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## 2024 Indiana Popcorn Production

Indiana popcorn acreage decreased from the previous year, along with prices and total value of production, according to Nathaniel Warenski, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Indiana Field Office. Indiana growers planted 77,000 acres of popcorn in 2024, down 14,000 acres from 2023. A total of 76,000 acres were harvested, also down 14,000 acres from last year. The 2024 average yield was 52.0 cwt per acre, matching the State's record yield also seen in 2021 and 2023. Total production was 3.95 million cwt, down 16 percent from a year ago. The average price was \$17.00 per cwt, a decrease of \$4.50 from the previous year. The crop value of production was \$67.2 million, down 33 percent from last year.

### Popcorn Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value - Indiana: 2020-2024

Year	Area Planted (acres)	Area Harvested (acres)	Yield per acre (cwt)	Production (1,000 cwt)	Price per cwt <sup>1</sup> (dollars)	Value of production (1,000 dollars)
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	85,000	84,000	51.0	4,284	23.10	98,960
2023	91,000	90,000	52.0	4,680	21.50	100,620
2024	77,000	76,000	52.0	3,952	17.00	67,184

<sup>1</sup> Marketing year average.

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