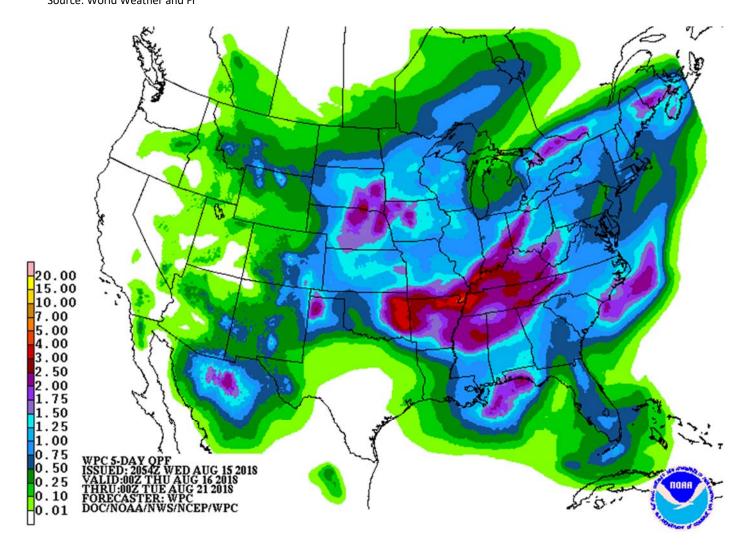


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Weather and crop conditions

- US weather will remain favorable this week into next week with timely rainfall and less threatening temperatures.
- The Northern U.S. Delta and Tennessee River Basin will see good rains.
- West Texas will see rain this weekend.
- Canada's Prairies will receive scattered showers and thunderstorms during the coming week.
- Argentina will receive rain in the central and east this weekend.
 Source: World Weather and FI



SIGNIFICANT CORN AND SOYBEAN BELT PRECIPITATION EVENTS

WEST CORN BELT EAST CORN BELT

Tdy-Fri 90-100% cvg of 0.20-1.30"

and local amts over 2.50";

wettest SW

Thu-Fri 50% cvg of up to 0.60"

and local amts to 2.0"; Neb. to Mo. wettest;

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driest NW Sat 15% cvg of up to 0.30" 20% cvg of up to 0.75" and locally more; and local amts to 1.50"; S.D. wettest wettest south Sun 10% cvg of up to 0.20" and locally more Sun-Mon 80% cvg of up to 0.75" and local amts over 2.0"; far NW driest Mon-Tue 75% cvg of up to 0.65" and local amts to 1.35" Tue 15% cvg of up to 0.20" and locally more Aug 22 15% cvg of up to 0.20" and locally more Aug 22-23 20% cvg of up to 0.60" and locally more; far south wettest Aug 23-24 20% cvg of up to 0.60" and locally more; wettest south 45% cvg of up to 0.75" Aug 24-26 and locally more; wettest north Aug 25-27 50% cvg of up to 0.60" and locally more Aug 27-29 40% cvg of up to 0.60" and locally more Aug 28-30 60% cvg of up to 0.50" and locally more U.S. DELTA/SOUTHEAST SIGNIFICANT PRECIPITATION EVENTS DELTA **SOUTHEAST** Tdy-Thu 15-30% daily cvg of up to 0.75" and locally more each day; driest NE Tdy-Fri 60% cvg of 0.60-2.0" and local amts to 3.0" north with up to 0.60"

Fri-Sun 85% cvg of 0.35-1.50"

and locally more in central and southern

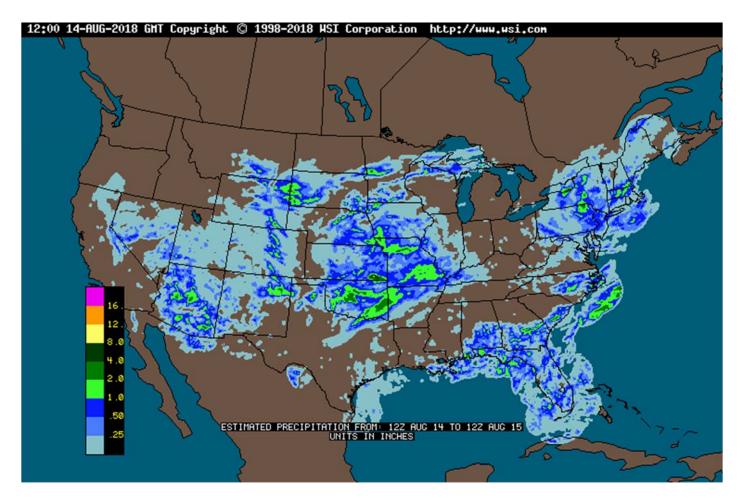
areas

and local amts over 3.0" from east Ms.to west Ga. with up to 0.75" and local amts to 2.0"

elsewhere

Sat-Sun 65% cvg of up to 0.75" and local amts to 1.75"; driest south 75% cvg of up to 0.55" Mon-Tue and local amts to 1.20" Mon-Aug 22 80% cvg of up to 0.65" and local amts to 1.40" Aug 22 15% cvg of up to 0.20" and locally more 50% cvg of up to 0.65" Aug 23-24 and local amts to 1.40"; wettest north Aug 23-25 60% cvg of up to 0.75" and locally more Aug 25-29 5-20% daily cvg of up to 0.30" and locally more each day Aug 26-29 15-35% daily cvg of up to 0.60" and locally

Source: World Weather and FI



more each day

Bloomberg weekly agenda

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 15:

- India on holiday
- Cargo surveyors Intertek, AmSpec release respective data on Malaysia's Aug. 1-15 palm oil exports, 11pm ET Tuesday (11am Kuala Lumpur Wednesday)
 - o SGS data for same period, 3am ET Wednesday (3pm Kuala Lumpur Wednesday)
- EIA U.S. weekly ethanol inventories, output, 10:30am
- National Oilseed Processors Association report on U.S. soybean processing data, noon
- The Salvadoran coffee council releases monthly El Salvador export data

THURSDAY, AUG. 16:

- USDA weekly net-export sales for corn, wheat, soy, cotton, 8:30am
- Port of Rouen data on French grain exports
- Buenos Aires Grain Exchange weekly crop report
- Bloomberg weekly survey of analysts' expectations on grain, sugar prices

FRIDAY, AUG. 17:

- FranceAgriMer weekly updates on French crop conditions
- ICE Futures Europe commitments of traders weekly report on coffee, cocoa, sugar positions, ~1:30pm ET (~6:30pm London)
- CFTC commitments of traders weekly report on positions for various U.S. futures and options, 3:30pm
- EARNINGS: Deere & Co.

Source: Bloomberg and FI

USDA US Export	USDA US Export Sales Projections in 000 Metric Tons											
		Trade*	FI Estimates		Last Week		Year Ago					
	Week ending:	Estimates	8/9/2018		ACTUAL		8/10/2017					
Beans	2017-18	100-400	300-500	2017-18	421.8		453.2					
	2018-19	300-700	500-900		532.5		899.4					
Meal	2017-18	40-200	75-175	Sales	109.6	Sales	74.2					
	2018-19	25-100	25-100		19.9		68.8					
	Shipments	NA	100-300	Shipments	255.6	Shipments	151.2					
Oil	2017-18	5-24	5-15	Sales	10.9	Sales	23.9					
	2018-19	0-8	0-5		0.0		3.0					
	Shipments	NA	15-25	Shipments	22.2	Shipments	23.5					
Corn	2017-18	300-600	350-650	2017-18	554.5		62.4					
	2018-19	300-1000	700-1000	2018-19	657.7		671.8					
Wheat	2018-19	200-500	300-500	2018-19	317.1		633.6					

Source: FI & USDA *Reuters estimates

n/c= New Crop

Macros.

- Retail Sales Advance (M/M) (Jul): 0.5% (est 0.1% prevR 0.3%)
 - Retail Sales Ex Auto (M/M) (Jul): 0.3% (est 0.6%, prevR 0.2%)

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- Retail Sales Ex Auto (M/M) (Jul): 0.4% (est 0.4% prevR 0.2%)
- Retail Sales Ex Auto And Gas (Jul) 0.5% (est 0.4%, prevR-0.1%)

Corn.

 Corn traded tow-sided, ending unchanged to slightly lower. Basis September corn, the 20 and 50-day MA's crossed for the first time since June 18.



- We still see corn prices remaining in a two-sided trading range over the short term.
- The funds bought an estimated net 4,000 corn contracts.
- WTI crude was down nearly \$2 for most contracts.
- Most of Europe was on holiday.
- The USDA Turkey Hatchery report showed eggs in Incubators on August 1 Down 4 percent from last year, poults hatched during July up 3 percent from last year. Net poults placed during July up 4 percent from last year.
- USDA's Broiler Report showed broiler-type eggs set in the United States up 1 percent and chicks placed up slightly. Cumulative placements from the week ending January 6, 2018 through August 11, 2018 for the United States were 5.89 billion. Cumulative placements were up 1 percent from the same period a year earlier.
- USDA announced it will buy \$50 million worth of fluid milk for food assistance programs, but says the
 purchase is not part of the Trump Administrations tariff relief package for dairy.
 https://www.milkbusiness.com/article/usda-to-purchase-50-million-fluid-milk

- African swine fever discovered earlier this month resulted in the culling of more than 8,000 hogs in Liaoning. Yesterday China's AgMin confirmed an outbreak of foot and mouth disease in its central province of Henan.
- Argentina's BA Grains Exchange put the upcoming corn area at 5.8 million hectares, up from 5.4 million planted in 2017. Rosario is using 6.8 million hectares with output at 45 to 46 million tons.
- Safras & Mercado reported Brazil corn prices rose 14 percent since early July as winter corn production could end up 27 percent below 2017. This is bullish US corn exports.



Ethanol update

- The US weekly EIA ethanol data was negative for US corn futures, in our opinion.
- Production decreased 28,000 barrels per day to 1.072 million barrels per day (bbl) and stocks increased 94,000 to 23.017 million.
- A Bloomberg poll called for US ethanol production to fall 14,000 million/day and stocks to increase 59,000 barrels.
- US ethanol production of 1.072 million barrels per day is still up 1.2% from about the same time a year ago, and running near a record.
- Padd2 production was 981,000 barrels, down 28,000 from a week earlier.
- September 2017 to date US ethanol production is running 2.9% above the same period a year ago.
- There were no imports reported this week.
- Ethanol stocks of 23.017 million barrels are up 6.3% from four weeks ago and up 5.4% from a year ago.

- Ethanol stocks were higher since mid-March 2017.
- Days of inventory of 21.4 compares to 21.0 a month ago and 20.2 during comparable period a year ago.
- Weekly ending stocks of total gasoline were down 0.740 million barrels to 233.1 million barrels.
- The net blender input of fuel ethanol was up 7,000 from the previous week at 948,000 bpd, above its 4-week average of 936,000 bpd.
- Net production of finished reformulated and conventional motor gasoline with ethanol, increased 67,000 to 9.377 million barrels, or 91.3 percent of the net production of all finished motor gasoline, up from up from 91.2 percent for the previous week.
- Our 2017-18 crop-year corn for ethanol usage is 5.635 billion bushels, above USDA's current estimate of 5.600 and compares to 5.432 billion for 2016-17. USDA looks for 2018-19 US corn for ethanol use at 5.525 billion bushels.

US Weekly Petroleum Status Report - Ethanol

_	Ethanol Production	Cha	nge	Ethanol Stocks	Cha	nge	Days of
	Mbbl	Last Week	Last Year	Mbbl	Last Week	Last Year	Ethanol
6/29/2018	1067	-5	5.2%	21,975	301	1.9%	20.3
7/6/2018	1033	-34	2.6%	22,393	418	5.7%	21.3
7/13/2018	1064	31	3.7%	21,768	-625	-1.7%	21.0
7/20/2018	1074	10	6.1%	21,653	-115	0.6%	20.3
7/27/2018	1064	-10	6.2%	21,967	314	5.3%	20.4
8/3/2018	1100	36	8.7%	22,923	956	7.4%	20.0
8/10/2018	1072	-28	1.2%	23,017	94	5.4%	21.4

Source: EIA and FI

US Weekly Ethano	I By PA	NDD _				
	10-Aug	3-Aug		Weekly	4-Week	YOY
Ethanol Stocks	2018	2018	Change	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total Stocks	23017	22923	94	0.4%	6.3%	5.4%
East Coast PADD 1	7310	7262	48	0.7%	2.8%	5.9%
Midwest PADD 2	7730	7810	-80	-1.0%	4.5%	6.3%
Gulf Coast PADD 3	5152	5113	39	0.8%	20.3%	17.3%
Rocky Mt. PADD 4	339	335	4	1.2%	5.3%	3.7%
West Coast PADD 5	2487	2402	85	3.5%	-2.2%	-15.1%
	10-Aug	3-Aug		Weekly	4-Week	YOY
Plant Production	2018	2018	Change	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total Production	1072	1100	-28	-2.5%	-0.2%	1.2%
East Coast PADD 1	27	25	2	8.0%	8.0%	
Midwest PADD 2	981	1009	-28	-2.8%	-0.4%	1.3%
Gulf Coast PADD 3	28	30	-2	-6.7%	0.0%	
Rocky Mt. PADD 4	15	14	1	7.1%	7.1%	
West Coast PADD 5	21	20	1	5.0%	0.0%	
Plant Production	Cro	op-Year to [Date YOY Pe	rcent Change		
	2017-18	2016-17	2015-16	3-Year Average		
	2.9%	4.2%	2.7%	3.3%		

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Export Developments

- Under the 24-hour reporting system, private exporters reported export sales of 114,572 tons of corn for delivery to unknown destinations. Of the total 55,000 tons is for delivery during the 2017/2018 marketing year and 59,572 tons is for delivery during the 2018/2019 marketing year.
- China sold about 61.4 million tons of corn out of reserves this season. Another 8 million tons will be offered this week.

