

## Minnesota Ag News – Acreage



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**Corn** planted in 2023 for all purposes by Minnesota producers is estimated at 8.40 million acres according to the USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Acreage* report. This is up 400,000 acres from 2022 and 50,000 acres above the March intentions. Harvested acres for grain is forecast at 8.00 million acres. Producers reported planting biotechnology varieties on 93 percent of their 2023 corn acres. The percent of corn acreage planted to insect resistant (Bt) varieties is estimated at 2 percent, herbicide resistant only varieties were planted on 8 percent of the acres, and stacked gene varieties were planted on 83 percent of the acres.

**Soybean** planted acreage is estimated at 7.50 million acres, up 50,000 acres from the acres planted in 2022 but down 50,000 acres from the March intentions. An expected 7.43 million acres of soybeans will be harvested. Producers reported using herbicide resistant varieties to plant 96 percent of their 2023 soybean acres.

**Spring wheat** planted in Minnesota is estimated at 1.14 million acres, 110,000 acres below last year and down 40,000 acres from the March intentions. Spring wheat harvested for grain is forecast at 1.10 million acres.

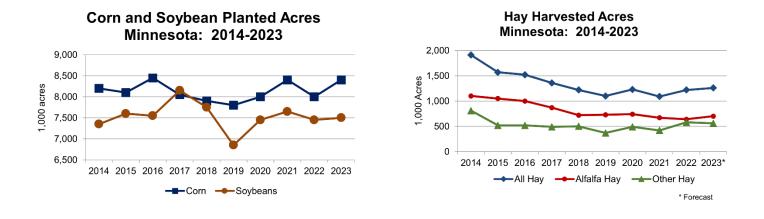
**Oats** planted acreage is estimated at 160,000 acres, down 40,000 acres from last year and down 30,000 acres from the March intentions. Harvested acres for grain is forecast at 104,000 acres. **Rye** planted acreage is estimated at 70,000 acres, unchanged from last year. Harvested acres for grain is forecast at 28,000 acres. **Barley** planted acreage is estimated at 60,000 acres, down 5,000 acres from last year but up 5,000 acres from the March intentions. Harvested acres for grain is forecast at 46,000 acres.

**Dry edible beans** planted acreage is estimated at 210,000 acres, down 5,000 acres from last year but up 20,000 acres from the March intentions. Dry edible bean acres harvested is forecast at 201,000 acres.

**Potato** acreage in Minnesota is estimated at 45,000 acres, down 2,000 acres from the previous year. Potato planted acreage by type of potato consists of 67 percent Russets, 24 percent Reds, 8 percent Whites, and 1 percent Yellows. An expected 44,500 acres of potatoes will be harvested.

Total dry **hay** expected to be harvested for 2023 is estimated at 1.26 million acres, up 40,000 acres from last year and up 90,000 acres from the March intentions. **Alfalfa** harvested acreage is an estimated 700,000 acres and **other hay** harvested acreage is estimated at 560,000 acres.

**Sugarbeet** acreage is estimated at 444,000 planted acres, 10,000 acres above 2022 and up 11,000 acres from the March intentions. An expected 438,000 acres of sugarbeets will be harvested.



## Crop Summary – Minnesota and United States: 2022 and 2023

	Minnesota				United States			
Сгор	Area planted		Area harvested		Area planted		Area harvested	
	2022	2023	2022	2023 <sup>1</sup>	2022	2023	2022	2023 <sup>1</sup>
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)
Barley	65	60	55	46	2,945	3,359	2,433	2,527
Canola	71.0	60.0	69.0	58.0	2,213.0	2,283.0	2,169.0	2,244.5
Corn for grain <sup>2</sup>	8,000	8,400	7,490	8,000	88,579	94,096	79,207	86,322
Dry beans	215.0	210.0	210.0	201.0	1,250.0	1,211.0	1,223.0	1,167.4
Hay, all	(NA)	(NA)	1,220	1,260	(NA)	(NA)	49,546	51,976
Hay, alfalfa	(NA)	(NA)	640	700	(NA)	(NA)	14,913	15,658
Hay, other		(NA)	580	560	(NA)	(NA)	34,633	36,318
Oats		<b>160</b>	140	104	2,581	2,508	890	794
Potatoes	47.0	45.0	46.7	44.5	901.0	949.0	895.6	941.9
Rye		70	28	28	2,175	2,345	341	405
Soybeans		7,500	7,390	7,430	87,450	83,505	86,336	82,696
Sugarbeets	434.0	444.0	431.0	438.0	1,159.5	1,128.5	1,137.1	1,110.7
Sunflowers, all	77.5	59.0	75.0	57.5	1,693.0	1,347.0	1,607.0	1,288.5
Sunflowers, oil		51.0	67.0	50.0	1,550.0	1,183.0	1,479.0	1,135.0
Sunflowers, non-oil		8.0	8.0	7.5	143.0	164.0	128.0	153.5
Wheat, spring		1,140	1,210	1,100	10,835	11,140	10,440	10,595
Principal crops <sup>3</sup>	· · ·	19,408	18,815	(NA)	312,113	318,700	286,197	(NA)

(NA) Not available.

Area planted for all purposes.

Includes planted corn, sorghum, oats, barley, rye, winter wheat, Durum wheat, other spring wheat, rice, soybeans, peanuts, sunflower, cotton, dry edible beans, potatoes, sugarbeets, canola, and proso millet. Harvested acreage is used for all hay, tobacco, and sugarcane in computing total area planted. Includes double cropped acres and unharvested small grains planted as cover crops.

## **United States Acreage**

Corn planted area for all purposes in 2023 is estimated at 94.1 million acres, up 6 percent or 5.52 million acres from last year. This represents the third highest planted acreage in the United States since 1944. Compared with last year, planted acreage is expected to be up or unchanged in 43 of the 48 estimating States. Area harvested for grain, at 86.3 million acres, is up 9 percent from last year.

Soybean planted area for 2023 is estimated at 83.5 million acres, down 5 percent from last year. Compared with last year, planted acreage is down or unchanged in 21 of the 29 estimating States.

All wheat planted area for 2023 is estimated at 49.6 million acres, up 9 percent from 2022. The 2023 winter wheat planted area, at 37.0 million acres, is up 11 percent from last year but down 1 percent from the previous estimate. Of this total, about 25.7 million acres are Hard Red Winter, 7.66 million acres are Soft Red Winter, and 3.68 million acres are White Winter. Area expected to be planted to other spring wheat for 2023 is estimated at 11.1 million acres, up 3 percent from 2022. Of this total, about 10.5 million acres are Hard Red Spring wheat. Durum planted area for 2023 is expected to total 1.48 million acres, down 9 percent from the previous year.

The complete report can be found on the USDA NASS website at <u>www.nass.usda.gov/Publications</u>.