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## **GRAIN STOCKS – SEPTEMBER 1, 2024**

## ARIZONA

Off-farm **corn** stocks in Arizona on September 1, 2024, were 3.54 million bushels, according to the September 1 Agricultural Survey and September Grain Stocks Report conducted by the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Other Arizona grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

#### COLORADO

Colorado **corn** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2024, were 10.92 million bushels, up 10 percent from September 1, 2023, according to the September 1 Agricultural Survey and September Grain Stocks Report conducted by the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Corn stored on farms amounted to 3.60 million bushels, down 20 percent from a year ago. Corn stored off farms amounted to 7.32 million bushels, up 35 percent from a year ago. Off-farm **sorghum** stocks totaled 280,000 bushels on September 1, 2024, up 23 percent from last year. Off-farm **oat** stocks totaled 9,000 bushels on September 1, 2024, compared with 26,000 bushels a year ago. Off-farm **barley** stocks totaled 4.79 million bushels, down 19 percent from last year.

**All wheat** stocks in all positions in Colorado on September 1, 2024, were 62.13 million bushels, up 18 percent from September 1, 2023. All wheat stored on farms amounted to 18.00 million bushels, down 3 percent from a year ago. All wheat stored off farms amounted to 44.13 million bushels, up 29 percent from a year ago. Other Colorado grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

#### MONTANA

Off-farm **corn** stocks in Montana on September 1, 2024, were 57,000 bushels, according to the September 1 Agricultural Survey and September Grain Stocks Report conducted by the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. **Oats** stored on farms amounted to 900,000 bushels, up 38 percent from a year ago. Montana **barley** stocks stored in all positions on September 1, 2024, were 40.47 million bushels, down 11 percent from a year ago. Barley stored on farms was 33.00 million bushels, down 16 percent from last year. Off-farm barley storage was up 21 percent from a year ago to 7.47 million bushels.

All wheat stocks in all positions in Montana on September 1, 2024, were 166.93 million bushels, up 3 percent from September 1, 2023. All wheat stocks stored on farms amounted to 128.00 million bushels, up 4 percent from a year ago. All wheat stored off farms amounted to 38.93 million bushels, up 1 percent from a year ago. **Durum wheat** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2024, were 13.79 million bushels, down 13 percent from a year ago. Durum wheat stocks stored on farms amounted to 13.00 million bushels, and Durum wheat stored off farms amounted to 791,000 bushels. Other Montana grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

## **NEW MEXICO**

New Mexico grain stocks on September 1, 2024, were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

## UTAH

Off-farm **all wheat** stocks in Utah on September 1, 2024, were 4.69 million bushels, according to the September 1 Agricultural Survey and September Grain Stocks Report conducted by the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. This is up 19 percent from September 1, 2023. Other Utah grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

## WYOMING

Wyoming grain stocks on September 1, 2024, were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

#### **UNITED STATES**

**Old crop corn stocks** in all positions on September 1, 2024, totaled 1.76 billion bushels, up 29 percent from September 1, 2023. Of the total stocks, 780 million bushels are stored on farms, up 29 percent from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 980 million bushels, are up 30 percent from a year ago. The June - August 2024 indicated disappearance is 3.24 billion bushels, compared with 2.74 billion bushels during the same period last year.

Based on an analysis of end-of-marketing year stock estimates, disappearance data for exports, and farm program administrative data, the 2023 corn for grain production is revised down 1.08 million bushels from the previous estimate. Corn silage production is revised down 140 thousand tons. Planted area is unchanged at 94.6 million acres, but area harvested for grain is revised down 7,000 acres to 86.5 million acres. Area harvested for silage is revised down 10,000 acres to 6.46 million acres. The 2023 grain yield, at 177.3 bushels per acre, is unchanged from the previous estimate. The 2023 silage yield, at 20.1 tons per acre, remains unchanged from the previous estimate.

**Old crop grain sorghum** stored in all positions on September 1, 2024, totaled 30.5 million bushels, up 26 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks, at 2.94 million bushels, are up 112 percent from last year. Off-farm stocks, at 27.6 million bushels, are up 21 percent from September 1, 2023. The June - August 2024 indicated disappearance from all positions is 18.9 million bushels, down 34 percent from the same period a year ago.

**Oats** stored in all positions on September 1, 2024, totaled 65.2 million bushels, 13 percent below the stocks on September 1, 2023. Of the total stocks on hand, 38.6 million bushels are stored on farms, 9 percent higher than a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 26.6 million bushels, 33 percent below the previous year. Indicated disappearance during June - August 2024 totaled 38.8 million bushels, compared with 16.5 million bushels during the same period a year ago.

**Barley** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2024, totaled 154 million bushels, down 14 percent from September 1, 2023. On-farm stocks are estimated at 90.3 million bushels, 27 percent below a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 63.8 million bushels, are 15 percent above September 2023. The June - August 2024 indicated disappearance is 68.0 million bushels, 6 percent below the same period a year earlier.

All wheat stored in all positions on September 1, 2024, totaled 1.99 billion bushels, up 12 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 664 million bushels, up 11 percent from last September. Off-farm stocks, at 1.32 billion bushels, are up 13 percent from a year ago. The June - August 2024 indicated disappearance is 682 million bushels, up 12 percent from the same period a year earlier.

**Durum wheat** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2024, totaled 67.3 million bushels, up 17 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks, at 47.1 million bushels, are up 42 percent from September 1, 2023. Off-farm stocks totaled 20.2 million bushels, down 16 percent from a year ago. The June - August 2024 indicated disappearance of 33.8 million bushels is up 13 percent from the same period a year earlier.

**Old crop soybeans** stored in all positions on September 1, 2024 totaled 342 million bushels, up 29 percent from September 1, 2023. Soybean stocks stored on farms totaled 111 million bushels, up 54 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 231 million bushels, are up 20 percent from last September. Indicated disappearance for June - August 2024 totaled 628 million bushels, up 18 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Based on an analysis of end-of-marketing year stock estimates, disappearance data for exports and crushings, and farm program administrative data, the 2023 soybean production is revised down 2.62 million bushels from the previous estimate. Planted area is unchanged at 83.6 million acres, but harvested area is revised to 82.3 million acres. The 2023 yield, at 50.6 bushels per acre, is unchanged from the previous estimate. A table with 2023 acreage, yield, and production estimates by States is included on page 19 of this report.

**Old crop sunflower** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2024 totaled 575 million pounds, up 57 percent from a year ago. All stocks stored on farms totaled 139 million pounds and off-farm stocks totaled 436 million pounds. Stocks of oil type sunflower seed are 507 million pounds; of this total, 134 million pounds are on-farm stocks and 373 million pounds are off-farm stocks. Non-oil sunflower stocks totaled 68.3 million pounds, with 5.35 million pounds stored on the farm and 63.0 million pounds stored off the farm.

For a full copy of the *Grain Stocks* report, please visit <u>www.nass.usda.gov</u>. For state specific questions, please contact the following State Statisticians at 1-800-392-3202.

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