NEW JERSEY ADULT MOSQUITO SURVEILLANCE Report

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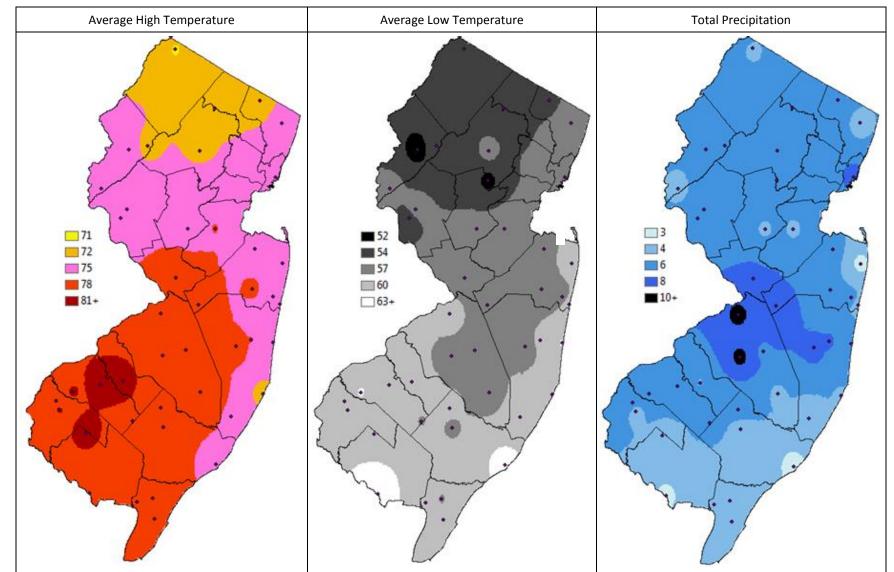
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	Aedes vexans			<i>Culex</i> Mix			Coquillettidia perturbans			Aedes sollicitans		
Region	This Week	Average*	Increase	This Week	Average*	Increase	This Week	Average*	Increase	This Week	Average*	Increase
Agricultural	5.76	15.44	0	20.74	15.34	1	0.64	1.22	0	0.43	2.21	0
Coastal	1.73	4.48	0	9.57	7.92	1	2.22	1.17	2	2.14	3.22	0
Delaware Bayshore	0.79	3.93	0	13.40	18.10	0	6.57	11.58	0	0.77	1.74	0
Delaware River Basin	3.14	14.34	0	16.61	7.60	3	2.21	1.49	1	0.00	0.00	0
New York Metro	0.93	4.54	0	11.27	9.32	1	1.67	0.75	3	0.10	0.13	0
North Central Rural	0.04	0.33	0	0.02	0.50	0	0.04	0.11	0	0.00	0.00	0
Northwest Rural	1.66	9.56	0	0.37	2.97	0	0.26	0.73	0	0.00	0.00	0
Philadelphia Metro	0.00	12.44	0	0.00	9.19	0	0.00	0.60	0	0.00	0.00	0
Pinelands	0.36	1.89	0	1.30	2.53	0	2.42	3.29	0	2.44	0.03	4
Suburban Corridor	1.40	2.84	0	2.49	1.46	2	0.01	0.55	0	0.00	0.07	0

Summary Table – begin to Week 25

*Averages represent data from, at most, the previous 5 years. Increase is a scale of current values from historical values where no difference or a decrease is represented by 0 (blue), up to 50% greater difference by 1 (green), up to 100% greater difference by 2 (yellow), up to 150% greater difference by 3 (orange) and greater than 150% increase by 4 (red). White cells in the increase column denote increases from an historic zero and thus no value can be appropriately given. nd=no data reported.

State Summary: Significantly higher population abundances were seen for *Culex* Mix in the Delaware River Basin, *Coquillettidia perturbans* in the New York Metropolitan region, and for *Aedes sollicitans* in the Pinelands region. Smaller increases were observed for *Culex* Mix in the Agricultural, Coastal, New York Metropolitan, and Suburban Corridor and for *Coquillettidia perturbans* in the Coastal and Delaware River Basin. New amounts of precipitation during the past week should provide habitat for floodwater species such as *Aedes vexans* to increase in numbers.

