



# Midwest Regional Organic Grain and Feedstuffs Report

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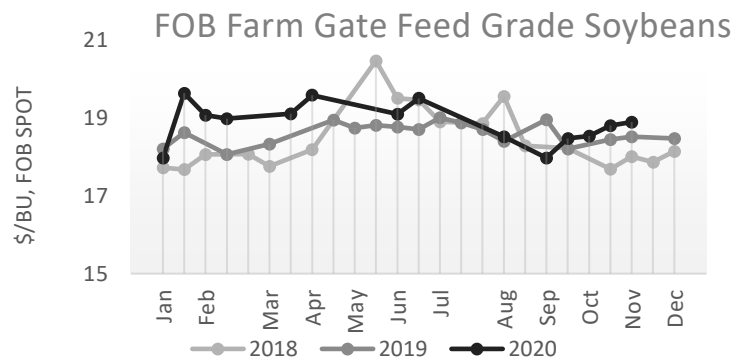
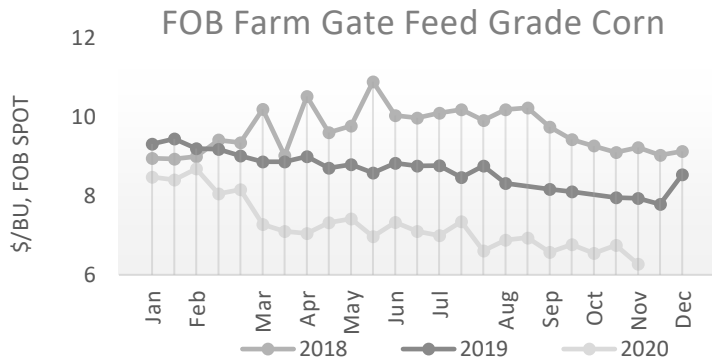
**Midwest Region States:** Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.

## Grain and Feedstuffs Market Trend

Compared to last period: Trade active on moderate demand for organic feed grade corn, trading 28 cents lower FOB. Bulk of trade activity on spot trades with few forward contracts. Trade active on good demand for organic feed grade soybeans, trading 9 cents higher FOB. Bulk of trades spot market with few forward contracts. Trade activity too limited on organic feed grade oats and barley to report, but prices steady, matching current cash bids. Trade inactive on all other organic grains. The next available report will be Wednesday, December 2, 2020.

## Grower FOB Farm Gate Organic Grain

Spot Transactions						Forward Contracts		Cash Bids
Feed Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year	Price Range	Delivery Period	Price Range
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	6.20 - 8.25	6.35	-0.28	7.94	7.00 - 7.75	Nov-20 - Nov-21	6.00 - 6.25
Soybeans	\$/bu	18.50 - 19.00	18.89	0.09	18.51	19.00 - 19.00	Nov-20 - Dec-20	18.50 - 19.00
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	7.00 - 7.00
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Barley	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Rye	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Buckwheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
<b>Food Grade</b>								
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Popcorn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A



## Dealer FOB Elevator/Warehouse Transactions

Spot Transactions						Forward Contracts	
Feed Grade	Unit	Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year	Price Range	Delivery Period
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybean Meal	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybean Oil	\$/lb	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A



## Grower FOB Farm Gate Organic Hay

Spot Transactions					
Hay Type	Quality	Package	Unit	Price Range	Avg
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A

**Cash Bids:** Prices willing buyers offered to growers during the reporting period for thresher run commodities

**Spot:** Transaction that occurs and is completed within 14 days of the reporting period for thresher run commodities

**Forward Contracts:** Transaction that occurs and is completed more than 14 days after the reporting period for thresher run commodities.

**FOB Farm Gate:** Free on board at place of origin with no freight, commissions, or handling charges included

**Delivered Elevator/Warehouse:** Freight and handling charges to the buyer's facility included.



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## Grower Delivered Elevator/Warehouse Organic Grain

Feed Grade	Unit	Spot Transactions				Forward Contracts		Cash Bids
		Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year	Price Range	Delivery Period	Price Range
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	6.00 - 6.86	6.27	-0.48	8.86	6.50 - 6.50	Nov-20 - Dec-20	6.00 - 6.70
Soybeans	\$/bu	19.00 - 21.25	20.32	0.81	19.25	19.50 - 19.50	Nov-20 - Jun-21	19.70 - 20.00
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	7.88	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	6.25 - 6.40
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	2.85 - 2.85
Barley	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	5.50 - 5.50
Rye	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	5.25 - 5.25
Buckwheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
<b>Food Grade</b>								
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	21.51	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Durum Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A

## Dealer Delivered Elevator/Warehouse Transactions

Feed Grade	Unit	Spot Transactions				Forward Contracts	
		Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year	Price Range	Delivery Period
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybean Meal	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybean Oil	\$/lb	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
<b>Food Grade</b>							
Yellow Corn	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Soybeans	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Wheat	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Oats	\$/bu	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A

## Grower Delivered Organic Hay

### Spot Transactions

Hay Type	Quality	Package	Unit	Price Range	Avg
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A	N/A	\$/ton	N/A - N/A	N/A

## Grower FOB Farm Gate Organic Dry Edible Bean Transactions

### Spot Transactions

Food Grade	Unit	Spot Transactions				Forward Contracts		Cash Bids
		Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year	Price Range	Delivery Period	Price Range
Pintos	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Blacks	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Garbanzo	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A

## Grower Delivered Elevator/Warehouse Organic Dry Edible Bean Transactions

### Spot Transactions

Food Grade	Unit	Spot Transactions				Forward Contracts		Cash Bids
		Price Range	Avg.	Change	Prior Year	Price Range	Delivery Period	Price Range
Pintos	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Blacks	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A
Garbanzo	\$/cwt	N/A - N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A	N/A - N/A



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## Current Midwest Drought Summary (November 10, 2020)

Moderate precipitation brought improvement to eastern Nebraska, central and western Iowa, and part of extreme southeast South Dakota. Elsewhere, lesser precipitation and unseasonably warm weather maintained or worsened extant dryness. D0 covered western and northern Missouri and a swath from southwestern Illinois through parts of Indiana and into southern Michigan, with moderate drought covering a stripe across southern Indiana and from central Illinois into northern Indiana. A small area of D2 was introduced in central Illinois due to increasing precipitation deficits on time scales from several weeks to several months. Moderate to heavy precipitation brought improvement to central and western Iowa, but severe dryness remains across much of the western Iowa, with D3 continuing in a patch in the northwest part of the state. Closer to the Canadian Border, existing dryness and drought across Minnesota – mostly in southwestern and northeastern parts of the state – remained unchanged.

*Source: NOAA United States Drought Monitor.*

### NASS Crop Progress Percentages-State

	<u>IL</u>	<u>IN</u>	<u>IA</u>	<u>KS</u>	<u>MI</u>	<u>MN</u>	<u>MO</u>	<u>NE</u>	<u>ND</u>	<u>OH</u>	<u>SD</u>	<u>WI</u>
Corn Harvested	99%	93%	97%	97%	85%	97%	95%	96%	97%	79%	95%	87%
Soybeans Harvested	99%	97%	99%	95%	96%	100%	88%	100%	100%	93%	100%	98%
Sorghum Harvested	N/A	N/A	N/A	91%	N/A	N/A	N/A	97%	N/A	N/A	99%	N/A
Winter Wheat Planted	99%	96%	N/A	98%	100%	N/A	85%	100%	N/A	100%	100%	N/A
Winter Wheat Emerged	92%	85%	N/A	88%	96%	N/A	68%	95%	N/A	96%	94%	N/A

*Source: NASS Crop Progress Report*

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