



PLAINS GRAINS INC.



HRW Harvest Update

April 19, 2024

Winter Wheat Headed by State

Texas - 34%
Oklahoma - 11%
Kansas - 0 %
Colorado - 0%
Oregon - 0%
South Dakota - 0%

Nebraska - 0%
Washington - 0%
Wyoming - 0%
Montana - 0%
Idaho - 0%

State Updates

Ohio– lots of rain and sunshine. Crop looks good.

Maryland – Dry period, people back in fields. Key Bridge hopes to open 1-35 foot channel by end of month. Impacts on supply.

Texas – 40% headed, warm temps. Windy/break from moisture moving crop. 38% G-E. Stripe rust concerns in Rolling Plains (moisture/warm temps). Wet/cool temps forecast.

Oklahoma – Stripe rust issues in SW OK (typically dryer but has seen moisture). Central OK, extremely dry. Northern/NW OK even dryer. 4 largest counties in NW 100 days less than ¼ inch moisture – suffering. Moisture forecast for Central OK.

Kansas – drought across state. S/Central – NE seeing the worst. 1/3 jointed – expect earlier harvest than normal. Rain forecast late next week. No rust issues. Freeze concerns over the weekend in Northern KS. Fighting high temps/winds (50/60 MPH). Variable crop.

Colorado – Variable crop. High winds/high temps especially SE CO. Some abandonment. Crop is hanging on. NE Corner looking better than SE, but variable. Some cut worms/brown mites. Saw fly 3 – 4 weeks from emerging. Some moisture forecast.

Nebraska – 70% G-E. Crop looks good, but concerns. Too good too early. 10 days – 2 weeks early. 10 days from jointing. Mixed weather across state - high temps/wind followed by some cool days. Panhandle receiving snow/mid-20s at night. Some light rains Central/Eastern NE.

South Dakota – Spring 23% planted vs. 13% avg. Widespread rain Monday/Tuesday. NE state wet, may see acreage reduction. Winter in good shape. Forecast dryer.

North Dakota – small % of spring in the ground. Temps declined past week. Rain across state (variable amounts). Northern 1/3 of state dry.

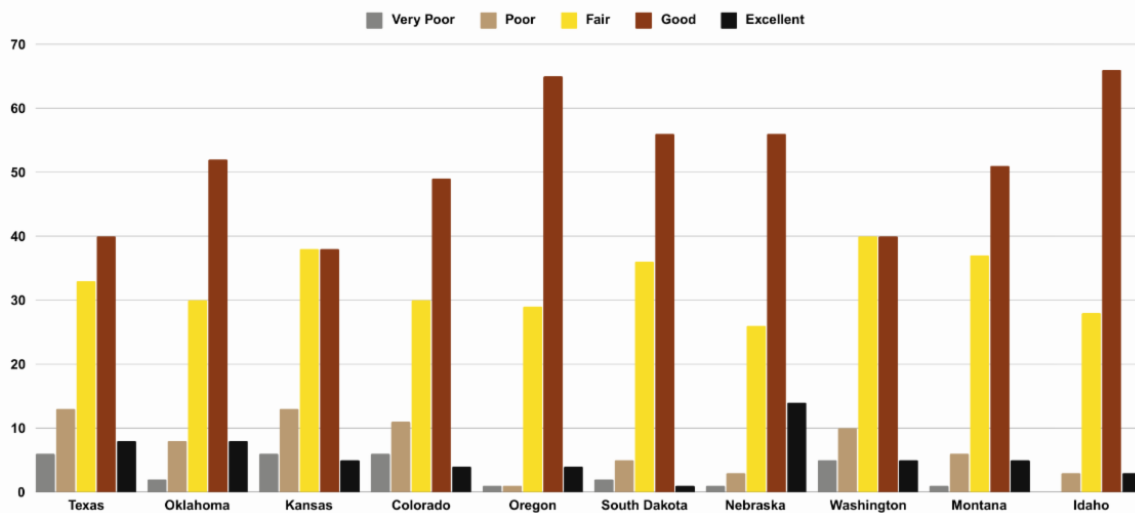
Montana – 70% breaking dormancy. Ahead of normal. Slight improvement in drought monitor. Production areas still abnormally dry. 56% G-E. May/June key for winter wheat. Spring/durum. Too wet to seed. Low 60s/70s forecast.

