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New York August Crop Forecast

ALBANY, NY --- The USDA-NASS has released the crop production forecast for August, according to Donnie Fike, State Statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), New York Field Office.

Corn for grain production is forecast at 82.7 million bushels, down 4 percent from 2019. Based on conditions as of August 1, yields are forecast to average a record high 167.0 bushels per acre, up 9 bushels per acre from last year. Area harvested for grain is forecast at 495 thousand acres, down 9 percent from 2019.

Soybeans production is forecast at 14.0 million bushels, up 30 percent from 2019. Based on August 1 conditions, yield is forecast to average 50.0 bushels per acre, up 2 bushels from last year. Area for harvest is forecast at 280 thousand acres, up 24 percent from 2019.

The forecasts in this report are based on conditions as of August 1. Any potential impacts from severe weather that occurred after August 1 will be reflected in future reports.

For the complete "Crop Production" report, go to:
<https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/tm70mv177>

The "Crop Production" report and all other NASS reports are available online at www.nass.usda.gov.

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