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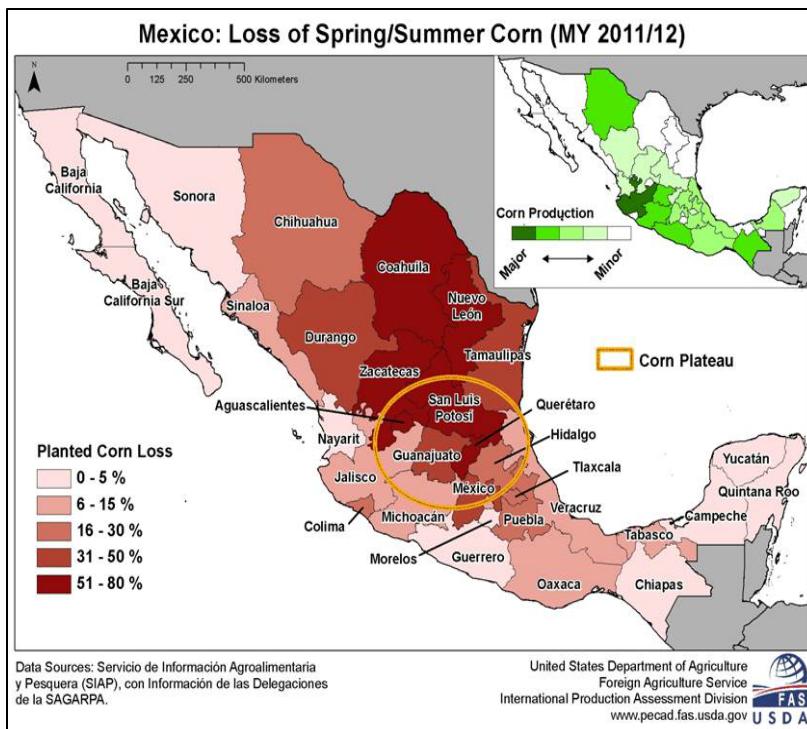
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Mexico Corn: Drought Causes High Crop Losses

USDA estimates 2011/12 Mexico corn production at 19.0 million metric tons, down 7 percent from last month and down 10 percent from last year. Area is forecast at 6.0 million hectares, down 10 percent from last month and down 14 percent from last year. Estimated yield for 2011/12 corn is expected to reach 3.17 tons per hectare, up nearly 3 percent from last month and up 6 percent from last year.

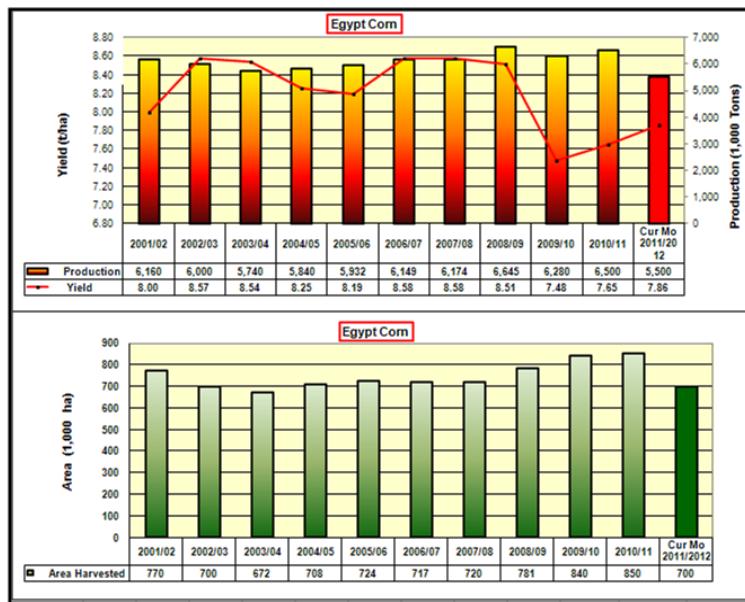
The reduction in output is attributed to adverse weather conditions, including late rains, drought and frost that impacted the spring/summer crop, and low water reservoirs in Sinaloa impacting the fall/winter crop. The impact of the drought was worse than previously forecasted. The Secretariat of Agricultural, Livestock, Rural Development, Fisheries and Food (SAGARPA) reported that it caused high crop losses, particularly in the main producing areas of Puebla, state of Mexico, Guanajuato, and some regions of Jalisco. The spring/summer crop is estimated to reach 13.5 million metric tons, down 20 percent from the previous year. Production of the fall/winter crop, which accounts for about a quarter of total corn production, is forecast to drop by 13 percent from the 5-year average due to lower planted area. The fall/winter corn yields are expected to be good despite restricted water resources. Sinaloa and the other corn producing areas had scattered showers and seasonably warm temperatures throughout the winter season. The fall/winter crop is expected to be harvested in May and June. (*For more information, contact Arnella Trent at 202-720-0881.*)



Egypt Corn: Production Estimate Revised Up, but Still Lowest in 15 Years

USDA estimates Egypt 2011/12 corn production at 5.5 million tons, up 1.7 million or 45 percent from last month, and down 1.0 million tons or 15 percent from last year. Area is estimated at 0.7 million hectares, up 0.18 million or 35 percent from last month, but down 0.15 million hectares or 18 percent from last year. Yield is estimated at 7.86 tons per hectare (t/ha), compared to 7.31 t/ha last month, and the five-year-average of 8.12 t/ha.

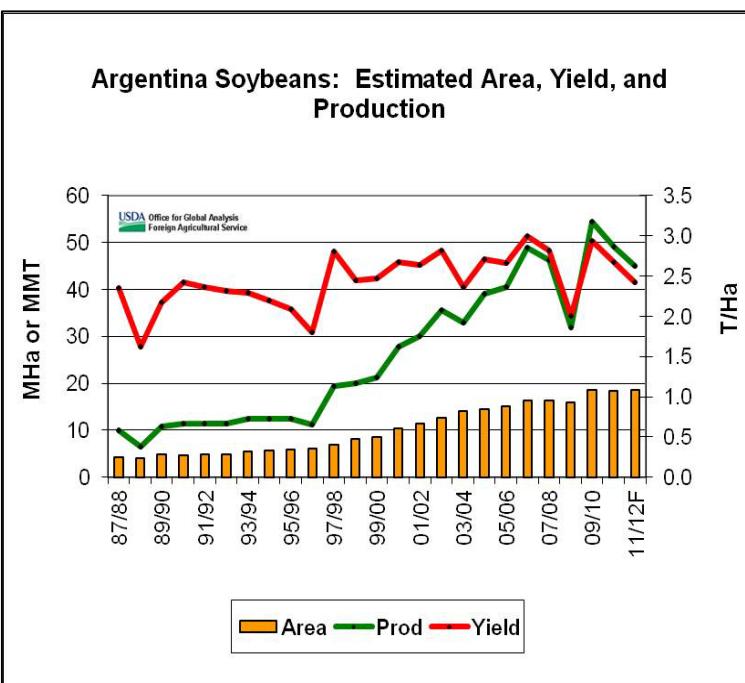
Corn area stands at its lowest level since 2003/04, and production is at its lowest level since 1995/96. Corn competes with two other summer crops – cotton and rice. Area for both crops increased in 2011/12, largely at the expense of corn. Cotton area increased in 2010/11, primarily due to increased price incentives from the Egyptian government. During 2011/12 rice area increased to a record high due to its profitability and the more relaxed enforcement of area restrictions by the new government. (*For more information, contact Bryan Purcell at 202-690-0138.*)



Argentina Soybeans: Harvest of First-Crop Proceeding Around Rains

Argentine soybean production for 2011/12 is forecast at 45.0 million tons, down 1.5 million from last month and down 4.0 million or 8 percent from last year. Estimated harvested area remains unchanged at 18.6 million hectares, up 0.3 million or 2 percent from last year. Yield is expected to drop to 2.42 tons per hectare, down 3 percent from last month and down 10 percent from last year.

