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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. May 8, 2023 - For the week ending May 7, 2023, there were 6.2 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 39% very short, 34% short, 26% adequate, and 1% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 52% very short, 29% short, 19% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 37% very poor, 31% poor, 21% fair, 10% good, and 1% excellent. Winter wheat jointed was 78%, near 81% last year and 82% for the five-year average. Headed was 32%, ahead of 27% last year and 24% average.

Corn planted was 47%, near 44% last year and 48% average. Emerged was 20%, near 16% last year, and equal to average.

Soybeans planted was 29%, ahead of 15% last year and 14% average. Emerged was 6%, ahead of 1% last year, and near 2% average.

Sorghum planted was 3%, near 2% both last year and average.

Cotton planted was 3%, behind 10% last year and 8% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 34% very poor, 30% poor, 25% fair, 10% good, and 1% 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:

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

Access Crop Progress and Condition graphical products at:

https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Crop_Progress_&_Condition/2023/index.php

**Crop Progress by District
For the Week Ending May 7, 2023**

	Percent									
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Winter Wheat Jointed	66	48	80	65	88	93	88	78	94	78
Winter Wheat Headed	0	2	14	7	47	66	6	26	72	32
Corn Planted	14	11	32	50	70	71	83	78	97	47
Corn Emerged	1	2	7	5	42	24	40	48	79	20

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