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## KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**MANHATTAN, Kan. September 28, 2020** - For the week ending September 27, 2020, there were 6.7 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 12% very short, 37% short, 50% adequate, and 1% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 11% very short, 34% short, 54% adequate, and 1% surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Winter wheat planted was 35%, ahead of 26% last year and 25% for the five-year average. Emerged was 10%, near 9% last year and 7% average.

Corn condition rated 5% very poor, 12% poor, 28% fair, 42% good, and 13% excellent. Corn mature was 84%, ahead of 69% last year, and near 81% average. Harvested was 29%, near 25% last year, but behind 35% average.

Soybean condition rated 4% very poor, 11% poor, 35% fair, 40% good, and 10% excellent. Soybeans dropping leaves was 68%, well ahead of 39% last year, and ahead of 51% average. Harvested was 10%, ahead of 1% last year and 5% average.

Sorghum condition rated 3% very poor, 8% poor, 28% fair, 49% good, and 12% excellent. Sorghum coloring was 96%, ahead of 90% last year, and near 94% average. Mature was 45%, ahead of 33% last year, and equal to average. Harvested was 6%, near 5% last year and 9% average.

Cotton condition rated 3% very poor, 11% poor, 39% fair, 41% good, and 6% excellent. Cotton bolls opening was 54%, ahead of 41% last year and 45% average. Harvested was 1%, near 2% average.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 7% very poor, 18% poor, 36% fair, 35% good, and 4% 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.*

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**Crop Progress by District  
For the Week Ending September 27, 2020**

|                      | <b>Percent</b> |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |              |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|
|                      | <b>NW</b>      | <b>WC</b> | <b>SW</b> | <b>NC</b> | <b>C</b>  | <b>SC</b> | <b>NE</b> | <b>EC</b> | <b>SE</b> | <b>STATE</b> |
| Winter Wheat Planted | <b>55</b>      | <b>40</b> | <b>47</b> | <b>19</b> | <b>30</b> | <b>30</b> | <b>18</b> | <b>9</b>  | <b>22</b> | <b>35</b>    |
| Winter Wheat Emerged | <b>12</b>      | <b>11</b> | <b>14</b> | <b>7</b>  | <b>9</b>  | <b>9</b>  | <b>3</b>  | <b>0</b>  | <b>10</b> | <b>10</b>    |
| Corn Mature          | <b>72</b>      | <b>79</b> | <b>83</b> | <b>86</b> | <b>95</b> | <b>95</b> | <b>87</b> | <b>90</b> | <b>92</b> | <b>84</b>    |
| Corn Harvested       | <b>18</b>      | <b>17</b> | <b>24</b> | <b>26</b> | <b>59</b> | <b>62</b> | <b>17</b> | <b>38</b> | <b>54</b> | <b>29</b>    |

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