According to the USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service, for the week ending on May 30, 2021, conditions allowed 4.7 days suitable for fieldwork. Field activities for the week included hay cutting, replanting, and applying fertilizer.

**Topsoil moisture** supplies were rated 4% very short, 20% short, 71% adequate and 5% surplus. **Subsoil moisture** supplies were rated 6% very short, 24% short, 68% adequate and 2% surplus. Cool conditions continue to be reported.

Statewide **corn** was 89% emerged, the same as last year but 8 days ahead of the 5-year average. **Corn condition** was 0% very poor, 2% poor, 22% fair, 62% good, and 14% excellent.

**Soybean** emerged reached 81%, which was 8 day ahead of last year and over 2 weeks ahead of average. The first **soybean condition** of the season reported 0% very poor, 2% poor, 22% fair, 65% good, and 11% excellent.

**Spring wheat** was 97% emerged, nearly 2 weeks ahead of 2020 and average. Spring wheat jointed was 42%, 12 days ahead of normal. **Spring wheat condition** was 0% very poor, 2% poor, 18% fair, 64% good, and 16% excellent.

**Oats** were 92% emerged and 48% jointed. **Oats condition** was 69% good to excellent. **Barley** was 95% planted, 89% emerged, and 37% jointed. **Barley condition** was 83% good to excellent. The first cutting of **alfalfa hay** was 14% complete. **Hay condition** was 61% good to excellent.

**Potato** planting was 89% complete. **Dry beans** were 92% planted and 61% emerged. **Sunflowers** were 90% planted.

**Pasture condition** rated 3% very poor, 12% poor, 40% fair, 41% good and 4% excellent. Pasture growth is behind in some areas.
Minnesota Temperatures and Precipitation for the week ending May 30, 2021

Maps from the Midwestern Regional Climate Center reflect data collected from 7:00 A.M. Central Time on May 24, 2021, through 7:00 A.M. Central Time on May 30, 2021.

Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals
May 24, 2021 to May 30, 2021

Accumulated Precipitation (in)
May 24, 2021 to May 30, 2021

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National Weather Service data, courtesy of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources State Climatology Office, is available at: http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/climate/historical/summary.html

Growing Degree Days can be found at https://mrcc.illinois.edu/U2U/gdd/

Temperature and Precipitation Maps, courtesy of the Midwestern Regional Climate Center, are available at: http://mrcc.isws.illinois.edu/CLIMATE/