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2023 CHEMICAL USAGE FOR OATS

State-level estimates for 2023 chemical usage for oats are now available, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. The 2023 Agricultural Chemical Use Survey of oat producers collected data about fertilizer and pesticide use as well as pest management practices in growing oats. NASS conducted the survey among oat producers in 17 states that together accounted for 89.9% of the 2.6 million acres planted to oats in the United States in 2023: California, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Texas, and Wisconsin. The estimates can be accessed using the QuickStats online database, found here: https://quickstats.nass.usda.gov.

For pre-defined Quick Stats queries, go to <u>https://www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide_to_NASS_Surveys/Chemical_Use/index.php</u> and click "Data Tables" under the 2023 Barley, Oats, Peanuts, and Soybeans heading. For methodology information, go to <u>https://www.nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide_to_NASS_Surveys/Chemical_Use/index.php</u> and click "Methodology."