



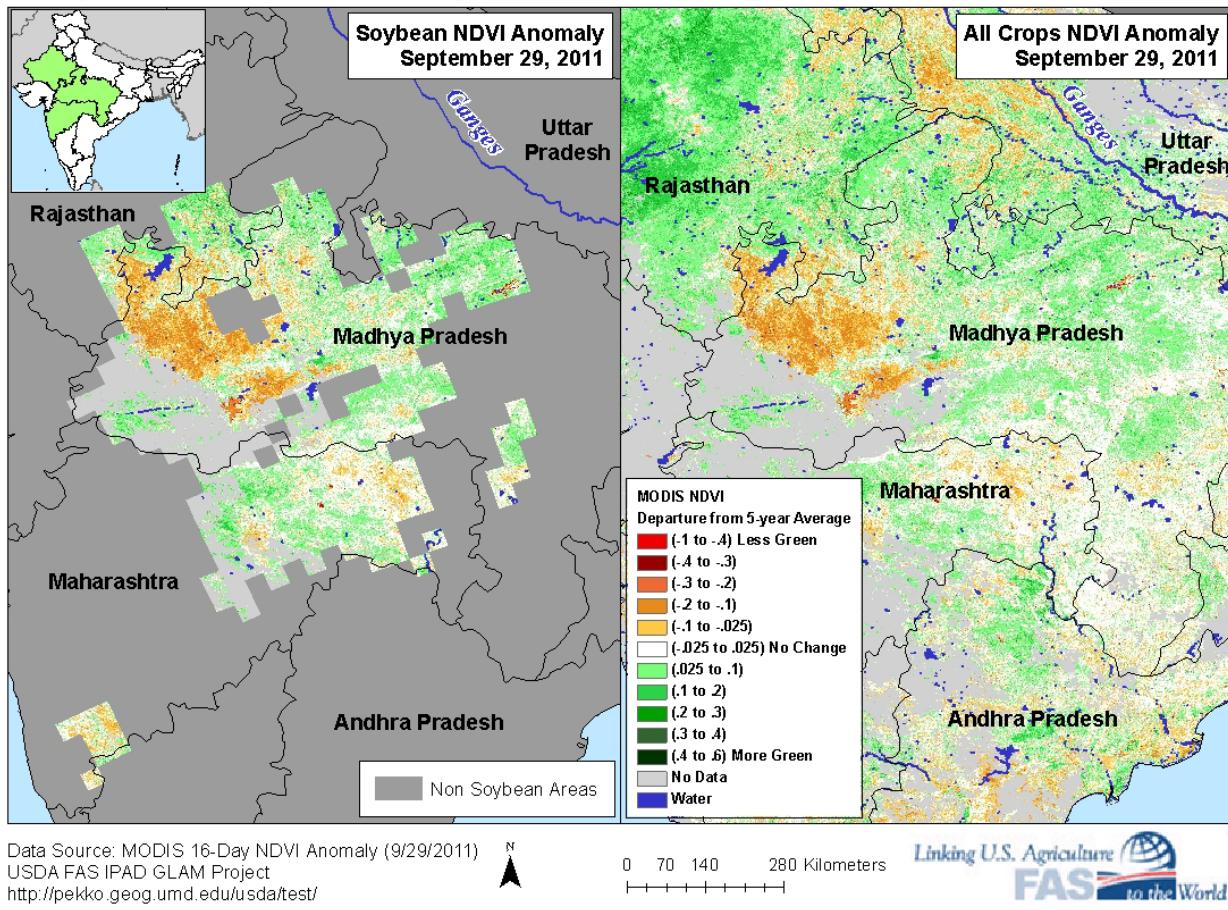
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Vegetation Condition in Soybean Growing Region of Madhya Pradesh, India



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Note: Less-green areas represent harvested cropland.

India: Record 2011/12 Soybean Production

The USDA forecasts India's 2011/12 soybean production at a record 11.0 million tons, up 0.4 million or 4 percent from last month and up 12 percent from last year. The area is forecast at 10.27 million hectares, unchanged from last month but up 10 percent from last year. The yield is forecast at 1.07 tons per hectare, up 4 percent from last month, and up 2 percent from last year.

The 2011 monsoon rainfall was normal to above normal across the major soybean regions for most of the season, June to September. The majority of soybean growing areas of Madhya

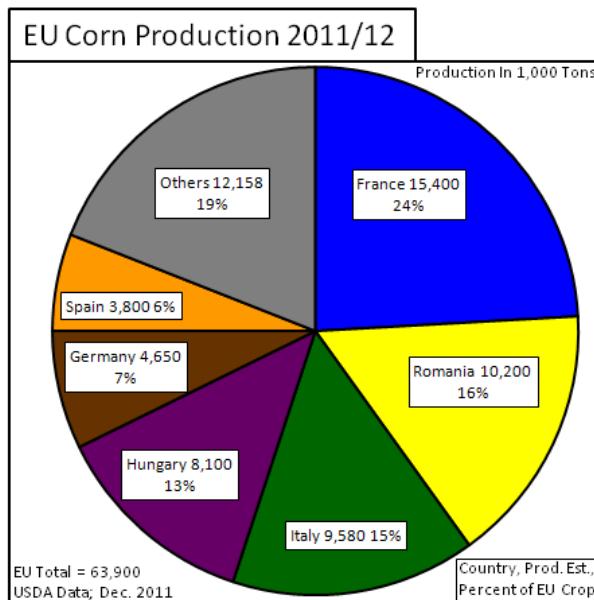
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Pradesh and Maharashtra received adequate-to-excessive rainfall. There were a few isolated regions of drier-than-normal conditions in some areas including southern Rajasthan. The favorable rainfall conditions boosted planted area in many regions. September sowing progress reports indicated sown area at 10 million hectares compared to 9.32 for the corresponding period last year. Satellite imagery analysis indicated increased plantings and excellent crop conditions across Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra and Karnataka. Harvest progressed very well and market arrivals significantly picked up in October and November compared to the same period last year.

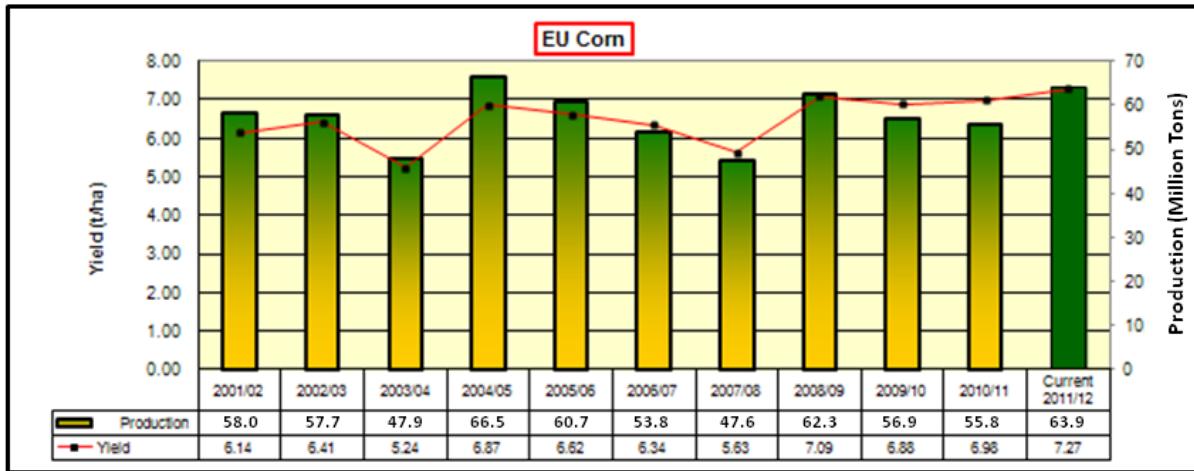
India's soybeans are grown exclusively during the kharif (southwest monsoon) season under rainfed conditions. The ideal sowing window is early to mid-June and typically commences with the arrival of the monsoon. Some farmers are able to provide supplemental irrigation, though this practice is limited by water reserves and equipment. The main producing states are Madhya Pradesh (53 percent), Maharashtra (34 percent), and Rajasthan (8 percent). (*For more information contact Dath Mita, PhD, at 202-720-7339.*)

European Union: Aided By a Wet Summer, EU Corn Yield Surpasses Record

The 2011/12 European Union (EU) corn crop is estimated at 63.9 million tons, compared to 62.9 million last month and 55.8 million last year. Area is estimated at 8.8 million hectares, up 0.1 million from last month and 0.8 million or 10 percent from last year. Yield is estimated at a record 7.27 tons per hectare (t/ha), compared to last year's 6.98 t/ha and the five-year average of 6.58 t/ha.



The European Union's spring 2011 drought was reversed in early summer when widespread heavy rains covered much of western and central Europe in June and July. While these rains hampered and delayed the winter wheat harvest, they promoted vegetative growth in the corn plants, enabling the record yield. The rain was particularly beneficial in areas of central Europe like Romania, Bulgaria, and Hungary, where summer dryness develops more frequently than on the coast, and where much of the crop is not irrigated.



France, the largest corn producer in the EU, is expecting record yields approaching 10 t/ha with a bumper crop of about 15.4 million tons. Record production, however, is not expected in France as area has fallen in recent years to an estimated 1.6 million hectares this season. Romania, also benefitting from favorable summer rainfall is estimated to produce 4.0 t/ha, the highest since 2004/2005, and a crop of 10.2 million tons. Italy's 2011/12 corn crop (largely irrigated) is expected to be one of its top five yielding crops at 9.58 t/ha or about 9.6 million tons. Hungary is estimated to have produced a very good crop with a yield of 6.75 tons per hectare and production of 8.1 million tons (*For more information, contact Bryan Purcell at 202-690-0138.*)

Vietnam: Rice Area and Production Forecast Higher

The USDA forecasts total milled rice production in Vietnam for 2011/12 at 26.2 million tons, up 0.7 million or 3 percent from last month but down 1 percent from last year. Harvested area is forecast at 7.6 million hectares, up 0.1 million or 1 percent from last month and similar to last year. Rice yields are estimated at 5.54 tons per hectare, up 1 percent from last month but unchanged from last year. Official seasonal rice crop statistics from Vietnam's Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development (MARD) indicate that 2010/11 crop area and production were higher than previously expected, resulting in an upward revision of approximately 250,000 tons (milled basis). These historical seasonal estimates indicated that farmers sowed increased acreage during the winter and autumn crops, with the autumn crop area being at a new record high. Area expansion was especially strong in the Mekong Delta, where about 86 percent of the autumn crop is produced. These new area estimates altered the outlook for potential plantings in 2011/12, and USDA revised area and production up accordingly. (*For more information, contact Michael Shean at 202-720-7366.*)

Canada: Record Rapeseed Production

The USDA estimates 2011/12 Canadian rapeseed area at 7.47 million hectares, up nearly 0.2 million or 2 percent from last month, and up 15 percent last year. Production is forecast at 14.2 million metric tons, up 1.3 million or nearly 10 percent from last month and up 11 percent from last year. Yield is estimated at 1.90 tons per hectare, up 7 percent from last month and down 4 percent from last year.

Despite late planting, the rapeseed crop was able to develop and mature under ideal growing conditions. Statistic Canada released its final 2011 *Field Crop Reporting Series* in early December. The rapeseed forecast was significantly higher than its previous estimates in October. Both Alberta and Saskatchewan reported record area, but production declined by 25 percent in Manitoba where farmers were unable to recover from early-season flooding. (*For more information, contact Arnella Trent at 202-720-0881.*)

Canada: Record Wheat Yields Boost Production

The USDA estimates 2011/12 Canadian wheat area at 8.5 million hectares, down 0.1 million or 1 percent from last month but up 3 percent from last year. Production is forecast at 25.3 million tons, up 1 million or 4 percent from last month and up 9 percent from last year. Yield is forecast to reach a record 2.96 tons per hectare, up 5 percent from last year.

