



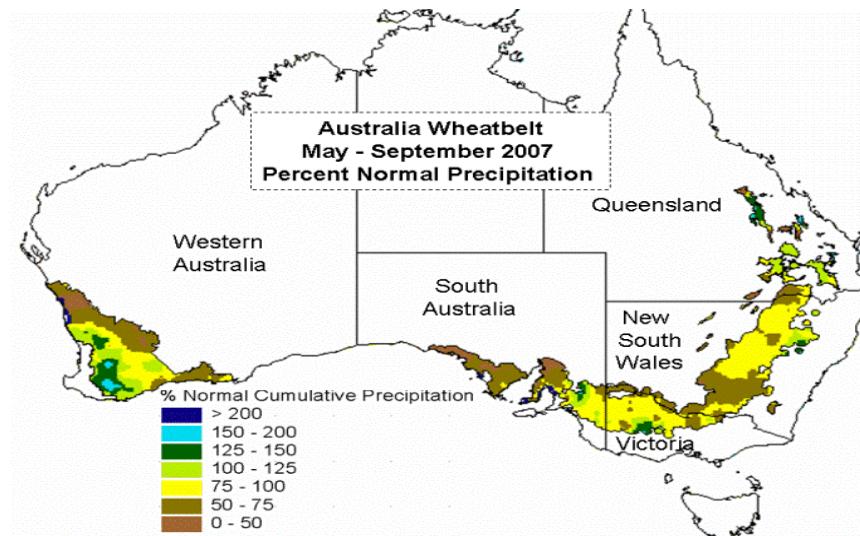
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Australia Wheat: Dry September Reduces Production Prospects



Australia wheat production for 2007/08 is forecast at 13.5 million tons, down 7.5 million or 36 percent from last month, but up 3.6 million or 36 percent from last year. The area forecast is 12.2 million hectares, down 0.8 or 6 percent from last month, but up 1.0 million or 9 percent from last year. Seasonal conditions have been variable across the major cropping regions of Australia. Since major sowing operations commenced in May, periods of dryness have plagued the Australia wheat producing states at various times. September precipitation is the most important factor for determining Australia wheat yield and was far below average for all wheat areas with the exception of Western Australia. In the largest producing state of Western Australia, an unusually dry start to the season delayed sowing operations until substantial rainfall occurred during July. August conditions were mostly warm accompanied by low soil moisture reserves. Substantial September rainfall significantly benefited Western Australia's winter grain crop. In the southeastern producing states of Victoria and South Australia, crop conditions declined despite scattered rains during the past month. In the second largest producing state of New South Wales an abnormally dry September severely reduced potential yield with virtually no rain received in the wheat belt. Persistent dryness and lack of subsoil moisture in a major portion of Australia's wheat region contributed to an estimated 26-percent drop in wheat yield from the five-year average. The estimated yield of 1.11 tons per hectare is the third lowest in the past ten seasons. The two lowest yields occurred in the severe drought years of 2002/03 and 2006/07. Currently, additional rainfall is needed in all growing states to sustain the current production potential. (For more information, contact Jim Crutchfield at 202-690-0135.)

Australia Barley: Dry September Reduces Production Prospects

Seasonal conditions have been variable across the major cropping regions of Australia. September precipitation is the most influential factor for determining Australia barley yield and was far below average for all barley areas with the exception of Western Australia. Australia barley production for 2007/08 is forecast at 6.2 million tons, down 1.8 million or 23 percent from last month, but up 2.4 million from last year. The area forecast is 4.0 million hectares, down 0.5 million from last month, but unchanged from last year.

In the largest producing state of South Australia, which accounts for 30 percent of the total crop, dry conditions in August and September have substantially reduced production potential. Since major sowing operations commenced in May with abundant soil moisture, periods of dryness have plagued this key Australia barley state. Western Australia is the second largest barley producing state in Australia with 28 percent of the national crop. This season began unusually dry which delayed sowing operations until the more substantial rainfall occurred during July. Substantial September rainfall significantly benefited Western Australia's barley crop. New South Wales, the third most important barley state, experienced a severely dry September throughout the winter grain belt which further reduced yield potential. Currently, additional rainfall is needed in all growing states to sustain the current production potential. (*For more information, contact Jim Crutchfield at 202-690-0135.*)

Russia Wheat: High Spring Wheat Yields Boost Harvest

The USDA estimates Russia wheat output for 2007/08 at 48.0 million tons, up 1.0 million from last month and up 3.1 million from last year. Area is estimated at 24.5 million hectares, unchanged from last month and up 0.8 million from last year. The month-to-month increase in estimated production is based in part on outstanding yields in Siberia, where the wheat crop benefited from favorable weather throughout the growing season followed by a rapid harvest. With harvest over 90 percent complete, official data indicate a 20-percent year-to-year increase in wheat yield in the Siberian District. Wheat output increased in the Volga and Central Districts as well, but production in the Southern District failed to reach last year's level due to persistent drought in Rostov oblast. (*For more information, contact Mark Lindeman at 202-690-0143.*)

Kazakhstan Wheat: Highest Crop Output in 15 Years

The USDA estimates Kazakhstan wheat production at 16.0 million tons, up 2.0 million from last month and up 2.5 million from last year. As in the neighboring Siberian District of Russia, the weather in Kazakhstan's main wheat region was extremely favorable during both the growing season and the harvest campaign. Data from the Ministry of Agriculture indicate a 25-percent year-to-year increase in total grain yield. Spring wheat accounts for over 95 percent of total wheat production and about 80 percent of total grain production in Kazakhstan. (*For more information, contact Mark Lindeman at 202-690-0143.*)

European Union Wheat: Production Lowered by 1.1 Million Tons

The USDA has lowered its estimated 2007/08 European Union (EU) wheat crop this month by 1.1 million tons to 120.8 million, 4.0 million below last year's unusually low crop. The drop in production this year is attributed to unfavorable weather. In northern Europe, a very dry spring was followed by an excessively wet harvest. Southeast Europe suffered from a severe drought, exacerbated by record high temperatures. Overall EU wheat yields are now estimated at 4.89 tons per hectare, the lowest since a continent-wide drought affected the 2003/04 season and yield fell to 4.55 tons per hectare. Area is estimated at 24.7 million hectares, down 0.2 million from last month and 0.7 million below the 5-year average.

Much of this month's EU reduction is attributed to weather-related losses in France, as indicated by recent harvest data released by the government. French wheat production for 2007/08 is estimated at 33.6 million tons, down 1.2 million from last month. Meanwhile, Poland's harvest was larger than expected, up 400,000 tons from last month to 8.6 million. The United Kingdom's crop was damaged by excessive rains earlier in the season, resulting in a 350,000 ton drop in estimated production to 13.8 million tons. (*For more information, contact Bryan Purcell 202-690-0138.*)

China Corn: Production Expected to Drop in 2007/08

China corn production for 2007/08 is estimated at 143.0 million tons, down 4.0 million or 3 percent from last month and down 1 percent from last year's record crop. Area is estimated at a record 27.8 million hectares, up 0.8 million from a year ago. According to preliminary government and trade estimates, corn area increased significantly in 2007/08 in response to rising prices, strong demand for feed and biofuels, higher profits compared to soybeans, and government financial support for grain farmers. The estimated yield of 5.14 tons per hectare is down 4 percent from last year's record yield but above the 5-year average.

Soil moisture and temperatures were mostly favorable for spring corn planting in northeast, southern and central China in March and April. Unseasonably dry and warm weather in June and early July stressed vegetative and reproductive corn in the Northeast, but growing conditions stabilized following widespread rainfall in August. Growing conditions on the North China Plain were generally favorable in July and August, but moderate to heavy rainfall in September may have delayed the harvest and affected crop quality. Crops in Anhui, Jiangsu, and southern Henan were damaged by severe flooding in July, but the return of normal weather in August improved yield prospects. Several typhoons in August and September brought heavy rain and wind damage to coastal areas, but the impact on corn yield is uncertain. (*For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.*)

China Soybeans: Lower Yields in Northeast China

China's 2007/08 soybean production is forecast at 14.6 million tons, down 0.6 million or 4 percent from last month and down 10 percent from last year. Area is estimated at 8.8 million hectares, unchanged from last month but down 5 percent from 2006/07.

