

For the Period May 24 to 30, 2016

Seeding of the 2016 crop is almost complete. Ninety four per cent of the crop is now seeded, according to Saskatchewan Agriculture's weekly Crop Report. Cooler temperatures and rain during the past week have slowed field operations in some areas of the province; however, seeding progress is still ahead of the five-year (2011-2015) average of 77 per cent for this time of year. Many producers have completed seeding operations and are now starting in-crop herbicide applications.

Ninety-six per cent of the crop is seeded in the southeast, 95 per cent in the west central and northwest regions, 94 per cent in the northeast, 93 per cent in the southwest and 91 per cent in the east central region.

Rain was fairly general across the province and heavy downpours have been reported in some areas, particularly in southern regions. Precipitation ranged from zero to 95 mm. Some areas will still need rain in the coming weeks to help crops emerge and establish. Topsoil moisture conditions on cropland are rated as eight per cent surplus, 86 per cent adequate and six per cent short. Hay land and pasture

Seeding Progress in SK Per cent seeded All Crops	
May 30, 2016	94
June 1, 2015	97
June 2, 2014	78
May 27, 2013	67
May 28, 2012	74
May 30, 2011	70
5 year avg. (2011-2015)	77
10 year avg. (2006-2015)	80

topsoil moisture is rated as six per cent surplus, 84 per cent adequate, eight per cent short and two per cent very short.

Overall, crops that have emerged are in good to excellent condition, although there has been some damage caused by flea beetles, cutworms, localized flooding and lack of moisture.

Producers are busy completing seeding operations and controlling weeds and insects.

One year ago
Ninety-seven per cent of the crop had been seeded. Heavy frost in some areas caused crop damage. Due to dry conditions emergence and germination was of concern in some areas of the province.

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Saskatchewan Seeding Progress May 30, 2016 % Seeded	
Spring wheat	95
Durum	94
Barley	90
Oats	87
Canary seed	86
Flax	86
Canola	94
Mustard	93
Soybeans	92
Lentils	98
Field peas	98
Chickpeas	97

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Southeastern Saskatchewan (Crop District 1 – Carnduff, Estevan, Redvers, Moosomin and Kipling areas; Crop District 2 – Weyburn, Milestone, Moose Jaw, Regina and Qu’Appelle areas; Crop District 3ASE – Radville and Lake Alma areas)

Seeding is 96 per cent complete in the region. The five-year (2011-2015) seeding average for this time of year is 68 per cent. Significant amounts of rain throughout the week slowed field operations, with most areas reporting over 35 mm of rain. The rain was welcome, as conditions were dry for emerging crops and hay and pasture land. Although, excess rain over a short amount of time in some areas has caused issues such as flooding and has affected field access.

Rainfall recorded ranged from 20 mm (Vibank area) to 95 mm (Moosomin area). Other areas receiving larger amounts of rain included Lampman (61 mm), Weyburn (47 mm) and Radville (56 mm). The Moose Jaw area holds the regional record for greatest amount of rainfall received since April 1 (155 mm). The Vibank area has the least accumulated rain in the region (40 mm) since April 1.

Topsoil moisture conditions have improved over last week, with 16 per cent rated as surplus, 82 per cent adequate and two per cent short on cropland. Hay land and pasture topsoil moisture is rated as 13 per cent surplus, 84 per cent adequate and three per cent short. Crop District 1A is reporting 30 per cent surplus topsoil moisture on crop land.

Overall, emerging crops are in good condition. The majority of crop damage this week was due to flooding, cutworm and fleabeetle damage. There are also many reports of tent caterpillars damaging trees in the region. In-crop herbicide applications are just beginning.

Farmers are busy finishing up seeding, rolling pulse crops, controlling weeds and moving cattle.

Southwestern Saskatchewan (Crop District 3ASW – Coronach, Assiniboia and Ogema areas; Crop District 3AN – Gravelbourg, Mossbank, Mortlach and Central Butte areas; Crop District 3B – Kyle, Swift Current , Shaunavon and Ponteix areas; Crop District 4 – Consul, Maple Creek and Leader areas)

Farmers in the region have almost wrapped up seeding, with 93 per cent complete. The five-year (2011-2015) seeding average for this time of year is 83 per cent.

Rainfall in the region was general and ranged from 10 mm (Climax area) to 68 mm (Tyner area). The Limerick area received 51 mm, the Eyebrow and Gull Lake areas 45 mm, the Hazenmore area 54 mm and the Leader area 53 mm. The Shaunavon area holds the regional, and provincial, record for greatest amount of rainfall received since April 1 (216 mm). Cropland topsoil moisture is rated as eight per cent surplus, 91 per cent adequate and one per cent short. Hay land and pasture topsoil moisture is rated as five per cent surplus, 92 per cent adequate and three per cent short. Crop district 3ASW is reporting 20 per cent surplus of topsoil moisture on crop and hay land.

Emerged crops are in good to excellent condition, although many fields remain wet from recent rain. The rain is welcomed after a year of very dry conditions in 2015. However, due to significant rainfall, there have been reports of localized flooding causing crop damage in some areas.

Farmers are busy completing seeding, rolling pulses and controlling weeds.

