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## SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

**SIOUX FALLS, S.D. June 5, 2023** - For the week ending June 4, 2023, there were 6.7 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 9% very short, 46% short, 44% adequate, and 1% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 10% very short, 43% short, 47% adequate, and 0% surplus.

**Field Crops Report:** Corn condition rated 1% very poor, 5% poor, 29% fair, 59% good, and 6% excellent. Corn planted was 97%, ahead of 92% last year and 87% for the five-year average. Emerged was 84%, ahead of 65% last year and 68% average.

Soybean condition rated 1% very poor, 4% poor, 35% fair, 56% good, and 4% excellent. Soybeans planted was 89%, ahead of 75% last year and 74% average. Emerged was 63%, well ahead of 32% last year, and ahead of 47% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 9% very poor, 23% poor, 40% fair, 26% good, and 2% excellent. Winter wheat headed was 49%, ahead of 30% last year and 34% average.

Spring wheat condition rated 1% very poor, 1% poor, 42% fair, 48% good, and 8% excellent. Spring wheat emerged was 96%, ahead of 90% last year and 91% average.

Oats condition rated 1% very poor, 4% poor, 32% fair, 55% good, and 8% excellent. Oats emerged was 95%, ahead of 87% last year and 89% average. Headed was 11%, ahead of 3% last year, and near 9% average.

Sorghum planted was 78%, well ahead of 49% last year and 54% average.

Sunflowers planted was 41%, ahead of 33% both last year and average. Emerged was 5%.

**Pasture and Range Report:** Pasture and range conditions rated 3% very poor, 12% poor, 48% fair, 33% good, and 4% 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: <a href="https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j">https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j</a>

Access Crop Progress and Condition graphical products at: <a href="https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts">https://www.nass.usda.gov/Charts</a> and Maps/Crop Progress & Condition/2023/index.php

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