High corn prices and relatively low returns for soybeans encouraged farmers to shift from soybeans to corn. The largest reduction occurred in Heilongjiang, where planted area dropped by an estimated 400,000 hectares. Soybean area is expected to remain stable in other regions. The estimated yield of 1.66 tons per hectare is down 5 percent from last year and below the 5-year average. Drought in northeast China had a major impact on soybean yields this year.

More than 50 percent of soybeans are grown in northeast China (Heilongjiang, Jilin, Liaoning, and Inner Mongolia). Temperatures and soil moisture were favorable for planting and emergence in the spring, but a serious drought in June and July created stressful conditions for vegetative to reproductive soybeans in many areas. Moisture conditions improved in August following widespread rain, but drought soon returned to the region. Growing conditions on the North China Plain were generally favorable in July and August, but moderate to heavy rainfall in September may have delayed the harvest and affected crop quality. Temperatures were seasonable in September and no frost was reported in the main soybean growing areas before the normal freeze date of October 1. (*For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.*)

China Cotton: Major Revisions to Area and Production Series

Major revisions were made to China's cotton area and production series this month, beginning with the 2004/05 crop season. The changes were based on a consensus of cotton industry and Chinese government opinion that the National Bureau of Statistics (NBS) had significantly underestimated cotton output in 2006/07 and most likely in previous years. Almost all of the 2006/07 production discrepancy (about 1 million tons) was attributed to Xinjiang, China's most important cotton province. Data on consumption, stocks, prices, imports, and rail deliveries all support the assessment that production in Xinjiang has been higher than previously reported by NBS.

China's 2007/08 cotton production is estimated at a record 35.5 million bales (7.73 million tons), up 3.0 million or 9 percent from last month but unchanged from last year's revised estimate. The estimated yield of 1,267 kilograms per hectare is down 2 percent from last year's record yield. Area is estimated at 6.1 million hectares, up 0.1 million from last year's revised area. Planting surveys by the Chinese government and private companies suggest a small increase in planted area for 2007/08. Planted area in Xinjiang increased by an estimated 100,000 hectares (up 5 percent), but estimated yields were lower than last year due to water shortages in the south and cool weather in the north.

Harvesting began in August in the Yangtze River valley and is now well advanced across the country. Severe flooding in July lowered yields in parts of Anhui, Jiangsu, and Henan. Heavy rain from Typhoon Wipha in mid-September caused yield losses and quality problems in Shandong and other coastal areas. Recent showers and cool temperatures have slowed harvest progress and procurement on the North China Plain and northwest, but conditions are favorably dry in central China for harvesting. (*For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.*)

Brazil Soybean: Record Production Forecast Despite Delayed Planting

Brazil's soybean production for 2007/08 is forecast at a record 62.0 million tons, up 2 percent from last month, and up 5 percent from last year's record crop. Harvested area for 2007/08 is forecast at 22.0 million hectares, up 2 percent from last month and up 6 percent from last year. The area forecast was increased by 0.5 million hectares from last month due to increased credit availability, the government's decision to roll over debt for another year, and attractive economic conditions for growing soybeans. Planting recently started in the largest soybean producing state, Mato Grosso, which typically is the first state to plant and harvest. However, substantial rains for planting in late-September were delayed by at least two weeks, with only 2 percent of the crop sown in Mato Grosso during the first week of October, against 6 percent last year. In Paraná, the second largest soy producing state, producers are still waiting for regular rains in order to begin planting. (*For more information, contact Curt Reynolds at 202-690-0134.*)

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-451), October 12, 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-27 -	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	621.7	564.4	57.3	25.7	3.0	132.4	47.7	18.7	97.5	68.6	nr	21.6	nr	14.5	4.9	25.4	1.9	18.5	84.0
2006/07 prel.	593.1	543.8	49.3	25.3	3.2	124.8	44.9	14.0	104.0	69.4	nr	21.7	nr	15.2	2.2	9.9	2.1	17.5	89.6
2007/08 proj.																			
Sep	606.2	548.7	57.5	20.3	3.3	121.8	47.0	13.5	105.0	74.9	nr	23.0	nr	14.0	3.6	21.0	1.7	15.5	84.2
Oct	600.5	544.2	56.2	20.6	3.3	120.8	48.0	13.8	105.0	74.9	nr	23.0	nr	14.5	3.6	13.5	1.7	15.5	86.2
Coarse Grains																			
2005/06	977.4	678.6	298.8	25.0	25.8	146.7	27.6	18.1	147.7	34.0	6.5	1.8	4.1	19.2	44.2	13.7	7.3	11.9	144.9
2006/07 prel.	980.2	700.1	280.1	23.1	28.7	138.7	30.2	19.2	153.6	34.2	6.7	2.0	3.9	27.5	53.2	5.8	7.1	11.1	155.1
2007/08 proj.																			
Sep	1,061.8	704.7	357.1	28.1	29.6	135.0	30.2	14.1	155.4	34.9	7.0	2.0	3.9	27.5	53.9	11.8	10.9	10.8	149.6
Oct	1,053.3	696.1	357.2	27.9	29.6	133.9	29.7	14.1	151.4	34.9	7.0	2.0	3.9	27.5	52.9	9.5	10.9	10.8	150.2
Rice, Milled																			
2005/06	418.1	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	411.9	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.																			
Sep	418.5	412.4	6.1	nr	0.2	1.7	0.5	0.1	127.0	92.0	34.0	5.3	18.4	0.8	7.9	0.1	nr	0.4	124.2
Oct	418.6	412.3	6.3	nr	0.2	1.7	0.5	0.1	127.0	92.0	34.0	5.3	18.4	0.8	8.0	0.0	nr	0.4	124.1
Total Grains																			
2005/06	2,017.1	1,654.0	363.2	50.7	29.0	280.8	75.7	36.9	371.6	194.5	41.5	29.0	22.3	34.5	56.9	39.7	9.2	30.8	350.9
2006/07 prel.	1,991.4	1,655.7	335.7	48.4	32.2	265.2	75.5	33.2	385.6	196.3	40.0	28.9	22.1	43.4	63.1	15.8	9.2	29.1	367.7
2007/08 proj.																			
Sep	2,086.5	1,665.7	420.8	48.4	33.0	258.5	77.6	27.6	387.4	201.8	41.0	30.3	22.3	42.2	65.3	32.9	12.6	26.7	358.1
Oct	2,072.4	1,652.7	419.7	48.5	33.0	256.3	78.1	27.9	383.4	201.8	41.0	30.3	22.3	42.7	64.4	23.0	12.6	26.7	360.5
Oilseeds																			
2005/06	391.8	296.3	95.5	12.9	0.7	23.5	7.4	5.6	57.4	30.6	7.7	5.1	0.5	45.0	59.1	2.5	1.1	2.0	35.1
2006/07 prel.	406.6	310.0	96.6	12.6	0.6	24.4	8.0	6.8	59.3	29.9	7.9	5.3	0.6	51.6	62.0	1.0	0.6	2.3	37.1
2007/08 proj.																			
Sep	390.9	310.7	80.2	12.2	0.6	23.4	7.0	6.0	55.3	32.7	8.2	5.5	0.6	52.2	63.9	1.8	1.0	1.9	38.2
Oct	392.0	312.0	80.0	11.8	0.6	23.3	7.0	5.8	55.9	33.3	8.2	5.8	0.6	52.2	65.0	1.5	1.0	1.9	38.1
Cotton																			
2005/06	117.7	93.8	23.9	nr	0.6	2.5	nr	nr	29.5	19.1	0.0	10.2	0.1	0.6	4.7	2.8	0.1	3.6	20.1
2006/07 prel.	122.1	100.5	21.6	nr	0.7	1.6	nr	nr	35.5	21.8	0.0	9.9	0.0	0.8	7.0	1.4	0.1	4.0	17.7
2007/08 proj.																			
Sep	117.2	99.4	17.8	nr	0.7	1.5	nr	nr	32.5	23.5	0.0	11.0	0.0	0.8	6.8	0.8	0.1	3.5	18.2
Oct	120.3	102.1	18.2	nr	0.7	1.6	nr	nr	35.5	23.5	0.0	11.0	0.0	0.8	7.0	0.7	0.1	3.4	17.8

