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This report contains the results from the farmer reported **2023 July Agricultural Yield Survey**. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

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US Winter Wheat Production Up 6 Percent from June Forecast

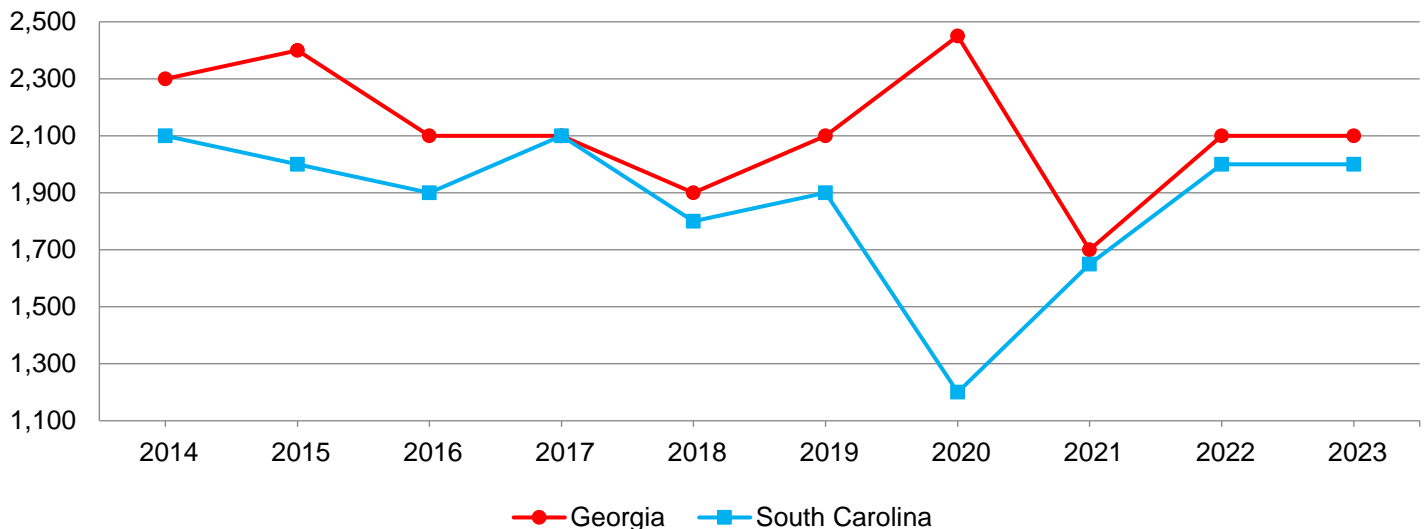
Winter wheat production is forecast at 1.21 billion bushels, up 6 percent from the June 1 forecast and up 9 percent from 2022. As of July 1, the United States yield is forecast at 46.9 bushels per acre, up 2.0 bushels from last month but down 0.1 bushel from last year's average yield of 47.0 bushels per acre.

Key findings for the Southern Region from July Crop Production

United States all flue-cured tobacco production is forecast at 285 million pounds, down 6 percent from 2022. Production in Georgia is forecast at 13.4 million pounds, up 7 percent from last year. Production in South Carolina is forecast at 10.8 million pounds, down 7 percent from last year.

Tobacco Yield – States: 2014-2023

Pounds per acre



Tobacco Area Harvested, Yield, and Production – States and United States: 2022 and Forecasted July 1, 2023

State	Area harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2022 (acres)	2023 (acres)	2022 (pounds)	2023 (pounds)	2022 (1,000 pounds)	2023 (1,000 pounds)
Class 1, Flue-cured (11-14)						
Georgia	6,000	6,400	2,100	2,100	12,600	13,440
South Carolina.....	5,800	5,400	2,000	2,000	11,600	10,800
United States.....	139,900	134,300	2,163	2,122	302,640	284,940

Source: USDA National Agricultural Statistics Service - [Crop Production](#), July 2023