

Grain Market Outlook for 2024

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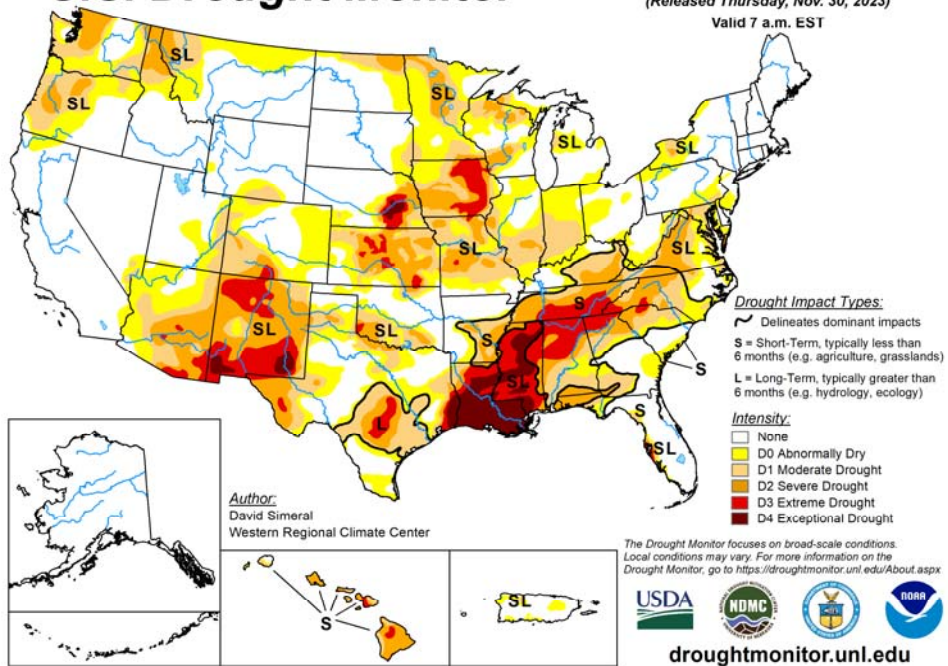


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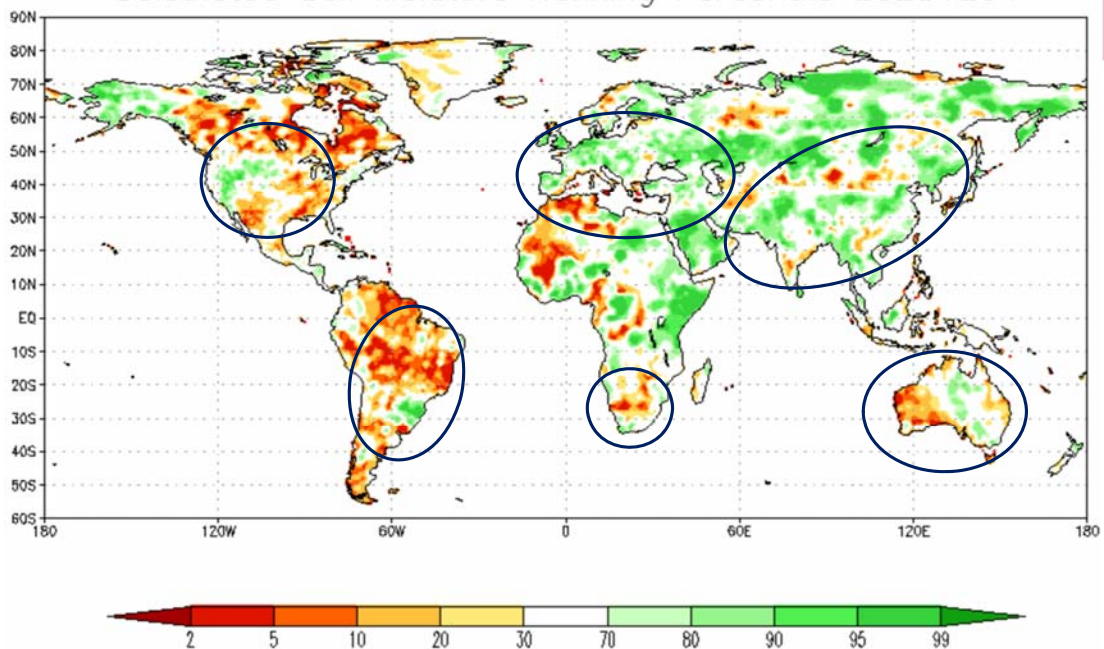
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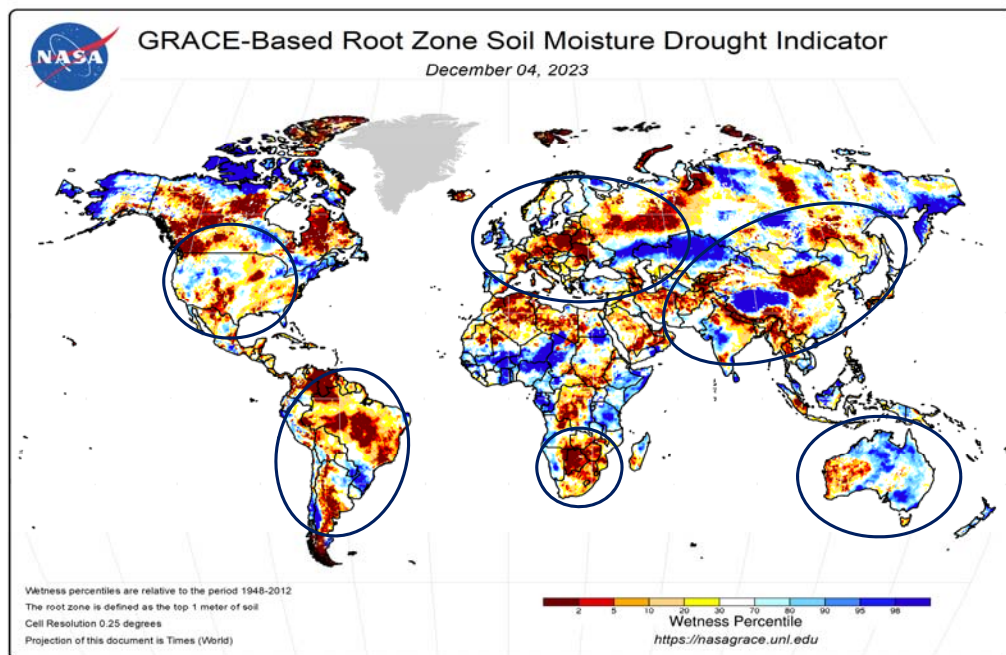


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Corn Markets

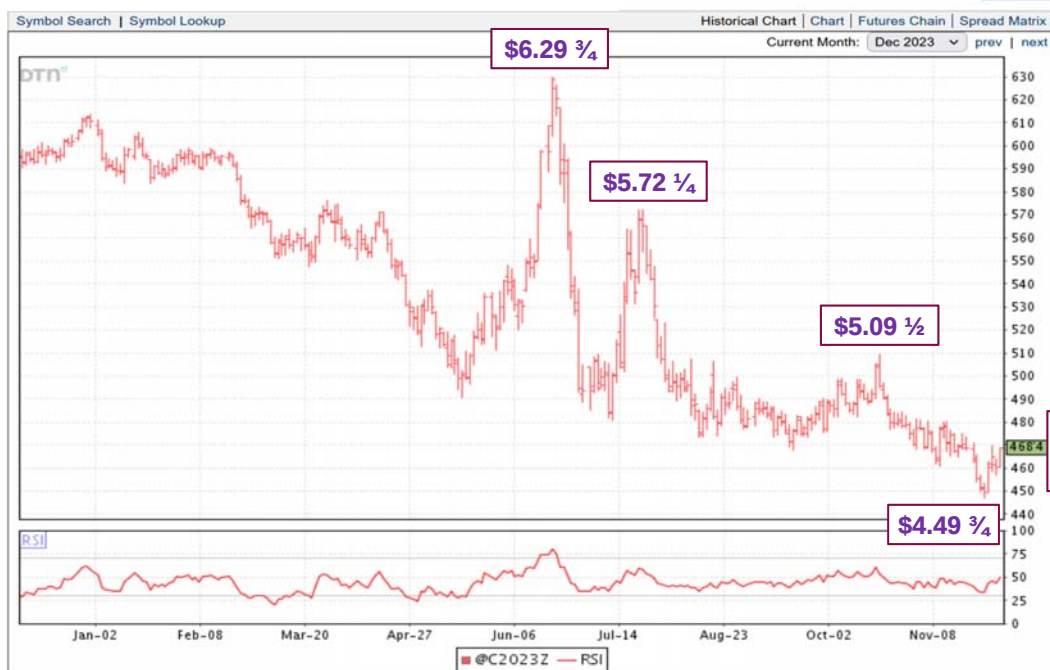
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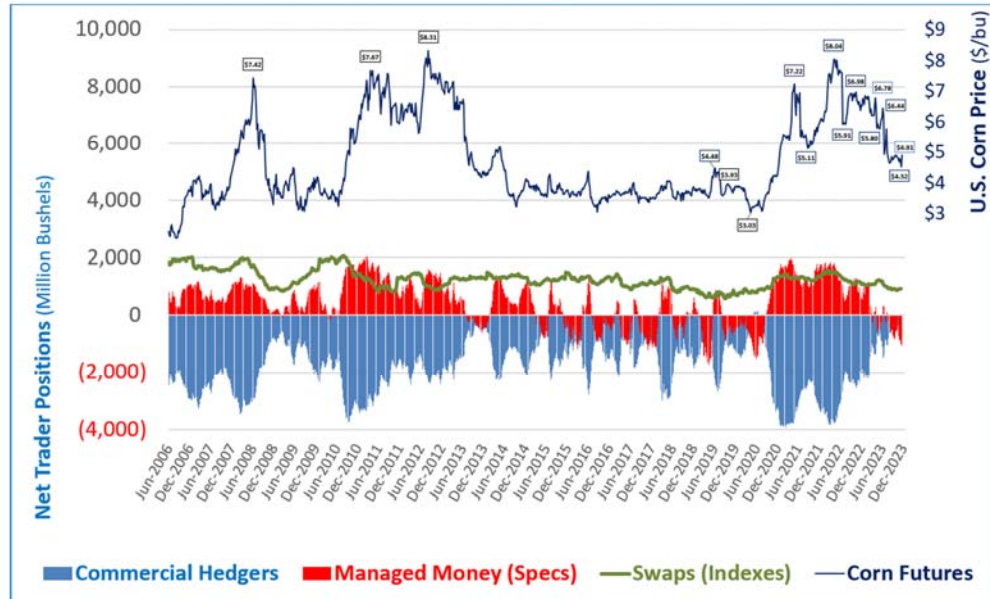


