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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. May 20, 2024 - For the week ending May 19, 2024, there were 4.8 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 2% very short, 14% short, 77% adequate, and 7% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 3% very short, 16% short, 76% adequate, and 5% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Soybeans planted was 33%, ahead of 15% last year and 24% for the five-year average. Emerged was 1%, equal to last year, and near 2% average.

Spring wheat planted was 71%, well ahead of 40% last year, and ahead of 53% average. Emerged was 29%, ahead of 10% last year and 20% average.

Durum wheat planted was 67%, well ahead of 31% last year and 43% average. Emerged was 26%, well ahead of 6% last year, and ahead of 12% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 0% very poor, 1% poor, 31% fair, 60% good, and 8% excellent. Winter wheat jointed was 34%, ahead of 17% last year, but near 37% average.

Corn planted was 51%, well ahead of 24% last year, and ahead of 36% average. Emerged was 13%, ahead of 3% last year and 6% average.

Canola planted was 43%, well ahead of 19% last year, and ahead of 31% average. Emerged was 7%, near 4% average.

Sugarbeet condition rated 0% very poor, 0% poor, 0% fair, 10% good, and 90% excellent. Sugarbeets planted was 97%, ahead of 81% last year, and well ahead of 73% average.

Oats condition rated 1% very poor, 1% poor, 20% fair, 76% good, and 2% excellent. Oats planted was 59%, well ahead of 28% last year, and ahead of 49% average. Emerged was 21%, ahead of 6% last year, and near 17% average.

Barley planted was 65%, well ahead of 31% last year, and ahead of 49% average. Emerged was 28%, well ahead of 7% last year, and ahead of 17% average.

Dry edible peas planted was 71%, well ahead of 44% last year, and ahead of 52% average. Emerged was 23%, ahead of 12% last year and 15% average.

Sunflowers planted was 19%, ahead of 4% last year and 8% average.
Flaxseed planted was 33%, well ahead of 12% last year, and ahead of 26% average. Emerged was 2%, near 3% average.

Potatoes planted was 64%, ahead of 49% last year and 46% average. Emerged was 10%, ahead of 3% average.

Dry edible beans planted was 14%, ahead of 9% last year, but near 15% average.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 1% very poor, 4% poor, 27% fair, 57% good, and 11% excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 2% very short, 13% short, 80% adequate, and 5% 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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