



# Oklahoma Grain Stocks

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## Oklahoma Wheat Stocks Up 35 Percent From Last Year

### Oklahoma:

Wheat stored in all positions on March 1, 2008, totaled 60.9 million bushels, up 35 percent from last year, according to the USDA-NASS Oklahoma Field Office. Wheat stored in off-farm locations comprised 98 percent of the total stocks.

Off-farm corn stocks totaled 11.5 million bushels, down 3 percent from a year ago.

Soybean stocks stored in off-farm locations, at 1.4 million bushels, were down 4 percent from March 1, 2007.

Oat stocks stored in commercial facilities on March 1, 2008, totaled 182 thousand bushels.

This report was based on reports from Oklahoma farmers and commercial grain storage facilities.

### United States:

Wheat stored in all positions on March 1, 2008, totaled 710 million bushels, down 17 percent from a year ago. Wheat stored in off-farm locations comprised 87 percent of the total stocks.

Corn stocks stored in all positions on March 1, 2008, totaled 6.86 billion bushels, up 13 percent from March 1, 2007.

Sorghum stored in all positions on March 1, 2008, totaled 186 million bushels, up 30 percent from a year ago.

Soybean stocks in all positions on March 1, 2008, totaled 1.43 billion bushels, down 20 percent from March 1, 2007.

Oat and barley stocks in all positions on March 1, 2008, totaled 79.0 and 105 million bushels, respectively.

## Stocks of Grain, March 1, 2008 and Comparable Quarters

| Item                 | Off-Farm Total <sup>1</sup>         |  |                                     | Total All Positions <sup>2</sup>    |  |                                     |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|                      | Mar 1, 2007<br><i>1,000 Bushels</i> | Dec 1, 2007 <sup>3</sup><br><i>1,000 Bushels</i> | Mar 1, 2008<br><i>1,000 Bushels</i> | Mar 1, 2007<br><i>1,000 Bushels</i> | Dec 1, 2007 <sup>3</sup><br><i>1,000 Bushels</i> | Mar 1, 2008<br><i>1,000 Bushels</i> |
| <b>Oklahoma</b>      |                                     |  |                                     |                                     |  |                                     |
| Barley               | 52                                  | *  | *                                   | 52                                  | *  | *                                   |
| Oats                 | 217                                 | 248  | 182                                 | *                                   | *  | *                                   |
| Corn                 | 11,892                              | 18,236   | 11,522                              | *                                   | *  | *                                   |
| Soybeans             | 1,428                               | 2,277  | 1,371                               | *                                   | *  | *                                   |
| Sorghum              | *                                   | 11,008   | *                                   | *                                   | *  | *                                   |
| Wheat                | 42,558                              | 79,402   | 59,677                              | 44,958                              | 82,402   | 60,877                              |
| <b>United States</b> |                                     |  |                                     |                                     |  |                                     |
| Barley               | 78,756                              | 73,728   | 76,540                              | 117,066                             | 135,778  | 104,810                             |
| Oats                 | 37,158                              | 51,331   | 48,038                              | 71,058                              | 94,431   | 79,038                              |
| Corn                 | 2,738,250                           | 3,748,085  | 3,078,895                           | 6,068,250                           | 10,278,085                                       | 6,858,895                           |
| Soybeans             | 876,887                             | 1,231,860  | 835,102                             | 1,786,887                           | 2,331,860  | 1,428,102                           |
| Sorghum              | 125,122                             | 239,850  | 159,471                             | 142,222                             | 291,250  | 185,571                             |
| Wheat                | 664,278                             | 842,398  | 617,650                             | 856,728                             | 1,131,938  | 709,640                             |

<sup>1</sup> Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.

<sup>2</sup> Off-farm plus on-farm stocks.

<sup>3</sup> Revised.

\* Not published for Oklahoma but stocks are included in United States totals.