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# Crop Progress & Condition

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**Good week for field work:** New York averaged 4.5 days suitable for field work.

Temperatures ranged from 3 degrees to 11 degrees above normal. Weekly precipitation ranged from 0.00 to 2.38. This week was exceptionally hot with advisories issued almost every day in some areas. Few reports of crop issues for this week: some counties report disease but with minimal injury. Most crops were reported as ahead of previous year progress. Hay cuttings continue with third cutting well underway. Operators also prepared for winter wheat. Long Island grape harvest reported as imminent.

## Soil Moisture for Week Ending September 2, 2018

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	0	2	69	29
SUBSOIL	1	14	61	24

## Crop Conditions as of September 2, 2018

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
CORN	0	6	17	51	26
GRAPES	0	3	24	34	39
HAY, ALFALFA	1	2	19	57	21
HAY, OTHER	1	3	31	59	6
PASTURE AND RANGE	4	19	35	37	5
SOYBEANS	0	5	23	48	24

## Crop Progress as of September 2, 2018

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
FALL TILLAGE: PERCENT COMPLETE	13	8	24	20
BARLEY: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	80	66	71	72
CABBAGE: HARVESTED	56	42	52	55
CORN: SILKING	91	87	92	92
CORN: DOUGH	55	33	59	57
CORN: DENTED	20	7	<5	15
CORN AVERAGE HEIGHT: (IN.)	85	83	N/A	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: SECOND CUTTING	96	91	94	96
HAY, ALFALFA: THIRD CUTTING	57	40	70	64
HAY, OTHER: SECOND CUTTING	84	79	91	91
HAY, OTHER: THIRD CUTTING	43	38	58	55
OATS: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	83	66	86	88
ONIONS DRY: HARVESTED	37	22	46	45
POTATOES: HARVESTED	47	28	13	29
SNAP BEANS: HARVESTED	64	35	37	57
SOYBEANS: BLOOMING	94	90	81	N/A
SOYBEANS: SETTING PODS	86	66	63	76
SOYBEANS: DROPPING LEAVES	5	0	<5	5
SWEET CORN: HARVESTED	71	44	71	72

For a complete nationwide weekly weather and crop bulletin, please visit [www.usda.gov/oc/weather](http://www.usda.gov/oc/weather) and click on "Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin."

## September 2, 2018 New York Weekly Weather Summary

*Notice please be advised, the Weekly Crop Progress and Condition Report's Weather Data Tables may be discontinued for budget reasons. This includes the possibility of discontinuing the weather data narratives and graphics Please contact your local NASS Regional Field Office with comments or compliments regarding this issue. The Weekly Crop Progress and Condition Report's Crop Progress and Condition data will remain and be available.*

