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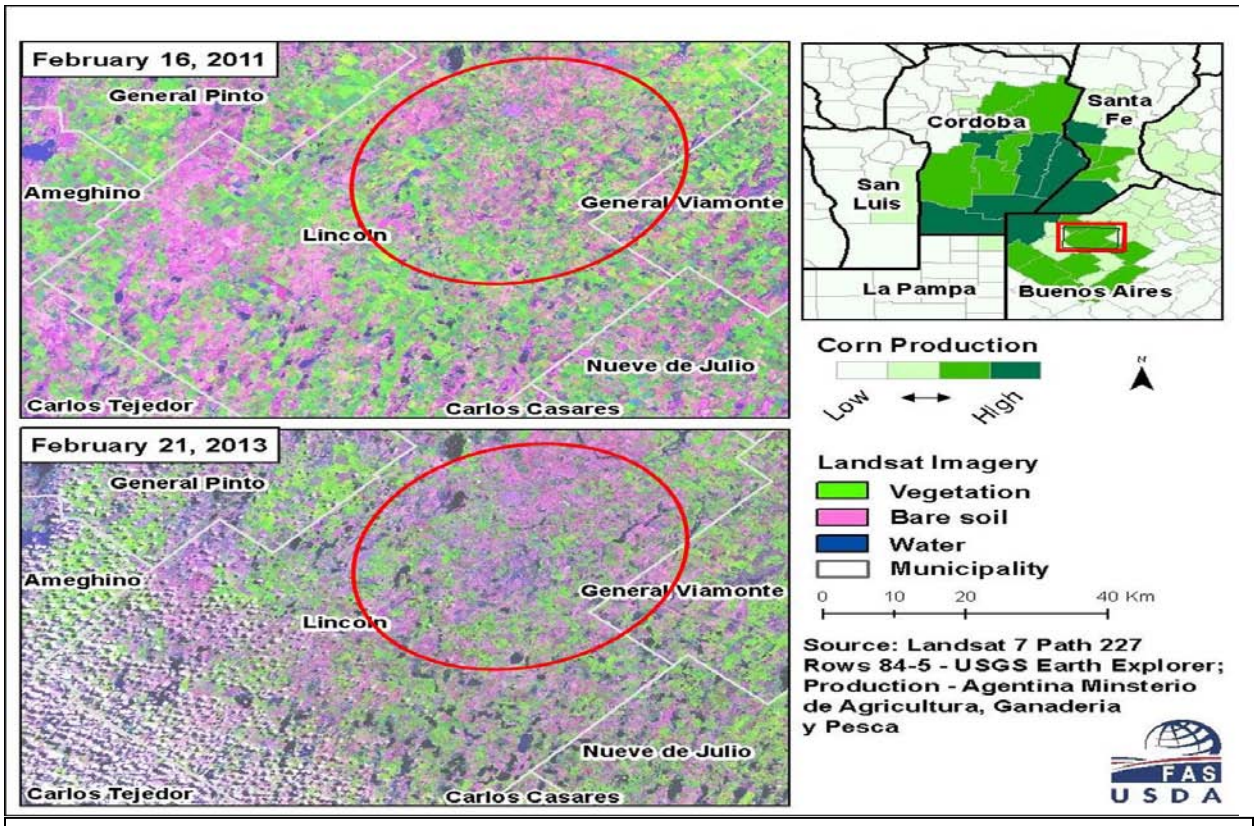
Argentina Corn: Timely Rain Benefits Stressed Corn Crop



Excessive rains from October to December contributed to a reduction in the planted corn area for 2012/13. Recent rain is impeding harvest of the early crop. Evidence of the rain can be noted in the standing water throughout the February 21, 2013 image.

USDA forecasts Argentina corn production for 2012/13 at 26.5 million metric tons, 2 percent below last month and 26 percent above the 21.0 million grown in 2011/12. The estimated harvested area of 3.5 million hectares is unchanged from last month and down 3 percent from last year's drought-affected level. Yield is estimated at 7.57 tons per hectare, 2 percent lower than last month but 30 percent higher than last year. Last weekend's rains helped replenish low soil moisture reserves for the late-planted corn, much of which is flowering and setting seed. Moisture along with moderate temperatures may moderate crop stress brought on by extended dry conditions in later-planted areas. Early-planted corn continues to finish grain-filling or is mature, with recent rains delaying harvest in Cordoba, Santa Fe, Entre Rios, and in northern

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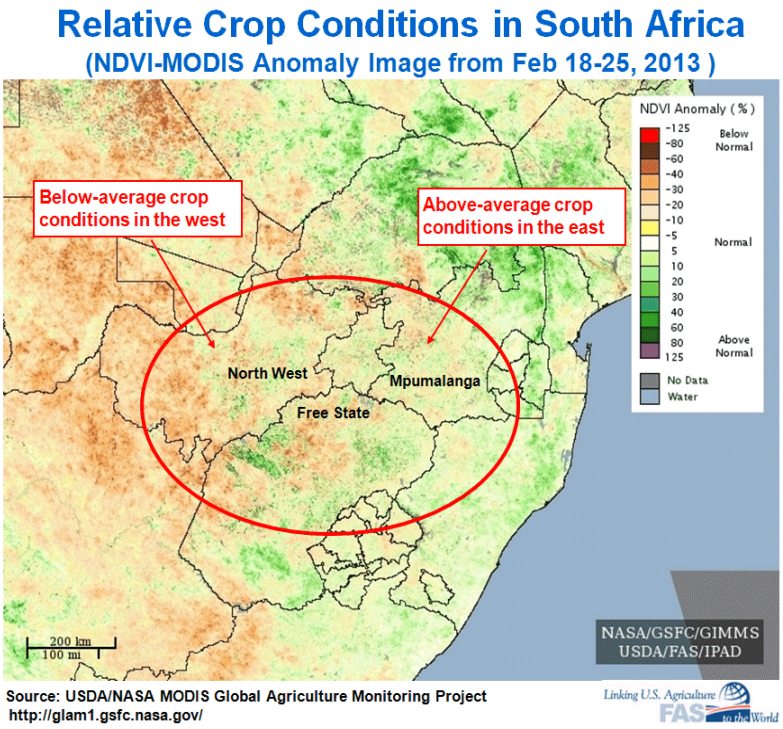
Buenos Aires. Yields are reported as average to very good, but vary from field to field. Just over six percent of the crop had been harvested by the end of February in Argentina, accounting for about 225,000 hectares. *(For more information, contact Denise McWilliams, PhD, at 202-720-0107.)*

South Africa Corn: Production Greater than Last Year, with Near-Record Yields in the East and Below-Average Yields in the West



South Africa's 2012/13 corn production is forecast at 13.0 million tons, down 0.5 million tons from last month but up 0.6 million or 5 percent from last year. Corn area is forecast at 3.3 million hectares, unchanged from last month and up 0.2 million or 6 percent from last year. The forecast yield of 3.93 tons per hectare (T/Ha) is below the five-year average yield of 4.04 T/Ha due to below-average seasonal rainfall and crop conditions in the western Free State and North West provinces.

Seasonal rains arrived on time and have been favorable in the eastern portion of South Africa's grain basket for the entire crop season. However, seasonal rains arrived several weeks late and were below average for a large portion of the western crop region, with January and February rainfall well below average in the west during the critical pollination and early grain filling stages.

USDA/FAS personnel traveled within South Africa's corn-belt during the last week of February when the crop was in the grain-filling stages. Crop conditions in North West and western Free State provinces were observed to range from very poor to mediocre, while crop conditions in the east ranged from very good to excellent, with record crop yields possible for Mpumalanga province.

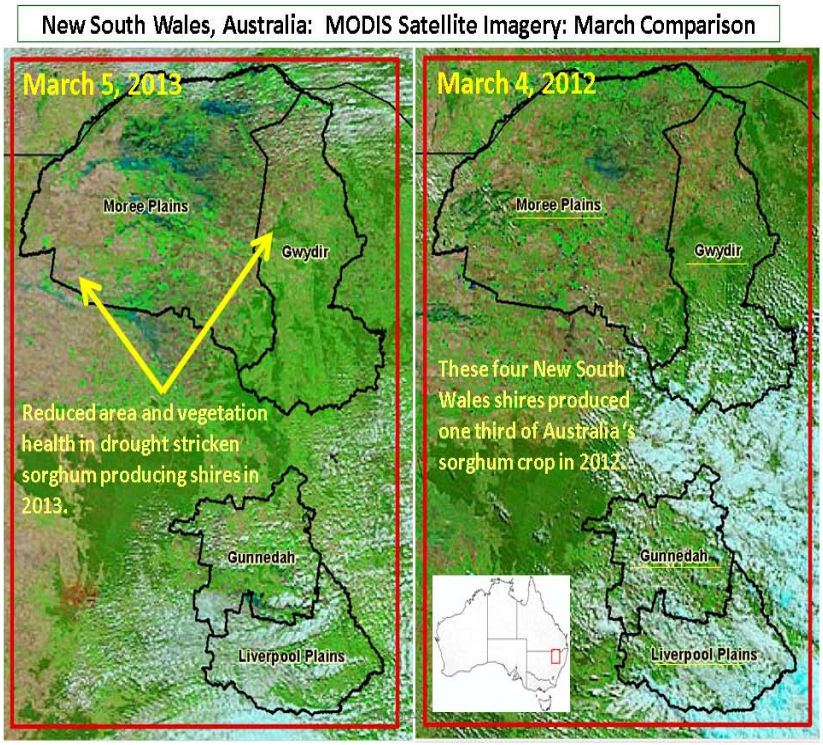
A mid-season dry spell occurred throughout South Africa's grain basket during late-February and the entire region requires rain in early March. Final yields will depend on rainfall received during March and no early frosts in April damaging the crop. Crop yields are expected to reach near record levels in the east and be well below-average in the west. *(For more information, contact Curt Reynolds, PhD, at 202-690-0134.)*

Argentina Soybeans: Rain Benefits Crop in Some Areas but Localized Dryness Persists

Argentine farmers are expected to bring in 51.5 million metric tons of soybeans, 3 percent less than last month but 28 percent more than last year, for the 2012/13 season. Production will be harvested from an estimated 19.35 million hectares, 1 percent less area than forecast last month but 10 percent more than last year. Yield is expected to be 2.66 tons per hectare, 2 percent lower than last month and 17 percent higher than last year.

Recent rains brought relief to soy in some fields but may have been too late for stressed fields in the northwestern provinces. Soybeans in the core of the Argentine growing region may have fewer pods due to January to mid-February dry conditions. Yields are expected to vary dramatically, depending on when drying conditions hit the crop and soil-moisture reserves available in each field. Much of the crop is in the R1 to R5 stages (early flowering to pod fill), with earlier stressed areas having most of the crop in the R3 to R5 stage. *(For more information, contact Denise McWilliams, PhD, at 202-720-0107.)*

Australia Sorghum: Heat and Dryness Reduce Production Prospects



Australia sorghum production for 2012/13 is forecast at 1.7 million tons, down 0.5 million or 23 percent from last month, and down 0.52 million or 24 percent from last year. The area forecast is 0.6 million hectares, down 0.1 million from last month, and down 0.057 million or 9 percent from last year. Yield is forecast at 2.83 tons per hectare, down 10 percent from last month and 18 percent below the 5-year average.

