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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. October 17, 2022 - For the week ending October 16, 2022, there were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 58% very short, 30% short, 12% adequate, and 0% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 59% very short, 30% short, 11% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat planted was 64%, behind 73% last year, and near 66% for the five-year average. Emerged was 33%, behind 45% last year and 44% average.

Corn harvested was 73%, near 74% last year, but ahead of 64% average.

Soybean condition rated 25% very poor, 26% poor, 28% fair, 19% good, and 2% excellent. Soybeans dropping leaves was 90%, near 89% last year, and equal to average. Harvested was 45%, ahead of 39% last year and 34% average.

Sorghum condition rated 20% very poor, 33% poor, 30% fair, 16% good, and 1% excellent. Sorghum mature was 83%, near 87% last year and 84% average. Harvested was 39%, near 42% last year, but ahead of 28% average.

Cotton condition rated 11% very poor, 41% poor, 31% fair, 16% good, and 1% excellent. Cotton bolls opening was 88%, near 89% last year, but ahead of 83% average. Harvested was 26%, well ahead of 3% last year and 4% average.

Sunflowers harvested was 32%, behind 38% last year, but ahead of 24% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 47% very poor, 29% poor, 18% fair, 6% good, and 0% 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/2022/index.php

**Crop Progress by District
For the Week Ending October 16, 2022**

	Percent									
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Winter Wheat Planted	86	88	71	52	72	46	54	46	15	64
Winter Wheat Emerged	60	61	30	16	44	15	27	26	2	33
Corn Harvested	51	62	75	66	88	87	89	83	96	73

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