



# Minnesota Ag News – Crop Progress & Condition

Minnesota Field Office · 375 Jackson St, Ste 610 · St. Paul, MN 55101 (651) 728-3113

fax (855) 271-9802 · www.nass.usda.gov/mn

Cooperating with the Minnesota Department of Agriculture

July 5, 2022

Media Contact: Dan Lofthus

Favorable weather conditions allowed farmers **5.9 days suitable for fieldwork** during the week ending July 3, 2022, according to USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service.

**Topsoil moisture** supplies were rated 5 percent very short, 18 percent short, 66 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus. **Subsoil moisture** supplies were rated 3 percent very short, 13 percent short, 73 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus.

**Corn** condition was 1 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 27 percent fair, 57 percent good, and 11 percent excellent. **Soybean** emergence was at 98 percent, 18 days behind last year and 6 days behind the 5-year average. Soybean blooming was at 6 percent. Soybean condition was 1 percent very poor, 3 percent poor, 28 percent fair, 58 percent good, and 10 percent excellent.

**Oats** was 89 percent jointing and 32 percent headed. Oats condition was 1 percent very poor, 3 percent poor, 28 percent fair, 59 percent good, and 9 percent excellent. **Spring wheat** was 86 percent jointing and 5 percent headed. Spring wheat condition was 0 percent very poor, 0 percent poor, 23 percent fair, 68 percent good, and 9 percent excellent. **Barley** was 65 percent jointing and 17 percent headed. Barley condition was 0 percent very poor, 1 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 59 percent good, and 6 percent excellent.

**Dry edible beans** were 96 percent emerged and 9 percent blooming. Dry edible beans condition was 0 percent very poor, 1 percent poor, 36 percent fair, 55 percent good, and 8 percent excellent. **Sunflowers** planted was at 97 percent. Sunflowers condition was 0 percent very poor, 1 percent poor, 25 percent fair, 66 percent good, and 8 percent excellent. **Alfalfa hay** first cutting was at 94 percent and second cutting was at 16 percent.

**Potatoes** condition was 0 percent very poor, 0 percent poor, 13 percent fair, 66 percent good, and 21 percent excellent. **Sugarbeets** condition was 4 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 25 percent fair, 10 percent good, and 55 percent excellent.

**All hay condition** was rated at 0 percent very poor, 3 percent poor, 21 percent fair, 59 percent good, and 17 percent excellent. **Pasture condition** was rated at 1 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 22 percent fair, 59 percent good, and 13 percent excellent.

## Crop Condition as of July 3, 2022

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Barley .....	0	1	34	59	6
Corn .....	1	4	27	57	11
Dry edible beans ....	0	1	36	55	8
Hay, all .....	0	3	21	59	17
Oats .....	1	3	28	59	9
Pasture and range ..	1	5	22	59	13
Potatoes .....	0	0	13	66	21
Soybeans .....	1	3	28	58	10
Sugarbeets .....	4	6	25	10	55
Sunflowers .....	0	1	25	66	8
Wheat, spring .....	0	0	23	68	9

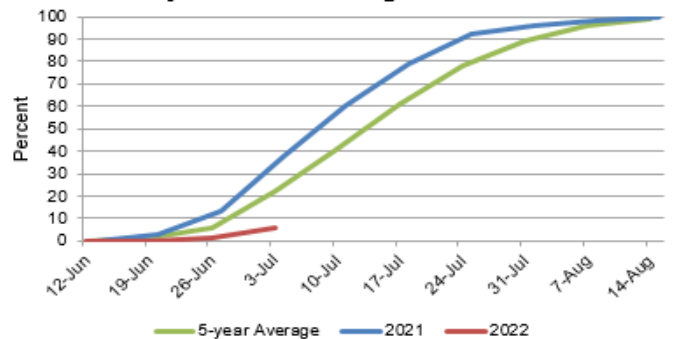
## Crop Progress as of July 3, 2022

Item	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year avg
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Barley jointing .....	65	46	97	97
Barley headed .....	17	9	88	74
Dry ed. beans emerged .....	96	92	100	100
Dry ed. beans blooming .....	9	1	23	12
Hay, alfalfa, first cutting .....	94	87	100	96
Hay, alfalfa, second cutting .....	16	7	36	31
Oats jointing .....	89	73	99	97
Oats headed .....	32	19	87	78
Soybeans emerged .....	98	93	100	99
Soybeans blooming .....	6	1	34	20
Sunflowers planted .....	97	93	100	100
Wheat, spring, jointing .....	86	65	99	97
Wheat, spring, headed .....	5	1	95	75

