



Oklahoma Crop Progress and Condition

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Weekly Summary for October 18 – 24

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Rainfall totals in Oklahoma averaged 0.05 of an inch, with the East Central district recording the highest total at 0.17 of an inch. According to the October 19th US Drought Monitor Report, drought conditions were rated 94 percent abnormally dry to exceptional drought, down 2 points from the previous week. Additionally, 38 percent of the state was in the moderate drought to exceptional drought category, down 24 points from the previous week. Statewide, temperatures averaged in the low 60's. Topsoil and Subsoil moisture conditions were rated mostly adequate to short. There were 6.7 days suitable for fieldwork.

Small Grains: Winter wheat planted reached 73 percent, down 8 points from the previous year and down 7 points from normal. Winter wheat emerged reached 52 percent, down 11 points from the previous year and down 13 points from normal. Canola planted reached 68 percent, down 1 point from the previous year and down 2 points from normal. Rye planted reached 51 percent, down 30 points from the previous year and down 32 points from normal. Oats planted reached 30 percent, down 10 points from the previous year and down 8 points from normal.

Row Crops: Corn harvested reached 82 percent, up 1 point from the previous year and up 3 points from normal. Sorghum mature reached 98 percent, up 4 points from the previous year and up 6 points from normal. Sorghum harvested reached 54 percent, unchanged from the previous year but down 3 points from normal. Soybeans dropping leaves reached 80 percent, up 6 points from the previous year and up 3 points from normal. Soybeans harvested reached 39 percent, up 7 points from the previous year and up 8 points from normal. Peanuts mature reached 83 percent, down 1 point from the previous year and down 2 points from normal. Peanuts harvested reached 34 percent, down 14 points from both the previous year and normal. Cotton bolls opening reached 95 percent, up 1 point from the previous year and up 2 points from normal. Cotton harvested reached 18 percent, down 2 points from the previous year and down 6 points from normal.

Hay: The fifth cutting of alfalfa hay reached 36 percent, unchanged from the previous year but up 10 points from normal. The third cutting of other hay reached 64 percent, up 10 points from the previous year and up 5 points from normal. The fourth cutting of other hay reached 10 percent, up 10 points from the previous year but down 5 points from normal.

Pasture and Livestock: Pasture and range condition was rated at 80 percent fair to good. Livestock condition was rated at 92 percent good to fair.

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Soil Moisture Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending October 24, 2021

Moisture Rating	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago
Topsoil			
Very Short	11	10	27
Short	33	35	42
Adequate	55	53	31
Surplus	1	2	0
Subsoil			
Very Short	12	12	24
Short	37	42	37
Adequate	50	44	39
Surplus	1	2	0

Crop and Livestock Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending October 24, 2021

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Wheat	2	7	38	49	4
Sorghum	12	26	25	32	5
Peanuts	0	0	14	86	0
Cotton	1	7	26	65	1
Soybeans	3	10	37	48	2
Livestock	1	4	33	59	3
Pasture and Range	6	13	48	32	1

Crop Progress by Percent

For Week Ending October 24, 2021

Crop	Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago	Five Year Average
Wheat	Planted	73	57	81	80
	Emerged	52	37	63	65
Canola	Planted	68	22	69	70
Rye	Planted	51	11	81	83
Oats	Planted	30	10	40	38
Corn	Harvested	82	69	81	79
Sorghum	Mature	98	92	94	92
	Harvested	54	48	54	57
Soybeans	Dropping Leaves	80	71	74	77
	Harvested	39	23	32	31
Peanuts	Mature	83	70	84	85
	Harvested	34	18	48	48
Cotton	Bolls Opening	95	90	94	93
	Harvested	18	14	20	24
Alfalfa Hay	Fifth Cutting	36	30	36	26
Other Hay	Third Cutting	64	60	54	59
	Fourth Cutting	10	7	0	15

Weather for Week Ending: Temperatures ranged from 28 degrees at Kenton on Wednesday, October 20th to 94 degrees at Hollis on Saturday, October 23rd. Precipitation ranged from trace amounts in the Panhandle and Southwest district with the East Central district at 0.17 of an inch. Soil temperature averages ranged from 57 degrees at Medford and Fort Cobb on Monday, October 18th to 75 degrees at Waurika on Sunday, October 24th.

Mesonet Temperature and Precipitation Data
For Week Ending October 24, 2021

Districts	Temperature			Precipitation			
	High	Low	Average	Current Week	March 1, 2021 to October 24, 2021		
					Total	Departure from Normal	Percent of Normal
	<i>degrees</i>			<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>percent</i>
Panhandle	78	44	61	0.00	2.26	-0.88	72
North Central	77	49	63	0.04	4.29	-0.98	81
Northeast	76	49	63	0.12	5.28	-2.14	71
West Central	78	50	64	0.04	2.68	-2.40	53
Central	77	50	64	0.03	4.80	-1.99	71
East Central	77	51	64	0.17	6.59	-1.59	81
Southwest	80	52	66	0.00	3.26	-2.25	59
South Central	80	53	66	0.01	3.63	-3.65	50
Southeast	78	51	64	0.06	5.08	-2.95	63