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Precipitation came in at 2.63 inches, which is 0.35 inches below normal. The greatest 24 hour total was 1.12 inches from the 14th into the 15th. There were 11 days with measurable rainfall, which is 3.6 days above normal.

There were 424 accumulated growing degree days (GDD), which was 87.5 GDD above the 1981-2010 normal of 336.5 GDD. The highest was on the 14th, at 25.5 GDD. There were 4,575.5 GDD during the growing season (March 1 to October 31), which was 221 GDD above the 1981-2010 normal of 4354.5 GDD.

For 2014, precipitation has reached 29.65 inches, which is 7.45 inches below normal. The average temperature year-to-date (through October 31) was 61.6 degrees, which was 0.2 degrees above normal.

There were no daily records set in October.

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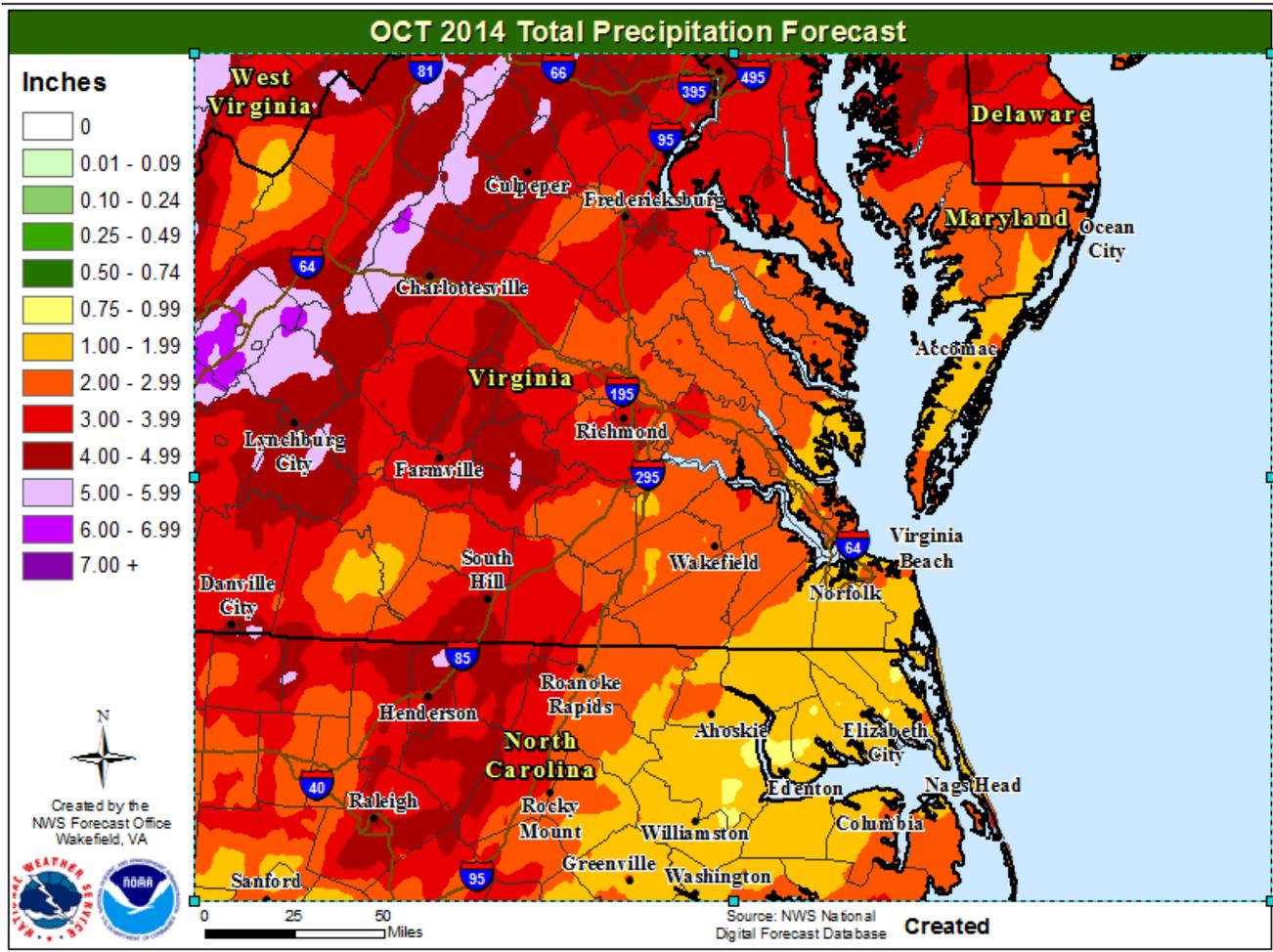
The average temperature at Norfolk International Airport was 64.3 degrees, which was 2.2 degrees above normal. The average high temperature was 73.1 degrees or 3.0 degrees above normal. The average low temperature was 55.4 degrees, or 1.4 degrees above normal. The highest temperature was 83 degrees on the 10th, 14th, and 28th. The lowest temperature was 42 degrees on the 27th. There were 0 days with a maximum temperature above 90 degrees, which is 0.1 days below normal.