Recent rains benefited the crop, but heat and drought during growth and development will likely limit yield, particularly in Cordoba, southern Santa Fe and northern Buenos Aires provinces. These areas

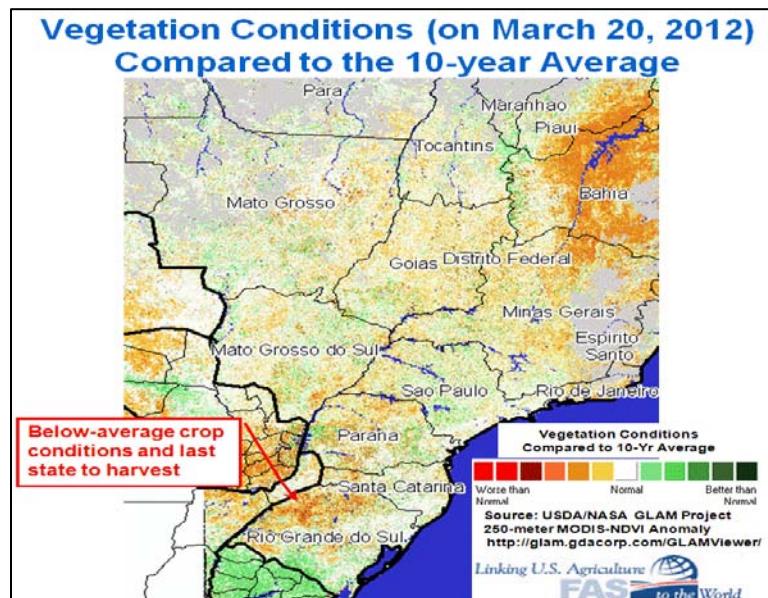


account for nearly 50 percent of the first-crop soy. Late plantings of second-crop soybeans that extended through the end of January are at risk of damage from fall frost. With the first 15 percent of the soy crop harvested, yields have varied greatly across the provinces due to highly variable rains this season. (*For more information, contact Dr. Denise McWilliams at 202-720-0107.*)

Brazil Soybeans: Harvest Nears Completion with Lower than Expected Yields

Brazil's 2011/12 soybean production is estimated at 66.0 million tons, down 2.0 million tons from last month and down 10 million or 13 percent from last year. Area is estimated at a record 25.0 million hectares, unchanged from last month and up 0.8 million or 3 percent from last year. Yield is estimated at 2.64 tons per hectare, down 4 percent from last month and down 9 percent from the 5-year average.

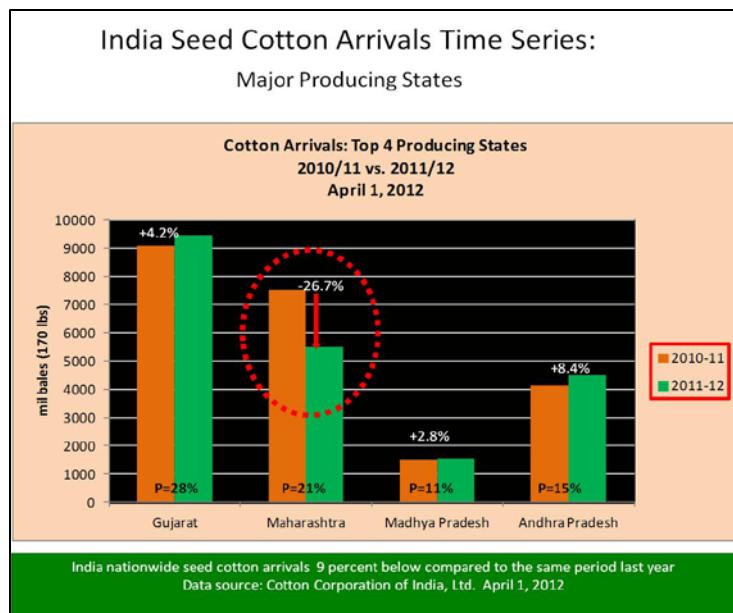
The soybean harvest pace is advancing quickly in Brazil with over 75 percent of the national crop harvested by the beginning of this month, 32 percent of the crop harvested in Rio Grande do Sul, and harvest completed in the top-producing state of Mato Grosso. Soybean yields for most states in Brazil are expected to be lower than last year's record crop. A La Niña induced drought reduced yields by nearly 30 percent from last year in the southern states of Paraná and Rio Grande do Sul. In Mato Grosso, reported harvested yields are lower than last year due to losses caused by soybean rust. In the Northeastern state of Bahia, yields were reduced due to a dry spell from mid-February through mid-March, when the crop was in critical growth stages. (*For more information, contact Curt Reynolds at 202-690-0314.*)



India Cotton: Favorable Prospects for Current Crop

USDA estimates 2011/12 India cotton production at a record 26.5 million bales (480-pound bales), down 2 percent from last month, but nearly unchanged from last year. Harvested area is estimated at 12.2 million hectares, unchanged from last month, but up 10 percent from last year. The yield is estimated at 473 kilograms per hectare, down 2 percent from last month and down 8 percent from last year.

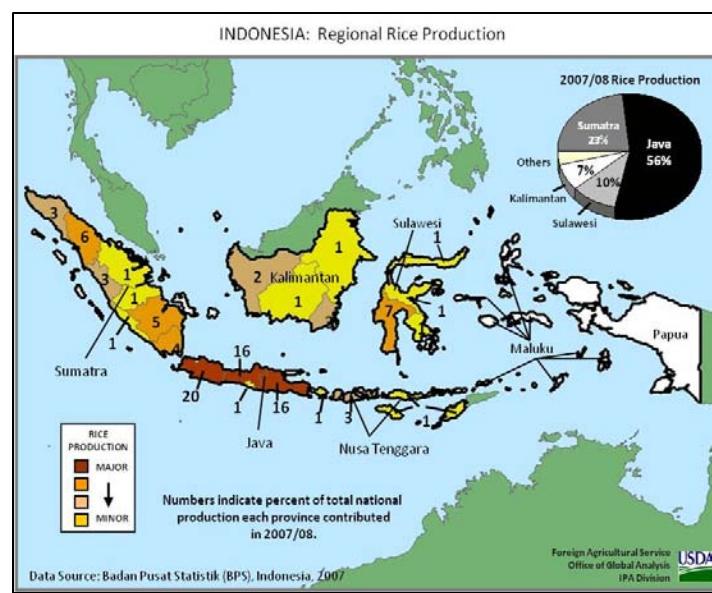
The major factor shaping the current estimate is the apparent rate of seed cotton arrivals at ginning facilities. Seed cotton arrivals in November through February were averaging 25 percent lower than last year. At the end of March the nationwide arrivals improved and the current estimates are 9 percent lower than the same period last year. According to the Cotton Corporation of India (CCI), arrivals in Maharashtra are down 27 percent and in Gujarat they are up 4 percent compared to the same time last year. Combined, these states produce approximately 49 percent of India cotton. On the other hand, arrivals in Madhya Pradesh and Andhra Pradesh are up 3 and 8 percent, respectively.