East-Central Saskatchewan (Crop District 5 – Melville, Yorkton, Cupar, Kamsack, Foam Lake, Preeceville and Kelvington areas; Crop District 6A – Lumsden, Craik, Watrous and Clavet areas)

Seeding operations are continuing in the region. Ninety-one per cent of the crop is now seeded. Some areas were able to continue with field work between rain showers. The five-year (2011-2015) seeding average for this time of year is 69 per cent.

Rainfall recorded ranged from 1 mm (Raymore area) to 46 mm (Holdfast area). Crop region 5B reported the least amount of rainfall, with most areas receiving less than 10 mm. The Bethune area holds the regional record for greatest amount of rainfall received since April 1 (124 mm). Cropland topsoil moisture conditions are rated as four per cent surplus, 88 per cent adequate, seven per cent short and one per cent very short. Hay land and pasture topsoil moisture is rated as three per cent surplus, 88 per cent adequate, seven per cent short and two per cent very short. Crop district 5B is reporting 13 per cent short on crop land topsoil moisture.

Emerged crops are in relatively good to excellent condition, although damage this week was caused by flea beetle, cutworm and flooding.

Farmers are busy seeding, controlling weeds and scouting fields for insects.

West-Central Saskatchewan (Crop Districts 6B – Hanley, Outlook, Loreburn, Saskatoon and Arelee areas; Crop District 7A – Rosetown, Kindersley, Eston, Major; Crop District 7B - Kerrobert, Macklin, Wilkie and Biggar areas)

Farmers in the region have 95 per cent of the 2016 crop seeded. The five-year (2011-2015) seeding average for this time of year is 83 per cent.

Some areas of the region received much-needed moisture this past week. Rainfall in the region ranged from 5 mm (Outlook and Cando areas) to 51 mm (Tramping Lake area). The Marengo area also holds the regional record for greatest amount of rainfall received since April 1 (122 mm). The Rosthern area has totalled 27 mm since April 1.

Topsoil moisture conditions have greatly improved, thanks to the recent rain. Topsoil moisture conditions on cropland are rated as eight per cent surplus, 85 per cent adequate, six per cent short and one per cent very short. Hay land and pasture topsoil moisture is rated as six per cent surplus, 78 per cent adequate, 12 per cent short and four per cent very short. At this time, Crop District 6B

is reporting that 12 per cent of cropland and hay land and pasture acres remain short topsoil moisture.

Overall, emerged crops are in good condition. The recent moisture will help to germinate crops evenly and get them off to a good start. There a few reports of cutworm and flea beetle causing damage in canola and lentil crops.

Farmers are busy completing seeding, controlling weeds, rolling pulses and scouting for insects.

Northeastern Saskatchewan (Crop District 8 – Hudson Bay, Tisdale, Melfort, Carrot River, Humboldt, Kinistino, Cudworth and Aberdeen areas; Crop District 9AE – Prince Albert, Choceland and Paddockwood areas)

The northeastern region has 94 per cent of the crop seeded. Although the region reported rain, most were able to keep to the fields between small shower events. The five-year (2011-2015) seeding average for this time of year is 80 per cent.

Rainfall ranged from two mm (Kinistino area) to 31 mm (Alvena area). The Nipawin area also holds the regional record for greatest amount of rainfall received since April 1 (106 mm). The Humboldt area has recorded 28 mm since April 1.

Cropland topsoil moisture conditions are rated as four per cent surplus, 88 per cent adequate, eight per cent short and one per cent very short. Hay land and pasture topsoil moisture is rated as two per cent surplus, 86 per cent adequate and 12 per cent short. Crop District 8A is reporting that 12 per cent of cropland and 14 per cent of hay land and pasture are short on topsoil moisture at this time.

Crops are emerging and are in relatively good condition. There were a few reports of flea beetle damage in canola in the Lake Lenore area.

Farmers are busy seeding, controlling weeds and scouting for insects.

Northwestern Saskatchewan (Crop District 9AW – Shellbrook, North Battleford, Big River and Hafford areas; Crop District 9B – Meadow Lake, Turtleford, Pierceland, Maidstone and Lloydminster areas)

Seeding continued to rapidly progress during the week, with 95 per cent now seeded. The five-year (2011-2015) seeding average for this time of year is 84 per cent. Although rain was welcomed in the region last week, some areas remain dry and will need additional moisture in the coming weeks.

Rainfall ranged from 2 mm (Debden area) to 47 mm (Lloydminster area). The Frenchman Butte area holds the regional record for greatest amount of rainfall received since April 1 (76 mm). The Duck Lake area has recorded 18 mm since April 1.

Topsoil moisture conditions have improved in the region, although some areas will need more rain in the coming weeks. Cropland topsoil moisture is rated as six per cent surplus, 75 per cent adequate and 19 per cent short. Hay land and pasture topsoil moisture is rated as three per cent surplus, 67 per cent adequate, 22 per cent short and eight per cent very short.

Crop emergence is generally good with the recent moisture, although germination is spotty due to the dry field conditions in some areas. Hail was reported in the Barthel and Turtleford areas, though damage is expected to be minimal, as most crops had not emerged yet.

Farmers are busy completing seeding, moving cattle and controlling weeds.

