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This report contains the results from the **2018 June Ag Yield Survey**. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

Arkansas Winter Wheat Yield Forecast Unchanged from May
Mississippi Winter Wheat Yield Forecast Unchanged from May

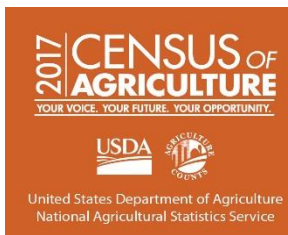
As of June 1, **Arkansas winter wheat** production for 2018 is forecast at 6.60 million bushels, unchanged from the May 1 forecast but up 2 percent from last year. Based on June 1 conditions, yield is forecast at 60 bushels per acre, unchanged from last month but 8 bushels above from last year. Area for harvest, at 110,000 acres, is unchanged from last month but down 12 percent from 2017. The June 4, 2018, *Arkansas Crop Progress and Condition* report showed 4 percent of the winter wheat crop had been harvested and 61 percent of the crop was rated in good to excellent condition.

Mississippi winter wheat production for 2018 is forecast at 2.17 million bushels, unchanged from the May 1 forecast but up 50 percent from last year. Based on June 1 conditions, yield is forecast at 62 bushels per acre, unchanged from last month but 4 bushels above from last year. Area for harvest, at 35,000 acres, is unchanged from last month but up 40 percent from 2017. The June 4, 2018, *Mississippi Crop Progress and Condition* report showed 6 percent of the winter wheat crop had been harvested and 60 percent of the crop was rated in good to excellent condition.

United States winter wheat production is forecast at 1.20 billion bushels, up 1 percent from the May 1 forecast but down 6 percent from 2017. The area expected to be harvested for grain or seed totals 24.8 million acres, down 2 percent from 2017. Based on June 1 conditions, the United States yield is forecast at 48.4 bushels per acre, up 0.3 bushel from last month but down 1.8 bushels from last year.

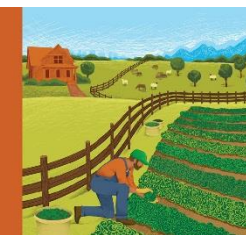
Winter Wheat Area Harvested, Yield, and Production - Arkansas, Mississippi, Surrounding States, and United States: 2017 and Forecasted June 1, 2018

State	Area harvested		Yield per acre			Production	
	2017	2018	2017	2018		2017	2018
				May 1	June 1		
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(bushels)	(bushels)	(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
Arkansas	125	110	52.0	60.0	60.0	6,500	6,600
Mississippi	25	35	58.0	62.0	62.0	1,450	2,170
Missouri	540	530	68.0	64.0	65.0	36,720	34,450
Oklahoma	2,900	2,000	34.0	26.0	26.0	98,600	52,000
Tennessee	275	300	70.0	72.0	75.0	19,250	22,500
Texas	2,350	1,600	29.0	27.0	27.0	68,150	43,200
United States	25,291	24,769	50.2	48.1	48.4	1,269,437	1,197,716



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