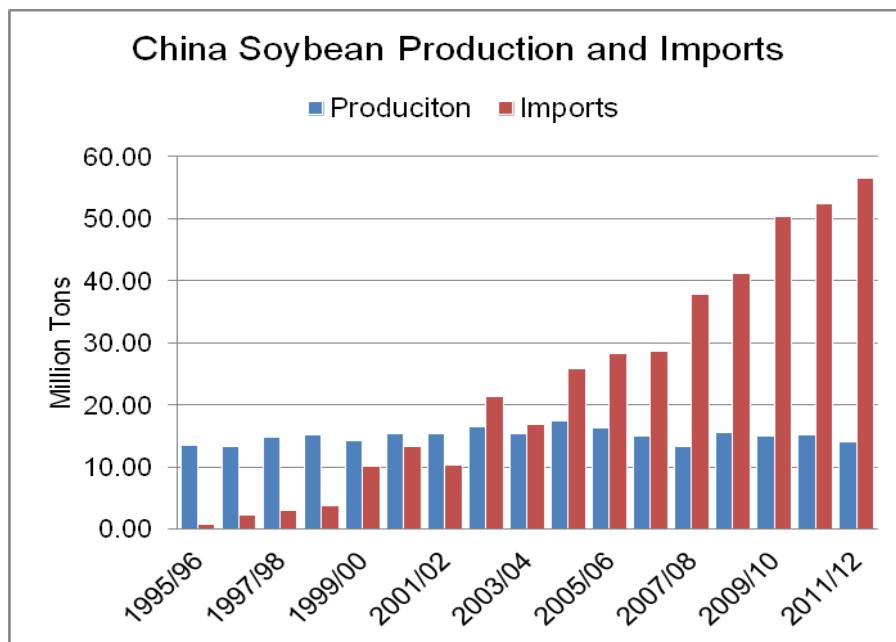
The 4 percent year-to-year increase in production is attributed to increased area in Saskatchewan and Alberta. Despite late planting, the wheat crop was able to develop and mature under ideal growing conditions, and farmers reported record yields in these provinces. Wheat area in Manitoba, however, is estimated to decline by 39 percent as a result of adverse planting conditions. (*For more information, contact Arnella Trent at 202-720-0881.*)

China Grain Production Shatters Records in 2011/12

On December 2, China's National Bureau of Statistics (NBS) announced that total grain production in 2011 had reached a record 571.2 million tons, up 24.7 million from last year and marking the eighth consecutive year of increasing production. This estimate is significantly higher than the government's preliminary total grain estimate, which was in the 550- to 560-million-ton range. According to NBS, the summer grain crop (primarily winter wheat) increased by an estimated 3.12 million tons this year, while the early rice crop increased by 1.43 million or 4.5 percent. Autumn grain (which includes single-crop rice, corn, beans, tubers, late rice, and other grains) increased by an estimated 20.18 million tons in 2011. The NBS announcement also included specific area and production data for the 2011/12 corn, rice, and wheat crops, which USDA has adopted this month.

China - Corn Output Reaches New Heights: The USDA estimates corn production for 2011/12 at 191.75 million tons, up 7.25 million or 4 percent from last month and up 14.5 million or 8 percent from last year. Area is estimated at 33.4 million hectares, up 0.2 million from last month and up 0.9 million or nearly three percent from last year. Almost all of this increased area was due to farmers in Northeast China shifting from soybeans to corn in response to high corn prices. The estimated yield of 5.74 tons per hectare is up 3 percent from last month and up 5 percent from last year. The yield is also above the 10-year trend. The revisions are based on official data from China's National Bureau of Statistics. According to Chinese government officials and industry sources, China achieved its record corn yield in 2011/12 for a number of reasons, including timely and well-distributed rainfall in key production regions, favorable light and heat conditions, fewer than normal weather disasters, and an extended frost-free period at the end of the growing season in Northeast China.

China - Soybeans Losing Ground to Corn: Soybean output in 2011/12 is estimated at 13.5 million tons, down 0.5 million or 4 percent from last month and down 11 percent from last year. The estimated area of 7.65 million hectares is down 7 percent from last month and down 10 percent from a year ago. In recent years, high production costs and low profits from soybeans, as well as rising prices for corn, have caused farmers to reduce soybean acreage in favor of corn. This shift has been especially pronounced in Heilongjiang, China's most important soybean-growing province. The estimated yield of 1.76 tons per hectare is essentially the same as last year but above the 5-year average. China's production of soybeans has been stagnant since the 1990's, while its demand for soybeans (used mainly for feed) has soared. To meet this demand, China has increased its soybean imports from less than 1 million tons in 1995/96 to more than 56 million tons in 2011/12. Imported soybeans now account for nearly 80 percent of China's domestic consumption. (*For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.*)



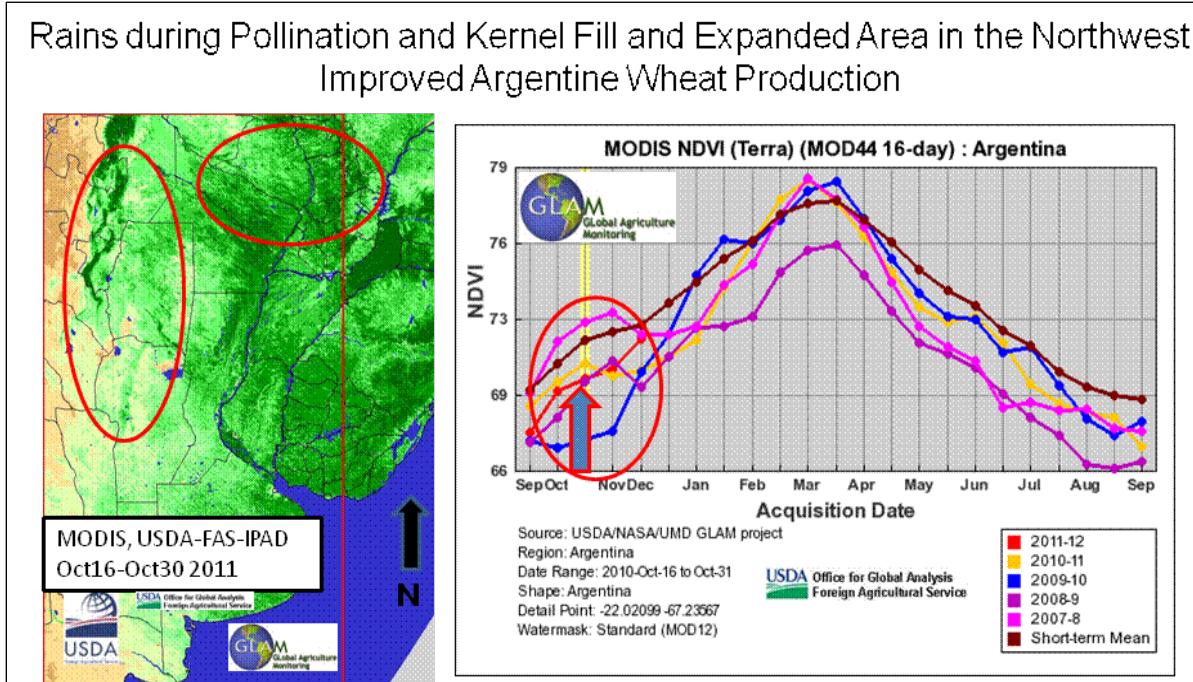
China - Record Wheat Crop: Wheat production in 2011/12 is estimated at a record 117.9 million tons, up 0.9 million or 1 percent from last month and up 2.7 million or 2 percent from last year. The estimated area of 24.2 million hectares is down slightly from last month and last year. Winter wheat area, estimated at 22.6 million hectares, accounts for more than 93 percent of China's total wheat planted area. Yield is estimated at a record 4.87 tons per hectare, up nearly 3 percent from last year. The revisions are based on official data from China's National Bureau of Statistics. Despite a serious winter/spring drought that affected many key wheat-growing provinces, China was able to achieve a successful wheat harvest through intensive irrigation, careful crop management, and the timely arrival of spring rainfall.

Argentina: Wheat Harvest is One-Third Completed

The USDA forecasts Argentine wheat production for 2011/12 at 14.5 million tons, up 12 percent from last month but down 10 percent from last year. Area is estimated at 5 million hectares, up 9 percent from both last month and last year. Yield is forecast at 2.9 tons per hectare, up 3 percent from last month but down 17 percent from last year. Timely rainfall during the late grain-fill

stage reversed earlier persistent dryness and boosted yields for the Argentine wheat crop. Within Buenos Aires Province, wheat condition is mixed. In Bahía Blanca, Chacabuco, Pehuajó, and Pergamino delegations, some spraying of fungicides was required in order to limit leaf disease on small grains. In Bragado, Lincoln, Tres Arroyos and in Veinticinco de Mayo, crop condition is good. In Córdoba Province, the wheat harvest has proceeded rapidly with crop condition generally good, although recent rain has slowed harvesting in some areas.

In La Pampa, the wheat condition is mixed due to earlier dryness around Santa Rosa; however, the wheat in the delegation of General Pico appears excellent. In Santa Fe, most of the wheat is yielding well and harvest is proceeding around rain showers that came at the end of November. The wheat in San Luis is in very good condition and yields are coming in well above average for the area. Harvest has been disrupted some in the province of Chaco due to scattered showers in late November and early December, but crop condition is good. In the Northern regions of Argentina, there are some areas reporting low yields around Salta, Jujuy and Tucumán but in Catamarca yields look to be about average. While yields are a bit low this year in Santiago del Estero, the grain gluten content is high, indicative of the earlier dry conditions during crop flowering. (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