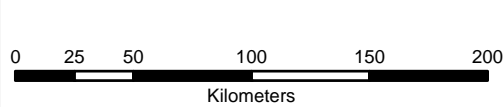
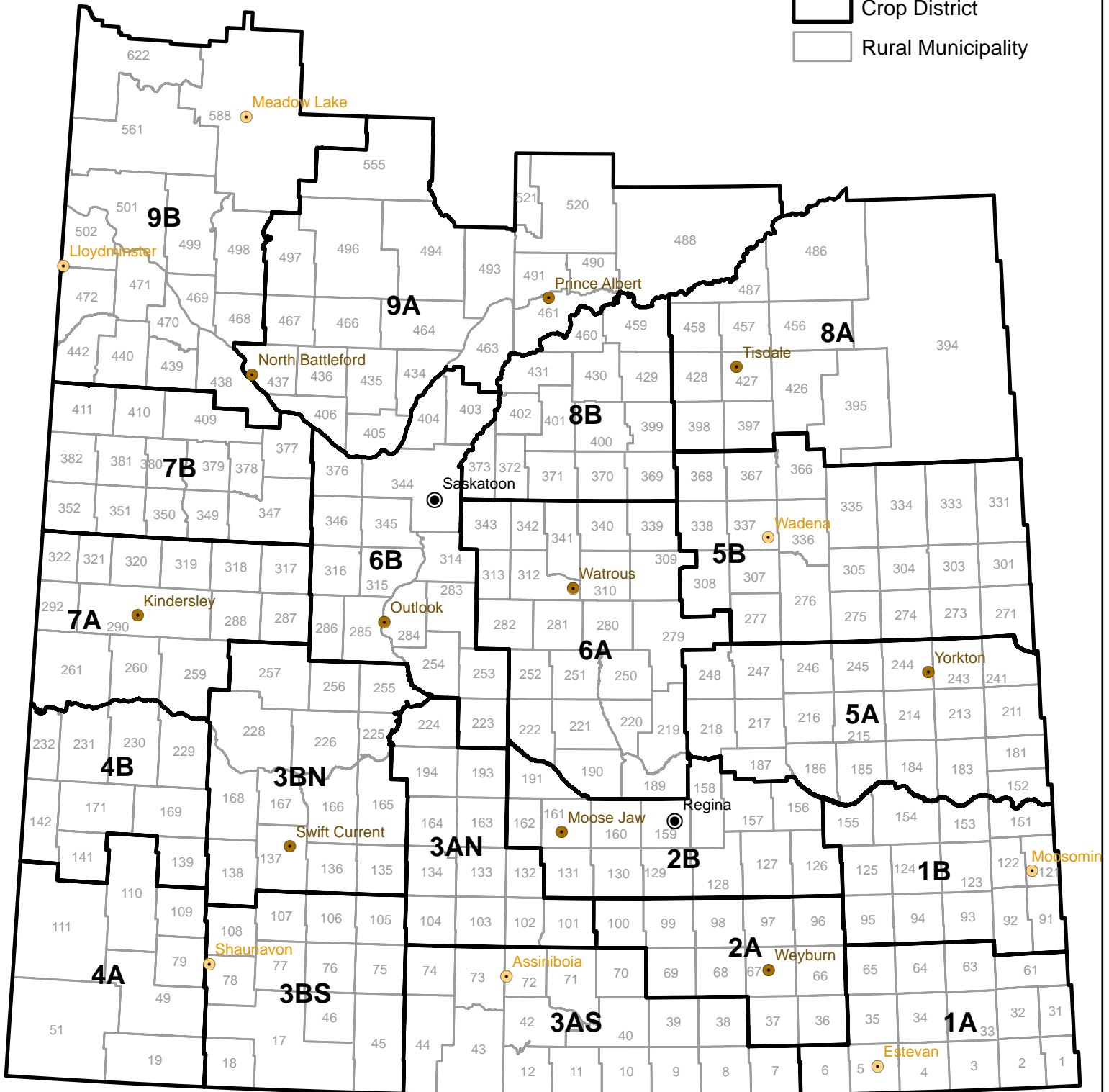
Crop Conditions - June 2, 2016

Provincial							
	Winter wheat	Fall rye	Spring wheat	Durum	Oat	Barley	Canaryseed
% excellent	23	49	22	30	15	19	27
% good	67	47	72	65	77	73	64
% fair	9	3	6	5	8	8	9
% poor	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Flax	Canola	Mustard	Soybean	Pea	Lentil	Chickpea
% excellent	20	20	22	5	34	37	16
% good	73	70	76	85	61	58	78
% fair	7	9	2	9	5	5	6
% poor	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southeast							
	Winter wheat	Fall rye	Spring wheat	Durum	Oat	Barley	Canaryseed
% excellent	10	19	22	33	11	19	44
% good	70	70	65	58	79	67	47
% fair	20	11	12	9	10	13	9
% poor	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Flax	Canola	Mustard	Soybean	Pea	Lentil	Chickpea
% excellent	21	24	9	3	22	35	N/A
% good	68	60	86	86	70	57	N/A
% fair	11	15	5	10	7	8	N/A
% poor	0	1	0	1	1	0	N/A
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	N/A
Southwest							
	Winter wheat	Fall rye	Spring wheat	Durum	Oat	Barley	Canaryseed
% excellent	27	63	29	31	36	31	9
% good	68	35	68	65	60	64	75
% fair	3	2	3	4	3	4	11
% poor	2	0	0	0	1	1	5
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Flax	Canola	Mustard	Soybean	Pea	Lentil	Chickpea
% excellent	19	19	26	3	43	36	15
% good	78	76	74	87	55	61	78
% fair	3	4	0	10	2	3	7
% poor	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
East-central							
	Winter wheat	Fall rye	Spring wheat	Durum	Oat	Barley	Canaryseed
% excellent	38	15	16	29	12	12	0
% good	59	85	77	71	74	77	78
% fair	2	0	7	0	14	11	22
% poor	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

