

## November 17, 2022 Board Meeting

- **October Crop Production Report**

- In WI, corn is expected to yield 182 bushels per acre, up 2 bushels from last year. Production is forecasted at 537 million bushels.
  - U.S. corn production is forecasted at 13.9 billion bushels, down 8 % percent from last year. Based on conditions as of October 1, yields are expected to average 171.9 bushels per acre, down 4.8 bushels from 2021.
- Soybean production in WI is forecast 115 million bushels. Soybean yield is forecasted at 54 bushels per acre, down 1 bushel from 2021.
  - U.S. soybean yield is expected to average 49.8 bushels per acre down 1.9 bushels from last year, and production is forecasted at 4.31 billion bushels.
- Next Crop Production Report (final) will be released January 12, 2023.

- **2022 Small Grain Summary**

- In WI, winter wheat production was estimated at 18.7 million bushels, up 2 % from 2021. The yield was 78.0 bushels per acre, up 3.0 bushels from last year. The U.S. yield is 47.0 bushels per acre.
- The oat yield was 74.0 bushels per acre, up 12 bushels from 2021. The U.S. yield is 64.8 bushels per acre.

- **Milk Production**

- In September, WI milk production totaled 2.62 billion pounds. This is up 1 % from the previous September.
- Milk production in the 24 major states totaled 17.5 billion pounds. This is 1.6 % more than the previous year.
- As of November 1, WI had 6,172 milk cow herds. This is down 446 herds from November 2021.

- **Chickens & Eggs**
  - Wisconsin egg production during September 2022 was 144 million eggs, down 14 % from last year.
  - The average number of all layers on hand during September 2022 was 5.71 million, down 16 % from last September.
  
- **Prices Received**
  - Milk price for September was \$22.10 per cwt. This is up \$3.70 from last September's price. The US price for September was \$24.40.
  - Corn \$7.12 per bushel up \$1.30 from September 2021.
  - Soybeans \$14.10 per bushel up \$2.20 from last year.
  - Alfalfa hay \$161 per ton, up \$1.00 per ton from the previous September.
  
- **Crop Progress as of November 6, 2022**
  - Corn harvested was at 55 %. Harvest was 1 day ahead the five-year average.
  - Soybean harvest was at 95 % complete, 4 days ahead of last year.
  - Topsoil moisture ratings for this past week were 2 % very short, 16 % short, 76 % adequate, and 6 % surplus.
  
- **Other noteworthy items**
  - In a few weeks, NASS will begin collecting data on its County Agricultural Practices Survey and December Agricultural Survey. These surveys are used to set final production estimates. In addition, we will be collecting December Hog Survey information to set inventory numbers.
  - 2022 Census of Agriculture questionnaires will begin arriving in farmers' mailboxes over the next several weeks. This is a mandatory survey that is done every five years. Farmers have until February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023 to complete the survey. New questions about the use of precision agriculture, hemp production, hair sheep and updates to

internet access question. NASS would like to personally thank DATCP and the Secretary for helping promote the Census of Agriculture in Wisconsin.



# WISCONSIN FARM REPORTER

November 2, 2022

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## Prices Received by Farmers

The average price received by farmers for **corn** during September 2022 in Wisconsin was \$7.12 per bushel. This was 17 cents above the August price and \$1.30 above September 2021. The September 2022 average price received by farmers for **soybeans**, at \$14.10 per bushel, was \$1.60 below the August price but \$2.20 above the September 2021 price. The September average **oat** price per bushel, at \$4.53, was 16 cents below August but \$1.35 above September 2021. **All hay** prices in Wisconsin averaged \$144.00 per ton in September. This was \$16.00 above the August price but \$5.00 below the September 2021 price. The September 2022 **alfalfa hay** price, at \$161.00, was \$20.00 above the previous month and \$1.00 above September 2021. The average price received for **other hay** during September was \$96.00 per ton. This was \$2.00 above the August price but \$14.00 below September last year.

