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**U.S. Winter Wheat Production Up 2 Percent from May**

Winter wheat production is forecast at 1.51 billion bushels nationally, up 2 percent from the May 1 forecast and up 9 percent from 2014. Based on June 1 conditions, the United States yield is forecast at 44.5 bushels per acre, up 1 bushel from last month and up 1.9 bushels from last year. Winter wheat yield for Georgia is down 4 bushels from the May 1 forecast while South Carolina is unchanged.

**Winter Wheat Area Harvested, Yield, and Production — States and United States: 2014 and Forecasted June 1, 2015**

State	Area harvested		Yield per acre			Production	
	2014	2015	2014	2015		2014	2015
				May 1	June 1		
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(bushels)	(bushels)	(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
Georgia .....	230	220	49.0	53.0	49.0	11,270	10,780
South Carolina.....	220	170	52.0	52.0	52.0	11,440	8,840
United States.....	32,304	33,838	42.6	43.5	44.5	1,377,526	1,505,072

Source: USDA - NASS *Crop Production*, June 2015

**Sweet Potato Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production — States and United States: 2013 and 2014**

State	Area planted		Area harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(cwt)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(1,000 cwt)
Alabama .....	2.5	2.1	2.4	2.0	173	220	415	440
Florida .....	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	142	200	838	1,180
United States...	115.7	137.3	113.2	135.2	219	219	24,785	29,584

Source: USDA - NASS *Crop Production*, June 2015

**Sugarcane Area Harvested, Yield, and Production — States and United States: 2013 and 2014**

State	Area harvested		Yield per acre <sup>1</sup>		Production <sup>1</sup>	
	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(tons)	(tons)	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)
<b>For sugar and seed</b>						
Florida .....	416.0	408.0	34.6	38.6	14,400	15,738
United States.....	910.8	870.3	33.8	35.0	30,761	30,424

Source: USDA - NASS *Crop Production*, June 2015

<sup>1</sup> Net tons.