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Kansas Agricultural Statistics

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Agricultural Summary: Precipitation across Kansas was widely varied, with all counties receiving some moisture, and a number of counties receiving over 1 inch of rainfall. Producers averaged 3.7 days suitable for field work. Topsoil moisture is rated at 6 percent very short, 7 percent short, 60 percent adequate, and 27 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture is rated at 6 percent very short, 11 percent short, 64 percent adequate, and 19 percent surplus. Primary farm activity involved cutting hay, beginning wheat harvest, herbicide spraying on row crops, and planting of soybeans, sorghum, and sunflowers.

Field Crop Report: **Wheat** is estimated at 94 percent turning, compared to 97 percent in 2007 and 99 percent for the 5-year average. Thirty-eight percent is considered ripe for harvest, compared to 65 percent previous year and 76 percent for the 5-year average. Wheat harvest is 6 percent complete, compared to 15 percent last year and 36 percent for the 5-year average. Wheat condition is rated 8 percent very poor, 16 percent poor, 36 percent fair, 34 percent good, and 6 percent excellent. **Corn** condition is rated 2 percent very poor, 9 percent poor, 40 percent fair, 44 percent good, and 5 percent excellent. **Sorghum** has been planted, compared to 86 percent last year and 88 percent for the 5-year average. Fifty percent has emerged, compared to 67 percent in 2007 and 74 percent for the 5-year average. Sorghum condition is rated 3 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 20 percent fair, 63 percent good, and 6 percent excellent. **Soybeans** have been planted, compared to 85 percent last year and 91 percent for the 5-year average. Soybeans are 70 percent emerged, compared to 74 percent in 2007 and 83 percent for the 5-year average. Soybean condition is rated 1 percent very poor, 15 percent poor, 36 percent fair, 44 percent good, and 4 percent excellent. **Cotton** is squaring, compared to 4 percent for both the previous year and the 5-year average. Cotton condition is rated 10 percent very poor, 15 percent poor, 35 percent fair, 35 percent good, and 5 percent excellent. **Sunflowers** have been planted, compared to 81 percent for both the previous year and the 5-year average. Thirty-three percent of sunflowers have emerged, compared to 53 percent in 2007 and 60 percent for the 5-year average. Ninety-six percent of the first cutting **alfalfa** has been completed, compared to 97 percent last year and 99 percent for the 5-year average. Second cutting is 21 percent completed, compared to 28 percent for 2007 and 36 percent for the 5-year average.

Feed Supplies Report: Range and pasture conditions were rated at 6 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 23 percent fair, 54 percent good, and 9 percent excellent. Feed grain supplies were rated 4 percent very short, 9 percent short, 86 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus. Hay and forage supplies were rated 1 percent very short, 6 percent short, 88 percent adequate, and 5 percent surplus. Stock water supplies were estimated at 2 percent very short, 4 percent short, 79 percent adequate, and 15 percent surplus.

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Crop Conditions for Week Ending 06/22/08

	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Wheat	8	16	36	34	6
Corn	2	9	40	44	5
Sorghum	3	8	20	63	6
Soybeans	1	15	36	44	4
Range & Pasture	6	8	23	54	9

Crop Progress by Agricultural Statistics District as of 06/22/08

	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE	LAST WEEK	LAST YEAR	5-YR AVG.
Wheat Turning	86	99	100	85	95	98	99	98	98	94	73	97	99
Wheat Ripe	2	18	78	11	39	64	0	19	71	38	13	65	76
Wheat Harvested	0	0	16	1	2	14	0	3	9	6	2	15	36
Sorghum Planted	85	84	74	68	79	69	85	68	62	73	60	86	88
Sorghum Emerged	46	59	47	44	59	58	62	55	49	50	34	67	74
Soybeans Planted	84	100	100	98	87	90	94	71	43	78	70	85	91
Soybeans Emerged	63	76	76	88	81	87	90	61	32	70	59	74	83

