Grain Market Comment

Wednesday, February 12, 2020



Global tenders increased especially in soybean meal and corn. The pace of the coronavirus spread is slowing but deaths continue to rise. China officials are asking local crushers to resume operations, if they have not already.

Weather

MARKET WEATHER MENTALITY FOR CORN AND SOYBEANS:

Favorable soil moisture is present in Argentina, Brazil, South Africa, India and some eastern Australia locations which should support crop development. There is still some concern over harvest conditions in early season soybean areas of Brazil which may lead to more delay in second season corn planting.

More rain will fall this week in northern and eastern Europe and from there to Ukraine and that will improve early season crop development potentials for areas that were too dry last autumn.

China's winter crops are still rated favorably with a big potential for improving rapeseed conditions in the early weeks of spring after recent weeks of rain.

India's winter crops are still poised to perform quite favorably, despite a drier biased outlook for the next ten days. Southeast Asia crops are still rated well, despite erratically distributed rainfall in recent weeks.

Eastern Australia sorghum conditions have improved, but drought remains in key production areas and much more rain will be needed before winter planting of canola begins in late April. Summer crop development has improved, but it will still be a very small crop.

South Africa crop conditions are still rated quite favorably with little change likely, despite some net drying for a while.

Today's weather will have a mixed influence on market mentality.

MARKET WEATHER MENTALITY FOR WHEAT:

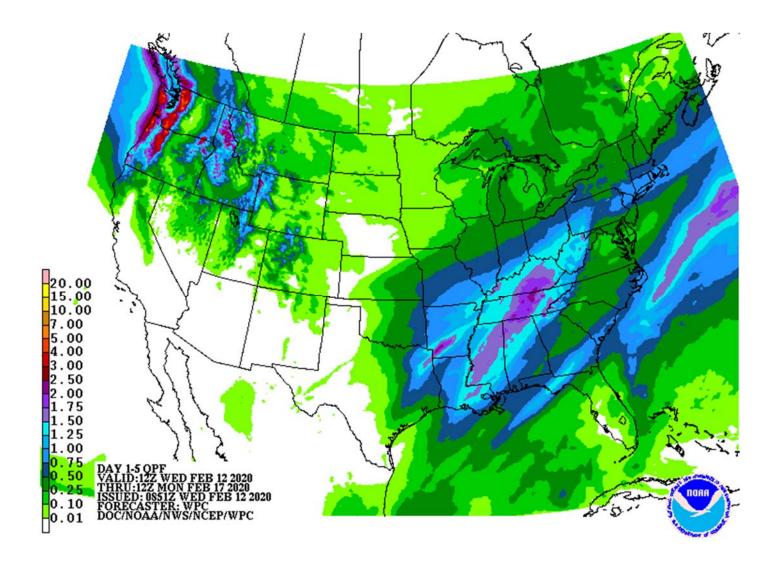
Many of the winter crop areas in the world that experienced poor crop establishment because of dryness last autumn have seen some timely precipitation in recent weeks. The moisture should help improve winter crop establishment prior to reproduction this spring. There has also been very little winterkill this year and that should be supporting larger crops.

The biggest dry concern today is in North Africa and in particular southwestern Morocco where durum wheat and barley production has been cut. There is potential for larger small grain losses from North Africa if improved rainfall does not occur soon. Spain and Portugal are also drying out, but have adequate subsoil moisture for now.

Overall, despite market performance of late, there is still no good weather related reason for futures price appreciation and some caution is warranted there.

Today's weather will maintain a low impact on market mentality.

Source: World Weather Inc. and FI



Bloomberg Ag Calendar

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12:

- EIA U.S. weekly ethanol inventories, production, 10:30am
- FranceAgriMer monthly cereals balance sheet

THURSDAY, FEB. 13:

- USDA weekly crop net-export sales for corn, soybeans, wheat, 8:30am
- Giant pulp maker Suzano holds investor day in Sao Paulo
- Brazil's grain exporter group Anec holds conference on 2019-20 crop outlook

FRIDAY, FEB. 14:

- ICE Futures Europe weekly commitments of traders report on coffee, cocoa, sugar positions ~1:30pm (~6:30pm London)
- CFTC commitments of traders weekly report on positions for various U.S. futures and options, 3:30pm
- FranceAgriMer crop conditions French crops office expected to resume crop-conditions reports after winter break
- New Zealand food prices
- Biosev holds analyst conference call to discuss 4Q earnings.

