



Oklahoma Crop Weather

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Weekly Summary for June 11 – 17

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The Statewide average rainfall total for the week was 0.45 of an inch, with the Northeast district recording the highest precipitation at 0.96 of an inch. As of June 12th, drought conditions were rated 24 percent extreme to exceptional, down 4 points from the previous week. Additionally, 2 percent of the state was in the exceptional drought category, down 5 points from the previous week. Statewide temperatures averaged in the low 80's. Topsoil and subsoil moisture conditions were rated mostly very short to adequate. There were 6.3 days suitable for fieldwork.

Small Grains: Winter wheat harvested reached 73 percent, unchanged from the previous year but up 22 points from normal. Canola harvested reached 87 percent, up 14 points from the previous. Rye harvested reached 74 percent, up 15 points from the previous year. Oats jointing reached 96 percent, up 2 points from the previous year. Oats headed reached 90 percent, down 1 point from the previous year. Oats harvested reached 33 percent, down 3 points from the previous year but up 7 points from normal.

Row Crops: Corn emerged reached 92 percent, down 4 points from the previous year. Corn silk reached 10 percent, down 5 points from the previous year. Sorghum planted reached 60 percent, down 21 points from the previous year. Sorghum headed reached 1 percent, up 1 point from the previous year. Soybeans planted reached 74 percent, up 5 points from the previous year. Soybeans emerged reached 60 percent, up 12 points from the previous year. Peanuts emerged reached 90 percent, up 13 points from the previous year. Peanuts pegging reached 7 percent, up 6 points from the previous. Cotton planted reached 94 percent, down 1 point from the previous year. Cotton squaring reached 11 percent, down 1 point from the previous year but up 3 points from normal.

Hay: A first cutting of alfalfa hay reached 95 percent, up 5 points from the previous year. A second cutting of alfalfa hay reached 50 percent, up 11 points from the previous year. A first cutting of other hay reached 75 percent, up 8 points from the previous year and up 14 points from normal.

Pasture and Livestock: Conditions of pasture and range were rated at 77 percent good to fair. Livestock condition was rated at 88 percent good to fair.

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Soil Moisture Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending June 17, 2018

Moisture Rating	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago
Topsoil			
Very Short	25	18	2
Short	42	42	48
Adequate	32	39	50
Surplus	1	1	0
Subsoil			
Very Short	34	30	3
Short	34	30	35
Adequate	32	40	62
Surplus	0	0	0

Crop Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending June 17, 2018

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Wheat	36	26	28	10	0
Rye	56	16	14	14	0
Oats	30	23	27	20	0
Canola	30	32	25	13	0
Corn	0	2	19	69	10
Sorghum	2	10	41	45	2
Peanuts	0	0	24	65	11
Cotton	5	19	53	22	1
Soybeans	2	6	33	52	7
Livestock	2	6	28	60	4
Pasture and Range	6	15	38	39	2

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Crop Progress by Percent

For Week Ending June 17, 2018

Crop	Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago	Five Year Average
Wheat	Harvested	73	49	73	51
Canola	Harvested	87	52	73	66
Rye	Harvested	74	18	59	N/A
Oats	Jointing	96	94	95	N/A
	Headed	90	79	91	90
	Harvested	33	5	36	26
Corn	Emerged	92	91	96	94
	Silking	10	2	15	7
Sorghum	Planted	60	54	81	71
	Headed	1	0	0	0
Soybeans	Planted	74	68	69	63
	Emerged	60	38	48	46
Peanuts	Planted	100	94	95	94
	Emerged	90	60	77	79
	Pegging	7	N/A	1	2
Cotton	Planted	94	82	95	84
	Squaring	11	10	12	8
Alfalfa Hay	First Cutting	95	84	90	90
	Second Cutting	50	17	39	20
Other Hay	First Cutting	75	62	67	61

(N/A) Not available.

Weather for Week Ending June 17, 2018: Temperatures ranged from 53 degrees at Kenton on Tuesday, June 12th to 103 degrees at Hooker on Tuesday, June 12th. Precipitation ranged from 0.03 of an inch in the Southeast to 0.96 of an inch in the Northeast district. Soil temperature averages ranged from 74 degrees at Goodwell on Sunday, June 17th to 94 degrees at Clayton on Friday, June 15th.

Mesonet Temperature and Precipitation Data

For Week Ending June 17, 2018

Districts	Temperature			Precipitation			
	High	Low	Average	Current Week	March 1, 2018 to June 17, 2018		
					Total	Departure from Normal	Percent of Normal
	<i>degrees</i>			<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>percent</i>
Panhandle	95	67	80	0.92	5.05	-2.60	66
North Central	96	73	85	0.10	7.90	-4.61	63
Northeast	91	72	82	0.96	9.65	-6.80	59
West Central	96	72	84	0.57	5.27	-6.10	46
Central	92	73	82	0.41	9.96	-4.60	68
East Central	92	72	82	0.74	14.02	-2.89	83
Southwest	96	73	85	0.22	6.02	-5.72	51
South Central	92	73	83	0.06	11.45	-4.10	74
Southeast	94	72	83	0.03	10.50	-7.51	58