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European Union: Estimated Corn Yield Lowest Since 2003 Drought

The USDA forecasts 2007/08 European Union (EU-27) corn production at 48.4 million tons,

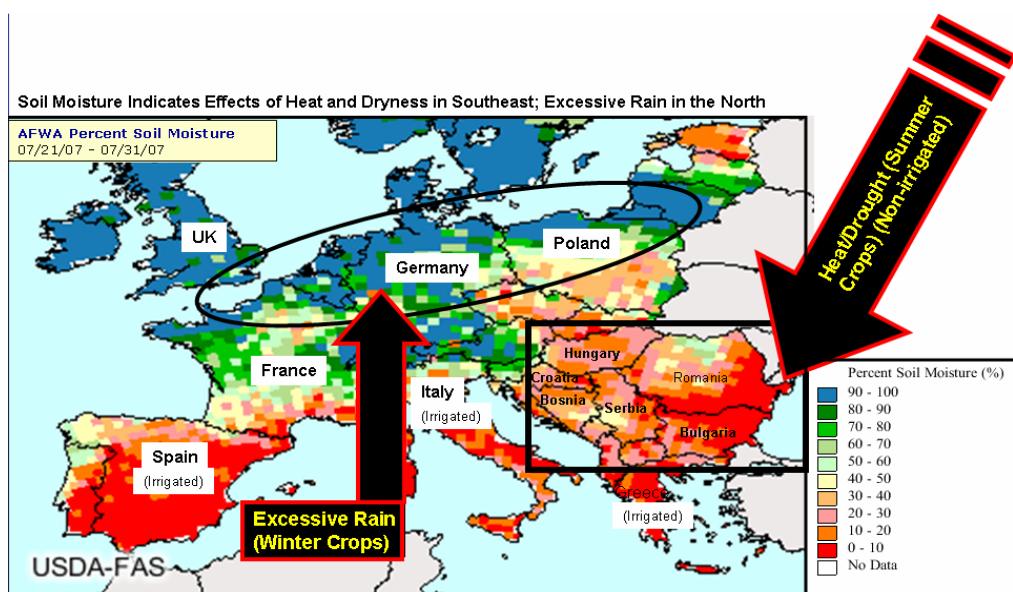
6.8 million below last month's estimate and 9.2 million below the five-year average.

Harvested area is forecast at 8.4 million hectares, 0.2 million below last month and 0.3 million below last year. Yield is estimated at 5.76 tons per hectare, the lowest projection since the damaging heat and dryness of the 2003/04 season.

Severe drought and extremely high temperatures prevailed in southern and central areas of the European continent during spring and summer, resulting in large significant soil-moisture deficits. Europe recorded one of its warmest springs in history, followed by record-setting heat during June and July. The dryness hampered corn planting, and the heat greatly accelerated plant development.

Analysts from the USDA Foreign Agricultural Service observed evidence of stress to corn in southeastern Europe during July crop travel. The excessive July heat resulted in poor or variable pollination, which will result in fewer kernels and lower yields.

Although the non-irrigated corn crop in southeastern European has been devastated by drought – with output in Bulgaria and Romania forecast to drop by as much as 50 percent – the two leading corn-producing countries in the EU largely escaped the heat and dryness. France, the leading corn producer, experienced favorable weather with frequent rainfall and moderate temperatures throughout the season. In Italy, the second-highest producer, corn is largely irrigated and less dependent on seasonal precipitation. (*For additional information, contact Bryan Purcell at 202-690-0138.*)



European Union Sunflowerseed: Drought in Southeastern EU Reduces Yield

Estimated production of sunflowerseed, another important summer crop grown in the Balkans, was reduced by 1.0 million tons from last month to a record low 4.7 million. The 2007/08 EU-27 sunseed yield is estimated at 1.31 tons per hectare, the lowest in over 10 years, because of the extreme heat and severe dryness in southeast Europe. The sharpest yield reductions were in Romania and Bulgaria. (*For additional information, contact Bryan Purcell at 202-690-0138.*)

Russia Wheat: Favorable Conditions in Spring-Wheat Region Boosts Yield Prospects

Russia wheat production for 2007/08 is estimated at 45.5 million tons, up 0.5 million from last month and up 0.6 million from last year. The increase is based on excellent weather in Russia's spring-wheat zone, including the Western Siberian, Ural, and Volga Districts. Precipitation has been above-average throughout the growing season to date, and the weather has been warm but without excessive temperatures. Spring wheat typically accounts for roughly 60 percent of Russia's total wheat area, but only 40 percent of total wheat output due to its inherently lower yield than winter wheat. Harvest typically begins in late August. The harvest of winter wheat, which is grown in European Russia, is essentially complete in the Southern District (the main winter-wheat region) and is in progress in the Central and Volga Districts. Reported yield is down from last year in the Southern District, due to persistent drought and excessive heat, but yields are up in the Central and Volga Districts. (*For more information, contact Mark Lindeman at 202-690-0143.*)

Canada Wheat: Estimated Production Down 15 Percent from Last Year

The USDA forecasts Canada wheat production for 2007/08 at 21.50 million metric tons, down 1.0 million from last month and down nearly 3.8 million or 15 percent from last year's production. Harvested area is forecast at 8.62 million hectares, unchanged from last month's estimate but down nearly 11 percent from last year. Yield is estimated at 2.49 tons per hectare, down 5 percent from last month following hot, dry July weather across the southern portion of Canada's western provinces, especially Saskatchewan and Alberta. Despite the recent unfavorable weather, estimated yield remains slightly above average.

According to data from Statistics Canada, farmers reduced planted area for 2007/08 wheat and shifted to higher-priced commodities including canola. The U.S. agricultural attaché in Ottawa reports a 19-percent drop in the planted area of spring wheat and a 2-percent drop in winter wheat. Planting delays resulting from wet spring weather contributed to the lower planting intentions for spring wheat, as some farmers switched to shorter-season crops like barley and oats. (*For additional information, contact Arnella Trent at 202-720-0881.*)

Russia Corn: Persistent Drought Reduces Yield Forecast

Russia corn production for 2007/08 is estimated at 3.5 million tons, down 1.0 million from last month and down 0.1 million from last year. Excessive heat and dryness in Krasnodar and Rostov, the country's top two corn-producing territories, has sharply reduced both estimated yield and the estimated harvested area. Planted corn area for 2007/08 increased by 0.4 million hectares from last year, to 1.48 million hectares, but severe drought will likely result in a significant portion of the planted area being cut for silage in August rather than harvested for grain in the fall. The USDA forecasts harvested area at 1.25 million hectares (against 1.0 million last year), and yield at 2.80 (3.60 last year) tons per hectare. (*For more information, contact Mark Lindeman at 202-690-0143.*)

Ukraine Barley: Estimated Barley Yield Lowest in Over 40 Years

Persistent drought and excessive heat have driven estimated Ukraine barley yield to the lowest level since 1963. Production of barley for 2007/08 is estimated at 6.2 million tons, down 1.3 million from last month and down 5.2 million from last year's bumper crop. Yield is estimated at 1.41 tons per hectare against 1.60 tons last month and 2.18 tons last year. The spring barley crop, which typically accounts for about 90 percent of the country's barley output, has suffered from drought throughout the growing season. With harvest about 85 percent complete as of August 2, official harvest reports indicate yield down 40 percent from the same date last year. (*For more information, contact Mark Lindeman at 202-690-0143.*)

Russia Sunflowerseed: Sharp Drop in Planted Area

Russia sunflowerseed production for 2007/08 is estimated at 5.7 million tons, against 6.7 million last month and 6.75 million last year. The reduction is based chiefly on data from Rosstat, Russia's official statistical agency, citing final planted area for 2007/08 at 5.3 million hectares (compared to 6.1 million last year). The USDA forecasts harvested area at 5.1 million hectares down from 5.9 million last year. Typically, between 4 and 10 percent of the planted area is not harvested, although the percentage of harvested area has been unusually high over the past 3 years due in large part to favorable harvest weather. Estimated yield was reduced by 3 percent this month, to 1.12 tons per hectare, due to persistent dryness and excessive July temperatures in the Southern District, the country's key sunflowerseed production region. A sharp increase in the use of hybrid planting seed in recent years has benefited the drought and disease resistance of Russia's sunflowerseed crops. (*For more information, contact Mark Lindeman at 202-690-0143.*)

Canada Barley: Average Yield Forecast Despite Heat Wave

The USDA estimates Canada barley production for 2007/08 at 11.5 million metric tons, down 0.5 million from last month but up 1.9 million from last year. Harvested area is forecast at 3.9 million hectares, unchanged from last month but up 9 percent from last year. Yield is estimated slightly above average, at 2.93 tons per hectare, up 1 percent from last year's level. Estimated yield was reduced by 4 percent from last month due to dryness and high temperatures across the southern portion of the western provinces, especially Saskatchewan and Alberta, but is still near

the five-year average. The U.S. agricultural attaché in Ottawa reports that planting intentions increased 20 percent from 2006 due to strong demand from the feed sector. Livestock producers are switching from corn to barley, because of cost. In addition, some farmers shifted from wheat production to shorter-season crops, including canola, due to harvest delays following wet spring weather. (*For additional information, contact Arnella Trent at 202-720-0881.*)

Canada Rapeseed: Slight Yield Reduction on Record Area

The USDA estimates Canada rapeseed production for 2007/08 at 9.0 million tons, down 5 percent from last month, but up 6 percent from last year. Estimated yield was reduced by 5 percent to 1.55 tons per hectare, slightly below average and 9 percent below last year. Hot and dry weather placed stress on flowering canola plants across the southern portions of Canada's western provinces during July, but the U.S. agricultural attaché in Ottawa indicates that rapeseed yields likely will be only marginally affected by the unfavorable weather.

