

prospective plantings



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HIGHLIGHTS

Corn plantings are expected to total 75.3 million acres, 3 percent less than last year, and down 3 percent from that indicated by the January 1 acreage intentions survey made in 35 States.

Sorghum acreage intentions of nearly 18.9 million acres are 6 percent above the 1974 acreage but below the 10 percent increase expected as of January 1.

Feed Grain acreage (corn, sorghum, oats and barley) combined is expected to total 122.5 million acres, down slightly from the 122.7 million acres planted last year.

Durum wheat plantings are expected to total 4.3 million acres, up 5 percent from last year but only half the increase expected January 1.

Other Spring Wheat prospective planted acreage of 13.4 million acres is down 9 percent from 1974, a decrease about twice as large as expected from the January 1 survey.

Food Grain acreage (wheat, rice and rye) is expected to increase 3 percent to 78.9 million acres. (Includes the December estimate of 55.5 million acres of winter wheat and 3.2 million acres of rye seeded.)

Cotton growers intend to plant 10.0 million acres of all cotton, down 29 percent from last year.

Peanut growers intend to seed 1.53 million acres of peanuts in 1975, slightly more than last year.

Soybean acreage is expected to total 56.6 million acres, up 6 percent from 1974, but smaller than the 8 percent increase growers in 27 States reported January 1.

Oilseed acreage (cotton, flaxseed, peanuts, and soybeans) combined is expected to total 69.9 million acres, 1 percent less than last year.

Tobacco acreage is expected to total 1.07 million acres, 11 percent above 1974. Flue-cured growers plan a 15 percent increase and burley intentions are 7 percent above a year earlier.

Sugarbeet intentions point to 1.5 million acres, 23 percent above 1974 plantings.

PROSPECTIVE PLANTINGS 1975

This report, prepared by the Crop Reporting Board of the Statistical Reporting Service, is based on the voluntary responses of 95,000 growers to a mail survey on about March 1. Each grower reported planting intentions for his own farm operation. The report is intended to assist growers in making such decisions as they see desirable pertaining to their acreage plans. The published acreage intentions are interpretations of current reported plans based on past relationships of March 1 grower reports to final planted acreage estimates. Acreages actually planted can vary from those indicated for such reasons as weather, economic conditions, availability of production inputs, farm programs and the effect of this report itself on farmers' actions.

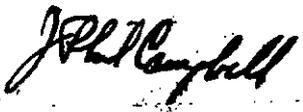
UNITED STATES CROP SUMMARY

CROP	(DOMESTIC UNITS)			(METRIC UNITS)				
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	1975 AS % OF 1974	
	1,000 ACRES			1,000 HECTARES				PERCENT
ALL CORN	71,912	77,746	75,290	29,102	31,463	30,469	96.8	
WHITE CORN 1/	538	659	734	218	267	297	111.4	
ALL SORGHUMS	19,231	17,733	18,855	7,783	7,176	7,630	106.3	
OATS	19,147	18,100	18,189	7,749	7,325	7,361	100.5	
BARLEY	11,229	9,117	10,184	4,544	3,690	4,121	111.7	
ALL WHEAT	58,978	71,169	75,218	23,868	28,801	29,630	102.9	
WINTER 2/	43,232	52,407	55,540	17,496	21,209	22,476	106.0	
DURUM	2,952	4,074	4,294	1,195	1,649	1,738	105.4	
OTHER SPRING	12,794	14,688	13,384	5,178	5,944	5,416	91.1	
RICE	2,181.3	2,588.0	2,561.0	882.8	1,047.3	1,036.4	99.0	
SOYBEANS	56,675	53,580	56,632	22,936	21,683	22,918	105.7	
FLAXSEED	1,742	1,739	1,795	705	704	726	103.2	
PEANUTS	1,530.2	1,521.6	1,528.7	619.3	615.8	618.6	100.5	
COTTON	12,479.7	13,979.1	9,951.6	5,050.4	5,657.2	4,027.3	71.2	
POTATOES 3/								
WINTER	14.0	13.9	14.6	5.7	5.6	5.9	105.0	
SPRING	99.9	100.7	84.0	40.4	40.8	34.0	83.4	
SUMMER	129.2	135.1	120.1	52.3	54.7	48.6	88.9	
FALL	1,085.0	1,161.2	1,098.4	439.1	469.9	444.5	94.6	
TOTAL	1,328.1	1,410.9	1,317.1	537.5	571.0	533.0	93.4	
SWEETPOTATOES	117.7	122.9	121.4	47.6	49.7	49.1	98.8	
TOBACCO 4/	886.6	961.8	1,070.1	359	389	433	111.3	
DRY EDIBLE BEANS	1,394.7	1,647.4	1,515.4	564.4	666.7	613.3	92.0	
DRY EDIBLE PEAS	146.6	220.0	201.0	59.3	89.0	81.3	91.4	
HAY 4/	62,099	60,546	61,018	25,131	24,502	24,693	100.8	
SUGARBEETS	1,280.1	1,254.1	1,546.9	518	508	626	123.3	

1/ 10-STATE TOTAL IS INCLUDED IN "ALL CORN"; NEBRASKA AND OHIO INCLUDED IN 10-STATE TOTAL IN 1973 WERE REPLACED BY ALABAMA AND GEORGIA IN 1974 AND 1975. 2/ INDICATED 1975 CROP ACREAGE IS DATA PUBLISHED IN THE WINTER WHEAT AND RYE REPORT, DECEMBER 1974. 3/ 1975 WINTER-PLANTED; SPRING-PLANTED AND INTENDED PLANTINGS AS OF MARCH 1; SUMMER AND FALL-INTENDED ACREAGE AS OF MARCH 1. 4/ HARVESTED ACREAGE.

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CORN: Growers intend to plant 75.3 million acres of corn for all purposes in 1975. This is 3 percent less than 1974 but 5 percent more than the 1973 plantings. In the comparable 35 States surveyed on January 1, prospective acreage is now 74.0 million acres, 3 percent less than the 76.1 million acres indicated on January 1.

Intended plantings are up from a year earlier in all regions except the North Central, where a decrease of 4.5 percent is indicated. In this region all but one State indicated a decline. Gains expected in the other regions are: South Central, 6 percent; North Atlantic, 2 percent; South Atlantic, 1 percent; and Western, 1 percent.

Corn planting has begun in Texas and is slightly ahead of last year's progress. Planting is also underway in Florida and southern Alabama.

WHITE CORN: Producers in the 10 States surveyed intend to plant 734,000 acres of white corn in 1975, an 11 percent increase over last year. Comparisons for the 8 States conducting white corn surveys in each of the past 3 years show a 7 percent increase over 1974 and a 1 percent increase from 1973. Kentucky continues to be the leading white corn producing State, followed closely by Georgia, with both States up 4 percent from last year. Estimates of white corn are included in the planted acreage of all corn.

