



United States Department of Agriculture  
National Agricultural Statistics Service



## Oklahoma Crop Progress and Condition

Oklahoma Field Office

Cooperating with the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry

P.O. Box 528804 · Oklahoma City, OK 73152-8804

(405) 522-6190 · FAX (405) 522-5429 · [www.nass.usda.gov/ok](http://www.nass.usda.gov/ok)

*A combined contribution with Cooperative Extension Service, USDA Farm Service Agency and Oklahoma Mesonet*

**Volume 42, Number 42**

**Weekly Summary for December 2–8**

**Issued December 9, 2019**

The statewide average precipitation total was 0.01 of an inch, with the West Central district recording the highest precipitation at 0.02 of an inch. According to the December 3, US Drought Monitor Report, drought conditions were rated 35 percent abnormally dry to exceptional drought, up 11 points from the previous week. Additionally, 14 percent of the state was in the moderate drought to exceptional drought category, up 1 point from the previous week. Statewide, temperatures averaged in the mid 40's. Topsoil and subsoil moisture conditions were rated mostly adequate to short. There were 6.2 days suitable for fieldwork.

**Small Grains:** Canola emerged reached 79 percent. Rye emerged reached 93 percent. Oats planted reached 75 percent. Oats emerged reached 52 percent.

**Row Crops:** Soybeans harvested reached 90 percent. Cotton harvested reached 91 percent.

**Hay:** The third cutting of other hay reached 92 percent. The fourth cutting of other hay reached 55 percent.

**Pasture and Livestock:** Pasture and range condition was rated at 86 percent good to fair. Livestock condition was rated at 91 percent good to fair.

-over-

**Soil Moisture Conditions by Percent**  
For Week Ending December 8, 2019

Moisture Rating	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago
<b>Topsoil</b>			
Very Short	7	5	(NA)
Short	35	35	(NA)
Adequate	53	51	(NA)
Surplus	5	9	(NA)
<b>Subsoil</b>			
Very Short	10	5	(NA)
Short	32	37	(NA)
Adequate	53	55	(NA)
Surplus	5	3	(NA)

(NA) Not available

**Crop Conditions by Percent**  
For Week Ending December 8, 2019

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Rye	1	4	43	50	2
Canola	1	25	21	52	1
Cotton	1	10	54	35	0
Soybeans	0	10	36	53	1
Livestock	0	2	28	63	7
Pasture and Range	2	10	38	48	2

**Crop Progress by Percent**  
For Week Ending December 8, 2019

Crop	Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago	Five Year Average
Canola	Emerged	79	68	(NA)	(NA)
Rye	Emerged	93	87	(NA)	(NA)
Oats	Planted	75	72	(NA)	(NA)
Oats	Emerged	52	48	(NA)	(NA)
Soybeans	Harvested	90	84	(NA)	(NA)
Cotton	Harvested	91	83	(NA)	(NA)
Other Hay	Third Cutting	92	89	(NA)	(NA)
	Fourth Cutting	55	52	(NA)	(NA)

(NA) Not available.

**Weather for Week Ending:** Temperatures ranged from 19 degrees at Beaver on Monday, December 2nd to 77 degrees at Hollis on Thursday, December 5th. Precipitation ranged from none in the North Central district to 0.02 of an inch in the West Central district. Soil temperature averages ranged from 37 degrees at Hooker on Monday, December 2nd to 55 degrees at Broken Bow on Friday, December 6th.

**Mesonet Temperature and Precipitation Data**  
For Week Ending December 8, 2019

Districts	Temperature			Precipitation			
	High	Low	Average	Current Week	September 1, 2019 to December 8, 2019		
					Total	Departure from Normal	Percent of Normal
	<i>degrees</i>			<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>percent</i>
Panhandle	60	27	41	0.01	2.97	-1.50	66
North Central	57	29	43	0.00	6.84	-1.06	87
Northeast	58	33	45	0.00	16.06	4.10	134
West Central	60	32	45	0.02	5.49	-1.96	74
Central	60	34	46	0.00	9.86	-0.64	94
East Central	58	35	47	0.01	18.47	4.58	133
Southwest	62	33	47	0.01	6.24	-2.05	75
South Central	63	37	50	0.00	11.51	-0.27	98
Southeast	61	35	48	0.01	20.51	5.41	136