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NEBRASKA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

LINCOLN, Neb. September 23, 2019 - For the week ending September 22, 2019, there were 5.4 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 1 percent very short, 12 short, 76 adequate, and 11 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 1 percent very short, 10 short, 82 adequate, and 7 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn condition rated 3 percent very poor, 6 poor, 20 fair, 55 good, and 16 excellent. Corn dented was 91 percent, behind 97 last year and 96 for the five-year average. Mature was 37 percent, well behind 65 last year, and behind 56 average. Harvested was 3 percent, behind 8 last year, and near 6 average.

Soybean condition rated 1 percent very poor, 5 poor, 20 fair, 62 good, and 12 excellent. Soybeans dropping leaves was 55 percent, well behind 81 last year, and behind 69 average.

Winter wheat planted was 51 percent, near 49 last year and 53 average.

Sorghum condition rated 3 percent very poor, 4 poor, 14 fair, 69 good, and 10 excellent. Sorghum coloring was 93 percent, near 94 last year and 96 average. Mature was 22 percent, well behind 45 last year and 43 average.

Dry edible bean condition rated 15 percent very poor, 18 poor, 22 fair, 41 good, and 4 excellent. Dry edible beans dropping leaves was 84 percent. Harvested was 37 percent.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 1 percent very poor, 3 poor, 20 fair, 61 good, and 15 excellent.

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