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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

SIoux FALLS, S.D. April 17, 2023 - For the week ending April 16, 2023, there were 2.2 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 3% very short, 21% short, 67% adequate, and 9% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 3% very short, 33% short, 60% adequate, and 4% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 4% very poor, 8% poor, 64% fair, 23% good, and 1% excellent.

Spring wheat planted was 1%, well behind 24% last year, and behind 15% for the five-year average.

Oats planted was 4%, well behind 25% last year, and behind 14% 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:

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

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https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts_and_Maps/Crop_Progress_&_Condition/2023/index.php

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