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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	218.44	212.23	217.78	216.33	2.85	2.79	2.78	2.78	621.66	593.08	606.24	600.47	-5.77	-0.95	7.39	1.25
United States	20.28	18.94	21.08	20.64	2.82	2.60	2.73	2.72	57.28	49.32	57.53	56.25	-1.29	-2.24	6.93	14.05
Total Foreign	198.16	193.28	196.70	195.69	2.85	2.81	2.79	2.78	564.38	543.76	548.71	544.23	-4.49	-0.82	0.46	0.08
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	28.00	28.00	2.59	2.63	2.67	2.67	68.64	69.35	74.89	74.89	0.00	0.00	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	24.50	24.50	1.88	1.89	1.92	1.96	47.70	44.90	47.00	48.00	1.00	2.13	3.10	6.90
Ukraine	6.57	5.50	6.00	6.00	2.85	2.55	2.25	2.30	18.70	14.00	13.50	13.80	0.30	2.22	-0.20	-1.43
Kazakhstan, Republic	11.80	12.40	12.75	12.75	0.93	1.09	1.10	1.25	11.00	13.50	14.00	16.00	2.00	14.29	2.50	18.52
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.45	1.30	1.30	1.30	4.00	4.50	4.62	4.62	5.80	5.85	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	2.56
EU-27																
France	5.29	5.26	5.33	5.25	6.98	6.74	6.53	6.40	36.90	35.47	34.80	33.60	-1.20	-3.45	-1.87	-5.26
Germany	3.17	3.12	3.00	3.00	7.46	7.20	7.00	7.00	23.69	22.43	21.00	21.00	0.00	0.00	-1.43	-6.37
United Kingdom	1.87	1.83	1.91	1.80	7.96	8.04	7.41	7.67	14.86	14.74	14.15	13.80	-0.35	-2.47	-0.94	-6.35
Poland	2.22	2.18	2.15	2.25	3.95	3.24	3.81	3.82	8.77	7.06	8.20	8.60	0.40	4.88	1.54	21.81
Spain	2.25	1.96	1.98	1.85	1.70	2.85	3.33	3.46	3.82	5.58	6.60	6.40	-0.20	-3.03	0.82	14.78
Italy	2.03	1.77	2.00	2.00	3.49	3.68	3.20	3.20	7.08	6.51	6.40	6.40	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-1.72
Denmark	0.68	0.68	0.68	0.68	7.15	6.95	7.13	6.99	4.83	4.76	4.85	4.75	-0.10	-2.06	-0.01	-0.13
Hungary	1.13	1.08	1.12	1.12	4.51	4.06	3.49	3.57	5.10	4.38	3.90	4.00	0.10	2.56	-0.38	-8.65
Romania	2.10	1.80	1.85	1.85	2.81	2.64	1.57	1.57	5.90	4.75	2.90	2.90	0.00	0.00	-1.85	-38.95
Bulgaria	1.10	0.92	1.00	1.00	3.13	3.45	2.10	2.10	3.44	3.18	2.10	2.10	0.00	0.00	-1.08	-33.90
Canada	9.40	9.68	8.61	8.65	2.74	2.61	2.36	2.38	25.75	25.27	20.30	20.60	0.30	1.48	-4.67	-18.46
Australia	12.54	11.20	13.00	12.20	2.02	0.88	1.62	1.11	25.37	9.90	21.00	13.50	-7.50	-35.71	3.60	36.36
Middle East																
Turkey	8.60	8.60	8.60	8.60	2.15	2.03	1.80	1.80	18.50	17.50	15.50	15.50	0.00	0.00	-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	2.90	14.50	15.20	14.00	14.50	0.50	3.57	-0.70	-4.61
Others	22.83	21.87	21.76	21.73	2.64	2.55	2.59	2.61	60.27	55.76	56.40	56.67	0.27	0.47	0.91	1.63

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	300.81	303.53	315.70	315.24	3.25	3.23	3.36	3.34	977.39	980.17	1,061.7	1,053.31	-8.44	-0.80	73.15	7.46
United States	34.89	32.53	39.49	39.69	8.56	8.61	9.04	9.00	298.76	280.11	357.11	357.18	0.07	0.02	77.06	27.51
Total Foreign	265.92	271.00	276.21	275.55	2.55	2.58	2.55	2.53	678.63	700.05	704.65	696.14	-8.51	-1.21	-3.92	-0.56
China, Peoples	29.13	29.85	30.66	30.66	5.07	5.14	5.07	4.94	147.70	153.56	155.40	151.40	-4.00	-2.57	-2.16	-1.41
South America																
Brazil	14.14	15.15	15.64	15.34	3.12	3.51	3.44	3.45	44.17	53.17	53.86	52.86	-1.00	-1.86	-0.31	-0.58
Argentina	3.47	4.07	4.31	4.31	5.55	6.77	6.37	6.37	19.22	27.54	27.47	27.47	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-0.24
EU-27																
France	3.83	3.72	3.76	3.77	7.08	6.89	6.83	6.71	27.10	25.59	25.64	25.28	-0.36	-1.40	-0.31	-1.22
Germany	3.67	3.59	3.54	3.57	6.08	5.87	5.69	5.55	22.29	21.05	20.15	19.80	-0.35	-1.74	-1.25	-5.92
Poland	6.04	6.13	5.98	5.98	2.99	2.39	3.06	2.99	18.07	14.66	18.30	17.90	-0.40	-2.19	3.25	22.14
Spain	4.15	4.28	4.30	4.31	2.25	3.16	3.71	3.76	9.32	13.54	15.95	16.20	0.25	1.57	2.66	19.66
Italy	1.64	1.59	1.53	1.53	7.20	7.12	6.90	6.77	11.84	11.29	10.55	10.35	-0.20	-1.90	-0.94	-8.29
Hungary	1.78	1.75	1.60	1.60	6.04	5.64	3.78	3.63	10.73	9.87	6.06	5.82	-0.24	-3.96	-4.06	-41.11
United Kingdom	1.11	1.11	1.12	1.12	5.96	6.30	6.26	6.26	6.63	6.97	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.30
Romania	3.65	3.15	2.76	2.74	3.25	3.06	1.76	1.74	11.88	9.64	4.85	4.75	-0.10	-2.06	-4.89	-50.70
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	16.20	17.10	17.40	17.40	1.70	1.77	1.73	1.70	27.60	30.20	30.15	29.65	-0.50	-1.66	-0.55	-1.82
Ukraine	7.19	7.82	7.15	7.15	2.52	2.45	1.97	1.97	18.14	19.18	14.05	14.05	0.00	0.00	-5.13	-26.73
Kazakhstan, Republic	1.97	2.17	2.18	2.18	1.03	1.12	1.15	1.29	2.02	2.42	2.52	2.82	0.30	11.93	0.40	16.32
Africa																
Nigeria	17.25	17.95	18.45	18.45	1.43	1.45	1.47	1.47	24.70	26.00	27.20	27.20	0.00	0.00	1.20	4.62
South Africa, Republic	2.88	3.68	4.16	4.16	2.54	1.94	2.63	2.63	7.31	7.13	10.93	10.93	0.00	0.00	3.80	53.25
Ethiopia	5.50	5.85	5.53	5.53	1.65	1.89	1.65	1.65	9.09	11.08	9.10	9.10	0.00	0.00	-1.98	-17.83
Egypt	0.93	0.94	0.94	0.94	7.49	7.49	7.49	7.49	6.99	7.00	7.04	7.04	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.57
India	27.86	27.60	28.27	28.27	1.22	1.24	1.23	1.23	34.04	34.16	34.91	34.91	0.00	0.00	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	2.56	2.64	2.65	2.65	2.30	2.36	2.30	2.30	5.88	6.23	6.10	6.10	0.00	0.00	-0.13	-2.09
Thailand	1.15	1.05	1.05	1.05	3.55	3.70	3.75	3.75	4.10	3.89	3.94	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.05	1.29
Mexico	8.58	9.36	9.66	9.66	3.01	3.07	3.06	3.06	25.83	28.73	29.58	29.58	0.00	0.00	0.85	2.96
Canada	6.24	6.12	7.48	7.48	4.00	3.78	3.76	3.73	24.97	23.15	28.10	27.91	-0.19	-0.67	4.77	20.59
Australia	6.36	5.42	6.28	5.78	2.15	1.06	1.88	1.64	13.67	5.76	11.81	9.51	-2.30	-19.48	3.75	65.16
Turkey	4.56	4.46	4.56	4.56	2.62	2.50	2.38	2.38	11.95	11.15	10.85	10.85	0.00	0.00	-0.30	-2.69
Others	80.79	81.21	81.86	81.98	1.57	1.61	1.54	1.55	126.91	130.42	126.16	126.73	0.58	0.46	-3.69	-2.83

