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# 2024 Guide to **PRODUCTS** and **SERVICES**



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# Fact Finders for Agriculture

## Our Mission...

**to provide timely, accurate, and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.**

Agricultural producers, farm organizations, policymakers, community groups, researchers, government agencies, agribusinesses, and a host of related industries all need consistent, reliable data on U.S. agriculture. The National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) conducts hundreds of surveys each year and prepares reports on virtually every aspect of U.S. agriculture. Every five years NASS also conducts a detailed census of every farm and agricultural producer in the country.

## Data Collection and Reporting

As the statistical agency for the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), NASS is the official source of comprehensive, current information on the farms, ranches, and people who provide food, feed, and fiber to our nation and the world. NASS collects data and reports on agricultural production and inventories, the prices farmers pay and receive, farm labor and wages, farm income and finances, kinds and amounts of chemicals used, and rural development, among many other topics.

## NASS Counts...

**the farms and people who feed our nation and the world.**

## Surveys, Estimates, and Forecasts

Every year, NASS conducts hundreds of surveys using a statistically valid sample of the target population. In these surveys, NASS collects information from a cross-section of a specific group (corn growers, feedlot managers, dairy producers, etc.). Depending upon the crop, livestock, or topic of concern, surveys vary in size (from a few hundred to tens of thousands), frequency (weekly, monthly, quarterly, or annually), and coverage (the number of states involved).

After the data are collected, statisticians analyze the information to prepare estimates and forecasts. At NASS, an estimate is a determination of size or value and refers to what has already occurred, such as last year's wheat harvest or cattle inventory. A forecast is an approximation of what may occur by the end of the season, such as average corn yield or total production for the current harvest year.



## NASS Data Serve...

**farmers, ranchers, and others concerned about agriculture.**

Farmers, ranchers, policymakers, community planners, agribusinesses, researchers, USDA, and other federal and state government agencies use NASS data for planning, market assessment, decision making, and ongoing research.

High-quality statistical information is essential to those involved in agriculture. But it is equally essential to directly and indirectly related industries, services, programs, and economic sectors. Good data provide an understanding of current conditions as well as future trends and possibilities. In addition to creating an accurate, up-to-date picture of U.S. agriculture, the information NASS provides contributes to a stable economic climate and reduces risk. By being equally available to all users, NASS data help to level the playing field.

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## NASS Protects...

**your privacy and your data.**

A number is only as good as the reputation of the organization that stands behind it. NASS realizes the importance of providing timely and reliable data, remaining free from political influence, and refraining from policy advocacy. We are committed to preserving a relationship of mutual respect and trust with those who supply and those who use the information we collect and provide. We go to great lengths to ensure the data remain both confidential and secure.

### Confidentiality

NASS is required by law to keep every survey respondent's information confidential. This includes names, addresses, personal identifiers, and reported data. Only authorized persons working for or on behalf of NASS can access individual data records and only for approved official purposes. Anyone who discloses the information is subject to a fine, a jail term, or both.

### Security

Another top priority at NASS is data security during data collection and report preparation. NASS prepares reports under tight security until they are publicly released at preannounced dates and times. Market-sensitive reports in particular are protected through an elaborate set of physical and electronic security measures—called Lockup—to ensure no one has access to the information before anyone else. Not even the Secretary of Agriculture knows a report's contents until he enters the Lockup area to sign the report just prior to release.





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### 2024 Agricultural Statistics Briefing Livestream Schedule

January 12	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EST
January 31	Cattle 3:05 p.m. EST
February 8	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EST
March 8	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EST
March 28	Prospective Plantings 12:05 p.m. EDT
March 28	Hogs and Pigs 3:05 p.m. EDT
April 11	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
May 10	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
June 12	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
June 27	Hogs and Pigs 3:05 p.m. EDT
June 28	Acreage 12:05 p.m. EDT
July 12	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
July 19	Cattle 3:05 p.m. EDT
August 12	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
September 12	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
September 26	Hogs and Pigs 3:05 p.m. EDT
September 30	Small Grain Summary 12:05 p.m. EDT
October 11	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
November 8	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
December 10	Crop Production 12:05 p.m. EDT
December 23	Hogs and Pigs 3:05 p.m. EDT

# Data and Release Reference Guide

## Access to NASS Reports

For your convenience, you may access NASS reports and products the following ways:

- All reports are available electronically, at no cost, on the NASS web site: [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov).
- Both national and state specific reports are available via a free e-mail subscription. To set-up this free subscription, visit [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov) and click on “National” or “State” in upper right corner above “search” box to create an account and select the reports you would like to receive.
- Cornell’s Mann Library has launched a new website housing NASS’s and other agency’s archived reports. The new website, <https://usda.library.cornell.edu>. All email subscriptions containing reports will be sent from the new website, <https://usda.library.cornell.edu>. To continue receiving the reports via e-mail, you will have to go to the new website, create a new account and re-subscribe to the reports. If you need instructions to set up an account or subscribe, they are located at: <https://usda.library.cornell.edu/help>. You should whitelist [notifications@usdaesmis.library.cornell.edu](mailto:notifications@usdaesmis.library.cornell.edu) in your email client to avoid the emails going into spam/junk folders.

For more information on NASS surveys and reports, call the NASS Agricultural Statistics Hotline at (800) 727-9540, 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET, or e-mail: [nass@usda.gov](mailto:nass@usda.gov).



## Agricultural Chemicals and Pest Management

### **2006 Agricultural Chemical Usage Dairy Cattle and Dairy Facilities.**

Summary of information on chemical applications to dairy cattle and associated cattle structures/facilities.

### **2023 Agricultural Chemical Usage Field Crops Summary**

**May 10.** Chemical application rates and acres treated for selected 2023 field crops in major producing States and pest management practices used.

### **2023 Agricultural Chemical Usage Fruit Summary**

**July 17.** Chemical application rates and acres treated for selected 2023 fruit crops in major producing States and pest management practices used on program acres.

### **2009-2010 Agricultural Chemical Usage Postharvest Summary, Wheat**

Pesticide application rates and quantity of postharvest wheat treated plus data on application methods and timing of applications for major producing States. Includes data on pest management practices used on target operations.

### **2010 Agricultural Chemical Usage Sheep and Sheep Facilities.**

Summary of information on chemical applications to sheep and associated sheep structures/facilities.

### **2005 Agricultural Chemical Usage Swine and Swine**

**Facilities.** Summary of information on chemical applications to hogs and associated hog structures/facilities.

### **2022 Agricultural Chemical Use Vegetables Summary**

Chemical application rates and acres treated for selected 22 vegetables crops in major producing States and pest management practices used on program acres.

*Note: Agricultural Chemical Usage results are released through the Quick Stats database only. Pre-defined queries can be found at*

[www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide to NASS Surveys/Chemical Use/](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide%20to%20NASS%20Surveys/Chemical%20Use/)

## Aquaculture

### **Catfish Production** (*two issues*)

**February 9.** February's issue contains water area and grower inventory, sales numbers by size groups for major production States and United States.

**July 17.** July's issue contains water area and grower inventory.

### **Trout Production**

**February 26.** Grower sales, distributed trout and fish losses for major production States and United States.

**Survey Methodology and Quality Measures.** Refer to page 25, NASS Survey Methodology and Quality Measures, for information. Additional reference: Methodology and Quality Measures.

## Census of Agriculture

### **2022 Census of Agriculture**

**February 13.** The Census is the leading source of statistics about the Nation's agricultural production and the only source of consistent, comparable data at the county, State, and national levels. The Census is authorized by law under Title 7, U.S. code and is conducted in close cooperation with the Nation's agricultural user groups and farmer organizations.

The Census includes all places from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products, including government payments, were produced and sold, or normally would have been sold, during the census year.

Special Studies are conducted as follow-on programs to the Census of Agriculture. The follow-on programs include the Census of Aquaculture, Irrigation and Water Management Survey, Census of Horticultural Specialties, the Organic Production Survey, and the Local Food Marketing Practices Survey.