SORGHUM: Prospective planting of sorghum for all purposes in 1975 are expected to total nearly 18.9 million acres, 6 percent above last year but 2 percent below 1973. Growers now report intentions to plant 3 percent fewer acres than their intentions reported in early January.

Texas, the leading sorghum producing State which accounts for 45 percent of the National total, is expected to be up 13 percent from last year. Seeding got underway in mid-February in the Lower Valley and South Texas. Planting is making rapid progress in southern Texas and will move northward as both moisture and temperature conditions improve.

Kansas, with about one-fifth of the U. S. total, is 7 percent below last year. Nebraska expects 2 percent less acreage, but Oklahoma is up 11 percent.

OATS: Seeding of oats for the 1975 crop is expected to total nearly 18.2 million acres based on growers intentions as of March 1 this year. This is about one-half percent above last year. Prospective plantings are up 4 percent from January 1 intentions in the 33 States surveyed at that time.

Most States in the North Central Region plan increases in acreage ranging from a 2 percent increase in Indiana to a 20 percent increase in Illinois. Acreage planned in Wisconsin is down 4 percent and South Dakota is expected to be slightly below last year. Acreage expected in Kansas is unchanged from a year ago.

Oats planted last fall in southern States are in mostly fair to good condition. Moisture supplies have been ample during the winter and temperatures have generally been mild. Spring seeding is underway in the Central Plains but not as far advanced as last year. Wet weather in Kansas has delayed seedbed preparation and only a few fields had been planted by early March.

BARLEY: Acreage planted to barley last fall plus intended plantings this spring, for the 1975 crop, is 10.2 million acres. This is 12 percent more than 1974 but 9 percent less than 1973. Current acreage intentions are 4 percent greater than indicated on January 1 for the States surveyed.

Sixteen of the thirty-six States show an increase in acreage from 1974, seven indicate the same acreage, and thirteen States expect a decline.

Three of the four leading States - North Dakota, Minnesota, and California-indicate increases of 23, 44, and 7 percent, respectively, above the 1974 planted acreage. The fourth, Montana, expects a decline of 7 percent. These four States account for over 60 percent of the U. S. barley acreage.

Dry weather delayed fall planting in many States. A mild winter in the East and good moisture in the West provided good growing conditions. Moisture conditions are favorable in North Dakota. Spring planting conditions appear good in most States, but wet fields have delayed seeding in Kansas and Oklahoma.

WHEAT: Planting of all wheat for the 1975 crop is expected to total 73.2 million acres, 3 percent above last year and 24 percent above 1973. This acreage is based on March 1 prospective plantings for all spring wheat and the December 1, 1974 estimate for winter wheat. If realized, it will be the largest acreage since 1953 when nearly 79 million acres were seeded.

Prospective acreage of durum wheat totals 4.3 million acres, 5 percent above last year and 43 percent above 1973 seedings. The indicated acreage is 4 percent below the January 1975 prospective plantings of 4.5 million acres. Each of the 5 durum wheat producing States expects to increase planted acreage from 1974 levels. North Dakota growers, who account for 85 percent of the Nation's durum wheat acreage, expect to plant 4 percent more acres. Montana growers plan to increase planted acres by 11 percent, and South Dakota growers plan a 2 percent increase over 1974.

Prospective planted acreage of spring wheat, other than durum, at 13.4 million is down 9 percent from 1974 but 5 percent above the 1973 acreage. Growers expect to decrease plantings in all major producing States except Idaho, up 6 percent and South Dakota, up 2 percent. In each of these States, 1975 crop winter wheat plantings were off 7 percent due to dry fall weather. North Dakota, with nearly 45 percent of the expected 1975 plantings, anticipates a 12 percent decrease from last year. The Washington acreage is expected to be off 17 percent, Montana to drop 15 percent, and Minnesota to decline 5 percent from last year.

RICE: Growers intend to plant 2.56 million acres of rice, 1 percent below last year, but 17 percent more than 1973. If intentions are realized, the 1974 acreage will be the third largest, exceeded only by the 1954 acreage of 2.60 million and the 1974 acreage of 2.59 million acres. Current intentions are 42 percent above the National acreage allotment of 1,803,000 acres and 2 percent above the January 1, 1975 intentions of 2.52 million acres.

Growers in California, Louisiana, and Texas expect to plant fewer acres than in 1974 while Arkansas acreage will be unchanged. Mississippi acreage intentions are up sharply. Plantings in California continue under adverse conditions due to heavy showers. Seeding along the Upper Gulf Coast of Texas is in the early stages.

SOYBEANS: Growers indicated on March 1 that they intend to plant 56.6 million acres of soybeans, an increase of 6 percent above last year's 53.6 million acres. Acreage at this level would be the second largest of record, exceeded only by 1973 at 56.7 million acres. The growers intentions as of March 1 represent a decrease of 2 percent from January for the same 27 States surveyed for the January prospective acreage report.

Acreage in the North Central States is expected to decrease 1 percent from 1974. Increased acreage in most States is more than offset by decreases in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, and Minnesota. Illinois, with the largest acreage intends to plant 3 percent less than last year. Iowa and Missouri, the next ranking States in this region, both intend to plant 1 percent more than 1974.

Growers in all South Atlantic States intend to increase their soybean planting. North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia intend to plant 7, 12, and 30 percent more acreage, respectively.

The South Central States also expect to increase their acreage sharply. All States are showing an increase led by Arkansas with intentions to plant 20 percent more than 1974.

FLAXSEED: Growers in the 5 flaxseed producing States intend to plant 1.8 million acres of flax in 1975. This prospective acreage reflects a 3 percent increase from last year with Minnesota and Texas each showing a 60,000 acre increase over 1974. However, growers in South Dakota intend to plant 80,000 less acres this year.

The March intentions are down 2 percent from the earlier January intention indication of 1.83 million acres of flaxseed. Lower flaxseed prices since the first of the year apparently caused growers to reduce their earlier plans.

PEANUTS: The 1975 March Intentions Survey indicates growers intend to plant 1.53 million acres, an increase of 7,100 acres or less than one-half of one percent from last year.

In the Virginia-North Carolina area, acreage is expected to remain the same as last year, at 271,000 acres.

The largest increase in planted acreage is expected to occur in the southeastern states, up 4,100 acres from 1974. Georgia, the largest peanut producing State, intends to increase plantings by 1,000 acres over 1974 but unchanged from 1973. Mississippi and South Carolina account for the remaining expected increase.

Southwestern growers indicate they will seed 3,000 more acres in 1975 than 1974. Oklahoma and Texas are expected to plant 2,000 and 1,000 more acres respectively, while New Mexico does not anticipate any change.

COTTON: Growers intend to plant 10.0 million acres of all cotton in 1975, 9.9 million to Upland and 67,200 to American-Pima. If realized, this acreage will be down 29 percent from the 14.0 million acres planted in 1974 and the lowest since 1967. In the 14 major States surveyed January 1, intended Upland acreage is up 370,000 acres from intentions on that date.