Corn			Change	Oats			Change	Ethanol	Settle		
SEP8	3	361.50	(0.75)	SEP8		249.75	(10.50)	SEP8	1.36	Spot DDG	SIL
DEC8	3	376.00	(0.50)	DEC8		259.50	(9.00)	OCT8	1.36	Cash & CE	ЗОТ
MAR9	3	387.75	(0.25)	MAR9		266.50	(5.50)	NOV8	1.35	Corn + Eth	nanol
MAY9	3	394.75	0.00	MAY9		269.00	(4.50)	DEC8	1.35	Crush	
JUL9	4	100.50	0.00	JUL9		271.25	(4.25)	JAN9	1.35	1.45	
SEP9	4	100.50	(0.25)	SEP9		275.25	(4.25)	FEB9	1.35		
Soybe	an/Cor	'n	Ratio	Spread		Change	Wheat/Corn	Ratio	Spread	Change	
NOV8	9	SEP8	2.40	507.50		(10.00)	SEP8	1.47	170.75	(8.75)	
JAN9	[DEC8	2.34	505.00		(10.25)	DEC8	1.47	175.75	(9.00)	
MAY9	ľ	MAR9	2.33	516.25		(8.25)	MAR9	1.48	186.50	(8.25)	
JUL9	ľ	MAY9	2.31	518.75		(7.75)	MAY9	1.48	189.50	(8.00)	
AUG9	J	UL9	2.29	515.00		(7.75)	JUL9	1.45	178.25	(8.75)	
NOV9	9	SEP9	2.28	511.75		(3.75)	SEP9	1.46	184.75	(8.50)	
US Cor	n Basis	s & Barge Fre	eight								
Gulf C	orn			BRAZIL Co	orn Ba	asis		Chicago	-3 u	unch	
	AUG	+55 / 58 u	unch/dn1		AUG	+75 / +90 u	unch	Toledo	-20 u	dn10	
	SEPT	+56 / 59 u	unch		SEPT	+80 / +90 u	unch	Decatur	-18 u	unch	
	OCT	+48 / 52 z	unch/dn2		OCT	+88 / +100 z	up3/up10	Dayton	-7 u	unch	
	NOV	+56 / 59 z	unch		NOV	+85 / +90 z	unch	Cedar Rapi	c -18 u	unch	
	DEC	+58 / 61 z	unch		DEC	+85 / +90 z	unch	Burns Harb	-25 u	unch	
USD/to	on:							Memphis-C	Cairo Barge Frei	ight (offer)	
US Gulf	3YC Fo	b Gulf Seller (F	RTRS) 171.1 17	71.1 176.4 2	177.6	177.6 177.8		Aug	325		-25
China	2YC Ma	aize Cif Dalian	(DCE) 263.3 2	65.0 266.8	269.0	271.5 274.3		Sep	450	unchange	ed
Argenti	ne Yello	ow Maize Fob L	JpRiver - 17	71.0 177.2		-		Oct	450		-25
Source	e: FI, DJ	ا, Reuters & ۷	various trad	e sources				·			

8/15/18 Corn prices may stay in a two-sided trading pattern through the end of the month, unless a weather problem arises for US producers.

September corn may trade in a \$3.50-\$3.80 range. December corn is seen in a \$2.80-\$4.00 range. Our working 2018-19 corn crop-year average is \$3.55, subject to change.

Soybean complex.

- The soybean complex ended lower in part to prices giving back gains from yesterday. The USD hit a June 2017 high, so traders are getting anxious that the higher USD will start to impact US agriculture exports.
- Turkish import tariffs against the US sparked selling in US equities that could have spilled over into the commodity markets. Apprehensiveness for escalating US mercantile relations with countries beyond China and NAFTA are increasing. Caveat emptor. We don't know how many more trading sessions will result in lower prices based on trade fears.
- Sharply lower WTI added pressure to soybean oil. September soybean oil could test or trade at a fresh contract low this week.

- This is the third consecutive day the September soybean contract settled below its 20-day MA. September soybean meal ended below its 20-day MA.
- NOPA reported a bullish US soybean crush for the month of July. Soybean oil stocks were also supportive, in our opinion. They report was widely overlooked.
- Funds sold an estimated net 7,000 soybeans, sold 5,000 soybean meal, and sold 4,000 soybean oil.
- Most of Europe was on holiday.
- Ukraine started rapeseed plantings for 2019 harvest.
- Brazil soybean plantings start around mid-September.
- October Malaysian palm was lower overnight by 18 ringgits.
- Cargo surveyor SGS reported Aug 1-15 Malaysian palm exports at 403,862, down 50,662 tons or 11% from the same period a month ago and down 133,160 tons from the same period a year ago (25% decrease).
- AmSpec reported palm exports at 415,719 tons, down 14.6 percent from the previous period last month.

SGS Palm Oil Export Pace

Tons	MOM	MOM	YOY	YOY
403,862	-50,662	-11.1%	-133,160	-24.8%
287,501	30,405	11.8%	-75,506	-20.8%
1,049,970	-8,862	-0.8%	-210,173	-16.7%
910,774	50,557	5.9%	-133,682	-12.8%
692,334	21,892	3.3%	-125,627	-15.4%
454,524	-43,748	-8.8%	-161,147	-26.2%
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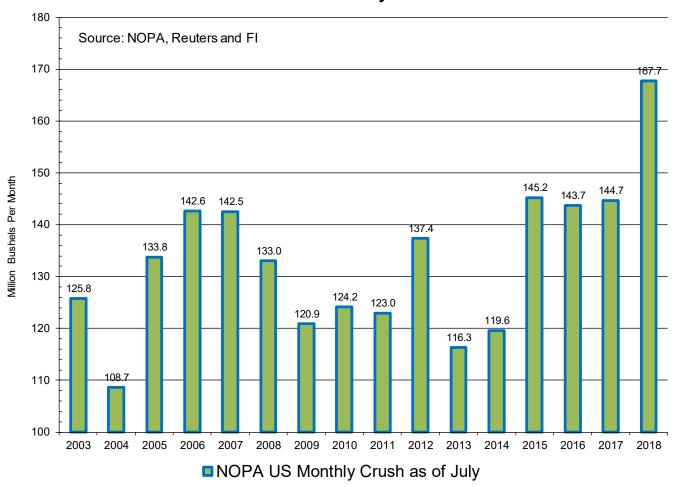
Source: SGS, Reuters, and FI

NOPA crush exceeds expectations.

NOPA CRUSH REPORT										
	Actual	Trade	Act-				FI			
	Jul-18	Est*	Trade*	Jun-18	May-18	Jul-17	Jul-18			
Crush- mil bu	167.7	161.7	6.0	159.2	163.6	144.7	161.2			
Oil Stocks-mil lbs	1764	1783	-19	1766	1856	1558	1776			
Oil Yield -lbs/bu	11.50	na	na	11.52	11.52	11.66	11.51			
Meal Exports -000 tons	737	na	na	857	905	597	825			
Meal Yield -lbs/bu	47.47	na	na	47.56	47.58	46.81	47.35			
Sources: NOPA and EL */Re	outers range 15	5 0-165 0 17/	10-1850)							

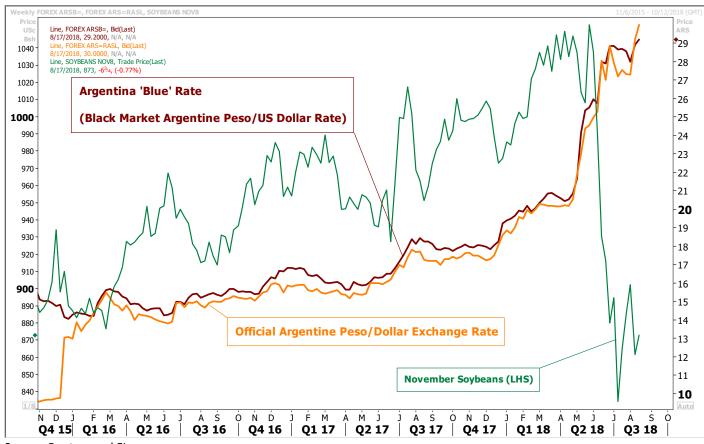
 NOPA reported a record (for the month) July crush of 167.7 million bushels, 8.5 million above June well above 144.7 million in July 2017. On a daily adjusted basis, it was remarkably 103,000 bushels per day higher than the average June daily rate, a 1.9% increase. This was not expected given the amount of downtime during July.

NOPA US Monthly Crush



- The July crush of 167.733 million bushels ranks as the second highest monthly crush in our recorded history, behind 171.858 million in March 2018. On a daily basis, the July crush ranked 4th highest for any month. The Illinois region posted a record crush for the month of July. IA was not a record. Southeast and southwest regions posted a record for comparable July's.
- Soybean oil stocks came in 19 million pounds less than the average trade guess. This translate to much higher use than expected. At 1.764 billion pounds, its 2 million less than the end of June and compares to 1.558 billion at the end of July 2017. July NOPA soybean oil stocks are the largest for that month since 2013.
- The soybean oil yield fell 2 tenths to 11.50 pounds per bushel. Last July it was 11.66 pounds per bushel.
- July soybean oil production was 1.929 million pounds, second highest in our monthly history, behind 1.977 million in March 2018.
- The soybean meal yield in July was 47.47, below 47.56 in June but up from 46.81 in July 2017.
- July soybean meal production was 3.961 million short tons, second highest for any month behind 4.083 million short tons in March 2018.
- Soybean meal exports were robust at 737,000 short tons, and a record for the month, but did fall below our expectations and were below 857,000 short tons in June and above 597,000 short tons in July 2017.
- We look for end of July NASS soybean meal stocks to fall between the 425-455 thousand ton range, above 399 thousand tons at the end of June and compares to 424 thousand at the end of July 2017.

 Even with only one month of reporting left, we will likely increase our 2.041 billion bushel crush estimate (Sep-Aug) by 11-13 million bushels. USDA is at 2.040 billion. Any feedback on August downtime is welcome.



Source: Reuters and FI

Export Developments

- China sold 127,270 tons of 2013 soybeans at auction at an average price of 3,012 yuan/ton
 (\$437.37/ton), 42% of what was offered. China sold 1.218 million tons of soybeans out of reserves so
 far, this season.
- China sold 20,113 tons of 2011 soybean oil at auction at an average price of 5,000 yuan/ton (\$725.30/ton), 35.5% of what was offered.
- China sold 600 tons of rapeseed oil at auction at an average price of 6117 yuan/ton (\$888.98/ton),
 0.96% of what was offered.
- Iran seeks 30,000 tons of sunflower oil on September 24.

Soybea	ns	Change	Soybean Meal			Change	Soybean Oi		Change
SEP8	857.50	(10.75)	SEP8	329.50		(6.30)	SEP8	27.88	(0.40)
NOV8	869.00	(10.75)	OCT8	330.10		(6.50)	OCT8	28.00	(0.41)
JAN9	881.00	(10.75)	DEC8	331.30		(6.50)	DEC8	28.20	(0.41)
MAR9	892.50	(9.50)	JAN9	329.80		(5.60)	JAN9	28.44	(0.42)
MAY9	904.00	(8.50)	MAR9	326.50		(5.40)	MAR9	28.75	(0.43)
JUL9	913.50	(7.75)	MAY9	324.00		(4.80)	MAY9	29.05	(0.42)
AUG9	915.50	(7.75)	JUL9	325.40		(4.60)	JUL9	29.35	(0.40)
Soybea	ns Spread	Change	SoyMeal	Spread		Change	SoyOil	Spread	Change
Sep/No	v 11.50	0.00	Sep/Dec	1.80		(0.20)	Sep/Dec	0.32	(0.01)
Electro	nic Beans Crush	h	Oil as %	Meal/O	il\$	Meal	Oil		
Month	Margin		of Oil&Meal	Con. Val	ue	Value	Value		
SEP8	174.08	SEP8	29.73%	\$	16,222	724.90	306.68		
NOV8/E	DEC8 170.06	ОСТ8	29.78%	\$	16,210	726.22	308.00	EUR/USD	1.1346
JAN9	157.40	DEC8	29.85%	\$	16,210	728.86	310.20	Brazil Real	3.9002
MAR9	142.05	JAN9	30.13%	\$	15,916	725.56	312.84	Malaysia Bid	4.1020
MAY9	128.35	MAR9	30.57%	\$	15,400	718.30	316.25	China RMB	6.9330
UL9	125.23	MAY9	30.95%		14,970	712.80	319.55	AUD	0.7238
AUG9	125.76	JUL9	31.08%		14,930	715.88	322.85	CME Bitcoin	6303
SEP9	130.00	AUG9	31.19%	\$	14,858	716.54	324.72	3M Libor	2.31175
NOV9	127.47	SEP9	31.31%	\$	14,738	715.88	326.37	Prime rate	5.0000
AN0	119.85	ОСТ9	31.51%	\$	14,502	712.14	327.58		
JS Soyk	ean Complex	Basis							
,	AUG +30/3	6 x dn1/unch					DECATUR	-21 x	unch
S	SEPT +25 / 3	0 x dn1/dn1	IL SBM		-12	8/14/2018	SIDNEY	-20 x	unch
(OCT +26/3	2 x dn2/dn2	CIF Meal		13	8/14/2018	CHICAGO	-25 q	unch
1	NOV +35 / 4	2 x dn1/up1	Oil FOB NOLA		250	8/14/2018	TOLEDO	-20 x	dn8
	DEC +34 / 4	13 f unch	Decatur Oil		0	8/14/2018	BRNS HRBR	-40 x	unch
							C. RAPIDS	-55 x	unch
	Brazil Soy	/beans Paranag	ua fob	Brazil M	1eal Par	anagua		Brazil Oil Para	anagua
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	SEPT-215 / +22		ОСТ	•	+5 v	dn1/unch		+150 / 160 u	
	OCT+225 / +23		NOV	-	+11 z	dn1/unch		+150 / +200 v	-
ſ	NOV+230 / +26	0 x unch	DEC	-	+11 z	dn1/unch	NOV	+140 / +200 z	dn10/dn30
	DEC	nq nq	JAN	+9 / -	+17 h	dn1/up5	DEC	+140 / +200 z	dn10/dn30
	A	Argentina meal	337	7.3		Argentina oil	Spot fob	29.5	1.53

Source: FI, DJ, Reuters & various trade sources

Updated 8/10/18

We would not rule out fresh contract lows in soybeans. The US and world ending stocks are forecast at record.

September soybeans are seen in a \$8.25-\$9.10 range; November \$8.00-\$9.50 range.

September soybean meal \$295-335 range; December \$280-\$350 range.

September soybean oil 27.60-29.50 range; December 27.50-30.50 range.

Wheat.

