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CROP PRODUCTION – JULY 1, 2024

WYOMING HIGHLIGHTS

Barley production in Wyoming, based on conditions as of July 1, 2024, is forecast at 5.88 million bushels, according to the July 1 Agricultural Yield Survey conducted by the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. This forecast is down 3 percent from the 6.03-million-bushel crop produced in 2023. Harvested area, forecast at 60,000 acres, is 2,000 acres, or 3 percent, above last year. Average yield is forecast at 98.0 bushels per acre, down 6.0 bushels from last year's final yield.

As of June 30, Wyoming's barley crop condition was rated 4 percent very poor, 4 percent poor, 2 percent fair, 59 percent good, and 31 percent excellent, compared with 1 percent very poor, 1 percent poor, 20 percent fair, 76 percent good, and 2 percent excellent last year. The barley crop was 70 percent headed, compared with 46 percent last year and a 5-year average of 55 percent.

UNITED STATES HIGHLIGHTS

Winter wheat production is forecast at 1.34 billion bushels, up 4 percent from the June 1 forecast and up 7 percent from 2023. As of July 1, the United States yield is forecast at 52.0 bushels per acre, up 0.6 bushel from last month and up 1.4 bushels from last year's average yield of 50.6 bushels per acre. Hard Red Winter production, at 763 million bushels, is up 5 percent from last month. Soft Red Winter, at 344 million bushels, is up less than 1 percent from the June forecast. White Winter, at 234 million bushels, is up 4 percent from last month. Of the White Winter production, 19.0 million bushels are Hard White and 215 million bushels are Soft White.

Barley production is forecast at 150 million bushels, down 19 percent from 2023. Based on conditions as of July 1, the average yield for the United States is forecast at 74.2 bushels per acre, up 1.8 bushels from last year. Area harvested for grain is forecast at 2.02 million acres, is unchanged from the Acreage report released on June 28, 2024, but down 21 percent from last year.

For a full copy of the *Crop Production* report, please visit www.nass.usda.gov.