*Note: The Census is conducted every 5 years to obtain agricultural statistics for each county, state, and the Nation.*

## Census of Agriculture *continued*

### Volume 1, Geographic Area Series

#### United States, State and County Data

**February 22.** Separate State reports display statistics for the entire State and every county or equivalent. The United States Summary provides national data and selected data for each State. Data include number of farms; farm characteristics; livestock, poultry, and their products; crops; land use; irrigation; producer characteristics; ownership; income; production expenses; direct marketing; farm labor and migrant workers; agricultural activity on American Indian reservations; chemical use; computer use and more. Reports cover 2022, with comparative data for previous census years.

#### Appendix A. Census of Agriculture Methodology

Provides the methods used for the Census population, data collection, data processing, and disclosure review. Reliability tables are included.

#### 2022 Census of Puerto Rico

**July 18.**

**Outlying Areas.** American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and U.S. Virgin Islands.

### Volume 2, Subject Series

#### History

Provides a detailed report describing the planning and execution of the Census of Agriculture.

#### American Indian Reservations

**August 29.** Provides data that supplement the 2022 Census of Agriculture Volume 1. This publication presents selected operation and operator data for 73 American Indian Reservations. Data includes number of farms, land in farms market value of products, production practice and characteristics of the operation and producers.

#### Watershed Tabulations

**July 24.** Presents agricultural statistics by 6-digit Hydrological Unit Code for the contiguous 48 states, Alaska and Hawaii. The data tables show the number of farms, land in farms, cropland harvested, irrigated acres, acres treated with fertilizer, acres treated with chemicals, selected crop acreage, organic acreage and inventory of selected livestock.

#### Typology

The 2022 Census of Agriculture Farm Typology report provides data that supplement the 2022 census. Selected census statistics by typology categories that group farms with similar

(*Typology continued*)

characteristics are provided. It primarily focuses on the “family farm,” or any farm where the majority of the business is owned by the producer and individuals related to the producer, including relatives who do not live in the producer’s household.

#### Specialty Crop Tabulations

**December 2.** Presents agricultural statistics for specialty crops for all farms in the 50 states. Tables show production, demographic and economic data for farms producing specialty crops. Specialty crops are defined as fruits and vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, nursery crops (including floriculture) and maple syrup. Some USDA agencies do not consider maple syrup a specialty crop, so data are provided that include and exclude maple syrup to accommodate either definition.

#### Specialty Crops for Outlying Areas

**October 17.** Provides data on number of farms, acres harvested, and value of sales for specialty crops in Puerto Rico, American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and U.S. Virgin Islands.

### Volume 3, Special Studies

#### 2023 Census of Aquaculture

**December 16.** Provides statistics about the U.S. aquaculture industry at National and State levels. Data collected include production methods, water area and sources, production, sales, sales outlet and aquaculture for restoration, conservation, enhancements, and recreation.

#### 2023 Irrigation and Water Management Survey

**November 14.** Displays results from a sample survey of farm and ranch operators who reported using irrigation in the 2017 Census. Includes acres irrigated; yields of specified crops; method of distribution; quantity and source of water used; number and depth of wells; pumps used in moving water; energy use; and expenditures for maintenance and investments for each State, 20 water resources regions and the United States.

#### 2019 Census of Horticulture Specialties

Provides data at national and state levels on number and kinds of horticultural specialty operations, value of sales, and types of products.

#### 2022 Organic Survey

Provides statistics on acreage, production, sales, price, expenses, and other data for various organic crop and livestock commodities at national, state, and commodity levels.

## Census of Agriculture *continued*

### 2021 Local Food Marketing Practices Survey

Provides comprehensive statistics on local agricultural economies.

### Rankings and Profiles

#### State and County Profiles

Based on results of the Census of Agriculture, describes changes in several key agricultural statistics. Also provides the rank of each county in the State and the Nation in crop acreage, livestock inventories and sales. Graphics included.

#### Congressional District Rankings

**May 15.** Presents agricultural statistics by Congressional district (116th Congress) for all farms in all 50 States. Tables show the total market value of products sold and the number of farms by size for land in farms, cropland harvested, selected crops and inventory of cattle, calves, hogs, and pigs. Crops vary by State and tables show number of farms by acres harvested for commodities such as tobacco, cotton, soybeans for beans, peanuts for nuts and land in orchards.

### Online Resources

#### Agricultural Atlas

Features thematic maps highlighting agricultural activities and characteristics such as the number of farms, selected crops harvested, selected livestock inventories and poultry (broilers) number sold. Covers the United States, States and counties. All maps are available at [www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus](http://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus). Agricultural Census Web Maps. An online application utilized to access key Census data through a collection of interactive maps.

#### Highlights

Key findings from the Census of Agriculture and from one or more surveys.

#### Zip Code Tabulations

2022 Census of Agriculture counts of farm characteristics by five-digit postal ZIP Code.

## Custom Census Products

### Navajo Nation Profiles

Selected 2022 Census of Agriculture statistics of producer and farm characteristics by Navajo Nation agency and chapter.

[https://www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/AgCensus/2017/Online\\_Resources/Navajo\\_Nation\\_Profiles/index.php](https://www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/AgCensus/2017/Online_Resources/Navajo_Nation_Profiles/index.php)

### Special Organics Tabulation

Selected census statistics of operator and farm characteristics by all farms and farms with organic sales are provided.

### Census Related

#### 2022 Survey of Irrigation Organizations

Provides data about local irrigation decisions and their impact on drought resilience.

#### 2022 National Farmers Market Managers Survey

Measures the customer demand of local foods from the Farmer's Market manager's perspective. This survey is planned for every five years.

#### Organic Certifiers 2015/2016 Summary

Provides statistics on certified acreage and livestock commodities at the national and state level.

#### 2022 Organic Survey

Provides statistics on acreage, production, sales, price, expenses, and other data for various organic crop and livestock commodities at national, state, and commodity levels. **Results available at** [https://www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide\\_to\\_NASS\\_Surveys/Organic\\_Production/index.php](https://www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide_to_NASS_Surveys/Organic_Production/index.php)

#### 2014 Tenure, Ownership and Transition of Agricultural Land (TOTAL)

Provides a comprehensive picture of farm land ownership and farm economics, including operating expenses, demographic information on land owners, capital expenses, farm debt and assets, labor needs, and household characteristics.

#### 2022 National Conservation Practices and Adoptions Motivations Survey (CPAM)

**September 2022.** Preliminary Highlights were released containing information on conservation practices.

#### 2024-2026 Conservation Effects Assessment Project (CEAP)

Preliminary Highlights will be released containing information on conservation practices.

## Dairy

### Agricultural Prices (12 monthly issues)

All issues present prices received by farmers for principal crops, livestock, and livestock products; indexes of prices received by farmers; parity prices; prices paid for input items and feeder livestock; indexes of prices paid by farmers and livestock/poultry feed price ratios. The NASS Quick Stats database is updated monthly with historical index revisions at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov). A description of parity prices including authority for, method of computation and prices used in parity computations. (Refer to *Economic Agricultural Prices for additional information.*)

### Capacity of Refrigerated Warehouses 2023 Annual Summary

**January 31.** Number of warehouses and capacity by State and U.S. number of general warehouses public and private.

### Cattle

Refer to *Livestock section for information.*

**Cold Storage** (12 monthly issues, an annual summary, and Biennial Capacity of Refrigerated Warehouses (published in even years)).

**January 24, February 23, March 25, April 24, May 24, June 25, July 25, August 23, September 26, October 25, November 25, December 23.** End-of-month stocks of meats, dairy products, poultry products, fruits, nuts and vegetables in public, private and semi-private refrigerated warehouses.

### Cold Storage 2023 Annual Summary

**February 29.** Regional and national totals for end-of-month holdings of meat, dairy products, poultry products, fruits, nuts and vegetables in public, private and semi-private refrigerated warehouses for 2023.

### Dairy Products

Refer to *Livestock section for information.*

### Livestock Slaughter

Refer to *Livestock section for information.*

**Milk Production** (12 monthly issues and an annual summary)

**January 24, February 21, March 20, April 22, May 20, June 21, July 23 August 21, September 20, October 21, November 20, December 19.** Number of milk cows, production per cow and total milk production during preceding month for major States and U.S. in all issues.

**January 24, April 22, July 23, October 21:** Number of milk cows and production quarterly by State and U.S.

(Milk Production continued)

**February 21.** Number of milk cows, production per cow and milk production revised by months, 2022 and 2023 by State and U.S. Licensed dairy herds by State and U.S.

