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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. August 16, 2021 - For the week ending August 15, 2021, there were 5.8 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 13% very short, 33% short, 52% adequate, and 2% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 11% very short, 32% short, 55% adequate, and 2% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn condition rated 4% very poor, 10% poor, 24% fair, 52% good, and 10% excellent. Corn silking was 97%, near 98% for both last year and the five-year average. Dough was 74%, behind 79% last year, and near 76% average. Dented was 25%, behind 38% last year and 36% average.

Soybean condition rated 3% very poor, 7% poor, 28% fair, 55% good, and 7% excellent. Soybeans blooming was 85%, near 89% both last year and average. Setting pods was 60%, behind 72% last year and 66% average.

Sorghum condition rated 2% very poor, 6% poor, 30% fair, 56% good, and 6% excellent. Sorghum headed was 75%, near 77% last year and 73% average. Coloring was 15%, near 16% last year and 14% average.

Cotton condition rated 0% very poor, 11% poor, 38% fair, 43% good, and 8% excellent. Cotton squaring was 97%, ahead of 92% last year and 90% average. Setting bolls was 79%, well ahead of 54% last year and 48% average. Bolls opening was 5%, near 3% last year and 2% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 5% very poor, 13% poor, 33% fair, 46% good, and 3% 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/2021/index.php

**Crop Progress by District
For the Week Ending August 15, 2021**

	Percent									
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Corn Silking	96	95	99	96	100	99	100	94	100	97
Corn Dough	54	74	78	64	85	86	87	76	94	74
Corn Dented	7	17	35	18	27	29	32	27	52	25

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