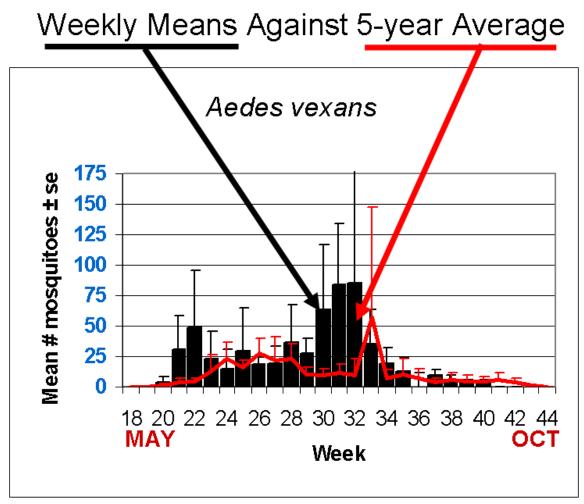


Climate Factors

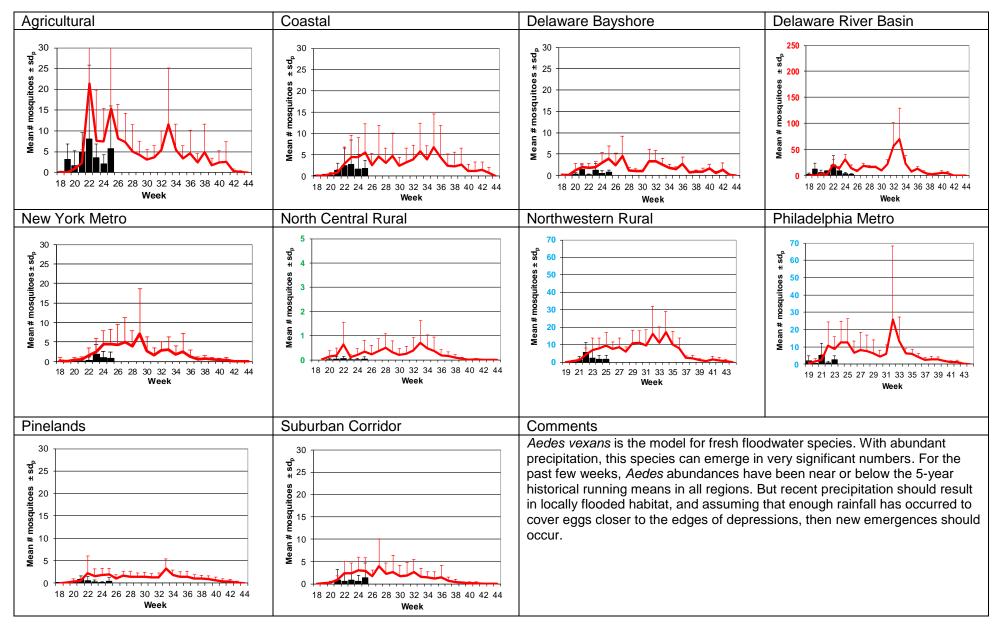
The three figures show the interpolation of average maximum (°F) and minimum temperature (°F) and total precipitation (inches) for 30 days prior to 22 June 2019 in New Jersey. Data points are from about 50 weather stations maintained through the New Jersey Weather & Climate Network and the State Climatologist. Interpolation between points was performed using ArcMap 10.1.



