

Growing Degree Days Worksheet

Directions

1. Answer the Questions
2. Calculate the GGD's for each day from the following tables.
3. Add up the GGD's for the entire week in Table 1 and Table 2
4. Add the totals from Table 1 and Table 2 together.

Questions

1. List the three most important factors that are needed for corn to grow.

2. What are some of the other factors, (not listed above) that a farmer must consider before planting corn.

Growing Degree Table 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Maximum Temperature	68°F	72°F	60°F	69°F	69°F
Minimum Temperature	52°F	54°F	50°F	54°F	55°F
GDD's Totals					

Totals for the week_____

Growing Degree Table 2

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Maximum Temperature	78°F	80°F	75°F	78°F	79°F
Minimum Temperature	59°F	60°F	55°F	58°F	59°F
GDD's Totals					

Totals for the week_____

Totals from both tables_____