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## SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**SIoux FALLS, S.D. April 29, 2019** - For the week ending April 28, 2019, there were 1.6 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 0 short, 59 adequate, and 41 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 1 short, 69 adequate, and 30 surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Winter wheat condition rated 0 percent very poor, 2 poor, 41 fair, 55 good, and 2 excellent.

Spring wheat planted was 8 percent, near 11 last year, and well behind 60 for the five-year average.

Oats planted was 7 percent, near 6 last year, but well behind 62 average.

*Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, SDSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.*

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