Idaho – Snow, rain wind this week – causing delay. 40% spring planted across state. 90% adequate/surplus in both topsoil and subsoil. No concern pest/disease concerns yet. Winter wheat looks good.

Washington – spring planting progress. On track for winter/spring. Overall winter crop 80% F-G. Dry across state. Spraying for winter. 40% complete spring planting. Winter kill in dry areas.

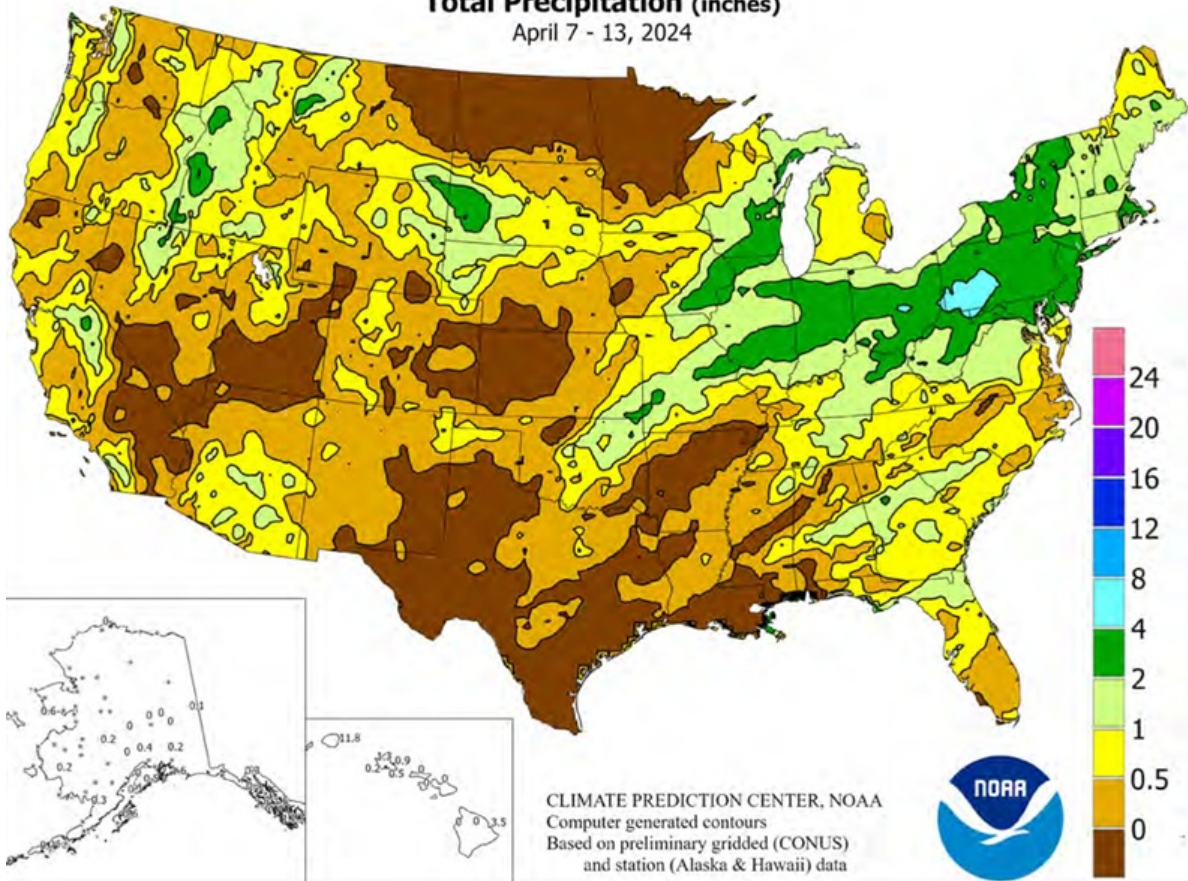
Oregon – Producers out in field. Good crop conditions. Port of Portland suspending T-6 container service in October (not seeing a lot of wheat going out of there but will see some downstream effects).

