

OFF-FARM AND ON-FARM GRAIN STORAGE CAPACITY

Capacity of off-farm commercial grain storage totaled 8.42 billion bushels in the United States on December 1, 2001, up 1 percent from December 1, 2000. Seventeen States and New England showed increases from a year earlier, 22 States recorded decreases in capacity, and three States were unchanged.

Illinois continued to lead all States in off-farm storage capacity, followed by Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Texas. The top five States accounted for 52 percent of the Nation's off-farm storage capacity on December 1, 2001. Kentucky ranks 24th among States reporting capacity, with 58.7 million bushels.

U.S. off-farm storage facilities totaled 9,695 on December 1, 2001, down 1 percent from December 1, 2000. Kentucky ranks 19th, with 191 facilities, a decrease of 6 facilities since December 1, 2000.

The United States on-farm storage capacity totaled 11.2 billion bushels on December 1, 2001, down slightly from December 1, 2000. Kentucky on-farm grain storage capacity totaled 160 million bushels, down 6 percent from December 1, 2000.

KENTUCKY OFF-FARM & ON-FARM GRAIN STORAGE CAPACITY, DECEMBER 1, 1990 - 2001

DATE	Off-Farm Storage		On-Farm Storage
	Number of Facilities	Rated Storage Capacity	Rated Storage Capacity
(December 1)		(1,000 Bu.)	(1,000 Bu.)
1990	262	61,350	190,000
1995	236	55,510	170,000
1996	233	57,820	190,000
1997	229	59,250	180,000
1998	218	58,870	180,000
1999	217	59,200	180,000
2000 <u>1/</u>	197	58,030	170,000
2001	191	58,650	160,000

SELECTED STATES OFF-FARM & ON-FARM GRAIN STORAGE CAPACITY DECEMBER 1, 2000 - 2001

STATE	Number of Off-Farm Facilities		Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity		Rated On-Farm Storage Capacity	
	2000 <u>1/</u>	2001	2000 <u>1/</u>	2001	2000 <u>1/</u>	2001
			(1,000 Bu.)		(1,000 Bu.)	
Illinois	1,000	995	1,115,880	1,127,400	1,230,000	1,210,000
Indiana	430	425	381,086	370,080	640,000	670,000
KENTUCKY	197	191	58,030	58,650	170,000	160,000
Missouri	441	420	225,970	224,860	420,000	420,000
Ohio	480	467	348,190	353,030	430,000	440,000
Tennessee	210	207	56,792	56,084	65,000	65,000
U.S.	9,830	9,695	8,348,996	8,419,880	11,195,000	11,175,000

1/Revised. Off-farm capacity data includes all elevators, warehouses, terminals, merchant mills, other storage and oilseed crushers which store grain, soybeans, sunflower seeds, or flaxseed. On-farm capacity data includes all bins, cribs, sheds, and other structures normally used to store whole grains or oilseeds located on farms.