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2026 Corn Grain Top 30 Harvest Report

Illinois Conventional [ILCV] SENECA, IL

Dave Thorsen, Grundy County, IL

All-Season Test	**101** - **115** Day CRM B2026ILCV01
Top 30 of 35	For Gross Income (Sorted by Yield) Average of (**3**) Replications
PREV. CROP/HERB:	Soybeans / Verdict, Boundary, Liberty Ultra, Fusilade, Zidua Sc
SOIL DESCRIPTION:	Drummer, Chenoa silty clay loam, well drained, non-irrigated
SOIL CONDITION:	Conventional W/O Fall Till, 5.42 pH, 5.84% OM, 16.53 CEC, high P, medium K, low S, mod. B, high Zn
CROP PROTECTION:	Verdict (H), Aatrex 4l (H), Zidua Sc (H), Impact @ Post (H), Miravis Neo @ Vt (F), Hero @ Vt (I), Fence @ Planting (I), Status @ Post (H)
FERTILITY - Applied N:	165 Fall, 70 Spring, 50 Sidedress
Applied N-P-K (units):	285-75-150
SEEDED - RATE - ROW:	May 15 37.5 /A 30" spacing
HARVESTED - STAND:	Oct 29 35.2 /A
PEST & DISEASE RISK:	Pythium*

TEST COMMENTS:

Weather conditions have been all over the place in this area this season. This site experienced a very wet early spring with small planting windows. It was planted in nice soil conditions with great emergence. The weather turned dry in June, then heavy rains came and oversaturated the soils, then it went back into hot and dry weather. August brought hot temps and lots of storms, some having 60+ mph wind events back to back. This created some lodging issues here. Talking with Dave, he was happy that everything was very much harvestable and still yielded, though about 25 bu/ac below average for this area.

Company/Brand	Product/Brand	Technol.†	RM	Yield Bu/A ↓	Moisture %	Lodging %	Stand (x 1000)	Gross Income $/Acre	Gross Income Rank
Prairie Hybrids	6854 ⇗	CONV	110	**256.0**	14.5	4	36.6	1270	1
Prairie Hybrids	6987 ⇗	CONV	111	249.1	15.7	10	37.5	1227	3
Cornelius	C7246 ⇗	CONV	112	249.1	15.5	3	34.0	1229	2
Wyffels	W7870 GC ⇗	CONV	113	247.9	16.4	10	36.6	1212	4
Wyffels	W7170 GC ⇗	CONV	111	246.3	16.1	14	34.9	1208	6
Prairie Hybrids	8447 ⇗	CONV	115	244.6	15.1	1	33.1	1212	5
Prairie Hybrids	6436 ⇗	CONV	111	242.4	15.9	6	34.9	1191	8
Viking | Blue River	62-12 ⇗	CONV	112	242.3	15.7	1	34.9	1193	7
Wyffels	W7940 GC ⇗	CONV	113	239.7	15.1	12	35.7	1188	9
Becks	6374PQ GC ⇗	CONV	113	238.9	16.1	17	35.7	1171	13
Cornelius	C6928PCE ⇗	PCE	109	238.2	14.9	10	35.7	1181	10
Prairie Hybrids	4556 ⇗	CONV	106	238.2	14.6	1	34.9	1181	11
Wyffels	W8080 GC ⇗	CONV	113	238.2	16.2	5	33.1	1167	14
Augusta	A4861 ⇗	CONV	111	237.1	15.3	2	35.7	1172	12
Custom Farm Seed	113-58C GC ⇗	CONV	113	236.9	15.8	11	34.0	1165	15
Prairie Hybrids	7445 ⇗	CONV	113	235.1	15.7	4	33.1	1158	17
Prairie Hybrids	6251 ORG ⇗	ORG	109	234.6	14.8	4	34.9	1164	16
Epley	E2230 ⇗	CONV	112	232.5	15.6	25	34.0	1146	20
Augusta	A4057 ⇗	CONV	107	232.4	14.6	7	34.0	1153	18
Prairie Hybrids	5441 ORG ⇗	ORG	109	231.7	15.0	5	36.6	1149	19
Prairie Hybrids	7265 ⇗	CONV	112	231.6	15.3	3	34.0	1145	21
Cornelius	C7164 ⇗	CONV	111	231.0	15.9	8	35.7	1135	24
Prairie Hybrids	4991 ORG ⇗	ORG	106	230.2	14.9	13	34.0	1142	22
Epley	E1630 ⇗	CONV	106	229.3	14.8	15	34.9	1137	23
Wyffels	W5610 ⇗	CONV	108	228.9	14.4	6	33.1	1135	25
Custom Farm Seed	112-32C GC ⇗	CONV	112	227.3	15.4	22	35.7	1123	26
Cornelius	C7399 ⇗	CONV	113	225.2	15.2	18	33.1	1115	27
Viking | Blue River	75-07 ⇗	CONV	107	223.1	14.7	20	37.5	1107	28
Viking | Blue River	76-11 ⇗	CONV	111	222.9	14.3	3	37.5	1106	29
Epley	E2320 ⇗	CONV	113	222.2	16.4	6	35.7	1087	30
			Averages =	**231.9**	**15.2**	**10**	**35.2**	**1145**	
			LSD (0.10) =	18.4	0.5	10			
			LSD (0.25) =	9.6	0.2	5			
			C.V. =	7.5					

