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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in New England, there were 6 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, May 14, 2023. Topsoil moisture supplies were 4 percent very short, 11 percent short, 77 percent adequate, and 8 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 4 percent very short, 11 percent short, 71 percent adequate, and 14 percent surplus.

Soil Moisture for Week Ending May 14, 2023

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	4	11	77	8
SUBSOIL	4	11	71	14

Crop Conditions as of May 14, 2023

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
PASTURE AND RANGE	0	0	17	44	39

Crop Progress as of May 14, 2023

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
APPLES: GREEN TIP	95	74	92	81
APPLES: PINK	61	28	57	49
APPLES: FULL BLOOM	31	N/A	36	N/A
BARLEY (ME): PLANTED	17	5	52	N/A
BLUEBERRIES, TAME: GREEN TIP	77	44	82	73
BLUEBERRIES, TAME: PINK	48	16	42	31
BLUEBERRIES, TAME: FULL BLOOM	17	N/A	19	N/A
CORN: PLANTED	36	<5	39	21
OATS (ME): PLANTED	30	20	35	N/A
PEACHES: GREEN TIP	93	69	90	76
PEACHES: PINK	66	35	53	46
POTATOES (ME): PLANTED	21	15	12	10
SPRING TILLAGE: PERCENT COMPLETE	50	29	43	33
STRAWBERRIES: PLANTED	62	40	85	N/A
STRAWBERRIES: GREEN TIP	44	18	64	36
SWEET CORN: PLANTED	14	9	24	16

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May 14, 2023, New England Weekly Weather Summary

State	Station	Air Temperature Last Week					Precipitation						
		Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	MSG	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN	
Connecticut	NORTHWEST												
	Norfolk 2 Sw	70.1	44.9	57.5	54.09	3.41	0.1	1	0	-0.78	4.84	1.25	
	Average	70.1	44.9	57.5	54.09	3.41	0.1	1	M	-0.78	4.84	1.25	
	CENTRAL												
	Burlington	79	45	62	57.24	5.7	0.1	1	6	-0.03	7.23	4.14	
	Danbury Municipal Ap	76.1	46.6	61.36	56.29	5.07	M	0	0	-0.83	5.23	1.84	
	Hartford-Bradley International Airport	77.1	47.9	62.5	58.76	3.74	M	0	0	-0.81	6.31	2.8	
	Meriden Markham Municipal Ap	76.7	45.1	60.93	57.76	3.17	0.01	1	0	-0.72	5.48	2.06	
	Norwich Public Utility Plant	76.6	46.4	61.5	58.07	3.43	0.28	1	0	-0.49	5.49	1.9	
	Staffordville	72.9	39.3	56.07	53.7	2.37	0.2	2	0	-0.61	5.06	1.54	
	West Thompson Lake	73	40.2	56.6	55.66	1.22	0.21	1	2	-0.31	4.52	1.18	
	Willimantic Windham Ap	75.1	43.3	59.21	57.1	2.11	M	0	0	-0.7	5.08	1.92	
	Average	75.8	44.2	60.02	56.82	3.35	0.16	2	M	-0.56	5.55	2.17	
	COASTAL												
Bridgeport-Success Hill	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
Average	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	M	N/A	N/A	N/A	
STATE TOTAL	74.5	44.4	59.42	56.17	3.37	0.15	2	M	-0.61	5.38	1.95		
Maine	NORTHERN												
	Caribou Wfo	61.9	36.9	49.36	50.66	-1.3	0.24	2	0	-0.5	1.18	-1.74	
	Frenchville Northern Aroostook Ap	59.6	37.9	48.71	50.1	-1.39	0.21	1	0	-0.44	1.01	-1.51	
	Houlton Airport	63.7	32	47.86	49.8	-1.94	0.31	2	0	-0.46	1.29	-1.66	
	Millinocket Municipal Airport	65.9	38	51.93	51.66	0.27	0.05	1	0	-0.7	2.03	-1.17	
	Moosehead	67.3	36.9	52.07	49.26	2.81	0.04	1	0	-0.68	2.55	-0.49	
	Rangeley	66.3	33.1	49.71	48.07	1.64	0	0	0	-0.77	3.96	0.88	
	Average	64.1	35.8	49.94	49.92	0.02	0.14	2	M	-0.59	2	-0.95	
	SOUTHERN INTERIOR												
	Augusta State Airport	71.3	46.3	58.79	53.87	4.91	M	0	0	-0.71	6.48	3.18	
	Bangor International Airport	69.7	39.9	54.79	53.01	1.77	0.02	1	0	-0.72	2.47	-0.77	
	Bethel 6 Sse	71.6	39.4	55.5	52.34	3.16	M	0	0	-0.83	7.69	4.14	
	Bridgton 3 Nw	M	M	M	52.84	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
	Dover-Foxcroft Wwtp	68.4	37.7	53.07	50.89	2.19	0.01	1	0	-0.74	4.92	1.71	
	Harmony	73.9	34	53.93	52.31	1.61	M	0	0	-0.75	4.96	1.62	
	Livermore Falls 1 E	M	M	M	52	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
	Topsfield 2	70.1	41	55.57	51.66	3.91	0.26	2	0	-0.72	1.73	-2.32	
	Turner	70.3	43.1	56.71	52.84	3.87	M	0	0	-0.83	7.5	3.8	
	Woodland	65.6	33.8	49.7	53.61	-4.18	0	0	2	-0.62	0.74	-1.03	
	Average	70.1	39.4	54.76	52.54	2.16	0.07	2	M	-0.74	4.56	1.29	
	COASTAL												
	Durham	74.7	39.1	56.93	51.07	5.86	0.01	1	0	-0.78	7.29	3.54	
East Surry	70	37	53.5	50.97	2.7	M	0	1	-0.72	3.71	-0.06		
Hollis	73.4	40.1	56.79	51.73	5.06	M	0	0	-0.86	7.6	3.6		
Portland Jetport	70.7	43.9	57.29	53.4	3.89	M	0	0	-0.79	6.14	2.41		
West Rockport 1 Nnw	71.1	47.1	59.14	51.9	7.24	0	0	1	-0.83	9.67	5.25		

