



# NEWS RELEASE

NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE

United States Department of Agriculture • Northern Plains Region  
3705 Miller Parkway, Ste. A, Manhattan, KS 66503 • (800) 582-6443

[www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov)



**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**Contact:** Doug Bounds

(800) 582-6443

[doug.bounds@usda.gov](mailto:doug.bounds@usda.gov)

## KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**MANHATTAN, Kan. September 16, 2019** - For the week ending September 15, 2019, there were 6.1 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 5 percent very short, 19 short, 71 adequate, and 5 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 4 percent very short, 16 short, 77 adequate, and 3 surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Winter wheat planted was 6 percent, equal to both last year and the five-year average.

Corn condition rated 4 percent very poor, 12 poor, 34 fair, 40 good, and 10 excellent. Corn dented was 88 percent, behind 93 last year, and near 92 average. Mature was 43 percent, behind 61 last year and 56 average. Harvested was 10 percent, behind 15 last year and 16 average.

Soybean condition rated 3 percent very poor, 7 poor, 31 fair, 51 good, and 8 excellent. Soybeans setting pods was 93 percent, near 97 both last year and average. Dropping leaves was 13 percent, behind 26 last year and 25 average.

Sorghum condition rated 2 percent very poor, 8 poor, 29 fair, 51 good, and 10 excellent. Sorghum coloring was 73 percent, behind 84 last year and 81 average. Mature was 9 percent, behind 19 last year and 21 average. Harvested was 1 percent, near 3 both last year and average.

Cotton condition rated 6 percent very poor, 14 poor, 36 fair, 39 good, and 5 excellent. Cotton setting bolls was 94 percent, near 98 last year and 91 average. Bolls opening was 17 percent, behind 36 last year and 27 average.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 1 percent very poor, 6 poor, 26 fair, 58 good, and 9 excellent.

*Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, KSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.*

*Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:*

<http://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j>

**Crop Progress by District  
For the Week Ending September 15, 2019**

	Percent									
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Winter Wheat Planted	4	6	10	1	3	10	4	5	2	6
Corn Dented	75	85	94	94	92	92	92	89	92	88
Corn Mature	38	27	52	25	57	66	30	37	70	43
Corn Harvested	0	3	12	1	19	26	3	6	45	10

###

*NASS is the federal statistical agency responsible for producing official data about U.S. agriculture and is committed to providing timely, accurate and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.*

*We invite you to provide occasional feedback on our products and services. Sign up at [http://bit.ly/NASS\\_Subscriptions](http://bit.ly/NASS_Subscriptions) and look for the "NASS Data User Community."*

*USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer. To file a complaint of discrimination, write to USDA, Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Stop 9410, Washington, DC 20250-9410, or call toll-free at (866) 632-9992 (English) or (800) 877-8339 (TDD) or (866) 377-8642 (English Federal-relay) or (800) 845-6136 (Spanish Federal-relay).*