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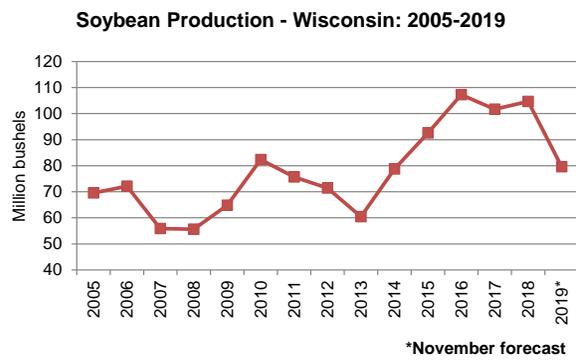
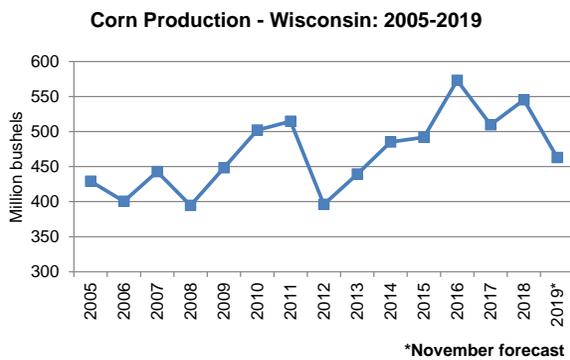
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Wisconsin **corn** production is forecast at 463 million bushels according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Crop Production* report. Based on conditions as of November 1, yields are expected to average 163 bushels per acre, unchanged from the October 1 forecast but down 9 bushels per acre from last year. Corn planted acreage is estimated at 3.85 million acres. An estimated 2.84 million acres will be harvested for grain.

**Soybean** production is forecast at 79.6 million bushels. The yield is forecast at 46.0 bushels per acre, unchanged from the October 1 forecast but down 2.0 bushels below last year. Soybean planted acreage is estimated at 1.75 million acres with 1.73 million acres to be harvested.

**Potato** production is forecast at 29.0 million hundredweight (cwt), up 7 percent from 2018. The potato yield is forecast at 420 cwt per acre, up 15 cwt from 2018. Wisconsin potato growers expect to harvest 69,000 acres, up 2,000 acres from last year.

The forecasts in this report are based on November 1 conditions and do not reflect weather effects since that time. The next corn and soybean production estimates will be published in the *Crop Production – Annual Summary* report which will be released January 10, 2020.



## Area Harvested, Yield, and Production – Wisconsin and United States: 2018 and Forecasted November 1, 2019

Crop	Area harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2018 (1,000 acres)	2019 (1,000 acres)	2018	2019	2018 (1,000)	2019 (1,000)
<b>WISCONSIN</b>						
Corn..... bushels	3,170	2,840	172.0	163.0	545,240	462,920
Potatoes, all..... cwt	67.0	69.0	405	420	27,135	28,980
Soybeans..... bushels	2,180	1,730	48.0	46.0	104,640	79,580
<b>UNITED STATES</b>						
Corn..... bushels	81,740	81,815	176.4	167.0	14,420,101	13,661,005
Potatoes, all..... cwt	1,014.8	938.9	443	450	450,020	422,451
Soybeans..... bushels	87,594	75,626	50.6	46.9	4,428,150	3,549,977

## U.S. Corn Supply and Use <sup>1</sup>

CORN	2017-2018	2018-2019 (Est.)	2019-2020 <sup>2</sup> Projections November
	<i>(million bushels)</i>	<i>(million bushels)</i>	<i>(million bushels)</i>
Beginning stocks	2,293	2,140	2,114
Production	14,609	14,420	13,661
Imports	36	28	50
<b>Supply, total</b>	<b>16,939</b>	<b>16,588</b>	<b>15,825</b>
Feed & residual	5,304	5,618	5,275
Food, seed & industrial	7,057	6,791	6,790
<b>Domestic, total</b>	<b>12,361</b>	<b>12,409</b>	<b>12,065</b>
Exports	2,438	2,065	1,850
<b>Use, total</b>	<b>14,798</b>	<b>14,474</b>	<b>13,915</b>
<b>Ending stocks</b>	<b>2,140</b>	<b>2,114</b>	<b>1,910</b>
Avg. Farm price (\$/bu)	3.36	3.61	3.85

<sup>1</sup> Source: USDA OCE World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates Report  
<http://www.usda.gov/oce/commodity/wasde/index.htm>

<sup>2</sup> Preliminary

## U.S. Soybean Supply and Use <sup>1</sup>

SOYBEANS	2017-2018	2018-2019 (Est.)	2019-2020 <sup>2</sup> Projections November
	<i>(million bushels)</i>	<i>(million bushels)</i>	<i>(million bushels)</i>
Beginning stocks	302	438	913
Production	4,412	4,428	3,550
Imports	22	14	20
<b>Supply, total</b>	<b>4,735</b>	<b>4,880</b>	<b>4,483</b>
Crushings	2,055	2,092	2,105
Exports	2,134	1,748	1,775
Seed	104	89	96
Residual	5	39	32
<b>Use, total</b>	<b>4,297</b>	<b>3,967</b>	<b>4,008</b>
<b>Ending stocks</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>913</b>	<b>475</b>
Avg. Farm price (\$/bu)	9.33	8.48	9.00

<sup>1</sup> Source: USDA OCE World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates Report  
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## United States Summary

Corn production for grain is forecast at 13.7 billion bushels, down 1 percent from the previous forecast and down 5 percent from last year. Based on conditions as of November 1, yields are expected to average 167.0 bushels per harvested acre, down 1.4 bushels from the previous forecast and down 9.4 bushels from 2018. Area harvested for grain is forecast at 81.8 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but up slightly from 2018.

Soybean production for beans is forecast at 3.55 billion bushels, down slightly from the previous forecast and down 20 percent from last year. Based on conditions as of November 1, yields are expected to average 46.9 bushels per acre, unchanged from the previous forecast but down 3.7 bushels from 2018. Area harvested for beans in the United States is forecast at 75.6 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but down 14 percent from 2018.