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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. April 29, 2024 - For the week ending April 28, 2024, there were 5.2 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 25% very short, 31% short, 35% adequate, and 9% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 23% very short, 36% short, 35% adequate, and 6% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 10% very poor, 21% poor, 38% fair, 28% good, and 3% excellent. Winter wheat jointed was 84%, well ahead of 57% last year, and ahead of 65% for the five-year average. Headed was 33%, well ahead of 9% last year and 6% average.

Corn planted was 39%, ahead of 31% last year and 29% average. Emerged was 17%, ahead of 8% last year and 6% average.

Soybeans planted was 12%, near 11% last year, and ahead of 6% average.

Sorghum planted was 2%, near 1% both last year and average.

Cotton planted was 1%, equal to both last year and average.

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/2024/index.php

Crop Progress by District For the Week Ending April 28, 2024

	Percent									
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Winter Wheat Jointed	64	69	88	73	87	96	95	89	94	84
Winter Wheat Headed	0	21	46	4	18	61	11	35	59	33
Corn Planted	10	6	24	39	57	58	63	74	90	39
Corn Emerged	0	0	4	9	26	29	25	41	68	17

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