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2023 NORTH DAKOTA SMALL GRAIN ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION

FARGO, N.D. September 29, 2023 - Other spring wheat production for 2023 is estimated at 268 million bushels, up 2% from last year, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. The 2023 area harvested for grain, at 5.52 million acres, is up 5% from 2022. Producers planted 5.55 million acres, up 5% from 2022. Yield, at 48.5 bushels per acre, is down 1.5 bushels from 2022.

Durum wheat production is estimated at 32.0 million bushels, up 3% from 2022. Harvested acres, at 865,000, are up 11% from last year. Area planted is 905,000 acres, up 15% from 2022. The yield of 37.0 bushels per acre is down 3.0 bushels from last year.

Winter wheat production is estimated at 8.12 million bushels, up 42% from last year. The area harvested for grain totaled 145,000 acres, up 53% from 2022. Planted acreage totaled 155,000 acres, up 48% from a year earlier. The yield is 56.0 bushels per acre, down 4.0 bushels from 2022.

Barley production is estimated at 40.5 million bushels, down 16% from 2022. Area harvested for grain, at 570,000 acres, is down 14% from last year. Planted acreage totaled 690,000 acres, down 7% from 2022. Average yield is 71.0 bushels per acre, down 2.0 bushels from last year.

Oat production is estimated at 7.98 million bushels, down 41% from 2022. Area harvested for grain, at 105,000 acres, is down 45% from last year. Planted acreage totaled 280,000 acres, down 19% from a year earlier. Yield, at 76.0 bushels per acre, is up 5.0 bushels per acre from last year.

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