

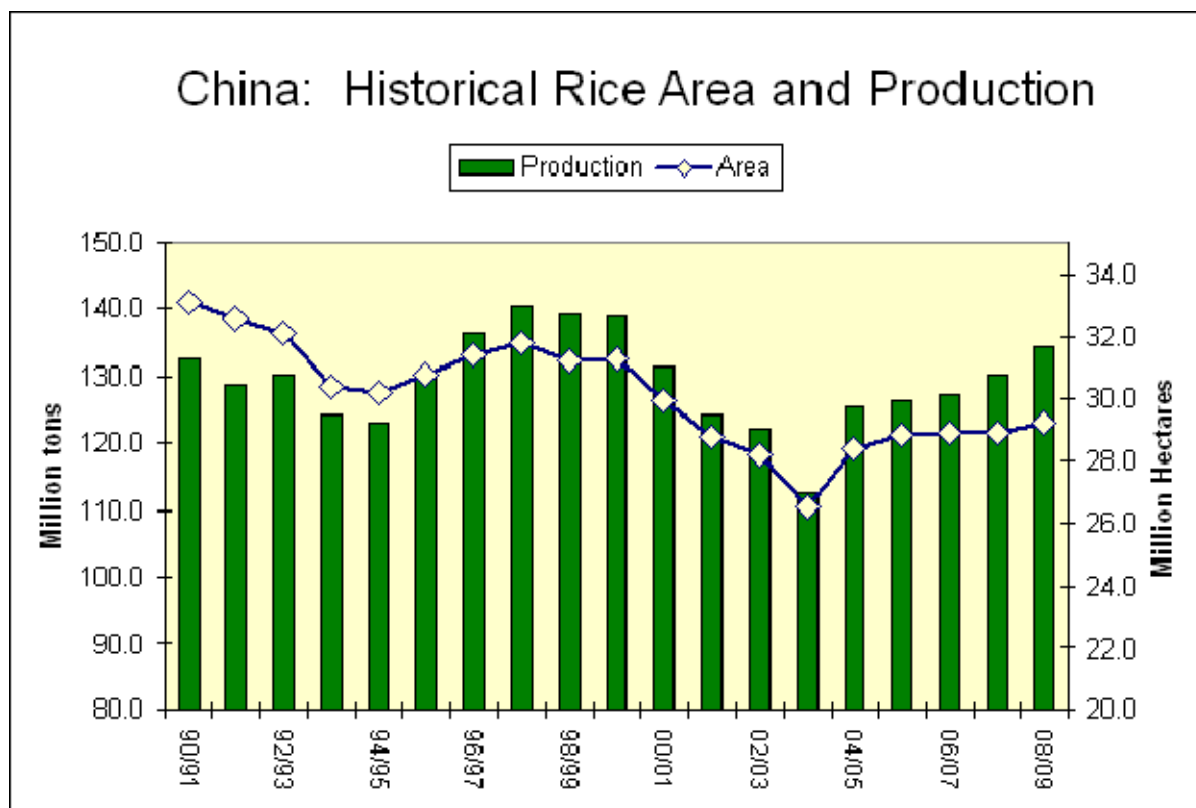


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Higher China Rice Area and Record Yield for 2008/09

China's 2008/09 milled rice production is estimated at 135.1 million tons (193.0 million tons paddy or rough basis), up 4.2 million from last month and up 4.9 million or 4 percent from last year. This is the largest crop since 1999/00. Area is estimated at 29.2 million hectares, up 1 percent from last year. The estimated yield of 6.61 tons per hectare (rough) is up 3 percent from last year's record yield. The revision from last month is based on provincial harvest data and reports from China's Ministry of Agriculture and other Chinese sources that indicate higher grain yield and production. In December, the Ministry of Agriculture stated that China's total grain production reached a record 528.5 million tons, up about 27 million tons from last year. Paddy rice historically accounts for 36 to 38 percent of China's total grain output

China produces three separate rice crops. Early rice and late rice (usually grown as a double crop) are grown in central and southern China and together account for about 36 percent of total

rice production, while middle/single crop rice (mainly japonica) is grown in northeast and central China and accounts for about 64 percent of total output. The Chinese government estimated the 2008/09 early-rice crop at 32.5 million tons, up about 1.0 million from last year, with higher yields offsetting slightly lower area. Middle-crop production was expected to increase in 2008/09 due to higher planted area, particularly in Heilongjiang, and generally favorable weather. Although typhoons and heavy rainfall caused localized crop damage in parts of the Yangtze River basin, the impact on the rice crop was insignificant. Late-rice planting proceeded smoothly and initial growing conditions were good. Unusually heavy rain in late October slowed late rice development and caused quality problems in parts of southern China, but the return of dry weather in November aided maturation and harvest. *(For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.)*

Record China Corn Yield and Production in 2008/09

China's 2008/09 corn production is estimated at a record 165.5 million tons, up 5.5 million or 3 percent from last month and up 9 percent from last year. Corn area is estimated at 29.4 million hectares, down slightly from last year. The estimated yield of 5.63 tons per hectare is up 9 percent from last year and exceeds the previous record of 5.33 tons per hectare set in 2006/07. The revision is based on provincial harvest data and reports from China's Ministry of Agriculture and other Chinese sources, which indicated higher corn yield and production in 2008/09. During the 2008 growing season, China's major corn-producing provinces experienced abundant moisture, seasonable temperatures, a general absence of drought, and only minor flood damage, resulting in excellent yields overall. *(For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.)*

Brazil's 2008/09 Corn Production Lowered Due to Drought

Brazil's corn production for 2008/09 is forecast at 51.5 million tons, down 2.0 million from last month, and down 7.1 million or 12 percent from last year. Harvested area is forecast at 14.2 million hectares, no change from last month but down 0.5 million or 3 percent from last year. Yield is forecast at 3.63 tons per hectare, which is above the 5-year average yield of 3.48 tons per hectare but below the 10-year trend yield of 3.87 tons per hectare.

The national corn yield was decreased this month due to high temperatures and dryness in southern Brazil when the main-season crop was in the critical pollination and early grain-filling stages. The drought started in mid-November, continued through December, and was most severe in the state of Parana.

Total corn area will depend on *safrinha* (winter) corn area which farmers will begin planting this month immediately after the early soybean harvest. Last year, *safrinha* area was 5.1 million hectares or 34 percent of total corn area, while this year's *safrinha* area is currently forecast at 4.9 million hectares or 4.5 percent less than last year. Some industry forecasters expect that *safrinha* area could drop even lower due to high domestic supplies from last year's bumper crop, low domestic corn prices, tight credit, higher climatic risks with the *safrinha* crop, and higher input and transport costs in central Brazil where most of the *safrinha* corn is grown. *(For more information, contact Curt Reynolds at 202-690-0134.)*