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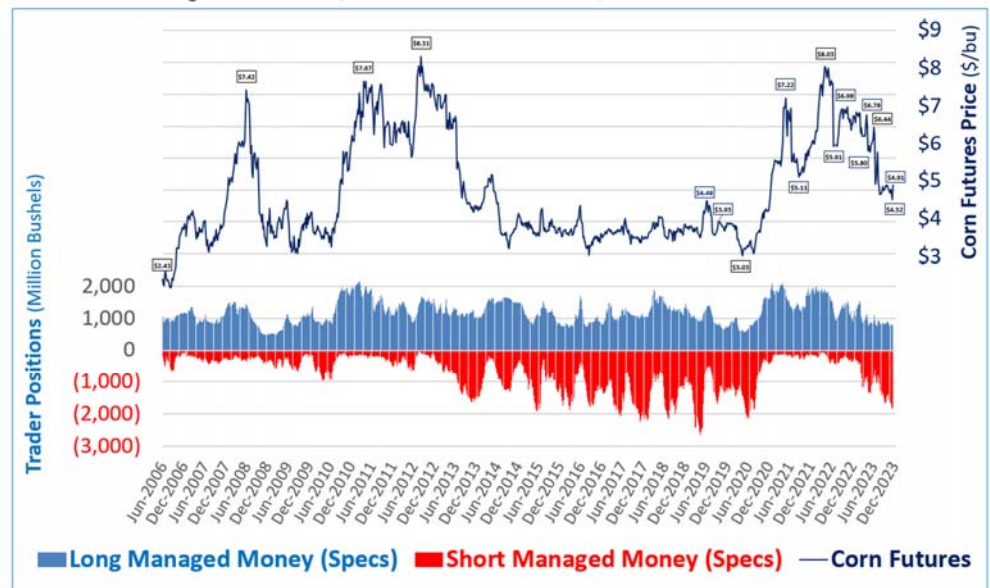
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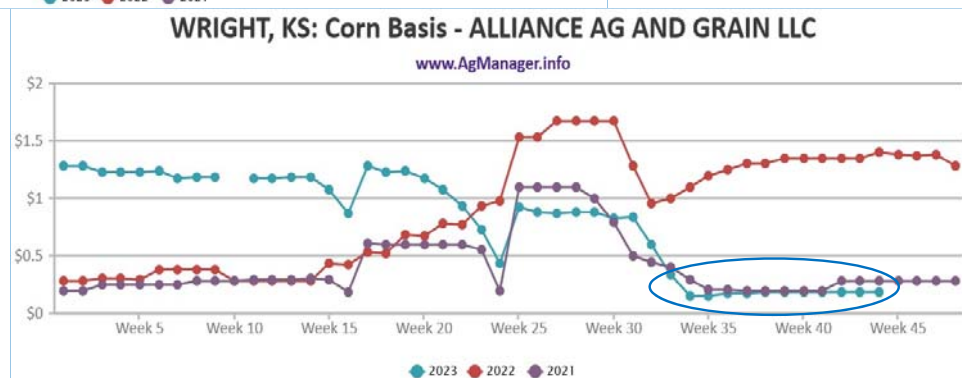
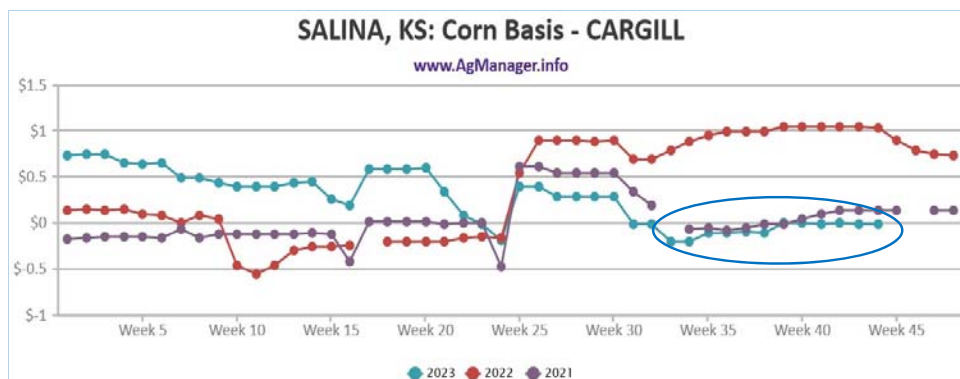
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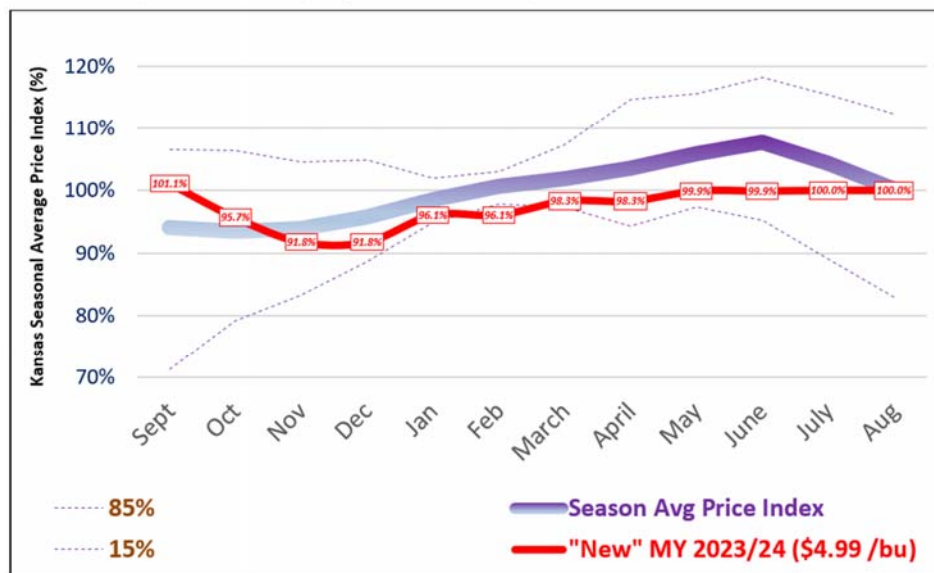


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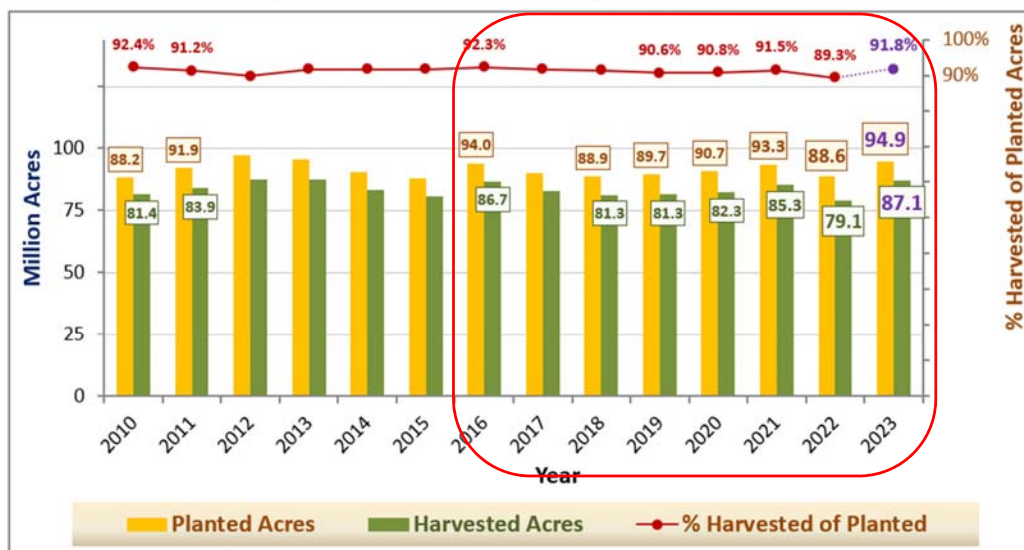
U.S & Kansas Corn Seasonal Prices

MY 1999/00 – MY 2021/22 plus "New" 2023/24 as of 12/5/2023



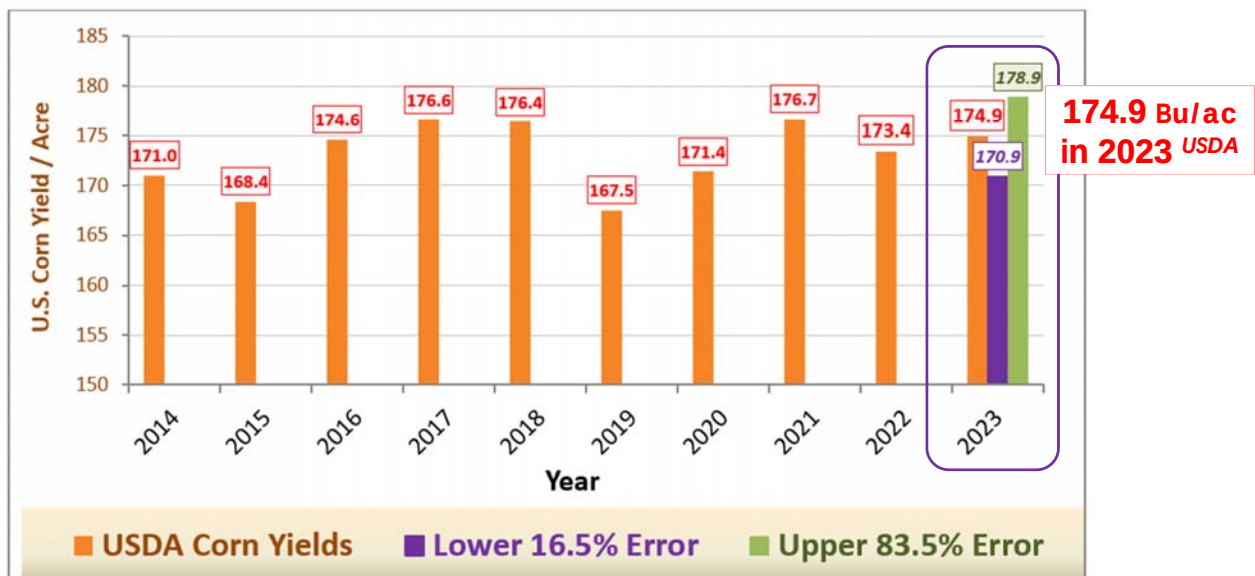
U.S. Corn Acreage for 2010-2023

Sources: USDA Crop Production & WASDE Reports 11/9/2023



U.S. Corn Yields for 2014-2023

Through USDA reports on November 9, 2023 + 90% USDA Production Forecast Confidence Interval



U.S. Corn Stocks & % Stocks-to-Use

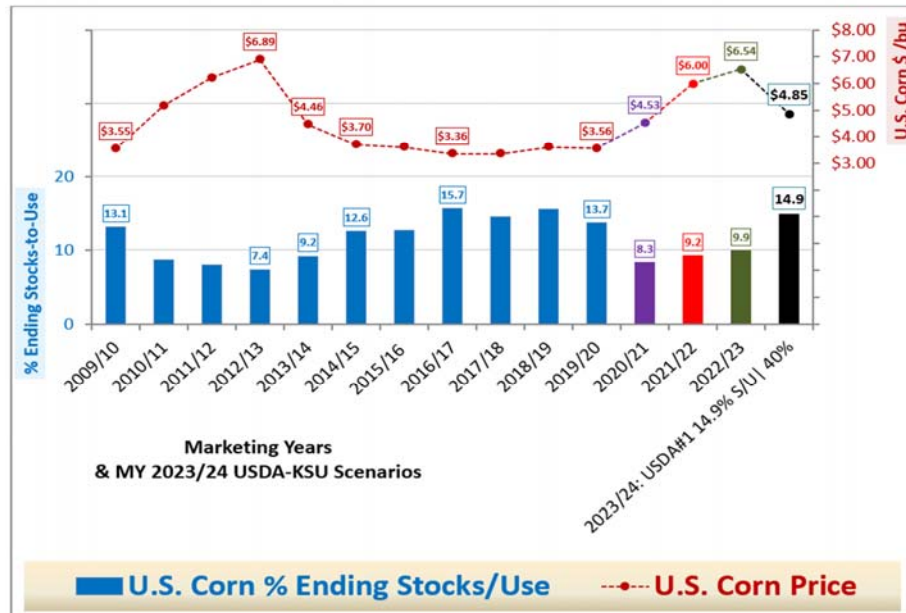
MY 2012/13 thru "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the 11/9/2023 USDA + KSU Estimates



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U.S. Corn % Stocks/Use vs Corn \$

MY 2005/06 thru "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the 11/9/2023 USDA + KSU Estimates



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U.S. Corn Supply-Demand Balance Sheet

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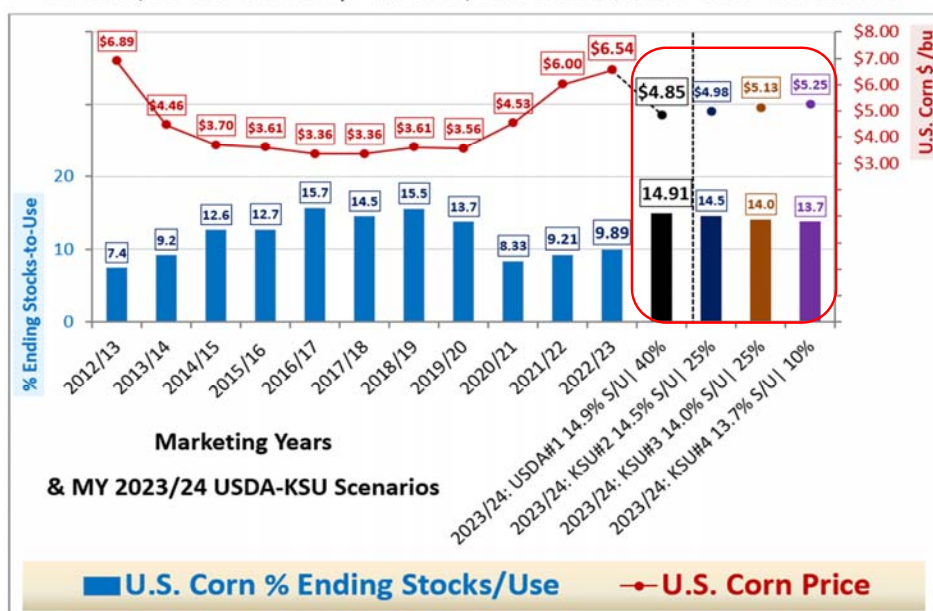
"New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the 11/9/2023 USDA WASDE + KSU Estimates As of 12/5/2023

Item	A. USDA #1 "New Crop" MY 2023/24 = 174.9 bu/ac 15,234 bb Corn Crop	B. KSU #2 "New Crop" MY 2023/24 "Higher Ethanol" + 50 mb @ 5.375 bb Higher Ethanol Use	C. KSU #3 "New Crop" MY 2023/24 "Higher Exports" + 100 mb @ 2.175 bb Higher Exports	D. KSU #4 "New Crop" MY 2023/24 "Higher Ethanol, Exports" + 50 mb Ethanol & + 100 mb Exports
% Probability of Occurring (KSU)	40% ^{KSUest}	25% ^{KSUest}	25% ^{KSUest}	10% ^{KSUest}
Planted Area (million acres)	94.868	94.868	94.868	94.868
Harvested Area (million acres)	87.096	87.096	87.096	87.096
Yield / harvested acre (bu/ac)	174.9	174.9	174.9	174.9
Million Bushels				
Production (million bu.)	15,234	15,234	15,234	15,234
Total Supply (million bu.)	16,621	16,621	16,621	16,621
Ethanol for fuel Use (million bu.)	5,325	+ 50 mb 5,375	5,325	+ 50 mb 5,375
Exports (million bu.)	2,075	2,075	+ 100 mb 2,175	+ 100 mb 2,175
Feed & Residual Use (million bu.)	5,650	5,650	5,650	5,650
Total Use (million bu.)	14,465	+ 50 mb 14,515	14,565	14,615
Ending Stocks (million bu.)	2,156	- 50 mb 2,106	-100 mb 2,056	-150 mb 2,006
% Ending Stocks-to-Use	14.905%	14.509%	14.028%	13.726%
U.S. Corn Average Farm Price (\$/bushel)	\$4.85 ^{USDA} \$4.99 ^{KSU 12/5/2023}	\$4.98 ^{KSU} \$4.99 ^{KSU 12/5/2023}	\$5.125 ^{KSU} \$4.99 ^{KSU 12/5/2023}	\$5.25 ^{KSU} \$4.99 ^{KSU 12/5/2023}