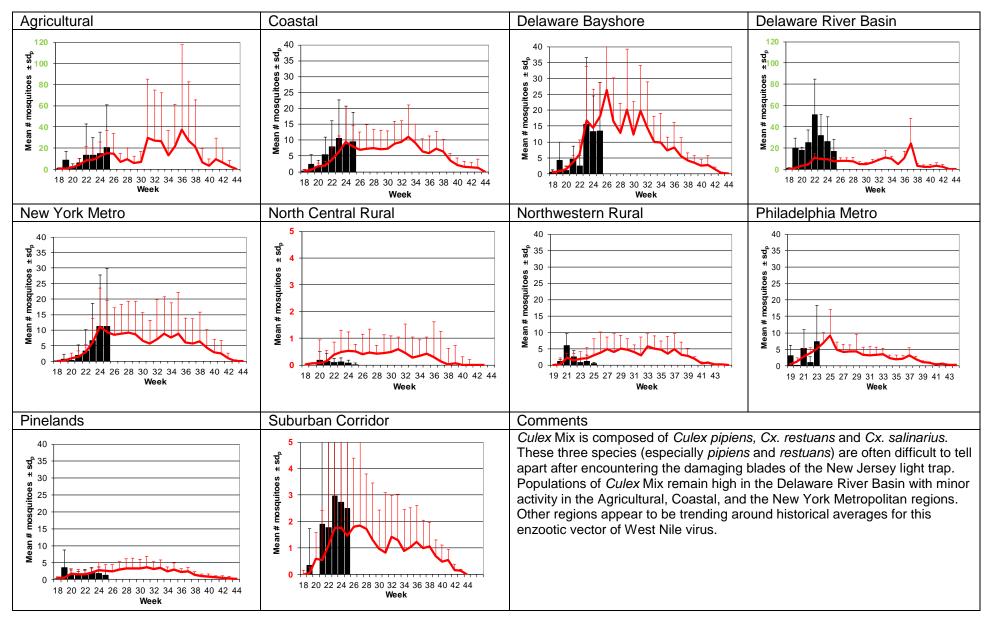
The Species Graphs: The species graph pages include a graph with two plots for each of the ten regions defined on the first page (Agricultural, Coastal, Delaware Bayshore, Delaware River, New York Metro, North-Central, Northwestern, Philadelphia Metro, Pinelands, and Suburban Corridor). Below is an example of one graph from one species within one region. The bar plot show the average number of mosquitoes per trap within the region (weekly means) and line plots show the historical trend as the average number of mosquitoes from the previous 5 years (5-year average). In general, historical data are running means from the previous 5 years, but on occasion, will include data from fewer years. Adjustments are made to account for year discrepancies. Data for this week are from Atlantic, Cape May, Cumberland, Hudson, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Ocean, Passaic, Salem, Union, and Warren counties. Data for the previous week are from Atlantic, Cape May, Cumberland, Hudson, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Ocean, Passaic, Salem, Passaic, Salem, Somerset, Union, and Warren counties.



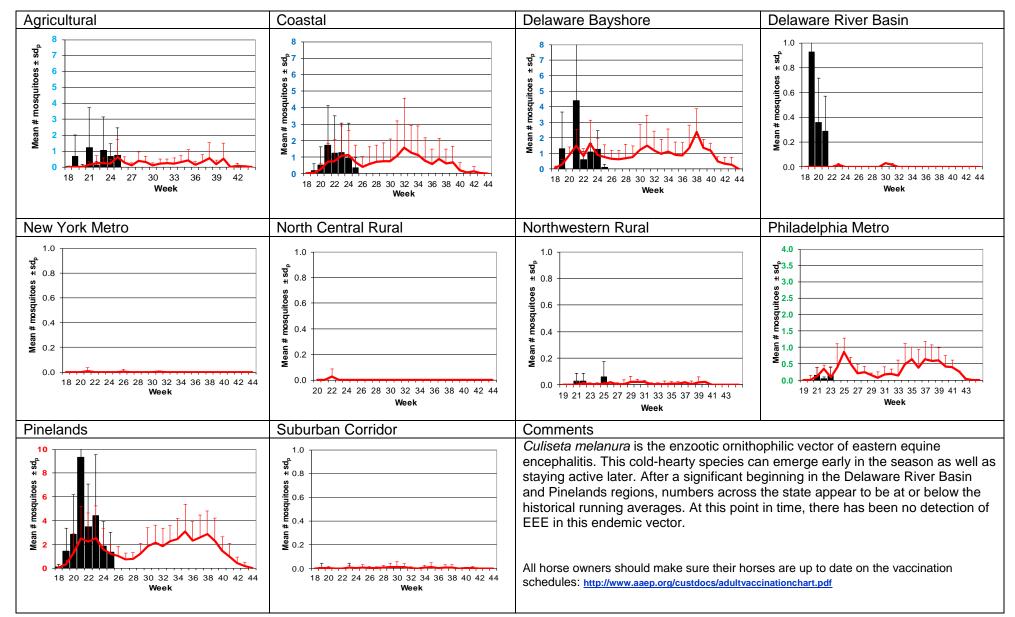
Aedes vexans - Fresh Floodwater Species Multivoltine Aedine (*Ae. vexans* Type)