Million 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																			
2009/10	685.4	625.1	60.4	26.8	4.1	138.8	61.8	20.9	115.1	80.7	nr	24.0	nr	12.0	5.0	21.8	2.0	18.5	93.6
2010/11 prel.	651.6	591.5	60.1	23.2	3.7	135.7	41.5	16.8	115.2	80.8	nr	23.9	nr	16.1	5.9	27.9	1.5	17.0	82.4
2011/12 proj.																			
Nov	683.3	628.9	54.4	24.2	3.8	137.5	56.0	22.0	117.0	85.9	nr	24.0	nr	13.0	5.0	26.0	1.9	18.5	94.1
Dec	689.0	634.6	54.4	25.3	3.8	137.5	56.0	22.0	117.9	85.9	nr	24.0	nr	14.5	5.0	28.3	1.8	18.8	93.8
Coarse Grains																			
2009/10	1,115.6	766.8	348.8	22.5	27.3	155.0	31.8	24.1	169.6	33.9	6.9	3.6	4.2	28.5	58.4	10.9	13.9	11.2	164.9
2010/11 prel.	1,098.0	767.8	330.2	22.3	29.4	139.5	16.4	21.4	183.4	42.0	6.8	3.6	4.1	30.5	60.5	11.8	11.3	10.1	174.8
2011/12 proj.																			
Nov	1,135.8	812.6	323.3	21.2	28.0	145.7	31.5	31.4	190.8	40.4	8.1	3.6	4.2	37.4	63.3	12.4	13.0	10.7	170.8
Dec	1,145.2	821.9	323.3	21.9	28.0	146.7	31.5	31.4	198.1	40.4	8.1	3.6	4.2	37.4	63.8	12.9	13.0	10.7	170.3
Rice, Milled																			
2009/10	440.5	433.4	7.1	nr	0.2	1.9	0.6	0.1	136.6	89.1	36.4	6.8	20.3	0.7	7.9	0.1	nr	0.4	132.4
2010/11 prel.	449.8	442.2	7.6	nr	0.2	1.9	0.7	0.1	137.0	95.3	35.5	4.7	20.3	1.1	9.3	0.5	nr	0.5	135.3
2011/12 proj.																			
Nov	461.0	454.9	6.0	nr	0.1	1.9	0.7	0.1	141.0	100.0	37.3	6.7	20.3	1.0	8.8	0.7	nr	0.4	135.9
Dec	460.8	454.8	6.0	nr	0.1	1.9	0.7	0.1	140.5	100.0	37.3	6.7	20.3	1.0	8.7	0.7	nr	0.5	136.4
Total Grains																			
2009/10	2,241.5	1,825.2	416.3	49.3	31.6	295.7	94.2	45.1	421.3	203.7	43.3	34.4	24.4	41.2	71.4	32.9	15.8	30.0	390.9
2010/11 prel.	2,199.4	1,801.5	397.9	45.4	33.2	277.0	58.6	38.4	435.6	218.1	42.3	32.2	24.3	47.7	75.6	40.2	12.8	27.5	392.5
2011/12 proj.																			
Nov	2,280.1	1,896.4	383.7	45.4	31.9	285.0	88.2	53.5	448.8	226.3	45.4	34.3	24.5	51.4	77.2	39.1	14.9	29.6	400.8
Dec	2,295.0	1,911.3	383.7	47.1	31.9	286.1	88.2	53.5	456.5	226.3	45.4	34.3	24.5	52.9	77.5	41.9	14.8	29.9	400.5
Oilseeds																			
2009/10	442.7	343.8	98.9	16.5	0.6	29.6	8.0	9.3	57.8	32.4	9.4	5.2	0.6	57.9	71.4	2.6	1.2	1.5	39.6
2010/11 prel.	453.5	353.2	100.4	17.2	0.7	29.1	7.2	10.3	57.7	34.7	9.7	4.8	0.6	53.7	79.3	3.8	1.7	1.8	40.8
2011/12 proj.																			
Nov	454.8	363.6	91.1	16.9	0.9	29.0	11.3	11.5	57.4	35.7	10.2	5.5	0.7	56.7	78.8	4.1	1.8	2.1	41.2
Dec	457.6	366.6	91.0	18.5	0.9	29.0	11.3	12.2	57.3	36.4	10.2	5.5	0.7	56.7	78.8	4.1	1.8	2.1	41.3
Cotton																			
2009/10	101.6	89.4	12.2	nr	0.4	1.1	nr	nr	32.0	23.0	0.0	9.6	0.0	1.0	5.5	1.8	0.0	1.8	13.3
2010/11 prel.	115.3	97.2	18.1	nr	0.7	1.1	nr	nr	30.5	25.4	0.0	8.8	0.0	1.3	9.0	4.2	0.1	2.1	14.0
2011/12 proj.																			
Nov	123.9	107.6	16.3	nr	1.2	1.6	nr	nr	33.5	27.5	0.0	10.0	0.0	1.2	9.0	5.0	0.1	3.1	15.4
Dec	123.9	107.6	16.3	nr	1.2	1.6	nr	nr	33.5	27.5	0.0	10.0	0.0	1.2	9.0	5.0	0.1	3.1	15.4

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

Table 02 Wheat Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	227.61	223.23	222.31	222.54	3.01	2.92	3.07	3.10	685.44	651.58	683.30	688.97	5.67	0.83	37.39	5.74
United States	20.19	19.27	18.50	18.50	2.99	3.12	2.94	2.94	60.37	60.06	54.41	54.41	0.00	0.00	-5.65	-9.41
Total Foreign	207.42	203.96	203.81	204.05	3.01	2.90	3.09	3.11	625.07	591.52	628.89	634.56	5.67	0.90	43.04	7.28
China	24.29	24.32	24.40	24.20	4.74	4.74	4.80	4.87	115.12	115.18	117.00	117.92	0.92	0.79	2.74	2.38
South Asia																
India	27.75	28.36	29.40	29.40	2.91	2.85	2.92	2.92	80.68	80.80	85.93	85.93	0.00	0.00	5.13	6.35
Pakistan	9.05	9.03	9.00	9.00	2.65	2.65	2.67	2.67	24.00	23.90	24.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.42
Afghanistan	2.58	2.35	2.10	2.10	1.65	1.57	1.19	1.19	4.25	3.70	2.50	2.50	0.00	0.00	-1.20	-32.43
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Russia	28.70	26.61	25.68	25.68	2.15	1.56	2.18	2.18	61.77	41.51	56.00	56.00	0.00	0.00	14.49	34.91
Ukraine	6.75	6.28	6.70	6.70	3.09	2.68	3.28	3.28	20.87	16.84	22.00	22.00	0.00	0.00	5.16	30.61
Kazakhstan	14.75	14.50	13.80	13.80	1.16	0.67	1.52	1.52	17.05	9.70	21.00	21.00	0.00	0.00	11.30	116.49
Uzbekistan	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	4.43	4.64	4.50	4.50	6.20	6.50	6.30	6.30	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-3.08
EU-27	25.82	26.11	25.76	25.76	5.38	5.20	5.34	5.34	138.82	135.67	137.49	137.49	0.00	0.00	1.81	1.34
France	5.15	5.43	5.45	5.45	7.44	7.04	6.61	6.61	38.32	38.21	36.00	36.00	0.00	0.00	-2.21	-5.78
Germany	3.23	3.23	3.26	3.26	7.81	7.37	7.06	7.06	25.19	23.78	23.00	23.00	0.00	0.00	-0.78	-3.29
United Kingdom	1.78	1.94	2.00	2.00	7.93	7.67	7.68	7.68	14.08	14.88	15.35	15.35	0.00	0.00	0.47	3.17
Poland	2.35	2.41	2.42	2.42	4.17	3.87	3.84	3.84	9.79	9.30	9.30	9.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Spain	1.77	1.94	1.95	1.95	2.71	3.02	3.41	3.41	4.81	5.84	6.65	6.65	0.00	0.00	0.81	13.83
Italy	1.90	1.81	1.67	1.67	3.53	3.59	3.66	3.66	6.70	6.49	6.10	6.10	0.00	0.00	-0.39	-6.01
Denmark	0.74	0.77	0.74	0.74	8.04	6.61	6.80	6.80	5.94	5.06	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-1.11
Hungary	1.14	1.01	0.98	0.98	3.85	3.76	4.18	4.18	4.40	3.80	4.10	4.10	0.00	0.00	0.30	7.89
Romania	2.15	2.15	1.96	1.96	2.47	2.69	3.72	3.72	5.30	5.78	7.30	7.30	0.00	0.00	1.53	26.41
Bulgaria	1.25	1.13	1.04	1.04	3.19	3.62	4.08	4.08	3.98	4.09	4.25	4.25	0.00	0.00	0.16	3.81
Canada	9.64	8.27	8.60	8.55	2.79	2.80	2.81	2.96	26.85	23.17	24.20	25.26	1.06	4.38	2.09	9.03
Australia	13.88	13.65	14.00	14.10	1.57	2.04	1.86	2.01	21.83	27.89	26.00	28.30	2.30	8.85	0.41	1.47
Middle East																
Turkey	7.80	8.00	7.70	7.70	2.37	2.13	2.40	2.44	18.45	17.00	18.50	18.80	0.30	1.62	1.80	10.59
Iran	6.65	7.00	6.80	6.80	2.03	2.21	2.02	2.02	13.49	15.50	13.75	13.75	0.00	0.00	-1.75	-11.29
Syria	1.50	1.35	1.50	1.50	2.40	2.67	2.17	2.17	3.60	3.60	3.25	3.25	0.00	0.00	-0.35	-9.72
North Africa																
Egypt	1.32	1.26	1.32	1.32	6.45	5.71	6.59	6.59	8.52	7.20	8.70	8.70	0.00	0.00	1.50	20.83
Morocco	2.98	2.85	3.05	3.04	2.15	1.71	2.00	1.91	6.40	4.89	6.10	5.80	-0.30	-4.92	0.91	18.68
Argentina	4.00	4.60	4.60	5.00	3.00	3.50	2.83	2.90	12.00	16.10	13.00	14.50	1.50	11.54	-1.60	-9.94
Others	18.57	18.02	18.00	18.00	2.43	2.35	2.40	2.39	45.18	42.37	43.17	43.06	-0.11	-0.25	0.70	1.65

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Table 03 Total Coarse Grain Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
World	310.52	309.72	314.19	314.54	3.59	3.55	3.62	3.64	1,115.55	1,098.02	1,135.82	1,145.19	9.37	0.82	47.17	4.30
United States	36.32	36.52	37.15	37.15	9.60	9.04	8.70	8.70	348.76	330.23	323.27	323.27	0.00	0.00	-6.97	-2.11
Total Foreign	274.19	273.19	277.05	277.39	2.80	2.81	2.93	2.96	766.80	767.79	812.56	821.92	9.37	1.15	54.14	7.05
China	33.38	34.77	35.52	35.72	5.08	5.27	5.37	5.55	169.60	183.41	190.81	198.06	7.25	3.80	14.66	7.99
South America																
Brazil	13.93	14.86	15.44	15.54	4.19	4.07	4.10	4.11	58.41	60.48	63.33	63.83	0.50	0.79	3.35	5.54
Argentina	4.20	5.68	6.02	6.02	6.80	5.37	6.22	6.22	28.53	30.50	37.41	37.41	0.00	0.00	6.91	22.66
EU-27	32.52	30.20	30.16	30.24	4.77	4.62	4.83	4.85	155.04	139.46	145.66	146.70	1.04	0.71	7.24	5.19
France	4.21	3.77	3.71	3.76	7.52	7.22	7.32	7.28	31.65	27.17	27.14	27.34	0.20	0.74	0.17	0.63
Germany	3.68	3.29	3.24	3.24	6.67	6.16	5.77	5.77	24.56	20.26	18.69	18.69	0.00	0.00	-1.57	-7.76
Poland	6.16	6.01	5.64	5.64	3.24	2.95	3.06	3.06	19.94	17.74	17.27	17.27	0.00	0.00	-0.47	-2.63
Spain	4.13	3.94	3.83	3.84	2.92	3.28	3.60	3.63	12.09	12.91	13.79	13.94	0.15	1.09	1.03	7.99
Italy	1.43	1.37	1.53	1.53	7.20	7.61	7.45	7.51	10.32	10.41	11.41	11.51	0.10	0.83	1.10	10.59
Hungary	1.72	1.56	1.65	1.65	5.29	5.46	5.93	5.87	9.09	8.54	9.76	9.66	-0.10	-1.02	1.13	13.18
United Kingdom	1.30	1.07	1.12	1.12	5.80	5.65	5.76	5.76	7.54	6.07	6.47	6.47	0.00	0.00	0.40	6.54
Romania	3.14	3.03	3.24	3.24	2.91	3.46	3.62	3.75	9.14	10.48	11.73	12.13	0.40	3.41	1.65	15.75
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Russia	16.50	13.80	15.40	15.40	1.93	1.19	2.05	2.05	31.84	16.42	31.50	31.50	0.00	0.00	15.08	91.89
Ukraine	8.06	7.64	7.94	7.94	2.99	2.81	3.95	3.95	24.14	21.44	31.40	31.40	0.00	0.00	9.96	46.44
Kazakhstan	2.21	1.98	1.99	1.99	1.49	0.92	1.60	1.60	3.30	1.82	3.18	3.18	0.00	0.00	1.36	74.93
Africa	81.09	81.19	80.75	80.71	1.33	1.41	1.35	1.35	107.96	114.40	108.82	108.76	-0.07	-0.06	-5.64	-4.93
Nigeria	18.25	18.35	18.35	18.35	1.54	1.57	1.52	1.52	28.15	28.74	27.90	27.90	0.00	0.00	-0.84	-2.92
South Africa	4.15	3.73	3.89	3.85	3.35	3.03	3.35	3.36	13.88	11.33	13.02	12.95	-0.07	-0.50	1.62	14.34
Ethiopia	4.93	4.93	4.93	4.93	1.63	2.02	1.83	1.83	8.05	9.93	9.03	9.03	0.00	0.00	-0.90	-9.07
Egypt	1.05	1.06	0.73	0.73	6.99	7.13	6.66	6.66	7.34	7.56	4.86	4.86	0.00	0.00	-2.70	-35.71
India	27.01	27.09	26.45	26.45	1.25	1.55	1.53	1.53	33.89	42.00	40.37	40.37	0.00	0.00	-1.63	-3.88
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	3.06	2.85	3.15	3.15	2.25	2.39	2.57	2.57	6.90	6.80	8.10	8.10	0.00	0.00	1.30	19.12
Philippines	2.52	2.63	2.56	2.56	2.47	2.76	2.73	2.73	6.23	7.27	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	-0.27	-3.73
Thailand	1.03	1.01	1.03	1.03	4.04	4.01	4.08	4.08	4.15	4.05	4.20	4.20	0.00	0.00	0.15	3.70
Mexico	8.20	9.29	8.76	8.73	3.32	3.16	3.20	3.21	27.25	29.37	28.03	28.00	-0.03	-0.12	-1.38	-4.68
Canada	5.23	4.67	4.72	4.75	4.30	4.77	4.50	4.61	22.48	22.26	21.23	21.87	0.64	3.01	-0.40	-1.78
Australia	5.90	5.38	5.78	5.79	1.85	2.19	2.14	2.23	10.92	11.76	12.38	12.91	0.53	4.28	1.15	9.73
Turkey	4.23	4.17	3.98	3.98	2.64	2.42	2.69	2.69	11.18	10.10	10.70	10.70	0.00	0.00	0.60	5.94
Others	25.11	25.98	27.42	27.42	2.59	2.55	2.50	2.48	64.97	66.26	68.44	67.95	-0.49	-0.72	1.69	2.55