U.S. Corn % Stocks/Use vs Corn \$

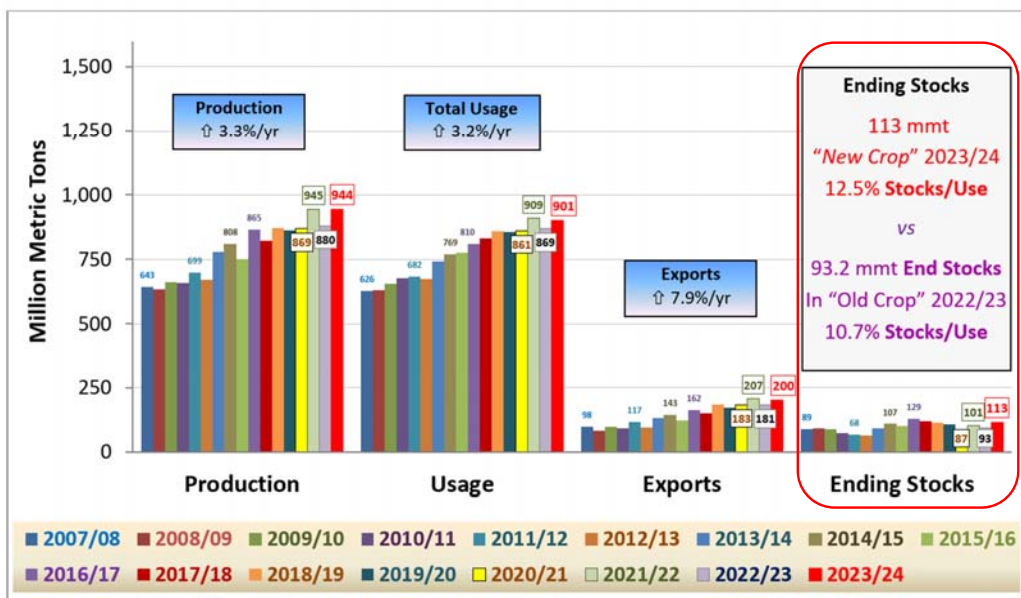
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MY 2012/13 thru "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the 11/9/2023 USDA + KSU Estimates



"World Less-China" Corn Supply-Demand

MY 2007/08 – "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE Report



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World vs World Less-China Corn % Stocks-to-Use

MY 2007/08 through "Current" MY 2022/23, as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE report

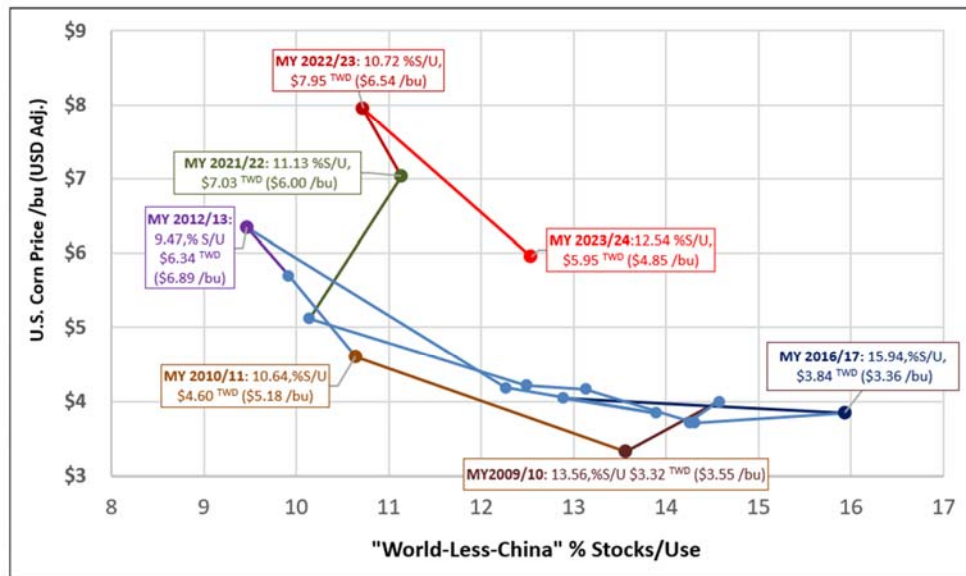


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U.S. Corn \$ USD\$ Adj. vs World Less-China % S/U

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MY 2007/08 – “New Crop” MY 2023/24, as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE



Grain Sorghum Markets



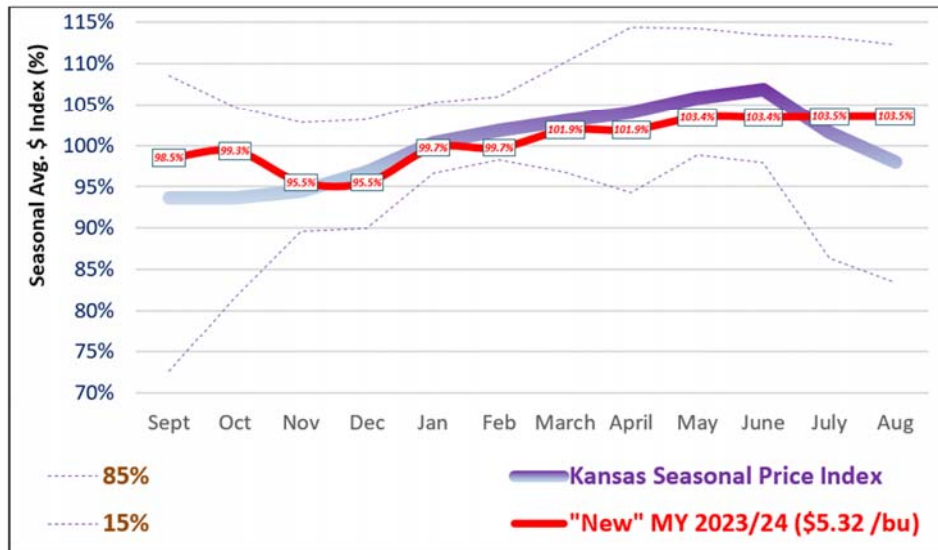
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Kansas Grain Sorghum Seasonal Prices

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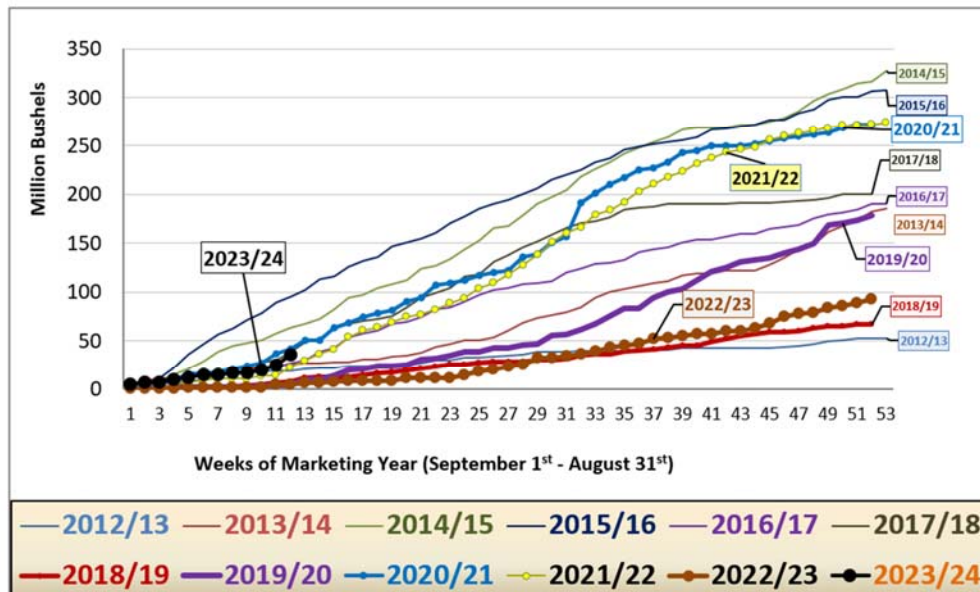
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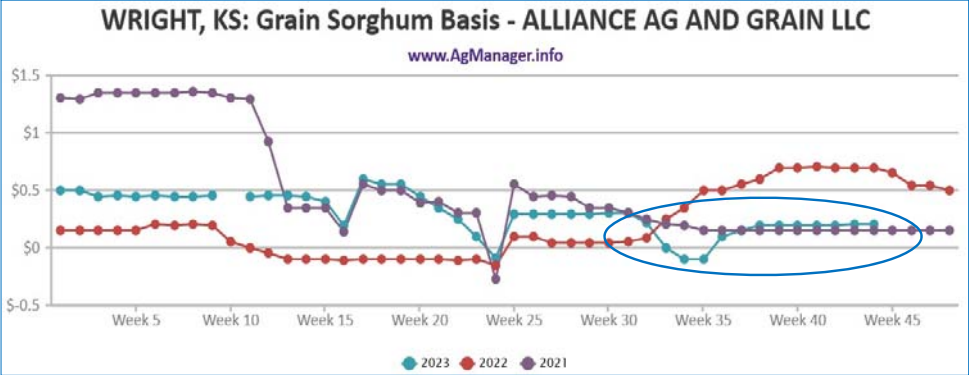
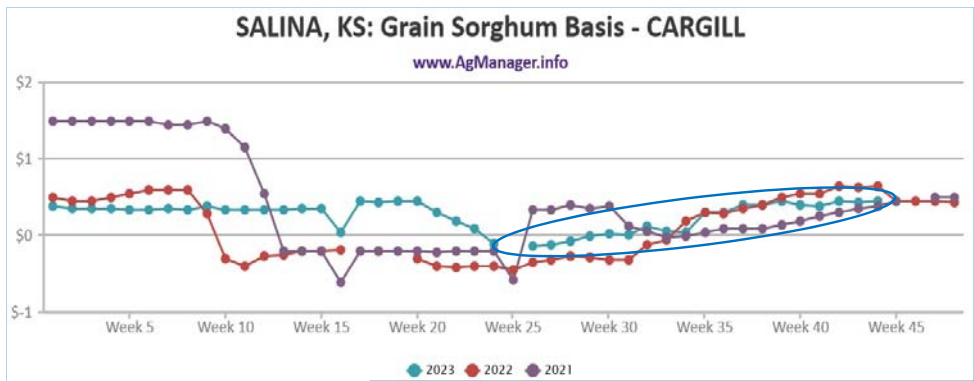


U.S. Grain Sorghum Exports

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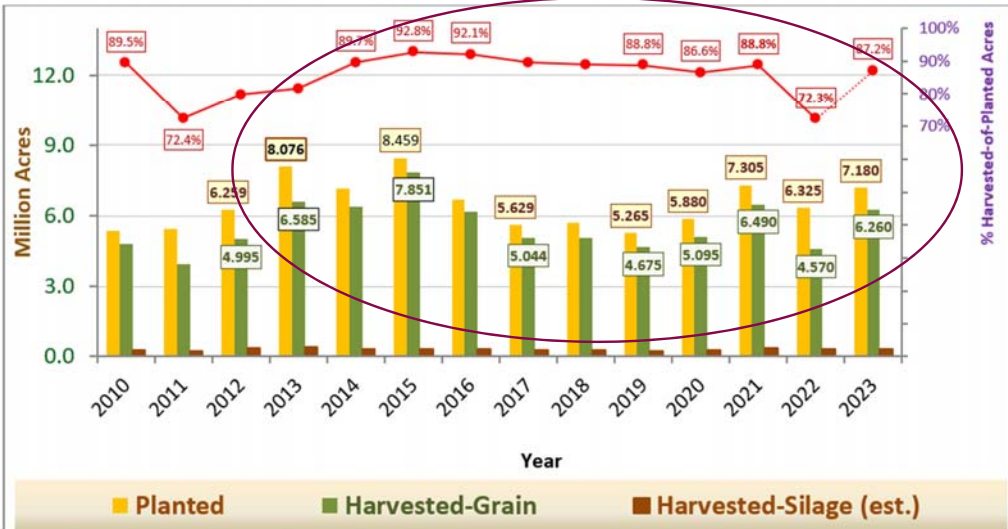
MY 2012/13 - "Current" MY 2022/23 as of November 9, 2023 - via USDA FAS