### Milk Production, Disposition, and Income 2023 Summary

**April 23.** Annual number of milk cows, production per cow and production for the year by State and U.S. 2022-23. Amount of milk used on farms and amount sold, cash receipts and value of production by State and U.S.

### 2023 Organic Survey

Refer to *Census of Agriculture section for information.*

**Survey Methodology and Quality Measures.** Refer to page 25, NASS Survey Methodology and Quality Measures, for information. Additional reference: Methodology and Quality Measures.

## Demographics

**Race, Ethnicity, and Gender profiles.** Based on the results from the Census of Agriculture, detailed data by state and county are provided for several categories of operations. Results are available online only at [www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus](http://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus).

## Economics

**Agricultural Prices** (12 monthly issues)

**January 31, February 29, March 28, April 30, May 31, June 28, July 31, August 30, September 27, October 31, November 29, December 31.** All issues present prices received by farmers for principal crops, livestock, and livestock products; indexes of prices received by farmers; parity prices; indexes of prices paid by farmers and livestock/poultry feed price ratios. The NASS Quick Stats database is updated monthly with historical index revisions at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov). A description of parity prices including authority for, method of computation and prices used in parity computations.

**January 31.** Revised monthly prices for rice, marketing year average prices for rice. Grazing fee rates on privately owned non-irrigated land for 17 western states. Revised historical series of prices received and prices paid indexes. Annual average prices paid for feeder livestock.

**February 29.** Revised monthly and annual average prices for meat animals. Annual average prices received for wool and mohair are published in the January Sheep and Goat publication. Adjusted base prices used in computing parity prices, including commodities not included in the monthly report.

**March 28.** No special features.

## Economics *continued*

*April 30.* Revised monthly and annual prices for milk, poultry, eggs, and milkfat test percentages. Annual index bench-mark revisions for price paid indexes.

*May 31.* Historical monthly and marketing year average feed price ratios and market year average prices for tobacco. Value of all cattle and calves and sheep as of January 1, 2024; hogs and pigs as of December 1, 2023, are published in the Meat Animals Production, Disposition, and Income summary.

*June 28.* Revised monthly U.S. monthly prices, marketing year average prices and marketing percents for barley, oats, and wheat.

*July 31.* Marketing year average prices for sugarbeets and sugarcane. Revised state monthly prices, marketing year average prices and marketing percents for canola, dry edible peas, flaxseed, and lentils. Marketing year average prices for rapeseed. Adjusted base prices used in computing parity; prices including commodities not included in the monthly report.

*August 30.* Revised state monthly prices, marketing year prices and marketing percents for wheat, oat, barley, hay, peanuts, and rye.

*September 27.* Marketing year average prices for mustard seed and safflower. Revised monthly prices, marketing year average prices and marketing percents for sorghum, soybeans and sunflowers. Revised U.S. monthly prices, marketing year average prices and marketing percents for corn, and chickpeas, dry edible beans, pima cotton, and upland cotton. Monthly price revisions for fresh apples, peaches, grapes, and pears.

*October 31.* Year-to-date U.S. monthly prices marketing year average prices and marketing percents for rice.

*November 29.* Revised monthly prices, marketing year average prices and marketing percents for corn. Marketing year average prices for proso millet.

*December 31.* Marketing year average prices for citrus. Prices paid index for beef cattle production.

### Cash Rents by State

*August 2.* Irrigated cropland, non-irrigated cropland, and pastureland cash rents per acre for States and U.S. Estimates are for the 2023 calendar year. Results available at [quickstats.nass.usda.gov](https://quickstats.nass.usda.gov).

**Cash Rents by County** *August 23.* Irrigated cropland, non-irrigated cropland and pastureland cash rents per acre for counties for the 2023 calendar year. Results available at [quickstats.nass.usda.gov](https://quickstats.nass.usda.gov) and pastureland cash rents per acre for counties for the 2024 calendar year. Results available at [quickstats.nass.usda.gov/](https://quickstats.nass.usda.gov/).

### Farm Labor *(two issues)*

*May 22, November 20.* The Farm Labor Survey has been funded by the Department of Labor (DOL) since July 2010. Regional and national data for hired workers, hours worked, and wage rates are published semi-annually. Beginning in 2012, two quarters of farm labor data are published semi-annually in May and November. The May publication includes January and April data while the November publication includes July and October data. Estimates are made January, April, July and October for the week including the 12<sup>th</sup> of the month. Annual average wage rates, hired workers, and hours worked are published in November.

### Farm Production Expenditures 2023 Summary

*July 26.* Revised 2022 and preliminary 2023: Estimates of farm production expenditures by U.S. farm production regions, type of farm and economic class for major expenses.

### Farms and Land in Farms 2023 Summary

*February 16.* Number of farms in operation, land in farms and average farm size by acres during 2023 and revisions for 2022; State and U.S. data. Selected State sales class estimates for number of farms and land in farms.

### Grazing Fees

Revised monthly prices for rice, marketing year average prices for rice. Grazing fee rates on privately owned non-irrigated land for 17 western states. Revised historical series of prices received and prices paid indexes.

### Land Values 2024 Summary

*August 2.* State, regions, and U.S. agricultural land values for 2024 including 2023 revisions. Estimates are on a per acre basis and include value of all land and buildings, cropland and pasture.

### Agricultural Statistics Book

A comprehensive statistical report (approximately 500 pages) containing current and historical agricultural data, revised annually. Statistics cover grain and feed; cotton, tobacco, sugar crops and honey; oilseeds, fats and oils, vegetables, and melons; fruits, tree nuts, and horticultural specialties; hay, seeds and minor field crops; cattle, hogs and sheep; dairy and poultry statistics; farm resources, income and expenses; taxes, insurance, credit and cooperatives; stabilization and price-support programs; consumption; fertilizers and pesticides and more.

**Survey Methodology and Quality Measures.** Refer to page 25, NASS Survey Methodology and Quality Measures, for information. Additional reference: Methodology and Quality Measures.

## Field Crops

### **Agricultural Prices** (12 monthly issues)

All issues present prices received by farmers for principal crops, livestock, and livestock products; indexes of prices received by farmers; parity prices; prices paid for input items and feeder livestock; indexes of prices paid by farmers and livestock/poultry feed price ratios. The NASS Quick Stats database is updated monthly with historical index revisions at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov). A description of parity prices including authority for, method of computation and prices used in parity computations. (Refer to *Economic Agricultural Prices* section for additional information.)

### **Acreage**

**June 28.** Planted and harvested area by State for corn, potatoes, soybeans, all wheat, winter wheat, other spring wheat, Durum wheat, oats, barley, rye, sorghum, rice by length of grain, peanuts, oil and non-oil sunflower, flaxseed, canola, rapeseed, safflower, mustard seed, dry beans, sugarbeets, dry peas, chickpeas, and lentils. Planted area only for cotton and proso millet. Harvested area only for all hay, alfalfa hay, other hay, tobacco (by class and type) and sugarcane. Percent of area planted to biotechnology varieties in the U.S. and selected States for corn, soybeans, and Upland cotton. Percent of soybean acreage double cropped by State. Percent of acreage planted for potatoes by types.

### **Corn Objective Yield Survey Data, 1992-2006**

This report provides information on the types of data collected from the corn objective yield survey and how they relate to the Agricultural Statistics Board yield estimates. This report provides information to assist data users in understanding the corn objective yield program and the changes that have occurred in the objective yield data over a 15-year period.

### **Cotton Ginnings** (13 reports)

**January 12, January 22, February 8, March 8, August 12, September 12, September 23, October 11, October 22, November 8, November 22, December 10, December 20.** Issued approximately twice per month during August through March ginning season, plus annual summary.

Running bales ginned to date for all cotton and American-Pima cotton by State. County ginnings, relating to first-of-month, are released with mid-month State ginnings.

### **Cotton Ginnings 2023 Annual Summary**

**May 10.** Running bales ginned, 480-pound bales ginned, average bale weight and number of active cotton gins by State and county for the ginning period.

### **Crop Production** (12 monthly issues, an annual summary, and four supplements)

**January 12, February 8, March 8, April 11, May 10, June 12, July 12, August 12, September 12, October 11, November 8, December 10.**

**January 12.** Hay stocks on farms December 1, 2023; indicated production of 2023-24 citrus fruits.

**February 8.** Indicated production of 2023-24 citrus fruits; area harvested, yield and production of sugarcane for 2023.