Sorghum production had been expected to increase significantly this year as prices favored sorghum relative to cotton. However, many sorghum producers did not fully realize their planting intentions because of unfavorable seasonal conditions during much of the planting window. Despite rainfall in late-January many growers opted to plant sunflowers and mungbeans instead of sorghum. A severe lack of summer rainfall delayed planting in many growing areas and reduced yield potential. In addition, record high temperatures further stressed the crop already struggling with a lack of soil moisture. Sorghum production is concentrated in two eastern states. Queensland produces the bulk of Australia's sorghum, 66 percent (five-year average), with New South Wales accounting for the remaining 34 percent. *(For more information, please contact James Crutchfield at 202-690-0135.)*

China Rapeseed: Area and Production Revised Upward

China's 2012/13 rapeseed production was raised this month to 13.5 million tons, up 0.9 million or 7 percent from last month and up 1 percent from last year. The estimated yield of 1.88 tons per hectare is up 4 percent from last month and 3 percent from last year. Rapeseed area is estimated at 7.2 million hectares, up 0.2 million or 3 percent from last month but down 2 percent from a year ago.

Chinese government sources have recently published updated 2012/13 oilseed area and production estimates at the provincial and national level. In February, China's National Grain and Oilseed Information Center sharply revised its 2012/13 production estimate from 12.2 to 13.8 million tons, a month-to-month increase of 13 percent. The new estimate is consistent with previously published data from the National Bureau of Statistics that indicated a higher-than-expected area and production of oilseeds in 2012/13. In addition, preliminary 2012/13 statistics by province indicate that oilseed production was similar or greater than last year in several major rapeseed-growing provinces. *(For more information, contact Paulette Sandene at 202-690-0133.)*

India Rice: Kharif Rice Outturn Raises Prospects

India's 2012/13 rice production is forecast at 101.0 million tons, up 2.0 million or 2 percent from last month and down 4 percent from last year. Area is forecast at 43.0 million hectares, unchanged from last month, but down 2.5 percent from last year. Paddy yield is forecast at 3.52 tons per hectare, down 1.6 percent from last year.

Rainfall from the 2012 monsoon arrived late across India and was characterized as erratic and below normal in some regions, especially during June, July and early August. Overall rainfall deficits were 29 percent in June, 39 percent in July and 20 percent in early August. These conditions raised serious concerns about the 2012/13 crop prospects. However, rainfall and soil moisture conditions significantly improved in August and September and were categorized as normal, raising yield prospects. Despite the low early and mid-season rainfall, reported yields for the *kharif* rice crop are higher than expected and have boosted prospects for India's 2012/13 rice crop.

About 85 percent of India's rice is grown during the *kharif* (summer) season, from May through September, mainly in Punjab, Haryana, and Utter Pradesh. It is estimated that 50 percent of *kharif* rice is irrigated using canals and tube wells. The rest of the rice is grown under irrigation during the *rabi* (winter) season, from November through March. The *rabi* crop is predominantly grown in West Bengal, Andhra Pradesh, Orissa, Karnataka, Assam, and Tamil Nadu. The harvest of the *kharif* crop is almost complete and *rabi* rice planting is about to finish. (*For more information contact Dath Mita, PhD, at 202-720-7339.*)

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Conversion Table

Metric tons to bushels

Wheat, soybeans	=	MT * 36.7437
Corn, sorghum, rye	=	MT * 39.36825
Barley	=	MT * 45.929625
Oats	=	MT * 68.894438

Metric tons to 480-lb bales

Cotton	=	MT * 4.592917

Metric tons to hundredweight

Rice	=	MT * 22.04622

Area & weight

1 hectare	=	2.471044 acres
1 kilogram	=	2.204622 pounds

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Table 01 World Crop Production Summary

Million Metric Tons

Commodity	World -	Total Foreign	North America			EU-27 -	Former Soviet		Asia (WAP)					South America		Selected Other			All Others
			United States	Canada -	Mexico -		Russia -	Ukraine -	China -	India -	Indo-nesia	Paki-stan	Thai-land	Argen-tina	Brazil -	Aus-tralia	South Africa	Turkey -	
	---Million metric tons---																		
Wheat																			
2010/11	652.2	592.1	60.1	23.3	3.7	136.0	41.5	16.8	115.2	80.8	nr	23.9	nr	17.2	5.9	27.4	1.4	17.0	81.9
2011/12 prel.	697.0	642.6	54.4	25.3	3.6	137.2	56.2	22.3	117.4	86.9	nr	25.0	nr	15.5	5.8	29.9	2.0	18.8	96.6
2012/13 proj.																			
Feb	653.6	591.9	61.8	27.2	3.2	131.7	37.7	15.8	120.6	93.9	nr	23.3	nr	11.0	4.3	22.0	1.9	15.5	83.7
Mar	655.5	593.7	61.8	27.2	3.2	132.3	37.7	15.8	120.6	94.9	nr	23.3	nr	11.0	4.3	22.0	1.9	15.5	84.1
Coarse Grains																			
2010/11	1,099.5	769.3	330.2	22.7	29.2	140.5	16.4	21.4	183.4	43.4	6.8	3.6	4.3	33.3	60.4	11.5	11.3	10.2	171.0
2011/12 prel.	1,153.5	829.8	323.7	22.9	25.8	147.4	33.1	33.3	199.7	42.1	8.9	3.6	4.4	30.1	75.9	12.3	12.9	11.3	166.2
2012/13 proj.																			
Feb	1,124.2	838.2	286.0	24.3	29.0	140.2	28.4	29.3	215.0	38.2	8.9	3.6	4.6	38.2	76.0	10.8	14.0	10.6	167.2
Mar	1,123.4	837.4	286.0	24.3	29.0	140.2	28.4	29.3	215.0	38.6	8.9	3.6	4.6	37.7	76.0	10.3	13.5	10.6	167.5
Rice, Milled																			
2010/11	449.1	441.5	7.6	nr	0.1	2.2	0.7	0.1	137.0	96.0	35.5	5.0	20.3	1.1	9.3	0.5	nr	0.5	133.2
2011/12 prel.	466.2	460.3	5.9	nr	0.1	2.1	0.7	0.1	140.7	105.3	36.5	6.5	20.5	1.0	7.9	0.7	nr	0.5	137.8
2012/13 proj.																			
Feb	465.8	459.5	6.4	nr	0.1	2.0	0.7	0.1	143.0	99.0	36.9	6.8	20.5	1.0	8.2	0.8	nr	0.5	139.8
Mar	468.1	461.7	6.4	nr	0.1	2.0	0.7	0.1	143.0	101.0	36.9	6.8	20.5	1.0	8.2	0.8	nr	0.5	140.1
Total Grains																			
2010/11	2,200.8	1,802.9	397.9	46.0	33.0	278.7	58.6	38.4	435.6	220.2	42.3	32.5	24.5	51.6	75.6	39.4	12.8	27.7	386.1
2011/12 prel.	2,316.7	1,932.7	384.0	48.2	29.5	286.8	90.0	55.7	457.8	234.2	45.4	35.1	24.8	46.6	89.6	42.9	14.9	30.6	400.6
2012/13 proj.																			
Feb	2,243.6	1,889.5	354.1	51.5	32.3	274.0	66.8	45.2	478.6	231.1	45.8	33.7	25.1	50.2	88.5	33.6	15.9	26.6	390.7
Mar	2,246.9	1,892.8	354.1	51.5	32.3	274.5	66.8	45.2	478.6	234.5	45.8	33.7	25.1	49.7	88.5	33.1	15.4	26.6	391.6
Oilseeds																			
2010/11	455.7	355.3	100.4	17.3	0.7	29.1	7.2	11.6	58.1	35.0	9.6	4.8	0.6	54.2	79.0	3.8	1.7	1.9	40.7
2011/12 prel.	440.8	348.5	92.3	18.9	0.9	29.2	12.4	14.2	59.1	35.4	10.2	5.8	0.7	44.7	70.2	5.0	1.3	2.1	38.3
2012/13 proj.																			
Feb	466.9	374.2	92.7	18.3	0.8	27.2	10.9	12.6	57.3	35.4	10.8	5.3	0.7	57.8	86.2	4.2	1.6	2.1	42.9
Mar	466.8	374.1	92.7	18.3	0.8	27.2	10.9	12.6	58.6	35.5	10.8	5.1	0.7	56.2	86.1	4.5	1.6	2.1	43.0
Cotton																			
2010/11	116.3	98.2	18.1	nr	0.7	1.2	nr	nr	30.5	26.4	0.0	8.6	0.0	1.4	9.0	4.2	0.1	2.1	14.0
2011/12 prel.	124.1	108.6	15.6	nr	1.2	1.6	nr	nr	33.1	27.5	0.0	10.6	0.0	1.0	8.7	5.5	0.1	3.4	15.8
2012/13 proj.																			
Feb	119.0	101.9	17.0	nr	0.9	1.4	nr	nr	34.0	25.5	0.0	9.6	0.0	0.8	6.5	4.2	0.0	2.6	16.3
Mar	119.9	102.9	17.0	nr	1.1	1.4	nr	nr	35.0	25.5	0.0	9.3	0.0	0.8	6.3	4.2	0.0	2.6	16.6

1/ Includes wheat, coarse grains, and rice (milled) shown above.

