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NEBRASKA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

LINCOLN, Neb. September 5, 2023 - For the week ending September 3, 2023, there were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 28% very short, 37% short, 34% adequate, and 1% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 29% very short, 38% short, 32% adequate, and 1% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn condition rated 9% very poor, 16% poor, 24% fair, 40% good, and 11% excellent. Corn dough was 96%, near 94% last year and 95% for the five-year average. Dented was 76%, near 72% both last year and average. Mature was 24%, ahead of 17% last year and 13% average.

Soybean condition rated 9% very poor, 17% poor, 27% fair, 38% good, and 9% excellent. Soybeans setting pods was 96%, near 100% last year and 97% average. Dropping leaves was 30%, ahead of 23% last year and 18% average.

Winter wheat planted was 2%, near 1% both last year and average.

Sorghum condition rated 4% very poor, 10% poor, 34% fair, 36% good, and 16% excellent. Sorghum coloring was 67%, ahead of 54% last year and 62% average. Mature was 3%, near 4% last year and 5% average.

Dry edible bean condition rated 1% very poor, 4% poor, 28% fair, 60% good, and 7% excellent. Dry edible beans setting pods was 93%, near 89% last year and 96% average. Dropping leaves was 23%, ahead of 14% last year, but near 27% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 9% very poor, 16% poor, 32% fair, 36% good, and 7% excellent.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, UNL Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:
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