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## **SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PRODUCTION REPORT**

SIOUX FALLS, SD, December 10, 2014 – **Dry edible bean** production in South Dakota is forecast at 194,000 hundredweight (cwt) for 2014, down 16 percent from last year according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service.

Total planted acres for dry edible beans, at 14,000 acres, are up 2,000 acres from 2013. Harvested acres, at 12,900 acres, are up 1,400 acres from last year. The statewide yield for 2014 is forecast at 1,500 pounds per acre, down 500 pounds from a year ago.

Access the National publication for this release at:

<http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/usda/nass/CropProd/2010s/2014/CropProd-12-10-2014.pdf>

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