

Table 1. Each NDVI MODIS image corresponds to a composite period of 16 days. Period 1 is composite of January 1 through January 16, period 2 is a composite of January 17 through February 1, and so on.

MODIS Composite Period	Start Date	End Date
1	January 1	January 16
2	January 17	February 1
3	February 2	February 17
4	February 18	March 5
5	March 6	March 21
6	March 22	April 6
7	April 7	April 22
8	April 23	May 8
9	May 9	May 24
10	May 25	June 9
11	June 10	June 25
12	June 26	July 11
13	July 12	July 27
14	July 28	August 12
15	August 13	August 28
16	August 29	September 13
17	September 14	September 29
18	September 30	October 15
19	October 16	October 31
20	November 1	November 16
21	November 17	December 2
22	December 3	December 18
23	December 19	December 31