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	145.51	148.55	158.49	158.50	4.78	4.74	4.88	4.85	696.22	703.41	774.11	768.97	-5.14	-0.66	65.56	9.32
United States	30.40	28.59	34.57	34.83	9.29	9.36	9.78	9.71	282.31	267.60	338.04	338.30	0.26	0.08	70.70	26.42
Total Foreign	115.11	119.96	123.92	123.67	3.60	3.63	3.52	3.48	413.91	435.82	436.07	430.67	-5.39	-1.24	-5.14	-1.18
China, Peoples	26.36	27.00	27.80	27.80	5.29	5.37	5.29	5.14	139.37	145.00	147.00	143.00	-4.00	-2.72	-2.00	-1.38
South America																
Brazil	12.90	14.00	14.30	14.00	3.23	3.64	3.57	3.57	41.70	51.00	51.00	50.00	-1.00	-1.96	-1.00	-1.96
Argentina	2.44	2.80	3.00	3.00	6.48	8.04	7.50	7.50	15.80	22.50	22.50	22.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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
EU-27																
France	1.61	1.44	1.47	1.50	8.51	8.44	8.84	8.67	13.68	12.15	13.00	13.00	0.00	0.00	0.85	7.00
Italy	1.11	1.06	1.02	1.02	8.98	8.87	8.63	8.43	10.00	9.40	8.80	8.60	-0.20	-2.27	-0.80	-8.51
Hungary	1.20	1.22	1.05	1.05	7.25	6.64	4.19	4.00	8.70	8.10	4.40	4.20	-0.20	-4.55	-3.90	-48.15
Romania	2.95	2.60	2.20	2.20	3.49	3.27	1.82	1.82	10.30	8.50	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	-4.50	-52.94
Poland	0.34	0.31	0.32	0.32	5.74	4.08	5.63	5.63	1.95	1.26	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	0.54	42.74
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	1.09	1.06	1.37	1.36	8.63	8.47	7.70	7.76	9.36	8.99	10.57	10.56	-0.01	-0.12	1.57	17.46
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	0.00	1.17	1.25	1.25	0.00	5.48	3.36	3.36	0.00	6.42	4.20	4.20	0.00	0.00	-2.22	-34.53
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	2.56	2.64	2.65	2.65	2.30	2.36	2.30	2.30	5.88	6.23	6.10	6.10	0.00	0.00	-0.13	-2.09
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	1.00	1.00	3.64	3.80	3.85	3.85	4.00	3.80	3.85	3.85	0.00	0.00	0.05	1.32
Russian Federation	0.85	1.00	1.30	1.30	3.76	3.60	2.69	2.69	3.20	3.60	3.50	3.50	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-2.78
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa, Republic	2.03	2.80	3.30	3.30	3.41	2.39	3.18	3.18	6.94	6.70	10.50	10.50	0.00	0.00	3.80	56.72
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	0.55	0.45	0.55	0.55	6.73	6.67	6.73	6.73	3.70	3.00	3.70	3.70	0.00	0.00	0.70	23.33
Others	29.71	28.76	29.21	29.24	2.35	2.28	2.21	2.21	69.83	65.44	64.50	64.52	0.02	0.03	-0.91	-1.40

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	55.66	56.95	57.29	56.80	2.45	2.40	2.39	2.37	136.63	136.91	136.82	134.38	-2.44	-1.79	-2.53	-1.85
United States	1.32	1.19	1.43	1.42	3.49	3.29	3.40	3.25	4.61	3.92	4.87	4.61	-0.25	-5.22	0.69	17.56
Total Foreign	54.34	55.76	55.86	55.38	2.43	2.39	2.36	2.34	132.02	132.98	131.96	129.77	-2.19	-1.66	-3.22	-2.42
Russian Federation	9.15	10.00	9.80	9.80	1.73	1.81	1.79	1.73	15.80	18.10	17.50	17.00	-0.50	-2.86	-1.10	-6.08
EU-27																
Germany	1.95	2.03	1.95	1.95	5.97	5.91	5.38	5.38	11.61	11.97	10.50	10.50	0.00	0.00	-1.47	-12.26
France	1.60	1.66	1.69	1.67	6.44	6.31	5.78	5.70	10.32	10.49	9.76	9.52	-0.24	-2.46	-0.97	-9.20
Spain	3.14	3.23	3.25	3.25	1.42	2.58	3.46	3.46	4.46	8.32	11.25	11.25	0.00	0.00	2.93	35.25
United Kingdom	0.94	0.88	0.88	0.88	5.86	5.95	5.85	5.85	5.50	5.24	5.15	5.15	0.00	0.00	-0.09	-1.70
Denmark	0.71	0.67	0.65	0.65	5.39	4.83	5.08	5.08	3.80	3.25	3.30	3.30	0.00	0.00	0.05	1.44
Poland	1.11	1.22	1.20	1.20	3.22	2.59	3.04	3.04	3.58	3.16	3.65	3.65	0.00	0.00	0.49	15.47
Czech Republic	0.52	0.53	0.50	0.50	4.21	3.59	3.80	3.80	2.20	1.90	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.11
Finland	0.59	0.56	0.57	0.57	3.54	3.50	3.36	3.36	2.10	1.97	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-3.65
Sweden	0.37	0.31	0.32	0.33	4.28	3.63	4.32	4.43	1.59	1.11	1.39	1.44	0.05	3.60	0.33	29.38
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	3.27	1.20	1.08	1.05	1.04	-0.01	-0.95	-0.04	-3.79
Austria	0.19	0.21	0.19	0.19	4.60	4.43	4.21	4.21	0.88	0.91	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-12.38
Ukraine	4.35	5.20	4.40	4.40	2.07	2.18	1.41	1.41	9.00	11.35	6.20	6.20	0.00	0.00	-5.15	-45.37
Canada	3.63	3.22	4.01	4.05	3.21	2.97	2.96	2.91	11.68	9.57	11.85	11.80	-0.05	-0.42	2.23	23.26
Australia	4.45	4.00	4.50	4.00	2.15	0.95	1.78	1.55	9.56	3.80	8.00	6.20	-1.80	-22.50	2.40	63.16
Turkey	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	2.11	2.08	1.81	1.81	7.60	7.50	6.50	6.50	0.00	0.00	-1.00	-13.33
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	1.28	1.50	1.90	2.00	2.30	0.30	15.00	0.40	21.05
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
Belarus	0.60	0.55	0.65	0.65	3.00	2.45	2.46	2.46	1.80	1.35	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.25	18.52
India	0.76	0.70	0.77	0.77	1.59	1.74	1.70	1.70	1.20	1.22	1.31	1.31	0.00	0.00	0.09	7.38
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
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
Iraq	1.14	1.03	1.00	1.00	0.66	0.90	0.80	0.80	0.75	0.92	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	-0.12	-13.04
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
Others	6.16	6.26	6.35	6.35	2.20	2.02	2.03	2.03	13.54	12.68	12.86	12.92	0.06	0.47	0.24	1.90