- US wheat ended lower after the USD reached its highest level since June 2017.
- Chicago and KC wheat remain at a two-week low.
- September KC today bounced off its 100-day MA.
- Volume was lower than normal.
- Funds sold an estimated net 6,000 SRW wheat contracts.
- EU December wheat was 0.50 euros lower at 207.50 euros.
- Ukraine harvested 7.335 million tons of barley, 13 percent below 2017, with an average yield of 3.01 tons per hectare, down from 3.40 in 2017.
- Ukraine harvested 33.4 million tons of grain so far, which includes early summer grain.
- UkrAgroConsult reported July wheat exports out of Ukraine at 959,960 tons.

Export Developments.

- Jordan bought 60,000 tons of hard milling wheat at \$262/ton c&f for LH October shipment.
- Jordan seeks 120,000 tons of feed barley on August 28.
- Iraq seeks 50,000 tons of milling wheat on 8/15.
- Japan in a SBS import tender seeks 120,000 tons of feed wheat and 200,000 tons of barley on August 22 for arrival by January 31.

Rice/Other

- Egypt's ESIIC seeks 100,000 tons (150k previously_ of raw sugar on Aug 18 for shipment within the first half of September and two 50,000-ton shipments from September 15-Oct 15.
- Thailand to sell 120k tons of raw sugar on Aug. 22.

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DEC8 207.75 (0.25) 232,405 (17,648) US HRW FOB \$251.90 \$	1.80
MAR9 209.00 (0.25) 76,741 2,246 Black Sea FOB Mill 11% \$221.00 \$	3.00
MAY9 209.50 (0.50) 41,126 2,896 Russia FOB 12% \$233.50 \$	2.00
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Source: FI, DJ, Reuters & various trade sources	

8/6/18. Trading ranges:

We remain bullish wheat. USDA will likely again reduce crop prospects for several countries in their September update. Next update for US production will be in the September Small Grains Summary report.

- September Chicago wheat \$5.30-\$5.90 range.
- September KC \$5.40-\$6.00 range.
- September MN \$5.75-\$6.75 range.

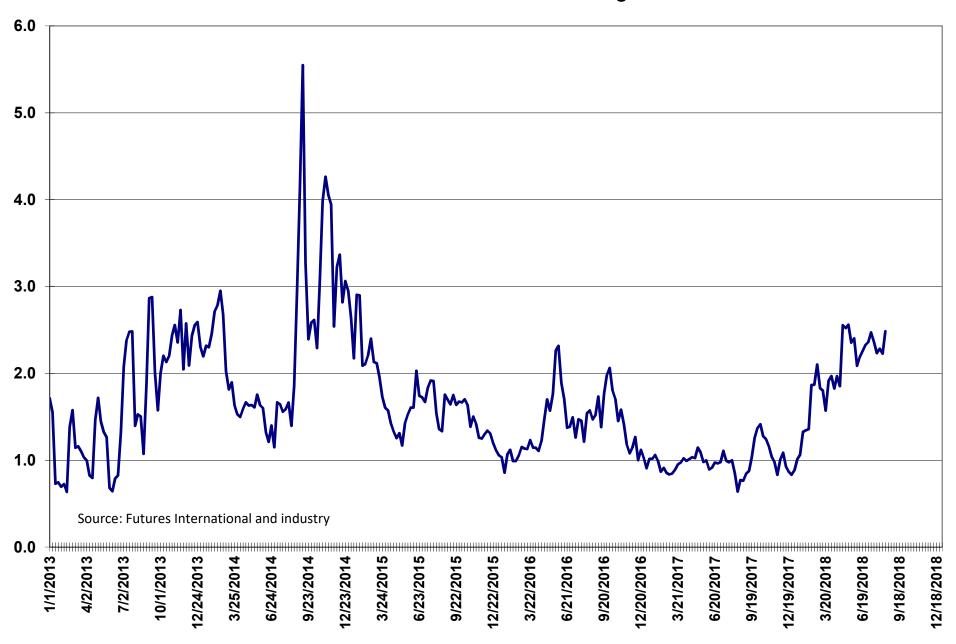
CASH CRUSHING MARGINS

as of 8/14

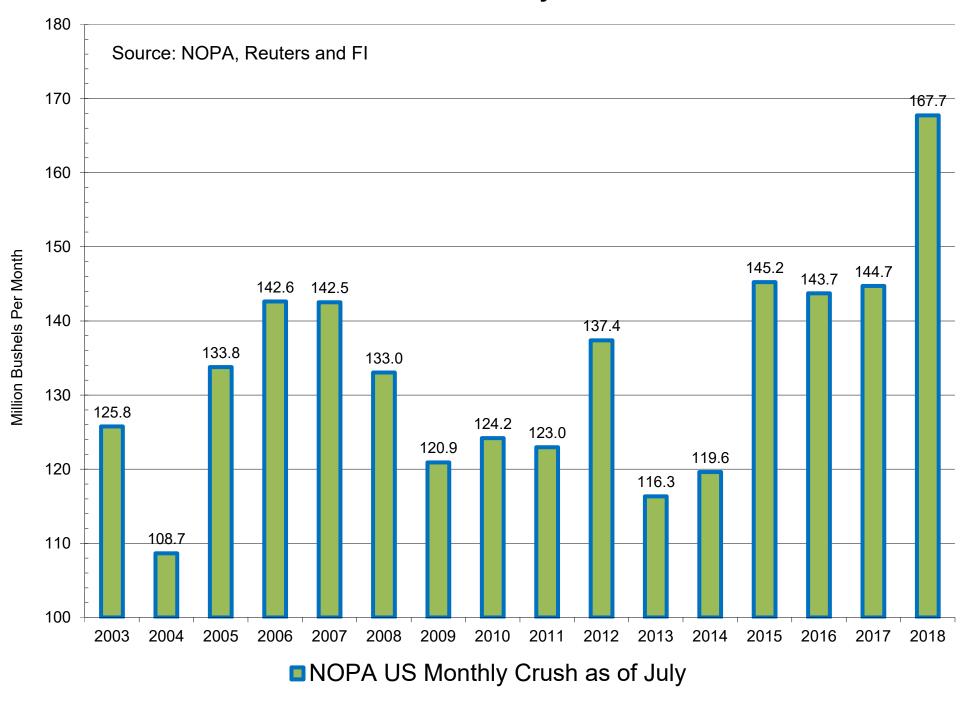
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	Decatur Illinois	Mt. Vernon Indiana	Sidney Ohio	Des Moines Iowa	Council Bluff Iowa
Moal Pasis 499/	-12	4	-8	-30	-28
Meal Basis 48% Oil Basis (cents/lb)					
	0.00	-0.50	0.25	-0.25	-0.50
Bean Basis (cents/bu)	-21 7.70	-20	-20 7.80	-60	-65 7.33
Meal Value (\$/bu)	7.70	8.08	7.80	7.27	7.32
Oil Value (\$/bu)	3.26	3.26	3.26	3.23	3.20
Oil % of Total Value	29.73	28.73	29.48	30.75	30.42
Cash Crush (\$/bu)	2.49	2.86	2.57	2.42	2.49
0/44/2040	2.40	2.05	2.57	2.42	2.40
8/14/2018	2.49	2.86	2.57	2.42	2.49
8/7/2018	2.23	2.50	2.24	2.06	2.18
7/31/2018	2.28	2.51	2.33	2.15	2.24
7/24/2018	2.23	2.62	2.40	2.16	2.36
7/17/2018	2.36	2.67	2.53	2.29	2.44
7/10/2018	2.47	2.73	2.64	2.33	2.53
7/3/2018	2.36	2.60	2.48	2.22	2.36
6/26/2018	2.33	2.56	2.34	1.99	2.21
6/19/2018	2.26	2.51	2.37	1.91	2.21
6/12/2018	2.19	2.44	2.16	1.74	2.12
6/5/2018	2.09	2.23	2.15	1.78	2.06
5/29/2018	2.40	2.30	2.26	1.81	2.06
5/22/2018	2.35	2.31	2.32	1.77	2.08
5/15/2018	2.56	2.50	2.51	1.94	2.10
5/8/2018	2.52	2.50	2.61	2.16	2.16
5/1/2018	2.55	2.64	2.65	2.00	2.25
4/24/2018	1.85	2.22	1.87	1.64	1.71
4/17/2018	1.97	2.44	1.97	1.66	1.80
4/10/2018	1.83	2.26	1.84	1.56	1.70
4/3/2018	1.97	2.49	1.97	1.70	1.86
3/27/2018	1.91	2.41	1.60	1.67	1.92
3/20/2018	1.57	2.09	1.59	1.37	1.65
3/13/2018	1.80	2.10	1.81	1.54	1.93
3/6/2018	1.83	2.15	1.94	1.58	2.02
2/27/2018	2.10	2.47	2.12	1.87	2.12
2/20/2018	1.87	2.32	1.98	1.83	1.99
2/13/2018	1.87	2.13	1.98	1.66	1.70
2/6/2018	1.36	1.84	1.43	1.27	1.27
1/30/2018	1.34	1.89	1.44	1.39	1.30
1/23/2018	1.33	1.74	1.43	1.43	1.43
1/16/2018	1.06	1.51	1.26	1.16	1.30
1/9/2018	1.01	1.49	1.20	1.11	1.28
1/2/2018	0.88	1.39	1.17	0.89	1.11
12/26/2017	0.83	1.41	0.96	0.84	0.91
12/19/2017	0.87	1.44	0.99	0.92	1.03
12/12/2017	0.93	1.53	1.00	1.01	1.03
12/5/2017	1.09	1.62	1.18	1.10	1.25
11/28/2017	1.01	1.54	1.10	1.16	0.97
11/21/2017	0.83	1.44	1.00	0.82	0.80
11/14/2017	0.98	1.65	1.25	1.04	1.11
11/7/2017	1.04	1.64	1.21	1.10	1.14
10/31/2017	1.16	1.72	1.26	1.27	1.39
10/24/2017	1.24	1.91	1.40	1.23	1.14
10/17/2017	1.28	1.74	1.43	1.20	1.34
10/10/2017	1.41	1.75	1.47	1.10	1.27
10/3/2017	1.37	1.83	1.49	1.21	1.25
9/26/2017	1.26	1.53	1.53	1.50	1.62
9/19/2017	1.03	1.39	1.42	1.38	1.48
9/12/2017	0.88	1.30	1.19	1.01	0.96
9/5/2017	0.84	1.16	1.15	1.05	1.00
Source: FI, NOPA, various	trade sources				

