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November 1 Tennessee Crop Production Forecast

Corn production in **Tennessee** is forecast at 160 million bushels, down 1 percent from the October forecast and up 38 percent from the previous crop. Yield was estimated at 174.0 bushels per acre, down 1.0 bushels from last month and up 6.0 bushels from the 2018 level. Acres for harvest as grain were estimated at 920,000 acres, up 230,000 acres from 2018. The **U.S.** corn production is forecast at 13.7 billion bushels, down 1 percent from the October forecast and down 5 percent from 2018. Based on conditions as of November 1, yields are expected to average 167.0 bushels per acre, down 1.4 bushels from last month and down 9.4 bushels from 2018. Area harvested for grain is forecast at 81.8 million acres, unchanged from the October forecast and up slightly from 2018.

Soybean production for **Tennessee** is forecast at 64.9 million bushels, unchanged from the October forecast and down 15 percent from 2018. Yield was estimated at 47.0 bushels per acre, unchanged from last month and up 1.5 bushels from a year ago. Acreage for harvest as beans was estimated at 1.38 million acres, down 290,000 acres from the previous year. **U.S.** soybean production is forecast at 3.55 billion bushels, down slightly from the October forecast and down 20 percent from last year. Based on November 1 conditions, yields are expected to average 46.9 bushels per acre, unchanged bushels from last month and down 3.7 bushels from last year. Area for harvest is forecast at 75.6 million acres, unchanged from the October forecast and down 14 percent from 2018.

Tennessee cotton production is projected to be 930,000 bales, down 1 percent from the October forecast and up 21 percent from last year. Cotton yields are forecast to average 1,116 pounds per acre, down 12 pounds from last month and up 75 pounds per acre from the previous year. Producers expect to harvest 400,000 acres, unchanged from the October forecast and up 45,000 acres from 2018. **U.S.** cotton production was forecast at 20.8 million 480-pound bales, down 4 percent from the October forecast and up 13 percent from 2018. Yields are forecast to average 799 pounds per acre, down 34 pounds from last month and down 65 pounds from last year. Upland cotton production is forecast at 20.1 million 480-pound bales, up 14 percent from 2018. Pima cotton production is forecast at 747,000 480-pound bales, down 7 percent from 2018.