

TABLE 1

Alfalfa and Alfalfa Mixtures for Hay Area Harvested, Yield, and Production – States and United States: 2016 and Forecasted August 1, 2017

	Area harvested		Yield		Production	
	2016 (1,000 acres)	2017 (1,000 acres)	2016 (tons per acre)	2017 (tons per acre)	2016 (1,000 tons)	2017 (1,000 tons)
Arizona	280	275	8.6	8.6	2,408	2,365
California	720	750	7	6.6	5,040	4,950
Colorado	680	700	3.5	3.9	2,380	2,730
Idaho	1,000	1,000	4.4	4.5	4,400	4,500
Illinois	230	260	3.9	3.6	897	936
Indiana	210	240	4.2	3.8	882	912
Iowa	550	740	4.2	3.6	2,310	2,664
Kansas	700	650	4.3	4	3,010	2,600
Kentucky	150	150	3.6	3	540	450
Michigan	640	610	3	3.4	1,920	2,074
Minnesota	1,000	900	3.4	3	3,400	2,700
Missouri	230	230	3.2	3	736	690
Montana	1,800	1,750	2	1.8	3,600	3,150
Nebraska	750	770	4.15	3.8	3,113	2,926
Nevada	190	230	4.4	4.2	836	966
New Mexico	190	190	4.6	5	874	950
New York	350	360	2.2	2.4	770	864
North Dakota	1,400	1,450	1.7	1.3	2,380	1,885
Ohio	330	320	3.4	3.2	1,122	1,024
Oklahoma	210	330	3.8	3.3	798	1,089
Oregon	420	390	4.7	4.8	1,974	1,872
Pennsylvania	350	400	3	3.2	1,050	1,280
South Dakota	1,700	1,650	2	1.8	3,400	2,970
Texas	130	120	5.3	4.6	689	552
Utah	530	520	4.2	4.3	2,226	2,236
Virginia	65	55	3.1	3.1	202	171
Washington	430	380	5.2	4.9	2,236	1,862
Wisconsin	1,000	1,000	3.2	2.9	3,200	2,900
Wyoming	500	550	2.8	2.7	1,400	1,485
Other States ¹	150	141	3.13	3.01	470	424
United States	16,885	17,111	3.45	3.28	58,263	56,177

¹ Other States include Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, North Carolina, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Vermont, and West Virginia. Individual State level estimates will be published in the Crop Production 2017 Summary.

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