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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. June 3, 2024 - For the week ending June 2, 2024, there were 5.1 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 1% very short, 6% short, 76% adequate, and 17% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 2% very short, 8% short, 76% adequate, and 14% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn condition rated 0% very poor, 1% poor, 17% fair, 74% good, and 8% excellent. Corn planted was 94%, near 96% last year, but ahead of 85% for the five-year average. Emerged was 68%, behind 78% last year, but ahead of 63% average.

Soybeans planted was 75%, behind 87% last year, but ahead of 70% average. Emerged was 34%, well behind 55% last year, and behind 42% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 1% very poor, 2% poor, 21% fair, 54% good, and 22% excellent. Winter wheat headed was 22%, behind 38% last year and 29% average.

Spring wheat condition rated 1% very poor, 1% poor, 12% fair, 78% good, and 8% excellent. Spring wheat emerged was 91%, near 94% last year and 88% average.

Oats condition rated 0% very poor, 1% poor, 9% fair, 78% good, and 12% excellent. Oats emerged was 91%, near 92% last year, but ahead of 86% average. Headed was 3%, behind 8% both last year and average.

Sorghum planted was 68%, near 71% last year, but ahead of 49% average.

Sunflowers planted was 27%, behind 37% last year, and near 28% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 2% very poor, 3% poor, 17% fair, 62% good, and 16% 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: https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j

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