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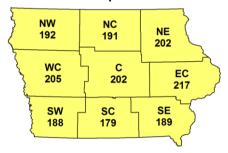
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**Corn** forecasted yield is down in all 9 Iowa districts from the October 1 forecast. East Central Iowa is anticipated to have the highest yield in the State, with 217 bushels per acre. The largest production is expected in West Central Iowa, at 388 million bushels.

**Soybean** yield is forecast to be down in all 9 Iowa districts from the October 1 forecast. East Central Iowa is expected to have the highest yield in the State, with 63.5 bushels per acre. The largest production is expected in West Central Iowa, at 90.7 million bushels.

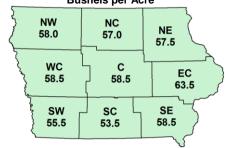
The forecasts in this report are based on November 1 conditions and do not reflect weather effects since that time. The next corn and soybean production estimates will be published in the *Crop Production – Annual Summary* report which will be released in January 2019.

## Corn Yield: November 1, 2018 Bushels per Acre



State Average: 198.0 bu/acre

#### Soybean Yield: November 1, 2018 Bushels per Acre



State Average: 58.0 bu/acre

#### Corn – Iowa Districts: Forecasted November 1, 2018

District	Harvested for Grain	Yield/acre <sup>1</sup>	Production	
	(1,000 acres)	(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	
NW	1,859	192.0	356,263	
NC	1,815	191.0	346,898	
NE	1,585	202.0	319,526	
WC C EC	1,888 1,863 1,350	205.0 202.0 217.0	387,620 376,289 292,872	
SW SC	1,020	188.0	191,476	
SE	497 873	179.0 189.0	88,735 164,821	
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State	12,750	198.0	2,524,500	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Yield rounded

# Soybeans – Iowa Districts: Forecasted November 1, 2018

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District	Harvested for Grain	Yield/acre <sup>1</sup>	Production
-	(1,000 acres)	(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
NW	1,565	58.0	90,693
NC	1,261	57.0	71,815
NE	799	57.5	45,903
WC C EC	1,550 1,433 950	58.5 58.5 63.5	90,699 83,780 60,278
SW	988	55.5	54,795
SC	589	53.5	31,502
SE	805	58.5	47,055
State	9,940	58.0	576,520

<sup>1</sup> Yield rounded