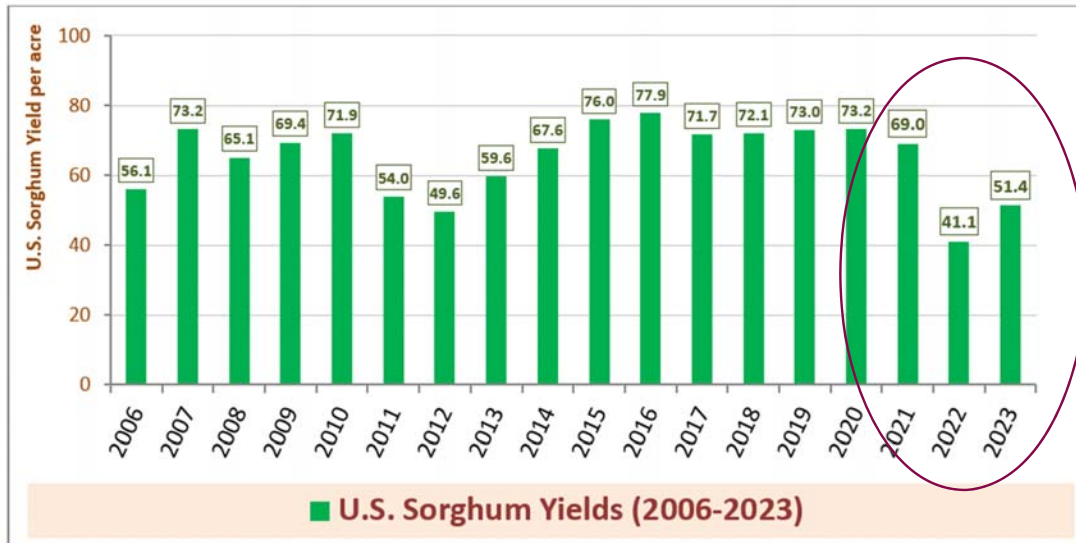
U.S. Sorghum Planted & Harvested Acres

Years 2010 – 2023 as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE Report



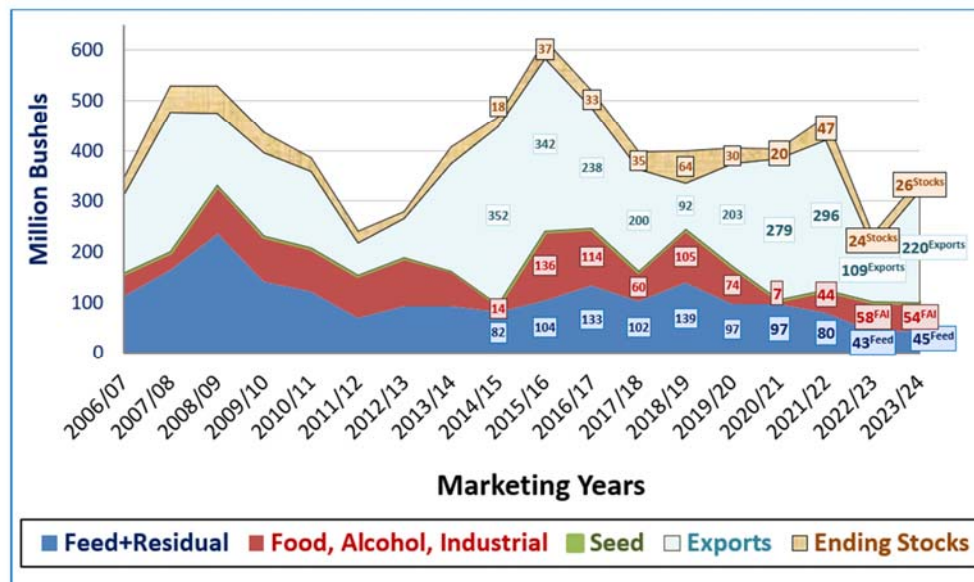
U.S. Grain Sorghum Yields

Years 2010 – 2023 as of USDA & KSU Information available on November 9, 2023



U.S. Sorghum Use & End Stocks

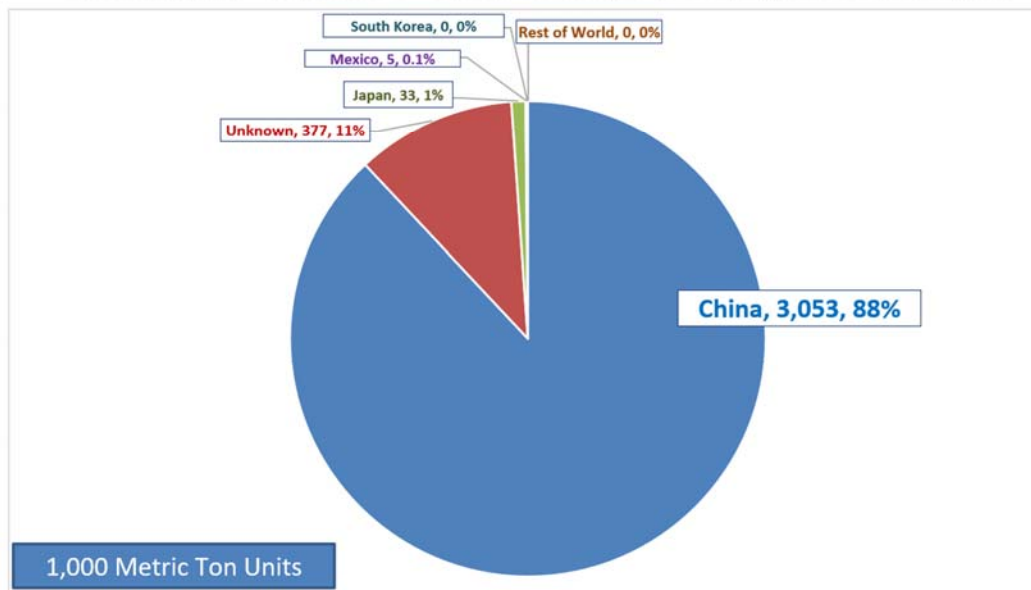
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U.S. Grain Sorghum Export Buyers “New Crop” MY 2023/24

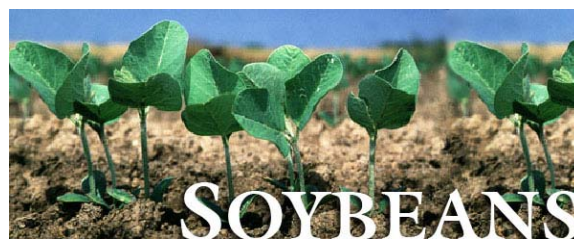
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Outstanding Sales + Shipments for “Current” MY 2022/23 as of 11/23/2023 USDA FAS Reports



Soybean Markets

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JAN 2024 Soybean Futures 12/5/2023 Closes

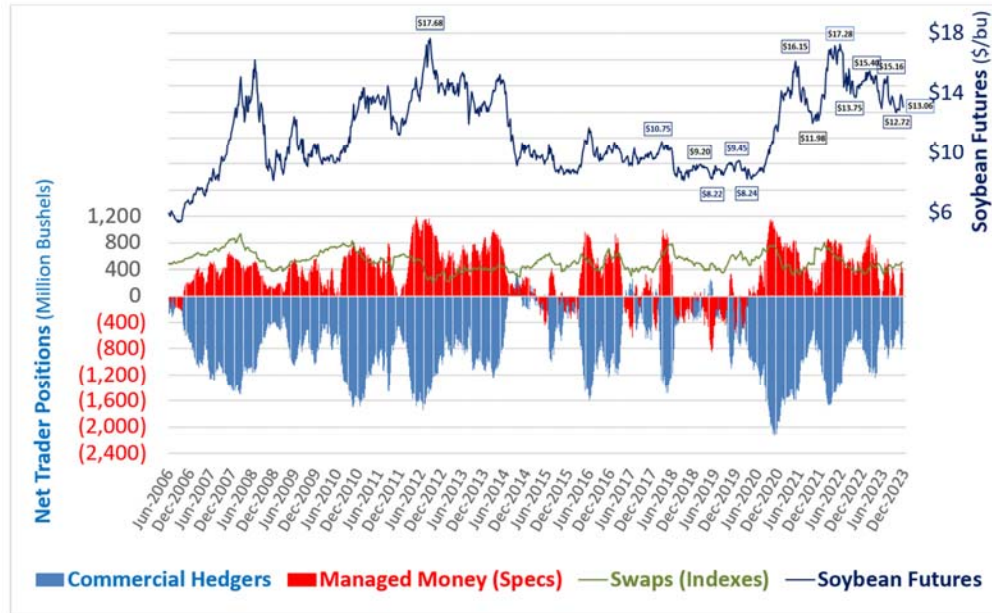


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Soybean Futures-Net Position of Traders

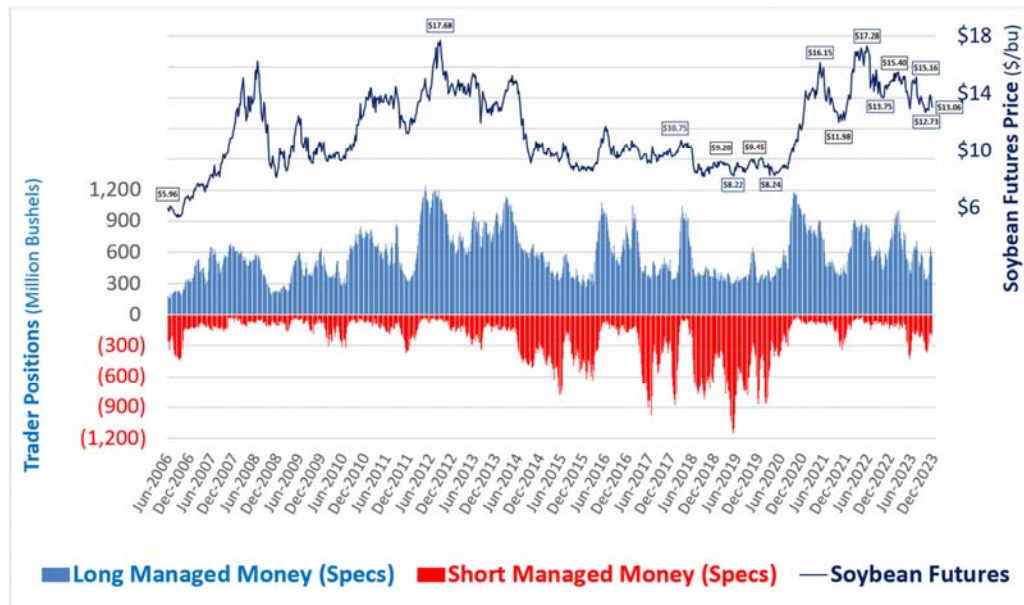
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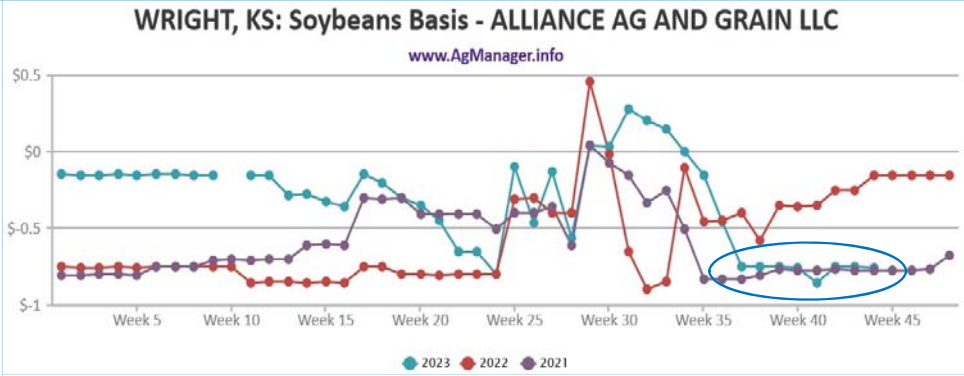
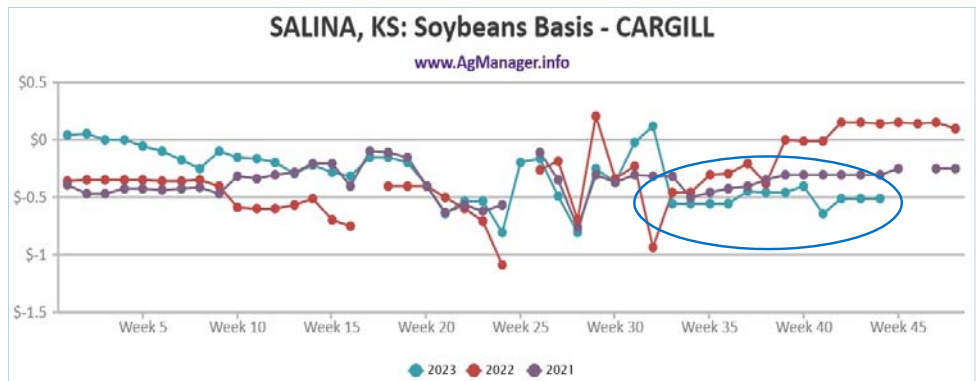
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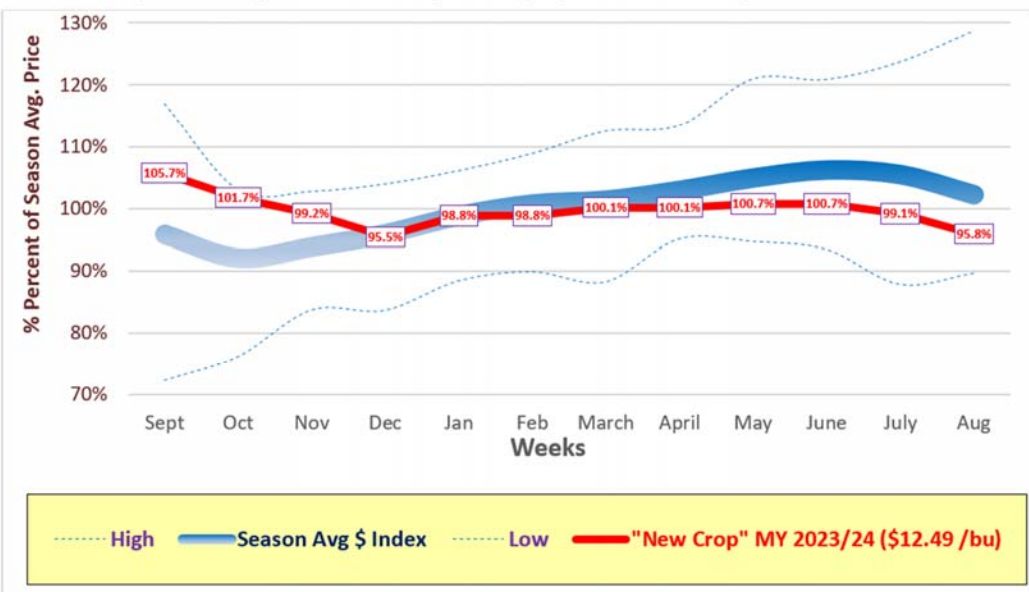


