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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

SIoux FALLS, S.D. April 27, 2020 - For the week ending April 26, 2020, there were 5.7 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 6 short, 72 adequate, and 22 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 1 short, 73 adequate, and 26 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn planted was 8 percent, near 6 for the five-year average.

Soybeans planted was 1 percent.

Winter wheat condition rated 0 percent very poor, 1 poor, 27 fair, 69 good, and 3 excellent.

Spring wheat planted was 36 percent, well ahead of 6 last year, but behind 51 average. Emerged was 7 percent, behind 16 average.

Oats planted was 42 percent, well ahead of 6 last year, but behind 49 average. Emerged was 9 percent, behind 22 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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