



# Crop Progress and Condition

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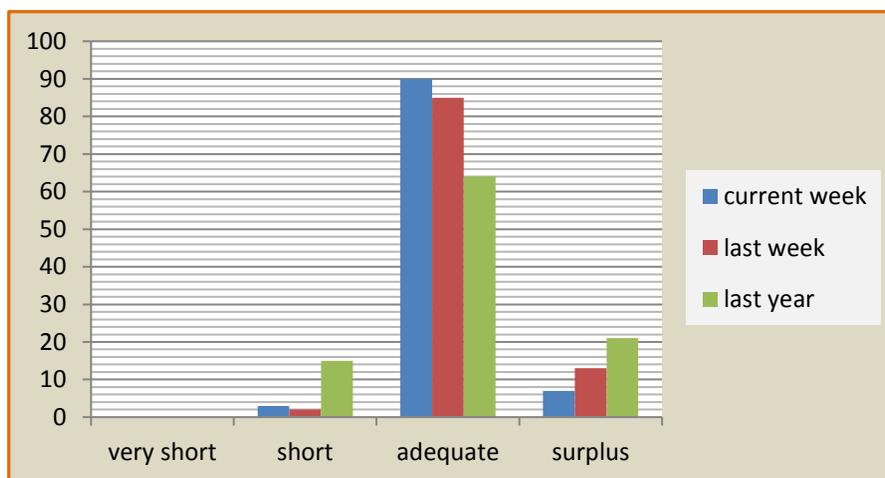
**Agricultural News:** Days suitable for fieldwork were 4.4. Weather conditions during the week continued to be cooler and wet with drier conditions late in the week. Some farmers were able to put up hay during dry weather periods. Farming activities this week included making hay and planting crops.

## 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
<b>--NORTHWEST</b>									
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	
<b>--NORTHCENTRAL</b>									
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	
<b>--SOUTHWEST</b>									
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	
<b>--CENTRAL</b>									
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	
<b>--SOUTHERN</b>									
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	
<b>--NORTHEASTERN</b>									
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:  
Weather comments and data - Dept. of Commerce, National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration National Weather Service, Charleston, WV.

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