

Central Mass. Mosquito Control Project Weekly Report- 9/21/08-9/27/08 MMWR Week #39

Cumulative Surveillance Summary

Target Species	Ae. vex	Cq. per	Cs. mel	Oc. can	Culex	All Species
No. Pools	189	426	250	222	692	3420
Total Specimens	1077	15610	1323	1461	12179	37133
No. Pools WNV +	0	0	1*	0	8*	9*
No. Pools EEE +	0	0	0	0	0	0

*Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Millbury on 7/1/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Clinton on 8/13/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Auburn on 9/4/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Shrewsbury on 9/4/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Berlin on 9/10/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Berlin on 9/10/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Auburn on 9/18/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Auburn on 9/18/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Auburn on 9/18/08 *Pool of WNV+ *Culex pipiens/restuans* collected in Auburn on 9/18/08

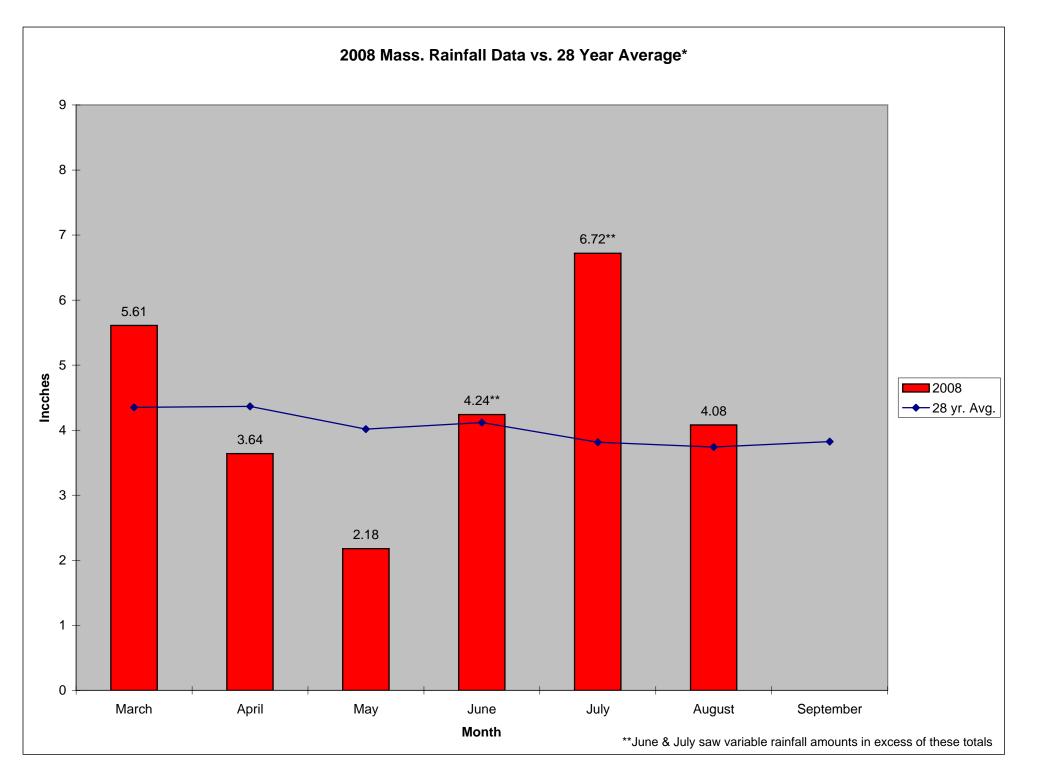
Cumulative Surveillance Summary – Bird/Mammal/Other

Species	Date	Town	County	Virus
Crow	8/5/08	Natick	Middlesex	WNV
Blue Jay 8/6/08		Dracut	Middlesex	WNV
Crow 8/13/08 Crow 9/8/08		Auburn	Worcester	WNV
		Chelmsford	Middlesex	WNV
Crow 9/11/08		Tewksbury	Middlesex	WNV
Crow 9/15/08 Blac		Blackstone	Worcester	WNV

