.99	0.88	9.15	12.43	10.73
CRESTON	84	49	69		0.83		13.25	12.36	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	83	53	69	-2	0.91	0.93	11.90	14.26	11.25
CLARKSBURG	84	52	70	-1	0.97	0.87	10.98	14.05	11.31
BELINGTON	84	49	69		0.78		10.73	17.83	
WESTON	85	51	70		0.68		12.08	19.90	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	85	58	72		0.84		11.55	12.07	
HUNTINGTON	84	57	71	-2	0.86	0.87	12.58	10.28	11.22
CHARLESTON	85	53	71	-2	0.78	0.98	14.79	11.93	11.38
RIPLEY	84	49	69		0.83		12.72	13.05	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	83	48	66		1.70		15.86	18.84	
ELKINS	83	47	68	0	0.83	1.02	13.38	17.94	12.20
MARLINTON	84	45	66		0.70		12.38	13.89	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	79	49	65	-4	0.61	0.92	12.95	11.28	11.06
PINEVILLE	83	55	69		0.60		11.75	13.37	
BLUEFIELD	82	56	67	-4	0.61	0.95	10.92	10.39	10.87
WHITE SUL SP	85	49	67		0.56		12.19	14.20	
BLUESTONE DAM	80	56	68		0.56		11.98	12.67	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	85	53	72	0	1.02	0.87	12.76	20.57	10.35
KEYSER	86	49	71		0.78		12.29	19.37	
MOOREFIELD	86	49	70		1.77		11.58	15.26	
State Average Temperature	69								
State Average Precipitation	0.91								

Source:
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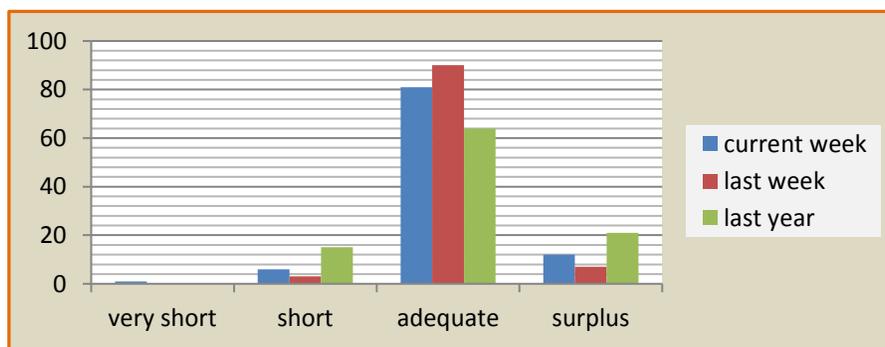
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.4. Weather conditions during the week were mostly sunny with pop up showers and thunderstorms, but weekend heavy rains caused flooding in parts of the State. Farming activities this week included making hay and harvesting wheat.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 06/30/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	1	6	81	12
Subsoil	1	10	87	2
Hay & Roughage	-	14	82	4
Feed grain	1	3	89	7

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 06/30/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 06/30/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	67	23	9
Peaches	-	-	76	24	-
Corn	-	3	35	51	11
Hay	1	2	33	60	4
Winter Wheat	-	7	48	41	4
Pasture	-	1	21	72	6
Cattle & Calves	-	1	15	80	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	9	88	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 06/30/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	94	87	81	93
Corn emerged	72	61	69	84
Hay first cut	52	40	67	69
Soybeans planted	78	74	77	86
Soybeans emerged	58	43	69	76
Winter Wheat headed	82	74	81	91
Winter Wheat harvested	15	-	19	21

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending June 30, 2019

With high pressure dominating the majority of the week, West Virginia experienced mostly sunny conditions with only pop up showers and thunderstorms. Under this high pressure, the temperatures across the State ranged from one to five degrees above average. All stations reached the mid-80s, with the majority of the sites across the State reaching 90 degrees at least one day. The only exception to the heat was Bluefield. Overall, the Northern half of the State was warmer than the Southern half of the State. Precipitation across the State ranged widely for the week. The wide ranging amounts were a result of precipitation falling from pop up type thunderstorms and showers. Several locations remained somewhat dry, while others received well over one inch of precipitation in just one day. Areas of high precipitation include the Eastern Panhandle and the Northcentral parts of the State. Governor Jim Justice declared a State of Emergency on Sunday, June 30th, for counties that were affected by severe flooding including Randolph, Tucker, Preston, Grant and Pendleton.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 96 degrees. Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 50 degrees. The state average temperature was 74 degrees.

Precipitation: Terra Alta had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.75 inches. Parkersburg and Bluestone Dam had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.14 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.98 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 06/30/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	88	55	74	3	0.18	0.85	9.73	18.30	12.01
PARKERSBURG	91	58	76	3	0.14	0.86	9.29	13.77	11.59
CRESTON	90	57	74		0.86		14.11	13.54	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	90	57	75	3	1.29	0.99	13.19	14.98	12.24
CLARKSBURG	91	58	77	5	0.34	1.06	11.32	15.59	12.37
BELINGTON	88	56	74		0.95		11.68	18.52	
WESTON	90	58	75		0.41		12.49	20.69	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	93	63	78		0.41		11.96	12.77	
HUNTINGTON	91	65	77	2	0.39	0.80	12.97	12.17	12.02
CHARLESTON	91	59	76	1	0.68	0.95	15.47	12.67	12.33
RIPLEY	90	57	74		0.88		13.60	14.23	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	85	54	70		2.75		18.61	20.94	
ELKINS	88	55	73	4	1.91	1.12	15.29	18.34	13.32
MARLINTON	88	51	71		0.97		13.35	14.71	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	87	50	71	1	0.30	0.96	13.25	11.46	12.02
PINEVILLE	91	56	75		0.54		12.29	13.92	
BLUEFIELD	87	53	71	-1	0.81	0.92	11.73	10.91	11.79
WHITE SUL SP	89	53	72		1.72		13.91	14.40	
BLUESTONE DAM	87	58	73		0.14		12.12	12.84	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	93	58	77	4	1.77	0.84	14.53	20.78	11.19
KEYSER	96	54	76		1.77		14.06	19.98	
MOOREFIELD	93	54	74		2.28		13.86	15.26	
State Average Temperature	74								
State Average Precipitation	0.98								

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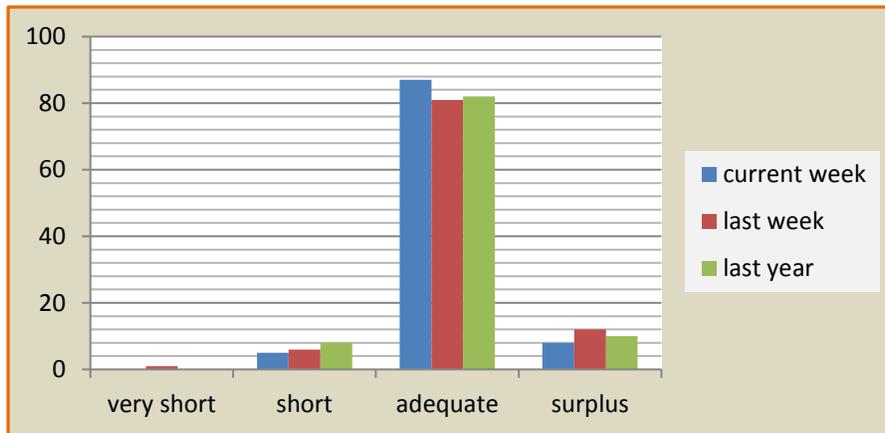
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.2. Weather conditions during the week were mostly very warm with scattered showers and thunderstorms that caused some flooding. Farming activities this week included making hay and harvesting wheat.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 07/07/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	5	87	8
Subsoil	-	3	92	5

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 07/07/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 07/07/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	66	24	9
Peaches	-	-	68	32	-
Corn	-	6	34	49	11
Hay	-	2	30	65	3
Soybeans	-	1	17	67	15
Winter Wheat	-	10	47	39	4
Pasture	-	3	22	70	5
Cattle & Calves	-	1	11	83	5
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	8	89	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 07/07/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn planted	96	94	89	97
Corn emerged	80	72	80	90
Corn silking	4	-	-	5
Hay first cut	65	52	81	79
Soybeans planted	90	78	80	91
Soybeans emerged	70	58	73	84
Winter Wheat headed	90	82	92	96
Winter Wheat harvested	36	15	35	37

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending July 7, 2019

Early in the week a warm front moved through West Virginia and settled just north of the State. The location of the front left the State in a very warm and moist air mass as high pressure then settled in for the majority of the week. The warm temperatures and high humidity during the week created uncomfortable heat. Nearly all stations reached the 90s at some point during the week, while the lowest temperatures recorded were in the 50s and 60s. All stations reported greater than average temperatures for the week and ranged from one to seven degrees above normal. With a warm/moist atmosphere, West Virginia received large amounts of rain across the State, although there were no organized systems pushing through. Scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms occurred every afternoon, with large amounts of precipitation being recorded within some of these storms. Martinsburg was the only station that did not meet or exceed average. Several stations received over two inches of precipitation.

Temperatures: Martinsburg had the highest recorded temperature of 94 degrees. Marlinton had the lowest recorded temperature of 51 degrees. The state average temperature was 76 degrees.

Precipitation: Parkersburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 4.45 inches. Pineville had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.06 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.67 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 07/07/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	90	66	77	5	1.91	0.79	11.64	19.45	12.80
PARKERSBURG	92	67	79	5	4.45	0.87	13.74	14.06	12.46
CRESTON	91	61	76		2.08		16.19	14.51	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	90	63	78	5	2.06	1.06	15.25	15.61	13.30
CLARKSBURG	91	63	79	7	1.87	1.05	13.19	16.33	13.42
BELINGTON	90	56	76		0.94		12.62	21.30	
WESTON	90	61	78		1.77		14.26	22.25	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	92	65	78		2.40		14.36	13.11	
HUNTINGTON	90	67	80	4	1.47	0.91	14.44	12.73	12.93
CHARLESTON	91	66	78	3	2.29	1.02	17.76	12.87	13.35
RIPLEY	91	63	77		2.08		15.68	15.20	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	83	56	72		1.56		20.17	22.52	
ELKINS	88	58	75	5	2.40	1.23	17.69	21.21	14.55
MARLINTON	86	51	73		0.95		14.30	15.14	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	85	60	72	1	2.11	1.05	15.36	12.71	13.07
PINEVILLE	91	62	77		0.06		12.35	14.43	
BLUEFIELD	85	61	74	1	1.05	0.96	12.78	11.65	12.75
WHITE SUL SP	89	59	75		0.39		14.30	14.64	
BLUESTONE DAM	87	64	75		0.79		12.91	13.10	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	94	60	78	4	0.25	0.78	14.78	21.61	11.97
KEYSER	93	55	78		1.51		15.57	20.64	
MOOREFIELD	92	63	78		2.45		16.31	16.07	
State Average Temperature	76								
State Average Precipitation	1.67								

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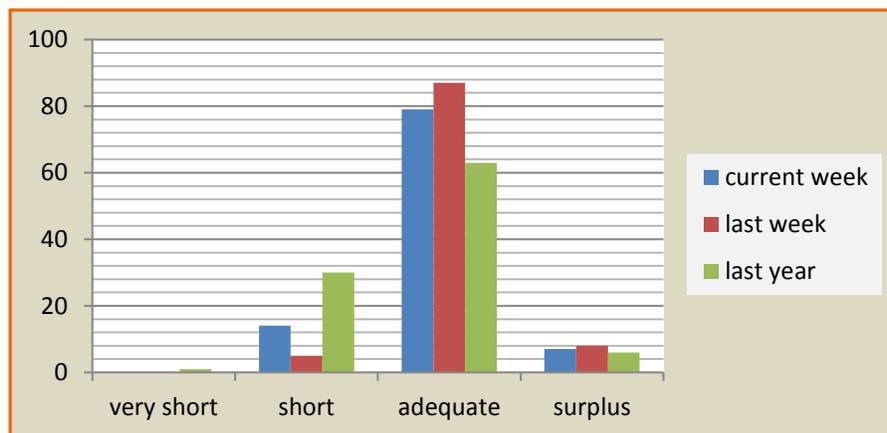
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.1. Weather conditions during the week were mostly hot and humid; scattered showers and thunderstorms caused some flooding in low lying areas. Farming activities this week included making hay and harvesting wheat.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 07/14/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	-	14	79	7
Subsoil	-	13	82	5

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 07/14/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 07/14/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	66	24	9
Peaches	-	1	76	23	-
Corn	-	6	33	49	12
Hay	-	7	32	57	4
Soybeans	-	1	16	68	15
Winter Wheat	-	10	48	38	4
Pasture	-	8	20	63	9
Cattle & Calves	-	5	8	78	9
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	13	82	5

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 07/14/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn emerged	89	80	84	93
Corn silking	9	4	3	13
Hay first cut	79	65	91	86
Soybeans planted	95	90	84	95
Soybeans emerged	78	70	78	88
Winter Wheat headed	94	90	95	98
Winter Wheat harvested	48	36	52	52

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending July 14, 2019

For the majority of the week, West Virginia experienced dry and hot/humid conditions as high pressure settled in over the State. The only relief from the high pressure was a weak cold front during the middle of the work-week that was only strong enough to bring humidity down somewhat. All stations recorded above normal temperatures for the week except Bluefield and Martinsburg, which were right at average. Precipitation totals varied greatly throughout the State with the Northern half generally receiving more precipitation than the South. The varying precipitation amounts resulted from scattered showers and thunderstorms that popped up statewide through the week. The only organized precipitation was associated with the weak cold front that crossed in the middle of the week. Three stations received over two inches, while other stations received no rain at all for the week.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 94 degrees. Parkersburg had the lowest recorded temperature of 52 degrees. The state average temperature was 75 degrees.

