



Wisconsin Ag News – Small Grain Summary

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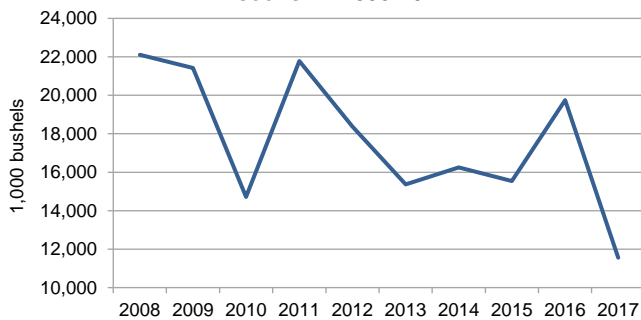
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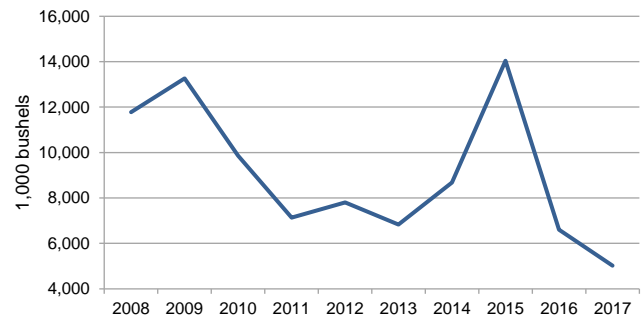
Winter Wheat production in Wisconsin is estimated at 11.6 million bushels, down 41 percent from 2016 according to the USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Small Grains 2017 Summary*. Planted acreage at 210,000, is down 22 percent from last year. Winter wheat area harvested for grain, at 170,000 acres, is down 32 percent from 2016. Winter wheat yield, at 68.0 bushels per acre, is down 11.0 bushels from last year’s record yield.

Oat production is estimated at 5.02 million bushels, down 24 percent from last year. Planted acreage at 180,000 is down 14 percent from 2016. Oat area harvested for grain is 85,000 acres, down 15 percent from 2016. Oat yield, at 59.0 bushels per acre, is down 7.0 bushels from last year.

**Winter Wheat Production
Wisconsin: 2008-2017**



**Oat Production
Wisconsin: 2008-2017**



Small Grains Harvested, Yield, and Production – Wisconsin and United States: 2016-2017

Crop	Area harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2016 (1,000 acres)	2017 (1,000 acres)	2016 (bushels)	2017 (bushels)	2016 (1,000 bushels)	2017 (1,000 bushels)
Wisconsin						
Oats	100	85	66.0	59.0	6,600	5,015
Wheat, Winter	250	170	79.0	68.0	19,750	11,560
United States						
Oats	981	801	66.0	61.7	64,770	49,391
Wheat, Winter	30,237	25,291	55.3	50.2	1,672,582	1,269,437

United States Summary

All wheat production totaled 1.74 billion bushels in 2017, down 25 percent from the revised 2016 total of 2.31 billion bushels. Area harvested for grain totaled 37.6 million acres, down 14 percent from the previous year. The United States yield is estimated at 46.3 bushels per acre, down 6.4 bushels from the previous year. The levels of production and changes from 2016 by type are winter wheat, 1.27 billion bushels, down 24 percent; other spring wheat, 416 million bushels, down 22 percent; and Durum wheat, 54.9 million bushels, down 47 percent.

Oat production is estimated at 49.4 million bushels, down 24 percent from 2016. Yield is estimated at 61.7 bushels per acre, down 4.3 bushels from the previous year. Harvested area, at 801,000 acres, is 18 percent below last year.