### Prices Received by Farmers

<b>WISCONSIN</b>		September 2021	August 2022	September 2022
(dollars)				
Corn	bu	5.82	6.95	7.12
Hay, all baled	ton	149.00	128.00	144.00
Alfalfa	ton	160.00	141.00	161.00
Other	ton	110.00	94.00	96.00
Oats	bu	3.18	4.69	4.53
Soybeans	bu	11.90	15.70	14.10
<b>UNITED STATES</b>		September 2021	August 2022	September 2022
(dollars)				
Corn	bu	5.47	7.24	7.09
Hay, all baled	ton	193.00	246.00	242.00
Alfalfa	ton	214.00	275.00	277.00
Other	ton	155.00	183.00	174.00
Oats	bu	3.73	4.64	4.43
Soybeans	bu	12.20	15.30	14.10
Calves	cwt	173.00	197.00	195.00
Cattle, all beef	cwt	124.00	141.00	143.00
Cows <sup>1</sup>	cwt	72.90	90.10	91.20
Steers & Heifers	cwt	127.00	144.00	145.00
Hogs, all	cwt	70.80	85.80	73.80
Barrows & Gilts	cwt	70.40	86.00	73.90
Sows	cwt	79.50	82.90	70.90
Eggs (market) <sup>2</sup>	doz	0.773	1.80	2.62

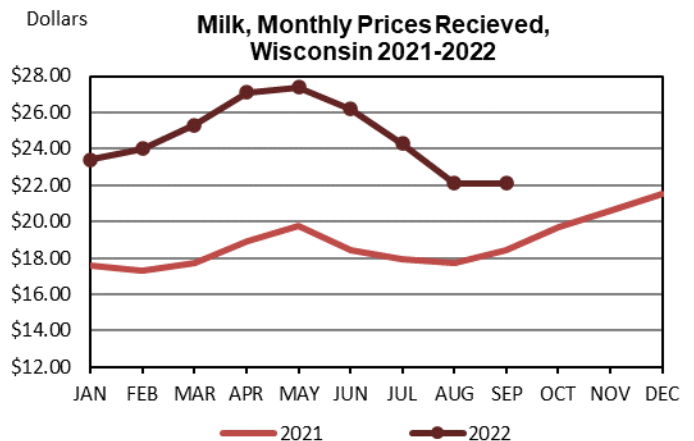
## Milk Prices

The Wisconsin all milk price for September 2022 was \$22.10 per hundredweight (cwt). This was unchanged from last month's price but \$3.70 above last September's price. The U.S. all milk price for September was \$24.40 per cwt, \$2.30 higher than Wisconsin's price and 10 cents higher than last month's U.S. price.

### Milk Prices<sup>1</sup>

Selected states	September 2021		August 2022		September 2022	
	Price per cwt.	Fat test	Price per cwt.	Fat test	Price per cwt.	Fat test
	(dollars)	(percent)	(dollars)	(percent)	(dollars)	(percent)
Milk for all uses						
Arizona	17.90	3.76	24.30	3.73	24.60	3.76
California	18.00	3.89	25.20	3.93	25.10	4.00
Colorado	18.60	3.79	24.40	3.68	24.50	3.80
Florida	21.70	3.69	30.50	3.68	29.40	3.70
Georgia	20.60	3.66	29.70	3.70	29.30	3.81
Idaho	18.60	4.08	23.80	3.96	24.80	4.09
Illinois	18.00	3.93	23.90	3.90	24.30	3.99
Indiana	18.00	3.85	24.80	3.85	25.20	3.94
Iowa	18.20	4.09	21.80	4.07	22.20	4.16
Kansas	16.90	4.01	23.60	3.97	23.10	4.04
Michigan	17.10	3.83	23.90	3.83	23.40	3.90
Minnesota	18.60	4.13	22.20	4.14	23.40	4.30
New Mexico	16.10	3.72	22.60	3.73	22.20	3.82
New York	18.90	3.92	25.90	3.86	26.00	3.95
Ohio	18.20	3.85	24.50	3.86	24.90	3.96
Oregon	20.80	4.11	25.40	4.08	26.40	4.21
Pennsylvania	19.00	3.90	26.20	3.83	26.10	3.97
South Dakota	19.40	4.33	23.30	4.33	23.70	4.42
Texas	18.30	4.11	24.40	4.10	24.10	4.19
Utah	18.10	3.91	24.70	3.80	24.80	3.92
Vermont	19.40	3.97	26.30	3.93	26.40	3.99
Virginia	20.20	3.76	28.80	3.82	28.60	3.89
Washington	18.70	4.11	25.70	4.00	25.80	4.11
<b>Wisconsin</b>	<b>18.40</b>	<b>3.95</b>	<b>22.10</b>	<b>3.93</b>	<b>22.10</b>	<b>3.98</b>
United States ....	18.30	3.95	24.30	3.93	24.40	4.02

<sup>1</sup> Before deduction for hauling. Includes quality, quantity, and other premiums. Excludes hauling subsidies.