Precipitation: Terra Alta had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.37 inches. Bluefield and Bluestone Dam had the lowest with zero recorded precipitation. The state average precipitation was 0.79 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 07/14/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	89	60	75	3	2.12	0.95	13.76	19.46	13.75
PARKERSBURG	91	52	76	1	1.66	0.98	15.40	14.08	13.44
CRESTON	91	59	75		0.41		16.60	14.53	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	88	61	75	2	1.84	1.09	17.09	15.68	14.39
CLARKSBURG	92	63	77	4	1.29	1.22	14.48	16.72	14.64
BELINGTON	91	61	75		0.19		12.81	21.30	
WESTON	92	64	77		0.30		14.56	22.25	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	92	68	79		0.47		14.83	13.11	
HUNTINGTON	92	65	79	3	0.28	1.04	14.72	12.73	13.97
CHARLESTON	92	63	78	2	0.06	1.13	17.82	12.87	14.48
RIPLEY	91	59	75		0.41		16.09	15.22	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	84	58	72		2.37		22.54	22.80	
ELKINS	89	60	74	4	0.65	1.26	18.34	21.60	15.81
MARLINTON	88	59	74		1.21		15.51	16.68	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	84	58	72	1	0.06	1.14	15.42	12.88	14.21
PINEVILLE	91	61	77		0.02		12.37	14.43	
BLUEFIELD	86	60	73	0	0.00	0.97	12.78	11.65	13.72
WHITE SUL SP	88	61	75		0.78		15.08	14.86	
BLUESTONE DAM	87	63	75		0.00		12.91	13.60	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	92	61	75	0	0.45	0.82	15.23	21.61	12.79
KEYSER	94	60	77		0.82		16.39	22.33	
MOOREFIELD	89	61	75		2.09		18.40	16.07	
State Average Temperature	75								
State Average Precipitation	0.79								

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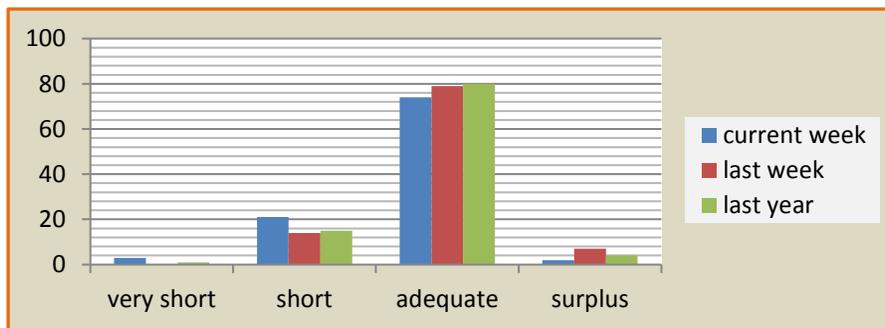
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.4. Weather conditions during the week continued to be hot and humid; the heat index kept activity low. Farming activities this week included taking care of livestock in the heat and harvesting peaches.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 07/21/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	3	21	74	2
Subsoil	3	21	74	2

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 07/21/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 07/21/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	68	22	9
Peaches	-	1	76	23	-
Corn	-	7	33	47	13
Hay	-	6	38	52	4
Soybeans	-	1	12	72	15
Pasture	-	9	19	62	10
Cattle & Calves	-	6	10	73	11
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	13	81	6

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 07/21/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Peaches harvested	7	-	13	10
Corn emerged	95	89	91	97
Corn silking	25	9	19	28
Corn dough	5	-	-	2
Hay first cut	85	79	95	91
Hay second cut	8	-	13	9
Soybeans emerged	85	78	81	91
Soybeans blooming	9	-	4	15
Winter Wheat harvested	58	48	64	69

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending July 21, 2019

The week began with temperatures very close to normal, but strong high pressure settled in over the State late in the week and brought very hot and humid conditions. Heat advisories and warnings were issued for nearly the entire State. All stations recorded above normal temperatures for the week with most stations 5 to 8 degrees over normal. Almost all stations reached the 90s during the heat wave and most stations reported low temperatures in the 60s. Precipitation amounts were low this week as high pressure dominated. The majority of the precipitation received early in the week fell as unorganized pop up showers and thunderstorms. Showers and thunderstorms associated with an approaching cold front brought rain at the end of the week. All stations, with the exception of Bluefield, received less than normal precipitation amounts.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 100 degrees. Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 58 degrees. The state average temperature was 79 degrees.

Precipitation: Marlinton had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.98 inches. Keyser had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.20 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.80 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 07/21/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation					
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal	
--NORTHWEST										
WHEELING	90	69	79	6	0.91	0.97	14.67	19.87	14.72	
PARKERSBURG	93	71	81	6	0.47	0.96	15.87	14.76	14.40	
CRESTON	94	66	79		0.49		17.09	16.82		
--NORTHCENTRAL										
MORGANTOWN	93	70	81	8	0.55	1.08	17.64	16.72	15.47	
CLARKSBURG	94	72	82	9	1.52	1.58	16.00	17.07	16.22	
BELINGTON	92	66	79		0.55		13.36	21.96		
WESTON	93	68	80		0.65		15.21	23.21		
--SOUTHWEST										
WILLIAMSON	91	68	79		1.30		16.13	14.35		
HUNTINGTON	94	69	81	5	0.67	1.08	15.39	15.88	15.05	
CHARLESTON	94	68	81	5	0.64	1.18	18.46	16.82	15.66	
RIPLEY	94	66	78		0.49		16.58	17.51		
--CENTRAL										
TERRA ALTA	89	62	75		0.72		23.26	23.14		
ELKINS	92	65	78	8	0.97	1.23	19.31	21.90	17.04	
MARLINTON	91	63	76		1.98		17.49	17.29		
--SOUTHERN										
BECKLEY	88	58	74	3	0.95	1.17	16.37	13.41	15.38	
PINEVILLE	96	66	80		0.64		13.01	16.63		
BLUEFIELD	89	62	74	1	1.03	0.96	13.81	13.14	14.68	
WHITE SUL SP	92	64	76		1.07		16.15	15.22		
BLUESTONE DAM	91	65	77		0.47		13.38	14.61		
--NORTHEASTERN										
MARTINSBURG	99	61	82	7	0.70	0.84	15.93	23.60	13.63	
KEYSER	100	64	83		0.20		16.59	22.68		
MOOREFIELD	95	65	79		0.72		19.12	16.07		
State Average Temperature	79									
State Average Precipitation	0.80									

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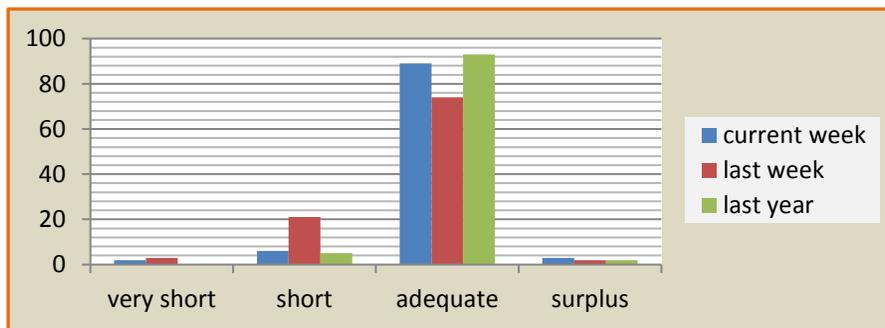
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.9. Weather conditions during the week started cooler and wet with precipitation from a cold front, but then warmed up later with isolated showers and higher temperatures. Farming activities this week included making hay and harvesting peaches.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 07/28/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	2	6	89	3
Subsoil	2	7	88	3

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 07/28/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 07/28/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	67	23	9
Peaches	-	1	77	22	-
Corn	-	2	38	49	11
Hay	1	4	37	54	4
Soybeans	-	1	11	73	15
Pasture	1	7	25	61	6
Cattle & Calves	1	3	19	72	5
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	22	74	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 07/28/19

Livestock Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Peaches harvested	13	7	30	22
Corn silking	32	25	34	46
Corn dough	11	5	2	7
Hay first cut	88	85	96	94
Hay second cut	11	8	21	20
Soybeans emerged	91	85	83	95
Soybeans blooming	22	9	9	27
Soybeans settings pods	5	-	-	8
Winter Wheat harvested	64	58	72	78

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending July 28, 2019

Temperatures across the State for the week were just below normal and although the temperatures ended just below average, it does not indicate the temperature transformation throughout the week. West Virginia started the week far below normal as a strong cold front moved over the State. Temperatures across the State were between 5 and 10+ degrees below normal. Overnight temperatures dropped into the 50s, and even the 40s statewide. Soon after the frontal passage, high pressure moved in and dominated the weather for the rest of the period. During this time, temperatures rose steadily until they were once again above average by the end of the week. The state average temperature was 10 degrees less than the previous week. The vast majority of precipitation this week fell in a 24 hour period at the beginning of the week as the strong, moisture laden cold front moved over the State. Several stations reported over one or two inches of precipitation, and Pineville reported 3.45 inches in just 24 hours. The rest of the week was mostly dry under high pressure. A few pop up type showers and thunderstorms brought isolated pockets of rain during this time.

Temperatures: Martinsburg and Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 91 degrees. Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 48 degrees. The state average temperature was 69 degrees.

Precipitation: Pineville had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 3.51 inches. Marlinton had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.48 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.34 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 07/28/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	84	53	69	-3	0.68	0.97	15.35	22.02	15.69
PARKERSBURG	87	54	71	-3	1.11	1.02	16.98	15.14	15.42
CRESTON	88	51	70		0.67		17.76	16.87	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	86	55	71	-2	0.83	1.00	18.47	18.09	16.47
CLARKSBURG	87	55	71	-2	0.69	1.28	16.69	17.19	17.50
BELINGTON	86	54	70		1.72		15.08	23.61	
WESTON	88	56	71		1.32		16.53	24.02	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	89	57	72		2.17		18.30	15.36	
HUNTINGTON	89	55	72	-4	1.41	1.08	16.80	16.20	16.13
CHARLESTON	88	53	71	-4	1.35	1.14	19.81	17.30	16.80
RIPLEY	88	51	70		0.67		17.25	17.56	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	81	49	65		0.67		23.93	24.17	
ELKINS	85	53	68	-2	0.86	1.15	20.17	24.30	18.19
MARLINTON	83	51	67		0.48		17.97	17.71	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	81	48	64	-7	1.96	1.16	18.33	14.57	16.54
PINEVILLE	88	55	70		3.51		16.52	16.89	
BLUEFIELD	83	50	66	-7	1.58	0.92	15.39	14.66	15.60
WHITE SUL SP	85	50	67		1.48		17.63	15.89	
BLUESTONE DAM	84	52	68		2.29		15.67	15.16	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	91	57	74	-1	1.78	0.86	17.71	26.82	14.49
KEYSER	91	56	73		0.91		17.50	23.51	
MOOREFIELD	88	50	71		1.26		20.38	17.77	
State Average Temperature	69								
State Average Precipitation	1.34								

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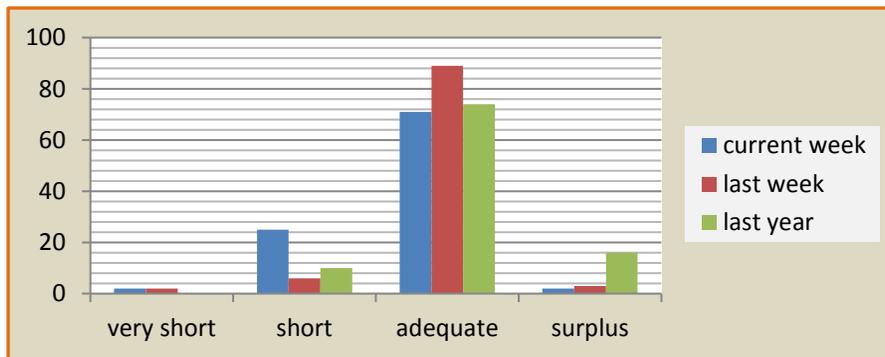
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.9. Weather conditions during the week were drier; precipitation amounts were down from the previous week. Farming activities this week included making hay and harvesting peaches.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 08/04/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	2	25	71	2
Subsoil	2	14	82	2

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 08/04/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 08/04/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	67	23	9
Peaches	-	1	77	22	-
Corn	-	2	33	55	10
Hay	-	9	36	53	2
Soybeans	-	1	11	73	15
Pasture	-	7	32	57	4
Cattle & Calves	-	2	25	70	3
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	26	72	2

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 08/04/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Peaches harvested	36	13	42	32
Corn silking	42	32	47	62
Corn dough	16	11	7	17
Hay first cut	96	88	96	96
Hay second cut	20	11	29	30
Soybeans emerged	95	91	86	97
Soybeans blooming	36	22	15	43
Soybeans settings pods	11	5	-	18
Winter Wheat harvested	77	64	80	86

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending August 4, 2019

Weather across West Virginia during the week was very close to average, with not much activity to speak of. Overall, all stations were within three degrees of normal with the Southeast coalfields being somewhat cooler than normal, and the Northeast/Eastern Panhandle warmer than average. There were no unusual temperatures, with only a few cool mornings as some stations dropped into the 50s. High temperatures were very close to summer normal, reaching into the upper 80s and low 90s. Precipitation this week was less than average overall, with pockets of higher precipitation falling as isolated showers/thunderstorms moved over stations. Nearly all stations recorded below normal. Elkins was the only station to exceed average.

Temperatures: Clarksburg, Martinsburg and Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 91 degrees. Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 55 degrees. The state average temperature was 74 degrees.

