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Coffee Utilized Production Down 26 Percent from Last Season

Hawaii utilized coffee production is forecast at 16.9 million pounds (cherry basis) for the 2023-2024 season, down 26 percent from the previous season. Bearing acreage totaled 7,300 acres, down 200 acres from the previous year. Average yield, at 2,800 pounds (cherry basis) per acre, was down 350 pounds from the previous year.

Coffee Bearing Acreage, Yield, Production, Price, and Value – Hawaii and United States: 2021-2022, 2022-2023, and 2023-2024

State	Bearing acreage			Yield per acre ¹		
	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
	(acres)	(acres)	(acres)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
Hawaii	7,400	7,500	7,300	3,950	3,150	2,800
United States	7,400	7,500	7,300	3,950	3,150	2,800
State	Total production ¹			Utilized production ¹		
	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
Hawaii	29,230	23,625	20,440	28,462	23,025	16,940
United States	29,230	23,625	20,440	28,462	23,025	16,940
State	Price per pound ¹			Value of utilized production ¹		
	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Hawaii	2.26	2.35	2.51	64,324	54,109	42,519
United States	2.26	2.35	2.51	64,324	54,109	42,519

¹ Cherry basis.

Coffee Utilized Production and Price on Equivalent Basis – Hawaii: 2021-2022, 2022-2023, and 2023-2024

Basis and State	Utilized production			Price per pound		
basis and State	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(dollars)
Parchment Hawaii	6,489	5,180	3,777	12.80	13.50	13.50
Green Hawaii	5,191	4,144	3,022	20.30	15.20	22.60

Coffee Harvested Not Sold Production – Hawaii and United States: 2021-2022, 2022-2023, and 2023-2024

State	Harvested not sold ¹				
State	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024		
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)		
Hawaii	768	600	3,500		
United States	768	600	3,500		

¹ Cherry basis.

Definition of Terms

Bearing acreage: An orchard or grove is considered to be of bearing age when it can normally be expected to produce a commercially significant quantity of the crop. Bearing age is a function of many factors including variety, rootstock, year planted, etc.

Harvested not sold: Fruit of marketable quality that was picked but not sold for various reasons.

Total production: The quantity of a crop actually harvested.

Unutilized production: The difference between total and utilized production, which is marketable fruit harvested not sold or utilized.

Utilized production: The amount of a crop sold plus the quantity used at home or held in storage.

Yield per acre: Unless otherwise stated, yield per acre is based on total production.

Value: Crop value estimates in this report cover the marketing season or crop year and should not be confused with cash receipts which are based on a calendar year.

Statistical Methodology

Survey Procedures: Standardized probability grower surveys are conducted semiannually to collect acreage, yield, production, and price data. All millers are also surveyed semiannually to determine quantity handled. Data from operators is collected by mail, internet, telephone, or personal interview to ensure adequate coverage.

Estimating Procedures: Information obtained from the coffee grower and miller surveys along with federal administrative data is used to establish estimates of bearing acres, yield, total production, utilized production, price, and value. These estimates are reviewed for errors, reasonableness, and consistency with historical estimates.

Revision Policy: End-of-season estimates will be published in the *Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts – Summary* released in May. Previous year's data maybe revised in the *Noncitrus Fruits and Nuts – Summary* published the following year, if new information is available that would justify a change. Estimates will also be reviewed after data for the 5-year Census of Agriculture are available. No revisions will be made after that date.

Reliability: Survey indications are subject to sampling variability because all operations growing coffee are not included in the sample. Survey results are also subject to non-sampling errors such as omission, duplication, imputation for missing data, and mistakes in reporting, recording, and processing the data. These errors cannot be measured directly, but they are minimized through rigid quality controls in the data collection process and a careful review of all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

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