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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. November 29, 2021 - For the week ending November 28, 2021, there were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 9% very short, 25% short, 63% adequate, and 3% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 12% very short, 32% short, 53% adequate, and 3% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn harvested was 96%, near 100% last year and 93% for the five-year average.

Winter wheat condition rated 5% very poor, 21% poor, 38% fair, 34% good, and 2% excellent.

Sorghum harvested was 95%, behind 100% last year, and equal to average.

Sunflowers harvested was 92%, near 95% last year, but ahead of 86% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 29% very poor, 38% poor, 21% fair, 10% good, and 2% excellent.

This is the last weekly Crop Progress and Condition report for the 2021 growing season. We would like to extend our appreciation to the dedicated county FSA and extension staff who supplied the necessary information for these reports. For December through March, we will issue monthly reports. The first monthly report (for week ending January 2) will be issued January 3, 2022. Weekly reports will begin April 4th for the 2022 season.

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:

<https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j>

Access Crop Progress and Condition graphical products at:

https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Crop_Progress_&_Condition/2021/index.php

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