

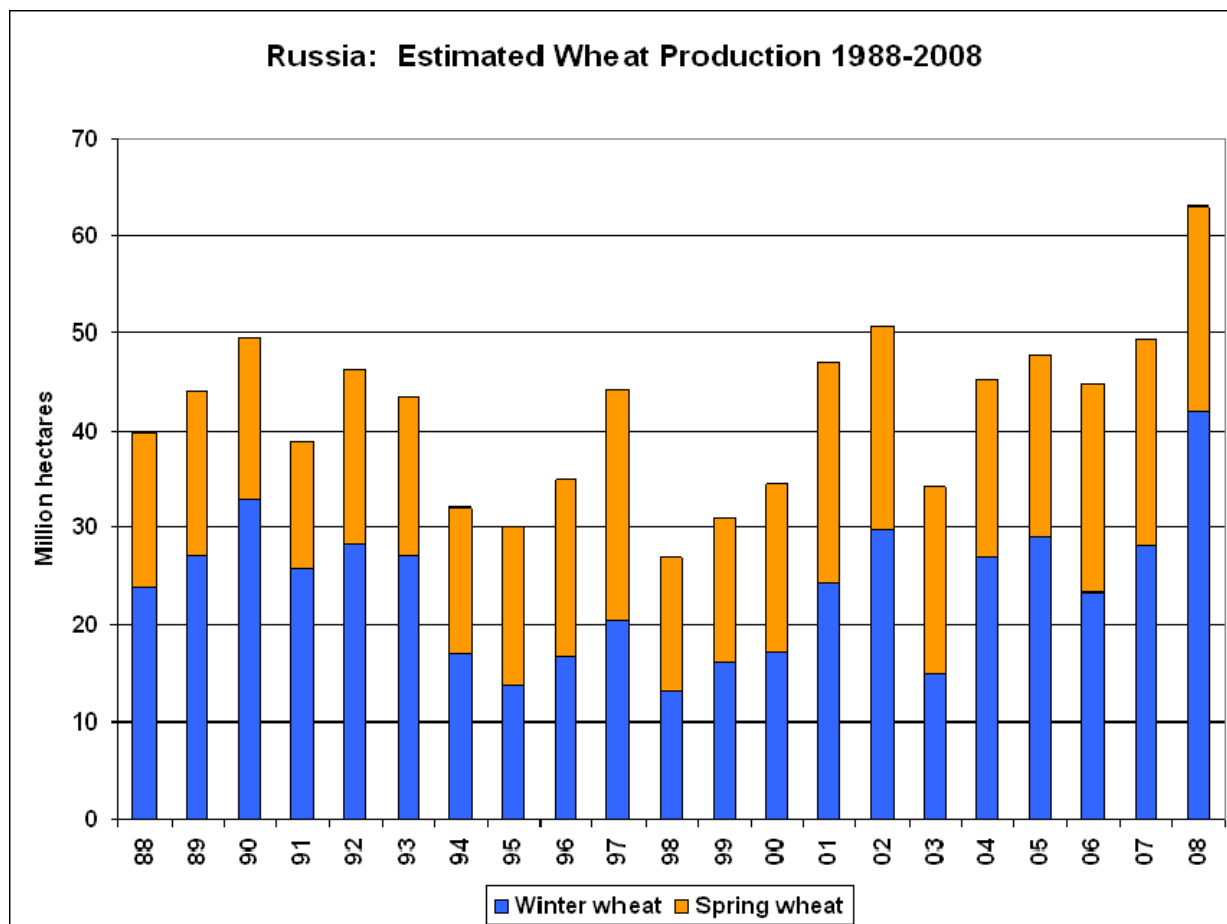


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## Russia Wheat: Record Estimated Production for 2008/09

The USDA estimates Russian wheat production for 2008/09 at 63.0 million tons, up 2.0 million or 3 percent from last month and up 13.6 million or 28 percent from last year. The month-to-month increase in estimated production is based on harvest progress reports from the State Statistical Committee indicating higher-than-expected wheat yields in Siberia. Total wheat area is estimated at 26.7 million hectares against 24.5 million last year. Outstanding yields in the Southern, Central, and Volga Districts (which account for virtually all of the country's winter wheat) compensated for localized drought-related yield losses of spring wheat in parts of the Siberian and Ural Districts. The estimated 2008/09 total-wheat yield of 2.36 tons per hectare exceeds the previous record (set in 1990) by 15 percent. The estimated 63.0-million-ton crop for 2008/09 also sets a new record for production. The previous record of 61.5 million tons was

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achieved in 1978/79, when planted area was about 20 percent higher and yield was about 30 percent lower. Official reports indicate that the wheat harvest was nearly complete by October 28, with threshing complete on about 97 percent of the sown area.

Modest but steady improvements in agricultural technology have supported a positive trend in winter wheat yields over the past ten years. The use of certified planting seed has increased significantly. Although machinery inventories are declining, overall fleet efficiency is improving as Soviet-era tractors and harvesters are replaced by new units, both domestic and imported. Below-optimum fertilizer application remains the main obstacle to more rapid yield growth. Many Russian farmers are unable to afford the prices that Russian fertilizer producers can command from exports, which account for over 90 percent of Russia's fertilizer output. *(For more information, contact Mark Lindeman at 202-690-0143.)*

### **Russia Corn: Record-High Levels for Yield and Production**

The USDA estimates Russian corn production for 2008/09 at a record 6.5 million tons, up 0.7 million or 12 percent from last month and up 2.6 million or 65 percent from last year. Estimated area is unchanged at 1.6 million hectares, against 1.3 million last year, and yield is estimated at a record 4.06 tons per hectare. A narrow band of persistent dryness in the central Southern District was the only negative note in an otherwise outstanding season for corn. Most regions benefited from generous precipitation and moderate temperatures. With harvest roughly two-thirds complete as of October 28, reported yields are up 32 percent from last year. Harvest typically concludes in mid-November.

Corn was planted on 1.87 million hectares in 2008, the highest level since 1963. The final harvest percentage of planted area can drop below 70 percent in years of severe drought, but the harvested area typically ranges between 85 and 95 percent of planted area. Excessive August heat reduced harvested area in 2007, but the generally favorable weather during the 2008 growing season will likely contribute to an above-average harvest percentage. The expanded use of hybrids has boosted overall corn yield in recent years and likely helped reduce yield losses during the past two seasons, when hot, dry weather during July and August placed summer crops under considerable stress. Despite early-season reports of shortages of hybrid seed for the 2008 planting season and forecasts of likely yield reduction due to area expansion into non-traditional corn areas, harvest reports indicate record yields. *(For more information, contact Mark Lindeman at 202-690-0143.)*

### **Australia Wheat: Production Forecast for 2008/09 Declines**

Australia's wheat production for 2008/09 is forecast at 20.0 million tons, down 1.5 million or 7 percent from last month, but up 7.0 million or 54 percent from last year. Area is estimated at 13.0 million hectares, down 0.5 million from last month, but up 0.7 million or 6 percent from last year. The continued lack of spring rainfall in New South Wales, Victoria, and South Australia has resulted in significant abandonment, haying, and declining yields. The majority of the wheat-growing regions in New South Wales, Victoria, and South Australia experienced well below average rainfall in September and October. Rainfall in September and October is critical to wheat production in these regions. In general, wheat prospects have significantly deteriorated in Victoria and South Australia. The condition of wheat in New South Wales is mixed. Northern

and central New South Wales are likely to experience average to above-average yields, whereas the crop in the west and south is in poor condition. In addition, while there may be some crop losses in Western Australia due to late frost, the overall crop prospects are above average. Queensland is also expected to have higher yields and production compared to last year. *(For more information, contact Dath Mita at 202-720-1071.)*

### **EU Wheat: Record Production Increases**

The USDA estimates the European Union (EU-27) wheat harvest for 2008/09 at 150.6 million tons, up 3.4 million or 2 percent from last month and up 31.2 million or 26 percent from last year. Area is estimated at a record 26.8 million hectares, up 0.4 million from last month and 2.1 million from last year, due to high grain prices at planting and the lifting of mandatory set-aside area. Yield is estimated at 5.63 tons per hectare, just below the record set in 2004/05. Results from the 2008/09 harvest continue to increase over earlier expectations due to significant late-season rainfall. Quality concerns exist however, in the United Kingdom (UK) and Ireland, where heavy rains occurred during harvesting.

Specifically, estimated wheat production was increased by 0.8 million tons in the UK (to 17.2 million tons), 0.6 million in Poland (to 9.0 million tons), and 0.6 million in the Czech Republic (to 4.7 million). *(For more information, contact Bryan Purcell at 690-0138.)*

### **EU Barley: Bumper Barley Crop for 2008/09**

The EU's 2008/09 barley crop is estimated at 65.4 million tons, up 1.0 million or 2 percent from last month and up 7.6 million or 13 percent from last year. Area is estimated at 14.7 million hectares, up 0.1 million from last month and 0.8 million from last year. Harvested area for 2008/09 is estimated to be the highest since 1999/2000. Yield is estimated at 4.46 tons per hectare, second only to the record yield of 4.67 tons per hectare set in 2004/05, when the entire continent enjoyed nearly ideal growing conditions. This year, early-season drought likely diminished spring barley yield in Germany and Poland, but overall beneficial weather enabled the EU to attain exceptionally high yields this season. The EU countries with the largest individual monthly production increases were Denmark, UK, Spain, Poland, and Austria. *(For more information, contact Bryan Purcell at 690-0138.)*

### **Brazil Soybeans: Production Lowered Due to Credit Shortage and High Input Costs**

Brazil's 2008/09 soybean production is forecast at 60.0 million tons, down 2.5 million or 4 percent from last month and down 1.0 million from last year. Area is forecast at 21.5 million hectares, down 0.5 million from last month and up 0.2 million or 1 percent from last year. Yield is forecast at 2.79 tons per hectare, down 3 percent from last year's record yield and below the 15-year trend of 2.82 tons per hectare.

Both forecast area and yield were lowered this month due to the current international credit crisis and high fertilizer prices. Production in Mato Grosso and central Brazil will be most affected by reduced credit availability and high input costs, because farmers rely heavily on credit and incur higher transport costs since these farms are located farthest away from ports. Some farmers in Mato Grosso and central Brazil will plant fewer hectares, but most will reduce their costs by

applying less fertilizer. This year fertilizers account for approximately half of the cost of producing soybeans in Mato Grosso, so the easiest way to reduce costs will be to reduce fertilizer usage. National yields will be correspondingly affected by reduced fertilizer application, especially in high rainfall regions with sandy-clay loam soils such as Mato Grosso.