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Table 04 Corn Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	157.73	163.16	168.04	168.31	5.19	5.07	5.11	5.15	819.23	827.56	858.99	867.52	8.53	0.99	39.96	4.83
United States	32.17	32.96	33.97	33.97	10.34	9.59	9.21	9.21	332.55	316.17	312.69	312.69	0.00	0.00	-3.48	-1.10
Total Foreign	125.56	130.20	134.07	134.34	3.88	3.93	4.07	4.13	486.69	511.40	546.30	554.84	8.53	1.56	43.44	8.49
China	31.18	32.50	33.20	33.40	5.26	5.45	5.56	5.74	163.97	177.25	184.50	191.75	7.25	3.93	14.51	8.18
South America																
Brazil	12.93	13.80	14.50	14.50	4.34	4.17	4.21	4.21	56.10	57.50	61.00	61.00	0.00	0.00	3.50	6.09
Argentina	2.75	3.60	3.80	3.80	8.47	6.25	7.63	7.63	23.30	22.50	29.00	29.00	0.00	0.00	6.50	28.89
Mexico	6.28	7.00	6.65	6.65	3.24	3.02	3.08	3.08	20.37	21.13	20.50	20.50	0.00	0.00	-0.63	-2.98
EU-27	8.28	7.99	8.71	8.79	6.88	6.98	7.21	7.27	56.95	55.80	62.85	63.89	1.04	1.65	8.09	14.50
France	1.68	1.53	1.52	1.57	9.10	9.00	10.00	9.81	15.29	13.79	15.20	15.40	0.20	1.32	1.61	11.68
Italy	0.93	0.92	1.00	1.00	9.30	9.60	9.49	9.58	8.65	8.78	9.49	9.58	0.10	1.00	0.80	9.11
Hungary	1.18	1.07	1.20	1.20	6.36	6.55	6.83	6.75	7.50	7.00	8.20	8.10	-0.10	-1.22	1.10	15.71
Romania	2.35	2.25	2.55	2.55	3.19	3.87	3.84	4.00	7.50	8.70	9.80	10.20	0.40	4.08	1.50	17.24
Poland	0.27	0.30	0.34	0.34	6.23	5.72	6.18	6.18	1.71	1.72	2.10	2.10	0.00	0.00	0.39	22.45
India	8.33	8.55	8.50	8.50	2.01	2.49	2.47	2.47	16.72	21.28	21.00	21.00	0.00	0.00	-0.28	-1.32
Canada	1.14	1.20	1.20	1.20	8.37	9.74	8.33	8.92	9.56	11.71	10.00	10.70	0.70	7.00	-1.01	-8.66
Indonesia	3.06	2.85	3.15	3.15	2.25	2.39	2.57	2.57	6.90	6.80	8.10	8.10	0.00	0.00	1.30	19.12
Ukraine	2.09	2.65	3.50	3.50	5.02	4.50	6.00	6.00	10.49	11.92	21.00	21.00	0.00	0.00	9.08	76.19
Serbia	1.20	1.23	1.26	1.26	5.33	5.53	5.00	4.97	6.40	6.80	6.30	6.27	-0.03	-0.52	-0.53	-7.84
Egypt	0.84	0.85	0.52	0.52	7.48	7.65	7.31	7.31	6.28	6.50	3.80	3.80	0.00	0.00	-2.70	-41.54
Philippines	2.52	2.63	2.56	2.56	2.47	2.76	2.73	2.73	6.23	7.27	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	-0.27	-3.73
Vietnam	1.13	1.20	1.25	1.25	4.09	4.17	4.32	4.32	4.61	5.00	5.40	5.40	0.00	0.00	0.40	8.00
Thailand	1.00	0.98	1.00	1.00	4.10	4.08	4.15	4.15	4.10	4.00	4.15	4.15	0.00	0.00	0.15	3.75
Russia	1.37	1.42	1.74	1.74	2.90	2.17	3.61	3.61	3.96	3.08	6.30	6.30	0.00	0.00	3.23	104.88
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa	3.26	2.86	3.00	3.00	4.11	3.82	4.17	4.17	13.42	10.92	12.50	12.50	0.00	0.00	1.58	14.43
Nigeria	4.90	4.90	4.90	4.90	1.83	1.91	1.78	1.78	8.95	9.34	8.70	8.70	0.00	0.00	-0.64	-6.85
Ethiopia	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.95	2.40	2.20	2.20	3.90	4.80	4.40	4.40	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-8.33
Zimbabwe	1.10	1.35	1.60	1.60	0.59	0.74	0.88	0.88	0.65	1.00	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.40	40.00
Turkey	0.50	0.49	0.45	0.45	8.00	7.35	8.00	8.00	4.00	3.60	3.60	3.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	29.71	30.15	30.57	30.57	2.01	2.10	2.12	2.11	59.82	63.20	64.80	64.38	-0.42	-0.65	1.18	1.86

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Table 05 Barley Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	55.78	50.52	50.29	50.31	2.71	2.45	2.65	2.65	150.92	123.53	133.15	133.29	0.14	0.11	9.77	7.91
United States	1.26	1.00	0.91	0.91	3.93	3.93	3.74	3.74	4.95	3.93	3.39	3.39	0.00	0.00	-0.53	-13.58
Total Foreign	54.52	49.52	49.39	49.40	2.68	2.42	2.63	2.63	145.97	119.60	129.76	129.90	0.14	0.11	10.30	8.61
Russia	9.09	7.21	7.96	7.96	1.97	1.16	2.07	2.07	17.88	8.35	16.50	16.50	0.00	0.00	8.15	97.60
EU-27	13.94	12.49	12.06	12.06	4.46	4.24	4.34	4.34	62.15	53.03	52.35	52.35	0.00	0.00	-0.67	-1.27
Germany	1.88	1.64	1.61	1.61	6.54	6.29	5.46	5.46	12.29	10.33	8.78	8.78	0.00	0.00	-1.55	-14.98
France	1.88	1.58	1.55	1.55	6.92	6.39	5.72	5.72	13.00	10.10	8.87	8.87	0.00	0.00	-1.23	-12.20
Spain	3.02	2.87	2.73	2.73	2.41	2.84	3.12	3.12	7.30	8.15	8.50	8.50	0.00	0.00	0.35	4.29
United Kingdom	1.14	0.92	0.97	0.97	5.83	5.70	5.79	5.79	6.67	5.25	5.60	5.60	0.00	0.00	0.35	6.63
Denmark	0.59	0.59	0.60	0.60	5.77	5.04	5.55	5.55	3.42	2.99	3.30	3.30	0.00	0.00	0.31	10.33
Poland	1.16	1.12	1.00	1.00	3.44	3.15	3.33	3.33	3.98	3.53	3.33	3.33	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-5.67
Czech Republic	0.45	0.39	0.37	0.37	4.41	4.08	4.97	4.97	2.00	1.58	1.85	1.85	0.00	0.00	0.27	16.92
Finland	0.60	0.41	0.41	0.41	3.63	3.26	3.60	3.60	2.18	1.33	1.48	1.48	0.00	0.00	0.15	10.96
Sweden	0.36	0.32	0.32	0.32	4.65	3.87	4.53	4.53	1.68	1.23	1.45	1.45	0.00	0.00	0.22	17.69
Italy	0.31	0.27	0.32	0.32	3.42	3.62	3.60	3.60	1.05	0.99	1.17	1.17	0.00	0.00	0.17	17.56
Hungary	0.32	0.29	0.26	0.26	3.22	3.37	3.81	3.81	1.03	0.97	0.99	0.99	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.48
Austria	0.18	0.17	0.15	0.15	4.59	4.60	5.23	5.23	0.84	0.78	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.83
Ukraine	4.99	4.32	3.70	3.70	2.37	1.97	2.43	2.43	11.83	8.48	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	0.52	6.08
Canada	2.92	2.39	2.35	2.37	3.26	3.19	3.36	3.28	9.52	7.61	7.90	7.76	-0.14	-1.77	0.16	2.04
Australia	4.42	3.74	4.00	4.00	1.78	2.18	2.05	2.13	7.87	8.15	8.20	8.50	0.30	3.66	0.36	4.36
Turkey	3.40	3.35	3.20	3.20	1.91	1.76	2.03	2.03	6.50	5.90	6.50	6.50	0.00	0.00	0.60	10.17
China	0.63	0.65	0.68	0.68	3.70	3.85	3.85	3.85	2.32	2.50	2.60	2.60	0.00	0.00	0.10	4.00
Iran	1.68	1.70	1.65	1.65	2.06	2.06	1.82	1.82	3.45	3.50	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00	-0.50	-14.29
Morocco	2.18	1.92	2.03	2.03	1.74	1.34	1.19	1.16	3.80	2.57	2.40	2.34	-0.06	-2.50	-0.23	-8.95
Kazakhstan	1.85	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.36	0.81	1.56	1.56	2.52	1.30	2.50	2.50	0.00	0.00	1.20	92.31
Ethiopia	0.98	0.98	0.98	0.98	1.61	1.44	1.44	1.44	1.57	1.40	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Belarus	0.61	0.69	0.65	0.65	3.47	2.85	2.77	2.77	2.12	1.97	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	-0.17	-8.44
India	0.78	0.74	0.75	0.75	2.17	1.82	2.09	2.09	1.69	1.35	1.57	1.57	0.00	0.00	0.22	16.30
Argentina	0.50	0.75	0.95	0.95	2.70	3.93	3.47	3.47	1.36	2.95	3.30	3.30	0.00	0.00	0.35	11.86
Mexico	0.23	0.31	0.31	0.31	2.17	2.52	2.52	2.52	0.50	0.78	0.78	0.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Iraq	0.50	1.25	1.13	1.13	0.90	0.92	0.88	0.88	0.45	1.15	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	-0.15	-13.04
Algeria	1.24	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.94	1.50	1.35	1.35	2.40	1.50	1.35	1.35	0.00	0.00	-0.15	-10.00
Others	4.58	4.43	4.40	4.40	1.76	1.61	1.73	1.74	8.05	7.12	7.61	7.65	0.04	0.53	0.52	7.33