Texas and Oklahoma Upland growers intend to plant 4.7 million acres, 5 percent more than was intended January 1, but 20 percent less than 1974 plantings. Planting has started in southern areas of Texas.

In the Delta States--Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, and Tennessee--growers plan to seed 3.0 million acres, 3 percent more than January 1 intentions, but 36 percent less than 1974.

Growers in Arizona, California, and New Mexico expect to plant 1.4 million acres, up 5 percent from January 1, but down 24 percent from 1974.

In the Southeast--Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina, and South Carolina--expected plantings total 785,000 acres, unchanged from January 1, but 48 percent below 1974 plantings.

American-Pima producers intend to plant 67,200 acres, 18 percent below 1974.

POTATOES: Growers intended 1975 plantings for the fall potato crop are estimated at 1.10 million acres, 5 percent below the 1.16 million acres planted in 1974 but 1 percent more than 1973 plantings. Prospective 1975 fall crop acreage and percent change from last year in the five major potato growing States are: Idaho, 321,000 acres, down 6 percent; Maine, 128,000 acres, down 10 percent; Minnesota, 81,600 acres, down 9 percent; North Dakota, 132,000 acres, down 5 percent; and Washington, 95,000 acres, down 5 percent.

Intended plantings in the Eastern States totaled 221,800 acres, a decline of 9 percent from the 243,100 acres planted in 1974. All States in this region show smaller intended plantings compared with a year earlier.

In the Central States, the intended crop is placed at 321,000 acres, down 7 percent from the 343,600 acres planted last year. The two major States (North Dakota and Minnesota) account for about two-third of the total reduction in the region. All other States except Indiana indicate less acreage to be planted for 1975.

For the West intended plantings are placed at 553,600 acres, a decrease of 3 percent from last year's 574,500 planted acres. Montana and Oregon are showing larger intended plantings than a year ago, while Nevada is unchanged. Other States in the West intend to plant fewer potatoes than last year.

Summer crop intended plantings are placed at 120,100 acres, 11 percent less than the 135,100 acres planted in 1974 and 7 percent less than the 129,200 acres planted in 1973. Intended acreage in Virginia is estimated at 27,000 acres, a 14-percent decline from last year. Texas intentions also declined 14 percent to 9,000 acres.

Intended acreage is the same as 1974 in Alabama, Nebraska, and New Mexico. All other States except North Carolina expect a decrease in intended plantings from 1974.

Planted acreage in the Spring States is estimated at 84,000 down 17 percent from the 100,700 acres planted in 1974. The winter crop plantings at 14,600 acres, are up 5 percent from the 13,900 acres planted in 1974.

Prospective plantings for all 1975 seasonal groups combined at 1.32 million acres, are 7 percent less than the comparable 1974 planted acreage of 1.41 million acres and 1 percent less than the 1.33 million acres planted in 1973.

SWEETPOTATOES: The Nation's sweetpotato producers are expected to plant 121,400 acres in 1975, down 1 percent from 1974 plantings of 122,900 but up 3 percent from 1973. Farmers in Louisiana intend to plant 32,000 acres, a decline of 11 percent from last year's acreage of 36,000. In North Carolina, 30,000 acres are intended to be planted, up 7 percent or 2,000 acres from a year earlier. Texas acreage, at 12,000, is expected to be up 9 percent, and acreage increases are also expected in California and Mississippi. New Jersey, Tennessee and Virginia expect less acreage while all other States remain unchanged from 1974 plantings.

TOBACCO: Growers plan to set 1.07 million acres of all types of tobacco for harvest, up 11 percent from the acreage harvested in 1974. The increase in acreage can be attributed to 15 percent jump in flue-cured, 7 percent more burley, 9 percent advance in dark air-cured, 8 percent upturn in fire-cured, and 7 percent gain in cigar-binder. Acreage declines of 17 percent for cigar wrapper, 4 percent for Southern Maryland, and 3 percent for cigar filler are expected.

Flue-cured producers expect acreage to total 707,170 acres, up 15 percent from 1974. All flue-cured producing States anticipate a larger acreage with increases ranging from 3 percent to 20 percent.

Fire-cured growers intend to set 23,000 acres, an increase of 8 percent from a year earlier. Acreage is indicated above the previous year in all States except Virginia where plantings are expected to be down 2 percent.

Burley tobacco growers on March 1 indicated acreage would total 276,600 acres, 7 percent above 1974. All States in the burley belt intend to set larger acreage. Plantings in Kentucky, the largest producing State, are expected to be up 7 percent.

Southern Maryland producers expect acreage to total 23,000 acres, 4 percent less than the 1974 plantings.

Dark air-cured plantings are indicated at 8,360 acres, up 9 percent. All types except type 37 are expected to utilize larger acreage.

Cigar filler growers anticipate acreage will total 14,500 acres, down 3 percent from a year earlier. All of the decline would occur in type 41.

Cigar binder producers expect to set 11,600 acres in 1975, a gain of 7 percent from the previous year. All of this increase would be reflected in types 54 and 55 plantings.

Prospective cigar wrapper acreage is expected to decline to 5,620 acres, 17 percent below 1974. Acreage for both types 61 and 62 would be at a lower level with type 62 registering a 43 percent decline.

DRY BEANS: The Nation's dry bean producers expect to plant 1.5 million acres in 1975. Acreage at this level, if realized, would be down 8 percent from last year's acreage of 1.6 million but 9 percent more than 1973. Michigan, the largest bean producing State and the Nation's leader in navy pea bean production, is expecting 560,000 acres to be planted in 1975, a decline of 8 percent from 1974. Growers in Colorado, the major pinto bean State, intend to increase acreage 8 percent. California growers anticipate a 30 percent reduction in total dry bean acreage this year. An acreage decline is also expected in Minnesota, North Dakota, and Washington. All other States anticipate increases from the previous year, except Montana, which expects the same acreage as last year.

DRY EDIBLE PEAS: Farmers intend to plant 201,000 acres of dry edible peas (excluding seed peas) in 1975, down 9 percent from the 220,000 acres planted last year.

Washington, the leading State, is expecting 10 percent fewer acres to be planted in 1975.

HAY: The Nation's farmers expect to cut slightly over 61.0 million acres of hayland in 1975, 1 percent more acres than in 1974, but 2 percent fewer acres than harvested in 1973. High hay prices are one factor encouraging growers to plan for a larger crop.

Along the Atlantic Coast and in the Central and Northern regions of the country, only growers in Delaware, Maryland, Georgia, North Dakota, and Kansas plan to harvest less hay this year than last. The South Central and Western regions expect to harvest less acres except for Kentucky, Alabama, Oklahoma, Wyoming, New Mexico, and Nevada which currently expect to cut more acres for hay than in 1974.

