



Oklahoma Crop Progress and Condition

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Weekly Summary for November 23 – November 29

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Note: This is the final weekly Crop Progress and Condition report for the 2020 season.

Rainfall totals averaged 0.70 of an inch across Oklahoma last week, with the Southeast district recording the highest totals at 1.27 inches. According to the November 24th US Drought Monitor Report, drought conditions were rated 57 percent abnormally dry to severe drought, up 3 points from the previous week. Additionally, 25 percent of the state was in the moderate drought to extreme drought category, up 22 percent from the previous week. Statewide, temperatures averaged in the mid 40's. Topsoil moisture conditions were rated mostly adequate to short, while and subsoil moisture conditions were rated short to adequate. There were 5.1 days suitable for fieldwork.

Small Grains: Winter wheat emerged reached 95 percent, unchanged from the previous year and unchanged from normal. Canola emerged reached 95 percent, up 28 points from the previous year and up 4 points from normal. Oats planted reached 70 percent, unchanged from the previous year but up 2 points from normal. Oats emerged reached 52 percent, up 6 points from the previous year but unchanged from normal.

Row Crops: Sorghum harvested reached 95 percent, unchanged from the previous year but up 1 point from normal. Soybeans harvested reached 85 percent, up 4 points from the previous year and up 2 points from normal. Peanuts harvested reached 95 percent, down 2 points from the previous year but unchanged from normal. Cotton harvested reached 79 percent, down 1 point from the previous year but up 2 points from normal.

Hay: The fifth cutting of alfalfa hay reached 56 percent, up 56 points from the previous year and up 14 points from normal. The third cutting of other hay reached 75 percent, down 11 points from the previous year but unchanged from normal. The fourth cutting of other hay reached 50 percent, up 1 point from the previous year but down 7 points from normal.

Pasture and Livestock: Pasture and range condition was rated at 78 percent fair to poor. Livestock condition was rated at 94 percent good to fair.

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Soil Moisture Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending November 29, 2020

Moisture Rating	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago
Topsoil			
Very Short	3	6	5
Short	40	35	35
Adequate	53	58	51
Surplus	4	1	9
Subsoil			
Very Short	1	4	5
Short	49	40	37
Adequate	48	55	55
Surplus	2	1	3

Crop and Livestock Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending November 29, 2020

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Wheat	2	10	36	51	1
Rye	0	2	23	74	1
Canola	0	0	53	47	0
Sorghum	10	29	32	28	1
Cotton	1	10	33	54	2
Soybeans	0	4	29	63	4
Livestock	0	1	27	67	5
Pasture and Range	3	27	51	18	1

Crop Progress by Percent

For Week Ending November 29, 2020

Crop	Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago	Five Year Average
Wheat	Emerged	95	92	95	95
Canola	Emerged	95	90	67	91
Oats	Planted	70	65	70	68
	Emerged	52	48	46	52
Sorghum	Harvested	95	93	95	94
Soybeans	Harvested	85	72	81	83
Cotton	Harvested	79	70	80	77
Alfalfa Hay	Fifth Cutting	56	54	0	42
Other Hay	Third Cutting	75	73	86	75
	Fourth Cutting	50	45	49	57

Weather for Week Ending: Temperatures ranged from 16 degrees at Goodwell on Sunday, November 29th to 79 degrees at Altus on Tuesday, November 24th. Precipitation ranged from 0.32 of an inch in the Northwest to 1.27 inches in the Southeast district. Soil temperature averages ranged from 37 degrees at Kenton on Sunday, November 29th to 58 degrees at Hollis on Tuesday, November 24th.

Mesonet Temperature and Precipitation Data
For Week Ending November 29, 2020

Districts	Temperature			Precipitation			
	High	Low	Average	Current Week	September 1, 2020 to November 29, 2020		
					Total	Departure from Normal	Percent of Normal
	<i>degrees</i>			<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>percent</i>
Panhandle	53	29	40	0.51	3.65	-0.60	86
North Central	55	32	44	0.58	6.53	-0.98	87
Northeast	56	34	45	0.81	10.12	-1.08	90
West Central	55	34	44	0.66	4.97	-2.11	70
Central	56	35	46	0.54	8.62	-1.27	87
East Central	58	36	47	0.89	11.53	-1.37	89
Southwest	59	37	47	0.32	7.08	-0.77	90
South Central	61	38	49	0.72	9.46	-1.53	86
Southeast	60	38	49	1.27	12.61	-1.15	92