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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

Manhattan, KS – For the week ending June 26, 2016, temperatures were six to eight degrees above normal across most of the State, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Rainfall amounts of one inch or more were reported in southern and central counties, with lesser amounts in the northeast and northwest. There were 5.9 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture rated 6 percent very short, 24 short, 65 adequate, and 5 surplus. Subsoil moisture rated 3 percent very short, 20 short, 75 adequate, and 2 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 1 percent very poor, 7 poor, 28 fair, 48 good, and 16 excellent. Winter wheat harvested was 58 percent, well ahead of 37 last year, and ahead of the five-year average of 50.

Corn condition rated 2 percent very poor, 6 poor, 27 fair, 58 good, and 7 excellent. Corn silking was 17 percent, ahead of 11 last year and 12 average.

Soybean condition rated 2 percent very poor, 6 poor, 33 fair, 55 good, and 4 excellent. Soybeans planted was 95 percent, ahead of 82 last year, and near 92 average. Emerged was 84 percent, ahead of 65 last year, and near 83 average.

Sorghum condition rated 0 percent very poor, 2 poor, 24 fair, 71 good, and 3 excellent. Sorghum planted was 94 percent, ahead of 88 last year, and near 91 average. Headed was 9 percent, ahead of 0 both last year and average.

Cotton condition rated 0 percent very poor, 1 poor, 30 fair, 65 good and 4 excellent. Cotton planted was 80 percent, behind 86 last year and 95 average. Squaring was 13 percent, ahead of 4 last year, and near 10 average.

Sunflowers planted was 82 percent, ahead of 76 last year, and near 80 average. Emerged was 63 percent, ahead of 53 last year, and near 61 average.

Alfalfa hay condition rated 1 percent very poor, 6 poor, 29 fair, 58 good, and 6 excellent. Alfalfa hay second cutting was 37 percent complete, ahead of 21 last year, but near 40 average.

Livestock, Pasture, and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 0 percent very poor, 4 poor, 25 fair, 60 good, and 11 excellent.

Stock water supplies were 2 percent very short, 5 short, 90 adequate, and 3 surplus.

Data for this release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service agency and KSU Extension Service.

Access the National publication for Crop Progress and Condition tables at:

<http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/usda/nass/CropProg/2010s/2016/CropProg-06-27-2016.pdf>

Access the High Plains Regional Climate Center for Temperature and Precipitation Maps at:

<http://www.hprcc.unl.edu/maps.php?map=ACISClimateMaps>

Access the U.S. Drought Monitor at:

<http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/Home/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?KS>

**Days Suitable, Soil Moisture and Crop Progress by District
For the Week Ending June 26, 2016**

	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Days Suitable for Fieldwork	6.8	6.5	5.3	6.5	6.0	4.8	6.8	6.4	5.8	5.9
Topsoil Moisture	Percent									
Very Short	5	2	2	8	3	0	46	4	4	6
Short	41	17	22	35	15	11	34	47	18	24
Adequate	50	80	72	56	69	79	20	49	75	65
Surplus	4	1	4	1	13	10	0	0	3	5
Subsoil Moisture	Percent									
Very Short	6	2	1	5	2	0	25	1	1	3
Short	27	17	21	22	15	10	31	29	23	20
Adequate	64	81	77	72	72	89	43	70	74	75
Surplus	3	0	1	1	11	1	1	0	2	2
Winter Wheat Harvested	13	33	50	54	78	74	75	80	91	58
Corn Silking	0	0	13	10	30	13	12	23	70	17
Soybeans Planted	99	97	100	99	95	87	99	98	89	95
Soybeans Emerged	87	94	97	93	90	72	92	83	70	84
Sorghum Planted	98	94	95	97	94	87	99	90	91	94
Sorghum Headed	0	9	0	6	0	44	21	13	16	9

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