Precipitation: Elkins had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.27 inches. Parkersburg had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.09 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.51 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 08/04/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation					
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal	
--NORTHWEST										
WHEELING	85	58	73	1	0.20	0.81	15.55	22.55	16.50	
PARKERSBURG	89	61	76	2	0.09	0.86	17.07	16.76	16.28	
CRESTON	88	57	74		0.28		18.04	21.38		
--NORTHCENTRAL										
MORGANTOWN	89	62	75	2	0.51	0.87	18.98	19.54	17.34	
CLARKSBURG	91	61	76	3	0.78	1.10	17.47	18.38	18.60	
BELINGTON	89	60	74		0.10		15.18	27.14		
WESTON	90	61	76		0.99		17.52	27.21		
--SOUTHWEST										
WILLIAMSON	88	63	75		0.45		18.75	15.70		
HUNTINGTON	89	62	76	0	0.28	0.97	17.08	17.81	17.10	
CHARLESTON	90	60	76	1	0.32	1.01	20.13	19.26	17.81	
RIPLEY	88	58	74		0.28		17.53	23.11		
--CENTRAL										
TERRA ALTA	81	56	69		1.29		25.22	27.48		
ELKINS	87	58	73	3	2.27	1.04	22.44	27.46	19.23	
MARLINTON	86	56	71		0.39		18.36	21.42		
--SOUTHERN										
BECKLEY	83	55	69	-1	0.42	1.08	18.75	17.10	17.62	
PINEVILLE	90	61	76		0.11		16.63	17.99		
BLUEFIELD	85	57	71	-2	0.14	0.82	15.53	16.93	16.42	
WHITE SUL SP	87	58	72		0.14		17.77	19.73		
BLUESTONE DAM	85	60	72		0.24		15.91	18.36		
--NORTHEASTERN										
MARTINSBURG	91	62	77	3	0.20	0.80	17.91	30.08	15.29	
KEYSER	91	58	75		0.92		18.42	26.49		
MOOREFIELD	90	61	74		0.72		21.10	19.44		
State Average Temperature	74									
State Average Precipitation	0.51									

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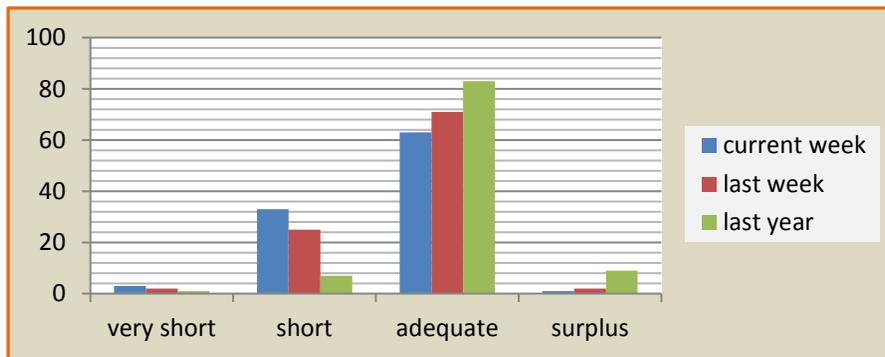
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.9. Precipitation amounts were scattered during the week; parts of the State have abnormally dry conditions. Farming activities this week included attending the State Fair, making hay and harvesting peaches.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 08/11/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	3	33	63	1
Subsoil	3	22	75	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 08/11/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 08/11/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	66	24	9
Peaches	-	1	78	21	-
Corn	-	5	32	51	12
Hay	-	14	38	45	3
Soybeans	-	1	12	73	14
Pasture	-	13	27	54	6
Cattle & Calves	-	3	29	63	5
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	19	78	2

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 08/11/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	7	-	7	3
Peaches harvested	56	36	52	43
Corn silking	51	42	58	70
Corn dough	27	16	19	31
Corn dented	4	-	-	4
Hay second cut	31	20	37	39
Soybeans blooming	59	36	30	58
Soybeans settings pods	22	11	7	29
Winter Wheat harvested	88	77	89	92

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending August 11, 2019

Temperatures across the State during the week were near normal or slightly below normal. Overall, all stations were within three degrees of normal. Cool morning temperatures over the weekend were the main reason that some sites were slightly below normal on temperatures. Lows generally dropped into the 50s this past weekend, with Terra Alta actually reaching 45 degrees. High temperatures were generally in the 80s to lower 90s, with a couple of the mountain locations only reaching the upper 70s this past weekend. Precipitation this week was slightly above normal overall. However, this varied wildly by station, due to scattered showers and thunderstorms. Creston had 3.70 inches, while Martinsburg and Moorefield had no precipitation. A few locations in central West Virginia are now reporting abnormally dry conditions.

Temperatures: Martinsburg and Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 91 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 45 degrees. The state average temperature was 72 degrees.

Precipitation: Creston had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 3.70 inches. Martinsburg and Moorefield had the lowest with zero recorded precipitation. The state average precipitation was 1.01 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 08/11/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	87	54	71	-1	0.33	0.71	15.88	23.87	17.21
PARKERSBURG	90	55	72	-2	2.53	0.85	19.60	17.22	17.13
CRESTON	89	53	71		3.70		21.74	21.63	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	89	55	72	-1	0.51	0.83	19.49	19.89	18.17
CLARKSBURG	90	54	73	0	1.56	0.98	19.03	19.66	19.58
BELINGTON	90	53	71		0.79		15.97	28.57	
WESTON	90	56	72		2.94		20.46	30.87	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	89	60	75		0.88		19.63	16.17	
HUNTINGTON	90	60	75	-1	0.75	0.86	17.83	19.46	17.96
CHARLESTON	90	55	74	-1	0.65	0.92	20.78	21.06	18.73
RIPLEY	89	53	71		2.73		20.26	23.18	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	88	45	68		0.91		26.13	29.66	
ELKINS	86	53	70	0	0.52	0.93	22.96	29.61	20.16
MARLINTON	83	52	69		0.86		19.22	23.74	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	82	50	68	-2	0.11	0.93	18.86	17.16	18.55
PINEVILLE	88	55	73		0.54		17.17	18.19	
BLUEFIELD	85	52	70	-3	0.49	0.82	16.02	17.51	17.24
WHITE SUL SP	86	51	70		0.29		18.06	21.24	
BLUESTONE DAM	84	56	71		0.70		16.61	18.92	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	91	56	74	0	0.00	0.73	17.91	30.59	16.02
KEYSER	91	52	73		0.34		18.76	27.02	
MOOREFIELD	87	52	72		0.00		21.10	20.59	
State Average Temperature	72								
State Average Precipitation	1.01								

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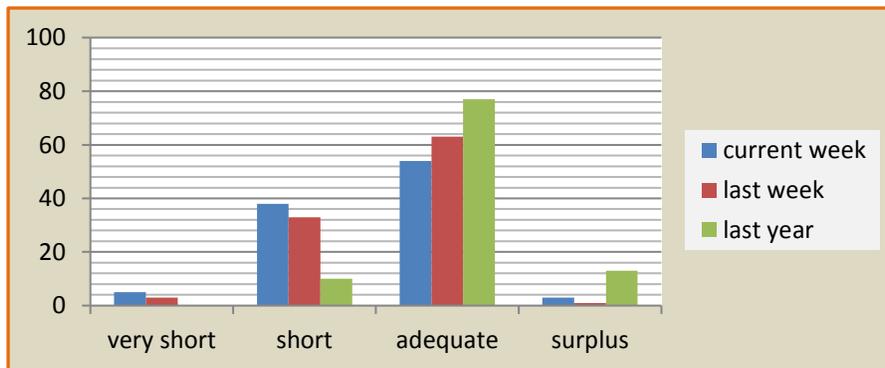
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 6.2. Weather conditions were mostly hot and dry, but precipitation fell during the beginning of the week. Farming activities this week included attending the State Fair, making hay and harvesting apples.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 08/18/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	5	38	54	3
Subsoil	5	30	62	3

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 08/18/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 08/18/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	1	67	23	9
Corn	-	4	30	56	10
Hay	1	7	35	51	6
Soybeans	-	2	11	73	14
Pasture	-	11	33	49	7
Cattle & Calves	-	3	22	67	8
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	11	84	4

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 08/18/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	18	7	14	8
Peaches harvested	66	56	66	61
Corn silking	62	51	68	78
Corn dough	36	27	32	46
Corn dented	9	4	2	10
Hay second cut	44	31	41	50
Soybeans blooming	71	59	52	72
Soybeans settings pods	32	22	12	44
Winter Wheat harvested	93	88	94	97

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending August 18, 2019

The week began with a cold front pushing through West Virginia, but the front was quickly replaced by high pressure. The resulting high pressure created warmer than normal conditions across the State. Overall, temperatures were at or above normal for the week. Both Beckley and Bluefield ended the week right at average, while all other stations ranged from 1 to 6 degrees over. Although the temperatures were just above average, there were no anomalous (unusual) recordings during the week. Most high temperatures were in the upper 80s to mid-90s, while the lows dropped into the upper 50s to low 60s. West Virginia experienced another dry week even though nearly half of the stations met or exceeded average. The received rainfall fell as a system moved over the State early in the week, and dropped lots of rain very quickly in showers or thunderstorms. After day two, the State received almost no precipitation at all. As a summer dry spell continues, a few locations in Central and Southern West Virginia are continuing to report D0 (abnormally dry) conditions.

Temperatures: Martinsburg, Moorefield and Pineville had the highest recorded temperature of 95 degrees. Beckley had the lowest recorded temperature of 50 degrees. The state average temperature was 75 degrees.

Precipitation: Huntington had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.74 inches. Belington had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.15 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.71 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 08/18/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	89	58	74	2	0.98	0.78	16.86	25.76	17.99
PARKERSBURG	90	58	75	1	0.50	0.83	20.10	18.92	17.96
CRESTON	91	55	74		1.37		23.11	22.49	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	92	58	75	3	0.49	0.81	19.98	21.24	18.98
CLARKSBURG	93	58	77	5	0.35	0.74	19.38	21.04	20.32
BELINGTON	93	55	75		0.15		16.12	28.77	
WESTON	93	57	76		0.26		20.72	31.91	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	93	65	78		0.70		20.33	16.91	
HUNTINGTON	91	61	76	1	1.74	0.87	19.57	21.38	18.83
CHARLESTON	94	59	77	2	0.90	0.84	21.68	23.93	19.57
RIPLEY	91	55	74		1.37		21.63	24.04	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	85	52	68		0.70		26.83	30.67	
ELKINS	90	59	75	6	0.65	0.86	23.61	30.67	21.02
MARLINTON	88	57	73		0.48		19.70	25.29	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	87	50	70	0	1.40	0.75	20.26	18.84	19.30
PINEVILLE	95	63	78		0.47		17.64	18.79	
BLUEFIELD	90	58	73	0	0.42	0.72	16.44	18.91	17.96
WHITE SUL SP	91	51	73		0.47		18.53	22.58	
BLUESTONE DAM	90	62	75		0.76		17.37	19.92	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	95	56	77	4	0.39	0.67	18.30	31.19	16.69
KEYSER	93	54	77		0.46		19.22	27.91	
MOOREFIELD	95	60	77		0.66		21.76	21.24	
State Average Temperature	75								
State Average Precipitation	0.71								

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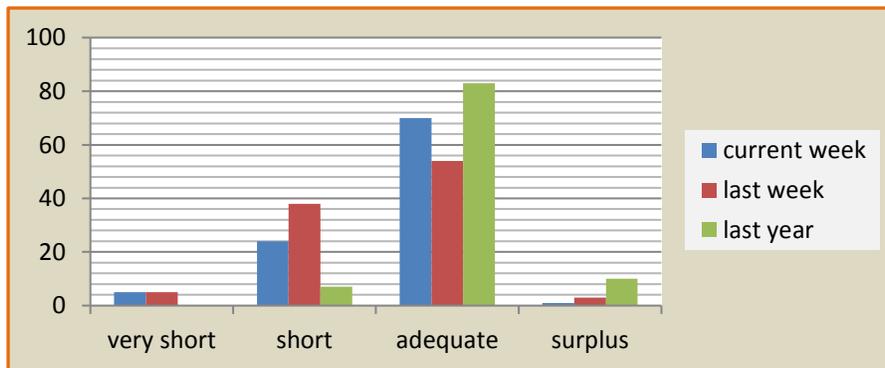
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.5. Weather conditions cooled at the end of the week with periods of moderate to heavy rains as a cold front crossed over the State. Farming activities this week included harvesting apples and peaches.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 08/25/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	5	24	70	1
Subsoil	6	29	64	1

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 08/25/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 08/25/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	-	59	32	9
Corn	-	5	32	54	9
Hay	1	5	30	60	4
Soybeans	-	2	8	76	14
Pasture	-	6	37	51	6
Cattle & Calves	-	3	18	72	7
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	10	86	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 08/25/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	28	18	22	16
Peaches harvested	78	66	73	74
Corn silking	72	62	78	85
Corn dough	47	36	41	60
Corn dented	19	9	10	18
Hay second cut	57	44	56	61
Soybeans blooming	88	71	70	81
Soybeans settings pods	46	32	22	55
Winter Wheat harvested	96	93	95	98

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending August 25, 2019

The week began with above normal temperatures as many locations surpassed the 90 degree mark. A strong cold front crossed late in the week with temperatures falling to below normal readings which generally carried through the weekend. High temperatures were mostly in the 90s, and lows were mostly in the 50s. The cold front provided for periods of moderate to heavy rain late in the week. This was much needed rainfall across Central and Southern West Virginia where abnormally dry conditions exist as the summer dry spell continues.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 97 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 46 degrees. The state average temperature was 71 degrees.

