


# CROP REPORT #4

Season start date:  
May 1<sup>st</sup> 2025  
Period covered:  
From May 1<sup>st</sup> to Sept 8<sup>th</sup>

LOCATION	RAIN	AVERAGE TEMPERATURE	CHU
Western Ontario 2024	240-310 mm / 1000 mm	22 °C / 9 °C	2750-3050 to date
Western Ontario 2025	180-270 mm / 1000 mm	22 °C / 10 °C	2600-2800 to date

RAIN AND DROUGHT	AVERAGE TEMPERATURE	WEATHER FX ON PLANTS
Below 180 mm in some areas	22 °C / 10 °C	

**GLOBALLY**

Earlier planted soybean fields are at R7 but later planted fields are still at R6. There is low weed and disease pressure but lack of moisture in Ontario has really reduced yield potential. Lighter textured soils are showing significant signs of drought stress and causing soybeans to mature early. Many fields have flat soybean pods and it is fairly rare to find 4 developed beans in a pod. Overall yields will be down in Western Ontario compared to last year.

**DEVELOPMENT STAGE**