National planting progress on October 31st was estimated by Safras and Mercado to be 26 percent complete and ahead of the 5-year national average of 23 percent. Planting progress is generally above normal, with two notable exceptions: Rio Grande do Sol received excessive rainfall in late October that delayed plantings, and Bahia state is still waiting for rains to start after experiencing a severe heat wave in October. *(For further information, contact Curt Reynolds at 202-690-0134.)*

### **West Africa Cotton: Production Continues to Decrease for the Fourth Year**

The Franc Zone cotton production for 2008/09 is estimated at 2.6 million bales, down 353,000 bales from last month but up 135,000 bales from last year. Cotton area is forecast at 1.5 million hectares, down 168,000 hectares from last month and down 50,000 hectares from last year. The forecast yield of 370 kg/ha is below the 5-year average yield of 384 kg/ha due to reduced fertilizer applications caused by high fertilizer prices. Franc Zone includes the following ten countries in order of 2008/09 production: Burkina Faso (850,000 bales), Benin (460,000), Mali (400,000), Cameroon (250,000), Cote d'Ivoire (225,000), Chad (200,000), Togo (100,000), Senegal (95,000), Central African Republic (12,000) and Niger (5,000).

The Franc Zone cotton area has dropped by more than 1 million hectares, or 40 percent, from the record level of 2004/05. Numerous problems have contributed to the reduction in cotton area. Outdated input financing systems do not allow producers to respond to world prices and market changes, adapt to new technologies such as biotechnology, receive timely input financing, procure and receive timely inputs such as seeds and fertilizers, or receive prompt payments for harvested crops.

Seasonal rainfall was above average for most of the region, although rains started a few weeks late in Burkina Faso and Cote d'Ivoire. Most countries experienced delays in receiving seeds, fertilizers and pesticides, and many farmers this year shifted from cotton to grain crops due to high cereal prices and poorly managed cotton credit systems. *(For more information, contact Curt Reynolds at 202-690-0134.)*

### **China: Revised Area and Production Data for 2006/07, 2007/08 and 2008/09**

In October, China's National Bureau of Statistics published the 2008 China Statistical Yearbook, containing official 2007/08 area and production data for grains, several oilseeds, tubers, beans, cotton, and other major commodities. The Statistical Yearbook also incorporated revisions for 2006/07 area and production based on the results of the 2007 agricultural census. The 2006/07 grain production revisions were minor, but there were significant area revisions for corn (up 2 percent), wheat (up 3 percent) and rice (down 1 percent). There were even larger revisions to the 2006/07 area and production data for total oilseeds, rapeseed, peanuts, beans, tubers and cotton.

The Statistical Yearbook also revised the preliminary government estimates for 2007/08 area and production that had been released earlier in the year. There were major area revisions for corn (up 5 percent), wheat (up 3 percent), rice (down 2 percent), peanuts (up 4 percent) and rapeseed (down 1 percent). USDA has adopted these, along with small production revisions for 2007/08. These historical data changes prompted comparable adjustments to USDA's area and production estimates for 2008/09, as indicated below.

*Wheat* production for 2008/09 is estimated at 113.0 million tons, down 1.0 million or 1 percent from last month but up 3 percent from last year's revised crop of 109.3 million tons. Wheat yield is estimated at a record 4.71 million tons.

*Corn* production is unchanged this month at 156.0 million tons but up 2 percent from last year's revised crop of 152.3 million tons. The estimated area of 29.2 million hectares is up 5 percent from last month but down 1 percent from last year, as farmers in the Northeast shifted from corn to soybeans. Corn yield is estimated at a record 5.34 tons per hectare, up 3 percent from last year's drought-impacted crop.

*Rice* production for 2008/09 is estimated at 130.9 million tons, up less than 1 percent from last month and last year's revised crop of 130.2 million tons. The estimated area of 29.0 million hectares is down 2.5 percent from last month but up slightly from last year. The estimated yield of 6.45 tons per hectare (rough basis) is slightly higher than last year.

*Rapeseed* production for 2008/09 is estimated at 11.5 million tons, up 0.5 million or 4.5 percent from last month and up 9 percent from last year's revised estimate of 10.57 million tons. Area for 2008/09 was increased to 6.4 million hectares, up 0.4 million or 7 percent from last month and up 13 percent from last year based on data from the Ministry of Agriculture. The estimated yield of 1.80 tons per hectare was down 4 percent from last year due to unusually severe spring weather in central and southern China.

*Peanut* production for 2008/09 is estimated at 13.4 million tons, down 1.5 percent from last month but up 3 percent from last year's crop of 13.0 million tons. The estimated area of 4.0 million hectares is up 3 percent from last month and up 1 percent from last year's revised area of 3.95 million hectares. Peanut yield is expected to reach 3.35 tons per hectare, up slightly from last year's record yield. (*For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 690-0133.*)

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 Division, 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-464) November 10, 2008.

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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	Pakistan	Thailand	Argentina	Brazil -	Australia	South Africa	Turkey -	
---Million metric tons---																			
<b>Wheat</b>																			
2006/07	596.2	546.9	49.3	25.3	3.2	124.9	44.9	14.0	108.5	69.4	nr	21.3	nr	15.2	2.2	10.8	2.1	17.5	87.7
2007/08 prel.	610.6	554.3	56.2	20.1	3.6	119.4	49.4	13.9	109.3	75.8	nr	23.3	nr	16.3	3.8	13.0	1.9	15.5	89.0
2008/09 proj.																			
Oct	680.2	612.2	68.0	27.3	3.9	147.2	61.0	25.5	114.0	78.4	nr	21.5	nr	12.0	5.4	21.5	2.0	16.5	76.0
Nov	682.4	614.3	68.0	27.3	3.9	150.6	63.0	25.5	113.0	78.4	nr	21.5	nr	11.0	5.4	20.0	2.0	16.5	76.2
<b>Coarse Grains</b>																			
2006/07	989.1	709.0	280.1	23.1	29.1	137.4	30.2	19.2	159.1	33.8	6.7	3.6	3.9	27.5	53.2	6.6	7.8	10.9	156.8
2007/08 prel.	1,077.9	726.9	351.1	27.8	29.7	136.4	29.3	14.6	159.5	40.8	7.5	3.6	3.9	25.8	61.0	9.9	13.0	9.5	154.3
2008/09 proj.																			
Oct	1,090.3	765.9	324.4	25.9	31.2	155.8	38.1	23.5	163.7	37.9	7.8	3.6	4.0	25.9	57.9	11.4	12.0	10.6	156.7
Nov	1,091.7	767.9	323.8	25.9	31.2	158.3	39.5	24.0	163.6	37.9	7.8	3.6	4.2	24.5	57.9	10.4	12.0	10.6	156.7
<b>Rice, Milled</b>																			
2006/07	420.6	414.4	6.2	nr	0.2	1.7	0.4	0.1	127.2	93.4	35.3	5.5	18.3	0.7	7.7	0.2	nr	0.4	123.5
2007/08 prel.	431.0	424.6	6.3	nr	0.2	1.7	0.5	0.1	130.2	96.4	35.8	5.7	19.3	0.8	8.2	0.0	nr	0.4	125.4
2008/09 proj.																			
Oct	433.2	426.7	6.5	nr	0.2	1.6	0.5	0.1	130.6	97.0	36.3	6.0	19.5	0.9	8.5	0.0	nr	0.4	125.1
Nov	434.3	427.8	6.5	nr	0.2	1.6	0.5	0.1	130.9	97.5	36.3	6.3	19.5	0.9	8.3	0.0	nr	0.4	125.3
<b>Total Grains</b>																			
2006/07	2,005.9	1,670.2	335.7	48.4	32.6	264.0	75.5	33.2	394.8	196.5	42.0	30.3	22.1	43.4	63.1	17.6	9.9	28.9	367.9
2007/08 prel.	2,119.5	1,705.8	413.6	47.9	33.5	257.5	79.2	28.6	399.0	213.1	43.3	32.6	23.2	42.9	73.1	23.0	14.9	25.4	368.7
2008/09 proj.																			
Oct	2,203.7	1,804.8	398.9	53.2	35.3	304.6	99.6	49.0	408.3	213.3	44.0	31.1	23.5	38.8	71.8	32.9	14.0	27.6	357.8
Nov	2,208.4	1,810.0	398.4	53.2	35.3	310.5	103.0	49.6	407.5	213.8	44.0	31.4	23.7	36.4	71.6	30.4	14.0	27.6	358.2
<b>Oilseeds</b>																			
2006/07	404.3	307.6	96.6	12.6	0.6	24.3	8.1	6.8	55.2	29.9	7.9	5.3	0.6	53.2	62.0	1.1	0.6	2.3	37.2
2007/08 prel.	391.3	308.9	82.4	12.4	0.6	24.4	6.9	6.0	53.4	33.9	8.2	4.6	0.6	51.7	64.1	1.4	1.3	2.0	37.5
2008/09 proj.																			
Oct	419.1	330.4	88.7	14.2	0.6	26.5	8.1	8.9	56.9	33.9	9.0	4.9	0.6	55.9	65.3	2.1	1.3	1.9	40.2
Nov	417.8	329.7	88.2	14.2	0.7	26.8	8.4	9.5	57.5	33.9	9.0	4.9	0.6	55.9	62.7	1.9	1.4	1.9	40.3
<b>Cotton</b>																			
2006/07	122.0	100.4	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	3.8	17.9
2007/08 prel.	120.5	101.3	19.2	nr	0.6	1.5	nr	nr	37.0	24.6	0.0	8.9	0.0	0.7	7.4	0.6	0.0	3.1	16.8
2008/09 proj.																			
Oct	113.8	100.0	13.7	nr	0.7	1.2	nr	nr	36.5	25.0	0.0	9.0	0.0	0.9	6.5	1.2	0.1	2.3	16.6
Nov	112.9	99.3	13.5	nr	0.7	1.2	nr	nr	36.5	25.0	0.0	9.0	0.0	0.9	6.3	1.3	0.1	2.3	16.1

