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KANSAS DECEMBER 1, 2023 GRAIN AND HAY STOCKS

MANHATTAN, Kan. January 12, 2024 - Kansas corn stocks in all positions on December 1, 2023 totaled 388 million bushels, up 6% from 2022, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Of the total, 160 million bushels are stored on farms, up 3% from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 228 million bushels, are up 8% from last year.

Wheat stored in all positions totaled 206 million bushels, down 15% from a year ago. On-farm stocks of 5.10 million bushels are down 61% from 2022, and off-farm stocks of 201 million bushels are down 12% from last year.

Sorghum stored in all positions totaled 123 million bushels, up 14% from last year. On-farm stocks of 23.0 million bushels are up 140% and off farm holdings of 100 million bushels are up 2% from last year.

Soybeans stored in all positions totaled 88.4 million bushels, down 9% from last year. On-farm stocks of 32.0 million bushels are up 14% from a year ago, and off-farm stocks, at 56.4 million bushels, are down 18% from 2022.

Oats off-farm stocks totaled 1.15 million bushels, up 143% from 2022.

Hay stocks on Kansas farms totaled 3.60 million tons on December 1, 2023, down 12% from a year earlier.

Grain storage capacity in Kansas totaled 1.61 billion bushels, up 20.0 million bushels from December 1, 2022. Total grain storage capacity is comprised of 385 million bushels of on-farm storage, unchanged from last year, and 1.22 billion bushels of off-farm storage, up 20.0 million bushels from 2022.

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