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U.S. & Kansas Soybean Seasonal Prices

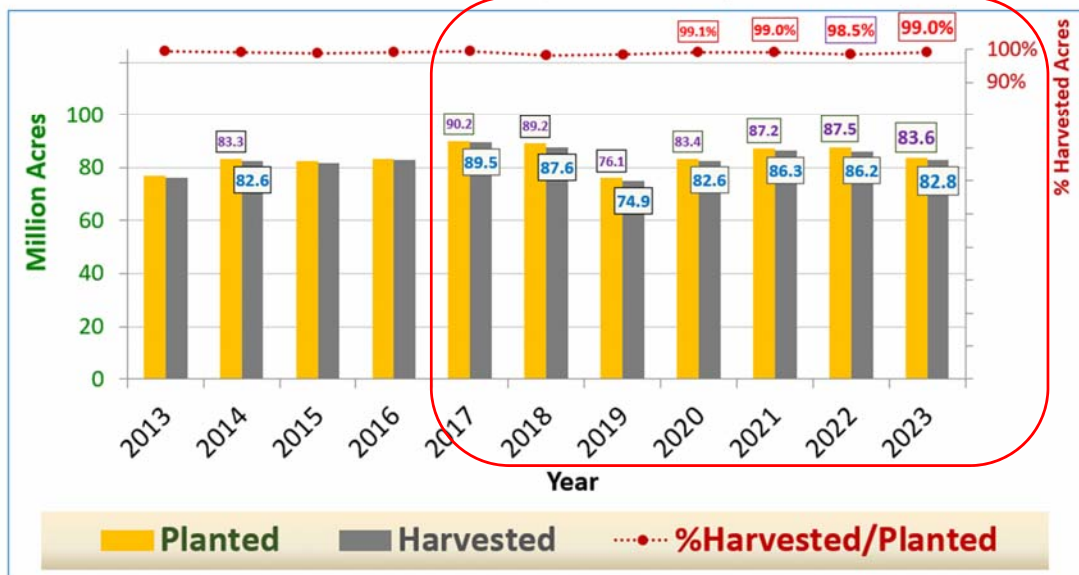
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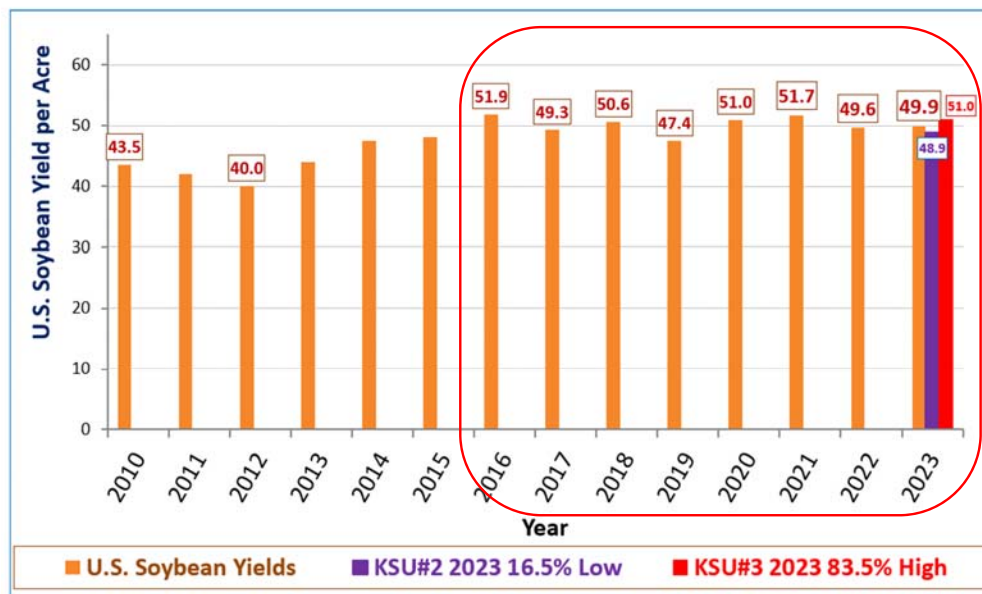
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U.S. Soybean Yields: 2010-2023

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U.S. Soybean Use & Ending Stocks

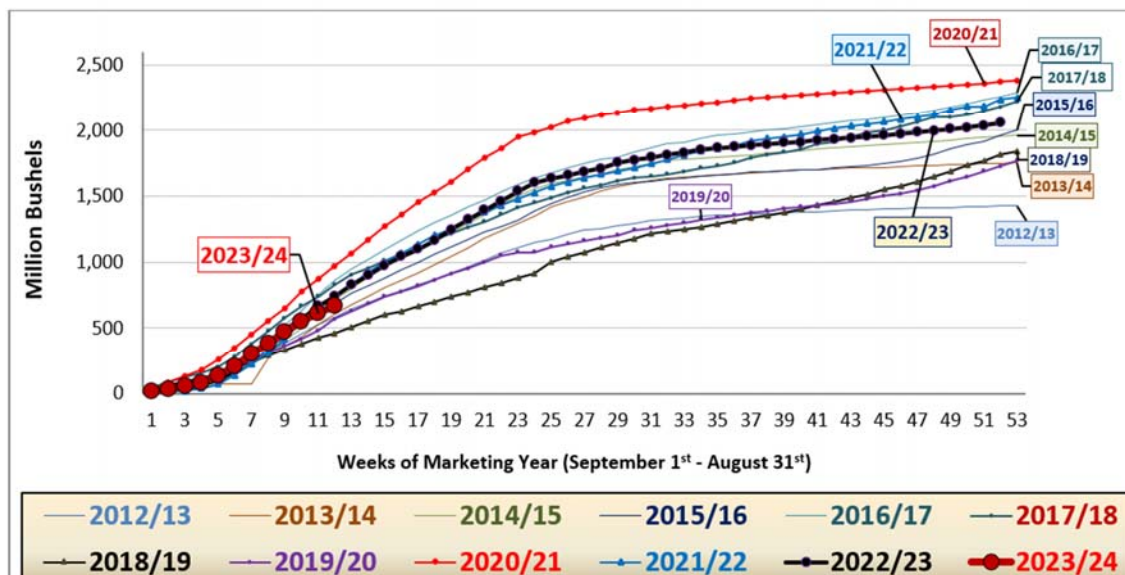
MY 2012/13 - Projected "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the November 9, 2023 USDA Reports



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U.S. Soybean Exports

MY 2012/13 thru "Current" MY 2022/23, USDA FAS Weekly Export reports thru 11/23/2023



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U.S. Soybean Stocks & % Stocks-to-Use

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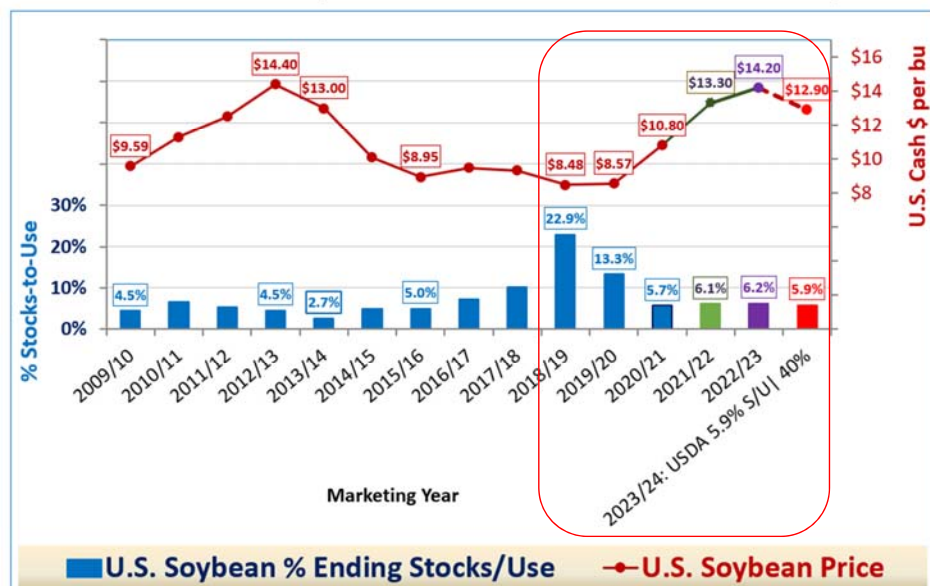
MY 2012/13 thru "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the 11/9/2023 USDA



U.S. Soybean % Stocks/Use vs U.S. \$'s

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MY 2009/10 – "Next Crop" 2023/24 as of November 9, 2023 USDA Reports



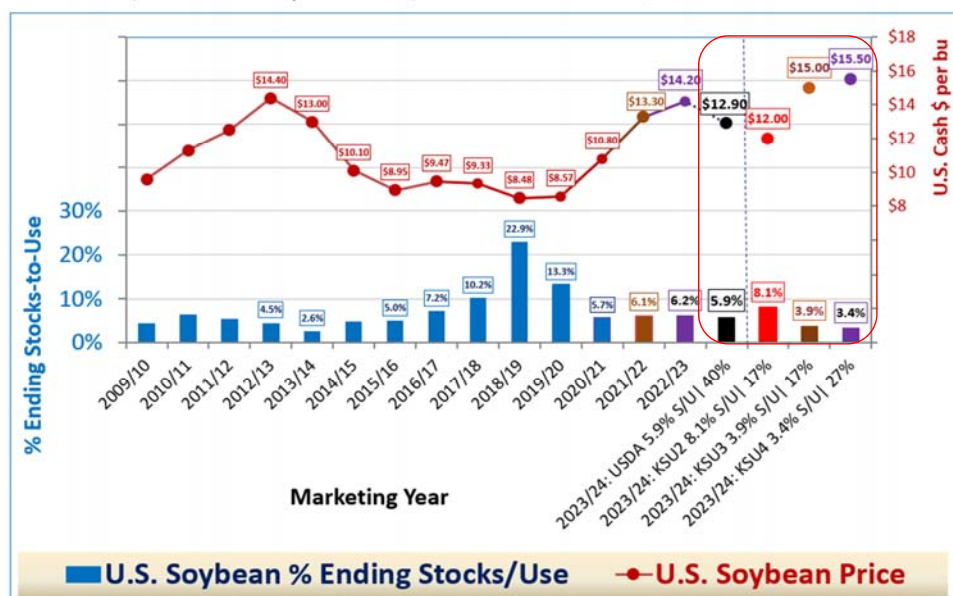
U.S. Soybean Projected S-D "New Crop" MY 2023/24

As of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE Report + KSU Scenarios As of 12/4/2023

Item	A. USDA WASDE Scenario #1 "New Crop" 2023/24 Using 11/9/2023 USDA Info. 245 mb End Stocks, 5.85% S/U	B. KSU Scenario #2 "New Crop" 2023/24 Yield: 50.95 bu/ac "High End" Prodn. Error ^{USDA}	C. KSU Scenario #3 "New Crop" 2023/24 Yield: 48.85 bu/ac "High End" Prodn. Error ^{USDA}	D. KSU Scenario #4 "New Crop" 2023/24 Crush: +50 mb Exports: +50 mb
% Probability of Occurring (KSU)	40% ^{KSUest}	16.5% ^{KSUest}	16.5% ^{KSUest}	27% ^{KSUest}
Planted Area (million acres)	83.600	83.600	83.600	83.600
Harvested Area (million acres)	82.791	82.791	82.791	82.791
Yield / harvested acre (bu/ac)	49.9	50.95	48.85	49.9
Production (million bu.)	4,129	(+89 mb) 4,218	(-84 mb) 4,045	4,129
Total Supply (million bu.)	4,428	(+88 mb) 4,516	(-85 mb) 4,343	4,428
Domestic Crushings	2,300	2,300	2,300	(+50 mb) 2,350
Exports	1,755	1,755	1,755	(+50 mb) 1,805
Total Use	4,182	4,182	4,182	(+100 mb) 4,282
Ending Stocks	245	(+89 mb) 338	(-84 mb) 161	(-100 mb) 146
% Ending Stocks-to-Use	5.86%	8.08%	3.85%	3.41%
U.S. Avg. Farm Price (\$/bu)	\$12.90 ^{USDA} \$12.49 ^{KSU 12/5/2023}	\$12.00 ^{KSU} \$12.49 ^{KSU 12/5/2023}	\$15.00 ^{KSU} \$12.49 ^{KSU 12/5/2023}	\$15.50 ^{KSU} \$12.49 ^{KSU 12/5/2023}

