



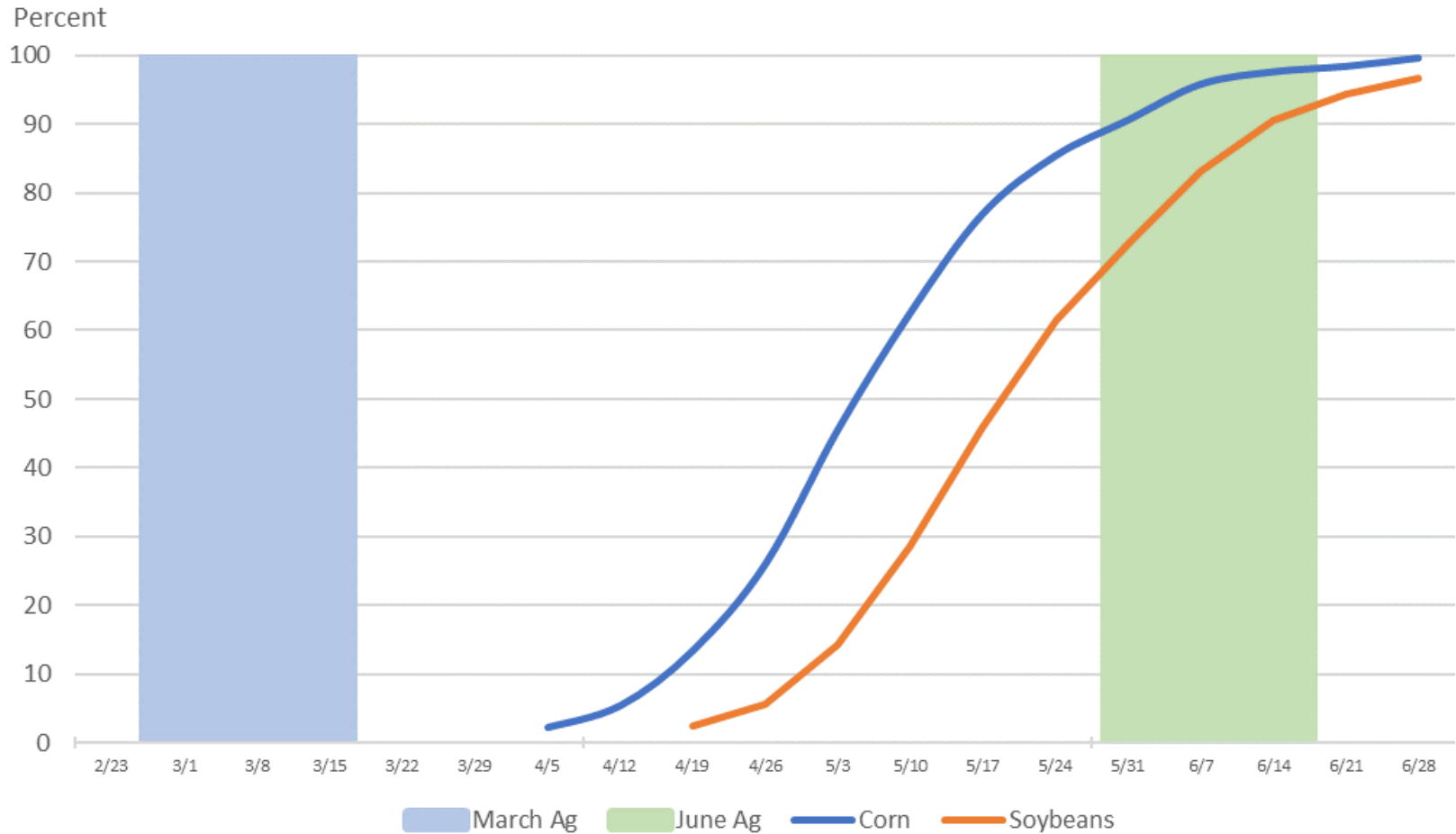
Prospective Plantings Grain Stocks Rice Stocks

Executive Summary

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Crops Branch

Acres Intended vs Actual Plantings

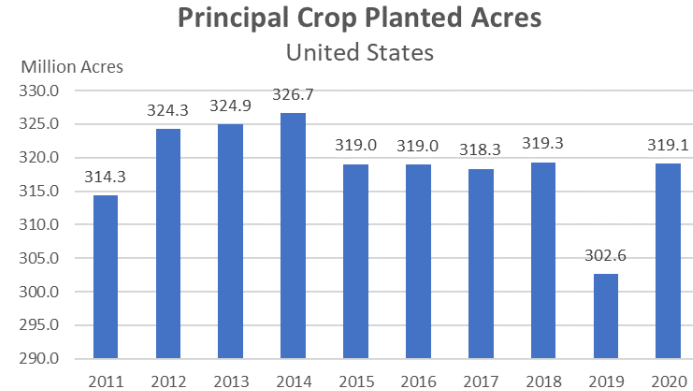
Usual Planting Progress



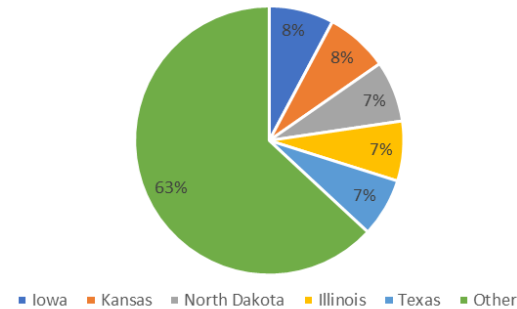
March 2020 Principal Crops Planted Acreage

	Planted (1,000 Acres)
United States	319,088
% Change from Previous Forecast	N/A
% Change from Previous Season	5.4 ↑
	Top 5 States
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
Iowa	24,840 ↑
Kansas	24,075 ↑
North Dakota	23,429 ↑
Illinois	22,950 ↑
Texas	22,495 ↑

↑ ↓ change from 2019



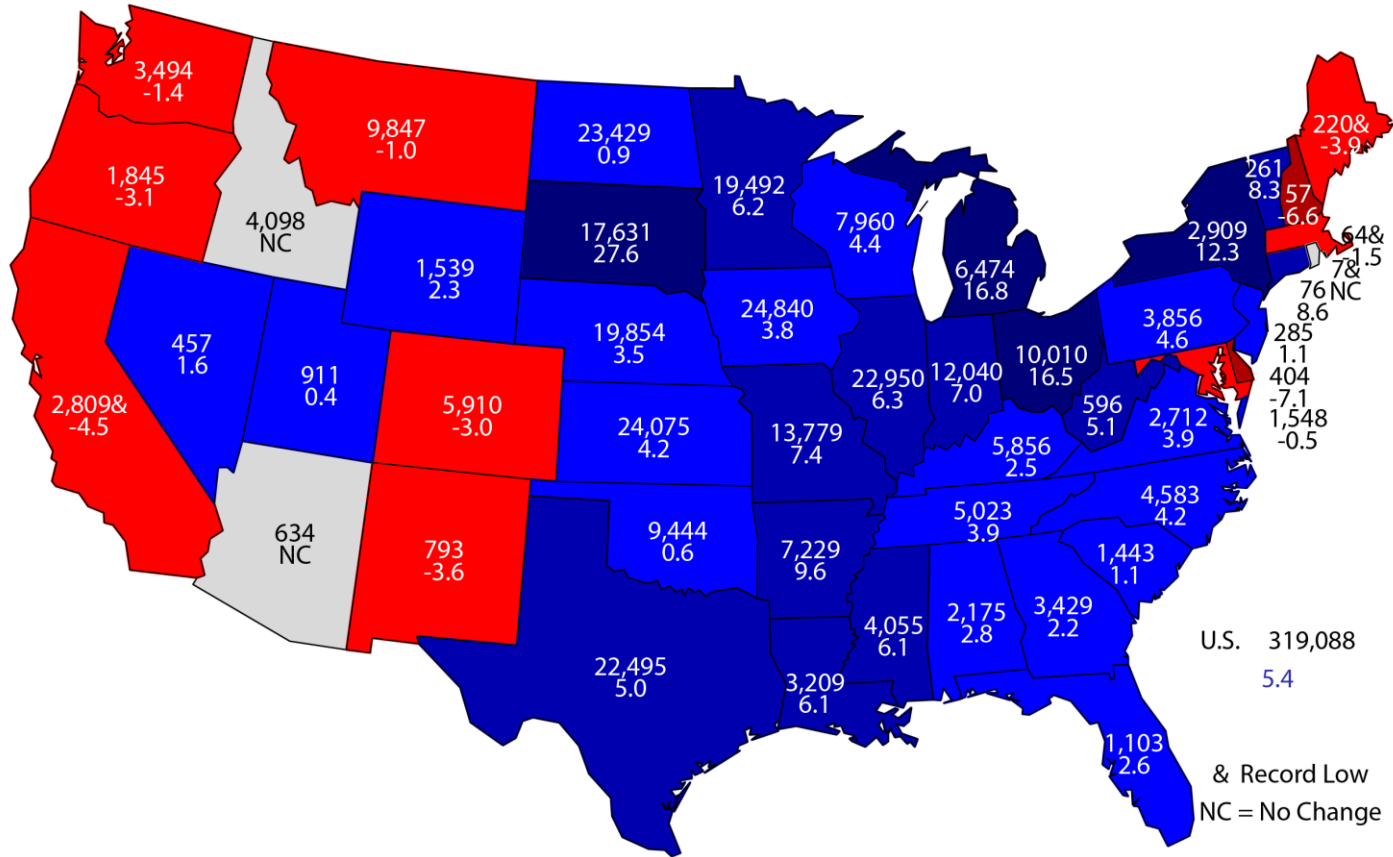
2020 Principal Crops Planted Acres
By State



Planted acres are used for corn, sorghum, oats, barley, rye, winter wheat, Durum wheat, other spring wheat, rice, soybeans, peanuts, sunflower, cotton, dry edible beans, chickpeas, potatoes, sugarbeets, canola, and proso millet. Harvested acreage is used for all hay, tobacco, and sugarcane in computing total area planted.

2020 Principal Crop Planted Area

(000) Acres and Percent Change from Previous Year

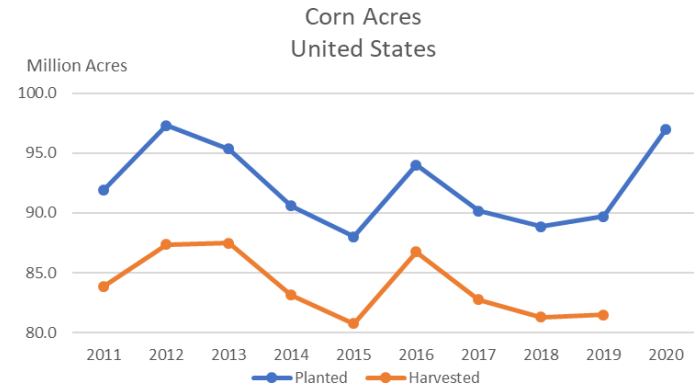


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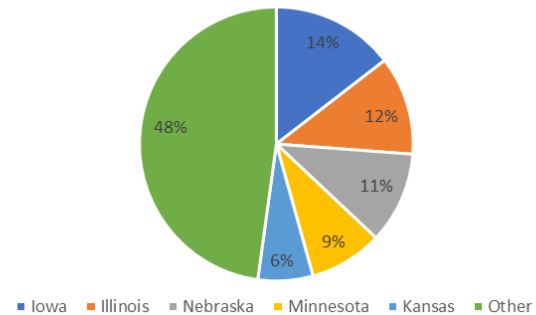
March 2020 Corn Planted Acreage

	Planted (1,000 Acres)
United States	96,990
% Change from Previous Forecast	N/A
% Change from Previous Season	8.1 ↑
Top 5 States	
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
Iowa	14,100 ↑
Illinois	11,300 ↑
Nebraska	10,500 ↑
Minnesota	8,400 ↑
Kansas	6,300 ↓