Harvested area is forecast at 5.80 million hectares, up 16 percent from last year and slightly surpassing the record 1994/95 area of 5.76 million. According to the agricultural attaché, the sharp year-to-year increase in planted area was driven in part by favorable prices for rapeseed, which encouraged farmers to switch from wheat. (*For additional information, contact Arnella Trent at 202-720-0881.*)

Malaysia Palm Oil Output Drops in 2006/07

Malaysia palm oil production for 2006/07 is estimated at 15.35 million tons, down 0.45 million from last month and down 0.13 million from last year due to lower than expected yields. Cumulative monthly production from October 2006 through June 2007 is estimated at 10.77 million tons, down 0.19 million from the same period last year. Although production is expected to increase each month from July through September, total output for 2006/07 is unlikely to reach last year's level of 15.48 million tons. (*For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.*)

Lower Yields Expected for China's 2007/08 Soybean Crop

China's 2007/08 soybean crop is estimated at 15.2 million tons, down 0.4 million or 3 percent from last month and down 1.0 million or 6 percent from last year. The revision is based on lower forecast yields. The weather was unfavorably hot and dry for soybeans and other summer crops in Heilongjiang, eastern Inner Mongolia, and western Jilin during July and early August. Meanwhile, excessive rainfall in central China caused locally serious flooding in parts of Anhui, Jiangsu, Hubei, Sichuan, Chongqing and Henan provinces. The revised yield of 1.73 tons per hectare is lower than last year but close to the five-year average. Estimated soybean area for 2007/08 is unchanged this month at 8.8 million hectares, but down 0.5 million from 2006/07. Chinese farmers made a major shift in planted area from soybeans to corn this year in response to high corn prices and strong demand by the industrial sector. (*For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.*)

Brazil: Record Cotton Production Forecast for 2006/07

The USDA estimates Brazil cotton production for 2006/07 at a record of 7.0 million bales, up 8 percent from last month and up 49 percent from last year. Harvested area is forecast at 1.09 million hectares, up 3 percent from last month and up 29 percent from last year. Yield is forecast at a record 1390 kilograms per hectare, up 7 percent from last month and up 15 percent from last year.

Mato Grosso is the highest producing state and accounts for 51 percent of the country's total cotton output. Bahia and Goias are the second and third highest at 30 and 7 percent of the crop, respectively. Harvesting has resumed in Mato Grosso, where rain during the end of July briefly interrupted field work. To date, approximately 60 percent of the crop has been harvested. In Goais, the harvest is estimated to be about half complete, and a reported 70 percent of the crop has been harvested in the southern states of Parana and Sao Paulo.

Cotton area for 2006/07 increased by approximately 50 percent in Mato Grosso and Mato Grosso du Sul due to low corn and soybean prices at the time of planting. In contrast, states in the South and Southeast saw large reductions in cotton area as producers switched from cotton to sugar cane. The U.S. agricultural attaché in Sao Paolo reported earlier this season that Brazilian farmers increased the use of fertilizer, pesticides, and other inputs on cotton and the second corn crop (*safrinha*), which will likely boost yields for both crops. In addition, the shift in cotton area from the less productive South to the more productive North (i.e., Mato Grosso) will likely contribute towards a record yield. (*For additional information, contact Curt Reynolds at 202-690-0134.*)

European Union: Record Rapeseed Production Forecast Despite Unfavorable Weather

The USDA forecasts the 2007/08 European Union (EU-27) rapeseed crop at a record 17.2 million tons, down 1.1 million tons or 6 percent from last month, but up 8 percent or 1.2 million tons from last year's record production. Yield is forecast at 2.75 tons per hectare, down from last month's estimated 2.93 tons per hectare, and down from last year's 2.98 tons per hectare. The estimated yield is the lowest since the 2003/04 drought. Harvested area is forecast to increase for the fourth consecutive year to a record 6.2 million hectares. The traditional rapeseed-producing countries lie in northern Europe, and all have increased rapeseed area for 2007/08. The crop is primarily autumn-sown.

Excessive May precipitation throughout northern Europe reversed earlier dryness. The heavy rain resulted in localized flooding, harvest delays, and likely reductions in potential yield and crop quality. Estimated rapeseed output has been reduced from last month for several of the major producers, including Germany (down by 0.4 million tons to estimated production of 4.9 million), France (down by 0.2 million to 4.8 million), and the United Kingdom (down by 0.15 million to 1.9 million).

Rapeseed area continues to rise significantly every year in response to increased demand for biodiesel. Diesel is the primary transit fuel within the EU, and with an approaching EU energy mandate, high petroleum prices, and increased crushing capacity, more farmers are sowing

rapeseed to meet demand. Its growing popularity has extended into non-traditional rapeseed countries such as Bulgaria and Romania. Although comprising just a small overall total acreage, area is increasing two- and- three fold in these countries as they strive to increase participation in the EU biodiesel program. (*For additional information, contact Bryan Purcell at 202-690-0138.*)

This report uses information from the Foreign Agricultural Service's (FAS) global network of agricultural attachés and counselors, official statistics of foreign governments and other foreign source materials, and the analysis of economic data and satellite imagery. Estimates of foreign area, yield, and production are from the International Production Assessment Branch, FAS, and are reviewed by USDA's Inter-Agency Commodity Estimates Committee. Estimates of U.S. area, yield, and production are from USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Numbers within the report may not add to totals because of rounding. This report reflects official USDA estimates released in the World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates (WASDE-449), August 10, 2007.

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Conversion Table

Metric tons to bushels

Wheat, soybeans	=	MT * 36.7437
Corn, sorghum, rye	=	MT * 39.36825
Barley	=	MT * 45.929625
Oats	=	MT * 68.894438

Metric tons to 480-lb bales

Cotton	=	MT * 4.592917
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Metric tons to hundredweight

Rice	=	MT * 22.04622
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Area & weight

1 hectare	=	2.471044 acres
1 kilogram	=	2.204622 pounds

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Table 01 World Crop Production Summary
1000 Metric Tons

Commodity	World -	Total Foreign	North America			EU-25 -	Former Soviet		Asia (WAP)				South America		Selected Other			All Others	
		United States	Canada -	Mexico -	Russia -		Ukraine -	China -	India -	Indonesia	Paki-stan	Thai-land	Argen-tina	Brazil -	Aus-tralia	South Africa	Turkey -		
---Million metric tons---																			
Wheat																			
2005/06	622.6	565.4	57.3	26.8	3.0	123.0	47.7	18.7	97.5	68.6	nr	21.6	nr	14.5	4.9	25.4	1.9	18.5	93.3
2006/07 prel.	593.0	543.7	49.3	25.3	3.2	116.9	44.9	14.0	104.0	69.4	nr	21.7	nr	15.2	2.2	9.9	2.1	17.5	97.4
2007/08 proj.																			
Jul	612.3	554.1	58.2	22.5	3.3	121.0	45.0	13.0	105.0	73.7	nr	23.0	nr	14.0	3.8	23.0	1.8	16.0	89.0
Aug	610.4	552.9	57.5	21.5	3.3	119.9	45.5	13.3	105.0	74.9	nr	23.0	nr	14.0	3.6	23.0	1.7	15.5	88.7
Coarse Grains																			
2005/06	978.3	679.6	298.8	25.9	25.8	132.6	27.6	18.1	147.7	34.0	6.5	1.8	4.1	19.2	44.2	13.7	7.3	11.9	159.0
2006/07 prel.	979.1	699.0	280.1	23.1	28.7	127.0	30.2	19.2	153.6	34.2	6.7	2.0	3.9	27.5	52.6	5.8	6.9	11.1	166.5
2007/08 proj.																			
Jul	1,065.6	721.9	343.8	27.9	29.4	134.4	30.8	15.4	156.4	34.4	7.0	2.0	4.0	29.0	52.9	12.8	11.0	11.6	162.9
Aug	1,059.8	709.7	350.1	27.4	29.4	131.5	29.8	14.1	156.4	34.9	7.0	2.0	4.0	29.0	52.9	12.8	11.0	11.6	156.0
Rice, Milled																			
2005/06	418.0	410.9	7.1	nr	0.2	1.7	0.4	0.1	126.4	91.8	35.0	5.5	18.2	0.8	7.9	0.7	nr	0.4	122.0
2006/07 prel.	418.1	411.8	6.2	nr	0.2	1.7	0.4	0.1	128.0	92.8	33.3	5.2	18.3	0.7	7.7	0.1	nr	0.4	123.0
2007/08 proj.																			
Jul	420.8	414.7	6.1	nr	0.2	1.7	0.5	0.1	129.7	91.5	34.0	5.4	18.4	0.8	7.9	0.1	nr	0.4	124.3
Aug	421.2	415.1	6.1	nr	0.2	1.6	0.5	0.1	129.7	92.0	34.0	5.3	18.4	0.8	7.9	0.1	nr	0.4	124.3
Total Grains																			
2005/06	2,019.0	1,655.8	363.2	52.7	29.0	257.3	75.7	36.9	371.6	194.5	41.5	29.0	22.3	34.5	56.9	39.7	9.2	30.8	374.3
2006/07 prel.	1,990.1	1,654.5	335.7	48.4	32.2	245.5	75.5	33.2	385.6	196.3	40.0	28.9	22.1	43.4	62.5	15.8	9.0	29.1	386.9
2007/08 proj.																			
Jul	2,098.7	1,690.7	408.0	50.4	32.8	257.1	76.3	28.5	391.1	199.6	41.0	30.4	22.4	43.7	64.5	35.9	12.8	28.0	376.1
Aug	2,091.4	1,677.7	413.8	48.9	32.8	253.0	75.8	27.4	391.1	201.8	41.0	30.3	22.4	43.7	64.3	35.9	12.6	27.5	369.0
Oilseeds																			
2005/06	391.0	295.4	95.5	12.9	0.7	20.9	7.4	5.6	56.4	30.6	7.7	5.1	0.5	45.0	59.1	2.5	1.1	2.0	37.8
2006/07 prel.	405.0	308.4	96.6	12.1	0.6	21.3	8.0	6.8	58.2	29.9	7.9	5.3	0.6	51.6	61.9	1.0	0.6	2.2	40.5
2007/08 proj.																			
Jul	395.7	315.5	80.2	12.7	0.6	22.8	8.0	6.2	56.3	32.6	8.2	5.5	0.6	51.9	63.6	1.8	1.0	2.2	41.4
Aug	391.3	311.2	80.2	12.2	0.6	21.6	7.0	6.0	55.9	32.6	8.2	5.5	0.6	51.9	63.6	1.8	1.0	2.1	40.4
Cotton																			
2005/06	115.7	91.8	23.9	nr	0.6	2.5	nr	nr	27.5	19.1	0.0	10.2	0.1	0.6	4.7	2.8	0.1	3.6	20.1
2006/07 prel.	119.2	97.7	21.6	nr	0.7	1.6	nr	nr	32.5	21.8	0.0	9.9	0.0	0.8	7.0	1.1	0.1	4.0	18.1
2007/08 proj.																			
Jul	115.8	98.3	17.5	nr	0.7	1.7	nr	nr	32.5	22.5	0.0	10.4	0.0	0.8	6.0	0.9	0.1	3.7	19.0
Aug	115.9	98.6	17.3	nr	0.7	1.5	nr	nr	32.5	23.0	0.0	10.4	0.0	0.8	6.2	0.9	0.1	3.6	18.8

1/ Includes wheat, coarse grains, and rice (milled) shown above.

