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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. May 28, 2019 - For the week ending May 26, 2019, there were 3.5 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, 11 short, 74 adequate, and 12 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Soybeans planted was 46 percent, well behind 66 last year, and behind 65 for the five-year average. Emerged was 4 percent, behind 17 last year and 21 average.

Spring wheat planted was 82 percent, behind 89 last year and 87 average. Emerged was 45 percent, behind 54 last year and 62 average.

Durum wheat planted was 74 percent, behind 84 last year, and near 78 average. Emerged was 31 percent, behind 38 last year and 44 average. Jointed was 1 percent, near 3 last year.

Winter wheat condition rated 4 percent very poor, 6 poor, 20 fair, 64 good, and 6 excellent. Winter wheat jointed was 41 percent, behind 48 last year and 58 average.

Corn planted was 63 percent, well behind 83 last year and 85 average. Emerged was 8 percent, well behind 30 last year and 43 average.

Canola planted was 77 percent, near 76 last year, and equal to average. Emerged was 18 percent, behind 26 last year, and well behind 41 average.

Sugar beets planted was 97 percent, near 100 last year and 96 average.

Oats condition rated 0 percent very poor, 1 poor, 23 fair, 72 good, and 4 excellent. Oats planted was 75 percent, behind 83 last year and 86 average. Emerged was 28 percent, well behind 49 last year and 59 average.

Barley planted was 83 percent, behind 91 last year and 88 average. Emerged was 39 percent, well behind 60 last year and 63 average.

Dry edible peas planted was 79 percent, near 80 last year, and behind 87 average. Emerged was 30 percent, near 33 last year, and well behind 57 average.

Sunflowers planted was 21 percent, behind 33 last year and 39 average. Emerged was 1 percent, near 3 last year.
Flaxseed planted was 67 percent, near 70 last year and 64 average. Emerged was 17 percent, near 19 last year.

Potatoes planted was 84 percent, ahead of 77 last year and 68 average. Emerged was 3 percent, behind 10 last year and 14 average.

Dry edible beans planted was 49 percent, behind 56 last year, and near 50 average. Emerged was 1 percent, near 4 last year.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 2 percent very poor, 6 poor, 28 fair, 58 good, and 6 excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 1 percent very short, 4 short, 79 adequate, and 16 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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