

Record Highs and Lows: Acreage, Yield, and Production Through 2009 For Maryland Crops

Crops	Unit	Record High		Record Low		Year Record Started
		Quantity	Year ¹	Quantity	Year ¹	
<i>Corn for Grain</i>						
Acres harvested	Thousand acres	726	1891	328	1957	1866
Yield	Bushels	155	2000	14.5	1930	
Production	Thousand bushels	70,400	1985	6,554	1930	
<i>Corn for Silage</i>						
Acres harvested	Thousand acres	129	1966	12	1922	1919
Yield	Tons	20	2004	5	1930	
Production	Thousand tons	1,575	1976	100	1902	
<i>Soybeans</i>						
Acres harvested	Thousand acres	570	1993	3	1928	1924
Yield	Bushels	43	2004	6.5	1930	
Production	Thousand bushels	22,145	2000	32	1930	
<i>Wheat</i>						
Acres harvested	Thousand acres	680	1903	80	1978	1866
Yield	Bushels	73	2008	11	1866	
Production	Thousand bushels	14,400	1995	2,960	1978	
<i>Barley</i>						
Acres harvested	Thousand acres	96	1985	1	1897	1889
Yield	Bushels	90	2008	19	1890	
Production	Thousand bushels	5,510	1984	19	1890	
<i>Hay, All</i>						
Acres harvested	Thousand acres	465	1943	190	2005	1909
Yield	Tons	3.34	1994	0.7	1911	
Production	Thousand tons	910	1958	250	1911	
<i>Hay, Alfalfa</i>						
Acres harvested	Thousand acres	101	1957	12	1919	1919
Yield	Tons	4.7	1996	1.3	1930	
Production	Thousand tons	319	1989	25	1921	
<i>Potatoes, Summer</i>						
Acres harvested	Thousand acres	52	1917	1.5	1995	1918
Yield	Cwt.	320	2009	35	1911	
Production	Thousand cwt.	3,682	1917	250	1994	

¹ In case of a tie, the most recent year was used.