

## **Missouri Crop Production**

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**Corn:** Planted area is estimated at 3.85 million acres, up 15 percent from last year. Harvested area, forecast at 3.67 million acres, is up 18 percent from last year. Based on November 1 conditions, the Missouri corn yield is forecast at 147 bushels per acre, down 14 bushels from 2022. Production is forecast at 539 million bushels, 8 percent above last year's production.

**Soybeans:** Planted area is estimated at 5.6 million acres, down 8 percent from last year. Harvested area, forecast at 5.55 million acres, is down 8 percent from 2022. Based on November 1 conditions, the Missouri soybean yield is forecast at 45 bushels per acre, down 0.5 bushel from 2022. Production is forecast at 250 million bushels, down 9 percent from 2022.

**Cotton:** Planted area is estimated at 335,000 acres, down 7 percent from last year. The harvested area is forecast at 330,000 acres, down 3 percent from last year. Based on November 1 conditions, the Missouri cotton yield is forecast at 1,229 pounds per acre, down 11 pounds from last year. Production is forecast at 845,000 bales (480-pound), down 4 percent from last year.

**Rice:** Planted area, estimated at 208,000 acres, is up 34 percent from 2022. Harvested area is forecast at 203,000 acres, up 36 percent from last year. Based on November 1 conditions, the Missouri rice yield is forecast at 7,500 pounds per acre, down 440 pounds per acre from 2022. Production is forecast at 15.2 million cwt, up 29 percent from last year.

## Crop Area Planted, Harvested, Yield, and Production – Missouri: 2022 and Forecasted November 1, 2023

Crop	Area planted		Area harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)			(1,000)	(1,000)
Corn for grain <sup>1</sup> bushels Soybeans bushels Cotton <sup>2</sup> bales Rice <sup>2</sup> cwt		3,850 5,600 335 208	3,110 6,040 340 149	3,670 5,550 330 203	161.0 45.5 1,240 7,940	147.0 45.0 1,229 7,500	500,710 274,820 878 11,832	539,490 249,750 845 15,225

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Area planted for all purposes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Yield in pounds.

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