		Last Week Weather Summary						Accumulation Since April 1, 2018					
		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/WHEEL	89	65	76	+9	1.75	7	17.75	-0.14	82	2288	+254	3600
	GOUVERNEUR 3 NW	88	46	69	+5	0.19	4	14.47	-2.30	59	1901	+234	3176
	HIGHMARKET	85	52	68	+7	0.80	3	19.43	-4.70	65	1490	+112	2702
	LOWVILLE	89	53	70	+7	0.70	4	15.55	-1.96	59	1847	+208	3028
	MASSENA INTL AP	90	49	73	+9	0.84	5	17.48	+0.75	71	2214	+424	3534
	OGDENSBURG 4 NE	87	51	73	+8	0.16	1	7.25	-9.24	36	2282	+364	3561
Northeast	WATERTOWN AP	89	51	74	+9	0.35	2	20.04	+5.21	78	2106	+330	3407
	INDIAN LAKE 2SW	86	45	67	+7	0.27	3	13.79	-4.61	65	1414	+148	2566
	MALONE	87	47	69	+6	0.28	5	17.67	-1.26	62	1916	+254	3196
	NEWCOMB	89	45	67	+6	0.59	3	15.21	-3.84	53	1540	+222	2756
	PLATTSBURGH INT	95	48	72	+7	0.55	4	18.92	+3.29	82	2085	+279	3408
Western	TUPPER LAKE SUN	87	45	67	+6	0.49	4	16.40	-4.00	60	1472	+74	2588
	AVON	89	54	72	+6	0.43	1	14.66	-1.11	56	2117	+78	3364
	BUFFALO NIAGARA	86	61	75	+8	0.12	3	18.12	+1.27	72	2548	+466	3868
	CANANDAIGUA 3 S	92	55	75	+7	0.71	1	16.51	-0.30	63	2404	+268	3722
	COLDEN 1W	85	55	72	+7	0.37	3	17.87	-2.87	78	2022	+210	3278
	DANSVILLE MUNIC	92	63	76	+8	0.72	3	18.51	+2.15	88	2506	+334	3848
	GENEVA RESEARCH	89	54	72	+5	0.60	3	17.24	+0.93	73	2211	+169	3510
	ROCHESTER GREAT	92	57	76	+9	0.08	2	15.44	-0.52	74	2584	+512	3930
Central	WARSAW 6 SW	84	60	74	+11	0.31	2	24.25	+3.19	69	1804	+192	2997
	YOUNGSTOWN 2 NE	90	57	74	+7	0.03	2	17.57	+0.99	63	2362	+269	3671
	AUBURN	91	51	72	+5	1.47	1	19.71	+0.36	66	2255	+208	3560
	BOONVILLE 4 SSW	85	51	68	+6	0.39	2	22.96	-0.23	67	1693	+234	2939
	COOPERSTOWN	86	59	70	+6	2.38	4	21.39	+1.06	49	1476	-240	2619
	EMMONS	88	52	70	+6	0.74	3	20.92	+1.38	68	1530	-95	2602
	FULTON OSWEGO C	91	54	74	+9	1.09	3	16.56	-1.23	88	2315	+461	3632
Eastern	ITHACA 13 E	88	56	71	+8	0.18	2	17.44	-2.01	57	1937	+302	3240
	SHERBURNE	91	56	72	+8	0.87	2	24.38	+5.57	72	2030	+270	3326
	SYRACUSE HANCOCK	91	57	76	+8	0.45	3	20.68	+3.37	81	2412	+276	3746
	ALBANY INTL AIR	96	66	78	+10	0.41	1	22.16	+3.82	85	2669	+478	4014
	ALCOVE DAM	90	57	71	+6	0.07	1	22.94	+3.61	59	2009	+138	3274
	BUSKIRK	92	54	73	+8	0.22	2	17.96	-6.03	68	2196	+278	3512
	COBLESKILL 2 ES	89	54	72	+8	0.95	4	20.42	+1.48	68	2106	+325	3383
	GLENS FALLS AP	91	51	72	+8	0.62	2	21.23	+3.10	73	2136	+334	3448
Southwest	GLOVERSVILLE 7N	86	54	69	+3	0.68	1	19.49	-2.42	70	1688	-184	2919
	SARATOGA NATL P	96	55	74	+5	0.19	2	17.43	-2.55	72	2626	+279	3968
	ALFRED	87	54	71	+7	0.90	2	22.38	+3.85	76	1794	0	3062
	CORNING	86	56	70	+7	1.66	2	23.12	+4.82	78	1866	+363	3165
	FRANKLINVILLE	84	60	73	+10	0.34	2	15.37	-4.90	61	1592	+6	2634
	HORNELL ALMOND	90	55	72	+8	0.88	2	22.54	+4.11	73	1912	+132	3201
	JAMESTOWN 4 ENE	90	57	75	+10	0.53	2	23.76	+2.49	76	2208	+413	3530
Southern	OLEAN	89	60	75	+9	0.42	2	20.90	-0.06	79	2121	+199	3412
	PERRYSBURG	87	58	72	+5	0.74	2	19.74	-1.25	51	1966	-239	3122
	BINGHAMTON (GRE	86	63	73	+8	0.63	2	27.34	+8.65	93	2091	+232	3420
	ELMIRA	94	58	73	+7	1.22	3	28.41	+10.33	73	2268	+298	3576
	ITHACA CORNELL	90	55	72	+6	0.16	2	16.59	-1.56	72	1968	+98	3220
	MECKLENBURG 4SW	88	53	71	+7	0.42	2	25.37	+7.09	72	1912	+256	3206
	WAVERLY	97	59	77	+10	0.58	3	20.08	+2.53	76	2193	+82	3402
	WHITNEY POINT D	89	57	72	+8	0.36	2	21.45	+3.79	71	2126	+334	3438
Southeast	CARMEL 4N	88	60	72	+4	0.11	1	26.37	+4.06	73	2140	+66	3473
	CENTERPORT	93	63	77	+5	0.02	1	16.93	-4.12	55	2571	+109	3875
	EAST JEWETT	86	54	68	+7	0.00	0	32.11	+10.43	61	1604	+208	2847
	MONTGOMERY ORAN	92	60	75	+6	0.03	1	23.42	+2.68	86	2542	+328	3916
	NEW YORK-LGA AR	97	70	83	+9	0.02	1	26.81	+6.23	83	3253	+349	4728
	POUGHKEEPSIE	91	62	74	+5	0.00	0	21.66	-2.81	58	2488	+118	3826
	SHRUB OAK	93	58	75	+6	0.00	0	26.68	+3.73	56	2435	+102	3789
	WALTON 2	89	53	70	+6	0.37	3	30.46	+9.93	71	1756	+208	3036
WESTHAMPTON GAB	91	59	75	+7	0.00	0	19.08	-1.20	71	2262	+262	3631	

Summary based on NOAA Regional Climate Centers (RCCs) data. DFN = departure from normal.

Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches. Air temperature in degrees Fahrenheit. Climate normals used are for the 1981-2010 period.

## 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.*

**Genesee/ Niagara/ Orleans Counties; Nathan R Herendeen:**

Rains have improved soybeans, late planted corn. Hot weather has pushed maturity of corn and silage harvest is starting. Soybeans are starting senescence. Diseases showing up, minimal injury so far. August seedings of forage crops are emerging.

**Livingston County; Dean R Pendergast:**

Crops continue to advance with more than adequate moisture and heat. Harvest continues for several crops, corn silage harvest will begin soon for many producers.

**Ontario County; Joann Rogers, County Executive Director FSA:**

Crop harvest continues with fall tillage beginning. Temperatures were hot and humid with pop up showers throughout the week.

**Schuyler/ Seneca Counties; Kathy Mastellar, CED,**

**Seneca/Schuyler FSA:**

Heat advisories were issued for almost every day last week. Haylage is being harvested and filling bunks and some corn is being chopped for feed.

**Suffolk County; Alice V Wise:**

The continued hot weather has accelerated grape ripening on Long Island. Harvest of fruit for sparkling wine will take place in the coming weeks.