Precipitation: Elkins had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.58 inches. Beckley had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.27 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.14 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 08/25/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	88	53	70	-1	0.30	0.87	17.16	26.14	18.86
PARKERSBURG	90	52	72	-1	0.65	0.78	20.75	19.26	18.74
CRESTON	90	50	72		1.86		24.97	23.70	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	90	55	71	-1	0.63	0.78	20.61	21.56	19.76
CLARKSBURG	91	53	72	0	1.40	0.76	20.78	21.58	21.08
BELINGTON	93	49	72		1.80		17.92	29.84	
WESTON	92	51	73		1.73		22.45	32.78	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	95	53	75		0.43		20.76	17.51	
HUNTINGTON	92	57	74	-1	1.76	0.82	21.33	22.87	19.65
CHARLESTON	96	56	75	1	1.16	0.78	22.84	24.41	20.35
RIPLEY	90	50	72		0.97		22.60	25.25	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	84	46	65		1.32		28.15	32.03	
ELKINS	89	49	70	1	2.58	0.83	26.19	31.42	21.85
MARLINTON	88	49	70		2.24		21.94	25.73	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	87	48	68	-2	0.27	0.70	20.53	19.40	20.00
PINEVILLE	92	52	73		0.59		18.23	19.20	
BLUEFIELD	92	56	71	-1	0.70	0.69	17.14	19.22	18.65
WHITE SUL SP	93	50	71		0.30		18.83	24.04	
BLUESTONE DAM	88	50	71		0.73		18.10	20.47	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	94	53	73	1	0.39	0.67	18.69	33.41	17.36
KEYSER	97	47	73		1.26		20.48	28.77	
MOOREFIELD	91	50	72		1.92		23.68	22.03	
State Average Temperature	71								
State Average Precipitation	1.14								

Source:
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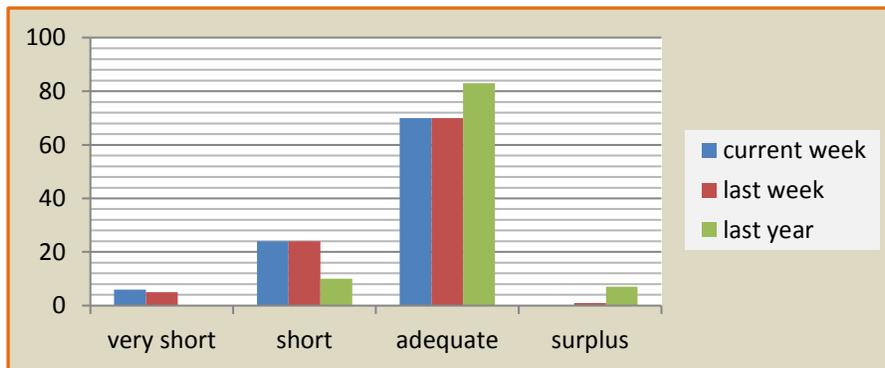
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.9. Weather conditions were cooler from a cold front at the beginning of the week, but warmed up near the end. Farming activities this week included making hay, harvesting apples and peaches.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/01/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	6	24	70	-
Subsoil	6	28	66	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/01/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 09/01/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	-	50	41	9
Corn	-	5	28	58	9
Hay	2	5	30	60	3
Soybeans	-	2	10	74	14
Pasture	3	8	32	53	4
Cattle & Calves	-	2	18	72	8
Sheep & Lambs	-	2	12	82	4

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 09/01/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	39	28	35	25
Peaches harvested	83	78	86	85
Corn silking	85	72	86	92
Corn dough	58	47	56	72
Corn dented	31	19	22	34
Hay second cut	66	57	71	72
Soybeans blooming	93	88	82	87
Soybeans settings pods	57	46	38	67

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending September 1, 2019

The week began with temperatures well below normal, and although temperatures reached and even exceeded normal near the end of the week, nearly all sites reported below average temperatures for the week. The only exceptions were Elkins (+2) and Clarksburg (+1). For the first half of the week temperatures were much below average as a strong cold front exited the area. High temperatures were only in the upper 70s and low 80s, while low temperatures dropped into the 50s for nearly all stations. A few stations dropped into the 40s. Warmer temperatures crept back in by the end of the week. West Virginia, for the most part, remained fairly dry for the week. Precipitation was recorded early in the week as the cold front passed over, and later in the week associated with an unstable atmosphere. For the remainder of the week, very little precipitation was recorded. Four stations met or exceeded precipitation for the week, while six did not. Overall, the Northern extreme and areas of the coal fields received the most rain. As a summer dry spell continues, a few counties in Central and Southern West Virginia are continuing to report D0 (abnormally dry) conditions.

Temperatures: Martinsburg and Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 91 degrees. White Sulphur Springs had the lowest recorded temperature of 46 degrees. The state average temperature was 69 degrees.

Precipitation: Huntington and Morgantown had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.90 inches. Bluefield had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.09 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.67 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 09/01/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	83	57	69	-1	1.28	0.84	18.44	26.35	19.70
PARKERSBURG	86	55	71	-1	0.76	0.78	21.51	20.00	19.52
CRESTON	85	50	69		0.39		25.36	24.99	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	85	55	71	0	1.90	0.76	22.51	22.18	20.52
CLARKSBURG	86	53	71	1	0.76	0.71	21.54	22.50	21.79
BELINGTON	90	49	70		0.63		18.55	30.21	
WESTON	86	51	70		0.81		23.26	33.18	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	89	57	73		1.34		22.10	17.92	
HUNTINGTON	86	55	72	-1	1.90	0.76	23.23	23.72	20.41
CHARLESTON	90	53	73	0	0.19	0.77	23.03	25.38	21.12
RIPLEY	85	50	69		0.39		22.99	26.00	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	81	49	64		0.63		28.78	32.24	
ELKINS	86	50	70	2	0.60	0.79	26.79	31.46	22.64
MARLINTON	86	47	66		0.71		22.65	26.28	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	85	47	65	-4	0.42	0.62	20.95	20.22	20.62
PINEVILLE	90	54	72		0.30		18.53	19.58	
BLUEFIELD	89	48	67	-4	0.09	0.67	17.23	19.99	19.32
WHITE SUL SP	87	46	66		0.19		19.02	24.37	
BLUESTONE DAM	87	51	68		0.24		18.34	20.58	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	91	53	70	-1	0.41	0.69	19.10	34.07	18.05
KEYSER	91	52	70		0.39		20.87	29.22	
MOOREFIELD	85	53	69		0.38		24.06	22.49	
State Average Temperature	69								
State Average Precipitation	0.67								

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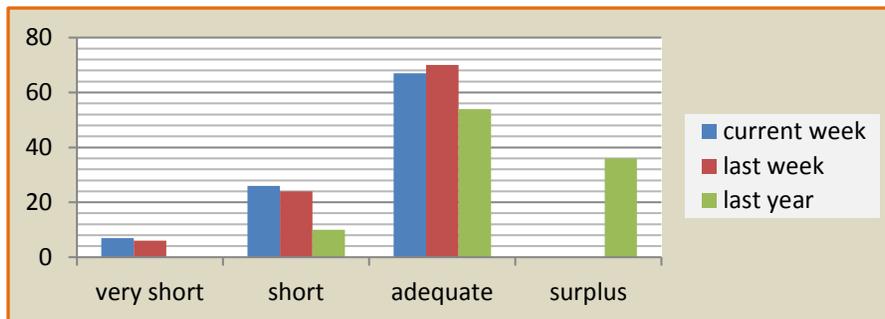
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 6.1. Weather conditions were drier; precipitation amounts were down from the previous week. Farming activities this week included making hay, harvesting apples and peaches.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/08/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	7	26	67	-
Subsoil	7	33	60	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/08/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 09/08/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Apples	-	-	43	48	9
Corn	1	3	36	49	11
Hay	3	7	36	52	2
Soybeans	-	2	10	73	15
Pasture	1	10	38	44	7
Cattle & Calves	1	3	23	67	6
Sheep & Lambs	1	2	19	74	4

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 09/08/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	48	39	42	32
Peaches harvested	92	83	91	92
Corn silking	91	85	91	96
Corn dough	67	58	67	79
Corn dented	35	31	32	47
Corn mature	2	-	2	8
Hay second cut	74	66	78	78
Hay third cut	2	-	4	4
Soybeans blooming	96	93	87	92
Soybeans settings pods	65	57	50	73

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending September 8, 2019

Temperatures last week were very close to average and stable as much of the State was under the influence of high pressure the majority of the week. Nearly all high temperatures for the week were in the 80s, with just a few stations reaching or exceeding 90 degrees. The low temperatures mostly dropped into the 50s during the week, with a few colder spots dropping into the 40s. Overall, all stations were within three degrees of average with most of the temperatures reporting just above normal. This was another dry week for the State as West Virginia remained under high pressure for the majority of the week. Any showers and thunderstorms that formed were generally weak, unorganized, and brief due to a lack of moisture in the atmosphere. No stations met or exceeded normal precipitation amounts for the week, and the majority of sites received zero precipitation for the week. Several counties in Central and Southern West Virginia continue to report D0 (abnormally dry) conditions.

Temperatures: Martinsburg and Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 93 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 47 degrees. The state average temperature was 70 degrees.

Precipitation: Creston had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.12 of an inch. Several stations had zero recorded precipitation. The state average precipitation was 0.03 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 09/08/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	82	52	66	-2	0.00	0.61	18.44	33.33	20.31
PARKERSBURG	88	53	69	-1	0.00	0.74	21.51	24.61	20.26
CRESTON	89	51	68		0.12		25.48	28.51	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	86	54	68	-1	0.04	0.74	22.55	26.61	21.26
CLARKSBURG	87	55	70	2	0.00	0.82	21.54	26.81	22.61
BELINGTON	87	56	70		0.00		18.55	33.41	
WESTON	88	58	71		0.09		23.35	36.92	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	92	59	73		0.00		22.10	19.68	
HUNTINGTON	89	56	72	0	0.00	0.71	23.23	29.00	21.12
CHARLESTON	90	55	72	1	0.00	0.78	23.03	27.73	21.90
RIPLEY	89	51	68		0.11		23.10	29.52	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	80	47	64		0.08		28.86	36.86	
ELKINS	86	53	69	3	0.00	0.86	26.79	35.11	23.50
MARLINTON	87	53	68		0.01		22.66	28.43	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	86	49	68	1	0.00	0.69	20.95	23.08	21.31
PINEVILLE	89	56	73		0.00		18.53	20.73	
BLUEFIELD	89	52	70	1	0.00	0.68	17.23	21.50	20.00
WHITE SUL SP	88	50	69		0.02		19.04	27.70	
BLUESTONE DAM	87	56	71		0.05		18.39	21.88	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	93	50	72	3	0.10	0.80	19.20	38.17	18.85
KEYSER	93	52	72		0.03		20.90	35.46	
MOOREFIELD	89	50	71		0.00		24.06	25.69	
State Average Temperature	70								
State Average Precipitation	0.03								

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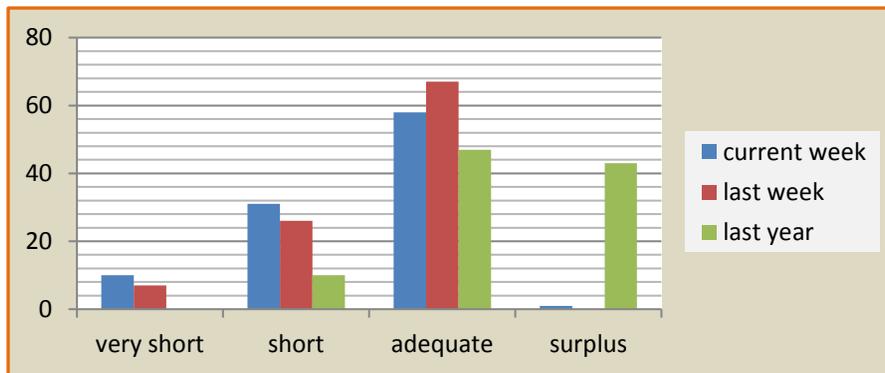
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 6.7. Weather conditions continue to get drier; pastures and hay fields are brown and wilted. Farming activities this week included selling feeder calves, making hay, and harvesting apples.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/01/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	10	31	58	1
Subsoil	17	38	44	1

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/15/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 09/15/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Corn	2	12	30	45	11
Hay	3	16	28	44	9
Soybeans	1	3	10	69	17
Pasture	8	24	28	32	8
Cattle & Calves	1	6	20	59	14
Sheep & Lambs	-	4	22	66	8

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 09/15/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	59	48	49	39
Peaches harvested	98	92	94	96
Corn silking	96	91	97	98
Corn dough	74	67	77	86
Corn dented	44	35	43	61
Corn mature	15	2	5	18
Hay second cut	82	74	85	86
Hay third cut	15	2	11	17
Soybeans settings pods	78	65	61	79
Soybeans dropping leaves	5	-	3	14

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending September 15, 2019

Temperatures have been far above normal for this time of year. This week, high pressure dominated the area with mainly sunny skies and dry weather allowing temperatures to substantially increase during daytime heating. Most areas had unusually high maximum temperatures across the board; most stations reached around 90 degrees plus for the week. The Southwestern area was consistently the warmest area reaching mid to upper 90's for most of the week. Precipitation was almost non-existent throughout the State. A few areas had a shower or two which registered at a few stations. The greatest rainfall amounts, which were confined along the Eastern mountains, came on Saturday while a cold front traversed through the area. Overall, only 8 stations received any kind of rainfall and the amounts were very minimal except for one or two outliers. This relatively dry week lowered the seasonal differences even further from last week. Several counties in Central and Southern West Virginia continue to report D0 (abnormally dry) conditions. Some are now reporting D1 (moderate drought) conditions.

Temperatures: Charleston and Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 98 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 44 degrees. The state average temperature was 74 degrees.

