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Kansas Corn and Soybean Production Down, Sorghum Production Unchanged from October

Corn for grain production is forecast at 580.5 million bushels, down 1 percent from October and down 3 percent from last year's record production of 598.3 million bushels. If realized, this would be the second largest Kansas corn crop on record. The corn yield is forecast to average 129 bushels per acre, down 1 bushel from the October forecast and 26 bushels less than the record high of 155 bushels per acre in 2009. If realized, this would be the lowest corn yield since 2006. Acreage forecast to be harvested for grain is 4.5 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but up 17 percent from last year. If realized, this would be the highest harvested area since 1933.

Sorghum grain production is forecast at 171.6 million bushels, unchanged from the previous forecast but down 24 percent from last year. Yields are expected to average 78 bushels per acre, unchanged from last month but down 10 bushels from last year's record yield. Acreage to be harvested for grain is 2.2 million acres, unchanged from

October 1 but down 350,000 acres from 2009. Kansas leads the Nation in sorghum acreage harvested and production.

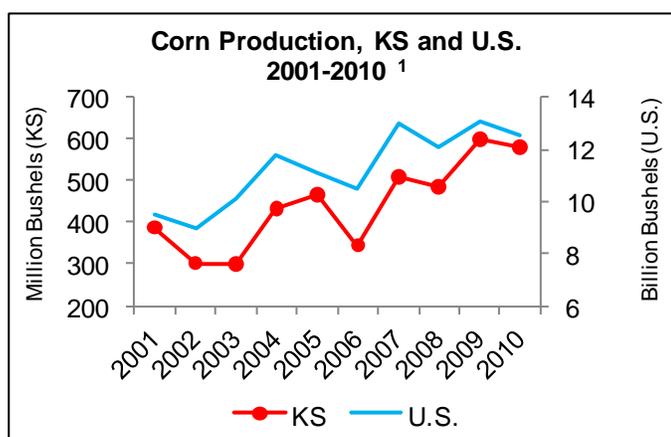
Soybean production is forecast at 136.0 million bushels, down 6 percent from October and down 15 percent from last year and, if realized, the second highest production on record. Yield is forecast at 32 bushels per acre, down 2 bushels from October and down 12 bushels from last year. Harvested acreage is forecast to be a record 4.25 million acres, unchanged from last month but up 600,000 acres from the acreage harvested last year.

Cotton production is forecast at 78,000 bales, up 47 percent from last year. Yield is forecast at a record high 780 pounds per acre, surpassing the previous high of 748 pounds per acre in 2009. Harvested acreage is forecast to be 48,000, up 14,000 from 2009.

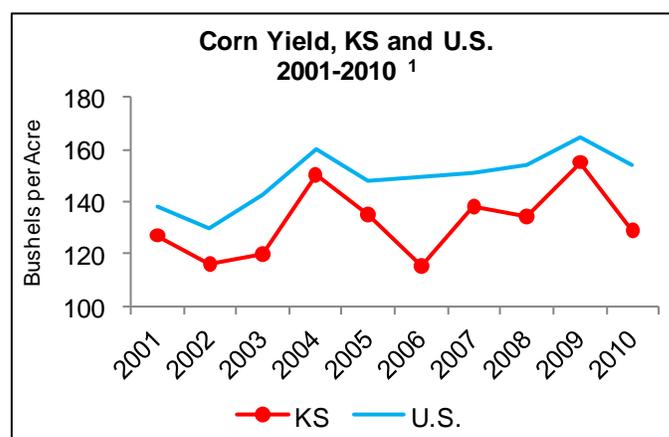
Kansas Crop Production, 2009 and Forecasted November 1, 2010

Crop & Unit	Area Planted ¹		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2009	2010	2009	2010	% of Prev. Yr.	2009	2010	2009	2010	% of Prev. Yr.
	1,000 Acres		1,000 Acres			Units Per Acre	1,000 Units			
Corn for Grain, bu.	4,100	4,800	3,860	4,500	117	155	129	598,300	580,500	97
Sorghum for Grain, bu.	2,700	2,350	2,550	2,200	86	88	78	224,400	171,600	76
Soybeans, bu.	3,700	4,300	3,650	4,250	116	44	32	160,600	136,000	85
Cotton, 480 lb. bales ²	38.0	51.0	34.0	48.0	141	748	780	53.0	78.0	147

