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NEBRASKA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

LINCOLN, Neb. October 21, 2024 - For the week ending October 20, 2024, there were 6.7 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 47% very short, 39% short, 14% adequate, and 0% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 41% very short, 39% short, 20% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Corn mature was 98%, near 99% last year and 97% for the five-year average. Harvested was 63%, ahead of 57% last year and 51% average.

Soybeans harvested was 85%, ahead of 79% last year and 80% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 5% very poor, 19% poor, 36% fair, 34% good, and 6% excellent. Winter wheat emerged was 77%, behind 88% last year and 82% average.

Sorghum condition rated 1% very poor, 4% poor, 19% fair, 48% good, and 28% excellent. Sorghum mature was 97%, near 98% last year and 95% average. Harvested was 57%, ahead of 49% both last year and average.

Dry edible beans harvested was 93%, near 89% last year and 91% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 37% very poor, 20% poor, 28% fair, 14% good, and 1% excellent.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, UNL 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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