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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. June 21, 2021 - For the week ending June 20, 2021, there were 6.5 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 39% very short, 49% short, 12% adequate, and 0% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 34% very short, 50% short, 16% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn condition rated 3% very poor, 14% poor, 49% fair, 33% good, and 1% excellent.

Soybean condition rated 3% very poor, 11% poor, 53% fair, 32% good, and 1% excellent. Soybeans emerged was 97%, near 93% last year, and ahead of 85% for the five-year average. Blooming was 3%, near 2% last year and 1% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 23% very poor, 31% poor, 34% fair, 12% good, and 0% excellent. Winter wheat headed was 94%, near 91% last year, and ahead of 89% average.

Spring wheat condition rated 14% very poor, 25% poor, 56% fair, 5% good, and 0% excellent. Spring wheat headed was 64%, well ahead of 41% last year, and ahead of 46% average.

Oats condition rated 8% very poor, 26% poor, 44% fair, 22% good, and 0% excellent. Oats headed was 74%, well ahead of 49% last year and 53% average.

Sorghum condition rated 5% very poor, 17% poor, 67% fair, 10% good, and 1% excellent. Sorghum planted was 96%, equal to last year, and near 93% average. Headed was 4%, near 1% average.

Sunflowers planted was 92%, ahead of 87% last year and 83% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 21% very poor, 40% poor, 31% fair, 7% good, and 1% 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.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:
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