Late harvest and farmer holding (anticipating higher prices) were the primary reasons for the relatively low seed cotton arrivals at the beginning of the marketing season. As the season progresses, it is apparent that lower-than-expected yields are also a significant contributing factor, especially in Maharashtra. The monsoon season started at a relatively slow rate in May-June with localized drier-than-normal rainfall. Conditions improved significantly in July-August resulting in an extended planting window and a boost to plantings. The early season drier-than-normal conditions coupled with expansion into low rainfall regions with limited or no supplemental irrigation supplies, raised concerns about overall potential yields. (*For more information, contact Dath Mita, PhD, at 202-720-7339.*)

Indonesia Rice: Production Forecast Lower Owing to Lower than Expected Yields

USDA forecasts total milled rice production in Indonesia in 2011/12 at 36.3 million tons, down 1.0 million or 3 percent from last month but up 2 percent from last year. Harvested area is forecast at 12.1 million hectares, down 50,000 hectares or less than 1 percent from last month but up slightly from last year. Rice yields are estimated at 4.72 tons per hectare, down 2 percent from last month but up 1 percent from last year. Seasonal weather conditions have been highly variable in Indonesia's primary rice growing regions during the 2011/12 rice growing season, with the harvest



of the main season crop just finishing in early April. Indonesia produces 3 annual rice crops with the 2 irrigated dry season crops yet to be planted. Harvest of the first dry season crop will occur in July/August, while the second crop will occur in November/December. Though the general weather pattern has been more favorable than last year, crop yields from the main rainy season harvest did not improve as much as previously expected. The main season crop normally accounts for approximately 60 percent of total production. The small reduction in harvested rice area is attributed to farmers increasing the acreage of secondary crops like corn and soybeans in the upcoming dry season. Production of both of these crops has suffered over the past 2 years, owing to abnormally wet conditions from a persistent La Nina weather pattern. A return to more normal dry season conditions should encourage greater acreage of secondary crops. (*For more information, contact Michael Shean at 202-720-7366.*)

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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	685.6	625.2	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	93.7
2010/11 prel.	651.1	591.0	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	81.9
2011/12 proj.																			
Mar	694.0	639.6	54.4	25.3	3.8	137.5	56.2	22.0	117.9	86.9	nr	24.0	nr	14.5	5.8	29.5	1.8	18.8	95.7
Apr	694.3	639.9	54.4	25.3	3.7	137.5	56.2	22.0	117.9	86.9	nr	24.2	nr	14.5	5.8	29.5	1.9	18.8	95.7
Coarse Grains																			
2009/10	1,115.5	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.	1,099.9	769.7	330.2	22.3	29.3	139.5	16.4	21.4	183.5	43.4	6.8	3.6	4.3	31.7	60.4	11.8	11.3	10.2	173.9
2011/12 proj.																			
Mar	1,143.7	820.0	323.7	21.9	27.8	147.2	32.8	32.9	198.0	41.8	8.1	3.6	4.2	30.6	64.8	13.2	12.5	10.7	169.9
Apr	1,143.6	819.9	323.7	21.9	25.8	147.2	32.8	32.9	198.7	41.8	8.7	3.6	4.4	29.9	64.8	13.2	12.0	10.8	171.5
Rice, Milled																			
2009/10	442.7	435.6	7.1	nr	0.2	2.1	0.6	0.1	136.6	89.1	36.4	6.8	20.3	0.7	7.9	0.1	nr	0.4	134.3
2010/11 prel.	450.1	442.5	7.6	nr	0.1	2.0	0.7	0.1	137.0	96.0	35.5	5.0	20.3	1.1	9.3	0.5	nr	0.5	134.4
2011/12 proj.																			
Mar	465.4	459.5	5.9	nr	0.1	2.1	0.7	0.1	140.5	102.8	37.3	6.6	20.3	1.0	7.7	0.7	nr	0.5	139.3
Apr	463.7	457.8	5.9	nr	0.1	2.1	0.7	0.1	140.5	102.8	36.3	6.5	20.5	1.0	7.7	0.7	nr	0.5	138.5
Total Grains																			
2009/10	2,243.8	1,827.6	416.3	49.3	31.6	295.9	94.2	45.1	421.3	203.7	43.3	34.4	24.4	41.2	71.4	32.9	15.8	30.1	393.0
2010/11 prel.	2,201.1	1,803.2	397.9	45.4	33.1	277.2	58.6	38.4	435.7	220.2	42.3	32.5	24.5	48.9	75.6	40.2	12.8	27.7	390.2
2011/12 proj.																			
Mar	2,303.1	1,919.1	384.0	47.1	31.7	286.8	89.7	55.0	456.4	231.4	45.4	34.2	24.5	46.1	78.3	43.4	14.3	30.0	404.9
Apr	2,301.6	1,917.7	384.0	47.1	29.6	286.8	89.7	55.0	457.1	231.4	45.0	34.3	24.8	45.4	78.3	43.4	13.9	30.1	405.7
Oilseeds																			
2009/10	445.1	346.2	98.9	16.5	0.6	29.6	8.0	10.5	57.8	32.4	9.4	5.2	0.6	57.9	71.4	2.6	1.2	1.5	40.8
2010/11 prel.	455.3	354.9	100.4	17.2	0.7	29.1	7.2	11.6	57.7	34.8	9.6	4.8	0.6	53.8	79.3	3.8	1.7	1.9	41.1
2011/12 proj.																			
Mar	445.7	354.5	91.2	18.5	0.9	29.0	12.4	13.2	57.8	35.5	10.2	5.6	0.7	51.5	72.4	4.6	1.8	2.1	38.4
Apr	440.6	349.3	91.2	18.5	0.9	29.0	12.4	13.2	57.6	35.3	10.1	5.7	0.7	49.8	69.9	4.5	1.8	2.1	37.8
Cotton																			
2009/10	102.6	90.4	12.2	nr	0.5	1.1	nr	nr	32.0	23.8	0.0	9.6	0.0	1.0	5.5	1.8	0.0	1.8	13.4
2010/11 prel.	116.6	98.5	18.1	nr	0.7	1.1	nr	nr	30.5	26.4	0.0	8.8	0.0	1.4	9.0	4.2	0.1	2.1	14.1
2011/12 proj.																			
Mar	123.6	108.0	15.7	nr	1.2	1.6	nr	nr	33.5	27.0	0.0	10.6	0.0	1.2	9.3	4.8	0.1	3.1	15.5
Apr	123.1	107.6	15.6	nr	1.2	1.6	nr	nr	33.5	26.5	0.0	10.8	0.0	1.2	9.3	4.7	0.1	3.1	15.5

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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	227.71	223.22	222.80	222.61	3.01	2.92	3.12	3.12	685.59	651.05	694.02	694.32	0.29	0.04	43.26	6.64
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	207.52	203.95	204.30	204.11	3.01	2.90	3.13	3.14	625.22	590.99	639.61	639.90	0.29	0.05	48.91	8.28
China	24.29	24.32	24.20	24.20	4.74	4.74	4.87	4.87	115.12	115.18	117.92	117.92	0.00	0.00	2.74	2.38
South Asia																
India	27.75	28.46	29.40	29.40	2.91	2.84	2.95	2.95	80.68	80.80	86.87	86.87	0.00	0.00	6.07	7.51
Pakistan	9.05	9.03	9.00	8.90	2.65	2.65	2.67	2.72	24.00	23.90	24.00	24.20	0.20	0.83	0.30	1.26
Afghanistan	2.58	2.30	2.10	2.10	1.65	1.61	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	25.55	2.15	1.56	2.19	2.20	61.77	41.51	56.23	56.23	0.00	0.00	14.72	35.47
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	14.26	13.85	13.85	1.16	0.68	1.64	1.64	17.05	9.64	22.73	22.73	0.00	0.00	13.09	135.86
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	8.55	8.55	2.79	2.80	2.96	2.96	26.85	23.17	25.26	25.26	0.00	0.00	2.09	9.03
Australia	13.88	13.65	14.10	14.10	1.57	2.04	2.09	2.09	21.83	27.89	29.50	29.50	0.00	0.00	1.61	5.77
Middle East																
Turkey	7.80	8.00	7.70	7.70	2.37	2.13	2.44	2.44	18.45	17.00	18.80	18.80	0.00	0.00	1.80	10.59
Iran	6.65	7.04	6.80	6.80	2.03	2.14	2.02	1.99	13.49	15.03	13.75	13.50	-0.25	-1.82	-1.53	-10.18
Syria	1.50	1.35	1.50	1.60	2.40	2.67	2.17	2.41	3.60	3.60	3.25	3.85	0.60	18.46	0.25	6.94
North Africa																
Egypt	1.32	1.26	1.32	1.28	6.45	5.71	6.59	6.56	8.52	7.20	8.70	8.40	-0.30	-3.45	1.20	16.67
Morocco	2.98	2.85	3.04	3.04	2.15	1.71	1.97	1.97	6.40	4.89	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	1.11	22.77
Argentina	4.00	4.60	5.00	5.00	3.00	3.50	2.90	2.90	12.00	16.10	14.50	14.50	0.00	0.00	-1.60	-9.94
Others	18.68	18.16	18.21	18.19	2.43	2.33	2.41	2.41	45.33	42.37	43.81	43.85	0.04	0.10	1.48	3.50