India Cotton Production for 2008/09 Revised Downward

India's 2008/09 cotton production is estimated at 23.0 million bales, down 1.0 million or 4 percent from last month, and down 1.6 million or 7 percent from last year. Area is estimated at 9.35 million hectares, down 0.2 million or 2 percent from last year, and yield is estimated at 536 kilograms per hectare, down 4 percent from last year. According to the FAS Office of Agricultural Affairs in New Delhi, this season's planted area decreased compared to last season because of delayed planting and a shift to other crops. In parts of central and southern India, planting was delayed due to insufficient July rainfall. The delays resulted in a relatively shorter planting window. Additionally, farmers in some parts of the country, including Gujarat and Maharashtra, decided to plant short-season, early-maturing cotton varieties instead. In general, such varieties are lower yielding than full-season varieties. In the mainly irrigated northern growing states of Punjab, Haryana, and Rajasthan, planted area is estimated down 17 percent on a year-to-year basis due chiefly to a shift from cotton to other crops such as coarse grains. Harvesting continues to progress very well, facilitated by mild, dry weather conditions. However, market arrivals are slow compared to the same period last year. Cotton Corporation of India reports that cumulative cotton arrivals through January 3, 2009 are estimated at 9.98 million US bales, down 21 percent compared to 12.7 during the same period last year. The decline in arrivals is significantly larger in the major cotton producing states of Gujarat, Maharashtra and Madhya Pradesh. *(For more information, contact Dath Mita at 202-720-1071.)*

Argentine Corn Stressed by Drought

The USDA forecasts Argentine corn production for 2008/09 at 16.5 million tons, down 1.5 million or 8 percent from last month and down 4.35 million or 21 percent from last year. Area is estimated at 2.50 million hectares, down 0.07 million from last month and down 0.76 million from last year. Yield is forecast at 6.60 tons per hectare, compared to the record high 8.04 tons per hectare in 2006/07 and the five-year average of 6.96 tons per hectare.

Dry conditions and high temperatures have lowered yield and production expectations, particularly in the states of Entre Rios, Santa Fe and northern Buenos Aires. Rain was less than 25 percent of normal during December, making this the worst drought in 70 years. The continued dryness and the lateness of the planting window have reduced sown area. As of December 31, only 91 percent of the corn area had been planted.

Lower commodity prices and the high cost of production will cut profits this year. Fertilizer use on the corn crop was limited, and the current extreme drought has further discouraged farmers from finishing planting all of the originally expected corn area. With half the crop already in the late vegetative to early silking stages or beyond, the multiple bouts of dryness that have hit corn will produce mixed yields. Highly variable development will complicate crop management and harvest. *(For more information, contact Denise McWilliams at 202-720-0107.)*

Early-Planted Argentine Soybeans Enter Critical Growth Stage under Dry Conditions

The USDA forecasts Argentine soybean production for 2008/09 at 49.50 million tons, down 1.0 million or 2 percent from last month. Area is estimated at 18.0 million hectares, a 1 percent decrease from last month's 18.2 million hectares. Yield is forecast at 2.75 tons per hectare,

down 1 percent from last month and below the record high of 2.99 tons per hectare in 2006/07 and the 5-year average of 2.70 tons per hectare.

Hot, dry weather affected much of Argentina's agricultural areas during December, with many areas receiving only 25 percent or less of average precipitation for the month. Temperatures were generally above 30 degrees Celsius across the soybean growing regions, and temperatures exceeded 35 degrees in northeast Argentina, parts of Corrientes, the major part of Entre Rios, extreme northern Buenos Aires and throughout Santa Fe. Rapid soil moisture evaporation further aggravated the drought situation, which will become critical if significant rains do not arrive by the second half of January. This has been the worst drought in 70 years in the central farming belt. Dryness has delayed planting by about one week compared to last year. Continued planting is questionable due to the lateness of the season, high production costs, low commodity prices, and severe drought. *(For more information, contact Denise McWilliams at 202-720-0107.)*

Heat and Drought Reduce Yield Prospects for Paraguay Soybeans

The USDA forecasts Paraguay's soybean production for 2008/09 at 5.60 million tons, down 14 percent from last month's 6.50 million tons. Area is estimated at 2.45 million hectares, down 2 percent from last month's 2.5 million hectares. Yield is forecast at 2.29 tons per hectare, a 12 percent decrease from last month's 2.6 tons per hectare and below the record high 2.9 tons per hectare in 2002/03.

Hot, dry weather affected Paraguay's soybean producing areas during December, with some areas receiving less than 25 percent of average precipitation for the month. High temperatures further depleted soil moisture supplies and reduced production prospects. Dry weather is stressing the soybean crop as it enters the blooming and pod-setting stages. Planting was completed in late December under extremely dry conditions and some fields may have to be replanted or abandoned.

Some soybean cropland in Paraguay may also be lost this year due to land exchange agreements that have been enacted in response to recent raids on farms by protesting indigenous groups. Through negotiations, a first agreement was reached between the Coordinating Committee for the Defense of Sovereignty and Agrarian Reform and a group of Brazilian landowners in Paraguay to sell 22,000 hectares back to the Paraguayan state, which will be funded through revenues from the Paraguayan-Brazilian Itaipu hydroelectric dam. This land is expected in turn to be distributed to indigenous farmers and retired from soybean production. Production from this land is uncertain during the 2008/09 season. *(For more information, contact Denise McWilliams at 202-720-0107.)*

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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---																				
Wheat																				
2006/07	596.1	546.9	49.2	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.	610.2	554.4	55.8	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.																				
Dec	684.0	616.0	68.0	28.6	3.9	150.9	63.0	25.5	113.0	78.4	nr	21.5	nr	10.5	5.8	20.0	2.0	16.5	76.3	
Jan	682.9	614.8	68.0	28.6	3.9	150.5	63.0	25.5	113.0	78.4	nr	21.5	nr	9.5	5.8	20.0	2.0	16.8	76.3	
Coarse Grains																				
2006/07	988.6	708.6	280.0	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	156.4	
2007/08 prel.	1,077.6	727.7	349.9	27.8	29.7	136.5	29.3	14.6	159.5	40.8	7.5	3.6	3.9	25.8	61.3	10.3	13.7	9.5	153.7	
2008/09 proj.																				
Dec	1,097.4	773.6	323.8	27.2	31.2	159.7	39.5	24.5	167.6	37.9	7.8	3.6	4.2	24.5	56.2	10.2	11.0	10.6	158.0	
Jan	1,102.4	776.3	326.1	27.2	32.2	160.1	39.8	24.5	173.1	37.9	7.8	3.6	4.2	23.0	54.2	10.2	11.0	10.4	157.3	
Rice, Milled																				
2006/07	420.6	414.4	6.3	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.	431.3	425.0	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	125.7	
2008/09 proj.																				
Dec	434.6	428.1	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	125.6	
Jan	439.1	432.6	6.5	nr	0.2	1.6	0.5	0.1	135.1	97.5	36.3	6.3	19.5	0.9	8.3	0.0	nr	0.4	125.9	
Total Grains																				
2006/07	2,005.3	1,669.8	335.5	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	367.5	
2007/08 prel.	2,119.1	1,707.1	412.0	47.9	33.5	257.6	79.2	28.6	399.0	213.1	43.3	32.6	23.2	42.9	73.4	23.3	15.6	25.4	368.5	
2008/09 proj.																				
Dec	2,216.0	1,817.6	398.4	55.8	35.3	312.2	103.0	50.1	411.5	213.8	44.0	31.4	23.7	35.9	70.3	30.2	13.0	27.6	360.0	
Jan	2,224.4	1,823.7	400.6	55.8	36.3	312.2	103.3	50.1	421.2	213.8	44.0	31.4	23.7	33.4	68.3	30.2	13.0	27.6	359.6	
Oilseeds																				
2006/07	404.5	307.6	96.8	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.	391.5	309.1	82.5	12.4	0.6	24.4	6.9	6.0	53.4	33.9	8.2	4.7	0.6	51.7	64.1	1.4	1.3	2.0	37.5	
2008/09 proj.																				
Dec	418.3	330.1	88.2	16.0	0.7	27.1	8.4	9.9	57.5	34.4	9.0	4.9	0.6	55.2	61.5	1.9	1.4	1.9	39.6	
Jan	416.5	327.4	89.1	16.0	0.7	27.2	8.8	9.9	57.5	33.8	9.0	5.1	0.6	54.0	61.5	2.0	1.4	1.9	38.0	
Cotton																				
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.																				
Dec	111.6	97.9	13.6	nr	0.7	1.2	nr	nr	36.5	24.0	0.0	9.4	0.0	0.9	5.8	1.3	0.1	2.3	15.8	
Jan	109.8	96.8	13.0	nr	0.7	1.2	nr	nr	36.5	23.0	0.0	9.4	0.0	0.7	5.8	1.4	0.1	2.3	15.8	