Precipitation came in at 1.57 inches, which was 1.85 inches below normal. The greatest 24 hour total was 0.58 inches on the 15th. There were 7 days with measurable rainfall, which is 0.6 days below normal.

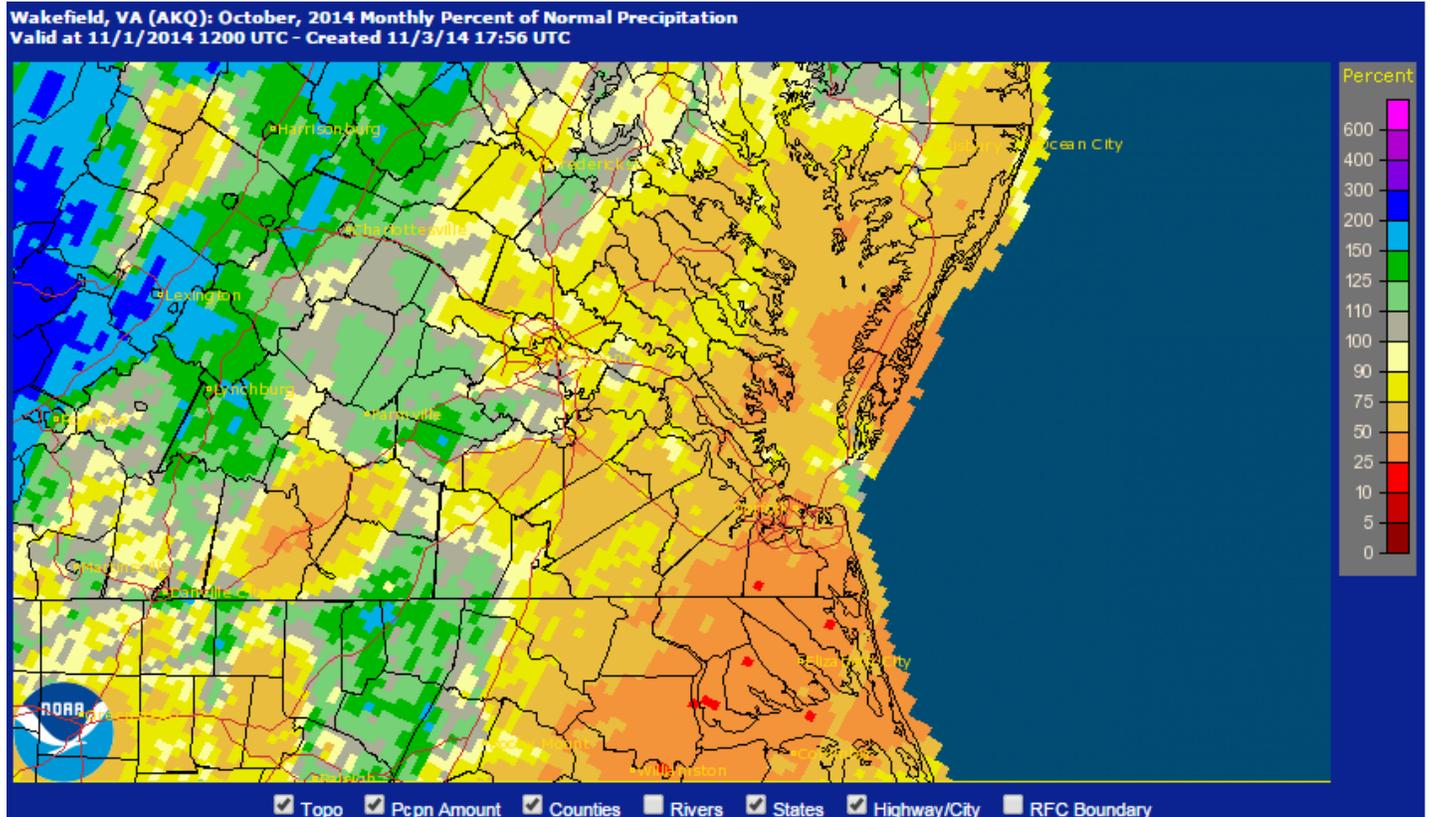
There were 458.5 accumulated growing degree days (GDD), which was 85.5 GDD above the 1981-2010 normal of 373 GDD. The highest was on the 14th, at 35.5 GDD. There were 4623.5 GDD during the growing season (March 1 to October 31), which was 146.5 GDD above the 1981-2010 normal of 4477 GDD.