Table 02 Wheat Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	217.20	221.84	215.85	215.92	3.00	3.14	3.03	3.04	652.17	697.01	653.61	655.48	1.86	0.29	-41.53	-5.96
United States	19.27	18.50	19.83	19.83	3.12	2.94	3.11	3.11	60.06	54.41	61.76	61.76	0.00	0.00	7.34	13.49
Total Foreign	197.93	203.34	196.02	196.09	2.99	3.16	3.02	3.03	592.11	642.60	591.86	593.72	1.86	0.31	-48.88	-7.61
China	24.26	24.27	24.14	24.14	4.75	4.84	5.00	5.00	115.18	117.40	120.60	120.60	0.00	0.00	3.20	2.73
South Asia																
India	28.46	29.40	29.69	29.69	2.84	2.95	3.16	3.20	80.80	86.87	93.90	94.88	0.98	1.04	8.01	9.22
Pakistan	9.03	8.90	8.66	8.66	2.65	2.81	2.69	2.69	23.90	25.00	23.30	23.30	0.00	0.00	-1.70	-6.80
Afghanistan	2.30	2.10	2.51	2.51	1.61	1.19	1.65	1.65	3.70	2.50	4.15	4.15	0.00	0.00	1.65	66.00
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Russia	21.75	24.81	21.30	21.30	1.91	2.27	1.77	1.77	41.51	56.24	37.70	37.72	0.02	0.05	-18.52	-32.94
Ukraine	6.28	6.66	5.63	5.63	2.68	3.35	2.80	2.80	16.84	22.32	15.76	15.76	0.00	0.00	-6.56	-29.40
Kazakhstan	13.14	13.69	12.40	12.40	0.73	1.66	0.79	0.79	9.64	22.73	9.84	9.84	0.00	0.00	-12.89	-56.71
Uzbekistan	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	4.64	4.50	4.79	4.79	6.50	6.30	6.70	6.70	0.00	0.00	0.40	6.35
EU-27	25.88	25.70	25.50	25.50	5.26	5.34	5.17	5.19	136.02	137.23	131.73	132.25	0.53	0.40	-4.98	-3.63
France	5.43	5.41	5.31	5.31	7.05	6.66	7.18	7.18	38.26	35.99	38.15	38.15	0.00	0.00	2.15	5.98
Germany	3.23	3.25	3.06	3.06	7.37	7.01	7.33	7.33	23.78	22.78	22.43	22.43	0.00	0.00	-0.35	-1.55
United Kingdom	1.94	1.97	2.00	2.00	7.67	7.75	6.75	6.75	14.88	15.26	13.50	13.50	0.00	0.00	-1.76	-11.52
Poland	2.14	2.26	2.10	2.10	4.39	4.14	4.05	4.05	9.41	9.34	8.50	8.50	0.00	0.00	-0.84	-8.99
Spain	1.95	1.99	2.17	2.17	3.05	3.46	2.36	2.36	5.94	6.90	5.11	5.11	0.00	0.00	-1.79	-25.91
Italy	1.81	1.65	1.85	1.85	3.59	3.71	3.86	3.86	6.49	6.12	7.15	7.15	0.00	0.00	1.03	16.83
Denmark	0.77	0.74	0.62	0.62	6.61	6.59	7.26	7.26	5.06	4.84	4.50	4.50	0.00	0.00	-0.34	-7.04
Hungary	1.01	0.98	1.08	1.08	3.76	4.18	3.61	3.61	3.80	4.10	3.90	3.90	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-4.88
Romania	2.15	1.95	1.83	1.83	2.69	3.65	2.70	2.70	5.78	7.10	4.95	4.95	0.00	0.00	-2.15	-30.28
Bulgaria	1.13	1.14	1.09	1.09	3.62	3.92	3.91	3.91	4.09	4.46	4.25	4.25	0.00	0.00	-0.21	-4.67
Canada	8.30	8.55	9.50	9.50	2.81	2.96	2.86	2.86	23.30	25.29	27.20	27.20	0.00	0.00	1.91	7.56
Australia	13.50	13.96	13.30	13.30	2.03	2.14	1.65	1.65	27.41	29.92	22.00	22.00	0.00	0.00	-7.92	-26.48
Middle East																
Turkey	8.00	7.70	7.80	7.80	2.13	2.44	1.99	1.99	17.00	18.80	15.50	15.50	0.00	0.00	-3.30	-17.55
Iran	7.04	6.80	7.00	7.00	2.14	1.99	2.00	2.00	15.03	13.50	14.00	14.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	3.70
Syria	1.35	1.60	1.60	1.60	2.67	2.41	2.31	2.31	3.60	3.85	3.70	3.70	0.00	0.00	-0.15	-3.90
North Africa																
Egypt	1.26	1.28	1.35	1.35	5.71	6.56	6.30	6.30	7.20	8.40	8.50	8.50	0.00	0.00	0.10	1.19
Morocco	2.85	3.04	3.14	3.14	1.71	1.91	1.08	1.08	4.89	5.80	3.40	3.40	0.00	0.00	-2.40	-41.38
Argentina	4.85	5.17	3.70	3.70	3.55	3.00	2.97	2.97	17.20	15.50	11.00	11.00	0.00	0.00	-4.50	-29.03
Others	18.29	18.31	17.39	17.47	2.32	2.45	2.47	2.47	42.40	44.94	42.88	43.22	0.34	0.80	-1.72	-3.83

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Table 03 Total Coarse Grain Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	303.54	311.46	316.20	316.25	3.62	3.70	3.56	3.55	1,099.55	1,153.53	1,124.17	1,123.38	-0.79	-0.07	-30.15	-2.61
United States	36.52	36.96	39.20	39.20	9.04	8.76	7.30	7.30	330.24	323.73	286.01	286.01	0.00	0.00	-37.72	-11.65
Total Foreign	267.02	274.50	277.00	277.05	2.88	3.02	3.03	3.02	769.31	829.80	838.16	837.37	-0.79	-0.09	7.57	0.91
China	34.58	35.71	37.17	37.17	5.30	5.59	5.79	5.79	183.40	199.66	215.01	215.01	0.00	0.00	15.35	7.69
South America																
Brazil	14.86	16.23	16.76	16.76	4.06	4.68	4.54	4.54	60.38	75.88	75.99	75.99	0.00	0.00	0.11	0.14
Argentina	5.81	6.02	6.38	6.38	5.72	5.00	5.98	5.90	33.26	30.11	38.15	37.65	-0.50	-1.31	7.55	25.07
EU-27	29.77	29.91	30.58	30.58	4.72	4.93	4.59	4.59	140.50	147.44	140.22	140.22	0.00	0.00	-7.22	-4.90
France	3.77	3.77	4.01	4.01	7.23	7.35	7.43	7.43	27.24	27.69	29.80	29.80	0.00	0.00	2.12	7.65
Germany	3.29	3.24	3.45	3.45	6.16	5.90	6.61	6.61	20.26	19.14	22.83	22.83	0.00	0.00	3.70	19.31
Poland	5.49	5.46	5.54	5.54	3.21	3.17	3.44	3.44	17.63	17.29	19.05	19.05	0.00	0.00	1.76	10.16
Spain	3.92	3.80	3.77	3.77	3.30	3.73	2.80	2.80	12.94	14.17	10.56	10.56	0.00	0.00	-3.61	-25.49
Italy	1.38	1.39	1.45	1.45	7.31	7.73	6.40	6.40	10.09	10.77	9.26	9.26	0.00	0.00	-1.52	-14.07
Hungary	1.56	1.65	1.52	1.52	5.46	5.85	3.78	3.78	8.54	9.64	5.76	5.76	0.00	0.00	-3.88	-40.22
United Kingdom	1.07	1.11	1.16	1.16	5.65	5.65	5.47	5.47	6.07	6.25	6.32	6.32	0.00	0.00	0.07	1.09
Romania	3.03	3.22	3.15	3.15	3.46	3.84	2.38	2.38	10.46	12.38	7.49	7.49	0.00	0.00	-4.89	-39.53
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Russia	9.78	14.38	14.17	14.17	1.68	2.30	2.01	2.01	16.42	33.08	28.44	28.44	0.00	0.00	-4.64	-14.02
Ukraine	7.64	7.94	8.42	8.42	2.81	4.19	3.48	3.48	21.44	33.30	29.32	29.32	0.00	0.00	-3.98	-11.95
Kazakhstan	1.66	1.82	1.95	1.95	1.18	1.87	1.17	1.17	1.97	3.40	2.28	2.28	0.00	0.00	-1.12	-33.02
Africa	79.63	80.19	79.93	79.93	1.38	1.32	1.38	1.38	110.27	105.88	110.49	109.99	-0.50	-0.45	4.11	3.88
Nigeria	16.25	16.50	16.60	16.60	1.43	1.44	1.45	1.45	23.25	23.80	24.01	24.01	0.00	0.00	0.21	0.88
South Africa	3.73	4.00	4.16	4.16	3.03	3.23	3.36	3.24	11.32	12.91	13.97	13.47	-0.50	-3.58	0.56	4.33
Ethiopia	5.19	5.47	5.34	5.34	2.02	2.09	2.12	2.12	10.47	11.44	11.33	11.33	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-0.92
Egypt	1.06	0.91	0.96	0.96	7.13	7.21	7.15	7.15	7.56	6.56	6.86	6.86	0.00	0.00	0.30	4.57
India	27.43	26.58	24.32	24.50	1.58	1.58	1.57	1.58	43.37	42.06	38.21	38.62	0.41	1.07	-3.44	-8.18
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	2.85	3.12	3.15	3.15	2.39	2.84	2.83	2.83	6.80	8.85	8.90	8.90	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.56
Philippines	2.63	2.56	2.59	2.59	2.76	2.79	2.79	2.79	7.27	7.13	7.22	7.22	0.00	0.00	0.09	1.19
Thailand	1.03	1.04	1.08	1.08	4.14	4.18	4.21	4.21	4.25	4.35	4.55	4.55	0.00	0.00	0.20	4.60
Mexico	9.28	8.04	8.78	8.78	3.15	3.20	3.30	3.30	29.23	25.75	28.98	28.98	0.00	0.00	3.23	12.52
Canada	4.72	4.95	5.33	5.33	4.80	4.63	4.56	4.56	22.67	22.92	24.30	24.30	0.00	0.00	1.38	6.00
Australia	5.27	5.31	5.43	5.33	2.18	2.32	1.98	1.92	11.47	12.33	10.75	10.25	-0.50	-4.65	-2.07	-16.82
Turkey	4.17	3.99	4.16	4.16	2.44	2.83	2.54	2.54	10.19	11.28	10.58	10.58	0.00	0.00	-0.70	-6.21
Others	25.90	26.72	26.84	26.81	2.57	2.48	2.41	2.43	66.44	66.38	64.79	65.08	0.30	0.46	-1.30	-1.96

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Table 04 Corn Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	163.94	169.61	174.81	174.95	5.08	5.20	4.89	4.88	832.49	882.71	854.38	854.07	-0.30	-0.04	-28.63	-3.24
United States	32.96	33.99	35.36	35.36	9.59	9.24	7.74	7.74	316.17	313.95	273.83	273.83	0.00	0.00	-40.12	-12.78
Total Foreign	130.98	135.62	139.45	139.59	3.94	4.19	4.16	4.16	516.32	568.76	580.54	580.24	-0.30	-0.05	11.49	2.02
China	32.50	33.54	34.95	34.95	5.45	5.75	5.95	5.95	177.25	192.78	208.00	208.00	0.00	0.00	15.22	7.90
South America																
Brazil	13.80	15.20	15.50	15.50	4.16	4.80	4.68	4.68	57.40	73.00	72.50	72.50	0.00	0.00	-0.50	-0.68
Argentina	3.75	3.60	3.50	3.50	6.72	5.83	7.71	7.57	25.20	21.00	27.00	26.50	-0.50	-1.85	5.50	26.19
Mexico	7.02	6.07	6.83	6.83	3.00	3.09	3.15	3.15	21.06	18.73	21.50	21.50	0.00	0.00	2.77	14.81
EU-27	8.02	8.81	8.96	8.96	7.00	7.51	6.10	6.10	56.17	66.17	54.67	54.67	0.00	0.00	-11.50	-17.38
France	1.53	1.60	1.69	1.69	9.00	9.97	9.10	9.10	13.79	15.91	15.35	15.35	0.00	0.00	-0.56	-3.54
Italy	0.92	0.97	0.97	0.97	9.29	9.51	7.84	7.84	8.50	9.22	7.60	7.60	0.00	0.00	-1.62	-17.57
Hungary	1.07	1.20	1.05	1.05	6.55	6.75	4.05	4.05	7.00	8.10	4.25	4.25	0.00	0.00	-3.85	-47.53
Romania	2.25	2.55	2.50	2.50	3.87	4.12	2.40	2.40	8.70	10.50	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	-4.50	-42.86
Poland	0.33	0.33	0.54	0.54	5.97	7.18	6.67	6.67	1.99	2.39	3.60	3.60	0.00	0.00	1.21	50.50
India	8.60	8.67	8.75	8.93	2.53	2.49	2.35	2.35	21.73	21.57	20.60	21.00	0.40	1.94	-0.57	-2.64
Canada	1.24	1.27	1.42	1.42	9.75	8.93	9.20	9.20	12.04	11.36	13.06	13.06	0.00	0.00	1.70	14.97
Indonesia	2.85	3.12	3.15	3.15	2.39	2.84	2.83	2.83	6.80	8.85	8.90	8.90	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.56
Ukraine	2.65	3.54	4.37	4.37	4.50	6.44	4.79	4.79	11.92	22.84	20.92	20.92	0.00	0.00	-1.92	-8.39
Serbia	1.23	1.26	1.30	1.30	5.53	5.00	2.92	2.92	6.80	6.30	3.80	3.80	0.00	0.00	-2.50	-39.68
Egypt	0.85	0.70	0.75	0.75	7.65	7.86	7.73	7.73	6.50	5.50	5.80	5.80	0.00	0.00	0.30	5.45
Philippines	2.63	2.56	2.59	2.59	2.76	2.79	2.79	2.79	7.27	7.13	7.22	7.22	0.00	0.00	0.09	1.19
Vietnam	1.08	1.10	1.15	1.15	4.30	4.50	4.61	4.61	4.65	4.95	5.30	5.30	0.00	0.00	0.35	7.07
Thailand	1.00	1.01	1.05	1.05	4.20	4.26	4.29	4.29	4.20	4.30	4.50	4.50	0.00	0.00	0.20	4.65
Russia	1.02	1.60	1.90	1.90	3.01	4.34	4.21	4.21	3.08	6.96	7.99	7.99	0.00	0.00	1.03	14.82
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa	2.86	3.15	3.30	3.30	3.82	3.95	4.09	3.94	10.92	12.42	13.50	13.00	-0.50	-3.70	0.58	4.70
Nigeria	5.00	5.15	5.20	5.20	1.76	1.80	1.81	1.81	8.80	9.25	9.41	9.41	0.00	0.00	0.16	1.73
Ethiopia	1.96	2.15	2.10	2.10	2.49	2.51	2.57	2.57	4.90	5.40	5.40	5.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Zimbabwe	1.35	1.60	0.96	0.96	0.74	0.91	1.01	1.01	1.00	1.45	0.97	0.97	0.00	0.00	-0.49	-33.45
Turkey	0.49	0.45	0.53	0.53	7.35	8.00	8.38	8.38	3.60	3.60	4.40	4.40	0.00	0.00	0.80	22.22
Others	31.08	31.07	31.19	31.16	2.09	2.10	2.09	2.10	65.05	65.20	65.11	65.41	0.30	0.46	0.20	0.31