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	12.50	12.82	13.39	13.30	1.91	1.80	1.94	1.91	23.87	23.03	25.90	25.34	-0.56	-2.18	2.31	10.01
United States	0.74	0.63	0.65	0.61	2.26	2.14	2.19	2.18	1.67	1.36	1.43	1.33	-0.10	-6.80	-0.03	-2.13
Total Foreign	11.77	12.18	12.74	12.69	1.89	1.78	1.92	1.89	22.20	21.68	24.48	24.01	-0.47	-1.91	2.34	10.77
Russian Federation	3.35	3.60	3.70	3.70	1.36	1.36	1.35	1.35	4.55	4.90	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	2.04
Canada	1.27	1.54	1.87	1.85	2.58	2.51	2.72	2.70	3.28	3.85	5.10	5.00	-0.10	-1.96	1.15	29.80
EU-27																
Poland	0.54	0.54	0.56	0.56	2.46	1.92	2.32	2.50	1.32	1.04	1.30	1.40	0.10	7.69	0.37	35.27
Finland	0.35	0.35	0.36	0.36	3.11	2.92	3.33	3.33	1.07	1.03	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	0.17	16.62
Spain	0.45	0.50	0.51	0.51	1.18	1.84	1.76	2.05	0.53	0.92	0.90	1.05	0.15	16.67	0.13	13.76
Germany	0.21	0.18	0.18	0.18	4.59	4.51	4.29	4.29	0.96	0.83	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-9.64
Sweden	0.19	0.20	0.21	0.21	3.87	3.18	3.81	4.05	0.75	0.64	0.80	0.85	0.05	6.25	0.21	33.65
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	4.29	0.51	0.48	0.47	0.45	-0.02	-4.26	-0.03	-5.26
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	0.06	4.57	4.06	4.29	4.73	0.32	0.28	0.30	0.26	-0.04	-13.33	-0.02	-8.45
Romania	0.22	0.20	0.20	0.20	1.79	1.71	1.50	1.25	0.39	0.35	0.30	0.25	-0.05	-16.67	-0.10	-28.16
Czech Republic	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	2.90	2.67	3.00	3.00	0.15	0.16	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.03	16.13
Hungary	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	2.53	2.46	2.08	2.00	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.12	-0.01	-4.00	-0.03	-20.00
Austria	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.03	4.30	3.74	3.71	3.17	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.10	-0.04	-26.92	-0.04	-27.48
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	1.11	1.70	0.65	1.50	1.00	-0.50	-33.33	0.35	53.85
Ukraine	0.45	0.44	0.40	0.40	1.78	1.59	1.63	1.63	0.80	0.70	0.65	0.65	0.00	0.00	-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	2.40	2.40	0.60	0.55	0.60	0.60	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
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	0.00	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	1.85	1.85	1.85	0.00	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	1.33	1.26	1.26	1.25	0.83	0.76	0.79	0.78	1.11	0.96	0.99	0.98	-0.02	-1.71	0.02	1.67

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	6.77	5.68	6.23	6.29	2.14	2.18	2.31	2.29	14.49	12.38	14.39	14.39	0.01	0.03	2.02	16.28
United States	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.12	1.69	1.65	1.66	1.72	0.19	0.18	0.21	0.20	-0.01	-2.43	0.02	9.84
Total Foreign	6.65	5.57	6.10	6.18	2.15	2.19	2.32	2.30	14.30	12.20	14.18	14.19	0.01	0.07	2.00	16.38
EU-27																
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	0.65	5.09	4.91	4.80	4.23	2.79	2.64	3.00	2.75	-0.25	-8.33	0.11	4.01
Spain	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.12	1.40	1.61	1.76	2.17	0.13	0.16	0.18	0.25	0.07	38.89	0.09	57.23
Lithuania	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.07	2.12	1.76	2.50	2.50	0.11	0.09	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.09	94.44
Latvia	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.06	2.23	2.93	2.83	2.83	0.09	0.12	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.05	45.30
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	4.83	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.15	0.02	16.00	0.01	9.85
Czech Republic	0.05	0.02	0.04	0.04	4.19	3.41	3.73	4.02	0.20	0.08	0.15	0.17	0.01	7.84	0.09	120.00
Austria	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.05	3.79	3.48	3.60	3.89	0.16	0.09	0.09	0.18	0.09	94.44	0.08	86.17
Sweden	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.03	5.33	4.92	5.00	5.40	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.14	0.05	50.00	0.02	14.41
Hungary	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	2.49	2.44	2.02	2.02	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-10.53
Slovakia	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02	2.88	2.46	3.00	3.00	0.07	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.03	87.50
Finland	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	2.29	2.32	2.25	2.83	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.09	0.04	88.89	0.03	66.67
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
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
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
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
Russian Federation	2.35	1.80	2.10	2.10	1.53	1.67	1.76	1.76	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	2.17	2.17	1.15	1.20	1.30	1.30	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	0.14	0.16	0.12	0.12	2.43	2.34	2.25	2.17	0.33	0.38	0.28	0.25	-0.03	-9.75	-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
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	1.88	0.17	0.15	0.16	0.17	0.02	9.49	0.02	15.33

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	39.91	39.92	40.65	40.65	1.46	1.44	1.54	1.55	58.44	57.40	62.79	62.96	0.17	0.27	5.57	9.70
United States	2.32	2.00	2.71	2.71	4.30	3.53	4.64	4.70	9.98	7.05	12.57	12.74	0.17	1.36	5.69	80.68
Total Foreign	37.58	37.92	37.94	37.94	1.29	1.33	1.32	1.32	48.46	50.35	50.23	50.23	0.00	0.00	-0.12	-0.24
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	1.50	1.50	3.50	3.71	3.60	3.60	5.50	5.75	5.40	5.40	0.00	0.00	-0.35	-6.09
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
EU-27																
France	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	5.23	5.36	5.27	5.27	0.27	0.30	0.29	0.29	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-3.33
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	4.44	4.62	4.62	1.59	1.81	1.85	1.85	6.95	8.03	8.56	8.56	0.00	0.00	0.52	6.51

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	152.57	152.92	153.89	153.88	4.08	4.07	4.05	4.05	418.06	418.13	418.49	418.64	0.15	0.04	0.52	0.12
United States	1.36	1.14	1.11	1.11	7.44	7.70	7.87	8.09	7.11	6.25	6.13	6.30	0.17	2.72	0.05	0.85
Total Foreign	151.21	151.78	152.79	152.78	4.05	4.05	4.02	4.02	410.94	411.88	412.35	412.34	-0.01	0.00	0.46	0.11
East Asia																
China, Peoples	28.85	29.20	29.60	29.60	6.26	6.26	6.13	6.13	126.41	128.00	127.00	127.00	0.00	0.00	-1.00	-0.78
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	6.40	4.77	4.68	4.60	4.50	-0.10	-2.17	-0.18	-3.85
Korea, Democratic	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.59	4.21	4.08	3.81	3.81	1.60	1.55	1.45	1.45	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-6.45
South Asia																
India	43.40	44.00	44.00	44.00	3.17	3.16	3.14	3.14	91.79	92.76	92.00	92.00	0.00	0.00	-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	2.55	2.55	3.18	3.03	3.12	3.12	5.55	5.20	5.30	5.30	0.00	0.00	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	7.28	7.35	7.35	4.72	4.71	4.74	4.74	22.77	22.63	22.99	22.99	0.00	0.00	0.37	1.63
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	4.16	4.18	4.20	4.20	3.63	3.71	3.67	3.67	9.82	10.09	10.01	10.01	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-0.74
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	3.92	7.87	7.70	7.85	7.99	0.14	1.78	0.29	3.77
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
EU-27																
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	0.10	0.10	7.05	7.04	7.00	7.00	0.59	0.52	0.49	0.49	0.00	0.00	-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	9.27	9.29	9.27	3.05	3.03	3.05	3.05	18.61	18.31	18.44	18.39	-0.05	-0.29	0.08	0.43

