U.S. Wheat Associates

Harvest Report

May 22, 2014

Hard Red Winter

Wheat harvest has started on a very limited basis in central Texas and should be in full swing in that area by early next week unless slowed by rain expected over the weekend. Harvest is expected to begin in the next week to ten days on the Texas/Oklahoma border and extend into southwestern Oklahoma. First samples are not expected in the lab until the latter part of the first week of June at the earliest.

Major parts of the 2014 HRW crop have faced challenging growing conditions which have sharply reduced yields. A multi-year drought encompasses most of Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and southeastern Colorado. A hard freeze struck areas of Texas, Oklahoma and southern Kansas on April 15, a time when wheat was in its most cold sensitive stage. Additionally, April and May in those same states included several days of 95 to 103 degree (35 to 39 C) days, sustained high winds and humidity in the single digits. As a result many areas suffered even greater damage to already stressed plants. These factors have likely reduced yields in the affected areas by as much as 40% compared with last year's crop, which itself was reduced by drought.

Wheat in states north and northwest of Kansas are still in good condition, but will likely not be able to make up for the production losses suffered by the southern and central Plains states.

/SPA	WHEAT	DATA					GRADE	L	Final						
	Samples Tested Expected		Moisture Protein				TKW gm	FN sec	Grade	Test Weight		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %
This Week	0	530													
Last Week															
2013 Final	534	534	10.9	13.4	15.2	0.6	26.0	421	2 HRW	59.9	78.8	0.2	0.1	1.6	2.0

Results shown represent all samples collected through this and last week respectively.

Legend: Protein = 12% Moisture Basis; TKW = 1000 Kernel Weight; FN = Falling Number; FM = Foreign Material; S&B = Shrunken and Broken; n/a = not available.

Soft Red Winter

No Data Available

634	WHEAT	DATA					GRADE FACTORS								
	Samples Tested Expected		Moisture Protein %		Dry Basis Protein Dockage % %		TKW gm	FN sec	Grade	ade Test Weight Ib/bu kg/hl		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %
This Week															
Last Week															
2013 Final	546	546	13.3	9.8	11.2	0.5	33.5	294	2 SRW	58.0	76.4	0.1	2.4	0.5	3.0

Results shown represent all samples collected through this and last week respectively.

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Hard Red Spring

No Data Available

ACC.	WHEA	T DATA						GRADE FACTORS								
	Samples Tested Expected		Moisture %	Protein %			Dockage TKW % gm		Grade	Test Weight		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %	DHV %
This Week																
Last Week																
2013 Final	443	443	12.5	13.6	15.5	0.8	32.7	421	1 NS	62.3	81.9	0.0	0.2	0.8	1.0	73

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Soft White

No Data Available

6DA	WHEAT	DATA					GRADE	L	Final						
9	Samples Tested Expected		Moisture Protein %		Dry Basis Protein Dockage % %		TKW gm	FN sec	Grade	Test Weight lb/bu kg/hl		FM %	Damage %	S&B %	Defects %
This Week															
Last Week															
2013 Final	464	464	8.9	10.1	11.4	0.5	35.5	329	1 SW	60.6	79.7	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.8

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No Data Available

	WHEA	T DATA						GRADE FACTORS Fi								
	Samples Tested Expected		Moisture Protein %		Dry Basis Protein Docka % %		TKW gm	FN sec	Grade Test V		est Weight Fou kg/hl		Damage %	S&B %	Defects %	HVAC %
This Week																
Last Week																
2013 Final	98	113	11.9	13.1	14.9	0.9	44.3	384	1 HAD	61.2	79.7	0.0	0.2	0.7	0.9	87.0

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