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2024 Prospective Planting Summary

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Corn Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2022-2024

State	Area planted			
	2022	2023	2024 ¹	2024 as percent of 2023
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(percent)
Connecticut	24	24	24	100
Delaware	160	175	170	97
Maine	29	28	30	107
Maryland	420	480	470	98
Massachusetts	14	14	15	107
New Hampshire	13	13	12	92
New Jersey	68	74	72	97
New York	1,010	1,040	1,030	99
Pennsylvania	1,020	1,040	1,050	101
Rhode Island	2	2	2	100
Vermont	90	89	90	101
United States	88,162	94,641	90,036	95

¹ Intended plantings in 2024 as indicated by reports from farmers.

Oat Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2022-2024

[Includes area planted in preceding fall]

State	Area planted			
	2022	2023	2024 ¹	2024 as percent of 2023
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(percent)
Maine	27	22	24	109
New York	68	61	58	95
Pennsylvania	87	70	68	97
United States	2,582	2,555	2,318	91

¹ Intended plantings in 2024 as indicated by reports from farmers.

Winter Wheat Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2022-2024

[Includes area planted in preceding fall]

State	Area planted			
	2022	2023	2024 ¹	2024 as percent of 2023
	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Delaware	80	80	70	88
Maryland	355	340	325	96
New Jersey ²	26	34	(NA)	(X)
New York	140	150	150	100
Pennsylvania	270	280	250	89
United States	33,281	36,699	34,135	93

¹Intended plantings in 2024 as indicated by reports from farmers.

²Estimates discontinued in 2024.

(NA)Not available.

(X)Not applicable.

Barley Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2022-2024

[Includes area planted in preceding fall]

State	Area planted			
	2022	2023	2024 ¹	2024 as percent of 2023
	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Delaware	21	21	21	100
Maine	11	11	12	109
Maryland	28	31	25	81
New York	7	9	8	89
Pennsylvania	43	47	53	113
United States	2,927	3,101	2,566	83

¹ Intended plantings in 2024 as indicated by reports from farmers.

All Hay Area Harvested - Northeastern States and United States: 2022-2024

State	Area planted			
	2022	2023	2024 ¹	2024 as percent of 2023
	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Connecticut	52	53	53	100
Delaware	11	12	11	92
Maine	134	128	140	109
Maryland	215	205	215	105
Massachusetts	60	54	65	120
New Hampshire	42	41	41	100
New Jersey	109	97	105	108
New York	1,180	1,120	1,110	99
Pennsylvania	1,310	1,200	1,200	100
Rhode Island	7	6	6	100
Vermont	165	165	165	100
United States	48,711	52,821	51,562	98

¹ Intended plantings in 2024 as indicated by reports from farmers.

Soybean Area Planted - Northeastern States and United States: 2022-2024

State	Area planted			
	2022	2023	2024 ¹	2024 as percent of 2023
	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Delaware	160	150	155	103
Maryland	520	470	455	97
New Jersey	110	100	110	110
New York	350	350	350	100
Pennsylvania	600	570	580	102
United States	87,450	83,600	86,510	103

¹ Intended plantings in 2024 as indicated by reports from farmers.

U.S. Crop Comments

Corn: Corn: Growers intend to plant 90.0 million acres of corn for all purposes in 2024, a decrease of 5 percent from last year. Compared with last year, planted acreage is expected to be down or unchanged in 38 of the 48 estimating States. Acreage decreases of 300,000 acres or more from last year are expected in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Ohio, South Dakota, and Texas. The planted acreage in Iowa will be the lowest since 2006. The planted acreage in Montana will be the highest since 1958. Record high acreage is expected in Arizona and Oregon. Record low acreage is expected in Rhode Island.

Oats: Area expected to be seeded to oats for the 2024 crop year is estimated at 2.32 million acres, up 1 percent from 2023 for comparable States. If realized, the United States planted area will be the lowest on record. Record low planted acreage is expected in Ohio and Oregon.

Winter wheat: The 2024 winter wheat planted area is estimated at 34.1 million acres, down 1 percent from the previous estimate and down 7 percent from last year for comparable States. Of the total planted acreage, approximately 24.3 million acres are Hard Red Winter, 6.26 million acres are Soft Red Winter, and 3.59 million acres are White Winter. The only States expecting increased acreage from 2023 are Montana and Washington. If realized, Michigan, Utah, and Virginia will have record low planted areas. Beginning in 2024, winter wheat estimates were discontinued in New Jersey.

Barley: Producers seeded 2.57 million acres of barley for the 2024 crop year, down 17 percent from the previous year. In Montana, the largest barley State, acreage is expected to decrease by 20 percent, from last year. Record low acreage is expected in Colorado, Idaho, Maryland, and Oregon.

Hay: Producers intend to harvest 51.6 million acres of all hay in 2024, down 2 percent from 2023. Record low all hay harvested area is expected in Delaware and a record high is expected in Florida.

Soybeans: Growers intend to plant 86.5 million acres in 2024, up 3 percent from last year. Compared with last year, planted acreage intentions are up or unchanged in 24 of the 29 estimating States. Increases of 100,000 acres or more are anticipated in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, Ohio, and South Dakota. A decrease of 180,000 acres is expected in Kansas. If realized, the planted area in Kentucky and New York will be the largest on record.

*For the complete "Prospective Planting" report, go to: <https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/x633f100h>
The "Prospective Planting" report and all other NASS reports are available online at www.nass.usda.gov.*

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