**March 8.** Indicated production of 2023-24 citrus fruits; area harvested, yield and production of sugarcane for 2023.

**April 11.** Indicated production of 2023-24 citrus fruits and revised production of 2022-23 citrus fruits.

**May 10.** Winter wheat indicated area harvested yield, production, and U.S. production by class as of May 1. Indicated area harvested, yield and production for Durum wheat (Arizona and California); indicated production of 2023-24 citrus fruits. Hay stocks on farms May 1. Revised 2023 acreage, yield, production, and bales ginned of cotton. Revised 2023 and final revisions for 2022 production and disposition of cottonseed. Objective survey data for cotton number of cumulative large bolls and harvest loss. Indicated production of peaches and almonds (California).

**June 12.** Winter wheat indicated area harvested, yield, production, and U.S. production by class as of June 1; Durum wheat indicated area harvested, yield and production for Arizona and California; indicated production of 2023-24 citrus fruits; 2024 maple syrup production, 2023 maple syrup price and value. Revised 2023 maple syrup production. Objective survey data for winter wheat percent of samples processed in the lab. Indicated production of cherry (tart and sweet). Hops area strung for harvest by variety.

**July 12.** Indicated area harvested, yield and production as of July 1 for winter wheat, Durum wheat, other spring wheat, oats, barley, and flue-cured tobacco. Indicated production of wheat by class, apricots, almonds and 2023-24 citrus fruits. Objective survey data for winter wheat number of heads per square foot and percent of samples processed in the lab.

**August 12.** Updated planted acreage - all crops, if changed; indicated area harvested, yield and production as of August 1 for corn for grain, winter wheat, Durum wheat, other spring wheat, oats, barley, cotton, rice, hay, sorghum for grain, dry edible beans, soybeans for

## Field Crops *continued*

### *(Crop Production continued)*

beans, peanuts for nuts, tobacco (by class and type), sugarbeets, sugarcane for sugar and seed, and hops; indicated cottonseed production. Indicated U.S. production of wheat and rice by class, apples, peaches, pears, grapes, and cranberries. Objective survey data for winter wheat number of heads per square foot and percent of samples processed in the lab. Planted acres by commercial class for dry edible beans.

*September 12.* Updated planted acreage - corn, cotton, peanuts, rice, sorghum, soybeans, and sugarbeets, if changed; indicated area harvested, yield and production as of September 1 for corn for grain, cotton, rice, sorghum for grain, soybeans for beans, peanuts for nuts, tobacco (by class and type), sugarbeets, sugarcane for sugar and seed; indicated cottonseed production. Indicated area planted, harvested, yield and production for chickpeas, dry edible peas and lentils. Indicated U.S. production of rice by class, and walnuts. Indicated production of 2024-25 California Navel oranges. Objective survey data for selected States; corn plant populations and number of ears per acre, soybeans number of pods with beans per 18 square feet, and cotton cumulative boll counts.

*October 11.* Updated planted acreage - canola, dry edible beans, and sunflower, if changed; indicated area harvested, yield and production as of October 1 for corn for grain, cotton, rice, sorghum for grain, hay, dry edible beans, soybeans for beans, peanuts for nuts, sunflower, canola, tobacco (by class and type), sugarbeets, sugarcane for sugar and seed; indicated cottonseed and pecan production. Indicated U.S. production of rice by class and 2024-25 citrus fruits. Revised canola, peanut and sunflower acreage, yield and production for 2023. Objective survey data for selected States; corn plant populations, number of ears per acre and percent of samples processed in the lab, soybean number of pods with beans per 18 square feet and percent of samples processed in the lab, and cotton cumulative boll counts.

*November 8.* Indicated area harvested, yield and production as of November 1 for corn for grain, cotton, rice, sorghum for grain, soybeans for beans, peanuts for nuts, sugarbeets and sugarcane for sugar and seed; indicated cottonseed production. Planted acres, indicated area harvested, yield and production of potatoes. Indicated U.S. production of rice by class. Objective survey data for selected States; corn plant population, number of ears, row width distribution and percent of samples processed in the lab, soybean row width distribution, number of pods with beans per 18 square feet and percent of samples processed in the lab, and cotton cumulative large boll counts.

*December 10.* Indicated area harvested, yield and production as of December 1 for cotton, sugarcane for sugar, and seed. Indicated production of cottonseed and 2024-25 citrus fruits. Objective survey data for selected States; cotton cumulative large boll counts.

### **Crop Production 2023 Annual Summary**

*January 12.* Acreage, yield, and production data for 2023 and revised for 2022. Objective survey data for selected States; corn plant populations, number of ears per acre, row width distribution; soybean number of pods with beans per 18 square feet; row width distribution.

### **Crop Production Historical Track Records**

*April 10.* This report includes a historical data series and a comparison of preliminary to final planted and harvested crop acreage and a comparison of preliminary crop production forecasts to final and end-of-year crop production estimates.

### **Crop Progress**

*35 issues.* First workday of the week during growing season. Issued weekly during the growing season April-November; this report lists planting, selected development stages and harvesting progress and overall condition of selected crops in major producing States. The data, summarized by crop and by State, are republished in the *Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin* released by WAOB.

### **Crop Values 2023 Annual Summary**

*February 26.* Marketing year average prices and value of production of principal crops, preliminary 2023 and revised 2021 and 2022. Note: State estimates for fruits and nuts are included in "*Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts 2023 Summary.*"

### **Current Agricultural Industrial Reports (CAIR)**

NASS publishes four CAIR releases. They are Grain Crushing and Co-Products Production, Flour Milling Products, Cotton System Consumption and Stocks, and Fats and Oils: Oilseed Crushings, Production, Consumption and Stocks.

### **Flour Milling**

*Four issues and an annual summary. February 1, May 1, August 1, November 1.* This quarterly report covers all firms in the United States operating wheat and rye flour mills. Type of data collected are amount of flour and millfeed produced from wheat and rye.

### **Flour Millings 2023 Annual Summary**

*May 1.*

## Field Crops *continued*

### 2023 North American Flour Milling

**May 13.** This publication is a result of a joint effort by Statistics Canada and NASS to release the flour milling production information for both countries within one publication.

### Cotton System Consumption and Stock *(12 monthly issues and an annual summary)*

**January 2, February 1, March 1, April 1, May 1, June 3, July 1, August 1, September 3, October 1, November 1, December 2.** Monthly totals for running bales, end of month stocks in warehouses and cotton spinning facilities for major States and U.S Consumption of stocks and spindle utilization.

### Cotton System Consumption and Stocks 2023 Annual Summary

**March 1.**

### Fats & Oils: Oilseed Crushings, Production, Consumption and Stocks *(12 monthly issues and an annual summary)*

**January 2, February 1, March 1, April 1, May 1, June 3, July 1, August 1, September 3, October 1, November 1, December 2.**

This is a monthly report that covers businesses that produce various edible and inedible fats and oils. This report also includes data that covers all establishments crushing or solvent processing vegetable oil bearing materials (oilseeds, beans, nuts, etc.); including establishments using a continuous process that immediately refines the oil. Type of data collected are amount of crop crushed, amount of processed oil and feed produced.

### Fats & Oils: Oilseed Crushings, Production, Consumption and Stocks 2023 Annual Summary

**March 1.**

### 2023 North American Grain and Oilseed Crushing

**March 13.** This publication is a result of a joint effort by Statistics Canada and NASS to release the soybean and canola seed crushings information for both countries within one publication.

### Grain Stocks *(Four issues)*

**January 12, March 28, June 28, September 30.**

**January 12.** On and off farm stocks of all wheat, Durum wheat, corn, sorghum, oats, barley, and soybeans on December 1, 2023, by State; revisions of all wheat, Durum wheat, corn, oats, barley, sorghum, soybeans, flaxseed, rye, canola, mustard seed, safflower, rapeseed and sunflower for 2023. Number and capacity of off-farm storage facilities and capacity of on-farm storage facilities on December 1, 2023. On and off farms stocks of dry peas, lentils, and chickpeas on December 1, 2023, and revision for June 1, 2023.