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	310.48	309.65	314.90	313.70	3.59	3.55	3.63	3.65	1,115.55	1,099.92	1,143.66	1,143.64	-0.03	0.00	43.72	3.97
United States	36.32	36.52	36.96	36.96	9.60	9.04	8.76	8.76	348.76	330.24	323.70	323.70	0.00	0.00	-6.54	-1.98
Total Foreign	274.15	273.13	277.94	276.74	2.80	2.82	2.95	2.96	766.79	769.68	819.97	819.94	-0.03	0.00	50.26	6.53
China	33.38	34.67	35.69	35.67	5.08	5.29	5.55	5.57	169.60	183.53	197.96	198.71	0.75	0.38	15.18	8.27
South America																
Brazil	13.93	14.86	16.34	16.34	4.19	4.06	3.97	3.97	58.41	60.38	64.83	64.83	0.00	0.00	4.45	7.37
Argentina	4.20	5.56	5.93	5.92	6.80	5.69	5.16	5.06	28.53	31.66	30.61	29.91	-0.70	-2.29	-1.75	-5.52
EU-27	32.53	30.19	30.23	30.23	4.77	4.62	4.87	4.87	155.04	139.46	147.24	147.24	0.00	0.00	7.78	5.58
France	4.21	3.77	3.76	3.76	7.52	7.22	7.33	7.33	31.65	27.17	27.54	27.54	0.00	0.00	0.37	1.37
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	3.84	3.84	2.92	3.28	3.68	3.68	12.09	12.91	14.14	14.14	0.00	0.00	1.23	9.54
Italy	1.43	1.37	1.53	1.53	7.20	7.61	7.67	7.67	10.32	10.41	11.72	11.72	0.00	0.00	1.31	12.61
Hungary	1.72	1.56	1.65	1.65	5.29	5.46	5.87	5.87	9.09	8.54	9.66	9.66	0.00	0.00	1.13	13.18
United Kingdom	1.30	1.07	1.12	1.12	5.80	5.65	5.67	5.67	7.54	6.07	6.37	6.37	0.00	0.00	0.30	4.89
Romania	3.14	3.03	3.24	3.24	2.91	3.46	3.75	3.75	9.14	10.48	12.13	12.13	0.00	0.00	1.65	15.75
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Russia	16.50	13.80	15.40	15.02	1.93	1.19	2.13	2.18	31.84	16.42	32.80	32.80	0.00	0.00	16.38	99.78
Ukraine	8.06	7.64	7.94	7.94	2.99	2.81	4.14	4.14	24.14	21.44	32.90	32.90	0.00	0.00	11.46	53.44
Kazakhstan	2.21	1.94	1.86	1.86	1.49	1.02	1.83	1.83	3.30	1.97	3.40	3.40	0.00	0.00	1.44	72.97
Africa	81.09	81.19	80.91	81.09	1.33	1.41	1.34	1.35	107.96	114.40	108.26	109.46	1.20	1.11	-4.94	-4.31
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	4.05	4.05	3.35	3.03	3.07	2.95	13.88	11.33	12.45	11.95	-0.50	-4.02	0.62	5.51
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	0.91	6.99	7.13	6.66	7.21	7.34	7.56	4.86	6.56	1.70	34.98	-1.00	-13.23
India	27.01	27.43	26.58	26.58	1.25	1.58	1.57	1.57	33.89	43.37	41.76	41.76	0.00	0.00	-1.61	-3.71
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	3.06	2.85	3.15	3.08	2.25	2.39	2.57	2.82	6.90	6.80	8.10	8.70	0.60	7.41	1.90	27.94
Philippines	2.52	2.63	2.68	2.59	2.47	2.76	2.67	2.76	6.23	7.27	7.14	7.14	0.00	-0.01	-0.13	-1.82
Thailand	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.04	4.04	4.14	4.08	4.18	4.15	4.25	4.20	4.35	0.15	3.57	0.10	2.26
Mexico	8.20	9.29	8.63	7.92	3.32	3.15	3.22	3.26	27.25	29.26	27.78	25.80	-1.98	-7.11	-3.45	-11.81
Canada	5.23	4.67	4.75	4.75	4.30	4.77	4.61	4.61	22.48	22.26	21.87	21.87	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-1.78
Australia	5.90	5.38	5.79	5.79	1.85	2.19	2.29	2.29	10.92	11.76	13.23	13.23	0.00	0.00	1.47	12.46
Turkey	4.23	4.17	3.98	3.99	2.64	2.44	2.69	2.70	11.18	10.19	10.70	10.78	0.08	0.75	0.59	5.79
Others	25.06	25.83	27.07	26.97	2.59	2.53	2.48	2.49	64.96	65.27	67.20	67.07	-0.13	-0.20	1.80	2.76

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	157.75	163.08	169.29	168.67	5.19	5.08	5.11	5.13	819.35	828.97	864.96	864.97	0.02	0.00	36.00	4.34
United States	32.17	32.96	33.99	33.99	10.34	9.59	9.24	9.24	332.55	316.17	313.92	313.92	0.00	0.00	-2.25	-0.71
Total Foreign	125.58	130.12	135.30	134.69	3.88	3.94	4.07	4.09	486.80	512.81	551.04	551.06	0.02	0.00	38.25	7.46
China	31.18	32.50	33.40	33.40	5.26	5.45	5.74	5.74	163.97	177.25	191.75	191.75	0.00	0.00	14.51	8.18
South America																
Brazil	12.93	13.80	15.30	15.30	4.34	4.16	4.05	4.05	56.10	57.40	62.00	62.00	0.00	0.00	4.60	8.01
Argentina	2.75	3.50	3.60	3.60	8.47	6.74	6.11	5.97	23.30	23.60	22.00	21.50	-0.50	-2.27	-2.10	-8.90
Mexico	6.28	7.00	6.65	6.00	3.24	3.00	3.08	3.17	20.37	21.01	20.50	19.00	-1.50	-7.32	-2.01	-9.55
EU-27	8.29	7.98	8.78	8.78	6.87	6.99	7.35	7.35	56.95	55.80	64.52	64.52	0.00	0.00	8.73	15.64
France	1.68	1.53	1.57	1.57	9.10	9.00	9.94	9.94	15.29	13.79	15.60	15.60	0.00	0.00	1.81	13.13
Italy	0.93	0.92	1.00	1.00	9.30	9.60	9.84	9.84	8.65	8.78	9.79	9.79	0.00	0.00	1.01	11.50
Hungary	1.18	1.07	1.20	1.20	6.36	6.55	6.75	6.75	7.50	7.00	8.10	8.10	0.00	0.00	1.10	15.71
Romania	2.35	2.25	2.55	2.55	3.19	3.87	4.00	4.00	7.50	8.70	10.20	10.20	0.00	0.00	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	8.60	8.70	8.70	2.01	2.53	2.47	2.47	16.72	21.73	21.50	21.50	0.00	0.00	-0.23	-1.06
Canada	1.14	1.20	1.20	1.20	8.37	9.74	8.92	8.92	9.56	11.71	10.70	10.70	0.00	0.00	-1.01	-8.66
Indonesia	3.06	2.85	3.15	3.08	2.25	2.39	2.57	2.82	6.90	6.80	8.10	8.70	0.60	7.41	1.90	27.94
Ukraine	2.09	2.65	3.50	3.50	5.02	4.50	6.43	6.43	10.49	11.92	22.50	22.50	0.00	0.00	10.58	88.77
Serbia	1.20	1.23	1.26	1.26	5.33	5.53	4.97	4.97	6.40	6.80	6.27	6.27	0.00	0.00	-0.53	-7.84
Egypt	0.84	0.85	0.52	0.70	7.48	7.65	7.31	7.86	6.28	6.50	3.80	5.50	1.70	44.74	-1.00	-15.38
Philippines	2.52	2.63	2.68	2.59	2.47	2.76	2.67	2.76	6.23	7.27	7.14	7.14	0.00	-0.01	-0.13	-1.82
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	1.00	1.00	1.01	4.10	4.20	4.15	4.26	4.10	4.20	4.15	4.30	0.15	3.61	0.10	2.38
Russia	1.37	1.42	1.74	1.72	2.90	2.17	3.83	3.90	3.96	3.08	6.68	6.68	0.00	0.00	3.61	117.24
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa	3.26	2.86	3.20	3.20	4.11	3.82	3.75	3.59	13.42	10.92	12.00	11.50	-0.50	-4.17	0.58	5.27
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	29.72	30.12	30.42	30.46	2.02	2.09	2.10	2.10	59.94	63.09	63.93	64.00	0.07	0.10	0.91	1.44