↑ ↓ change from 2019

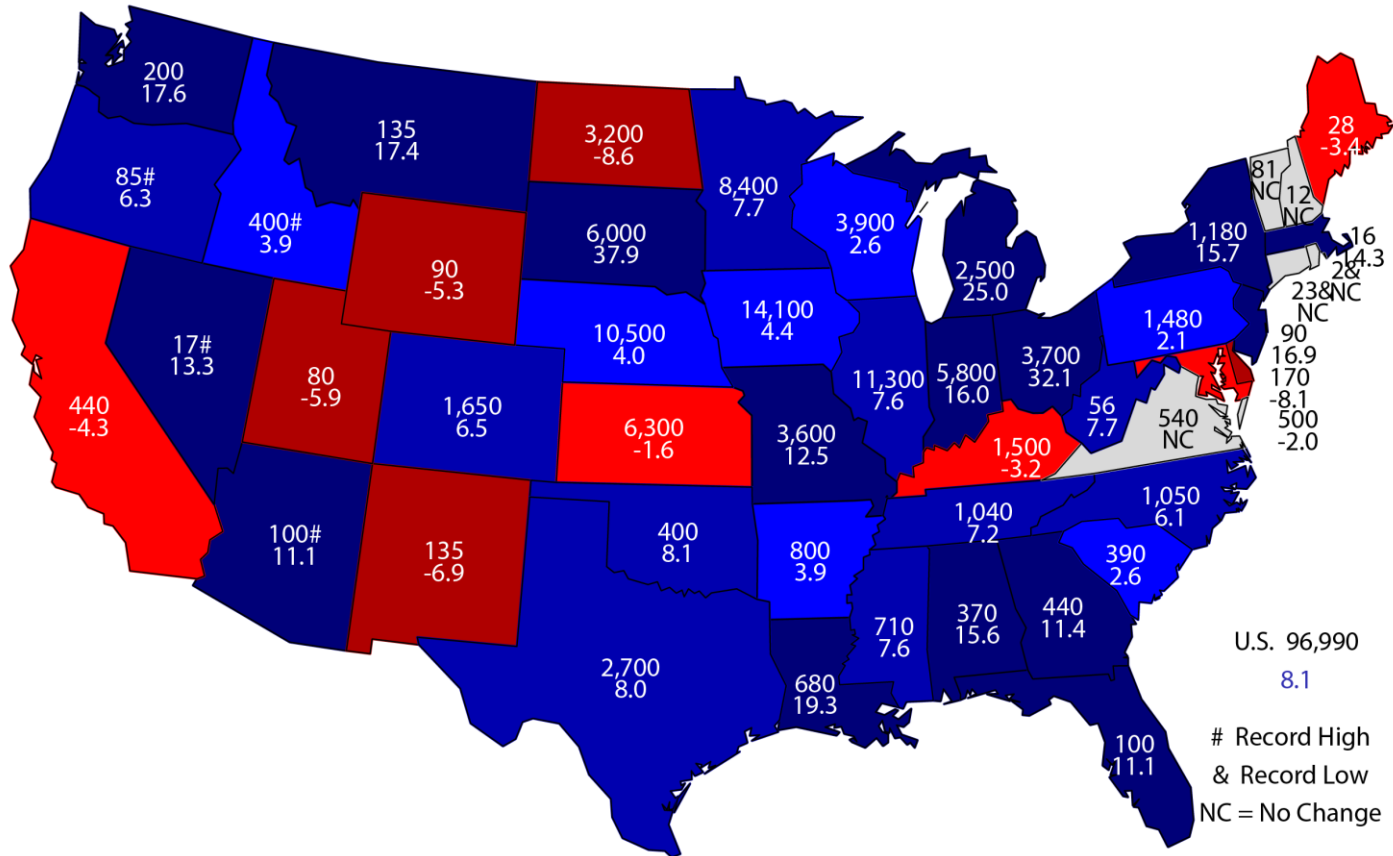


2020 Corn Planted Acres
By State



2020 Corn Planted Area

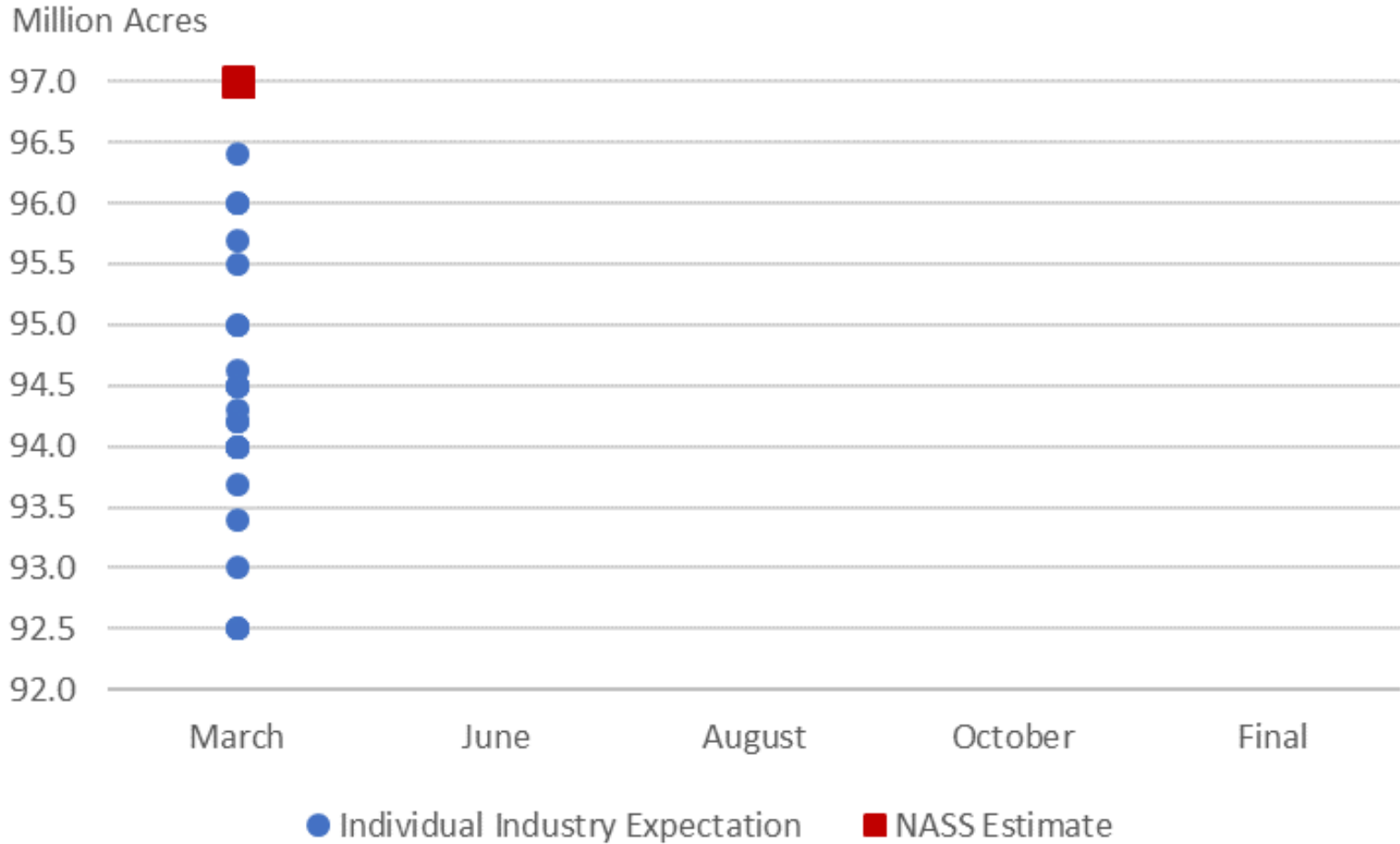
(000) Acres and Percent Change from Previous Year



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2020 United States Corn Acres

Industry Expectations vs NASS



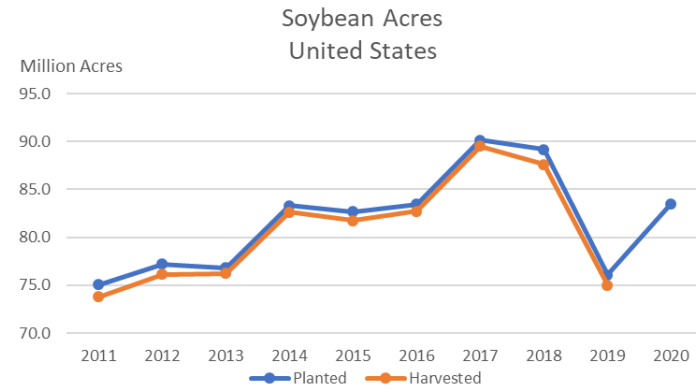


March 2020 Soybeans Planted Acreage

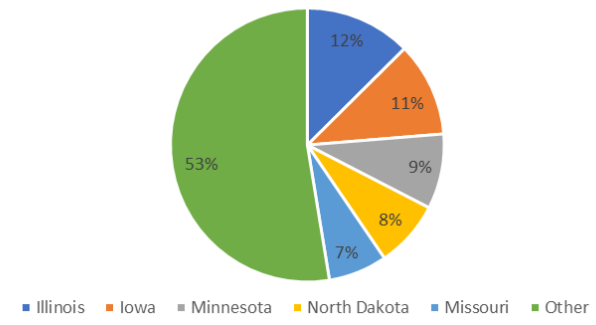


	Planted (1,000 Acres)
United States	83,510
% Change from Previous Forecast	N/A
% Change from Previous Season	9.7 ↑
Top 5 States	
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
Illinois	10,500 ↑
Iowa	9,300 ↑
Minnesota	7,400 ↑
North Dakota	6,600 ↑
Missouri	5,800 ↑