**March 28.** On and off farm stocks of all wheat, Durum wheat, corn, sorghum, oats, barley, soybeans, and sunflower on March 1 by State and previous quarter revisions.

**June 28.** On and off farm stocks of all wheat, Durum wheat, corn, oats, barley, sorghum, soybeans, flaxseed, canola, rapeseed, dry peas, lentils, and chickpeas and rye on June 1 by State and previous quarter revisions.

**September 30.** On and off farm stocks of all wheat, Durum wheat, corn, oats, barley, soybeans, sorghum, sunflower, safflower and mustard seed on September 1 by State and previous quarter revisions. Revised 2023 soybean and corn acreage, yield and production.

### Grain Crushings and Co-Products Production *(12 monthly issues and an annual summary)*

**January 2, February 1, March 1, April 1, May 1, June 3, July 1, August 1, September 3, October 1, November 1, December 2.**

This is a monthly report that covers consumption of corn and sorghum. The publication provides data about agricultural commodities consumed for alcohol and other uses as well as the production of co-products and products in the United States.

### Grain Crushings and Co-Products Production 2023 Annual Summary

**September 3.**

### National Hemp Report

**April 17.** This report contains hemp acreage, yield, production and value for industrial, floral, grain, fiber and seed. Breakouts by hemp grown in the open and hemp grown under cover for each type of hemp.

### Hop Stocks *(Two issues)*

**March 15, September 18.** Issues contain data for Grower, dealer and brewer stocks March 1 and September 1.

### National Hop Report

**December 20.** Area harvested, yield, production, price, and value by State.

### North American Potatoes *(Two issues)*

**February 12, December 20.** This publication is the result of a joint effort by NASS, Agriculture Division, Statistics Canada and Servicio de Informacion Agroalimentaria y Pesquera (SIAP) to provide producers with additional information about potato production in North America. The release includes area planted and harvested, yield, production, utilized production, market year average price and value of sales for both countries.



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# 2024 Agricultural Statistics Board Calendar



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 HOLIDAY	2 Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Crushings	3 State Stories Citrus Fruits Final Estimates Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts Final Estimates Vegetables Final Estimates	4	5 Dairy Products Peanut Prices
8	9 Field Crops Final Estimates Potatoes & Sweet Potatoes Final Est. Rice Stocks Final Estimates Stocks of Grain, Oilseeds, & Hay Final Estimates	10 Broiler Hatchery	11 Hogs and Pigs Final Est	12 Crop Production - Ann. Grain Stocks Winter Wheat/Canola Seedings Cotton Ginnings
15 HOLIDAY	16	17 Broiler Hatchery	18	19 Cattle on Feed Peanut Prices
22 Cotton Ginnings Chickens and Eggs	23	24 Broiler Hatchery Coffee Cold Storage Milk Production Pecan Production	25 Livestock Slaughter Poultry Slaughter	26 Peanut Prices Peanut Stocks and Processing
29 Egg Products	30 State Stories	31 Agricultural Prices Cattle Broiler Hatchery Capacity of Refrigerated Warehouses Sheep and Goats		
<b>January</b>				
5 Dairy Products	6	7 Broiler Hatchery	8 Crop Production Cotton Ginnings	9 Catfish Production Peanut Prices
12 North American Potatoes Vegetables - Ann.	13 2022 Census of Agriculture Farms and Land in Farms Final Est	14 Broiler Hatchery Turkey Hatchery	15	16 Crop Values Final Est Farms and Land in Farms Peanut Prices Potato Stocks
19 HOLIDAY	20 Chickens and Eggs - Ann.	21 Broiler Hatchery Milk Production	22 Livestock Slaughter Poultry Slaughter	23 Cotton Beans, Soybeans, Cold Storage Peanut Prices
26 Chickens and Eggs Peanut Stocks and Processing Trout Production	27 State Stories Cattle Final Est	28 Broiler Hatchery Egg Products Poultry Slaughter - Ann.	29 Agricultural Prices Cold Storage - Ann.	
<b>February</b>				
4 Dairy Products	5 Chickens and Eggs Final Est	6 Broiler Hatchery U.S. and Canadian Cattle and Sheep U.S. and Canadian Hogs	7	8 Crop Production U.S. and Canadian Cattle CE: All Rice Peanut Prices
11 Price Reactions after USDA Crop Reports Price Reactions After USDA Livestock Reports	12	13 Broiler Hatchery North American Grain and Oilseed Crushings Turkey Hatchery	14	15 CE: Barley, Oats, Wheat (2018-2022) Honey Hop Stocks Peanut Prices
18	19	20 Broiler Hatchery Milk Production	21 Livestock Slaughter	22 Cattle on Feed Chickens and Eggs Peanut Prices
25 Cold Storage Poultry Slaughter	26 State Stories	27 Broiler Hatchery Peanut Stocks and Processing	28 Grain Stocks Prospective Plantings Rice Stocks Agricultural Prices Warehousing and Stocks Egg Products Peanut Prices	29
<b>March</b>				
1 Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Crushings Crop Progress	2	3 Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Crushings - Ann. Crop Progress	4	5 Dairy Products Peanut Prices
8 Crop Progress	9	10 Broiler Hatchery	11	12 Crop Production Milk Peanut Prices Turkey Hatchery
15 Crop Progress	16	17 Agricultural Chemical Usage - Fruits Broiler Hatchery Catfish Production	18	19 Cattle on Feed Peanut Prices
22 Crop Progress	23 Chickens and Eggs Milk Production	24 Census: Watersheds Broiler Hatchery	25 Cold Storage Livestock Slaughter Poultry Slaughter	26 Farm Production Expenditures Peanut Prices Peanut Stocks and Processing
29 Egg Products Crop Progress	30	31 Agricultural Prices Broiler Hatchery		
<b>July</b>				
5 Dairy Products Crop Progress	6	7 Broiler Hatchery	8	9 Peanut Prices
12 Crop Production Cotton Ginnings Crop Progress	13	14 CE: Hogs Broiler Hatchery Turkey Hatchery	15	16 Peanut Prices
19 Crop Progress	20	21 Rice Stocks Broiler Hatchery Milk Production Mushrooms	22 Livestock Slaughter Poultry Slaughter	23 Cattle on Feed CE: Cash Rents Chickens and Eggs Cold Storage Peanut Prices
26 Peanut Stocks and Processing Crop Progress	27	28 Broiler Hatchery U.S. and Canadian Cattle U.S. and Canadian Hogs	29 Census: American Indian Reservations Citrus Fruits	30 Agricultural Prices Egg Products Peanut Prices
<b>August</b>				
2 Cotton System Fats & Oils Land Values Flour Milling Grain Crushings Honey Bee Colonies	1	2 Cash Rents: State Land Values Flour Milling Grain Crushings Honey Bee Colonies		
5 Dairy Products Crop Progress	6	7 Broiler Hatchery	8	9 Peanut Prices
12 Crop Production Cotton Ginnings Crop Progress	13	14 CE: Hogs Broiler Hatchery Turkey Hatchery	15	16 Peanut Prices
19 Crop Progress	20	21 Rice Stocks Broiler Hatchery Milk Production Mushrooms	22 Livestock Slaughter Poultry Slaughter	23 Cattle on Feed CE: Cash Rents Chickens and Eggs Cold Storage Peanut Prices
26 Peanut Stocks and Processing Crop Progress	27	28 Broiler Hatchery U.S. and Canadian Cattle U.S. and Canadian Hogs	29 Census: American Indian Reservations Citrus Fruits	30 Agricultural Prices Egg Products Peanut Prices
<b>September</b>				
2 HOLIDAY	3 Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Crushings - Ann. Crop Progress	4 Broiler Hatchery	5	6 Dairy Products Peanut Prices
9 Crop Progress	10	11 Broiler Hatchery	12	13 Peanut Prices Turkey Hatchery
16 Livestock Historical Track Records Crop Progress	17	18 Broiler Hatchery Hop Stocks	19 Livestock Slaughter	20 Cattle on Feed Milk Production Peanut Prices
23 Cotton Ginnings Chickens and Eggs Crop Progress	24	25 Broiler Hatchery Peanut Stocks and Processing Poultry Slaughter	26 Hogs and Pigs Cold Storage Potatoes	27 Agricultural Prices Egg Products Peanut Prices Turkey's Raised
30 Grain Stocks Small Grains Summary Crop Progress				