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	199.08	199.87	197.77	198.49	1.89	1.96	1.89	1.89	376.34	391.04	374.58	375.68	1.10	0.29	-15.37	-3.93
United States	36.59	36.96	31.52	31.43	2.61	2.61	2.54	2.54	95.53	96.61	80.16	79.96	-0.20	-0.25	-16.66	-17.24
Total Foreign	162.49	162.91	166.25	167.06	1.73	1.81	1.77	1.77	280.81	294.43	294.42	295.72	1.30	0.44	1.29	0.44
South America																
Brazil	23.26	21.99	22.74	23.32	2.54	2.82	2.81	2.79	59.10	61.98	63.88	64.96	1.07	1.68	2.98	4.81
Argentina	17.87	18.90	20.00	20.00	2.52	2.73	2.61	2.61	45.03	51.56	52.24	52.24	0.00	0.00	0.68	1.31
Paraguay	2.76	2.98	2.65	2.98	1.40	2.22	2.45	2.24	3.88	6.61	6.48	6.69	0.21	3.16	0.08	1.21
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	0.37	0.41	0.54	0.42	1.94	2.01	1.87	1.99	0.71	0.82	1.00	0.83	-0.17	-16.60	0.01	1.58
China, Peoples	28.05	27.80	26.69	27.09	2.05	2.13	2.07	2.06	57.42	59.32	55.34	55.91	0.57	1.03	-3.41	-5.75
South Asia																
India	33.32	31.98	34.10	34.10	0.90	0.92	0.94	0.95	29.94	29.28	31.95	32.53	0.58	1.82	3.25	11.09
Pakistan	3.76	4.01	4.07	4.07	1.34	1.31	1.35	1.42	5.05	5.25	5.49	5.79	0.30	5.47	0.53	10.17
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	6.30	7.20	6.50	6.50	1.18	1.11	1.08	1.08	7.44	8.02	7.05	7.05	0.00	0.00	-0.97	-12.10
Ukraine	4.31	5.00	5.01	4.93	1.30	1.36	1.20	1.17	5.60	6.79	5.99	5.75	-0.24	-4.01	-1.04	-15.32
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.43	1.43	1.45	1.45	1.75	1.64	1.62	1.59	2.50	2.35	2.35	2.30	-0.05	-2.13	-0.05	-2.13
Canada	6.53	6.52	7.05	7.05	1.98	1.94	1.73	1.67	12.91	12.61	12.22	11.77	-0.45	-3.68	-0.85	-6.70
EU-27																
France	1.93	2.09	2.14	2.14	3.19	2.68	2.79	2.79	6.15	5.61	5.98	5.98	0.00	0.00	0.37	6.67
Germany	1.37	1.46	1.57	1.57	3.73	3.70	3.30	3.30	5.12	5.40	5.16	5.16	0.00	0.00	-0.24	-4.43
United Kingdom	0.59	0.58	0.63	0.63	3.21	3.25	3.02	3.02	1.90	1.87	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	0.03	1.60
Romania	1.15	1.34	1.40	1.30	1.50	1.52	0.84	0.83	1.73	2.05	1.18	1.08	-0.10	-8.51	-0.97	-47.54
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	1.85	1.85	1.46	1.60	1.34	1.34	0.00	0.00	-0.26	-16.30
Poland	0.55	0.63	0.71	0.71	2.63	2.63	2.42	2.70	1.46	1.66	1.71	1.91	0.20	11.72	0.25	15.09
Italy	0.29	0.33	0.28	0.28	2.98	2.65	2.66	2.66	0.85	0.87	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	-0.12	-13.87
Australia	1.45	0.92	1.21	1.18	1.72	1.14	1.52	1.25	2.50	1.05	1.84	1.48	-0.36	-19.57	0.43	41.22
Turkey	1.07	1.19	1.09	1.09	1.88	1.91	1.78	1.76	2.01	2.27	1.94	1.92	-0.02	-0.83	-0.35	-15.44
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	2.04	2.05	2.07	2.08	1.04	1.04	1.05	1.05	2.12	2.13	2.17	2.19	0.02	0.97	0.06	2.86
South Africa, Republic	0.78	0.55	0.72	0.72	1.37	1.09	1.39	1.39	1.07	0.60	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.40	66.78
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
Others	19.82	20.12	20.16	19.96	1.00	0.99	1.01	1.00	19.75	19.90	20.28	20.02	-0.27	-1.32	0.12	0.60

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	92.92	94.14	91.03	91.46	2.37	2.50	2.43	2.42	220.44	235.77	221.27	220.99	-0.28	-0.12	-14.78	-6.27
United States	28.83	30.19	25.60	25.42	2.91	2.87	2.78	2.78	83.37	86.77	71.27	70.71	-0.57	-0.79	-16.06	-18.51
Total Foreign	64.08	63.95	65.42	66.03	2.14	2.33	2.29	2.28	137.07	149.00	150.00	150.29	0.29	0.19	1.28	0.86
South America																
Brazil	22.23	20.70	21.50	22.00	2.56	2.85	2.84	2.82	57.00	59.00	61.00	62.00	1.00	1.64	3.00	5.08
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	2.43	2.63	2.40	2.60	1.50	2.36	2.58	2.38	3.64	6.20	6.20	6.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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	0.31	0.37	0.40	0.40	2.05	2.13	2.03	2.03	0.63	0.78	0.81	0.81	0.00	0.00	0.03	4.11
East Asia																
China, Peoples	9.59	9.30	8.80	8.80	1.70	1.74	1.73	1.66	16.35	16.20	15.20	14.60	-0.60	-3.95	-1.60	-9.88
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	8.50	8.50	0.90	0.95	0.94	0.96	7.00	7.69	8.00	8.20	0.20	2.50	0.51	6.63
Canada	1.17	1.20	1.17	1.16	2.70	2.88	2.44	2.40	3.16	3.46	2.85	2.78	-0.07	-2.46	-0.68	-19.65
Former Soviet Union																
Ukraine	0.43	0.71	0.71	0.63	1.43	1.25	1.25	1.03	0.61	0.89	0.89	0.65	-0.24	-26.97	-0.24	-26.97
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
EU-27																
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	1.77	1.13	1.75	1.75	0.42	0.21	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.14	69.90
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	0.15	0.15	0.00	2.12	2.07	2.07	0.00	0.35	0.31	0.31	0.00	0.00	-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
Others	0.60	0.58	0.51	0.51	2.15	1.93	1.86	1.86	1.30	1.12	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00	-0.17	-15.46

