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NEBRASKA CROP PRODUCTION REPORT

LINCOLN, Neb. May 12, 2020 - Based on May 1 conditions, Nebraska's 2020 **winter wheat** crop is forecast at 41.8 million bushels, down 24 percent from last year's crop, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Average yield is forecast at 48 bushels per acre, down 9 bushels from last year. Acreage to be harvested for grain is estimated at 870,000 acres, down 100,000 acres from last year. This would be 95 percent of the planted acres, above last year's 91 percent harvested.

May 1 **hay** stocks of 1,380,000 tons are up 29 percent from last year.

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