Precipitation: Marlinton had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.47 of an inch. Several stations had zero recorded precipitation. The state average precipitation was 0.07 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 09/15/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	90	55	73	7	0.00	0.58	18.44	33.49	20.89
PARKERSBURG	95	50	75	7	0.00	0.74	21.51	25.46	21.00
CRESTON	93	49	73		0.08		25.56	31.04	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	91	53	73	6	0.07	0.73	22.62	27.71	21.99
CLARKSBURG	94	53	75	9	0.00	0.87	21.54	27.59	23.48
BELINGTON	93	52	74		0.00		18.55	35.01	
WESTON	93	55	75		0.00		23.35	38.25	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	97	52	78		0.00		22.10	20.55	
HUNTINGTON	95	55	77	8	0.00	0.67	23.23	30.22	21.79
CHARLESTON	98	51	76	7	0.00	0.78	23.03	29.53	22.68
RIPLEY	93	49	73		0.00		23.10	31.19	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	85	44	67		0.40		29.26	37.44	
ELKINS	91	54	73	9	0.00	0.85	26.79	37.29	24.35
MARLINTON	89	52	71		0.47		23.13	29.11	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	92	49	71	6	0.00	0.73	20.95	25.75	22.04
PINEVILLE	95	54	77		0.00		18.53	21.49	
BLUEFIELD	94	51	74	7	0.17	0.75	17.40	24.89	20.75
WHITE SUL SP	92	52	73		0.03		19.07	29.45	
BLUESTONE DAM	92	57	75		0.00		18.39	23.83	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	94	58	73	6	0.13	0.84	19.33	39.25	19.69
KEYSER	98	53	74		0.18		21.08	36.04	
MOOREFIELD	95	55	74		0.00		24.06	26.18	
State Average Temperature	74								
State Average Precipitation	0.07								

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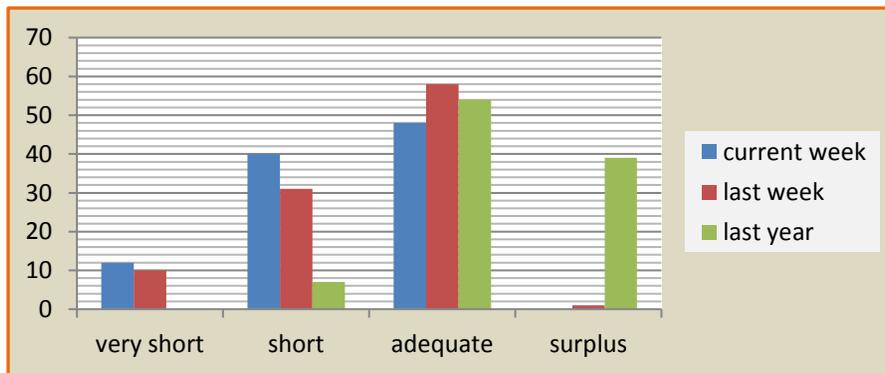
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 6.8. Weather conditions continue to get drier; moderate drought conditions are being reported. Farming activities this week included repairing fences, hauling water, making hay, and harvesting apples.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/22/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	12	40	48	-
Subsoil	15	48	37	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/22/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 09/22/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Corn	-	9	32	51	8
Hay	1	26	33	34	6
Soybeans	-	1	9	74	16
Pasture	2	36	22	37	3
Cattle & Calves	1	3	19	68	9
Sheep & Lambs	-	2	17	75	6

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 09/22/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	69	59	55	46
Corn dough	83	74	84	91
Corn dented	56	44	58	72
Corn mature	27	15	16	31
Hay second cut	88	82	88	91
Hay third cut	25	15	15	36
Soybeans settings pods	84	78	78	87
Soybeans dropping leaves	14	5	13	23

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending September 22, 2019

Strong high pressure with mostly sunny skies dominated the weather for West Virginia. With these conditions, all stations reported above average temperatures for the week. All stations averaged from +2 (Bluefield) to +9 (Huntington) degrees. Although all stations were warm, there were no extreme temperatures. Most high temperatures were in the 80s to low 90s, with the lows dropping into the 40s and 50s. Dry weather continues. With high pressure dominating the majority of the week, nearly all stations received zero precipitation. The only precipitation amounts reported were light showers around Charleston, and a pop up thunderstorm over Martinsburg. Several counties across West Virginia continue to report D0 (abnormally dry) conditions. D1 (moderate drought) conditions are being reported in the extreme South of the State.

Temperatures: Keyser had the highest recorded temperature of 96 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 39 degrees. The state average temperature was 70 degrees.

Precipitation: Martinsburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.58 of an inch. Several stations had zero recorded precipitation. The state average precipitation was 0.03 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 09/22/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	89	53	71	8	0.00	0.48	18.44	35.99	21.37
PARKERSBURG	91	54	72	7	0.00	0.70	21.51	27.04	21.70
CRESTON	90	50	70		0.00		25.56	32.54	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	89	53	71	7	0.00	0.77	22.62	29.86	22.76
CLARKSBURG	92	51	71	8	0.00	0.81	21.54	29.29	24.29
BELINGTON	89	48	70		0.00		18.55	36.62	
WESTON	91	50	71		0.00		23.35	40.35	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	90	60	76		0.00		22.10	22.38	
HUNTINGTON	90	59	75	9	0.00	0.61	23.23	32.17	22.40
CHARLESTON	93	55	74	8	0.02	0.76	23.05	31.49	23.44
RIPLEY	90	50	70		0.00		23.10	32.20	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	82	39	62		0.00		29.26	39.50	
ELKINS	88	44	68	7	0.00	0.88	26.79	39.16	25.23
MARLINTON	85	44	65		0.00		23.13	30.49	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	86	47	67	5	0.00	0.73	20.95	27.19	22.77
PINEVILLE	91	51	72		0.00		18.53	24.33	
BLUEFIELD	88	50	67	2	0.00	0.76	17.40	26.75	21.51
WHITE SUL SP	89	42	66		0.00		19.07	31.42	
BLUESTONE DAM	89	51	69		0.00		18.39	25.10	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	90	43	68	4	0.58	0.88	19.91	40.62	20.57
KEYSER	96	42	69		0.00		21.08	37.85	
MOOREFIELD	92	41	68		0.00		24.06	27.75	
State Average Temperature	70								
State Average Precipitation	0.03								

Source:
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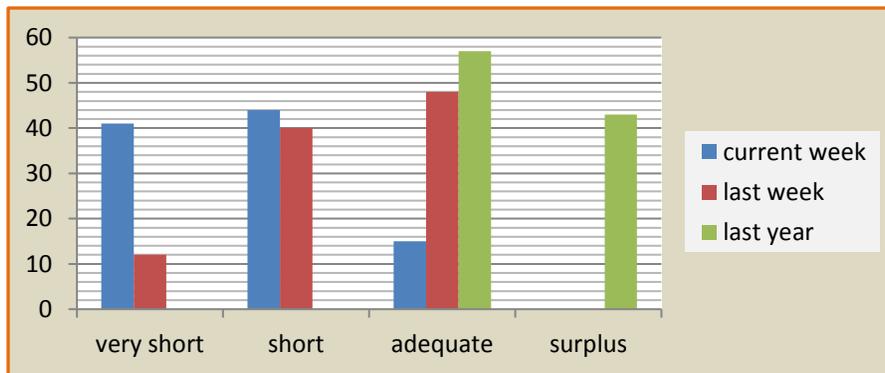
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 6.7. Moderate drought conditions are now being reported in the Southern third of the State; soils are cracked and springs are dry, there will be major hay shortages. Farming activities this week included hauling water and harvesting corn.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/29/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	41	44	15	-
Subsoil	37	32	31	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 09/29/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 09/29/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Corn	-	11	29	53	7
Hay	16	21	28	33	2
Soybeans	-	5	12	71	12
Pasture	28	35	27	9	1
Cattle & Calves	1	4	26	65	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	2	26	68	4

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 09/29/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	80	69	63	52
Corn dough	95	83	94	97
Corn dented	70	56	69	81
Corn mature	39	27	23	43
Corn harvested for grain	8	-	-	10
Hay second cut	92	88	90	94
Hay third cut	45	25	18	51
Soybeans settings pods	93	84	83	91
Soybeans dropping leaves	24	14	32	42
Winter Wheat planted	6	-	-	2

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending September 29, 2019

More dry and hot conditions continue for the State. High pressure dominated the entire week, with the exception of a weak cold front early in the week and a warm front near the end. All stations exceeded average weekly temperatures by six to nine degrees. Only one station (Wheeling) met or exceeded precipitation averages for the week. All other stations continued the dry spell, with several stations not receiving a tenth of an inch. The only precipitation received was scattered showers and thunderstorms associated with a weak frontal passage early and late in the week. Nearly the entire State is now under D0 (abnormally dry) conditions. D1 (moderate drought) conditions are now being reported in the Southern third of the State.

Temperatures: Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 94 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 39 degrees. The state average temperature was 68 degrees.

Precipitation: Terra Alta had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.05 inches. Beckley and Huntington had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.01 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.25 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 09/29/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	85	50	67	6	0.93	0.44	19.37	37.41	21.81
PARKERSBURG	89	47	68	6	0.23	0.69	21.74	29.06	22.39
CRESTON	89	44	66		0.24		25.80	35.63	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	86	49	68	7	0.54	0.75	23.16	31.53	23.51
CLARKSBURG	90	48	69	9	0.29	0.75	21.83	32.21	25.04
BELINGTON	89	45	66		0.31		18.86	40.18	
WESTON	90	48	68		0.23		23.58	45.20	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	94	50	71		0.07		22.17	25.22	
HUNTINGTON	93	50	71	7	0.01	0.60	23.24	33.76	23.00
CHARLESTON	93	45	69	6	0.22	0.72	23.27	34.68	24.16
RIPLEY	89	44	66		0.24		23.34	33.74	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	82	39	60		1.05		30.31	42.99	
ELKINS	89	44	66	8	0.18	0.81	26.97	41.72	26.04
MARLINTON	87	43	65		0.04		23.17	33.03	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	86	41	65	6	0.01	0.66	20.96	29.60	23.43
PINEVILLE	92	43	70		0.13		18.66	26.27	
BLUEFIELD	87	46	69	7	0.09	0.74	17.49	28.79	22.25
WHITE SUL SP	90	42	68		0.03		19.10	33.52	
BLUESTONE DAM	89	51	71		0.50		18.89	27.89	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	91	47	68	7	0.05	0.81	19.96	43.07	21.38
KEYSER	93	44	69		0.05		21.13	40.70	
MOOREFIELD	90	43	68		0.13		24.19	29.65	
State Average Temperature	68								
State Average Precipitation	0.25								

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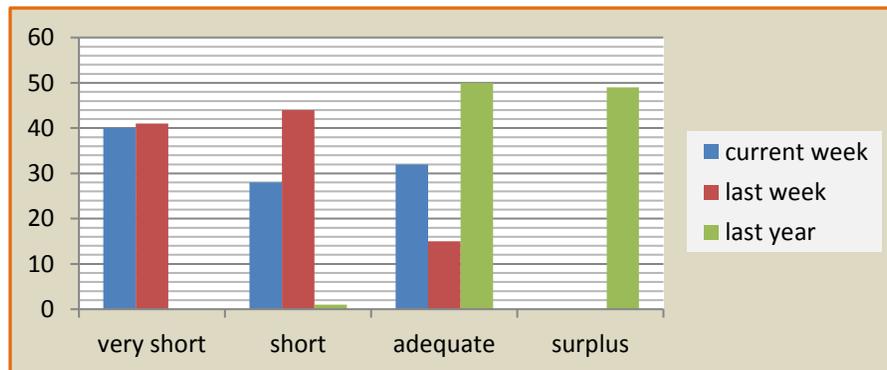
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 6.1. Drought conditions continue with scattered rain; severe drought conditions are being reported. Farming activities this week included harvesting apples and selling calves. A statewide burning ban has been in effect since late September. On October 3rd, the Governor declared a State of Emergency for all 55 counties due to drought conditions.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 10/06/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	40	28	32	-
Subsoil	36	28	36	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 10/06/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 10/06/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Corn	-	8	27	58	7
Hay	13	15	30	41	1
Soybeans	-	5	13	71	11
Pasture	32	27	24	16	1
Cattle & Calves	-	1	32	63	4
Sheep & Lambs	-	-	35	64	1

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 10/06/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	86	80	79	62
Corn dented	79	70	81	88
Corn mature	46	39	38	54
Corn harvested for grain	22	8	9	19
Hay second cut	96	92	92	96
Hay third cut	66	45	41	64
Soybeans settings pods	97	93	85	93
Soybeans dropping leaves	50	24	48	57
Winter Wheat planted	21	6	4	11

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending October 6, 2019

More dry and hot conditions continued for the State with a strong ridge of high pressure continuing to dominate the Eastern half of the U.S. for the first part of the week. A cold front with light rain showers approached the area late Sunday, October 6th, and continued to affect the area into October 7th, 2019. This brought much needed precipitation to the area. All stations exceeded average temperatures by 9 to 14 degrees during the week. Conditions were closer to seasonal averages towards the end of the week as clouds and precipitation increased in association with the approaching front. Although precipitation amounts were well above average of weekly normal precipitation, the abnormally dry conditions prevail, as little to no precipitation has been received at several locations in the weeks prior. Nearly the entire State is now under D0 (abnormally dry) conditions. D1 (moderate drought) conditions are now being reported in the Southern half of the State, with D2 (severe drought) conditions being reported across the Southern 1/3 of the State.

Temperatures: Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 97 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 39 degrees. The state average temperature was 69 degrees.