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Table 05 Barley Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	47.26	49.77	51.05	51.05	2.60	2.70	2.55	2.55	122.70	134.23	130.20	130.21	0.01	0.01	-4.02	-2.99
United States	1.00	0.91	1.31	1.31	3.93	3.74	3.65	3.65	3.93	3.39	4.80	4.80	0.00	0.00	1.40	41.39
Total Foreign	46.26	48.87	49.74	49.74	2.57	2.68	2.52	2.52	118.77	130.84	125.40	125.41	0.01	0.01	-5.42	-4.14
Russia	4.97	7.70	7.66	7.66	1.68	2.20	1.82	1.82	8.35	16.94	13.95	13.95	0.00	0.00	-2.99	-17.64
EU-27	12.48	11.94	12.60	12.60	4.29	4.31	4.32	4.32	53.51	51.45	54.41	54.41	0.00	0.00	2.96	5.75
Germany	1.64	1.60	1.68	1.68	6.29	5.47	6.19	6.19	10.33	8.73	10.42	10.42	0.00	0.00	1.69	19.33
France	1.59	1.55	1.68	1.68	6.42	5.68	6.71	6.71	10.18	8.78	11.30	11.30	0.00	0.00	2.52	28.74
Spain	2.89	2.70	2.69	2.69	2.83	3.09	2.16	2.16	8.15	8.33	5.80	5.80	0.00	0.00	-2.53	-30.36
United Kingdom	0.92	0.97	1.01	1.01	5.70	5.68	5.47	5.47	5.25	5.49	5.50	5.50	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.11
Denmark	0.59	0.60	0.71	0.71	5.04	5.43	5.63	5.63	2.99	3.26	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.74	22.55
Poland	1.12	1.02	1.15	1.15	3.16	3.27	3.48	3.48	3.53	3.34	4.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.66	19.90
Czech Republic	0.39	0.37	0.38	0.38	4.08	4.88	4.34	4.34	1.58	1.81	1.66	1.66	0.00	0.00	-0.16	-8.60
Finland	0.41	0.41	0.47	0.47	3.28	3.71	3.51	3.51	1.34	1.52	1.66	1.66	0.00	0.00	0.13	8.81
Sweden	0.32	0.32	0.38	0.38	3.86	4.29	4.63	4.63	1.23	1.39	1.74	1.74	0.00	0.00	0.35	25.18
Italy	0.27	0.25	0.30	0.30	3.47	3.64	3.56	3.56	0.94	0.90	1.05	1.05	0.00	0.00	0.15	16.67
Hungary	0.29	0.26	0.27	0.27	3.37	3.79	3.52	3.52	0.97	0.99	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-3.94
Austria	0.17	0.15	0.15	0.15	4.60	5.61	5.50	5.50	0.78	0.86	0.83	0.83	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-3.96
Ukraine	4.32	3.68	3.29	3.29	1.97	2.47	2.11	2.11	8.48	9.10	6.94	6.94	0.00	0.00	-2.16	-23.77
Canada	2.39	2.40	2.75	2.75	3.19	3.29	2.91	2.91	7.63	7.89	8.01	8.01	0.00	0.00	0.12	1.50
Australia	3.68	3.77	3.88	3.88	2.17	2.21	1.81	1.81	8.00	8.35	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	-1.35	-16.16
Turkey	3.35	3.20	3.30	3.30	1.76	2.19	1.67	1.67	5.90	7.00	5.50	5.50	0.00	0.00	-1.50	-21.43
China	0.58	0.65	0.68	0.68	3.40	3.85	3.82	3.82	1.97	2.50	2.60	2.60	0.00	0.00	0.10	4.00
Iran	1.58	1.60	1.68	1.68	2.03	1.81	2.03	2.03	3.21	2.90	3.40	3.40	0.00	0.00	0.50	17.24
Morocco	1.92	2.03	1.89	1.89	1.34	1.16	0.58	0.58	2.57	2.34	1.10	1.10	0.00	0.00	-1.24	-52.99
Kazakhstan	1.33	1.52	1.60	1.60	0.98	1.71	0.94	0.94	1.31	2.59	1.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	-1.09	-42.15
Ethiopia	1.05	1.01	1.02	1.02	1.46	1.57	1.55	1.55	1.53	1.59	1.58	1.58	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-0.75
Belarus	0.69	0.70	0.65	0.65	2.85	2.87	3.23	3.23	1.97	2.01	2.10	2.10	0.00	0.00	0.09	4.32
India	0.62	0.78	0.77	0.77	2.18	2.13	2.09	2.10	1.35	1.66	1.61	1.62	0.01	0.62	-0.04	-2.41
Argentina	0.75	1.16	1.50	1.50	3.93	3.88	3.67	3.67	2.95	4.50	5.50	5.50	0.00	0.00	1.00	22.22
Mexico	0.27	0.22	0.21	0.21	2.51	2.23	2.67	2.67	0.67	0.49	0.56	0.56	0.00	0.00	0.08	15.61
Iraq	1.25	1.13	0.60	0.60	0.92	0.88	0.83	0.83	1.15	1.00	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	-0.50	-50.00
Algeria	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.50	1.35	1.70	1.70	1.50	1.35	1.70	1.70	0.00	0.00	0.35	25.93
Others	4.03	4.38	4.65	4.65	1.67	1.64	1.60	1.60	6.73	7.17	7.45	7.45	0.00	0.00	0.27	3.82

