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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. September 23, 2024 - For the week ending September 22, 2024, there were 5.3 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 7% very short, 22% short, 61% adequate, and 10% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 8% very short, 21% short, 63% adequate, and 8% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Soybean condition rated 2% very poor, 7% poor, 28% fair, 57% good, and 6% excellent. Soybeans dropping leaves was 65%, behind 80% last year and 75% for the five-year average. Harvested was 8%, equal to last year, and near 9% average.

Spring wheat harvested was 93%, near 94% last year, and equal to average.

Durum wheat harvested was 93%, ahead of 85% last year and 86% average.

Winter wheat planted was 52%, well ahead of 32% last year, and ahead of 44% average. Emerged was 17%, ahead of 9% last year and 8% average.

Corn condition rated 3% very poor, 8% poor, 26% fair, 58% good, and 5% excellent. Corn dough was 91%, behind 100% last year and 99% average. Dented was 72%, well behind 92% last year, and behind 82% average. Mature was 15%, well behind 43% last year and 35% average.

Canola harvested was 69%, near 72% last year, and behind 75% average.

Sugarbeet condition rated 1% very poor, 2% poor, 4% fair, 16% good, and 77% excellent. Sugarbeets harvested was 14%, equal to last year, and near 13% average.

Oats harvested was 92%, behind 99% last year, and near 96% average.

Sunflower condition rated 2% very poor, 4% poor, 26% fair, 66% good, and 2% excellent. Sunflowers ray flowers dry was 91%, near 92% both last year and average. Bracts turned yellow was 70%, behind 75% last year and 76% average. Bracts turned brown was 31%, behind 38% both last year and average.

Flaxseed harvested was 85%, ahead of 66% last year and 76% average.

Potato condition rated 2% very poor, 2% poor, 22% fair, 59% good, and 15% excellent. Potatoes vines dry was 83%, behind 94% last year, and near 86% average. Harvested was 50%, behind 55% last year, but ahead of 41% average.

Dry edible bean condition rated 2% very poor, 5% poor, 33% fair, 51% good, and 9% excellent. Dry edible beans dropping leaves was 95%, near 97% last year, and equal to average. Harvested was 34%, well behind 54% last year, and behind 49% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 6% very poor, 12% poor, 29% fair, 50% good, and 3% excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 6% very short, 17% short, 73% adequate, and 4% surplus.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, NDSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.

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