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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	212.98	218.23	224.04	224.03	2.80	2.80	3.05	3.05	596.10	610.19	683.98	682.87	-1.11	-0.16	72.68	11.91
United States	18.94	20.64	22.54	22.54	2.60	2.70	3.02	3.02	49.22	55.82	68.03	68.03	0.00	0.00	12.21	21.86
Total Foreign	194.04	197.59	201.51	201.49	2.82	2.81	3.06	3.05	546.88	554.37	615.95	614.84	-1.11	-0.18	60.47	10.91
China, Peoples	23.61	23.72	24.00	24.00	4.59	4.61	4.71	4.71	108.47	109.30	113.00	113.00	0.00	0.00	3.70	3.39
South Asia																
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
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	23.70	24.50	26.70	26.70	1.89	2.02	2.36	2.36	44.90	49.40	63.00	63.00	0.00	0.00	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
EU-27																
France	5.24	5.24	5.50	5.50	6.75	6.26	7.16	7.09	35.39	32.77	39.38	39.00	-0.38	-0.97	6.23	19.01
Germany	3.12	2.99	3.17	3.17	7.20	6.96	8.20	8.20	22.43	20.83	26.00	26.00	0.00	0.00	5.17	24.83
United Kingdom	1.83	1.83	2.08	2.08	8.04	7.22	8.43	8.43	14.74	13.22	17.50	17.50	0.00	0.00	4.28	32.37
Poland	2.18	2.11	2.28	2.28	3.24	3.94	3.94	3.94	7.06	8.32	8.97	8.97	0.00	0.00	0.65	7.80
Spain	1.96	1.83	2.00	2.00	2.85	3.47	3.35	3.35	5.58	6.35	6.69	6.69	0.00	0.00	0.34	5.32
Italy	1.77	2.03	2.47	2.47	3.72	3.52	3.93	3.93	6.59	7.15	9.70	9.70	0.00	0.00	2.55	35.72
Denmark	0.68	0.68	0.64	0.64	7.04	6.63	7.69	7.69	4.77	4.49	4.90	4.90	0.00	0.00	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
Canada	9.68	8.64	10.03	10.03	2.61	2.32	2.85	2.85	25.27	20.05	28.61	28.61	0.00	0.00	8.56	42.66
Australia	11.80	12.35	13.00	13.00	0.92	1.06	1.54	1.54	10.82	13.04	20.00	20.00	0.00	0.00	6.96	53.39
Middle East																
Turkey	8.60	8.60	8.60	8.60	2.03	1.80	1.92	1.95	17.50	15.50	16.50	16.80	0.30	1.82	1.30	8.39
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
North Africa																
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
Argentina	5.29	5.76	4.20	4.20	2.88	2.83	2.50	2.26	15.20	16.30	10.50	9.50	-1.00	-9.52	-6.80	-41.72
Others	22.05	22.26	22.31	22.30	2.52	2.71	2.89	2.90	55.50	60.26	64.59	64.55	-0.03	-0.05	4.30	7.13

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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	306.17	319.37	313.54	313.43	3.23	3.37	3.50	3.52	988.57	1,077.5	1,097.4	1,102.41	5.01	0.46	24.83	2.30
United States	32.52	39.89	36.82	36.97	8.61	8.77	8.79	8.82	280.00	349.86	323.84	326.09	2.25	0.69	-23.77	-6.79
Total Foreign	273.64	279.48	276.72	276.47	2.59	2.60	2.80	2.81	708.57	727.72	773.57	776.33	2.76	0.36	48.60	6.68
China, Peoples	31.32	32.38	32.06	32.26	5.08	4.93	5.23	5.37	159.10	159.49	167.60	173.10	5.50	3.28	13.62	8.54
South America																
Brazil	15.15	16.00	15.48	15.48	3.51	3.83	3.63	3.50	53.18	61.34	56.21	54.21	-2.00	-3.56	-7.13	-11.62
Argentina	4.07	4.79	4.19	4.12	6.77	5.39	5.84	5.58	27.54	25.79	24.47	22.97	-1.50	-6.13	-2.82	-10.93
EU-27																
France	3.75	3.83	4.02	4.14	6.97	6.94	7.61	7.48	26.13	26.61	30.56	30.95	0.39	1.28	4.34	16.29
Germany	3.59	3.58	3.86	3.86	5.87	5.53	6.22	6.21	21.05	19.80	24.00	23.98	-0.02	-0.08	4.18	21.10
Poland	6.13	6.17	6.22	6.22	2.39	3.05	2.91	2.91	14.66	18.79	18.08	18.08	0.00	0.00	-0.72	-3.82
Spain	4.24	4.27	4.55	4.55	3.07	3.95	3.62	3.62	13.00	16.85	16.47	16.47	0.00	0.00	-0.38	-2.24
Italy	1.60	1.55	1.57	1.57	7.09	7.30	7.56	7.56	11.32	11.29	11.89	11.89	0.00	0.00	0.60	5.34
Hungary	1.75	1.67	1.77	1.77	5.66	3.38	6.26	6.26	9.87	5.64	11.08	11.08	0.00	0.00	5.44	96.42
United Kingdom	1.02	1.05	1.19	1.19	5.93	5.64	5.97	5.97	6.07	5.90	7.11	7.11	0.00	0.00	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
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	17.10	17.40	17.70	17.75	1.77	1.69	2.23	2.24	30.20	29.33	39.50	39.80	0.30	0.76	10.48	35.72
Ukraine	7.82	6.79	7.35	7.35	2.45	2.15	3.33	3.33	19.18	14.59	24.48	24.48	0.00	0.00	9.90	67.84
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
Africa																
Nigeria	17.95	17.25	17.95	17.95	1.45	1.39	1.48	1.48	26.00	24.00	26.60	26.60	0.00	0.00	2.60	10.83
South Africa, Republic	3.78	4.18	3.88	3.88	2.05	3.27	2.83	2.83	7.76	13.70	10.97	10.97	0.00	0.00	-2.73	-19.91
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
India	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
Southeast Asia																
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	1.06	1.06	3.74	3.79	3.95	3.95	3.87	3.92	4.17	4.17	0.00	0.00	0.25	6.38
Mexico	9.38	9.62	9.61	9.61	3.11	3.09	3.24	3.35	29.14	29.73	31.18	32.18	1.00	3.21	2.45	8.24
Canada	6.12	7.40	6.33	6.33	3.78	3.76	4.30	4.30	23.15	27.82	27.19	27.19	0.00	0.00	-0.63	-2.27
Australia	5.92	6.29	6.14	6.14	1.11	1.64	1.65	1.65	6.58	10.28	10.16	10.16	0.00	0.00	-0.12	-1.18
Turkey	4.43	4.46	4.36	4.33	2.47	2.14	2.44	2.40	10.95	9.55	10.65	10.40	-0.25	-2.35	0.85	8.91
Others	82.26	83.10	81.36	80.84	1.61	1.57	1.71	1.71	132.75	130.81	139.23	138.57	-0.66	-0.47	7.76	5.93