<sup>1</sup> Beef cows and cull dairy cows sold for slaughter. <sup>2</sup> Also referred to as table eggs.

**Dairy Products, Production by Selected States and U. S.**

Item and area	August 2021	July 2022	August 2022	Change from last year
	<i>(1,000 pounds)</i>			<i>(percent)</i>
Cheese				
American types <sup>1</sup>	462,477	466,434	452,693	-2.1
Cheddar				
California	21,648	24,911	22,584	4.3
<b>Wisconsin</b>	<b>58,931</b>	<b>58,809</b>	<b>56,900</b>	<b>-3.4</b>
United States	320,293	331,613	313,702	-2.1
Blue and Gorgonzola	7,314	7,422	7,446	1.8
Brick and Muenster	14,388	16,140	15,133	5.2
Cream and Neufchatel	94,946	87,564	94,548	-0.4
Feta	15,462	11,746	13,043	-15.6
Gouda	4,503	4,906	4,156	-7.7
Hispanic	28,675	32,127	33,830	18.0
Mozzarella				
California	124,942	125,774	126,443	1.2
<b>Wisconsin</b>	<b>88,838</b>	<b>90,727</b>	<b>89,700</b>	<b>1.0</b>
United States	374,517	390,204	386,309	3.1
Parmesan	37,738	37,086	35,759	-5.2
Provolone	34,156	30,761	33,613	-1.6
Ricotta	20,747	16,423	21,088	1.6
Romano	5,143	4,519	4,058	-21.1
Other Italian types	7,708	7,419	7,263	-5.8
Total Italian				
California	135,745	137,077	136,922	0.9
<b>Wisconsin</b>	<b>137,948</b>	<b>139,677</b>	<b>137,841</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
United States	480,009	486,412	488,090	1.7
Swiss	27,257	27,247	28,016	2.8
All other cheese	13,724	11,221	12,494	-9.0
Total Cheese				
California	201,695	208,044	206,887	2.6
Idaho	77,879	85,486	73,589	-5.5
New Mexico	79,231	79,163	82,937	4.7
<b>Wisconsin</b>	<b>294,126</b>	<b>287,754</b>	<b>286,441</b>	<b>-2.6</b>
United States	1,148,755	1,151,219	1,149,449	0.1

<sup>1</sup> Includes Cheddar, Colby, and Monterey Jack.

**Milk Production**

Milk production in Wisconsin during September 2022 totaled 2.62 billion pounds, up 1 percent from the previous September. The average number of milk cows during September was 1.27 million head, was 1,000 below August and down 7,000 from September 2021. Monthly production per cow averaged 2,060 pounds, up 30 pounds from last September.

Milk production in the 24 major States during September totaled 17.5 billion pounds, up 1.6 percent from September 2021. August revised production, at 18.2 billion pounds, was up 1.8 percent from August 2021. The August revision represented an increase of 13 million pounds or 0.1 percent from last month's preliminary production estimate. Production per cow in the 24 major States averaged 1,961 pounds for September, 26 pounds above September 2021.

The number of milk cows on farms in the 24 major States was 8.93 million head, 19,000 head more than September 2021, but 2,000 head less than August 2022. Milk production in the United States during the July - September quarter totaled 56.5 billion pounds, up 1.2 percent from the July - September quarter last year. The average number of milk cows in the United States during the quarter was 9.41 million head, unchanged from the April - June quarter, but 29,000 head less than the same period last year.

