



Minnesota Ag News – Storage Capacity

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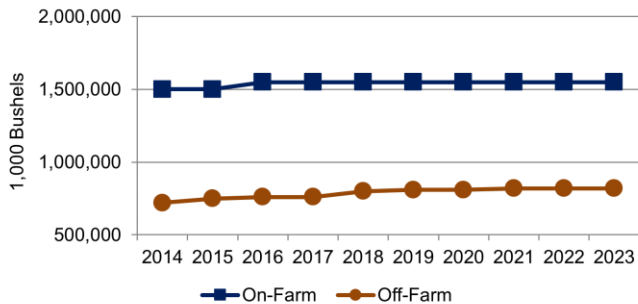
Minnesota on-farm storage capacity on December 1, 2023, was 1.55 billion bushels, unchanged from December 1, 2022, according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Grain Stocks* report. Minnesota's 490 off-farm storage facilities had a storage capacity of 820 million bushels, unchanged from the previous year. As of December 1, 2023, Minnesota had a total of 2.37 billion bushels of storage capacity.

On-farm capacity included all bins, cribs, sheds, and other structures located on farms that are normally used to store whole grains, oilseeds, or pulse crops. Off-farm capacity included all elevators, warehouses, terminals, merchant mills, other storage, and oilseed crushers, which store whole grains, soybeans, canola, flaxseed, mustard seed, safflower, sunflower, rapeseed, Austrian winter peas, dry edible peas, lentils, and chickpeas/garbanzo beans. Capacity data exclude facilities used to store only rice or peanuts, oilseed crushers processing only cottonseed or peanuts, tobacco warehouses, seed warehouses, and storage facilities that handle only dry edible beans, other than chickpeas/garbanzo beans.

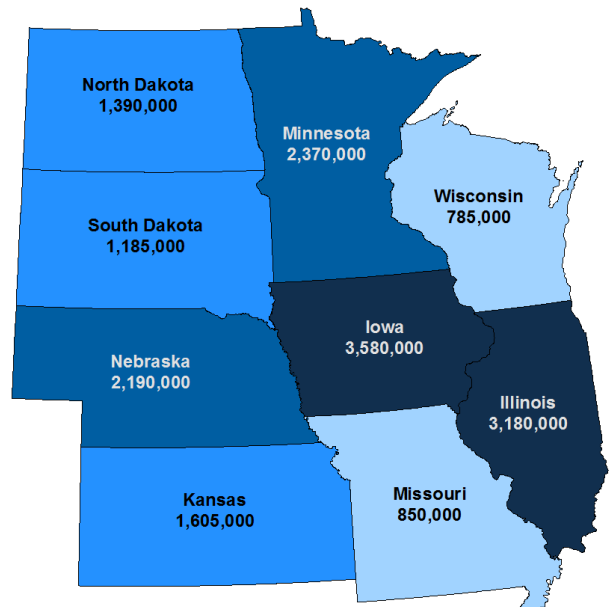
Grain Storage Capacity – Minnesota and Selected States: December 1, 2022 and 2023

State	On-farm storage capacity		Off-farm storage capacity		Total storage capacity	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
Illinois	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,650,000	1,680,000	3,150,000	3,180,000
Iowa	2,050,000	2,050,000	1,520,000	1,530,000	3,570,000	3,580,000
Kansas	385,000	385,000	1,200,000	1,220,000	1,585,000	1,605,000
Minnesota	1,550,000	1,550,000	820,000	820,000	2,370,000	2,370,000
Missouri	550,000	560,000	290,000	290,000	840,000	850,000
Nebraska	1,200,000	1,200,000	990,000	990,000	2,190,000	2,190,000
North Dakota	930,000	930,000	460,000	460,000	1,390,000	1,390,000
South Dakota	740,000	740,000	445,000	445,000	1,185,000	1,185,000
Wisconsin	380,000	380,000	405,000	405,000	785,000	785,000
United States	13,580,000	13,592,000	11,822,905	11,875,900	25,402,905	25,467,900

Grain Storage Capacity
Minnesota: December 1, 2014-2023



Total Storage Capacity, December 1, 2023
(1,000 bushels)



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