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## NEBRASKA CROP PRODUCTION REPORT

**LINCOLN, Neb. November 8, 2024** - Based on November 1 conditions, Nebraska's 2024 **corn** crop is forecast at 1.88 billion bushels, up 9% from last year's production, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. If realized, this would be a new record production. Area to be harvested for grain, at 9.70 million acres, is up 2% from a year ago. Yield is forecast at 194 bushels per acre, up 12 bushels from last year, and would tie the record yield high if realized.

**Sorghum** production is forecast at 21.9 million bushels, up 33% from last year. Area for harvest, at 230,000 acres, is up 2% from 2023. Yield is forecast at 95 bushels per acre, up 22 bushels from last year.

**Soybean** production is forecast at 310 million bushels, up 16% from last year. Area for harvest, at 5.25 million acres, is up 1% from 2023. Yield is forecast at 59 bushels per acre, up 7.5 bushels from last year.

**Sugarbeet** production is forecast at 1.47 million tons, up 10% from last year. Area for harvest, at 46,700 acres, is up slightly from 2023. Yield is forecast at 31.4 tons per acre, up 2.8 tons from last year.

**Potato** acres of 21,000 were planted in 2024, down 5%. Harvested acreage is set at 20,900 acres, down 5%. Production is forecast at 9.93 million cwt, down 7% from last year. Yield is forecast at 475 cwt per acre, down 15 cwt from last year.

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