For 2014, precipitation has reached 43.15 inches, which is 3.03 inches above normal. The average temperatures year-to-date temperature (through October 31) was 62.4 degrees, which was normal.

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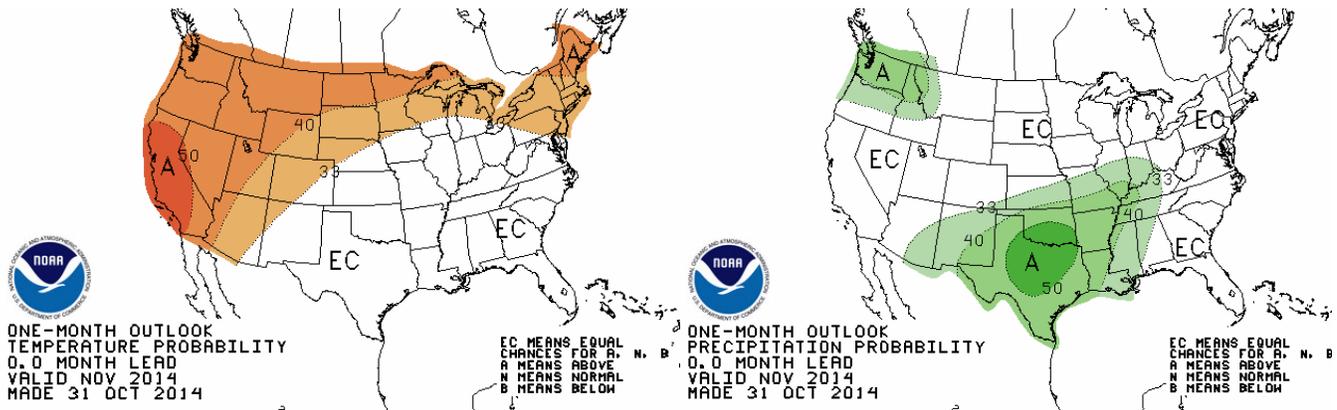
Additional Information: http://www.weather.gov/akq/MONTHLY_RAINFALL_ANALYSIS



October 2014 Percent of Normal Rainfall. Additional data can be found at: <http://water.weather.gov>

Outlooks (see <http://www.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/>)...

The **30 day outlooks** for temperature (left image) and precipitation (right image) predict equal chances for above, below, or near-normal conditions.



The **90 day outlooks** for temperature (left image) and precipitation (right image) predicts increased chances for above normal temperatures and precipitation.