Precipitation: Huntington had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.32 inches. White Sulphur Springs had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.02 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.97 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 10/06/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	90	43	68	10	2.04	0.58	21.41	38.88	22.39
PARKERSBURG	94	47	71	11	2.02	0.63	23.76	29.87	23.02
CRESTON	94	43	70		2.08		27.88	36.09	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	90	47	69	11	0.88	0.68	24.04	31.93	24.19
CLARKSBURG	94	48	72	14	0.67	0.78	22.50	32.84	25.82
BELINGTON	92	46	70		1.70		20.56	40.90	
WESTON	96	46	72		1.02		24.60	45.82	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	97	48	73		0.60		22.77	26.16	
HUNTINGTON	95	50	73	12	2.32	0.61	25.56	34.48	23.61
CHARLESTON	95	47	73	12	1.30	0.62	24.57	35.51	24.78
RIPLEY	94	43	70		2.08		25.42	34.20	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	84	39	63		1.23		31.54	43.87	
ELKINS	90	41	69	13	1.00	0.66	27.97	42.87	26.70
MARLINTON	88	44	65		0.30		23.47	33.22	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	89	45	67	10	0.03	0.58	20.99	29.71	24.01
PINEVILLE	95	45	70		0.03		18.69	26.58	
BLUEFIELD	90	52	69	9	0.08	0.62	17.57	28.79	22.87
WHITE SUL SP	90	51	68		0.02		19.12	33.55	
BLUESTONE DAM	90	52	71		0.08		18.97	27.91	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	92	41	67	9	0.54	0.72	20.50	43.14	22.10
KEYSER	96	45	68		0.85		21.98	40.88	
MOOREFIELD	93	47	71		0.52		24.71	29.89	
State Average Temperature	69								
State Average Precipitation	0.97								

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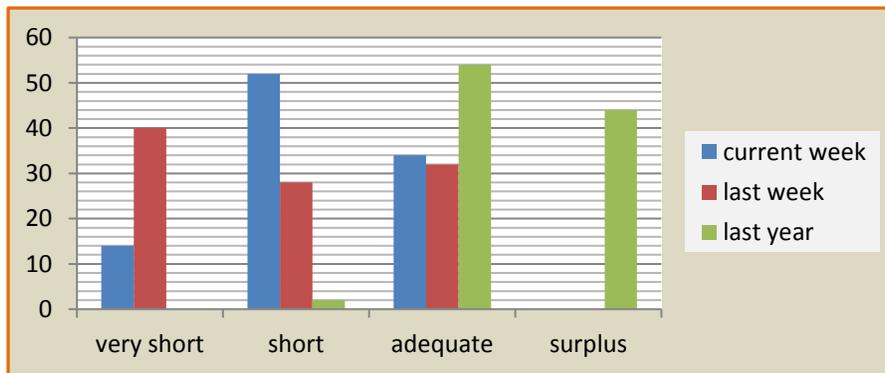
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.7. Drought conditions continue with scattered rain. Farming activities this week included harvesting corn and planting wheat. On October 9th, Governor Justice issued a proclamation lifting the ban on all outdoor burning in West Virginia due to the recent rainfall.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 10/13/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	14	52	34	-
Subsoil	36	36	28	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 10/13/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 10/13/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Corn	-	9	31	52	8
Soybeans	-	5	12	71	12
Pasture	17	42	28	11	2
Cattle & Calves	-	3	37	54	6
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	41	56	2

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 10/13/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	90	86	85	72
Corn dented	90	79	86	93
Corn mature	60	46	59	65
Corn harvested for grain	42	22	17	28
Hay third cut	74	66	54	74
Soybeans dropping leaves	62	50	54	65
Soybeans harvested	8	-	7	14
Winter Wheat planted	33	21	9	22
Winter Wheat emerged	5	-	-	4

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending October 13, 2019

After a strong cold front early in the week, high pressure dominated the State for the remainder of the week. With that cold front, temperatures were much cooler and closer to normal than the weeks previous. Most high temperatures reached the 70s and low 80s through the week, and below freezing temperatures were felt at several locations through the State. The cold front brought some precipitation. The majority of precipitation fell early in the week as the strong cold front passed over the State. In just a 24 hour period, several locations received over one inch of rain. West Virginia received almost zero precipitation the rest of the week. Overall, half the stations reported above average precipitation with the Eastern half of the State generally receiving more rain than the Western half. Nearly the entire State is under D0 (abnormally dry) conditions. D1 (moderate drought) conditions are being reported in the Southern half of the State, with D2 (severe drought) conditions being reported in the Southern coal fields.

Temperatures: Charleston, Pineville, and Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 82 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 30 degrees. The state average temperature was 57 degrees.

Precipitation: Marlinton had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.58 inches. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.34 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.88 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 10/13/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	76	35	55	0	0.34	0.58	21.75	39.12	22.97
PARKERSBURG	80	33	56	-1	0.38	0.66	24.14	30.71	23.68
CRESTON	80	31	56		0.55		28.43	37.32	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	77	37	58	2	0.49	0.64	24.53	32.75	24.83
CLARKSBURG	81	33	59	4	0.38	0.67	22.88	33.73	26.49
BELINGTON	81	31	57		0.64		21.20	43.08	
WESTON	80	38	59		0.62		25.22	47.58	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	82	38	60		1.11		23.88	28.73	
HUNTINGTON	81	34	58	-1	0.46	0.62	26.02	35.12	24.23
CHARLESTON	82	33	58	0	1.22	0.59	25.79	36.90	25.37
RIPLEY	80	33	57		0.55		25.97	35.15	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	72	30	53		0.62		32.16	46.08	
ELKINS	76	33	56	3	1.27	0.66	29.24	45.02	27.36
MARLINTON	73	33	56		1.58		25.05	35.28	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	75	32	56	1	1.17	0.58	22.16	31.88	24.59
PINEVILLE	82	34	62		1.40		20.09	29.47	
BLUEFIELD	77	35	59	1	0.74	0.58	18.31	30.69	23.45
WHITE SUL SP	76	35	57		1.40		20.52	35.90	
BLUESTONE DAM	76	40	58		1.54		20.51	31.07	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	73	36	57	1	0.95	0.73	21.45	44.13	22.83
KEYSER	75	31	55		0.81		22.79	42.56	
MOOREFIELD	75	32	55		1.07		25.78	30.44	
State Average Temperature	57								
State Average Precipitation	0.88								

Source: Weather comments and data - Dept. of Commerce, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration National Weather Service, Charleston, WV.

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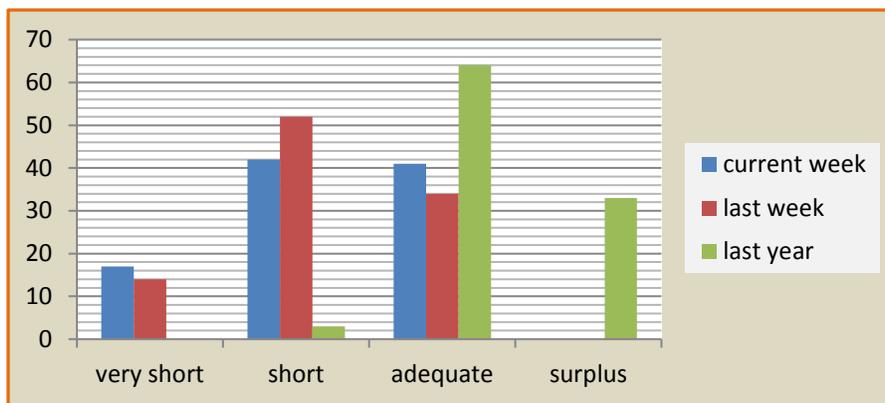
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.9. Drought conditions continue with scattered rain from two weather events during the week. Farming activities this week included selling feeder calves and repairing fences.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 10/20/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	17	42	41	-
Subsoil	12	44	44	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 10/20/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 10/20/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Corn	1	13	35	43	8
Soybeans	-	6	12	70	12
Pasture	15	33	31	20	1
Cattle & Calves	-	3	38	54	5
Sheep & Lambs	-	2	36	59	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 10/20/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Apples harvested	96	90	89	83
Corn dented	96	90	90	96
Corn mature	70	60	73	78
Corn harvested for grain	45	42	25	40
Hay third cut	80	74	62	82
Soybeans dropping leaves	78	62	66	75
Soybeans harvested	17	8	10	25
Winter Wheat planted	47	33	20	34
Winter Wheat emerged	20	5	3	13

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending October 20, 2019

Fall weather finally arrived in the Mountain State. All stations reported below normal temperatures for the week. The temperature changes were due to a strong cold front crossing over the State and bringing in arctic air mid-week. With the exception of some rain showers associated with a tropical system at the end of the week, the rest was fairly quiet under high pressure. Nearly all high temperatures this week were in the 70s, with low temperatures dropping into the mid-30s to upper 20s; frost occurred through most of the State. Precipitation was up. The strong cold front brought widespread showers, and later in the week, the tropical system that moved just South of the State brought showers and thunderstorms. The stations that received the most precipitation were generally in the Southern half of the State, or the mountains. Nearly the entire State is under D0 (abnormally dry) conditions, with D1 (moderate drought) and some areas of D2 (severe drought) still present. Precipitation last week helped alleviate some drought conditions.

Temperatures: Charleston and Pineville had the highest recorded temperature of 79 degrees. Keyser, Marlinton and Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 27 degrees. The state average temperature was 51 degrees.

Precipitation: Bluefield had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.66 inches. Huntington had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.59 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.26 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 10/20/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	69	35	51	-2	0.73	0.59	22.48	39.44	23.56
PARKERSBURG	74	35	53	-3	0.74	0.62	24.88	31.25	24.30
CRESTON	75	33	51		1.30		29.73	38.11	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	73	33	52	-2	0.68	0.58	25.21	33.37	25.41
CLARKSBURG	76	33	53	-1	0.77	0.67	23.65	34.47	27.16
BELINGTON	76	31	51		0.90		22.10	44.16	
WESTON	76	32	52		1.12		26.34	48.67	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	77	36	54		1.47		25.35	29.04	
HUNTINGTON	76	35	53	-3	0.59	0.61	26.61	35.58	24.84
CHARLESTON	79	32	52	-4	1.15	0.55	26.94	37.36	25.92
RIPLEY	75	31	51		1.26		27.23	35.94	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	70	27	45		1.02		33.18	47.21	
ELKINS	76	31	50	-1	1.05	0.59	30.29	46.04	27.95
MARLINTON	68	27	47		1.29		26.34	35.73	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	72	30	47	-6	2.28	0.55	24.44	32.34	25.14
PINEVILLE	79	34	52		2.07		22.16	30.04	
BLUEFIELD	72	31	48	-8	2.66	0.53	20.97	31.38	23.98
WHITE SUL SP	73	31	49		2.65		23.17	36.32	
BLUESTONE DAM	73	36	50		1.59		22.10	31.51	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	75	31	51	-2	0.90	0.66	22.35	44.23	23.49
KEYSER	73	27	49		0.66		23.45	42.92	
MOOREFIELD	74	29	51		0.77		26.55	30.60	
State Average Temperature	51								
State Average Precipitation	1.26								

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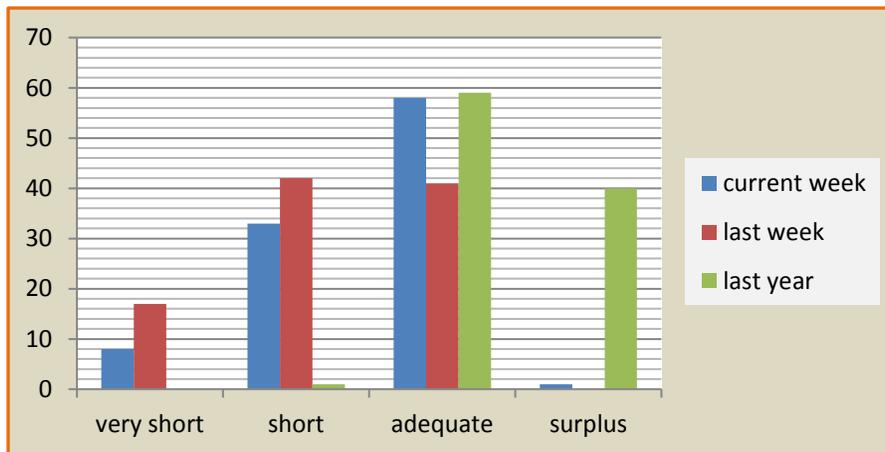
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.3. Drought conditions continue in parts of the State, but rain has improved moisture levels. Farming activities this week included hauling hay, planting wheat and harvesting soybeans.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 10/27/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	8	33	58	1
Subsoil	7	40	53	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 10/27/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 10/27/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Corn	1	11	33	48	7
Soybeans	-	5	13	70	12
Pasture	9	24	37	28	2
Cattle & Calves	-	4	31	60	5
Sheep & Lambs	-	2	33	62	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 10/27/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn mature	77	70	85	89
Corn harvested for grain	51	45	34	51
Hay third cut	88	80	67	87
Soybeans dropping leaves	87	78	71	83
Soybeans harvested	26	17	14	37
Winter Wheat planted	61	47	33	47
Winter Wheat emerged	33	20	13	23

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending October 27, 2019

Although cooler temperatures were recorded across the State this week, most locations were still reporting above average temperatures. The only exceptions are Beckley and Bluefield, which recorded just below normal temperatures for the week. Clarksburg and Elkins ended the week farthest from average, coming in at +6 and +5 degrees. The majority of stations only reached highs in the 70s, while most low temperatures dropped into the 20s and 30s. Precipitation continued to help with moisture levels. Early in the week, a strong cold front produced statewide precipitation. Later in the week, following a short period of high pressure, a moisture laden warm front, immediately followed by another cold front, produced more rain statewide. All stations reported above average rainfall for the week, helping with the dry conditions across the region. Nearly all stations reached the one inch precipitation mark. The Southern third of the State and some spotty locations farther North remain in D0 (abnormally dry) conditions. D1 (moderate drought) conditions persist in the coal fields.

Temperatures: Clarksburg had the highest recorded temperature of 83 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 28 degrees. The state average temperature was 54 degrees.