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Table 06 Oats Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
World	11.26	10.60	11.04	11.04	2.07	1.85	2.05	2.06	23.32	19.59	22.66	22.77	0.12	0.52	3.18	16.24
United States	0.56	0.51	0.38	0.38	2.42	2.31	2.05	2.05	1.35	1.18	0.78	0.78	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-33.87
Total Foreign	10.70	10.09	10.66	10.66	2.05	1.83	2.05	2.06	21.97	18.41	21.88	21.99	0.12	0.53	3.58	19.44
Russia	3.37	2.90	3.23	3.23	1.60	1.11	1.55	1.55	5.40	3.22	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00	1.78	55.38
Canada	0.98	0.91	1.00	1.03	2.97	2.74	2.90	2.91	2.91	2.48	2.90	3.00	0.10	3.45	0.52	20.97
EU-27	2.91	2.72	2.68	2.68	2.95	2.71	2.99	2.99	8.58	7.37	8.01	8.01	0.00	0.00	0.64	8.72
Poland	0.53	0.54	0.50	0.50	2.70	2.47	2.71	2.71	1.42	1.34	1.35	1.35	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.35
Finland	0.34	0.28	0.31	0.31	3.54	2.90	3.38	3.38	1.21	0.81	1.04	1.04	0.00	0.00	0.23	28.78
Spain	0.56	0.54	0.52	0.52	1.65	1.89	2.10	2.10	0.92	1.02	1.08	1.08	0.00	0.00	0.06	6.19
Germany	0.16	0.14	0.14	0.14	5.07	4.24	4.41	4.41	0.83	0.60	0.63	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.03	5.35
Sweden	0.19	0.17	0.18	0.18	3.99	3.23	4.26	4.26	0.75	0.54	0.78	0.78	0.00	0.00	0.24	44.51
United Kingdom	0.13	0.12	0.13	0.13	5.77	5.52	5.76	5.76	0.74	0.69	0.72	0.72	0.00	0.00	0.04	5.11
France	0.12	0.10	0.09	0.09	4.90	4.57	4.35	4.35	0.57	0.45	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-18.14
Italy	0.13	0.11	0.12	0.12	2.34	2.45	2.40	2.40	0.31	0.28	0.29	0.29	0.00	0.00	0.01	3.94
Denmark	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.05	4.70	4.91	4.80	4.80	0.32	0.23	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.01	3.90
Romania	0.20	0.20	0.18	0.18	1.45	1.74	1.83	1.83	0.30	0.34	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-2.94
Czech Republic	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	3.32	2.65	3.33	3.33	0.17	0.14	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.01	8.70
Hungary	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.06	2.19	2.41	2.82	2.82	0.11	0.12	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.03	26.02
Austria	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	3.89	3.63	3.60	3.60	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-8.16
Ireland	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	7.30	7.63	7.25	7.25	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lithuania	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	2.23	1.34	2.00	2.00	0.14	0.09	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.04	49.43
Australia	0.85	0.83	1.00	1.00	1.37	1.37	1.60	1.65	1.16	1.14	1.60	1.65	0.05	3.13	0.51	44.61
Ukraine	0.42	0.31	0.29	0.29	1.76	1.47	1.90	1.90	0.73	0.46	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.09	20.09
China	0.23	0.24	0.24	0.24	1.78	1.75	1.75	1.75	0.41	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Belarus	0.17	0.18	0.28	0.28	3.31	2.40	2.91	2.91	0.55	0.44	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.36	81.00
Brazil	0.13	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.89	2.46	2.40	2.40	0.25	0.38	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-2.37
Argentina	0.14	0.30	0.22	0.22	1.31	2.00	1.57	1.57	0.18	0.60	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	-0.26	-42.50
Chile	0.08	0.11	0.10	0.10	5.01	5.32	5.00	5.00	0.38	0.56	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-11.35
Norway	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	3.36	3.36	3.36	3.36	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Turkey	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.10	2.34	2.21	2.21	2.21	0.22	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kazakhstan	0.15	0.16	0.16	0.16	1.34	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.20	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	1.05	1.04	1.07	1.04	0.60	0.58	0.60	0.58	0.63	0.61	0.64	0.61	-0.03	-5.13	0.00	0.66

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Table 07 Rye Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	6.43	5.51	5.29	5.28	2.73	2.10	2.42	2.42	17.52	11.54	12.79	12.79	-0.01	-0.05	1.24	10.76
United States	0.10	0.11	0.10	0.10	1.75	1.77	1.64	1.64	0.18	0.19	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-14.81
Total Foreign	6.33	5.40	5.19	5.18	2.74	2.10	2.43	2.44	17.35	11.36	12.63	12.63	-0.01	-0.06	1.27	11.18
EU-27	2.80	2.59	2.28	2.28	3.55	3.01	3.02	3.02	9.95	7.80	6.88	6.88	0.00	0.00	-0.91	-11.70
Poland	1.40	1.40	1.10	1.10	2.66	2.34	2.33	2.33	3.71	3.27	2.57	2.57	0.00	0.00	-0.71	-21.56
Germany	0.76	0.63	0.62	0.62	5.70	4.63	4.11	4.11	4.33	2.90	2.53	2.53	0.00	0.00	-0.37	-12.76
Spain	0.13	0.14	0.15	0.15	1.37	2.02	2.27	2.27	0.18	0.28	0.34	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.06	22.91
Lithuania	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.05	2.54	1.67	2.50	2.50	0.21	0.09	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.04	49.43
Latvia	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	2.75	2.50	2.76	2.76	0.16	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.01	10.53
France	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	5.20	5.21	4.48	4.48	0.13	0.15	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-13.91
Denmark	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.05	5.57	5.44	5.33	5.33	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Czech Republic	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.68	3.93	4.68	4.68	0.18	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.85
Austria	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	3.76	3.50	4.28	4.28	0.18	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.04	22.36
Sweden	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	5.92	4.72	5.76	5.76	0.22	0.12	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.03	22.03
Hungary	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	1.80	2.08	2.30	2.30	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.33
Slovakia	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	2.85	2.12	3.31	3.31	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.01	19.44
Finland	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	2.48	2.76	2.80	2.80	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.45
United Kingdom	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	7.20	6.20	7.00	7.00	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.90
Romania	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01	2.06	2.27	2.50	2.50	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	-11.76
Greece	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	1.83	1.83	1.83	1.83	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Portugal	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.95	0.90	0.95	0.95	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Russia	2.15	1.76	1.62	1.62	2.02	0.93	1.85	1.85	4.33	1.64	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00	1.36	82.70
Belarus	0.45	0.35	0.58	0.58	2.70	2.09	2.61	2.61	1.23	0.74	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.77	104.08
Ukraine	0.46	0.28	0.29	0.29	2.07	1.66	1.93	1.93	0.95	0.46	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.09	18.53
Canada	0.12	0.10	0.09	0.08	2.43	2.44	2.32	2.47	0.28	0.23	0.20	0.20	-0.01	-3.47	-0.04	-15.95
Turkey	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.13	2.49	2.08	2.08	2.08	0.34	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	0.05	0.02	0.04	0.04	1.15	1.67	1.43	1.43	0.06	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.01	25.00
Kazakhstan	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	1.23	0.71	0.71	0.71	0.08	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	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	1.36	1.39	1.39	1.39	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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Table 08 Sorghum Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
World	40.66	41.23	41.02	41.09	1.46	1.61	1.49	1.50	59.19	66.25	60.95	61.54	0.60	0.98	-4.70	-7.10
United States	2.23	1.95	1.79	1.79	4.35	4.51	3.48	3.48	9.73	8.77	6.25	6.25	0.00	0.00	-2.53	-28.80
Total Foreign	38.43	39.29	39.22	39.29	1.29	1.46	1.39	1.41	49.46	57.47	54.70	55.30	0.60	1.09	-2.18	-3.79
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	7.50	7.60	7.60	7.60	1.53	1.54	1.51	1.51	11.50	11.70	11.50	11.50	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-1.71
Sudan	6.00	6.20	5.60	5.60	0.44	0.74	0.68	0.68	2.63	4.61	3.80	3.80	0.00	0.00	-0.81	-17.50
Ethiopia	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.34	2.06	1.74	1.74	2.08	3.20	2.70	2.70	0.00	0.00	-0.50	-15.63
Burkina	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	0.94	1.20	1.11	1.11	1.52	1.95	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	-0.15	-7.69
Tanzania	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.79	0.94	0.82	0.82	0.71	0.85	0.74	0.74	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-12.94
Niger	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.49	0.80	0.60	0.60	0.74	1.20	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	-0.30	-25.00
Uganda	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	1.60	1.68	1.61	1.61	0.50	0.52	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-3.85
Mozambique	0.61	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.66	0.66	0.38	0.38	0.41	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.03	6.77
Ghana	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	1.03	1.06	0.96	0.96	0.35	0.36	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-9.72
South Africa	0.09	0.07	0.09	0.05	2.26	2.25	2.56	2.50	0.20	0.16	0.23	0.13	-0.11	-45.65	-0.03	-19.35
South Asia																
India	7.50	7.20	7.20	7.20	0.89	0.94	0.94	0.94	6.70	6.74	6.80	6.80	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.89
Pakistan	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South America																
Argentina	0.75	1.00	1.00	1.00	4.83	4.40	4.70	4.70	3.63	4.40	4.70	4.70	0.00	0.00	0.30	6.82
Brazil	0.79	0.82	0.70	0.80	2.34	2.83	2.43	2.75	1.85	2.31	1.70	2.20	0.50	29.41	-0.11	-4.93
Mexico	1.62	1.92	1.70	1.70	3.87	3.84	3.88	3.88	6.25	7.35	6.60	6.60	0.00	0.00	-0.75	-10.20
China	0.56	0.58	0.60	0.60	3.00	3.10	3.08	3.08	1.68	1.80	1.85	1.85	0.00	0.00	0.05	2.78
Australia	0.50	0.67	0.65	0.66	3.03	3.07	3.38	3.64	1.51	2.07	2.20	2.40	0.20	9.09	0.33	16.05
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	0.12	0.11	0.13	0.13	5.22	5.45	5.73	5.73	0.62	0.62	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.13	20.93
France	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	5.40	5.50	6.27	6.27	0.31	0.29	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-3.50
Italy	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.06	6.08	6.61	6.16	6.16	0.24	0.27	0.39	0.39	0.00	0.00	0.12	43.17
Others	5.78	5.88	6.71	6.71	0.96	1.06	0.92	0.92	5.57	6.21	6.15	6.15	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-0.97

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Table 09 Rice Area, Yield, and Production