Source: Bloomberg and FI

USDA US Export	Sales Projection	s in 000 Metri	c Tons				
	Trad	e Estimates*	FI Estimates		Last Week		Year Ago
		2/6/2020	2/6/2020		Last Week		2/7/2019
Beans	2019-20_	600-1000	600-800	2019-20	703.8		NA
	2020-21	0	0		4.0		NA
Meal	2018-19	125-400	200-400	Sales	212.7	Sales	NA
	2020-21	NA	0.0		0.0		NA
	Shipments	NA	125-300	Shipments	171.9	Shipments	NA
Oil	2018-19	7-30	15-30	Sales	52.9	Sales	NA
	2020-21	NA	0.0		0.0		NA
	Shipments	NA	10-25	Shipments	5.3	Shipments	NA
Corn	2019-20	700-1200	900-1200	2019-20	1247.8		NA
	2020-21	0-100	0-100	2020-21	90.7		NA
Wheat	2019-20	300-650	350-550	2019-20	0.0		0.7
	2020-21	0-50	0-25				
9	Source: FI & USDA *	Reuters estima	ates	•			n/c= New Crop

Macros

US DoE Crude Oil Inventories (W/W) 07-Feb: 7459K (est 3200K; prev 3355K)

- Distillate: -2013K (est -750K; prev -1512K)
- Cushing: 1668K (prev 1068K)
- Gasoline: -95K (est 650K; prev -91K)
- Refinery Utilization: 0.60% (est -0.40%; prev 0.20%)

Corn.

- Corn futures started the day lower on follow through selling and lower wheat, despite a spike in South Korean import business. But then turned higher after Chicago wheat rebounded. Bull spreading was a feature.
- Corn futures ended 1.00-3.25 cents higher
- South Korea bought at least 261,000 tons of corn overnight. One source noted SK bought up to 330,000 tons. They were also thought to have picked up a cargo of feed wheat. Much of the corn was also said to be sourced from origins other than US PNW due to quality problems.
- 1115+ deaths and more than 44,000 cases of coronavirus was recorded. https://www.bbc.com/news/world-asia-51470363
- China's state reserve will sell 20,000 tons of frozen pork on Feb. 14.
- The weekly USDA Broiler Report showed eggs set in the US up 5 percent and chicks placed up 4 percent. Cumulative placements from the week ending January 4, 2020 through February 8, 2020 for the United States were 1.14 billion. Cumulative placements were up 4 percent from the same period a year earlier.

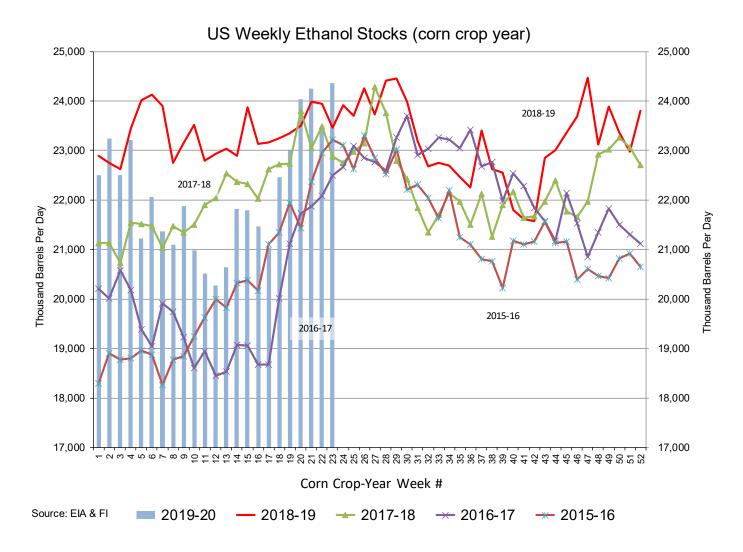
US weekly ethanol production fell 48,000 barrels to 1.033 million. A Bloomberg poll looked for it to be down 16,000. US ethanol stocks increased 884,000 barrels to 24.358 million (trade was looking for a 132k increase). For the past 4 weeks, ethanol production declined on average by 16,000 barrels and stocks

increased 338,000 barrels. Ethanol stocks are near a six-month high. Corn crop year to date production is running 0.4 percent below the same period a year ago, an improvement from where it was running at the end of December (2.0 percent lower). The ethanol blend rate was running at 90.1 percent, above 89.7 percent previous week. We raised our corn for ethanol use from 5.400 billion bushels to 5.415 billion. USDA is at 5.425 billion versus 5.376 billion in 2018-19.

