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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

SIoux FALLS, S.D. April 18, 2022 - For the week ending April 17, 2022, there were 3.2 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 21% very short, 39% short, 35% adequate, and 5% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 23% very short, 39% short, 35% adequate, and 3% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 2% very poor, 20% poor, 58% fair, 20% good, and 0% excellent.

Spring wheat planted was 25%, behind 44% last year, but near 22% for the five-year average. Emerged was 1%, behind 13% last year, and near 5% average.

Oats planted was 27%, behind 38% last year, but ahead of 20% average. Emerged was 3%, behind 11% last year, and near 5% 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.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:
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