East-central (continued)							
	Flax	Canola	Mustard	Soybean	Pea	Lentil	Chickpea
% excellent	18	13	N/A	8	24	29	N/A
% good	78	73	N/A	85	74	69	N/A
% fair	4	14	N/A	7	2	2	N/A
% poor	0	0	N/A	0	0	0	N/A
% very poor	0	0	N/A	0	0	0	N/A
West-central							
	Winter wheat	Fall rye	Spring wheat	Durum	Oat	Barley	Canaryseed
% excellent	4	33	24	25	20	27	25
% good	96	67	69	72	66	67	73
% fair	0	0	7	3	14	6	2
% poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Flax	Canola	Mustard	Soybean	Pea	Lentil	Chickpea
% excellent	30	24	24	35	36	41	N/A
% good	67	67	67	58	52	53	N/A
% fair	3	8	8	7	12	6	N/A
% poor	0	1	1	0	0	0	N/A
% very poor	0	0	0	0	0	0	N/A
Northeast							
	Winter wheat	Fall rye	Spring wheat	Durum	Oat	Barley	Canaryseed
% excellent	N/A	N/A	20	88	19	22	12
% good	N/A	N/A	78	12	76	69	63
% fair	N/A	N/A	2	0	5	9	25
% poor	N/A	N/A	0	0	0	0	0
% very poor	N/A	N/A	0	0	0	0	0
	Flax	Canola	Mustard	Soybean	Pea	Lentil	Chickpea
% excellent	15	27	N/A	N/A	39	N/A	N/A
% good	70	71	N/A	N/A	59	N/A	N/A
% fair	15	2	N/A	N/A	2	N/A	N/A
% poor	0	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A
% very poor	0	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A
Northwest							
	Winter wheat	Fall rye	Spring wheat	Durum	Oat	Barley	Canaryseed
% excellent	N/A	N/A	23	N/A	10	9	N/A
% good	N/A	N/A	76	N/A	89	91	N/A
% fair	N/A	N/A	1	N/A	1	0	N/A
% poor	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
% very poor	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	0	0	N/A
	Flax	Canola	Mustard	Soybean	Pea	Lentil	Chickpea
% excellent	40	16	N/A	N/A	18	N/A	N/A
% good	60	78	N/A	N/A	80	N/A	N/A
% fair	0	6	N/A	N/A	2	N/A	N/A
% poor	0	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A
% very poor	0	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A

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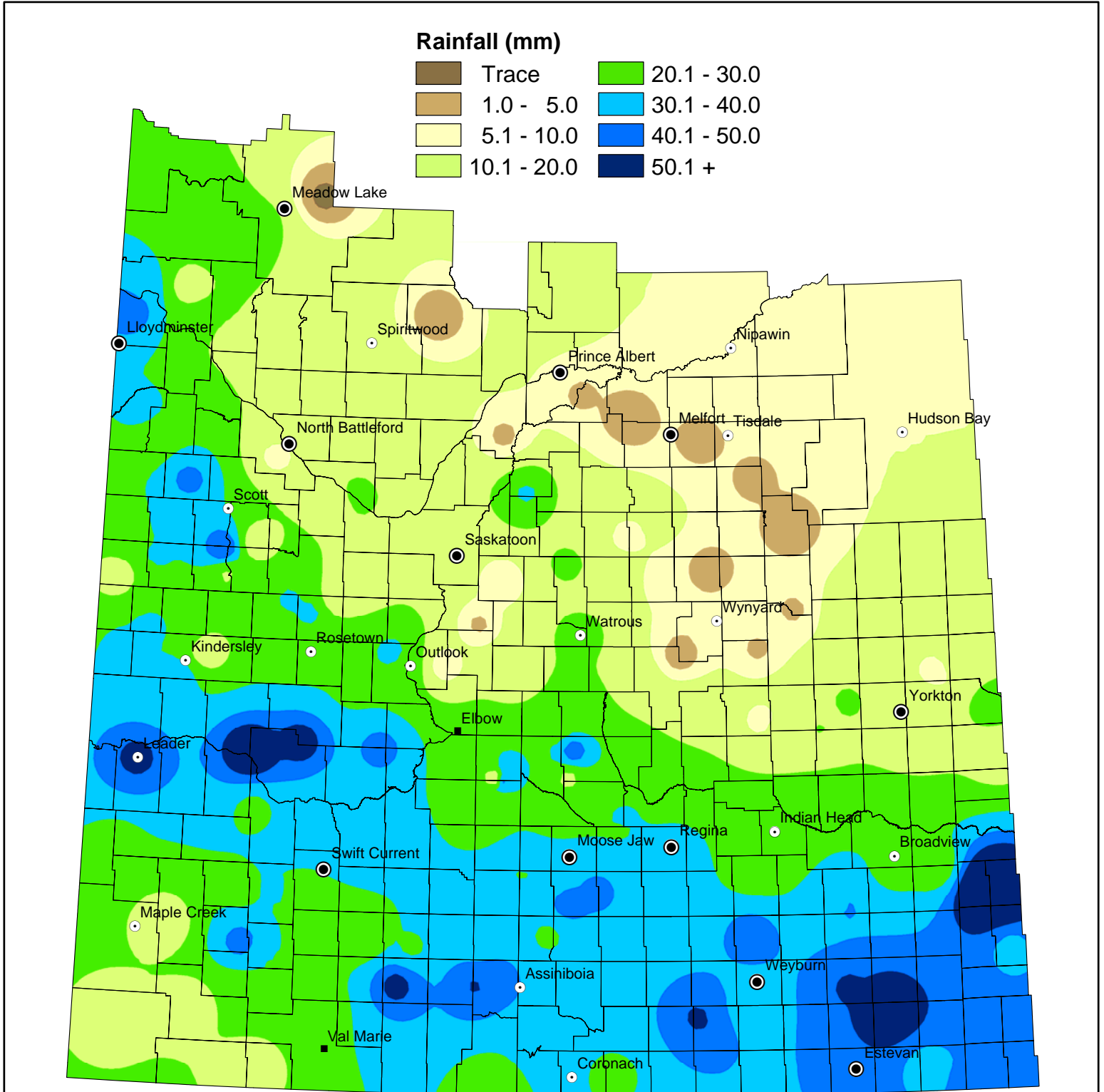