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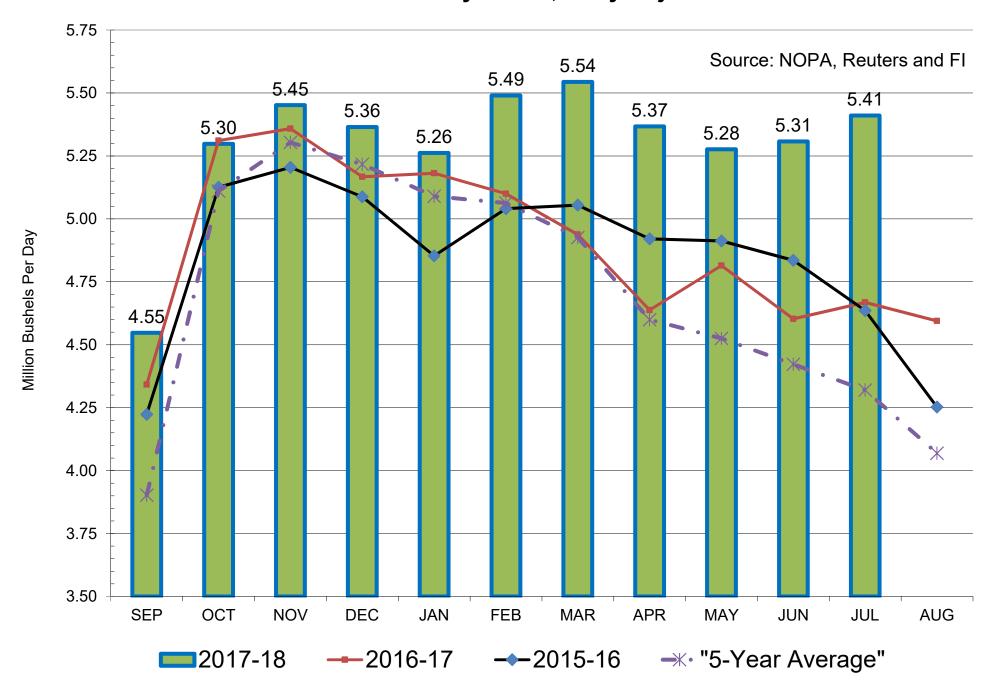
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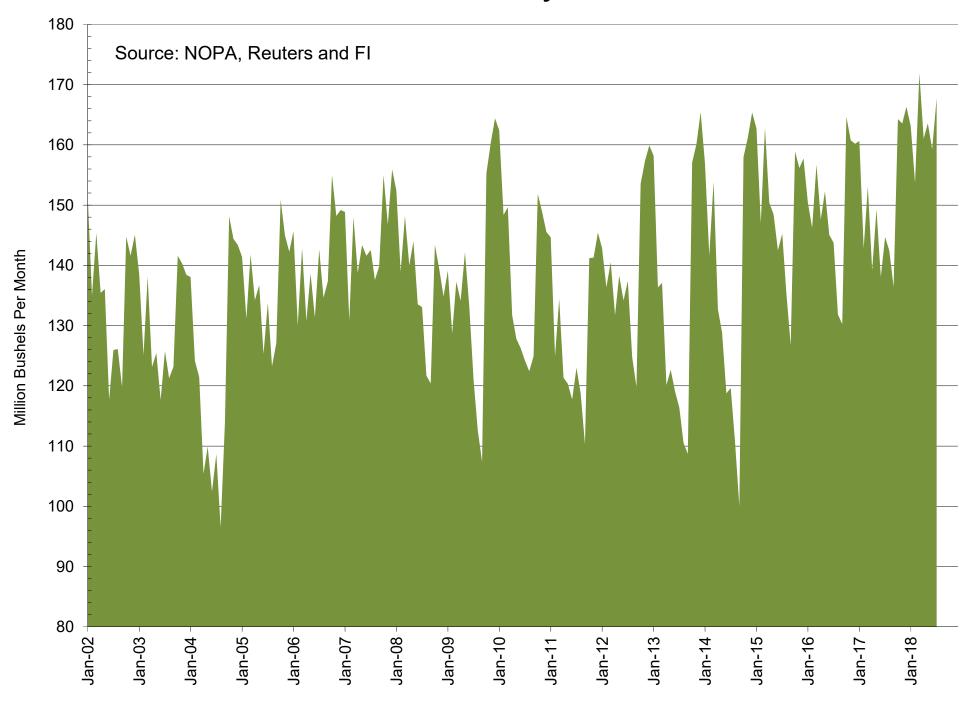
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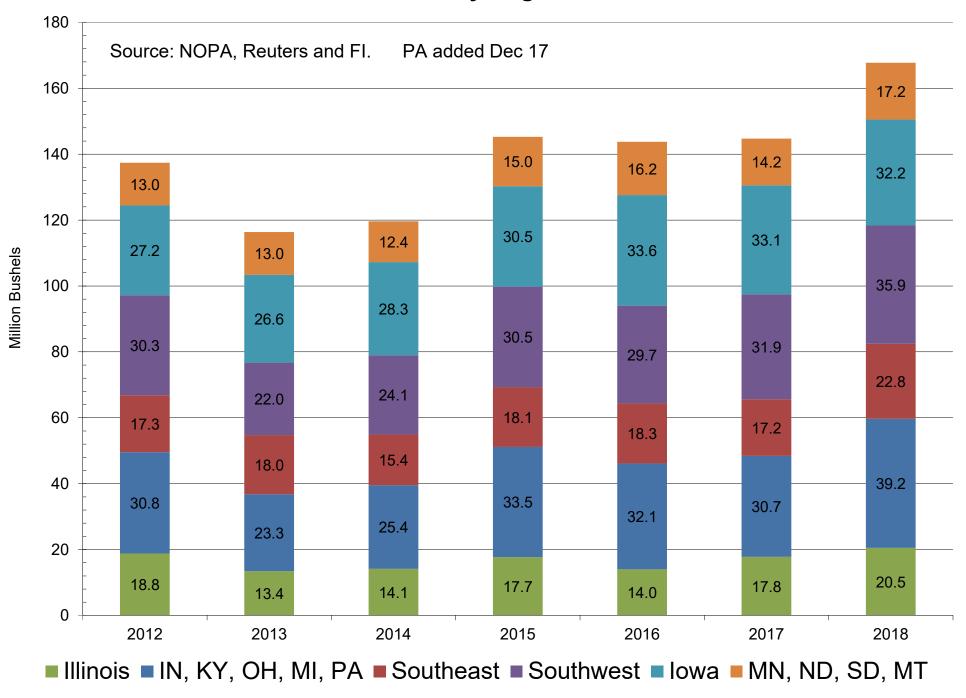
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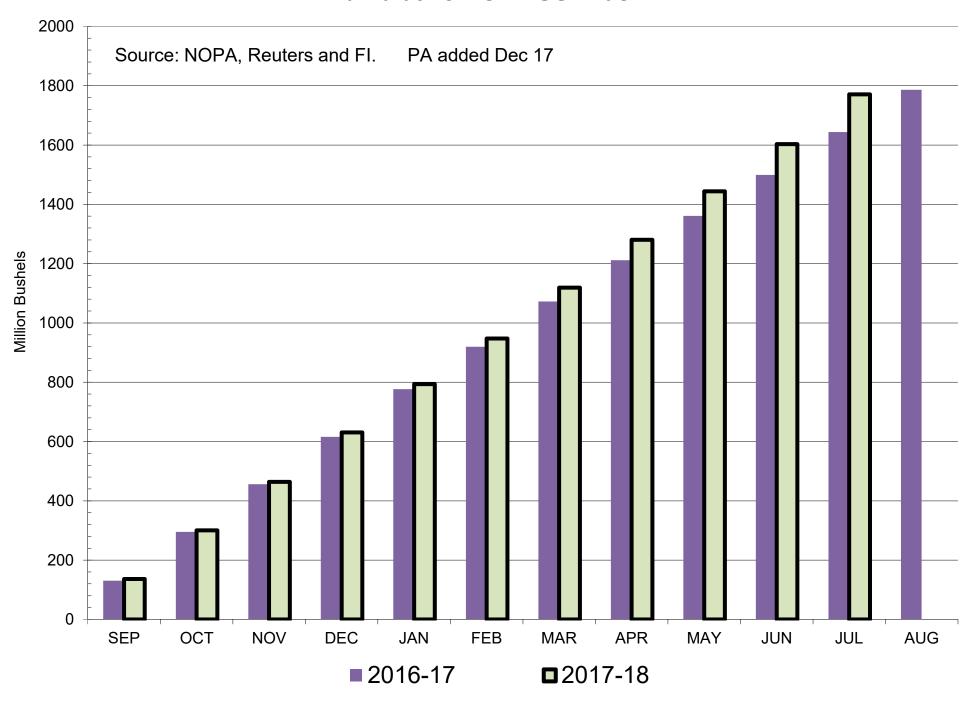
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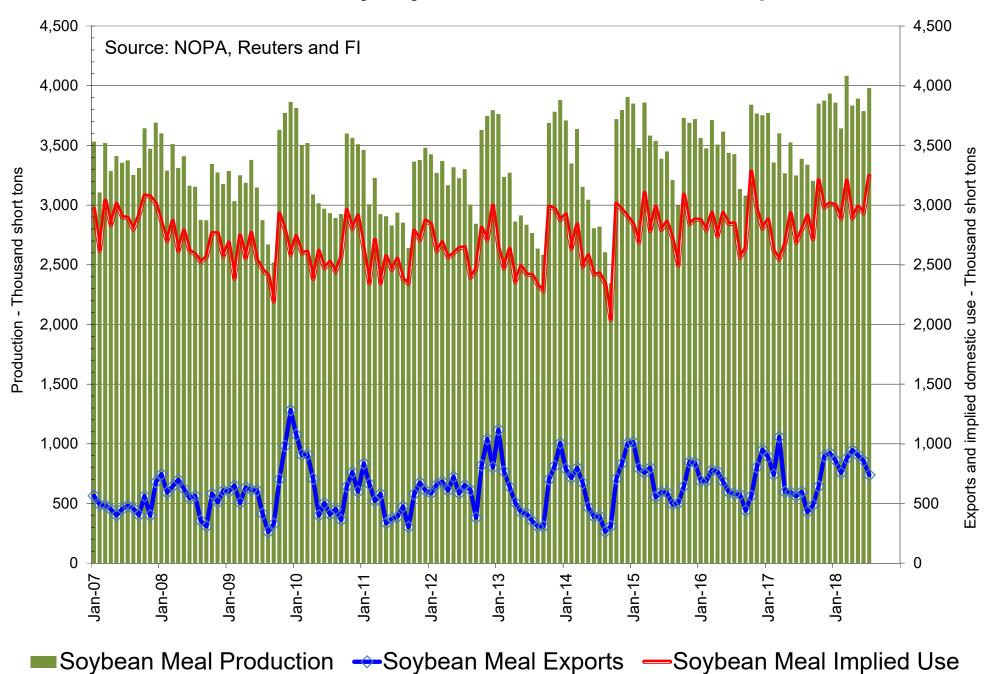
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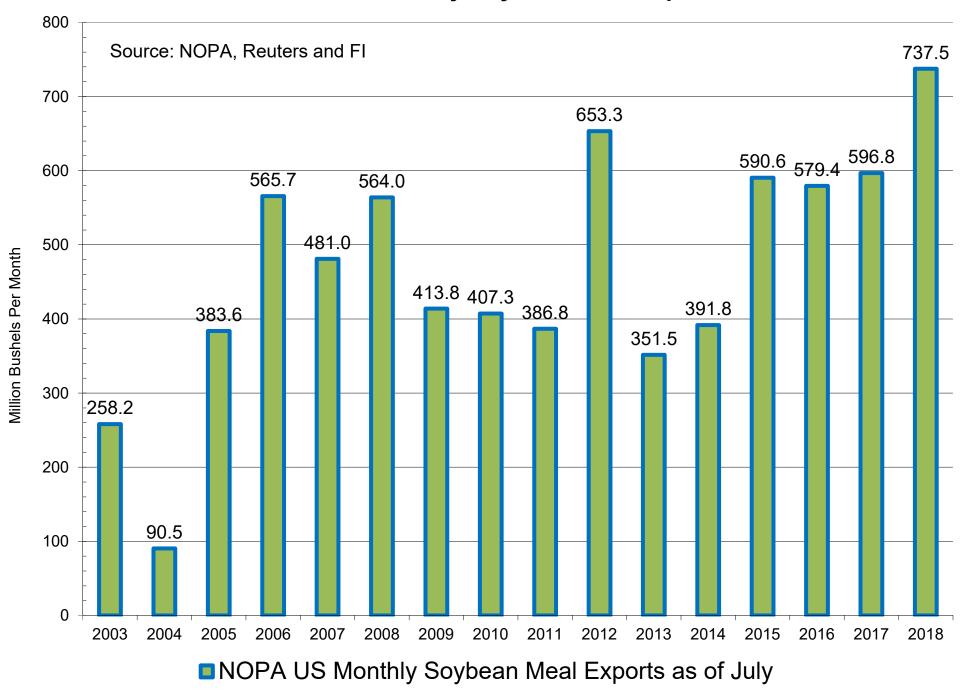
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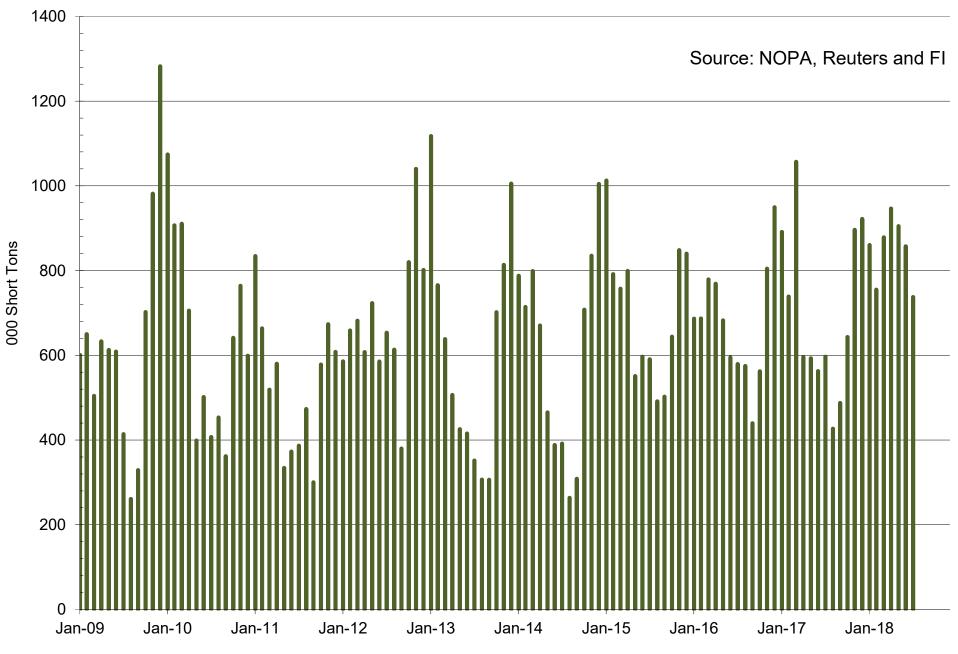
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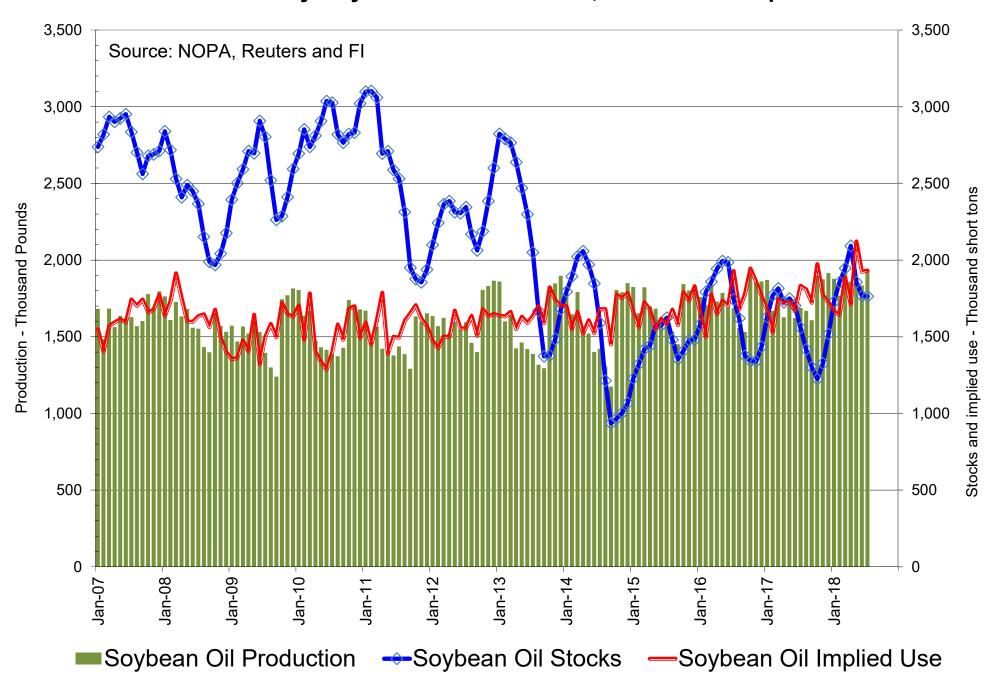


