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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. May 6, 2019 - For the week ending May 5, 2019, there were 3.3 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 1 percent very short, 9 short, 73 adequate, and 17 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 3 percent very short, 17 short, 69 adequate, and 11 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Soybeans planted was 1 percent, equal to last year, and behind 7 for the five-year average.

Spring wheat planted was 13 percent, behind 18 last year, and well behind 37 average.

Durum wheat planted was 7 percent, near 6 last year, but behind 17 average.

Winter wheat condition rated 4 percent very poor, 6 poor, 24 fair, 64 good, and 2 excellent. Winter wheat jointed was 7 percent, near 3 last year, but behind 15 average.

Corn planted was 3 percent, near 6 last year, and well behind 23 average.

Canola planted was 4 percent, near 6 last year, and behind 16 average.

Sugarbeets planted was 17 percent, well behind 58 last year and 62 average.

Oats planted was 7 percent, behind 13 last year, and well behind 35 average.

Barley planted was 8 percent, behind 13 last year, and well behind 33 average.

Dry edible peas planted was 10 percent, near 9 last year, but well behind 32 average.

Flaxseed planted was 2 percent, near 1 last year, but behind 10 average.

Potatoes planted was 3 percent, behind 9 last year and 16 average.

Dry edible beans planted was 1 percent, near 2 average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 2 percent very poor, 10 poor, 34 fair, 53 good, and 1 excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 1 percent very short, 5 short, 82 adequate, and 12 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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