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2020 DELAWARE FIELD CROP SUMMARY

Corn for grain production is estimated at 28.2 million bushels, down 3% from the 2019 estimate. The average yield in Delaware is estimated at 160.0 bushels per acre, 1.0 bushel below the 2019 average yield of 161.0 bushels per acre. Area harvested for grain is estimated at 176 thousand acres, down 2% from 2019.

Corn silage production is estimated at 76 thousand tons, down 17% from 2019. Silage yield is estimated at 19.0 tons per acre, down 4.0 tons from 2019. Area harvested for silage is estimated at 4 thousand acres, unchanged from 2019.

Barley production is estimated at 1.26 million bushels, up 13% from 2019. Yield is estimated at 84.0 bushels per acre, up 4.0 bushels from 2019. Harvested area, at 15 thousand acres, is up 7% from 2019.

Soybean production is estimated at 7.25 million bushels, up 1% from 2019. Yield is estimated at 49 bushels per acre, up 2 bushels from 2019. Harvested area, at 148 thousand acres, is down 3% from 2019.

Winter Wheat production is estimated at 4.02 million bushels, up 12% from 2019. Yield is estimated at 73.0 bushels per acre, up 1.0 bushel from the previous year. Harvested area, at 55 thousand acres, is 10% above the previous year.

All Dry Hay production is estimated at 34 thousand tons, up 10 percent from 2019. Yield is estimated at 2.43 tons per acre, up 0.22 tons from the previous year. Harvested area, at 14 thousand acres, is unchanged from the previous year.

Alfalfa Hay production is estimated at 10 thousand tons, up 11% from 2019. Yield is estimated at 2.50 tons per acre, down 17% from the previous year. Harvested area, at 4 thousand acres, is up 33% from the previous year.

For the complete "Crop Production Annual Summary" report, go to:
<https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/tm70mv177>

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