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Weekly Rainfall

from May 24 to May 30, 2016



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Weekly Rainfall Summary

(in millimeters)

1 inch = 25 mm

for the period May 24 to 30, 2016

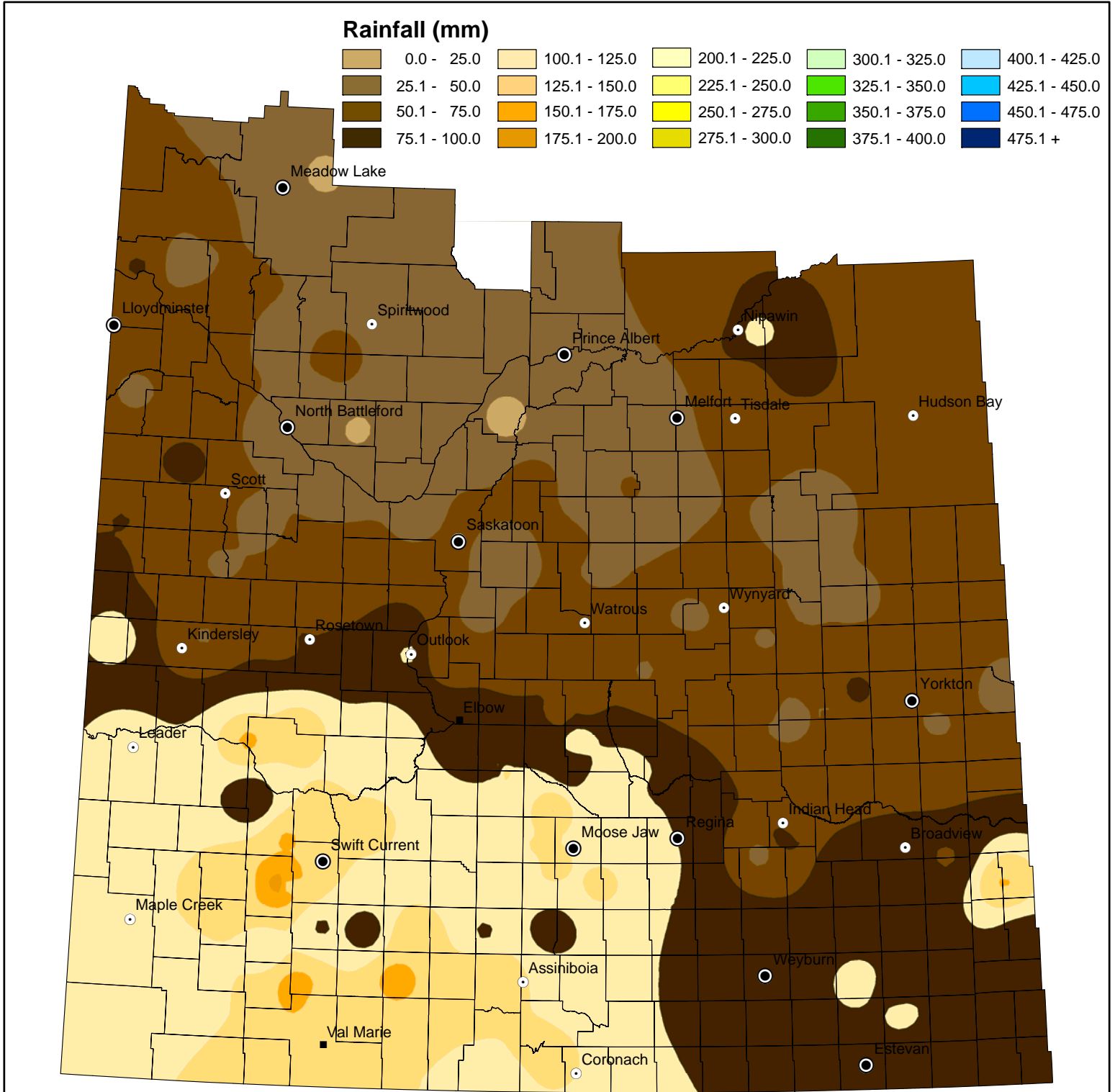
Crop Dist.	R.M. No.	Name	Past Week	Since 1-Apr	Crop Dist.	R.M. No.	Name	Past Week	Since 1-Apr	Crop Dist.	R.M. No.	Name	Past Week	Since 1-Apr
1A	2	Mount Pleasant	41	95	4A	49	White Valley	11	102	7A	287	St. Andrews	28	76
	3	Enniskillen	37	85		51	Reno	15.2	107		288	Pleasant Valley	24	64
	33	Moose Creek	N/A	32		79	Arlington	26	131		290 A	Kindersley	N/A	22
	34	Browning	61	105		109 A	Carmichael	45.5	107		290 B	Kindersley	10	49
	61	Antler	N/A	N/A		109 B	Carmichael	N/A	216		290 C	Kindersley	35	44
1B	64	Brock	54	89	110	Piapot	12	125	292	Milton	31	122		
	65	Tecumseh	51	106	111	Maple Creek	N/A	106	317 A	Marriott	32	74		
	91	Maryfield	38	86	4B	139	Gull Lake	28	140	317 B	Marriott	13	50	
	122	Martin	95	151		142	Enterprise	28	105	318	Mountain View	31	65	
	123	Silverwood	22	74		231	Happyland	53	112	320 A	Oakdale	28	54	
	124 A	Kingsley	N/A	59		5A	183	Fertile Belt	44	115	320 B	Oakdale	29	52
	124 B	Kingsley	N/A	N/A			211	Churchbridge	14	71	321	Prairiedale	32	80
	125 A	Chester	37	79	213	Saltcoats	16	48	7B	347	Biggar	14	30	
	125 B	Chester	41	101	241	Calder	24	40		350 A	Mariposa	50.8	67	
	151	Rocanville	30	81	243	Wallace	20	59		350 B	Mariposa	19	42	
154	Elcapo	27	80	244	Orkney	16	50	351		Progress	31	65		
155	Wolseley	43	91	245 A	Garry	21	80	352		Heart's Hill	14	80		
2A	67	Weyburn	40	85	245 B	Garry	25	59		377	Glenside	15	30	
	68	Brokenshell	40	100	245 C	Garry	10	43		378	Rosemount	5	34	
	97	Wellington	47	82	246	Ituna Bon Accord	18	38		379	Reford	13	33	
2B	127 A	Francis	28	67	247	Kellross	6	54		381	Grass Lake	32	63	
	127 B	Francis	20.4	40	5B	248	Touchwood	12		52	382	Eye Hill	25.4	76
	129	Bratt's Lake	36	100		271	Cote	16	36	409	Buffalo	22	46	
	131 A	Baildon	44	133		273	Sliding Hills	5	72	410	Round Valley	43	83	
	131 B	Baildon	45	155		277	Emerald	4	48	8A	395	Porcupine	N/A	46
	156 A	Indian Head	30.4	69		305	Invermay	13	46		397	Barrier Valley	3.8	54
	156 B	Indian Head	22	85		307	Efros	6	71		428	Star City	3	67
	159	Sherwood	38	82		308 A	Big Quill	5	44		456	Arborfield	5	80
	160	Pense	25	80		308 B	Big Quill	1	56		457	Connaught	5	71
	3ASE	161	Moose Jaw	36		112	331	Livingston	7	74	486	Moose Range	N/A	63
162		Caron	40	129		336	Sasman	4	35	487	Nipawin	10	106	
