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2022 Indiana Popcorn Production

Popcorn acreage dropped from last year's record high, while prices and value of production rose, according to Nathaniel Warenski, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Indiana Field Office. Indiana growers planted 86,000 acres of popcorn in 2022, down 11,000 acres from 2021. A total of 85,000 acres were harvested, down 11,000 acres from last year. The 2022 average yield was 51.0 cwt per acre, down 1 cwt/acre from the previous year. Total production was 4.34 million cwt, down 13 percent from a year ago. The average price was \$25.00 per cwt, an increase of \$3.90 from the previous year's revised price. The crop value of production was a record high \$108 million, up 3 percent from last year.

Popcorn Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value - Indiana: 2018-2022

Year	Area planted (acres)	Area harvested (acres)	Yield per acre (cwt)	Production (1,000 cwt)	Price per cwt ¹ (dollars)	Value of production (1,000 dollars)
2018	79,000	78,000	48.0	3,744	16.30	61,027
2019	75,000	74,000	46.0	3,404	15.80	53,783
2020	94,000	94,000	49.0	4,606	15.90	73,235
2021	97,000	96,000	52.0	4,992	21.10	105,331
2022	86,000	85,000	51.0	4,335	25.00	108,375

¹ Marketing year average.

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