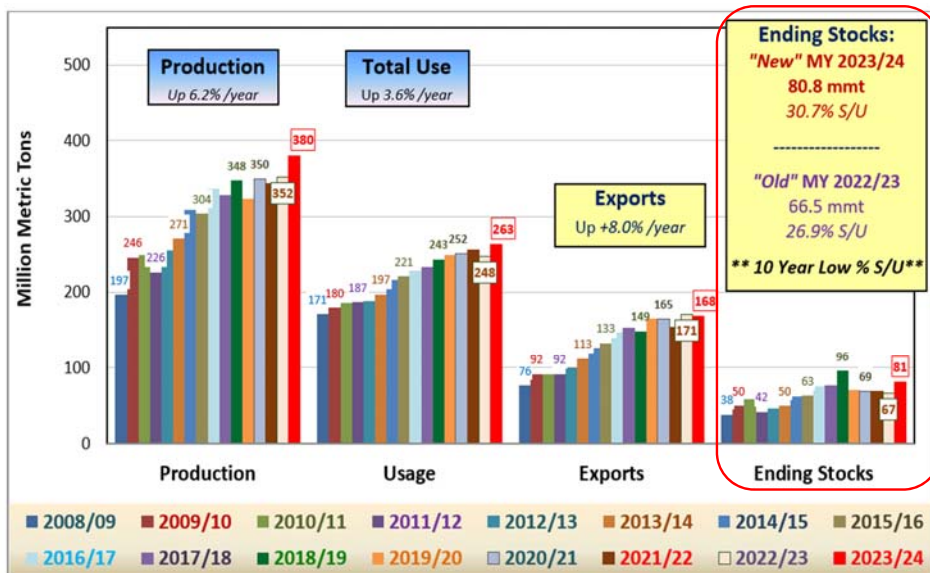
U.S. Soybean % Stocks/Use vs U.S. Cash\$

MY 2009/10 – "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE + KSU Estimates



World *Less-China* Soybean Use & End Stocks

MY 2008/09 - "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the November 9, 2023 WASDE



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World vs "World *Less-China*" Soybean % Stocks/Use

MY 2007/08 through "New Crop" MY 2023/24, as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE report

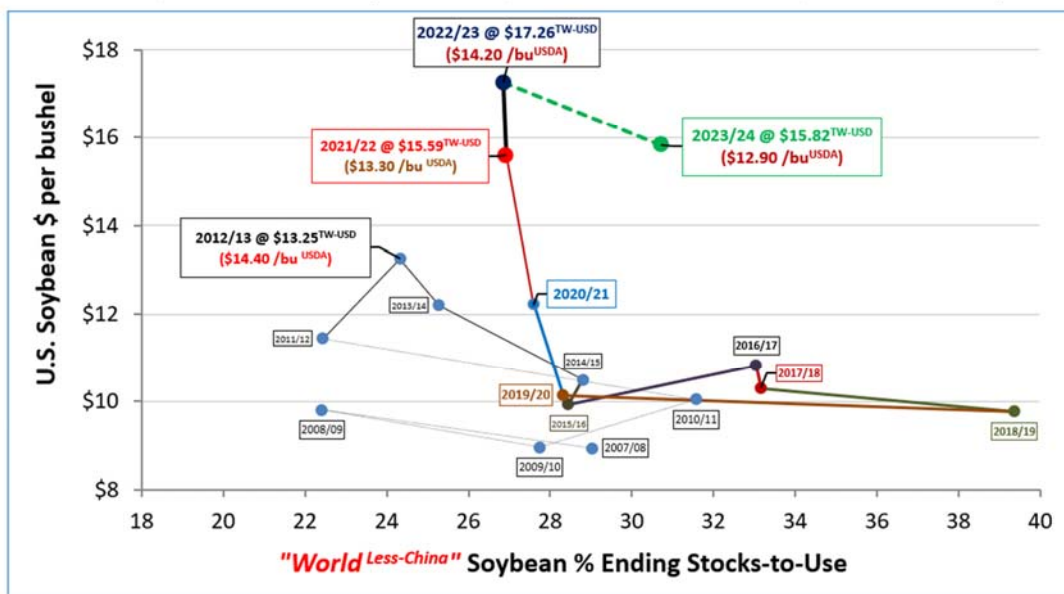


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U.S. Soybean \$^{USD}\$ Adj vs *"World Less-China"* % S/U

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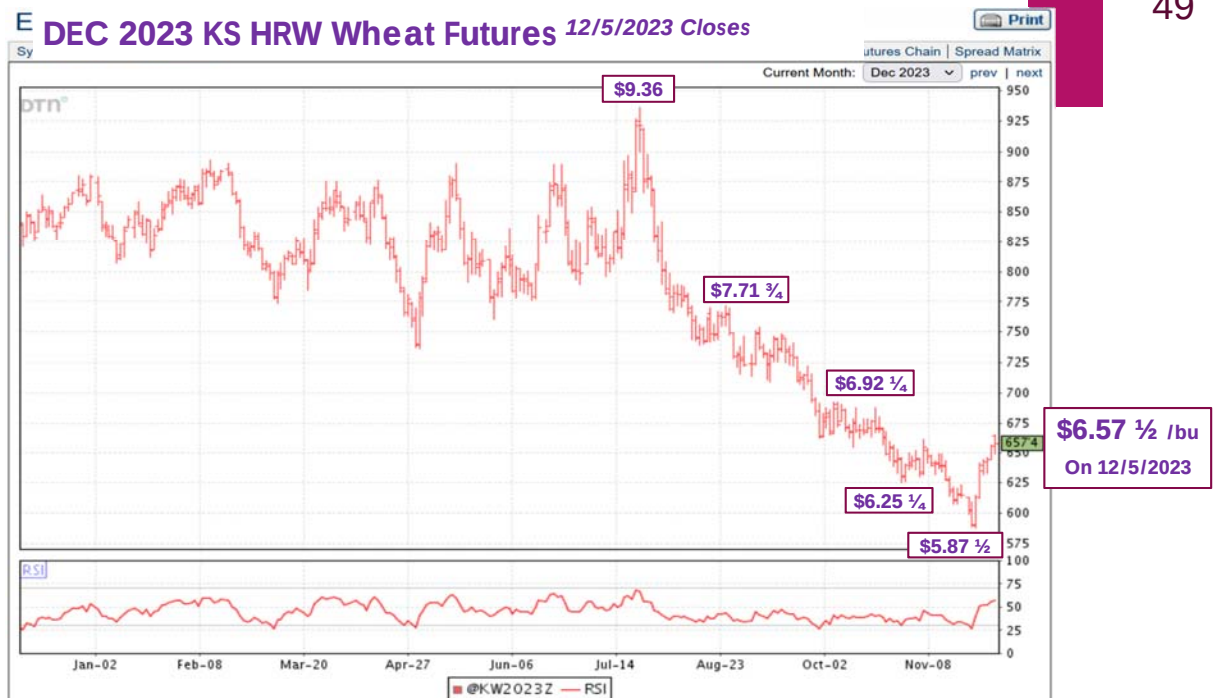
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DEC 2023 KS HRW Wheat Futures 12/5/2023 Closes



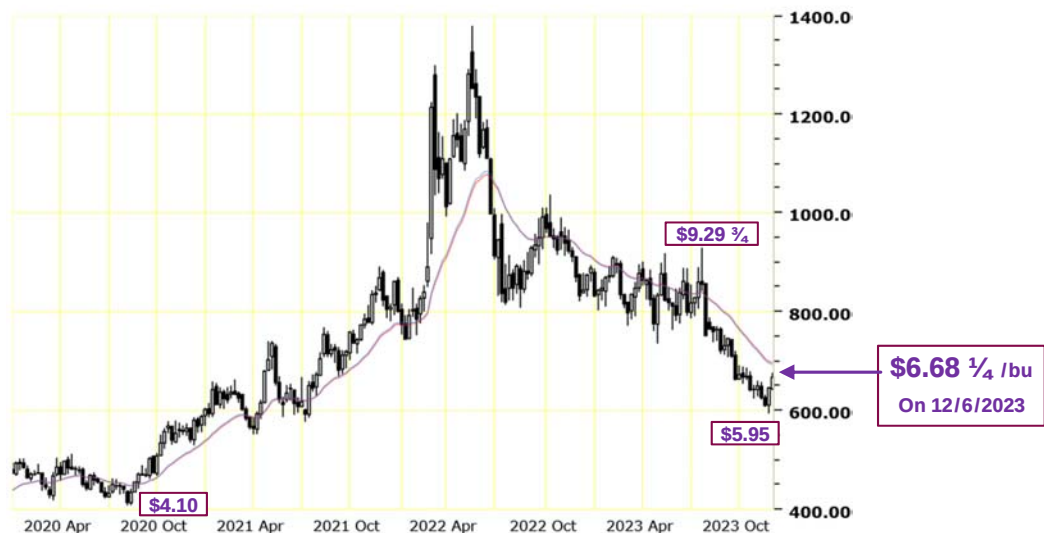
Weekly Commodity Futures Price Chart Wheat (Kansas) (Electronic) (KCBT)

TFC Commodity Charts

KE - Wheat (Kansas) (Electronic) - Weekly Chart

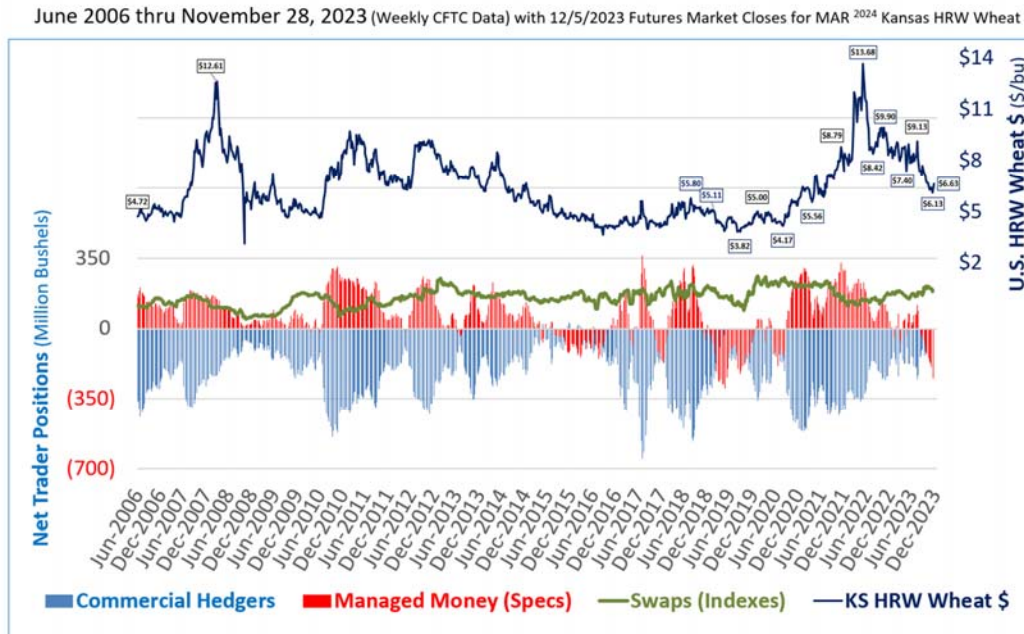
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CME KS HRW Wheat Net Position of Traders with Futures \$'s

