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**Field Photo Upload 1**



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### **Field Photo Upload Caption 1**

Corn growth varies from V6 to V10+

### **Field Photo Upload Caption 2**

Still seeing attempts to control "too tall" waterhemp. Soybeans growth stages V4 - R1.

### **Field Photo Upload Caption 3**

Area-wide wheat fields are looking good.

### **Which of the following best describes current conditions in this county?**

Mildly Dry (soil is drier than normal, plant growth may have slowed)

**If conditions are on the dry end, which of the following US Drought Monitor categories best fit current conditions. To better judge the fit, see explanation of USDM categories here:**

<https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About/AbouttheData/DroughtClassification.aspx>

Abnormally Dry (D0)

### **Quick synopsis of conditions that will appear in the main feed**

My area is dry, but cool nights and cloudy or hazy days are helping to keep stress on the lower end. Corn fields are in growth stage V6 to V10+ for the majority. Corn height is shorter than normal. Soybeans fields vary from V4 to R1 and are shorter than usual. Area wheat fields are looking good with leaf leaves clean and green with harvest getting close.