Table 02 Wheat Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	218.83	212.56	217.22	217.26	2.85	2.79	2.82	2.81	622.64	592.98	612.27	610.40	-1.87	-0.31	17.42	2.94
United States	20.28	18.94	21.24	21.08	2.82	2.60	2.74	2.73	57.28	49.32	58.19	57.53	-0.66	-1.13	8.22	16.66
Total Foreign	198.55	193.61	195.98	196.18	2.85	2.81	2.83	2.82	565.36	543.67	554.07	552.86	-1.21	-0.22	9.20	1.69
China, Peoples	22.79	23.20	23.10	23.10	4.28	4.48	4.55	4.55	97.45	104.00	105.00	105.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.96
South Asia																
India	26.50	26.40	27.60	28.00	2.59	2.63	2.67	2.67	68.64	69.35	73.70	74.89	1.19	1.61	5.54	7.99
Pakistan	8.36	8.36	8.40	8.40	2.59	2.60	2.74	2.74	21.61	21.70	23.00	23.00	0.00	0.00	1.30	5.99
Afghanistan	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.20	1.94	2.00	2.00	2.00	4.27	4.40	4.40	4.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	25.40	23.70	24.00	24.00	1.88	1.89	1.88	1.90	47.70	44.90	45.00	45.50	0.50	1.11	0.60	1.34
Ukraine	6.57	5.50	6.00	6.00	2.85	2.55	2.17	2.22	18.70	14.00	13.00	13.30	0.30	2.31	-0.70	-5.00
Kazakhstan, Republic	11.80	12.40	12.75	12.75	0.93	1.09	1.06	1.10	11.00	13.50	13.50	14.00	0.50	3.70	0.50	3.70
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.45	1.30	1.30	1.30	4.00	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.80	5.85	5.85	5.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
European Union																
France	5.29	5.26	5.30	5.30	6.98	6.74	7.09	6.98	36.90	35.47	37.60	37.00	-0.60	-1.60	1.53	4.32
Germany	3.17	3.12	3.04	3.04	7.46	7.20	7.23	7.13	23.69	22.43	22.00	21.70	-0.30	-1.36	-0.73	-3.25
United Kingdom	1.87	1.83	1.91	1.91	7.96	8.04	7.96	7.96	14.86	14.74	15.20	15.20	0.00	0.00	0.47	3.16
Poland	2.22	2.18	2.10	2.10	3.95	3.24	3.57	3.57	8.77	7.06	7.50	7.50	0.00	0.00	0.44	6.23
Italy	2.03	1.77	2.06	2.06	3.49	3.68	3.25	3.25	7.08	6.51	6.70	6.70	0.00	0.00	0.19	2.89
Spain	2.25	1.96	1.98	1.98	1.70	2.85	3.33	3.33	3.82	5.58	6.60	6.60	0.00	0.00	1.02	18.36
Denmark	0.68	0.68	0.68	0.68	7.15	6.95	7.13	7.13	4.83	4.76	4.85	4.85	0.00	0.00	0.09	1.98
Hungary	1.13	1.08	1.12	1.12	4.51	4.06	3.57	3.40	5.10	4.38	4.00	3.80	-0.20	-5.00	-0.58	-13.22
Canada	9.83	9.68	8.62	8.62	2.72	2.61	2.61	2.49	26.78	25.27	22.50	21.50	-1.00	-4.44	-3.77	-14.90
Australia	12.54	11.20	13.00	13.00	2.02	0.88	1.77	1.77	25.37	9.90	23.00	23.00	0.00	0.00	13.10	132.32
Middle East																
Turkey	8.60	8.60	8.60	8.60	2.15	2.03	1.86	1.80	18.50	17.50	16.00	15.50	-0.50	-3.13	-2.00	-11.43
Iran	6.95	6.90	6.90	6.90	2.09	2.14	2.17	2.17	14.50	14.80	15.00	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	1.35
Syria	1.70	1.70	1.70	1.70	2.76	2.47	2.35	2.35	4.70	4.20	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-4.76
North Africa																
Egypt	1.26	1.29	1.29	1.29	6.50	6.43	6.45	6.45	8.18	8.27	8.32	8.32	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.56
Morocco	2.97	3.11	2.57	2.57	1.03	2.04	0.58	0.58	3.04	6.33	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	-4.83	-76.29
Argentina	5.00	5.29	5.00	5.00	2.90	2.88	2.80	2.80	14.50	15.20	14.00	14.00	0.00	0.00	-1.20	-7.89
Other Europe																
Serbia	0.00	0.54	0.56	0.56	0.00	3.45	3.24	3.24	0.00	1.88	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-4.00
Others	26.00	24.38	24.20	24.00	2.68	2.53	2.48	2.46	69.57	61.71	60.05	58.95	-1.10	-1.83	-2.76	-4.47

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Table 03 Total Coarse Grain Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	301.34	303.53	316.84	315.91	3.25	3.23	3.36	3.35	978.31	979.07	1,065.6	1,059.83	-5.80	-0.54	80.76	8.25
United States	34.89	32.53	39.49	39.49	8.56	8.61	8.71	8.87	298.76	280.11	343.78	350.14	6.37	1.85	70.03	25.00
Total Foreign	266.45	271.00	277.35	276.42	2.55	2.58	2.60	2.57	679.55	698.96	721.85	709.69	-12.16	-1.69	10.73	1.53
North and South																
Canada	6.57	6.19	7.11	7.11	3.95	3.74	3.93	3.86	25.94	23.15	27.94	27.44	-0.50	-1.79	4.30	18.56
Mexico	8.58	9.36	9.56	9.56	3.01	3.07	3.07	3.07	25.83	28.73	29.38	29.38	0.00	0.00	0.65	2.26
Argentina	3.47	4.07	4.51	4.51	5.55	6.77	6.42	6.42	19.22	27.54	28.97	28.97	0.00	0.00	1.44	5.21
Brazil	14.14	14.92	15.34	15.34	3.12	3.52	3.45	3.45	44.17	52.56	52.86	52.86	0.00	0.00	0.30	0.57
European Union																
France	3.83	3.72	3.77	3.77	7.08	6.89	7.01	7.07	27.10	25.59	26.47	26.67	0.20	0.76	1.08	4.22
Germany	3.67	3.59	3.61	3.61	6.08	5.87	5.71	5.71	22.29	21.05	20.63	20.63	0.00	0.00	-0.42	-2.00
Poland	6.04	6.13	5.98	5.98	2.99	2.39	3.00	3.00	18.07	14.66	17.95	17.95	0.00	0.00	3.30	22.48
Czech Republic	0.78	0.74	0.77	0.77	4.47	3.88	4.25	4.25	3.50	2.87	3.26	3.26	0.00	0.00	0.39	13.75
Hungary	1.78	1.75	1.86	1.76	6.04	5.65	5.24	3.72	10.73	9.88	9.73	6.53	-3.20	-32.87	-3.35	-33.87
Lithuania	0.56	0.58	0.62	0.62	2.54	1.77	2.44	2.44	1.41	1.03	1.51	1.51	0.00	0.00	0.47	45.83
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	16.20	17.10	17.60	17.45	1.70	1.77	1.75	1.71	27.60	30.20	30.80	29.80	-1.00	-3.25	-0.40	-1.32
Ukraine	7.19	7.82	7.49	7.15	2.52	2.45	2.06	1.97	18.14	19.18	15.41	14.05	-1.36	-8.83	-5.13	-26.73
Kazakhstan, Republic	1.97	2.17	2.18	2.18	1.03	1.12	1.15	1.15	2.02	2.42	2.52	2.52	0.00	0.00	0.10	3.93
China, Peoples	29.13	29.85	30.66	30.66	5.07	5.14	5.10	5.10	147.70	153.56	156.40	156.40	0.00	0.00	2.84	1.85
Romania	3.65	3.15	3.06	2.97	3.25	3.06	2.78	1.84	11.88	9.64	8.53	5.48	-3.05	-35.76	-4.16	-43.18
Turkey	4.81	4.66	4.81	4.81	2.49	2.39	2.42	2.42	11.95	11.15	11.65	11.65	0.00	0.00	0.50	4.49
India	27.86	27.60	28.27	28.27	1.22	1.24	1.22	1.23	34.04	34.16	34.44	34.91	0.47	1.36	0.75	2.20
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	3.31	3.30	3.40	3.40	1.96	2.03	2.06	2.06	6.50	6.70	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	0.30	4.48
Philippines	2.50	2.64	2.65	2.65	2.36	2.38	2.30	2.30	5.90	6.29	6.10	6.10	0.00	0.00	-0.19	-2.99
Thailand	1.15	1.05	1.07	1.07	3.55	3.70	3.73	3.73	4.10	3.89	3.99	3.99	0.00	0.00	0.10	2.57
Australia	6.36	5.42	6.28	6.28	2.15	1.06	2.04	2.04	13.67	5.76	12.81	12.81	0.00	0.00	7.05	122.50
South Africa,	2.88	3.68	4.18	4.18	2.54	1.88	2.63	2.63	7.31	6.93	10.97	10.97	0.00	0.00	4.04	58.25
Others	110.05	111.55	112.58	112.33	1.73	1.81	1.80	1.77	190.50	202.05	202.55	198.82	-3.72	-1.84	-3.23	-1.60