↑ ↓ change from 2019

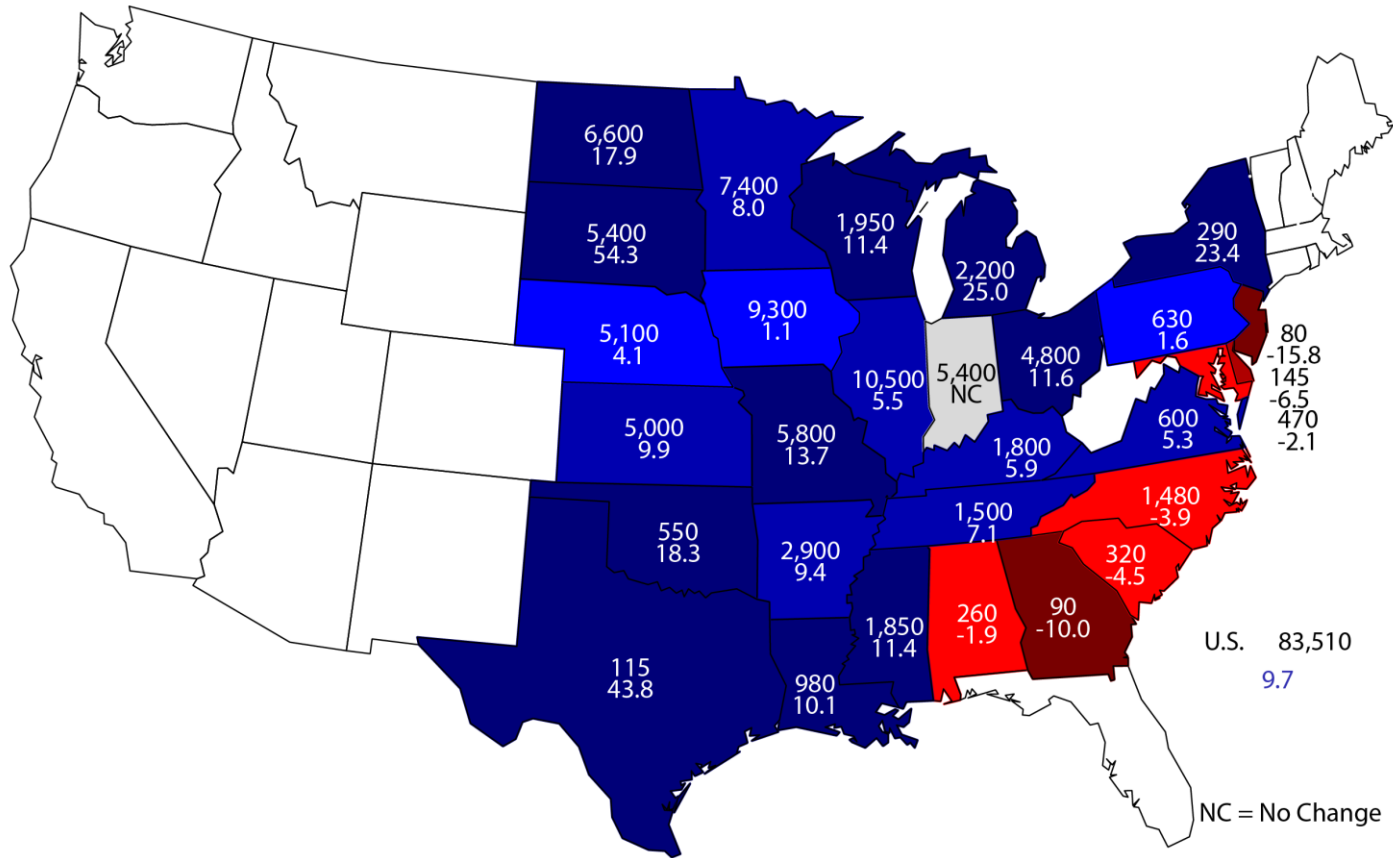


2020 Soybean Planted Acres
By State



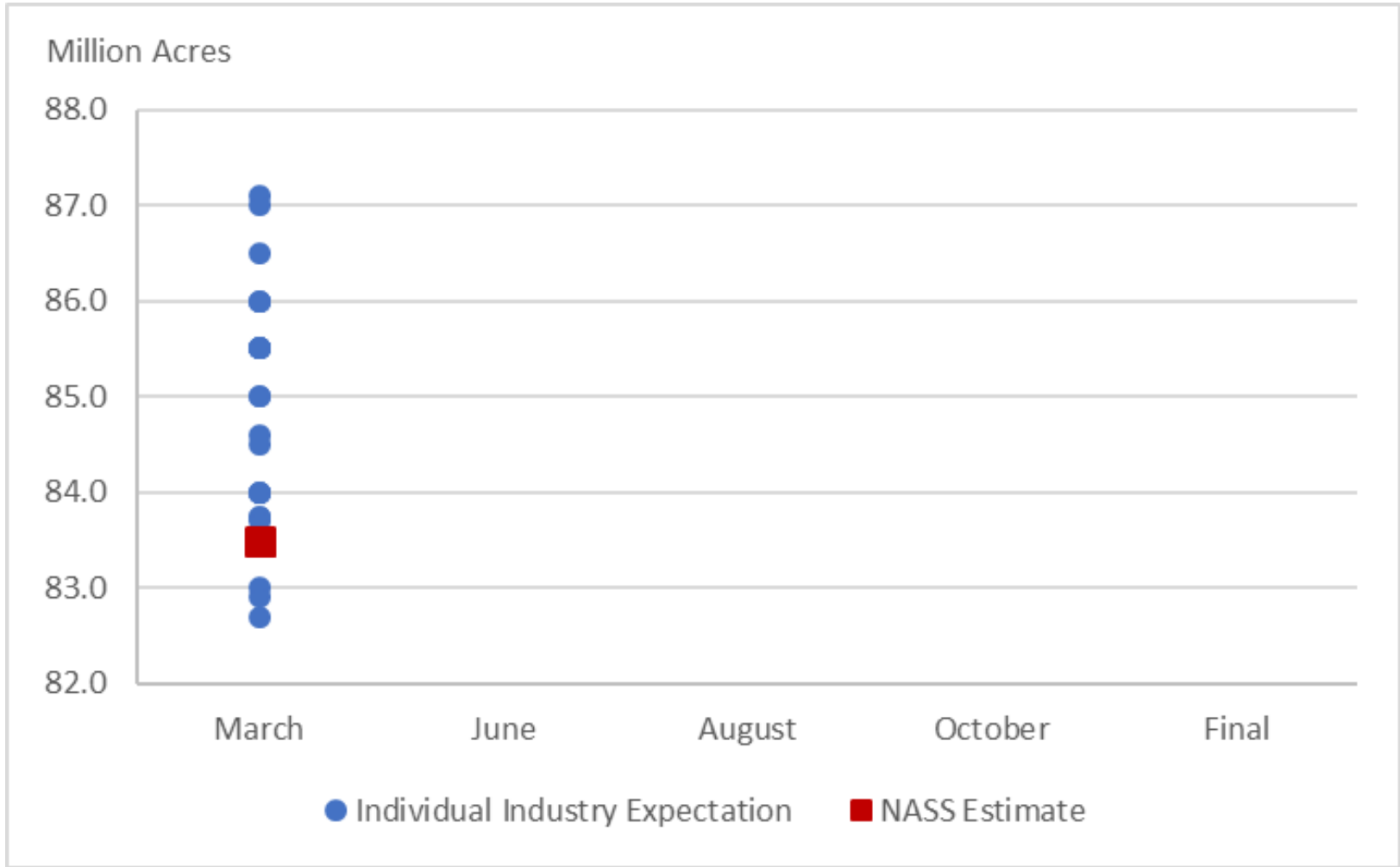
2020 Soybean Planted Area

(000) Acres and Percent Change from Previous Year



2020 United States Soybean Acres

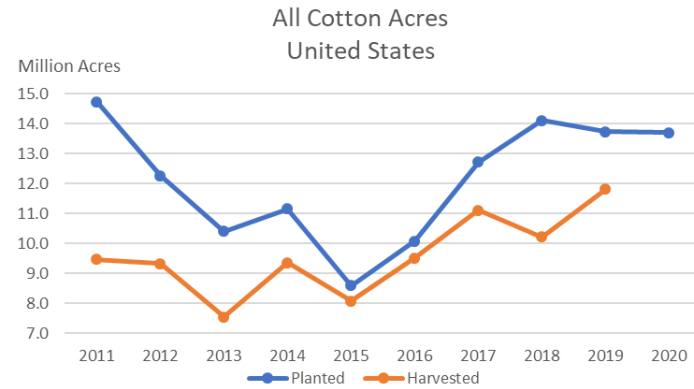
Industry Expectations vs NASS



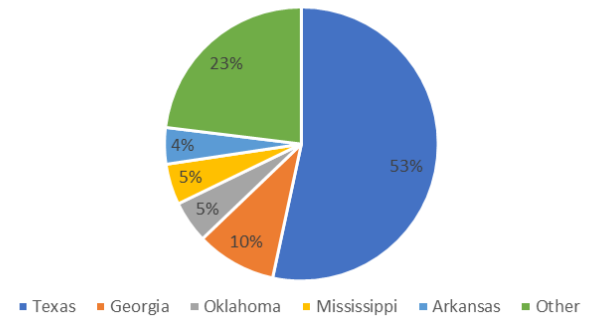
March 2020 Cotton Planted Acreage

	Planted (1,000 Acres)
United States	13,703
% Change from Previous Forecast	N/A
% Change from Previous Season	0.3 ↓
	Top 5 States
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
Texas	7,313 ↑
Georgia	1,300 ↓
Oklahoma	680 ↑
Mississippi	660 ↓
Arkansas	590 ↓

↑ ↓ change from 2019

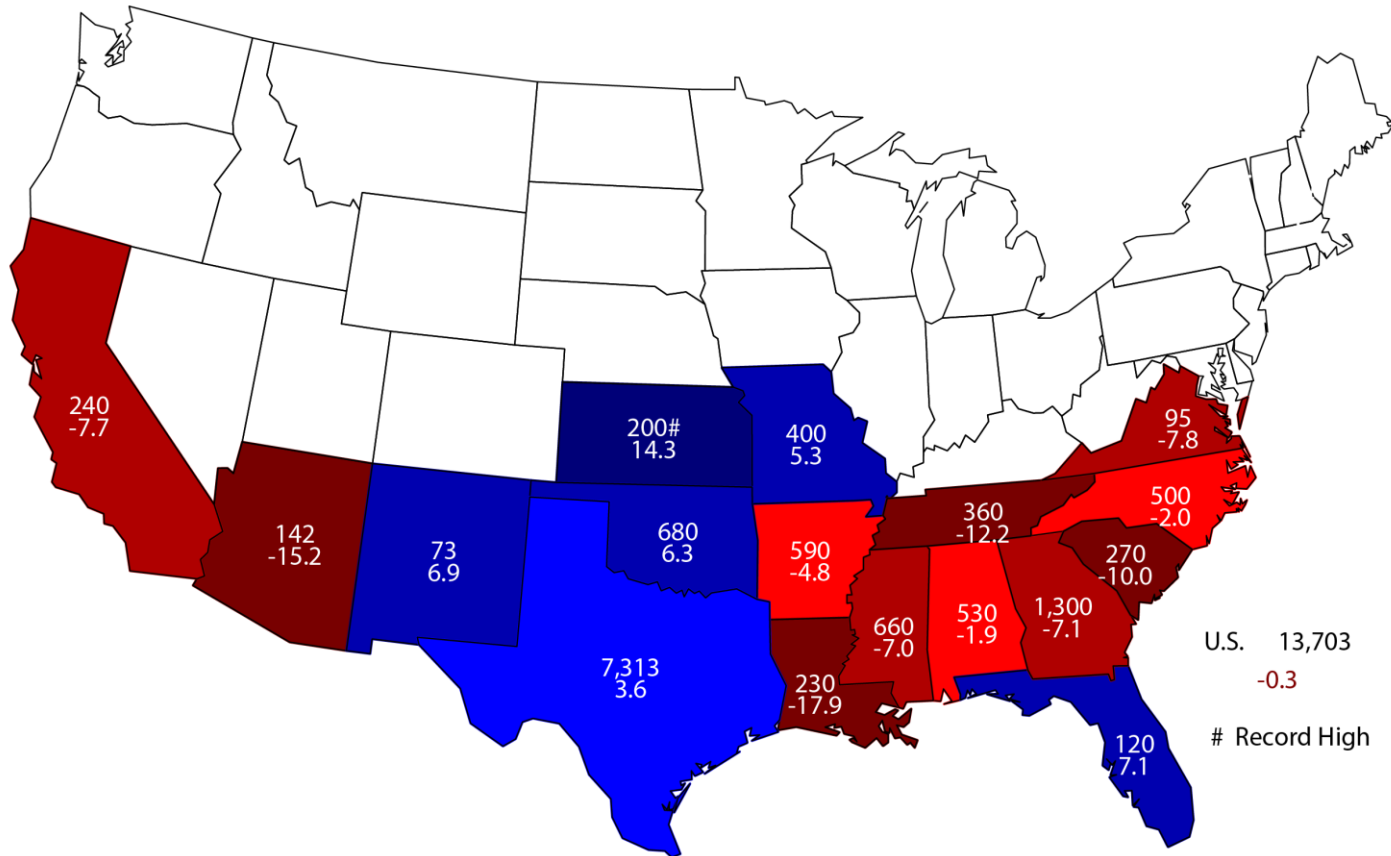


2020 All Cotton Planted Acres
By State



2020 Cotton Planted Area

(000) Acres and Percent Change from Previous Year



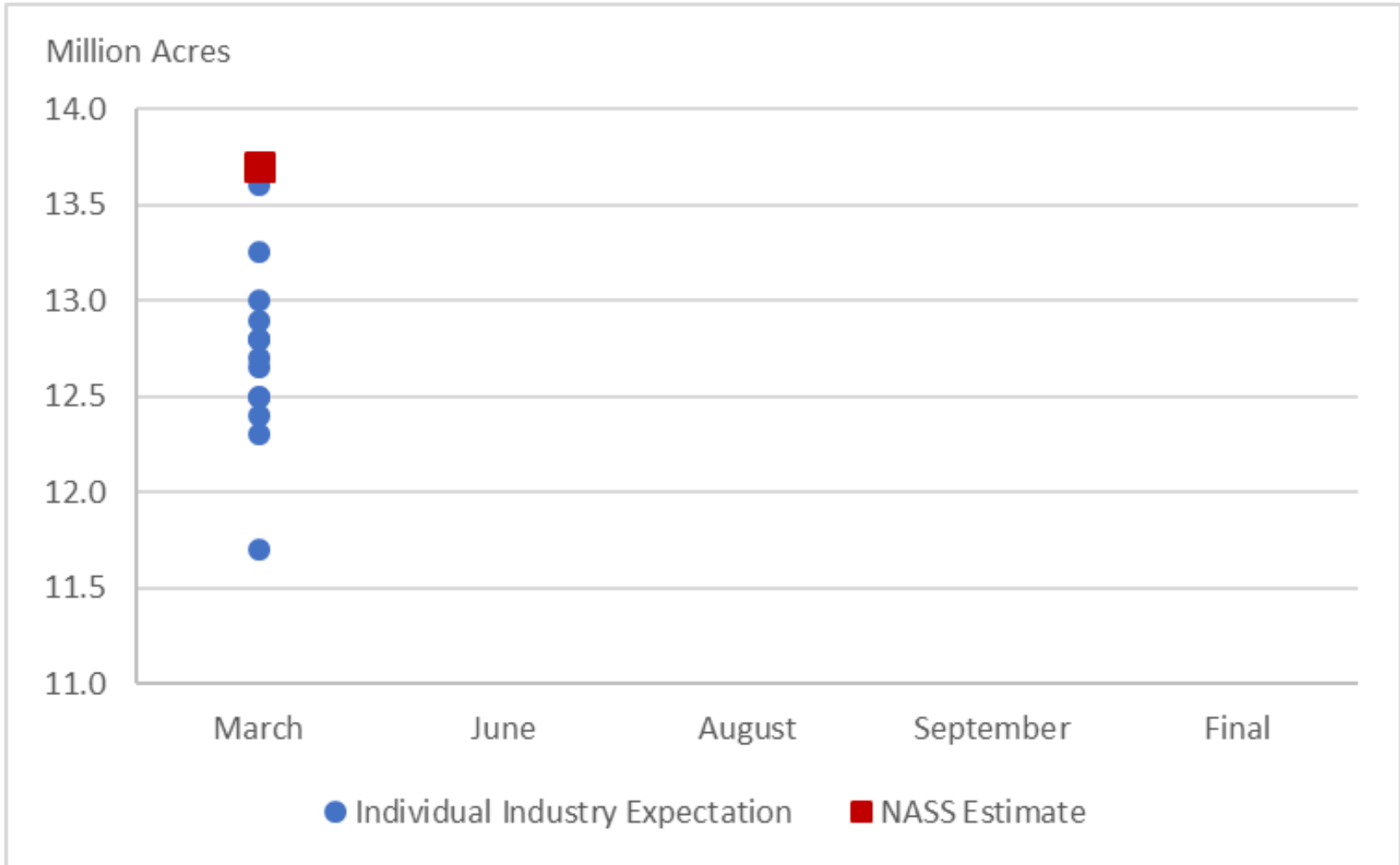
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Down 0.1-5
Up ≥ 10

