



Crop Progress and Condition

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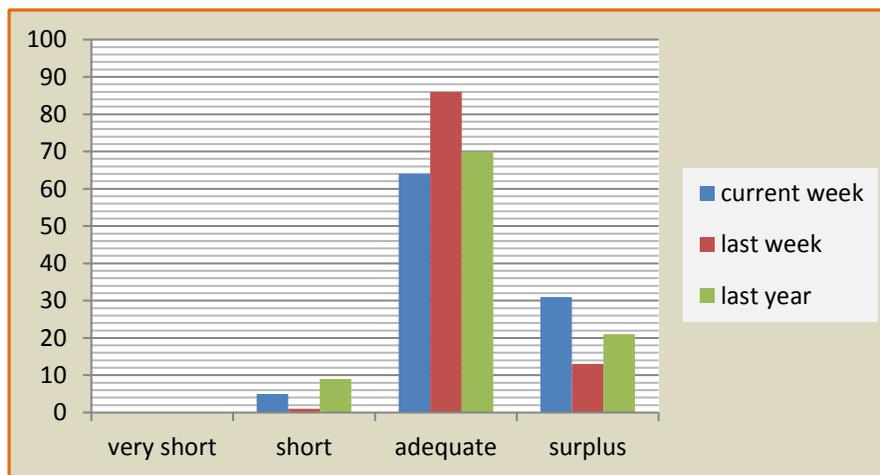
Agricultural News: Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.8. Weather conditions fluctuated during the week with warmer and cooler temperatures, and spotty showers and thunderstorms. Some areas are having trouble harvesting hay. Farming activities this week included planting crops and making hay.

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								

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

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