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Table 04 Corn Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	145.72	148.45	159.52	158.92	4.78	4.73	4.87	4.85	696.18	702.16	777.10	771.50	-5.60	-0.72	69.34	9.87
United States	30.40	28.59	34.57	34.57	9.29	9.36	9.44	9.59	282.31	267.60	326.15	331.58	5.43	1.66	63.98	23.91
Total Foreign	115.32	119.86	124.95	124.35	3.59	3.63	3.61	3.54	413.87	434.57	450.95	439.92	-11.03	-2.44	5.36	1.23
China, Peoples	26.36	27.00	27.80	27.80	5.29	5.37	5.32	5.32	139.37	145.00	148.00	148.00	0.00	0.00	3.00	2.07
South America																
Brazil	12.90	13.70	14.00	14.00	3.23	3.65	3.57	3.57	41.70	50.00	50.00	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	2.44	2.80	3.20	3.20	6.48	8.04	7.50	7.50	15.80	22.50	24.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	1.50	6.67
Mexico	6.64	7.40	7.75	7.75	2.94	2.97	2.99	2.99	19.50	22.00	23.20	23.20	0.00	0.00	1.20	5.45
European Union																
France	1.61	1.44	1.45	1.45	8.51	8.44	8.76	8.90	13.68	12.15	12.70	12.90	0.20	1.57	0.75	6.17
Italy	1.11	1.06	1.02	1.02	8.98	8.87	8.82	8.82	10.00	9.40	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-4.26
Hungary	1.20	1.22	1.30	1.20	7.25	6.64	6.15	4.00	8.70	8.10	8.00	4.80	-3.20	-40.00	-3.30	-40.74
Poland	0.34	0.31	0.32	0.32	5.74	4.08	5.00	5.00	1.95	1.26	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.34	26.88
India	7.60	8.30	8.50	8.50	1.94	1.80	1.82	1.82	14.71	14.98	15.50	15.50	0.00	0.00	0.52	3.47
Canada	1.10	1.06	1.36	1.36	8.54	8.47	8.25	8.25	9.36	8.99	11.20	11.20	0.00	0.00	2.21	24.58
Romania	2.95	2.60	2.50	2.40	3.49	3.27	3.08	1.88	10.30	8.50	7.70	4.50	-3.20	-41.56	-4.00	-47.06
Indonesia	3.31	3.30	3.40	3.40	1.96	2.03	2.06	2.06	6.50	6.70	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	0.30	4.48
Ukraine	1.66	1.70	1.90	1.90	4.31	3.76	3.42	3.42	7.15	6.40	6.50	6.50	0.00	0.00	0.10	1.56
Serbia and	1.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	100.00
Egypt	0.72	0.73	0.73	0.73	8.19	8.19	8.19	8.19	5.93	5.94	5.98	5.98	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.67
Philippines	2.50	2.64	2.65	2.65	2.36	2.38	2.30	2.30	5.90	6.29	6.10	6.10	0.00	0.00	-0.19	-2.99
Vietnam	1.03	1.15	1.20	1.20	3.70	3.75	3.80	3.80	3.82	4.31	4.56	4.56	0.00	0.00	0.25	5.75
Thailand	1.10	1.00	1.02	1.02	3.64	3.80	3.82	3.82	4.00	3.80	3.90	3.90	0.00	0.00	0.10	2.63
Russian Federation	0.85	1.00	1.40	1.25	3.76	3.60	3.21	2.80	3.20	3.60	4.50	3.50	-1.00	-22.22	-0.10	-2.78
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa, Republic	2.03	2.80	3.30	3.30	3.41	2.32	3.18	3.18	6.94	6.50	10.50	10.50	0.00	0.00	4.00	61.54
Nigeria	4.00	4.70	5.20	5.20	1.75	1.66	1.73	1.73	7.00	7.80	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	1.20	15.38
Ethiopia	2.05	2.18	2.05	2.05	1.95	2.30	1.95	1.95	4.00	5.00	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	-1.00	-20.00
Zimbabwe	1.30	1.20	1.40	1.40	0.69	0.50	0.64	0.64	0.90	0.60	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.30	50.00
Turkey	0.80	0.65	0.80	0.80	4.63	4.62	4.63	4.63	3.70	3.00	3.70	3.70	0.00	0.00	0.70	23.33
Others	28.50	29.93	30.70	30.45	2.22	2.40	2.39	2.29	63.17	71.74	73.41	69.58	-3.83	-5.21	-2.16	-3.01

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Table 05 Barley Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	55.91	57.03	57.83	57.53	2.46	2.40	2.44	2.42	137.44	136.87	141.19	139.33	-1.86	-1.31	2.46	1.80
United States	1.32	1.19	1.43	1.43	3.49	3.28	3.51	3.40	4.61	3.92	5.03	4.87	-0.16	-3.26	0.95	24.13
Total Foreign	54.59	55.84	56.39	56.10	2.43	2.38	2.41	2.40	132.82	132.95	136.16	134.47	-1.69	-1.24	1.52	1.14
Russian Federation	9.15	10.00	10.00	10.00	1.73	1.81	1.75	1.75	15.80	18.10	17.50	17.50	0.00	0.00	-0.60	-3.31
European Union																
Germany	1.95	2.03	2.01	2.01	5.97	5.91	5.37	5.37	11.61	11.97	10.80	10.80	0.00	0.00	-1.17	-9.75
France	1.60	1.66	1.70	1.70	6.44	6.31	6.29	6.29	10.32	10.49	10.70	10.70	0.00	0.00	0.22	2.05
Spain	3.14	3.23	3.25	3.25	1.42	2.58	3.32	3.32	4.46	8.32	10.80	10.80	0.00	0.00	2.48	29.84
United Kingdom	0.94	0.88	0.90	0.88	5.86	5.95	5.89	6.06	5.50	5.24	5.30	5.30	0.00	0.00	0.06	1.16
Denmark	0.71	0.67	0.70	0.70	5.39	4.83	4.86	4.86	3.80	3.25	3.40	3.40	0.00	0.00	0.15	4.52
Poland	1.11	1.22	1.20	1.20	3.22	2.59	2.92	2.92	3.58	3.16	3.50	3.50	0.00	0.00	0.34	10.72
Czech Republic	0.52	0.53	0.53	0.53	4.21	3.59	3.90	3.90	2.20	1.90	2.05	2.05	0.00	0.00	0.15	8.01
Finland	0.59	0.56	0.57	0.57	3.54	3.50	3.54	3.36	2.10	1.97	2.00	1.90	-0.10	-5.00	-0.07	-3.65
Sweden	0.37	0.31	0.32	0.32	4.28	3.63	4.32	4.32	1.59	1.11	1.39	1.39	0.00	0.00	0.28	24.89
Italy	0.32	0.33	0.32	0.32	3.79	3.89	3.65	3.65	1.21	1.27	1.15	1.15	0.00	0.00	-0.12	-9.52
Hungary	0.32	0.29	0.32	0.32	3.79	3.68	3.30	3.30	1.20	1.08	1.05	1.05	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-2.87
Austria	0.19	0.21	0.20	0.20	4.60	4.43	4.50	4.50	0.88	0.91	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-1.42
Ukraine	4.35	5.20	4.70	4.40	2.07	2.18	1.60	1.41	9.00	11.35	7.50	6.20	-1.30	-17.33	-5.15	-45.37
Canada	3.89	3.29	3.92	3.92	3.21	2.91	3.06	2.93	12.48	9.57	12.00	11.50	-0.50	-4.17	1.93	20.13
Australia	4.45	4.00	4.50	4.50	2.15	0.95	2.00	2.00	9.56	3.80	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	5.20	136.84
Turkey	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	2.11	2.08	2.03	2.03	7.60	7.50	7.30	7.30	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-2.67
China, Peoples	0.85	0.88	0.86	0.86	4.00	3.98	3.95	3.95	3.40	3.50	3.40	3.40	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-2.86
Iran	1.66	1.70	1.70	1.70	1.75	1.71	1.76	1.76	2.90	2.90	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	3.45
Morocco	2.18	2.19	1.99	1.99	0.51	1.16	0.27	0.27	1.10	2.54	0.54	0.54	0.00	0.00	-2.00	-78.70
Kazakhstan,	1.60	1.80	1.80	1.80	0.94	1.06	1.11	1.11	1.50	1.90	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	5.26
Ethiopia	1.18	1.33	1.20	1.20	1.51	1.60	1.50	1.50	1.79	2.13	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	-0.33	-15.29
Algeria	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.57	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.40	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
India	0.76	0.70	0.77	0.77	1.59	1.74	1.74	1.70	1.20	1.22	1.34	1.31	-0.03	-2.24	0.09	7.38
Belarus	0.60	0.55	0.60	0.60	3.00	2.45	2.33	2.33	1.80	1.35	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.05	3.70
Iraq	1.14	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.66	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.75	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mexico	0.31	0.35	0.35	0.35	2.46	2.57	2.57	2.57	0.75	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	0.27	0.34	0.35	0.35	3.02	3.76	3.43	3.43	0.80	1.27	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-5.14
Others	6.16	6.30	6.34	6.37	2.20	2.03	2.01	2.04	13.54	12.76	12.74	12.98	0.24	1.88	0.21	1.68

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Table 06 Oats Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	12.56	12.81	12.77	12.73	1.91	1.80	1.92	1.93	24.02	23.02	24.51	24.53	0.02	0.10	1.51	6.55
United States	0.74	0.64	0.65	0.65	2.26	2.13	2.25	2.19	1.67	1.36	1.47	1.43	-0.04	-2.59	0.07	4.85
Total Foreign	11.82	12.17	12.12	12.08	1.89	1.78	1.90	1.91	22.35	21.66	23.04	23.11	0.06	0.27	1.44	6.66
Russian Federation	3.35	3.60	3.30	3.30	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.36	4.55	4.90	4.50	4.50	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-8.16
Canada	1.33	1.54	1.62	1.62	2.59	2.51	2.59	2.59	3.43	3.85	4.20	4.20	0.00	0.00	0.35	9.03
European Union																
Poland	0.54	0.54	0.56	0.56	2.46	1.92	2.32	2.32	1.32	1.04	1.30	1.30	0.00	0.00	0.27	25.60
Finland	0.35	0.35	0.36	0.36	3.11	2.92	3.06	3.33	1.07	1.03	1.10	1.20	0.10	9.09	0.17	16.62
Spain	0.45	0.50	0.51	0.51	1.18	1.84	1.76	1.76	0.53	0.92	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-2.49
Germany	0.21	0.18	0.17	0.17	4.59	4.51	5.00	5.00	0.96	0.83	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.41
Sweden	0.19	0.20	0.21	0.21	3.87	3.18	3.81	3.81	0.75	0.64	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.16	25.79
United Kingdom	0.09	0.12	0.14	0.14	5.85	6.02	5.93	5.93	0.53	0.73	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.07	9.89
France	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	4.56	4.40	4.48	4.48	0.51	0.48	0.47	0.47	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-1.05
Italy	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.15	2.45	2.45	2.40	2.40	0.43	0.39	0.36	0.36	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-6.98
Denmark	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	4.57	4.06	4.29	4.29	0.32	0.28	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.02	5.63
Czech Republic	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	2.90	2.67	3.09	3.09	0.15	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.02	9.68
Hungary	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	2.53	2.56	2.57	2.57	0.16	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	-1.28
Austria	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	4.30	3.74	3.71	3.71	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.76
Ireland	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	7.29	7.35	7.35	7.35	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lithuania	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	1.90	1.07	1.83	1.83	0.11	0.06	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.05	74.60
Australia	0.94	0.80	0.90	0.90	1.81	0.81	1.67	1.67	1.70	0.65	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.85	130.77
Ukraine	0.45	0.44	0.44	0.40	1.78	1.59	1.59	1.63	0.80	0.70	0.70	0.65	-0.05	-7.14	-0.05	-7.14
China, Peoples	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Belarus	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	2.40	2.20	2.00	2.00	0.60	0.55	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-9.09
Brazil	0.36	0.35	0.35	0.35	1.45	1.36	1.36	1.36	0.52	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	0.23	0.25	0.25	0.25	1.52	1.60	1.60	1.60	0.35	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Chile	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	4.67	4.75	4.75	4.75	0.42	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Romania	0.22	0.20	0.20	0.20	1.79	1.71	1.50	1.50	0.39	0.35	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-13.79
Norway	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	4.19	4.19	4.19	4.19	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Turkey	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kazakhstan,	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.16	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.02	14.29
Serbia and	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	100.00
Others	1.26	1.32	1.32	1.32	0.78	0.81	0.84	0.85	0.99	1.06	1.11	1.12	0.01	1.08	0.06	5.75

