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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. October 15, 2024 - For the week ending October 13, 2024, there were 6.6 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 15% very short, 38% short, 45% adequate, and 2% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 13% very short, 35% short, 49% adequate, and 3% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Soybeans harvested was 76%, ahead of 59% last year and 61% for the five-year average.

Winter wheat condition rated 1% very poor, 15% poor, 23% fair, 58% good, and 3% excellent. Winter wheat planted was 88%, equal to last year, and near 86% average. Emerged was 72%, near 69% last year, and ahead of 64% average.

Corn condition rated 2% very poor, 7% poor, 25% fair, 58% good, and 8% excellent. Corn mature was 88%, behind 94% last year, but ahead of 83% average. Harvested was 19%, near 23% last year and 22% average.

Canola harvested was 96%, near 93% last year and 94% average.

Sugarbeet condition rated 1% very poor, 2% poor, 4% fair, 16% good, and 77% excellent. Sugarbeets harvested was 45%, behind 52% both last year and average.

Sunflower condition rated 1% very poor, 2% poor, 35% fair, 59% good, and 3% excellent. Sunflowers bracts turned yellow was 98%, near 96% last year and 97% average. Bracts turned brown was 81%, near 84% last year and 85% average. Harvested was 10%, near 6% last year, but behind 15% average.

Potatoes harvested was 88%, behind 94% last year, but ahead of 83% average.

Dry edible beans harvested was 96%, ahead of 90% last year and 85% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 13% very poor, 23% poor, 29% fair, 34% good, and 1% excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 11% very short, 25% short, 62% adequate, and 2% 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.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:

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