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Historic yield: 266.6 bu/a, 1 yr(s)

Yield & Income Factors: Base Moisture = 15.0% Shrink = 1.3 Drying = $0.05 Prices: GMO = $4.96

Report Date: 10/29/2026

† See last page for abbreviation descriptions. Dark colored row identifies the check product found in early- and full-season tests. **Bold** yields are significantly above test average by LSD(0.10). ***Italicized*** brands exceed the grain moisture limit for this test. **ns** = column values not significantly different. *Earthoptics used for soil conditions and soil-borne disease & pest risks. ⇗ Links to full product yield results at www.firstseedtests.com.

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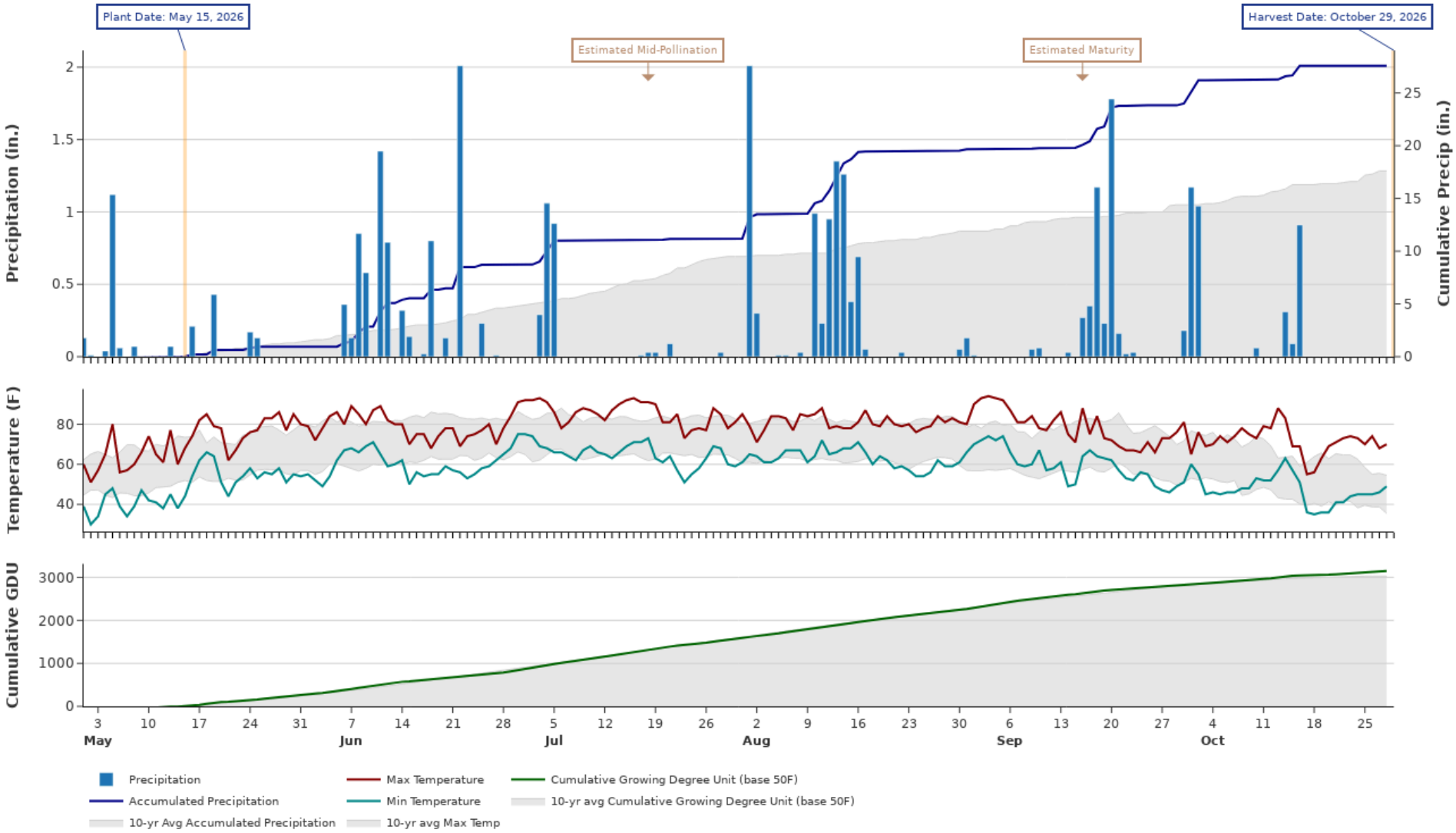
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Weather Conditions Summary at SENECA, IL

