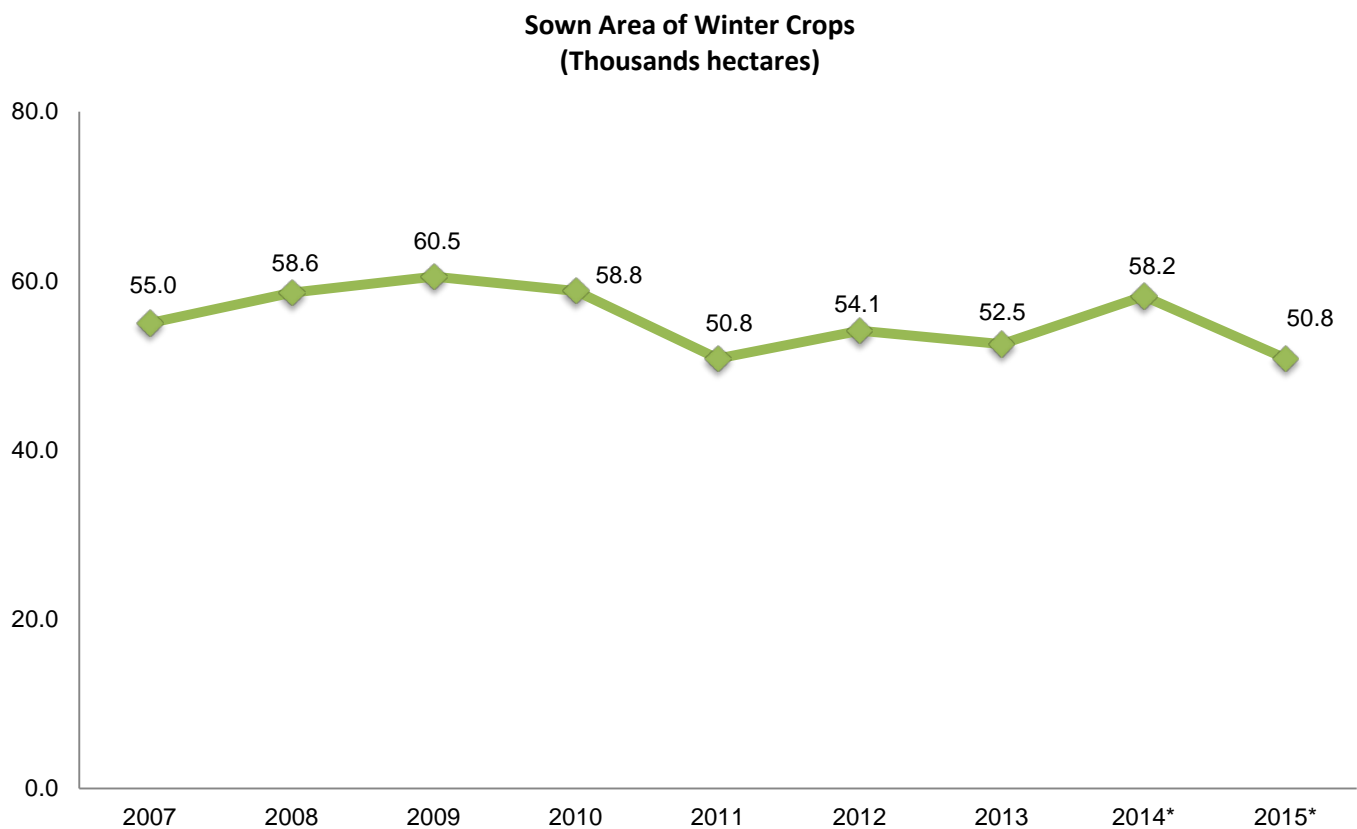


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**Agriculture in Georgia**  
**Sown Area of Winter Crops (2015)**  
**(Express Data)**

According to express data, for 2015 sown area of winter crops amounted to 50.8 thousands hectares, down by 12.7 percent year-on-year. The chart below presents sown areas of winter crops for 2007-2015.



\* Express data.

The following table presents sown areas of winter and spring crops for 2007-2015.

**Sown areas of winter and spring crops (ths. hectares)**

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014*	2015*
<b>Sown area, total</b>	297.2	329.3	289.7	256.7	262.4	259.6	310.7	322.5	...
<b>Winter grain crops (wheat, barley, rye)</b>	55.0	58.6	60.5	58.8	50.8	54.1	52.5	58.2	50.8
<b>Spring crops</b>	242.2	270.7	229.2	197.9	211.6	205.5	258.2	264.3	...
Of which:									
Grain and leguminous crops (wheat, barley, rye, oats, maize, pulses)	151.0	176.9	156.3	132.6	140.6	132.8	183.8	193.0	...
Of which: maize	125.5	146.2	130.1	108.6	121.2	114.8	150.4	150.8	...
Potato, vegetables and melons	58.9	54.8	44.3	48.3	45.3	52.6	48.6	46.5	...
Other crops	32.3	39.0	28.6	17.0	25.7	20.1	25.8	24.8	...

\* Express data.

Final data of 2014 will be available on June 16, 2015 and final data of 2015 will be available on June 16, 2016.

**Note:**

- Sown area of spring crops of 2014 does not include the sown area of third quarter of 2014.

- Sown area of winter crops includes area under winter crops sown in autumn of the previous year, which will be harvested in the next year.

**Source:** National Statistics Office of Georgia (Sample survey of agricultural enterprises).