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
12/20/2019	1083	19	3.9%	21,469	(329)	-7.2%	20.1
12/27/2019	1066	(17)	5.4%	21,034	(435)	-9.2%	20.1
1/3/2020	1062	(4)	6.2%	22,462	1,428	-3.4%	19.8
1/10/2020	1095	33	4.2%	23,006	544	-1.5%	20.5
1/17/2020	1049	(46)	1.7%	24,031	1,025	2.3%	21.9
1/24/2020	1029	(20)	1.7%	24,244	213	1.1%	23.4
1/31/2020	1081	52	11.8%	23,474	(770)	-2.0%	22.4
2/7/2020	1033	(48)	0.4%	24,358	884	3.8%	22.7
Source: FIA and FI							

US Weekly Ethanc	ol By PA	DD _					
	7-Feb	31-Jan		Weekly	4-Week	YOY	
Ethanol Stocks	2020	2020	Change	Percent	Percent	Percent	
Total Stocks	24358	23474	884	3.8%	1.4%	3.8%	
East Coast PADD 1	8750	8376	374	4.5%	8.7%	17.0%	
Midwest PADD 2	8458	8249	209	2.5%	2.8%	6.1%	
Gulf Coast PADD 3	4092	3899	193	4.9%	-12.4%	-12.4%	
Rocky Mt. PADD 4	409	407	2	0.5%	3.5%	7.3%	
West Coast PADD 5	2650	2542	108	4.2%	-1.4%	-10.5%	
	7-Feb	31-Jan		Weekly	4-Week	YOY	
Plant Production	2020	2020	Change	Percent	Percent	Percent	
Total Production	1033	1081	(48)	-4.4%	-1.5%	0.4%	
East Coast PADD 1	24	26	(2)	-7.7%	0.0%		
Midwest PADD 2	955	1001	(46)	-4.6%	-2.0%	-0.4%	
Gulf Coast PADD 3	24	23	1	4.3%	14.3%		
Rocky Mt. PADD 4	14	14	0	0.0%	0.0%		
West Coast PADD 5	17	17	0	0.0%	13.3%		
Plant Production	Cı	rop-Year to	Date YOY Perc	ent Change			
	2019-20	2018-19	2017-18	2016-17	Prv	. 3-Year Aver	age
	-0.4%	-1.1%	2.5%	4.9%		2.1%	



Export Developments

- South Korea's Feed Leaders Committee (FLC) bought about 65,000 tons of optional origin corn at \$212.23 a ton c&f for arrival in South Korea around May 20.
- South Korea's Major Feedmill Group (MFG) bought 130,000 tons of optional origin corn at \$213.25 and \$214.99/ton for arrival in South Korea in the second half of May.
- South Korea's KFA bought about 66,000 tons of optional origin yellow corn at around \$212.95 a ton c&f for arrival in South Korea around May 20.
- Algeria's ONAB seeks 35,000 tons of optional origin corn on Feb. 13 for shipment in the second half of March

Corn		Change	Oats		Change	Ethanol	Settle	
MAR0	383.00	3.25	MAR0	302.25	3.00	MAR0	1.35	Spot DDGS IL
MAY0	387.25	3.00	MAY0	299.50	3.00	APR0	1.37	Cash & CBOT
JUL0	390.25	2.00	JUL0	292.75	3.50	MAY0	1.38	Corn + Ethanol
SEP0	388.75	1.25	SEP0	274.25	2.25	JUN0	1.38	Crush
DEC0	393.00	1.00	DEC0	269.50	(0.25)	JUL0	1.38	1.34
MAR1	402.50	1.25	MAR1	269.50	(0.25)	AUG0	1.38	
Soybean/C	orn	Ratio	Spread	Change	Wheat/Cor	n Ratio	Spread	Change
MAR0	MAR0	2.33	509.50	4.50	MAR0	1.43	164.50	2.25
MAY0	MAY0	2.33	516.25	3.25	MAY0	1.42	161.25	1.50
JUL0	JUL0	2.34	524.50	2.50	JULO	1.41	158.75	2.25
SEP0	SEP0	2.36	529.25	1.75	SEP0	1.43	166.00	2.25
NOV0	DEC0	2.34	528.25	1.00	DEC0	1.44	171.25	2.25
MAR1	MAR1	2.28	515.00	(1.50)	MAR1	1.42	170.75	2.00
US Corn Ba	sis & Barge Fr	eight						
Gulf Corn			BRAZIL C	orn Basis		Chicago	+16	h up1
FEE	3 +49 / 53 h	n dn1/unch		JLY +38 / 40 n	up3/up4	Toledo	+23	h unch
MCH	l +55 / 57 l	n unch/dn1		AUG +30 / 40 u	unch/up5	Decatur	+17	h unch
APF	36	5 unch		SEP +30 / 43 u	unch/up1	Dayton	+28	h dn4
MA	/ +54 / 57 l	k unch		OCT +32 / 55 z	up2/unch	Cedar Rap	ic h prei	m unch
JUN	± 10 / 53 r	n unch/dn1				Burns Har	b +2	h unch
USD/ton:	Ukraine Odess	sa \$ 169.00)			Memphis-	Cairo Barge Fr	eight (offer)
US Gulf 3YC	Fob Gulf Seller	(RTRS) 178.3 1	78.1 177.9	178.2 177.1 177.1	Br	gF MTCT FEB	180	unchanged
China 2YC	Maize Cif Daliar) (DCE) 270.8 2	273.0 275.0	276.8 278.0 279.5	Brgl	F MTCT MAR	200	-5
Argentine Ye	ellow Maize Fob	UpRiver 186	.9 177.1 17	1.2	Brg	F MTCT APR	210	unchanged
Source: Fl.	DJ, Reuters &	various trac	de sources					

