



## June 2012:

Above-normal temperatures continued this month. Daytime highs were approximately 2°C above normal, while overnight lows were near-normal. As of the end of June, accumulated growing degree days remain nearly as high as the same point in time during the 2010 growing season, which was a great year for heat accumulation.

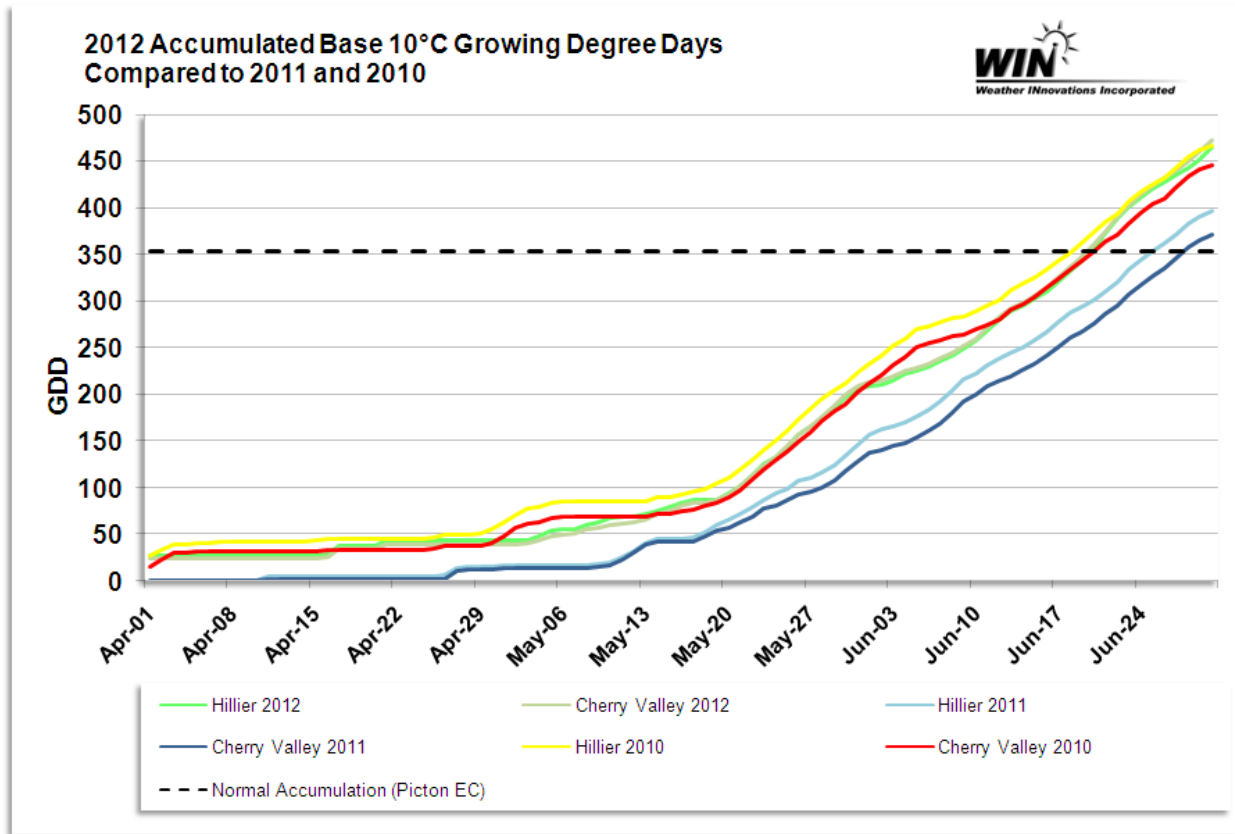


Figure 1: Growing Degree Days

The month of June brought above-normal rainfall totals throughout the Prince Edward County appellation. Monthly accumulations were 119% of normal for Hillier and 109% of normal for Cherry Valley. The April – June accumulated rainfall is close to normal for this appellation, unlike the much drier Niagara and Lake Erie North Shore appellations.