2020 United States Cotton Acres

Industry Expectations vs NASS



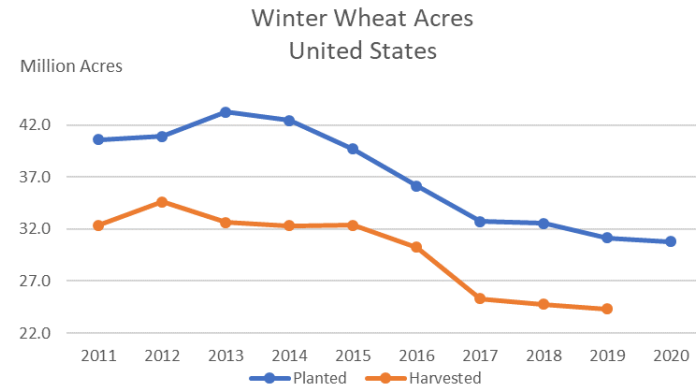


March 2020 Winter Wheat Planted Acreage

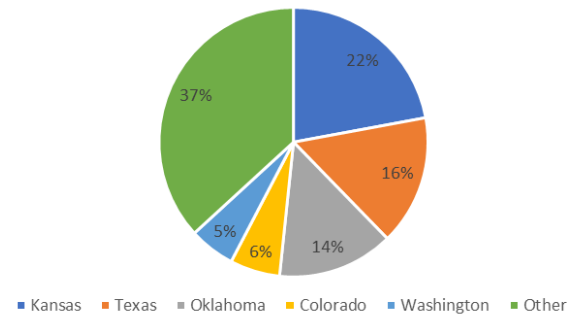


	Planted (1,000 Acres)
United States	30,775
% Change from Previous Forecast	0.1 ↓
% Change from Previous Season	1.2 ↓
	Top 5 States
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
Kansas	6,800 ↓
Texas	4,800 ↑
Oklahoma	4,300 ↑
Colorado	1,850 ↓
Washington	1,700 ↓

↑ ↓ change from 2019

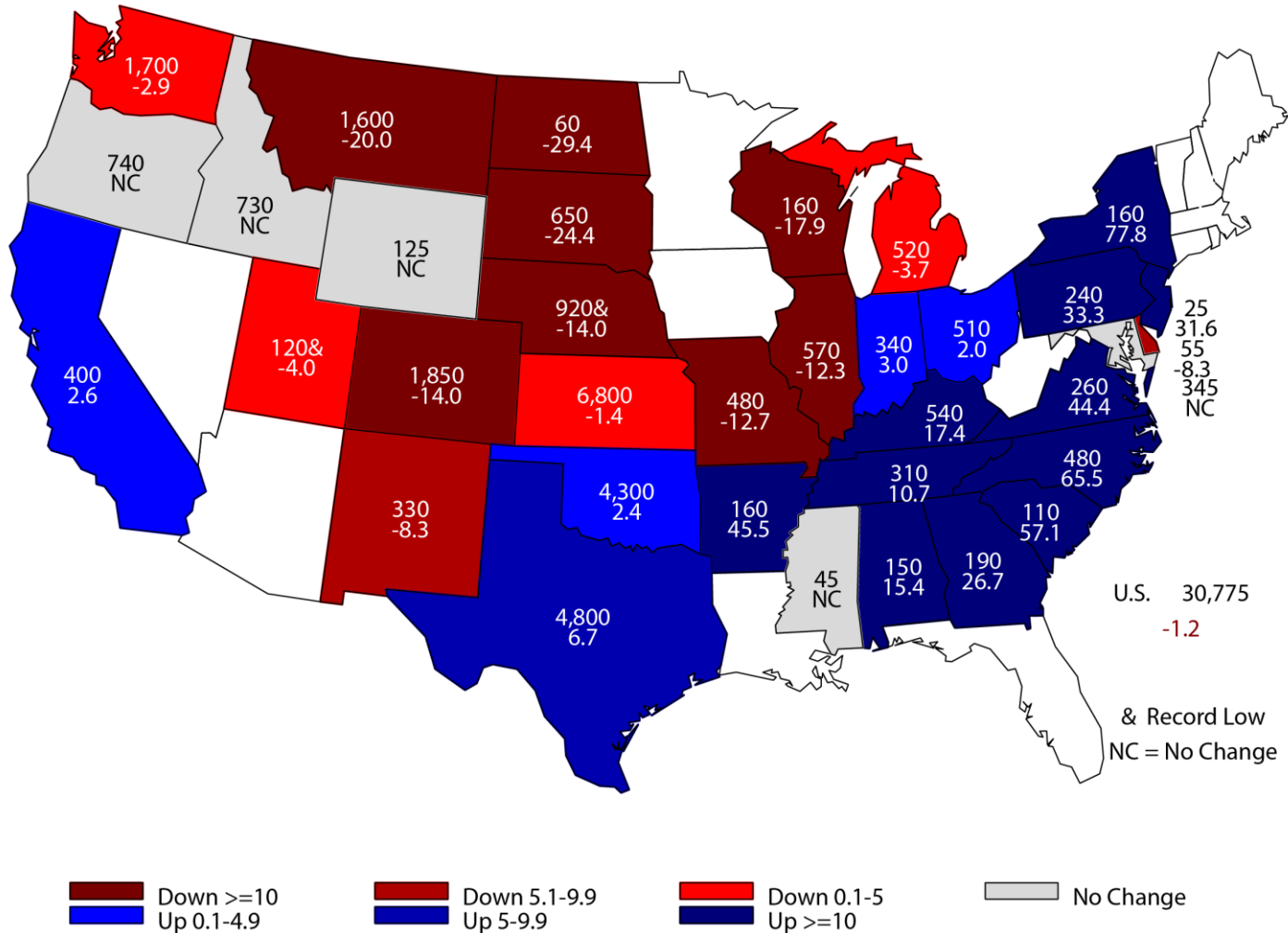


2020 Winter Wheat Planted Acres
By State



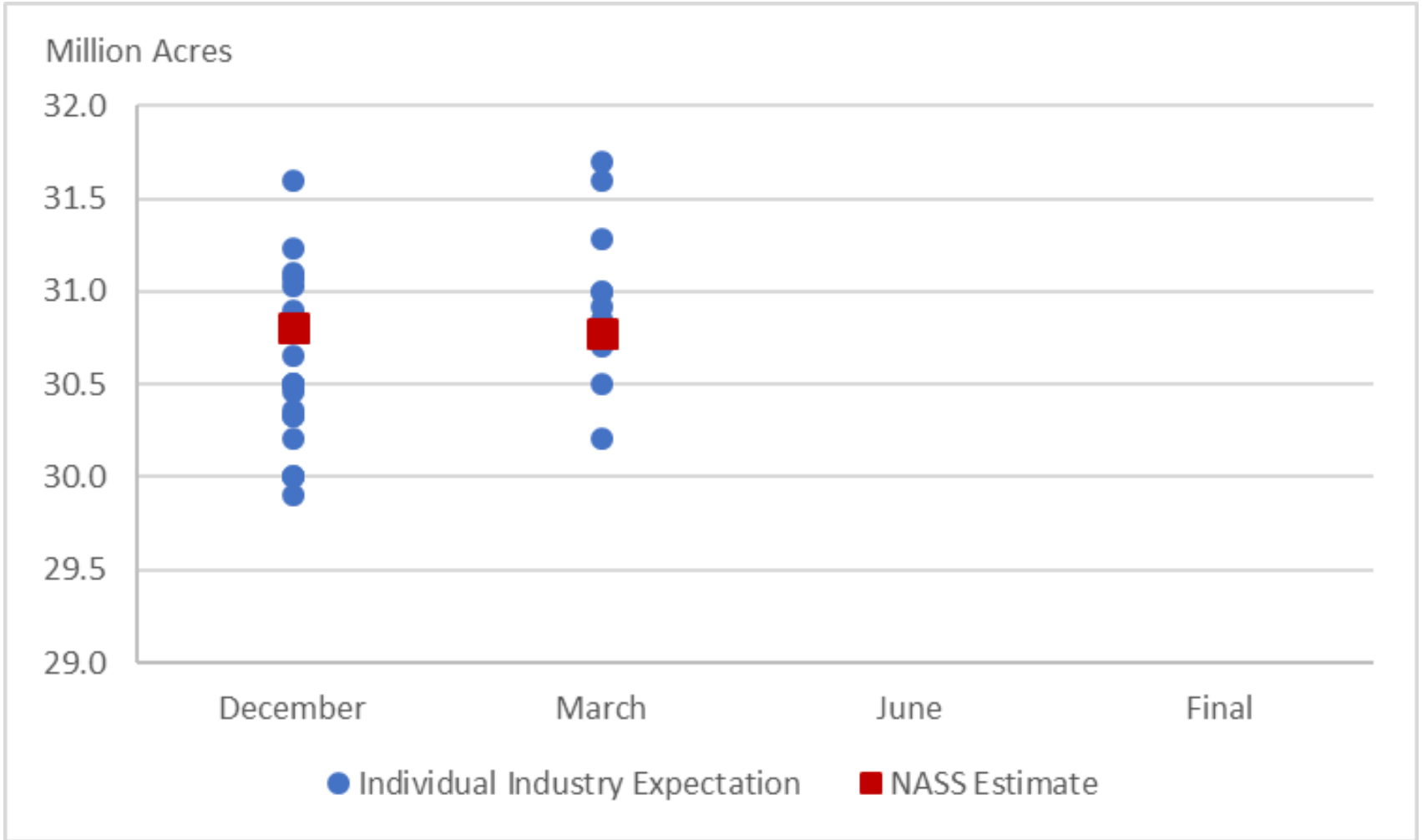
2020 Winter Wheat Planted Area

(000) Acres and Percent Change from Previous Year



2020 United States Winter Wheat Acres

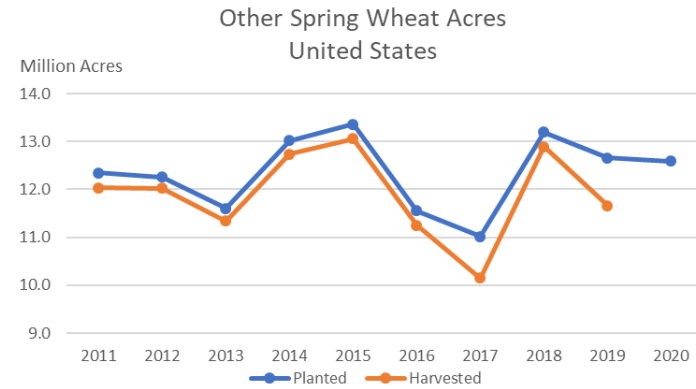
Industry Expectations vs NASS



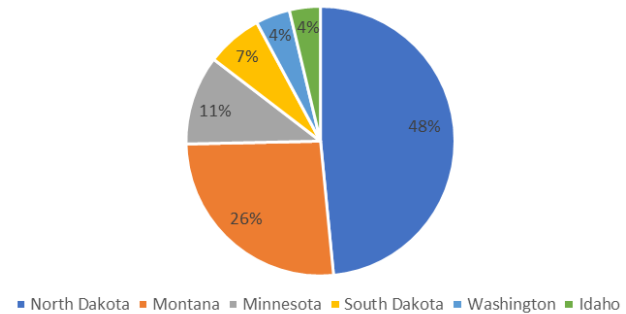
March 2020 Other Spring Wheat Planted Acreage

	Planted (1,000 Acres)
United States	12,590
% Change from Previous Forecast	N/A
% Change from Previous Season	0.6 ↓
Top 5 States	
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
North Dakota	6,100 ↓
Montana	3,300 ↑
Minnesota	1,350 ↓
South Dakota	850 ↑
Washington	520 ↑

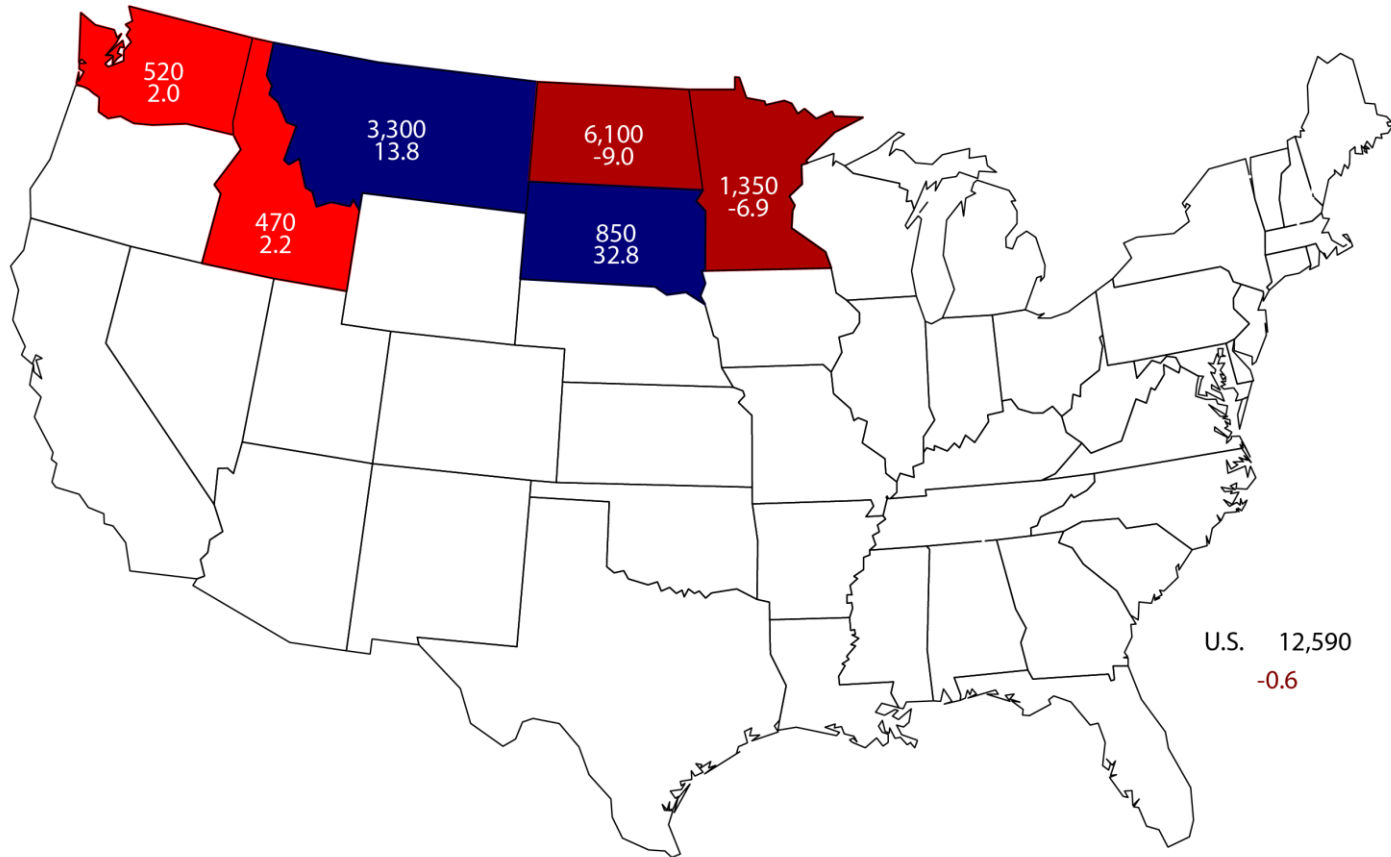
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2020 Other Spring Wheat Planted Acres
By State



