

**CORN FOR GRAIN AND SOYBEANS
PLANT POPULATION AND AVERAGE WIDTH
INDIANA, 2003-2008 1/**

1/ Data from Objective Yield Survey.

The National Agricultural Statistics Service conducts the June Agricultural Survey in all States each year. Randomly selected farmers across Indiana are asked if they planted corn or soybean seeds that, through biotechnology, are resistant to herbicides, insects, or both. Conventionally bred herbicide resistant varieties were excluded. Insect resistant varieties include only those containing bacillus thuringiensis (Bt). Stacked gene varieties include those containing biotech traits for both herbicide and insect resistance.

Year	Corn					Soybeans		
	Acres Planted	Insect Resistant (Bt)	Herbicide Resistant	Stacked Gene Varieties	All Biotech Varieties	Acres Planted	Herbicide Resistant	All Biotech Varieties
	<u>(000) Acres</u>		<u>Percent</u>			<u>(000)</u>	<u>Percent</u>	
2003	5,600	8	7	1	16	5,450	88	88
2004	5,700	11	8	2	21	5,550	87	87
2005	5,900	11	11	4	26	5,400	89	89
2006	5,500	13	15	12	40	5,700	92	92
2007	6,500	12	17	30	59	4,800	94	94
2008	5,700	7	16	55	78	5,450	96	96
2009	5,700	7	17	55	79	5,500	94	94

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