## October

1 Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Crushings	2 Broiler Hatchery	3	4 Dairy Products Peanut Prices				
7 Crop Progress ▲	8	10	11 <b>Crop Production</b> Cotton Ginnings Peanut Prices				
14 HOLIDAY	16 Broiler Hatchery Turkey Hatchery	17	18 Peanut Prices				
21 Chickens and Eggs Milk Production Crop Progress ▲	22 Cotton Ginnings	23 Rice Stocks Broiler Hatchery	24 Livestock Slaughter Poultry Slaughter				
28 Crop Progress ▲	29	30 Broiler Hatchery Egg Products	31 <b>Agricultural Prices</b>				

## November

1 Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Milling Grain Crushings Peanut Prices	2	3	4 Dairy Products Crop Progress ▲				
8 <b>Crop Production</b> Cotton Ginnings Peanut Prices	6 Broiler Hatchery	7	8				
11 HOLIDAY	12 Crop Progress ▲	13 Broiler Hatchery	14 Census: Irrigation and Water Management				
18 Crop Progress ▲	19	20 Broiler Hatchery Farm Labor Milk Production	21 Livestock Slaughter				
25 Cold Storage Peanut Stocks and Processing Poultry Slaughter Crop Progress ▲	26	27 Broiler Hatchery	28 HOLIDAY				
29 <b>Agricultural Prices</b> Egg Products Peanut Prices	30	31					

## December

2 Census: Specialty Crops Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Crushings	3	4 Broiler Hatchery Dairy Products	5	6 Peanut Prices			
9	10 <b>Crop Production</b> Cotton Ginnings	11 Broiler Hatchery	12	13 Cost of Pollination Peanut Prices Turkey Hatchery			
16 Census of Aquaculture	17	18 Broiler Hatchery Potato Stocks	19 Livestock Slaughter Milk Production	20 <b>Cotton Ginnings</b> <b>Cattle on Feed</b> <b>Chickens and Eggs</b> National Hog Report North American Poultry Peanut Prices			
23 <b>Hogs and Pigs</b> Cold Storage Poultry Slaughter	24	25 HOLIDAY	26 Broiler Hatchery	27 Peanut Prices Peanut Stocks and Processing			
30 Egg Products	31 <b>Agricultural Prices</b>						

## April

1 Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Crushings Crop Progress ▲	2 Hatchery Production - Ann.	3 Broiler Hatchery	4 Agricultural Land Values Final Est	5 Dairy Products Peanut Prices			
8 <b>Honey</b> Final Est Crop Progress ▲	9	10 Broiler Hatchery Crop Production Historical Track Records	11 <b>Crop Production</b>	12 Peanut Prices Turkey Hatchery			
15 Crop Progress ▲	16	17 Broiler Hatchery National Hemp Report Potato Stocks	18	19 <b>Cattle on Feed</b> Peanut Prices			
22 Chickens and Eggs Milk Production Crop Progress ▲	23 Meat Animals - PDI Milk - PDI Poultry - Production and Value	24 Broiler Hatchery Cold Storage Livestock Slaughter - Ann.	25 Livestock Slaughter Peanut Stocks and Processing Poultry Slaughter	26 Dairy Products - Ann. Peanut Prices			
29 Meat Animals PDI Final Est Milk PDI - Final Est Poultry Production and Value Final Est <i>For Broilers.</i>	30 <b>Agricultural Prices</b>						

## May

1 Broiler Hatchery Cotton System Fats & Oils Flour Milling - Ann. Grain Crushings	2	3	4 Dairy Products Crop Progress ▲	5 Peanut Prices			
6 Dairy Products Crop Progress ▲	7 Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts - Ann.	8 Broiler Hatchery	9	10 <b>Crop Production</b> Cotton Ginnings - Ann. Agricultural Chemical Usage - Field Crops CE: Cotton CE: Peanuts			
13 CE: Cattle & Sheep North American Flour Milling Products Summary Crop Progress ▲	14	15 Census: Congressional District Rankings Broiler Hatchery Turkey Hatchery	16 Floriculture Crops	17 Peanut Prices			
20 Milk Production Crop Progress ▲	21	22 Broiler Hatchery Farm Labor	23 Livestock Slaughter Poultry Slaughter	24 <b>Cattle on Feed</b> Chickens and Eggs Cold Storage Peanut Prices			
27 HOLIDAY	28 Peanut Stocks and Processing Crop Progress ▲	29 Broiler Hatchery Egg Products	30	31 <b>Agricultural Prices</b> Peanut Prices			

## June

3 CE: Poultry Cotton System Fats & Oils Grain Crushings Crop Progress ▲	4	5 Broiler Hatchery Dairy Products	6	7 Peanut Prices			
10 Crop Progress ▲	11	12 <b>Crop Production</b> Broiler Hatchery	13	14 Peanut Prices Turkey Hatchery			
17 Potato Stocks Crop Progress ▲	18	19 HOLIDAY	20 Broiler Hatchery Livestock Slaughter	21 <b>Cattle on Feed</b> Milk Production Peanut Prices			
24 Chickens and Eggs Poultry Slaughter Crop Progress ▲	25 Cold Storage	26 Broiler Hatchery Peanut Stocks and Processing	27 <b>Hogs and Pigs</b>	28 <b>Average</b> <b>Animals</b> <b>Rice</b> <b>Stocks</b> <b>Broiler Hatchery</b> <b>Agricultural Prices</b> <b>Egg Products</b> <b>Peanut Prices</b>			



12:00 p.m. release after lockup



12:00 p.m. release



3:00 p.m. release after lockup



3:00 p.m. Quick Stats release



4:00 p.m. release

Remaining reports are issued at 3 p.m.



## Field Crops *continued*

### **Peanut Prices**

**Weekly on Friday.** U.S. average price and marketing by type of peanut (Runner, Spanish, Valencia, and Virginia).

### **Peanut Stocks and Processing** (*12 monthly issues*)

**January 26, February 26, March 27, April 25, May 28, June 26, July 26, August 26, September 25, October 25, November 25, December 27.** The reports include the stocks at end of previous month; millings, production and disappearance of milled products, previous month for the U. S.

Preliminary season totals shown in August release. Revised season totals shown in August release.

### **Potatoes 2023 Annual Summary**

**September 26.** Production, farm disposition, value and stocks by State and utilization of potatoes for the United States, 2023 crop.

### **Potato Stocks** (*Four issues*)

**February 16, April 17, June 17, December 18.** Grower, processor, and local dealer storage stocks in producing areas, first of the month by State.

### **Price Reactions After USDA Crop Reports**

**March 11.** This report describes the market price reaction during the time periods surrounding the release of crop production reports.

### **Prospective Plantings**

**March 28.** Expected plantings as of March 1 for corn, all wheat, winter wheat, Durum wheat, other spring wheat, oats, canola, barley, cotton, rice by length of grain, all sorghum, dry edible beans, dry edible peas, and lentils, chickpeas, soybeans, sunflower, flaxseed, peanuts, and sugarbeets; acreage for harvest of hay and tobacco (by class and type).

### **Rice Stocks** (*Five issues*)

**January 12, March 28, June 28, August 21, October 23.** Rough and milled rice stocks on and off farms, December 1, 2023, March 1, June 1, August 1, and October 1 (California only) by State and stocks by length of grain classes (five Southern States and California).

### **Small Grains 2023 Annual Summary**

**September 30.** Acreage, yield and production of wheat, oats, barley, and rye for 2024, including revised data for 2023 and Production of wheat by class. Objective survey data for winter wheat number of heads per square foot.

### **Soybean Objective Yield Survey Data, 1992-2006**

This report provides information on the types of data collected from the soybean objective yield survey and how they relate to the Agricultural Statistics Board yield estimates. This report

provides information to assist data users in understanding the soybean objective yield program and the changes that have occurred in the objective yield data over a 15 year period.

### **Wheat Objective Yield Survey Data, 1993-2007**

This report provides information on the types of data collected from the wheat objective yield survey and how they relate to the Agricultural Statistics Board yield estimates. This report provides information to assist data users in understanding the wheat objective yield program and the changes that have occurred in the objective yield data over a 15-year period.