2020 Other Spring Wheat Planted Area (000) Acres and Percent Change from Previous Year

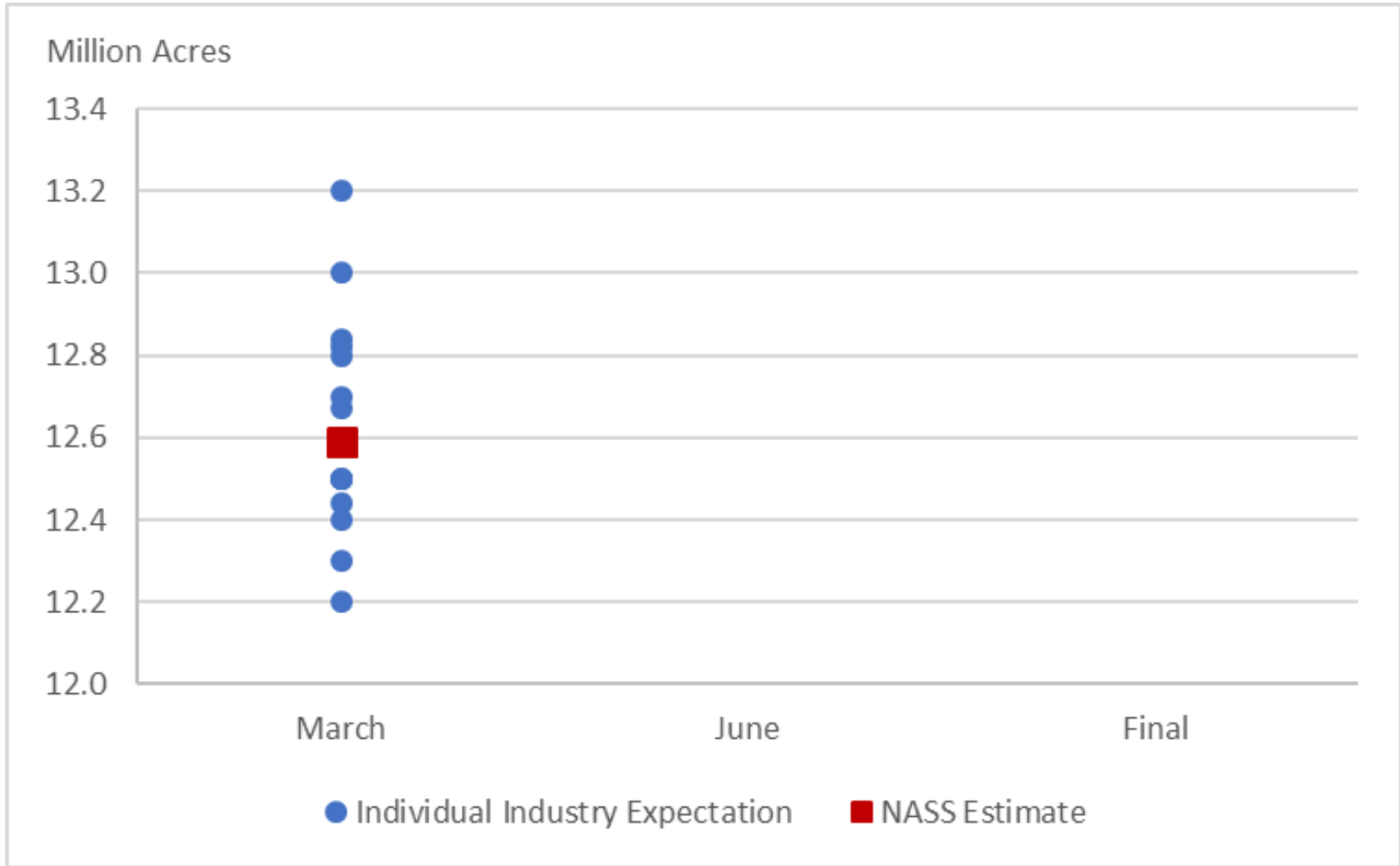


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2020 United States Other Spring Wheat Acres

Industry Expectations vs NASS



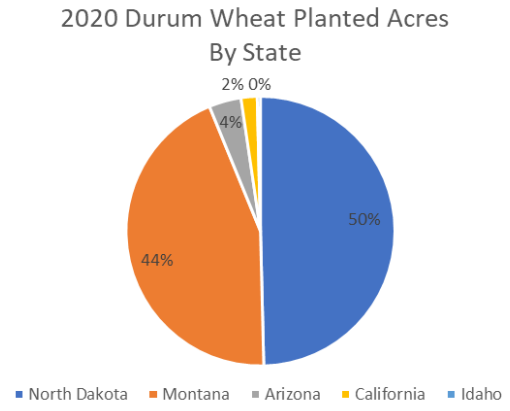
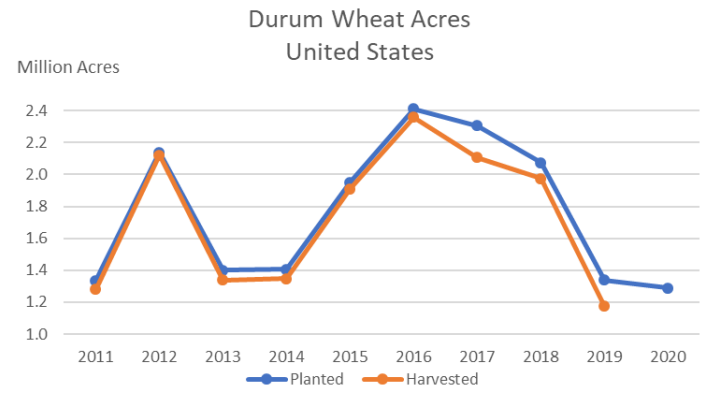


March 2020 Durum Wheat Planted Acreage

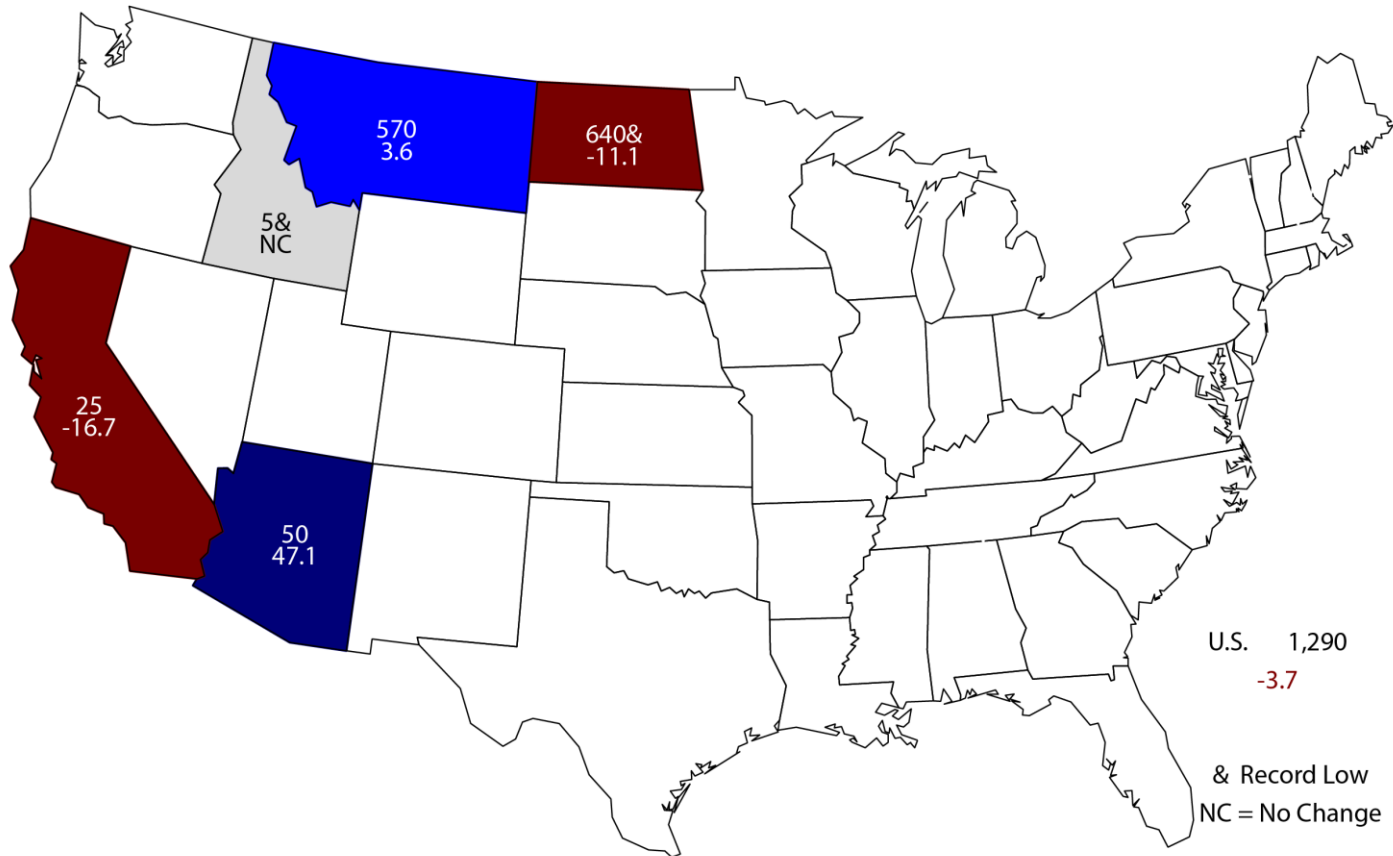


	Planted (1,000 Acres)
United States	1,290
% Change from Previous Forecast	N/A
% Change from Previous Season	3.7 ↓
Top 5 States	
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
North Dakota	640 ↓
Montana	570 ↑
Arizona	50 ↑
California	25 ↓
Idaho	5 NC

