



# CROP WEATHER

## Kansas Agricultural Statistics

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**Agricultural Summary:** Showers were scattered throughout the State last week with some areas in the north central district receiving higher amounts. Temperatures remained average. Harvesting wheat and hay were the primary activities. Producers averaged 6.1 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture was rated 6 percent very short, 33 percent short, 57 percent adequate, and 4 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture was rated 2 percent very short, 23 percent short, 71 percent adequate, and 4 percent surplus.

**Field Crop Report:** Ninety-eight percent of the **wheat** has been harvested. Ninety-one percent of the **corn** has silked, compared to 90 percent last year and 82 percent for the 5-year average. Thirty percent is in the dough stage, compared to 31 percent last year and 22 percent for the 5-year average. Three percent has dented. Corn condition was rated 3 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 25 percent fair, 48 percent good, and 16 percent excellent. Sixty-one percent of the **soybeans** have bloomed, compared to 76 percent last year and 62 percent for the 5-year average. Seventeen percent is setting pods, compared to 22 percent last year and 19 percent for the 5-year average. Soybean condition was rated 1 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 50 percent good, and 10 percent excellent. Eight percent of the **sorghum** has headed, compared to 17 percent for both last year and the 5-year average. Sorghum condition was rated 1 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 22 percent fair, 61 percent good, and 11 percent excellent. Ninety-six percent of the second cutting **alfalfa** has been harvested, the same as last year but one point behind the 5-year average. Twenty-three percent of the third cutting alfalfa has been harvested, compared to 38 percent last year and 35 percent for the 5-year average. Twenty-four percent of the **sunflowers** have bloomed, compared to 12 percent last year and 13 percent for the 5-year average. Sunflower condition was rated 4 percent poor, 20 percent fair, 62 percent good, and 14 percent excellent. Eighteen percent of the **cotton** is setting bolls, compared to 3 percent last year and 10 percent for the 5-year average. Cotton condition was rated 20 percent fair, 65 percent good, and 15 percent excellent.

**Feed Supplies Report:** Range and pasture conditions were rated 2 percent very poor, 9 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 44 percent good, and 12 percent excellent. Feed grain supplies were rated 5 percent very short, 11 percent short, 83 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus. Hay and forage supplies were rated 3 percent very short, 15 percent short, 79 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus. Stock water supplies were rated 1 percent very short, 8 percent short, 87 percent adequate, and 4 percent surplus.

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### Crop Conditions for Week Ending 07/22/07

	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Corn	3	8	25	48	16
Soybeans	1	5	34	50	10
Sorghum	1	5	22	61	11
Range & Pasture	2	9	33	44	12

### Crop Progress by Agricultural Statistics District as of 07/22/07

	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE	LAST WEEK	LAST YEAR	5-YR AVG.
Soybeans Blooming	43	46	38	83	58	56	97	46	23	61	38	76	62
Soybeans Podded	0	3	8	29	12	10	34	9	5	17	7	22	19
Sorghum Headed	0	10	21	1	6	9	12	8	16	8	1	17	17
Corn Silked	79	76	93	94	89	97	100	87	98	91	69	90	82
Corn Dough	3	6	22	37	18	38	48	29	59	30	10	31	22

### Days Suitable and Moisture Conditions for Week Ending 07/22/07

	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE	LAST WEEK	LAST YEAR	
Days Suitable For Fieldwork	6.7	6.4	6.8	5.2	5.4	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.2	6.1	5.2	6.5	
Topsoil Moisture (Percent)													
Very Short	9	15	7	7	3	0	29	0	0	6	6	23	
Short	67	39	62	39	31	15	25	28	14	33	25	49	
Adequate	24	46	31	53	66	83	43	72	65	57	61	28	
Surplus	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	21	4	8	0	
Subsoil Moisture (Percent)													
Very Short	3	6	12	2	0	0	4	0	0	2	2	25	
Short	56	29	22	38	17	0	36	16	9	23	23	51	
Adequate	41	65	66	60	80	98	60	84	66	71	66	24	
Surplus	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	25	4	9	0	

