



Agriculture Across Ohio

September 1 Crop Forecast

Ohio farmers anticipate lower corn and soybean yields in 2022. Ohio farmers anticipate harvesting 3.12 million acres of corn for grain, 220 thousand acres less than last year and 5.08 million acres of soybeans, up 200 thousand acres from last year. Ohio farmers anticipate smaller corn and soybean yields this month than they did last month. The Ohio corn crop is now forecast at 186 bushels per acre, down 4 bushels

from last month's forecast. As of August 28, Ohio corn was 2 percent mature, on par with the 5-year average. Ohio soybean yield is forecasted at 56 bushels per acre, down 1 bushel from last month. As of August 28, two percent of Ohio soybeans were dropping leaves, 2 points less than the 5-year average.

Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production by Crop - Ohio and United States: 2021 - 2022

Commodity	Ohio		United States	
	2021	2022	2021	2022
Corn, all				
Planted 1,000 acres	3,550	3,350	93,357	88,608
Corn, grain				
Harvested 1,000 acres	3,340	3,120	85,388	80,844
Yield Bushels	193.0	186.0	177.0	172.5
Production 1,000 bu	644,620	580,320	15,115,170	13,943,913
Soybeans				
Planted 1,000 acres	4,900	5,100	87,195	87,455
Harvested 1,000 acres	4,880	5,080	86,332	86,631
Yield Bushels	56.5	56.0	51.4	50.5
Production 1,000 bu	275,720	284,480	4,435,232	4,378,194

July Agricultural Prices

Prices Received by Ohio farmers for the full month of July 2022 are listed in the table below. Some Ohio highlights were: July corn, at \$6.64 per bushel, decreased \$0.58 from June but increased \$0.37 from last year; July soybeans, at \$15.90 per bushel, decreased \$0.50 from last

month but increased \$1.80 from last year; July wheat, at \$7.99 per bushel, decreased \$0.33 from June but increased \$1.86 from last year; July milk, at \$25.60 per cwt., decreased \$0.40 from last month but increased \$7.30 from last year.

Prices Received by Farmers¹ - Ohio and United States: July 2022 with Comparisons

Commodity	Ohio			United States		
	Jul 2021	Jun 2022	Jul 2022	Jul 2021	Jun 2022	Jul 2022
Corn dollars/bu	6.27	7.22	6.64	6.12	7.37	7.25
Hay, alfalfa dollars/ton	195.00	180.00	175.00	206.00	245.00	276.00
Hay, other dollars/ton	150.00	140.00	140.00	153.00	146.00	164.00
Soybeans dollars/bu	14.10	16.40	15.90	14.10	16.40	15.50
Wheat, winter dollars/bu	6.13	8.32	7.99	6.10	9.14	8.34
Milk, all dollars/cwt	18.30	26.00	25.60	17.80	26.90	25.70

¹ Entire month weighted average price.

July Milk Production

Dairy herds in Ohio produced 467 million pounds of milk during July, down 3.9 percent from a year ago. Production per cow in Ohio averaged 1,875 pounds for July, 5 pounds above July 2021. The dairy herd was estimated at 249,000 head for July, down 11,000 head from a year earlier. The

average price of milk cows in July was \$1,680 per head, up \$340 from a year ago. The average price of milk sold in July by Ohio dairy producers was \$25.60 per cwt., \$7.30 more than the price in July 2021.

Milk Cows, Production, and Price – Ohio: July 2021 and 2022

Item	2021	2022
Cows..... 1,000 hd	260	249
Milk per cow..... lbs/month	1,870	1,875
Production..... mil lbs	486	467
Milk cow price dol/hd	1,340	1,680
Milk price, all dol/cwt	18.30	25.60
Fat test..... pct	3.80	3.82
Protein ¹ pct	3.07	3.09

¹ FMO 33

Poultry

All layers in Ohio totaled 36.6 million during July, up 6 percent from a year ago. Egg production totaled 919 million eggs, up 6 percent from last year. The rate of lay during July was 2,513 eggs per 100 layers. All layers in the U.S. totaled

367.5 million during July, down 4 percent from a year ago. There were 23.0 million turkey poults hatched in the U.S. in July, up slightly from the previous year.

Egg and Hatchery Production - Ohio and United States: July 2021 and 2022

Item	2021	2022	Percent Change
Ohio			
All layers.....thousand	34,396	36,581	6
Eggs per hundred layers number	2,526	2,513	-1
Eggs produced million	869	919	6
U.S.			
All Layers.....thousand	383,616	367,535	-4
Eggs per hundred layers number	2,409	2,449	2
Eggs produced million	9,242	9,000	-3
Turkey Eggs in incubators, Aug 1.....thousand	27,441	27,373	0
Turkey Poults hatched, Jul.....thousand	22,939	22,981	0

Red Meat Production

Commercial red meat production in Ohio totaled 22.4 million pounds in July 2022, up 3 percent from July 2021.

Commercial red meat production for the United States totaled 4.23 billion pounds in July, down 3 percent from the 4.38 billion pounds produced in July 2021.

Beef production, at 2.25 billion pounds, was 3 percent below the previous year. Cattle slaughter totaled 2.78 million head, down 2 percent from July 2021. The average live weight was down 8 pounds from the previous year, at 1,341 pounds.

Veal production totaled 4.1 million pounds, 5 percent above July a year ago. Calf slaughter totaled 29,500 head, down 12 percent from July 2021. The average live weight was up 38 pounds from last year, at 243 pounds.

Pork production totaled 1.97 billion pounds, down 4 percent from the previous year. Hog slaughter totaled 9.31 million head, down 5 percent from July 2021. The average live weight was up 3 pounds from the previous year, at 284 pounds.

Lamb and mutton production, at 10.3 million pounds, was down 5 percent from July 2021. Sheep slaughter totaled 163,300 head, 14 percent below last year. The average live weight was 126 pounds, up 11 pounds from July a year ago.

January to July 2022 commercial red meat production was 32.0 billion pounds, down 1 percent from 2021. Accumulated beef production was up 1 percent from last year, veal was up 4 percent, pork was down 3 percent from last year, and lamb and mutton production was down 7 percent.

Commercial Slaughter - Ohio: July 2021 and 2022

Species	Number slaughtered		Total live weight		Average live weight	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Cattle	6.2	6.4	8,186	8,517	1,327	1,326
Calves	9.2	8.1	959	1,213	105	149
Hogs	76.2	77.4	21,899	22,197	288	287
Sheep	5.5	3.9	864	637	158	164

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