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Forecasted Kansas Winter Wheat Production Unchanged From May

The 2011 Kansas wheat crop is forecasted at 261.8 million bushels as of June 1, unchanged from the May forecast, but down 27 percent from the 2010 crop. If realized this would be the lowest production since 1996. The current crop is projected to be harvested from 7.7 million acres, down 300,000 acres from 2010 and the smallest area harvested since 1957. Yield per harvested acre is expected to average 34 bushels, unchanged from the May forecast, but down 11 bushels from last year. If realized, this would be the lowest yield since 2007.

Temperatures during May were mostly cooler than normal except for the second week of the month when they were

above average. Topsoil moisture ratings declined the first two weeks of the month but then increased to 65 percent adequate to surplus by the end of May, due to scattered showers. Despite the rain, topsoil moisture conditions in the Southwest, South Central, and West Central Districts had not improved by the end of May. The crop progressed near normal and slightly ahead of last year for most of the month. Seventeen percent of the wheat was turning color by the end of May, behind the 5-year average of 22 percent. On May 29, 54 percent of the crop was reported to be in poor to very poor condition, a 9 point decline from the beginning of the month.

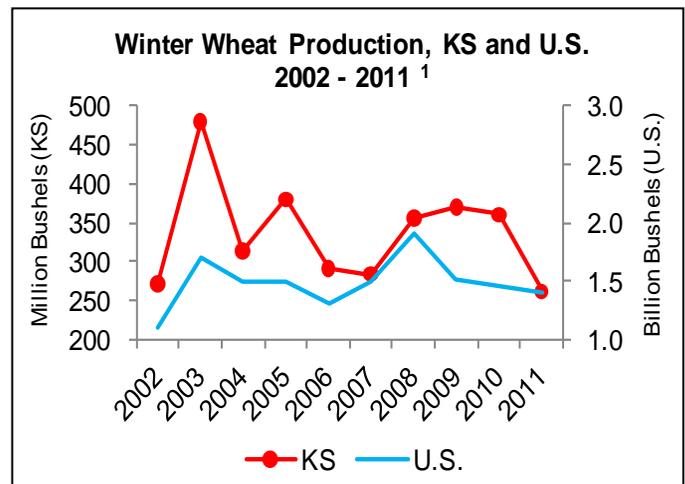
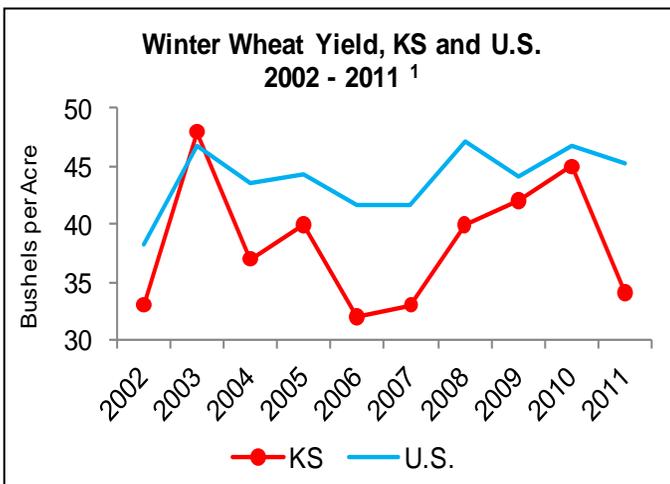
U.S. Winter Wheat Production Up 2 Percent From May

Winter wheat production is forecast at 1.45 billion bushels, up 2 percent from the May 1 forecast but 2 percent below 2010. Based on June 1 conditions, the United States yield is forecast at 45.3 bushels per acre, up 0.8 bushel from last month but 1.5 bushels less than last year. Expected area for harvest as grain or seed totals 32.0 million acres, unchanged from May 1.

Hard Red Winter production, at 777 million bushels, is up 2 percent from a month ago. Soft Red Winter production is up 2 percent from last month and now totals 434 million bushels. White Winter production totals 240 million bushels, up 2 percent from last month. Of this total, 11.6 million bushels are Hard White and 228 million bushels are Soft White.

Winter Wheat, Kansas and Selected States, 2010 and Forecasted June 1, 2011

State	Area Planted		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2010	2011	2010	2011	% of Prev. Yr.	2010	2011	2010	2011	% of Prev. Yr.
	1,000 Acres					Bushels Per Acre		1,000 Bushels		
KANSAS	8,400	8,800	8,000	7,700	96	45.0	34.0	360,000	261,800	73
Colorado	2,450	2,500	2,350	2,150	91	45.0	32.0	105,750	68,800	65
Missouri	370	830	280	720	257	45.0	51.0	12,600	36,720	291
Nebraska	1,600	1,500	1,490	1,350	91	43.0	44.0	64,070	59,400	93
Oklahoma	5,300	5,200	3,900	3,400	87	31.0	22.0	120,900	74,800	62
South Dakota	1,350	1,650	1,300	1,550	119	49.0	48.0	63,700	74,400	117
Texas	5,700	5,650	3,750	1,800	48	34.0	26.0	127,500	46,800	37
United States	37,335	41,229	31,749	32,039	101	46.8	45.3	1,485,236	1,450,115	98