SUGARBEETS: Growers indicated on March 1 they intend to plant 1.55 million acres of sugarbeets in 1975, an increase of 23 percent from a year earlier and the largest acreage planted since 1969.

Prospective acreage is up in all producing States except North Dakota which increased acreage sharply in 1974. Producers in California, the largest producing State, expect plantings to be up 37 percent. Prospects in Colorado are up 16 percent, Minnesota 18 percent, and Idaho 83 percent.

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PLANTED AND HARVESTED ACREAGE OF CERTAIN CROPS,
UNITED STATES, 1966-75

YEAR	CORN		SORGHUM		OATS		BARLEY	
	PLANTED	HARVESTED :FOR GRAIN						
1,000 ACRES								
1966	66,347	57,002	16,372	12,813	23,343	17,877	11,184	10,250
1967	71,156	60,694	18,945	14,988	20,719	16,110	10,077	9,230
1968	65,126	55,980	17,793	13,890	23,342	17,708	10,486	9,732
1969	64,264	54,574	17,231	13,437	23,561	17,971	10,291	9,557
1970	66,849	57,358	16,957	13,568	24,469	18,638	10,490	9,725
1971	74,055	64,047	20,756	16,301	21,956	15,772	11,115	10,151
1972	66,972	57,421	17,295	13,368	20,178	13,525	10,639	9,707
1973	71,912	61,894	19,231	15,853	19,147	14,065	11,229	10,452
1974	77,746	65,194	17,733	13,917	18,100	13,325	9,117	8,281
1975 1/	75,290		18,853		18,189		10,184	

YEAR	SPRING WHEAT				RICE		FLAXSEED	
	DURUM		OTHER		PLANTED	HARVESTED	PLANTED	HARVESTED
PLANTED	HARVESTED :FOR GRAIN	PLANTED	HARVESTED :FOR GRAIN	PLANTED				
1,000 ACRES								
1966	2,491	2,423	8,868	8,574	1,980.3	1,967.2	2,679	2,576
1967	2,826	2,754	10,789	10,560	1,982.2	1,970.1	2,061	1,975
1968	3,715	3,621	9,478	9,215	2,366.6	2,353.4	2,177	2,092
1969	3,466	3,420	7,646	7,423	2,140.6	2,128.4	2,661	2,605
1970	2,167	2,105	8,949	8,757	1,825.8	1,814.7	2,963	2,848
1971	2,943	2,864	12,807	12,451	1,826.0	1,817.9	1,627	1,545
1972	2,592	2,550	10,138	9,894	1,824.0	1,817.9	1,191	1,151
1973	2,952	2,884	12,794	12,511	2,181.3	2,170.2	1,742	1,692
1974	4,074	3,999	14,688	14,343	2,588.0	2,569.0	1,739	1,645
1975 1/	4,294		13,384		2,561.0		1,795	

YEAR	COTTON		TOBACCO	SUGARBEETS		POTATOES	
	PLANTED	HARVESTED	HARVESTED	PLANTED	HARVESTED	PLANTED	HARVESTED
1,000 ACRES							
1966	10,349.4	9,552.6	971.9	1,240.1	1,161.1	1,497.6	1,462.6
1967	9,449.6	7,997.3	959.8	1,197.2	1,122.1	1,499.1	1,459.9
1968	10,912.9	10,159.3	879.3	1,476.1	1,410.1	1,414.5	1,383.3
1969	11,882.5	11,051.1	918.3	1,647.1	1,540.5	1,457.6	1,415.5
1970	11,945.2	11,155.0	898.3	1,482.9	1,418.6	1,449.9	1,421.3
1971	12,354.9	11,470.9	837.6	1,406.3	1,341.9	1,432.4	1,391.3
1972	14,001.3	12,983.8	842.4	1,419.7	1,328.7	1,300.3	1,253.8
1973	12,479.7	11,970.2	886.6	1,280.1	1,217.5	1,328.1	1,304.6
1974	13,979.1	12,669.6	961.8	1,254.1	1,216.5	1,410.9	1,380.7
1975 1/	9,951.6		1,070.0	1,546.9		1,317.1	

PLANTED AND HARVESTED ACREAGE OF CERTAIN CROPS,
UNITED STATES, 1966-75 CONTINUED

YEAR	SWEETPOTATOES		DRY EDIBLE BEANS		DRY EDIBLE PEAS 2/		SOYBEANS	
	PLANTED	HARVESTED	PLANTED	HARVESTED	PLANTED	HARVESTED	PLANTED	HARVESTED FOR BEANS
1,000 ACRES								
1966	158.6	154.4	1,521	1,486	184	175	37,294	36,546
1967	144.1	139.5	1,283	1,205	185	176	40,819	39,805
1968	142.5	135.2	1,473	1,424	191	181	42,265	41,391
1969	142.2	136.9	1,519	1,469	242	232	42,534	41,337
1970	133.0	127.8	1,503	1,409	279.9	256.9	43,082	42,249
1971	119.6	113.6	1,358	1,316	213.7	202.7	43,472	42,701
1972	116.8	114.4	1,487	1,402	148.0	135.1	46,885	45,698
1973	117.7	113.2	1,394.7	1,367.7	146.6	136.4	56,675	55,796
1974	122.9	119.0	1,647.4	1,569.7	220.0	213.0	53,580	52,460
1975 1/	121.4		1,515.4		201.0		56,632	

YEAR	PEANUTS		16 CROPS 3/		ALL HAY
	PLANTED	HARVESTED FOR NUTS	PLANTED	HARVESTED	HARVESTED
1,000 ACRES					
1966	1,490.1	1,420.7	187,971	178,431	64,356
1967	1,473.8	1,403.5	195,566	185,252	63,303
1968	1,495.9	1,438.4	194,734	185,030	60,922
1969	1,512.1	1,455.7	193,115	182,558	59,716
1970	1,515.3	1,467.0	196,959	186,844	61,492
1971	1,528.9	1,454.5	209,808	198,979	61,405
1972	1,532.8	1,486.4	198,562	186,855	59,821
1973	1,530.2	1,495.7	217,027	208,309	62,099
1974	1,521.6	1,477.1	220,083	208,789	60,546
1975 1/	1,528.7		218,436		61,018

YEAR	WINTER WHEAT	
	PLANTED IN PRECEDING FALL	HARVESTED
1,000 ACRES		
1966	42,746	38,616
1967	53,649	45,039
1968	48,667	41,929
1969	42,338	36,303
1970	37,623	32,702
1971	38,060	32,359
1972	42,166	34,840
1973	43,232	38,474
1974	52,407	47,117
1975 1/	55,540	

1/ AS INDICATED BY MARCH 1 REPORTS FROM FARMERS ON ACREAGE INTENDED, EXCEPT FOR WINTER WHEAT AS PUBLISHED IN DECEMBER.

