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Good Week for Field Work: New York had an average of 5 days suitable for field work. Fall harvest continued throughout the state. Some rain was reported which slowed corn and soybean harvest and planting of small grains. Killing frost/freeze was also reported in some parts of the state delaying field growing conditions. Winter wheat is planted and has emerged. Pasture is reported as done and supplement feeding continues for animals that are still outside. Field activities for the week included plowing and planting of fields, fall tillage, harvesting, repair and maintenance.

Soil Moisture for Week Ending November 1, 2015

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	2	7	66	25
SUBSOIL	1	9	72	18

Crop Conditions as of November 1, 2015

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
HAY, ALFALFA	0	4	27	48	21
HAY, OTHER	1	7	32	46	14
PASTURE AND RANGE	3	12	33	41	11
WINTER WHEAT	0	1	16	58	25

Crop Progress as of November 1, 2015

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
FALL TILLAGE: SINGLE	82	79	75	73
CORN: MATURE	97	94	87	81
CORN: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	52	37	26	39
HAY, ALFALFA: FOURTH CUTTING	79	76	80	76
HAY, OTHER: FOURTH CUTTING	75	70	75	75
POTATOES: HARVESTED	93	85	83	90
SOYBEANS: HARVESTED	78	65	55	62
WINTER WHEAT: PLANTED	94	91	92	90
WINTER WHEAT: EMERGED	66	56	70	59
APPLES: HARVESTED	88	84	87	93
GRAPES: HARVESTED	87	82	81	93

November 1, 2015 New York Weekly Weather Summary

		Last Week Weather Summary						Accumulation Since April 1, 2015					
		Temperature				Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50F		Base 40F
Region	Station	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN	Total
Northern	Fort_Drum	60	26	44	-1	1.37	4	22.63	-2.93	89	2649	+384	4512
	Highmarket	57	20	38	-3	1.82	5	35.84	+2.61	98	1770	+85	3442
	Hooker_12NNW	58	25	41	+2	1.44	4	29.54	-1.37	94	2535	+1067	4350
	Lowville	56	24	40	-3	1.19	3	22.37	-2.19	71	2118	+194	3894
	Massena	60	21	42	-1	1.21	4	22.74	-0.07	85	2519	+390	4378
	Watertown_Intl	64	22	43	-1	1.07	4	19.65	-1.53	83	2448	+437	4304
Northeast	Indian_Lake	54	22	38	0	2.75	4	34.14	+8.33	98	1739	+421	3385
	Malone	59	26	40	-1	1.10	4	28.05	+2.67	95	2132	+418	3869
	Newcomb	53	23	38	-2	2.21	4	32.03	+5.22	91	1751	+344	3391
	North_Creek	58	20	38	-7	3.08	5	32.41	+4.42	84	2267	+271	4015
	Plattsburgh_Int	65	24	43	+1	1.27	4	23.78	+1.14	92	2460	+325	4329
	Tupper_Lake_Sun	55	23	38	-2	1.48	4	29.08	+1.72	87	1876	+423	3536
Western	Avon	63	28	44	-2	1.10	4	28.84	+7.45	84	2493	+197	4383
	Buffalo_Intl_AP	64	33	48	+2	1.98	4	26.05	+1.69	88	2910	+477	4856
	Canandaigua_3S	60	30	45	-2	1.27	5	31.16	+8.53	84	2835	+351	4752
	Colden_1W	61	31	44	0	1.98	4	37.61	+8.65	101	2297	+355	4134
	Dansville_AP	64	30	48	+4	1.22	3	25.05	+2.79	84	3052	+694	5024
	Geneva_Research	60	29	44	-2	0.85	4	29.94	+7.24	83	2484	+137	4355
	Rochester_NY	64	31	47	+2	1.03	5	27.27	+5.73	84	3025	+624	4986
	Warsaw	59	29	42	-1	1.40	5	34.44	+6.56	99	2178	+371	3967
	Youngstown	62	30	46	+2	2.22	4	23.99	+3.33	87	2772	+322	4717
Central	Auburn_NY	60	28	43	-4	0.91	4	34.77	+9.79	89	2680	+160	4567
	Boonville	55	25	39	-2	2.22	5	35.38	+2.15	93	1944	+259	3655
	Cooperstown	64	31	45	+3	1.18	5	29.55	+2.88	91	2492	+646	4357
	Fulton-Oswego	58	27	46	-2	0.91	3	26.87	+2.05	85	2759	+350	4675
	Oneonta	60	24	41	-4	1.48	3	27.79	-1.37	82	2160	+92	3961
	Sherburne	62	23	42	-3	1.40	5	30.47	+4.90	97	2361	+304	4201
	Syracuse_AP	59	29	46	+1	1.04	4	30.42	+4.89	86	3030	+608	4979
Eastern	Albany_County_A	70	28	48	+3	1.91	3	27.87	+3.38	74	3250	+834	5232
	Alcove_Dam	67	28	44	+1	1.95	2	27.19	+0.78	74	2438	+290	4319
	Brunswick_NY	65	30	46	+3	1.69	2	31.95	+1.24	85	2920	+903	4848
	Buskirk	69	22	42	-2	1.10	2	24.20	-6.51	72	2366	+349	4216
	Cobleskill	64	24	43	-2	1.89	2	24.98	+1.48	92	2356	+244	4167
	Peck_Lake	55	24	38	-6	2.59	5	31.58	+2.39	100	1874	-112	3564
	Saratoga_Spring	65	28	44	-2	1.06	2	24.26	-2.53	68	2680	+222	4535
Southwest	Alfred	60	24	43	+1	1.06	5	29.56	+4.00	98	2062	+316	3901
	Bath	62	28	44	-1	1.29	4	29.72	+8.14	104	2474	+415	4354
	Corning	59	25	41	-4	1.40	3	24.75	+3.17	88	2113	+54	3917
	Franklinville	62	27	43	+2	1.92	6	33.48	+6.15	103	2124	+418	3934
	Jamestown_AP	61	28	45	+2	1.41	4	21.38	-8.34	100	2344	+130	4240
	Olean	62	30	44	+2	1.64	4	26.80	-2.12	91	2450	+640	4334
	Perrysburg	61	32	46	0	1.80	3	37.33	+13.21	75	2409	+11	4287
Southern	Binghamton_Broo	61	27	45	+3	1.36	4	30.62	+6.23	89	2587	+529	4481
	Elmira_Ag	61	25	43	-3	1.25	4	26.17	+3.07	87	2552	+215	4439
	Ithaca_Cornell_	61	25	43	-2	0.92	5	25.81	+1.33	93	2433	+323	4283
	Mecklenburg	60	27	42	-2	1.59	3	32.17	+6.88	95	2199	+257	4032
	Owego_3WSW	60	26	44	-2	0.96	3	25.04	-0.18	81	2539	+348	4418
	Whitney_Point_L	62	26	44	-2	1.09	4	24.89	-0.33	84	2495	+304	4364
Southeast	Bridgehampton	69	31	50	+1	1.18	2	20.61	-5.92	52	2939	+272	4917
	Carmel_4N	67	30	47	-1	1.85	4	22.36	-8.66	69	2514	-201	4442
	East_Jewett	65	24	43	+2	3.24	2	33.77	+3.07	87	1924	+455	3681
	Mohonk_Lake	65	31	49	+2	0.29	3	31.04	-0.77	75	3072	+458	5069
	Montgomery_NY_A	70	26	49	+5	1.31	3	22.73	-5.54	66	3237	+798	5225
	New_York_LGA	74	43	57	+5	1.28	2	19.83	-7.22	51	4215	+633	6309
	Poughkeepsie_Ag	69	30	48	+3	1.72	3	27.94	-0.23	69	3053	+479	5014
	Vanderbilt_Muse	71	33	51	-2	1.54	2	21.45	-5.62	56	3439	+271	5460
	Walton	62	23	42	-3	1.87	4	30.85	+1.69	96	2157	+89	3968
	Yorktown_Height	70	31	49	+2	1.73	1	24.51	-7.09	75	3203	+500	5197

