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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. September 11, 2023 - For the week ending September 10, 2023, there were 6.7 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 34% very short, 38% short, 26% adequate, and 2% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 31% very short, 42% short, 26% adequate, and 1% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat planted was 4%, near 3% for both last year and the five-year average.

Corn condition rated 14% very poor, 20% poor, 35% fair, 26% good, and 5% excellent. Corn dented was 89%, ahead of 82% last year, and near 85% average. Mature was 56%, ahead of 48% last year and 42% average. Harvested was 17%, near 20% last year, but ahead of 10% average.

Soybean condition rated 19% very poor, 26% poor, 32% fair, 20% good, and 3% excellent. Soybeans setting pods was 95%, ahead of 90% last year, and near 92% average. Dropping leaves was 37%, ahead of 25% last year and 19% average. Harvested was 1%.

Sorghum condition rated 11% very poor, 19% poor, 37% fair, 27% good, and 6% excellent. Sorghum headed was 95%, near 91% last year and 97% average. Coloring was 68%, ahead of 56% last year, but near 69% average. Mature was 22%, ahead of 10% last year and 11% average. Harvested was 4%, near 2% last year and 1% average.

Cotton condition rated 4% very poor, 15% poor, 41% fair, 37% good, and 3% excellent. Cotton setting bolls was 97%, near 100% last year and 95% average. Bolls opening was 58%, well ahead of 36% last year and 26% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 22% very poor, 27% poor, 34% fair, 16% good, and 1% excellent.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, KSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:
<https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j>

Access Crop Progress and Condition graphical products at:
https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Crop_Progress_&_Condition/2023/index.php

Crop Progress by District
For the Week Ending September 10, 2023

	Percent									
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Corn Dented	80	90	89	94	95	78	100	93	96	89
Corn Mature	23	47	61	61	79	58	65	76	93	56
Corn Harvested	9	9	8	9	42	26	6	28	59	17

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