2/ BEGINNING WITH 1964, EXCLUDES BOTH WRINKLED SEED PEAS AND AUSTRIAN WINTER PEAS.

3/ THE PLANTED ACREAGE IS THE SUM OF THE PLANTED ACREAGES LISTED PLUS TOBACCO ACREAGE HARVESTED. THE HARVESTED ACREAGE OF THE 16 CROPS IS THE SUM OF THE HARVESTED ITEMS LISTED, PLUS CORN AND SORGHUM SILAGE AND FORAGE ACREAGE.

ALL CORN

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
		1,000 ACRES		PERCENT
ALA	694	715	700	98
ARIZ	23	21	22	105
ARK	34	36	36	100
CALIF	412	416	416	100
COLO	763	760	775	102
CONN	50	50	50	100
DEL	200	204	196	96
FLA	400	452	461	102
GA	1,840	2,000	2,100	105
IDAHO	110	100	100	100
ILL	9,830	10,520	10,500	100
IND	5,400	5,760	5,650	98
IOWA	11,970	12,920	12,400	98
KANS	1,900	2,260	1,850	82
KY	1,160	1,290	1,350	105
LA	85	95	100	105
MAINE	37	40	44	110
MD	600	630	635	101
MASS	35	35	36	103
MICH	2,100	2,310	2,240	97
MINN	6,200	6,940	6,400	92
MISS	200	205	210	102
MO	2,800	3,110	2,900	93
MONT	92	99	75	76
NEBR	6,480	6,800	6,300	93
NEV	3	3	3	100
N H	19	19	20	105
N J	120	127	131	103
N MEX	60	70	88	126
N Y	1,000	1,100	1,130	103
N C	1,550	1,720	1,670	97
N DAK	544	533	570	107
OHIO	3,300	3,950	3,700	94
OKLA	128	124	115	93
OREG	43	42	40	95
PA	1,490	1,530	1,550	101
R I	4	4	4	100
S C	500	600	620	103
S DAK	3,870	3,800	3,400	89
TENN	720	760	745	98
TEX	750	900	1,100	122
UTAH	90	95	95	100
VT	88	88	92	105
VA	734	750	745	99
WASH	112	95	100	105
W VA	100	107	109	102
WISC	3,200	3,490	3,450	99
WYO	72	71	67	94
U S	71,912	77,746	75,290	96.8

WHITE CORN 1/

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ALA		46	80	174
GA		125	130	104
ILL	50	50	60	120
IND	43	40	46	115
IOWA	23	15	20	133
KANS	60	47	40	85
KY	125	130	135	104
MO	65	70	85	121
NEBR	17			
OHIO	4			
TENN	101	91	93	102
TEX	50	45	45	100
8 COMPARABLE STATES	517	488	524	
10 STATES	538	659	734	111.4

1/ INCLUDED IN ALL CORN ON PAGE 8-3. ESTIMATES DISCONTINUED FOR NEBRASKA AND OHIO AFTER 1973. ESTIMATES BEGAN 1974 FOR ALABAMA AND GEORGIA.

ALL SORGHUM

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ALA	65	70	75	107
ARIZ	150	160	190	119
ARK	189	175	250	143
CALIF	312	234	265	113
COLO	480	460	510	106
GA	60	65	65	100
ILL	77	120	110	92
IND	40	31	24	77
IOWA	36	34	40	118
KANS	4,650	4,100	3,800	93
KY	30	42	36	86
LA	40	42	44	110
MISS	85	85	90	106
MO	500	520	600	115
NEBR	2,220	2,220	2,170	98
N MEX	403	343	418	122
N C	110	100	100	100
OKLA	1,160	930	1,030	111
S C	31	32	28	88
S DAK	400	370	425	115
TENN	62	52	55	106
TEX	8,100	7,500	8,500	113
VA	31	28	28	100
U S	19,231	17,733	18,865	106.3

OATS 1/

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ALA	84	100	90	90
ARK	110	110	100	91
CALIF	366	344	350	102
COLO	130	136	115	85
FLA	32	33	32	97
GA	198	230	240	104
IDAHO	81	81	85	105
ILL	550	540	650	120
IND	359	275	280	102
IOWA	1,850	1,900	2,200	116
KANS	140	300	300	100
KY	50	42	35	83
LA	24	24	20	83
MAINE	44	45	51	113
MD	31	31	28	90
MICH	350	370	385	104
MINN	2,690	2,150	2,210	103
MISS	70	80	80	100
MO	90	280	190	76
MONT	510	620	450	107
NEBR	545	690	800	116
NEV	8	8	9	113
N J	9	10	11	110
N Y	370	390	380	97
N C	160	170	165	97
N DAK	2,120	1,670	1,920	115
OHIO	600	530	480	91
OKLA	350	320	285	89
OREG	140	125	130	104
PA	405	420	405	96
S C	150	160	150	94
S DAK	2,480	2,430	2,400	99
TENN	120	123	125	102
TEX	2,100	1,800	1,300	72
UTAH	23	21	22	105
VA	90	85	85	100
WASH	112	125	125	100
W VA	30	22	28	127
WISC	1,500	1,470	1,410	96
WYO	76	70	68	97
U S	19,147	18,100	18,189	100.5

1/ INCLUDES ACREAGE PLANTED IN PRECEDING FALL.

BARLEY 1/

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ARIZ	145	120	122	102
CALIF	1,070	1,020	1,090	107
COLO	269	262	262	100
DEL	29	30	30	100
GA	15	12	13	108
IDAHO	835	720	750	104
ILL	18	18	16	89
IND	13	13	12	92
KANS	90	69	45	75
KY	67	60	50	83
MD	110	110	112	102
MICH	24	21	24	114
MINN	903	804	1,160	144
MO	17	16	12	75
MONT	2,100	1,480	1,300	93
NEBR	34	33	45	136
NEV	18	16	15	94
N J	39	40	40	100
N MEX	35	28	36	129
N Y	13	13	13	100
N C	74	70	65	93
N DAK	2,860	2,200	2,710	123
OHIO	15	15	14	93
OKLA	270	150	100	67
OREG	270	225	210	93
PA	172	170	170	100
S C	29	30	25	83
S DAK	671	560	730	130
TENN	29	28	26	93
TEX	150	90	100	111
UTAH	147	144	144	100
VA	117	125	126	101
WASH	380	335	430	128
W VA	11	11	11	100
WISC	22	20	27	135
WYO	148	148	149	101
U S	11,229	9,117	10,184	111.7

1/ INCLUDES ACREAGE PLANTED IN PRECEDING FALL.

