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## New Jersey farmers expect higher soybean yields

**TRENTON, NJ** --- Based on conditions as of November 1, New Jersey farmers expect an average of 45 bushels per acre of soybeans in 2023, according to Bruce Eklund, state statistician of the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New Jersey Field Office. Last year's yield averaged 28 bushels per acre. Expected acres harvested is 108 thousand acres, unchanged from last year.

Nationally, growers expect to harvest 3% fewer soybeans than last year.

For the complete "Crop Production" report, go to: https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/tm70mv177

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