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KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. October 26, 2026 - For the week ending October 25, 2026, there were 6.3 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 5% very short, 17% short, 70% adequate, and 8% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 8% very short, 23% short, 63% adequate, and 6% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat planted was 80%, near 79% for the five-year average. Emerged was 48%, behind 56% average.

Corn harvested was 79%, near 81% average.

Soybean condition rated 13% very poor, 22% poor, 33% fair, 28% good, and 4% excellent. Soybeans dropping leaves was 96%, near 97% average. Harvested was 61%, behind 67% average.

Sorghum condition rated 10% very poor, 25% poor, 41% fair, 20% good, and 4% excellent. Sorghum mature was 88%, behind 95% average. Harvested was 40%, well behind 65% average.

Cotton condition rated 8% very poor, 24% poor, 40% fair, 24% good, and 4% excellent. Cotton bolls opening was 95%, ahead of 88% average. Harvested was 21%, behind 29% average.

Sunflowers harvested was 37%, behind 56% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 11% very poor, 20% poor, 37% fair, 29% good, and 3% excellent.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, KSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:
https://esmis.nal.usda.gov/publication/crop-progress

Access Crop Progress and Condition graphical products at:
https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Crop_Progress_&_Condition/2026/index.php

Crop Progress by District
For the Week Ending October 25, 2026

	Percent									
	NW	**WC**	**SW**	**NC**	**C**	**SC**	**NE**	**EC**	**SE**	**STATE**
Winter Wheat Planted	99	85	90	70	81	75	40	34	46	80
Winter Wheat Emerged	65	55	60	30	40	48	16	16	17	47
Corn Harvested	58	65	91	72	97	96	78	87	99	79

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