SPRING WHEAT OTHER THAN DURUM

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
COLO	24	36	30	83
IDAHO	300	490	520	166
MINN	1,960	2,730	2,600	95
MONT	1,850	2,000	1,700	85
NEV	7	9	10	111
N DAK	6,270	6,680	5,790	88
OREG	80	158	100	63
S DAK	1,610	2,100	2,140	102
UTAH	50	60	50	83
WASH	615	480	400	83
WISC	12	22	22	100
WYO	16	23	22	96
U S	12,794	14,688	13,384	91.1

DURUM WHEAT

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
CALIF	2	3	4	133
MINN	60	86	130	151
MONT	185	270	300	111
N DAK	2,590	3,500	3,640	104
S DAK	115	215	220	102
U S	2,952	4,074	4,294	105.4

RICE

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ARK	534.0	750.0	750.0	100
CALIF	403.0	470.0	455.0	97
LA	624.0	674.0	645.0	96
MISS	62.0	114.0	170.0	149
MO	5.3	15.0	16.0	107
TEX	553.0	565.0	525.0	93
U S	2,181.3	2,588.0	2,561.0	99.0

SOYBEANS

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ALA	1,000	1,050	1,300	124
ARK	4,700	4,400	5,300	120
DEL	188	190	194	102
FLA	262	285	302	106
GA	970	1,030	1,340	130
ILL	9,000	8,600	8,300	97
IND	4,310	3,960	3,850	97
IOWA	7,800	7,200	7,300	101
KANS	1,240	1,070	1,120	103
KY	1,180	1,200	1,260	105
LA	1,620	1,800	2,200	122
MD	278	278	295	106
MICH	700	640	615	96
MINN	4,420	4,080	3,840	94
MISS	2,830	2,630	3,300	125
MO	4,800	4,450	4,900	101
NEBR	1,230	1,210	1,300	107
N J	70	74	75	101
N Y	11	11	11	100
N C	1,500	1,475	1,580	107
N DAK	220	182	195	107
OHIO	3,620	3,230	3,250	101
OKLA	210	230	255	111
PA	58	47	55	117
S C	1,300	1,290	1,450	112
S DAK	400	396	440	111
TENN	1,640	1,620	1,900	117
TEX	450	275	400	145
VA	430	447	460	103
WISC	246	230	245	107
U S	56,675	53,580	56,632	105.7

DRY EDIBLE PEAS 1/

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
IDAHO	50.0	90.0	85.0	94
MINN 2/	8.0	2.0		
OREG	3.6	6.0	6.0	100
WASH	85.0	122.0	110.0	90
U S	146.6	220.0	201.0	91.4

1/ EXCLUDES BOTH WRINKLED SEED PEAS AND AUSTRIAN WINTER PEAS.
2/ DISCONTINUED AFTER 1974.

DRY EDIBLE BEANS 1/

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
CALIF	161	227	160	70
COLO	193	185	200	108
IDAHO	100	130	133	102
KANS	9	10	11	110
MICH	570	610	560	92
MINN	38	98	68	69
MONT	9	11	11	100
NEBR	108	118	120	102
N Y	40	44	48	109
N DAK	102	134	125	93
UTAH	15	14	16	114
WASH	19	28	23	82
WYO	23	27	28	104
OTHER STATES 2/	7.7	11.4	12.4	109
U S	1,394.7	1,647.4	1,515.4	92.0

1/ EXCLUDES BEANS GROWN FOR GARDEN SEED.
2/ INDIANA AND ILLINOIS.

PEANUTS

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ALA	204.0	204.0	204.0	100
FLA	68.0	66.0	64.0	100
GA	520.0	519.0	520.0	100
MISS	9.5	6.0	9.0	150
N MEX	7.8	7.7	7.7	100
N C	168.0	168.0	168.0	100
OKLA	123.0	123.0	125.0	102
S C	15.9	15.9	16.0	101
TEXAS	311.0	309.0	310.0	100
VA	103.0	103.0	103.0	100
U.S.	1,530.2	1,521.6	1,528.7	100.5

ALL HAY

STATE	ACREAGE HARVESTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ALA	543	900	600	103
ARIZ	260	255	255	100
ARK	659	700	700	100
CALIF	1,725	1,670	1,610	96
COLO	1,538	1,450	1,450	100
CONN	91	95	95	100
DEL	25	24	23	96
FLA	180	197	201	102
GA	466	485	450	99
IDAMO	1,400	1,339	1,300	97
ILL	1,180	1,180	1,250	106
IND	886	895	930	104
IOWA	2,480	2,200	2,300	102
KANS	2,450	2,320	2,300	95
KY	1,530	1,487	1,810	101
LA	368	355	345	97
MAINE	218	210	220	101
MO	256	281	235	94
MASS	112	112	114	102
MICH	1,360	1,240	1,240	100
MINN	3,150	3,060	3,060	100
MISS	650	643	625	97
MO	3,250	3,200	3,330	104
MONT	2,480	2,390	2,360	99
NEBR	4,050	3,990	4,100	103
NEV	443	445	449	101
N H	80	80	89	101
N J	124	119	119	100
N MEX	274	265	276	104
N Y	2,290	2,275	2,350	103
N C	325	325	325	100
N DAK	3,660	3,700	3,660	99
OHIO	1,540	1,435	1,500	105
OKLA	1,710	1,580	1,650	104
OREG	1,020	1,070	1,070	100
PA	1,942	1,947	1,950	100
R I	9	9	10	111
S C	225	220	225	102
S DAK	4,650	4,620	4,620	100
TENN	1,224	1,190	1,170	98
TEX	2,400	2,300	2,300	100
UTAH	584	578	566	98
VT	485	465	495	102
VA	975	978	944	102
WASH	903	890	881	99
W VA	620	600	600	100
WISC	3,950	3,950	4,000	101
WYO	1,170	1,110	1,120	101
U S	62,099	60,546	61,018	100.8

COTTON

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
UPLAND				
ALA	525	605	370	61
ARIZ	276	392	290	74
ARK	1,045	1,280	800	63
CALIF	950	1,250	950	76
GA	386	423	200	47
LA	530	640	400	63
MISS	1,370	1,825	1,200	66
MO	241	430	260	60
N MEX	131	148	115	78
N C	186	158	75	47
OKLA	547	570	420	74
S C	330	320	140	44
TENN	460	535	350	65
TEX	5,400	5,800	4,300	81
UPLAND-14 STATES	12,377	13,876	9,870	71
UPLAND-OTHER STATES	18.1	21.3	14.4	68
U. S. UPLAND	12,395.1	13,897.3	9,884.4	71
AMER-PIMA				
ARIZ	34.0	36.0	30.0	83
CALIF	.2	.3	.2	67
N MEX	18.7	14.5	12.0	83
TEX	31.7	31.0	25.0	81
U. S. AMER-PIMA	84.6	81.8	67.2	82
U. S. ALL COTTON	12,479.7	13,979.1	9,951.6	71

FLAXSEED 1/

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
MINN	235	280	340	121
MONT	15	23	25	109
N DAK	963	876	890	102
S DAK	520	520	440	85
TEX	9	40	100	250
U S	1,742	1,739	1,795	103.2

1/ INCLUDES ACREAGE PLANTED IN PRECEDING FALL.