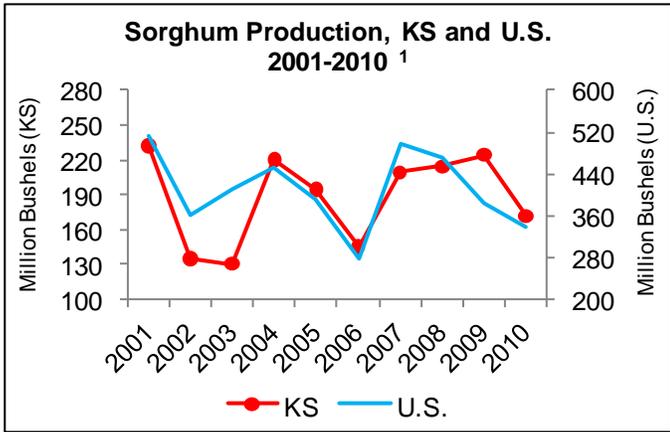
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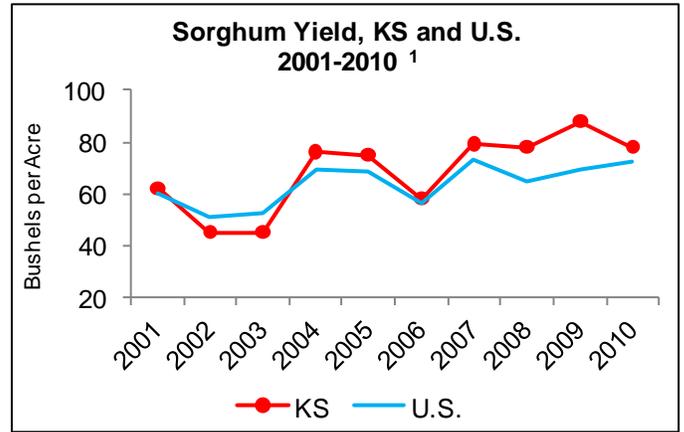
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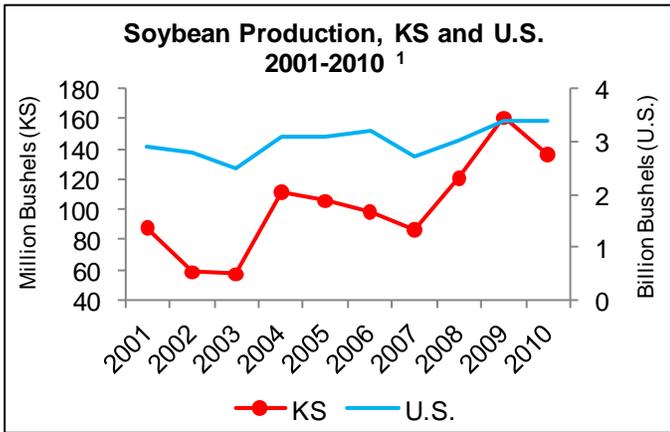
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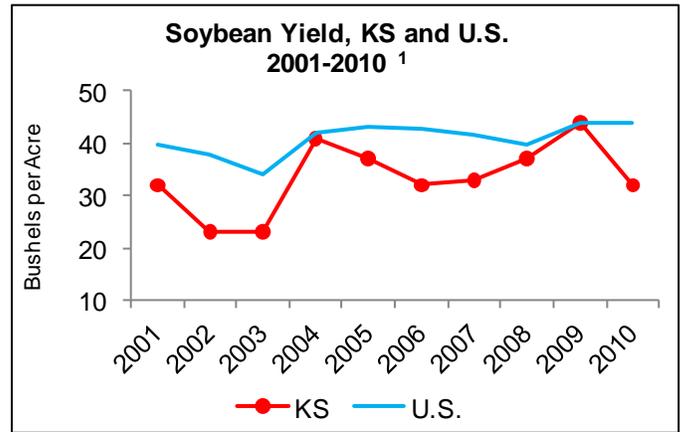
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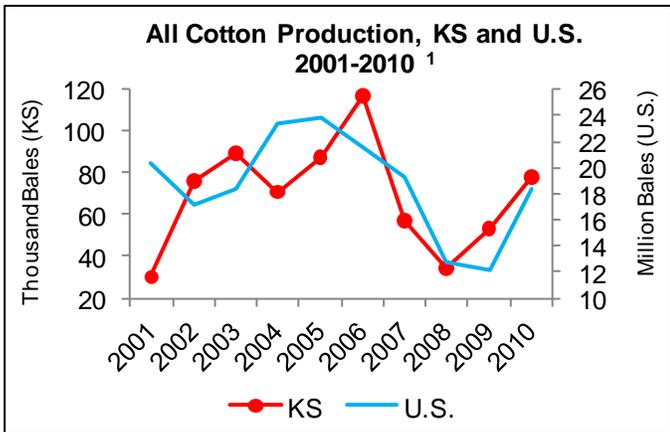
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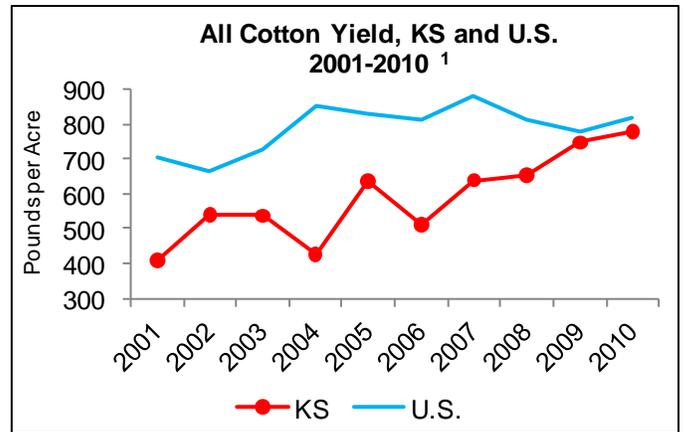
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U.S. Crop Production Forecast

