

Harvest Summary of HRW June 19, 2020

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<u>State</u>	<u>Percent Complete:</u>
○ Texas	63%
○ Oklahoma	92%
○ Kansas	22%
○ Colorado	<1%
○ Nebraska	0%
○ South Dakota	0%
○ Montana	0%
○ Washington	0%
○ Oregon	0%
○ Idaho	0%
○ Wyoming	0%

The 2020 HRW wheat harvest made significant progress again this week as almost ideal harvest weather continued across virtually all production regions now cutting. Texas is now 63% complete with mainly the northern High Plains of northwest Texas and the irrigated fields of northwest Texas left to be cut. Oklahoma's harvest is also rapidly winding down (92% cut) with mainly the extreme northwest and northeastern areas of the state (and irrigated locations) left to cut. Kansas also made good progress this week jumping to 22% now harvested. South central Kansas continues to see exceptionally good yields (55 bu/ac (3.7 ton/ha)) and test weights over 63 lb/bu. (82.8 kg/hl). Harvest in central and eastern Kansas was slowed Thursday evening by rain shower. Colorado has started harvesting in the extreme southeast corner of the state with < 1% harvested as of this release. Hot dry and windy weather dominated the weather pattern in the central and northern areas of the US where the crop is still anywhere from a few days to weeks from harvest. Drought continues to worsen in those same areas and is negatively affecting wheat in the final stages of development and will likely affect the final yield and quality in those areas.

The first 59 samples (from Texas and Oklahoma) arrived at the lab this past week (and another 34 in transit) brings the total sample count this week to 93. Of the first 59, 42 have been graded by the FGIS lab in Enid, Oklahoma. The data from those 42 are shown in the table below. All 59 samples received have now been through preliminary kernel testing at the Agricultural Research Service (ARS) Lab in Manhattan, KS and are continuing to indicate outstanding test weight, improving protein with a very good thousand kernel weight (TKW) average across all samples of 33 grams.

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Tst	Exp	MST	Pro %	DKG	TKW	FN	Grade	Test Weight	FM	DMG	S&B	DEF
42	500	11.6	11.1	0.5	33.0	-	1HRW	62.7 82.4	0.3	0.2	0.7	1.2