SUGARBEETS

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ARIZ 1/	14.4	11.1	18.0	162
CALIF 1/	280.1	237.0	325.0	137
COLO	122.8	120.8	149.0	116
IDAHO	154.9	93.5	171.0	183
KANS	34.8	35.6	40.0	112
MICH	89.1	82.4	89.0	108
MINN	132.1	190.0	224.0	118
MONT	45.9	44.7	45.0	101
NEBR	79.4	82.9	95.0	115
N MEX	.8	.6	.9	150
N DAK	80.1	142.0	142.0	100
OHIO	31.1	33.5	38.0	113
OREG	19.3	11.8	16.0	138
TEXAS	23.3	22.6	38.0	168
UTAH	19.3	17.7	25.0	141
WASH	96.9	65.1	75.0	115
WYO	55.8	54.8	56.0	102
U.S.	1,280.1	1,254.1	1,546.9	123.3

1/ RELATES TO YEAR OF HARVEST. INCLUDES SOME ACREAGE CARRIED OVER TO THE FOLLOWING SPRING.

ALL TOBACCO

STATE	ACREAGE HARVESTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	ACRES			PERCENT
ALA	530	630	670	106
CONN	5,850	4,850	4,650	94
FLA	13,700	13,280	13,400	102
GA	60,530	72,290	74,090	102
IND	5,600	7,000	7,500	107
KY	161,750	186,150	199,600	107
LA	200	160	200	125
MD	25,000	24,000	23,000	95
MASS	1,510	1,460	1,300	89
MO	1,900	2,300	2,400	104
N C	383,500	399,700	472,000	118
OHIO	9,600	11,000	11,200	102
PA	13,000	13,000	12,500	96
S C	67,000	80,000	90,000	113
TENN	51,420	57,150	61,200	107
VA	74,400	77,680	84,260	108
W VA	1,700	1,750	1,800	103
WIS	10,200	9,400	10,200	108
U.S.	886,590	961,800	1,070,050	111.3

TOBACCO BY CLASS AND TYPE

CLASS AND TYPE	TYPE NO.	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
ACRES					
CLASS 1, FLUE-CURED					
N C	11	149,000	153,000	178,000	116
VA	11	60,000	62,000	68,000	110
TOTAL OLD AND MIDDLE BELTS	11	209,000	215,000	246,000	114
EASTERN N C BELT	12	180,000	188,000	224,000	119
N C	13	47,000	50,000	60,000	120
S C	13	67,000	80,000	90,000	113
TOTAL N C BORDER AND S C BELT	13	114,000	130,000	150,000	115
ALA	14	530	630	670	106
FLA	14	11,600	11,700	12,500	107
GA	14	60,000	72,000	74,000	103
TOTAL FLA - GA BELT	14	72,130	84,330	87,170	103
TOTAL ALL FLUE-CURED TYPES	11-14	575,130	617,330	707,170	115
CLASS 2, FIRE-CURED					
VA BELT	21	4,700	5,000	4,900	98
KY	22	4,900	4,700	5,200	111
TENN	22	8,800	8,500	9,400	111
TOTAL EASTERN DISTRICT	22	13,700	13,200	14,600	111
KY	23	2,500	2,650	3,000	113
TENN	23	420	450	500	111
TOTAL WESTERN DISTRICT	23	2,920	3,100	3,500	113
TOTAL ALL FIRE-CURED TYPES	21-23	21,320	21,300	23,000	108
CLASS 3, AIR-CURED					
3A LIGHT AIR-CURED					
IND	31	5,600	7,000	7,500	107
KY	31	148,000	173,000	185,000	107
MO	31	1,900	2,300	2,400	104
N C	31	7,500	8,700	10,000	115
OHIO	31	7,400	9,000	9,200	102
TENN	31	41,000	47,000	50,000	106
VA	31	9,000	10,000	10,700	107
W VA	31	1,700	1,750	1,800	103
TOTAL BURLEY BELT	31	222,100	258,750	276,600	107
SOUTHERN MD BELT	32	25,000	24,000	23,000	96
TOTAL ALL LIGHT AIR-CURED TYPES	31-32	247,100	282,750	299,600	106
3B DARK AIR-CURED					
KY	35	4,100	3,650	4,100	112
TENN	35	1,200	1,200	1,300	108
TOTAL ONE SUCKER BELT	35	5,300	4,850	5,400	111
GREEN RIVER BELT (KY)	36	2,250	2,150	2,300	107
VA SUN-CURED BELT	37	700	680	660	97
TOTAL ALL DARK AIR-CURED TYPES	35-37	8,250	7,680	8,360	109

TOBACCO BY CLASS AND TYPE, CONTINUED

CLASS AND TYPE	TYPE NO.	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974 PERCENT
			ACRES		
CLASS 4, CIGAR FILLER					
PA SEEDLEAF	41	13,000	13,000	12,500	96
OHIO MIAMI VALLEY TYPES	42-44	2,200	2,000	2,000	100
TOTAL CIGAR FILLER TYPES	41-44	15,200	15,000	14,500	97
CLASS 5, CIGAR BINDER					
CONN-CONN VALLEY BROADLEAF	51	1,350	1,250	1,250	100
MASS-CONN VALLEY HAVANA SEED	52	210	160	190	94
TOTAL CONN VALLEY BINDER	51-52	1,560	1,410	1,400	99
S WIS	54	4,900	4,700	5,200	111
N WIS	55	5,300	4,700	5,000	106
TOTAL WIS BINDER	54-55	10,200	9,400	10,200	109
TOTAL CIGAR BINDER TYPES	51-55	11,760	10,810	11,600	107
CLASS 6, CIGAR WRAPPER					
CONN	61	3,700	3,600	3,400	94
MASS	61	1,300	1,300	1,150	88
TOTAL CONN VALLEY SHADE-GROWN	61	5,000	4,900	4,550	93
FLA	62	2,100	1,500	900	62
GA	62	530	290	90	31
TOTAL GA-FLA SHADE-GROWN 1/	62	2,630	1,870	1,070	57
TOTAL CIGAR WRAPPER TYPES	61-62	7,630	6,770	5,620	83
TOTAL ALL CIGAR TYPES	41-62	34,590	32,580	31,720	97
CLASS 7, MISCELLANEOUS					
LA PERIQUE	72	200	160	200	125
U S	ALL	886,590	961,800	1,070,050	111.3

1/ INCLUDES FIRE-CURED WRAPPER.