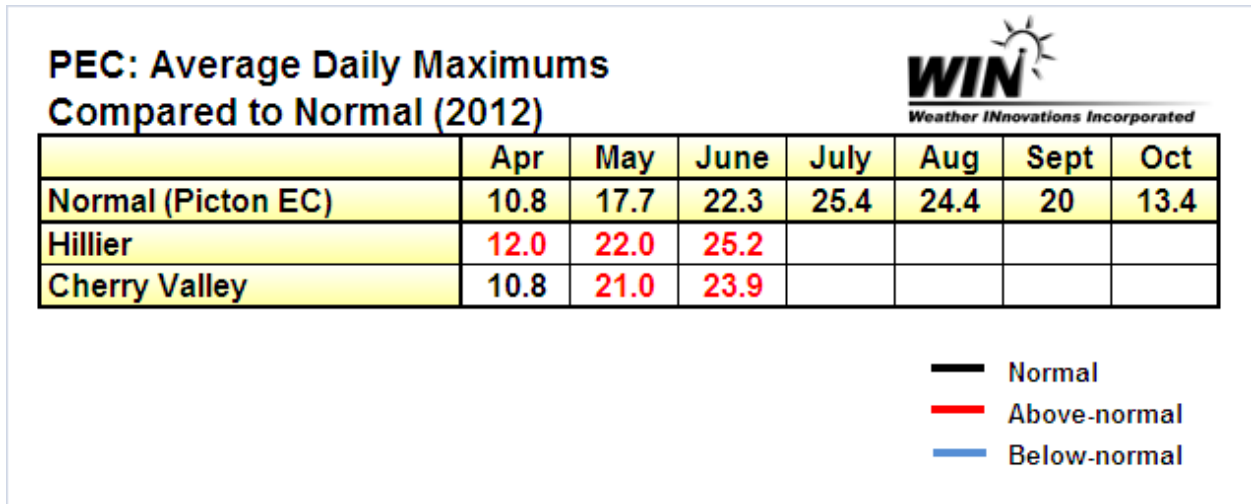


Figure 2: Daily Maximums

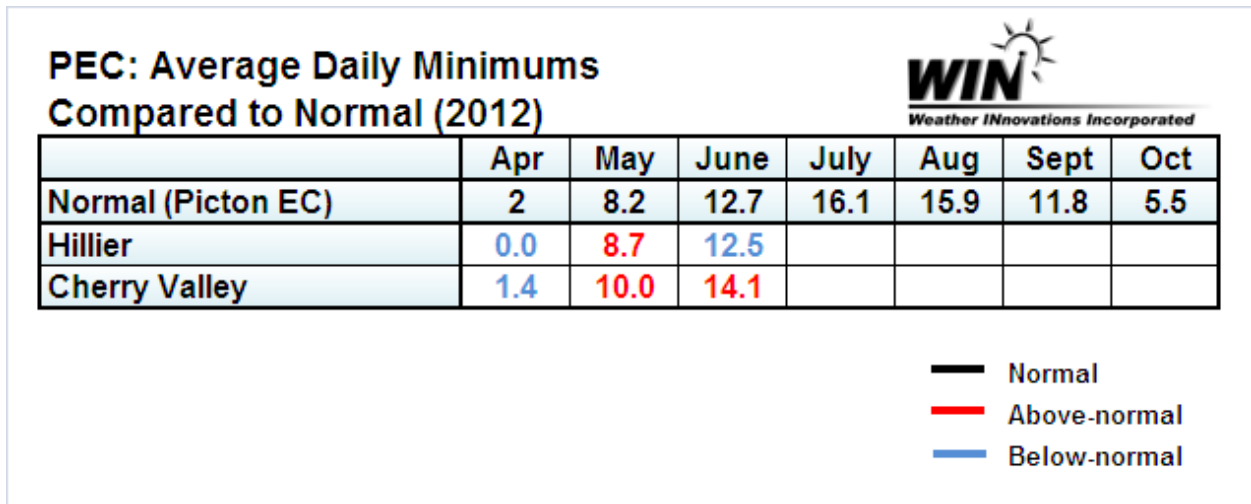


