**Northwest**

A lot of the area caught about a half inch of rain last week. We would say about 90 percent or better of the crop has tasseled and pollinated. A lot of fungicide went on the corn last week, but conditions look pretty good.

- Corn silked (%): 69
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 41
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 32
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 8 38 54 0
  - Subsoil: 1 41 46 1
  - GDD = 1,809 DFN = -139

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**North Central**

Things are doing well. We had about 0.2 of an inch of rain last week. The beans are short, and I think we need some heat to get to maturity. We’re not ahead of schedule, but I haven’t seen any aphids. I’ve seen a couple of re-planted corn fields tassel.

- Corn silked (%): 64
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 41
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 36
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 4 18 74 4
  - Subsoil: 2 19 76 3
  - GDD = 1,843 DFN = -47

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**South Central**

Things are looking pretty good. We didn’t have any rain last week. The storms kind of bypassed us. We could use a little rain and some heat to move things along, but we’re doing OK.

- Corn silked (%): 66
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 26
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 33
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 31 45 24 0
  - Subsoil: 12 48 40 0
  - GDD = 1,984 DFN = -6

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**Southeast**

We haven’t had a rain for a week. Fungicide applications are being done. Some of the early planted corn is starting to tassel. Some of the early planted beans are over waist high and starting to set pods. It looks like some oats were combined last week.

- Corn silked (%): 63
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 28
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 31
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 21 43 35 1
  - Subsoil: 8 43 48 1
  - GDD = 2,001 DFN = 14

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**West Central**

We got about a half inch of rain on Friday (Aug. 2). That was welcome because we haven’t had a whole lot of rain for five or six weeks. Luckily, it has been cool, so the crop kind of held on through that. Right now, things look good.

- Corn silked (%): 83
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 37
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 37
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 38 42 20 0
  - Subsoil: 28 42 30 0
  - GDD = 1,846 DFN = -75

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**Central**

A lot of guys were flying on fungicide last week, and a lot of guys were spraying beans. But, stuff is looking pretty good, really. I’ve got some third-crop alfalfa cut this week and although stuff is looking pretty good, really. I’ve got some third-crop alfalfa cut this week and although

- Corn silked (%): 77
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 22
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 30
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 37 37 25 1
  - Subsoil: 10 39 49 2
  - GDD = 1,821 DFN = -1

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**Northeast**

We had an 1.1 inches of rain for the week. Things are looking better. Beans are short, but the majority are moving along. I drove to Clear Lake, and there was one 40-acre field that was bare with black soil showing. I saw some planes flying near Plainfield. I assume it was fungicide.

- Corn silked (%): 57
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 9
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 36
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 13 24 63 0
  - Subsoil: 2 23 72 3
  - GDD = 1,795 DFN = -19

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**East Central**

We had a strong inch of rain this morning (Monday, Aug. 5). Guys are wrapping up fungicide application on corn and beans. Corn is nearing the blister stage. That shows pollination was successful.

- Corn silked (%): 63
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 27
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 44
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 8 34 57 0
  - Subsoil: 7 23 70 0
  - GDD = 1,839 DFN = -61

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**Southwest**

Things are looking really good. We are starting to get a little stress on the corn due to the dry weather. We had a little rain last week, but only 0.2 or 0.3 of an inch. I would say we’re still two weeks behind normal on the stage of the corn. A lot of fungicide was applied to cornfields last week.

- Corn silked (%): 87
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 25
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 36
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 46 46 8 0
  - Subsoil: 26 48 26 0
  - GDD = 1,962 DFN = -147

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**East Central**

Things are looking pretty good. We didn’t have any rain last week. The storms kind of bypassed us. We could use a little rain and some heat to move things along, but we’re doing OK.

- Corn silked (%): 66
- Corn in or past milk stage (%): 26
- Soybeans setting pods (%): 33
- Moisture V Short Short Adequate Surplus
  - Topsoil: 31 45 24 0
  - Subsoil: 12 48 40 0
  - GDD = 1,984 DFN = -6