**Milk Cows and Production, Selected States, September 2020 and 2021**

State	Milk cows <sup>1</sup>		Rate per cow <sup>2</sup>		Production <sup>2</sup>		Change from 2021
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	
	<i>(1,000 head)</i>		<i>(pounds)</i>		<i>(million pounds)</i>		<i>(percent)</i>
Arizona	194	198	1,790	1,810	347	358	3.2
California	1,719	1,723	1,905	1,910	3,275	3,291	0.5
Colorado	199	206	2,135	2,140	425	441	3.8
Florida	105	94	1,475	1,440	155	135	-12.9
Georgia	82	92	1,670	1,680	137	155	13.1
Idaho	651	657	2,070	2,100	1,348	1,380	2.4
Illinois	82	80	1,650	1,670	135	134	-0.7
Indiana	189	186	1,900	1,900	359	353	-1.7
Iowa	225	237	1,995	1,995	449	473	5.3
Kansas	170	175	1,915	1,945	326	340	4.3
Michigan	438	427	2,195	2,235	961	954	-0.7
Minnesota	461	453	1,870	1,915	862	867	0.6
New Mexico	300	284	1,930	1,970	579	559	-3.5
New York	628	625	2,000	2,055	1,256	1,284	2.2
Ohio	254	250	1,760	1,770	447	443	-0.9
Oregon	125	124	1,710	1,710	214	212	-0.9
Pennsylvania	473	468	1,690	1,705	799	798	-0.1
South Dakota	161	186	1,920	1,910	309	355	14.9
Texas	625	655	1,985	2,055	1,241	1,346	8.5
Utah	94	94	1,905	1,905	179	179	0.0
Vermont	120	117	1,725	1,770	207	207	0.0
Virginia	72	69	1,590	1,635	114	13	-0.9
Washington	264	257	1,975	2,005	521	515	-1.2
<b>Wisconsin</b>	<b>1,278</b>	<b>1,271</b>	<b>2,030</b>	<b>2,060</b>	<b>2,594</b>	<b>2,618</b>	<b>0.9</b>
24-State							
Total	8,909	8,928	1,935	1,961	17,239	17,510	1.6

<sup>1</sup>Includes dry cows. Excludes heifers not yet fresh. <sup>2</sup>Excludes milk sucked by calves.

## October Crop Production

### Wisconsin

Wisconsin **corn** production is forecast at 537 million bushels, down 1 percent from the previous year. Based on conditions as of October 1, yields are expected to average a record 182.0 bushels per acre, up 2.0 bushels from last year. Corn planted acreage is estimated at 3.95 million acres. An estimated 2.95 million of the acres planted will be harvested for grain.

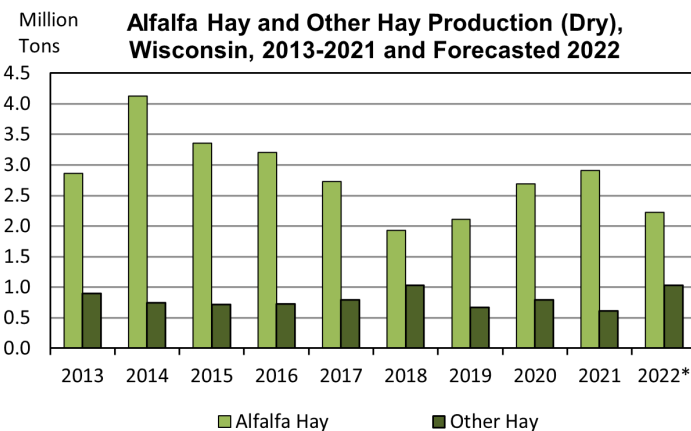
**Soybean** production is forecast at 115 million bushels, up 1 percent from the previous year. The yield is forecast at 54.0 bushels per acre, 1 bushel lower than 2021. Soybean planted acreage is estimated at 2.16 million acres with 2.13 million acres to be harvested.

Production of **alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures** for hay is forecast at 2.23 million tons, down 24 percent from the previous year. Yield is expected to average 2.50 tons per acre, down 0.70 tons per acre from last year. Production of **other hay** is forecast at 1.03 million tons, up 69 percent from last year. Yield for other hay is expected to average 2.10 tons per acre, up 0.20 tons per acre from last year.

The forecasts in this report are based on October 1 conditions and do not reflect weather effects since that time. The next crop production forecasts, based on conditions as of November 1, will be released on November 9.

### Area Harvested, Yield, and Production Summary – Wisconsin and United States: 2021 and Forecasted October 1, 2022

State	Area harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>(1,000 acres)</i>		<i>(units per acre)</i>		<i>(1,000 units)</i>	
<b>Wisconsin</b>						
Corn (bushels)	3,000	2,950	180.0	182.0	540,000	536,900
Hay, alfalfa (tons)	910	890	3.20	2.50	2,912	2,225
Hay, other (tons)	320	490	1.90	2.10	608	1,029
Soybeans (bushels)	2,070	2,130	55.0	54.0	113,850	115,020
<b>United states</b>						
Corn (bushels)	85,318	80,844	176.7	171.9	15,073,820	13,895,176
Hay, alfalfa (tons)	15,246	15,465	3.23	3.16	49,245	48,820
Hay, other (tons)	35,490	36,042	2.00	1.75	70,951	63,241
Soybeans (bushels)	86,312	86,631	51.7	49.8	4,465,382	4,312,949