↑ ↓ change from 2019



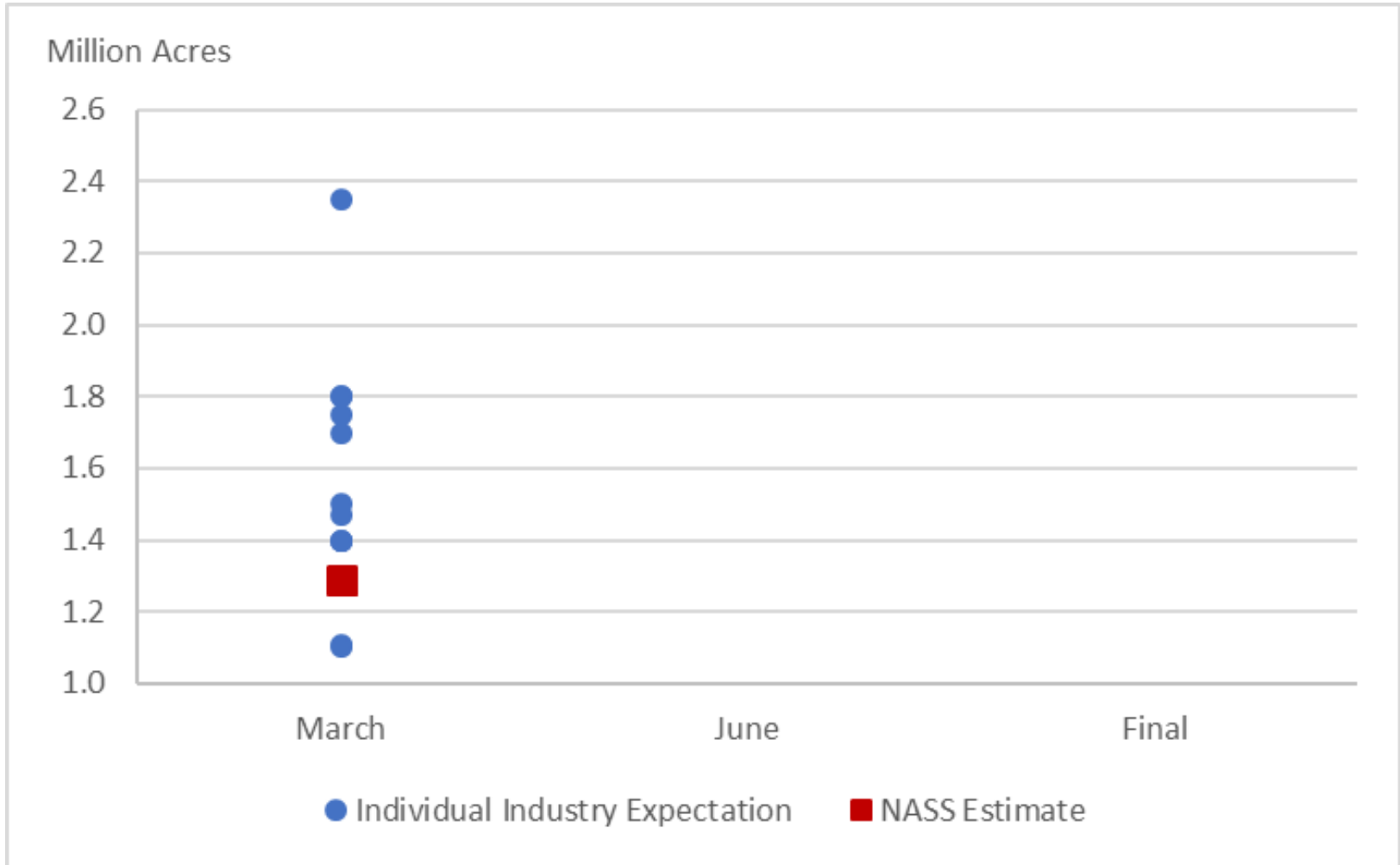
2020 Durum Wheat Planted Area (000) Acres and Percent Change from Previous Year



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 ■ Up 0.1-4.9
 ■ Up ≥ 10

2020 United States Durum Wheat Acres

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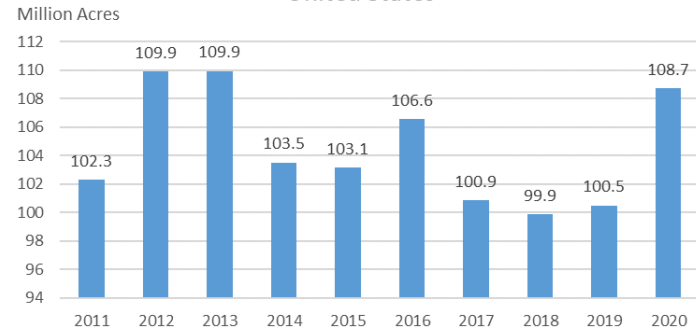


March 2020 Feed Grains & Food Grains Planted Acreage

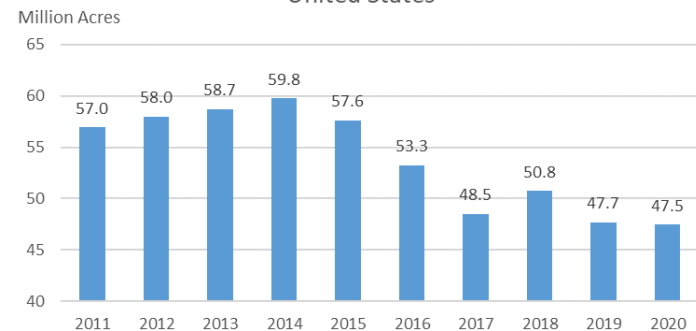
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
Feed Grains	
Barley	2,921 ↑
Corn	96,990 ↑
Oats	3,012 ↑
Sorghum	5,820 ↑
Food Grains	
Rice	2,847 ↑
Wheat, All	44,655 ↓
Wheat, Durum	1,290 ↓
Wheat, Other Spring	12,590 ↓
Wheat, Winter	30,775 ↓

↑ ↓ change from 2019

Feed Grain Planted Acres (000)
United States



Food Grain Planted Acres (000)
United States



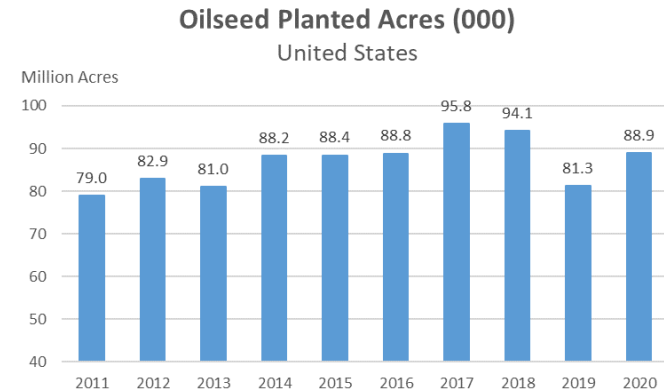


March 2020 Oilseeds & Other Crops Planted Acreage



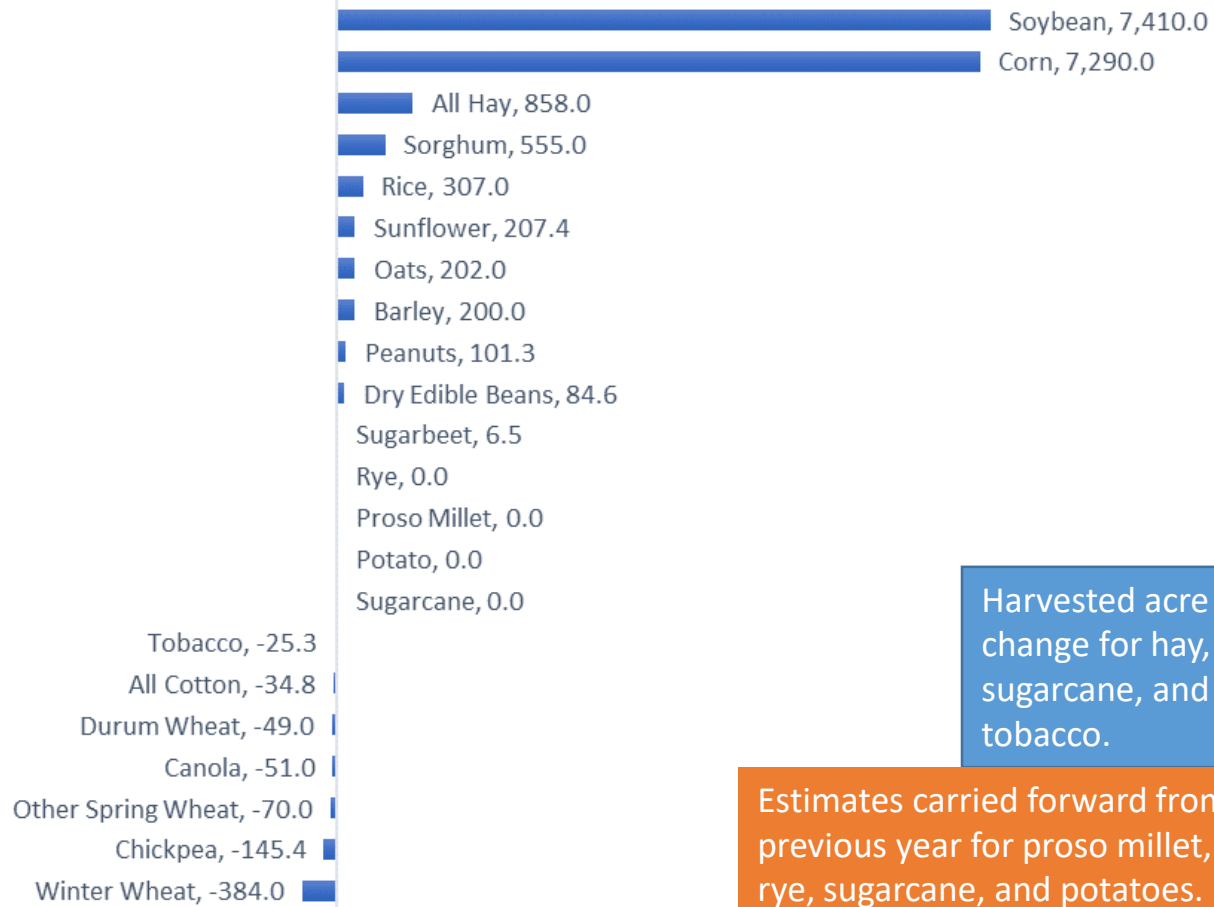
	Planted (1,000 Acres)
Oilseeds	
Canola	1,989 ↓
Flaxseed	270 ↓
Peanuts	1,529 ↑
Soybeans	83,510 ↑
Sunflower	1,558 ↑
Other Crops	
Chickpeas	306 ↓
Cotton, All	13,703 ↓
Dry Edible Beans	1,372 ↑
Dry Edible Peas	971 ↓
Hay, All (Harvested)	53,283 ↑
Lentils	474 ↓
Sugarbeets	1,139 ↑
Tobacco (Harvested)	202 ↓

↑ ↓ change from 2019





2020 Principal Crops Planted Acre (000) Change from 2019



March 2020 Corn Stocks

United States
% Change from Previous Season

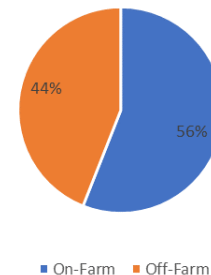
March 1 Total (1,000 Bu)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Bu)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Bu)
7,952,508	4,454,000	3,498,508
7.7 ↓	13.2 ↓	0.5 ↑

Top 5 States - by Total Stocks

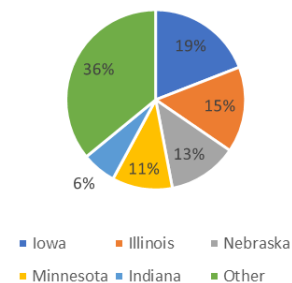
	March 1 Total (1,000 Bu)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Bu)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Bu)
Iowa	1,519,109 ↓	890,000 ↓	629,109 ↑
Illinois	1,226,078 ↓	530,000 ↓	696,078 ↓
Nebraska	993,613 ↓	570,000 ↓	423,613 ↑
Minnesota	866,622 ↓	630,000 ↓	236,622 ↑
Indiana	491,374 ↓	280,000 ↓	211,374 ↓