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			
	2006/07	Prel.	2008/09	Proj.	2006/07	Prel.	2008/09	Proj.	2006/07	Prel.	2008/09	Proj.	From last month		From last year	
		2007/08	Oct	Nov		2007/08	Oct	Nov		2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	212.99	218.23	223.67	224.21	2.80	2.80	3.04	3.04	596.20	610.59	680.20	682.37	2.17	0.32	71.78	11.76
<b>United States</b>	18.94	20.64	22.54	22.54	2.60	2.72	3.02	3.02	49.32	56.25	68.03	68.03	0.00	0.00	11.78	20.94
<b>Total Foreign</b>	194.04	197.59	201.14	201.67	2.82	2.81	3.04	3.05	546.88	554.35	612.17	614.34	2.17	0.35	60.00	10.82
<b>China, Peoples</b>	23.61	23.72	23.40	24.00	4.59	4.61	4.87	4.71	108.47	109.30	114.00	113.00	-1.00	-0.88	3.70	3.39
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	26.40	28.00	28.00	28.00	2.63	2.71	2.80	2.80	69.35	75.81	78.40	78.40	0.00	0.00	2.59	3.42
Pakistan	8.36	8.40	8.20	8.20	2.55	2.77	2.62	2.62	21.28	23.30	21.50	21.50	0.00	0.00	-1.80	-7.73
Afghanistan	2.19	2.20	1.60	1.60	1.42	1.52	0.94	0.94	3.10	3.35	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	-1.85	-55.22
<b>Former Soviet Union</b>																
Russian Federation	23.70	24.50	26.70	26.70	1.89	2.02	2.28	2.36	44.90	49.40	61.00	63.00	2.00	3.28	13.60	27.53
Ukraine	5.50	5.95	7.00	7.00	2.55	2.34	3.64	3.64	14.00	13.90	25.50	25.50	0.00	0.00	11.60	83.45
Kazakhstan, Republic	12.40	12.75	13.30	13.30	1.09	1.30	0.94	0.94	13.50	16.60	12.50	12.50	0.00	0.00	-4.10	-24.70
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.30	1.30	1.36	1.36	4.50	4.77	4.41	4.41	5.85	6.20	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-3.23
<b>EU-27</b>																
France	5.24	5.24	5.50	5.50	6.75	6.26	7.16	7.16	35.39	32.76	39.40	39.38	-0.02	-0.05	6.63	20.23
Germany	3.12	2.99	2.97	3.17	7.20	6.96	8.74	8.20	22.43	20.83	25.94	26.00	0.06	0.23	5.17	24.83
United Kingdom	1.83	1.83	2.08	2.08	8.04	7.22	7.90	8.29	14.74	13.22	16.40	17.20	0.80	4.88	3.98	30.10
Poland	2.18	2.11	2.18	2.28	3.24	3.94	3.85	3.94	7.06	8.32	8.40	8.97	0.57	6.74	0.65	7.80
Spain	1.96	1.83	2.05	2.00	2.85	3.47	3.37	3.35	5.58	6.35	6.89	6.69	-0.21	-2.97	0.34	5.32
Italy	1.77	2.03	2.45	2.47	3.72	3.52	3.88	3.93	6.59	7.15	9.50	9.70	0.20	2.11	2.55	35.72
Denmark	0.68	0.68	0.63	0.64	7.04	6.63	7.54	7.69	4.77	4.49	4.75	4.90	0.15	3.16	0.41	9.13
Hungary	1.08	1.11	1.13	1.13	4.06	3.59	5.00	5.00	4.38	3.99	5.62	5.62	0.00	0.00	1.63	40.97
Romania	1.80	1.85	2.11	2.11	2.64	1.62	3.55	3.55	4.75	3.00	7.50	7.50	0.00	0.00	4.50	150.00
Bulgaria	0.92	1.04	1.10	1.10	3.45	2.30	3.91	3.91	3.18	2.39	4.30	4.30	0.00	0.00	1.91	79.84
<b>Canada</b>	9.68	8.64	10.10	10.10	2.61	2.32	2.70	2.70	25.27	20.05	27.30	27.30	0.00	0.00	7.25	36.16
<b>Australia</b>	11.80	12.35	13.50	13.00	0.92	1.06	1.59	1.54	10.82	13.04	21.50	20.00	-1.50	-6.98	6.96	53.39
<b>Middle East</b>																
Turkey	8.60	8.60	8.60	8.60	2.03	1.80	1.92	1.92	17.50	15.50	16.50	16.50	0.00	0.00	1.00	6.45
Iran	6.50	6.90	5.85	5.85	2.23	2.17	1.71	1.71	14.50	15.00	10.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	-5.00	-33.33
Syria	1.70	1.70	0.80	0.80	2.47	2.35	2.50	2.50	4.20	4.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	-2.00	-50.00
<b>North Africa</b>																
Egypt	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	6.43	6.43	6.43	6.43	8.27	8.28	8.30	8.30	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.30
Morocco	3.11	2.57	2.80	2.80	2.04	0.62	1.25	1.25	6.33	1.58	3.50	3.50	0.00	0.00	1.92	121.10
<b>Argentina</b>	5.29	5.76	4.32	4.32	2.88	2.83	2.78	2.55	15.20	16.30	12.00	11.00	-1.00	-8.33	-5.30	-32.52
<b>Others</b>	22.05	22.26	22.13	22.29	2.52	2.71	2.80	2.88	55.50	60.25	61.97	64.09	2.12	3.41	3.83	6.36

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	306.03	318.62	312.76	313.57	3.23	3.38	3.49	3.48	989.08	1,077.9	1,090.2	1,091.73	1.47	0.14	13.81	1.28
<b>United States</b>	32.53	39.92	36.82	36.82	8.61	8.79	8.81	8.79	280.11	351.06	324.35	323.84	-0.51	-0.16	-27.22	-7.75
<b>Total Foreign</b>	273.50	278.69	275.94	276.75	2.59	2.61	2.78	2.77	708.96	726.86	765.90	767.89	1.99	0.26	41.03	5.64
<b>China, Peoples</b>	31.32	32.38	30.66	32.06	5.08	4.93	5.34	5.10	159.10	159.49	163.70	163.60	-0.10	-0.06	4.12	2.58
<b>South America</b>																
Brazil	15.15	15.89	15.64	15.64	3.51	3.84	3.70	3.70	53.18	61.04	57.86	57.86	0.00	0.00	-3.19	-5.22
Argentina	4.07	4.79	4.44	4.19	6.77	5.39	5.84	5.84	27.54	25.79	25.92	24.47	-1.45	-5.59	-1.32	-5.12
<b>EU-27</b>																
France	3.75	3.79	3.98	4.02	6.97	6.99	7.50	7.48	26.13	26.47	29.84	30.03	0.19	0.62	3.56	13.43
Germany	3.59	3.58	3.84	3.86	5.87	5.53	6.25	6.22	21.05	19.80	23.99	24.00	0.01	0.05	4.20	21.20
Poland	6.13	6.17	6.18	6.22	2.39	3.05	2.72	2.91	14.66	18.79	16.80	18.08	1.28	7.60	-0.72	-3.82
Spain	4.24	4.27	4.55	4.55	3.07	3.95	3.55	3.62	13.00	16.85	16.11	16.47	0.36	2.23	-0.38	-2.24
Italy	1.60	1.55	1.60	1.57	7.09	7.30	7.51	7.25	11.32	11.29	11.98	11.39	-0.59	-4.89	0.10	0.91
Hungary	1.75	1.67	1.77	1.77	5.66	3.38	6.04	6.04	9.87	5.64	10.68	10.68	0.00	0.00	5.04	89.33
United Kingdom	1.02	1.05	1.15	1.19	5.93	5.61	5.94	5.97	6.07	5.90	6.83	7.11	0.28	4.11	1.21	20.57
Romania	3.11	3.15	3.14	3.14	3.10	1.50	2.92	2.92	9.64	4.74	9.17	9.17	0.00	0.00	4.43	93.36
<b>Former Soviet Union</b>																
Russian Federation	17.10	17.40	17.70	17.70	1.77	1.69	2.15	2.23	30.20	29.33	38.05	39.50	1.45	3.81	10.18	34.70
Ukraine	7.82	6.79	7.35	7.35	2.45	2.15	3.19	3.26	19.18	14.59	23.48	23.98	0.50	2.13	9.40	64.42
Kazakhstan, Republic	2.17	2.18	2.18	2.18	1.12	1.38	1.06	1.06	2.42	3.02	2.32	2.32	0.00	0.00	-0.70	-23.22
<b>Africa</b>																
Nigeria	17.95	17.25	17.95	17.95	1.45	1.39	1.44	1.44	26.00	24.00	25.80	25.80	0.00	0.00	1.80	7.50
South Africa, Republic	3.78	4.18	4.28	4.08	2.05	3.12	2.80	2.93	7.76	13.03	11.98	11.97	-0.02	-0.13	-1.06	-8.16
Ethiopia	5.85	5.96	5.98	5.98	1.89	2.00	1.86	1.86	11.08	11.93	11.10	11.10	0.00	0.00	-0.83	-6.96
Egypt	0.93	0.93	0.94	0.94	7.78	7.78	7.74	7.74	7.21	7.23	7.24	7.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01
<b>India</b>	27.31	28.27	27.55	27.55	1.24	1.44	1.38	1.38	33.81	40.83	37.90	37.90	0.00	0.00	-2.93	-7.18
<b>Southeast Asia</b>																
Indonesia	3.30	3.56	3.70	3.70	2.03	2.11	2.09	2.09	6.70	7.50	7.75	7.75	0.00	0.00	0.25	3.33
Philippines	2.61	2.65	2.60	2.60	2.39	2.74	2.50	2.50	6.23	7.25	6.50	6.50	0.00	0.00	-0.75	-10.34
Thailand	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.06	3.74	3.79	3.85	3.95	3.87	3.92	4.02	4.17	0.15	3.73	0.25	6.38
<b>Mexico</b>	9.38	9.62	9.61	9.61	3.11	3.09	3.24	3.24	29.14	29.73	31.18	31.18	0.00	0.00	1.45	4.88
<b>Canada</b>	6.12	7.40	6.44	6.44	3.78	3.76	4.03	4.03	23.15	27.84	25.94	25.94	0.00	0.00	-1.90	-6.82
<b>Australia</b>	5.92	6.24	6.44	6.14	1.11	1.59	1.76	1.69	6.58	9.90	11.36	10.36	-1.00	-8.81	0.46	4.65
<b>Turkey</b>	4.43	4.46	4.36	4.36	2.47	2.14	2.44	2.44	10.95	9.55	10.65	10.65	0.00	0.00	1.10	11.52
<b>Others</b>	82.12	82.51	80.89	80.92	1.62	1.59	1.70	1.71	133.14	131.41	137.76	138.68	0.92	0.67	7.27	5.53