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	33.90	33.85	32.66	32.97	1.30	1.36	1.35	1.39	44.14	46.02	44.14	45.86	1.73	3.91	-0.16	-0.34
United States	5.59	5.15	4.27	4.27	1.33	1.29	1.31	1.34	7.41	6.67	5.59	5.70	0.11	2.02	-0.96	-14.43
Total Foreign	28.31	28.70	28.39	28.70	1.30	1.37	1.36	1.40	36.73	39.35	38.54	40.16	1.61	4.18	0.81	2.05
China, Peoples	5.50	6.00	5.70	6.10	2.14	2.32	2.24	2.28	11.76	13.91	12.74	13.91	1.17	9.18	0.00	0.00
South Asia																
India	8.87	9.17	9.50	9.50	0.91	1.00	1.01	1.05	8.09	9.13	9.60	9.98	0.38	3.96	0.85	9.33
Pakistan	3.10	3.25	3.25	3.25	1.43	1.33	1.38	1.48	4.43	4.32	4.50	4.80	0.30	6.67	0.48	11.16
Former Soviet Union																
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.43	1.43	1.45	1.45	1.75	1.64	1.62	1.59	2.50	2.35	2.35	2.30	-0.05	-2.13	-0.05	-2.13
Turkmenistan	0.70	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.54	0.78	0.85	0.85	0.38	0.47	0.51	0.51	0.00	0.00	0.04	8.51
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	1.23	1.23	0.27	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South America																
Brazil	0.85	1.09	1.05	1.13	2.06	2.38	2.41	2.31	1.75	2.61	2.53	2.61	0.07	2.92	0.00	0.00
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	0.58	0.58	1.92	1.95	1.93	1.90	1.15	1.30	1.12	1.10	-0.02	-1.43	-0.20	-15.41
Syria	0.25	0.21	0.22	0.20	2.88	2.10	2.60	2.76	0.71	0.45	0.57	0.55	-0.02	-3.84	0.10	22.44
Iran	0.17	0.10	0.15	0.10	0.94	0.80	0.88	0.88	0.16	0.08	0.13	0.09	-0.04	-33.33	0.01	10.00
Australia	0.34	0.15	0.11	0.08	2.56	2.90	2.67	2.75	0.86	0.42	0.28	0.22	-0.06	-21.43	-0.20	-47.62
EU-27																
Greece	0.36	0.37	0.35	0.31	1.63	1.59	1.65	1.46	0.59	0.59	0.58	0.45	-0.13	-21.63	-0.14	-22.96
Spain	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.05	2.67	1.73	0.89	1.13	0.23	0.09	0.04	0.05	0.01	27.50	-0.04	-43.33
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.63	0.70	0.45	0.45	0.59	0.51	0.55	0.54	0.37	0.36	0.25	0.24	-0.01	-2.81	-0.12	-32.59
Mali	0.52	0.46	0.35	0.30	0.55	0.49	0.49	0.55	0.28	0.22	0.17	0.16	-0.01	-3.53	-0.06	-26.79
Cameroon	0.23	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.92	0.91	0.88	0.81	0.21	0.18	0.18	0.16	-0.01	-7.43	-0.02	-10.99
Sudan	0.17	0.16	0.17	0.15	1.12	0.72	0.98	0.85	0.19	0.12	0.17	0.13	-0.04	-23.35	0.01	11.30
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	0.40	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.49	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.19	0.02	12.14	0.02	12.14
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	0.25	1.40	1.41	1.30	1.28	0.39	0.35	0.30	0.32	0.02	6.67	-0.03	-7.78
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	1.34	1.44	1.44	0.56	0.49	0.47	0.48	1.04	0.65	0.68	0.70	0.02	2.65	0.04	6.73

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	21.73	20.99	21.43	21.43	1.52	1.54	1.50	1.50	33.04	32.36	32.10	32.14	0.04	0.12	-0.22	-0.66
United States	0.66	0.49	0.48	0.48	3.35	3.21	3.14	3.22	2.21	1.57	1.51	1.55	0.04	2.51	-0.02	-1.27
Total Foreign	21.07	20.50	20.94	20.94	1.46	1.50	1.46	1.46	30.83	30.79	30.59	30.59	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-0.63
China, Peoples	4.66	4.55	4.60	4.60	3.08	3.21	3.04	3.04	14.34	14.61	14.00	14.00	0.00	0.00	-0.61	-4.18
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	1.58	1.50	1.50	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	-4.76
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	0.84	0.84	0.84	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.74	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.13

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	23.12	23.84	22.83	22.79	1.30	1.26	1.19	1.20	29.99	30.15	27.24	27.38	0.13	0.49	-2.77	-9.19
United States	1.06	0.72	0.71	0.80	1.73	1.36	1.48	1.65	1.82	0.97	1.06	1.31	0.25	24.01	0.34	34.98
Total Foreign	22.06	23.13	22.12	21.99	1.28	1.26	1.18	1.19	28.17	29.17	26.19	26.06	-0.12	-0.46	-3.11	-10.66
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	5.40	5.90	5.10	5.10	1.19	1.14	1.12	1.12	6.45	6.75	5.70	5.70	0.00	0.00	-1.05	-15.56
Ukraine	3.69	3.90	3.40	3.40	1.27	1.36	1.18	1.18	4.70	5.30	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	-1.30	-24.53
Moldova, Republic of	0.20	0.25	0.24	0.24	1.65	1.52	1.46	1.35	0.33	0.38	0.35	0.33	-0.03	-7.14	-0.06	-14.47
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	2.60	2.60	1.73	1.46	1.69	1.69	3.80	3.50	4.40	4.40	0.00	0.00	0.90	25.71
Uruguay	0.06	0.04	0.14	0.02	1.37	1.02	1.41	1.20	0.08	0.04	0.19	0.02	-0.17	-87.37	-0.02	-44.19
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	0.99	0.99	1.89	1.90	1.82	1.82	1.93	1.90	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-5.26
EU-27																
France	0.65	0.64	0.54	0.54	2.35	2.16	2.39	2.39	1.52	1.38	1.28	1.28	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-7.51
Hungary	0.51	0.54	0.48	0.48	2.17	2.21	1.68	1.68	1.10	1.19	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	-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	0.11	0.11	2.22	2.12	1.82	1.82	0.29	0.31	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-35.06
Slovakia	0.10	0.10	0.08	0.08	2.37	2.11	2.25	2.25	0.23	0.20	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-10.00
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	0.43	0.48	0.47	0.47	1.74	1.77	1.49	1.49	0.75	0.85	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	-0.15	-17.65
South Africa,	0.47	0.32	0.47	0.47	1.11	0.98	1.23	1.23	0.52	0.31	0.57	0.57	0.00	0.00	0.26	84.47
Burma, Union of	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
Serbia	0.00	0.21	0.18	0.18	0.00	1.90	1.89	1.89	0.00	0.40	0.34	0.34	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-15.00
Canada	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
Australia	0.08	0.02	0.05	0.05	1.24	1.06	1.11	1.11	0.10	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.03	177.78
Others	2.28	2.41	2.04	2.03	1.43	1.37	0.89	0.92	3.25	3.30	1.81	1.88	0.07	3.88	-1.43	-43.23