### **Winter Wheat and Canola Seedings**

**January 12.** Seeded acreage of 2024 winter wheat; seedings of Durum wheat (AZ and CA). Seeded acreage of 2024 winter canola (KS and OK).

**World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates.** Issued monthly, WASDE provides the most current USDA forecasts of U.S. and world supply-use balances of major grains, soybeans and products and cotton; and U.S. supply and use of sugar and livestock products.

**Survey Methodology and Quality Measures.** Refer to page 25, NASS Survey Methodology and Quality Measures, for additional information. Additional reference: Methodology and Quality Measures.

## Fruits, Nuts, and Vegetables

### **Agricultural Prices** (*12 monthly issues*)

All issues present prices received by farmers for principal crops, livestock, and livestock products; indexes of prices received by farmers; parity prices; prices paid for input items and feeder livestock; indexes of prices paid by farmers and livestock/poultry feed price ratios. The NASS Quick Stats database is updated monthly with historical index revisions at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov). A description of parity prices including authority for, method of computation and prices used in parity computations. (See Economic Agricultural Prices for additional information).

### **Citrus Fruits 2024 Summary**

**August 29.** Annual summary of acreage, yield, production, use, price, and value 2023-24 crop and revised 2021-22 crop.

### **Coffee**

**January 24.** This report contains bearing acreage, yield, total production, utilized production, average price, and value of production estimates for the current and previous two seasons. All components are published for cherry equivalent basis, and

## Fruits, Nuts, and Vegetables *continued*

*(Coffee continued)*

quantity and average price for utilized production is included for parchment and green equivalent basis.

### Cold Storage

*Refer to Dairy.*

### Cold Storage 2023 Summary

*Refer to Dairy.*

### Crop Production

*Refer to Field Crops.*

### Crop Values 2023 Summary

*Refer to Field Crops.*

### Mushrooms

**August 21.** Agarics mushrooms: Area in production, volume of sales, utilization, price per pound, value of sales and by selected States and U.S. for July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024, and intentions for the next season. Brown mushrooms: volume of sales and value of sales and U.S. for July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024.

Specialty mushrooms: production, volume of sales, price per pound and value of sales by variety and U.S. Also, area in production which includes natural wood outdoor logs, natural wood undercover and indoor logs and all other production media by variety and U.S. Sales of all certified organic mushroom at the U.S. level.

### Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts 2023 Annual Summary

**May 7.** Annual summary of acreage, yield, production, use, price, and value of 2023 crop by State. Includes data for apples, apricots, avocados, berries, cherries, coffee, cranberries, dates, grapes, kiwifruit, nectarines, olives, papayas, peaches, pears, plums, prunes, strawberries, almonds, hazelnuts, macadamias, pecans, pistachios and walnuts.

### Vegetable 2023 Annual Summary

**February 12.** End-of-season 2023 estimates of acreage, yield, production, marketing year average price, value and utilization for artichokes, asparagus, snap beans, broccoli, cabbage, cantaloupe, carrots, cauliflower, celery, sweet corn, cucumbers, garlic, honeydews, head lettuce, leaf lettuce, onions, romaine lettuce, bell peppers, chile peppers, pumpkins, spinach, strawberries, squash, sweet potatoes, tomatoes and watermelons.

### Vegetables Usual Planting and Harvesting Dates

**NASS handbook Number 507.** This handbook identifies the usual planting and harvesting dates for fresh market and processing vegetables as well as principal producing counties and major varieties for the vegetables covered in NASS's national program of crop estimates. The Field Offices of USDA NASS compiled the basic information, prepared the estimates of

*(Vegetables Usual Planting and Harvesting Dates continued)*

usual dates and designated the important areas of production and major varieties for their respective States. Growers and horticultural specialists were consulted to verify information published.

**Survey Methodology and Quality Measures.** Refer to page 25, NASS Survey Methodology and Quality Measures, for additional information. Additional reference: Methodology and Quality Measures.

## Horticulture and Floriculture

### Floriculture Crops 2023 Annual Summary

**May 16.** Production, price, and value of wholesale sales for US and 28 selected States and growers having \$100,000 or more in sales. Growing area for growers with \$10,000 or more in sales. Issue covers cut flowers, potted flowering plants, foliage, annual bedding/garden plants, herbaceous perennials, cut cultivated greens, propagative floriculture material.

### 2019 Census of Horticulture Specialties

[www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus](http://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus). Provides data at national and state levels on number and kinds of horticultural specialty operations, value of sales, and types of products. Results are available online only at [www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus](http://www.nass.usda.gov/AgCensus).

## Livestock

### Cattle *(Two issues)*

**January 31, July 19.**

**January 31.** Inventory number by class of all cattle and calves as of January 1, 2024, and number of calves born during 2023 by State and U.S. Number of all cattle and number by classes July 1, 2023, U.S. Total number on feed January 1, 2024, by State and U.S.

**July 19.** Inventory number by class of all cattle and calves as of July 1, 2024, U.S. Expected 2024 calf crop, U. S. Total number on feed July 1, 2024, U.S.

### Cattle on Feed *(12 monthly issues)*

**January 19, February 23, March 22, April 19, May 24, June 21, July 19, August 23, September 20, October 25, November 22, December 20.** All issues present monthly total number on feed, placements by weight group, marketings and other disappearance for feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity for major States and U.S. Number on feed by class, shown for feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity for major States and the U.S. in January, April, July, and October reports.

## Livestock *continued*

*(Cattle on Feed continued)*

Number of feedlots and fed cattle marketings during 2023 and January inventory 2024 by size groups for U.S. in February report.

### Cost of Pollination

**December 13.** Annual report that includes statistics on the number of acres paid to be pollinated, the average price per acre, and prices per honeybee colony for selected crops.

**Dairy Products** (*12 monthly issues and an annual summary*)

**January 5, February 5, March 4, April 5, May 6, June 5,**

**July 3, August 5, September 6, October 4, November 4,**

**December 4.** Production of butter, cheese, frozen products, evaporated, condensed, dry milk and whey products. Shipments, stocks and prices of dry milk and whey products, major States and U.S.

### Dairy Products 2023 Annual Summary

**April 26.** Summary of production for manufactured dairy products for 2023 and revised data for 2022.

### Equine

**January 1, 1999.** This is the only NASS publication of U.S. equine statistics. The report contains total equine inventory for 1998 and 1999, equine sold and value of sales.

**Hogs and Pigs** (*Four quarterly issues*)

**March 28, June 27, September 26, December 23.**

**March 28.** Inventory number by class as of March 1; December 2023- February 2024 farrowings and pig crop; March-August 2024 intended farrowings for major States and U.S.

**June 27.** Inventory number by class as of June 1; March-May 2024 farrowings and pig crop; June-November 2024 intended farrowings for major States and U.S.

**September 26.** Inventory number by class as of September 1; June-August 2024 farrowings and pig crop; September 2024-February 2025 intended farrowings for major States and U.S.

**December 23.** Inventory number by class of all hogs and pigs as of December 1; September-November 2024 farrowings and pig crop; December 2024-May 2025 intended farrowings, major States and U. S.; annual farrowings (December 2023-November 2024) by State and U.S.

*Note: For more hogs and pigs information, see Livestock Slaughter, Meat Animals: Production, Disposition and Income, and Agricultural Prices February issue.*

### Honey

**March 15.** Annual report of number of colonies producing honey, yield per colony, honey production, average price, and value, 2023 and revised 2022; honey stocks as of December 15, 2023, by State and U.S.

### Honeybee Colonies

**August 1.** Annual report of honeybee colonies, lost colonies, added colonies, renovated colonies and colonies affected by stressors by State and U.S.

### Livestock Historical Track Records

**September 16.** This report compares the preliminary inventory or production estimates to the final inventory or production estimates for cattle, hogs and pigs, sheep and lambs, milk production, broilers, eggs, and turkeys.

**Livestock Slaughter** (*12 monthly issues and an annual summary*)

**January 25, February 22, March 21, April 25, May 23,**

**June 20, July 25, August 22, September 19, October 24,**

**November 21, December 19.** Number of head, live weight and dressed weight of cattle, calves, sheep and lambs, and hogs and pigs slaughtered in commercial plants and number by class in federally inspected plants by State. Also red meat production by species by State and U.S.