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	149.82	160.46	156.36	157.51	4.76	4.94	5.00	4.96	712.44	791.96	781.02	781.36	0.34	0.04	-10.60	-1.34
<b>United States</b>	28.59	35.02	31.64	31.64	9.36	9.48	9.66	9.65	267.60	332.09	305.66	305.32	-0.34	-0.11	-26.77	-8.06
<b>Total Foreign</b>	121.23	125.44	124.72	125.87	3.67	3.67	3.81	3.78	444.84	459.87	475.35	476.04	0.69	0.14	16.17	3.52
<b>China, Peoples</b>	28.46	29.48	27.80	29.20	5.33	5.17	5.61	5.34	151.60	152.30	156.00	156.00	0.00	0.00	3.70	2.43
<b>South America</b>																
Brazil	14.00	14.70	14.30	14.30	3.64	3.99	3.85	3.85	51.00	58.60	55.00	55.00	0.00	0.00	-3.60	-6.14
Argentina	2.80	3.26	2.70	2.57	8.04	6.40	7.04	7.00	22.50	20.85	19.00	18.00	-1.00	-5.26	-2.85	-13.67
<b>Mexico</b>	7.38	7.35	7.45	7.45	3.03	3.08	3.22	3.22	22.35	22.65	24.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	1.35	5.96
<b>EU-27</b>																
France	1.47	1.49	1.62	1.64	8.70	9.68	9.14	9.12	12.78	14.38	14.80	14.97	0.17	1.14	0.59	4.09
Italy	1.06	1.01	1.06	1.06	8.87	9.41	9.43	9.06	9.40	9.50	10.00	9.60	-0.40	-4.00	0.10	1.05
Hungary	1.22	1.12	1.20	1.20	6.64	3.60	7.00	7.00	8.10	4.03	8.40	8.40	0.00	0.00	4.37	108.44
Romania	2.56	2.55	2.50	2.50	3.32	1.54	3.00	3.00	8.50	3.93	7.50	7.50	0.00	0.00	3.57	90.99
Poland	0.31	0.26	0.32	0.32	4.08	6.57	5.31	5.68	1.26	1.72	1.70	1.84	0.14	8.00	0.11	6.62
<b>India</b>	7.80	8.30	8.30	8.30	1.94	2.33	2.17	2.17	15.10	19.31	18.00	18.00	0.00	0.00	-1.31	-6.78
<b>Canada</b>	1.06	1.37	1.18	1.18	8.47	8.50	8.39	8.39	8.99	11.65	9.90	9.90	0.00	0.00	-1.75	-15.02
<b>Indonesia</b>	3.30	3.56	3.70	3.70	2.03	2.11	2.09	2.09	6.70	7.50	7.75	7.75	0.00	0.00	0.25	3.33
<b>Ukraine</b>	1.70	1.90	2.20	2.20	3.76	3.89	4.09	4.32	6.40	7.40	9.00	9.50	0.50	5.56	2.10	28.38
<b>Serbia</b>	1.17	1.21	1.30	1.30	5.48	3.36	4.62	4.62	6.42	4.05	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	1.95	48.00
<b>Egypt</b>	0.72	0.72	0.73	0.73	8.58	8.58	8.52	8.52	6.15	6.17	6.18	6.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02
<b>Philippines</b>	2.61	2.65	2.60	2.60	2.39	2.74	2.50	2.50	6.23	7.25	6.50	6.50	0.00	0.00	-0.75	-10.34
<b>Vietnam</b>	1.07	1.15	1.20	1.20	3.96	4.00	4.17	4.17	4.25	4.60	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00	0.40	8.70
<b>Thailand</b>	1.00	1.00	1.01	1.02	3.80	3.85	3.91	4.02	3.80	3.85	3.95	4.10	0.15	3.80	0.25	6.49
<b>Russian Federation</b>	1.00	1.30	1.60	1.60	3.60	3.04	3.63	4.06	3.60	3.95	5.80	6.50	0.70	12.07	2.55	64.56
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>																
South Africa, Republic	2.90	3.30	3.40	3.20	2.52	3.79	3.38	3.59	7.30	12.50	11.50	11.50	0.00	0.00	-1.00	-8.00
Nigeria	4.70	4.00	4.70	4.70	1.66	1.63	1.66	1.66	7.80	6.50	7.80	7.80	0.00	0.00	1.30	20.00
Ethiopia	2.18	2.32	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.41	2.22	2.22	5.00	5.60	5.10	5.10	0.00	0.00	-0.50	-8.93
Zimbabwe	1.25	1.30	1.30	1.30	0.56	0.40	0.65	0.65	0.70	0.53	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.33	61.90
<b>Turkey</b>	0.43	0.45	0.55	0.55	6.59	6.44	7.27	7.27	2.80	2.90	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	1.10	37.93
<b>Others</b>	29.10	29.70	29.71	29.75	2.27	2.29	2.41	2.42	66.12	68.14	71.63	72.06	0.43	0.60	3.92	5.75

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	57.44	57.55	55.60	55.27	2.39	2.31	2.76	2.77	137.43	133.22	153.39	153.30	-0.09	-0.06	20.08	15.07
<b>United States</b>	1.19	1.42	1.52	1.52	3.29	3.25	3.42	3.42	3.92	4.61	5.21	5.21	0.00	0.00	0.60	13.05
<b>Total Foreign</b>	56.25	56.13	54.08	53.75	2.37	2.29	2.74	2.76	133.51	128.61	148.18	148.08	-0.09	-0.06	19.47	15.14
<b>Russian Federation</b>	10.00	9.80	9.70	9.70	1.81	1.60	2.27	2.32	18.10	15.65	22.00	22.50	0.50	2.27	6.85	43.77
<b>EU-27</b>																
Germany	2.03	1.92	1.97	1.97	5.91	5.42	6.12	6.11	11.97	10.39	12.05	12.02	-0.04	-0.29	1.63	15.70
France	1.67	1.70	1.77	1.78	6.25	5.58	6.82	6.77	10.40	9.48	12.05	12.04	-0.01	-0.07	2.57	27.09
Spain	3.23	3.22	3.47	3.50	2.58	3.60	3.21	3.23	8.32	11.60	11.13	11.30	0.17	1.54	-0.30	-2.59
United Kingdom	0.88	0.90	0.99	1.04	5.95	5.66	5.96	6.03	5.24	5.08	5.90	6.24	0.34	5.80	1.16	22.90
Denmark	0.67	0.63	0.66	0.72	4.83	4.98	4.55	4.93	3.25	3.13	3.00	3.53	0.53	17.67	0.41	12.96
Poland	1.22	1.23	1.20	1.21	2.59	3.25	2.83	2.95	3.16	4.01	3.40	3.57	0.17	4.85	-0.44	-11.05
Czech Republic	0.53	0.50	0.48	0.48	3.59	3.80	4.82	4.77	1.90	1.89	2.32	2.30	-0.03	-1.12	0.40	21.34
Finland	0.56	0.53	0.61	0.61	3.50	3.72	3.18	3.18	1.97	1.98	1.95	1.95	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-1.86
Sweden	0.31	0.32	0.41	0.41	3.63	4.48	4.41	4.41	1.11	1.44	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	0.36	25.16
Italy	0.33	0.35	0.34	0.33	3.89	3.55	4.06	3.63	1.30	1.23	1.38	1.19	-0.19	-13.59	-0.04	-2.94
Hungary	0.29	0.32	0.33	0.33	3.68	3.21	4.45	4.45	1.08	1.04	1.48	1.48	0.00	0.00	0.44	41.98
Austria	0.21	0.19	0.19	0.19	4.44	4.20	4.30	5.04	0.91	0.81	0.80	0.94	0.14	17.13	0.13	15.54
<b>Ukraine</b>	5.20	4.10	4.10	4.10	2.18	1.46	3.05	3.05	11.35	6.00	12.50	12.50	0.00	0.00	6.50	108.33
<b>Canada</b>	3.22	4.00	3.45	3.45	2.97	2.75	3.25	3.25	9.57	11.00	11.20	11.20	0.00	0.00	0.20	1.82
<b>Australia</b>	4.18	4.41	4.50	4.20	1.02	1.34	1.67	1.55	4.26	5.92	7.50	6.50	-1.00	-13.33	0.58	9.80
<b>Turkey</b>	3.60	3.60	3.40	3.40	2.08	1.67	1.76	1.76	7.50	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>China, Peoples</b>	0.92	0.95	0.96	0.96	3.61	3.35	3.65	3.54	3.30	3.19	3.50	3.40	-0.10	-2.86	0.22	6.75
<b>Iran</b>	1.70	1.70	1.30	1.30	1.76	1.76	1.54	1.54	3.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	-1.00	-33.33
<b>Morocco</b>	2.19	1.99	2.05	2.05	1.16	0.38	0.59	0.59	2.54	0.76	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	0.44	57.27
<b>Kazakhstan,</b>	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.06	1.39	1.00	1.00	1.90	2.50	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	-0.70	-28.00
<b>Ethiopia</b>	1.33	1.33	1.30	1.30	1.60	1.89	1.62	1.62	2.13	2.50	2.10	2.10	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-16.00
<b>Belarus</b>	0.55	0.65	0.55	0.55	2.45	2.62	3.64	3.64	1.35	1.70	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.30	17.65
<b>India</b>	0.70	0.77	0.75	0.75	1.74	1.73	1.87	1.87	1.22	1.33	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.07	5.26
<b>Argentina</b>	0.34	0.44	0.60	0.48	3.76	3.35	3.42	3.33	1.27	1.47	2.05	1.60	-0.45	-21.95	0.13	8.84
<b>Mexico</b>	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	2.57	2.57	2.57	2.57	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Iraq</b>	1.41	1.44	0.50	0.50	0.89	0.74	0.90	0.90	1.25	1.06	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.00	-0.61	-57.55
<b>Algeria</b>	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Others</b>	6.15	6.30	5.65	5.60	2.05	2.04	2.41	2.41	12.57	12.87	13.62	13.49	-0.13	-0.97	0.62	4.84

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	13.02	13.22	13.25	13.21	1.78	1.94	1.99	2.00	23.17	25.60	26.31	26.42	0.11	0.43	0.82	3.22
<b>United States</b>	0.63	0.61	0.57	0.57	2.14	2.18	2.28	2.28	1.36	1.33	1.29	1.29	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-3.23
<b>Total Foreign</b>	12.38	12.61	12.68	12.64	1.76	1.92	1.97	1.99	21.81	24.27	25.02	25.13	0.11	0.46	0.87	3.57
<b>Russian Federation</b>	3.60	3.70	3.70	3.70	1.36	1.46	1.46	1.46	4.90	5.40	5.40	5.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Canada</b>	1.54	1.82	1.60	1.60	2.51	2.58	2.69	2.69	3.85	4.70	4.30	4.30	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-8.51
<b>EU-27</b>																
Poland	0.54	0.59	0.56	0.56	1.92	2.55	2.14	2.32	1.04	1.49	1.20	1.30	0.10	8.33	-0.19	-12.75
Finland	0.35	0.35	0.37	0.37	2.92	3.52	3.19	3.29	1.03	1.22	1.19	1.23	0.04	3.11	0.00	0.33
Spain	0.50	0.53	0.55	0.52	1.84	2.47	2.06	2.24	0.92	1.30	1.12	1.16	0.03	2.85	-0.15	-11.29
Germany	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18	4.51	4.09	4.50	4.39	0.83	0.73	0.81	0.79	-0.02	-2.47	0.06	8.52
Sweden	0.20	0.20	0.23	0.23	3.18	4.37	3.91	3.91	0.64	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.90
United Kingdom	0.12	0.13	0.14	0.13	6.02	5.52	6.00	5.74	0.73	0.71	0.81	0.75	-0.06	-7.16	0.04	5.62
France	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.10	4.44	3.88	4.57	4.72	0.48	0.42	0.48	0.49	0.01	1.25	0.07	17.11
Italy	0.16	0.16	0.15	0.14	2.45	2.33	2.34	2.55	0.40	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.00	1.11	0.00	0.83
Denmark	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.07	3.97	4.92	4.19	4.32	0.27	0.31	0.31	0.32	0.01	3.23	0.01	3.23
Romania	0.20	0.21	0.21	0.21	1.71	1.19	1.64	1.64	0.35	0.25	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.10	38.34
Czech Republic	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	2.67	2.69	3.57	3.45	0.16	0.16	0.18	0.17	-0.01	-3.43	0.01	6.29
Hungary	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	2.56	2.07	3.00	3.00	0.15	0.12	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.06	50.00
Austria	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	3.74	3.19	4.00	4.11	0.13	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.00	2.78	0.01	12.12
Ireland	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	7.35	7.20	7.94	7.74	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.18	0.04	31.85	0.03	23.61
Lithuania	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	1.07	1.94	2.03	2.03	0.06	0.12	0.13	0.12	-0.01	-4.62	0.00	3.33
<b>Australia</b>	1.00	0.90	1.00	1.00	0.75	0.94	1.40	1.40	0.75	0.84	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.56	66.07
<b>Ukraine</b>	0.44	0.35	0.45	0.45	1.59	1.57	1.78	1.78	0.70	0.55	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.25	45.45
<b>China, Peoples</b>	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
<b>Belarus</b>	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	2.20	2.40	3.60	3.60	0.55	0.60	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.30	50.00
<b>Brazil</b>	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.36	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Argentina</b>	0.25	0.22	0.26	0.26	1.60	2.10	1.96	1.96	0.40	0.47	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.03	6.38
<b>Chile</b>	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Norway</b>	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
<b>Turkey</b>	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
<b>Kazakhstan,</b>	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.16	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Serbia</b>	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Others</b>	1.26	1.23	1.25	1.25	0.79	0.80	0.86	0.83	0.99	0.99	1.07	1.04	-0.03	-2.89	0.05	5.05

