



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

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

Volume 45, Number 35

Weekly Summary for October 3 – October 9

Issued October 11, 2022

Rainfall totals in Oklahoma averaged 0.11 of an inch. According to the October 4th US Drought Monitor Report, 100 percent of the state was experiencing moderate drought to exceptional drought, unchanged from the previous week. Statewide, temperatures averaged in the upper 60's. Topsoil and subsoil moisture conditions were rated mostly very short. There were 6.9 days suitable for fieldwork.

Small Grains: Winter wheat planted reached 38 percent, down 10 points from the previous year and down 18 points from normal. Winter wheat emerged reached 20 percent, down 3 points from the previous year and down 9 points from normal. Oats planted reached 5 percent, up 2 points from the previous year but down 5 points from normal.

Row Crops: Corn mature reached 97 percent, up 3 points from the previous year and from normal. Corn harvested reached 51 percent, down 7 points from the previous year and down 5 points from normal. In the Central district, reporters indicated that sorghum and soybeans were mostly baled for hay. Statewide, sorghum mature reached 76 percent, down 12 points from the previous year but up 1 point from normal. Sorghum harvested reached 30 percent, down 2 points from the previous year and down 5 points from normal. Soybeans dropping leaves reached 50 percent, down 9 points from the previous year and down 4 points from normal. Soybeans harvested reached 15 percent, up 2 points from the previous year and up 1 point from normal. In the Southwest district, reporters indicated that peanuts will be dug beginning this week. Statewide, peanuts mature reached 70 percent, up 6 points from the previous year and up 7 points from normal. Peanuts harvested reached 5 percent, down 6 points from the previous year and down 5 points from normal. Cotton bolls opening reached 89 percent, up 4 points from the previous year and up 9 points from normal.

Hay: In the West Central district, reporters indicated that hay is in very short supply. Statewide, the fourth cutting of alfalfa hay reached 87 percent, down 1 point from the previous year and down 2 points from normal. The fifth cutting of alfalfa hay reached 25 percent, up 1 point from the previous year and up 11 points from normal. The third cutting of other hay reached 80 percent, up 25 points from the previous year and up 28 points from normal. The fourth cutting of other hay reached 15 percent.

Pasture and Livestock: Pasture and range condition was rated at 78 percent very poor to poor. Livestock condition was rated at 71 percent good to fair.

-over-

Soil Moisture Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending October 9, 2022

Moisture Rating	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago
Topsoil			
Very Short	51	42	12
Short	44	50	44
Adequate	5	8	44
Surplus	0	0	0
Subsoil			
Very Short	56	47	16
Short	39	48	49
Adequate	5	5	35
Surplus	0	0	0

Crop and Livestock Conditions by Percent

For Week Ending October 9, 2022

Commodity	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Corn	16	29	31	24	0
Sorghum	31	30	29	10	0
Peanuts	0	0	23	77	0
Cotton	39	9	47	5	0
Soybeans	12	20	46	22	0
Livestock	4	24	46	25	1
Pasture and Range	41	37	20	2	0

Crop Progress by Percent

For Week Ending October 9, 2022

Crop	Stage	Current Week	Previous Week	One Year Ago	Five Year Average
Wheat	Planted	38	28	48	56
	Emerged	20	10	23	29
Oats	Planted	5	1	3	10
Corn	Mature	97	89	94	94
	Harvested	51	41	58	56
Sorghum	Mature	76	65	88	75
	Harvested	30	20	32	35
Soybeans	Dropping Leaves	50	41	59	54
	Harvested	15	-	13	14
Peanuts	Mature	70	60	64	63
	Harvested	5	1	11	10
Cotton	Bolls Opening	89	85	85	80
Alfalfa Hay	Fourth Cutting	87	81	88	89
	Fifth Cutting	25	20	24	14
Other Hay	Third Cutting	80	75	55	52
	Fourth Cutting	15	10	(NA)	(NA)

(NA) Not Available

Weather for Week Ending: Temperatures ranged from 39 degrees at Burneyville on Monday, October 3rd to 92 degrees at Broken Bow on Thursday, October 6th. Precipitation ranged from trace amounts in the North Central, Northeast, East Central, and Southeast districts, to 0.34 of an inch in the West Central district. Soil temperature averages ranged from 58 degrees at Boise City and Cheyenne on Saturday, October 8th, to 78 degrees at Minco, Hollis, and Byars on Thursday, October 6th.

Mesonet Temperature and Precipitation Data

For Week Ending October 10, 2022

Districts	Temperature			Precipitation			
	High	Low	Average	Current Week	March 1, 2022 to October 10, 2022		
					Total	Departure from Normal	Percent of Normal
	<i>degrees</i>			<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>inches</i>	<i>percent</i>
Panhandle	73	50	61	0.26	0.57	-1.75	25
North Central	80	50	65	0.00	0.61	-3.30	16
Northeast	82	48	65	0.00	1.26	-4.50	22
West Central	77	53	64	0.34	1.14	-2.61	30
Central	80	50	65	0.06	1.18	-3.84	24
East Central	83	51	66	0.00	0.82	-5.33	13
Southwest	78	53	65	0.26	1.09	-2.88	27
South Central	81	51	66	0.07	0.72	-4.47	14
Southeast	85	50	67	0.00	0.72	-4.93	13