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	156.02	157.02	160.64	160.26	4.23	4.30	4.30	4.31	440.52	449.82	460.95	460.84	-0.12	-0.03	11.02	2.45
United States	1.26	1.46	1.06	1.06	7.94	7.54	8.03	8.03	7.13	7.59	6.04	6.04	0.00	0.00	-1.56	-20.52
Total Foreign	154.76	155.55	159.58	159.20	4.20	4.27	4.27	4.28	433.38	442.22	454.92	454.80	-0.12	-0.03	12.58	2.84
East Asia																
China	29.63	29.82	30.35	29.94	6.59	6.56	6.64	6.70	136.57	137.00	141.00	140.50	-0.50	-0.35	3.50	2.55
Japan	1.62	1.63	1.60	1.60	6.52	6.51	6.59	6.59	7.71	7.72	7.68	7.68	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-0.52
Korea, South	0.92	0.89	0.85	0.85	7.04	6.51	6.71	6.68	4.92	4.30	4.24	4.22	-0.02	-0.38	-0.07	-1.65
Korea, North	0.59	0.58	0.58	0.58	5.02	4.24	4.51	4.51	1.91	1.60	1.70	1.70	0.00	0.00	0.10	6.25
South Asia																
India	41.85	42.70	45.00	45.00	3.19	3.35	3.33	3.33	89.09	95.30	100.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	4.70	4.93
Bangladesh	11.60	11.80	12.00	12.00	4.01	4.18	4.13	4.13	31.00	32.90	33.00	33.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.30
Pakistan	2.80	2.10	2.75	2.75	3.64	3.36	3.63	3.63	6.80	4.70	6.65	6.65	0.00	0.00	1.95	41.49
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	12.10	12.08	12.15	12.15	4.73	4.67	4.83	4.83	36.37	35.50	37.30	37.30	0.00	0.00	1.80	5.07
Vietnam	7.42	7.61	7.44	7.56	5.39	5.53	5.47	5.54	24.99	26.30	25.43	26.15	0.72	2.83	-0.15	-0.57
Thailand	10.94	10.67	10.96	10.96	2.81	2.88	2.81	2.81	20.26	20.26	20.30	20.30	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.19
Burma	7.00	7.00	6.69	6.69	2.60	2.65	2.71	2.71	10.55	10.75	10.50	10.50	0.00	0.00	-0.25	-2.33
Philippines	4.41	4.53	4.64	4.60	3.52	3.69	3.65	3.62	9.77	10.54	10.65	10.50	-0.15	-1.41	-0.04	-0.37
Cambodia	2.68	2.78	2.63	2.63	2.84	2.97	2.90	2.90	4.78	5.20	4.80	4.80	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-7.69
Laos	0.89	0.87	0.82	0.82	3.61	3.45	3.76	3.76	1.92	1.80	1.85	1.85	0.00	0.00	0.05	2.78
Malaysia	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.67	3.71	3.71	3.74	3.74	1.62	1.61	1.63	1.63	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.24
South America																
Brazil	2.77	2.82	2.80	2.75	4.22	4.83	4.64	4.63	7.93	9.26	8.84	8.65	-0.19	-2.15	-0.61	-6.56
Peru	0.41	0.39	0.34	0.34	7.40	7.28	7.10	7.10	2.09	1.94	1.67	1.67	0.00	0.00	-0.27	-14.08
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	2.10	2.15	2.17	2.17	2.06	1.93	1.98	1.98	2.60	2.49	2.58	2.58	0.00	0.00	0.09	3.61
Madagascar	1.34	1.34	1.34	1.34	3.36	3.57	3.21	3.21	2.88	3.06	2.75	2.75	0.00	0.00	-0.31	-10.12
EU-27	0.46	0.47	0.46	0.46	6.49	6.25	6.44	6.44	1.89	1.87	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	0.03	1.71
Italy	0.24	0.25	0.24	0.24	6.74	6.28	6.52	6.52	0.98	0.95	0.97	0.97	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.11
Spain	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	6.42	6.36	6.39	6.39	0.54	0.54	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.37
Egypt	0.67	0.45	0.76	0.76	9.87	10.60	9.51	9.51	4.30	3.10	4.70	4.70	0.00	0.00	1.60	51.61
Iran	0.54	0.54	0.54	0.54	4.20	4.21	4.21	4.21	1.49	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	11.39	11.69	12.04	12.04	2.96	3.09	3.08	3.09	21.95	23.53	24.25	24.27	0.02	0.07	0.74	3.13

Yield is on a rough basis, before the milling process

Production is on a milled basis, after the milling process

Table 10 Total Oilseed Area, Yield, and Production

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	442.69	453.53	454.79	457.62	2.84	0.62	4.09	0.90
World Total	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	442.69	453.53	454.79	457.62	2.84	0.62	4.09	0.90
Total Foreign	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	343.79	353.15	363.64	366.62	2.98	0.82	13.47	3.81
Oilseed, Copra	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5.88	5.89	5.84	5.84	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-0.95
Oilseed, Palm Kernel	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	12.22	12.77	13.35	13.35	0.00	0.00	0.58	4.53
Major OilSeeds	205.48	212.39	217.90	217.95	2.07	2.05	2.00	2.01	424.59	434.87	435.60	438.44	2.84	0.65	3.57	0.82
United States	35.51	37.18	35.28	35.28	2.79	2.70	2.58	2.58	98.90	100.38	91.15	91.01	-0.14	-0.16	-9.37	-9.34
Foreign Oilseeds	169.97	175.21	182.63	182.67	1.92	1.91	1.89	1.90	325.69	334.49	344.46	347.43	2.98	0.86	12.94	3.87
South America	50.21	51.69	53.67	53.67	2.80	2.81	2.74	2.74	140.71	145.11	147.26	147.26	0.00	0.00	2.16	1.49
Brazil	24.50	25.78	26.58	26.58	2.91	3.07	2.96	2.96	71.36	79.21	78.73	78.73	0.00	0.00	-0.49	-0.61
Argentina	20.75	20.87	21.73	21.73	2.79	2.58	2.61	2.61	57.94	53.74	56.68	56.68	0.00	0.00	2.94	5.47
Paraguay	2.82	3.03	3.14	3.14	2.61	2.83	2.52	2.52	7.35	8.57	7.90	7.90	0.00	0.00	-0.68	-7.87
Bolivia	1.14	0.99	1.06	1.06	1.74	1.75	1.70	1.70	1.98	1.73	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	0.07	3.87
China	27.10	26.52	26.31	25.91	2.13	2.18	2.18	2.21	57.84	57.69	57.43	57.33	-0.10	-0.17	-0.36	-0.63
South Asia	37.21	38.25	40.08	40.16	1.00	1.02	1.02	1.03	37.07	39.00	40.78	41.47	0.69	1.69	2.48	6.35
India	33.06	34.20	35.65	35.73	0.96	0.99	0.98	1.00	31.62	33.93	34.99	35.68	0.69	1.97	1.76	5.17
Pakistan	3.83	3.73	4.10	4.10	1.36	1.29	1.35	1.35	5.19	4.81	5.53	5.53	0.00	0.00	0.72	14.86
EU-27	10.99	11.41	11.74	11.74	2.70	2.55	2.47	2.47	29.65	29.07	28.95	28.96	0.00	0.00	-0.12	-0.40
France	2.25	2.21	2.34	2.34	3.30	2.98	3.13	3.13	7.43	6.60	7.31	7.31	0.00	0.00	0.71	10.83
Germany	1.50	1.51	1.48	1.48	4.26	3.80	2.81	2.81	6.36	5.75	4.16	4.16	0.00	0.00	-1.59	-27.59
Poland	0.83	0.86	0.82	0.82	3.05	2.63	2.28	2.28	2.52	2.25	1.86	1.86	0.00	0.00	-0.39	-17.19
Romania	1.26	1.44	1.42	1.42	1.48	1.70	1.75	1.75	1.87	2.45	2.49	2.49	0.00	0.00	0.04	1.43
Hungary	0.82	0.80	0.85	0.85	2.32	2.03	2.30	2.30	1.91	1.63	1.95	1.95	0.00	0.00	0.32	19.55
United Kingdom	0.57	0.64	0.70	0.70	3.35	3.47	3.64	3.64	1.91	2.23	2.55	2.55	0.00	0.00	0.32	14.35
Former Soviet Union - 12	16.43	17.87	20.10	20.20	1.29	1.20	1.34	1.37	21.15	21.41	26.89	27.59	0.70	2.60	6.17	28.82
Russia	6.95	7.20	9.27	9.27	1.16	1.01	1.21	1.21	8.03	7.24	11.25	11.25	0.00	0.00	4.01	55.34
Ukraine	5.83	6.43	6.45	6.55	1.59	1.60	1.78	1.86	9.28	10.25	11.50	12.20	0.70	6.09	1.95	19.02
Uzbekistan	1.30	1.30	1.34	1.34	1.17	1.23	1.23	1.23	1.53	1.60	1.65	1.65	0.00	0.00	0.05	3.13
Canada	7.83	8.05	8.87	9.09	2.11	2.14	1.91	2.04	16.51	17.23	16.92	18.53	1.61	9.52	1.29	7.50
Africa	12.19	12.53	12.96	12.99	0.89	0.92	0.91	0.91	10.87	11.52	11.84	11.83	0.00	-0.03	0.32	2.74
Nigeria	2.08	2.10	2.05	2.05	1.05	1.05	1.06	1.06	2.19	2.21	2.17	2.17	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-1.45
Southeast Asia	3.57	3.57	3.58	3.58	1.33	1.33	1.35	1.35	4.75	4.76	4.84	4.84	0.00	0.00	0.07	1.51
Indonesia	1.29	1.23	1.22	1.22	1.52	1.56	1.55	1.55	1.96	1.91	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-0.52
Australia	1.99	2.75	2.43	2.43	1.31	1.38	1.71	1.71	2.61	3.81	4.15	4.15	0.00	0.00	0.34	8.98
Others	2.44	2.56	2.87	2.89	1.85	1.91	1.88	1.90	4.53	4.89	5.41	5.49	0.08	1.46	0.60	12.21

World Total and Total Foreign: (Major Oilseeds plus copra and palm kernel)

Major Oilseeds: (soybeans, sunflowerseeds, peanuts(inshell), cottonseed and rapeseed)

Table 11 Soybean Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
World	102.17	102.76	104.36	103.83	2.55	2.57	2.48	2.50	260.85	264.18	258.91	259.22	0.31	0.12	-4.96	-1.88
United States	30.91	31.00	29.82	29.82	2.96	2.92	2.78	2.78	91.42	90.61	82.89	82.89	0.00	0.00	-7.72	-8.52
Total Foreign	71.26	71.75	74.55	74.01	2.38	2.42	2.36	2.38	169.44	173.57	176.02	176.33	0.31	0.18	2.76	1.59
South America																
Brazil	23.50	24.20	25.00	25.00	2.94	3.12	3.00	3.00	69.00	75.50	75.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	-0.50	-0.66
Argentina	18.60	18.30	19.00	19.00	2.93	2.68	2.74	2.74	54.50	49.00	52.00	52.00	0.00	0.00	3.00	6.12
Paraguay	2.68	2.84	2.90	2.90	2.69	2.92	2.62	2.62	7.20	8.30	7.60	7.60	0.00	0.00	-0.70	-8.43
Bolivia	0.90	0.85	0.90	0.90	1.85	1.86	1.76	1.76	1.67	1.58	1.58	1.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Uruguay	0.86	0.87	1.00	1.00	2.11	1.79	1.80	1.80	1.82	1.55	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	0.26	16.50
East Asia																
China	9.19	8.52	8.25	7.65	1.63	1.77	1.70	1.76	14.98	15.10	14.00	13.50	-0.50	-3.57	-1.60	-10.60
Korea, South	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	1.99	1.46	1.69	1.69	0.14	0.11	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.03	30.48
Korea, North	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.08	1.19	1.19	1.19	0.15	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Japan	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.62	1.63	1.63	1.63	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
India	9.60	9.30	10.27	10.27	1.01	1.05	1.03	1.07	9.70	9.80	10.60	11.00	0.40	3.77	1.20	12.24
Canada	1.38	1.48	1.50	1.54	2.54	2.94	2.60	2.75	3.51	4.35	3.90	4.25	0.35	8.87	-0.10	-2.28
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Ukraine	0.62	1.04	1.10	1.10	1.68	1.62	2.00	2.00	1.04	1.68	2.20	2.20	0.00	0.00	0.52	30.95
Russia	0.79	1.04	1.20	1.20	1.19	1.18	1.25	1.25	0.94	1.22	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.28	22.75
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	0.53	0.47	0.47	0.47	1.32	1.38	1.38	1.38	0.70	0.65	0.64	0.64	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-1.54
Vietnam	0.15	0.20	0.22	0.22	1.47	1.50	1.63	1.63	0.21	0.30	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.05	17.85
Thailand	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.12	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.17	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Burma	0.16	0.17	0.17	0.17	1.20	1.21	1.21	1.21	0.19	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
EU-27	0.31	0.38	0.42	0.42	2.71	2.79	2.90	2.90	0.84	1.05	1.22	1.22	0.00	0.00	0.17	16.41
Italy	0.14	0.16	0.21	0.21	3.47	3.45	3.43	3.43	0.47	0.55	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.15	27.36
France	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.05	2.50	2.75	2.55	2.55	0.11	0.14	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-14.29
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa	0.31	0.42	0.42	0.42	1.82	1.70	1.79	1.79	0.57	0.71	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.04	5.63
Nigeria	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02	0.45	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	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.17	2.41	2.41	2.41	2.52	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.42	0.07	18.57	0.07	18.57
Mexico	0.08	0.11	0.13	0.13	1.49	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.12	0.17	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.03	19.05
Iran	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	2.46	2.47	2.47	2.47	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.32	0.31	0.32	0.32	1.86	1.91	1.91	1.91	0.60	0.59	0.61	0.61	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.89