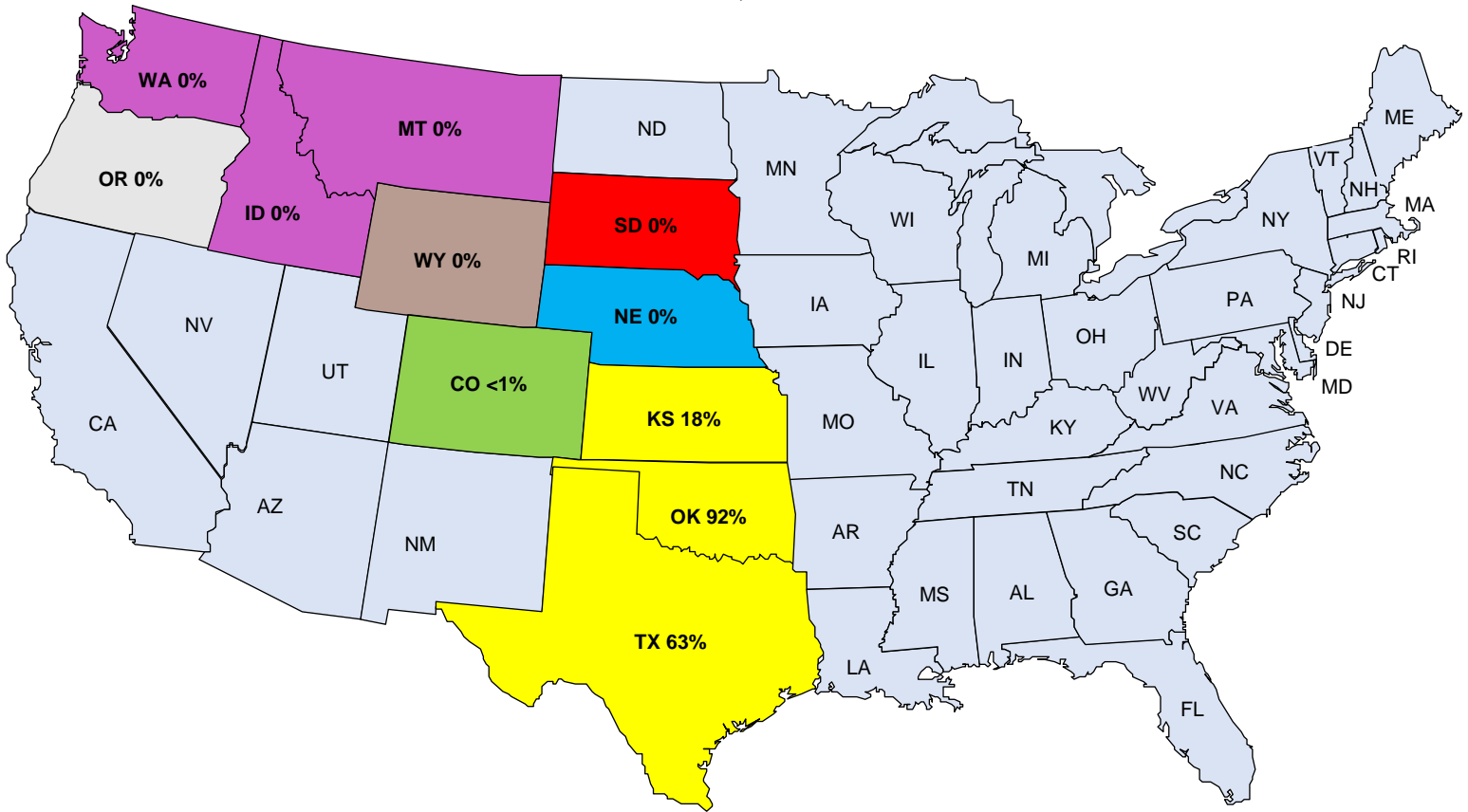
2019 Final

Tst	Exp	MST	Pro %	DKG	TKW	FN	Grad	Test Weight	FM	DMG	S&B	DEF
494	Final	11.3	11.3	0.5	33.1	377	1HRW	60.8 80.0	0.1	0.3	0.8	1.2

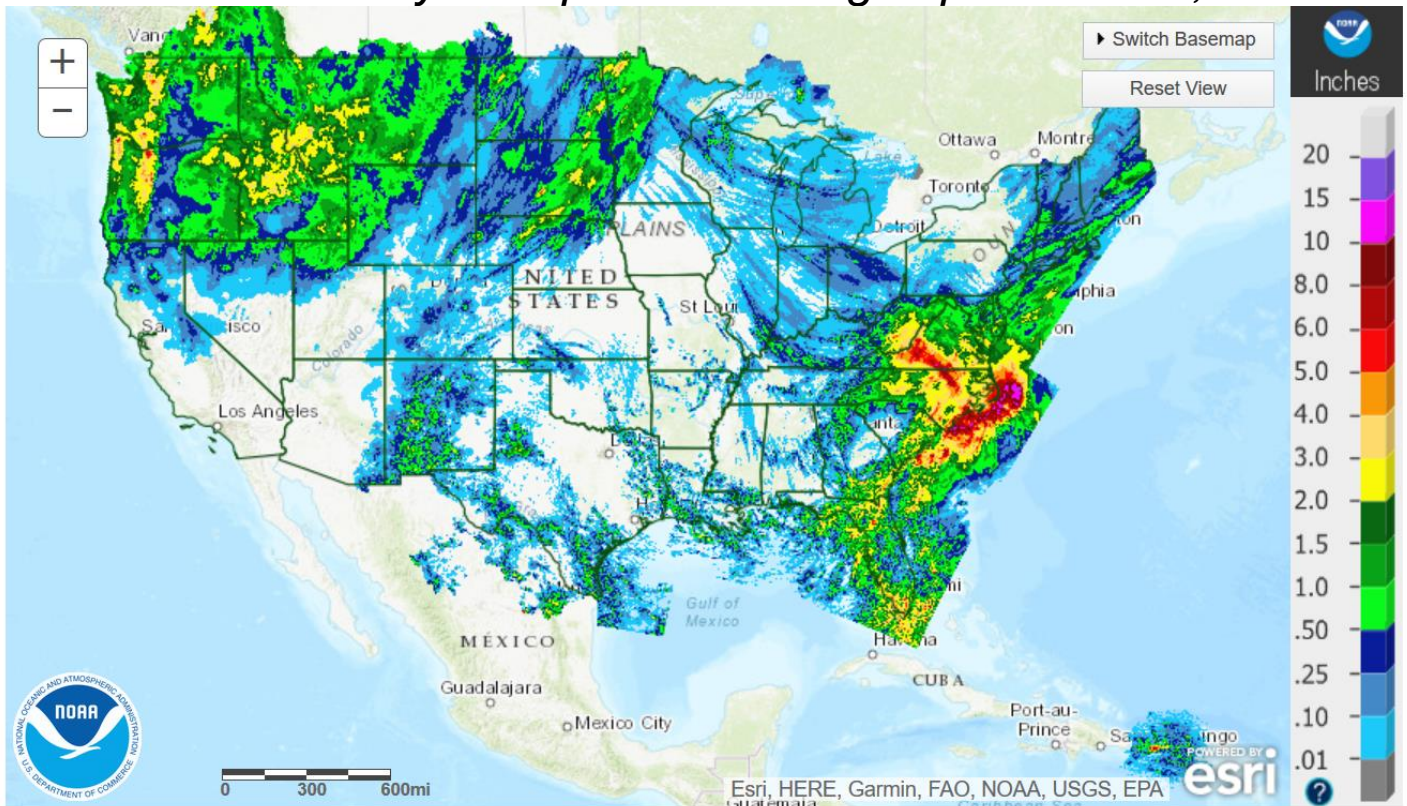
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Percent HRW Harvested by State

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Previous 7-Day Precipitation ending 12pm June 18, 2020



US Drought Monitor

Map released: June 18, 2020
Data valid: June 16, 2020

Intensity and Impacts

- None
- D0 (Abnormally Dry)
- D1 (Moderate Drought)
- D2 (Severe Drought)
- D3 (Extreme Drought)
- D4 (Exceptional Drought)
- No Data
- Delineates dominant impacts
- S - Short-Term impacts, typically less than 6 months (e.g. agriculture, grasslands)
- L - Long-Term impacts, typically greater than 6 months (e.g. hydrology, ecology)