Precipitation: Keyser had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.84 inches. Clarksburg had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.86 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.23 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 10/27/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation					
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal	
--NORTHWEST										
WHEELING	75	42	54	3	1.39	0.57	23.87	40.42	24.13	
PARKERSBURG	77	36	54	1	1.14	0.65	26.02	32.64	24.95	
CRESTON	79	33	55		1.31		31.04	39.06		
--NORTHCENTRAL										
MORGANTOWN	76	38	54	2	0.93	0.61	26.14	34.54	26.02	
CLARKSBURG	83	36	57	6	0.86	0.74	24.51	35.40	27.90	
BELINGTON	80	33	54		1.03		23.13	45.08		
WESTON	79	34	55		0.93		27.27	49.45		
--SOUTHWEST										
WILLIAMSON	82	36	57		1.28		26.63	29.50		
HUNTINGTON	79	37	56	2	1.32	0.66	27.93	36.37	25.50	
CHARLESTON	82	34	56	2	1.37	0.62	28.31	37.84	26.54	
RIPLEY	78	32	55		1.18		28.41	36.89		
--CENTRAL										
TERRA ALTA	66	28	49		1.04		34.22	48.75		
ELKINS	76	29	54	5	1.13	0.66	31.42	47.24	28.61	
MARLINTON	76	30	52		1.47		27.81	36.33		
--SOUTHERN										
BECKLEY	70	29	50	-1	1.27	0.60	25.71	32.84	25.74	
PINEVILLE	78	31	56		1.34		23.50	30.67		
BLUEFIELD	69	30	52	-2	1.31	0.55	22.28	32.01	24.53	
WHITE SUL SP	67	30	51		1.32		24.49	36.80		
BLUESTONE DAM	70	38	54		1.16		23.26	32.17		
--NORTHEASTERN										
MARTINSBURG	76	34	55	4	1.20	0.68	23.55	45.21	24.17	
KEYSER	71	29	52		1.84		25.29	44.20		
MOOREFIELD	72	32	54		1.22		27.77	31.50		
State Average Temperature	54									
State Average Precipitation	1.23									

Source:
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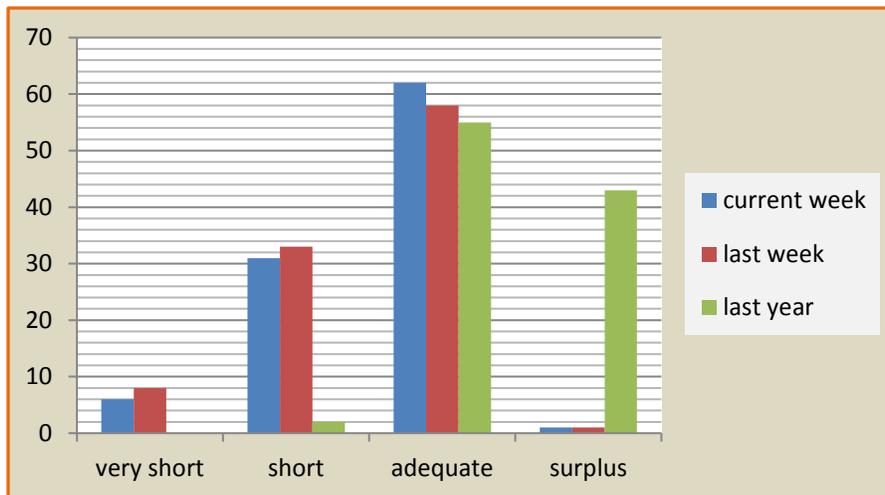
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.6. Drought conditions continue in parts of the State, but rain continues to improve moisture levels. Farming activities this week included selling livestock, trimming pastures and harvesting corn.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/03/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	6	31	62	1
Subsoil	5	34	60	1

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/03/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 11/03/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Soybeans	-	6	12	70	12
Cattle & Calves	-	2	37	56	5
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	36	61	2

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 11/03/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn mature	93	77	91	94
Corn harvested for grain	58	51	42	61
Hay third cut	92	88	76	92
Soybeans dropping leaves	90	87	80	88
Soybeans harvested	40	26	28	47
Winter Wheat planted	73	61	46	60
Winter Wheat emerged	46	33	26	36

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending November 3, 2019

West Virginia's temperatures were close to normal, with five stations reporting below normal temperatures, four stations that were warmer than usual, and one station that was spot on average. Although temperatures were close to average for the week, the State experienced much warmer than average conditions the first half of the week, and following a strong cold front, much cooler than normal temps at the end. Prior to the strong cold front temperatures were in the mid-70s during the day, and 40s at night. After the frontal passage, highs were in the 40s with lows in the 20s. Last week was the first state-wide freeze of the year. Overall, West Virginia reported above average precipitation totals for the week. The strong cold front that passed over the State near the middle of the week produced all of the precipitation. Although most days were dry, nearly every station met or exceeded precipitation normal for the week in just the one rain event. The only location that did not exceed average was Martinsburg. The Southern third of the State remains in D0 (abnormally dry) conditions as well as some spotty D0 farther North.

Temperatures: Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 79 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 20 degrees. The state average temperature was 49 degrees.

Precipitation: Wheeling had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.26 inches. Pineville had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.56 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.15 inches.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 11/03/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	70	28	48	0	2.26	0.62	26.13	41.06	24.75
PARKERSBURG	72	26	49	-2	1.79	0.74	27.81	33.07	25.69
CRESTON	72	24	47		1.60		32.64	39.44	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	76	28	51	1	1.08	0.71	27.22	35.45	26.73
CLARKSBURG	77	27	51	2	0.86	0.79	25.37	36.02	28.69
BELINGTON	78	26	48		0.76		23.89	45.94	
WESTON	76	28	50		1.02		28.29	50.15	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	79	29	52		0.74		27.37	29.73	
HUNTINGTON	74	26	49	-3	1.33	0.74	29.26	36.78	26.24
CHARLESTON	75	25	50	-3	0.84	0.75	29.15	38.27	27.29
RIPLEY	73	24	47		1.60		30.01	37.27	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	73	20	45		1.23		35.45	49.72	
ELKINS	77	25	50	3	0.88	0.73	32.30	48.00	29.34
MARLINTON	72	25	46		1.64		29.45	37.47	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	77	22	48	-1	1.09	0.66	26.80	33.78	26.40
PINEVILLE	78	25	51		0.56		24.06	31.35	
BLUEFIELD	73	24	48	-5	1.05	0.60	23.33	32.99	25.13
WHITE SUL SP	78	24	48		1.53		26.02	37.79	
BLUESTONE DAM	72	28	49		0.97		24.23	33.30	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	75	27	50	1	0.58	0.71	24.13	46.65	24.88
KEYSER	73	22	48		0.83		26.12	45.12	
MOOREFIELD	76	26	51		1.06		28.83	32.76	
State Average Temperature	49								
State Average Precipitation	1.15								

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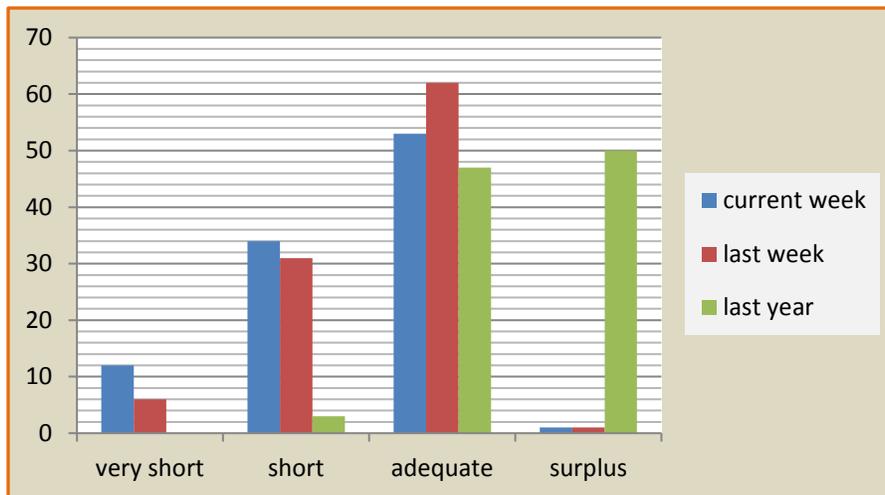
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.2. Drought conditions are mostly gone, and hard frosts have ended the growing season for many farmers. Farming activities this week included preparing for winter, harvesting soybeans and planting wheat.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/10/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	12	34	53	1
Subsoil	11	35	53	1

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/10/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 11/10/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Soybeans	-	6	12	70	12
Winter Wheat	-	7	48	40	5
Cattle & Calves	-	2	34	62	2
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	35	63	1

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 11/10/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn mature	95	93	95	98
Corn harvested for grain	65	58	50	70
Hay third cut	95	92	86	96
Soybeans dropping leaves	92	90	86	93
Soybeans harvested	48	40	35	57
Winter Wheat planted	80	73	53	71
Winter Wheat emerged	60	46	37	48

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending November 10, 2019

West Virginia's temperatures began trending colder than the past few weeks with a widespread change to the pattern across the Eastern two thirds of the country. High temperatures were mostly in the 60s, and lows were in the 10s to 20s. The State average temperature was down 9 degrees from the previous week, highlighted by a cold frontal passage mid-week. Overall, West Virginia reported near average precipitation totals for the week, but the rainfall amounts varied from zero to roughly three quarters of an inch of rain. The cold front passing mid-week provided the vast majority of this precipitation, and there were several locations that were slightly above the State average precipitation for the week. Sporadic D0 (abnormally dry) conditions remain in place, but are largely gone at this point.

Temperatures: Pineville had the highest recorded temperature of 66 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 11 degrees. The state average temperature was 40 degrees.

Precipitation: Parkersburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.76 of an inch. Keyser and Moorefield had the lowest with zero recorded precipitation. The state average precipitation was 0.38 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 11/10/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	57	23	39	-7	0.52	0.74	26.65	42.03	25.49
PARKERSBURG	61	21	39	-10	0.76	0.73	28.57	34.25	26.42
CRESTON	62	19	39		0.65		33.29	40.38	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	60	22	41	-7	0.64	0.77	27.86	36.36	27.50
CLARKSBURG	63	22	42	-5	0.52	0.93	25.89	37.06	29.62
BELINGTON	63	19	40		0.21		24.10	46.83	
WESTON	63	21	41		0.61		28.90	51.54	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	65	27	46		0.33		27.70	30.96	
HUNTINGTON	64	22	42	-8	0.39	0.75	29.65	38.20	26.99
CHARLESTON	65	20	41	-9	0.49	0.82	29.64	39.85	28.11
RIPLEY	62	19	39		0.65		30.66	38.21	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	56	11	35		0.63		36.08	51.21	
ELKINS	63	17	40	-5	0.41	0.75	32.71	49.25	30.09
MARLINTON	59	16	38		0.11		29.56	38.93	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	60	16	40	-7	0.32	0.67	27.12	35.23	27.07
PINEVILLE	66	19	43		0.29		24.35	33.47	
BLUEFIELD	60	22	40	-10	0.33	0.60	23.66	33.91	25.73
WHITE SUL SP	61	15	39		0.15		26.17	38.83	
BLUESTONE DAM	61	21	42		0.14		24.37	34.31	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	61	21	41	-6	0.15	0.69	24.28	47.80	25.57
KEYSER	63	15	41		0.00		26.12	46.59	
MOOREFIELD	63	17	42		0.00		28.83	33.78	
State Average Temperature	40								
State Average Precipitation	0.38								

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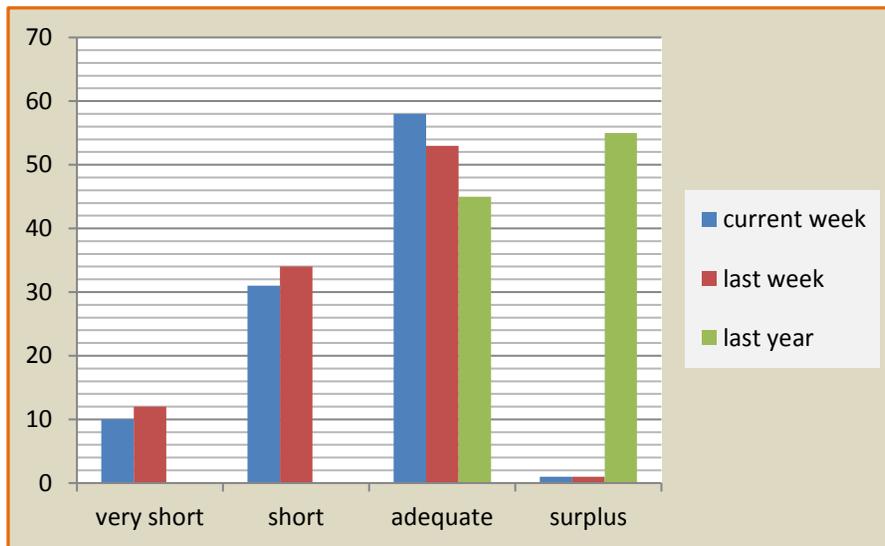
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.9. Weather conditions were cold with some snow. There are no longer any drought conditions in West Virginia. Farming activities this week included harvesting corn and soybeans.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/17/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	10	31	58	1
Subsoil	9	33	58	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/17/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 11/17/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Winter Wheat	-	8	56	32	4
Cattle & Calves	-	2	35	62	1
Sheep & Lambs	-	1	36	62	1

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 11/17/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn harvested for grain	75	65	60	77
Soybeans dropping leaves	96	92	92	97
Soybeans harvested	56	48	42	67
Winter Wheat planted	85	80	59	81
Winter Wheat emerged	71	60	43	61

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending November 17, 2019

A strong cold front at the beginning of the week brought winter like weather to West Virginia. Temperatures across the State were far below normal for the week, with most stations averaging 10 to 15 degrees below normal. The only near normal day of the week was Tuesday, before the cold front passed, with highs in the 60s and lows in the 20s and 30s. The post cold front temperatures only climbed into the 30s and 40s, and dropped into the teens and single digits. The only active weather for the week was very early on. The strong cold front brought extremely frigid weather down from Canada and across the Eastern US. Along with the cold, West Virginia received statewide snowfall averaging from one to two inches. The rest of the week remained mostly sunny and dry under high pressure. There are no longer any drought conditions in West Virginia.