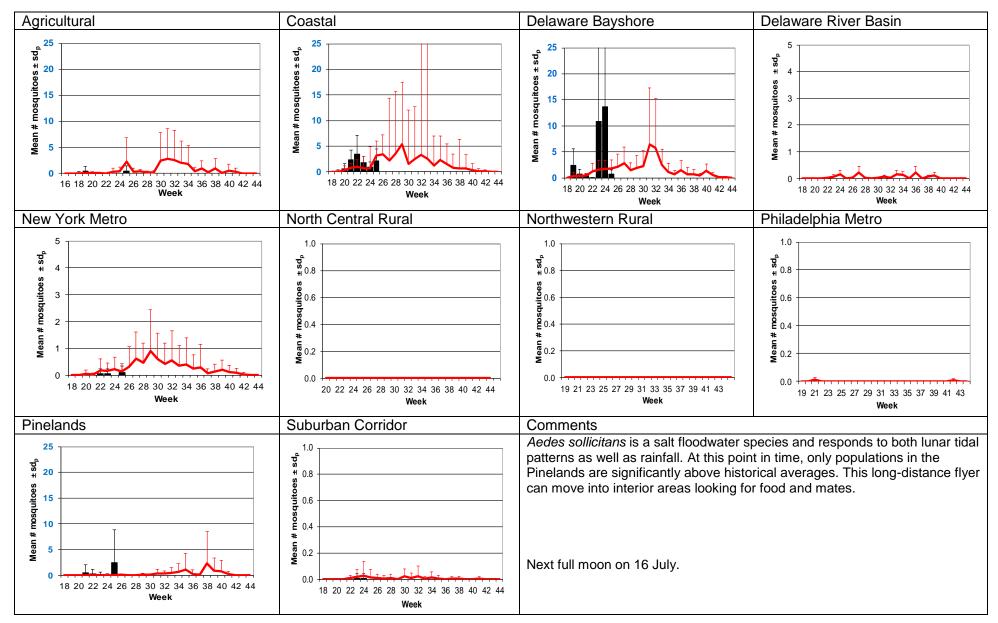
Culex Mix – Permanent Water Species Multivoltine Culex/Anopheles (Cx. pipiens Type)



