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Weekly Summary for March 3 - March 9

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Most of the state received much needed rain, but some areas reported heavy rain events resulting in damage to some crops and property. Rainfall totals in Oklahoma averaged 1.34 inches. According to the March 4th US Drought Monitor Report, drought conditions were rated 81 percent abnormally dry to exceptional drought, up 46 points from the previous year. Additionally, 26 percent of the state was in the moderate drought to exceptional drought categories, up 22 points from the previous year. Statewide, temperatures averaged in the upper 40's to lower 50's. Topsoil and subsoil moisture conditions were adequate to short. There were 5.4 days suitable for fieldwork.

Small Grains: Winter wheat progress was reported as slightly behind normal with some field progressing to the jointing stage.

Pasture and Livestock: Pasture and range condition was rated at 73 percent good to fair. Livestock condition was rated at 82 percent good to fair.

Soil Moisture Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending March 9, 2025 Moisture Rating **Current Week** Previous Week One Year Ago Topsoil Very Short 11 20 5 Short 29 25 22 57 67 Adequate 53 Surplus 3 2 6 Subsoil 7 Very Short 12 5 38 22 Short 31 Adequate 53 56 71 Surplus 2 2 1

Crop and Livestock Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending March 9, 2025

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Winter Wheat	6	15	33	42	4
Livestock	3	12	31	51	3
Pasture and Range	5	20	42	31	2

Weather for Week Ending: Temperatures ranged from 21 degrees at Boise City on Wednesday, March 5th, to 80 degrees at Waurika on Friday, March 7th. Precipitation ranged from 0.20 inches in the Panhandle District to 2.20 inches in the South Central District. Soil temperature averages ranged from 41 degrees at Boise City on Sunday, March 9th, to 57 degrees at Grandfield on Friday, March 7th.

Mesonet Temperature and Precipitation Data For Week Ending March 9, 2025

Districts	Temperature			Precipitation				
				Current Week	September 1, 2024 to March 9, 2025			
	High	Low	Average		Total	Departure from Normal	Percent of Normal	
	degrees			inches	inches	inches	percent	
Panhandle	58	32	45	0.20	9.04	2.40	136%	
North Central	59	34	47	0.43	10.68	-1.02	91%	
Northeast	60	36	49	1.94	16.70	-1.78	90%	
West Central	61	37	49	0.56	11.92	0.90	108%	
Central	60	38	49	1.57	14.84	-1.17	93%	
East Central	61	39	51	1.57	19.71	-2.50	89%	
Southwest	63	39	51	1.50	12.25	-0.26	98%	
South Central	63	41	51	2.20	16.20	-2.78	85%	
Southeast	62	40	51	2.06	25.80	0.22	101%	