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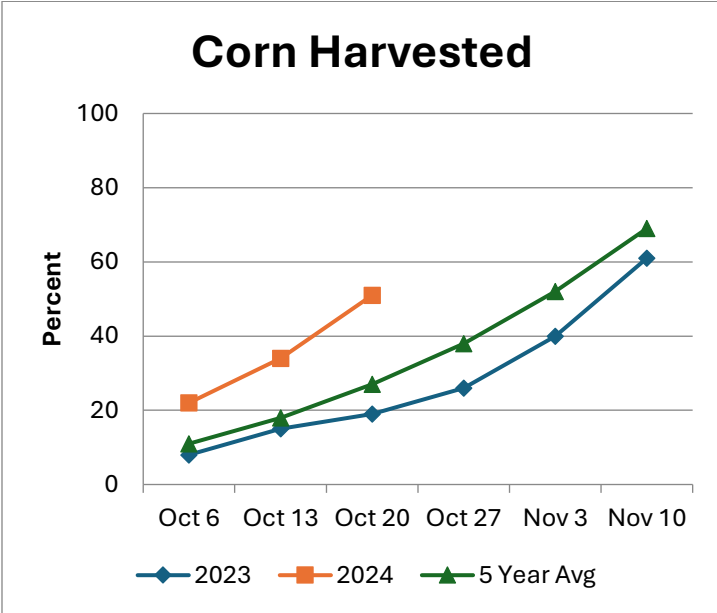
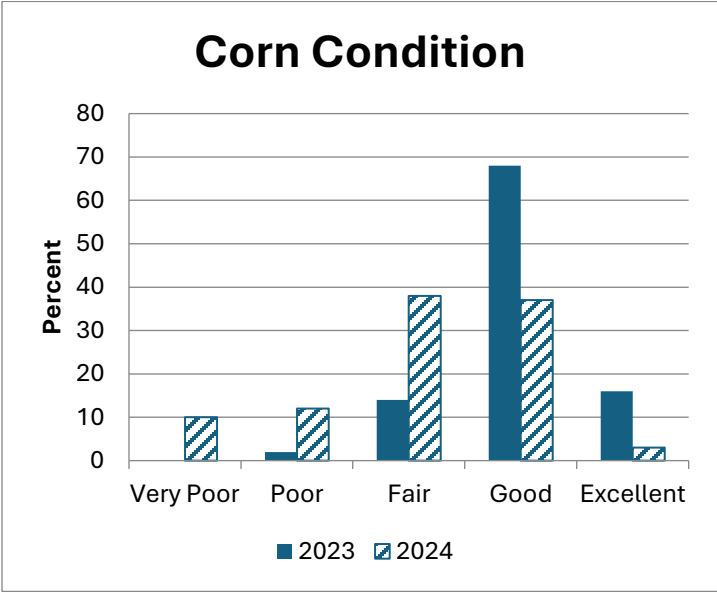
Ohio Crop Weather

October 21, 2024

Cooler Temperatures

Corn and soybean harvest continued to progress quickly, according to Ben Torrance, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Ohio Field Office. Topsoil moisture conditions were rated 68 percent short to very short for week ending on October 20. The average temperature last week was 49.0 degrees, 3.1 degrees below normal. Weather stations recorded an average of 0.31 inches of precipitation last week, 0.36 inches below average. There were 6.0 days suitable for fieldwork during the week ending October 20.

Despite continued very dry conditions, cooler temperatures put less pressure on pastures. Wheat and cover crops were being planted. Pepper and cabbage harvest continued as vegetable growers kept on eye on potentially season ending frosts in the coming weeks. Ninety-seven percent of corn was in or past the mature stage and 51 percent was harvested for grain. Seventy-eight percent of soybeans were harvested. Corn condition was 40 percent good to excellent. Fourth cuttings of alfalfa hay and other dry hay were 95 percent complete. Winter wheat was 77 percent planted. Pasture and range condition was rated 4 percent good to excellent.