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CBOT March corn is seen in a \$3.75 and \$3.90 range

Soybean complex.

- Soybeans turned higher led by bull spreading on lack of US producer selling and good US domestic demand for crush. We heard there was selling out of Brazil today.
- There were no USDA 24-hour announcements.
- CBOT March soybeans finished 7.75 cents higher at \$8.9250, March meal up \$0.90 at \$291.70 and March soybean oil up 31 points at 31.03 points.
- According to a Bloomberg story citing JCI, China's soybean crushing was last running near 1.5 million tons this week and could increase 1.7 million tons next week. The regular weekly rate is 1.7 million tons to 2.0 million tons.
- The US\$ was 25 higher by noon CT and the € lower. The Brazilian Real hit another all-time low. 4.3511 was the intraday low by noon.



- We heard China booked four new-crop cargos (2021) of Brazil soybeans.
- May CBOT crush traded two-sided, ending 1.25 lower at 95.75.
- The USDA February Outlook Forum starts a week from Thursday.

Oilseeds Export Developments

- South Korea's Nonghyup Feed Inc. (NOFI) bought 21k of meal for March/April arrival.
 - 13,000 tons of palm kernel expeller meal from South East Asia at \$161.78 a ton c&f and \$159.88 a ton c&f
 - o 8,000 tons of corn gluten feed from China at \$202.00 a ton c&f and \$198.50 a ton c&f.
 - o Passed on 14,000 tons of copra meal extractors
- South Korea's Feed Leaders Committee (FLC) bought 60,000 tons of soybean meal at about \$347.60 a ton c&f for arrival in South Korea around Sept. 10. Origin is unknown.
- South Korea's Major Feedmill Group (MFG) bought about 60,000 tons of soybean meal at around \$347.55 a ton c&f for shipment between July 1-31.
- Egypt seeks at least 3,000 tons of soybean oil and 2,000 tons of sunflower oil on Thursday for March 24-April 15 arrival.

NOPA CRUSH REPORT										
	FI Est.	Trade	Act-							
	Jan-19	Est*	Trade*	Dec-19	Nov-19	Jan-19				
Crush- mil bu	174.9	na	na	174.8	164.9	171.6				
Oil Stocks-mil lbs	1705	na	na	1757	1448	1549				
Oil Yield -lbs/bu	11.53	na	na	11.51	11.53	11.61				
Meal Exports -000 tons	957	na	na	903	869	906				
Meal Yield -lbs/bu	46.98	na	na	47.04	47.22	46.69				

Sources: NOPA, and FI *(Reuters range na, na) (Bloomberg ave. na, na)