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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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	27.42	27.05	29.83	29.85	1.78	1.73	1.67	1.65	48.73	46.75	49.83	49.31	-0.52	-1.05	2.55	5.46
United States	0.45	0.41	0.46	0.46	1.59	1.53	1.59	1.47	0.72	0.63	0.72	0.68	-0.04	-5.80	0.05	7.74
Total Foreign	26.97	26.64	29.38	29.39	1.78	1.73	1.67	1.65	48.01	46.12	49.10	48.62	-0.48	-0.98	2.50	5.43
EU-27																
Germany	1.35	1.43	1.54	1.54	3.75	3.73	3.32	3.32	5.05	5.34	5.10	5.10	0.00	0.00	-0.24	-4.44
France	1.23	1.40	1.57	1.57	3.66	2.92	2.93	2.93	4.49	4.10	4.60	4.60	0.00	0.00	0.50	12.22
United Kingdom	0.59	0.58	0.63	0.63	3.21	3.25	3.02	3.02	1.90	1.87	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	0.03	1.60
Poland	0.55	0.62	0.70	0.70	2.64	2.65	2.43	2.71	1.45	1.65	1.70	1.90	0.20	11.76	0.25	15.01
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	3.33	3.33	0.34	0.43	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00	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
Romania	0.07	0.10	0.38	0.38	1.29	1.63	0.93	0.93	0.09	0.17	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.18	105.88
Slovakia	0.11	0.13	0.14	0.14	2.20	2.16	2.36	2.36	0.24	0.27	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.06	22.22
Sweden	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	2.41	2.45	2.47	2.47	0.20	0.22	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	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	5.24	5.80	5.81	1.83	1.72	1.59	1.53	9.66	9.00	9.24	8.86	-0.38	-4.11	-0.14	-1.56
Australia	0.98	0.70	1.00	1.00	1.47	0.71	1.40	1.10	1.44	0.50	1.40	1.10	-0.30	-21.43	0.60	120.00
Former Soviet Union																
Ukraine	0.20	0.39	0.90	0.90	1.46	1.54	1.22	1.22	0.29	0.60	1.10	1.10	0.00	0.00	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
Others	0.09	0.11	0.17	0.17	2.07	1.87	1.71	1.71	0.18	0.21	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	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. Sep	Oct	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 Sep	Proj. Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	Prel. 2005/06	2006/07	Sep	Oct	From last month MBales	Percent	From last year MBales	Percent
World	34.883	34.730	33.658	33.878	735.000	766.000	758.000	773.000	117.727	122.112	117.184	120.256	3.072	2.622	-1.856	-1.520
United States	5.586	5.152	4.267	4.267	931.000	912.000	909.000	926.000	23.890	21.588	17.812	18.154	0.342	1.920	-3.434	-15.907
Total Foreign	29.297	29.578	29.391	29.611	697.000	740.000	736.000	751.000	93.837	100.524	99.372	102.102	2.730	2.747	1.578	1.570
China, Peoples	5.500	6.000	5.700	6.100	1,168.0	1,288.0	1,241.0	1,267.0	29.500	35.500	32.500	35.500	3.000	9.231	0.000	0.000
South Asia																
India	8.873	9.166	9.500	9.500	467.000	518.000	539.000	539.000	19.050	21.800	23.500	23.500	0.000	0.000	1.700	7.798
Pakistan	3.101	3.250	3.250	3.250	714.000	663.000	737.000	737.000	10.165	9.900	11.000	11.000	0.000	0.000	1.100	11.111
Former Soviet Union																
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.432	1.430	1.450	1.450	844.000	815.000	811.000	796.000	5.550	5.350	5.400	5.300	-0.100	-1.852	-0.050	-0.935
Turkmenistan	0.600	0.600	0.600	0.600	354.000	435.000	472.000	472.000	0.975	1.200	1.300	1.300	0.000	0.000	0.100	8.333
Tajikistan, Republic of	0.255	0.255	0.250	0.250	542.000	542.000	553.000	553.000	0.635	0.635	0.635	0.635	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.204	0.195	0.200	0.200	720.000	698.000	680.000	680.000	0.675	0.625	0.625	0.625	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.630	0.700	0.450	0.450	472.000	404.000	435.000	423.000	1.367	1.300	0.900	0.875	-0.025	-2.778	-0.425	-32.692
Mali	0.521	0.460	0.350	0.300	419.000	375.000	373.000	421.000	1.003	0.792	0.600	0.580	-0.020	-3.333	-0.212	-26.768
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	0.214	0.200	0.200	411.000	317.000	272.000	299.000	0.500	0.312	0.250	0.275	0.025	10.000	-0.037	-11.859
Cameroon	0.225	0.200	0.200	0.200	402.000	397.000	381.000	354.000	0.415	0.365	0.350	0.325	-0.025	-7.143	-0.040	-10.959
Nigeria	0.380	0.380	0.380	0.395	229.000	229.000	229.000	248.000	0.400	0.400	0.400	0.450	0.050	12.500	0.050	12.500
Sudan	0.170	0.160	0.170	0.150	474.000	306.000	416.000	363.000	0.370	0.225	0.325	0.250	-0.075	-23.077	0.025	11.111
South America																
Brazil	0.850	1.094	1.100	1.130	1,204.0	1,393.0	1,346.0	1,349.0	4.700	7.000	6.800	7.000	0.200	2.941	0.000	0.000
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	0.580	0.580	1,288.0	1,306.0	1,295.0	1,276.0	3.550	4.020	3.450	3.400	-0.050	-1.449	-0.620	-15.423
Syria	0.245	0.214	0.220	0.200	1,422.0	1,038.0	1,287.0	1,361.0	1.600	1.020	1.300	1.250	-0.050	-3.846	0.230	22.549
Iran	0.165	0.100	0.150	0.100	699.000	599.000	653.000	653.000	0.530	0.275	0.450	0.300	-0.150	-33.333	0.025	9.091
Australia	0.336	0.145	0.095	0.080	1,814.0	2,027.0	1,833.0	1,905.0	2.800	1.350	0.800	0.700	-0.100	-12.500	-0.650	-48.148
EU-27																
Greece	0.355	0.330	0.310	0.310	1,211.0	924.000	948.000	983.000	1.975	1.400	1.350	1.400	0.050	3.704	0.000	0.000
Spain	0.086	0.052	0.045	0.045	1,342.0	892.000	895.000	798.000	0.530	0.213	0.185	0.165	-0.020	-10.811	-0.048	-22.535
Egypt	0.275	0.246	0.250	0.250	743.000	863.000	849.000	914.000	0.938	0.975	0.975	1.050	0.075	7.692	0.075	7.692
Mexico	0.126	0.115	0.125	0.105	1,097.0	1,231.0	1,184.0	1,348.0	0.635	0.650	0.680	0.650	-0.030	-4.412	0.000	0.000
Others	2.988	2.496	2.696	2.646	308.000	286.000	288.000	292.000	4.232	3.282	3.572	3.547	-0.025	-0.700	0.265	8.074

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The table below presents a 26-year record of the differences between the October projection and the final estimate. Using world wheat production as an example, changes between the October projection and the final estimate have averaged 7.6 million tons (1.4 percent) and ranged from -26.7 to 9.5 million tons. The October projection has been below the final 17 times and above the final 9 times.

RELIABILITY OF PRODUCTION PROJECTIONS

COMMODITY AND REGION	PROJECTION AND FINAL ESTIMATES, 1981/82 - 2006/07 1/					
	Difference		Lowest	Highest	Below Final	Above Final
	Average	Average	Difference			
	Percent		---Million metric tons---			Number of years 2/
WHEAT						
World	1.4	7.6	-26.7	9.5	17	9
U.S.	0.3	0.2	-1.2	0.5	11	12
Foreign	1.6	7.6	-26.8	9.6	17	9
COARSE GRAINS 3/						
World	1.5	12.9	-33.7	9.1	20	6
U.S.	2.1	5.0	-14.5	17.9	17	9
Foreign	1.8	11.0	-27.7	7.5	21	5
RICE (Milled)						
World	1.9	6.6	-20.9	3.0	21	4
U.S.	3.0	0.2	-0.4	0.5	15	11
Foreign	1.9	6.5	-21.0	3.1	21	5
SOYBEANS						
World	3.1	4.6	-12.2	14.5	14	12
U.S.	2.4	1.4	-3.2	3.1	10	16
Foreign	5.7	4.7	-11.5	15.4	14	12
	---Million 480-lb. bales---					
COTTON						
World	3.1	2.8	-10.6	9.9	16	9
U.S.	3.7	0.6	-1.7	1.2	18	8
Foreign	3.6	2.6	-10.4	10.2	15	10
UNITED STATES	-----Million bushels-----					
CORN	2.3	185	-541	618	16	10
SORGHUM	3.5	21	-59	71	14	12
BARLEY	1.1	5	-12	24	8	12
OATS	0.8	3	-18	16	6	9

1/ The final estimate for 1981/82-2005/06 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.