		Air Temperature Last Week					Precipitation					
State	Station	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	MSG	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
	Jaffrey Silver Ranch Airpark	72.9	42.6	57.71	55.3	2.41	0.04	1	0	-0.75	4.41	1.01
	Keene	73.9	37.1	55.5	53.3	2.2	0.06	3	0	-0.77	3.83	0.55
	Lakeport 2	72.9	44	58.43	54.76	3.67	0	0	0	-0.76	6.58	3.33
	Lebanon Municipal Airport	72.4	38	55.21	55.2	0.01	M	0	0	-0.73	4.02	1.15
	North Conway	71.9	41	56.43	53.91	2.51	0.06	2	0	-0.75	7.79	3.99
	Tamworth 4	71.4	37	54.2	51.5	3.04	0	0	2	-0.6	9.34	5.72
	Owls Head	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
	Average	73.1	40.8	56.93	54.28	2.58	0.03	3	M	-0.73	5.8	2.59
	STATE TOTAL	70.8	38.9	54.83	53.07	1.76	0.07	3	M	-0.69	5.22	2.07
Rhode Island	ALL											
	Newport State Ap	69.1	46.3	57.71	55.39	2.33	0.27	2	1	-0.28	3.26	0.45
	Rhode Island T.F. Green International Airport	74.1	48.4	61.29	57.69	3.6	0.11	2	0	-0.61	5.01	1.63
	Westerly State Airport	71.1	48.3	59.71	57.03	2.69	0.19	1	0	-0.51	3.36	0.16
	Woonsocket	M	M	M	57.51	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
	Average	71.4	47.7	59.57	56.91	2.87	0.19	2	M	-0.47	3.88	0.75
	STATE TOTAL	71.4	47.7	59.57	56.91	2.87	0.19	2	M	-0.47	3.88	0.75
Vermont	NORTHEASTERN											
	Averill	63.4	34.3	48.86	49.37	-0.51	0.44	1	0	-0.32	4.66	1.97
	Montpelier - Edward F. Knapp State Airport	65.4	37.4	51.43	51.96	-0.53	0.01	1	0	-0.73	3.19	0.24
	Corinth	68.6	38	53.29	50.74	2.54	0.02	1	0	-0.79	5.23	1.93
	Johnson 2 N	65.4	38	51.71	51.4	0.31	0.04	1	0	-0.96	2.51	-0.55
	Newport	M	M	M	51.86	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
	Rochester	M	M	M	52.49	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
	Saint Johnsbury	71.9	38.6	55.21	55.21	0	0.03	1	0	-0.77	3.58	0.44
	Sutton	66.1	40.3	53.21	51.1	2.11	0.01	1	0	-0.92	3.84	0.05
	Average	66.8	37.8	52.28	51.77	0.65	0.09	1	M	-0.75	3.84	0.68
	WESTERN											
	Bennington Morse State Ap	70.9	38.6	54.71	55	-0.29	0.04	1	0	-0.7	0.16	-1.61
	Burlington International Airport	71.3	44.4	57.86	56.89	0.97	0.01	1	0	-0.79	3.34	0.24
	Rutland	71.3	35.1	53.21	53.61	-0.4	0.07	2	0	-0.71	3.93	0.88
	South Lincoln	67.6	35.3	51.43	50.4	1.03	0.11	2	0	-0.89	0.12	-1.18
	Average	70.3	38.3	54.3	53.98	0.33	0.06	2	M	-0.77	1.89	-0.42
	SOUTHEASTERN											
	Springfield Hartness State Ap	72.1	39.9	56	54.17	1.83	0.02	1	0	-0.72	5.75	2.75
	Woodstock	72	38.1	55.07	53.86	1.21	0	0	0	-0.79	6.07	3
	Average	72	39	55.53	54.02	1.52	0.01	1	M	-0.76	5.91	2.88
	STATE TOTAL	68.8	38.2	53.49	52.87	0.69	0.07	1	M	-0.76	3.53	0.68

DFN = Departure from normal.

MSG = Missing days.

M = Missing value.

Data may be subject to additional quality control.

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