Weather Data Retrieved: 10/29/2026

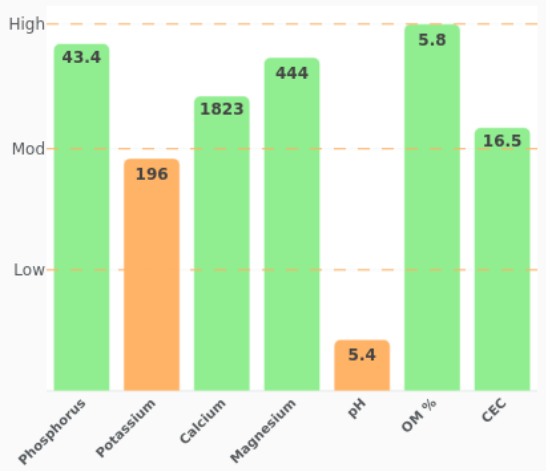
Monthly Total	May*	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct*	Total
Precip (in) | (Diff)	2.4 | 3.8 (-1.4)	7.8 | 3.4 (+4.4)	2.5 | 4.7 (-2.2)	8.5 | 2.4 (+6.1)	4.3 | 2.5 (+1.8)	3.6 | 3.2 (+0.4)	29.1 | 20.0 (+9.1)
GDU | Avg (Diff)	348 | 369 (-21)	576 | 652 (-76)	748 | 736 (+11)	673 | 673 (0)	562 | 511 (+50)	322 | 221 (+100)	3229 | 3164 (+64)



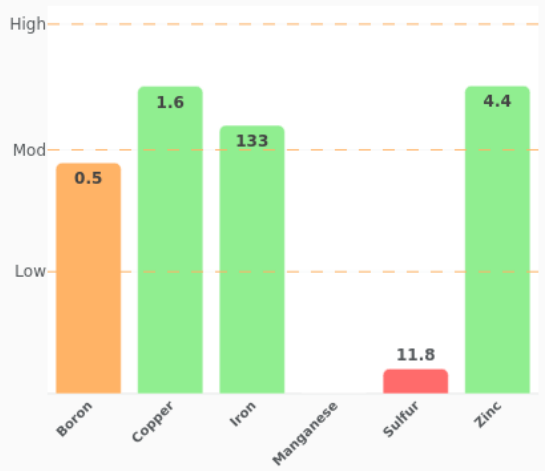
* First monthly total starts on the date 14 days prior to planting and final monthly total ends on the harvest date.

Note: Weather information from PRISM Climate Group. Data may be revised by the provider after retrieval. FIRST will not revise or update reports to reflect any weather data changes.
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Macronutrients



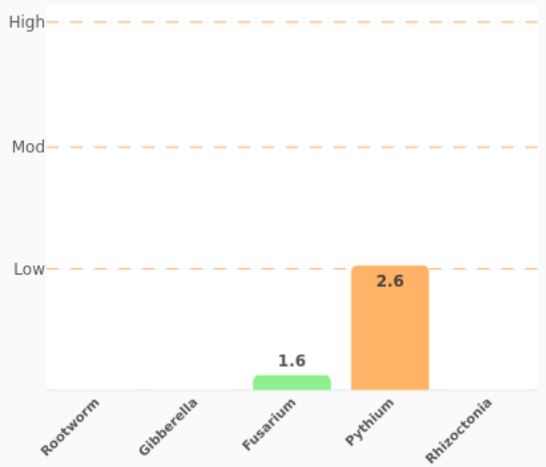
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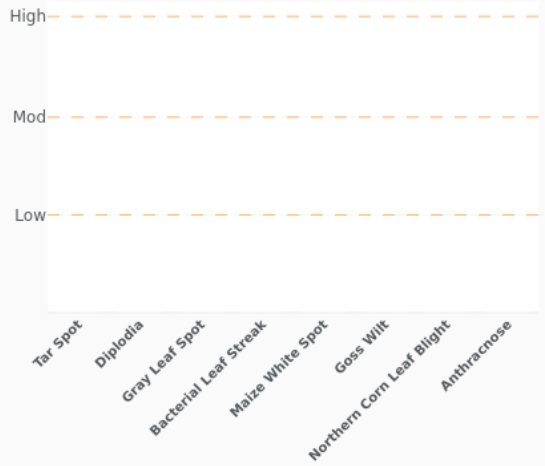
Biofertility Analytics