POTATOES

SEASONAL GROUP AND STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	1975 AS % OF 1974
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
WINTER: 1/				
CALIF	4.9	4.4	4.9	111
FLA	9.1	9.8	9.7	102
TOTAL	14.0	13.9	14.6	105
SPRING: 2/				
ALA	11.0	12.5	10.6	85
ARIZ	9.9	8.6	6.5	76
CALIF	34.7	35.8	30.2	85
FLA-HASTINGS	19.0	19.0	16.2	85
-OTHER	2.1	2.8	1.9	68
LA	2.7	3.0	3.1	103
MISS	2.0	2.0	2.2	110
N C	11.4	9.5	7.7	81
TEX	7.1	7.8	5.6	72
TOTAL	99.9	100.7	84.0	83
SUMMER: 3/ 4/				
ALA	8.0	10.5	10.5	100
CALIF	9.5	9.9	8.0	81
COLO	6.7	6.7	5.5	82
DEL	7.0	7.0	6.5	93
ILL	1.9	2.1	1.9	90
IND	1.3	1.1	.9	82
IOWA	3.0	3.4	3.2	94
MD	2.0	2.0	1.8	90
MICH	8.4	8.7	8.4	97
MINN	7.5	8.6	8.4	98
NEBR	2.7	2.8	2.8	100
N J	9.6	9.0	6.8	76
N MEX	3.2	4.5	4.5	100
N C	3.3	3.5	3.6	103
OHIO	3.1	3.1	2.7	87
TENN	4.2	6.0	5.0	83
TEX	12.3	10.5	9.0	86
VA	31.9	31.5	27.0	86
W VA	3.6	4.2	3.6	86
TOTAL	129.2	135.1	120.1	89

SEE FOOTNOTES AT END OF TABLE.

POTATOES CONTINUED

SEASONAL GROUP AND STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS % OF 1974 PERCENT
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			
FALL 3/				
CALIF	20.5	20.4	20.0	98
COLO	31.0	34.5	33.5	97
CONN	2.7	2.6	2.2	85
IDAHO-10 S. W.				
COUNTIES	36.0	39.0	35.0	90
-OTHER COUNTIES	289.0	301.0	286.0	95
IND	5.7	5.8	6.3	109
MAINE	138.0	142.0	128.0	90
MASS	4.1	4.0	3.7	93
MICH	33.0	35.0	32.0	91
MINN	86.0	90.0	81.6	91
MONT	7.0	7.2	7.5	104
NEBR	4.7	5.2	4.7	90
NEV 5/		8.5	8.5	100
N H	.7	.7	.4	57
N Y-LONG ISLAND	25.0	27.0	23.5	87
-UPSTATE	29.0	28.4	27.0	95
N DAK	133.0	139.0	132.0	95
OHIO	9.5	10.0	9.2	92
OREG-MALHEUR COUNTY	14.5	12.9	12.5	97
-OTHER COUNTIES	29.5	37.8	45.5	120
PA	31.0	33.0	32.0	97
R I	4.3	4.4	4.1	93
S DAK	5.8	5.6	5.2	93
UTAH	5.1	6.4	6.0	94
VT	1.0	1.0	.9	90
WASH	84.0	100.0	95.0	95
WIS	48.5	53.0	50.0	94
WYO	6.4	6.8	6.1	90
TOTAL	1,085.0	1,161.2	1,098.4	95
U S	1,328.1	1,410.9	1,317.1	93

- 1/ INCLUDES ACREAGE PLANTED IN PRECEDING FALL.
- 2/ ACREAGE PLANTED AND INTENDED PLANTINGS AS OF MARCH 1.
- 3/ INTENDED ACREAGE FOR 1975 AS OF MARCH 1.
- 4/ 1974 REVISED.
- 5/ FIRST YEAR ESTIMATE IN 1974.

SWEETPOTATOES

STATE	ACREAGE PLANTED			1974 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	1,000 ACRES			PERCENT
ALA	4.5	5.5	5.5	100
ARK	1.5	1.7	1.7	100
CALIF	6.4	6.0	6.4	107
GA	8.0	8.5	8.5	100
LA	36.0	36.0	32.0	89
MD	2.2	2.2	2.2	100
MISS	9.5	9.0	9.5	106
N J	1.6	1.8	1.7	94
N C	25.0	28.0	30.0	107
S C	2.0	2.5	2.5	100
TENN	3.2	3.0	2.6	87
TEX	10.0	11.0	12.0	109
VA	7.8	7.7	6.8	88
U S	117.7	122.9	121.4	98.8

ALASKA 1/

CROP	ACREAGE PLANTED			1975 AS PERCENT OF 1974
	1973	1974	INDICATED 1975	
	ACRES			
ALL OATS	2,700	3,600	3,600	100
ALL BARLEY	4,100	2,700	3,100	115
MIXED GRAIN CROPS	1,400	1,200	900	75
GRAIN HAY OR SYLAGE 2/ 3/	3,400	3,500	4,200	120
GROSS HAY OR SYLAGE 3/	11,100	11,100	10,000	90
POTATOES	520	580	300	86

1/ THE ABOVE ESTIMATES ARE PROVIDED TO MEET SPECIAL NEEDS OF DATA USERS FOR ALASKA CROP AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION STATISTICS. ESTIMATES ARE EXCLUDED FROM COMMODITY DATA TABLES.

2/ INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE GRAIN CROP ESTIMATES.

3/ HARVESTED ACREAGE.

AVERAGE CORN AND GRAIN SORGHUM PRICES FOR UNITED STATES
OCTOBER 1974 - FEBRUARY 1975

MONTH AND YEAR	CORN		GRAIN SORGHUM	
	AVERAGE PRICE	AVERAGE PERCENT	AVERAGE PRICE	AVERAGE PERCENT
	PER BU 1/	OF SALES 2/	PER CNT 1/	OF SALES 2/
	DOLLARS	PERCENT	DOLLARS	PERCENT
OCT 1974	3.45	11.2	5.78	15.2
NOV 1974	3.32	14.5	5.85	15.5
DEC 1974	3.27	10.1	5.33	11.3
JAN 1975	3.07	11.1	4.96	12.2
FEB 1975	2.86	7.5	4.21	5.1
5 MONTHS: 3/	3.22	--	4/5.41	--

1/ PRICES PUBLISHED IN AGRICULTURAL PRICES, OCTOBER, 1974 THROUGH FEBRUARY 1975.

2/ WEIGHTED AVERAGE OF PERCENT SOLD FOR YEARS 1971-73 AS SHOWN IN FIELD CROPS-PRODUCTION, FARM USE, VALUE, SALES, MAY 10, 1974 AND CROP PRODUCTION, DECEMBER 10, 1974. WEIGHTS USED TO COMPUTE WEIGHTED AVERAGE WERE TOTAL SALES FOR 1971, 1972, AND 1973 AS SHOWN IN FIELD CROPS-PRODUCTION, FARM USE, VALUE, SALES, MAY 1973, AND MAY 10, 1974.

3/ FIVE MONTHS WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICE USING AVERAGE PERCENT OF SALES AS WEIGHTS.

4/ \$3.03 PER BUSHEL.