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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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	149.96	160.65	157.46	157.38	4.75	4.93	4.99	5.03	712.38	791.49	785.90	791.04	5.14	0.65	-0.45	-0.06
United States	28.59	35.01	31.64	31.83	9.36	9.46	9.65	9.66	267.50	331.18	305.32	307.39	2.07	0.68	-23.79	-7.18
Total Foreign	121.37	125.63	125.82	125.55	3.67	3.66	3.82	3.85	444.87	460.32	480.58	483.65	3.07	0.64	23.34	5.07
China, Peoples	28.46	29.48	29.20	29.40	5.33	5.17	5.48	5.63	151.60	152.30	160.00	165.50	5.50	3.44	13.20	8.67
South America																
Brazil	14.00	14.70	14.20	14.20	3.64	3.99	3.77	3.63	51.00	58.60	53.50	51.50	-2.00	-3.74	-7.10	-12.12
Argentina	2.80	3.26	2.57	2.50	8.04	6.40	7.00	6.60	22.50	20.85	18.00	16.50	-1.50	-8.33	-4.35	-20.86
Mexico	7.38	7.35	7.45	7.45	3.03	3.08	3.22	3.36	22.35	22.65	24.00	25.00	1.00	4.17	2.35	10.38
EU-27																
France	1.47	1.53	1.64	1.75	8.70	9.49	9.44	9.03	12.78	14.53	15.50	15.80	0.30	1.94	1.27	8.76
Italy	1.06	1.01	1.06	1.06	8.87	9.41	9.53	9.53	9.40	9.50	10.10	10.10	0.00	0.00	0.60	6.32
Hungary	1.22	1.12	1.20	1.20	6.64	3.60	7.33	7.33	8.10	4.03	8.80	8.80	0.00	0.00	4.77	118.36
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	5.68	5.68	1.26	1.72	1.84	1.84	0.00	0.00	0.11	6.62
India	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
Canada	1.06	1.37	1.17	1.17	8.47	8.50	9.06	9.06	8.99	11.65	10.60	10.60	0.00	0.00	-1.05	-9.01
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
Ukraine	1.70	1.90	2.20	2.20	3.76	3.89	4.55	4.55	6.40	7.40	10.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	2.60	35.14
Serbia	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
Egypt	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
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
Vietnam	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
Thailand	1.00	1.00	1.02	1.02	3.80	3.85	4.02	4.02	3.80	3.85	4.10	4.10	0.00	0.00	0.25	6.49
Russian Federation	1.00	1.30	1.60	1.65	3.60	3.04	4.06	4.12	3.60	3.95	6.50	6.80	0.30	4.62	2.85	72.15
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa, Republic	2.90	3.30	3.00	3.00	2.52	3.99	3.50	3.50	7.30	13.16	10.50	10.50	0.00	0.00	-2.66	-20.24
Nigeria	4.70	4.00	4.70	4.70	1.66	1.63	1.68	1.68	7.80	6.50	7.90	7.90	0.00	0.00	1.40	21.54
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	0.80	0.56	0.40	0.65	0.40	0.70	0.53	0.85	0.32	-0.53	-62.35	-0.21	-39.05
Turkey	0.43	0.45	0.55	0.52	6.59	6.44	7.27	7.98	2.80	2.90	4.00	4.15	0.15	3.75	1.25	43.10
Others	29.24	29.85	30.01	29.98	2.26	2.27	2.41	2.41	66.15	67.78	72.37	72.22	-0.15	-0.21	4.44	6.55

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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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	57.44	57.55	55.26	55.28	2.39	2.31	2.78	2.78	137.43	133.17	153.73	153.54	-0.19	-0.12	20.37	15.30
United States	1.19	1.42	1.52	1.52	3.29	3.23	3.42	3.42	3.92	4.58	5.21	5.21	0.00	0.00	0.64	13.97
Total Foreign	56.25	56.13	53.74	53.76	2.37	2.29	2.76	2.76	133.51	128.59	148.52	148.33	-0.19	-0.13	19.73	15.34
Russian Federation	10.00	9.80	9.70	9.70	1.81	1.60	2.32	2.32	18.10	15.65	22.50	22.50	0.00	0.00	6.85	43.77
EU-27																
Germany	2.03	1.92	1.97	1.97	5.91	5.42	6.11	6.11	11.97	10.39	12.02	12.02	0.00	0.00	1.63	15.70
France	1.67	1.70	1.78	1.80	6.25	5.58	6.77	6.81	10.40	9.48	12.04	12.25	0.21	1.73	2.78	29.29
Spain	3.23	3.22	3.50	3.50	2.58	3.60	3.23	3.23	8.32	11.60	11.30	11.30	0.00	0.00	-0.30	-2.59
United Kingdom	0.88	0.89	1.04	1.04	5.95	5.69	6.03	6.03	5.24	5.08	6.24	6.24	0.00	0.00	1.16	22.90
Denmark	0.67	0.63	0.72	0.72	4.83	4.98	4.93	4.93	3.25	3.13	3.53	3.53	0.00	0.00	0.41	12.96
Poland	1.22	1.23	1.21	1.21	2.59	3.25	2.95	2.95	3.16	4.01	3.57	3.57	0.00	0.00	-0.44	-11.05
Czech Republic	0.53	0.50	0.48	0.48	3.59	3.80	4.77	4.77	1.90	1.89	2.30	2.30	0.00	0.00	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	0.33	0.33	3.89	3.55	3.63	3.63	1.30	1.23	1.19	1.19	0.00	0.00	-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	5.04	5.04	0.91	0.81	0.94	0.94	0.00	0.00	0.13	15.54
Ukraine	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
Canada	3.22	4.00	3.50	3.50	2.97	2.75	3.37	3.37	9.57	10.98	11.78	11.78	0.00	0.00	0.80	7.25
Australia	4.18	4.41	4.20	4.20	1.02	1.34	1.55	1.55	4.26	5.92	6.50	6.50	0.00	0.00	0.58	9.80
Turkey	3.60	3.60	3.40	3.40	2.08	1.67	1.76	1.65	7.50	6.00	6.00	5.60	-0.40	-6.67	-0.40	-6.67
China, Peoples	0.92	0.95	0.96	0.96	3.61	3.35	3.54	3.54	3.30	3.19	3.40	3.40	0.00	0.00	0.22	6.75
Iran	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
Morocco	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
Kazakhstan,	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
Ethiopia	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
Belarus	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
India	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
Argentina	0.34	0.44	0.48	0.48	3.76	3.35	3.33	3.33	1.27	1.47	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.13	8.84
Mexico	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
Iraq	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
Algeria	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
Others	6.15	6.30	5.54	5.54	2.05	2.04	2.41	2.41	12.57	12.87	13.35	13.35	0.00	0.00	0.48	3.71

