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## SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**SIOUX FALLS, S.D. May 27, 2025** - For the week ending May 25, 2025, there were 2.1 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 4% very short, 27% short, 60% adequate, and 9% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 15% very short, 31% short, 52% adequate, and 2% surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Corn condition rated 1% very poor, 7% poor, 37% fair, 49% good, and 6% excellent. Corn planted was 92%, ahead of 81% last year and 84% for the five-year average. Emerged was 70%, well ahead of 40% last year and 45% average.

Soybeans planted was 79%, well ahead of 55% last year, and ahead of 64% average. Emerged was 45%, well ahead of 16% last year and 22% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 5% very poor, 21% poor, 46% fair, 28% good, and 0% excellent. Winter wheat headed was 3%, behind 9% both last year and average.

Spring wheat condition rated 1% very poor, 3% poor, 41% fair, 52% good, and 3% excellent. Spring wheat emerged was 92%, ahead of 74% last year and 80% average.

Oats condition rated 1% very poor, 8% poor, 42% fair, 45% good, and 4% excellent. Oats emerged was 90%, ahead of 78% last year and 80% average. Headed was 5%, near 1% last year and 2% average.

Sorghum planted was 37%, near 41% last year and 38% average.

Sunflowers planted was 12%, ahead of 6% last year, but near 14% average.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 3% very poor, 20% poor, 50% fair, 24% good, and 3% 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.*

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