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Wheat Harvest Kicks in Gear

WICHITA, Kan. (AP) - Kansas farmers are starting to get their combines back into the field after weekend rain slowed the wheat harvest.

Kansas Wheat reported in its daily harvest report Monday night that more than 400,000 bushels have already been taken in at the Elkhart Cooperative Equity Exchange. Test weights have ranged from 58 to 63 pounds per bushel.

Harvest is slow around Great Bend. The Great Bend Co-op Associal reports only 30,000 bushels have been taken in. All of that was cut before the weekend rains. Test weights have been hovering at around 60 pounds per bushel.

Harvest has not yet started in Scott City.

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