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SOUTH DAKOTA CROP PRODUCTION REPORT

SIoux FALLS, SD, December 9, 2015 – **Dry edible bean** production in South Dakota is forecast at 211,000 hundredweight (cwt) for 2015, down 13 percent from last year according to the USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service.

Total planted acres for dry edible beans, at 12,500 acres, are down 1,500 acres from 2014. Harvested acres, at 11,600 acres, are down 1,300 acres from last year. The statewide yield for 2015 is forecast at 1,820 pounds per acre, down 60 pounds from a year ago.

Access the National publication for this release at:

<http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/usda/nass/CropProd/2010s/2015/CropProd-12-09-2015.pdf>

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