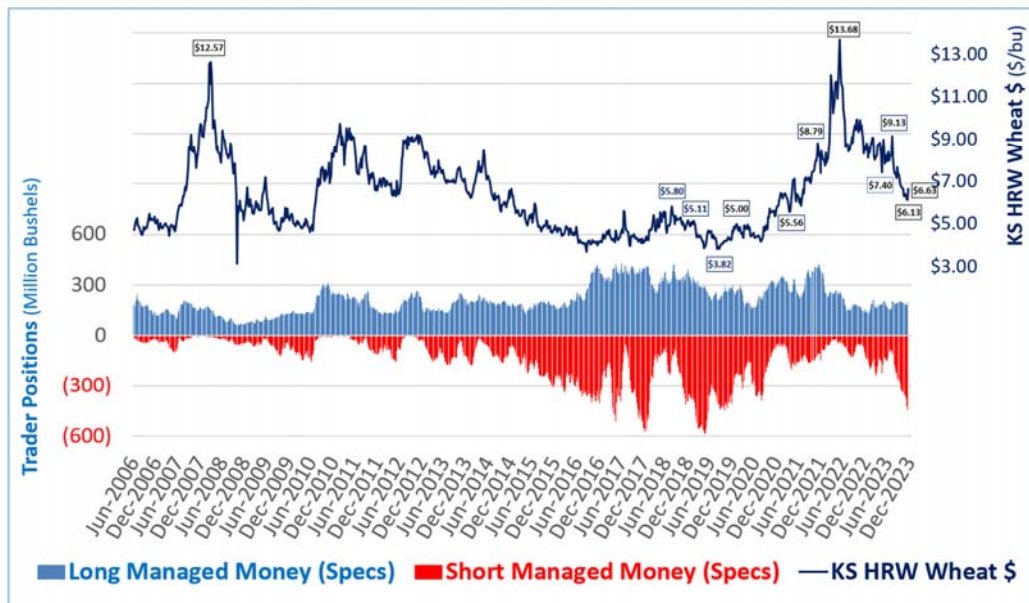
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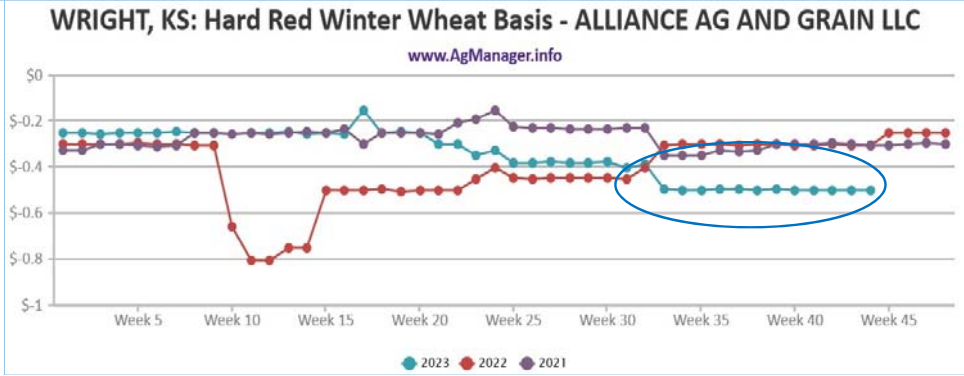
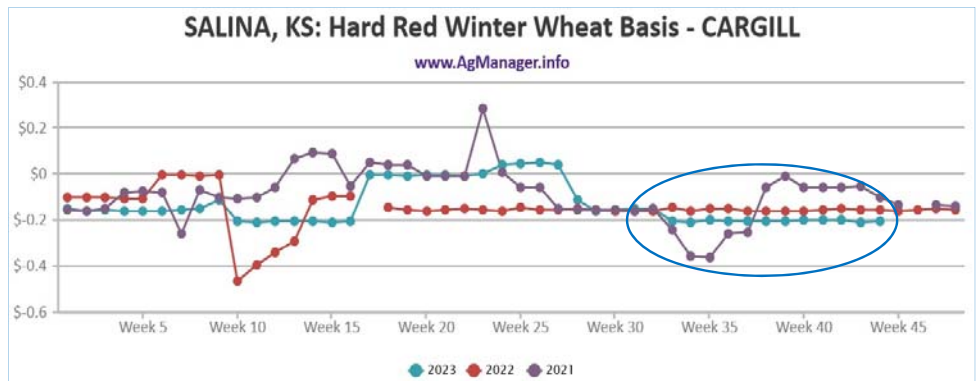


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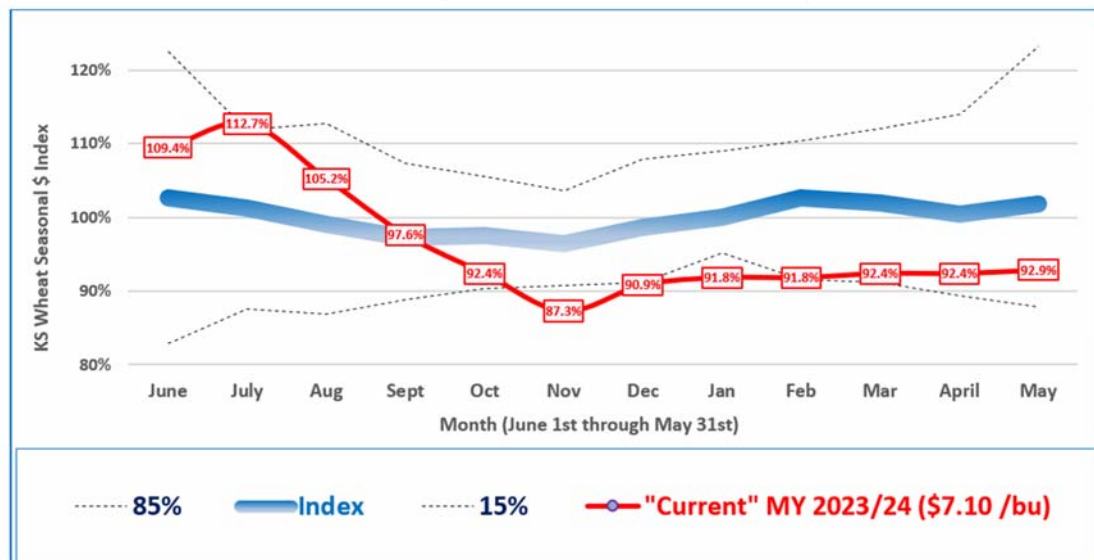
Positions + Futures \$'s: June 2006 – November 28, 2023 (Weekly CFTC Data) with 12/5/2023 Futures Closes for MAR 2024 KS HRW Wheat Futures





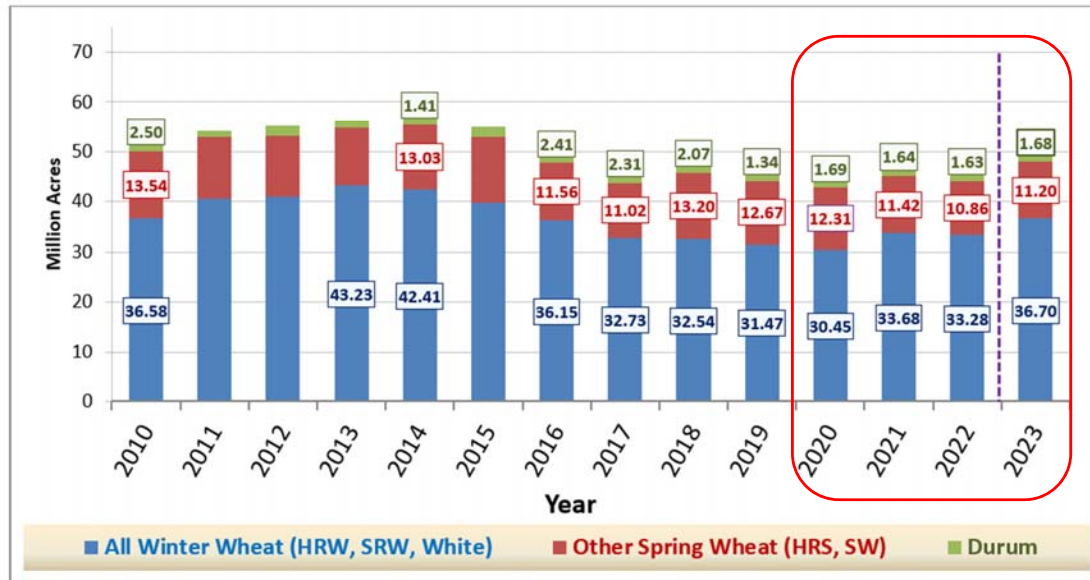
Hard Red Winter ^{HRW} Wheat Seasonal \$'s

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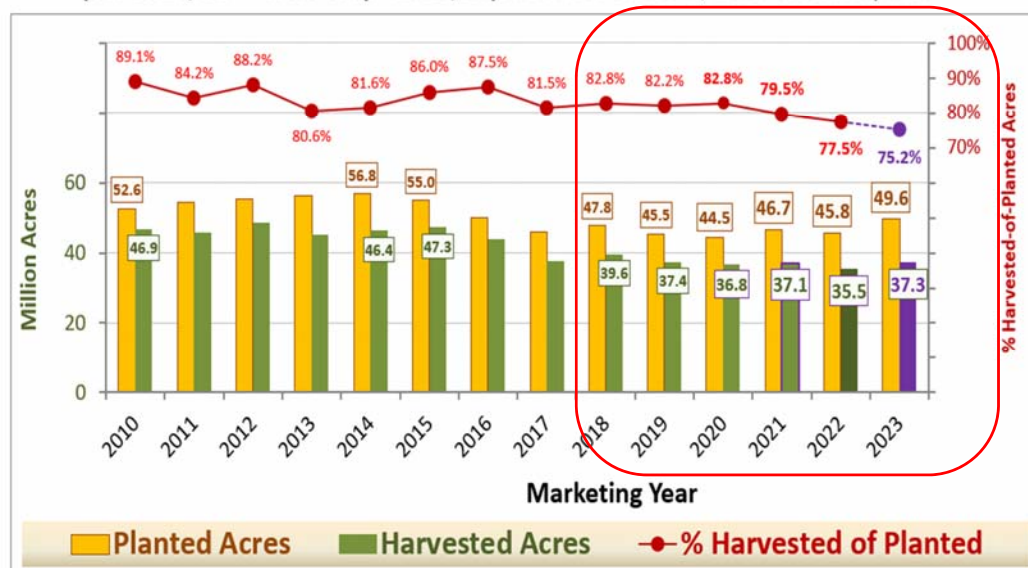
U.S. Wheat Planted Acreage

All Winter, Other Spring & Durum Classes (since MY 2000/01) as of the 11/9/2023 USDA Reports



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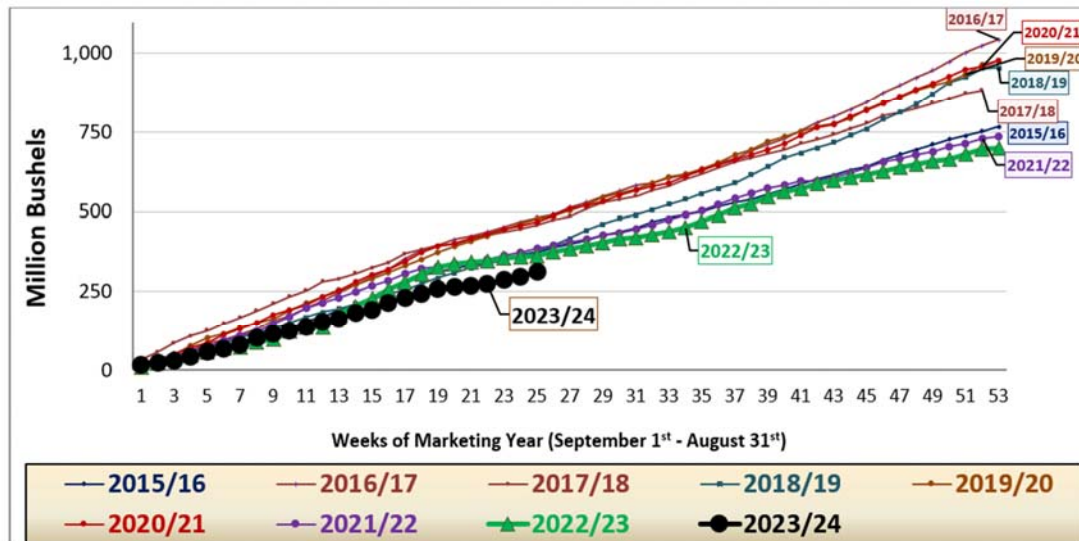
(MY 2010/11 – “New Crop” 2023/24) as of November 9, 2023 USDA Reports



U.S. All Wheat Exports

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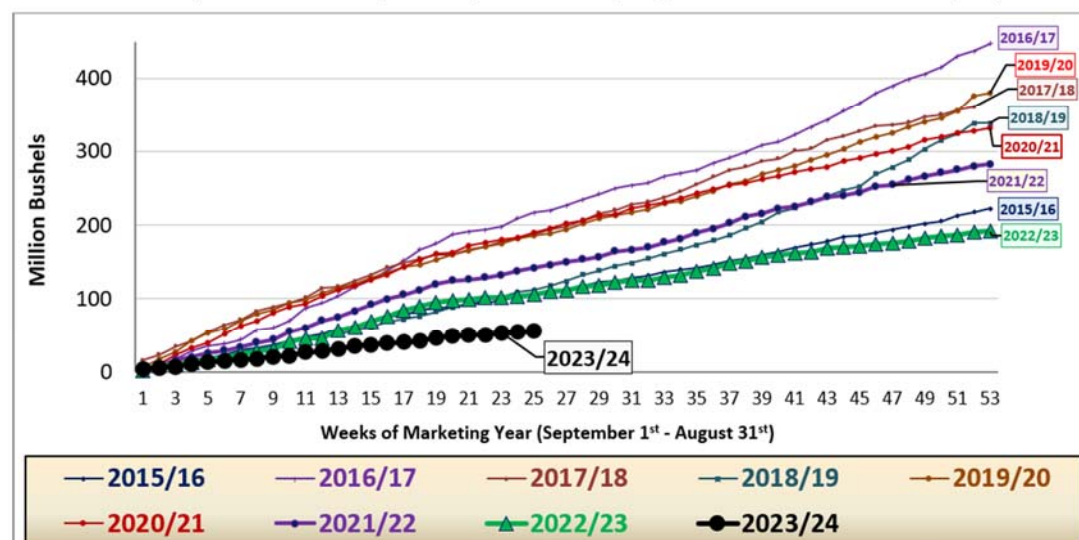
MY 2015/16 - "New Crop" 2023/24 as of 11/23/2023, USDA FAS Weekly Exports