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	55.77	50.14	50.08	49.95	2.70	2.44	2.68	2.68	150.81	122.40	134.04	133.93	-0.11	-0.08	11.52	9.41
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	54.51	49.15	49.18	49.04	2.68	2.41	2.66	2.66	145.86	118.48	130.64	130.54	-0.11	-0.08	12.06	10.18
Russia	9.09	7.21	7.96	7.88	1.97	1.16	2.13	2.15	17.88	8.35	16.94	16.94	0.00	0.00	8.59	102.81
EU-27	13.94	12.49	12.06	12.06	4.46	4.24	4.33	4.33	62.15	53.03	52.25	52.25	0.00	0.00	-0.77	-1.46
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	5.68	5.68	6.67	5.25	5.50	5.50	0.00	0.00	0.25	4.72
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	2.37	2.37	3.26	3.19	3.28	3.28	9.52	7.61	7.76	7.76	0.00	0.00	0.16	2.04
Australia	4.42	3.74	4.00	4.00	1.78	2.18	2.13	2.13	7.87	8.15	8.50	8.50	0.00	0.00	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	0.58	0.65	0.65	3.70	3.40	3.85	3.85	2.32	1.97	2.50	2.50	0.00	0.00	0.53	26.77
Iran	1.68	1.58	1.65	1.60	2.06	2.03	1.82	1.81	3.45	3.21	3.00	2.90	-0.10	-3.33	-0.31	-9.66
Morocco	2.18	1.92	1.89	1.89	1.74	1.34	1.24	1.24	3.80	2.57	2.34	2.34	0.00	0.00	-0.23	-8.95
Kazakhstan	1.85	1.58	1.55	1.55	1.36	0.83	1.67	1.67	2.52	1.31	2.59	2.59	0.00	0.00	1.28	97.49
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	0.62	0.78	0.78	2.17	2.18	2.13	2.13	1.69	1.35	1.66	1.66	0.00	0.00	0.31	22.96
Argentina	0.50	0.75	1.05	1.05	2.70	3.93	3.81	3.81	1.36	2.95	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	1.05	35.59
Mexico	0.23	0.31	0.21	0.21	2.17	2.52	2.67	2.67	0.50	0.78	0.56	0.56	0.00	0.00	-0.22	-27.91
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	4.57	4.38	4.36	4.35	1.74	1.55	1.72	1.72	7.94	6.80	7.49	7.48	-0.01	-0.12	0.68	9.94

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
World	11.26	10.59	11.02	10.84	2.07	1.85	2.10	2.14	23.32	19.62	23.20	23.20	0.00	0.00	3.59	18.27
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	10.08	10.64	10.46	2.05	1.83	2.11	2.14	21.97	18.44	22.43	22.43	0.00	0.00	3.98	21.60
Russia	3.37	2.90	3.23	3.05	1.60	1.11	1.65	1.75	5.40	3.22	5.33	5.33	0.00	0.00	2.12	65.76
Canada	0.98	0.91	1.03	1.03	2.97	2.74	2.91	2.91	2.91	2.48	3.00	3.00	0.00	0.00	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	1.65	1.65	1.16	1.14	1.65	1.65	0.00	0.00	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	0.29	0.22	0.22	1.31	2.32	1.57	1.57	0.18	0.66	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	-0.32	-47.73
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	0.09	0.10	0.10	2.34	2.34	2.21	2.21	0.22	0.20	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.01	2.94
Kazakhstan	0.15	0.17	0.15	0.15	1.34	0.77	1.78	1.78	0.20	0.13	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.12	92.54
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	1.04	1.04	0.60	0.58	0.58	0.58	0.63	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.66

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	6.43	5.50	5.23	5.17	2.73	2.11	2.43	2.48	17.52	11.63	12.73	12.81	0.08	0.63	1.18	10.15
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	5.39	5.14	5.07	2.74	2.12	2.45	2.49	17.35	11.44	12.57	12.65	0.08	0.64	1.21	10.57
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	1.55	2.02	0.93	1.83	1.92	4.33	1.64	2.97	2.97	0.00	0.00	1.33	80.82
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	0.08	0.08	2.43	2.44	2.47	2.47	0.28	0.23	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-15.95
Turkey	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.14	2.49	2.60	2.08	2.50	0.34	0.37	0.27	0.35	0.08	29.63	-0.02	-4.37
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	0.05	0.03	0.03	1.23	0.82	1.12	1.12	0.08	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-33.33
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

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
World	40.65	41.12	40.28	40.13	1.46	1.63	1.48	1.49	59.17	67.05	59.77	59.74	-0.04	-0.06	-7.32	-10.91
United States	2.23	1.95	1.59	1.59	4.35	4.51	3.43	3.43	9.73	8.78	5.45	5.45	0.00	0.00	-3.33	-37.95
Total Foreign	38.41	39.17	38.69	38.54	1.29	1.49	1.40	1.41	49.44	58.27	54.33	54.29	-0.04	-0.06	-3.98	-6.84
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	0.05	0.05	2.26	2.25	2.50	2.50	0.20	0.16	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-19.35
South Asia																
India	7.50	7.06	6.60	6.60	0.89	0.99	0.92	0.92	6.70	7.00	6.10	6.10	0.00	0.00	-0.90	-12.86
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	1.02	1.00	4.83	4.40	4.14	4.00	3.63	4.40	4.20	4.00	-0.20	-4.76	-0.40	-9.09
Brazil	0.79	0.82	0.80	0.80	2.34	2.83	2.75	2.75	1.85	2.31	2.20	2.20	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-4.93
Mexico	1.62	1.92	1.70	1.64	3.87	3.84	3.88	3.75	6.25	7.36	6.60	6.13	-0.48	-7.20	-1.23	-16.77
China	0.56	0.55	0.60	0.58	3.00	4.48	3.08	4.48	1.68	2.46	1.85	2.60	0.75	40.54	0.14	5.86
Australia	0.50	0.67	0.65	0.65	3.03	3.07	4.11	4.11	1.51	2.07	2.65	2.65	0.00	0.00	0.58	28.14
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	5.76	5.93	6.71	6.66	0.96	1.03	0.91	0.90	5.55	6.09	6.13	6.02	-0.11	-1.79	-0.07	-1.08

