

Coming Events

PROGRAM INFO

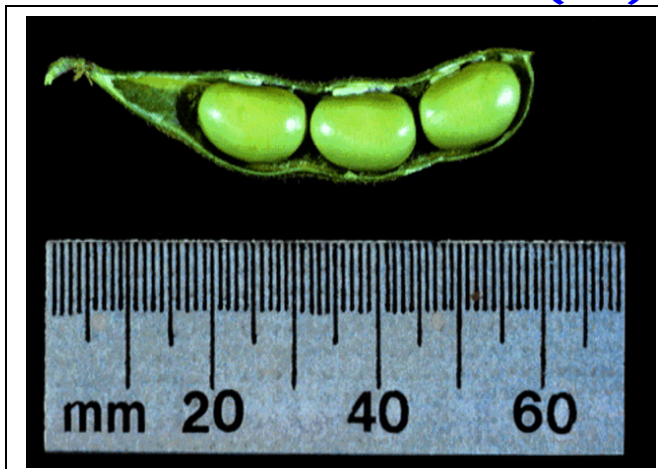
THE NRCS WILL BE ALLOCATING ADDITIONAL AVAILABLE FEDERAL FUNDS THIS SUMMER FOR THE 2015 EQIP SIGNUP.

THE CENTRAL PLATTE NRD HAS RECEIVED AND ALLOCATED THE NEW NSWCP MONEY DURING THE JULY BOARD MEETING. PRODUCERS STILL INTERESTED IN ASSISTANCE SHOULD CONTACT THEIR LOCAL NRCS OFFICE.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 3RD BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING FOR AUGUST
THURSDAY 2:00 PM @ CENTRAL PLATTE NRD OFFICE

SOYBEANS AT FULL SEED (R6)



CORN AT DENT STAGE (R5)



Across the NRD

Stage of Growth

The end of the growing season is quickly approaching for 2015. The corn crop has reached mid to late dent at this time. As for the soybean crop, it has advanced to full seed. This is confirmed when a pod containing a green seed fills the pod cavity at one of the four uppermost nodes on the main stem.

Crop Condition

We are to the point in the growing season where producers should have started thinking about scheduling their last irrigation in the corn, and also maybe the soybeans. Like last year, many producers may be able to skip the year's last irrigation due to the continued rains. If you're not that fortunate, then due to the variation in application amounts, furrow irrigators should make the decision to irrigate soon, while pivot irrigators have some time to wait and maybe catch another rain. Taking this approach to irrigation will help you save even more on pumping costs. The scouting report is to continue monitoring diseases in both crops as we finish out the year. This is especially important if you have late planted crops due to weather this year.

Irrigation

Growth Stage	Approx. Days to Maturity	Water Use to Maturity
Beginning Dent	24	5.0"
Full Dent	13	2.5"
Physiological Maturity	0	0.0"
Beginning Pod Fill	29	6.5"
Full Seed	17	3.5"
Beginning Maturity	0	0.0"

Rainfall

Rainfall received at the Grand Island Field Office since my last report; on August 7th we received .49 inches, and on August 16th we received .15 inches of moisture.

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The following information is provided for Corn emergence dates listed:

Corn emergence during: May 5th to May 15th

Water used in the last week 1.33 inches

Projected daily water use .22 inches

Corn emergence during: May 16th to May 26th

Water used in the last week 1.35 inches

Projected daily water use .23 inches

The following information is provided for Soybean emergence dates listed:

Soybean emergence during: May 16th to May 26th

Water used in the last week 1.18 inches

Projected daily water use .19 inches

Soybean emergence during: May 27th to June 6th

Water used in the last week 1.30 inches

Projected daily water use .22 inches

The following information is provided for Irrigated Grass emergence during: April 15th

Water used in the last week .60 inches

Projected daily water use .10 inches

Additional ET Information Sites:

KRVN radio broadcasts

KRVN.COM

UNL CropWatch <http://cropwatch.unl.edu/>

Central Platte NRD Webpage: www.cpnrd.org/