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Table 07 Rye Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Proj.	Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	6.78	5.68	6.30	6.30	2.14	2.18	2.24	2.24	14.52	12.38	14.08	14.08	0.00	0.00	1.70	13.76
United States	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.12	1.69	1.65	1.66	1.66	0.19	0.18	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.02	12.57
Total Foreign	6.67	5.57	6.18	6.18	2.15	2.19	2.25	2.25	14.33	12.20	13.88	13.88	0.00	0.00	1.68	13.78
European Union																
Poland	1.42	1.32	1.40	1.40	2.41	1.99	2.39	2.39	3.40	2.62	3.35	3.35	0.00	0.00	0.73	27.77
Germany	0.55	0.54	0.63	0.63	5.09	4.91	4.80	4.80	2.79	2.64	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00	0.36	13.46
Austria	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	3.79	3.48	3.60	3.60	0.16	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	-4.26
Spain	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.10	1.40	1.61	1.76	1.76	0.13	0.16	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.02	13.21
France	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.74	4.73	4.62	4.62	0.15	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	-2.44
Denmark	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.89	4.89	5.00	5.00	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-5.30
Lithuania	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.07	2.12	1.76	2.12	2.12	0.11	0.09	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.05	55.56
Sweden	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	5.33	4.92	5.00	5.00	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-23.73
Czech Republic	0.05	0.02	0.04	0.04	4.19	3.41	3.73	3.73	0.20	0.08	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.08	104.00
Hungary	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	2.49	2.44	2.38	2.38	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.01	5.26
Latvia	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	2.23	2.93	2.31	2.31	0.09	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.56
Slovakia	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02	2.88	2.46	2.50	2.50	0.07	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.02	56.25
Finland	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02	2.29	2.32	2.25	2.25	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-11.76
United Kingdom	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.90	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Portugal	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.74	0.82	0.91	0.91	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.11
Greece	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	1.85	1.79	1.71	1.71	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	-4.00
Russian Federation	2.35	1.80	2.20	2.20	1.53	1.67	1.68	1.68	3.60	3.00	3.70	3.70	0.00	0.00	0.70	23.33
Belarus	0.70	0.55	0.60	0.60	1.64	2.18	1.83	1.83	1.15	1.20	1.10	1.10	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-8.33
Ukraine	0.61	0.36	0.35	0.35	1.72	1.67	1.71	1.71	1.05	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Canada	0.15	0.17	0.11	0.11	2.43	2.31	2.36	2.36	0.36	0.38	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	-0.13	-34.73
Turkey	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kazakhstan,	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Romania	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	2.45	1.94	2.00	2.00	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-21.21
Australia	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Switzerland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.67	6.67	6.67	6.67	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.09	1.92	1.85	1.72	1.72	0.17	0.15	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.01	5.33

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Table 08 Sorghum Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	39.91	39.94	40.55	40.55	1.46	1.44	1.50	1.53	58.44	57.60	60.99	62.13	1.14	1.87	4.54	7.87
United States	2.32	2.00	2.71	2.71	4.30	3.53	4.03	4.45	9.98	7.05	10.92	12.07	1.14	10.46	5.02	71.13
Total Foreign	37.58	37.94	37.84	37.84	1.29	1.33	1.32	1.32	48.46	50.55	50.07	50.07	0.00	0.00	-0.48	-0.95
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.40	1.42	1.42	1.42	1.42	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sudan	6.45	6.75	6.60	6.60	0.66	0.77	0.68	0.68	4.28	5.20	4.50	4.50	0.00	0.00	-0.70	-13.46
Ethiopia	1.75	1.88	1.75	1.75	1.60	1.77	1.60	1.60	2.80	3.33	2.80	2.80	0.00	0.00	-0.53	-15.79
Burkina	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.27	1.24	1.17	1.17	1.84	1.80	1.70	1.70	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-5.56
Tanzania, United	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.90	1.00	0.96	1.00	1.00	0.89	0.85	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.05	5.88
Niger	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.50	0.53	0.50	0.50	0.75	0.80	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-6.25
Uganda	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.31	1.53	1.58	1.58	1.58	0.45	0.49	0.49	0.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.49	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.66	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.33	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ghana	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Africa, Republic	0.04	0.07	0.07	0.07	2.59	2.14	2.57	2.57	0.10	0.15	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.03	20.00
South Asia																
India	9.00	9.10	9.00	9.00	0.85	0.81	0.84	0.84	7.63	7.40	7.60	7.60	0.00	0.00	0.20	2.70
Pakistan	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.58	0.58	0.58	0.58	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mexico	1.57	1.55	1.40	1.40	3.50	3.71	3.71	3.71	5.50	5.75	5.20	5.20	0.00	0.00	-0.55	-9.57
China, Peoples	0.57	0.59	0.60	0.60	4.47	4.58	4.33	4.33	2.55	2.70	2.60	2.60	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-3.70
Australia	0.83	0.50	0.74	0.74	2.37	2.00	2.57	2.57	1.97	1.00	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	0.90	90.00
Egypt	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	5.63	5.63	5.63	5.63	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
European Union																
France	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	5.23	5.36	5.50	5.50	0.27	0.30	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.03	10.00
Italy	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	5.78	5.74	5.75	5.75	0.19	0.22	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.01	5.50
Others	4.37	4.46	4.62	4.62	1.59	1.84	1.85	1.85	6.95	8.23	8.56	8.56	0.00	0.00	0.32	3.92

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Table 09 Rice Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	152.49	153.01	153.93	153.87	4.08	4.07	4.07	4.08	418.04	418.07	420.81	421.19	0.38	0.09	3.12	0.75
United States	1.36	1.14	1.10	1.10	7.44	7.69	7.81	7.83	7.11	6.24	6.08	6.09	0.01	0.20	-0.15	-2.42
Total Foreign	151.13	151.86	152.83	152.77	4.05	4.04	4.05	4.05	410.93	411.83	414.73	415.10	0.37	0.09	3.27	0.79
East Asia																
China, Peoples	28.85	29.20	29.60	29.60	6.26	6.26	6.26	6.26	126.41	128.00	129.70	129.70	0.00	0.00	1.70	1.33
Japan	1.71	1.69	1.65	1.65	6.65	6.34	6.61	6.61	8.26	7.79	7.94	7.94	0.00	0.00	0.16	2.02
Korea, Republic of	0.98	0.96	0.95	0.95	6.57	6.62	6.58	6.58	4.77	4.68	4.60	4.60	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-1.71
Korea, Democratic	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.59	4.21	4.08	4.08	4.08	1.60	1.55	1.55	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Asia																
India	43.40	44.00	44.00	44.00	3.17	3.16	3.12	3.14	91.79	92.76	91.50	92.00	0.50	0.55	-0.76	-0.82
Bangladesh	11.10	11.20	11.24	11.24	3.89	3.90	3.92	3.92	28.76	29.15	29.40	29.40	0.00	0.00	0.25	0.86
Pakistan	2.62	2.58	2.60	2.55	3.18	3.03	3.12	3.12	5.55	5.20	5.40	5.30	-0.10	-1.85	0.10	1.92
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	11.80	11.40	11.60	11.60	4.59	4.53	4.54	4.54	34.96	33.30	34.00	34.00	0.00	0.00	0.70	2.10
Vietnam	7.31	7.39	7.35	7.35	4.72	4.66	4.74	4.74	22.77	22.70	22.99	22.99	0.00	0.00	0.29	1.30
Thailand	10.22	10.27	10.36	10.36	2.70	2.69	2.69	2.69	18.20	18.25	18.40	18.40	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.82
Burma, Union of	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00	2.57	2.61	2.63	2.63	10.44	10.60	10.66	10.66	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.57
Philippines	4.08	4.18	4.20	4.20	3.70	3.70	3.67	3.67	9.82	10.05	10.01	10.01	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-0.40
Cambodia	2.40	2.40	2.45	2.45	2.50	2.25	2.64	2.64	3.78	4.00	4.08	4.08	0.00	0.00	0.08	1.88
Laos	0.74	0.76	0.76	0.76	3.49	3.49	3.49	3.49	1.54	1.59	1.59	1.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Malaysia	0.66	0.65	0.66	0.66	3.36	3.34	3.38	3.38	1.44	1.40	1.45	1.45	0.00	0.00	0.05	3.57
South America																
Brazil	3.00	2.98	3.00	3.00	3.86	3.81	3.85	3.85	7.87	7.70	7.85	7.85	0.00	0.00	0.15	1.95
Peru	0.34	0.35	0.35	0.35	6.78	6.63	7.04	7.04	1.59	1.60	1.70	1.70	0.00	0.00	0.10	6.25
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	2.00	2.05	2.20	2.20	2.25	2.36	2.27	2.27	2.70	2.90	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	3.45
Madagascar	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	2.52	2.59	2.63	2.63	2.18	2.24	2.27	2.27	0.00	0.00	0.03	1.43
European Union																
Italy	0.22	0.23	0.23	0.23	6.45	6.28	6.28	6.28	0.88	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Spain	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.10	7.05	7.04	7.04	7.00	0.59	0.52	0.52	0.49	-0.03	-6.13	-0.03	-6.13
Egypt	0.67	0.67	0.68	0.68	9.52	9.99	10.04	10.04	4.14	4.38	4.41	4.41	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.55
Iran	0.64	0.64	0.65	0.65	5.47	5.63	5.71	5.71	2.31	2.38	2.45	2.45	0.00	0.00	0.07	3.11
Others	9.34	9.26	9.27	9.27	3.05	3.02	3.05	3.05	18.60	18.23	18.39	18.39	0.00	0.00	0.16	0.89

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Yield is on a rough basis, before the milling process

Production is on a milled basis, after the milling process

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Table 10 5-Major Oilseeds; Area, Yield, and Production 1/