Wheat Condition



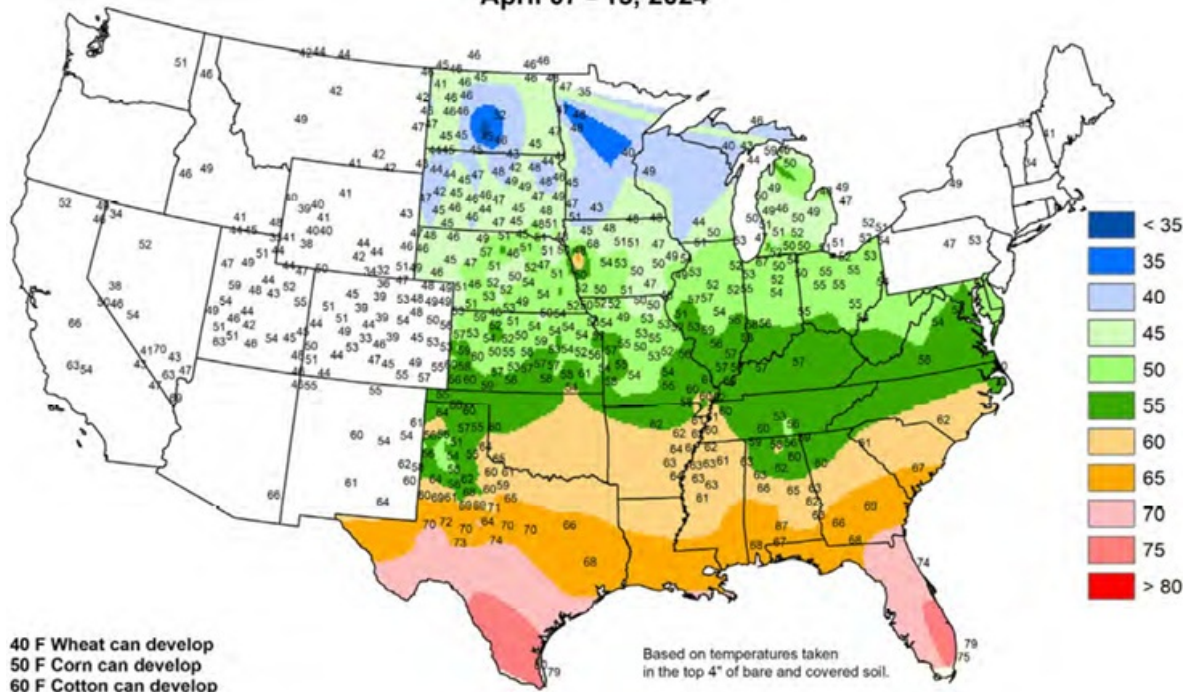
Weather Outlook

Total Precipitation (inches)
April 7 - 13, 2024



Average Soil Temperature (Deg. F)

April 07 - 13, 2024



Data provided by the Climate Prediction Center, High Plains Regional Climate Center, Nebraska Mesonet at Univ of Nebraska, CoAgMet at Colorado State Univ, Kansas Mesonet at Kansas State Univ, North Dakota Agricultural Weather Network at North Dakota State Univ, Wyoming State Climate Office at the Univ of Wyoming, Illinois State Water Survey, Iowa State University, Oklahoma Mesonet, Purdue University, University of Missouri, Illinois State Water Survey, Michigan Automated Weather Network, West Texas Mesonet, South Dakota State Univ, Mesonet, Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center, Univ. of Missouri and USDA/NRCS.



2024 Hard Winter Wheat Tour

Registration Open!

The Wheat Quality Council will sponsor a Hard Winter Wheat Tour again this May. They will follow the traditional routes and make field stops ever 10-15 miles along the way. Expertise will be provided in each car to train throughout the day.

These tours are a great way to both see this year's crop firsthand and get training in the fields to learn about yield as well as insect and disease problems that may affect the crop.

Registration is due May 1st to hold your place for meals. To register and find more information click below!

[Learn More](#)



Calendar of Events

Wheat Field Days

April 18 - May 23: Texas Wheat
FOR MORE INFORMATION

April 22 - May 22 - Oklahoma State University
FOR MORE INFORMATION

June 6 - June 12: Colorado State University
FOR MORE INFORMATION

June 6 - June 14: University of Nebraska-Lincoln
FOR MORE INFORMATION

2024 Hard Winter Wheat Tour

Monday, May 13 - Thursday, May 16: Wheat Tour

Registration Due: May 1

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER



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