Corn production is forecast at 12.5 billion bushels, down 1 percent from the October forecast and down 4 percent from last year's record production of 13.1 billion bushels. As of November 1, yields are expected to average 154.3 bushels per acre, down 1.5 bushels from the previous month and 10.4 bushels below last year's record of 164.7 bushels. Forecasted yields decreased from last month throughout much of the Corn Belt, with the biggest decline forecasted in Missouri, down 7 bushels per acre. The expected yield in South Dakota declined 5 bushels from last month while the Nebraska yield dropped 4 bushels per acre. Record high yields are forecast in California, Georgia, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, and Wisconsin.

Sorghum production is forecast at 338 million bushels, up fractionally from the October 1 forecast but 12 percent below last year. Area harvested for grain is forecast at 4.66 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but 16 percent below last year. If realized, this will be the lowest harvested acreage on record since 1936. Based on November 1 conditions, yield is forecast at 72.5 bushels per acre, up 0.1 bushel from October and up 3.1 bushels from last year. Record high yields are forecast in Louisiana and Texas.

Soybean production is forecast at a record high 3.38 billion bushels, down 1 percent from the October forecast

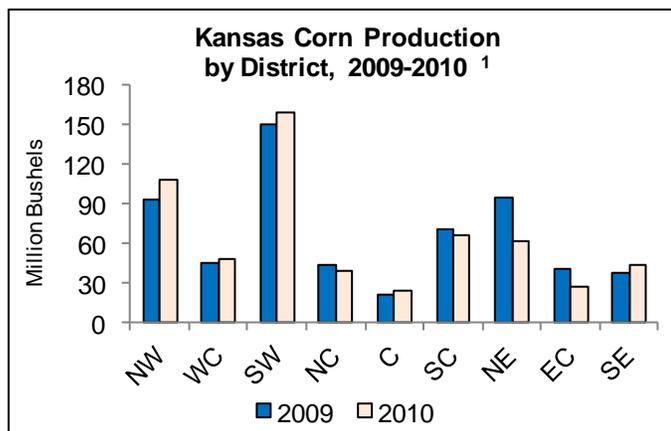
but up slightly from last year. Based on November 1 conditions, yields are expected to average 43.9 bushels per acre, down 0.5 bushel from last month and down 0.1 bushel from last year's record high yield. Compared with last month, yields are forecast lower or unchanged in all major-producing States except Delaware, Michigan, Mississippi, North Carolina, Texas, and Wisconsin. The largest decreases in yield from last month are expected in Kansas, Nebraska, New Jersey, and South Dakota, down 2 bushels each. If realized, the forecasted yields in Illinois, Louisiana, New York, and Wisconsin will be record highs and the forecasted yield in Michigan and North Dakota will tie the previous record high. Area for harvest in the United States is forecast at 76.8 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but up 1 percent from 2009.