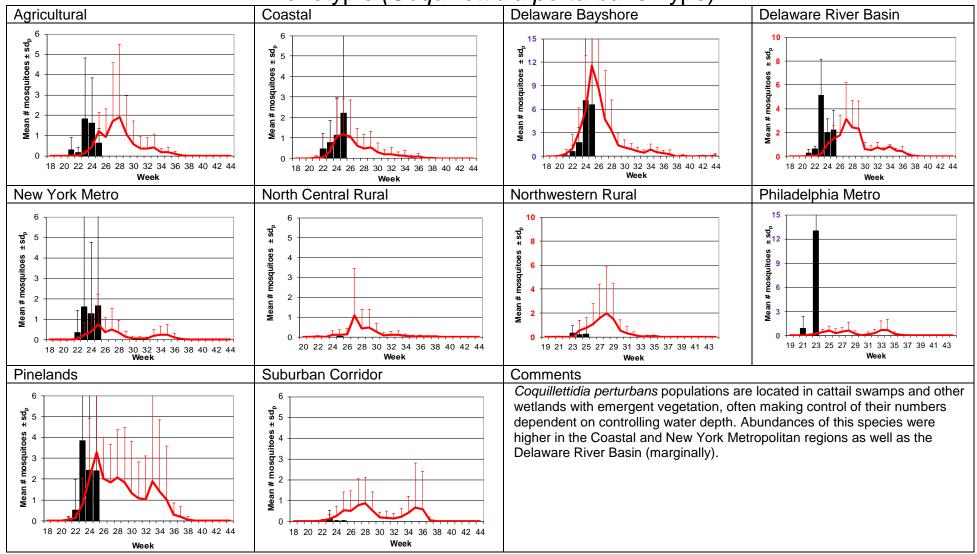
Culiseta melanura – Miscellaneous Group Unique (Cs. melanura Type)



Aedes sollicitans - Salt Floodwater Species Multivoltine Aedine (Ae. sollicitans Type)

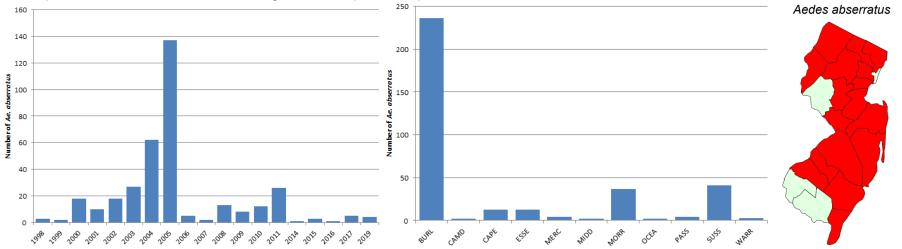


Coquillettidia perturbans Monotypic (Coquillettidia perturbans Type)



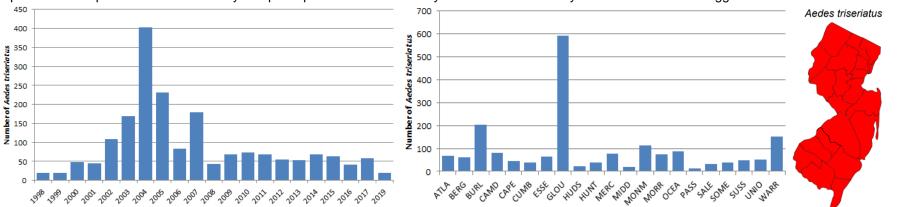
Aedes abserratus

This species recently was found to be positive for Jamestown Canyon virus. The following data was downloaded from JerseySurv and the number of *Ae. abserratus* was plotted over the years. Note this data is **incomplete** and that all but one capture were from light traps, yet *Ae. abserratus* does not typically come into light traps in large numbers. Graph 2 shows the data over these years is from a select group of counties. Map to the right shows this species is found in most (if not all) counties. *Ae. abserratus* feeds on large mammals (cattle/deer).



Aedes triseriatus

This species was recently found positive for LaCrosse virus. The following data was also downloaded from JerseySurv, with the same cautions for interpretation as above. Major difference is that data is represented in all 21 counties. *Ae. triseriatus* is a cosmopolitan feeder that can feed on small, quick mammals, including squirrels and chipmunks from which they can pick up LaCrosse virus. They can also transovarially transmit virus to their eggs.



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 Top Ten Mosquito Species/Region -
 Ae. albopictus,
 Ae. japonicus (invasives);
 Cs. melanura or Cx. erraticus
 Coq. perturbans

Note: In early season when fewer species are caught, graphs may show less than ten species/region or 25 statewide.

