According to USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service, dryer conditions advanced harvests and allowed 6.1 days suitable for fieldwork during the week ending September 12, 2021. Field activities for the week included cutting corn for silage.

**Topsoil moisture** supplies were rated 15% very short, 28% short, 55% adequate and 2% surplus. **Subsoil moisture** supplies were rated 22% very short, 40% short, 37% adequate and 1% surplus.

**Corn** dented reached 86%, six days behind last year but five days ahead of average. Corn mature reached 34%, three days behind last year but six days ahead of the average. Corn harvested for grain reached 3%. Corn harvested for silage reached 71%, three days ahead of last year and 2 weeks ahead of the 5-year average. Corn condition rated 39% good to excellent.

**Soybeans** coloring reached 86%, two days ahead of last year and over a week ahead of the 5-year average. Soybeans dropping leaves reached 91%. Soybeans condition rated 37% good to excellent.

**Dry beans** dropping leaves reached 91%. Dry beans harvested rated 35% complete. Dry beans condition rated 19% good to excellent. **Potatoes** were 31% harvested. Potato condition rated 60% good to excellent. **Sunflower condition** rated 40% good to excellent. **Sugarbeets** reached 7% harvested. Sugarbeets condition rated 73% good to excellent.

**Pasture condition** was 32% very poor, 31% poor, 28% fair, 6% good and 3% excellent.
Minnesota Temperatures and Precipitation for the week ending September 12, 2021

Maps from the Midwestern Regional Climate Center reflect data collected from 7:00 A.M. Central Time on September 6, 2021, through 7:00 A.M. Central Time on September 12, 2021.

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/

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