↑ ↓ change from 2019

March 1, 2020 Corn Stocks By Position



March 1, 2020 Corn Stocks By State

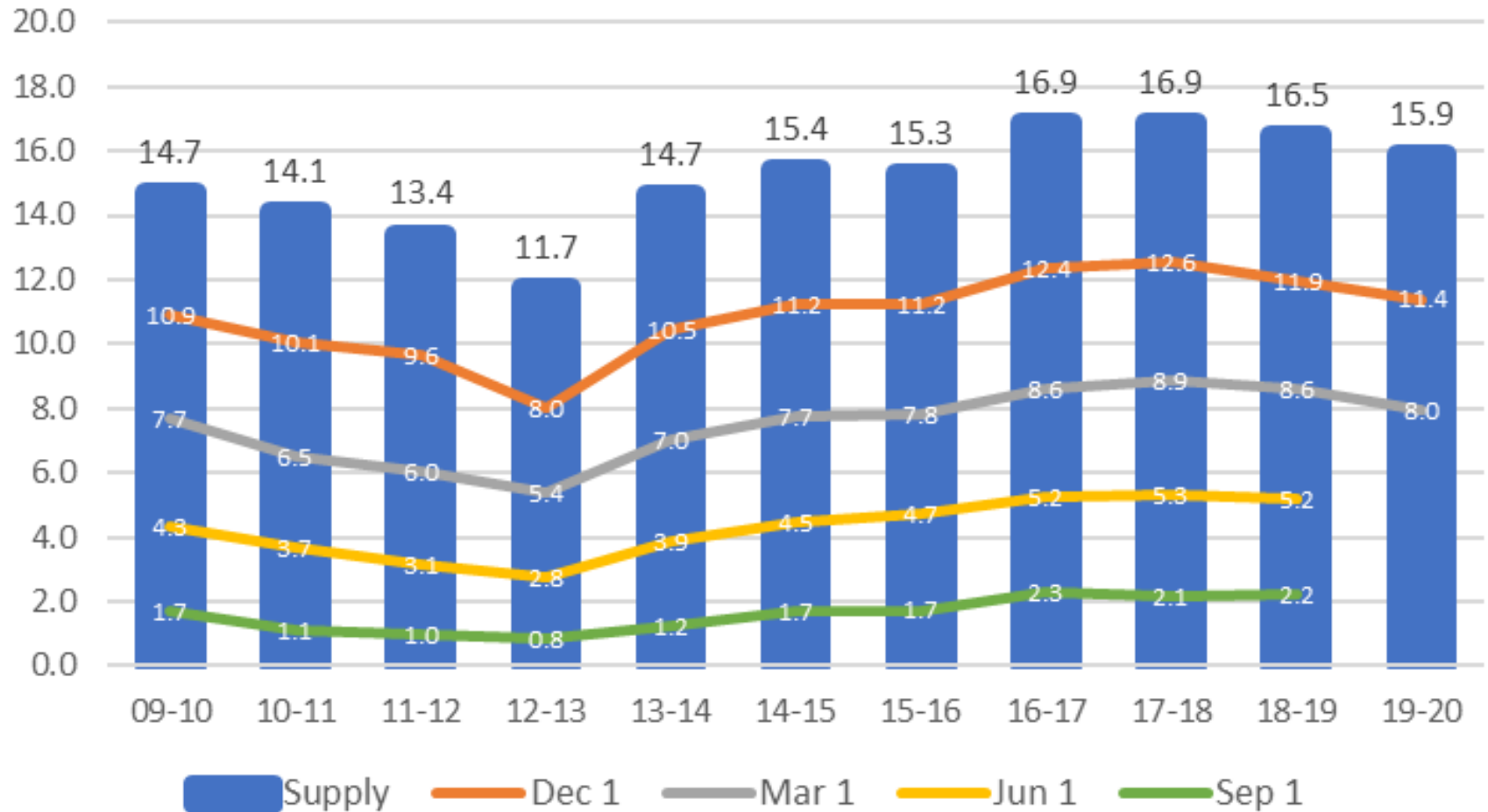




March 2020 Corn Stocks United States



Billion Bushels



2020 United States Corn Stocks

Industry Expectations vs NASS

Billion Bushels



● Individual Industry Expectation ■ NASS Estimate



March 2020 Soybean Stocks

United States
% Change from Previous Season

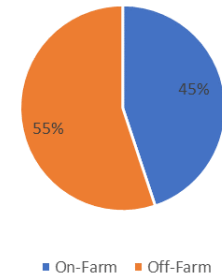
March 1 Total (1,000 Bu)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Bu)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Bu)
2,253,277	1,011,500	1,241,777
17.4 ↓	20.4 ↓	14.8 ↓

Top 5 States - by Total Stocks

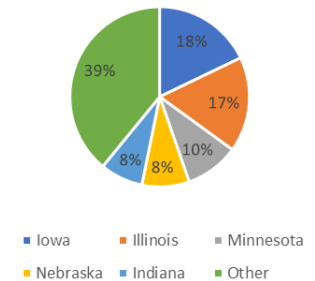
	March 1 Total (1,000 Bu)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Bu)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Bu)
Iowa	403,049 ↓	185,000 ↓	218,049 ↓
Illinois	385,384 ↓	155,000 ↓	230,384 ↓
Minnesota	218,340 ↓	125,000 ↓	93,340 ↓
Nebraska	191,986 ↓	56,000 ↓	135,986 ↓
Indiana	174,295 ↓	91,000 ↓	83,295 ↓

↑ ↓ change from 2019

March 1, 2020 Soybean Stocks By Position



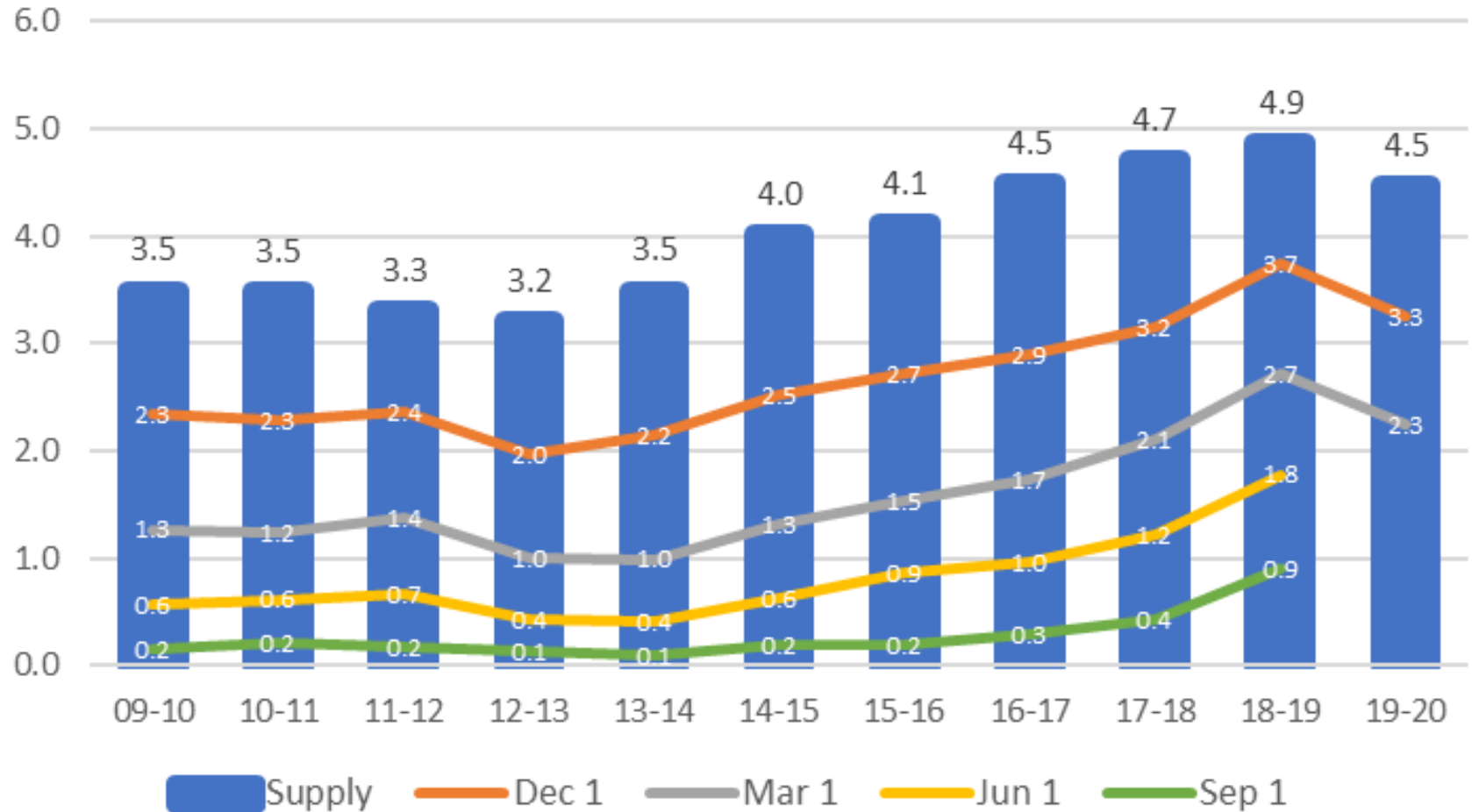
March 1, 2020 Soybean Stocks By State



March 2020 Soybean Stocks

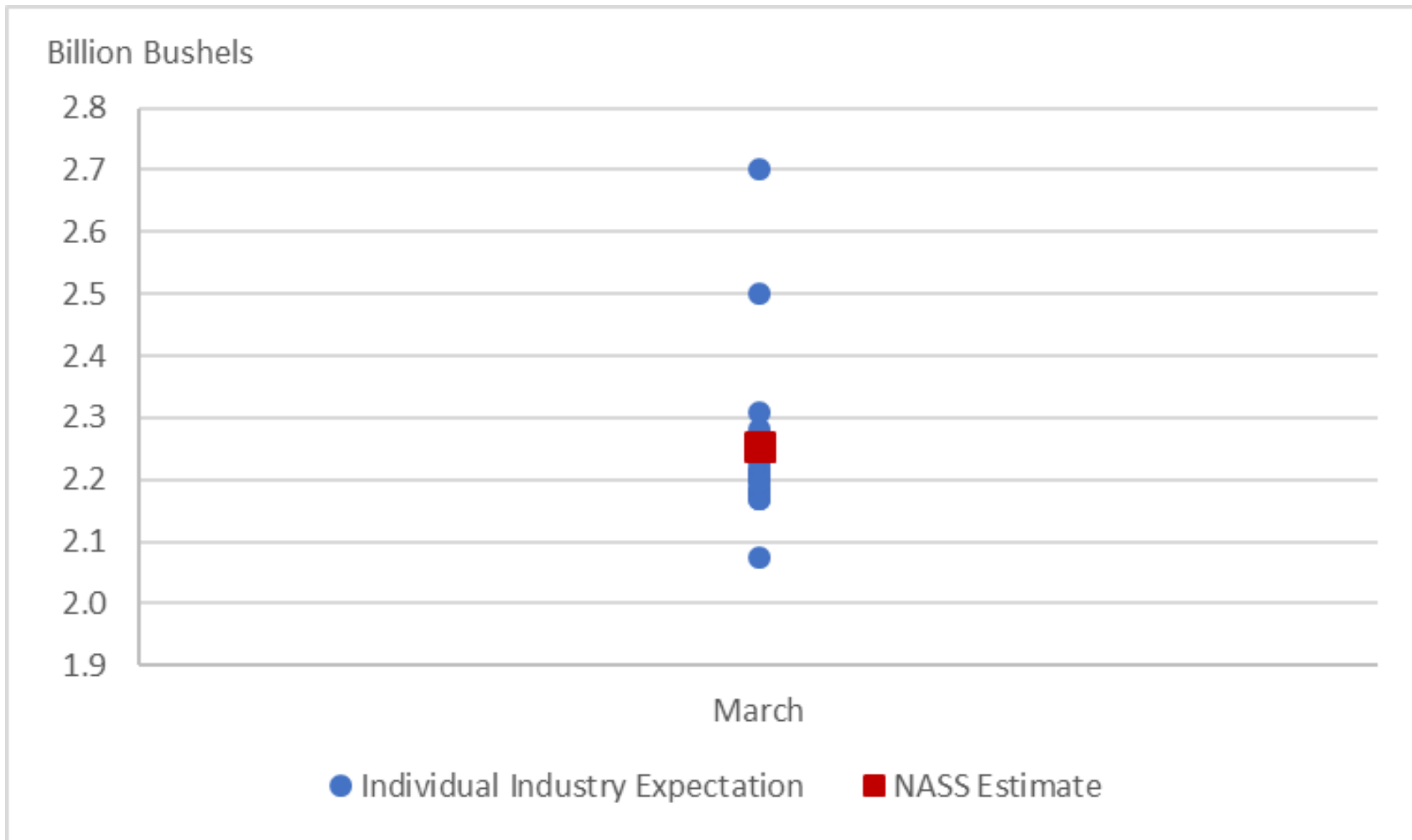
United States

Billion Bushels



2020 United States Soybean Stocks

Industry Expectations vs NASS



March 2020 All Wheat Stocks

United States
% Change from Previous Season

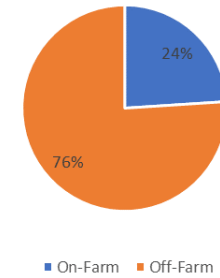
March 1 Total (1,000 Bu)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Bu)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Bu)
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Top 5 States - by Total Stocks

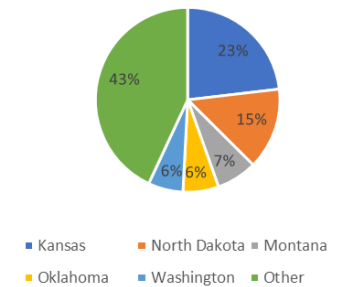
	March 1 Total (1,000 Bu)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Bu)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Bu)
Kansas	326,839 ↓	12,500 ↑	314,339 ↓
North Dakota	202,145 ↓	130,000 ↓	72,145 ↓
Montana	100,681 ↑	66,000 ↓	34,681 ↑
Oklahoma	88,275 ↓	1,800 ↓	86,475 ↓
Washington	86,414 ↓	8,900 ↑	77,514 ↓

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March 1, 2020 Wheat, All Stocks By Position

