



# News Release

## Michigan Prospective Plantings

Michigan farmers intend to plant more corn and less soybeans in 2023 than they did last year, according to Marlo D. Johnson, Director of the USDA NASS, Great Lakes Regional Office.

Michigan producers intend to plant 2.10 million acres of soybeans, down 7 percent from last year. Producers plan to plant 2.40 million acres of corn, up 2 percent from last year. Winter wheat seedings, at 670 thousand acres, were up 46 percent from 2021 fall plantings.

Area intended for harvest as dry hay in Michigan, at 800 thousand acres, is up 1 percent from last year. Oat planting intentions are up 20 percent from last year to 60 thousand acres.

Michigan growers intend to plant fewer acres of sugarbeets but intend to plant the same amount of dry beans in 2023 than they did in 2022.

Nationally, corn planted area for all purposes in 2023 is estimated at 92.0 million acres, up 4 percent or 3.42 million acres from last year. Compared with last year, planted acreage is expected to be up or unchanged in 40 of the 48 estimating States.

U.S. soybean planted area for 2023 is estimated at 87.5 million acres, up slightly from last year. Compared with last year, planted acreage is up or unchanged in 15 of the 29 estimating States.

Nationally, all wheat planted area for 2023 is estimated at 49.9 million acres, up 9 percent from 2022. The 2023 winter wheat planted area, at 37.5 million acres, is up 13 percent from last year and up 2 percent from the previous estimate. Of this total, about 26.0 million acres are Hard Red Winter, 7.80 million acres are Soft Red Winter, and 3.71 million acres are White Winter. Area expected to be planted to other spring wheat for 2023 is estimated at 10.6 million acres, down 2 percent from 2022. Of this total, about 9.95 million acres are Hard Red Spring wheat. Durum planted area for 2023 is expected to total 1.78 million acres, up 9 percent from the previous year.

### Acres by Crop – Michigan and United States: 2021 - 2023

Commodity	Michigan			United States		
	2021	2022	2023	2021	2022	2023
Beans, dry <sup>1</sup> .....						
Planted .....1,000 acres		215.0	215.0		1,250.0	1,226.0
Corn, all .....						
Planted .....1,000 acres	2,350	2,350	2,400	93,252	88,579	91,996
Hay, all .....						
Harvested .....1,000 acres	790	790	800	50,736	49,546	50,645
Oats .....						
Planted .....1,000 acres	55	50	60	2,550	2,581	2,667
Soybeans .....						
Planted .....1,000 acres	2,150	2,250	2,100	87,195	87,450	87,505
Sugarbeets .....						
Planted .....1,000 acres	155.0	139.0	133.0	1,160.9	1,159.5	1,110.8
Wheat, winter .....						
Planted .....1,000 acres	610	460	670	33,678	33,271	37,505

<sup>1</sup> Beginning in 2019, chickpeas are excluded.