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Table 06 Oats Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	9.85	10.34	10.16	10.16	2.01	2.18	2.04	2.04	19.82	22.60	20.73	20.73	0.00	0.00	-1.86	-8.25
United States	0.51	0.38	0.42	0.42	2.31	2.05	2.20	2.20	1.18	0.78	0.93	0.93	0.00	0.00	0.15	19.26
Total Foreign	9.34	9.96	9.74	9.74	2.00	2.19	2.03	2.03	18.64	21.82	19.80	19.80	0.00	0.00	-2.01	-9.23
Russia	2.24	2.93	2.85	2.85	1.44	1.82	1.41	1.41	3.22	5.33	4.03	4.03	0.00	0.00	-1.31	-24.47
Canada	0.89	1.08	0.96	0.96	2.75	2.91	2.79	2.79	2.45	3.16	2.68	2.68	0.00	0.00	-0.48	-15.14
EU-27	2.71	2.68	2.66	2.66	2.75	2.93	2.85	2.85	7.45	7.86	7.58	7.58	0.00	0.00	-0.28	-3.55
Poland	0.54	0.55	0.55	0.55	2.47	2.46	2.40	2.40	1.34	1.35	1.32	1.32	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-2.44
Finland	0.28	0.32	0.32	0.32	2.91	3.42	3.44	3.44	0.81	1.10	1.10	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.18
Spain	0.51	0.49	0.45	0.45	2.00	2.20	1.48	1.48	1.02	1.08	0.66	0.66	0.00	0.00	-0.42	-38.68
Germany	0.14	0.14	0.15	0.15	4.24	4.38	5.21	5.21	0.60	0.63	0.76	0.76	0.00	0.00	0.13	21.21
Sweden	0.17	0.18	0.18	0.18	3.37	3.84	3.89	3.89	0.56	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.29
United Kingdom	0.12	0.11	0.12	0.12	5.52	5.62	5.63	5.63	0.69	0.61	0.68	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.06	10.11
France	0.10	0.08	0.08	0.08	4.57	4.09	4.75	4.75	0.45	0.32	0.38	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.06	19.12
Italy	0.13	0.11	0.12	0.12	2.22	2.43	2.38	2.38	0.29	0.27	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.03	10.49
Denmark	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	5.83	4.80	4.80	4.80	0.27	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Romania	0.19	0.18	0.18	0.18	1.71	1.94	1.81	1.81	0.33	0.35	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-7.14
Czech Republic	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	2.65	3.73	3.33	3.33	0.14	0.17	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-10.71
Hungary	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.06	2.41	2.45	2.36	2.36	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Austria	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	3.63	4.40	4.40	4.40	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ireland	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	7.63	8.00	7.20	7.20	0.15	0.17	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-14.29
Lithuania	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	1.34	2.00	2.00	2.00	0.09	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Australia	0.83	0.73	0.70	0.70	1.37	1.75	1.50	1.50	1.13	1.27	1.05	1.05	0.00	0.00	-0.22	-17.58
Ukraine	0.31	0.28	0.30	0.30	1.47	1.81	2.09	2.09	0.46	0.51	0.63	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.12	24.51
China	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	2.69	3.00	2.90	2.90	0.53	0.60	0.58	0.58	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-3.33
Belarus	0.18	0.17	0.20	0.20	2.40	2.70	3.00	3.00	0.44	0.45	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00	0.15	33.93
Brazil	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	2.46	2.40	2.40	2.40	0.38	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	0.29	0.22	0.20	0.20	2.32	1.57	2.00	2.00	0.66	0.35	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.06	15.94
Chile	0.11	0.10	0.11	0.11	5.32	5.00	5.33	5.33	0.56	0.51	0.56	0.56	0.00	0.00	0.06	10.89
Norway	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	3.93	3.10	3.10	3.10	0.30	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Turkey	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.10	2.34	2.21	2.21	2.21	0.20	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kazakhstan	0.16	0.14	0.15	0.15	0.82	1.80	1.33	1.33	0.13	0.26	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	-0.06	-22.48
Serbia	0.07	0.07	0.05	0.05	1.85	1.85	1.70	1.70	0.12	0.12	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-29.17
Others	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.04	0.58	0.58	0.59	0.59	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Table 07 Rye Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	4.85	4.91	5.14	5.14	2.36	2.49	2.70	2.70	11.42	12.21	13.87	13.87	0.00	0.00	1.66	13.62
United States	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.10	1.77	1.64	1.76	1.76	0.19	0.16	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.02	9.32
Total Foreign	4.74	4.81	5.04	5.04	2.37	2.50	2.72	2.72	11.23	12.05	13.70	13.70	0.00	0.00	1.65	13.68
EU-27	2.32	2.28	2.28	2.28	3.26	3.03	3.68	3.68	7.57	6.92	8.39	8.39	0.00	0.00	1.47	21.29
Poland	1.06	1.09	1.00	1.00	2.68	2.40	2.87	2.87	2.85	2.60	2.87	2.87	0.00	0.00	0.27	10.23
Germany	0.63	0.61	0.71	0.71	4.63	4.11	5.48	5.48	2.90	2.52	3.89	3.89	0.00	0.00	1.37	54.42
Spain	0.14	0.15	0.16	0.16	1.90	2.46	1.57	1.57	0.26	0.37	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-31.06
Lithuania	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.05	2.54	1.67	2.50	2.50	0.21	0.09	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.04	49.43
Latvia	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	2.75	2.50	2.76	2.76	0.16	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.01	10.53
France	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	5.21	4.43	4.97	4.97	0.15	0.12	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.04	28.23
Denmark	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	4.90	5.07	4.84	4.84	0.26	0.29	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	-0.14	-48.98
Czech Republic	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	3.93	4.68	4.17	4.17	0.12	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.01	6.84
Austria	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	3.50	4.39	4.35	4.35	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.99
Sweden	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	4.72	5.08	5.20	5.20	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	-1.52
Hungary	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.04	2.08	2.30	2.20	2.20	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.32
Slovakia	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02	2.12	3.31	2.71	2.71	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.98
Finland	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	2.72	2.80	3.00	3.00	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-14.29
United Kingdom	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	6.20	7.00	7.00	7.00	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Romania	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	2.27	2.55	2.27	2.27	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	-10.71
Greece	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	1.83	1.83	1.83	1.83	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Portugal	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.90	0.86	0.79	0.79	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	-16.67
Russia	1.38	1.52	1.42	1.42	1.19	1.95	1.50	1.50	1.64	2.97	2.13	2.13	0.00	0.00	-0.83	-28.11
Belarus	0.35	0.34	0.60	0.60	2.09	2.39	2.67	2.67	0.74	0.80	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.80	99.00
Ukraine	0.28	0.28	0.30	0.30	1.66	2.08	2.27	2.27	0.46	0.58	0.68	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.10	16.75
Canada	0.10	0.10	0.13	0.13	2.44	2.51	2.72	2.72	0.24	0.24	0.34	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.10	41.08
Turkey	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	2.60	2.50	2.50	2.50	0.37	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argentina	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.03	1.67	1.41	1.60	1.60	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-11.11
Kazakhstan	0.04	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.95	1.12	1.00	1.00	0.04	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.02	78.57
Australia	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.57	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Switzerland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.67	6.67	6.67	6.67	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	1.50	1.21	1.21	1.21	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Table 08 Sorghum Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	38.83	37.86	38.82	38.72	1.61	1.43	1.53	1.52	62.48	54.03	59.26	58.76	-0.50	-0.84	4.73	8.75
United States	1.95	1.59	2.01	2.01	4.51	3.43	3.13	3.13	8.78	5.45	6.27	6.27	0.00	0.00	0.83	15.15
Total Foreign	36.88	36.27	36.82	36.72	1.46	1.34	1.44	1.43	53.70	48.59	52.99	52.49	-0.50	-0.94	3.90	8.03
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	5.40	5.50	5.55	5.55	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24	6.75	6.85	6.90	6.90	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.73
Sudan	6.20	5.60	5.60	5.60	0.74	0.37	0.68	0.68	4.61	2.09	3.80	3.80	0.00	0.00	1.71	81.91
Ethiopia	1.78	1.87	1.80	1.80	1.95	2.02	2.06	2.06	3.47	3.78	3.70	3.70	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-2.14
Burkina	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.20	0.99	1.11	1.11	1.95	1.60	1.80	1.80	0.00	0.00	0.20	12.50
Tanzania	0.62	0.88	0.90	0.90	1.29	0.90	0.84	0.84	0.80	0.79	0.76	0.76	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-3.55
Niger	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.87	0.47	0.67	0.67	1.30	0.70	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.30	42.86
Uganda	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	1.61	1.61	1.61	1.61	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.38	0.41	0.41	0.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ghana	0.34	0.34	0.34	0.34	1.06	0.96	1.03	1.03	0.36	0.33	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.03	7.69
South Africa	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.05	2.25	2.80	2.50	2.50	0.16	0.14	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-8.76
South Asia																
India	7.06	6.33	6.30	6.30	0.99	0.95	0.95	0.95	7.00	6.03	6.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-0.50
Pakistan	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South America																
Argentina	1.00	1.00	1.15	1.15	4.40	4.20	4.52	4.52	4.40	4.20	5.20	5.20	0.00	0.00	1.00	23.81
Brazil	0.82	0.79	1.00	1.00	2.83	2.81	2.80	2.80	2.31	2.21	2.80	2.80	0.00	0.00	0.60	26.98
Mexico	1.92	1.68	1.67	1.67	3.84	3.82	4.07	4.07	7.39	6.43	6.80	6.80	0.00	0.00	0.38	5.84
China	0.55	0.58	0.60	0.60	4.48	4.48	4.42	4.42	2.46	2.60	2.65	2.65	0.00	0.00	0.05	1.92
Australia	0.63	0.66	0.70	0.60	3.06	3.38	3.14	2.83	1.94	2.22	2.20	1.70	-0.50	-22.73	-0.52	-23.53
Egypt	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	5.63	5.63	5.63	5.63	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
EU-27	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.10	5.57	6.06	5.49	5.49	0.63	0.67	0.56	0.56	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-16.79
France	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	5.50	6.41	5.80	5.80	0.29	0.28	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-15.60
Italy	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	6.88	7.12	6.62	6.62	0.28	0.30	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-24.75
Others	5.93	6.44	6.61	6.61	1.06	0.93	0.97	0.97	6.26	6.01	6.39	6.39	0.00	0.00	0.38	6.38

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Table 09 Rice Area, Yield, and Production

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	157.51	158.95	158.44	158.51	4.25	4.37	4.38	4.40	449.09	466.19	465.81	468.07	2.26	0.49	1.88	0.40
United States	1.46	1.06	1.08	1.08	7.54	7.92	8.35	8.35	7.59	5.87	6.36	6.36	0.00	0.00	0.49	8.35
Total Foreign	156.04	157.89	157.35	157.42	4.22	4.35	4.36	4.38	441.50	460.32	459.45	461.72	2.26	0.49	1.39	0.30
East Asia																
China	29.87	30.06	30.30	30.30	6.55	6.69	6.74	6.74	137.00	140.70	143.00	143.00	0.00	0.00	2.30	1.63
Japan	1.63	1.58	1.58	1.58	6.51	6.66	6.74	6.74	7.72	7.65	7.76	7.76	0.00	0.00	0.11	1.44
Korea, South	0.89	0.85	0.85	0.85	6.51	6.58	6.37	6.37	4.30	4.22	4.01	4.01	0.00	0.00	-0.22	-5.16
Korea, North	0.58	0.57	0.57	0.57	4.24	4.32	4.74	4.74	1.60	1.60	1.74	1.74	0.00	0.00	0.14	8.75
South Asia																
India	42.86	44.10	43.00	43.00	3.36	3.58	3.45	3.52	95.98	105.31	99.00	101.00	2.00	2.02	-4.31	-4.09
Bangladesh	11.70	11.72	11.65	11.65	4.06	4.31	4.38	4.38	31.70	33.70	34.00	34.00	0.00	0.00	0.30	0.89
Pakistan	2.10	2.75	2.70	2.70	3.57	3.55	3.78	3.78	5.00	6.50	6.80	6.80	0.00	0.00	0.30	4.62
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	12.08	12.16	12.15	12.15	4.67	4.73	4.78	4.78	35.50	36.50	36.90	36.90	0.00	0.00	0.40	1.10
Vietnam	7.61	7.74	7.84	7.84	5.55	5.60	5.66	5.66	26.37	27.08	27.71	27.71	0.00	0.00	0.64	2.35
Thailand	10.67	11.00	10.94	10.94	2.88	2.82	2.84	2.84	20.26	20.46	20.50	20.50	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.20
Burma	7.00	6.50	6.35	6.35	2.35	2.60	2.65	2.65	10.53	10.82	10.75	10.75	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-0.61
Philippines	4.53	4.58	4.63	4.63	3.69	3.71	3.77	3.77	10.54	10.70	10.99	10.99	0.00	0.00	0.29	2.71
Cambodia	2.78	2.77	2.80	2.95	2.38	2.41	2.36	2.44	4.23	4.27	4.23	4.60	0.38	8.88	0.33	7.78
Laos	0.86	0.82	0.86	0.86	2.60	2.71	2.72	2.72	1.40	1.40	1.48	1.48	0.00	0.00	0.08	5.73
Malaysia	0.67	0.68	0.68	0.68	3.76	3.85	3.86	3.86	1.64	1.69	1.70	1.70	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.59
South America																
Brazil	2.83	2.43	2.42	2.42	4.83	4.78	4.96	4.96	9.30	7.89	8.16	8.16	0.00	0.00	0.27	3.45
Peru	0.39	0.36	0.40	0.39	7.28	7.39	7.25	7.84	1.94	1.84	2.00	2.10	0.10	4.90	0.26	14.26
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Nigeria	2.15	2.17	2.25	2.25	1.93	1.98	2.01	2.01	2.62	2.71	2.85	2.85	0.00	0.00	0.14	5.20
Madagascar	1.34	1.34	1.34	1.34	3.57	3.21	2.99	2.99	3.06	2.75	2.56	2.56	0.00	0.00	-0.19	-6.98
EU-27	0.48	0.48	0.47	0.47	6.49	6.23	6.32	6.32	2.17	2.09	2.04	2.04	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-2.30
Italy	0.25	0.25	0.24	0.24	6.40	5.82	6.06	6.06	1.11	1.01	1.01	1.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.40
Spain	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	7.53	7.54	7.42	7.42	0.65	0.64	0.59	0.59	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-8.07
Egypt	0.45	0.70	0.74	0.74	9.98	8.80	9.21	9.21	3.10	4.25	4.70	4.70	0.00	0.00	0.45	10.59
Iran	0.56	0.56	0.56	0.56	4.06	4.19	4.19	4.19	1.51	1.55	1.55	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	12.03	11.98	12.28	12.22	3.02	3.11	3.08	3.07	24.03	24.66	25.04	24.83	-0.21	-0.84	0.17	0.67

Yield is on a rough basis, before the milling process
Production is on a milled basis, after the milling process

