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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. May 31, 2022 - For the week ending May 29, 2022, there were 5.6 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 9% very short, 21% short, 56% adequate, and 14% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 11% very short, 26% short, 58% adequate, and 5% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn planted was 86%, behind 97% last year, but near 82% for the five-year average. Emerged was 44%, well behind 78% last year, and behind 57% average.

Soybeans planted was 61%, well behind 91% last year, and near 64% average. Emerged was 16%, well behind 60% last year, and behind 32% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 4% very poor, 22% poor, 41% fair, 31% good, and 2% excellent. Winter wheat headed was 12%, behind 30% last year and 21% average.

Spring wheat condition rated 1% very poor, 17% poor, 29% fair, 50% good, and 3% excellent. Spring wheat planted was 97%, near 100% last year and 95% average. Emerged was 85%, behind 92% last year, and equal to average.

Oats condition rated 2% very poor, 13% poor, 48% fair, 35% good, and 2% excellent. Oats planted was 93%, behind 99% last year, and near 94% average. Emerged was 78%, behind 93% last year and 85% average.

Sorghum planted was 36%, well behind 61% last year, and near 38% average.

Sunflowers planted was 23%, behind 33% last year, and equal to average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 18% very poor, 29% poor, 35% fair, 16% good, and 2% excellent.

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

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:
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