



## Oklahoma Crop Progress and Condition

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**Weekly Summary for April 6 – April 12**

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A weekend cold front dropped temperatures across parts of Oklahoma with 4 of the districts reporting low temperatures at or below freezing on Sunday April 12th. Rainfall totals averaged 0.72 of an inch across the state last week, with the Southeast district recording the highest totals at 1.85 inches. According to the April 7, US Drought Monitor Report, drought conditions were rated 5 percent abnormally dry to severe drought, up 1 point from the previous week. Additionally, 3 percent of the state was in the moderate drought to severe drought category, unchanged from the previous week. Statewide, temperatures averaged in the low 60's. Topsoil and subsoil moisture conditions were rated mostly adequate to surplus. There were 5.5 days suitable for fieldwork.

**Small Grains:** Winter wheat jointing reached 87 percent, up 25 points from the previous year and up 9 points from normal. Winter wheat headed reached 2 percent, down 4 points from the previous year and down 8 points from normal. Canola blooming reached 30 percent, down 17 points from the previous year and down 20 points from normal. Rye jointing reached 67 percent, down 2 points from the previous year and down 10 points from normal. Rye headed reached 4 percent. Oats jointing reached 35 percent, up 5 points from the previous year but unchanged from normal.

**Row Crops:** Corn planted reached 7 percent, down 3 points from the previous year and down 9 points from normal. Soybeans planted reached 2 percent.

**Pasture and Livestock:** Pasture and range condition was rated at 91 percent good to fair. Livestock condition was rated at 93 percent good to fair.

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**Soil Moisture Conditions by Percent**  
For Week Ending April 12, 2020

Moisture Rating	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago
<b>Topsoil</b>			
Very Short	0	0	1
Short	9	7	10
Adequate	85	75	70
Surplus	6	18	19
<b>Subsoil</b>			
Very Short	0	0	6
Short	7	7	9
Adequate	86	84	73
Surplus	7	9	12

**Crop Conditions by Percent**  
For Week Ending April 12, 2020

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Wheat	1	3	21	70	5
Rye	0	0	8	91	1
Oats	0	5	32	62	1
Canola	0	1	23	75	1
Livestock	0	3	31	62	4
Pasture and Range	1	5	40	51	3

**Crop Progress by Percent**  
For Week Ending April 12, 2020

Crop	Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago	Five Year Average
Wheat	Jointing	87	62	62	78
	Headed	2	(NA)	6	10
Canola	Blooming	30	15	47	50
Rye	Jointing	67	64	69	77
	Headed	4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Oats	Jointing	35	22	30	35
Corn	Planted	7	0	10	16
Soybeans	Planted	2	0	(NA)	(NA)

(NA) Not available.

**Weather for Week Ending:** Temperatures ranged from 26 degrees at Boise City on Sunday, April 12th to 96 degrees at Mangum on Wednesday, April 8th. Precipitation ranged from none in the West Central district to 1.85 inches in the Southeast district. Soil temperature averages ranged from 54 degrees at Vinita on Friday, April 10th to 72 degrees at Ada on Wednesday, April 8th.

**Mesonet Temperature and Precipitation Data**  
For Week Ending April 12, 2020

Districts	Temperature			Precipitation			
	High	Low	Average	Current Week	September 1, 2019 to April 12, 2020		
					Total	Departure from Normal	Percent of Normal
	<i>degrees</i>			<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>percent</i>
Panhandle	76	42	58	0.01	1.07	-0.98	52
North Central	77	46	61	0.01	3.19	-0.38	89
Northeast	74	49	61	0.52	6.87	2.00	141
West Central	76	47	61	0.00	2.72	-0.35	89
Central	76	50	62	0.76	6.29	2.05	148
East Central	75	51	63	1.56	9.11	3.87	174
Southwest	77	49	62	0.79	5.97	2.82	189
South Central	77	53	64	1.01	7.67	3.10	168
Southeast	76	52	64	1.85	10.77	4.85	182