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This report contains the results from the **2016 September Agricultural Survey**. The data are also posted on our Web site at <http://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all who responded to the questionnaires and interviews for this survey.

2016 Delta States Winter Wheat Production Down from 2015

Arkansas production in 2016 totaled 6.21 million bushels, down 54 percent from the 13.4 million bushels in 2015. Acres planted to winter wheat for all purposes in 2016 are 195,000, down 44 percent from 2015. Harvested area for 2016 is 115,000 acres, down 125,000 acres from last year. The state average yield for 2016 is estimated at 54 bushels per acre, down 2 bushels from last year.

Louisiana production in 2016 totaled 900,000 bushels, down 75 percent from the 3.59 million bushels in 2015. Acres planted to winter wheat for all purposes in 2016 are 25,000, down 77 percent from 2015. Harvested area for 2016 is 20,000 acres, down 72,000 acres from last year. The state average yield for 2016 is estimated at 45 bushels per acre, up 6 bushels from last year's yield.

Mississippi production in 2016 totaled 2.4 million bushels, down 58 percent from the 5.76 million bushels in 2015. Acres planted to winter wheat for all purposes in 2016 are 65,000, down 57 percent from 2015. Harvested area for 2016 is 50,000 acres, down 70,000 acres from last year. The state average yield for 2016 is estimated at 48 bushels per acre, unchanged from last year's yield.

Oat production in 2016 for Arkansas totaled 584,000 bushels, up 22 percent from the 480,000 bushels in 2015. Acres planted to oats for all purposes in 2016 are 11,000, unchanged from 2015. Harvested area for 2016 is 8,000 acres, unchanged from last year. The state average yield for 2016 is estimated at 73 bushels per acre, up 13 bushels from last year's yield.

U.S. Winter wheat production totaled 1.67 billion bushels for 2016, up 22 percent from 2015. Acres planted to winter wheat for all purposes in 2016 are 36.1 million acres, down 9 percent from 2015. Grain area harvested is 30.2 million acres, down 2.1 million acres from 2015. The U.S. yield is 55.3 bushels per acre, up 12.8 bushel from 2015.

**Winter Wheat: Area Planted, Area Harvested, Yield and Production,
Delta States, Selected States, and U.S., 2015-2016**

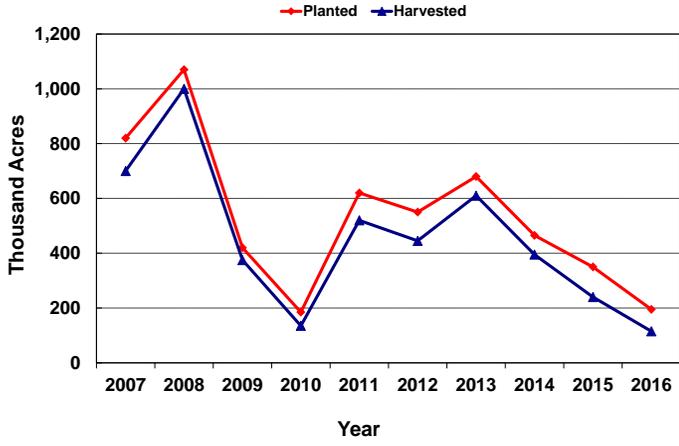
State	Area Planted ¹		Area Harvested		Yield		Production ¹	
	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016
	<i>1,000 Acres</i>				<i>Bushels per Acre</i>		<i>1,000 Bushels</i>	
Arkansas	350	195	240	115	56.0	54.0	13,440	6,210
Louisiana	110	25	92	20	39.0	45.0	3,588	900
Mississippi	150	65	120	50	48.0	48.0	5,760	2,400
Missouri	760	690	610	570	53.0	70.0	32,330	39,900
Oklahoma	5,300	5,000	3,800	3,500	26.0	39.0	98,800	136,500
Tennessee	455	400	395	335	68.0	73.0	26,860	24,455
Texas	6,100	5,000	3,550	2,800	30.0	32.0	106,500	89,600
United States	39,681	36,137	32,346	30,222	42.5	55.3	1,374,690	1,671,532

¹Includes area planted in preceding fall.