World and Selected Countries and Regions

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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	156.02	157.17	160.19	159.87	4.23	4.27	4.33	4.32	442.69	450.10	465.40	463.68	-1.72	-0.37	13.58	3.02
United States	1.26	1.46	1.06	1.06	7.94	7.54	7.92	7.92	7.13	7.59	5.87	5.87	0.00	0.00	-1.72	-22.64
Total Foreign	154.77	155.71	159.13	158.81	4.20	4.24	4.31	4.30	435.56	442.51	459.53	457.81	-1.72	-0.37	15.30	3.46
East Asia																
China	29.63	29.87	30.00	30.00	6.59	6.55	6.69	6.69	136.57	137.00	140.50	140.50	0.00	0.00	3.50	2.55
Japan	1.62	1.63	1.58	1.58	6.52	6.51	6.66	6.66	7.71	7.72	7.65	7.65	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-0.96
Korea, South	0.92	0.89	0.85	0.85	7.04	6.51	6.58	6.58	4.92	4.30	4.22	4.22	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-1.65
Korea, North	0.59	0.58	0.57	0.57	5.02	4.24	4.32	4.32	1.91	1.60	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Asia																
India	41.85	42.86	45.20	45.20	3.19	3.36	3.41	3.41	89.09	95.98	102.75	102.75	0.00	0.00	6.77	7.05
Bangladesh	11.60	11.70	12.00	11.80	4.01	4.06	4.25	4.34	31.00	31.70	34.00	34.10	0.10	0.29	2.40	7.57
Pakistan	2.80	2.10	2.75	2.75	3.64	3.57	3.57	3.55	6.80	5.00	6.55	6.50	-0.05	-0.76	1.50	30.00
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	12.10	12.08	12.15	12.10	4.73	4.67	4.83	4.72	36.37	35.50	37.30	36.30	-1.00	-2.68	0.80	2.25
Vietnam	7.42	7.61	7.56	7.60	5.39	5.55	5.54	5.57	24.99	26.37	26.15	26.46	0.31	1.17	0.08	0.32
Thailand	10.94	10.67	10.96	11.00	2.81	2.88	2.81	2.82	20.26	20.26	20.30	20.46	0.16	0.79	0.20	0.98
Burma	7.00	7.00	6.69	6.50	2.60	2.35	2.71	2.60	11.64	10.53	11.59	10.82	-0.77	-6.65	0.29	2.74
Philippines	4.41	4.53	4.53	4.56	3.52	3.69	3.73	3.70	9.77	10.54	10.56	10.64	0.08	0.79	0.10	0.95
Cambodia	2.68	2.78	2.70	2.70	2.84	2.97	3.12	3.12	4.86	5.28	5.38	5.38	0.00	0.00	0.10	1.91
Laos	0.89	0.87	0.82	0.82	3.61	3.45	3.76	3.76	2.02	1.89	1.94	1.94	0.00	0.00	0.05	2.75
Malaysia	0.67	0.67	0.68	0.68	3.71	3.76	3.85	3.85	1.62	1.64	1.69	1.69	0.00	0.00	0.05	2.92
South America																
Brazil	2.77	2.83	2.50	2.50	4.22	4.83	4.52	4.52	7.93	9.30	7.68	7.68	0.00	0.00	-1.62	-17.38
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	2.73	2.62	2.71	2.71	0.00	0.00	0.09	3.59
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	6.48	6.25	6.44	6.44	2.05	2.03	2.06	2.06	0.00	0.00	0.03	1.68
Italy	0.24	0.25	0.24	0.24	6.74	6.29	6.52	6.52	1.12	1.09	1.11	1.11	0.00	0.00	0.02	2.02
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	0.73	0.70	9.87	9.98	9.06	8.80	4.56	3.10	4.56	4.25	-0.31	-6.88	1.15	37.10
Iran	0.54	0.56	0.54	0.56	4.20	4.06	4.21	4.06	1.49	1.51	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-0.66
Others	11.39	11.69	12.03	12.03	2.96	3.06	3.06	3.03	22.31	23.64	24.41	24.18	-0.23	-0.94	0.54	2.27

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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	445.13	455.29	445.73	440.56	-5.18	-1.16	-14.73	-3.24
World Total	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	445.13	455.29	445.73	440.56	-5.18	-1.16	-14.73	-3.24
Total Foreign	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	346.23	354.91	354.51	349.33	-5.18	-1.46	-5.58	-1.57
Oilseed, Copra	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5.88	6.02	5.84	5.54	-0.30	-5.16	-0.48	-7.99
Oilseed, Palm Kernel	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	12.22	12.55	13.35	13.28	-0.07	-0.51	0.73	5.84
Major OilSeeds	206.83	213.70	217.21	217.59	2.06	2.04	1.96	1.94	427.03	436.72	426.55	421.74	-4.81	-1.13	-14.98	-3.43
United States	35.51	37.18	35.20	35.20	2.79	2.70	2.59	2.59	98.90	100.38	91.22	91.22	0.00	0.00	-9.15	-9.12
Foreign Oilseeds	171.32	176.52	182.01	182.39	1.92	1.91	1.84	1.81	328.13	336.35	335.33	330.52	-4.81	-1.43	-5.83	-1.73
South America	50.29	51.72	52.94	52.84	2.80	2.81	2.51	2.42	141.05	145.20	132.95	127.88	-5.07	-3.81	-17.32	-11.93
Brazil	24.50	25.78	26.58	26.58	2.91	3.07	2.72	2.63	71.36	79.21	72.34	69.84	-2.50	-3.46	-9.37	-11.83
Argentina	20.75	20.91	21.33	21.32	2.79	2.58	2.41	2.34	57.94	53.85	51.48	49.82	-1.66	-3.22	-4.03	-7.48
Paraguay	2.90	3.03	2.81	2.82	2.65	2.83	1.88	1.58	7.69	8.59	5.27	4.46	-0.81	-15.42	-4.13	-48.08
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	25.91	25.86	2.13	2.18	2.23	2.23	57.84	57.70	57.83	57.63	-0.20	-0.35	-0.07	-0.12
South Asia	37.21	38.50	39.45	39.45	1.00	1.02	1.03	1.03	37.07	39.10	40.61	40.51	-0.10	-0.25	1.42	3.62
India	33.06	34.45	35.02	35.02	0.96	0.99	0.99	0.99	31.62	34.03	34.72	34.52	-0.20	-0.58	0.50	1.45
Pakistan	3.83	3.73	4.10	4.10	1.36	1.29	1.37	1.40	5.19	4.81	5.63	5.73	0.10	1.78	0.92	19.01
EU-27	10.99	11.41	11.70	11.70	2.70	2.55	2.47	2.47	29.65	29.07	28.96	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	2.74	2.74	6.36	5.75	4.06	4.06	0.00	0.00	-1.69	-29.33
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	2.36	2.36	1.91	1.63	2.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.37	22.61
United Kingdom	0.57	0.64	0.70	0.70	3.35	3.47	3.79	3.79	1.91	2.23	2.65	2.65	0.00	0.00	0.42	18.83
Former Soviet Union - 12	17.19	18.40	20.96	20.96	1.30	1.23	1.42	1.41	22.40	22.65	29.67	29.63	-0.04	-0.12	6.98	30.79
Russia	6.95	7.20	9.22	9.22	1.16	1.01	1.35	1.35	8.03	7.24	12.43	12.43	0.00	0.00	5.18	71.58
Ukraine	6.64	7.30	7.75	7.75	1.58	1.58	1.70	1.70	10.52	11.55	13.20	13.20	0.00	0.00	1.65	14.29
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	9.09	9.09	2.11	2.14	2.04	2.04	16.51	17.23	18.53	18.53	0.00	0.00	1.29	7.50
Africa	12.19	12.53	12.99	12.99	0.89	0.92	0.91	0.91	10.87	11.52	11.83	11.83	0.00	-0.02	0.31	2.73
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	4.08	4.08	3.58	4.13	1.37	1.27	1.35	1.33	5.58	5.19	4.84	5.49	0.65	13.44	0.30	5.75
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	2.48	2.47	1.31	1.38	1.85	1.82	2.61	3.81	4.59	4.50	-0.09	-1.96	0.69	18.18
Others	2.45	2.55	2.90	2.89	1.86	1.91	1.91	1.93	4.55	4.88	5.54	5.58	0.04	0.72	0.69	14.15

