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Bumper Crops Expected This Fall

AP) - Grain elevator operators across Kansas are

bracing for bumper fall crops of corn, sorghum and soybeans.

Storage space is even tighter than normal because many facilities are still full with unsold winter wheat amid a global glut in stockpiles.

The lackluster demand for wheat has clogged the nation's grain handling pipeline. That's especially the case in major wheat producing states where a good winter wheat crop this summer will be followed by anticipated record harvests of other crops this fall.

The Kansas Grain and Feed Association says it expects grain to be placed on the ground in some areas. Executive director Tom Tunnell says wheat from Kansas and Nebraska is being stored as far south as Enid, Okla.

Poor crops in neighboring Oklahoma has freed up storage space in terminals there.

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