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Wisconsin Ag News – Grain Stocks



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Corn stored in all positions in Wisconsin on December 1, 2023, totaled 453 million bushels, up 9 percent from December 1, 2022, according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – Grain Stocks report. Of the total stocks, 57 percent were stored on-farm. The September-November indicated disappearance totaled 173 million bushels, 11 percent below the 195 million bushels from the same quarter the previous year.

Soybeans stored in all positions in Wisconsin on December 1, 2023, totaled 83.0 million bushels, down 7 percent from December 1, 2022. Of the total stocks, 33 percent were stored on-farm. Indicated disappearance for September-November 2023 was 31.5 million bushels, 8 percent below the 34.4 million bushels from the same quarter the previous year.





Grain Stocks by Position - Wisconsin and United States: December 1, 2022-2023

	Wisconsin			United States		
Position and grain	December 1, 2022	December 1, 2023	'23 as % of '22	December 1, 2022	December 1, 2023	'23 as % of '22
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(percent)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(percent)
On-farm stocks						
Corn	250,000	260,000	104	6,740,000	7,830,000	116
Oats	1,900	1,450	76	24,180	24,030	99
Soybeans	28,000	27,000	96	1,477,000	1,453,000	98
Wheat	(D)	(D)	(X)	361,900	394,960	109
Off-farm stocks ¹						
Corn	165,607	193,341	117	4,073,207	4,338,869	107
Oats	3,538	6,670	189	29,515	38,546	131
Soybeans	61,548	55,988	91	1,544,152	1,546,949	100
Wheat	27,549	28,382	103	949,930	1,015,294	107
Total stocks						
Corn	415,607	453,341	109	10,813,207	12,168,869	113
Oats	5,438	8,120	149	53,695	62,576	117
Soybeans	89,548	82,988	93	3,021,152	2,999,949	99
Wheat	*	(D)	(X)	1 311 830	1 410 254	108

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

⁽X) Not applicable.
Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors

United States Grain Stocks

Corn stored in all positions on December 1, 2023, totaled 12.2 billion bushels, up 13 percent from December 1, 2022. Of the total stocks, 7.83 billion bushels are stored on farms, up 16 percent from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 4.34 billion bushels, are up 7 percent from a year ago. The September - November 2023 indicated disappearance is 4.53 billion bushels, compared with 4.21 billion bushels during the same period last year.

Soybeans stored in all positions on December 1, 2023, totaled 3.00 billion bushels, down 1 percent from December 1, 2022. Soybean stocks stored on farms totaled 1.45 billion bushels, down 2 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 1.55 billion bushels, are up slightly from last December. Indicated disappearance for September - November 2023 totaled 1.43 billion bushels, down 6 percent from the same period a year earlier.

All wheat stored in all positions on December 1, 2023, totaled 1.41 billion bushels, up 8 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 395 million bushels, up 9 percent from last December. Off-farm stocks, at 1.02 billion bushels, are up 7 percent from a year ago. The September - November 2023 indicated disappearance is 357 million bushels, 23 percent below the same period a year earlier.

Oats stored in all positions on December 1, 2023, totaled 62.6 million bushels, up 17 percent from the stocks on December 1, 2022. Of the total stocks on hand, 24.0 million bushels are stored on farms, down 1 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 38.5 million bushels, up 31 percent from the previous year. Indicated disappearance during September - November 2023 totaled 12.7 million bushels.

The complete report can be found on the USDA NASS website at www.nass.usda.gov/Publications.