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NEBRASKA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

LINCOLN, Neb. April 22, 2024 - For the week ending April 21, 2024, there were 4.7 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 12% very short, 33% short, 51% adequate, and 4% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 11% very short, 39% short, 46% adequate, and 4% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn planted was 6%, near 8% last year and 5% for the five-year average.

Soybeans planted was 2%, near 3% last year, and equal to average.

Winter wheat condition rated 2% very poor, 3% poor, 27% fair, 52% good, and 16% excellent.

Oats planted was 71%, ahead of 63% last year and 60% average. Emerged was 36%, ahead of 20% both last year and average.

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: https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j

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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