Table 10 Total Oilseed Area, Yield, and Production

World and Selected Countries and Regions

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World Total	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	455.72	440.83	466.87	466.80	-0.07	-0.01	25.97	5.89
Total Foreign	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	355.34	348.48	374.16	374.09	-0.07	-0.02	25.61	7.35
Oilseed, Copra	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6.02	5.54	5.66	5.66	0.00	0.00	0.12	2.15
Oilseed, Palm Kernel	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	12.55	13.31	14.15	14.15	0.00	0.00	0.84	6.32
Major OilSeeds	214.19	217.26	222.28	222.33	2.04	1.94	2.01	2.01	437.15	421.98	447.06	447.00	-0.07	-0.02	25.01	5.93
United States	37.18	35.14	36.71	36.71	2.70	2.63	2.53	2.53	100.38	92.35	92.71	92.71	0.00	0.00	0.37	0.40
Foreign Oilseeds	177.01	182.12	185.57	185.62	1.90	1.81	1.91	1.91	336.78	329.64	354.35	354.28	-0.07	-0.02	24.65	7.48
South America	51.87	52.31	56.25	56.07	2.79	2.37	2.79	2.77	144.83	123.97	156.91	155.17	-1.74	-1.11	31.20	25.17
Brazil	25.75	26.58	28.68	28.65	3.07	2.64	3.00	3.00	78.96	70.13	86.15	86.08	-0.07	-0.08	15.95	22.74
Argentina	20.91	20.23	21.89	21.74	2.59	2.21	2.64	2.58	54.22	44.75	57.82	56.15	-1.67	-2.89	11.41	25.49
Paraguay	3.03	3.19	3.28	3.28	2.43	1.45	2.42	2.42	7.36	4.62	7.95	7.95	0.00	0.00	3.33	72.07
Bolivia	1.17	1.25	1.26	1.26	2.10	2.03	2.10	2.10	2.45	2.54	2.65	2.65	0.00	0.00	0.11	4.33
China	26.65	26.17	25.16	25.36	2.18	2.26	2.28	2.31	58.10	59.07	57.28	58.57	1.30	2.26	-0.50	-0.85
South Asia	38.40	39.42	39.55	39.34	1.02	1.03	1.02	1.02	39.24	40.68	40.23	40.17	-0.06	-0.15	-0.51	-1.24
India	34.45	35.11	35.26	35.05	0.99	0.99	0.98	0.99	34.21	34.62	34.63	34.77	0.14	0.40	0.15	0.43
Pakistan	3.63	3.98	3.96	3.96	1.32	1.46	1.35	1.30	4.77	5.79	5.34	5.14	-0.20	-3.75	-0.66	-11.32
EU-27	11.38	11.67	11.08	11.08	2.56	2.50	2.45	2.45	29.14	29.21	27.16	27.16	0.00	0.00	-2.04	-7.00
France	2.21	2.34	2.32	2.32	2.98	3.15	3.11	3.11	6.59	7.36	7.23	7.23	0.00	0.00	-0.13	-1.77
Germany	1.51	1.36	1.33	1.33	3.84	2.90	3.67	3.67	5.80	3.93	4.90	4.90	0.00	0.00	0.97	24.54
Poland	0.85	0.83	0.70	0.70	2.62	2.24	2.68	2.68	2.23	1.87	1.89	1.89	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.13
Romania	1.44	1.45	1.28	1.28	1.70	1.85	1.25	1.25	2.45	2.68	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	-1.08	-40.30
Hungary	0.80	0.85	0.81	0.81	2.05	2.33	2.00	2.00	1.64	1.97	1.62	1.62	0.00	0.00	-0.36	-18.00
United Kingdom	0.64	0.71	0.76	0.76	3.47	3.91	3.44	3.44	2.23	2.76	2.60	2.60	0.00	0.00	-0.16	-5.73
Former Soviet Union - 12	18.43	20.98	20.27	20.34	1.23	1.46	1.37	1.37	22.65	30.68	27.72	27.87	0.14	0.52	-2.81	-9.16
Russia	7.20	9.22	8.45	8.45	1.01	1.35	1.29	1.29	7.24	12.43	10.87	10.87	0.00	0.00	-1.55	-12.49
Ukraine	7.30	7.74	7.96	7.96	1.58	1.83	1.58	1.58	11.55	14.20	12.61	12.61	0.00	0.00	-1.59	-11.21
Uzbekistan	1.33	1.31	1.29	1.35	1.20	1.26	1.31	1.31	1.60	1.65	1.69	1.77	0.08	4.75	0.12	6.97
Canada	8.41	9.15	10.31	10.31	2.06	2.07	1.78	1.78	17.30	18.93	18.31	18.31	0.00	0.00	-0.61	-3.23
Africa	12.53	12.98	13.34	13.34	0.94	0.86	0.90	0.90	11.73	11.19	11.96	11.96	0.00	0.00	0.77	6.90
Nigeria	2.10	2.01	1.99	1.99	1.05	1.06	1.08	1.08	2.21	2.14	2.14	2.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Southeast Asia	4.03	4.05	4.07	4.07	1.27	1.32	1.33	1.33	5.10	5.35	5.40	5.40	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.94
Indonesia	1.23	1.16	1.14	1.14	1.56	1.55	1.56	1.56	1.91	1.80	1.78	1.78	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-1.11
Australia	2.70	2.49	2.76	2.93	1.40	2.01	1.54	1.55	3.78	4.99	4.25	4.54	0.29	6.90	-0.45	-9.02
Others	2.59	2.91	2.78	2.78	1.89	1.92	1.85	1.85	4.91	5.59	5.14	5.14	0.00	0.00	-0.45	-8.04

World Total and Total Foreign: (Major Oilseeds plus copra and palm kernel)
Major Oilseeds: (soybeans, sunflowerseeds, peanuts(inshell), cottonseed and rapeseed)

Table 11 Soybean Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	103.00	102.90	108.90	108.75	2.56	2.32	2.47	2.46	263.59	238.73	269.50	268.00	-1.50	-0.56	29.27	12.26
United States	31.00	29.86	30.80	30.80	2.92	2.82	2.66	2.66	90.61	84.19	82.06	82.06	0.00	0.00	-2.14	-2.54
Total Foreign	72.00	73.04	78.10	77.95	2.40	2.12	2.40	2.39	172.98	154.53	187.44	185.94	-1.50	-0.80	31.41	20.33
South America																
Brazil	24.20	25.00	27.50	27.50	3.11	2.66	3.04	3.04	75.30	66.50	83.50	83.50	0.00	0.00	17.00	25.56
Argentina	18.30	17.58	19.50	19.35	2.68	2.28	2.72	2.66	49.00	40.10	53.00	51.50	-1.50	-2.83	11.40	28.43
Paraguay	2.87	2.96	3.10	3.10	2.48	1.47	2.50	2.50	7.13	4.36	7.75	7.75	0.00	0.00	3.39	77.87
Bolivia	1.03	1.09	1.09	1.09	2.24	2.13	2.20	2.20	2.30	2.32	2.40	2.40	0.00	0.00	0.08	3.45
Uruguay	0.87	0.90	0.95	0.95	1.79	1.78	2.00	2.00	1.55	1.60	1.90	1.90	0.00	0.00	0.30	18.75
East Asia																
China	8.52	7.89	7.20	7.20	1.77	1.84	1.75	1.75	15.10	14.48	12.60	12.60	0.00	0.00	-1.88	-12.98
Korea, South	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.08	1.48	1.65	1.68	1.68	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Korea, North	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	1.24	1.35	1.25	1.25	0.16	0.18	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-14.29
Japan	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	1.62	1.63	1.63	1.63	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
India	9.30	10.27	10.80	10.80	1.05	1.07	1.06	1.06	9.80	11.00	11.50	11.50	0.00	0.00	0.50	4.55
Canada	1.51	1.55	1.68	1.68	2.95	2.77	2.93	2.93	4.45	4.30	4.93	4.93	0.00	0.00	0.63	14.70
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Ukraine	1.04	1.11	1.41	1.41	1.62	2.04	1.70	1.70	1.68	2.26	2.41	2.41	0.00	0.00	0.14	6.23
Russia	1.04	1.18	1.35	1.35	1.18	1.48	1.39	1.39	1.22	1.75	1.88	1.88	0.00	0.00	0.13	7.49
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	0.47	0.45	0.45	0.45	1.38	1.38	1.38	1.38	0.65	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vietnam	0.17	0.20	0.23	0.23	1.46	1.50	1.52	1.52	0.25	0.30	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.05	16.67
Thailand	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Burma	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
EU-27	0.38	0.45	0.40	0.40	2.87	2.86	2.38	2.38	1.09	1.29	0.95	0.95	0.00	0.00	-0.34	-26.24
Italy	0.17	0.24	0.19	0.19	3.53	3.33	2.66	2.66	0.60	0.80	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00	-0.30	-37.88
France	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	2.71	2.95	2.95	2.95	0.14	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-12.10
Sub-Saharan Africa																
South Africa	0.42	0.47	0.50	0.50	1.70	1.50	1.70	1.70	0.71	0.71	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.14	19.72
Nigeria	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Uganda	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Serbia	0.15	0.17	0.17	0.17	2.41	2.52	1.70	1.70	0.35	0.42	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	-0.14	-32.53
Mexico	0.15	0.16	0.16	0.16	1.09	1.31	1.25	1.25	0.17	0.21	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-2.44
Iran	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	2.14	2.44	2.44	2.44	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.31	0.32	0.33	0.33	1.94	1.91	1.95	1.95	0.60	0.61	0.64	0.64	0.00	0.00	0.03	4.41

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Table 12 Cottonseed Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	32.63	34.48	33.18	33.22	1.34	1.35	1.35	1.35	43.56	46.62	44.70	44.97	0.27	0.60	-1.66	-3.55
United States	4.33	3.83	3.82	3.82	1.28	1.27	1.37	1.37	5.53	4.87	5.22	5.22	0.00	0.00	0.35	7.22
Total Foreign	28.30	30.65	29.36	29.40	1.34	1.36	1.34	1.35	38.03	41.75	39.48	39.74	0.27	0.68	-2.01	-4.81
China	5.25	5.40	5.28	5.28	2.28	2.40	2.53	2.60	11.95	12.97	13.33	13.72	0.40	2.96	0.75	5.77
South Asia																
India	11.14	12.20	11.70	11.70	0.97	0.93	0.92	0.92	10.80	11.30	10.80	10.80	0.00	0.00	-0.50	-4.42
Pakistan	2.80	3.00	3.00	3.00	1.34	1.54	1.40	1.33	3.76	4.62	4.20	4.00	-0.20	-4.76	-0.62	-13.34
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Uzbekistan	1.33	1.31	1.29	1.35	1.20	1.26	1.31	1.31	1.60	1.65	1.69	1.77	0.08	4.75	0.12	6.97
Turkmenistan	0.64	0.58	0.60	0.60	1.07	0.96	0.92	1.04	0.69	0.55	0.55	0.63	0.08	13.64	0.08	13.64
Tajikistan	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.99	1.08	1.08	1.08	0.16	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-2.26
Kazakhstan	0.14	0.16	0.15	0.15	1.20	1.06	1.32	1.19	0.16	0.17	0.20	0.18	-0.02	-10.20	0.01	2.92
South America																
Brazil	1.40	1.40	1.00	0.98	2.39	2.31	2.27	2.26	3.35	3.24	2.27	2.20	-0.07	-3.08	-1.04	-32.05
Argentina	0.61	0.53	0.36	0.36	0.83	0.67	0.72	0.72	0.50	0.36	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	-0.10	-26.76
Middle East																
Turkey	0.32	0.49	0.40	0.40	2.16	2.14	2.12	2.12	0.69	1.05	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-19.43
Syria	0.13	0.15	0.13	0.13	2.75	2.73	2.72	2.72	0.34	0.41	0.34	0.34	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-17.07
Iran	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	1.00	1.17	1.14	1.14	0.12	0.14	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-11.11
Australia	0.54	0.58	0.45	0.45	2.39	2.93	2.92	2.92	1.30	1.70	1.30	1.30	0.00	0.00	-0.40	-23.53
EU-27	0.30	0.35	0.33	0.33	1.34	1.56	1.41	1.41	0.40	0.55	0.46	0.46	0.00	0.00	-0.09	-15.79
Greece	0.23	0.29	0.26	0.26	1.39	1.58	1.43	1.43	0.32	0.45	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-17.33
Spain	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	1.19	1.49	1.34	1.34	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-9.00
Sub-Saharan Africa																
Burkina	0.40	0.40	0.53	0.53	0.45	0.48	0.55	0.55	0.18	0.19	0.29	0.29	0.00	0.00	0.10	50.26
Mali	0.26	0.48	0.50	0.50	0.52	0.50	0.57	0.57	0.13	0.24	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.04	17.43
Cameroon	0.14	0.18	0.23	0.23	0.98	0.93	1.02	1.02	0.14	0.16	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.07	41.98
Sudan	0.04	0.10	0.06	0.06	1.21	1.03	1.07	1.07	0.05	0.10	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-37.86
Zimbabwe	0.40	0.47	0.43	0.43	0.48	0.49	0.42	0.42	0.19	0.23	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-21.05
Nigeria	0.41	0.33	0.30	0.30	0.50	0.43	0.47	0.47	0.21	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Benin	0.18	0.20	0.25	0.25	0.55	0.58	0.73	0.73	0.10	0.12	0.18	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.07	56.90
Uganda	0.10	0.10	0.13	0.13	1.09	1.49	1.05	1.05	0.11	0.15	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-12.08
Egypt	0.16	0.22	0.15	0.15	1.13	1.09	1.08	1.08	0.18	0.24	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-34.58
Mexico	0.11	0.19	0.15	0.15	2.24	2.09	2.10	2.10	0.25	0.40	0.32	0.32	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-19.95
Burma	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Others	0.93	1.22	1.38	1.38	0.52	0.55	0.53	0.54	0.48	0.67	0.73	0.74	0.01	1.23	0.07	11.06

