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## SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**SIoux FALLS, S.D. November 8, 2021** - For the week ending November 7, 2021, there were 6.0 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 7% very short, 26% short, 61% adequate, and 6% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 10% very short, 35% short, 52% adequate, and 3% surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Corn harvested was 81%, behind 91% last year, but ahead of 68% for the five-year average.

Winter wheat condition rated 11% very poor, 25% poor, 30% fair, 32% good, and 2% excellent. Winter wheat emerged was 95%, ahead of 90% last year, and near 92% average.

Sorghum harvested was 92%, near 94% last year, but ahead of 78% average.

Sunflowers harvested was 72%, near 71% last year, and ahead of 64% average.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 29% very poor, 43% poor, 19% fair, 9% good, and 0% 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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[https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts\\_and\\_Maps/Crop\\_Progress\\_&\\_Condition/2021/index.php](https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Crop_Progress_&_Condition/2021/index.php)

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