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## **Economic Research Service**

The Economics of Food, Farming, Natural Resources, and Rural America

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This update covers Monday, November 9, 2009 to Friday, November 13, 2009

### **LATEST U.S. AGRICULTURAL TRADE DATA**

This data product announces USDA's monthly release of calendar year, fiscal year, year-to-date, and monthly value of U.S. agricultural exports, imports, and trade balance.

Released Friday, November 13, 2009

See <http://www.ers.usda.gov/Data/FATUS/MonthlySummary.htm>

### **WHEAT OUTLOOK**

Examines supply, use, prices, and trade for wheat, including supply and demand prospects in major importing and exporting countries. Contains data and information on U.S. wheat by class.

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### **FEED OUTLOOK**

Examines supply, use, prices, and trade for feed grains, including supply and demand prospects in major importing and exporting countries. Focuses on corn; also contains information on sorghum, barley, oats, and hay.

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### **OIL CROPS OUTLOOK**

Examines supply, use, prices, and trade for oil crops (primarily soybeans and products), including supply and demand prospects in major importing and exporting countries. Includes information on cottonseed, peanuts, sunflowerseed, tropical oils, corn oil, and animal fats.

Released Thursday, November 12, 2009

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## **RICE OUTLOOK**

Examines supply, use, prices, and trade for rice, including supply and demand prospects in major importing and exporting countries. Contains information on U.S. rough, milled, and long-, medium-, and short-grain rice.

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## **SEASON-AVERAGE PRICE FORECASTS**

A futures-price forecasting model is used to provide season-average price forecasts for corn, soybeans, and wheat. In addition to the monthly forecasts for prices received, the model computes a forecast for the counter-cyclical payment rate for each commodity. The 2002 Farm Act provides for counter-cyclical payments when prices are below specified levels.

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See <http://www.usda.gov/Data/PriceForecast/>

## **WORLD AGRICULTURAL SUPPLY AND DEMAND ESTIMATES**

Issued monthly, WASDE provides the most current USDA forecasts of U.S. and world supply-use balances for major grains, soybeans and products, and cotton, and U.S. supply and use data for sugar and livestock products.

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See <http://www.usda.gov/oce/commodity/wasde/>

## **INTERNATIONAL MACROECONOMIC DATA SET**

Provides data for real Gross Domestic Product, population, real exchange rates, and other variables for the 35 countries and 22 regions that are most important for U.S. agricultural trade.

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