



Oklahoma Crop Progress and Condition

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Weekly Summary for May 2 – May 8

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Rainfall totals in Oklahoma averaged 2.68 inches. According to the May 3rd US Drought Monitor Report, drought conditions were rated 77 percent abnormally dry to exceptional drought, similar to the previous week. Additionally, 65 percent of the state was in the moderate drought to exceptional drought category, also similar to the previous week. Statewide, temperatures averaged in the lower 60's. Topsoil and Subsoil moisture conditions were rated mostly adequate to short. There were 3.6 days suitable for fieldwork.

Small Grains: Winter wheat jointing reached 95 percent. Winter wheat headed reached 60 percent, down 18 points from the previous year and down 21 points from normal. Canola blooming reached 70 percent, down 3 points from the previous year. Canola coloring reached 19 percent, down 3 points from the previous year and down 8 points from normal. Rye jointing reached 95 percent. Rye headed reached 38 percent, down 30 points from the previous year and down 34 points from normal. Oats jointing reached 60 percent, up 5 points from the previous year but down 3 points from normal. Oats headed reached 16 percent, down 6 points from the previous year and down 5 points from normal.

Row Crops: Corn planted reached 38 percent, down 8 points from the previous year and down 15 points from normal. Corn emerged reached 17 percent, down 4 points from the previous year and down 12 points from normal. Sorghum planted reached 5 percent, down 1 point from the previous year and down 9 points from normal. Soybeans planted reached 18 percent, up 2 points from the previous year and up 1 point from normal. Peanuts planted reached 5 percent, down 8 points from the previous year and down 11 points from normal. Cotton planted reached 5 percent, down 10 points from both the previous year and normal.

Pasture and Livestock: Pasture and range condition was rated at 71 percent good to fair. Livestock condition was rated at 88 percent good to fair.

Soil Moisture Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending May 8, 2022

Moisture Rating	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago
Topsoil			
Very Short	25	34	6
Short	27	29	26
Adequate	45	36	59
Surplus	3	1	9
Subsoil			
Very Short	26	35	6
Short	28	30	24
Adequate	43	34	63
Surplus	3	1	7

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Crop and Livestock Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending May 8, 2022

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Wheat	22	25	33	18	2
Rye	26	23	33	17	1
Oats	9	13	43	33	2
Canola	3	14	44	36	3
Livestock	1	7	36	52	4
Pasture and Range	14	13	35	36	2

Crop Progress by Percent

For Week Ending May 8, 2022

Crop	Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago	Five Year Average
Wheat	Jointing	95	86	(NA)	(NA)
	Headed	60	42	78	81
Canola	Blooming	70	62	73	(N/A)
	Coloring	19	11	22	27
Rye	Jointing	95	89	(NA)	(NA)
	Headed	38	25	68	72
Oats	Jointing	60	55	55	63
	Headed	16	5	22	21
Corn	Planted	38	32	46	53
	Emerged	17	7	21	29
Sorghum	Planted	5	3	6	14
Soybeans	Planted	18	16	16	17
Peanuts	Planted	5	0	13	16
Cotton	Planted	5	0	15	15

(NA) Not available.

Weather for Week Ending: Temperatures ranged from 36 degrees at Boise City on Thursday, May 5th to 108 degrees at Grandfield on Sunday, May 8th. Precipitation ranged from 0.32 of an inch in the Panhandle district with the East Central district at 6.13 inches. Soil temperature averages ranged from 55 degrees at Vinita on Wednesday, May 4th to 81 degrees at Waurika on Sunday, May 8th.

Mesonet Temperature and Precipitation Data

For Week Ending May 8, 2022

Districts	Temperature			Precipitation			
	High	Low	Average	Current Week	March 1, 2021 to May 8, 2022		
					Total	Departure from Normal	Percent of Normal
	<i>degrees</i>			<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>percent</i>
Panhandle	77	45	61	0.32	2.06	-1.64	56
North Central	73	50	61	1.86	4.79	-1.70	74
Northeast	71	53	62	4.77	10.43	1.43	116
West Central	79	50	64	0.84	2.40	-3.14	43
Central	74	53	63	4.57	9.59	1.84	124
East Central	73	55	64	6.13	16.78	7.27	176
Southwest	83	53	68	1.49	3.82	-2.14	64
South Central	79	56	67	1.33	7.21	-1.29	85
Southeast	78	57	67	2.82	13.72	3.17	130

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