



News Release

Ohio March 1 Grain Stocks

On March 1, 2023, Ohio corn stocks totaled 374 million bushels, 1 percent below a year earlier, according to the USDA NASS, Great Lakes Regional Field Office. About 61 percent of the corn was stored on farms. The second quarter disappearance was 143 million bushels, compared with 160 million bushels a year earlier. Soybean stocks on March 1, 2023, were 147 million bushels. That was 5 percent higher than stocks a year earlier. Farm stocks of soybeans were 74 million bushels. The second quarter indicated disappearance was 103 million bushels, compared with 78.5 million bushels during the same period a year ago. Wheat stocks on March 1, 2023, were 39.8 million bushels, 4 percent below a year ago. Third quarter indicated disappearance was 10.2 million bushels, compared with 12.1 million bushels last year.

Nationally, corn stocks in all positions on March 1, 2023 totaled 7.40 billion bushels, down 5 percent from March 1, 2022. Of the total stocks, 4.11 billion bushels were stored on farms, up 1 percent from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 3.29 billion bushels, are down 10 percent from a year ago. The December 2022 - February 2023 indicated disappearance is 3.42 billion bushels, compared with 3.88 billion bushels during the same period last year. Soybeans stored in all positions on March 1, 2023 totaled 1.69 billion bushels, down 13 percent from March 1, 2022. Soybean stocks stored on farms are estimated at 750 million bushels, down slightly from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 936 million bushels, are down 21 percent from last March. Indicated disappearance for the December 2022 - February 2023 quarter totaled 1.34 billion bushels, up 11 percent from the same period a year earlier. All wheat stored in all positions on March 1, 2023 totaled 946 million bushels, down 8 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 227 million bushels, up 30 percent from last March. Off-farm stocks, at 719 million bushels, are down 16 percent from a year ago. The December 2022 - February 2023 indicated disappearance is 366 million bushels, 5 percent above the same period a year earlier.

Grain Stocks - Ohio and United States: March 1, 2022-2023

Commodity and year	Ohio			United States
	On-farm	Off-farm ¹	Total	Total
	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>
Corn				
2022	215,000	164,247	379,247	7,758,036
2023	230,000	144,179	374,179	7,400,553
Soybeans				
2022	59,000	81,218	140,218	1,931,817
2023	74,000	72,887	146,887	1,685,418
Wheat, All				
2022	530	40,866	41,396	1,029,168
2023	920	38,900	39,820	946,018
Oats				
2022	(D)	(D)	(D)	43,004
2023	(D)	(D)	(D)	42,925

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

¹ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.