

# Nebraska Wheat Crop Report

## June 15, 2023



### USDA Crop Progress Report for the week ending June 11, 2023

Winter wheat condition rated 17% very poor, 21% poor, 33% fair, 27% good, and 2% excellent. Winter wheat headed 85%. Topsoil moisture condition rated 23% very short, 26% short, 49% adequate, and 4% surplus. Subsoil moisture condition rated 32% very short, 33% short, 34% adequate, and 1% surplus.

#### Northern Panhandle

Nebraska's northern panhandle has received a fair amount of rain within the last week and is looking to see more soon. The wheat crop is fully headed and starting to bloom with producers estimating 50% good condition and 50% fair. The poor crop has been destroyed or abandoned. The current predicted yield was reported 30-50 bushels/acre.

##### Weather Temperatures - Alliance, NE

June	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th
High	82	77	67	73	84	88	83
Low	53	53	48	49	54	56	55

#### Southern Panhandle

The southern panhandle has experienced cooler weather this last week resulting in a slow in maturation. The region has missed the last couple rains that have swept the state and are in need of moisture. The wheat is 100% headed with little thinning and producers stated that they could see a potential yield of at least 50 bushels/acre.

##### Weather Temperatures - Sidney, NE

June	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th
High	79	76	68	72	83	87	83
Low	54	53	50	51	55	57	56

#### Southwest

The southwest region had previously received abundant moisture but is now showing signs of a steady decline in moisture and soil condition. The wheat is fully headed and producers have reported that 30 to 40 percent of the crop is in good condition while the rest is in fair condition. Producers who sprayed their crop aren't seeing any sign of weeds or disease.

##### Weather Temperatures - McCook, NE

June	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th
High	82	84	74	78	86	91	88
Low	56	59	58	55	59	64	63

#### Southcentral

The southcentral region of the state has received a consistent amount of rain in the past week in some areas, yet drought conditions are still prominent. The wheat that is left has proven to hold a steady condition and continues to progress. The region will need persistent moisture to produce a good yield.

##### Weather Temperatures - Kearney, NE

June	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th
High	83	87	75	78	84	90	88
Low	58	60	58	57	61	64	64

#### Southeast

The southeastern region has still been experiencing an absence of moisture. Much of the wheat has been abandoned and the wheat that is left in a poor to very poor condition. Some areas within the region got little rain but not enough to make a difference in the condition. Producers are still keeping an eye out for signs of weeds and diseases due to severe thinning.

##### Weather Temperatures - Lincoln, NE

June	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th
High	89	92	86	82	84	90	89
Low	60	63	63	60	63	66	65

### Nebraska Drought Monitor

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