191		Marquis	25	151	337	Lakeview	N/A	43	8B	369	St. Peter	12	28	
38 A		Laurier	40.1	98	338	Lakeside	1	55		370 A	Humboldt	6	37	
38 B		Laurier	56	98	366	Kelvington	1	33		370 B	Humboldt	14	40	
39		The Gap	40	102	367	Ponass Lake	N/A	65		371	Bayne	N/A	22	
10		Happy Valley	28	115	6A	190 A	Dufferin	29		124	372	Grant	N/A	29
12		Poplar Valley	32	130		190 B	Dufferin	25	122	400	Three Lakes	14	54	
40		Bengough	N/A	N/A		190 C	Dufferin	25	110	402	Fish Creek	31	53	
42		Willow Bunch	31	128		190 D	Dufferin	36	80	429	Flett's Springs	4	34	
43	Old Post	21	114	219 A		Longlaketon	N/A	43	459	Kinistino	2	34		
73 A	Stonehenge	50.8	148	219 B		Longlaketon	28	97	460	Birch Hills	4.3	27		
73 B	Stonehenge	46	139	220		McKillop	27	66	9AE	488	Torch River	10	66	
3AN	101	Terrell	N/A	N/A		221 A	Sarnia	46.7		116	520	Paddockwood	15	44
	102	Lake Johnston	28.5	87		221 B	Sarnia	17.5		80	521	Lakeland	15	44
	103	Sutton	30	98		222	Craik	30		84	9AW	406	Mayfield	24
	132 A	Hillsborough	29.5	114	251	Big Arm	22.5	67		435		Redberry	14	43
	132 B	Hillsborough	30	134	252	Arm River	20	66	436	Douglas		12	20	
134	Shamrock	N/A	17	279	Mount Hope	14	48	463	Duck Lake	4		18		
193 A	Eyebrow	23	105	282	McCraney	13	59	467 A	Round Hill	14		48		
3BS	193 B	Eyebrow	45	153	312	Morris	23	60	467 B	Round Hill	16	54		
	17	Val Marie	27	125	313	Lost River	N/A	N/A	494	Canwood	2	27		
	18	Lone Tree	10	145	339	Leroy	5.4	51	9B	438	Battle River	8	39	
	75	Pinto Creek	54	160	340	Wolverine	19	44		440	Hillsdale	22.5	43	
	76	Auvergne	N/A	68	341	Viscount	22	54		442	Manitou Lake	33.5	48	
	77	Wise Creek	22	173	343	Blucher	5	32		498 A	Parkdale	18	43	
	78	Grassy Creek	27.5	127	6B	223 A	Huron	37		87	498 B	Parkdale	15	15
	105	Glenbain	29	149		223 B	Huron	25		104	499 A	Mervin	15	68
	106	Whiska Creek	23	86		284 A	Rudy	5		51	499 B	Mervin	N/A	N/A
	107	Lac Pelletier	24	98		285 B	Rudy	N/A		51	501 A	Frenchman Butte	15	36
108	Bone Creek	30	113	285 A		Fertile Valley	33	91		501 B	Frenchman Butte	29	67	
3BN	138 A	Webb	35	199		285 B	Fertile Valley	7.5		58	501 C	Frenchman Butte	37	76
	138 B	Webb	22	136		286	Milden	28	97	502	Britannia	47	47	
	166	Excelsior	39	134		314	Dundurn	4	37	561	Loon Lake	25	57	
	167	Sask. Landing	33	133		344	Corman Park	10	43	588 A	Meadow Lake	NIL	23	
	168 A	Riverside	32	152		346	Perdue	10	66	588 B	Meadow Lake	22	41	
	168 B	Riverside	27.5	75	376	Eagle Creek	8	32	622	Beaver River	N/A	1		
	226	Victory	44	123	403	Rosthern	10	27						
	228	Lacadena	68	153										
	257	Monet	57	150										