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Table 13 Peanut Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	21.45	20.78	20.84	20.84	1.68	1.70	1.79	1.79	36.00	35.34	37.20	37.20	0.00	0.00	1.86	5.26
United States	0.51	0.44	0.65	0.65	3.71	3.80	4.70	4.70	1.89	1.66	3.06	3.06	0.00	0.00	1.40	84.22
Total Foreign	20.94	20.34	20.19	20.19	1.63	1.66	1.69	1.69	34.11	33.68	34.14	34.14	0.00	0.00	0.46	1.37
China	4.53	4.58	4.70	4.70	3.46	3.50	3.51	3.51	15.64	16.05	16.50	16.50	0.00	0.00	0.45	2.83
South Asia																
India	6.00	5.30	5.00	5.00	0.98	1.04	1.00	1.00	5.85	5.50	5.00	5.00	0.00	0.00	-0.50	-9.09
Pakistan	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sub-Saharan Africa	7.80	7.79	7.80	7.80	0.97	0.89	0.93	0.93	7.57	6.96	7.29	7.29	0.00	0.00	0.33	4.78
Nigeria	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Senegal	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.29	0.70	1.00	1.00	1.29	0.70	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.30	42.86
Chad	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	1.32	1.32	1.32	1.32	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ghana	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.94	0.94	0.94	0.94	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sudan	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Congo (Kinshasa)	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.78	0.78	0.78	0.78	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Burkina	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.01	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Guinea	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.24	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cameroon	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.77	0.77	0.77	0.77	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mali	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Malawi	0.22	0.22	0.22	0.22	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Uganda	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central African Republic	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Benin	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.29	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Niger	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South Africa	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.06	2.09	1.93	2.18	2.18	0.12	0.09	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.03	37.93
Southeast Asia																
Indonesia	0.75	0.70	0.68	0.68	1.67	1.66	1.68	1.68	1.25	1.17	1.15	1.15	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-1.72
Burma	0.83	0.85	0.85	0.85	1.38	1.53	1.53	1.53	1.14	1.30	1.30	1.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vietnam	0.21	0.24	0.25	0.25	2.10	2.21	2.20	2.20	0.44	0.53	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.02	3.77
Thailand	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
South America																
Argentina	0.27	0.30	0.33	0.33	3.97	3.17	3.57	3.57	1.05	0.95	1.16	1.16	0.00	0.00	0.21	22.11
Brazil	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.10	2.67	2.95	2.60	2.60	0.23	0.30	0.26	0.26	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-11.86
Egypt	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	3.17	3.17	3.17	3.17	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mexico	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	1.53	1.31	1.42	1.42	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.01	6.25
Others	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	2.39	2.39	2.37	2.37	0.46	0.45	0.45	0.45	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-1.33

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Table 14 Sunflowerseed Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	23.20	25.74	24.74	24.76	1.44	1.57	1.47	1.46	33.46	40.30	36.37	36.20	-0.17	-0.45	-4.09	-10.16
United States	0.76	0.59	0.75	0.75	1.64	1.57	1.70	1.70	1.24	0.93	1.26	1.26	0.00	0.00	0.34	36.65
Total Foreign	22.44	25.15	24.00	24.01	1.44	1.57	1.46	1.46	32.22	39.37	35.10	34.94	-0.17	-0.47	-4.43	-11.26
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Russia	5.55	7.20	6.13	6.13	0.96	1.34	1.30	1.30	5.35	9.63	7.96	7.96	0.00	0.00	-1.67	-17.33
Ukraine	5.40	5.80	6.00	6.00	1.56	1.81	1.50	1.50	8.40	10.50	9.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	-1.50	-14.29
Moldova	0.25	0.28	0.25	0.25	1.52	1.54	1.20	1.20	0.38	0.43	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	-0.13	-29.74
Kazakhstan	0.74	0.95	0.68	0.68	0.44	0.43	0.59	0.59	0.33	0.41	0.40	0.40	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-2.20
South America																
Argentina	1.74	1.82	1.70	1.70	2.11	1.83	2.00	1.90	3.67	3.34	3.40	3.23	-0.17	-5.00	-0.11	-3.29
Uruguay	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.03	1.33	1.50	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.03	166.67
Bolivia	0.14	0.16	0.17	0.17	1.07	1.38	1.47	1.47	0.15	0.22	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.03	13.64
China	0.98	0.95	0.98	0.98	2.34	2.26	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.15	2.25	2.25	0.00	0.00	0.10	4.65
EU-27	3.72	4.23	4.25	4.25	1.85	1.96	1.64	1.64	6.90	8.29	6.95	6.95	0.00	0.00	-1.34	-16.18
France	0.70	0.74	0.68	0.68	2.36	2.55	2.48	2.48	1.64	1.89	1.69	1.69	0.00	0.00	-0.19	-10.29
Hungary	0.50	0.57	0.62	0.62	1.98	2.38	2.03	2.03	0.99	1.37	1.25	1.25	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-8.33
Spain	0.70	0.86	0.75	0.75	1.21	1.26	0.86	0.86	0.85	1.08	0.65	0.65	0.00	0.00	-0.43	-40.04
Italy	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.12	2.27	2.32	1.92	1.92	0.25	0.27	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-19.34
Slovakia	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	1.81	2.26	2.22	2.22	0.15	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	-1.49
South Asia																
India	0.76	0.74	0.76	0.80	0.86	0.84	0.83	0.84	0.66	0.62	0.63	0.67	0.04	6.35	0.05	8.06
Pakistan	0.45	0.50	0.47	0.47	1.52	1.50	1.49	1.49	0.69	0.75	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	-0.05	-6.67
Turkey	0.49	0.49	0.53	0.53	2.06	1.89	2.00	2.00	1.00	0.93	1.05	1.05	0.00	0.00	0.13	13.51
South Africa	0.64	0.45	0.50	0.50	1.34	1.14	1.25	1.25	0.86	0.52	0.63	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.11	21.36
Burma	0.91	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.70	0.76	0.76	0.76	0.64	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Serbia	0.17	0.18	0.18	0.18	2.35	2.37	2.00	2.00	0.40	0.42	0.35	0.35	0.00	0.00	-0.07	-15.66
Canada	0.05	0.01	0.04	0.04	1.33	1.43	1.72	1.72	0.07	0.02	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.05	270.00
Australia	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.03	1.16	1.18	1.32	1.17	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.04	-0.04	-50.00	-0.01	-25.53
Others	0.40	0.42	0.37	0.37	0.96	0.96	0.95	0.95	0.39	0.40	0.36	0.36	0.00	0.00	-0.04	-11.03

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Table 15 Rapeseed Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Metric tons per hectare)				Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
World	33.91	33.36	34.63	34.77	1.79	1.83	1.71	1.74	60.55	61.00	59.30	60.63	1.33	2.24	-0.37	-0.61
United States	0.58	0.42	0.70	0.70	1.92	1.65	1.59	1.59	1.11	0.70	1.11	1.11	0.00	0.00	0.41	59.08
Total Foreign	33.33	32.94	33.93	34.07	1.78	1.83	1.72	1.75	59.43	60.30	58.19	59.52	1.33	2.28	-0.78	-1.30
EU-27	6.99	6.63	6.10	6.10	2.97	2.88	3.08	3.08	20.75	19.08	18.80	18.80	0.00	0.00	-0.28	-1.45
Germany	1.49	1.33	1.31	1.31	3.87	2.91	3.70	3.70	5.75	3.87	4.84	4.84	0.00	0.00	0.97	25.12
France	1.47	1.56	1.60	1.60	3.29	3.44	3.39	3.39	4.82	5.35	5.43	5.43	0.00	0.00	0.08	1.48
United Kingdom	0.64	0.71	0.76	0.76	3.47	3.91	3.44	3.44	2.23	2.76	2.60	2.60	0.00	0.00	-0.16	-5.73
Poland	0.85	0.83	0.70	0.70	2.62	2.24	2.69	2.69	2.23	1.86	1.88	1.88	0.00	0.00	0.02	1.13
Czech Republic	0.37	0.37	0.40	0.40	2.82	2.80	2.81	2.81	1.04	1.05	1.13	1.13	0.00	0.00	0.08	7.74
Denmark	0.17	0.15	0.13	0.13	3.46	3.41	3.79	3.79	0.58	0.51	0.48	0.48	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-5.91
Hungary	0.26	0.23	0.15	0.15	2.15	2.26	1.87	1.87	0.56	0.53	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	-0.25	-46.87
Romania	0.58	0.38	0.09	0.09	1.81	1.96	1.65	1.65	1.05	0.75	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	-0.61	-81.33
Slovakia	0.16	0.15	0.11	0.11	1.96	2.29	2.05	2.05	0.32	0.33	0.22	0.22	0.00	0.00	-0.11	-34.04
Sweden	0.11	0.10	0.11	0.11	2.56	2.50	2.55	2.55	0.28	0.25	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.03	12.00
Lithuania	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	2.10	2.10	2.10	2.10	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Latvia	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	2.31	2.28	2.28	2.28	0.22	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Austria	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.06	3.15	3.38	2.71	2.71	0.17	0.18	0.15	0.15	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-16.76
Finland	0.16	0.09	0.10	0.10	1.29	1.29	1.30	1.30	0.21	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.01	11.11
Estonia	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	1.34	1.52	1.52	1.52	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
China	7.37	7.35	7.00	7.20	1.78	1.83	1.80	1.88	13.10	13.43	12.60	13.50	0.90	7.14	0.07	0.55
South Asia																
India	7.25	6.60	7.00	6.75	0.98	0.94	0.96	1.01	7.10	6.20	6.70	6.80	0.10	1.49	0.60	9.68
Pakistan	0.27	0.37	0.38	0.38	0.85	0.89	0.89	0.89	0.23	0.33	0.34	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.01	3.03
Bangladesh	0.30	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.75	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Canada	6.86	7.59	8.59	8.59	1.86	1.92	1.55	1.55	12.79	14.61	13.31	13.31	0.00	0.00	-1.30	-8.89
Australia	2.08	1.81	2.21	2.40	1.14	1.73	1.25	1.29	2.36	3.12	2.76	3.09	0.33	11.88	-0.04	-1.12
Former Soviet Union - 12																
Ukraine	0.86	0.83	0.55	0.55	1.70	1.73	2.20	2.20	1.47	1.44	1.20	1.20	0.00	0.00	-0.23	-16.21
Russia	0.61	0.84	0.97	0.97	1.09	1.25	1.07	1.07	0.67	1.05	1.04	1.04	0.00	0.00	-0.02	-1.43
Belarus	0.31	0.30	0.42	0.42	1.22	1.28	1.67	1.67	0.37	0.38	0.71	0.71	0.00	0.00	0.33	86.02
Paraguay	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.08	1.60	1.32	1.45	1.45	0.10	0.10	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.02	16.00
Others	0.37	0.24	0.33	0.33	0.70	1.44	1.19	1.19	0.26	0.34	0.39	0.39	0.00	0.00	0.05	14.04

