

## ★ Wheat Progress

As of October 1, 2018

	Winter Wheat		Spring Wheat
	Planted	Emerged	
2018	67%	31%	
Last Year	63%	19%	
5 Year Avg	65%	19 %	

## 2018 Winter Wheat Condition

July 23: 3% Very Poor 10% Poor 43% Fair 43% Good 1% Excellent

## 2018 Spring Wheat Condition

Aug 6: 3% Very Poor 10% Poor 36% Fair 48% Good 3% Excellent

## ★ Moisture

As of October 1, 2018

Topsoil:	8% very short	20% short	65% adequate	7% surplus
Subsoil:	14%	29%	53%	4%

## World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates

As of September 12, 2018

- The U.S.2018/19 wheat supply and demand estimates are unchanged from last month.
- Global wheat supplies for 2018/19 are raised 4.7 million tons on a 3.4 million ton production increase and higher ending stocks.
- With total supplies rising faster than use, global ending stocks are raised 2.3 million tons to 261.3 million but are 5 percent below last year's record.

## ★ South Dakota Wheat Stocks

As of September 28, 2018

- Total stocks: 87,500,000 bushels (+22.0% from 2018)
- On-farm stocks: 40,500,000 bushels (+45.0% from 2018)
- Off-farm stocks: 47,000,000 bushels (+8.0% from 2018)

## ★ 2018 South Dakota Winter Wheat

As of September 28, 2018

- 830,000 acres planted in fall 2017 (-9.0% from fall 2016)
- 660,000 acres harvested (+27% from 2017)
- 80% of planted acres
- 31.7 million bushels (+52% from 2017)
- 48.0 bushels/acre (+8 bpa from 2017)

## ★ 2018 South Dakota Spring Wheat

As of September 28, 2018

- 1,050,000 acres planted (+8% from 2017)
- 965,000 acres harvested (+44% from 2017)
- 92% of planted acres
- 40.5 million bushels (+95% in 2017)
- 42.0 bushels /acre (+11 bpa in 2017)

## South Dakota Rank in U.S. Agriculture

#6 All Wheat: 2,203,785 acres (2017)  
 #8 Winter Wheat: 1,208,309 acres (2017)

Source: USDA NASS [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov)

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