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Iroquois

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Region 3

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Field Photo Upload Caption 1

Corn field at V3; representative of the average corn growth stage in the county.

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Soybean plant at early R1.

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Wheat field senescing.

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

Near Normal

Quick synopsis of conditions that will appear in the main feed

There is quite a bit of variability between fields in corn and soybean growth stage in Iroquois County. I saw very few unplanted fields, but there were several planted within the last few days and yet to emerge. The majority of corn observed was around the V2/V3 growth stage, with a few fields closer to V5/V6. Most soybeans were at late VC or early V1, but I found a few fields with most plants at V3/V4 plants and at least a couple plants at early R1. The few wheat fields I saw looked to be progressing well into senescence with minimal lodging at this point. Soil moisture conditions were generally good, with the occasional muddy spot visible in some fields. Some uneven emergence and uneven color, particularly in corn, was observed in these wetter fields, but these areas could still recover if they don't get hit by too much rain in the near term.