Days Suitable and Moisture Conditions for Week Ending 06/22/08

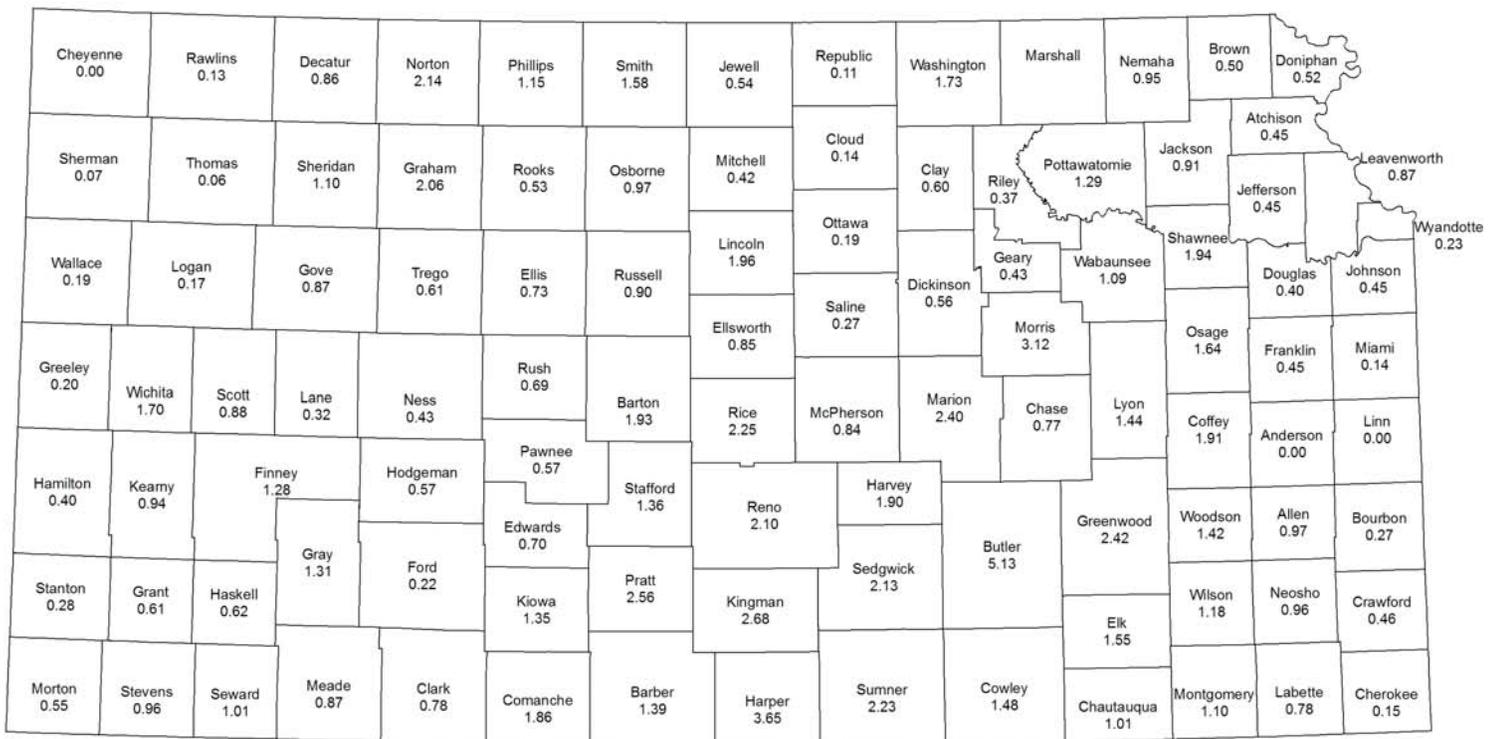
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE	LAST WEEK	LAST YEAR	
Days Suitable For Fieldwork	4.5	5.0	5.3	5.1	2.4	3.5	3.0	3.3	2.7	3.7	3.8	5.0	
Topsoil Moisture (Percent)													
Very Short	2	3	61	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	5	1	
Short	15	21	28	5	4	4	0	0	0	7	9	14	
Adequate	64	76	11	84	91	73	56	74	22	60	57	71	
Surplus	19	0	0	11	4	23	44	26	78	27	29	14	
Subsoil Moisture (Percent)													
Very Short	12	1	55	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	5	1	
Short	33	24	37	8	10	7	0	0	0	11	10	11	
Adequate	50	75	8	92	81	82	75	78	33	64	61	78	
Surplus	5	0	0	0	8	11	25	22	67	19	24	10	

TEMP. AND PRECIP. DATA, SELECTED SITES, FOR WEEK ENDING 06/22/08 at 7:00 a.m.

Station		Temperature					Precip	Station		Temperature					Precip
Dist	City	Air			Soil 4"			Dist	City	Air			Soil 4"		
		Max	Min	Avg	Max	Min	Max			Min	Avg	Max	Min		
NW	Colby	94	53	70	89	66	.32	SC	Hesston	93	59	73	107	70	2.24
WC	Tribune	96	52	70	82	68	.15	NE	Powhatt	88	55	72	88	66	.39
SW	Garden Cty	95	53	70	87	61	1.73	NE	Manhat	87	55	71	87	70	2.22
NC	Scandia	89	54	71	90	63	.03	EC	Ottawa	89	57	73	84	66	1.18
C	Hays	91	55	72	91	63	2.12	EC	Slvr Lk	87	56	72	82	69	.50
SC	Hutch	93	59	72	78	69	2.18	EC	Rossvl	86	55	71	83	71	.59
SC	St John	95	60	73	90	67	.38	SE	Parsons	90	57	73	87	66	.64

Data collected by Automated Stations (above) may differ from official stations (below). Automated stations report through midnight on Sunday. Official reporting stations data are through 7:00 a.m. Sunday. The map data are collected by individuals (one or more per county).

PRECIPITATION FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 22, 2008 at 7:00 a.m.



Omission of an entry indicates report not received.