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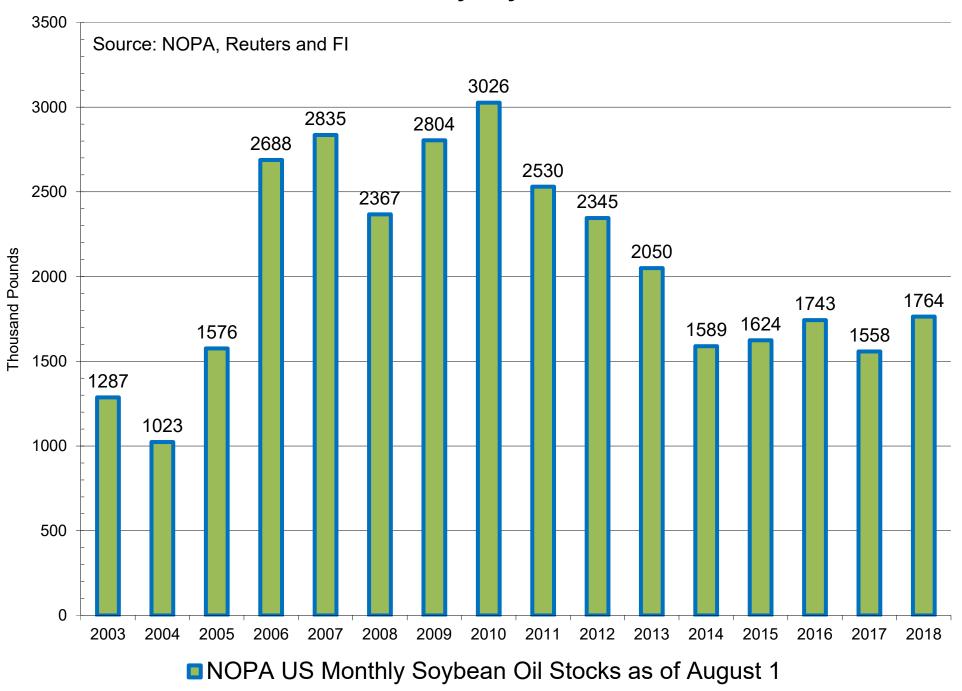


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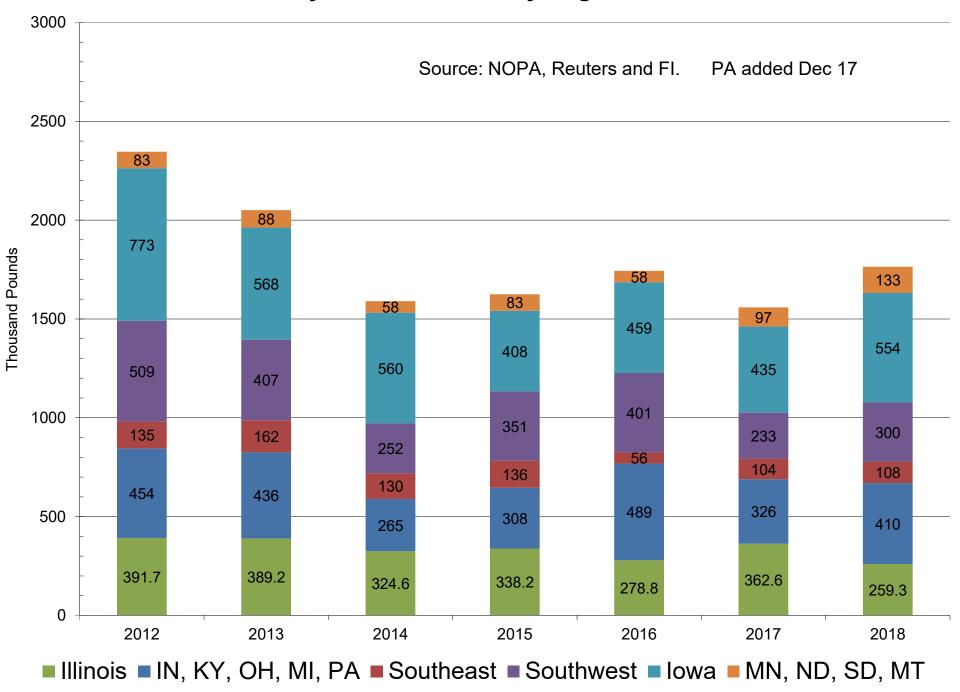
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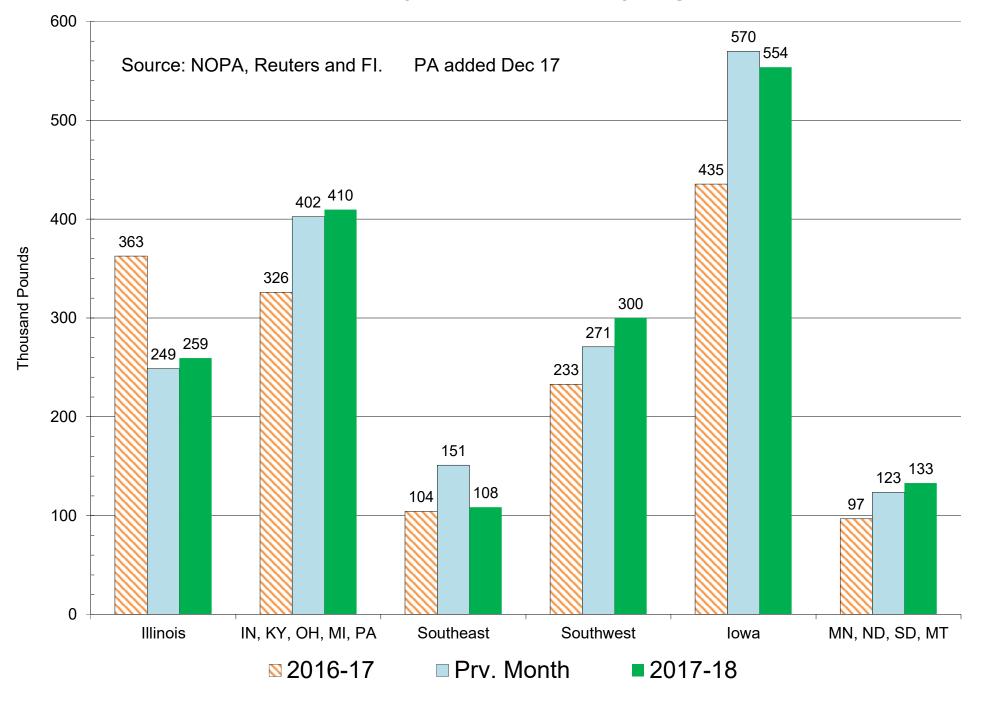
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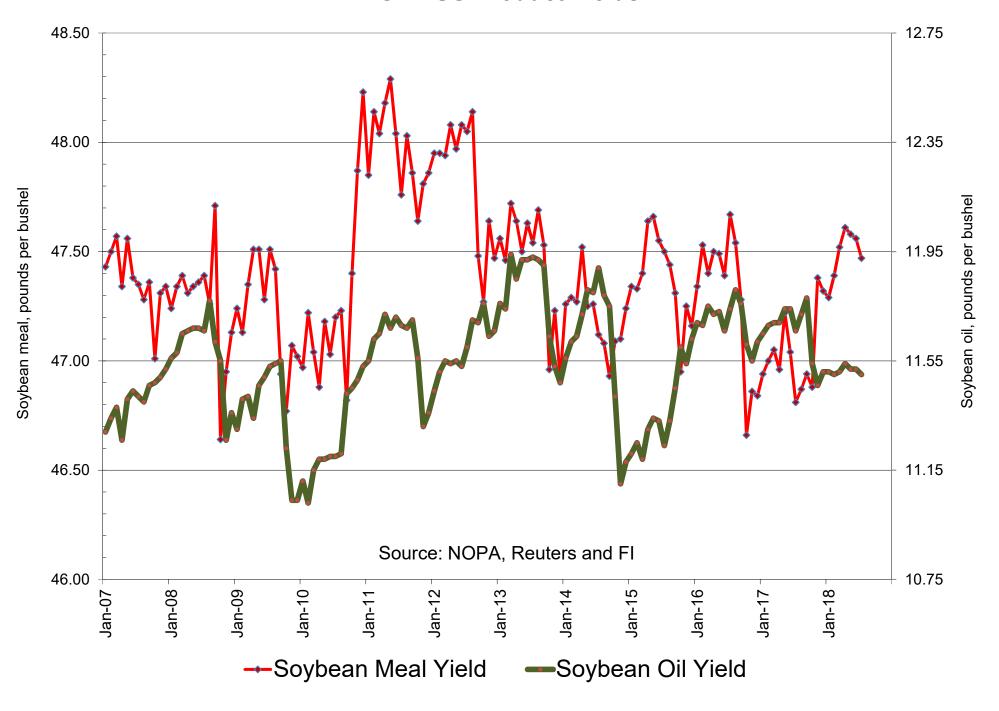
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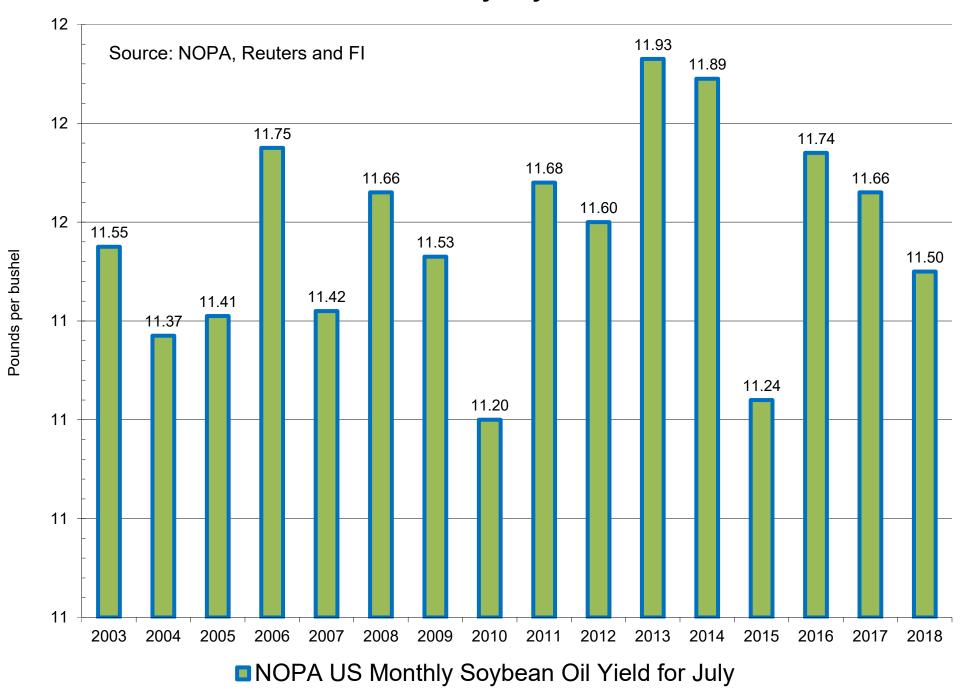
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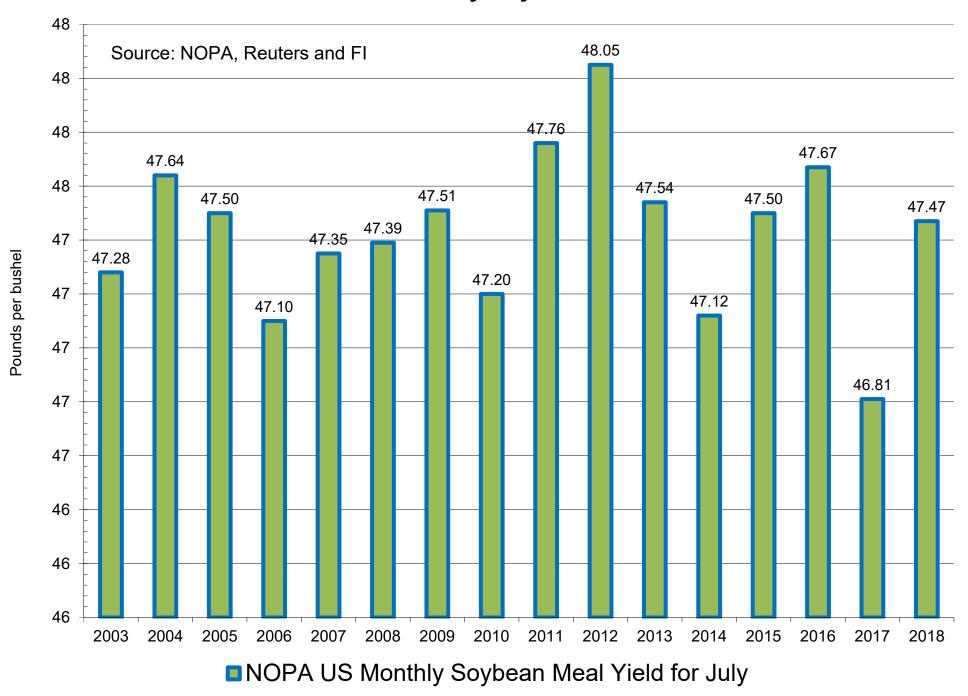
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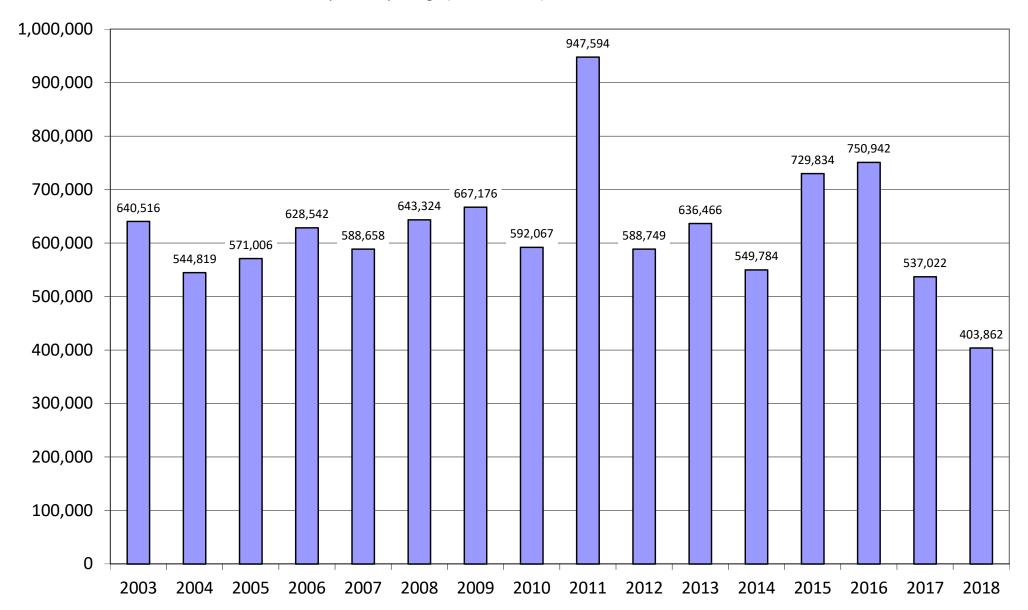
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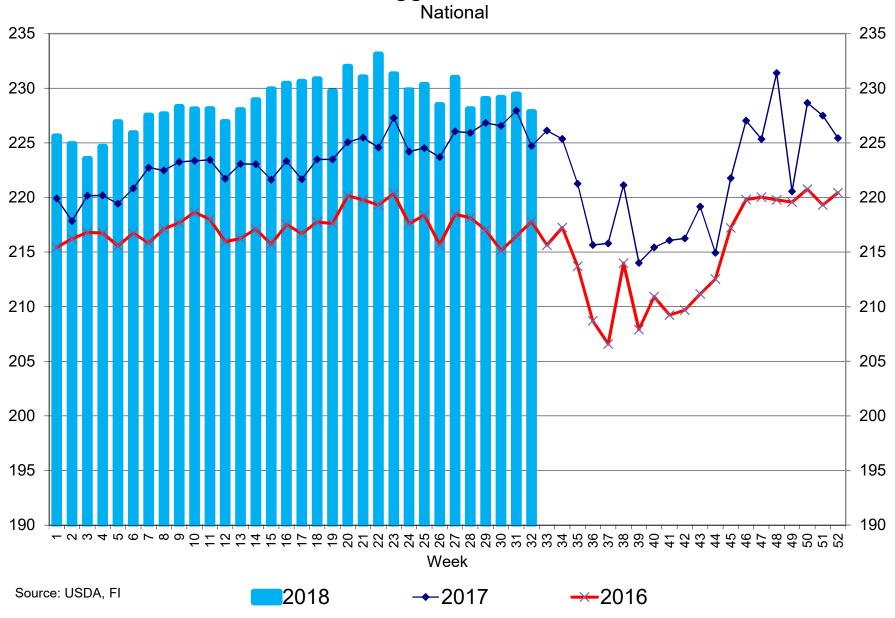
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SGS Palm and Product Shipments, Tons

