



California Crop Weather

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WEATHER

Temperature highs ranged from the low 60s to high 80s in the mountains, low 60s to low 100s along the coast, mid 70s to mid 100s in the valley, and mid 70s to low 110s in the desert. Temperature lows ranged from the low 30s to low 60s in the mountains, mid 40s to low 80s in the desert, low 40s to high 50s along the coast, and high 40s to high 70s in the valley.

FIELD CROPS

In the Sacramento Valley, winter **wheat** progressed well and **rice** continued to be planted. **Corn** and **safflower** progressed well in Kings. Cutting of **alfalfa** continued. In Tulare, corn, **cotton**, and safflower progressed well. Wheat and **oats** continued to be harvested. Silage crops were being cut.

FRUIT CROPS

Pomegranates started to bloom. Stone fruit orchards were irrigated. Nutrient sprays and pesticides, herbicides and fungicides were applied to orchards and vineyards. Mechanical vineyard maintenance continued. Shoot thinning and positioning were also underway in **grape** vineyards. Late Navel **orange** quality declined and harvest was wrapping up for the season. Star Ruby **grapefruit** were harvested. Seedless **tangerines** remained netted for the bloom. Valencia orange and **lemon** harvesting continued. Citrus groves were thinned, topped and skirted. **Olive** bloom was progressing well. Some olive trees were pruned.

NUT CROPS

Almonds were sizing well. **Walnut** and **pistachio** bloom continued. Young nut orchard floors were mowed and irrigations systems repaired.

VEGETABLE CROPS

Blackeye **peas** were planted in Kings. In Tulare, **zucchini**, **squash**, **cucumbers**, **tomatoes**, and **eggplant** continued to be harvested and **asparagus** harvest concluded. **Broccoli**, asparagus, and **carrot** harvest concluded in Fresno. In San Mateo, **artichokes** and peas were harvested.

LIVESTOCK

Foothill rangeland and non-irrigated pasture remained in good condition. Late season precipitation benefitted grass growth. Sheep grazed in fallow fields. Some bees were moved out of state, while others were moved to **kiwi** vineyards and **melon** fields for pollination.

CALIFORNIA CROP WEATHER – WEEK ENDING 06/09/2019

STATIONS	TEMPERATURE				GROWING DEGREE HOURS AT 60°F BASE		RAIN DAYS	PRECIPITATION ^{1/}			
	Average Week Ending 06/09/2019	Departure from Normal ^{2/}	High	Low	This Year	Normal Year ^{2/}	This Season	This Week	This Season	Normal Season ^{2/}	Normal Year ^{2/}
					January 1- 06/09/2019	January 1- 06/09/2019	July 1- 06/09/2019	Week Ending 06/09/2019	Oct 1- 06/09/2019	Oct 1- 06/09/2019	Oct 1- Sept 30
	-- Degrees Fahrenheit --				-- Number --		-- Days ^{3/} --	-- Inches of Precipitation --			
North Coast											
Eureka WFO	55	-1	73	40	2	0	104	0.00	41.79	38.85	40.53
Ukiah	69	4	96	46	301	125	85	0.00	43.65	36.57	37.61
Santa Rosa	68	4	93	48	151	76	80	0.00	48.07	35.71	36.51
Napa State Hospital	66	3	92	43	104	41	68	0.00	26.52	19.96	20.52
Central Coast											
San Francisco	64	3	89	50	85	27	75	0.00	23.34	20.39	20.79
San Jose	69	2	92	52	242	217	75	0.00	16.43	14.63	15.02
Salinas	67	6	96	51	139	18	70	0.00	13.82	12.59	12.91
Monterey	59	0	87	45	35	0	85	0.00	22.48	15.82	16.23
Paso Robles	73	6	101	42	267	185	60	0.00	14.90	12.44	12.87
Sacramento Valley											
Redding	78	5	100	57	542	374	86	0.00	43.22	33.38	34.80
Red Bluff	77	4	102	57	534	398	80	0.00	30.39	23.49	24.63
Willows	77	5	98	54	536	383	52	0.00	30.26	22.69	23.67
Oroville	76	3	97	56	475	380	82	0.00	33.33	30.44	31.72
Marysville	76	5	97	54	413	345	70	0.00	28.99	21.99	22.88
Sacramento	74	4	96	52	375	304	66	0.00	26.45	20.70	21.35
San Joaquin Valley											
Stockton	77	7	101	54	463	329	66	0.00	18.39	13.73	14.14
Modesto	76	3	101	56	495	484	63	0.00	13.37	12.77	13.19
Merced Mcready	75	4	101	53	434	356	59	0.00	13.28	12.17	12.59
Madera	78	6	104	49	643	382	58	0.00	11.43	11.68	12.10
Fresno	79	4	101	57	666	543	60	0.00	11.87	11.20	11.57
Lemoore	77	5	102	54	534	409	55	0.00	8.40	7.69	7.95
Visalia	78	5	100	54	530	461	54	0.00	10.76	10.68	10.99
Bakersfield	80	5	101	59	727	569	56	0.00	7.83	6.31	6.51
Cascade Sierra											
Alturas	58	1	86	31	17	0	90	0.00	13.51	12.55	14.22
Mount Shasta	60	1	87	37	66	0	89	0.00	44.75	41.10	43.48
Blue Canyon	61	2	77	44	43	0	97	0.07	78.00	62.66	65.00
Yosemite Valley	65	2	87	46	63	45	79	0.11	37.81	35.21	36.97
South Coast											
Santa Maria	63	4	84	48	111	0	65	0.00	15.69	13.74	14.05
Santa Barbara	61	0	71	53	82	34	53	0.00	21.92	17.31	17.89
Oxnard	62	0	70	54	111	42	45	0.00	14.70	14.32	14.71
Riverside	73	3	103	56	435	459	41	0.00	13.10	11.93	12.50
Los Angeles	65	1	72	59	281	161	40	0.00	16.94	12.49	12.92
San Diego	65	0	73	61	407	257	53	0.00	12.82	10.10	10.42
Southeast Interior											
Bishop	70	1	94	46	166	201	31	0.00	8.70	4.57	5.21
Daggett	83	3	105	61	774	798	24	0.00	3.88	3.09	4.08
Lancaster	77	3	100	52	340	419	34	0.00	7.24	7.01	7.43
Thermal	84	1	110	63	1622	1263	19	0.00	3.29	2.62	3.22
Blythe	87	1	106	68	1375	1398	16	0.00	2.60	2.61	3.85
Imperial	84	0	104	64	1293	1292	18	0.00	1.75	2.52	3.46

^{1/} Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice).

^{2/} Normal periods 1980-2010 used in departure from normal calculations.

^{3/} Total number of days with precipitation events this season.

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