All cotton production is forecast at 18.4 million 480-pound bales, down 2 percent from last month but up 51 percent from last year's 12.2 million bales. Yield is expected to average 821 pounds per harvested acre, up 44 pounds from last year. Upland cotton production is forecast at 17.9 million 480-pound bales, down 2 percent from last month but 52 percent above 2009. Producers in Texas and Oklahoma are expecting decreased yields from last month. American Pima production, forecast at 497,800 bales, was carried forward from last month.

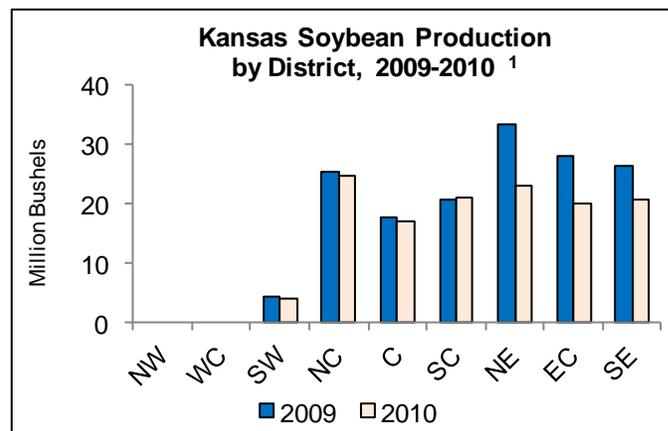
United States Crop Production, 2009 and Forecasted November 1, 2010

Crop & Unit	Area Planted ¹		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2009	2010	2009	2010	% of Prev. Yr.	2009	2010	2009	2010	% of Prev. Yr.
	1,000 Acres			Units Per Acre		1,000 Units				
Corn for Grain, bu.	86,482	88,222	79,590	81,263	102	164.7	154.3	13,110,062	12,539,646	96
Sorghum for Grain, bu.	6,633	5,402	5,520	4,658	84	69.4	72.5	382,983	337,619	88
Soybeans, bu.	77,451	77,714	76,372	76,823	101	44.0	43.9	3,359,011	3,375,067	100
Cotton, 480 lb. bales ²	9,149.5	11,038.0	7,528.7	10,773.0	143	777	821	12,187.5	18,417.8	151

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¹ Forecasted production as of November 1, 2010.



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Kansas Crop Production by District, 2009 and November 1, 2010

Crop & District	Acres Planted, All Purposes		Acres Harvested for Grain			Yield		Production		
	2009	2010	2009	2010	% of Prev. Yr.	2009	2010	2009	2010	% of Prev. Yr.
	1,000 Acres					Bushels Per Acre	1,000 Bushels			
CORN										
Northwest	720	940	680	885	130	137	122	93,000	108,000	116
West Central	350	480	315	430	137	144	114	45,500	49,000	108
Southwest	820	925	750	865	115	200	184	150,300	159,000	106
North Central	310	370	295	340	115	150	115	44,250	39,000	88
Central	175	220	160	200	125	138	125	22,000	25,000	114
South Central	440	490	425	470	111	166	142	70,500	66,700	95
Northeast	600	595	585	565	97	162	110	95,000	62,000	65
East Central	325	355	310	335	108	131	83	40,500	27,800	69
Southeast	360	425	340	410	121	110	107	37,250	44,000	118
STATE	4,100	4,800	3,860	4,500	117	155	129	598,300	580,500	97
SOYBEANS										
Southwest	75.0	80.0	73.0	78.0	107	61.0	53.0	4,460	4,100	92
North Central	549.0	700.0	544.0	695.0	128	47.0	36.0	25,450	24,700	97
Central	403.0	605.0	399.0	600.0	150	44.0	29.0	17,650	17,100	97
South Central	465.0	620.0	458.0	615.0	134	45.0	34.0	20,650	21,000	102
Northeast	659.0	660.0	650.0	650.0	100	51.5	36.0	33,480	23,100	69
East Central	708.0	740.0	700.5	730.0	104	40.0	28.0	28,100	20,100	72
Southeast	750.0	765.0	739.5	755.0	102	36.0	28.0	26,530	20,800	78
Other Districts	91.0	130.0	86.0	127.0	148	50.0	40.0	4,280	5,100	119
STATE	3,700.0	4,300.0	3,650.0	4,250.0	116	44.0	32.0	160,600	136,000	85

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