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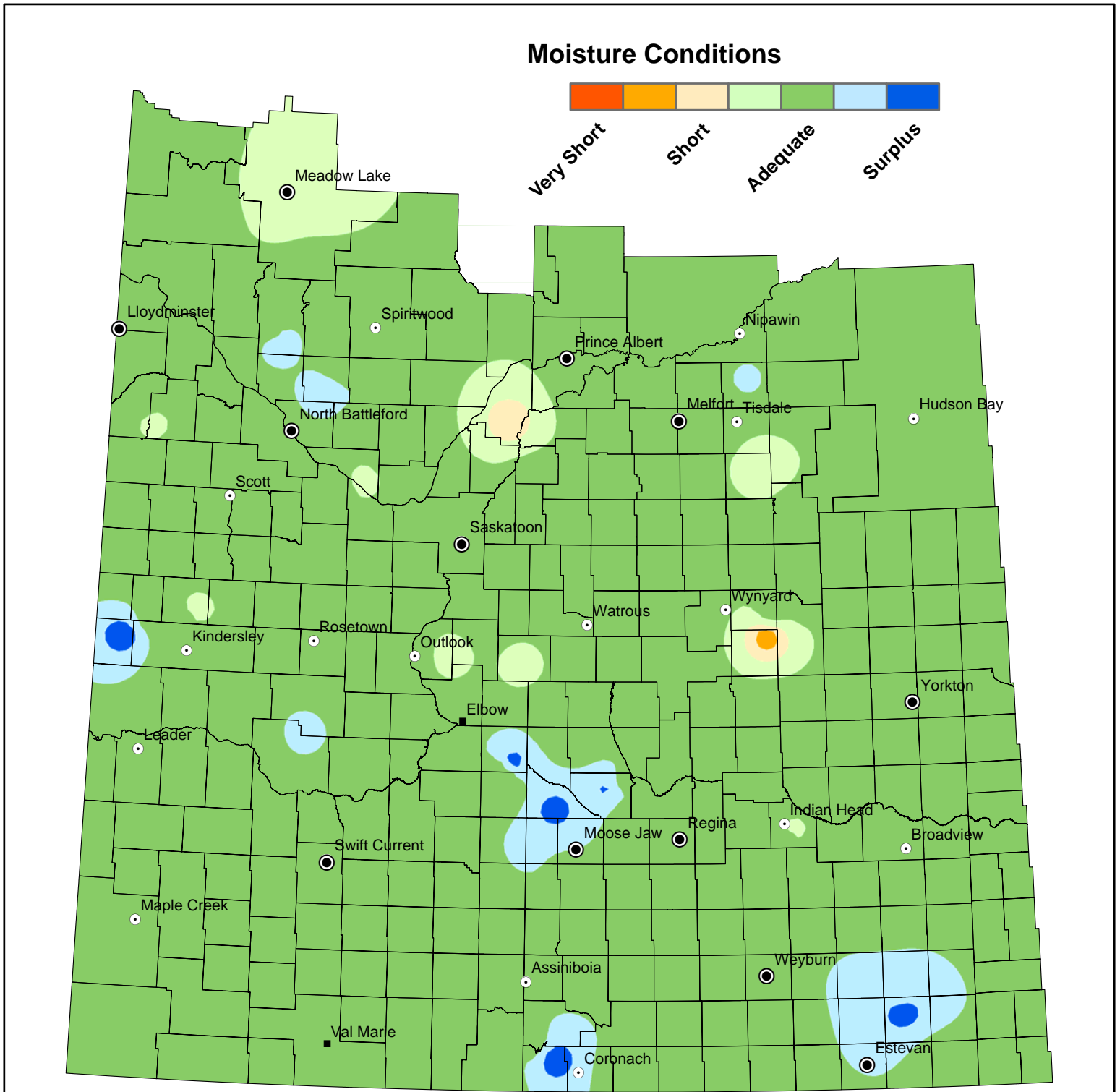
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Cropland Topsoil Moisture Conditions