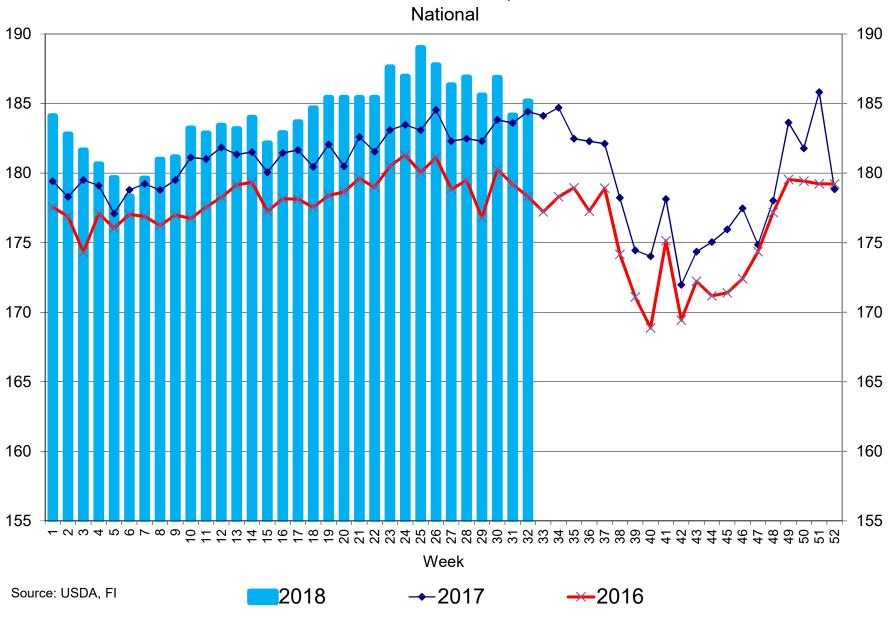
Cargo surveyor SGS reported Aug 1-15 Malaysian palm exports at 403,862, down 50,662 tons or 11% from the same period a month ago and down 133,160 tons from the same period a year ago (25% decrease).



Broiler Egg Sets, in millions



Broiler Chicks Placed, in millions



US Weekly Petroleum Status Report - Ethanol

	Ethanol Production	Char	nge	Ethanol Stocks	Chai	nge	Days of
	Mbbl	Last Week	Last Year	Mbbl	Last Week	Last Year	Ethanol
6/29/2018	1067	-5	5.2%	21,975	301	1.9%	20.3
7/6/2018	1033	-34	2.6%	22,393	418	5.7%	21.3
7/13/2018	1064	31	3.7%	21,768	-625	-1.7%	21.0
7/20/2018	1074	10	6.1%	21,653	-115	0.6%	20.3
7/27/2018	1064	-10	6.2%	21,967	314	5.3%	20.4
8/3/2018	1100	36	8.7%	22,923	956	7.4%	20.0
8/10/2018	1072	-28	1.2%	23,017	94	5.4%	21.4

Source: EIA and FI

US Weekly Ethanol By PADD									
	10-Aug	3-Aug		Weekly	4-Week	YOY			
Ethanol Stocks	2018	2018	Change	Percent	Percent	Percent			
Total Stocks	23017	22923	94	0.4%	6.3%	5.4%			
East Coast PADD 1	7310	7262	48	0.7%	2.8%	5.9%			
Midwest PADD 2	7730	7810	-80	-1.0%	4.5%	6.3%			
Gulf Coast PADD 3	5152	5113	39	0.8%	20.3%	17.3%			
Rocky Mt. PADD 4	339	335	4	1.2%	5.3%	3.7%			
West Coast PADD 5	2487	2402	85	3.5%	-2.2%	-15.1%			
	10-Aug	3-Aug		Weekly	4-Week	YOY			
Plant Production	2018	2018	Change	Percent	Percent	Percent			
Total Production	1072	1100	-28	-2.5%	-0.2%	1.2%			
East Coast PADD 1	27	25	2	8.0%	8.0%				
Midwest PADD 2	981	1009	-28	-2.8%	-0.4%	1.3%			
Gulf Coast PADD 3	28	30	-2	-6.7%	0.0%				
Rocky Mt. PADD 4	15	14	1	7.1%	7.1%				
West Coast PADD 5	21	20	1	5.0%	0.0%				
Plant Production	Cı	op-Year to	Date YOY Pei	rcent Change					
	2017-18	2016-17	2015-16	3-Year Average					
	2.9%	4.2%	2.7%	3.3%					

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	Ethanol Production 000 Barrels Per Day	Last Week	Last Month	Last Year	Ethanol Stocks 000 Barrels	Last Week	Last Month	Last Year	Days of Ethanol
,	000 Barreis Per Day	Last Week	Last Month	Last Teal	000 Barreis	Last Week	Last Month	Last Teal	Inventory
7/28/20)17 1002	-10	-1.2%	-0.2%	20,852	-677	-3.3%	1.2%	21.5
8/4/201		10	0.5%	-0.6%	21,347	495	0.8%	4.3%	20.6
8/11/20		47	3.2%	2.9%	21,828	481	-1.4%	6.9%	20.2
8/18/20)17 1052	-7	4.0%	2.3%	21,509	-319	-0.1%	3.3%	20.7
8/25/20)17 1042	-10	4.0%	1.9%	21,303	-206	2.2%	1.8%	20.6
9/1/201	17 1060	18	4.7%	6.2%	21,116	-187	-1.1%	2.2%	20.1
9/8/201		-13	-1.1%	4.3%	21,132	16	-3.2%	4.6%	20.2
9/15/20		-14	-1.8%	5.3%	21,138	6	-1.7%	5.6%	20.5
9/22/20		-37	-4.4%	0.7%	20,740	-398	-2.6%	0.8%	21.2
9/29/20		14	-4.7%	3.1%	21,545	805	2.0%	6.8%	20.5
10/6/20		-43	-7.6%	0.5%	21,523	-22	1.9%	11.0%	22.3
10/13/2		52	-1.4%	2.1%	21,480	-43	1.6%	12.8%	21.1
10/20/2		20	4.3%	4.8%	21,034	-446	1.4%	5.6%	20.7
10/27/2		17	4.6%	3.3%	21,474	440	-0.3%	8.8%	19.9
11/3/20 11/10/2		1 -3	9.3% 3.4%	5.5% 3.6%	21,345	-129 152	-0.8% 0.1%	11.0% 15.5%	20.3 20.3
11/10/2		-3 20	3.4%	5.9%	21,497 21,897	400	0.1% 4.1%	15.5%	20.3
11/24/2		-8	0.9%	5.3%	22,044	147	2.7%	19.5%	20.5
12/1/20		42	4.8%	8.3%	22,544	500	5.6%	21.7%	19.9
12/8/20		-19	3.3%	4.7%	22,374	-170	4.1%	17.3%	20.7
12/15/2		-12	0.3%	4.0%	22,320	-54	1.9%	17.1%	20.8
12/22/2		13	2.3%	6.0%	22,031	-289	-0.1%	17.9%	20.5
12/29/2		-58	-6.9%	-1.1%	22,619	588	0.3%	21.1%	21.3
1/5/201		-36	-8.5%	-5.1%	22,719	100	1.5%	13.5%	22.7
1/12/20)18 1061	65	-1.5%	0.7%	22,743	24	1.9%	7.7%	21.4
1/19/20)18 1062	1	-2.6%	1.0%	23,800	1057	8.0%	9.5%	21.4
1/26/20)18 1040	-22	0.8%	-2.0%	23,045	-755	1.9%	5.4%	22.9
2/2/201	18 1057	17	6.1%	0.2%	23,489	444	3.4%	6.4%	21.8
2/9/201		-41	-4.2%	-2.3%	22,885	-604	0.6%	1.7%	23.1
2/16/20		52	0.6%	3.3%	22,753	-132	-4.4%	0.4%	21.4
2/23/20		-24	0.4%	1.0%	22,979	226	-0.3%	-0.5%	21.8
3/2/201		13	0.0%	3.4%	23,144	165	-1.5%	1.3%	21.7
3/9/201		-32	0.9%	-1.9%	24,281	1137	6.1%	6.7%	22.6
3/16/20		24	-1.8%	0.5%	23,758	-523	4.4%	5.1%	23.1
3/23/20 3/30/20		-10 -1	-0.5% -1.8%	-1.4% 1.9%	22,790 22,425	-968 -365	-0.8% -3.1%	-2.0% -5.4%	22.9 22.0
4/6/201		-1 -4	0.9%	4.9%	21,846	-579	-10.0%	-3.4 <i>%</i> -4.6%	21.7
4/13/20		-25	-3.8%	1.6%	21,344	-502	-10.0%	-7.3%	21.7
4/20/20		-24	-5.2%	-0.2%	21,701	357	-4.8%	-6.7%	21.7
4/27/20		47	-0.6%	4.7%	22,142	441	-1.3%	-4.6%	21.0
5/4/201		8	0.6%	3.4%	21,964	-178	0.5%	-4.7%	21.3
5/11/20		18	4.9%	3.0%	21,505	-459	0.8%	-8.2%	20.8
5/18/20		-30	4.4%	1.8%	22,129	624	2.0%	-2.4%	20.9
5/25/20)18 1041	13	0.9%	2.1%	21,263	-866	-4.0%	-6.6%	21.3
6/1/201	18 1041	0	0.1%	4.2%	21,897	634	-0.3%	-0.4%	20.4
6/8/201	18 1053	12	-0.5%	5.1%	22,174	277	3.1%	-1.6%	20.8
6/15/20		11	3.5%	7.5%	21,647	-527	-2.2%	-2.8%	20.8
6/22/20		8	3.0%	5.6%	21,674	27	1.9%	-0.8%	20.2
6/29/20		-5	2.5%	5.2%	21,975	301	0.4%	1.9%	20.3
7/6/201		-34	-1.9%	2.6%	22,393	418	1.0%	5.7%	21.3
7/13/20		31	0.0%	3.7%	21,768	-625	0.6%	-1.7%	21.0
7/20/20		10	0.2%	6.1%	21,653	-115	-0.1%	0.6%	20.3
7/27/20		-10 26	-0.3%	6.2%	21,967	314	0.0%	5.3%	20.4
8/3/201		36	6.5%	8.7%	22,923	956	2.4%	7.4% 5.4%	20.0
8/10/20)18 1072	-28	0.8%	1.2%	23,017	94	5.7%	5.4%	21.4