\*Forecasted October 1, 2022

### United States

Corn production for grain is forecast at 13.9 billion bushels, down less than 1 percent from the previous forecast and down 8 percent from 2021. Based on conditions as of October 1, yields are expected to average 171.9 bushels per harvested acre, down 0.6 bushel from the previous forecast and down 4.8 bushels from last year. After a thorough review of all available data, acreage estimates are unchanged from last month. Total planted area, at 88.6 million acres, is unchanged from the previous estimate but down 5 percent from the previous year. Area harvested for grain, forecast at 80.8 million acres, is unchanged from the previous forecast but down 5 percent from the previous year.

Soybean production for beans is forecast at 4.31 billion bushels, down 1 percent from the previous forecast and down 3 percent from 2021. Based on conditions as of October 1, yields are expected to average 49.8 bushels per acre, down 0.7 bushel from the previous forecast and down 1.9 bushels from 2021. After a thorough review of all available data acreage estimates are unchanged from last month. Total planted area, at 87.5 million acres, is unchanged from the previous estimate but up less than 1 percent from the previous year. Area harvested for beans in the United States is forecast at 86.6 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast but up less than 1 percent from 2021.

### U.S. Corn Supply and Use <sup>1</sup>

CORN	2020-2021	2021-2022 (Est.)	2022-2023 Projections October
	<i>(million bushels)</i>		
Beginning stocks	1,919	1,235	1,377
Production	14,111	15,074	13,895
Imports	24	24	50
<b>Supply, total</b>	16,055	16,333	15,322
Feed & residual	5,602	5,715	5,275
Food, seed & industrial	6,472	6,769	6,725
Ethanol & by-products	5,033	5,328	5,275
<b>Domestic, total</b>	12,074	12,484	12,000
Exports	2,747	2,471	2,150
<b>Use, total</b>	14,821	14,956	14,150
<b>Ending stocks</b>	1,235	1,377	1,172
Avg. Farm price (\$/bu)	4.53	6.00	6.80

<sup>1</sup>Source: USDA OCE World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates Report <http://www.usda.gov/oce/commodity/wasde/index.htm>

### U.S. Soybean Supply and Use <sup>1</sup>

SOYBEANS	2020-2021	2021-2022 (Est.)	2022-2023 Projections October
	<i>(million bushels)</i>		
Beginning stocks	525	257	274
Production	4,216	4,465	4,313
Imports	20	16	15
<b>Supply, total</b>	4,761	4,738	4,602
Crushings	2,141	2,204	2,235
Exports	2,266	2,158	2,045
Seed	101	102	102
Residual	-4	2	20
<b>Use, total</b>	4,504	4,465	4,402
<b>Ending stocks</b>	257	274	200
Avg. Farm price (\$/bu)	10.80	13.30	14.00

<sup>1</sup>Source: USDA OCE World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates Report <http://www.usda.gov/oce/commodity/wasde/index.htm>

## Chickens & Eggs

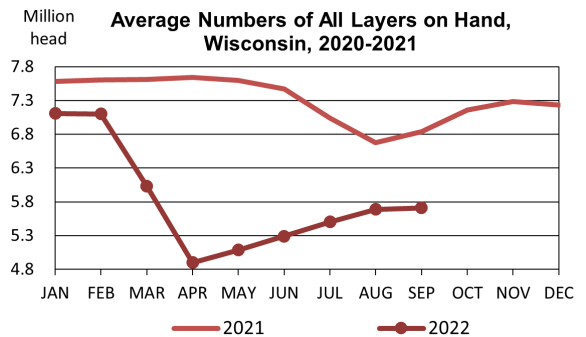
Wisconsin egg production during September 2022 was 144 million eggs, down 4 percent from last month and down 14 percent from last year. The average number of all layers on hand during September 2022 was 5.71 million, up slightly from last month but down 16 percent from the same month last year. Eggs per 100 layers for September were 2,528, down 4 percent from last month but up 3 percent from last September.

United States egg production totaled 8.83 billion during September 2022, down 3 percent from last year. Production included 7.56 billion table eggs, and 1.27 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.18 billion were broiler-type and 89.6 million were egg-type. The average number of layers during September 2022 totaled 373 million, down 3 percent from last year. September egg production per 100 layers was 2,365 eggs, up 1 percent from September 2021.

