

Table 1. Summary of climatic data by months for the 2014-2015 crop year (Sept.– Aug.) and averages for the period 1909-2014.  
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	Sept 2014	Oct 2014	Nov 2014	Dec 2014	Jan 2015	Feb 2015	Mar 2015	Apr 2015	May 2015	June 2015	July 2015	Aug 2015	Total/Avg.
Precipitation (in.)													
Current Year	2.34	0.65	0.45	0.35	0.31	0.20	0.34	1.48	3.79	1.76	1.77	0.54	13.98
1909-2014 Avg.	1.40	0.92	0.57	0.54	0.55	0.45	0.71	1.20	2.57	3.11	1.67	1.69	15.38
Temperature (°F)													
Current Year	55.2	50.0	27.0	28.8	28.5	28.7	39.9	42.4	48.5	62.7	65.5	66.7	45.3
1911-2014 Avg.	54.8	44.8	32.9	24.8	21.7	24.6	30.5	40.8	50.1	57.8	65.9	64.9	42.8

2014 Frost and Minimum/Maximum temperatures

Last killing frost <sup>1/</sup> in Spring	
2015	May20 (31°F)
1909-2015 Avg.	May 27
First killing frost <sup>1/</sup> in Fall	
2015	Sept.17 (30°F)
1909-2015 Avg.	September 15
Frost free period	
2015	120 days
1909-2015 Avg.	111 days
Maximum summer temp.	98°F –Aug 15, 2015
Minimum winter temp.	-22°F –Dec30,31 2014

<sup>1/</sup> In this summary 32°F is considered a killing frost.