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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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	13.02	13.22	13.06	13.06	1.78	1.93	2.01	2.01	23.16	25.58	26.19	26.19	0.00	0.00	0.61	2.40
United States	0.63	0.61	0.57	0.57	2.14	2.16	2.28	2.28	1.36	1.31	1.29	1.29	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-1.98
Total Foreign	12.38	12.61	12.49	12.49	1.76	1.92	1.99	1.99	21.81	24.26	24.90	24.90	0.00	0.00	0.64	2.64
Russian Federation	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
Canada	1.54	1.82	1.45	1.45	2.51	2.58	2.94	2.94	3.85	4.70	4.27	4.27	0.00	0.00	-0.43	-9.07
EU-27																
Poland	0.54	0.59	0.56	0.56	1.92	2.55	2.32	2.32	1.04	1.49	1.30	1.30	0.00	0.00	-0.19	-12.75
Finland	0.35	0.35	0.37	0.37	2.92	3.52	3.29	3.29	1.03	1.22	1.23	1.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.33
Spain	0.50	0.53	0.52	0.52	1.84	2.47	2.24	2.24	0.92	1.30	1.16	1.16	0.00	0.00	-0.15	-11.29
Germany	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18	4.51	4.09	4.39	4.39	0.83	0.73	0.79	0.79	0.00	0.00	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	0.13	0.13	6.02	5.52	5.74	5.74	0.73	0.71	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.04	5.62
France	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	4.44	3.88	4.72	4.72	0.48	0.42	0.49	0.49	0.00	0.00	0.07	17.11
Italy	0.16	0.16	0.14	0.14	2.45	2.33	2.55	2.55	0.40	0.36	0.36	0.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.83
Denmark	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.07	3.97	4.92	4.32	4.32	0.27	0.31	0.32	0.32	0.00	0.00	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	3.45	3.45	0.16	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	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	4.11	4.11	0.13	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.01	12.12
Ireland	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	7.35	7.20	7.74	7.74	0.13	0.14	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	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	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.33
Australia	1.00	0.90	1.00	1.00	0.75	0.94	1.20	1.20	0.75	0.84	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	0.36	42.35
Ukraine	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
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	2.20	2.40	3.60	3.60	0.55	0.60	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.30	50.00
Brazil	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
Argentina	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
Chile	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
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	0.16	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
Serbia	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
Others	1.26	1.23	1.25	1.25	0.79	0.80	0.83	0.83	0.99	0.99	1.04	1.04	0.00	0.00	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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	5.69	6.20	6.51	6.51	2.18	2.30	2.64	2.64	12.38	14.25	17.18	17.18	0.00	0.00	2.93	20.58
United States	0.11	0.10	0.11	0.11	1.65	1.57	1.86	1.86	0.18	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.04	26.88
Total Foreign	5.58	6.10	6.40	6.40	2.19	2.31	2.65	2.65	12.20	14.09	16.97	16.97	0.00	0.00	2.89	20.50
EU-27																
Poland	1.32	1.32	1.40	1.40	1.99	2.38	2.43	2.43	2.62	3.13	3.39	3.39	0.00	0.00	0.26	8.45
Germany	0.54	0.67	0.74	0.74	4.91	4.02	5.08	5.08	2.64	2.70	3.75	3.75	0.00	0.00	1.05	38.92
Spain	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	1.61	2.33	2.47	2.47	0.16	0.26	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.02	6.95
Lithuania	0.05	0.07	0.08	0.08	1.76	2.36	2.70	2.70	0.09	0.17	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.04	24.24
Latvia	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.06	2.72	3.12	3.40	3.40	0.12	0.18	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.02	8.84
France	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.65	4.44	4.69	4.69	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.67
Denmark	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.64	4.93	5.17	5.17	0.13	0.14	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.01	8.70
Czech Republic	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.04	3.41	4.81	5.00	5.00	0.08	0.18	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.04	20.79
Austria	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.05	3.48	4.02	4.15	4.15	0.09	0.19	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	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	2.58	2.58	0.05	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-28.74
United Kingdom	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	6.14	6.33	6.17	6.17	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	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
Russian Federation	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
Belarus	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
Ukraine	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
Canada	0.16	0.11	0.13	0.13	2.34	2.12	2.46	2.46	0.38	0.23	0.32	0.32	0.00	0.00	0.09	37.34
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	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.10	1.87	2.14	2.07	2.07	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	39.46	40.52	40.14	40.09	1.44	1.57	1.59	1.59	56.63	63.53	63.63	63.79	0.16	0.26	0.26	0.41
United States	2.00	2.75	2.99	2.94	3.52	4.60	3.95	4.08	7.03	12.64	11.82	12.00	0.18	1.52	-0.64	-5.05
Total Foreign	37.46	37.77	37.15	37.15	1.32	1.35	1.39	1.39	49.60	50.90	51.81	51.79	-0.02	-0.03	0.90	1.76
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.40	1.42	1.35	1.49	1.49	10.50	10.00	11.00	11.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	10.00
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	1.62	1.62	1.05	1.04	0.98	0.98	1.52	1.51	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.09	5.84
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	0.62	0.65	0.65	0.80	0.93	0.98	0.98	0.00	0.00	0.05	4.84
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
South Asia																
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
Mexico	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
China, Peoples	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
Australia	0.61	0.85	0.80	0.80	2.09	3.64	2.50	2.50	1.28	3.07	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	-1.07	-34.90
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	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	5.56	5.88	5.84	6.00	0.31	0.29	0.26	0.24	-0.02	-6.61	-0.05	-16.67
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
Others	4.60	4.83	4.98	4.98	1.79	1.69	1.95	1.95	8.25	8.19	9.74	9.74	0.00	0.00	1.55	18.90

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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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	153.86	154.34	155.62	155.84	4.08	4.17	4.16	4.20	420.63	431.31	434.59	439.08	4.50	1.03	7.77	1.80
United States	1.14	1.11	1.18	1.20	7.73	8.09	7.80	7.68	6.27	6.34	6.51	6.52	0.01	0.12	0.17	2.71
Total Foreign	152.72	153.23	154.44	154.64	4.05	4.14	4.14	4.17	414.37	424.97	428.08	432.57	4.49	1.05	7.60	1.79
East Asia																
China, Peoples	28.94	28.92	29.00	29.20	6.28	6.43	6.45	6.61	127.20	130.22	130.90	135.10	4.20	3.21	4.88	3.74
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	7.00	6.99	4.68	4.41	4.84	4.84	0.00	0.06	0.44	9.87
Korea, Democratic	0.60	0.60	0.59	0.59	4.89	3.94	4.21	4.89	1.90	1.53	1.60	1.86	0.26	16.25	0.33	21.81
South Asia																
India	44.00	44.00	44.50	44.50	3.18	3.29	3.29	3.29	93.35	96.43	97.50	97.50	0.00	0.00	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	2.90	2.90	3.18	3.35	3.26	3.26	5.45	5.70	6.30	6.30	0.00	0.00	0.60	10.53
Southeast Asia																
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	7.41	7.29	7.29	4.82	4.98	4.88	4.88	22.92	24.38	23.50	23.50	0.00	0.00	-0.88	-3.59
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	2.65	2.58	2.62	3.95	4.22	4.23	4.28	0.06	1.40	0.06	1.49
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
South America																
Brazil	2.97	2.87	2.90	2.90	3.81	4.20	4.21	4.21	7.70	8.20	8.30	8.30	0.00	0.00	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
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	2.05	2.20	2.30	2.30	2.36	2.27	2.39	2.39	2.90	3.00	3.30	3.30	0.00	0.00	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
EU-27																
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	6.91	6.32	0.52	0.52	0.46	0.43	-0.04	-8.41	-0.09	-17.64
Egypt	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
Iran	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
Others	9.94	9.95	10.08	10.08	2.95	2.97	3.03	3.03	19.04	19.22	19.87	19.88	0.00	0.02	0.66	3.42