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	198.60	199.12	198.44	198.01	1.89	1.96	1.91	1.89	375.49	389.48	379.41	375.02	-4.39	-1.16	-14.46	-3.71
United States	36.59	36.96	31.50	31.55	2.61	2.61	2.55	2.54	95.53	96.62	80.22	80.19	-0.03	-0.04	-16.43	-17.00
Total Foreign	162.01	162.16	166.94	166.46	1.73	1.81	1.79	1.77	279.96	292.87	299.19	294.83	-4.36	-1.46	1.97	0.67
South America																
Brazil	23.26	21.99	22.69	22.69	2.54	2.81	2.80	2.80	59.10	61.86	63.53	63.58	0.05	0.08	1.72	2.78
Argentina	17.87	18.90	19.80	19.80	2.52	2.73	2.62	2.62	45.03	51.56	51.94	51.94	0.00	0.00	0.38	0.73
Paraguay	2.33	2.70	2.65	2.65	1.66	2.52	2.45	2.45	3.87	6.78	6.48	6.48	0.00	0.00	-0.30	-4.42
Bolivia	1.11	1.01	1.12	1.12	2.01	1.80	2.03	2.03	2.23	1.82	2.27	2.27	0.00	0.00	0.45	24.73
Uruguay	0.50	0.50	0.54	0.54	1.90	1.90	1.87	1.87	0.94	0.94	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.06	6.38
China, Peoples	27.79	27.40	26.80	26.80	2.03	2.12	2.10	2.09	56.45	58.15	56.33	55.93	-0.40	-0.71	-2.22	-3.82
South Asia																
India	33.32	31.98	33.90	33.90	0.90	0.92	0.94	0.94	29.94	29.28	31.85	31.85	0.00	0.00	2.57	8.77
Pakistan	3.76	4.01	4.07	4.07	1.34	1.31	1.35	1.35	5.05	5.25	5.49	5.49	0.00	0.00	0.23	4.45
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	6.30	7.20	7.20	6.50	1.18	1.11	1.12	1.08	7.44	8.02	8.05	7.05	-1.00	-12.43	-0.97	-12.10
Ukraine	4.31	5.00	4.76	5.01	1.30	1.36	1.30	1.20	5.60	6.79	6.19	5.99	-0.20	-3.23	-0.80	-11.78
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.43	1.42	1.45	1.45	1.68	1.65	1.62	1.62	2.40	2.35	2.35	2.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Canada	6.53	6.25	7.03	7.03	1.98	1.94	1.81	1.74	12.91	12.13	12.73	12.23	-0.50	-3.93	0.10	0.79
European Union																
France	1.93	2.09	2.12	2.12	3.19	2.68	2.98	2.89	6.15	5.61	6.33	6.13	-0.20	-3.16	0.52	9.26
Germany	1.37	1.46	1.57	1.57	3.73	3.70	3.42	3.17	5.12	5.40	5.36	4.96	-0.40	-7.38	-0.44	-8.13
United Kingdom	0.59	0.58	0.65	0.65	3.21	3.25	3.23	2.99	1.90	1.87	2.10	1.94	-0.16	-7.43	0.07	3.96
Czech Republic	0.32	0.35	0.34	0.34	2.79	2.86	2.94	2.94	0.88	1.00	0.99	0.99	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-1.30
Hungary	0.66	0.71	0.72	0.72	2.22	2.25	2.20	1.85	1.46	1.60	1.59	1.34	-0.25	-15.72	-0.26	-16.30
Poland	0.55	0.63	0.71	0.71	2.63	2.63	2.63	2.42	1.46	1.66	1.86	1.71	-0.15	-8.08	0.05	3.02
Italy	0.29	0.33	0.30	0.30	2.98	2.65	2.75	2.68	0.85	0.87	0.83	0.81	-0.02	-2.42	-0.06	-6.94
Australia	1.45	0.92	1.21	1.21	1.72	1.05	1.52	1.52	2.50	0.97	1.84	1.84	0.00	0.00	0.87	90.48
Turkey	1.15	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.75	1.77	1.73	1.68	2.01	2.21	2.16	2.10	-0.07	-3.01	-0.12	-5.24
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	2.04	2.05	2.07	2.07	1.04	1.04	1.05	1.05	2.12	2.13	2.17	2.17	0.00	0.00	0.04	1.88
South Africa, Republic	0.78	0.55	0.72	0.72	1.37	1.10	1.39	1.39	1.07	0.60	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.40	66.23
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	1.40	1.38	1.33	1.33	1.44	1.47	1.46	1.46	2.02	2.03	1.94	1.94	0.00	0.00	-0.09	-4.19
Romania	1.15	1.34	1.42	1.42	1.50	1.52	1.37	0.95	1.73	2.05	1.95	1.35	-0.60	-30.75	-0.70	-34.07
Others	19.82	20.18	20.56	20.53	1.00	0.99	1.02	0.99	19.74	19.94	20.89	20.41	-0.48	-2.27	0.47	2.37

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1/ (soybeans, sunflowerseed, rapeseed, cottonseed, and peanuts)

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Table 11 Soybean Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	92.54	93.92	90.83	90.82	2.38	2.51	2.44	2.44	220.55	236.08	222.05	221.62	-0.43	-0.19	-14.45	-6.12
United States	28.83	30.19	25.61	25.61	2.91	2.87	2.79	2.79	83.37	86.77	71.44	71.45	0.01	0.01	-15.32	-17.66
Total Foreign	63.71	63.73	65.22	65.20	2.15	2.34	2.31	2.30	137.18	149.31	150.61	150.17	-0.44	-0.29	0.87	0.58
South America																
Brazil	22.23	20.70	21.50	21.50	2.56	2.85	2.84	2.84	57.00	59.00	61.00	61.00	0.00	0.00	2.00	3.39
Argentina	15.20	15.90	16.80	16.80	2.66	2.97	2.80	2.80	40.50	47.20	47.00	47.00	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-0.42
Paraguay	2.00	2.42	2.40	2.40	1.82	2.69	2.58	2.58	3.64	6.50	6.20	6.20	0.00	0.00	-0.30	-4.62
Bolivia	0.95	0.85	0.96	0.96	2.17	1.94	2.19	2.19	2.06	1.65	2.10	2.10	0.00	0.00	0.45	27.27
Uruguay	0.36	0.36	0.40	0.40	2.08	2.08	2.03	2.03	0.75	0.75	0.81	0.81	0.00	0.00	0.06	8.00
East Asia																
China, Peoples	9.59	9.30	8.80	8.80	1.70	1.74	1.77	1.73	16.35	16.20	15.60	15.20	-0.40	-2.56	-1.00	-6.17
Korea, Republic of	0.11	0.09	0.09	0.09	1.74	1.73	1.65	1.65	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-10.26
Korea, Democratic	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.26	1.19	1.19	1.19	0.17	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Japan	0.13	0.14	0.15	0.15	1.69	1.58	1.50	1.50	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
India	7.80	8.12	8.30	8.30	0.90	0.95	0.95	0.95	7.00	7.69	7.90	7.90	0.00	0.00	0.21	2.73
Canada	1.17	1.20	1.15	1.15	2.70	2.89	2.70	2.70	3.16	3.47	3.10	3.10	0.00	0.00	-0.37	-10.56
Former Soviet Union																
Ukraine	0.43	0.71	0.71	0.71	1.43	1.25	1.25	1.25	0.61	0.89	0.89	0.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Russian Federation	0.66	0.82	0.85	0.85	1.05	0.91	0.92	0.92	0.69	0.74	0.78	0.78	0.00	0.00	0.04	5.41
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	0.65	0.62	0.60	0.60	1.28	1.31	1.30	1.30	0.83	0.82	0.78	0.78	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-4.29
Vietnam	0.20	0.21	0.28	0.28	1.43	1.47	1.46	1.46	0.29	0.31	0.41	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.10	32.69
Thailand	0.14	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.57	1.45	1.52	1.52	0.23	0.21	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.01	4.76
Burma, Union of	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.21	1.17	1.17	1.17	0.19	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
European Union																
Italy	0.15	0.18	0.16	0.16	3.64	3.10	3.28	3.28	0.55	0.55	0.53	0.53	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-4.72
France	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	2.49	2.73	2.86	2.86	0.14	0.12	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-18.70
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa, Republic	0.24	0.18	0.20	0.20	1.73	1.28	1.75	1.75	0.41	0.23	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.12	52.17
Nigeria	0.42	0.43	0.44	0.44	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02	0.43	0.44	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.01	2.27
Uganda	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Serbia	0.00	0.17	0.17	0.15	0.00	2.12	2.12	2.07	0.00	0.35	0.35	0.31	-0.04	-11.43	-0.04	-11.43
Mexico	0.09	0.05	0.07	0.07	1.99	1.48	1.54	1.54	0.19	0.08	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.02	25.00
Iran	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	1.38	1.38	1.38	1.38	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Europe																
Serbia	0.00	0.17	0.17	0.15	0.00	2.12	2.12	2.07	0.00	0.35	0.35	0.31	-0.04	-11.43	-0.04	-11.43
Others	0.60	0.42	0.34	0.36	2.15	1.85	1.81	1.85	1.30	0.77	0.62	0.66	0.04	6.43	-0.11	-13.91

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Table 12 Cottonseed Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	33.64	33.50	33.01	33.06	1.28	1.33	1.34	1.33	43.07	44.70	44.10	43.90	-0.21	-0.47	-0.80	-1.79
United States	5.59	5.15	4.25	4.30	1.33	1.29	1.30	1.26	7.41	6.67	5.53	5.43	-0.09	-1.70	-1.24	-18.53
Total Foreign	28.05	28.35	28.76	28.76	1.27	1.34	1.34	1.34	35.65	38.03	38.58	38.47	-0.11	-0.30	0.44	1.15
China, Peoples	5.24	5.60	5.70	5.70	2.06	2.28	2.24	2.24	10.78	12.74	12.74	12.74	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Asia																
India	8.87	9.17	9.50	9.50	0.91	1.00	1.01	1.01	8.09	9.13	9.60	9.60	0.00	0.00	0.47	5.17
Pakistan	3.10	3.25	3.25	3.25	1.43	1.33	1.38	1.38	4.43	4.32	4.50	4.50	0.00	0.00	0.18	4.21
Former Soviet Union																
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.43	1.42	1.45	1.45	1.68	1.65	1.62	1.62	2.40	2.35	2.35	2.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Turkmenistan	0.70	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.54	0.72	0.72	0.72	0.38	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Tajikistan, Republic of	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.96	0.96	0.96	0.96	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	1.30	1.26	1.33	1.23	0.27	0.25	0.27	0.25	-0.02	-7.55	0.00	0.00
South America																
Brazil	0.85	1.09	1.00	1.00	2.06	2.29	2.18	2.23	1.75	2.49	2.18	2.23	0.05	2.38	-0.26	-10.43
Argentina	0.31	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.72	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.22	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Middle East																
Turkey	0.60	0.67	0.63	0.63	1.92	1.95	1.97	1.87	1.15	1.30	1.23	1.17	-0.07	-5.27	-0.14	-10.43
Syria	0.25	0.21	0.22	0.22	2.88	2.10	2.80	2.80	0.71	0.45	0.62	0.62	0.00	0.00	0.17	37.11
Iran	0.17	0.11	0.15	0.15	0.94	1.02	0.88	0.88	0.16	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.02	22.22
Australia	0.34	0.15	0.11	0.11	2.56	2.33	2.67	2.67	0.86	0.34	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-17.16
European Union																
Greece	0.36	0.37	0.35	0.35	1.63	1.59	1.65	1.65	0.59	0.59	0.58	0.58	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-1.70
Spain	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.05	2.67	1.73	0.89	0.89	0.23	0.09	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-55.56
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.63	0.70	0.60	0.60	0.59	0.51	0.55	0.51	0.37	0.36	0.33	0.30	-0.03	-8.43	-0.06	-15.32
Mali	0.52	0.46	0.45	0.45	0.55	0.51	0.50	0.47	0.28	0.23	0.23	0.21	-0.01	-6.19	-0.02	-9.40
Cameroon	0.23	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.92	0.91	1.00	0.88	0.21	0.18	0.20	0.18	-0.03	-12.50	-0.01	-3.85
Sudan	0.17	0.16	0.17	0.17	1.12	0.72	0.98	0.98	0.19	0.12	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.05	45.22
Zimbabwe	0.37	0.35	0.37	0.37	0.50	0.54	0.58	0.58	0.19	0.19	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.03	13.16
Nigeria	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Benin	0.20	0.23	0.25	0.25	0.61	0.68	0.66	0.66	0.12	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.01	5.10
Uganda	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.29	0.31	0.49	0.49	0.08	0.08	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.05	57.83
Egypt	0.28	0.25	0.23	0.23	1.40	1.41	1.30	1.30	0.39	0.35	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-13.54
Mexico	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.12	1.73	1.89	1.85	1.85	0.22	0.22	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.01	5.99
Burma, Union of	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.53	0.53	0.53	0.53	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	1.84	1.40	1.56	1.56	0.56	0.50	0.51	0.50	1.04	0.70	0.80	0.79	-0.01	-1.74	0.09	12.88