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 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
World	102.17	102.78	103.09	102.99	2.56	2.57	2.38	2.33	261.08	264.22	245.07	240.15	-4.92	-2.01	-24.07	-9.11
United States	30.91	31.00	29.80	29.80	2.96	2.92	2.79	2.79	91.42	90.61	83.17	83.17	0.00	0.00	-7.43	-8.20
Total Foreign	71.26	71.78	73.29	73.19	2.38	2.42	2.21	2.14	169.66	173.61	161.89	156.98	-4.92	-3.04	-16.63	-9.58
South America																
Brazil	23.50	24.20	25.00	25.00	2.94	3.12	2.74	2.64	69.00	75.50	68.50	66.00	-2.50	-3.65	-9.50	-12.58
Argentina	18.60	18.30	18.60	18.60	2.93	2.68	2.50	2.42	54.50	49.00	46.50	45.00	-1.50	-3.23	-4.00	-8.16
Paraguay	2.68	2.87	2.60	2.60	2.75	2.92	1.92	1.62	7.38	8.37	5.00	4.20	-0.80	-16.00	-4.17	-49.84
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	0.90	2.11	1.79	1.70	1.78	1.82	1.55	1.70	1.60	-0.10	-5.88	0.06	3.56
East Asia																
China	9.19	8.52	7.65	7.65	1.63	1.77	1.76	1.76	14.98	15.10	13.50	13.50	0.00	0.00	-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	1.25	1.25	0.15	0.16	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.02	9.38
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	1.07	1.07	9.70	9.80	11.00	11.00	0.00	0.00	1.20	12.24
Canada	1.38	1.48	1.54	1.54	2.54	2.94	2.75	2.75	3.51	4.35	4.25	4.25	0.00	0.00	-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	1.18	1.18	1.19	1.18	1.48	1.48	0.94	1.22	1.75	1.75	0.00	0.00	0.53	43.13
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	1.50	1.21	1.21	1.21	0.24	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	0.17	0.17	2.41	2.41	2.52	2.52	0.35	0.35	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00	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	0.08	0.09	0.08	2.46	2.14	2.47	2.44	0.21	0.16	0.21	0.20	-0.02	-7.14	0.03	19.63
Others	0.32	0.31	0.32	0.31	1.86	1.94	1.91	1.93	0.60	0.60	0.61	0.61	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.83

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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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	29.45	32.66	34.81	34.79	1.33	1.33	1.34	1.34	39.07	43.54	46.69	46.50	-0.19	-0.40	2.96	6.80
United States	3.05	4.33	3.95	3.95	1.24	1.28	1.21	1.21	3.76	5.53	4.78	4.78	0.00	0.00	-0.75	-13.63
Total Foreign	26.41	28.33	30.86	30.84	1.34	1.34	1.36	1.35	35.30	38.00	41.91	41.72	-0.19	-0.45	3.72	9.78
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	12.20	12.20	0.95	0.97	0.94	0.93	9.80	10.80	11.50	11.30	-0.20	-1.74	0.50	4.63
Pakistan	3.00	2.90	3.20	3.20	1.39	1.31	1.41	1.44	4.18	3.80	4.50	4.60	0.10	2.22	0.80	21.05
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	0.97	1.15	0.98	0.15	0.16	0.23	0.20	-0.03	-14.78	0.04	22.50
Kazakhstan	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.25	1.20	1.06	1.04	0.18	0.16	0.15	0.15	0.00	-2.01	-0.02	-10.98
South America																
Brazil	0.84	1.40	1.40	1.40	2.43	2.39	2.47	2.47	2.03	3.35	3.46	3.46	0.00	0.00	0.11	3.31
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	2.19	0.57	0.69	1.00	1.05	0.05	5.00	0.36	52.17
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	0.58	2.73	2.20	2.50	2.41	0.55	1.30	1.50	1.40	-0.10	-6.67	0.10	7.69
EU-27	0.26	0.31	0.37	0.37	1.34	1.30	1.44	1.44	0.35	0.40	0.54	0.54	0.00	0.00	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	0.93	0.93	0.11	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	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	0.47	0.19	0.19	0.22	0.20	-0.02	-8.72	0.01	4.74
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	0.73	0.12	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.02	15.89	0.03	25.25
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	0.08	0.12	0.19	0.19	2.09	2.15	2.14	2.14	0.16	0.25	0.41	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.16	63.45
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	1.12	1.12	0.51	0.52	0.58	0.58	0.50	0.48	0.65	0.65	0.00	0.00	0.17	35.42

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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 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		From last month MMT Percent		From last year MMT Percent	
	World	20.57	21.49	20.59	20.75	1.64	1.65	1.72	1.71	33.72	35.55	35.43	35.38	-0.05	-0.14 <th>-0.17</th> <td>-0.46</td>	-0.17
United States	0.44	0.51	0.44	0.44	3.83	3.71	3.71	3.71	1.68	1.89	1.65	1.65	0.00	0.00	-0.24	-12.57
Total Foreign	20.13	20.98	20.15	20.30	1.59	1.60	1.68	1.66	32.05	33.66	33.78	33.73	-0.05	-0.15	0.07	0.21
China	4.38	4.53	4.70	4.65	3.36	3.46	3.45	3.44	14.71	15.64	16.20	16.00	-0.20	-1.23	0.36	2.28
South Asia																
India	5.30	6.00	5.12	5.12	0.92	0.98	1.03	1.03	4.90	5.85	5.25	5.25	0.00	0.00	-0.60	-10.26
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	0.84	0.83	0.67	0.85	1.62	1.38	1.49	1.53	1.36	1.14	1.00	1.30	0.30	30.00	0.17	14.54
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	0.33	3.80	2.78	3.67	2.91	0.84	0.74	1.10	0.95	-0.16	-14.09	0.21	28.40
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	2.37	2.34	2.36	0.44	0.45	0.44	0.45	0.01	1.13	0.00	-0.44

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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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	23.22	23.20	25.57	25.92	1.39	1.42	1.53	1.52	32.20	32.93	39.03	39.38	0.35	0.89	6.46	19.61
United States	0.79	0.76	0.59	0.59	1.74	1.64	1.57	1.57	1.38	1.24	0.93	0.93	0.00	0.00	-0.32	-25.46
Total Foreign	22.43	22.45	24.98	25.33	1.37	1.41	1.53	1.52	30.82	31.68	38.11	38.46	0.35	0.91	6.77	21.37
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Russia	5.60	5.55	7.20	7.20	1.15	0.96	1.34	1.34	6.43	5.35	9.63	9.63	0.00	0.00	4.28	79.94
Ukraine	5.00	5.40	5.80	5.80	1.52	1.56	1.64	1.64	7.60	8.40	9.50	9.50	0.00	0.00	1.10	13.10
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	0.65	0.74	0.95	0.95	0.57	0.44	0.43	0.43	0.37	0.33	0.41	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.08	24.32
South America																
Argentina	1.49	1.74	1.88	1.85	1.55	2.11	1.86	1.90	2.30	3.67	3.50	3.50	0.00	0.00	-0.17	-4.63
Uruguay	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.90	1.33	1.50	1.50	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.01	275.00
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	4.16	4.16	1.77	1.85	1.95	1.95	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	2.42	2.42	1.26	0.99	1.38	1.38	0.00	0.00	0.39	39.39
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	0.74	0.74	0.59	0.63	0.64	0.64	0.82	0.48	0.47	0.47	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-1.05
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	0.89	0.91	0.55	0.92	0.87	0.70	0.64	0.76	0.77	0.64	0.35	0.70	0.35	100.00	0.06	9.55
Serbia	0.17	0.17	0.18	0.18	2.35	2.35	2.37	2.37	0.40	0.40	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00	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	0.04	1.52	1.52	1.36	1.37	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.01	26.32	0.00	9.09
Others	0.50	0.40	0.41	0.42	1.08	0.96	1.05	0.99	0.54	0.39	0.43	0.41	-0.01	-3.06	0.03	6.46

