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Years:	2009
Title:	Planting Depth
Crop:	Corn
Study ID:	046053200901
County:	Dodge
Objective:	To determine & document the profitability of planting deeper.
Treatments:	Normal depth (2.25") vs. Deeper depth (3.0")

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Results: 2009 Corn (Pioneer 32N73)

Variable	2.25" Depth	3.0" Depth	Prob>/T/
Yield, bu/ac @ 15.5%	200	218	0.0123 **
Moisture, %	32.5	32.6	0.203 ns

Plant Population, 28,200 seeds/ac

Planting Date: 4/23/09 Harvesting Date: 10/03/09

Summary: Grain yield was increased significantly by planting deeper in this study in 2009.

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