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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. December 9, 2019 - For the week ending December 8, 2019, there were 3.5 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 0 short, 48 adequate, and 52 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 0 short, 56 adequate, and 44 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Soybeans harvested was 94 percent.

Winter wheat condition rated 6 percent very poor, 4 poor, 21 fair, 61 good, and 8 excellent.

Corn condition rated 2 percent very poor, 12 poor, 37 fair, 47 good, and 2 excellent. Corn harvested was 43 percent.

Sunflowers harvested was 60 percent.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 3 percent very poor, 8 poor, 26 fair, 55 good, and 8 excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 0 percent very short, 5 short, 67 adequate, and 28 surplus.

This is the last weekly Crop Progress and Condition report for the 2019 growing season. We would like to extend our appreciation to the dedicated county FSA and extension staff who supplied the necessary information for these reports. For December through March, we will issue monthly reports. The first monthly report (for December) will be issued January 2, 2020. Weekly reports will begin April 6th for the 2020 season.

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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