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	5.69	6.21	6.51	6.51	2.18	2.30	2.58	2.64	12.38	14.28	16.82	17.17	0.35	2.08	2.88	20.18
<b>United States</b>	0.11	0.12	0.11	0.11	1.65	1.72	1.86	1.86	0.18	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00
<b>Total Foreign</b>	5.58	6.10	6.40	6.40	2.19	2.31	2.60	2.65	12.20	14.08	16.61	16.96	0.35	2.11	2.88	20.46
<b>EU-27</b>																
Poland	1.32	1.32	1.40	1.40	1.99	2.38	2.29	2.43	2.62	3.13	3.20	3.39	0.19	5.94	0.26	8.45
Germany	0.54	0.67	0.74	0.74	4.91	4.02	5.00	5.08	2.64	2.70	3.70	3.75	0.05	1.30	1.05	38.92
Spain	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	1.61	2.33	2.30	2.47	0.16	0.26	0.26	0.28	0.02	5.73	0.02	6.95
Lithuania	0.05	0.07	0.08	0.08	1.76	2.36	2.38	2.70	0.09	0.17	0.18	0.21	0.02	13.26	0.04	24.24
Latvia	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.06	2.72	3.12	2.65	3.40	0.12	0.18	0.14	0.20	0.05	37.76	0.02	8.84
France	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.65	4.44	4.81	4.69	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.12	0.00	-2.40	0.00	1.67
Denmark	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.64	4.93	4.31	5.17	0.13	0.14	0.13	0.15	0.03	20.00	0.01	8.70
Czech Republic	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.04	3.41	4.81	4.84	5.00	0.08	0.18	0.21	0.22	0.01	3.37	0.04	20.79
Austria	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.05	3.48	4.02	4.50	4.15	0.09	0.19	0.23	0.22	-0.01	-2.22	0.03	16.40
Sweden	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.92	5.52	5.36	5.36	0.12	0.14	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.01	8.70
Hungary	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	2.54	1.97	2.59	2.59	0.10	0.08	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.04	48.05
Slovakia	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.03	2.38	2.57	3.15	3.15	0.03	0.05	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.03	51.85
Finland	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.02	2.32	2.72	2.50	2.58	0.05	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.00	3.33	-0.03	-28.74
United Kingdom	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	6.14	6.33	6.67	6.17	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.00	-7.50	0.00	-2.63
Romania	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	1.94	1.69	3.07	3.07	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.02	95.45
Greece	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02	1.79	1.87	1.83	1.83	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.01	17.86
Portugal	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	1.04	1.05	0.95	0.95	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	-9.09
<b>Russian Federation</b>	1.80	2.10	2.20	2.20	1.67	1.86	2.00	2.00	3.00	3.90	4.40	4.40	0.00	0.00	0.50	12.82
<b>Belarus</b>	0.55	0.60	0.50	0.50	2.18	2.17	3.20	3.20	1.20	1.30	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.30	23.08
<b>Ukraine</b>	0.36	0.35	0.45	0.45	1.67	1.57	2.22	2.22	0.60	0.55	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.45	81.82
<b>Canada</b>	0.16	0.11	0.13	0.13	2.34	2.09	2.38	2.38	0.38	0.23	0.31	0.31	0.00	0.00	0.08	34.78
<b>Turkey</b>	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
<b>Argentina</b>	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
<b>Kazakhstan,</b>	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
<b>Australia</b>	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
<b>Switzerland</b>	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
<b>Others</b>	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.10	1.87	2.14	2.09	2.07	0.16	0.20	0.21	0.20	0.00	-1.93	0.01	3.05

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	39.46	40.39	39.93	39.93	1.44	1.57	1.58	1.58	56.96	63.24	63.27	63.10	-0.17	-0.27	-0.14	-0.22
<b>United States</b>	2.00	2.75	2.99	2.99	3.53	4.66	4.01	3.95	7.05	12.83	11.99	11.82	-0.17	-1.41	-1.01	-7.87
<b>Total Foreign</b>	37.46	37.64	36.94	36.94	1.33	1.34	1.39	1.39	49.91	50.41	51.28	51.28	0.00	0.00	0.87	1.73
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>																
Nigeria	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.40	1.42	1.35	1.42	1.42	10.50	10.00	10.50	10.50	0.00	0.00	0.50	5.00
Sudan	6.75	6.60	6.60	6.60	0.77	0.68	0.71	0.71	5.20	4.50	4.70	4.70	0.00	0.00	0.20	4.44
Ethiopia	1.88	1.84	1.88	1.88	1.77	1.76	1.76	1.76	3.33	3.23	3.30	3.30	0.00	0.00	0.07	2.17
Burkina	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Tanzania, United	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.96	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.85	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Niger	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.53	0.53	0.53	0.53	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Uganda	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	1.58	1.58	1.58	1.58	0.49	0.49	0.49	0.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.70	0.70	0.75	0.75	0.35	0.35	0.38	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.03	7.14
Ghana	0.32	0.21	0.34	0.34	0.98	0.75	0.81	0.81	0.32	0.16	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.12	77.42
South Africa, Republic	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.09	2.51	2.89	2.56	2.56	0.18	0.26	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-11.54
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	8.51	8.40	7.50	7.50	0.84	0.93	0.87	0.87	7.15	7.78	6.50	6.50	0.00	0.00	-1.28	-16.45
Pakistan	0.26	0.25	0.24	0.24	0.61	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-3.97
<b>Mexico</b>	1.60	1.86	1.75	1.75	3.64	3.29	3.54	3.54	5.81	6.10	6.20	6.20	0.00	0.00	0.10	1.64
<b>China, Peoples</b>	0.57	0.55	0.50	0.50	3.53	3.45	4.00	4.00	2.00	1.90	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	5.26
<b>Australia</b>	0.61	0.80	0.80	0.80	2.09	3.36	2.50	2.50	1.28	2.69	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	-0.69	-25.68
<b>Egypt</b>	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
<b>EU-27</b>																
France	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	5.56	5.88	5.84	5.84	0.31	0.29	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-12.59
Italy	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.04	5.67	5.68	6.05	6.05	0.22	0.19	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.04	19.17
<b>Others</b>	4.60	4.74	4.94	4.94	1.80	1.67	1.96	1.96	8.27	7.92	9.68	9.68	0.00	0.00	1.76	22.26

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	153.87	154.34	156.92	155.63	4.08	4.16	4.12	4.16	420.62	430.96	433.23	434.28	1.05	0.24	3.32	0.77
<b>United States</b>	1.14	1.11	1.18	1.18	7.69	8.05	7.83	7.80	6.24	6.31	6.53	6.51	-0.02	-0.32	0.19	3.06
<b>Total Foreign</b>	152.73	153.23	155.74	154.44	4.05	4.14	4.09	4.13	414.38	424.64	426.70	427.77	1.07	0.25	3.13	0.74
<b>East Asia</b>																
China, Peoples	28.94	28.92	29.75	29.00	6.28	6.43	6.27	6.45	127.20	130.22	130.55	130.90	0.35	0.27	0.68	0.52
Japan	1.69	1.67	1.67	1.67	6.34	6.51	6.58	6.58	7.79	7.93	8.00	8.00	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.88
Korea, Republic of	0.96	0.95	0.94	0.94	6.60	6.28	6.50	6.64	4.68	4.41	4.50	4.60	0.10	2.22	0.19	4.36
Korea, Democratic	0.60	0.60	0.59	0.59	4.89	3.94	4.21	4.21	1.90	1.53	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.07	4.78
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	44.00	44.00	45.00	44.50	3.18	3.29	3.23	3.29	93.35	96.43	97.00	97.50	0.50	0.52	1.07	1.11
Bangladesh	11.20	11.00	11.38	11.38	3.88	3.93	3.90	3.90	29.00	28.80	29.60	29.60	0.00	0.00	0.80	2.78
Pakistan	2.58	2.55	2.77	2.90	3.18	3.35	3.25	3.26	5.45	5.70	6.00	6.30	0.30	5.00	0.60	10.53
<b>Southeast Asia</b>																
Indonesia	11.90	11.90	11.90	11.90	4.60	4.66	4.72	4.72	35.30	35.80	36.25	36.25	0.00	0.00	0.45	1.26
Vietnam	7.20	7.39	7.36	7.29	4.82	4.96	4.88	4.88	22.92	24.22	23.70	23.50	-0.20	-0.84	-0.72	-2.96
Thailand	10.27	10.60	10.70	10.70	2.69	2.76	2.76	2.76	18.25	19.30	19.50	19.50	0.00	0.00	0.20	1.04
Burma, Union of	7.00	7.09	6.70	6.70	2.61	2.61	2.52	2.52	10.60	10.73	9.80	9.80	0.00	0.00	-0.93	-8.67
Philippines	4.19	4.25	4.30	4.30	3.70	3.76	3.77	3.77	9.78	10.08	10.20	10.20	0.00	0.00	0.12	1.19
Cambodia	2.52	2.53	2.60	2.60	2.49	2.56	2.58	2.58	3.95	4.08	4.23	4.23	0.00	0.00	0.15	3.68
Laos	0.76	0.76	0.78	0.78	3.50	3.49	3.53	3.53	1.60	1.59	1.65	1.65	0.00	0.00	0.06	3.77
Malaysia	0.65	0.66	0.68	0.68	3.30	3.45	3.46	3.46	1.39	1.48	1.52	1.52	0.00	0.00	0.04	2.70
<b>South America</b>																
Brazil	2.97	2.87	3.10	2.90	3.81	4.20	4.03	4.21	7.70	8.20	8.50	8.30	-0.20	-2.40	0.10	1.18
Peru	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	6.63	7.04	7.04	7.04	1.60	1.70	1.70	1.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>																
Nigeria	2.05	2.20	2.30	2.30	2.36	2.27	2.25	2.39	2.90	3.00	3.10	3.30	0.20	6.45	0.30	10.00
Madagascar	1.35	1.35	1.33	1.33	2.59	2.67	2.72	2.72	2.24	2.30	2.30	2.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>EU-27</b>																
Italy	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	6.28	6.28	6.28	6.28	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Spain	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	7.04	7.23	6.83	6.91	0.52	0.52	0.45	0.46	0.01	2.20	-0.05	-10.08
<b>Egypt</b>	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.67	10.08	10.07	10.04	10.04	4.38	4.39	4.39	4.39	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05
<b>Iran</b>	0.62	0.63	0.58	0.58	4.84	5.24	3.95	3.95	1.98	2.18	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	-0.68	-31.13
<b>Others</b>	9.95	9.96	9.99	10.08	2.95	2.97	3.05	3.02	19.06	19.20	19.79	19.81	0.02	0.08	0.60	3.15

