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TENNESSEE GRAIN STOCKS

Tennessee **corn** stocks stored in off-farm facilities on December 1, 2018 totaled 29.7 million bushels, compared to 33.7 million bushels stored off-farm on December 1, 2017 according to USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. **Soybean** stocks stored off the farm totaled 14.5 million bushels on December 1, 2018 compared to 13.4 million bushels stored off the farm the previous year. Tennessee **wheat** stocks stored off the farm on December 1, 2018 compared to 13.6 million bushels stored off the farm on December 1, 2018 compared to 13.6 million bushels stored off the farm on December 1, 2017. **Oat** stocks stored off the farm on December 1, 2018 totaled 36,000 bushels, up 5,000 bushels from off-farm stocks this time last year.

U.S. GRAIN STOCKS

Corn stored in all positions on December 1, 2018 totaled 12.0 billion bushels, down 5 percent from December 1, 2017. Of the total stocks, 7.45 billion bushels are stored on farms, down 4 percent from a year earlier. Offfarm stocks, at 4.50 billion bushels, are down 7 percent from a year ago. The September - November 2018 indicated disappearance is 4.61 billion bushels, compared with 4.34 billion bushels during the same period last year.

Soybeans stored in all positions on December 1, 2018 totaled 3.74 billion bushels, up 18 percent from December 1, 2017. Soybean stocks stored on farms totaled 1.94 billion bushels, up 30 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 1.80 billion bushels, are up 7 percent from last December. Indicated disappearance for September - November 2018 totaled 1.25 billion bushels, down 20 percent from the same period a year earlier.

All wheat stored in all positions on December 1, 2018 totaled 2.00 billion bushels, up 7 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 504 million bushels, up 28 percent from last December. Off-farm stocks, at 1.50 billion bushels, are up 1 percent from a year ago. The September - November 2018 indicated disappearance is 390 million bushels, 1 percent below the same period a year earlier.

Durum wheat stored in all positions on December 1, 2018 totaled 83.6 million bushels, up 49 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks, at 46.7 million bushels, are up 52 percent from December 1, 2017. Off-farm stocks totaled 36.9 million bushels, up 46 percent from a year ago. The September - November 2018 indicated disappearance of 6.45 million bushels is 36 percent below the same period a year earlier.

Barley stored in all positions on December 1, 2018 totaled 153 million bushels, down 4 percent from December 1, 2017. On-farm stocks are estimated at 72.0 million bushels, 3 percent below a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 80.8 million bushels, are 4 percent below December 2017. The September - November 2018 indicated disappearance is 22.1 million bushels, up 6 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Oats stored in all positions on December 1, 2018 totaled 67.2 million bushels, up 1 percent from the stocks on December 1, 2017. Of the total stocks on hand, 25.4 million bushels are stored on farms, up 9 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 41.8 million bushels, down 3 percent from the previous year. Indicated disappearance during September - November 2018 totaled 7.54 million bushels.

Grain sorghum stored in all positions on December 1, 2018 totaled 246 million bushels, up 8 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks, at 36.8 million bushels, are up 9 percent from December 1 last year. Off-farm stocks, at 210 million bushels, are up 8 percent from a year earlier. The September - November 2018 indicated disappearance from all positions is 154 million bushels, down 9 percent from the same period in 2017.