



American Malting Barley Association, Inc.

# GLEANINGS



September 30, 2016

## BARLEY PRODUCTION REPORT

Barley production is estimated at 199 million bushels, down 9 percent from the revised 2015 total of 218 million bushels. Average yield per acre, at 77.9 bushels, is up 8.8 bushels from the previous year and is the highest yield on record since estimates began in 1866. Producers seeded 3.05 million acres in 2016, down 16 percent from last year. Harvested area, at 2.56 million acres, is down 19 percent from 2015.

### 2016 BARLEY PRODUCTION

STATE	Seeded		Harvested		Yield		Production		
	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016
	------(000s acres)-----				(bu/acre)		------(000s bushels)-----		
Arizona	17	16	16	15	120.0	128.0	4,000	1,920	1,920
California	80	80	29	55	55.0	75.0	1,825	1,595	4,125
Colorado	65	79	63	74	130.0	129.0	6,696	8,190	9,546
Delaware	32	35	22	25	80.0	76.0	2,666	1,760	1,900
Idaho	610	600	580	580	97.0	107.0	51,700	56,260	62,060
Maryland	50	50	35	34	69.0	72.0	3,465	2,415	2,448
Minnesota	135	95	120	79	77.0	66.0	3,120	9,240	5,214
Montana	990	990	860	780	52.0	60.0	44,660	44,720	46,800
North Dakota	1,120	740	1,050	640	64.0	67.0	35,845	67,200	42,880
Oregon	49	45	37	32	52.0	67.0	1,900	1,924	2,144
Pennsylvania	55	55	40	38	65.0	75.0	3,550	2,600	2,850
Utah	27	29	16	19	84.0	82.0	1,660	1,344	1,558
Virginia	46	33	16	12	75.0	67.0	2,212	1,200	804
Washington	115	110	105	93	48.0	77.0	6,300	5,040	7,161
Wyoming	100	95	86	82	95.0	96.0	7,276	8,170	7,872
Other*	132		83		55.5		4,667	4,609	
<b>United States</b>	<b>3,623</b>	<b>3,052</b>	<b>3,158</b>	<b>2,558</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>77.9</b>	<b>181,542</b>	<b>218,187</b>	<b>199,282</b>

\* For 2014 & 2015, Other States include: Kansas, Maine, Michigan, New York, North Carolina, South Dakota and Wisconsin.

Source: USDA/NASS/Agriculture Statistics Board, September 30, 2016 Small Grain Summary.

