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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. June 17, 2019 - For the week ending June 16, 2019, there were 5.9 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 9 short, 66 adequate, and 25 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 2 short, 67 adequate, and 31 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn condition rated 1 percent very poor, 4 poor, 38 fair, 51 good, and 6 excellent. Corn planted was 78 percent, well behind 100 both last year and for the five-year average. Emerged was 56 percent, well behind 98 last year and 97 average.

Soybeans planted was 70 percent, well behind 99 last year and 98 average. Emerged was 36 percent, well behind 89 both last year and average.

Winter wheat condition rated 1 percent very poor, 3 poor, 32 fair, 60 good, and 4 excellent. Winter wheat headed was 53 percent, well behind 87 last year and 84 average.

Spring wheat condition rated 0 percent very poor, 0 poor, 30 fair, 63 good, and 7 excellent. Spring wheat emerged was 97 percent, near 100 last year and 99 average. Headed was 5 percent, well behind 43 last year and 37 average.

Oats condition rated 0 percent very poor, 1 poor, 29 fair, 64 good, and 6 excellent. Oats planted was 96 percent, near 100 both last year and average. Emerged was 91 percent, behind 100 last year and 99 average. Headed was 3 percent, well behind 46 last year and 52 average.

Sorghum planted was 68 percent, well behind 90 last year, and behind 84 average.

Sunflowers planted was 56 percent, behind 73 last year and 71 average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 1 percent very poor, 3 poor, 15 fair, 56 good, and 25 excellent.

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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