



Indiana Crop Weather

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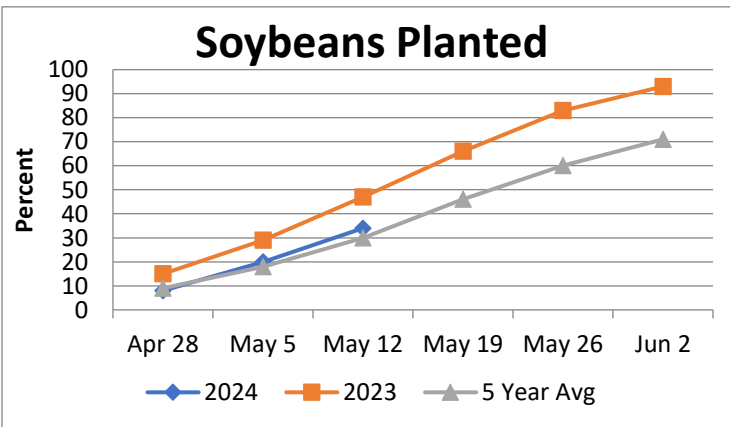
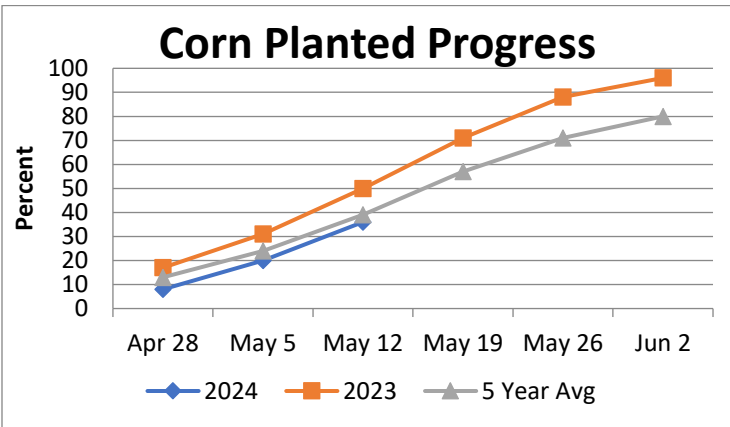
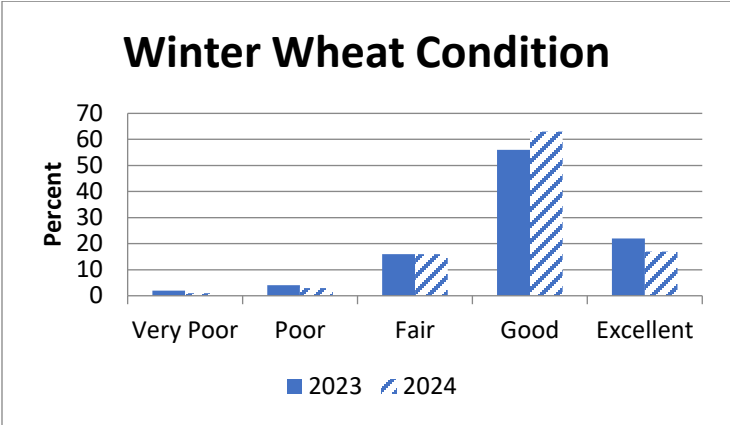
May 13, 2024

Planting Progress on Schedule

Some areas of the State saw ideal planting and germinating conditions, while others received heavy rains and high winds which prevented fieldwork, according to Nathaniel Warenski, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Indiana Field Office. Topsoil moisture levels did not change from the previous week, with 96 percent rated adequate or surplus.

The average temperature for the week was 63.3 degrees Fahrenheit, 3.2 degrees above normal for the State. The statewide average precipitation was 1.26 inches, 0.34 inches above normal. There were 3.3 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending May 12.

Corn and soybean planting progress increased to 36 and 34 percent completed, respectively, with planting progress further along in sandier soils. Some producers were considering replanting due to heavy rains that occurred after planting. Warm, moist soil promoted emergence as both crops were ahead of their five-year averages. Winter wheat progress continued significantly ahead of the five-year average, with the crop reported to be at 88 percent jointed and 46 percent headed. Winter wheat condition improved from last week with 80 percent of the crop rated good to excellent, though there were reports of lodging due to storms. Some farmers began their first cutting of hay, and pasture conditions improved from the rain and warm weather. Other activities for the week included tillage and equipment maintenance.