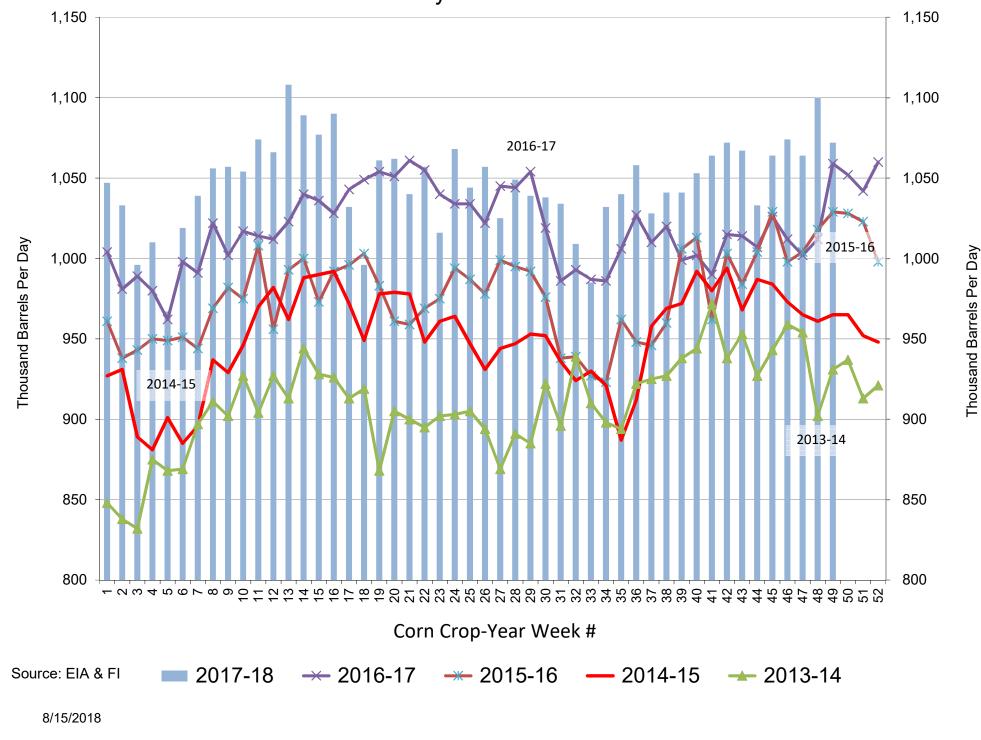
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 1019 2016-17 season average
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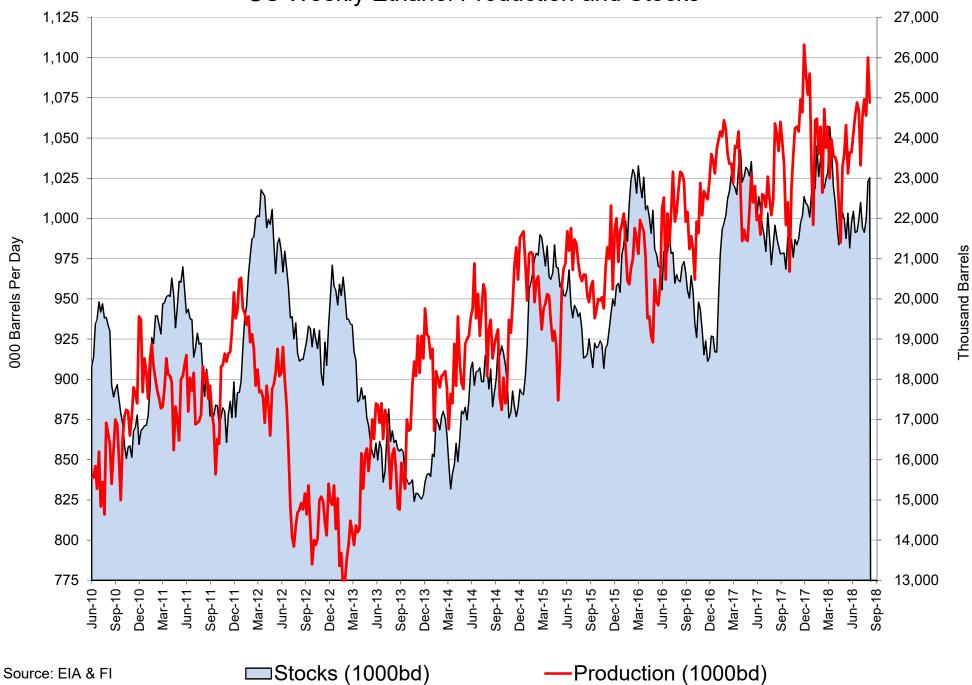
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 1047 2017-18 season average
 2.7%

 FI Estimate:
 1040 2017-18 season average
 2.1%

US Weekly Ethanol Production

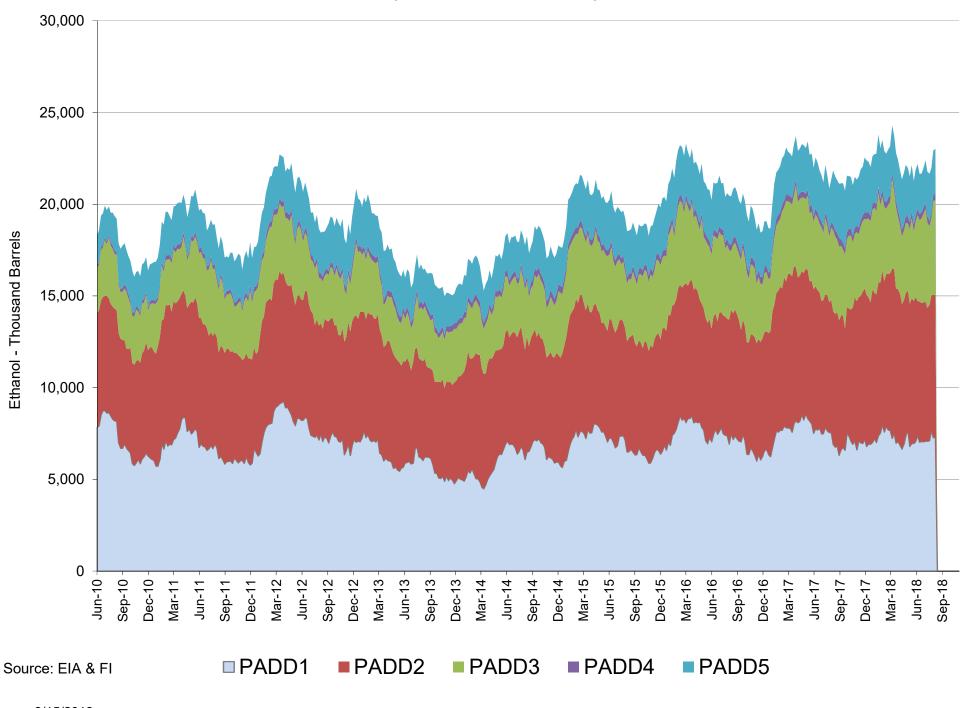


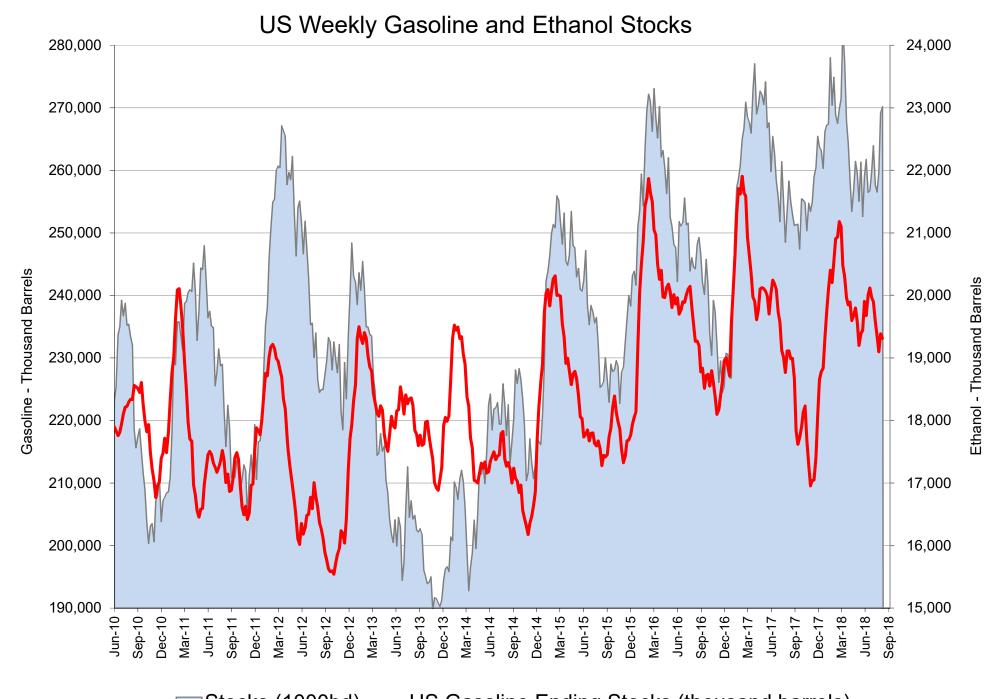




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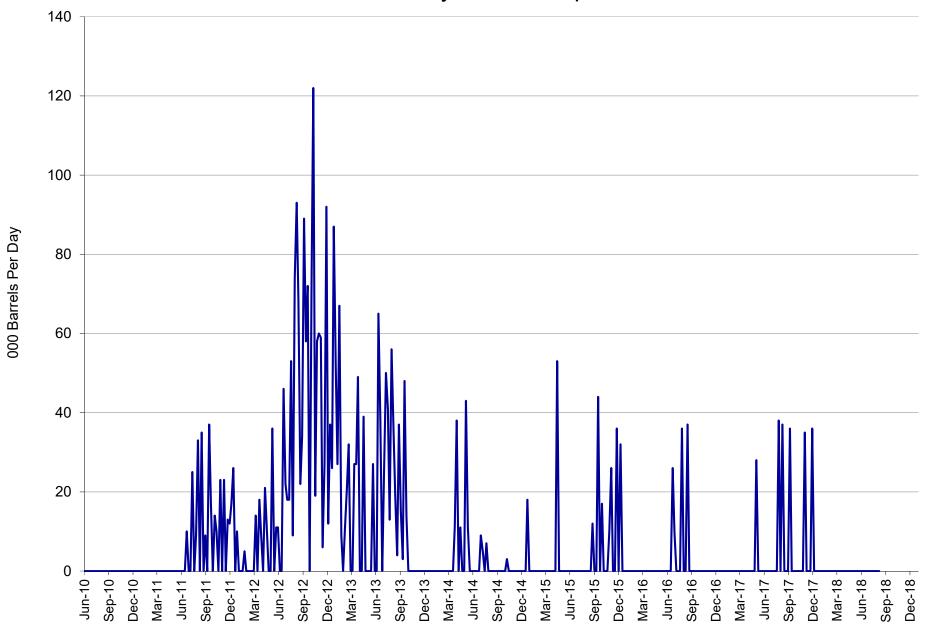
US Weekly Ethanol Stocks by PADD





Source: EIA & FI Stocks (1000bd) —US Gasoline Ending Stocks (thousand barrels)

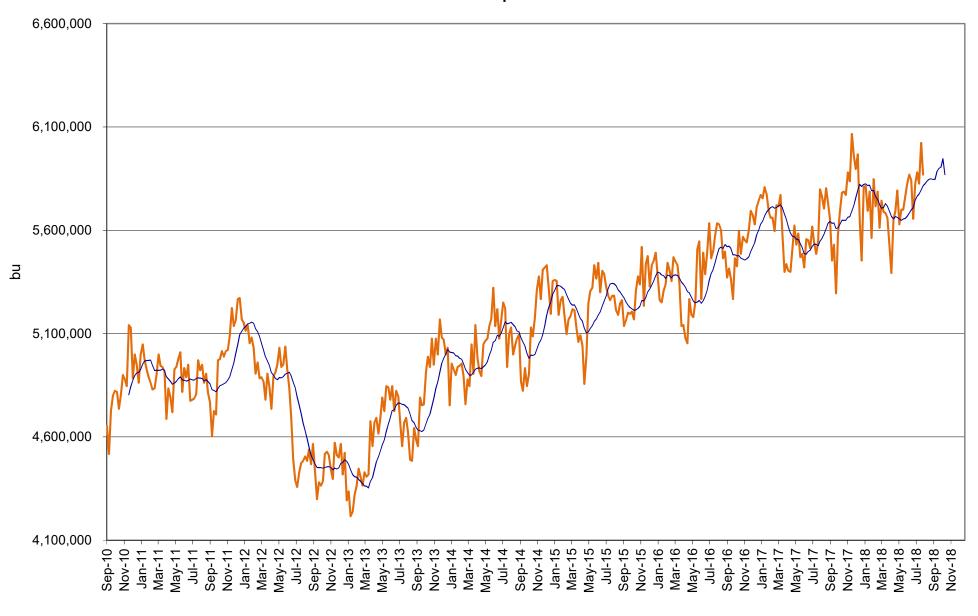
US Weekly Ethanol Imports



Source: EIA & FI

-Imports (BPD)

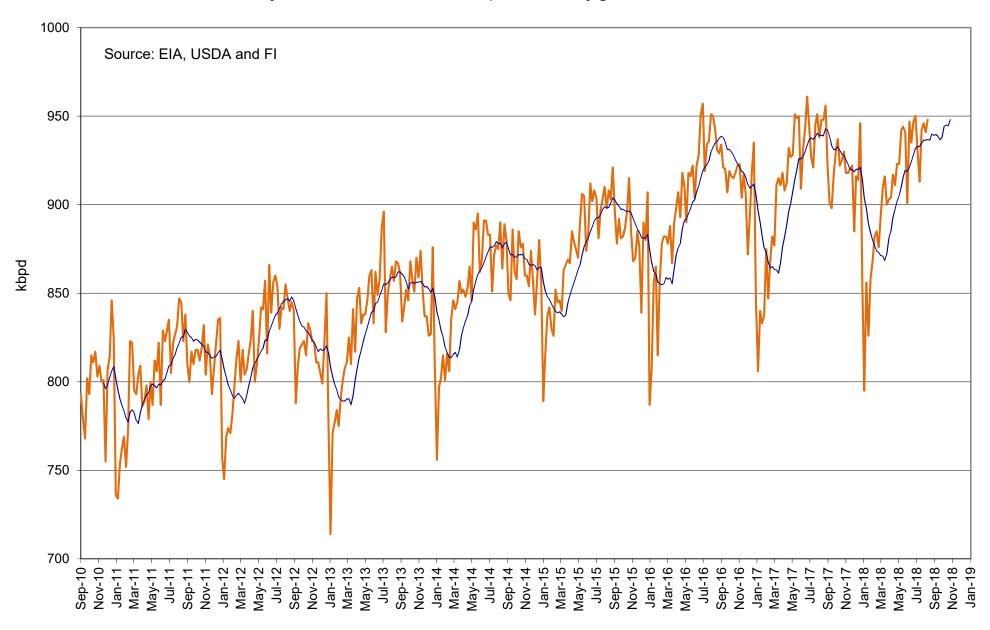
US Annualized Implied Corn Use



Source: EIA, USDA and FI —US — ·

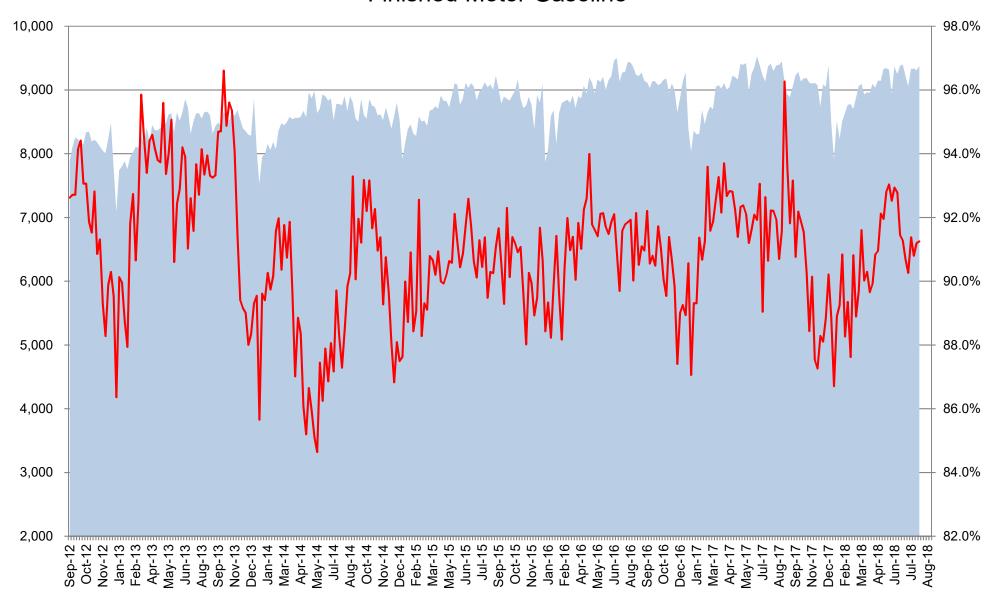
—12 per. Mov. Avg. (US)

Refinery and Blender Net Input of Oxygenates Fuel Ethanol



—Refinery and Blender Net Input of Oxygenates Fuel Ethanol —12 per. Mov. Avg.