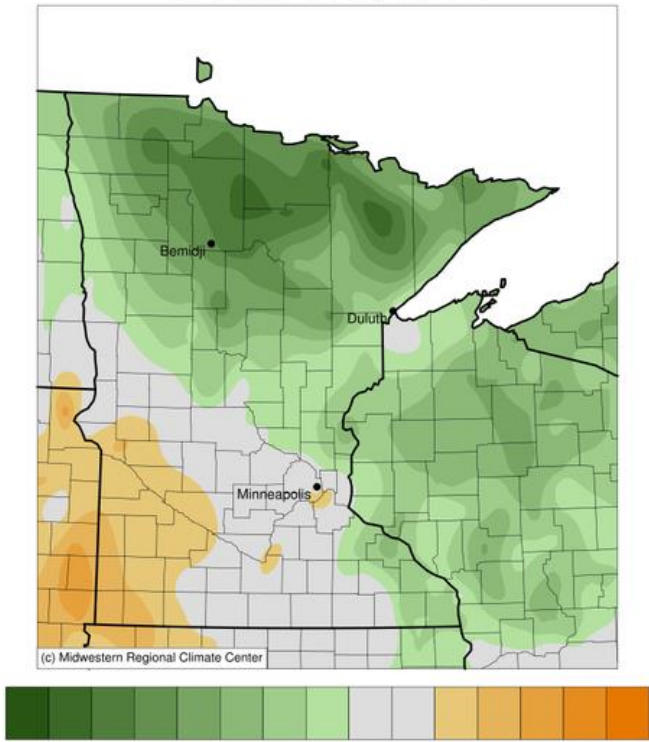
## Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Condition as of July 3, 2022

Item	This week	Last week	Last year
	(days)	(days)	(days)
Days suitable .....	5.9	5.5	6.2
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture			
Very short .....	5	1	28
Short .....	18	11	50
Adequate .....	66	75	21
Surplus .....	11	13	1
Subsoil moisture			
Very short .....	3	1	24
Short .....	13	9	49
Adequate .....	73	78	26
Surplus .....	11	12	1

Soybeans Blooming - Minnesota

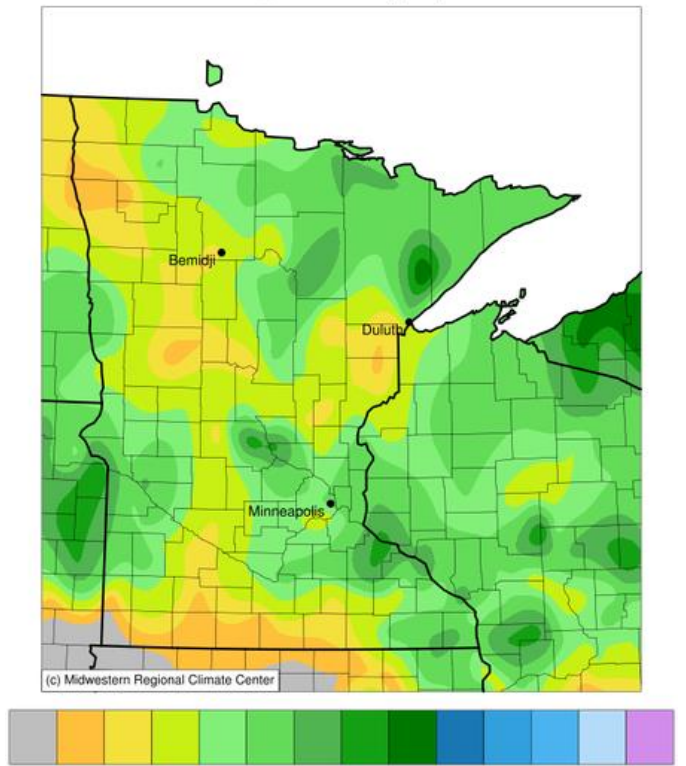


**Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals**  
 June 27, 2022 to July 03, 2022



Stations from the following networks used: WBAN, COOP, FAA, GHCN, ThreadEx, CoCoRaHS, WMO, ICAO, NWSLI,  
 Midwestern Regional Climate Center  
 cli-MATE: MRCC Application Tools Environment  
 Generated at: 7/5/2022 10:40:45 AM CDT

**Accumulated Precipitation (in)**  
 June 27, 2022 to July 03, 2022



Stations from the following networks used: WBAN, COOP, FAA, GHCN, ThreadEx, CoCoRaHS, WMO, ICAO, NWSLI,  
 Midwestern Regional Climate Center  
 cli-MATE: MRCC Application Tools Environment  
 Generated at: 7/5/2022 10:41:39 AM CDT