Total layers in the United States on October 1, 2022, totaled 373 million, down 4 percent from last year. The 373 million layers consisted of 307 million layers producing table or market type eggs, 62.6 million layers producing broiler-type hatching eggs, and 3.49 million layers producing egg-type hatching eggs. Rate of lay per day on October 1, 2022, averaged 78.6 eggs per 100 layers, up slightly from October 1, 2021.

Egg-type chicks hatched during September 2022 totaled 53.2 million, up 7 percent from September 2021. Eggs in incubators totaled 47.8 million on October 1, 2022, up 3 percent from a year ago. Domestic placements of egg-type pullet chicks for future hatchery supply flocks by leading breeders totaled 263 thousand during September 2022, down 9 percent from September 2021.

Broiler-type chicks hatched during September 2022 totaled 839 million, up 5 percent from September 2021. Eggs in incubators totaled 720 million on October 1, 2022, up 4 percent from a year ago.



**Layers on Hand and Eggs Produced – States and United States: During September 2021 and 2022<sup>1</sup>**

State	Table egg layers in flocks 30,000 & above		All layers on hand		Eggs per 100 layers		Total egg production		Table egg production	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>(1,000 layers)</i>				<i>(eggs)</i>		<i>(million eggs)</i>			
Alabama	1,421	1,372	10,669	11,577	1,893	1,889	202.0	218.7	36.0	36.2
Arkansas	(D)	(D)	16,552	15,360	2,129	2,083	352.4	320.0	(D)	(D)
California	13,141	13,028	13,801	13,676	2,367	2,341	326.7	320.2	(D)	(D)
Colorado	4,162	1,385	4,670	1,913	2,490	2,384	116.3	45.6	(D)	(D)
Georgia	9,080	9,625	19,511	19,955	2,078	2,124	405.4	423.8	210.5	229.4
Illinois	5,869	6,835	6,428	7,396	2,408	2,253	154.8	166.6	151.2	162.8
Indiana	35,023	35,745	36,300	36,978	2,453	2,424	890.4	896.5	875.1	881.9
Iowa	46,901	38,169	48,806	40,107	2,529	2,534	1,234.1	1,016.3	1,211.8	995.4
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	5,517	5,459	2,210	2,132	121.9	116.4	(D)	(D)
Maryland	2,246	1,951	2,455	2,152	2,452	2,579	60.2	55.5	58.8	54.0
Michigan	15,227	16,551	15,522	16,871	2,457	2,473	381.3	417.3	(D)	(D)
Minnesota	7,707	8,198	8,248	8,722	2,458	2,479	202.7	216.2	194.7	208.3
Mississippi	(D)	(D)	5,305	5,690	2,083	2,062	110.5	117.3	(D)	(D)
Missouri	7,452	7,450	13,347	13,642	2,445	2,441	326.4	333.0	289.0	290.6
Nebraska	7,538	5,833	8,186	6,481	2,446	2,362	200.2	153.1	188.5	140.5
New York	5,153	5,192	5,710	5,756	2,525	2,507	144.2	144.3	(D)	(D)
North Carolina	6,722	6,995	14,955	15,658	2,164	2,150	323.7	336.6	172.8	174.0
Ohio	34,110	35,257	35,431	36,545	2,448	2,477	867.2	905.1	(D)	(D)
Oklahoma	(D)	(D)	2,506	2,395	1,856	1,942	46.5	46.5	(D)	(D)
Oregon	1,855	1,770	2,026	1,941	2,512	2,597	50.9	50.4	50.9	50.4
Pennsylvania	28,079	22,495	30,721	25,458	2,139	2,532	657.0	644.5	626.3	604.7
South Carolina	2,266	2,370	3,515	3,632	2,102	2,269	73.9	82.4	51.7	60.1
South Dakota	1,886	1,778	1,941	1,833	2,561	2,662	49.7	48.8	49.7	48.8
Texas	(D)	(D)	22,702	22,895	2,292	2,301	520.4	526.8	(D)	(D)
Utah	5,711	5,373	5,763	5,425	2,585	2,476	149.0	134.3	149.0	134.3
Virginia	597	827	2,363	2,683	2,213	2,344	52.3	62.9	24.7	33.0
Washington	6,420	6,497	6,584	6,661	2,517	2,549	165.7	169.8	(D)	(D)
<b>Wisconsin</b>	<b>5,683</b>	<b>4,577</b>	<b>6,835</b>	<b>5,708</b>	<b>2,443</b>	<b>2,528</b>	<b>167.0</b>	<b>144.3</b>	<b>161.3</b>	<b>138.2</b>
Other States <sup>2</sup>	24,300	24,664	30,312	30,781	2,352	2,331	713.0	717.4	638.7	641.8
United States	304,964	290,223	386,681	373,350	2,345	2,365	9,065.8	8,830.6	7,818.5	7,557.7

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. <sup>1</sup>Data may not add to totals due to rounding. Data by type of flock not shown for some states to avoid disclosing individual operations, data included in United States totals. <sup>2</sup> Includes data for States not published in this table.