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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.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		Prel.		2008/09 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	198.71	194.10	203.46	203.23	1.96	1.93	1.97	1.96	389.02	374.70	400.59	398.82	-1.77	-0.44	24.12	6.44
United States	36.96	31.97	35.21	35.31	2.62	2.58	2.51	2.52	96.84	82.45	88.19	89.10	0.91	1.03	6.65	8.06
Total Foreign	161.75	162.13	168.26	167.92	1.81	1.80	1.86	1.84	292.18	292.25	312.40	309.72	-2.68	-0.86	17.47	5.98
South America																
Brazil	21.99	22.56	22.37	22.37	2.82	2.84	2.75	2.75	61.98	64.09	61.51	61.51	0.00	0.00	-2.58	-4.03
Argentina	19.30	19.76	21.04	20.67	2.75	2.62	2.63	2.61	53.16	51.71	55.24	54.02	-1.23	-2.22	2.31	4.46
Paraguay	2.75	2.98	2.88	2.82	2.41	2.44	2.44	2.17	6.61	7.28	7.03	6.10	-0.93	-13.17	-1.18	-16.16
Bolivia	1.01	0.87	0.86	0.86	1.80	1.36	2.07	1.66	1.82	1.18	1.78	1.43	-0.35	-19.66	0.25	21.19
Uruguay	0.41	0.45	0.61	0.54	2.11	2.00	2.00	1.77	0.86	0.90	1.22	0.95	-0.27	-21.81	0.05	5.32
China, Peoples	26.07	25.29	26.55	26.55	2.12	2.11	2.17	2.17	55.23	53.35	57.50	57.50	0.00	0.00	4.15	7.78
South Asia																
India	31.98	32.30	33.50	33.65	0.92	1.03	1.01	0.98	29.28	33.17	33.70	33.10	-0.60	-1.78	-0.07	-0.20
Pakistan	4.01	3.75	3.73	3.73	1.31	1.27	1.32	1.37	5.25	4.75	4.91	5.11	0.20	4.08	0.36	7.63
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	7.16	6.24	7.20	7.20	1.13	1.11	1.17	1.22	8.08	6.93	8.40	8.80	0.40	4.76	1.87	26.91
Ukraine	5.00	4.93	6.05	6.05	1.36	1.21	1.63	1.63	6.79	5.95	9.85	9.85	0.00	0.00	3.90	65.55
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.43	1.45	1.42	1.42	1.61	1.66	1.55	1.55	2.30	2.40	2.20	2.20	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-8.33
Canada	6.52	7.48	7.76	7.76	1.94	1.65	2.06	2.06	12.61	12.35	16.00	16.00	0.00	0.00	3.65	29.53
EU-27																
France	2.10	2.16	2.06	2.06	2.69	2.78	3.10	3.12	5.63	6.02	6.37	6.42	0.05	0.78	0.40	6.69
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	2.61	2.61	1.60	1.58	2.19	2.19	0.00	0.00	0.61	38.57
Poland	0.63	0.80	0.76	0.76	2.63	2.66	2.81	2.81	1.66	2.13	2.12	2.12	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-0.33
Italy	0.33	0.26	0.26	0.26	2.64	2.67	2.91	2.91	0.86	0.70	0.77	0.77	0.00	0.00	0.06	8.97
Australia	1.24	1.22	1.45	1.46	0.86	1.16	1.33	1.34	1.06	1.41	1.93	1.97	0.04	2.08	0.56	39.83
Turkey	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
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	2.05	2.08	2.08	2.08	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.06	2.13	2.19	2.20	2.20	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.41
South Africa, Republic	0.55	0.79	0.90	0.90	1.11	1.63	1.53	1.53	0.62	1.29	1.38	1.38	0.00	0.00	0.09	6.58
Southeast Asia																
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
Others	20.26	19.73	19.92	19.92	0.99	0.98	1.10	1.10	20.02	19.33	21.93	21.93	0.00	0.00	2.60	13.45

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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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	94.28	90.82	97.99	97.79	2.52	2.43	2.39	2.38	237.55	220.89	234.65	233.20	-1.45	-0.62	12.31	5.57
United States	30.19	25.96	30.10	30.21	2.88	2.81	2.64	2.67	87.00	72.86	79.49	80.54	1.05	1.32	7.68	10.54
Total Foreign	64.09	64.86	67.89	67.58	2.35	2.28	2.29	2.26	150.55	148.03	155.17	152.67	-2.50	-1.61	4.64	3.13
South America																
Brazil	20.70	21.30	21.30	21.30	2.85	2.86	2.77	2.77	59.00	61.00	59.00	59.00	0.00	0.00	-2.00	-3.28
Argentina	16.30	16.60	18.20	18.00	2.99	2.78	2.77	2.75	48.80	46.20	50.50	49.50	-1.00	-1.98	3.30	7.14
Paraguay	2.40	2.60	2.50	2.45	2.58	2.62	2.60	2.29	6.20	6.80	6.50	5.60	-0.90	-13.85	-1.20	-17.65
Bolivia	0.85	0.73	0.72	0.72	1.94	1.44	2.29	1.81	1.65	1.05	1.65	1.30	-0.35	-21.21	0.25	23.81
Uruguay	0.37	0.42	0.55	0.49	2.24	2.00	2.00	1.75	0.82	0.83	1.10	0.85	-0.25	-22.73	0.02	2.41
East Asia																
China, Peoples	9.28	8.70	9.30	9.30	1.72	1.61	1.81	1.81	15.97	14.00	16.80	16.80	0.00	0.00	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
India	8.12	8.80	9.60	9.60	0.95	1.06	1.01	1.01	7.69	9.30	9.70	9.70	0.00	0.00	0.40	4.30
Canada	1.20	1.17	1.21	1.21	2.88	2.31	2.73	2.73	3.46	2.70	3.30	3.30	0.00	0.00	0.60	22.22
Former Soviet Union																
Ukraine	0.71	0.63	0.55	0.55	1.25	1.03	1.36	1.36	0.89	0.65	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.10	15.38
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
Southeast Asia																
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
EU-27																
Italy	0.18	0.13	0.14	0.14	3.10	3.14	3.41	3.41	0.55	0.41	0.46	0.46	0.00	0.00	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
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa, Republic	0.18	0.17	0.23	0.23	1.13	1.71	1.74	1.74	0.21	0.28	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.12	41.84
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
Serbia	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
Mexico	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.07	1.48	1.43	2.46	2.46	0.08	0.08	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.08	110.53
Iran	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
Others	0.55	0.46	0.41	0.41	1.92	1.59	1.87	1.87	1.06	0.73	0.77	0.77	0.00	0.00	0.04	4.92