Figure 3: Daily Minimums

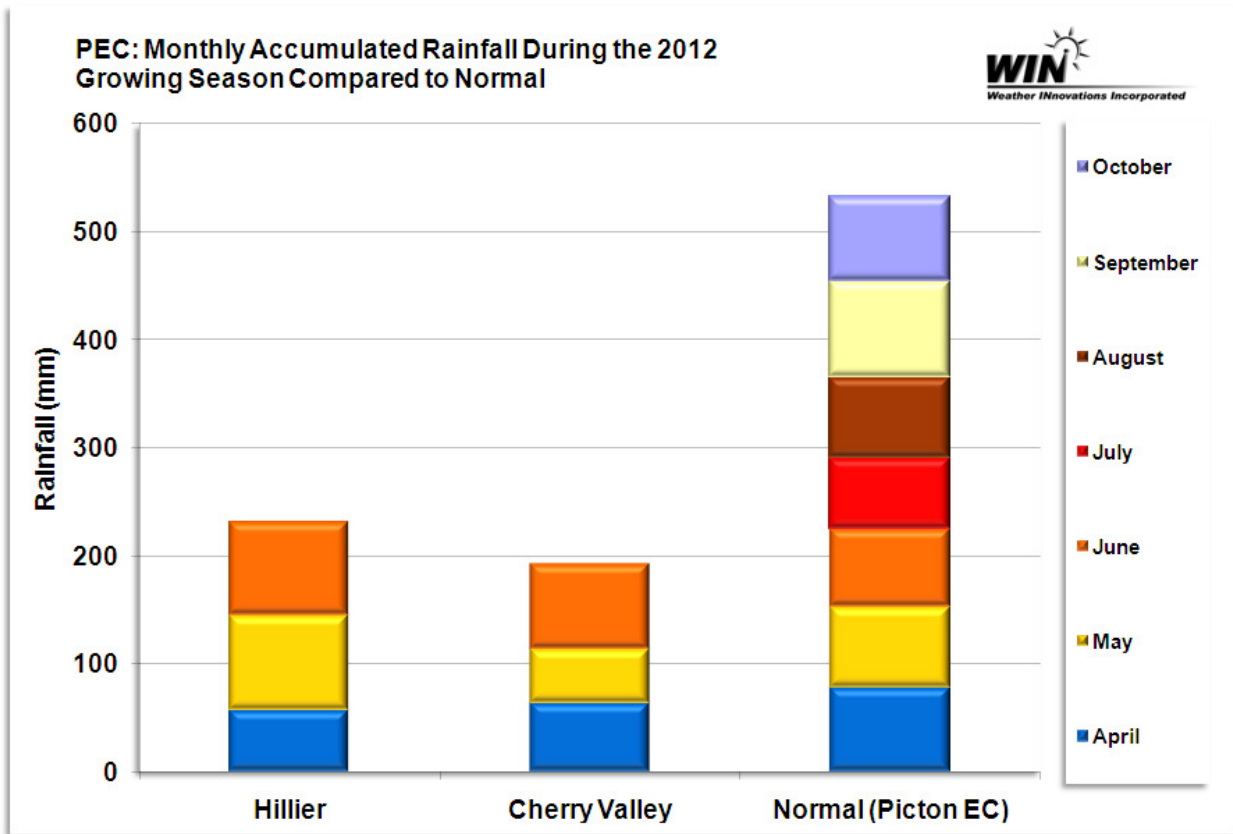


Figure 4: Rainfall