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Table 16 Copra, Palm Kernel, and Palm Oil Production

Country / Region	Production (Million metric tons)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MMT	Percent	MMT	Percent
Oilseed, Copra								
Philippines	2.80	2.30	2.30	2.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Indonesia	1.46	1.48	1.60	1.60	0.00	0.00	0.12	8.11
India	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Vietnam	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mexico	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Papua New Guinea	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sri Lanka	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Mozambique	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	6.02	5.54	5.66	5.66	0.00	0.00	0.12	2.17
Oilseed, Palm Kernel								
Indonesia	6.20	6.90	7.45	7.45	0.00	0.00	0.55	7.97
Malaysia	4.52	4.50	4.75	4.75	0.00	0.00	0.25	5.56
Nigeria	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Thailand	0.26	0.31	0.34	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.03	9.68
Papua New Guinea	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Colombia	0.09	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.01	9.09
Cote d'Ivoire	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Brazil	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cameroon	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ecuador	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	12.55	13.31	14.15	14.15	0.00	0.00	0.84	6.31
Oil, Palm								
Indonesia	23.60	25.90	28.00	28.00	0.00	0.00	2.10	8.11
Malaysia	18.21	18.20	18.50	19.00	0.50	2.70	0.80	4.40
Thailand	1.29	1.55	1.70	1.70	0.00	0.00	0.15	9.68
Colombia	0.75	0.92	0.96	0.96	0.00	0.00	0.04	4.35
Nigeria	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Papua New Guinea	0.50	0.51	0.53	0.53	0.00	0.00	0.02	3.92
Ecuador	0.46	0.50	0.51	0.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cote d'Ivoire	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Brazil	0.27	0.28	0.28	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Honduras	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
World	47.92	50.70	53.33	53.83	0.50	0.94	3.13	6.17

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Table 17 Cotton Area, Yield, and Production

Country / Region	Area (Million hectares)				Yield (Kilograms per hectare)				Production (Million 480 lb. bales)				Change in Production			
		Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.			Prel.	2012/13 Proj.		From last month		From last year	
	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	2010/11	2011/12	Feb	Mar	MBales	Percent	MBales	Percent
World	33.45	35.52	34.13	34.17	757	761	759	764	116.33	124.13	118.95	119.87	0.92	0.77	-4.27	-3.44
United States	4.33	3.83	3.82	3.82	910	886	971	971	18.10	15.57	17.01	17.01	0.00	0.00	1.44	9.23
Total Foreign	29.12	31.69	30.31	30.36	734	746	732	738	98.23	108.56	101.94	102.86	0.92	0.90	-5.70	-5.25
China	5.25	5.40	5.28	5.28	1,265	1,335	1,403	1,445	30.50	33.10	34.00	35.00	1.00	2.94	1.90	5.74
South Asia	14.03	15.29	14.80	14.80	546	545	519	515	35.19	38.27	35.28	34.98	-0.30	-0.85	-3.29	-8.58
India	11.14	12.20	11.70	11.70	516	491	475	475	26.40	27.50	25.50	25.50	0.00	0.00	-2.00	-7.27
Pakistan	2.80	3.00	3.00	3.00	672	769	697	675	8.64	10.60	9.60	9.30	-0.30	-3.13	-1.30	-12.26
Former Soviet Union - 12	2.32	2.33	2.29	2.36	639	641	667	674	6.82	6.86	7.03	7.30	0.27	3.84	0.44	6.39
Uzbekistan	1.33	1.31	1.29	1.35	671	698	729	726	4.10	4.20	4.30	4.50	0.20	4.65	0.30	7.14
Turkmenistan	0.64	0.58	0.60	0.60	595	530	544	581	1.75	1.40	1.50	1.60	0.10	6.67	0.20	14.29
Tajikistan	0.16	0.20	0.20	0.20	550	619	599	599	0.41	0.58	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-5.17
Kazakhstan	0.14	0.16	0.15	0.15	664	590	736	662	0.42	0.44	0.50	0.45	-0.05	-10.00	0.01	3.21
Sub-Saharan Africa	3.29	4.02	4.29	4.29	296	313	332	334	4.47	5.77	6.53	6.57	0.04	0.63	0.80	13.94
Burkina	0.40	0.40	0.53	0.53	354	381	435	456	0.65	0.70	1.05	1.10	0.05	4.76	0.40	57.14
Mali	0.26	0.48	0.50	0.50	398	386	435	435	0.48	0.85	1.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	17.65
Zimbabwe	0.40	0.47	0.43	0.43	272	278	243	243	0.50	0.60	0.48	0.48	0.00	0.00	-0.13	-20.83
Benin	0.18	0.20	0.25	0.25	363	381	479	479	0.30	0.35	0.55	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.20	57.14
Cote d'Ivoire	0.20	0.25	0.33	0.33	370	392	402	402	0.34	0.45	0.60	0.60	0.00	0.00	0.15	33.33
Cameroon	0.14	0.18	0.23	0.23	428	404	445	445	0.28	0.33	0.46	0.46	0.00	0.00	0.14	41.54
Nigeria	0.41	0.33	0.30	0.30	252	218	236	236	0.48	0.33	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sudan	0.04	0.10	0.06	0.06	518	435	454	454	0.10	0.20	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	-0.08	-37.50
South America	2.15	2.14	1.55	1.52	1,102	1,051	1,110	1,100	10.89	10.31	7.88	7.68	-0.20	-2.54	-2.64	-25.55
Brazil	1.40	1.40	1.00	0.98	1,400	1,353	1,415	1,407	9.00	8.70	6.50	6.30	-0.20	-3.08	-2.40	-27.59
Argentina	0.61	0.53	0.36	0.36	486	411	484	484	1.35	1.00	0.80	0.80	0.00	0.00	-0.20	-20.00
Paraguay	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.07	399	340	373	373	0.06	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.00	0.00	-0.01	-4.00
Middle East	0.61	0.80	0.68	0.68	1,180	1,298	1,202	1,202	3.29	4.79	3.73	3.73	0.00	0.00	-1.06	-22.09
Iran	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.11	635	587	591	591	0.35	0.31	0.29	0.29	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-8.06
Syria	0.13	0.15	0.13	0.13	1,280	1,306	1,263	1,263	0.74	0.90	0.73	0.73	0.00	0.00	-0.18	-19.44
Turkey	0.32	0.49	0.40	0.40	1,436	1,529	1,415	1,415	2.11	3.44	2.60	2.60	0.00	0.00	-0.84	-24.42
Australia	0.54	0.58	0.45	0.45	1,681	2,065	2,055	2,055	4.20	5.50	4.20	4.20	0.00	0.00	-1.30	-23.64
EU-27	0.30	0.35	0.33	0.33	854	994	930	930	1.16	1.62	1.41	1.41	0.00	0.00	-0.21	-12.75
Greece	0.23	0.29	0.26	0.26	890	1,016	963	963	0.94	1.33	1.15	1.15	0.00	0.00	-0.18	-13.53
Spain	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	715	897	800	800	0.21	0.28	0.25	0.25	0.00	0.00	-0.03	-9.42
Egypt	0.16	0.22	0.15	0.15	763	737	773	773	0.55	0.75	0.52	0.52	0.00	0.00	-0.23	-30.87
Mexico	0.11	0.19	0.15	0.15	1,436	1,338	1,343	1,494	0.73	1.18	0.94	1.05	0.11	11.23	-0.13	-11.02
Others	0.37	0.37	0.37	0.37	248	251	250	250	0.42	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.23

World and Selected Countries and Regions

TABLE 18

The table below presents a record of the differences between the March projection and the final Estimate. Using world wheat production as an example, the "root mean square error" means that chances are 2 out of 3 that the current forecast will not be above or below the final estimate by more than 0.6 percent. Chances are 9 out of 10 (90% confidence level) that the difference will not exceed 1.0 percent. The average difference between the March projection and the final estimate is 2.5 million tons, ranging from 0.3 million to 8.0 million tons. The March projection has been below the estimate 22 times and above 9 times.

RELIABILITY OF PRODUCTION PROJECTIONS 1/

COMMODITY AND REGION	Root mean square error	90 percent confidence interval	Difference between forecast and final estimate				
			Average	Smallest	Largest	Years	
						Below final	Above final
	Percent		---Million metric tons---				
WHEAT							
World	0.6	1.0	2.5	0.3	8.0	22	9
U.S.	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.3	12	8
Foreign	0.7	1.2	2.5	0.3	8.0	22	9
COARSE GRAINS 2/							
World	1.1	1.8	8.3	0.5	21.7	26	5
U.S.	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.0	1.3	12	7
Foreign	1.5	2.6	8.3	0.5	21.7	26	5
RICE (Milled)							
World	1.4	2.4	3.6	0.2	13.8	22	9
U.S.	1.4	2.4	0.1	0.0	0.2	11	5
Foreign	1.4	2.4	3.6	0.1	13.8	22	9
SOYBEANS							
World	2.4	4.0	3.3	0.1	12.4	18	13
U.S.	1.4	2.3	0.6	0.0	2.5	13	11
Foreign	4.0	6.7	3.1	0.1	12.6	18	13
COTTON			*---Million 480-lb. bales---*				
World	1.7	2.9	1.2	0.0	5.2	19	10
U.S.	0.9	1.5	0.1	0.0	0.3	11	19
Foreign	2.1	3.5	1.2	0.0	5.3	19	11
UNITED STATES			*-------Million bushels-------*				
CORN	0.2	0.3	2	0	38	1	2
SORGHUM	0.2	0.3	0	0	4	0	2
BARLEY	0.5	0.9	1	0	11	12	4
OATS	0.2	0.4	0	0	2	4	3

1/ Marketing years 1981/82 through 2011/12. Final is defined as the first November estimate following the marketing year for 1981/82 through 2011/12.

2/ Includes corn, sorghum, barley, oats, rye, millet, and mixed grain

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