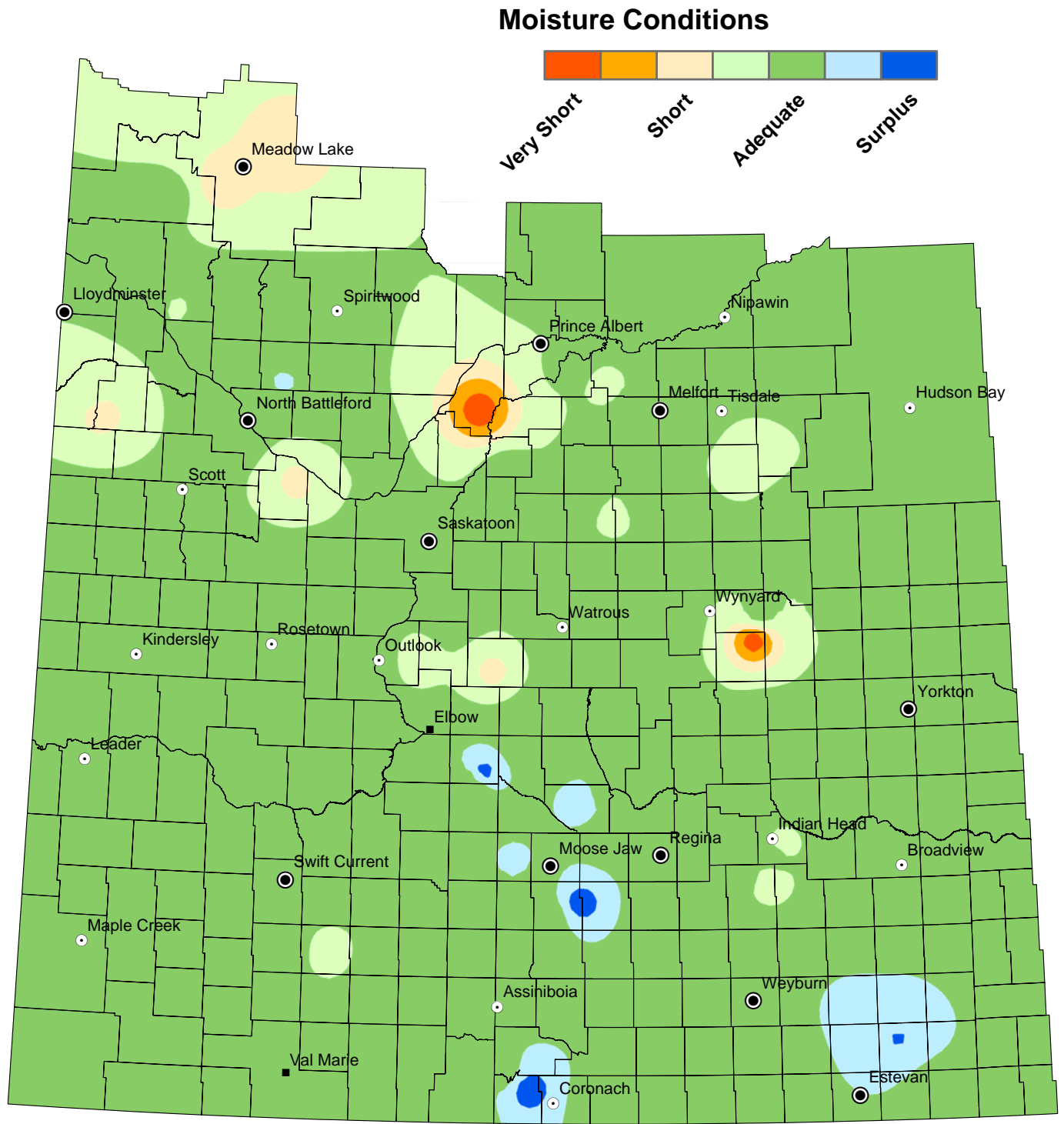
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Hay and Pasture Topsoil Moisture Conditions

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