



# Wisconsin Ag News – Grain Stocks

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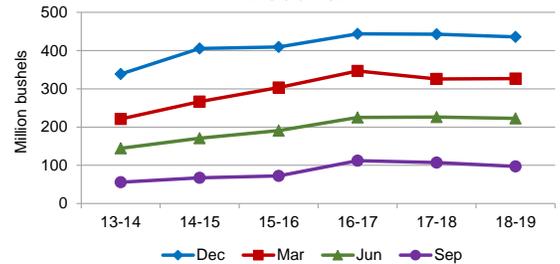
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**Corn** stored in all positions in Wisconsin on September 1, 2019, totaled 97.3 million bushels according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Grain Stocks* report. This was down 9 percent from the previous September’s total stocks of 107 million bushels. Of the total stocks, 44 percent were stored on-farm. The indicated quarterly disappearance from June-August 2019 totaled 126 million bushels, 5 percent above the 119 million bushels from the same period last year.

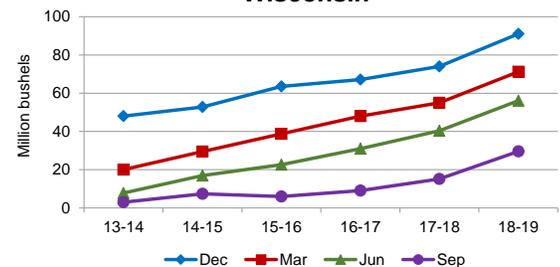
**Soybeans** stored in all positions in Wisconsin on September 1, 2019, totaled 29.6 million bushels. This is a record high September 1 total stocks on hand, 86 percent above the previous record high set in 2007. Of the total stocks, 20 percent were stored on-farm. Indicated disappearance for June-August 2019 was 26.4 million bushels, 5 percent more than the 25.1 million bushels from the same period last year.

**Oats** stored in all positions in Wisconsin on September 1, 2019, totaled 6.08 million bushels, down 38 percent from the 9.78 million bushels on hand September 1, 2018. Of the total stocks, 53 percent were stored on-farm. Indicated disappearance for June-August 2019 was 5.70 million bushels.

**Corn Stocks by Marketing Year  
Wisconsin**



**Soybean Stocks by Marketing Year  
Wisconsin**



## Grain Stocks by Position – Wisconsin and United States: September 1, 2018 and 2019

Position and Grain	Wisconsin			United States		
	September 1, 2018	September 1, 2019	2019 as % of 2018	September 1, 2018	September 1, 2019	2019 as % of 2018
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(percent)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(percent)
<b>On-farm</b>						
Corn .....	43,500	43,000	99	620,000	753,300	122
Oats .....	3,500	3,200	91	39,200	39,000	99
Soybeans .....	3,900	6,000	154	101,000	265,000	262
Wheat .....	(D)	(D)	(X)	632,700	775,500	123
<b>Off-farm <sup>1</sup></b>						
Corn .....	63,455	54,298	86	1,520,335	1,361,132	90
Oats .....	6,279	2,879	46	35,573	22,216	62
Soybeans .....	11,224	23,617	210	337,105	648,054	192
Wheat .....	46,692	38,302	82	1,757,071	1,609,105	92
<b>Total all positions</b>						
Corn .....	106,955	97,298	91	2,140,335	2,114,432	99
Oats .....	9,779	6,079	62	74,773	61,216	82
Soybeans .....	15,124	29,617	196	438,105	913,054	208
Wheat .....	(D)	(D)	(X)	2,389,771	2,384,605	100

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

(X) Not Applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.

## United States Grain Stocks

Corn stocks in all positions on September 1, 2019 totaled 2.11 billion bushels, down 1 percent from September 1, 2018. Of the total stocks, 753 million bushels are stored on farms, up 22 percent from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 1.36 billion bushels, are down 10 percent from a year ago. The June-August 2019 indicated disappearance is 3.09 billion bushels, compared with 3.16 billion bushels during the same period last year.

Soybeans stored in all positions on September 1, 2019 totaled 913 million bushels, up 108 percent from September 1, 2018. Soybean stocks stored on farms totaled 265 million bushels, up 162 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 648 million bushels, are up 92 percent from last September. Indicated disappearance for June-August 2019 totaled 870 million bushels, up 11 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Based on an analysis of end-of-marketing year stock estimates, disappearance data for exports and crushings, and farm program administrative data, the 2018 soybean production is revised down 116 million bushels from the previous estimate. Planted area is revised to 89.2 million acres, and harvested area is revised to 87.6 million acres. The 2018 yield, at 50.6 bushels per acre, is down 1.0 bushel from the previous estimate.

All wheat stored in all positions on September 1, 2019 totaled 2.38 billion bushels, down slightly from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 776 million bushels, up 23 percent from last September. Off-farm stocks, at 1.61 billion bushels, are down 8 percent from a year ago. The June-August 2019 indicated disappearance is 657 million bushels, up 11 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Oats stored in all positions on September 1, 2019 totaled 61.2 million bushels, 18 percent below the stocks on September 1, 2018. Of the total stocks on hand, 39.0 million bushels are stored on farms, 1 percent lower than a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 22.2 million bushels, 38 percent below the previous year. Indicated disappearance during June-August 2019 totaled 30.8 million bushels, compared with 22.4 million bushels during the same period a year ago.