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KANSAS CROP PRODUCTION REPORT

TOPEKA, KS, August 12, 2013 – Based on August 1 conditions, Kansas’s 2013 **corn** crop is forecast at 487 million bushels, 28 percent above last year’s production, according to the USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service. Area to be harvested for grain, at 4.20 million acres, is up 6 percent from a year ago. Yield is forecast at 116 bushels per acre, up 20 bushels from last year.

Sorghum for grain in Kansas is forecast at 169 million bushels, more than double last year. Area for harvest, at 2.6 million acres, is up 124 percent from 2012. Yield is forecast at 65 bushels per acre, up 26 bushels from last year.

Kansas’s **soybean** production is forecast at 133 million bushels, up 58 percent from last year. Area for harvest, at 3.69 million acres is 2 percent below 2012. Yield is forecast at 36 bushels per acre, 14 bushels above last year.

Winter wheat production is forecast at 328 million bushels, down 14 percent from last year’s crop. Yield is forecast at 40 bushels per acre, 2 bushels below last year. Area for grain, at 8.2 million acres, is 10 percent below last year.

Cotton production is forecast at 40,000 bales, down 43 percent from last year. Yield is forecast at 662 pounds per acre, up from 622 pounds per acre in 2012. Acreage for harvest, at 29,000 acres, is down 25,000 acres from 2012.

Oat production is forecast to be 1.05 million bushels, up 6 percent from last month. Yield per acre is up 2 bushels from July 1.

Alfalfa hay production is forecast to be 1 percent below last year. **All other hay** production is up 58 percent.

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Kansas Winter Wheat Production by District, 2012 and Forecasted August 1, 2013

District	Area Planted		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of
	1,000 Acres				Prev. Yr.	Bushels per Acre		1,000 Bushels		Prev. Yr.
Northwest	970.0	950.0	929.5	660.0	71	48.5	30.5	45,040	20,000	44
West Central	1,185.0	1,100.0	1,140.0	840.0	74	37.5	27.0	42,700	22,500	53
Southwest	1,690.0	1,550.0	1,580.0	1,180.0	75	32.4	23.5	51,270	28,000	55
North Central	1,145.0	1,200.0	1,105.0	1,130.0	102	44.5	46.0	49,120	52,000	106
Central	1,470.0	1,500.0	1,424.5	1,430.0	100	44.0	48.5	62,615	69,000	110
South Central	2,260.0	2,200.0	2,165.0	2,100.0	97	43.0	42.0	92,990	88,500	95
Northeast	110.0	125.0	106.0	115.0	108	44.5	58.5	4,720	6,700	142
East Central	190.0	245.0	185.0	235.0	127	48.0	54.5	8,885	12,800	144
Southeast	480.0	530.0	465.0	510.0	110	53.5	56.0	24,860	28,500	115
State	9,500.0	9,400.0	9,100.0	8,200.0	90	42.0	40.0	382,200	328,000	86

Kansas Corn Production by District, 2012 and Forecasted August 1, 2013

District	Area Planted		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of
	1,000 Acres				Prev. Yr.	Bushels per Acre		1,000 Bushels		Prev. Yr.
Northwest	943	865	730	810	111	75.4	101.0	55,050	82,000	149
West Central	410	385	293	355	121	71.2	77.0	20,850	27,500	132
Southwest	800	755	694	680	98	172	194.0	119,350	132,000	111
North Central	425	330	333	290	87	89.2	103.0	29,700	30,000	101
Central	192	175	138	155	112	87.5	101.0	12,070	15,700	130
South Central	440	490	402	470	117	126.4	132.0	50,800	62,000	122
Northeast	665	710	624	690	111	85.8	122.0	53,530	84,500	158
East Central	370	350	310	330	106	46.8	83.0	14,520	27,500	189
Southeast	455	440	426	420	99	54.8	62.0	23,330	26,000	111
State	4,700	4,500	3,950	4,200	106	96.0	116.0	379,200	487,200	128

Kansas Soybeans Production by District, 2012 and Forecasted August 1, 2013

District	Area Planted		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of
	1,000 Acres				Prev. Yr.	Bushels per Acre		1,000 Bushels		Prev. Yr.
Northwest	84		74.0			33.8		2,500		
West Central	13		9.5			26.9		256		
Southwest	58		54.5			43.9		2,394		
North Central	745	700	726.0	690	95	24.4	37.5	17,684	26,000	147
Central	465	390	433.0	385	89	18.2	35.0	7,873	13,500	171
South Central	520	410	462.0	405	88	24.0	38.5	11,100	15,500	140
Northeast	720	740	714.0	730	102	28.5	42.5	20,348	31,000	152
East Central	680	680	652.0	670	103	16.2	33.5	10,543	22,500	213
Southeast	715	710	685.0	700	102	16.2	27.0	11,122	19,000	171
Other Districts ¹		120		110			48.5		5,340	
State	4,000	3,750	3,810	3,690	97	22.0	36.0	83,820	132,840	158

¹ Some districts are not published due to insufficient or confidential data.