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## NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**FARGO, N.D. May 12, 2025** - For the week ending May 11, 2025, there were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 20% very short, 36% short, 42% adequate, and 2% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 17% very short, 34% short, 47% adequate, and 2% surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Soybeans planted was 26%, well ahead of 6% last year, and ahead of 8% for the five-year average. Emerged was 1%.

Spring wheat planted was 58%, ahead of 47% last year, and well ahead of 35% average. Emerged was 20%, ahead of 12% last year and 9% average.

Durum wheat planted was 62%, ahead of 43% last year, and well ahead of 27% average. Emerged was 20%, ahead of 9% last year.

Winter wheat condition rated 13% very poor, 21% poor, 33% fair, 32% good, and 1% excellent. Winter wheat jointed was 11%, behind 26% last year and 25% average.

Corn planted was 41%, well ahead of 20% last year and 16% average. Emerged was 5%, near 1% both last year and average.

Canola planted was 27%, ahead of 19% last year and 13% average. Emerged was 2%, equal to last year.

Sugarbeets planted was 77%, behind 90% last year, but well ahead of 53% average.

Oats condition rated 1% very poor, 4% poor, 54% fair, 40% good, and 1% excellent. Oats planted was 55%, well ahead of 35% last year and 30% average. Emerged was 18%, ahead of 11% last year and 7% average.

Barley planted was 44%, ahead of 35% last year and 29% average. Emerged was 11%, near 8% last year and 7% average.

Dry edible peas planted was 59%, ahead of 45% last year, and well ahead of 30% average. Emerged was 9%, near 6% last year.

Sunflowers planted was 7%, ahead of 1% average.

Flaxseed planted was 11%, equal to last year, and near 9% average.

Potatoes planted was 39%, near 36% last year.

Dry edible beans planted was 15%, ahead of 4% last year.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 9% very poor, 25% poor, 37% fair, 28% good, and 1% excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 13% very short, 30% short, 55% adequate, and 2% surplus.

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

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