Below Ground Pest & Disease - Corn



Above Ground Pest & Disease - Corn



More Information

You can find more information about the EarthOptics and soil analytics reported at the following links:

- Reported Analytics Descriptions
- Soil Nutrients & Fertility
- Analytics & Insights
- EarthOptics

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All-Season Test Products (35 Total)

Company/Brand	Product/Brand	Technology	RIB	RM	Seed Treat.
Augusta	A2254-CONV	CONV	N	104	AC,P5V
Augusta	A2355-CONV	CONV	N	105	CM,C2
Augusta	A2356-CONV	CONV	N	106	CM,C2
Augusta	A4057	CONV	N	107	AC,P5V
Augusta	A4861	CONV	N	111	CM,C2
Becks	6374PQ	CONV	Y	113	Es
Cornelius	C6928PCE	PCE	N	109	CM,C2
Cornelius	C7164	CONV	N	111	CM,C2,Vi,Va
Cornelius	C7246	CONV	N	112	Lum,CM,PV,Va
Cornelius	C7399	CONV	N	113	CM,C2,Vi,Va
Custom Farm Seed	112-32C	CONV	N*	112	Treated
Custom Farm Seed	113-58C	CONV	N*	113	Treated
Epley	E1630	CONV	N	106	CM,C2,Vi
Epley	E2230	CONV	N	112	CM,C2,Vi,Va
Epley	E2320	CONV	N	113	CM,C2,Vi
Prairie Hybrids	4556	CONV	N	106	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	4991 ORG	ORG	N	106	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	5441 ORG	ORG	N	109	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	6251 ORG	ORG	N	109	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	6436	CONV	N	111	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	6854	CONV	N	110	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	6987	CONV	N	111	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	7265	CONV	N	112	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	7445	CONV	N	113	L,L,A5E
Prairie Hybrids	8447	CONV	N	115	L,L,A5E
Viking | Blue River	49-05	CONV	U	105	CM,C2
Viking | Blue River	62-12	CONV	N	112	CM,C2
Viking | Blue River	66-05	CONV	N	105	CM,C2
Viking | Blue River	75-07	CONV	N	107	CM,C2
Viking | Blue River	76-11	CONV	N	111	CM,C2
Wyffels	W5610	CONV	N	108	CM,C2,Vi,Va
Wyffels	W7170	CONV	N*	111	CM,C2,Vi,Va
Wyffels	W7870	CONV	N*	113	CM,C2,Vi,Va
Wyffels	W7940	CONV	N*	113	CM,C2,Vi,Va
Wyffels	W8080	CONV	N*	113	CM,C2,Vi,Va

* FIRST does not inspect products for refuge blend. N* indicates the product was entered without a refuge component by the sponsoring seed company. Prior year entries may contain refuge blend.

Footnotes and Abbreviations Descriptions

Brand Footnotes

CK	Identifies a check product included in early- and full-season tests.
GC	Grower Comparison product included by FIRST when space permits.
^	Power Plus® brand seed is distributed by Burrus. Power Plus® is a registered trademark of Corteva Agriscience.

Corn Technologies

CONV	Conventional
ORG	Organic certified, conventional
PCE	PowerCore® Enlist®

NOTE: The refuge component genetics may vary in a refuge blend seed product.

Corn Seed Treatments*

AC,P5V	Acceleron® Poncho 500/Votivo
CM,C2	CruiserMaxx® 250
CM,C2,Vi	CruiserMaxx® 250 with Vibrance
CM,C2,Vi,Va	CruiserMaxx® 250 with Vibrance, Vayantis®
Es	Escalate
L,L,A5E	LumiscendPro, Lumiflex, Actellic 5E
Lum,CM,PV,Va	LumiGEN™, CruiserMaxx®, Poncho/Votivo, Vayantis®
Treated	Treated seed, unspecified

* Seed treatments may include unspecified plant health promoting components.