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KANSAS CROP PRODUCTION REPORT

TOPEKA, KS, September 12, 2013 – Based on September 1 conditions, Kansas’s 2013 **corn** crop is forecast at 525 million bushels, 38 percent above last year’s production, according to the USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service. Area to be harvested for grain, at 4.20 million acres, is up 6 percent from a year ago. Yield is forecast at 125 bushels per acre, up 29 bushels from last year.

Sorghum for grain in Kansas is forecast at 195 million bushels, more than double last year. Area for harvest, at 2.6 million acres, is up 124 percent from 2012. Yield is forecast at 75 bushels per acre, up 36 bushels from last year.

Kansas’s **soybean** production is forecast at 133 million bushels, up 58 percent from last year. Area for harvest, at 3.69 million acres, is 3 percent below 2012. Yield is forecast at 36 bushels per acre, 14 bushels above last year.

Cotton production is forecast at 39,000 bales, down 44 percent from last year. Yield is forecast at 720 pounds per acre, up from 622 pounds per acre in 2012. Acreage for harvest, at 26,000 acres, is down 28,000 acres from 2012. Planted acreage was revised down 3,000 acres to 27,000 acres.

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Kansas Corn Production by District, 2012 and Forecasted September 1, 2013

District	Area Planted		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of
	1,000 Acres				Prev. Yr.	Bushels per Acre		1,000 Bushels		Prev. Yr.
Northwest	943	865	730	810	111	75.4	97.0	55,050	78,300	142
West Central	410	385	293	355	121	71.2	90.0	20,850	32,100	154
Southwest	800	755	694	680	98	172.0	206.0	119,350	140,100	117
North Central	425	330	333	290	87	89.2	112.0	29,700	32,500	109
Central	192	175	138	155	112	87.5	112.0	12,070	17,400	144
South Central	440	490	402	470	117	126.4	151.0	50,800	71,200	140
Northeast	665	710	624	690	111	85.8	135.0	53,530	92,900	174
East Central	370	350	310	330	106	46.8	92.0	14,520	30,300	209
Southeast	455	440	426	420	99	54.8	72.0	23,330	30,200	129
State	4,700	4,500	3,950	4,200	106	96.0	125.0	379,200	525,000	138

Kansas Soybeans Production by District, 2012 and Forecasted September 1, 2013

District	Area Planted		Area Harvested			Yield		Production		
	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of	2012	2013	2012	2013	% of
	1,000 Acres				Prev. Yr.	Bushels per Acre		1,000 Bushels		Prev. Yr.
Northwest	84		74.0			33.8		2,500		
West Central	13		9.5			26.9		256		
Southwest	58		54.5			43.9		2,394		
North Central	745	700	726.0	690	95	24.4	36.0	17,684	25,000	141
Central	465	390	433.0	385	89	18.2	35.0	7,873	13,500	171
South Central	520	410	462.0	405	88	24.0	40.5	11,100	16,500	149
Northeast	720	740	714.0	730	102	28.5	42.0	20,348	30,700	151
East Central	680	680	652.0	670	103	16.2	33.0	10,543	22,000	209
Southeast	715	710	685.0	700	102	16.2	28.0	11,122	19,500	175
Other Districts ¹		120		110			51.3		5,640	
State	4,000	3,750	3,810	3,690	97	22.0	36.0	83,820	132,840	158

¹ Some districts are not published due to insufficient or confidential data.