Soil Moisture: Week Ending 10/20/24

Item	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture	20	48	31	1
Subsoil moisture	30	50	20	0

Crop Progress: Week Ending 10/20/24

Crop/Activity	Percent Completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Days Suitable for Fieldwork ..	6.0	6.2	NA	NA
Corn Mature.....	97	92	89	87
Corn Harvested for Grain	51	34	19	27
Soybeans Harvested.....	78	62	60	61
Winter Wheat Planted.....	77	58	67	76
Winter Wheat Emerged	36	18	28	38
Alfalfa Hay 4th Cutting	95	90	94	90
Other Hay 4th Cutting.....	95	90	NA	NA

Crop Condition: Week Ending 10/20/24

Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn	10	12	38	37	3
Pasture and Range....	35	31	30	4	0

Crop Moisture Content for week ending 10/20/24

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Corn harvested for grain	18	18	24	21
Soybeans harvested	11	11	14	13

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Weather Summary For Ohio

Week Ending 2024-10-20

Since April 1

	Temperature				Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50	
	High	Low	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN
	Northwest										
BRYAN 2 SE	72	29	48	-3	0.06	1	18.40	-5.59	69	3312	447
TOLEDO EXPRESS AP	76	33	50	-2	0.01	1	22.86	1.66	63	2999	59
VAN WERT 1 S	72	32	51	-2	0.05	1	20.72	-4.42	61	3554	434
North Central											
BUCYRUS	69	32	50	-2	0.18	3	23.76	-1.46	80	3443	661
FREMONT	60	30	47	-5	0.37	1	19.55	-3.60	71	3509	517
MANSFIELD LAHM RGNL AP	72	30	49	-3	0.14	2	17.93	-9.44	69	3454	739
Northeast											
CHARDON	60	31	45	-4	2.22	4	27.32	-1.22	82	2831	525
CLEVELAND-HOPKINS INTL AP	73	35	51	-3	1.25	3	18.86	-4.51	72	3581	582
WARREN 3 S	66	35	46	-4	0.40	3	24.74	-0.52	77	2817	373
West Central											
BELLEFONTAINE	70	31	46	-6	0.48	2	23.27	-1.55	78	3408	430
GREENVILLE WATER PLANT	54	33	46	-6	0.16	2	25.22	1.00	69	3436	482
SIDNEY 1 S	72	30	49	-3	0.38	3	21.60	-3.32	74	3351	428
Central											
CENTERBURG 2 SE	77	29	48	-3	0.07	2	24.27	-1.07	73	3473	548
CIRCLEVILLE	79	30	49	-5	0.51	2	19.52	-4.59	70	3762	527
MARYSVILLE	76	29	48	-5	0.34	2	21.55	-2.51	70	3622	402
East Central											
DENNISON WATER WORKS	77	33	49	-2	0.39	3	21.15	-3.77	64	3397	626
STEBENVILLE	77	35	51	-1	0.25	4	19.02	-6.21	73	3073	71
Southwest											
DAYTON WRIGHT BROTHERS AP	73	35	51	-3	0.06	2	14.63	-9.43	67	3895	650
EATON	73	32	50	-3	0.07	2	33.75	8.47	74	3448	301
South Central											
HILLSBORO	79	33	51	-3	0.10	2	24.17	-0.88	76	3625	524
PORTSMOUTH-SCIOTOVILLE	81	33	53	-3	0.09	2	31.69	7.57	77	3876	371
SOUTH POINT	84	37	53	-3	0.25	1	21.93	-5.68	58	4169	591
WAVERLY	81	30	50	-3	0.18	1	25.43	1.56	58	3940	617
Southeast											
BEVERLY STP	79	33	48	-4	0.43	2	15.95	-9.33	69	3670	495
HANNIBAL LOCKS AND DAM	78	36	51	-3	0.23	2	23.16	-1.50	72	3446	418
LOGAN	82	30	50	-2	0.40	1	20.92	-5.15	71	3655	789
ZANESVILLE MUNICIPAL AP	75	30	49	-4	0.11	2	16.42	-6.99	67	3763	769

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.