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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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	33.79	32.35	30.19	30.27	1.36	1.43	1.43	1.40	45.83	46.22	43.06	42.46	-0.61	-1.40	-3.76	-8.14
United States	5.15	4.25	3.14	3.13	1.29	1.41	1.34	1.28	6.67	5.98	4.20	4.02	-0.18	-4.29	-1.96	-32.78
Total Foreign	28.64	28.11	27.06	27.14	1.37	1.43	1.44	1.42	39.16	40.24	38.86	38.44	-0.43	-1.09	-1.81	-4.49
China, Peoples	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
South Asia																
India	9.17	9.50	9.20	9.35	1.00	1.12	1.13	1.05	9.13	10.60	10.40	9.80	-0.60	-5.77	-0.80	-7.55
Pakistan	3.25	3.00	2.90	2.90	1.33	1.29	1.34	1.41	4.32	3.88	3.90	4.10	0.20	5.13	0.23	5.81
Former Soviet Union																
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.43	1.45	1.42	1.42	1.61	1.66	1.55	1.55	2.30	2.40	2.20	2.20	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-8.33
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	0.23	0.23	1.00	0.90	0.80	0.80	0.26	0.23	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-17.78
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.20	0.20	0.16	0.16	1.26	1.23	1.00	1.00	0.25	0.25	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	-0.09	-34.69
South America																
Brazil	1.09	1.08	0.89	0.89	2.38	2.54	2.44	2.44	2.61	2.74	2.16	2.16	0.00	0.00	-0.58	-21.17
Argentina	0.40	0.31	0.40	0.33	0.71	0.76	0.73	0.73	0.29	0.24	0.29	0.24	-0.06	-18.84	0.00	0.42
Middle East																
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
Australia	0.15	0.08	0.15	0.16	2.90	2.55	2.47	2.50	0.42	0.19	0.37	0.40	0.03	8.11	0.21	109.42
EU-27																
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
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.70	0.40	0.44	0.44	0.51	0.47	0.53	0.53	0.36	0.19	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.05	26.34
Mali	0.46	0.28	0.19	0.19	0.49	0.45	0.52	0.52	0.22	0.13	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-22.05
Cameroon	0.20	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.91	0.75	0.78	0.78	0.18	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.02	19.05
Sudan	0.16	0.06	0.09	0.09	0.72	0.93	1.21	1.21	0.12	0.06	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.05	83.93
Zimbabwe	0.35	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.54	0.47	0.46	0.46	0.19	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-2.78
Nigeria	0.38	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.46	0.49	0.51	0.51	0.17	0.19	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.01	4.64
Benin	0.23	0.23	0.21	0.21	0.68	0.71	0.74	0.74	0.16	0.17	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	-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
Egypt	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
Mexico	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
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	1.34	1.37	1.37	1.37	0.49	0.46	0.51	0.51	0.65	0.62	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.08	12.68

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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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	20.42	20.92	21.28	21.28	1.50	1.53	1.58	1.58	30.67	31.98	33.66	33.73	0.07	0.21	1.75	5.46
United States	0.49	0.48	0.61	0.61	3.21	3.44	3.74	3.83	1.57	1.67	2.27	2.34	0.07	3.09	0.67	40.16
Total Foreign	19.93	20.43	20.67	20.67	1.46	1.48	1.52	1.52	29.10	30.31	31.39	31.39	0.00	0.00	1.08	3.55
China, Peoples	3.96	3.95	4.00	4.00	3.25	3.30	3.35	3.35	12.89	13.03	13.40	13.40	0.00	0.00	0.37	2.86
South Asia																
India	5.91	6.40	6.50	6.50	0.91	1.03	1.02	1.02	5.39	6.60	6.60	6.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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	1.25	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	0.77	0.77	0.77	0.55	0.93	0.93	0.46	0.33	0.71	0.71	0.00	0.00	0.38	114.50
Chad	0.48	0.50	0.35	0.35	0.94	0.45	1.32	1.32	0.45	0.22	0.47	0.47	0.00	0.00	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	0.05	0.06	0.06	1.93	2.19	2.02	2.02	0.08	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	-2.54
Southeast Asia																
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
South America																
Argentina	0.20	0.23	0.24	0.24	2.88	2.77	2.71	2.71	0.58	0.63	0.65	0.65	0.00	0.00	0.03	4.00
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	0.05	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
Others	0.83	0.83	0.84	0.84	0.88	0.91	0.90	0.90	0.72	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.13

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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	23.70	21.88	23.93	23.82	1.26	1.24	1.38	1.40	29.81	27.20	33.09	33.42	0.34	1.02	6.23	22.89
United States	0.72	0.81	0.97	0.97	1.36	1.60	1.62	1.60	0.97	1.30	1.57	1.55	-0.01	-0.89	0.25	19.37
Total Foreign	22.99	21.07	22.96	22.85	1.25	1.23	1.37	1.39	28.84	25.90	31.52	31.87	0.35	1.11	5.97	23.07
Former Soviet Union																
Russian Federation	5.90	5.00	5.90	5.90	1.14	1.13	1.19	1.25	6.75	5.65	7.00	7.40	0.40	5.71	1.75	30.97
Ukraine	3.90	3.40	4.10	4.10	1.36	1.24	1.54	1.54	5.30	4.20	6.30	6.30	0.00	0.00	2.10	50.00
Moldova, Republic of	0.25	0.24	0.23	0.23	1.52	0.67	1.78	1.78	0.38	0.16	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.24	150.00
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
South America																
Argentina	2.40	2.62	2.20	2.10	1.46	1.77	1.73	1.73	3.50	4.65	3.80	3.63	-0.17	-4.47	-1.02	-21.94
Uruguay	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.05	1.02	2.00	1.98	1.92	0.04	0.07	0.12	0.10	-0.02	-13.04	0.03	38.89
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
China, Peoples	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
EU-27																
France	0.64	0.52	0.60	0.60	2.16	2.52	2.37	2.62	1.39	1.30	1.43	1.58	0.15	10.46	0.28	21.85
Hungary	0.54	0.51	0.56	0.56	2.20	2.04	2.59	2.59	1.18	1.04	1.45	1.45	0.00	0.00	0.41	39.02
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
South Asia																
India	2.15	1.90	2.00	2.00	0.60	0.64	0.60	0.60	1.28	1.22	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-1.32
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
Turkey	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
South Africa,	0.32	0.57	0.60	0.60	0.98	1.54	1.40	1.40	0.31	0.87	0.84	0.84	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-3.67
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	0.21	0.13	0.20	0.20	1.90	2.00	2.45	2.45	0.40	0.26	0.49	0.49	0.00	0.00	0.23	88.46
Canada	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
Australia	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.06	1.06	1.54	1.10	1.18	0.02	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.01	18.18	-0.01	-12.16
Others	2.38	2.12	2.19	2.18	1.41	0.91	1.47	1.46	3.34	1.92	3.22	3.20	-0.03	-0.78	1.27	66.20

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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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	26.52	28.14	30.07	30.07	1.70	1.72	1.87	1.86	45.16	48.42	56.14	56.02	-0.12	-0.22	7.60	15.69
United States	0.41	0.47	0.40	0.40	1.53	1.39	1.70	1.64	0.63	0.65	0.68	0.66	-0.02	-3.10	0.01	0.92
Total Foreign	26.11	27.67	29.67	29.67	1.71	1.73	1.87	1.87	44.53	47.77	55.46	55.36	-0.10	-0.18	7.59	15.89
EU-27																
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	1.43	1.43	2.93	2.87	3.41	3.34	4.12	4.63	4.87	4.77	-0.10	-2.05	0.14	3.04
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	2.82	2.82	1.65	2.13	2.12	2.12	0.00	0.00	-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
China, Peoples	5.98	5.64	6.40	6.40	1.83	1.87	1.80	1.80	10.97	10.57	11.50	11.50	0.00	0.00	0.93	8.77
South Asia																
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
Canada	5.24	6.23	6.49	6.49	1.72	1.53	1.94	1.94	9.00	9.53	12.60	12.60	0.00	0.00	3.07	32.24
Australia	1.05	1.06	1.20	1.20	0.54	1.00	1.17	1.17	0.57	1.07	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.34	31.46
Former Soviet Union																
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
Paraguay	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
Others	0.23	0.34	0.40	0.40	1.19	1.35	1.63	1.63	0.27	0.46	0.66	0.66	0.00	0.00	0.19	41.99

