

Historical overview of Missouri wheat farming, 1866–2016

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>HARVESTED ACRES, IN MILLIONS</b>	<b>BUSHELs PRODUCED, IN MILLIONS</b>	<b>AVERAGE YIELD, BUSHELs/ACRE</b>
1866	.4	6	15
1871	1.05	14.18	14
1876	1.34	17.46	13
1881	2.6	24.7	10
1886	2.05	28.7	14
1891	2.1	33.6	16
1896	1.95	24.38	13
1901	2.48	39.68	16
1906	2.27	34.05	15
1911	2.14	31.67	15
1916	2.1	17.85	9
1921	3.25	35.1	11
1926	1.41	22.53	16
1931	1.6	31.91	20
1936	2.18	32.62	15
1941	1.34	18	14
1946	1.21	18.2	15
1951	1.32	22.4	17
1956	1.66	50.63	31
1961	1.37	41.9	31
1966	1.21	41.14	34
1971	.78	31	40
1976	1.84	60.72	33
1981	2.75	115.5	42
1986	.57	18.81	33
1991	1.5	48	32
1996	1.25	48.75	39
2001	.76	41	54
2006	.91	49.14	54
2011	.69	34.5	50
2016	.57	39.9	70

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture/National Agricultural Statistics Service