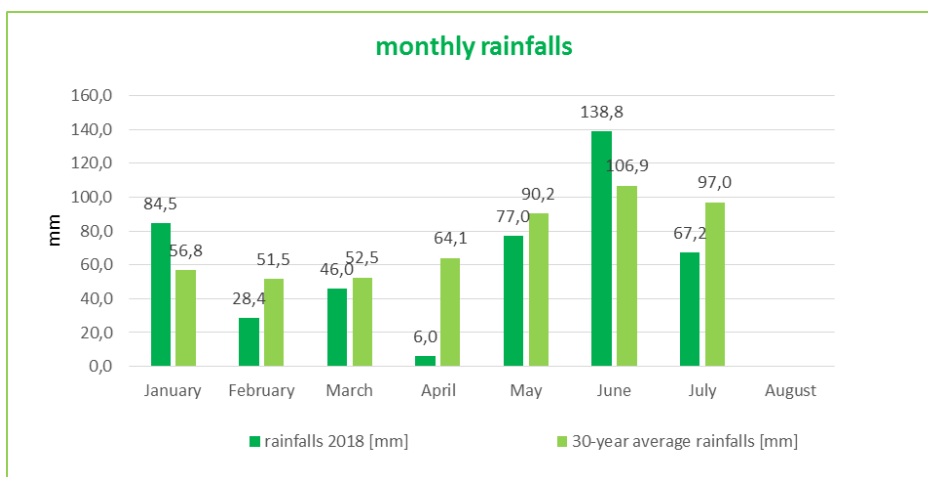
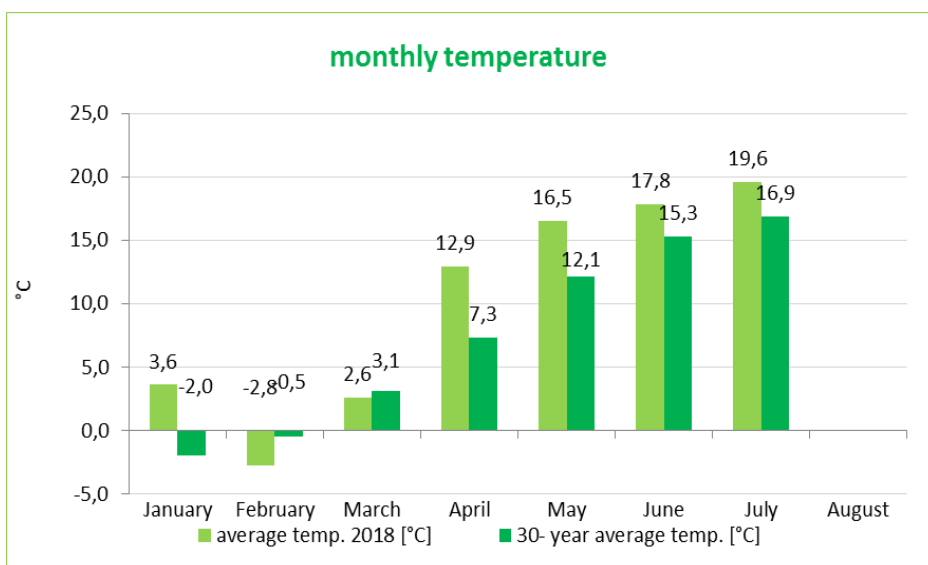
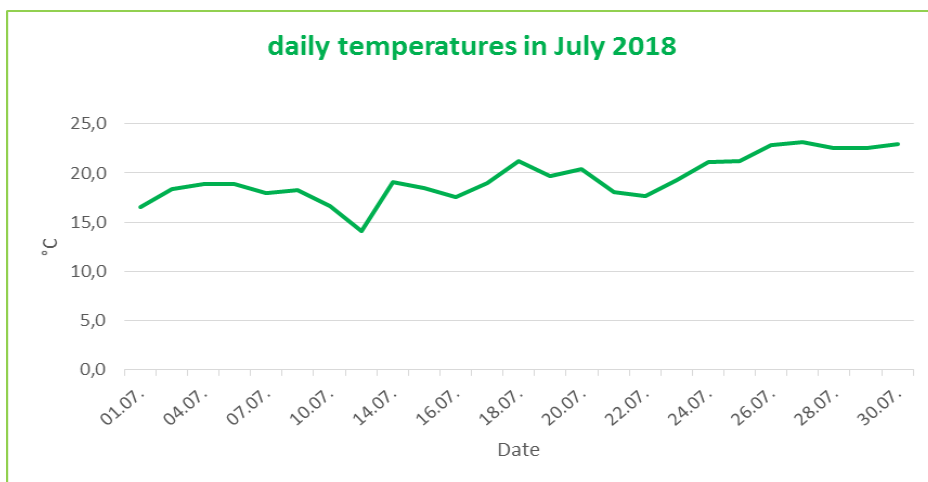


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Further Information:

In the first half of July, there were perfect growing conditions for the hops. The hops are developing cones now. The incurred heat, combined with drought, stresses the plants now very much. The fields of late ripening varieties look very good so far, but like all other varieties, they urgently need rainfall and more moderate temperatures. The early varieties are mostly below average.

So the harvest will start in 2-3 weeks for these varieties.

Pest control measures against the red spider mite and aphids are still ongoing. In Herkules fields, powdery mildew can be found. Damage by wilt is increasing now.