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Table 12 Cottonseed Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	29.43	32.65	35.12	34.85	1.33	1.33	1.33	1.34	39.01	43.47	46.78	46.64	-0.15	-0.31	3.17	7.29
United States	3.05	4.33	3.99	3.99	1.24	1.28	1.24	1.21	3.76	5.53	4.96	4.82	-0.14	-2.88	-0.71	-12.89
Total Foreign	26.38	28.32	31.13	30.86	1.34	1.34	1.34	1.35	35.25	37.94	41.82	41.82	0.00	-0.01	3.88	10.23
China	5.30	5.15	5.50	5.50	2.37	2.32	2.39	2.39	12.54	11.95	13.13	13.13	0.00	0.00	1.18	9.85
South Asia																
India	10.31	11.14	12.50	12.20	0.95	0.97	0.94	0.96	9.80	10.80	11.70	11.70	0.00	0.00	0.90	8.33
Pakistan	3.00	2.90	3.20	3.20	1.39	1.31	1.38	1.38	4.18	3.80	4.40	4.40	0.00	0.00	0.60	15.79
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Uzbekistan	1.30	1.30	1.34	1.34	1.17	1.23	1.23	1.23	1.53	1.60	1.65	1.65	0.00	0.00	0.05	3.13
Turkmenistan	0.55	0.64	0.58	0.58	1.05	1.07	0.96	0.96	0.58	0.69	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	-0.14	-19.71
Tajikistan	0.17	0.17	0.20	0.20	0.88	0.94	1.00	1.00	0.15	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.05	29.03
Kazakhstan	0.12	0.13	0.14	0.14	1.25	0.85	1.11	1.11	0.15	0.11	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.05	40.91
South America																
Brazil	0.84	1.40	1.40	1.40	2.43	2.39	2.39	2.39	2.03	3.35	3.35	3.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	0.44	0.61	0.55	0.55	0.70	0.73	0.68	0.68	0.31	0.44	0.38	0.38	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-14.77
Middle East																
Turkey	0.28	0.32	0.48	0.48	2.04	2.16	2.08	2.08	0.57	0.69	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.31	44.93
Syria	0.17	0.13	0.15	0.15	2.75	2.75	2.73	2.73	0.45	0.34	0.41	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.07	19.19
Iran	0.11	0.12	0.14	0.14	0.97	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.11	0.12	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.02	12.50
Australia	0.20	0.59	0.60	0.60	2.73	2.20	2.50	2.50	0.55	1.30	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.20	15.38
EU-27	0.26	0.31	0.37	0.37	1.34	1.30	1.44	1.44	0.35	0.40	0.53	0.54	0.00	0.19	0.14	35.10
Greece	0.20	0.24	0.30	0.30	1.53	1.33	1.50	1.50	0.31	0.32	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.13	40.63
Spain	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.73	1.19	1.20	1.20	0.04	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.01	12.00
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.42	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.46	0.45	0.48	0.48	0.19	0.18	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.01	7.22
Mali	0.25	0.26	0.48	0.48	0.50	0.52	0.47	0.47	0.13	0.13	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.09	68.66
Cameroon	0.15	0.14	0.18	0.18	0.75	0.98	1.00	0.93	0.11	0.14	0.18	0.16	-0.01	-7.43	0.03	18.25
Sudan	0.03	0.04	0.09	0.09	0.96	1.21	0.94	0.94	0.03	0.05	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.03	66.67
Zimbabwe	0.38	0.40	0.43	0.43	0.50	0.48	0.51	0.51	0.19	0.19	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.03	14.74
Nigeria	0.40	0.41	0.36	0.36	0.49	0.50	0.48	0.48	0.19	0.21	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-15.61
Benin	0.18	0.18	0.17	0.17	0.64	0.55	0.63	0.63	0.12	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.01	8.08
Uganda	0.07	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.74	1.09	1.31	1.31	0.05	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.02	20.18
Egypt	0.12	0.16	0.21	0.21	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.14	0.14	0.18	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.06	35.59
Mexico	0.07	0.12	0.19	0.19	1.97	2.01	1.97	1.97	0.14	0.23	0.38	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.14	60.94
Burma	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.98	0.93	1.09	1.12	0.50	0.52	0.56	0.56	0.49	0.49	0.62	0.63	0.01	1.46	0.14	28.54

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Table 13 Peanut Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Nov Dec		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
World	20.40	21.33	20.29	20.75	1.64	1.66	1.71	1.71	33.36	35.40	34.59	35.54	0.95	2.75	0.14	0.40
United States	0.44	0.51	0.45	0.45	3.83	3.71	3.67	3.67	1.68	1.89	1.66	1.66	0.00	0.00	-0.23	-12.25
Total Foreign	19.96	20.83	19.83	20.29	1.59	1.61	1.66	1.67	31.68	33.51	32.93	33.88	0.95	2.88	0.37	1.11
China	4.38	4.53	4.50	4.70	3.36	3.45	3.44	3.45	14.71	15.64	15.50	16.20	0.70	4.52	0.56	3.58
South Asia																
India	5.30	6.00	5.00	5.26	0.92	0.98	1.02	1.02	4.90	5.85	5.10	5.35	0.25	4.90	-0.50	-8.55
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	7.84	7.80	7.80	7.80	0.93	0.95	0.93	0.93	7.32	7.39	7.29	7.29	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-1.29
Nigeria	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Senegal	1.06	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.97	1.10	1.00	1.00	1.03	1.10	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-9.09
Chad	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	1.32	1.32	1.32	1.32	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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 (Kinshasa)	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	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.01	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Guinea	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.24	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cameroon	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.77	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	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	0.27	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 Republic	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Benin	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Niger	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Africa	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	2.05	2.09	2.18	2.18	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.01	4.35
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75	1.67	1.67	1.67	1.67	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Burma	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.67	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.49	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vietnam	0.25	0.24	0.25	0.25	2.11	1.99	2.10	2.10	0.53	0.49	0.52	0.52	0.00	0.00	0.03	5.97
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	0.22	0.27	0.30	0.30	3.80	2.78	3.67	3.67	0.84	0.74	1.10	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.36	49.46
Brazil	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	2.47	2.50	2.60	2.60	0.24	0.25	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.01	4.00
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	0.05	0.05	0.05	1.56	1.56	1.56	1.56	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	2.37	2.34	2.34	2.34	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.00	0.00	0.01	1.14

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Table 14 Sunflowerseed Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	22.07	22.34	24.83	25.06	1.38	1.41	1.47	1.48	30.39	31.44	36.45	37.21	0.76	2.07	5.77	18.36
United States	0.79	0.76	0.60	0.60	1.74	1.64	1.59	1.59	1.38	1.24	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00	-0.29	-23.61
Total Foreign	21.28	21.58	24.24	24.46	1.36	1.40	1.46	1.48	29.01	30.19	35.51	36.26	0.76	2.13	6.07	20.09
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Russia	5.60	5.55	7.30	7.30	1.15	0.96	1.21	1.21	6.43	5.35	8.80	8.80	0.00	0.00	3.45	64.49
Ukraine	4.19	4.53	4.50	4.60	1.52	1.57	1.73	1.85	6.36	7.10	7.80	8.50	0.70	8.97	1.40	19.72
Moldova	0.23	0.25	0.25	0.25	1.25	1.51	1.60	1.60	0.28	0.38	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.02	4.44
Kazakhstan	0.72	1.10	1.20	1.20	0.51	0.41	0.42	0.42	0.37	0.45	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.05	11.11
South America																
Argentina	1.49	1.70	1.88	1.88	1.55	2.10	1.71	1.71	2.30	3.56	3.20	3.20	0.00	0.00	-0.36	-10.11
Uruguay	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.90	1.60	1.50	1.50	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-53.13
Bolivia	0.24	0.14	0.16	0.16	1.32	1.07	1.38	1.38	0.31	0.15	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.07	43.79
China	0.96	0.95	0.96	0.96	2.04	2.00	2.08	2.08	1.96	1.90	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	5.26
EU-27	3.90	3.74	4.20	4.20	1.77	1.85	1.93	1.93	6.91	6.92	8.10	8.10	0.00	0.00	1.18	17.05
France	0.73	0.70	0.74	0.74	2.34	2.36	2.57	2.57	1.70	1.64	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	0.26	15.85
Hungary	0.53	0.50	0.57	0.57	2.35	1.98	2.33	2.33	1.26	0.99	1.33	1.33	0.00	0.00	0.34	34.34
Spain	0.85	0.70	0.84	0.84	1.02	1.27	1.27	1.27	0.87	0.89	1.07	1.07	0.00	0.00	0.18	20.63
Italy	0.12	0.10	0.11	0.11	1.98	2.20	2.20	2.20	0.25	0.22	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.02	9.01
Slovakia	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	2.23	1.70	2.36	2.36	0.19	0.15	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.06	40.00
South Asia																
India	1.40	0.76	0.88	1.00	0.59	0.63	0.67	0.63	0.82	0.48	0.59	0.63	0.04	6.78	0.16	32.63
Pakistan	0.45	0.45	0.50	0.50	1.52	1.52	1.50	1.50	0.69	0.69	0.75	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.07	9.49
Turkey	0.46	0.49	0.49	0.49	1.74	2.06	1.89	1.89	0.80	1.00	0.93	0.93	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-7.50
South Africa	0.40	0.65	0.65	0.65	1.23	1.29	1.31	1.31	0.49	0.83	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.41
Burma	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Serbia	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.18	2.35	2.35	2.35	2.37	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.42	0.02	3.75	0.02	3.75
Canada	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Australia	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	1.52	1.52	1.36	1.36	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-13.64
Others	0.42	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.92	1.02	1.02	1.02	0.38	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.01	1.12