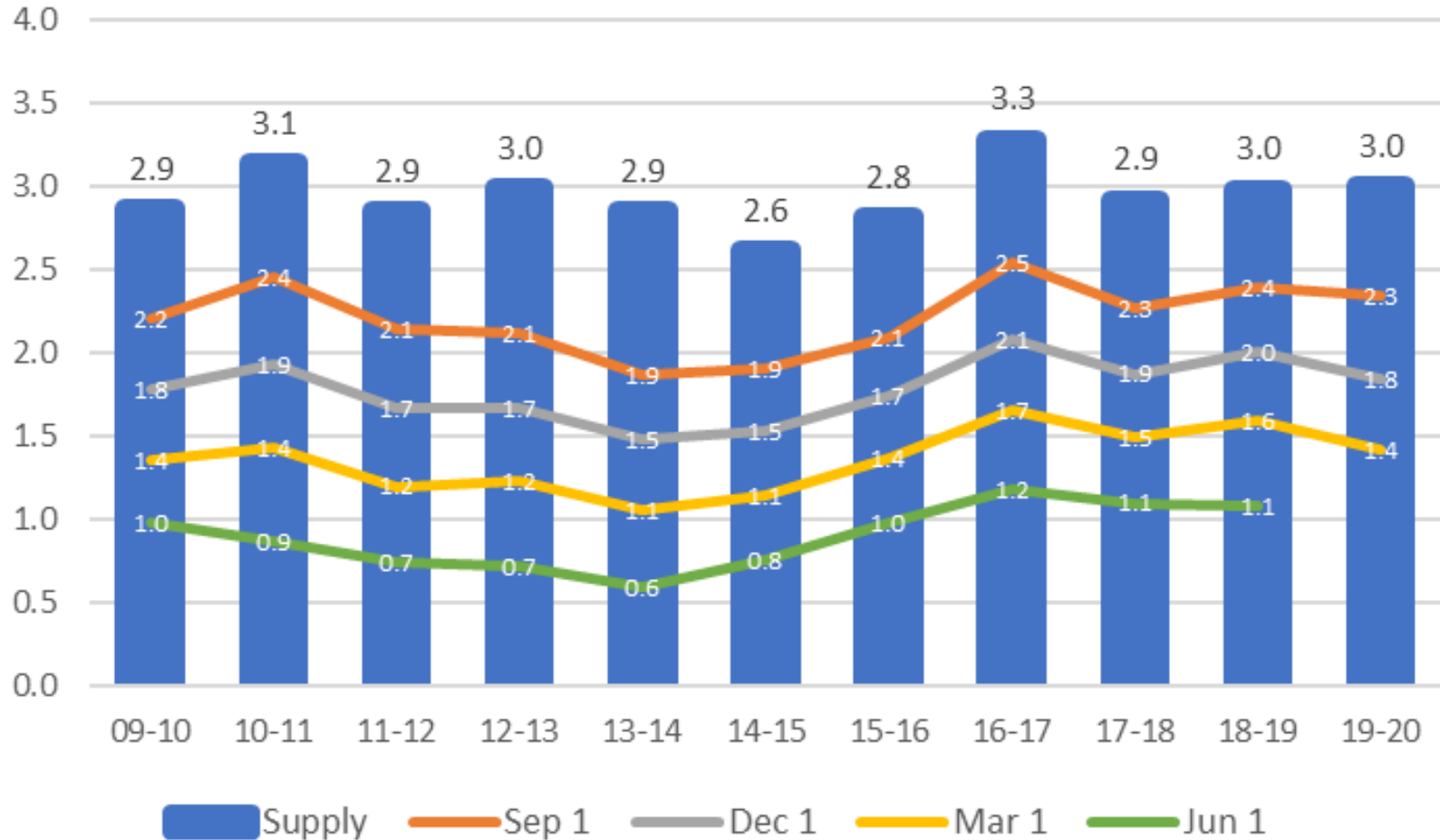


March 1, 2020 Wheat, All Stocks By State



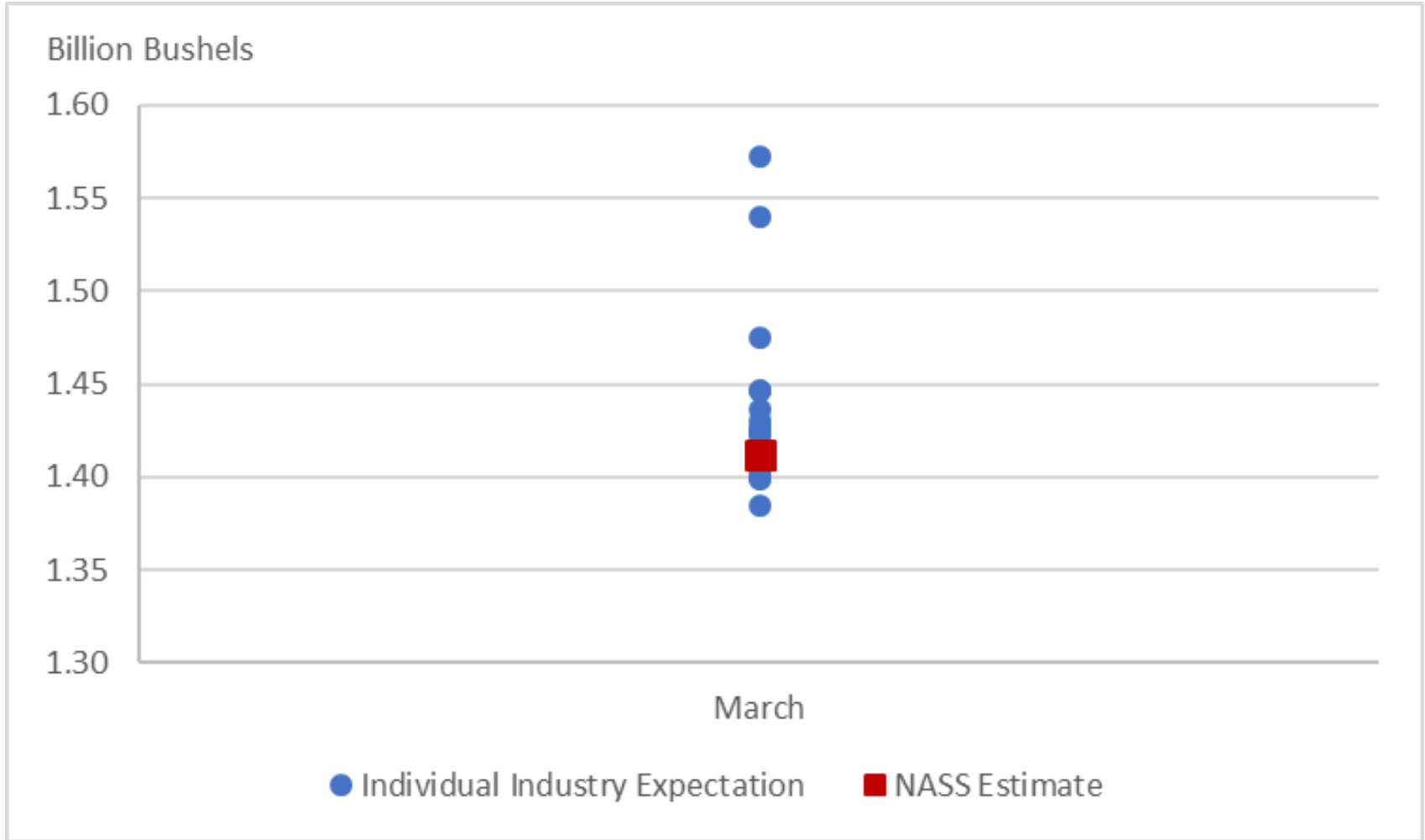
March 2020 All Wheat Stocks United States

Billion Bushels



2020 United States All Wheat Stocks

Industry Expectations vs NASS



March 2020 Rough Rice Stocks

United States
% Change from Previous Season

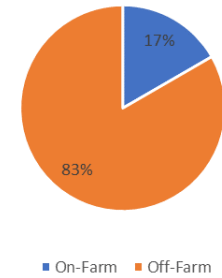
March 1 Total (1,000 Cwt)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Cwt)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Cwt)
86,145	14,370	71,775
17.0 ↓	38.3 ↓	10.9 ↓

Top 5 States - by Total Stocks

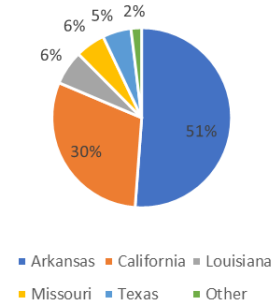
	March 1 Total (1,000 Cwt)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Cwt)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Cwt)
Arkansas	44,091 ↓	8,500 ↓	35,591 ↓
California	25,990 ↓	1,790 ↓	24,200 ↓
Louisiana	5,330 ↓	1,250 ↓	4,080 ↓
Missouri	4,636 ↓	(D)	(D)
Texas	4,445 ↓	(D)	(D)

↑ ↓ change from 2019

March 1, 2020 Rice Stocks By Position

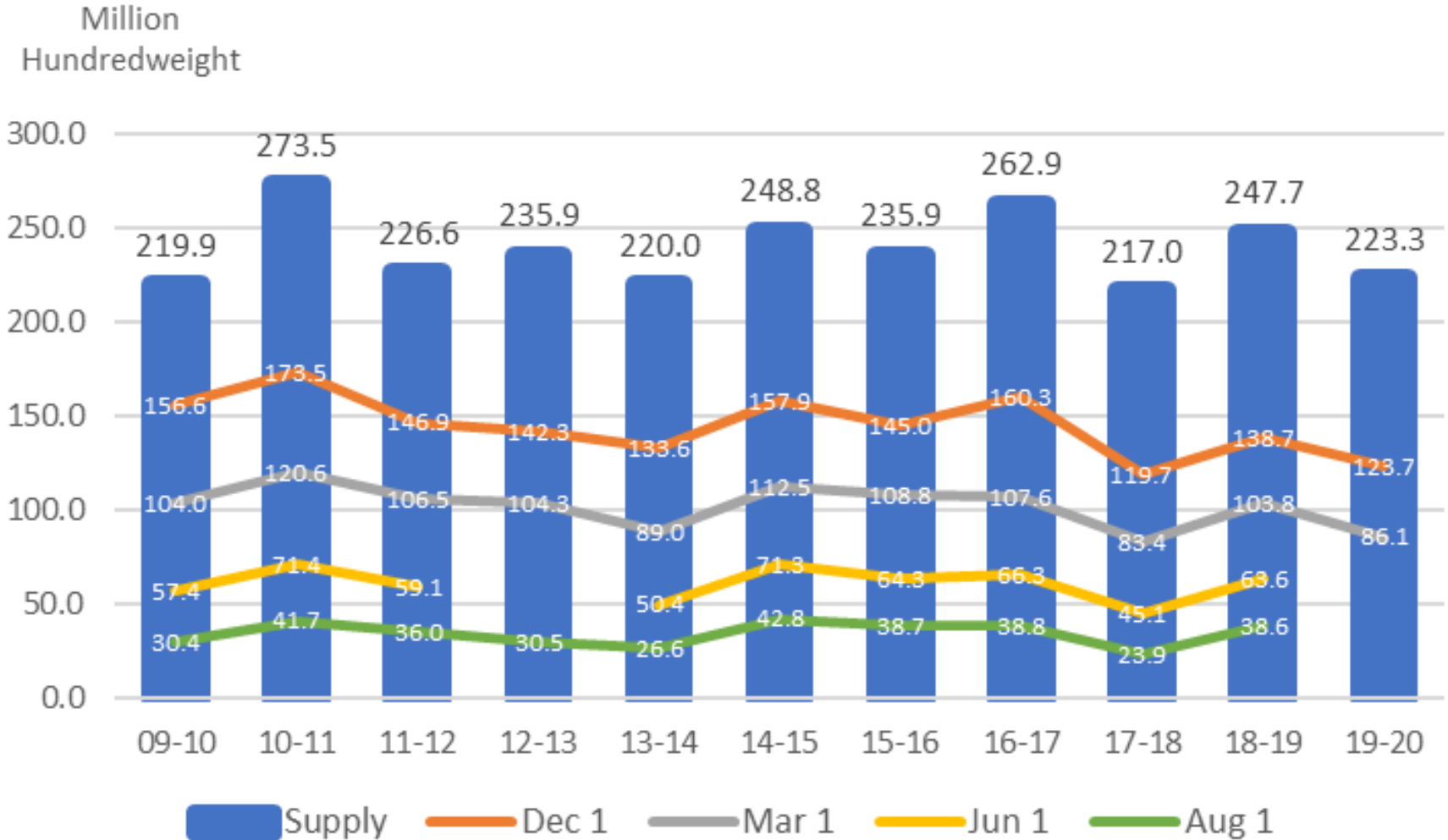


March 1, 2020 Rice Stocks By State



March 2020 Rough Rice Stocks

United States





March 2020 Stocks



	Unit	March 1 Total (1,000 Units)	March 1 On-Farm (1,000 Units)	March 1 Off-Farm (1,000 Units)
Barley	Bushels	115,312	51,580	63,732
% Change from Previous Year		5.0 ↓	11.7 ↑	15.3 ↓
Corn	Bushels	7,952,508	4,454,000	3,498,508
% Change from Previous Year		7.7 ↓	13.2 ↓	0.5 ↑
Oats	Bushels	47,148	16,970	30,178
% Change from Previous Year		6.2 ↓	6.0 ↓	6.4 ↓
Rough Rice	Hundredweight	86,145	14,370	71,775
% Change from Previous Year		17.0 ↓	38.3 ↓	10.9 ↓
Sorghum	Bushels	165,895	17,220	148,675
% Change from Previous Year		13.9 ↓	31.1 ↓	11.4 ↓
Soybeans	Bushels	2,253,277	1,011,500	1,241,777
% Change from Previous Year		17.4 ↓	20.4 ↓	14.8 ↓
Sunflower	Pounds	767,582	323,340	444,242
% Change from Previous Year		7.7 ↓	5.8 ↓	9.0 ↓
Wheat, All	Bushels	1,412,367	338,690	1,073,677
% Change from Previous Year		11.3 ↓	7.9 ↓	12.4 ↓

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Upcoming Reports



April 1

Report Title
CAIR: Cotton System
CAIR: Fats & Oils
CAIR: Grain Crushings
Crop Progress

April 9

Crop Production

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Crop Production Historical Track Records
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Cattle on Feed

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Agricultural Prices

2020 Agricultural Statistics Board Calendar

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