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NORTH DAKOTA DECEMBER 1, 2023 GRAIN AND HAY STOCKS

FARGO, N.D. January 12, 2024 - All wheat stored in all positions in North Dakota on December 1, 2023 totaled 218 million bushels, up 3% from a year ago, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. On-farm stocks of 139 million bushels are down 1% from 2022 and off-farm stocks of 78.7 million bushels are up 10% from last year.

Durum wheat stored in all positions totaled 15.9 million bushels, down 15% from a year ago.

Barley totaled 43.1 million bushels. Of the total 28.5 million bushels are stored on farms, down 14% from last year. Off-farm stocks 14.6 million bushels.

Corn stocks totaled 424 million bushels, up 61% from 2022. Of the total, 285 million bushels are stored on farms, up 84% from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 139 million bushels, are up 29% from last year.

Soybeans stored in all positions totaled 117 million bushels, up 23% from last year. On-farm stocks of 58.0 million bushels are up 26% from a year ago, while off-farm stocks, at 58.5 million bushels, are up 21% from 2022.

Oats stocks on farm stocks, at 4.10 million bushels, are down 28% from a year ago.

Hay stocks on North Dakota farms totaled 4.25 million tons on December 1, 2023, up 29% from a year earlier.

Grain storage capacity in North Dakota totaled 1.39 billion bushels, unchanged from December 1, 2022. Total grain storage capacity is comprised of 930 million bushels of on-farm storage, unchanged from last year, and 460 million bushels of off-farm storage, unchanged from 2022.

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