US Net Blender Input of Fuel Ethanol and % Blend of Net Production of Finished Motor Gasoline

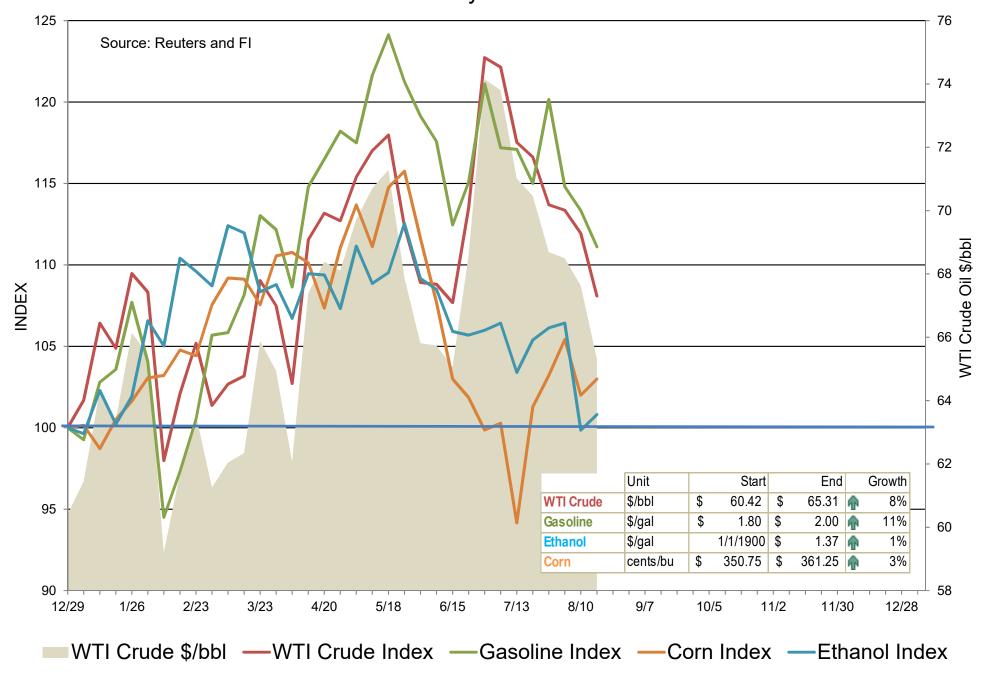


Source: EIA, USDA and FI

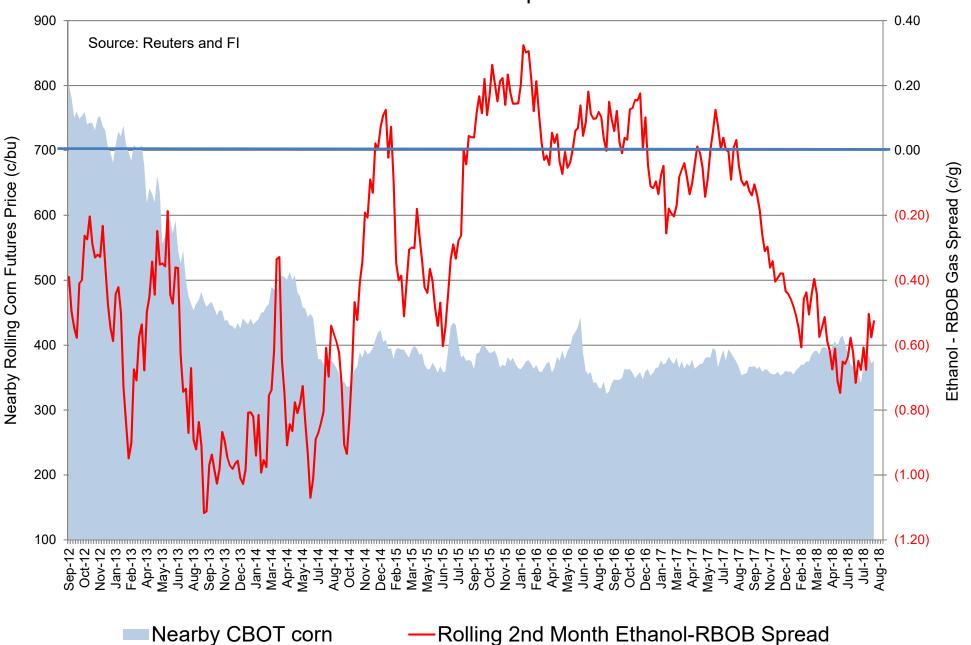
Total Blend Etoh

—Etoh Blend %

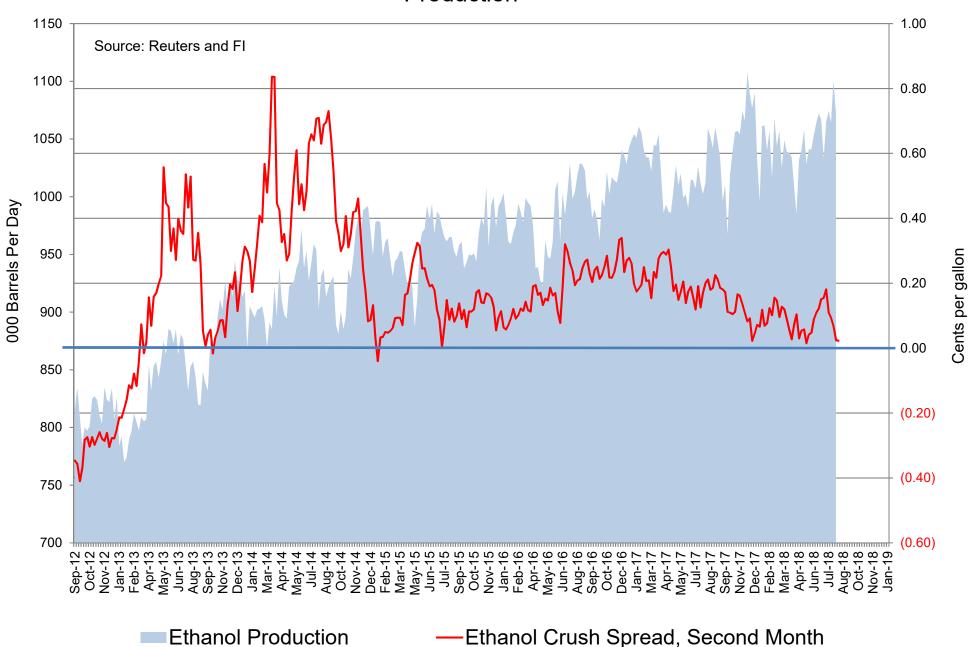
Indexed Commodity Prices Starting January 2018 versus WTI Crude Nearby Futures



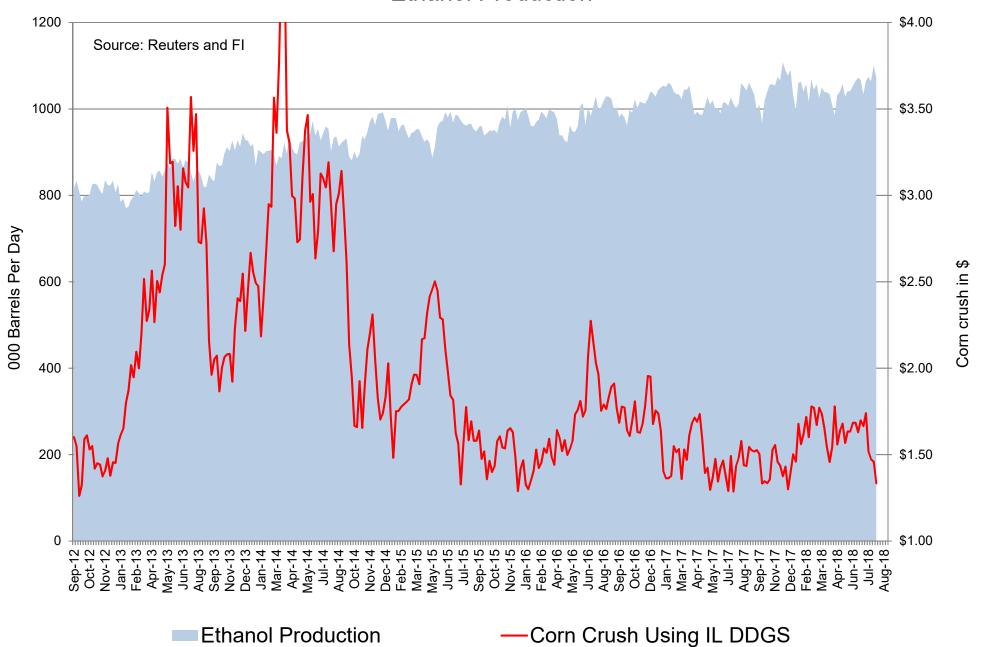
CBOT Second Month Corn Futures versus Second Month Ethanol - RBOB Futures Spread



CBOT Second Month Corn Crush Spread versus Weekly Ethanol Production



CBOT Second Month Corn Crush Spread with IL DDGS versus Weekly Ethanol Production



USDA Export Sales Results in 000 tons

AS OF: 8/9/2018

	ESTIMATED			ACTUAL		as of ACTUAL			as of 8/10/2017			
		This Week			This Week			Last week			Year Ago	
Beans	17/18	300-500		17/18			17/18	421.8		16/17	453.2	
	n/c	500-900		n/c			n/c	532.5		n/c	899.4	
					Sales to China			Sales to China	-74.4		Sales to Chi	na 342.1
			Shipped			Shipped			Shipped			Shipped
Meal	16/17	75-175	100-300	17/18			17/18	109.6	255.6	16/17	74.2	151.2
	n/c	25-100		n/c			n/c	19.9		n/c	68.8	
			Shipped			Shipped			Shipped			Shipped
Oil	16/17	5-15	15-25	17/18			17/18	10.9	22.2	16/17	23.9	23.5
	n/c	0-5		n/c			n/c	0.0		n/c	3.0	
				Sales to China			Sales to China	0.0	Sales to China 0.0		na 0 .0	
Corn	17/18	350-650		17/18			17/18	554.5		16/17	62.4	
	n/c	700-1000		n/c			n/c	657.7		n/c	671.8	
				Sales to China			Sales to China	0.0	Sales to China 68.2		na 68.2	
Wheat	17/18	300-500		18/19			18/19	317.1		17/18	633.6	
	n/c	0.0		n/c			n/c	0.0		n/c	0.0	

o/c=Old Crop, n/c= New Crop

Souce: Futures International and USDA

Traditional Daily Estimate of Funds 8/15/18											
(Neg)-"Short" Pos-"Long"											
	Corn	Bean	Chi. Wheat	Meal	Oil						
Est	98.3	(36.7)	72.5	91.2	(59.9)						
15-Aug	4.0	(7.0)	(6.0)	(5.0)	(4.0)						
15-Aug 16-Aug	4.0	(7.0)	(0.0)	(3.0)	(4.0)						
17-Aug											
20-Aug											
21-Aug											
FI Est. of Futures Only 8/15/18	102.3	(43.7)	66.5	86.2	(63.9)						
FI Est. Futures & Options	33.2	(66.5)	43.2	78.1	(66.5)						
E. books and a second land	400.3	260.4	06.5	467.5	460.2						
Futures only record long	498.2	260.4	86.5	167.5	160.2						
	2/1/2011	6/27/2017	8/7/2018	5/1/2018	11/1/2016						
Futures only record short	(135.3)	(94.5)	(130.0)	(49.5)	(55.1)						
	10/29/2013	6/27/2017	4/25/2017	3/1/2016	8/6/2013						
Futures and options	458.5	259.8	64.8	132.1	159.2						
record net long	9/28/2010	5/1/2012	8/7/2012	5/1/2018	1/1/2016						
Futures and options	(166.8)	(113.1)	(143.3)	(64.1)	(61.6)						
record net short	11/14/2017	6/27/2017	4/25/2017	3/1/2016	7/17/2018						
Managed Money D	ailv Estir	mate of	Funds 8/	15/18							
	Corn	Bean	Chi. Wheat	Meal	Oil						
Latest CFTC Fut. Only	(68.0)	(63.1)	66.4	45.3	(91.0)						
Latest CFTC F&O	(29.7)	(56.3)	64.6	46.8	(91.4)						
	(55.5)	(=a a)			(0= 0)						
FI Est. Managed Fut. Only	(62.0)	(73.6)	57.4	37.8	(97.0)						
FI Est. Managed Money F&O	(23.7)	(66.8)	55.6	39.3	(97.4)						
Index Funds Latest Positions (as of last Tuesday)											
Index Futures & Options	269.3	136.2	132.4	NA	96.1						
Change From Previous Week	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	0.0						

Source: Reuters, CFTC & FI (FI est. are noted with latest date)

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