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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. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	Prel. 2009/10	2010/11	2011/12 Proj. Mar	Apr	From last month MMT	Percent	From last year MMT	Percent
World	31.42	33.57	33.14	33.14	1.94	1.80	1.82	1.82	60.96	60.50	60.33	60.33	0.00	0.00	-0.17	-0.28
United States	0.33	0.58	0.42	0.42	2.03	1.92	1.65	1.65	0.67	1.11	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	-0.41	-37.20
Total Foreign	31.09	32.99	32.72	32.72	1.94	1.80	1.82	1.82	60.30	59.39	59.63	59.63	0.00	0.00	0.25	0.42
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	2.75	2.75	6.31	5.70	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	-1.70	-29.80
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	3.79	3.79	1.91	2.23	2.65	2.65	0.00	0.00	0.42	18.83
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	1.83	1.83	13.66	13.10	13.00	13.00	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-0.76
South Asia																
India	6.45	7.25	6.70	6.70	0.99	0.98	0.97	0.97	6.40	7.10	6.50	6.50	0.00	0.00	-0.60	-8.45
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	7.47	7.47	2.02	1.97	1.90	1.90	12.89	12.77	14.17	14.17	0.00	0.00	1.39	10.90
Australia	1.71	2.09	1.80	1.80	1.12	1.14	1.63	1.63	1.92	2.38	2.94	2.94	0.00	0.00	0.56	23.43
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	0.84	0.84	1.20	1.09	1.25	1.25	0.67	0.67	1.05	1.05	0.00	0.00	0.38	56.72
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	0.24	0.24	0.95	0.68	1.53	1.53	0.23	0.25	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.11	44.88

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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. Mar	Apr	From last month		From last year	
	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent				
Oilseed, Copra								
Philippines	2.52	2.80	2.60	2.30	-0.30	-11.54	-0.50	-17.86
Indonesia	1.60	1.46	1.48	1.48	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.37
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	6.02	5.84	5.54	-0.30	-5.14	-0.48	-7.97
Oilseed, Palm Kernel								
Indonesia	5.88	6.20	6.80	6.70	-0.10	-1.47	0.50	8.06
Malaysia	4.52	4.52	4.68	4.68	0.00	0.00	0.16	3.54
Nigeria	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.27	0.26	0.29	0.31	0.03	10.71	0.05	19.23
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	12.55	13.35	13.28	-0.07	-0.52	0.73	5.82
Oil, Palm								
Indonesia	22.00	23.60	25.40	25.40	0.00	0.00	1.80	7.63
Malaysia	17.76	18.21	18.70	18.70	0.00	0.00	0.49	2.69
Thailand	1.35	1.29	1.45	1.55	0.10	6.90	0.26	20.16
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	0.48	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	45.87	47.95	50.57	50.69	0.12	0.24	2.74	5.71

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Table 17 Cotton Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Kilograms per hectare)				Production (Million 480 lb. bales)				Change in Production			
	Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		Prel. 2009/10		2011/12 Proj. 2010/11 Mar Apr		From last month MBales	Percent	From last year MBales	Percent
World	30.14	33.35	35.71	35.77	741	761	754	750	102.59	116.56	123.64	123.14	-0.50	-0.41	6.58	5.65
United States	3.05	4.33	3.95	3.95	871	910	865	858	12.19	18.10	15.67	15.56	-0.12	-0.76	-2.55	-14.08
Total Foreign	27.09	29.02	31.76	31.82	726	739	740	736	90.40	98.45	107.97	107.58	-0.39	-0.36	9.13	9.27
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	13.40	14.03	15.49	15.49	545	549	531	526	33.54	35.35	37.76	37.46	-0.30	-0.79	2.10	5.95
India	10.31	11.14	12.20	12.20	503	516	482	473	23.80	26.40	27.00	26.50	-0.50	-1.85	0.10	0.38
Pakistan	3.00	2.80	3.20	3.20	697	684	721	735	9.60	8.80	10.60	10.80	0.20	1.89	2.00	22.73
Former Soviet Union - 12	2.19	2.29	2.34	2.34	630	649	635	626	6.33	6.83	6.81	6.71	-0.10	-1.40	-0.12	-1.73
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	488	540	637	544	0.38	0.41	0.59	0.50	-0.09	-14.53	0.09	22.25
Kazakhstan	0.12	0.13	0.14	0.14	809	700	591	575	0.45	0.42	0.38	0.37	-0.01	-2.63	-0.05	-11.48
Sub-Saharan Africa	3.20	3.29	3.74	3.80	293	296	314	317	4.30	4.47	5.40	5.54	0.14	2.50	1.07	23.95
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	269	0.50	0.50	0.58	0.53	-0.05	-8.70	0.03	5.00
Benin	0.18	0.18	0.17	0.17	423	363	416	480	0.35	0.30	0.33	0.38	0.05	15.38	0.08	25.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.22	0.20	0.22	0.22	346	370	421	421	0.35	0.34	0.43	0.43	0.00	0.00	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	0.15	403	518	399	435	0.05	0.10	0.17	0.30	0.14	81.82	0.20	200.00
South America	1.40	2.17	2.15	2.15	1,069	1,098	1,126	1,124	6.87	10.92	11.11	11.09	-0.03	-0.22	0.16	1.49
Brazil	0.84	1.40	1.40	1.40	1,419	1,400	1,446	1,446	5.45	9.00	9.30	9.30	0.00	0.00	0.30	3.33
Argentina	0.44	0.61	0.55	0.55	495	486	475	475	1.00	1.35	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	-0.15	-11.11
Paraguay	0.02	0.03	0.07	0.07	302	399	342	280	0.03	0.06	0.11	0.09	-0.02	-18.18	0.04	63.64
Middle East	0.59	0.61	0.81	0.81	1,177	1,186	1,221	1,221	3.20	3.31	4.56	4.56	0.00	0.00	1.25	37.86
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
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
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
Australia	0.20	0.54	0.58	0.58	1,932	1,681	1,802	1,764	1.78	4.20	4.80	4.70	-0.10	-2.08	0.50	11.90
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	0.22	0.22	790	843	792	792	0.43	0.60	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.20	33.33
Mexico	0.08	0.12	0.19	0.19	1,343	1,374	1,375	1,375	0.48	0.73	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	0.47	63.93
Others	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.37	248	248	248	248	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.24

World and Selected Countries and Regions

TABLE 18

The table below presents a record of the differences between the April 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 0.5 percent. Chances are 9 out of 10 (90% confidence level) that the difference will not exceed 0.9 percent. The average difference between the April projection and the final estimate is 2.1 million tons, ranging from 0.2 million to 6.8 million tons. The April projection has been below the estimate 19 times and above 11 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	0.5	0.9	2.1	0.2	6.8	19	11	
U.S.	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.3	12	8	
Foreign	0.6	1.0	2.1	0.2	6.8	19	11	
COARSE GRAINS 2/								
World	0.9	1.5	6.8	0.3	19.2	24	6	
U.S.	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.0	1.3	12	7	
Foreign	1.3	2.2	6.9	0.3	19.2	24	6	
RICE (Milled)								
World	1.4	2.4	3.6	0.2	13.3	24	6	
U.S.	1.5	2.6	0.1	0.0	0.2	11	5	
Foreign	1.4	2.4	3.6	0.1	13.3	24	6	
SOYBEANS								
World	1.8	3.0	2.3	0.2	7.9	18	12	
U.S.	1.4	2.3	0.6	0.0	2.5	12	11	
Foreign	3.0	5.0	2.1	0.0	8.1	20	10	
COTTON			---Million 480-lb. bales---					
World	1.5	2.5	1.0	0.0	5.2	23	6	
U.S.	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.2	11	11	
Foreign	1.8	3.1	1.0	0.0	5.1	22	7	
UNITED STATES			-----Million bushels-----					
<i>CORN</i>	0.2	0.3	2	0	38	1	2	
<i>SORGHUM</i>	0.2	0.3	0	0	4	0	2	
<i>BARLEY</i>	0.5	0.9	1	0	11	12	4	
<i>OATS</i>	0.2	0.4	0	0	2	4	3	

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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