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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	
			Dec	Jan	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
Oilseed, Copra								
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
Oilseed, Palm Kernel								
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
Oil, Palm								
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	0.80	-0.03	-0.04	-0.03	-0.04
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	37.35	41.31	43.22	43.19	-0.03	0.00	1.89	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	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	2006/07	2007/08	Dec	Jan	MBales	Percent	MBales	Percent
World	34.706	33.199	31.190	31.105	765.000	791.000	779.000	769.000	121.990	120.536	111.557	109.835	-1.722	-1.544	-10.701	-8.878
United States	5.152	4.245	3.138	3.128	912.000	985.000	945.000	907.000	21.588	19.207	13.613	13.036	-0.577	-4.239	-6.171	-32.129
Total Foreign	29.554	28.954	28.052	27.977	740.000	762.000	760.000	753.000	100.402	101.329	97.944	96.799	-1.145	-1.169	-4.530	-4.471
China, Peoples	6.000	6.200	6.000	6.000	1,288.0	1,299.0	1,325.0	1,325.0	35.500	37.000	36.500	36.500	0.000	0.000	-0.500	-1.351
South Asia																
India	9.166	9.550	9.350	9.350	518.000	561.000	559.000	536.000	21.800	24.600	24.000	23.000	-1.000	-4.167	-1.600	-6.504
Pakistan	3.250	3.000	2.900	2.900	663.000	646.000	706.000	706.000	9.900	8.900	9.400	9.400	0.000	0.000	0.500	5.618
Former Soviet Union																
Uzbekistan, Republic	1.430	1.450	1.420	1.420	815.000	826.000	767.000	767.000	5.350	5.500	5.000	5.000	0.000	0.000	-0.500	-9.091
Turkmenistan	0.600	0.600	0.600	0.600	435.000	472.000	472.000	472.000	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	551.000	523.000	450.000	450.000	0.645	0.600	0.475	0.475	0.000	0.000	-0.125	-20.833
Kazakhstan, Republic	0.195	0.200	0.160	0.160	698.000	680.000	544.000	544.000	0.625	0.625	0.400	0.400	0.000	0.000	-0.225	-36.000
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.700	0.400	0.440	0.440	404.000	367.000	421.000	421.000	1.300	0.675	0.850	0.850	0.000	0.000	0.175	25.926
Mali	0.460	0.284	0.190	0.190	375.000	345.000	401.000	401.000	0.792	0.450	0.350	0.350	0.000	0.000	-0.100	-22.222
Zimbabwe	0.350	0.380	0.380	0.380	311.000	272.000	264.000	264.000	0.500	0.475	0.460	0.460	0.000	0.000	-0.015	-3.158
Benin	0.231	0.234	0.205	0.205	448.000	465.000	489.000	489.000	0.475	0.500	0.460	0.460	0.000	0.000	-0.040	-8.000
Cote d'Ivoire	0.214	0.200	0.190	0.190	317.000	245.000	258.000	258.000	0.312	0.225	0.225	0.225	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Cameroon	0.200	0.140	0.160	0.160	397.000	327.000	340.000	340.000	0.365	0.210	0.250	0.250	0.000	0.000	0.040	19.048
Nigeria	0.380	0.395	0.395	0.395	229.000	248.000	259.000	259.000	0.400	0.450	0.470	0.470	0.000	0.000	0.020	4.444
Sudan	0.160	0.060	0.085	0.085	306.000	399.000	512.000	512.000	0.225	0.110	0.200	0.200	0.000	0.000	0.090	81.818
South America																
Brazil	1.094	1.077	0.885	0.885	1,393.0	1,488.0	1,427.0	1,427.0	7.000	7.360	5.800	5.800	0.000	0.000	-1.560	-21.196
Argentina	0.400	0.310	0.400	0.325	435.000	494.000	463.000	469.000	0.800	0.703	0.850	0.700	-0.150	-17.647	-0.003	-0.427
Paraguay	0.125	0.060	0.075	0.075	279.000	363.000	290.000	290.000	0.160	0.100	0.100	0.100	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Middle East																
Turkey	0.630	0.520	0.380	0.380	1,313.0	1,298.0	1,318.0	1,318.0	3.800	3.100	2.300	2.300	0.000	0.000	-0.800	-25.806
Syria	0.214	0.200	0.170	0.170	1,038.0	1,252.0	1,217.0	1,217.0	1.020	1.150	0.950	0.950	0.000	0.000	-0.200	-17.391
Iran	0.115	0.120	0.130	0.130	757.000	726.000	754.000	754.000	0.400	0.400	0.450	0.450	0.000	0.000	0.050	12.500
Australia	0.145	0.065	0.160	0.160	2,027.0	2,077.0	1,769.0	1,837.0	1.350	0.620	1.300	1.350	0.050	3.846	0.730	117.742
EU-27																
Greece	0.330	0.315	0.250	0.250	924.000	916.000	958.000	958.000	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	892.000	746.000	501.000	435.000	0.213	0.185	0.115	0.100	-0.015	-13.043	-0.085	-45.946
Egypt	0.246	0.240	0.130	0.130	863.000	907.000	796.000	796.000	0.975	1.000	0.475	0.475	0.000	0.000	-0.525	-52.500
Mexico	0.115	0.110	0.115	0.115	1,231.0	1,227.0	1,287.0	1,231.0	0.650	0.620	0.680	0.650	-0.030	-4.412	0.030	4.839
Others	2.497	2.540	2.602	2.602	283.000	270.000	292.000	292.000	3.245	3.146	3.484	3.484	0.000	0.000	0.338	10.744

TABLE 18

The table below presents a 27-year record of the differences between the January projection and the final estimate. Using world wheat production as an example, changes between the January projection and the final estimate have averaged 3.3 million tons (0.6 percent) and ranged from -8.3 to 6.4 million tons. The January 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/	
WHEAT						
World	0.6	3.3	-8.3	6.4	19	8
U.S.	0.1	0.0	-0.2	0.1	11	6
Foreign	0.7	3.3	-8.3	6.4	19	8
COARSE GRAINS 3/						
World	1.1	9.5	-26.3	8.2	18	9
U.S.	0.2	0.4	-4.6	1.3	12	6
Foreign	1.5	9.2	-26.3	8.2	18	9
RICE (Milled)						
World	1.4	5.0	-13.9	1.9	22	4
U.S.	1.2	0.1	-0.3	0.2	11	4
Foreign	1.4	4.9	-13.9	2.0	23	4
SOYBEANS						
World	3.6	8.0	-8.9	17.4	2	2
U.S.	1.2	0.9	-2.5	0.6	1	2
Foreign	5.9	8.0	-8.9	17.0	1	3
	---Million 480-lb. bales---					
COTTON						
World	2.0	1.9	-5.4	3.6	19	7
U.S.	0.6	0.1	-0.2	0.3	11	15
Foreign	2.5	1.9	-5.7	3.5	20	6
UNITED STATES	-----Million bushels-----					
CORN	0.2	13	-148	38	4	1
SORGHUM	0.3	3	-53	14	1	3
BARLEY	0.3	1	-3	11	11	4
OATS	0.1	0	-2	1	4	3

1/ The final estimate for 1981/82-2007/08 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.