### Livestock Slaughter 2023 Annual Summary

**April 24.** Annual summary for total livestock slaughter and red meat production for 2023 by State and months. Number of cattle, calves, sheep and lambs and hogs and pigs slaughtered in federally inspected plants by class for selected States and U.S. Number of goats and bison slaughtered in federally inspected plants in 2023, U.S. weekly number of head slaughtered in federally inspected plants by species and class, U.S. number of federally and non-federally inspected plants and number of head slaughtered in 2023. Also, number of head slaughtered in federally inspected plants by size group and species, U.S.

### Meat Animals Production, Disposition, and Income 2023 Annual Summary.

**April 23.** Annual balance sheet and income estimates for cattle and hogs. Includes estimates of beginning and ending inventories, births, deaths, inshipments and marketings. Also includes 2022 and 2023 total production and marketings in pounds, value of production, cash receipts, home consumption and gross marketings by State and U.S.

### Mink

**July 12.** Mink pelt production by color class by selected States, 2023 data and revised 2022. Females bred and to be bred in 2023. Value of pelt production.

**Price Reactions After USDA Livestock Reports**

**March 11.** This report describes the market price reaction during the time periods surrounding the release of livestock inventory report.

**Sheep and Goats**

**January 31.** Sheep and lamb inventory by class by State and U.S., 2024. Lamb crop by State and U.S., 2023. January 1 inventory of angora, milk and meat and other goats. Number of sheep shorn, wool production, price and value by State for 2023. Number of goats clipped, mohair production, and value for Arizona, New Mexico, and Texas for 2023. (For more sheep information, see *Livestock Slaughter*)

**Overview of the U.S. Cattle Industry**

**June 24, 2016.** This report provides information on cattle supply and disposition numbers and trends which have implications for future cattle supplies. The report is provided to the industry and data users to provide a better understanding of the relationships within the cattle industry.

**Overview of the U.S. Hog Industry**

**October 29, 2015.** The Overview of the U.S. Hog Industry report provides an official periodic review of efficiency trends and changes in the structure of the breeding herd. This report also notes changes in hog operation size groups, compares historic hog prices, and reviews live hog imports and marketings. This report compares 2014 production year data to the 2008 production data released in the Overview of the U.S. Hog Industry report published in October 2009.

**U.S. & Canadian Cattle and Sheep**

**March 6.** Inventory by class of all cattle and calves and number of calves born for U.S., and Canada, combined. Inventory by class of all sheep and lambs and number of lambs born for U.S., Canada and combined.

**U.S. & Canadian Cattle**

**August 28.** Inventory by class of all cattle and calves and number of calves born for U.S. and Canada, combined.

**U.S. and Canadian Hogs (Two issues)**

**March 6, August 28.** This release contains inventory, sows farrowed and pig crop for U.S. and Canada, combined.

**Survey Methodology and Quality Measures.** Refer to page 25, NASS Survey Methodology and Quality Measures, for additional information. Additional reference: Methodology and Quality Measures.

*Note: For more cattle information, see *Livestock Slaughter, Meat Animals: Production, Disposition and Income and Agricultural Prices February issue.**

# Poultry

**Agricultural Prices (12 monthly issues)**

All issues present prices received by farmers for principal crops, livestock, and livestock products; indexes of prices received by farmers; parity prices; prices paid for input items and feeder livestock; indexes of prices paid by farmers and livestock/poultry feed price ratios. The NASS Quick Stats database is updated monthly with historical index revisions at [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov). A description of parity prices including authority for, method of computation and prices used in parity computations. (For *Poultry Prices*, see the *Agricultural Prices monthly breakout in the Economics section.*)

**Broiler Hatchery (52 weekly issues)**

Number of broiler chicks placed, and eggs set for the previous week, 19 selected States and United States. Available every Wednesday or if Federal holiday is on a Tuesday or Wednesday then on Thursday.

**Chickens and Eggs (12 monthly issues and an annual summary)**

**January 22, February 26, March 22, April 22, May 24, June 24, July 23, August 23, September 23, October 21, November 22, December 20.** Number of layers on hand, eggs per 100 layers, and total eggs produced during preceding month by type of flock by major States and U.S. Number of layers and eggs produced per 100 layers on the first of the month by type of flock. Pullet chicks added and layers' disposition at the U.S. level. Layers being molted and molt completed during the previous month by major States and U.S. U.S. commercial hatchery data on number of broiler-type and egg-type chicks hatched during preceding month, major States and U.S. and number of eggs in incubators on the first of the month by region and U.S. Number of broiler-type pullet chicks for hatchery supply flocks (total and domestic) and number of egg-type pullet chicks for hatchery supply flocks, U.S.

**Chickens and Eggs 2023 Annual Summary**

**February 20.** Revised monthly estimates of the number of layers on hand, rate of lay and egg production States and U.S. for 2022 and 2023. Revised egg production during the month by type, selected States and U.S. December 1, 2022 and 2023 chicken inventories and values by State and U.S.

**Cold Storage, monthly**

*Refer to Dairy section for more information.*



**Cold Storage 2023 Annual Summary**

*Refer to Dairy.*

**Egg Products** (12 monthly issues)

*January 29, February 28, March 28, April 29, May 29, June 28, July 29, August 30, September 27, October 30, November 29, December 30.* Federally inspected, shell eggs broken, form in which broken.

**Hatchery Production 2023 Annual Summary**

*April 2.* U.S. commercial hatchery data on number of broiler- type and egg-type chicks hatched, monthly, major States and U.S. for 2023 and revised data for 2022. Number of eggs in incubators on the first of each month by region and U.S. broiler chicks placed and eggs set by weeks for the 19 selected States and United States. Turkey eggs set and net poults placed, poults hatched U.S., capacity of chicken and turkey hatcheries by region and U.S.

**Livestock Historical Track Records.**

*Refer to Livestock.*

**Poultry Production and Value 2023 Annual Summary**

*April 23.* Estimates of production and value for commercial broilers, eggs, turkeys raised, and chickens (excluding commercial broilers) sold for 2022-2023 by State and U.S.

**Poultry Slaughter** (12 monthly issues plus an annual summary)

*January 25, February 22, March 25, April 25, May 23, June 24, July 25, August 22, September 25, October 24, November 25, December 23.* Number of head and pounds slaughtered under Federal inspection by type, for the U.S. Total liveweight of poultry slaughtered and condemnations by selected States and U.S.

**Poultry Slaughter 2023 Annual Summary**

*February 28.* Also available as a separate issue in the above subscription. Number of poultry slaughtered by month, by type, and annual total for the United States. Pounds certified ready-to-cook, ante-mortem, and post-mortem condemnations by type, by month and the U.S. total.

**Turkey Hatchery** (12 monthly issues)

*January 12, February 14, March 13, April 12, May 15, June 14, July 12, August 14, September 13, October 16, November 15, December 13.* Number of turkey eggs in incubators on first of current month, net poults placed, and poults hatched by month.

**Turkeys Raised**

*September 27.* Number of turkeys raised during preceding year and raised during current year, major States and U.S.

**Overview of the U.S. Turkey Industry**

*April 30, 2014.* This report presents 2008-2013 historical information on the U.S. turkey industry. NASS survey procedures and methodology are presented with a graphical interpretation of the data.

**Survey Methodology and Quality Measures.** Refer to page 25, NASS Survey Methodology and Quality Measures, for additional information. Additional reference: Methodology and Quality Measures.

**NASS Survey Methodology and Quality Measures**

Information about the methodology and quality of the agency's estimates are available to give users a better understanding of the data. NASS publishes Methodology and Quality Measures for several surveys regularly each year. These reports describe survey processes and provide measures of the quality of the survey results. The methodology typically describes the scope and purpose, survey timeline, sampling, data collection, editing, analysis, estimators, and estimation processes. Quality measures are typically described by U.S. and state sample sizes, survey response rates, weighted item response rates, and coefficients of variation (where appropriate) for select data items. Additional information to understand NASS estimates are published on the NASS web Understanding Agricultural Statistics. Some of these reports are: Understanding Crop Forecast This publication describes the general methodology used to prepare the crop forecasts. The Yield Forecasting Program in NASS describes statistical methodology of each survey used in the crop forecasts.

Census of Agriculture Methodology describes the methodology for the Census of Agriculture done every five years.



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