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## KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**MANHATTAN, Kan. January 2, 2018** – For the month of December 2017, topsoil moisture rated 28 percent very short, 49 short, 23 adequate, and 0 surplus, according to the USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service. Subsoil moisture rated 16 percent very short, 48 short, 36 adequate, and 0 surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Winter wheat condition rated 4 percent very poor, 18 poor, 41 fair, 34 good, and 3 excellent.

Cotton harvested was 86 percent complete, behind 92 last year and 94 average.

The next monthly report (for January) will be issued January 29, 2018. Weekly reports will begin March 5<sup>th</sup> for the 2018 season.

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