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Table 13 Peanut Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	21.73	20.99	21.41	21.41	1.52	1.54	1.51	1.51	33.03	32.36	32.36	32.42	0.06	0.18	0.06	0.18
United States	0.66	0.49	0.47	0.47	3.35	3.22	3.13	3.26	2.21	1.58	1.47	1.53	0.06	3.95	-0.05	-3.05
Total Foreign	21.07	20.50	20.94	20.94	1.46	1.50	1.47	1.47	30.83	30.78	30.89	30.89	0.00	0.00	0.11	0.35
China, Peoples	4.66	4.55	4.60	4.60	3.08	3.21	3.11	3.11	14.34	14.61	14.30	14.30	0.00	0.00	-0.31	-2.12
South Asia																
India	6.86	5.91	6.20	6.20	0.92	0.91	0.91	0.91	6.30	5.39	5.65	5.65	0.00	0.00	0.27	4.92
Pakistan	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	1.24	1.24	1.25	1.25	1.23	1.23	1.25	1.25	1.52	1.52	1.55	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.03	1.97
Senegal	0.77	0.59	0.70	0.70	0.91	0.77	0.80	0.80	0.70	0.46	0.56	0.56	0.00	0.00	0.10	21.74
Chad	0.48	0.48	0.50	0.50	0.94	0.94	0.94	0.94	0.45	0.45	0.47	0.47	0.00	0.00	0.02	4.44
Ghana	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.94	0.94	0.94	0.94	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sudan	0.55	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.67	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.37	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Congo, Democratic	0.46	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.79	0.78	0.78	0.78	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Burkina	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.93	0.99	1.01	1.01	0.32	0.34	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.01	2.94
Guinea	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	1.19	1.24	1.24	1.24	0.25	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cameroon	0.21	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.98	0.76	0.77	0.77	0.20	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.01	2.13
Mali	0.21	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.86	1.10	1.10	1.10	0.18	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Malawi	0.21	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.76	0.93	1.20	1.20	0.16	0.20	0.27	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.06	29.90
Cote d'Ivoire	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Uganda	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central African	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Benin	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Niger	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Africa, Republic	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	1.86	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	0.74	0.75	0.72	0.72	1.58	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.17	1.20	1.15	1.15	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-4.17
Burma, Union of	0.77	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.99	1.10	1.10	1.10	0.77	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vietnam	0.27	0.26	0.26	0.26	1.80	1.77	1.77	1.77	0.49	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	1.65	1.66	1.64	1.64	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.47
South America																
Argentina	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.20	3.11	2.88	2.75	2.75	0.51	0.58	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-4.35
Brazil	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	2.17	2.17	2.17	2.17	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Egypt	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	3.17	3.17	3.17	3.17	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mexico	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.05	1.57	1.56	1.56	1.56	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.84	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.74	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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Table 14 Sunflowerseed Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Jul	Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	23.27	23.92	23.61	22.89	1.29	1.26	1.26	1.20	30.11	30.09	29.84	27.44	-2.41	-8.06	-2.65	-8.81
United States	1.06	0.72	0.71	0.71	1.73	1.36	1.48	1.48	1.82	0.97	1.06	1.06	0.00	0.00	0.09	8.85
Total Foreign	22.22	23.21	22.90	22.18	1.27	1.25	1.26	1.19	28.29	29.12	28.79	26.38	-2.41	-8.36	-2.74	-9.40
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	5.40	5.90	5.80	5.10	1.19	1.14	1.16	1.12	6.45	6.75	6.70	5.70	-1.00	-14.93	-1.05	-15.56
Ukraine	3.69	3.90	3.40	3.40	1.27	1.36	1.29	1.18	4.70	5.30	4.40	4.00	-0.40	-9.09	-1.30	-24.53
Moldova, Republic of	0.20	0.25	0.24	0.24	1.65	1.52	1.46	1.46	0.33	0.38	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-7.89
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South America																
Argentina	2.20	2.40	2.40	2.40	1.73	1.46	1.71	1.71	3.80	3.50	4.10	4.10	0.00	0.00	0.60	17.14
Uruguay	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.41	1.41	1.41	1.41	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bolivia	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	1.06	1.06	1.06	1.06	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
China, Peoples	1.02	1.00	1.10	1.10	1.89	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.93	1.90	2.09	2.09	0.00	0.00	0.19	10.00
European Union																
France	0.65	0.64	0.54	0.54	2.35	2.16	2.29	2.29	1.52	1.38	1.23	1.23	0.00	0.00	-0.16	-11.49
Hungary	0.51	0.54	0.48	0.48	2.17	2.21	2.21	1.68	1.10	1.19	1.05	0.80	-0.25	-23.81	-0.39	-32.55
Spain	0.52	0.63	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.96	1.00	1.00	0.36	0.61	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.09	15.32
Italy	0.13	0.15	0.13	0.13	2.22	2.12	2.15	2.00	0.29	0.31	0.28	0.26	-0.02	-7.14	-0.05	-15.58
Slovakia	0.10	0.10	0.08	0.08	2.37	2.11	2.19	2.13	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.17	-0.01	-2.86	-0.03	-15.00
South Asia																
India	2.41	2.15	2.50	2.50	0.64	0.60	0.66	0.66	1.55	1.28	1.65	1.65	0.00	0.00	0.37	28.91
Pakistan	0.33	0.41	0.45	0.45	1.07	1.28	1.24	1.24	0.35	0.52	0.56	0.56	0.00	0.00	0.04	7.69
Turkey	0.51	0.54	0.58	0.58	1.47	1.46	1.40	1.40	0.75	0.79	0.81	0.81	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.53
South Africa, Burma, Union of	0.47	0.32	0.47	0.47	1.12	0.92	1.23	1.23	0.53	0.29	0.57	0.57	0.00	0.00	0.28	96.55
Canada	0.97	0.97	0.97	0.97	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Australia	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	1.19	2.00	1.67	1.67	0.09	0.15	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-16.67
Other Europe					1.24	1.06	1.11	1.11	0.10	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.03	177.78
Serbia	0.00	0.21	0.20	0.18	0.00	1.90	1.75	1.89	0.00	0.40	0.35	0.34	-0.01	-2.86	-0.06	-15.00
Others	2.27	2.34	2.06	2.06	1.43	1.36	1.27	0.92	3.24	3.18	2.63	1.91	-0.72	-27.43	-1.27	-40.06

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Table 15 Rapeseed Area, Yield, and Production

1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	27.42	26.79	29.58	29.83	1.78	1.73	1.73	1.66	48.73	46.27	51.05	49.65	-1.40	-2.74	3.39	7.32
United States	0.45	0.41	0.46	0.46	1.59	1.53	1.59	1.59	0.72	0.63	0.72	0.72	0.00	0.00	0.09	14.38
Total Foreign	26.97	26.37	29.13	29.38	1.78	1.73	1.73	1.67	48.01	45.63	50.33	48.93	-1.40	-2.78	3.29	7.22
European Union																
Germany	1.35	1.43	1.54	1.54	3.75	3.73	3.45	3.19	5.05	5.34	5.30	4.90	-0.40	-7.46	-0.44	-8.19
France	1.23	1.40	1.55	1.55	3.66	2.92	3.23	3.10	4.49	4.10	5.00	4.80	-0.20	-4.00	0.70	17.10
United Kingdom	0.59	0.58	0.65	0.65	3.21	3.25	3.23	2.99	1.90	1.87	2.10	1.94	-0.16	-7.43	0.07	3.96
Poland	0.55	0.62	0.70	0.70	2.64	2.65	2.64	2.43	1.45	1.65	1.85	1.70	-0.15	-8.11	0.05	2.91
Czech Republic	0.27	0.29	0.30	0.30	2.88	3.01	3.05	3.05	0.77	0.88	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.27
Denmark	0.13	0.13	0.18	0.18	2.74	3.44	3.50	3.33	0.34	0.43	0.63	0.60	-0.03	-4.76	0.17	39.53
Hungary	0.12	0.14	0.22	0.22	2.32	2.38	2.16	2.16	0.28	0.33	0.48	0.48	0.00	0.00	0.14	43.50
Slovakia	0.11	0.13	0.14	0.14	2.20	2.16	2.14	2.14	0.24	0.27	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.03	11.11
Sweden	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	2.41	2.45	2.75	2.47	0.20	0.22	0.25	0.23	-0.03	-10.00	0.00	0.90
Lithuania	0.11	0.15	0.12	0.12	1.84	1.13	1.83	1.83	0.20	0.17	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.05	29.41
Latvia	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.08	2.06	1.57	2.00	2.00	0.15	0.13	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.03	23.08
Austria	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	2.97	3.26	3.47	3.47	0.10	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.02	13.87
Finland	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	1.47	1.33	1.44	1.44	0.11	0.10	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.03	30.00
Estonia	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	1.77	1.35	1.50	1.50	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.01	5.88
China, Peoples	7.28	6.95	6.60	6.60	1.79	1.83	1.76	1.76	13.05	12.70	11.60	11.60	0.00	0.00	-1.10	-8.66
South Asia																
India	7.38	6.64	7.40	7.40	0.95	0.87	0.95	0.95	7.00	5.80	7.05	7.05	0.00	0.00	1.25	21.55
Pakistan	0.23	0.25	0.26	0.26	0.79	1.30	1.27	1.27	0.18	0.32	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.01	3.77
Bangladesh	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.83	0.82	0.82	0.82	0.25	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Canada	5.28	4.98	5.80	5.80	1.83	1.71	1.64	1.55	9.66	8.51	9.50	9.00	-0.50	-5.26	0.49	5.72
Australia	0.98	0.70	1.00	1.00	1.47	0.71	1.40	1.40	1.44	0.50	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.90	180.00
Former Soviet Union																
Ukraine	0.20	0.39	0.65	0.90	1.46	1.54	1.38	1.22	0.29	0.60	0.90	1.10	0.20	22.22	0.50	83.33
Russian Federation	0.24	0.48	0.55	0.55	1.24	1.09	1.03	1.03	0.30	0.53	0.57	0.57	0.00	0.00	0.04	7.62
Belarus	0.12	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.23	1.20	1.20	1.20	0.15	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Paraguay	0.05	0.10	0.10	0.10	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.08	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Romania	0.07	0.10	0.38	0.38	1.29	1.63	1.33	1.07	0.09	0.17	0.50	0.40	-0.10	-20.00	0.23	135.29
Others	0.09	0.11	0.17	0.17	2.07	1.87	1.97	1.71	0.18	0.21	0.34	0.30	-0.04	-12.87	0.09	42.58