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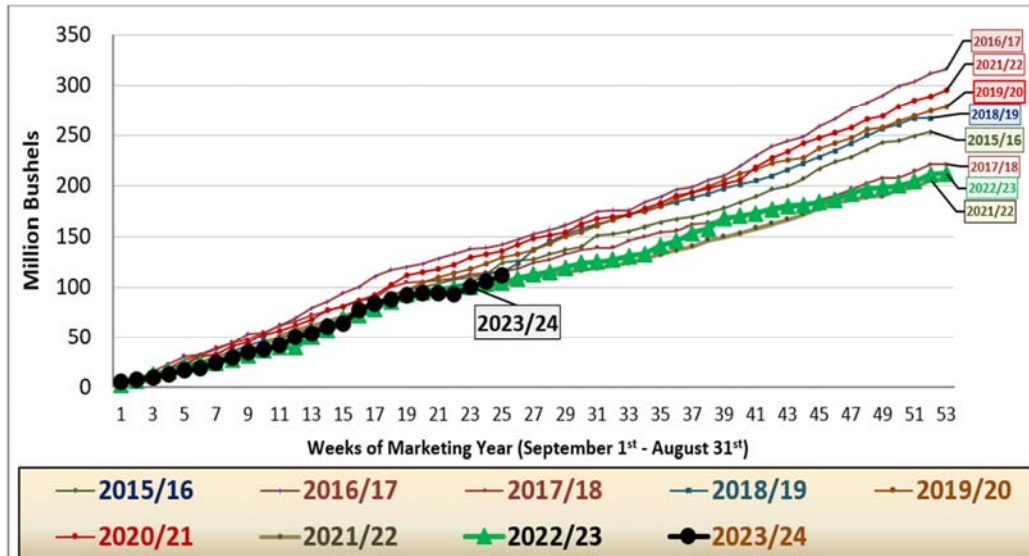
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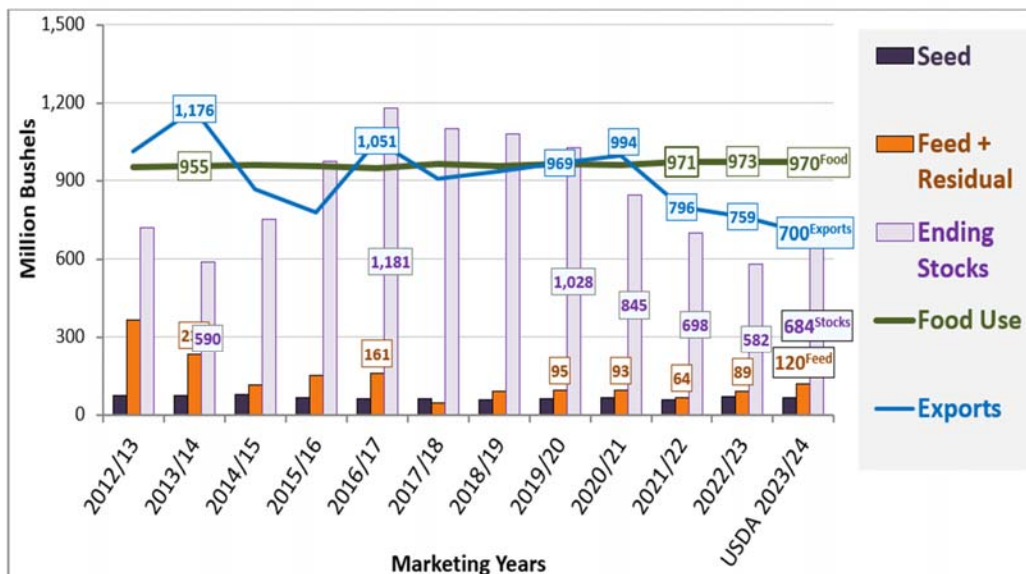
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U.S. Wheat Use & Ending Stocks

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U.S. Wheat Ending Stocks & % S/U

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MY 2006/07 thru "New Crop" MY 2023/24 – November 9, 2023 USDA Reports



U.S. Wheat % Stocks/Use vs Cash \$'s

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MY 2009/10 thru "New Crop" MY 2023/24 – As of the November 9, 2023 USDA Reports



U.S. Wheat Market Outcomes for "New Crop" MY 2023/24

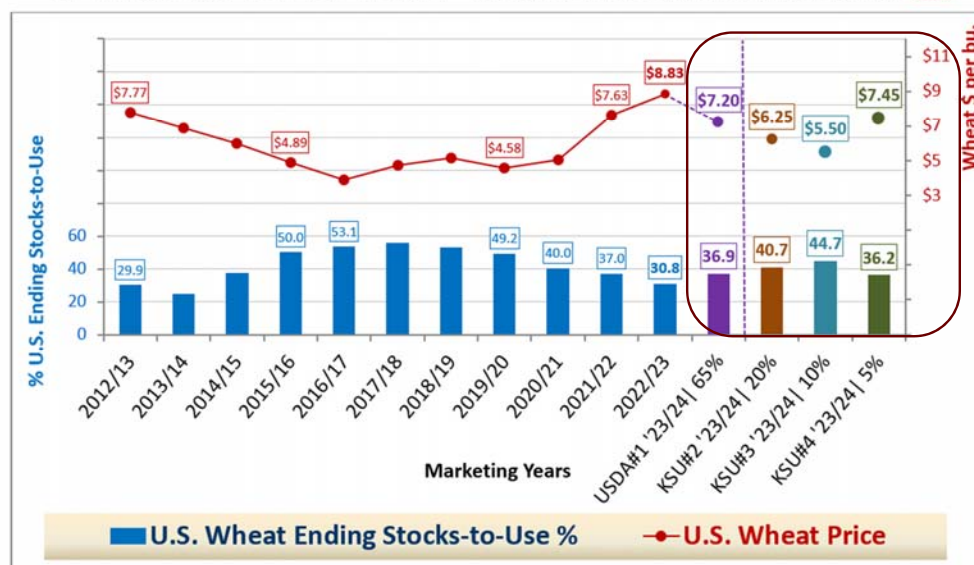
USDA & KSU Projections based on the November 9, 2023 USDA Report + KSU Scenarios

Item	USDA Scenario #1 "New Crop" 2023/24 Nov. 9, 2023 USDA	KSU Scenario #2 "New" 2023/24 KSU: 650 mb Exports 40.7% Stocks/Use	KSU Scenario #3 "New" 2023/24 KSU: 600 mb Exports 44.7% Stocks/Use	KSU Scenario #4 "New" 2023/24 KSU: 48.3 bu/ac Prodn: -1.96 Frst Fr⁵⁰
% Probability of Happening KSU	65% prob	20% prob.	10% prob	5% prob.
Planted Area (million acres)	49.575	49.575	49.575	49.575
Harvested Area (m)ln acres	37.272	37.272	37.272	37.272
Yield / harvested ac (bu/ac)	48.6	48.6	48.6	- 0.3 bu/ac. 48.3
Million Bushels				
Production	1,812	1,812	1,812	- 13 mb 1,799
Total Supply (million bu)	2,539	2,539	2,539	- 13 mb 2,526
Food Use	970	970	970	970
Exports	700	- 50 mb 650	- 100 mb 600	700
Total Use (million bushels)	1,855	- 50 mb 1,805	- 100 mb 1,755	1,855
Ending Stocks (million bu)	684	+ 50 mb 734	+ 100 mb 784	- 13 mb 671
% Ending Stocks-to-Use	36.87%	40.66%	44.67%	36.17%
U.S. Wheat Avg. Farm Price (\$/bushel)	\$7.20	\$6.25	\$5.50	\$7.45

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U.S. Wheat % Stocks/Use vs U.S. Cash \$'s

MY 2012/13 thru "New Crop" 2023/24 – As of the November 9, 2023 USDA Reports + KSU Ests.

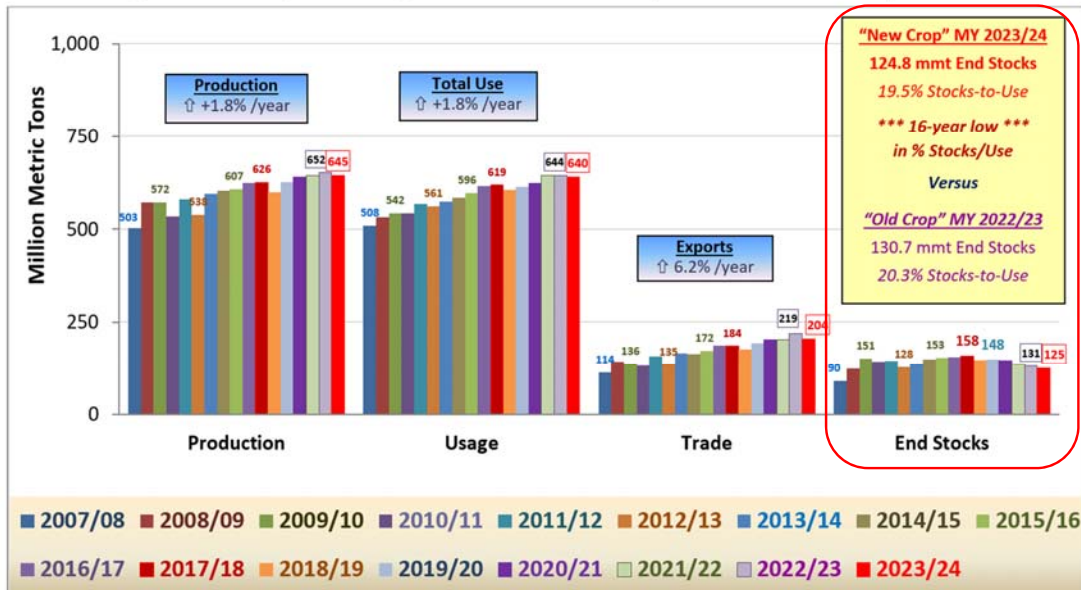


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"World Less-China" Wheat Usage & Ending Stocks

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MY 2007/08 - "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE Report



World vs "World Less-China" Wheat Stocks & % S/U

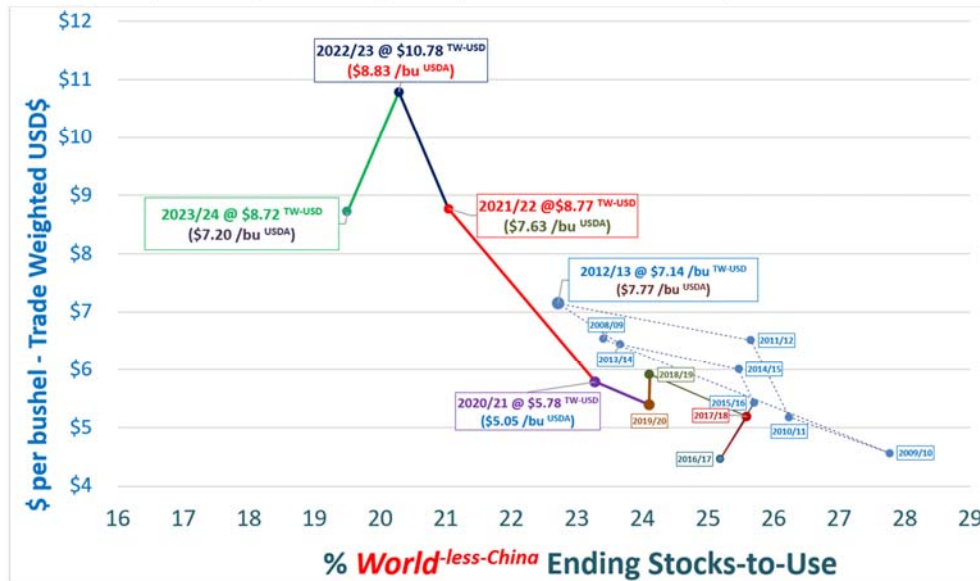
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MY 2007/08 through "New Crop" MY 2023/24 as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE report



U.S. Wheat \$ Trade-Wtd USD\$ vs World Less-China % S/U

MY 2008/09 through "New Crop" 2023/24 as of the November 9, 2023 USDA WASDE



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U.S. Cotton Supply and Use 1/

	2021/22	2022/23 Est.	2023/24 Proj. Oct	2023/24 Proj. Nov
Area		<i>Million Acres</i>		
Planted	11.22	13.76	10.23	10.23
Harvested	10.27	7.31	8.02	8.02
		<i>Pounds</i>		
Yield per Harvested Acre	819	950	767	783
		<i>Million 480 Pound Bales</i>		
Beginning Stocks	3.15	4.05	4.25	4.25
Production	17.52	14.47	12.82	13.09
Imports	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01
Supply, Total	20.68	18.52	17.07	17.35
Domestic Use	2.55	2.05	2.15	2.05
Exports, Total	14.48	12.77	12.20	12.20
Use, Total	17.03	14.82	14.35	14.25
Unaccounted 2/	-0.40	-0.55	-0.08	-0.11
Ending Stocks	4.05	4.25	2.80	3.20
Avg. Farm Price 3/	91.4	84.8	80.0	77.0

Note: Reliability calculations at end of report. 1/ Upland and extra-long staple; marketing year beginning August 1. Totals may not add due to rounding. 2/ Reflects the difference between the previous season's supply less total use and ending stocks. 3/ Cents per pound for upland cotton.

Closing Perspectives

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