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	198.73	194.39	204.30	203.95	1.96	1.93	1.96	1.96	388.81	374.54	401.39	400.12	-1.27	-0.32	25.57	6.83
<b>United States</b>	36.96	31.97	35.21	35.21	2.61	2.58	2.52	2.50	96.61	82.44	88.68	88.17	-0.51	-0.58	5.73	6.95
<b>Total Foreign</b>	161.77	162.42	169.09	168.75	1.81	1.80	1.85	1.85	292.19	292.11	312.71	311.95	-0.76	-0.24	19.84	6.79
<b>South America</b>																
Brazil	21.99	22.56	23.17	22.64	2.82	2.84	2.82	2.77	61.98	64.09	65.23	62.68	-2.56	-3.92	-1.41	-2.20
Argentina	19.30	19.76	21.16	21.16	2.75	2.62	2.64	2.64	53.16	51.70	55.86	55.86	0.00	0.00	4.16	8.04
Paraguay	2.75	2.98	3.15	3.15	2.41	2.44	2.46	2.46	6.61	7.28	7.74	7.74	0.00	0.00	0.46	6.32
Bolivia	1.01	0.87	0.86	0.86	1.80	1.36	2.07	2.07	1.82	1.18	1.78	1.78	0.00	0.00	0.60	50.85
Uruguay	0.41	0.45	0.61	0.61	2.11	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.86	0.90	1.22	1.22	0.00	0.00	0.31	34.70
<b>China, Peoples</b>	26.07	25.29	26.15	26.55	2.12	2.11	2.18	2.17	55.23	53.35	56.90	57.50	0.60	1.05	4.15	7.78
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	31.98	32.30	33.50	33.50	0.92	1.03	0.99	0.99	29.28	33.17	33.20	33.20	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.10
Pakistan	4.01	4.00	3.73	3.73	1.31	1.14	1.32	1.32	5.25	4.57	4.91	4.91	0.00	0.00	0.34	7.37
<b>Former Soviet Union</b>																
Russian Federation	7.16	6.24	7.20	7.20	1.13	1.11	1.13	1.17	8.08	6.93	8.10	8.40	0.30	3.70	1.47	21.14
Ukraine	5.00	4.93	6.05	6.05	1.36	1.21	1.47	1.57	6.79	5.95	8.90	9.50	0.60	6.74	3.55	59.66
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.43	1.45	1.42	1.42	1.61	1.66	1.62	1.62	2.30	2.40	2.30	2.30	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-4.17
<b>Canada</b>	6.52	7.48	7.60	7.60	1.94	1.65	1.87	1.87	12.61	12.35	14.24	14.24	0.00	0.00	1.89	15.28
<b>EU-27</b>																
France	2.10	2.16	2.11	2.06	2.69	2.78	3.07	3.10	5.63	6.02	6.47	6.37	-0.10	-1.54	0.35	5.86
Germany	1.46	1.57	1.40	1.40	3.70	3.43	3.71	3.71	5.40	5.37	5.19	5.19	0.00	0.00	-0.19	-3.44
United Kingdom	0.58	0.68	0.63	0.63	3.29	3.10	3.20	3.20	1.89	2.11	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-5.12
Romania	1.34	1.25	1.28	1.28	1.52	0.82	1.57	1.57	2.05	1.02	2.01	2.01	0.00	0.00	0.98	96.18
Czech Republic	0.35	0.39	0.36	0.36	2.86	2.96	2.95	2.95	1.00	1.15	1.07	1.07	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-6.71
Hungary	0.71	0.76	0.84	0.84	2.25	2.07	2.32	2.55	1.60	1.58	1.94	2.14	0.20	10.32	0.56	35.40
Poland	0.63	0.80	0.76	0.76	2.63	2.66	2.68	2.81	1.66	2.13	2.02	2.12	0.10	4.94	-0.01	-0.33
Italy	0.33	0.26	0.24	0.26	2.64	2.67	2.79	2.91	0.86	0.70	0.67	0.77	0.10	15.04	0.06	8.97
<b>Australia</b>	1.26	1.23	1.45	1.45	0.85	1.14	1.47	1.33	1.08	1.41	2.13	1.93	-0.20	-9.41	0.52	36.89
<b>Turkey</b>	1.16	1.05	0.99	0.99	1.95	1.85	1.88	1.88	2.26	1.95	1.86	1.86	0.00	0.00	-0.09	-4.62
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>																
Nigeria	2.05	2.08	2.08	2.08	1.04	1.05	1.05	1.05	2.13	2.19	2.19	2.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Africa, Republic	0.55	0.80	0.87	0.90	1.11	1.66	1.52	1.53	0.62	1.33	1.31	1.38	0.07	4.95	0.05	3.53
<b>Southeast Asia</b>																
Indonesia	1.38	1.33	1.38	1.38	1.47	1.46	1.50	1.50	2.03	1.94	2.06	2.06	0.00	0.00	0.12	6.12
<b>Others</b>	20.26	19.75	20.14	19.92	0.99	0.98	1.06	1.08	20.02	19.33	21.42	21.56	0.14	0.63	2.23	11.52

World and Selected Countries and Regions  
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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	94.29	90.82	98.79	98.24	2.52	2.43	2.41	2.40	237.33	220.89	238.21	235.74	-2.47	-1.04	14.85	6.72
<b>United States</b>	30.19	25.96	30.10	30.10	2.87	2.81	2.66	2.64	86.77	72.82	79.97	79.49	-0.48	-0.60	6.66	9.15
<b>Total Foreign</b>	64.10	64.87	68.69	68.14	2.35	2.28	2.30	2.29	150.56	148.07	158.25	156.26	-1.99	-1.26	8.19	5.53
<b>South America</b>																
Brazil	20.70	21.30	22.00	21.50	2.85	2.86	2.84	2.79	59.00	61.00	62.50	60.00	-2.50	-4.00	-1.00	-1.64
Argentina	16.30	16.60	18.00	18.00	2.99	2.78	2.81	2.81	48.80	46.20	50.50	50.50	0.00	0.00	4.30	9.31
Paraguay	2.40	2.60	2.75	2.75	2.58	2.62	2.62	2.62	6.20	6.80	7.20	7.20	0.00	0.00	0.40	5.88
Bolivia	0.85	0.73	0.72	0.72	1.94	1.44	2.29	2.29	1.65	1.05	1.65	1.65	0.00	0.00	0.60	57.14
Uruguay	0.37	0.42	0.55	0.55	2.24	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.82	0.83	1.10	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.27	32.53
<b>East Asia</b>																
China, Peoples	9.28	8.70	9.40	9.30	1.72	1.61	1.76	1.81	15.97	14.00	16.50	16.80	0.30	1.82	2.80	20.00
Korea, Republic of	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.09	1.73	1.50	1.59	1.59	0.16	0.11	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.02	18.42
Korea, Democratic	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.19	1.19	1.19	1.19	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Japan	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.58	1.63	1.63	1.63	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>India</b>	8.12	8.80	9.60	9.60	0.95	1.06	0.96	0.96	7.69	9.30	9.20	9.20	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-1.08
<b>Canada</b>	1.20	1.17	1.21	1.21	2.88	2.31	2.68	2.68	3.46	2.70	3.24	3.24	0.00	0.00	0.54	20.00
<b>Former Soviet Union</b>																
Ukraine	0.71	0.63	0.55	0.55	1.25	1.03	1.27	1.27	0.89	0.65	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.05	7.69
Russian Federation	0.82	0.71	0.73	0.73	0.99	0.92	0.97	0.97	0.81	0.65	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.05	7.36
<b>Southeast Asia</b>																
Indonesia	0.62	0.60	0.62	0.62	1.31	1.30	1.29	1.29	0.82	0.78	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.56
Vietnam	0.21	0.28	0.28	0.28	1.47	1.46	1.46	1.46	0.31	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.15	0.14	0.12	0.12	1.45	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.21	0.21	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-14.29
Burma, Union of	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.17	1.17	1.17	1.17	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>EU-27</b>																
Italy	0.18	0.13	0.11	0.14	3.10	3.14	3.27	3.41	0.55	0.41	0.36	0.46	0.10	27.78	0.05	12.75
France	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.02	2.73	2.75	2.75	2.75	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-25.00
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>																
South Africa, Republic	0.18	0.17	0.20	0.23	1.13	1.87	1.75	1.74	0.21	0.31	0.35	0.40	0.05	14.29	0.09	29.87
Nigeria	0.43	0.44	0.44	0.44	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02	0.44	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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
<b>Serbia</b>	0.17	0.15	0.15	0.15	2.12	2.20	2.41	2.41	0.35	0.33	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.02	6.06
<b>Mexico</b>	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.07	1.48	1.43	1.54	2.46	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.16	0.06	60.00	0.08	110.53
<b>Iran</b>	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	2.40	2.40	2.36	2.36	0.24	0.24	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.02	8.33
<b>Others</b>	0.57	0.47	0.41	0.41	1.90	1.58	1.87	1.87	1.08	0.74	0.77	0.77	0.00	0.00	0.02	3.23

