



# Crop Weather

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**Agricultural Summary:** The State experienced below normal temperatures for the month of December, which was accompanied by rain, snow, and ice storms throughout the state. Much of the State received freezing rain or heavy snowfall at some point during December. Topsoil moisture was rated at 5 percent very short, 9 percent short, 77 percent adequate, and 9 percent surplus.

**Field Crop Report:** **Wheat** condition was rated 7 percent very poor, 16 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 43 percent good, and 4 percent excellent. Wind damage to the wheat crop across the state was 92 percent no damage, and 8 percent having light wind damage. Freeze damage has been rated at 88 percent with no damage, 10 percent with light damage, and 2 percent of the wheat has moderate freeze damage.

**Feed Supplies Report:** Feed grain supplies were rated 5 percent short, 88 percent adequate, and 7 percent surplus. Hay and forage supplies were rated 10 percent short, 86 percent adequate, and 4 percent surplus.

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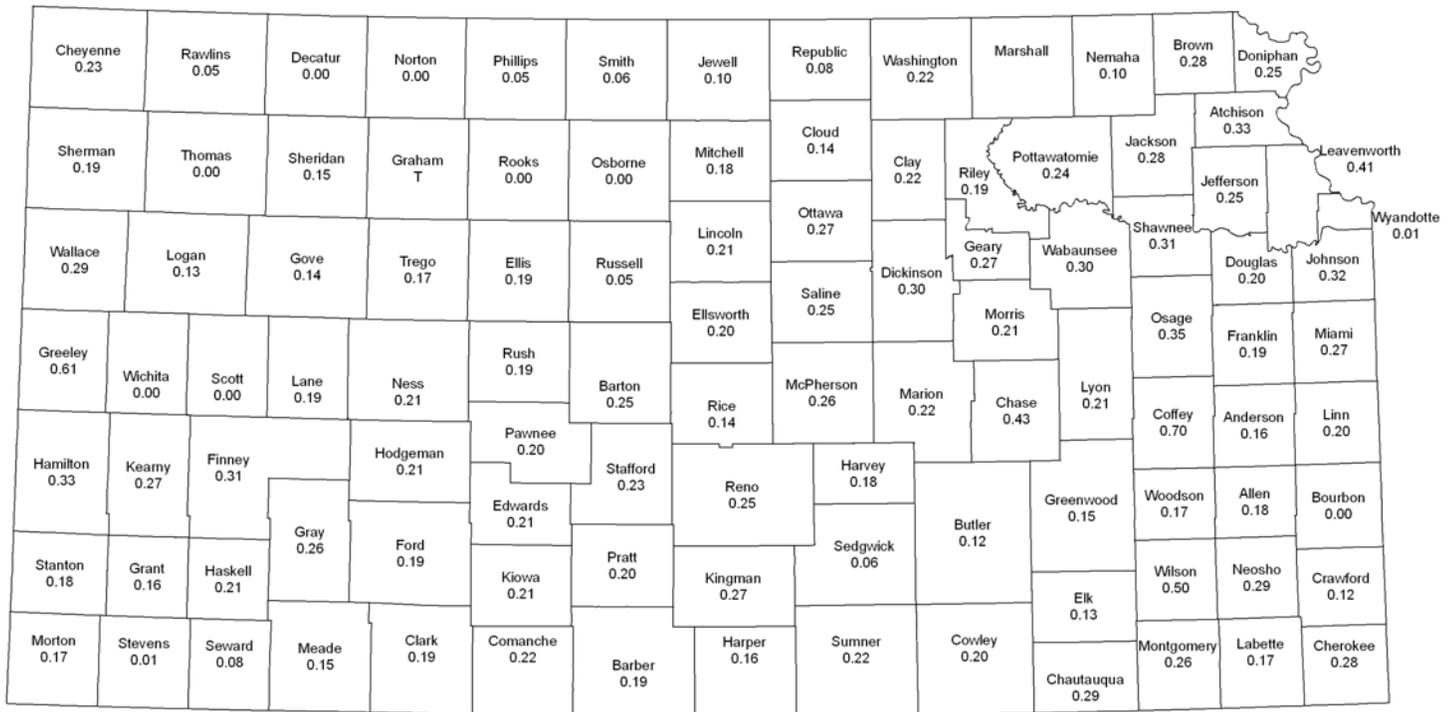
### TEMP. AND PRECIP. DATA, SELECTED SITES, FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER 2007

Station		Temperature					Precip <sup>1/</sup>	Station		Temperature					Precip <sup>1/</sup>
		Air			Soil 4"					Air			Soil 4"		
Dist	City	Max	Min	Avg	Max	Min		Dist	City	Max	Min	Avg	Max	Min	
NW	Colby	72	-1	27	46	31	NA	SC	Hesston	63	3	31	53	28	NA
WC	Tribune	72	-1	28	42	30	NA	NE	Powhatt	61	6	28	51	33	NA
SW	Garden Cty	73	3	30	46	28	NA	NE	Manhat	65	3	30	50	33	NA
NC	Scandia	63	-3	26	44	24	NA	EC	Ottawa	63	7	32	51	33	NA
C	Hays	69	1	29	44	24	NA	EC	Slvr Lk	64	3	30	48	33	NA
SC	Hutch	70	3	31	50	35	NA	EC	Rossvl	65	1	30	48	34	NA
SC	St John	74	1	32	52	32	NA	SE	Parsons	65	6	35	51	33	NA

<sup>1/</sup> Gauges have been covered for the winter.



**PRECIPITATION ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007**



T Precipitation is less than .005. Omission of an entry indicates report not received.