Due out the 18th...Monday is a US holiday

Soybeans		Change	Soybean Meal			Change	Soybean Oi		Change
MAR0	892.50	7.75	MAR0	291.70		0.90	MAR0	31.03	0.31
MAY0	903.50	6.25	MAY0	297.40		0.90	MAY0	31.40	0.32
JUL0	914.75	4.50	JUL0	302.70		0.80	JUL0	31.77	0.31
AUG0	919.00	4.25	AUG0	304.20		0.70	AUG0	31.90	0.32
SEP0	918.00	3.00	SEP0	305.00		0.20	SEP0	32.03	0.31
NOV0	921.25	2.00	ОСТО	305.30		(0.20)	ОСТО	32.12	0.32
JAN1	925.50	1.50	DEC0	308.10		(0.60)	DEC0	32.38	0.29
Soybeans	Spread	Change	SoyMeal	Spread		Change	SoyOil	Spread	Change
Mar/May	11.00	(1.50)	Mar/May	5.70		0.00	Mar/May	0.37	0.01
Electronic E	Beans Crush		Oil as %	Meal/Oil		Meal	Oil		
Month	Margin		of Oil&Meal	Con. Valu		Value	Value		
MAR0	90.57		34.72%			641.74	341.33		
MAY0	96.18	MAY0	34.55%	\$ 1	0,900	654.28	345.40	EUR/USD	1.0870
JUL0	100.66	JUL0	34.42%	\$ 1	1,208	665.94	349.47	Brazil Real	4.3501
AUG0	101.14	AUG0	34.40%	\$ 1	1,280	669.24	350.90	Malaysia Bid	4.1365
SEP0	105.33	SEP0	34.43%	\$ 1	1,282	671.00	352.33	China RMB	6.9708
NOVO/DEC	112.75	ОСТО	34.47%	\$ 1	1,258	671.66	353.32	AUD	0.6734
JAN1	109.05	DEC0	34.45%	\$ 1	1,382	677.82	356.18	CME Bitcoin	10377
MAR1	111.55	JAN1	34.50%		1,330	677.60	356.95	3M Libor	1.70375
MAY1	111.57	MAR1	34.73%		1,036	671.66	357.39	Prime rate	4.7500
JUL1	111.52		34.74%	\$ 1	1,038	672.10	357.72		
US Soybear	n Complex Bas								
FEB	•	up3/unch					DECATUR		unch
MCH	-		IL SBM			2/4/2020	SIDNEY		
APR	•	• •	CIF Meal			2/4/2020	CHICAGO		unch
MAY	•	up1/unch	Oil FOB NOLA			2/11/2020	TOLEDO	h preim	
JUNE	+47 / 53 n	unch	Decatur Oil		25	2/11/2020	BRNS HRBR		unch
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	Brazil Soybea	_		Brazil Me		•		Brazil Oil Para	•
FEB	•	-	MCH	-		up1/unch		+300 / +330 h	-
MAR	•		APR	-		up2/up2		+260 / +300 h	
APR	•		MAY	•		up1/unch		+100 / +140 k	
MAY	•		JUNE	-		up2/dn1		+60 / +150 k	
JUNE	•		JLY	-	20 n	up2/dn1	JUNE	•	
	Arge	entina meal	301	3.7		Argentina oil	Spot fob	33.2	1.80

Source: FI, DJ, Reuters & various trade sources

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- CBOT March soybeans are seen in a \$8.70-\$8.95 range
- March soybean meal is seen a \$285 and \$300 range
- March soybean oil 30.10-31.90 range

Wheat

• Front month March Chicago wheat closed up 5.50 cents today while May appreciated 4.50 cents and July up by 4.25 cents. Easing concerns over coronavirus, short covering, and heavy rains forecast for the

US Southeast thought to threaten the quality of the winter wheat crop all supported prices. KC ended higher but Minn was on the defensive on improving global weather.

- In a down day, Chicago wheat futures volume on Tuesday was a record at 345,000.
- March Paris wheat futures finished unchanged at 192.50.
- FranceAgriMer increased its estimate for non-EU country soft wheat exports to 12.6 million tons from 12.4 million for 2019-20. Exports to China were increased 0.2MMT to 1.2MMT.

Export Developments.

 Japan seeks 110,565 tons of food wheat from the United States, Canada and Australia on Thursday. Details are as follows (in tons):

Japan food v	wheat import details are via Reuters as follows (in	tons):
COUNTRY	TYPE	QUANTITY
U.S.	Hard Red Winter(Semi Hard)	18,945 *
U.S.	Dark Nothern Spring(protein minimum 14.0%)	15,245 *
Canada	Western Red Spring(protein minimum 13.5 pct)	24,275 *
Canada	Western Red Spring(protein minimum 13.5 pct)	25,100 *
Australia	Standard white(West Australia)	27,000 **
Shipments: * L	oading between Mar. 21 and Apr. 20	
** Loading bet	ween Apr. 1 and Apr, 30	
Source: Japan AgMin,	, Reuters and FI	

- We heard South Korea may have bought a cargo of feed wheat.
- Jordan passed on 120,000 tons of optional origin animal feed barley, at various shipment periods thought to be May 1-15, May 16-31, June 1-15 and June 16-30.
- Japan in an SBS import tender seeks 120,000 tons of feed wheat and 200,000 tons of feed barley for arrival in Japan by July 30, on Feb. 12.
- Syria seeks 200,000 tons of wheat from Russia on February 17 for shipment within 60 days of contract signing.
- