



American Malting Barley Association, Inc.

GLEANINGS



July 12, 2019

BARLEY PRODUCTION REPORT

Production is forecast at 171 million bushels, up 12 percent from 2018. Based on conditions as of July 1, the average yield for the United States is forecast at 73.3 bushels per acre, down 4.1 bushels from last year. Area harvested for grain or seed, at 2.33 million acres, is unchanged from the Acreage report released on June 28, 2019, but up 18 percent from 2018.

Ninety-four percent of the barley acreage was planted by June 2, two percentage points behind last year and 3 percentage points behind the 5-year average. By June 9, eighty-six percent of the barley acreage had emerged, 5 percentage points behind last year and 6 percentage points behind the 5-year average. Thirty-one percent of the Nation's barley acreage had reached the heading stage by June 30, sixteen percentage points behind last year and 21 percentage points behind the 5-year average. On June 30, seventy-two percent of the barley acreage was rated in good to excellent condition, compared with 84 percent at the same time last year.

2019 BARLEY PRODUCTION SUMMARY

STATE	Seeded		Harvested		Yield		Production		
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2017	2018	2019
	------(000s acres)-----				(bu/acre)		------(000s bushels)-----		
Arizona	12	20	9	15	100.0	130.0	2,227	900	1,950
California	65	70	26	48	69.0	60.0	1,450	1,794	2,880
Colorado	58	80	52	77	145.0	130.0	8,976	7,540	10,010
Idaho	550	510	530	485	101.0	98.0	48,450	53,530	47,530
Minnesota	80	90	67	77	76.0	72.0	5,168	5,092	5,544
Montana	790	880	600	705	56.0	47.0	28,815	33,600	33,135
North Dakota	470	620	385	535	74.0	78.0	26,000	28,490	41,730
Virginia	30	35	9	9	70.0	73.0	803	630	657
Washington	85	105	67	93	73.0	68.0	4,505	4,891	6,324
Wyoming	71	95	50	76	100.0	100.0	6,426	5,000	7,600
Other	332	352	183	211	63.5	64.0	10,438	11,615	13,497
Total U.S.	2,543	2,857	1,978	2,331	77.4	73.3	143,258	153,082	170,857

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Alaska	5	6	4	5	43.0	*	*	172	*
Arizona	12	20	9	15	100.0	130.0	2,227	900	1,950
California	65	70	26	48	69.0	60.0	1,450	1,794	2,880
Colorado	58	80	52	77	145.0	130.0	8,976	7,540	10,010
Delaware	25	27	14	18	78.0	*	1,530	1,092	*
Idaho	550	510	530	485	101.0	98.0	48,450	53,530	47,530
Kansas	17	15	6	9	31.0	*	*	186	*
Maine	17	17	16	16	73.0	*	*	1,168	*
Maryland	45	70	24	50	70.0	*	2,052	1,680	*
Michigan	20	15	5	10	43.0	*	*	215	*
Minnesota	80	90	67	77	76.0	72.0	5,168	5,092	5,544
Montana	790	880	600	705	56.0	47.0	28,815	33,600	33,135
New York	10	12	8	10	58.0	*	*	464	*
North Carolina	11	12	8	7	80.0	*	*	640	*
North Dakota	470	620	385	535	74.0	78.0	26,000	28,490	41,730
Oregon	43	42	26	23	53.0	*	2,356	1,378	*
Pennsylvania	45	40	33	31	63.0	*	3,150	2,079	*
South Dakota	48	48	13	11	55.0	*	*	715	*
Utah	21	22	16	13	86.0	*	1,350	1,376	*
Virginia	30	35	9	9	70.0	73.0	803	630	657
Washington	85	105	67	93	73.0	68.0	4,505	4,891	6,324
Wisconsin	25	26	10	8	45.0	*	*	450	*
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