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	33.79	32.63	30.55	30.33	1.36	1.41	1.43	1.43	45.83	46.05	43.65	43.37	-0.28	-0.64	-2.67	-5.81
<b>United States</b>	5.15	4.25	3.14	3.14	1.29	1.41	1.35	1.33	6.67	5.98	4.23	4.17	-0.06	-1.44	-1.81	-30.20
<b>Total Foreign</b>	28.64	28.38	27.42	27.19	1.37	1.41	1.44	1.44	39.16	40.07	39.42	39.20	-0.22	-0.56	-0.87	-2.17
<b>China, Peoples</b>	6.00	6.20	6.00	6.00	2.32	2.34	2.38	2.38	13.91	14.50	14.30	14.30	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-1.38
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	9.17	9.50	9.20	9.20	1.00	1.12	1.13	1.13	9.13	10.60	10.40	10.40	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-1.89
Pakistan	3.25	3.25	2.90	2.90	1.33	1.14	1.34	1.34	4.32	3.70	3.90	3.90	0.00	0.00	0.20	5.41
<b>Former Soviet Union</b>																
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.43	1.45	1.42	1.42	1.61	1.66	1.62	1.62	2.30	2.40	2.30	2.30	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-4.17
Turkmenistan	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.78	0.85	0.83	0.83	0.47	0.51	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-1.96
Tajikistan, Republic of	0.26	0.25	0.24	0.23	1.00	0.90	0.85	0.80	0.26	0.23	0.21	0.19	-0.02	-9.76	-0.04	-17.78
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.20	0.20	0.16	0.16	1.26	1.23	1.25	1.25	0.25	0.25	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-18.37
<b>South America</b>																
Brazil	1.09	1.08	0.98	0.95	2.38	2.54	2.43	2.45	2.61	2.74	2.38	2.33	-0.06	-2.35	-0.41	-15.07
Argentina	0.40	0.31	0.43	0.43	0.71	0.76	0.73	0.73	0.29	0.24	0.32	0.32	0.00	0.00	0.08	33.47
<b>Middle East</b>																
Turkey	0.64	0.55	0.45	0.45	2.05	2.09	2.00	2.00	1.31	1.15	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	-0.25	-21.74
Syria	0.21	0.20	0.18	0.18	2.10	2.76	2.78	2.78	0.45	0.55	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-9.26
Iran	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.13	1.02	0.98	0.96	0.96	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.01	6.84
<b>Australia</b>	0.15	0.08	0.15	0.15	2.90	2.55	2.47	2.47	0.42	0.19	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.18	93.72
<b>EU-27</b>																
Greece	0.33	0.32	0.25	0.25	1.37	1.36	1.42	1.42	0.45	0.43	0.36	0.36	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-17.02
Spain	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	1.27	1.06	0.86	0.86	0.07	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-24.56
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>																
Burkina	0.70	0.40	0.50	0.44	0.51	0.47	0.52	0.53	0.36	0.19	0.26	0.24	-0.03	-10.31	0.05	26.34
Mali	0.46	0.28	0.25	0.21	0.49	0.45	0.52	0.55	0.22	0.13	0.13	0.11	-0.02	-13.08	-0.01	-11.02
Cameroon	0.20	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.91	0.75	0.94	0.78	0.18	0.11	0.15	0.13	-0.03	-16.67	0.02	19.05
Sudan	0.16	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.72	0.93	1.03	1.03	0.12	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.03	46.43
Zimbabwe	0.35	0.38	0.40	0.38	0.54	0.47	0.55	0.50	0.19	0.18	0.22	0.19	-0.03	-12.84	0.01	5.56
Nigeria	0.38	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.46	0.49	0.49	0.49	0.17	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Benin	0.23	0.23	0.26	0.21	0.68	0.71	0.73	0.74	0.16	0.17	0.19	0.15	-0.04	-20.00	-0.01	-7.88
Uganda	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.31	0.19	0.32	0.32	0.08	0.05	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.04	67.31
<b>Egypt</b>	0.25	0.25	0.14	0.14	1.28	1.36	1.50	1.50	0.32	0.34	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	-0.14	-40.59
<b>Mexico</b>	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	1.89	1.85	1.85	1.85	0.22	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Burma, Union of</b>	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
<b>Others</b>	1.34	1.39	1.40	1.39	0.49	0.45	0.51	0.51	0.65	0.63	0.72	0.71	-0.01	-1.11	0.09	13.76

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	20.43	20.92	20.99	21.07	1.50	1.53	1.59	1.59	30.67	31.96	33.37	33.45	0.08	0.25	1.49	4.67
<b>United States</b>	0.49	0.48	0.61	0.61	3.21	3.44	3.69	3.74	1.57	1.67	2.24	2.27	0.03	1.34	0.60	35.87
<b>Total Foreign</b>	19.94	20.44	20.39	20.46	1.46	1.48	1.53	1.52	29.10	30.29	31.13	31.19	0.05	0.17	0.90	2.95
<b>China, Peoples</b>	3.96	3.95	3.90	4.00	3.25	3.30	3.49	3.35	12.89	13.03	13.60	13.40	-0.20	-1.47	0.37	2.86
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	5.91	6.40	6.30	6.30	0.91	1.03	1.02	1.02	5.39	6.60	6.40	6.40	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-3.03
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
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>																
Nigeria	1.24	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.23	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.52	1.55	1.55	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Senegal	0.59	0.61	0.65	0.77	0.77	0.55	0.72	0.93	0.46	0.33	0.47	0.71	0.24	51.06	0.38	114.50
Chad	0.48	0.50	0.50	0.35	0.94	0.45	0.94	1.32	0.45	0.22	0.47	0.47	0.00	-0.43	0.25	109.87
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	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Congo, Democratic	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.78	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	0.99	1.01	1.01	1.01	0.34	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Guinea	0.21	0.22	0.21	0.21	1.24	1.45	1.24	1.24	0.26	0.32	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-17.72
Cameroon	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.76	0.77	0.77	0.77	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mali	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Malawi	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.93	1.20	1.20	1.20	0.20	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.81	0.86	0.81	0.81	0.13	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.01	7.44
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	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.06	1.93	2.09	2.00	2.02	0.08	0.12	0.10	0.12	0.02	15.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Southeast Asia</b>																
Indonesia	0.75	0.72	0.75	0.75	1.60	1.60	1.67	1.67	1.20	1.15	1.25	1.25	0.00	0.00	0.10	8.70
Burma, Union of	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.80	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vietnam	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>South America</b>																
Argentina	0.20	0.23	0.23	0.23	2.88	2.72	2.80	2.80	0.58	0.62	0.64	0.64	0.00	0.00	0.03	4.72
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
<b>Egypt</b>	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
<b>Mexico</b>	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.05	1.56	1.69	1.56	1.56	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.06
<b>Others</b>	0.84	0.83	0.84	0.84	0.87	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.73	0.74	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.01	1.63

**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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	23.70	21.88	24.43	24.43	1.26	1.24	1.31	1.36	29.81	27.22	32.07	33.17	1.10	3.43	5.95	21.85
<b>United States</b>	0.72	0.81	0.97	0.97	1.36	1.61	1.62	1.62	0.97	1.31	1.57	1.57	0.00	0.00	0.26	19.71
<b>Total Foreign</b>	22.99	21.07	23.46	23.46	1.25	1.23	1.30	1.35	28.84	25.91	30.50	31.60	1.10	3.61	5.69	21.96
<b>Former Soviet Union</b>																
Russian Federation	5.90	5.00	5.90	5.90	1.14	1.13	1.14	1.19	6.75	5.65	6.70	7.00	0.30	4.48	1.35	23.89
Ukraine	3.90	3.40	4.10	4.10	1.36	1.24	1.32	1.46	5.30	4.20	5.40	6.00	0.60	11.11	1.80	42.86
Moldova, Republic of	0.25	0.24	0.23	0.23	1.52	0.67	1.56	1.56	0.38	0.16	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.19	118.75
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.43	0.35	0.43	0.43	0.63	0.64	0.62	0.62	0.27	0.23	0.27	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.04	17.78
<b>South America</b>																
Argentina	2.40	2.62	2.50	2.50	1.46	1.77	1.76	1.76	3.50	4.65	4.40	4.40	0.00	0.00	-0.25	-5.38
Uruguay	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.06	1.02	2.00	1.98	1.98	0.04	0.07	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.04	59.72
Bolivia	0.16	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.06	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.17	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>China, Peoples</b>	0.85	0.80	0.85	0.85	1.76	1.56	1.76	1.76	1.50	1.25	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.25	20.00
<b>EU-27</b>																
France	0.64	0.52	0.60	0.60	2.16	2.52	2.37	2.37	1.39	1.30	1.43	1.43	0.00	0.00	0.13	10.31
Hungary	0.54	0.51	0.56	0.56	2.20	2.04	2.14	2.50	1.18	1.04	1.20	1.40	0.20	16.67	0.36	34.23
Spain	0.63	0.60	0.69	0.69	0.96	1.17	1.28	1.28	0.61	0.70	0.89	0.89	0.00	0.00	0.18	25.89
Italy	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.12	2.12	2.21	2.43	2.43	0.31	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.36
Slovakia	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.07	2.12	2.05	2.55	2.55	0.23	0.13	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.04	28.57
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	2.15	1.90	2.20	2.20	0.60	0.64	0.64	0.64	1.28	1.22	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.18	15.13
Pakistan	0.41	0.38	0.45	0.45	1.28	1.52	1.52	1.52	0.52	0.58	0.69	0.69	0.00	0.00	0.10	17.50
<b>Turkey</b>	0.48	0.47	0.50	0.50	1.77	1.49	1.70	1.70	0.85	0.70	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.15	21.43
<b>South Africa,</b>	0.32	0.57	0.60	0.60	0.98	1.57	1.40	1.40	0.31	0.89	0.84	0.84	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-5.08
<b>Burma, Union of</b>	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
<b>Serbia</b>	0.21	0.13	0.20	0.20	1.90	2.00	2.10	2.10	0.40	0.26	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.16	61.54
<b>Canada</b>	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.06	2.00	1.58	1.59	1.59	0.15	0.12	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-20.49
<b>Australia</b>	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.05	1.06	1.54	1.10	1.10	0.02	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-25.68
<b>Others</b>	2.38	2.12	2.19	2.19	1.41	0.91	1.35	1.35	3.34	1.92	2.97	2.97	0.00	0.00	1.05	54.50

