



News Release

Ohio October Crop Production

Ohio corn and soybean producers expect smaller yields this year, according to Cheryl Turner, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Ohio Field Office. The October Crop Production Report is based on conditions as of October 1, 2022. Some highlights of the report follow:

- Ohio expected corn yield is down 6 bushels from last year to 187 bushels per acre. Total production is forecast at 583 million bushels, down 10 percent from last year.
- Ohio soybean production is expected to total 279 million bushels, up slightly from last year. The yield is forecast at 55 bushels per acre, down 2 bushels from last year.
- Nationally, 2022 corn production for grain is forecast at 13.9 billion bushels, down less than 1 percent from the previous forecast and down 8 percent from 2021. Based on conditions as of October 1, yields are expected to average 171.9 bushels per harvested acre, down 0.6 bushel from the previous forecast and down 4.8 bushels from last year. After a thorough review of all available data, acreage estimates are unchanged from last month. Total planted area, at 88.6 million acres, is unchanged from the previous estimate but down 5 percent from the previous year. Area harvested for grain, forecast at 80.8 million acres, is unchanged from the previous forecast but down 5 percent from the previous year.
- U.S. 2022 soybean production for beans is forecast at 4.31 billion bushels, down 1 percent from the previous forecast and down 3 percent from 2021. Based on conditions as of October 1, yields are expected to average 49.8 bushels per acre, down 0.7 bushel from the previous forecast and down 1.9 bushels from 2021. After a thorough review of all available data, acreage estimates are unchanged from last month. Total planted area, at 87.5 million acres, is unchanged from the previous estimate but up less than 1 percent from the previous year. Area harvested for beans in the United States is forecast at 86.6 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but up less than 1 percent from 2021.

Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production by Crop - Ohio and United States: 2021 - 2022

Commodity	Ohio		United States	
	2021	2022	2021	2022
Corn, all				
Planted 1,000 acres	3,550	3,350	93,252	88,608
Corn, grain				
Harvested 1,000 acres	3,340	3,120	85,318	80,844
Yield Bushels	193.0	187.0	176.7	171.9
Production 1,000 bu	644,620	583,440	15,073,820	13,895,176
Hay, alfalfa				
Harvested 1,000 acres	300	300	15,246	15,465
Yield Tons	3.10	3.40	3.23	3.16
Production 1,000 tons	930	1,020	49,245	48,820
Hay, other				
Harvested 1,000 acres	570	570	35,490	36,042
Yield Tons	2.50	2.00	2.00	1.75
Production 1,000 tons	1,425	1,140	70,951	63,241
Soybeans				
Planted 1,000 acres	4,900	5,100	87,195	87,455
Harvested 1,000 acres	4,880	5,080	86,312	86,631
Yield Bushels	57.0	55.0	51.7	49.8
Production 1,000 bu	278,160	279,400	4,465,382	4,312,949

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