



July 10, 2020

Production is forecast at 170 million bushels, up less than 1 percent from 2019. Based on conditions as of July 1, the average yield for the United States is forecast at 76.1 bushels per acre, down 1.6 bushels from last year. A record high yield is forecast in Montana. Area harvested for grain or seed, at 2.23 million acres is unchanged from the Acreage report released on June 30, 2020, but up 2 percent from 2019.

Ninety-three percent of the Nation's barley acreage was planted by May 31, one percentage point ahead of last year but 3 percentage points behind the 5-year average. By June 7, eighty-seven percent of the Nation's barley acreage had emerged, 5 percentage points ahead of last year but 3 percentage points behind the 5-year average. Thirty-nine percent of the Nation's barley acreage had reached the headed stage by June 28, fourteen percentage points ahead of last year but 6 percentage points behind the 5-year average. On June 28, seventy-five percent of the Nation's barley acreage was rated in good to excellent condition, compared with 72 percent at the same time last year.

BARLEY PRODUCTION REPORT

2020 BARLEY PRODUCTION SUMMARY

	Seeded		Harvested		Yield		Production		
STATE	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2018	2019	2020
	(000s acres)			(bu/acre)		(000s bushels)			
Arizona	17	16	14	14	126.0	110.0	1,100	1,764	1,540
California	60	50	43	34	66.0	52.0	1,794	2,838	1,768
Colorado	54	67	52	63	138.0	131.0	7,685	7,176	8,253
Idaho	540	510	520	480	104.0	106.0	53,530	54,080	50,880
Minnesota	70	60	55	45	67.0	71.0	5,092	3,685	3,195
Montana	920	1,010	740	810	59.0	62.0	33,600	43,660	50,220
North Dakota	580	550	445	425	72.0	63.0	28,490	32,040	26,775
Virginia	30	31	7	9	65.0	66.0	630	455	594
Washington	95	115	84	97	70.0	75.0	4,891	5,880	7,275
Wyoming	81	81	66	60	107.0	102.0	5,100	7,062	6,120
Other	274	307	156	195	70.0	67.6	11,615	10,926	13,186
Total U.S.	2,721	2,797	2,182	2,232	77.7	76.1	153,527	169,566	169,806

Source: USDA/NASS/Agriculture Statistics Board, July 10, 2020 Crop Production Report.

2019 BARLEY PRODUCTION

	Seeded		Harvested		Yield		Production		
STATE	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2018	2019	2020
	(000s acres)			(bu/acre)		(000s bushels)			
Alaska	6	6	5	5	38.0	*	172	190	*
Arizona	17	16	14	14	126.0	110.0	1100	1,764	1,540
California	60	50	43	34	66.0	52.0	1,794	2,838	1,768
Colorado	54	67	52	63	138.0	131.0	7,685	7,176	8,253
Delaware	21	21	14	12	80.0	*	1,092	1,120	*
Idaho	540	510	520	480	104.0	106.0	53,530	54,080	50,880
Kansas	14	15	4	10	33.0	*	186	132	*
Maine	16	17	15	16	82.0	*	1,168	1,230	*
Maryland	32	35	17	23	85.0	*	1,680	1,445	*
Michigan	11	15	8	12	44.0	*	215	352	*
Minnesota	70	60	55	45	67.0	71.0	5,092	3,685	3,195
Montana	920	1,010	740	810	59.0	62.0	33,600	43,660	50,220
New York	10	10	4	7	52.0	*	464	208	*
North Carolina	11	15	6	11	66.0	*	640	396	*
North Dakota	580	550	445	425	72.0	63.0	28,490	32,040	26,775
Oregon	40	42	31	30	78.0	*	1,378	2,418	*
Pennsylvania	35	47	25	31	70.0	*	2,079	1,750	*
South Dakota	37	35	9	10	43.0	*	715	387	*
Utah	17	21	10	14	93.0	*	1,376	930	*
Virginia	30	31	7	9	65.0	66.0	630	455	594
Washington	95	115	84	97	70.0	75.0	4,891	5,880	7,275
Wisconsin	24	28	8	14	46.0	*	450	368	*
Wyoming	81	81	66	60	107.0	102.0	5,100	7,062	6,120
Other						67.6			13,186
Total U.S.	2,721	2,797	2,182	2,232	77.7	76.1	153,527	169,566	169,806

^{*} Figures for these states are not reported until the September, 2020 Small Grains Summary. Source: USDA/NASS/Agriculture Statistics Board, July 10, 2020 Crop Production Report.