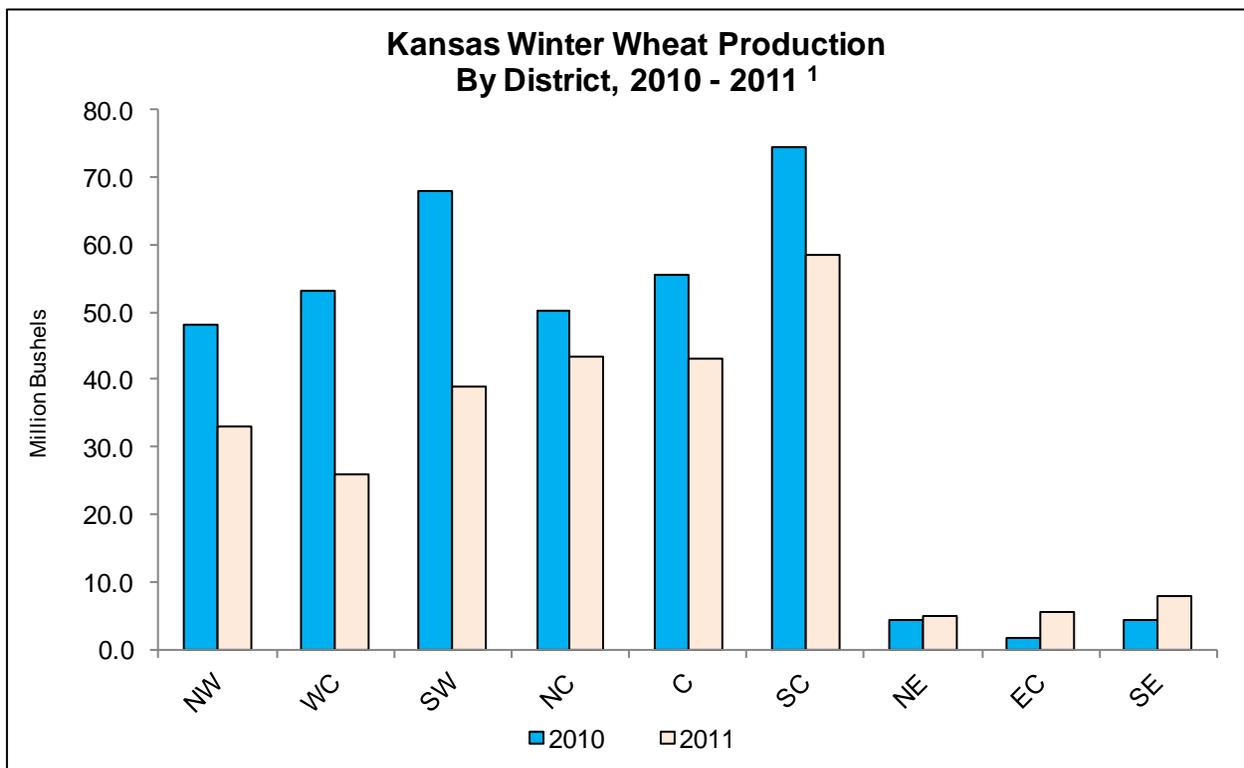
¹ Forecasted yield as of June 1, 2011

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Kansas Winter Wheat Production by District, 2010 and Forecasted June 1, 2011

District	Area Planted		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2010	2011	2010	2011	% of	2010	2011	2010	2011	% of
	1,000 Acres				Prev. Yr.	Bushels Per Acre		1,000 Bushels		Prev. Yr.
Northwest	950.0	900.0	915.0	800.0	87	52.6	41.5	48,127.0	33,000.0	69
West Central	1,105.0	1,150.0	1,055.0	800.0	76	50.4	32.5	53,220.0	26,000.0	49
Southwest	1,470.0	1,550.0	1,400.0	1,280.0	91	48.6	30.5	68,028.0	39,000.0	57
North Central	1,205.0	1,150.0	1,124.5	1,030.0	92	44.6	42.0	50,187.0	43,300.0	86
Central	1,349.0	1,250.0	1,300.5	1,180.0	91	42.8	36.5	55,630.0	43,100.0	77
South Central	2,000.0	2,250.0	1,905.0	2,090.0	110	39.0	28.0	74,267.0	58,600.0	79
Northeast	110.0	150.0	105.0	145.0	138	41.6	35.0	4,368.8	5,100.0	117
East Central	56.0	160.0	50.0	150.0	300	33.1	38.0	1,655.9	5,700.0	344
Southeast	155.0	240.0	145.0	225.0	155	31.1	35.5	4,516.3	8,000.0	177
State	8,400.0	8,800.0	8,000.0	7,700.0	96	45.0	34.0	360,000.0	261,800.0	73



¹ Forecasted production as of June 1, 2011