

Historical overview of Missouri grain sorghum farming, 1929–2016

YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES, IN MILLIONS	BUSHELs PRODUCED, IN MILLIONS	AVERAGE YIELD, BUSHELs/ACRE
1929	.03	.374	12.5
1932	.052	.853	16.4
1935	.065	.646	9.9
1938	.059	1.016	17.2
1941	.049	.926	18.9
1944	.061	1.318	21.6
1947	.044	.704	16
1950	.03	.615	20.5
1953	.034	.51	15
1956	.193	5.404	28
1959	.501	22.545	45
1962	.177	8.319	47
1965	.223	13.380	60
1968	.216	14.256	66
1971	.636	47.7	75
1974	.475	23.75	50
1977	.93	67.89	73
1980	.83	39.84	48
1983	.69	40.02	58
1986	1.14	92.34	81
1989	.57	45.03	79
1992	.64	62.08	97
1995	.49	35.77	73
1998	.32	25.56	83
2001	.22	20.68	94
2004	.145	15.66	108
2007	.1	9.6	96
2010	.033	2.574	78
2013	.06	4.92	82
2016	.054	5.13	95

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