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## NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**FARGO, N.D. July 1, 2019** - For the week ending June 30, 2019, there were 5.3 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 1 percent very short, 14 short, 75 adequate, and 10 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 4 percent very short, 18 short, 70 adequate, and 8 surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Soybean condition rated 0 percent very poor, 4 poor, 29 fair, 61 good, and 6 excellent. Soybeans emerged was 96 percent, near 99 both last year and for the five-year average.

Spring wheat condition rated 0 percent very poor, 2 poor, 17 fair, 73 good, and 8 excellent. Spring wheat jointed was 83 percent, behind 90 last year and 88 average. Headed was 19 percent, well behind 54 last year and 49 average.

Durum wheat condition rated 0 percent very poor, 6 poor, 29 fair, 61 good, and 4 excellent. Durum wheat jointed was 83 percent, behind 89 last year, but ahead of 77 average. Headed was 12 percent, well behind 38 last year.

Winter wheat condition rated 1 percent very poor, 3 poor, 25 fair, 62 good, and 9 excellent. Winter wheat jointed was 97 percent, near 100 last year and 99 average. Headed was 73 percent, behind 87 last year and 85 average. Coloring was 2 percent, behind 10 last year.

Corn condition rated 0 percent very poor, 4 poor, 17 fair, 72 good, and 7 excellent.

Canola condition rated 1 percent very poor, 13 poor, 25 fair, 56 good, and 5 excellent. Canola blooming was 15 percent, well behind 67 last year and 59 average.

Sugarbeet condition rated 0 percent very poor, 0 poor, 4 fair, 15 good, and 81 excellent.

Oats condition rated 0 percent very poor, 1 poor, 18 fair, 75 good, and 6 excellent. Oats jointed was 75 percent, behind 88 both last year and average. Headed was 12 percent, well behind 53 last year and 50 average.

Barley condition rated 0 percent very poor, 1 poor, 18 fair, 75 good, and 6 excellent. Barley jointed was 85 percent, behind 93 last year and 90 average. Headed was 24 percent, well behind 57 last year and 51 average.

Dry edible peas condition rated 0 percent very poor, 4 poor, 17 fair, 74 good, and 5 excellent. Dry edible peas emerged was 96 percent. Blooming was 30 percent, well behind 65 last year and 60 average.

Sunflower condition rated 0 percent very poor, 1 poor, 16 fair, 81 good, and 2 excellent. Sunflowers planted was 99 percent, near 100 last year, and equal to average. Emerged was 89 percent, near 91 last year.

Flaxseed condition rated 0 percent very poor, 4 poor, 20 fair, 73 good, and 3 excellent. Flaxseed emerged was 97 percent. Blooming was 10 percent, behind 17 last year and 24 average.

Potato condition rated 0 percent very poor, 0 poor, 13 fair, 66 good, and 21 excellent. Potatoes blooming was 1 percent, near 5 last year.

Dry edible bean condition rated 0 percent very poor, 1 poor, 18 fair, 69 good, and 12 excellent. Dry edible beans emerged was 97 percent. Blooming was 1 percent.

Alfalfa condition rated 1 percent very poor, 6 poor, 26 fair, 61 good, and 6 excellent. Alfalfa first cutting was 30 percent, behind 48 last year.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 2 percent very poor, 6 poor, 23 fair, 58 good, and 11 excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 2 percent very short, 9 short, 76 adequate, and 13 surplus.

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