Summary based on NWS data. DFN = Departure From Normal.
 Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches.
 Air Temperatures in Degrees Fahrenheit.
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REPORTERS COMMENTS, By County

Reporters are from Extension Service (Ext), Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), Farm Service Agency (FSA), Conservation District (CD), farmers, commodity specialists, or other knowledgeable individuals.

Columbia/Dutchess/Greene/Putnam Counties, Sandra Ferry:

The Hudson Valley has been very dry this growing season but has seen some rain the last couple of weeks slowing corn and soybean harvest and fall plantings of small grains.

Essex County, Laura Mcdermott:

Several killing frost/freeze events have put an end to most field growing conditions. Tunnel production continues and garlic and winter onions are being planted.

Oneida County, William Paddock:

We had reports of 2.5 to 4 inches of rain received last week in the first part of the week over the course of 5 days. Winter wheat is planted and up. Producers are on the downswing of corn and soybeans needing to still be combined. The rain from last week will slow them down but weather looks excellent for this week, hopefully they will be able finish. Pastures are done and supplemental feeding is going on for any animals that are still outside. Pastures that have had a lot of rest, over 100 days, are looking pretty good.

Ontario County, Joann Rogers:

Ontario County continues with fall harvest; some rain received during the week but most days harvest continued.

Schuyler/ Seneca Counties, Kathy Mastellar:

Crop harvest continued with only a couple of days of rain.

Suffolk County, Alice V Wise:

Most vineyards on Long Island finished harvest this week. Bird netting is now being removed from vines. Equipment is being cleaned and winterized.