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Table 15 Rapeseed Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	31.41	33.31	33.30	33.47	1.94	1.81	1.77	1.79	60.98	60.39	58.88	59.84	0.97	1.64	-0.55	-0.91
United States	0.33	0.58	0.43	0.43	2.03	1.92	1.63	1.63	0.67	1.11	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	-0.42	-37.52
Total Foreign	31.08	32.73	32.88	33.05	1.94	1.81	1.77	1.79	60.31	59.28	58.18	59.15	0.97	1.66	-0.13	-0.22
EU-27	6.52	6.99	6.75	6.75	3.31	2.96	2.83	2.83	21.55	20.71	19.10	19.10	0.00	0.00	-1.61	-7.76
Germany	1.47	1.49	1.45	1.45	4.29	3.83	2.82	2.82	6.31	5.70	4.10	4.10	0.00	0.00	-1.60	-28.04
France	1.48	1.47	1.55	1.55	3.80	3.29	3.41	3.41	5.62	4.82	5.29	5.29	0.00	0.00	0.47	9.84
United Kingdom	0.57	0.64	0.70	0.70	3.35	3.47	3.64	3.64	1.91	2.23	2.55	2.55	0.00	0.00	0.32	14.35
Poland	0.82	0.85	0.81	0.81	3.06	2.63	2.28	2.28	2.51	2.24	1.85	1.85	0.00	0.00	-0.39	-17.26
Czech Republic	0.36	0.37	0.37	0.37	3.18	2.82	2.89	2.89	1.13	1.04	1.08	1.08	0.00	0.00	0.04	3.36
Denmark	0.16	0.17	0.15	0.15	3.90	3.46	3.33	3.33	0.64	0.58	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-13.04
Hungary	0.26	0.26	0.24	0.24	2.23	2.15	2.22	2.22	0.58	0.56	0.53	0.53	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-5.36
Romania	0.44	0.58	0.39	0.39	1.55	1.81	1.88	1.88	0.68	1.05	0.73	0.73	0.00	0.00	-0.33	-30.95
Slovakia	0.17	0.17	0.15	0.15	2.32	1.92	2.43	2.43	0.39	0.32	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.03	9.29
Sweden	0.10	0.11	0.10	0.10	2.99	2.56	2.82	2.82	0.30	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.08
Lithuania	0.19	0.20	0.20	0.20	2.17	2.10	2.10	2.10	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Latvia	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	2.20	2.31	2.28	2.28	0.21	0.22	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-4.65
Austria	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	3.00	3.15	3.33	3.33	0.17	0.17	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.01	5.88
Finland	0.08	0.16	0.09	0.09	1.57	1.30	1.43	1.43	0.13	0.21	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-35.61
Estonia	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.09	1.66	1.34	1.52	1.52	0.14	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.05
China	7.28	7.37	7.10	7.10	1.88	1.78	1.80	1.76	13.66	13.10	12.80	12.50	-0.30	-2.34	-0.60	-4.58
South Asia																
India	6.45	7.00	7.00	7.00	0.99	1.00	1.00	1.00	6.40	7.00	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Pakistan	0.27	0.27	0.29	0.29	0.85	0.85	0.97	0.97	0.23	0.23	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.05	21.74
Bangladesh	0.30	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.75	0.75	0.74	0.74	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.01	2.22
Canada	6.38	6.50	7.30	7.47	2.02	1.97	1.77	1.90	12.89	12.77	12.90	14.17	1.27	9.81	1.39	10.90
Australia	1.71	2.09	1.75	1.75	1.12	1.14	1.43	1.43	1.92	2.38	2.50	2.50	0.00	0.00	0.12	4.95
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Ukraine	1.01	0.86	0.85	0.85	1.85	1.70	1.76	1.76	1.87	1.47	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.03	2.04
Russia	0.56	0.61	0.77	0.77	1.20	1.09	1.23	1.23	0.67	0.67	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00	0.28	41.79
Belarus	0.34	0.31	0.30	0.30	1.80	1.22	1.33	1.33	0.61	0.37	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.03	6.95
Paraguay	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.07	1.11	1.59	1.43	1.43	0.04	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	-1.96
Others	0.24	0.37	0.39	0.39	1.06	0.67	1.09	1.09	0.25	0.25	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.18	71.43

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Table 16 Copra, Palm Kernel, and Palm Oil Production

Country / Region	Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Nov	Dec	From last month		From last year	
	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent				
Oilseed, Copra								
Philippines	2.52	2.60	2.60	2.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Indonesia	1.60	1.54	1.48	1.48	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-3.90
India	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	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	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	5.88	5.89	5.84	5.84	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-0.85
Oilseed, Palm Kernel								
Indonesia	5.88	6.30	6.80	6.80	0.00	0.00	0.50	7.94
Malaysia	4.52	4.65	4.68	4.68	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.65
Nigeria	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.27	0.26	0.29	0.29	0.00	0.00	0.02	7.69
Papua New Guinea	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colombia	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.02	25.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Brazil	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	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
Congo (Kinshasa)	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	12.22	12.77	13.35	13.35	0.00	0.00	0.58	4.54
Oil, Palm								
Indonesia	22.00	23.60	25.40	25.40	0.00	0.00	1.80	7.63
Malaysia	17.76	18.22	18.70	18.70	0.00	0.00	0.48	2.63
Thailand	1.35	1.29	1.45	1.45	0.00	0.00	0.16	12.40
Nigeria	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colombia	0.77	0.78	0.89	0.89	0.00	0.00	0.10	12.82
Papua New Guinea	0.49	0.50	0.53	0.53	0.00	0.00	0.03	6.00
Ecuador	0.43	0.46	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.04	8.70
Cote d'Ivoire	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Brazil	0.24	0.27	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.02	7.69
Honduras	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	45.86	47.93	50.57	50.57	0.00	0.00	2.64	5.51

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Table 17 Cotton Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million 1000 HA)				Yield (Kilograms per hectare)				Production (Million 480 lb. bales)				Change in Production			
	Prel.		2011/12 Proj.		Prel.		2011/12 Proj.		Prel.		2011/12 Proj.		From last month	From last year		
	2009/10	2010/11	Nov	Dec	2009/10	2010/11	Nov	Dec	2009/10	2010/11	Nov	Dec	MBales	Percent	MBales	Percent
World	30.13	33.49	36.05	35.77	734	750	748	754	101.63	115.28	123.89	123.89	0.01	0.00	8.62	7.47
United States	3.05	4.33	3.99	3.99	871	910	890	890	12.19	18.10	16.30	16.30	0.00	0.00	-1.80	-9.96
Total Foreign	27.09	29.16	32.06	31.78	719	726	731	737	89.44	97.17	107.59	107.59	0.01	0.00	10.42	10.72
China	5.30	5.15	5.50	5.50	1,315	1,289	1,326	1,326	32.00	30.50	33.50	33.50	0.00	0.00	3.00	9.84
South Asia																
India	10.31	11.14	12.50	12.20	486	496	479	491	23.00	25.40	27.50	27.50	0.00	0.00	2.10	8.27
Pakistan	3.00	2.90	3.20	3.20	697	661	680	680	9.60	8.80	10.00	10.00	0.00	0.00	1.20	13.64
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Uzbekistan	1.30	1.30	1.34	1.34	653	687	682	682	3.90	4.10	4.20	4.20	0.00	0.00	0.10	2.44
Turkmenistan	0.55	0.64	0.58	0.58	582	595	530	530	1.47	1.75	1.40	1.40	0.00	0.00	-0.35	-20.00
Tajikistan	0.17	0.17	0.20	0.20	480	528	544	544	0.38	0.40	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.10	25.00
Kazakhstan	0.12	0.13	0.14	0.14	635	461	583	568	0.35	0.28	0.38	0.37	-0.01	-2.67	0.09	32.73
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.42	0.40	0.40	0.40	363	354	381	381	0.70	0.65	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.05	7.69
Mali	0.25	0.26	0.48	0.48	383	398	363	363	0.44	0.48	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.33	68.42
Zimbabwe	0.38	0.40	0.43	0.43	286	272	295	295	0.50	0.50	0.58	0.58	0.00	0.00	0.08	15.00
Benin	0.18	0.18	0.17	0.17	423	363	416	416	0.35	0.30	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.03	8.33
Cote d'Ivoire	0.22	0.20	0.22	0.22	346	370	386	421	0.35	0.34	0.39	0.43	0.04	8.97	0.09	25.00
Cameroon	0.15	0.14	0.18	0.18	327	428	404	404	0.23	0.28	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.05	18.18
Nigeria	0.40	0.41	0.36	0.36	248	252	242	242	0.45	0.48	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-15.79
Sudan	0.03	0.04	0.09	0.09	403	518	399	399	0.05	0.10	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.07	65.00
South America																
Brazil	0.84	1.40	1.40	1.40	1,419	1,400	1,400	1,400	5.45	9.00	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	0.44	0.61	0.55	0.55	495	459	475	475	1.00	1.28	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-5.88
Paraguay	0.02	0.03	0.07	0.07	302	399	342	342	0.03	0.06	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.06	100.00
Middle East																
Turkey	0.28	0.32	0.48	0.48	1,361	1,429	1,406	1,406	1.75	2.10	3.10	3.10	0.00	0.00	1.00	47.62
Syria	0.17	0.13	0.15	0.15	1,359	1,280	1,306	1,306	1.03	0.74	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.17	22.45
Iran	0.11	0.12	0.14	0.14	605	635	645	645	0.30	0.35	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.05	14.29
Australia	0.20	0.59	0.60	0.60	1,932	1,550	1,814	1,814	1.78	4.20	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00	0.80	19.05
EU-27	0.26	0.31	0.37	0.37	888	797	942	942	1.07	1.12	1.61	1.61	0.00	0.00	0.49	44.14
Greece	0.20	0.24	0.30	0.30	1,023	816	980	980	0.94	0.90	1.35	1.35	0.00	0.00	0.45	50.00
Spain	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.07	424	715	778	778	0.12	0.21	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.04	20.77
Egypt	0.12	0.16	0.21	0.22	790	843	804	792	0.43	0.60	0.78	0.80	0.03	3.23	0.20	33.33
Mexico	0.07	0.12	0.19	0.19	1,313	1,338	1,318	1,318	0.42	0.71	1.15	1.15	0.00	0.00	0.44	61.29
Others	1.82	1.93	2.13	2.14	291	303	326	320	2.43	2.69	3.19	3.14	-0.05	-1.41	0.46	16.93

World and Selected Countries and Regions

TABLE 18

The table below presents a record of the differences between the December projection and the final Estimate. Using world wheat production as an example, the "root mean square error" means that chances are 2 out of 3 that the current forecast will not be above or below the final estimate by more than 0.9 percent. Chances are 9 out of 10 (90% confidence level) that the difference will not exceed 1.5 percent. The average difference between the December projection and the final estimate is 4.1 million tons, ranging from 0.9 million to 10.2 million tons. The December projection has been below the estimate 21 times and above 9 times.

RELIABILITY OF PRODUCTION PROJECTIONS 1/

COMMODITY AND REGION	Root mean square error	90 percent confidence interval	Difference between forecast and final estimate				Years	
			Average	Smallest	Largest	Years		
						Below final	Above final	
		Percent	---Million metric tons---					
WHEAT								
World	0.9	1.5	4.1	0.9	10.2	21	9	
U.S.	0.4	0.7	0.2	0.0	1.2	14	11	
Foreign	1.0	1.7	4.0	0.4	10.3	21	9	
COARSE GRAINS 2/								
World	1.3	2.3	9.9	0.0	23.6	21	9	
U.S.	1.4	2.4	2.5	0.0	7.5	16	14	
Foreign	1.9	3.2	9.9	0.3	26.2	20	10	
RICE (Milled)								
World	2.1	3.6	5.8	0.0	16.2	23	7	
U.S.	3.0	5.2	0.1	0.0	0.5	16	12	
Foreign	2.1	3.6	5.8	0.1	16.2	24	6	
SOYBEANS								
World	3.8	6.5	4.9	0.5	23.8	17	13	
U.S.	2.0	3.5	1.0	0.0	2.7	12	18	
Foreign	6.3	10.8	4.8	0.1	25.1	16	14	
COTTON			---Million 480-lb. bales---					
World	3.0	5.2	2.2	0.0	6.4	16	13	
U.S.	2.0	3.5	0.2	0.0	0.8	15	14	
Foreign	3.6	6.2	2.1	0.0	6.7	15	14	
UNITED STATES			-----Million bushels-----					
<i>CORN</i>	1.4	2.4	89	0	250	16	13	
<i>SORGHUM</i>	3.2	5.5	15	1	53	15	15	
<i>BARLEY</i>	1.5	2.6	4	0	24	11	10	
<i>OATS</i>	1.2	2.0	2	0	18	7	8	

1/ Marketing years 1981/82 through 2009/10. Final is defined as the first November estimates following the marketing year.

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

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