

Rutgers University, New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station

2013 Potato Disease Forecasting Report

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Date	Pittstown			Hamilton			Upper Deerfield			Mount Holly			Woodbine		
	Daily DSV	Total DSV	Total P-days	Daily DSV	Total DSV	Total P-days	Daily DSV	Total DSV	Total P-days	Daily DSV	Total DSV	Total P-days	Daily DSV	Total DSV	Total P-days
7/4	0	44	485	2	57	470	0	19	486	3	98	482	0	24	462
7/5	0	44	491	0	57	476	0	19	491	0	98	488	0	24	467
7/6	0	44	498	0	57	480	0	19	495	0	98	492	0	24	470
7/7	0	44	504	0	57	484	0	19	499	0	98	496	0	24	473
7/8	1	45	512	0	57	491	0	19	507	0	98	504	0	24	480

- Late blight was found on potato and processing tomato in Salem county on 7/2 and in organic tomato in Mercer County. Late blight has also been detected in DE, VA and MD in recent weeks. Scouting on a regular basis is highly recommended. All potato and tomato growers who have not initiated a standard protectant fungicide program should do so. All growers should also consider adding a late blight specific fungicide to their programs as long as current weather patterns continue.
- All late blight development updates are being posted under the [Vegetable Crop section of the Plant and Pest Advisory](#).
- To track late blight in the US please visit <http://usablight.org/>