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>World</b>	26.52	28.14	29.54	29.89	1.70	1.72	1.83	1.82	45.16	48.43	54.09	54.39	0.30	0.55	5.96	12.30
<b>United States</b>	0.41	0.47	0.40	0.40	1.53	1.40	1.70	1.70	0.63	0.66	0.68	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.58
<b>Total Foreign</b>	26.11	27.67	29.14	29.49	1.71	1.73	1.83	1.82	44.53	47.77	53.41	53.71	0.30	0.56	5.94	12.43
<b>EU-27</b>																
Germany	1.43	1.55	1.37	1.37	3.73	3.44	3.73	3.73	5.34	5.32	5.13	5.13	0.00	0.00	-0.19	-3.65
France	1.41	1.62	1.48	1.43	2.93	2.87	3.36	3.41	4.12	4.63	4.97	4.87	-0.10	-2.01	0.24	5.20
United Kingdom	0.58	0.68	0.63	0.63	3.29	3.10	3.20	3.20	1.89	2.11	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-5.12
Poland	0.62	0.80	0.75	0.75	2.65	2.67	2.69	2.82	1.65	2.13	2.02	2.12	0.10	4.96	-0.01	-0.42
Czech Republic	0.29	0.36	0.33	0.33	3.01	3.01	3.03	3.03	0.88	1.07	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-6.54
Denmark	0.13	0.18	0.18	0.18	3.48	3.28	3.47	3.47	0.44	0.58	0.62	0.62	0.00	0.00	0.03	5.85
Hungary	0.14	0.22	0.25	0.25	2.43	2.25	2.70	2.70	0.34	0.49	0.68	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.18	36.64
Romania	0.10	0.34	0.39	0.39	1.68	1.10	1.87	1.87	0.18	0.38	0.72	0.72	0.00	0.00	0.35	92.00
Slovakia	0.12	0.15	0.18	0.18	2.11	2.08	2.78	2.78	0.26	0.32	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.18	55.76
Sweden	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	2.45	2.53	2.49	2.49	0.22	0.22	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.01	6.28
Lithuania	0.15	0.17	0.20	0.20	1.13	1.90	1.75	1.75	0.17	0.33	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.02	6.06
Latvia	0.08	0.10	0.10	0.10	1.45	2.14	2.20	2.20	0.12	0.21	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.01	3.77
Austria	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.06	3.26	3.00	3.29	3.29	0.14	0.14	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.04	27.78
Finland	0.11	0.09	0.07	0.07	1.38	1.27	1.38	1.38	0.15	0.11	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-21.05
Estonia	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.08	1.35	1.49	1.50	1.50	0.09	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.01	10.09
<b>China, Peoples</b>	5.98	5.64	6.00	6.40	1.83	1.87	1.83	1.80	10.97	10.57	11.00	11.50	0.50	4.55	0.93	8.77
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	6.64	5.70	6.20	6.20	0.87	0.96	0.94	0.94	5.80	5.45	5.80	5.80	0.00	0.00	0.35	6.42
Pakistan	0.25	0.26	0.27	0.27	1.30	0.75	0.83	0.83	0.32	0.19	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.04	18.42
Bangladesh	0.31	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.76	0.71	0.73	0.73	0.24	0.21	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.01	4.76
<b>Canada</b>	5.24	6.23	6.32	6.32	1.72	1.53	1.72	1.72	9.00	9.53	10.90	10.90	0.00	0.00	1.37	14.40
<b>Australia</b>	1.05	1.06	1.20	1.20	0.54	1.00	1.33	1.17	0.57	1.07	1.60	1.40	-0.20	-12.50	0.34	31.46
<b>Former Soviet Union</b>																
Ukraine	0.39	0.90	1.40	1.40	1.54	1.22	2.00	2.00	0.60	1.10	2.80	2.80	0.00	0.00	1.70	154.55
Russian Federation	0.45	0.54	0.58	0.58	1.16	1.18	1.22	1.22	0.52	0.63	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.07	10.76
Belarus	0.11	0.15	0.24	0.24	1.07	1.67	2.29	2.29	0.12	0.25	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.30	120.00
<b>Paraguay</b>	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	1.50	1.50	1.80	1.80	0.15	0.15	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.03	20.00
<b>Others</b>	0.23	0.34	0.38	0.38	1.19	1.35	1.58	1.58	0.27	0.46	0.61	0.61	0.00	0.00	0.14	31.17

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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			
	2006/07	Prel. 2007/08	2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
			Oct	Nov	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
<b>Oilseed, Copra</b>								
Philippines	2.20	2.50	2.60	2.60	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.04
Indonesia	1.44	1.50	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.07
India	0.62	0.70	0.74	0.74	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.06
Vietnam	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mexico	0.23	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
Thailand	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sri Lanka	0.06	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	5.26	5.70	5.94	5.94	0.00	0.00	0.24	0.04
<b>Oilseed, Palm Kernel</b>								
Indonesia	4.45	4.79	5.35	5.35	0.00	0.00	0.56	0.12
Malaysia	3.94	4.53	4.57	4.57	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.01
Nigeria	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.23	0.21	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.33
Colombia	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Papua New Guinea	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.09
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	0.06	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	10.19	11.11	11.79	11.79	0.00	0.00	0.68	0.06
<b>Oil, Palm</b>								
Indonesia	16.60	18.30	19.70	19.70	0.00	0.00	1.40	0.08
Malaysia	15.29	17.57	17.70	17.70	0.00	0.00	0.13	0.01
Thailand	1.17	1.05	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.35	0.33
Colombia	0.77	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nigeria	0.81	0.82	0.82	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Papua New Guinea	0.38	0.40	0.43	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.05
Ecuador	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.32	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	37.34	41.29	43.20	43.20	0.00	0.00	1.91	0.05

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	2006/07	2007/08	Oct	Nov	MBales	Percent	MBales	Percent
<b>World</b>	34.706	33.204	31.570	31.342	765	790	785	784	121.990	120.539	113.760	112.867	-0.893	-0.785	-7.672	-6.365
<b>United States</b>	5.152	4.245	3.138	3.138	912	985	951	939	21.588	19.207	13.711	13.528	-0.183	-1.335	-5.679	-29.567
<b>Total Foreign</b>	29.554	28.959	28.432	28.204	740	762	766	767	100.402	101.332	100.049	99.339	-0.710	-0.710	-1.993	-1.967
<b>China, Peoples</b>	6.000	6.200	6.000	6.000	1,288	1,299	1,325	1,325	35.500	37.000	36.500	36.500	0.000	0.000	-0.500	-1.351
<b>South Asia</b>																
India	9.166	9.550	9.400	9.400	518	561	579	579	21.800	24.600	25.000	25.000	0.000	0.000	0.400	1.626
Pakistan	3.250	3.000	2.900	2.900	663	646	676	676	9.900	8.900	9.000	9.000	0.000	0.000	0.100	1.124
<b>Former Soviet Union</b>																
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.430	1.450	1.420	1.420	815	826	782	782	5.350	5.500	5.100	5.100	0.000	0.000	-0.400	-7.273
Turkmenistan	0.600	0.600	0.600	0.600	435	472	472	472	1.200	1.300	1.300	1.300	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Tajikistan, Republic of	0.255	0.250	0.230	0.230	551	523	497	450	0.645	0.600	0.525	0.475	-0.050	-9.524	-0.125	-20.833
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.195	0.200	0.160	0.160	698	680	633	633	0.625	0.625	0.465	0.465	0.000	0.000	-0.160	-25.600
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>																
Burkina	0.700	0.400	0.500	0.440	404	367	414	421	1.300	0.675	0.950	0.850	-0.100	-10.526	0.175	25.926
Mali	0.460	0.284	0.250	0.207	375	345	401	421	0.792	0.450	0.460	0.400	-0.060	-13.043	-0.050	-11.111
Zimbabwe	0.350	0.380	0.400	0.380	311	272	313	286	0.500	0.475	0.575	0.500	-0.075	-13.043	0.025	5.263
Benin	0.231	0.234	0.260	0.205	448	465	482	489	0.475	0.500	0.575	0.460	-0.115	-20.000	-0.040	-8.000
Cote d'Ivoire	0.214	0.200	0.190	0.190	317	245	286	258	0.312	0.225	0.250	0.225	-0.025	-10.000	0.000	0.000
Cameroon	0.200	0.140	0.160	0.160	397	327	408	340	0.365	0.210	0.300	0.250	-0.050	-16.667	0.040	19.048
Nigeria	0.380	0.395	0.395	0.395	229	248	248	248	0.400	0.450	0.450	0.450	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Sudan	0.160	0.060	0.080	0.080	306	399	435	435	0.225	0.110	0.160	0.160	0.000	0.000	0.050	45.455
<b>South America</b>																
Brazil	1.094	1.077	0.980	0.950	1,393	1,488	1,444	1,432	7.000	7.360	6.500	6.250	-0.250	-3.846	-1.110	-15.082
Argentina	0.400	0.310	0.430	0.430	435	494	468	468	0.800	0.703	0.925	0.925	0.000	0.000	0.222	31.579
Paraguay	0.125	0.060	0.090	0.090	279	363	290	290	0.160	0.100	0.120	0.120	0.000	0.000	0.020	20.000
<b>Middle East</b>																
Turkey	0.630	0.520	0.380	0.380	1,313	1,298	1,318	1,318	3.800	3.100	2.300	2.300	0.000	0.000	-0.800	-25.806
Syria	0.214	0.200	0.180	0.170	1,038	1,252	1,210	1,217	1.020	1.150	1.000	0.950	-0.050	-5.000	-0.200	-17.391
Iran	0.115	0.120	0.130	0.130	757	726	754	754	0.400	0.400	0.450	0.450	0.000	0.000	0.050	12.500
<b>Australia</b>	0.145	0.065	0.150	0.160	2,027	2,077	1,742	1,769	1.350	0.620	1.200	1.300	0.100	8.333	0.680	109.677
<b>EU-27</b>																
Greece	0.330	0.315	0.250	0.250	924	916	958	958	1.400	1.325	1.100	1.100	0.000	0.000	-0.225	-16.981
Spain	0.052	0.054	0.050	0.050	892	746	501	501	0.213	0.185	0.115	0.115	0.000	0.000	-0.070	-37.838
<b>Egypt</b>	0.246	0.240	0.135	0.135	863	907	927	927	0.975	1.000	0.575	0.575	0.000	0.000	-0.425	-42.500
<b>Mexico</b>	0.115	0.110	0.115	0.115	1,231	1,227	1,287	1,287	0.650	0.620	0.680	0.680	0.000	0.000	0.060	9.677
<b>Others</b>	2.497	2.545	2.597	2.577	283	269	291	291	3.245	3.149	3.474	3.439	-0.035	-1.007	0.290	9.209



**TABLE 18**

The table below presents a 27-year record of the differences between the November projection and the final estimate. Using world wheat production as an example, changes between the November projection and the final estimate have averaged 5.3 million tons (1.0 percent) and ranged from -18.1 to 7.2 million tons. The November projection has been below the final 19 times and above the final 8 times.

**RELIABILITY OF PRODUCTION PROJECTIONS**

COMMODITY AND REGION	PROJECTION AND FINAL ESTIMATES, 1981/82 - 2007/08 1/					
	Difference		Lowest	Highest	Below	Above
	Average	Average	Difference		Final	Final
	Percent	---Million metric tons---		Number of years 2/		
<b>WHEAT</b>						
World	1.0	5.3	-18.1	7.2	19	8
U.S.	0.3	0.2	-1.2	0.5	13	9
Foreign	1.1	5.3	-18.2	7.4	19	8
<b>COARSE GRAINS 3/</b>						
World	1.2	10.5	-29.0	7.8	20	7
U.S.	1.0	2.4	-7.5	5.8	14	13
Foreign	1.7	10.5	-26.8	6.0	20	7
<b>RICE (Milled)</b>						
World	1.8	6.1	-16.8	1.9	23	4
U.S.	2.7	0.1	-0.3	0.5	14	12
Foreign	1.8	6.7	-16.9	1.7	23	4
<b>SOYBEANS</b>						
World	3.5	7.8	-10.8	16.8	1	3
U.S.	1.3	1.0	-2.2	0.7	2	2
Foreign	6.2	8.4	-11.2	16.1	1	3
	---Million 480-lb. bales---					
<b>COTTON</b>						
World	2.7	2.5	-8.7	5.8	19	8
U.S.	2.3	0.4	-0.8	0.9	17	9
Foreign	3.2	2.4	-8.0	5.6	18	9
<b>UNITED STATES</b>	-----Million bushels-----					
<b>CORN</b>	1.1	85	-250	210	14	12
<b>SORGHUM</b>	2.4	15	-53	52	12	15
<b>BARLEY</b>	1.0	4	-12	24	10	10
<b>OATS</b>	0.7	3	-18	16	7	8

1/ The final estimate for 1981/82-2006/07 is defined as the first November estimate following the marketing year.

2/ May not total 27 if projection was the same as the final.

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