

CROP REPORT

Season start date:

May 2019

Period covered:

From May 10th to 25th

#1 - Planting Progress

WEATHER DATA (PERIOD / TOTAL SEASON)

Location	Rain	Average temperature	CHU
Eastern Ontario 2017	214.98 mm / 1000 mm	26.4 °C / 24.4 °C	2032 / 2300
Eastern Ontario 2018	214.98 mm / 1000 mm	26.4 °C / 24.4 °C	2032 / 2300

RAIN & DROUGHT

It has been and still is a wet and cool spring to date with only a few days in the low 20's. Most soils are still wet and any fields that are clay base or not perfectly drained, still have water standing in sections. Persistently very wet field conditions.

310 mm

AVERAGE TEMPERATURE

Temperatures have been and still are largely below normal for spring with only a few days in the mid 20's. Tonight again, the thermometer will drop to a low of 4 Deg. Celsius. And for the coming week, it doesn't look any better...

26,4 °C

WEATHER FX ON PLANTS

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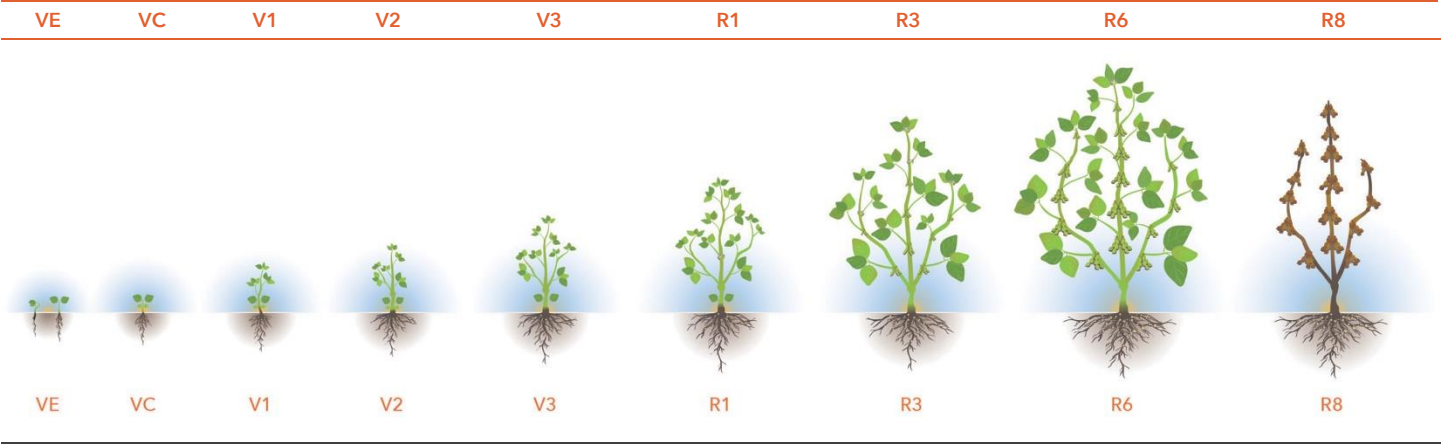
Weeds are growing in the fields and getting larger by the day which may cause weed management issues to control them later on in IP soybeans. Very few soybeans planted to date but gradually progressing. On the properly drained and sandier soils, soybean plantings are progressing. As soon as you move to heavy clay soils especially with poor drainage, none of those fields have been touched since spring. I suspect that some fields will not even be planted this year in my territory. Planting grain corn after June

Mildly negative

CROP LOCATION BY VARIETY



DEVELOPMENT STAGE



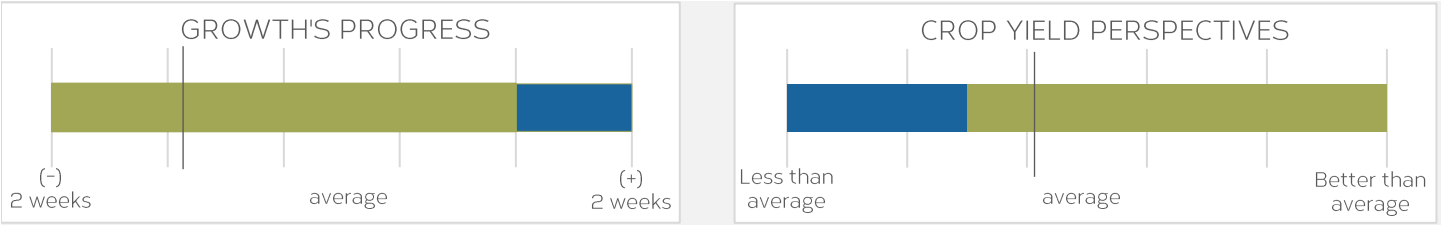
CROP MANAGEMENT-

I suspect that in Eastern Ontario about 30% of the soybeans are in the ground. Having said that, fields that have not been planted yet will be a huge challenge if we don't get sun and heat with no more rainfall. Less than 1% of the soybeans have emerged.

ORGANIC CROP-

None planted to date.

GROWTH FORECAST



FIELDS OVERVIEW AND PLANT STAGE



Field planted May 25th.



Seeds are well sprouted and the roots are anchoring. The soybeans should be through the ground in 3 more days.