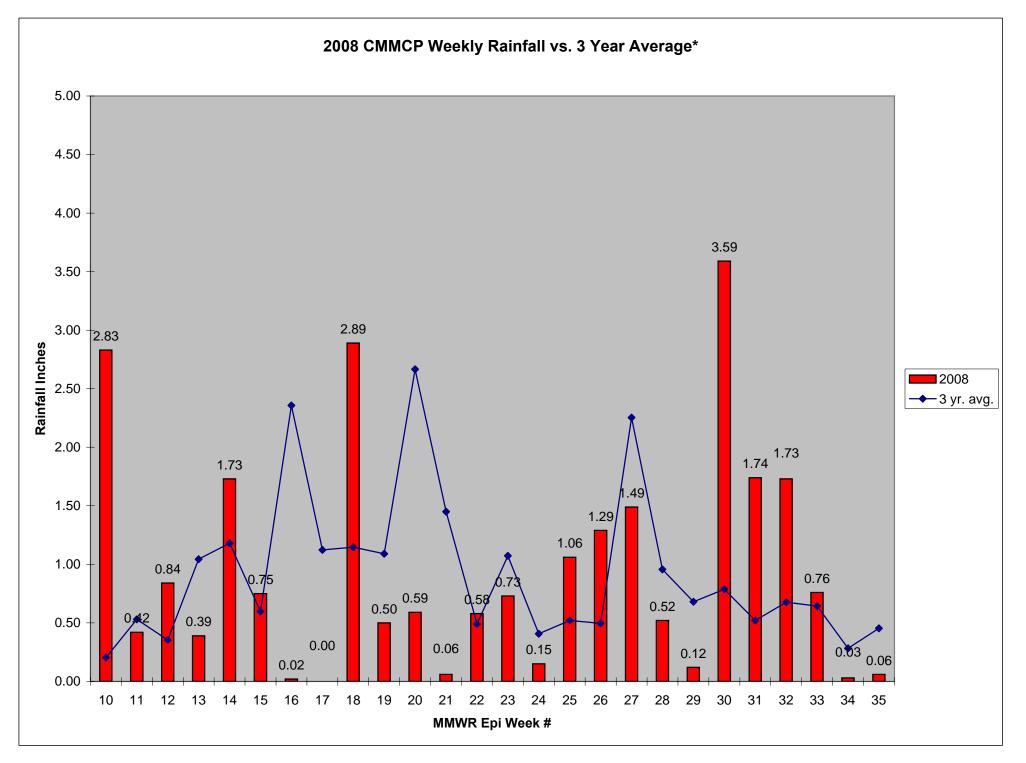
Weather Summary (Northborough, MA): The weather for this particular week averaged only 57.13°F with a recorded high temperature of 80.9°F and a recorded low temperature of only 40.6°F. For this week there was also a total of 2.14 inches of rain observed. Compared to the previous week, it was approximately 3.16°F cooler on average, and rained 1.58 inches more. After this week, the rainfall for the month of September has totaled 7.79 inches, while the month of August finished with 4.08 inches.

CMMCP Mosquito Summary-									
Target Species		Δ From	Δ From	Predominant Trap Site(s)					
		Last Week	Last Year						
	Aedes vexans	+323.8%	~+8900%	Westborough					
	Coquillettidia perturbans	-20.83%	+137.5%	Dracut, Natick					
	Culiseta melanura	-31.11%	+933.3%	Boxborough					
	Ochlerotatus canadensis	-50.00%	~+1300%	Boxborough					
	Culex Species	-64.16%	+426.3%	Westborough, Hudson					
	All Species	-42.40%	+258.9%	Westborough					

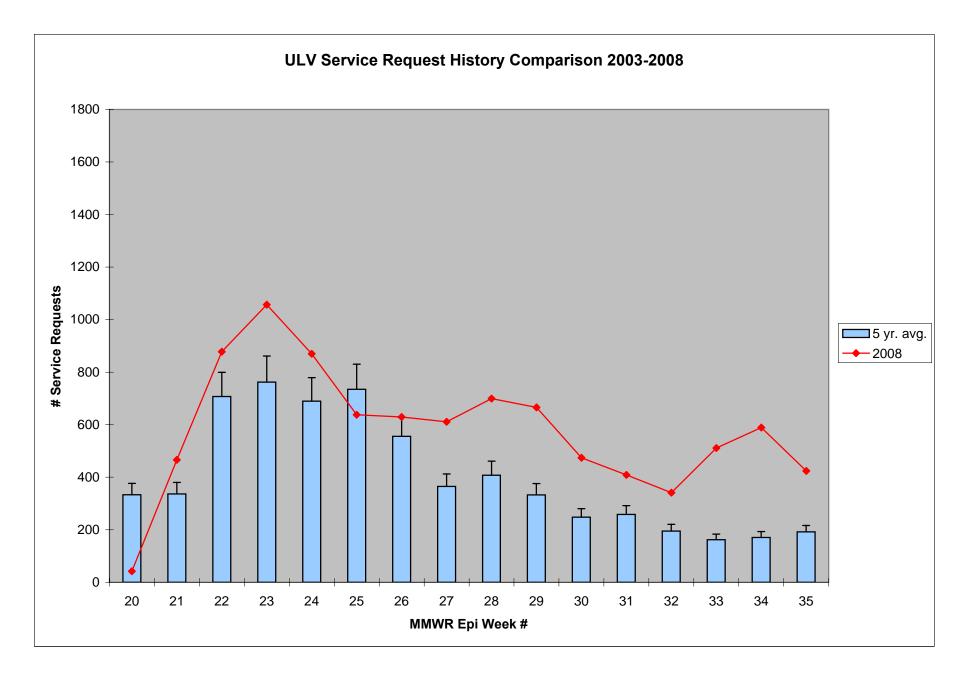
The predominant mosquito species for the week was Culex pipiens/restuans.



*Source: Northeast Regional Climate Center: http://www.nrcc.cornell.edu/climate/Climate_summary.html



*Source: CMMCP Weather Station - Northborough, MA



Error bars show approx. number of requests if we had 39 cities and towns over the 5 year average