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## NEBRASKA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**LINCOLN, Neb. July 15, 2024** - For the week ending July 14, 2024, there were 6.3 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 4% very short, 21% short, 62% adequate, and 13% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 4% very short, 23% short, 61% adequate, and 12% surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Corn condition rated 2% very poor, 4% poor, 16% fair, 52% good, and 26% excellent. Corn silking was 49%, ahead of 43% last year and 30% for the five-year average. Dough was 8%, ahead of 1% both last year and average.

Soybean condition rated 1% very poor, 4% poor, 18% fair, 56% good, and 21% excellent. Soybeans blooming was 72%, ahead of 56% last year, and well ahead of 52% average. Setting pods was 22%, ahead of 15% last year and 13% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 2% very poor, 5% poor, 25% fair, 50% good, and 18% excellent. Winter wheat harvested was 70%, well ahead of 18% last year and 36% average.

Sorghum condition rated 0% very poor, 1% poor, 21% fair, 67% good, and 11% excellent. Sorghum headed was 7%, near 4% last year and 9% average.

Oats condition rated 1% very poor, 1% poor, 25% fair, 59% good, and 14% excellent. Oats harvested was 34%, well ahead of 12% last year, and ahead of 18% average.

Dry edible bean condition rated 0% very poor, 0% poor, 19% fair, 68% good, and 13% excellent. Dry edible beans blooming was 20%, near 19% last year, and ahead of 13% average. Setting pods was 1%.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 1% very poor, 5% poor, 24% fair, 53% good, and 17% 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: <a href="https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j">https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j</a>

Access Crop Progress and Condition graphical products at: https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts and Maps/Crop Progress & Condition/2024/index.php

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