

# AccuWeather® 7-Day Forecast for Lancaster and Surrounding Areas

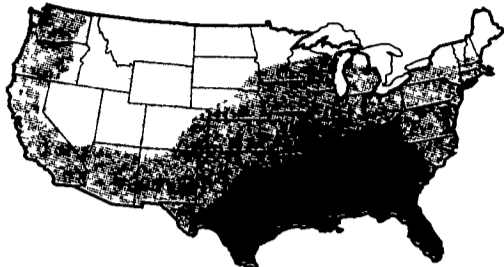
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Patchy fog or low clouds to start, then sun and breezy. High 64, Low 45 UV: 6	Sunny to partly cloudy High 70, Low 48 UV 7	Some sun with a shower or t-storm possible, warm High 68, Low 46 UV: 6	Clouds breaking for some sun High 66, Low 42 UV 7	Cloudy with showers possible High 64, Low 40 UV: 4	Mostly cloudy with a chance for showers High 60, Low 42 UV 3	A blend of sunshine and clouds High 68, Low 46 UV: 5

The local 7-Day Forecast is for Lancaster County. The ultraviolet index is a guide to exposure to the sun. The higher the UV Index number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection. 0-2, minimal, 3-4, low, 5-6, moderate, 7-9, high, 10 or above, very high.

## The Week Ahead

### Temperatures



### Precipitation



### Almanac

For the week ending Wednesday, Apr 23

Temperature	
High	59
Low	39
Normal high for week ahead	66
Normal low for week ahead	44

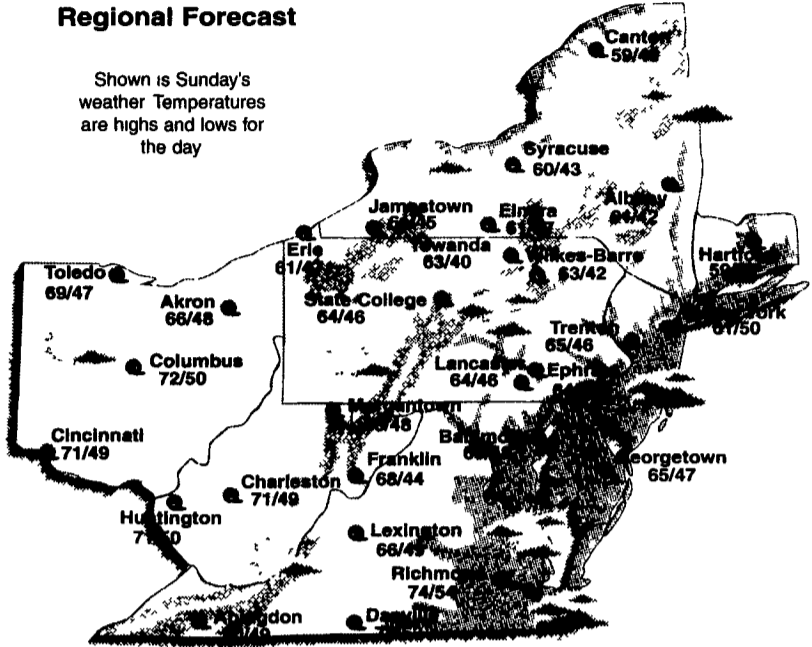
Precipitation	
Total last week	0.31"
Month to date	1.75"
Normal month to date	2.57"
Year to date	10.41"
Last year to date	8.28"
Normal year to date	11.97"
Growing Degree Days	
Month to date	54
Season to date	82

### Farming Forecast

High pressure will build across the area Sunday into Monday providing drier weather to the region. Soil will be very wet to start from recent rain, but should dry out a little bit the next few days with sunshine and breezy conditions. More showers are possible Tuesday with the next front approaching. The next chance for precipitation will come Thursday into Friday.

### Regional Forecast

Shown is Sunday's weather. Temperatures are highs and lows for the day.



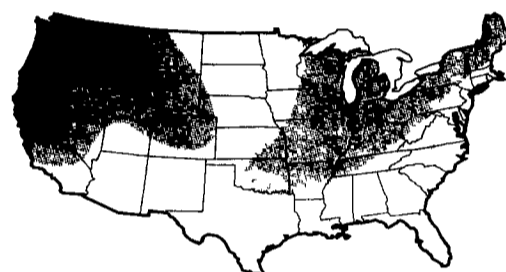
### Last Week's Precipitation Lancaster

April 17	trace
April 18	0.11"
April 19	0.00"
April 20	0.00"
April 21	trace
April 22	0.20"
April 23	0.00"

### 30-Day Temperature Outlook



### 30-Day Precipitation Outlook



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### Summer Annual Planting Management

Planting Depth: 1/2 to 1 inch deep

#### Time of Planting:

- Plant Sorghum sudans and Forage sorghum after soil temperatures reach 60 degrees (typically 2 to 3 weeks after corn planting begins). Can be planted as late as early July assuming moist soil.
- Plant Mega-Mil after soil temperatures reach 65 degrees. Mega-Mil seed is smaller and needs good seed-to-soil contact.

#### Fertility:

- Use soil testing. Manure is an excellent source of fertility.
- Nitrogen: For Sorghum sudans and Mega-Mil apply 75 units at time of planting, plus 50 units after each cut or every other grazing. For Forage sorghum use 75-85% of corn recommendation for your area.

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