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Here in Adams County we had our big 17 year emergence in 1987 and 2004 and I had the pleasure of fishing both "hatches." The emergence, however, was spotty. In 04 the bugs were extremely thick in the immediate Gettysburg area but some parts of the county (mainly up on South Mountain) didn't seem to have 'em - at least I didn't see/hear them. That year class was very heavy in parts of Frederick Co MD as well.

Anyway, according to my fishing journal, I first saw the cicadas that year on May 14 on the battlefield and they were around until June 20th. For those of you in areas expecting cicadas this year, I'd keep an eye out and have enough flies tied in the next couple weeks.