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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. December 16, 2024 - For the week ending December 15, 2024, there were 6.3 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 5% very short, 20% short, 72% adequate, and 3% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 7% very short, 28% short, 64% adequate, and 1% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 2% very poor, 8% poor, 34% fair, 49% good, and 7% excellent.

Cotton harvested was 95%, near 96% last year and 91% for the five-year average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 10% very poor, 18% poor, 46% fair, 25% good, and 1% excellent.

This is the last weekly Crop Progress and Condition report for the 2024 growing season. We would like to extend our appreciation to the dedicated county FSA and extension staff who supplied the necessary information for these reports. For December through February, we will issue monthly reports. The first monthly report (for week ending January 5) will be issued January 6, 2025. Weekly reports will begin March 10th for the 2025 season.

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.

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