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Wisconsin had **5.1 days suitable for fieldwork** for the week ending November 6, 2022, according to the USDA’s National Agricultural Statistics Service. Unseasonably warm temperatures and dry conditions early in the week helped many farmers wrap up their soybean harvest, while heavy weekend rains slowed down the corn harvest and other fall fieldwork.

**Topsoil moisture** condition rated 2 percent very short, 16 percent short, 76 percent adequate and 6 percent surplus. **Subsoil moisture** condition rated 2 percent very short, 17 percent short, 76 percent adequate and 5 percent surplus.

Harvest of **corn** for grain was 55 percent complete, 9 days behind last year but 1 day ahead of the 5-year average. Moisture content of corn harvested for grain was 20 percent. Corn condition was 79 percent good to excellent statewide, down 1 percentage point from last week.

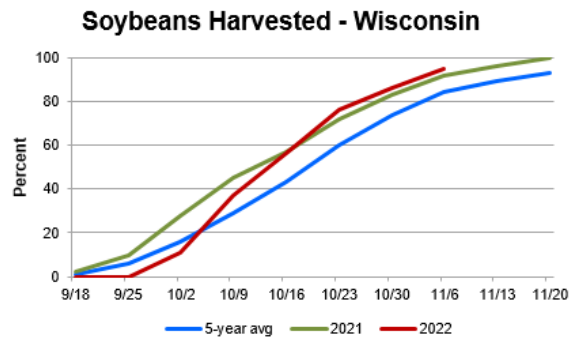
**Soybean** harvest was 95 percent complete, 4 days ahead of last year.

**Winter wheat** emerged was at 88 percent, 3 days behind last year but 13 days ahead of the average. Winter wheat condition was rated 82 percent good to excellent statewide, down 1 percentage point from last week.

**Fall tillage** was 59 percent complete, 1 day behind last year but 11 days ahead of the average.

### Crop Condition as of November 6, 2022

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn .....	1	2	18	57	22
Wheat, winter .....	0	1	17	65	17



### Crop Progress as of November 6, 2022

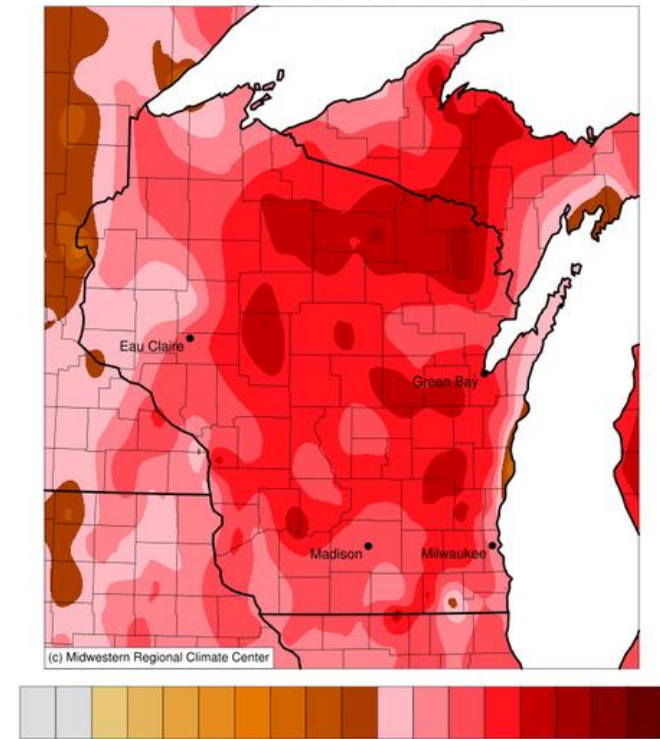
Item	Districts									State			
	NW	NC	NE	WC	C	EC	SW	SC	SE	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year avg
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn harvested for grain .....	50	31	35	56	44	44	63	64	61	55	37	74	54
Fall tillage .....	62	53	54	54	66	68	67	50	57	59	50	60	45
Soybeans harvested .....	92	94	94	95	88	95	98	96	97	95	86	92	84
Wheat, winter, emerged .....	95	81	80	87	82	91	92	86	89	88	79	91	78