Soil Moisture: Week Ending 05/12/24

Item	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture	1	3	69	27
Subsoil moisture	2	5	73	20

Crop Progress: Week Ending 05/12/24

Crop/Activity	Percent Completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Days Suitable for Fieldwork	3.3	3.6	N/A	N/A
Corn Planted	36	20	50	39
Corn Emerged	15	6	17	13
Soybeans Planted	34	20	47	30
Soybeans Emerged	14	6	14	9
Winter Wheat Jointing	88	79	86	78
Winter Wheat Headed	46	23	27	24
Alfalfa Hay 1st Cutting	3	N/A	0	1
Other Hay 1st Cutting	3	N/A	0	0

Crop Condition: Week Ending 05/12/24

Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Winter Wheat	1	3	16	63	17
Range and Pasture	1	3	22	57	17

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Weather Summary for Indiana

Week Ending 2024-05-12

Since April 1

Temperature Precipitation Precipitation GDD Base
 High Low Avg DFN Total Days Total DFN Days Total DFN
 50

Northwest

CHALMERS 5 W	82	47	62	4	0.38	2	7.71	2.44	21	321	129
KNOX WWTP	80	43	59	0	1.10	4	9.43	4.30	27	273	27
LAPORTE	81	45	60	3	1.15	3	7.52	2.47	23	277	73

North Central

GOSHEN 3SW	80	44	61	3	1.14	4	7.39	2.41	23	285	77
ROCHESTER	80	44	60	2	1.12	5	8.15	2.80	22	284	85

Northeast

ANGOLA	77	42	56	1	1.18	3	7.41	2.48	20	231	82
DECATUR 1 N	80	42	60	2	0.95	4	8.53	3.55	22	308	112
HUNTINGTON	80	42	60	2	1.28	3	8.87	3.70	18	313	113

West Central

CRAWFORDSVILLE 6 SE	78	44	62	4	0.77	3	7.65	1.92	17	343	134
LAFAYETTE PURDUE UNIVERSITY AP	81	44	62	3	0.56	4	7.11	2.01	23	356	100
PERRYSVILLE 4 WNW	81	46	63	3	0.29	3	5.87	0.69	21	348	71
ROCKVILLE	79	40	63	2	0.62	4	8.72	2.48	22	434	113
SPENCER	82	58	69	10	1.11	4	8.80	2.01	19	434	179

Central

COLUMBUS	80	47	66	5	1.49	5	7.56	0.84	22	372	75
FRANKFORT DISPOSAL	78	46	62	3	1.40	4	9.39	4.05	18	337	96
GREENFIELD	80	45	64	4	1.30	4	9.62	3.22	21	400	138
INDIANAPOLIS INTL AP	80	49	65	5	0.66	3	8.51	2.77	20	453	166
TIPTON 5 SW	84	45	63	6	1.32	4	8.95	3.52	21	384	181

East Central

FARMLAND 5 NNW	80	47	64	6	0.66	3	8.70	3.47	19	342	120
HARTFORD CITY 4 ESE	80	45	62	3	0.57	4	7.92	2.95	19	362	125
NEW CASTLE 3 SW	80	41	63	5	0.41	5	7.48	1.55	19	362	145
RICHMOND WATER WORKS	79	41	60	1	0.25	3	8.90	3.29	22	333	80

Southwest

BOONVILLE 1S	83	50	69	5	2.18	4	7.36	0.48	16	614	197
SHAKAMAK STATE PARK	82	59	69	8	0.56	2	9.18	2.63	18	457	140
SHOALS 8 S	84	49	70	10	1.23	4	7.66	0.76	18	623	335
WASHINGTON 1 W	83	52	69	5	1.02	4	8.89	2.25	17	586	183

South Central

OOLITIC PURDUE EX FRM	80	44	65	5	1.17	5	9.72	3.00	21	451	172
TELL CITY	78	50	66	1	3.09	4	9.08	2.35	19	493	66

Southeast

BROOKVILLE	84	45	66	6	1.10	4	6.80	0.52	18	467	187
NORTH VERNON 2 ESE	79	44	65	3	2.30	4	7.63	1.10	19	515	167

Note:

Summary based on NOAA Regional Climate Centers (RCCs) data. Climate normals used are for the 1991-2020 period. Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches. Air temperature in degrees Fahrenheit.