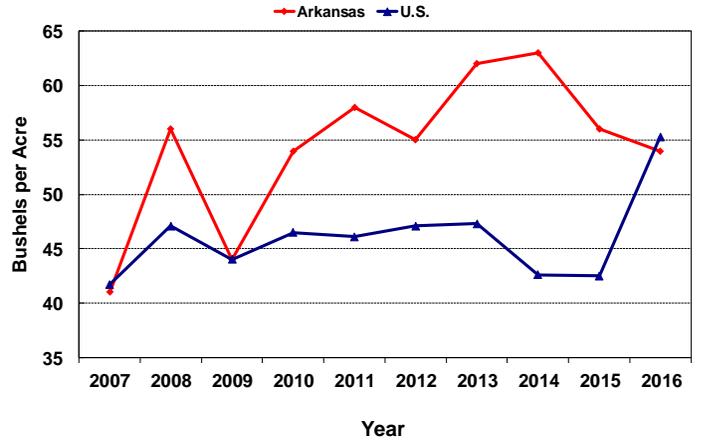
**Oats: Area Planted, Area Harvested, Yield and Production,
Arkansas, Selected States, and U.S., 2015-2016**

State	Area Planted ¹		Area Harvested		Yield		Production ¹	
	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016
	<i>1,000 Acres</i>				<i>Bushels per Acre</i>		<i>1,000 Bushels</i>	
Arkansas	11	11	8	8	60.0	73.0	480	584
Minnesota	280	210	160	120	78.0	68.0	12,480	8,160
North Dakota	275	290	140	110	74.0	66.0	10,360	7,260
South Dakota	325	295	145	110	87.0	82.0	12,615	9,020
Wisconsin	280	210	195	100	72.0	66.0	14,040	6,600
United States	3,088	2,828	1,276	981	70.2	66.0	89,535	64,770

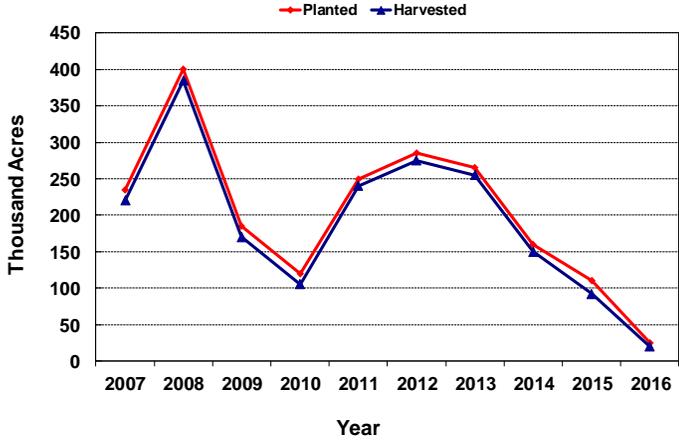
Winter Wheat: Area Planted and Harvested, Arkansas, 2007-2016



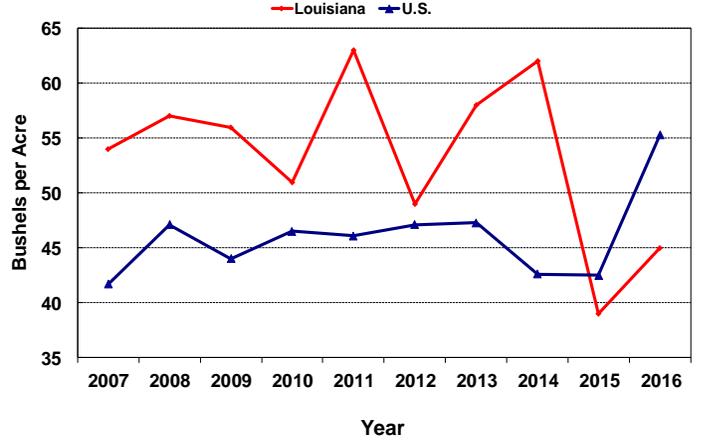
Winter Wheat: Yield, Arkansas and U.S., 2007-2016



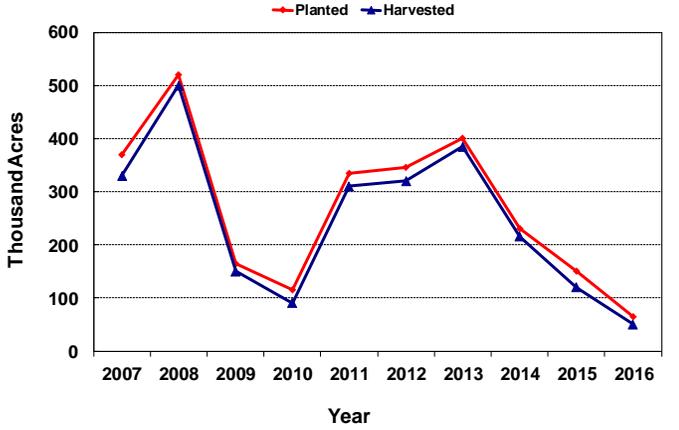
Winter Wheat: Area Planted and Harvested, Louisiana, 2007-2016



Winter Wheat: Yield, Louisiana and U.S., 2007-2016



Winter Wheat: Area Planted and Harvested, Mississippi, 2007-2016



Winter Wheat: Yield, Mississippi and U.S., 2007-2016