**Days Suitable for Fieldwork and Soil Moisture Condition as of November 6, 2022**

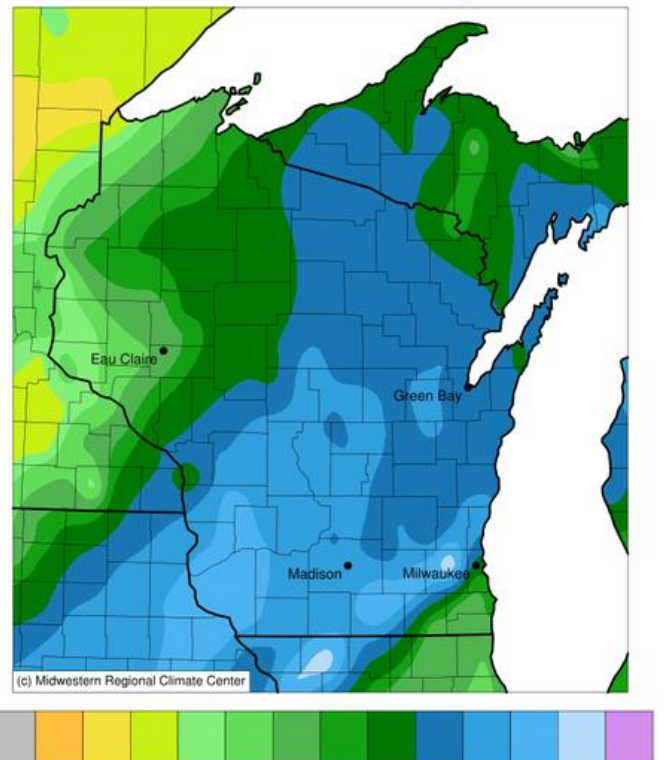
Item	Districts									State		
	NW	NC	NE	WC	C	EC	SW	SC	SE	This week	Last week	Last year
Days suitable .....	(days) 5.6	(days) 4.7	(days) 5.0	(days) 5.5	(days) 5.0	(days) 4.8	(days) 4.8	(days) 5.2	(days) 5.1	(days) 5.1	(days) 5.8	(days) 6.4
Topsoil moisture	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Very short .....	3	0	0	5	0	0	2	2	2	2	3	5
Short .....	25	2	8	33	0	3	21	22	18	16	20	19
Adequate .....	67	93	75	61	94	80	74	74	71	76	75	74
Surplus .....	5	5	17	1	6	17	3	2	9	6	2	2
Subsoil moisture												
Very short .....	5	0	0	5	0	0	3	2	2	2	3	9
Short .....	26	4	9	34	5	2	20	21	19	17	19	16
Adequate .....	65	93	77	60	89	88	74	74	77	76	76	73
Surplus .....	4	3	14	1	6	10	3	3	2	5	2	2

**Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals**  
October 31, 2022 to November 06, 2022



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**Accumulated Precipitation (in)**  
October 31, 2022 to November 06, 2022



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**Weather Information: Week Ending November 6, 2022**

District and State	Temperature		Precipitation		Growing Degree Days <sup>1</sup>	
	Average	Departure from Normal <sup>2</sup>	Total	Departure from Normal <sup>2</sup>	Since April 1	Departure from Normal <sup>2</sup>
Northwest .....	46.2	9.3	0.81	0.19	2,140	133
North Central .....	48.5	12.0	1.70	1.09	1,962	88
Northeast .....	50.0	11.9	1.84	1.14	2,107	170
West Central .....	49.3	9.8	0.97	0.36	2,584	87
Central .....	52.4	11.9	2.11	1.47	2,476	84
East Central .....	52.5	10.8	1.81	1.13	2,401	83
Southwest .....	52.6	11.1	2.50	1.82	2,694	88
South Central .....	53.6	11.0	2.18	1.43	2,694	71
Southeast .....	54.1	10.4	1.48	0.68	2,679	63
Wisconsin .....	50.2	10.9	1.63	0.97	2,344	101

<sup>1</sup> Base 50° F.

<sup>2</sup> Normal based on 1991-2020 data.