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Table 16 Copra, Palm Kernel, and Palm Oil Production
1000 Metric Tons

Country / Region	Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Proj. Jul	Aug	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
Oilseed, Copra								
Philippines	2.40	2.20	2.10	2.10	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-0.05
Indonesia	1.44	1.44	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.04
India	0.65	0.62	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.13	0.21
Vietnam	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mexico	0.22	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Papua New Guinea	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sri Lanka	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	5.50	5.28	5.37	5.37	0.00	0.00	0.09	0.02
Oilseed, Palm Kernel								
Indonesia	4.24	4.45	4.80	4.80	0.00	0.00	0.35	0.08
Malaysia	4.05	4.07	4.40	4.40	0.00	0.00	0.33	0.08
Nigeria	0.65	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.02
Thailand	0.18	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colombia	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Papua New Guinea	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cameroon	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ecuador	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Congo, Democratic Rep of	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	9.98	10.27	10.95	10.95	0.00	0.00	0.68	0.07
Oil, Palm								
Indonesia	15.40	15.90	17.10	17.10	0.00	0.00	1.20	0.08
Malaysia	15.49	15.35	16.60	16.60	0.00	0.00	1.25	0.08
Thailand	0.76	0.85	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.12
Nigeria	0.80	0.81	0.82	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01
Colombia	0.69	0.77	0.83	0.83	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.08
Papua New Guinea	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ecuador	0.31	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.36	0.32	0.32	0.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Costa Rica	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Congo, Democratic Rep of	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	35.81	36.38	39.00	39.00	0.00	0.00	2.62	0.07

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Table 17 Cotton Area, Yield, and Production

1000 480 lb. Bales

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Kilograms per hectare)				Production (Million 480 lb. bales)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	2007/08 Jul	Proj. Aug	From last month MBales	Percent	From last year MBales	Percent
World	34.623	34.456	33.955	34.020	728.000	754.000	742.000	742.000	115.727	119.248	115.787	115.918	0.131	0.113	-3.330	-2.792
United States	5.586	5.152	4.249	4.304	931.000	912.000	897.000	877.000	23.890	21.588	17.500	17.346	-0.154	-0.880	-4.242	-19.650
Total Foreign	29.037	29.304	29.706	29.716	689.000	726.000	720.000	722.000	91.837	97.660	98.287	98.572	0.285	0.290	0.912	0.934
China, Peoples	5.240	5.600	5.700	5.700	1,143.0	1,264.0	1,241.0	1,241.0	27.500	32.500	32.500	32.500	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
South Asia																
India	8.873	9.166	9.500	9.500	467.000	518.000	516.000	527.000	19.050	21.800	22.500	23.000	0.500	2.222	1.200	5.505
Pakistan	3.101	3.250	3.250	3.250	714.000	663.000	697.000	697.000	10.165	9.900	10.400	10.400	0.000	0.000	0.500	5.051
Former Soviet Union																
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.432	1.424	1.450	1.450	844.000	826.000	811.000	811.000	5.550	5.400	5.400	5.400	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Turkmenistan	0.600	0.600	0.600	0.600	354.000	435.000	399.000	472.000	0.975	1.200	1.100	1.300	0.200	18.182	0.100	8.333
Tajikistan, Republic of	0.255	0.255	0.250	0.250	542.000	542.000	544.000	553.000	0.635	0.635	0.625	0.635	0.010	1.600	0.000	0.000
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.204	0.195	0.200	0.200	720.000	698.000	735.000	680.000	0.675	0.625	0.675	0.625	-0.050	-7.407	0.000	0.000
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.630	0.700	0.600	0.600	472.000	404.000	435.000	399.000	1.367	1.300	1.200	1.100	-0.100	-8.333	-0.200	-15.385
Mali	0.521	0.460	0.450	0.450	419.000	390.000	387.000	363.000	1.003	0.825	0.800	0.750	-0.050	-6.250	-0.075	-9.091
Zimbabwe	0.370	0.350	0.370	0.370	288.000	311.000	332.000	332.000	0.490	0.500	0.565	0.565	0.000	0.000	0.065	13.000
Benin	0.200	0.231	0.250	0.250	400.000	448.000	435.000	435.000	0.367	0.475	0.500	0.500	0.000	0.000	0.025	5.263
Cote d'Ivoire	0.265	0.225	0.225	0.225	411.000	314.000	339.000	290.000	0.500	0.325	0.350	0.300	-0.050	-14.286	-0.025	-7.692
Cameroon	0.225	0.200	0.200	0.200	402.000	397.000	435.000	381.000	0.415	0.365	0.400	0.350	-0.050	-12.500	-0.015	-4.110
Nigeria	0.380	0.380	0.380	0.380	229.000	229.000	229.000	229.000	0.400	0.400	0.400	0.400	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Sudan	0.170	0.160	0.170	0.170	474.000	306.000	416.000	416.000	0.370	0.225	0.325	0.325	0.000	0.000	0.100	44.444
South America																
Brazil	0.850	1.094	1.000	1.000	1,204.0	1,393.0	1,306.0	1,350.0	4.700	7.000	6.000	6.200	0.200	3.333	-0.800	-11.429
Argentina	0.305	0.400	0.400	0.400	446.000	435.000	435.000	435.000	0.625	0.800	0.800	0.800	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Paraguay	0.240	0.125	0.100	0.100	236.000	279.000	348.000	348.000	0.260	0.160	0.160	0.160	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Middle East																
Turkey	0.600	0.670	0.625	0.625	1,288.0	1,306.0	1,289.0	1,254.0	3.550	4.020	3.700	3.600	-0.100	-2.703	-0.420	-10.448
Syria	0.245	0.214	0.220	0.220	1,422.0	1,038.0	1,386.0	1,386.0	1.600	1.020	1.400	1.400	0.000	0.000	0.380	37.255
Iran	0.165	0.106	0.150	0.150	699.000	760.000	653.000	653.000	0.530	0.370	0.450	0.450	0.000	0.000	0.080	21.622
Australia	0.336	0.145	0.105	0.105	1,814.0	1,652.0	1,866.0	1,866.0	2.800	1.100	0.900	0.900	0.000	0.000	-0.200	-18.182
European Union																
Spain	0.086	0.052	0.045	0.045	1,342.0	892.000	895.000	895.000	0.530	0.213	0.185	0.185	0.000	0.000	-0.028	-13.146
Greece	0.355	0.330	0.300	0.310	1,211.0	924.000	1,089.0	948.000	1.975	1.400	1.500	1.350	-0.150	-10.000	-0.050	-3.571
Egypt	0.275	0.246	0.250	0.250	743.000	863.000	849.000	849.000	0.938	0.975	0.975	0.975	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Mexico	0.126	0.115	0.125	0.125	1,097.0	1,231.0	1,184.0	1,184.0	0.635	0.650	0.680	0.680	0.000	0.000	0.030	4.615
Others	2.988	2.611	2.791	2.791	308.000	290.000	296.000	290.000	4.232	3.477	3.797	3.722	-0.075	-1.975	0.245	7.046

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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TABLE 18

The table below presents a 26-year record of the differences between the August projection and the final estimate. Using world wheat production as an example, changes between the August projection and the final estimate have averaged 11.3 million tons (2.1 percent) and ranged from -32.1 to 19.5 million tons. The August projection has been below the final 15 times and above the final 11 times.

RELIABILITY OF PRODUCTION PROJECTIONS

COMMODITY AND REGION	PROJECTION AND FINAL ESTIMATES, 1981/82 - 2005/06 1/					
	Difference		Lowest	Highest	Below Final	Above Final
	Average	Average	Difference			
	Percent		---Million metric tons---			Number of years 2/
WHEAT						
World	2.1	11.3	-32.1	19.5	15	11
U.S.	1.9	1.2	-3.4	4.2	10	16
Foreign	2.3	10.8	-31.1	17.8	15	11
COARSE GRAINS 3/						
World	2.1	17.7	-51.0	32.7	19	7
U.S.	4.9	11.0	-22.1	31.4	18	8
Foreign	2.1	12.6	-28.8	20.0	16	10
RICE (Milled)						
World	1.9	6.4	-24.4	4.1	17	9
U.S.	4.7	0.3	-0.6	0.5	15	11
Foreign	1.9	6.4	-24.7	4.2	18	8
SOYBEANS						
World	3.5	5.2	-18.3	17.4	16	10
U.S.	5.6	3.6	-7.4	11.1	13	13
Foreign	6.6	5.2	-11.2	15.7	14	12
	---Million 480-lb. bales---					
COTTON						
World	3.6	3.2	-13.2	10.5	15	11
U.S.	6.4	1.1	-3.1	3.9	16	9
Foreign	3.8	2.8	-10.7	10.2	14	11
UNITED STATES	-----Million bushels-----					
CORN	5.2	405	-889	1079	17	9
SORGHUM	6.5	38	-82	108	13	13
BARLEY	4.8	18	-63	67	9	17
OATS	8.0	17	-26	57	5	21

1/ The final estimate for 1981/82-2004/05 is defined as the first December estimate following the marketing year.

2/ May not total 25 if projection was the same as the final.

3/ Includes corn, sorghum, barley, oats, rye, millet, and mixed grain.