

Northwest of Storm Lake

Crop Conditions for 9-24-2013

Past Weeks Rainfall	0 to .2"
Soil Moisture	Short to Adequate
Temperature	Normal
Crop Progress	A week or more behind normal

Corn

Soybeans



Crop Stage	Dent to Full Maturity	Crop Stage	Beginning Maturity to Full Maturity
Yield Potential	Some lost 10% to 15% due to dry weather	Yield Potential	Some lost 10% to 20% due to late planting and dry weather

Corn Market

Soybean Market

Current Prices	4.99	Current Prices	13.37
Fall Prices	4.25	Fall Prices	12.67
Past Weeks Trend	Lower	Past Weeks Trend	Lower

Comments:

Very little harvest activity is happening in our Northwest region as of today. Most corn and soybeans are at or very near maturity. Frost is becoming less of a concern except for the soybeans planted in June. Some drier areas to the south and east have just started harvesting corn and soybeans. There will be a lot of soybeans harvested next week as long as the weather cooperates. Most of the corn will be harvest after the soybeans.

The grain markets have worked lower under harvest pressure. Early yields reports are mostly positive. The markets are long overdue for some bullish news to break the down trend.

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