Temperatures: Martinsburg and Moorefield had the highest recorded temperature of 69 degrees. Beckley, White Sulphur Springs and Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 7 degrees. The state average temperature was 33 degrees.

Precipitation: Charleston had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.40 of an inch. Moorefield had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.02 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.20 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 11/17/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation					
	High	Low	Weekly Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal	
--NORTHWEST										
WHEELING	63	13	33	-11	0.12	0.71	26.77	42.98	26.20	
PARKERSBURG	64	12	33	-13	0.26	0.78	28.83	35.53	27.20	
CRESTON	65	9	31		0.33		33.62	42.08		
--NORTHCENTRAL										
MORGANTOWN	64	13	35	-11	0.24	0.84	28.10	37.58	28.34	
CLARKSBURG	67	14	36	-9	0.17	0.88	26.06	38.38	30.50	
BELINGTON	66	12	33		0.24		24.34	48.18		
WESTON	66	12	33		0.25		29.15	53.79		
--SOUTHWEST										
WILLIAMSON	67	14	35		0.38		28.08	32.30		
HUNTINGTON	66	13	34	-14	0.33	0.81	29.98	39.67	27.80	
CHARLESTON	67	11	33	-15	0.40	0.90	30.04	41.69	29.01	
RIPLEY	65	9	31		0.33		30.99	39.91		
--CENTRAL										
TERRA ALTA	62	7	28		0.39		36.47	53.02		
ELKINS	68	11	33	-10	0.18	0.78	32.89	51.14	30.87	
MARLINTON	61	8	31		0.07		29.63	40.77		
--SOUTHERN										
BECKLEY	62	7	30	-15	0.12	0.67	27.24	36.67	27.74	
PINEVILLE	67	15	35		0.16		24.51	35.14		
BLUEFIELD	60	10	31	-17	0.22	0.60	23.88	35.56	26.33	
WHITE SUL SP	63	7	31		0.06		26.23	40.62		
BLUESTONE DAM	63	10	33		0.03		24.40	35.94		
--NORTHEASTERN										
MARTINSBURG	69	18	37	-9	0.05	0.71	24.33	49.98	26.28	
KEYSER	68	13	33		0.04		26.16	48.81		
MOOREFIELD	69	14	36		0.02		28.85	35.21		
State Average Temperature	33									
State Average Precipitation	0.20									

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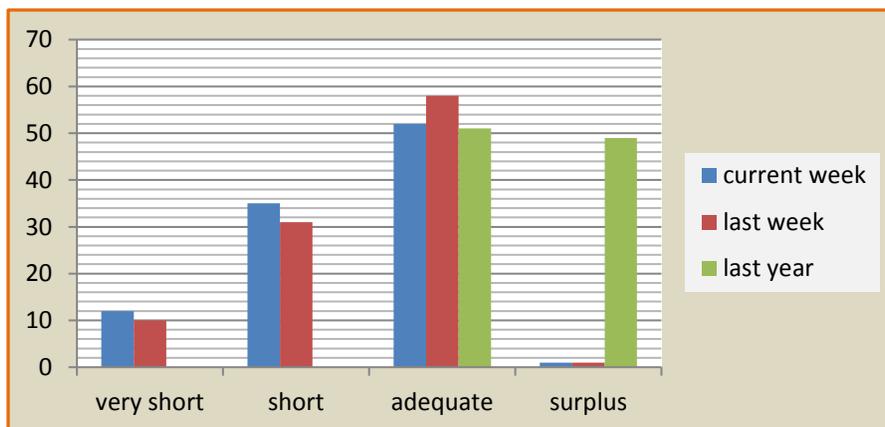
Agricultural News: This is the last weekly West Virginia Crop Weather Bulletin of the year. Monthly reports will be published during the winter months. We would like to thank the West Virginia University County Extension offices, USDA Farm Service Agency offices, and the National Weather Service for their valuable help in providing the information that makes this publication possible. Days suitable for fieldwork were 5.4. Farming activities this week included harvesting corn and soybeans.

SOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/24/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	12	35	52	1
Subsoil	9	42	49	-

-Represents zero.

TOPSOIL MOISTURE for week ending 11/24/19



CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 11/24/19

Crop/Livestock	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Winter Wheat	-	8	56	32	4
Cattle & Calves	-	3	31	61	5
Sheep & Lambs	-	2	35	60	3

- Represents zero.

CROP PROGRESS for week ending 11/24/19

Crop Stage	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5-Yr Avg
	%	%	%	%
Corn harvested for grain	85	75	68	84
Soybeans harvested	67	56	50	75
Winter Wheat planted	91	85	66	88
Winter Wheat emerged	78	71	49	69

- Represents data not available.

Weather Summary- For the week ending November 24, 2019

Temperatures in West Virginia were around normal at the beginning of the week, and fell below normal as a cold front passed through near the end of the workweek. Overall, temperatures statewide were just below normal. Fairly dry conditions under high pressure dominated the beginning and end of the week. The system midweek brought the majority of the precipitation for the entire week. Amounts ranged from one inch in a few locations to 0.15 of an inch around Keyser. Overall, about half the State was above average and the other half was below average.

Temperatures: Pineville had the highest recorded temperature of 64 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 21 degrees. The state average temperature was 39 degrees.

Precipitation: Charleston had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.15 inches. Keyser had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.15 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.65 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 11/24/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	54	26	39	-2	0.69	0.77	27.46	43.46	26.97
PARKERSBURG	58	28	40	-3	0.70	0.83	29.53	36.44	28.03
CRESTON	57	25	39		0.88		34.50	42.84	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	58	26	40	-3	0.74	0.82	28.84	38.11	29.16
CLARKSBURG	60	25	40	-2	0.67	0.88	26.73	38.85	31.38
BELINGTON	60	25	39		0.72		25.06	49.16	
WESTON	59	28	40		1.05		30.20	54.47	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	60	31	44		1.04		29.12	32.85	
HUNTINGTON	58	30	43	-2	0.96	0.83	30.94	40.32	28.63
CHARLESTON	59	29	42	-3	1.15	0.90	31.19	42.41	29.91
RIPLEY	57	25	39		0.88		31.87	40.67	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	53	21	35		0.54		37.01	53.82	
ELKINS	56	23	38	-3	0.63	0.80	33.52	51.81	31.67
MARLINTON	52	24	36		0.37		30.00	41.64	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	58	27	39	-3	0.38	0.71	27.62	37.54	28.45
PINEVILLE	64	29	43		0.55		25.06	36.04	
BLUEFIELD	59	26	39	-6	0.71	0.65	24.59	36.53	26.98
WHITE SUL SP	53	23	37		0.42		26.65	41.09	
BLUESTONE DAM	55	30	40		0.24		24.64	36.66	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	60	25	40	-2	0.55	0.75	24.88	51.07	27.03
KEYSER	56	22	37		0.15		26.31	49.50	
MOOREFIELD	56	22	38		0.24		29.09	35.74	
State Average Temperature	39								
State Average Precipitation	0.65								

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Agricultural News: Weather this month has been a mix of warmer and cooler temperatures with periods of rain and some snow. Farming activities for the month included calving and feeding hay and grain to livestock.

SOIL MOISTURE and SUPPLIES for week ending 12/29/19

	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	%	%	%	%
Topsoil	3	13	84	-
Subsoil	7	26	64	3
Hay & Roughage	7	24	63	6
Feed grain	-	10	84	6

-Represents zero.

CROP and LIVESTOCK CONDITIONS for week ending 12/29/19

Crop	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	%	%	%	%	%
Winter Wheat	-	9	69	21	1
Cattle & Calves	1	6	34	50	9
Sheep & Lambs	-	2	35	53	10

- Represents zero.

**December Summary of Weather and Agricultural Conditions
November 25 - December 29**

Although the State began the last week of November with temperatures on the cool side, the temperatures the week ending **December 1st**, were all above average, except for Bluefield (-2), which was the only station that reported below normal temperatures. The above average temperatures occurred as warm air filtered in before turning colder as two cold fronts moved over the State. All stations reached the 60s, with several stations getting into the 70s. Lows for the week were near normal in the 20s and 30s. Williamson had the highest recorded temperature of 72 degrees. Terra Alta and Elkins had the lowest recorded temperature of 22 degrees. The state average temperature was 43 degrees. Precipitation amounts were up. The two systems that crossed over the State during the week brought anywhere from around a half inch up to nearly three inches. Williamson had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.81 inches. Clarksburg had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.38 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.17 inches.

For the week ending **December 8th**, West Virginia temperatures averaged near to below normal for the week. Stations ranged from -6 to +1 degrees away from normal values. Cooler temperatures through mid-week gave way to warming temperatures over the weekend. Huntington, Charleston and Moorefield had the highest recorded temperature of 59 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 12 degrees. The state average temperature was 36 degrees. Below average precipitation was reported across the State with no stations reaching their climate average value. Several rounds of light precipitation were reported early in the week. Weston had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.62 of an inch. Martinsburg had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.05 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.31 of an inch.

West Virginia started the week ending **December 15th**, in a warming pattern as a slow moving cold front moved toward the State from the Midwest; the week began 10 to 20 degrees above normal for this time of year. The post frontal air was much cooler in the middle of the week, and then returned close to normal for the last part of the week. Overall, most stations were very close to average. Clarksburg and Weston had the highest recorded temperature of 63 degrees. Beckley and White Sulphur Springs had the lowest recorded temperature of 13 degrees. The state average temperature was 37 degrees. There was significant precipitation this week. All stations received over one inch of precipitation and nine stations reported over two inches. The first batch of rain moved over the State at the beginning of the week, and the second rain event was a moisture laden air mass from the Southeast, once again preceding a cold front. Snow was reported over the mountains and Northern third of the State. Elkins had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 2.99 inches. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.18 inches. The state average precipitation was 1.93 inches.

For the week ending **December 22nd**, West Virginia began the week very cold in the wake of a strong front that moved over the State early in the week. During the last half, temperatures began to warm to near normal under high pressure. Most stations reached the mid-50s late in the week, and during the cold temperatures mid-week, most stations dropped into the teens. Elkins, Pineville and Bluefield had the highest recorded temperature of 57 degrees. Wheeling, Terra Alta and Elkins had the lowest recorded temperature of 11 degrees. The state average temperature was 32 degrees. The heavy precipitation from the previous week continued into this week as a slow moving cold front pushed over the State. Several stations received over one inch in 24 hours, with others reaching over two inches in 24 hours. Parkersburg reported 3.01 inches in just one day. Some flooding was reported. While several stations received large amounts of precipitation, the Northwest and Southeast got very little. The last half of the week was dry. Parkersburg had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 3.03 inches. Wheeling had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.17 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 1.43 inches.

Temperatures were well above normal across the region the week ending **December 29th**. The greatest temperature departures from normal occurred at Elkins and Clarksburg. The exceptionally warm conditions can be attributed to the influence of a ridge of high pressure anchored across the Eastern United States. The warmest temperatures occurred mid to late in the week as Southerly flow strengthened underneath the dominant ridge of high pressure. Clarksburg and Pineville had the highest recorded temperature of 69 degrees. Terra Alta had the lowest recorded temperature of 18 degrees. The state average temperature was 47 degrees. The majority of the week was dry, but a late week storm system brought heavy precipitation to parts of the State. Huntington had the highest recorded amount of precipitation with 1.50 inches. Bluefield had the lowest recorded amount of precipitation with 0.07 of an inch. The state average precipitation was 0.50 of an inch.

Temperature and Precipitation Data for the Week Ending 12/29/19

Station	Temperature				Precipitation				
	High	Low	Average	Weekly Departure	Week's Total	Week's Norm	Since April 1st 2019	Same Week Last Year	Season Normal
--NORTHWEST									
WHEELING	62	24	45	15	0.73	0.69	30.18	46.42	29.99
PARKERSBURG	66	25	46	13	1.21	0.68	36.71	41.75	31.63
CRESTON	65	22	45		1.26		41.63	48.28	
--NORTHCENTRAL									
MORGANTOWN	67	27	47	15	0.58	0.62	33.88	42.08	32.60
CLARKSBURG	69	27	49	17	0.51	0.77	31.43	43.01	35.03
BELINGTON	67	23	47		0.31		30.10	52.95	
WESTON	67	25	48		0.49		36.24	59.69	
--SOUTHWEST									
WILLIAMSON	68	36	54		0.33		36.49	39.46	
HUNTINGTON	66	29	51	16	1.50	0.73	38.53	45.50	32.45
CHARLESTON	68	26	49	14	0.30	0.72	37.15	48.16	33.74
RIPLEY	65	22	45		1.26		39.21	46.11	
--CENTRAL									
TERRA ALTA	61	18	42		0.55		42.03	60.00	
ELKINS	67	20	47	17	0.11	0.70	40.56	55.55	35.45
MARLINTON	62	21	42		0.29		34.52	46.64	
--SOUTHERN									
BECKLEY	66	24	47	15	0.21	0.67	34.80	42.48	31.87
PINEVILLE	69	31	52		0.34		30.92	42.16	
BLUEFIELD	65	27	47	12	0.07	0.63	28.89	42.79	30.28
WHITE SUL SP	63	22	44		0.08		30.49	45.43	
BLUESTONE DAM	66	36	52		0.20		28.81	41.45	
--NORTHEASTERN									
MARTINSBURG	61	20	40	8	0.38	0.53	27.90	56.81	30.27
KEYSER	63	22	41		0.25		29.81	54.75	
MOOREFIELD	64	20	43		0.09		32.06	40.23	
State Average Temperature	47								
State Average Precipitation	0.50								

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