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## New Jersey soybean expected yields as of September 1

**TRENTON, NJ** --- New Jersey soybean yields are estimated to average 41.0 bushels per acre, as of September 1, according to Bruce Eklund, state statistician of USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service, New Jersey Field Office. Harvested area is estimated at 103 thousand acres with production at 4.22 million bushels.

Nationally, soybean production for beans is forecast at a record high 4.59 billion bushels, down slightly from the previous forecast but up 10 percent from 2023. Based on conditions as of September 1, yields are expected to average a record high 53.2 bushels per acre, unchanged from the previous forecast but up 2.6 bushels from 2023. If realized, this would be the highest yield on record for the Nation. Area harvested for beans in the United States is forecast at 86.3 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but up 5 percent from 2023.

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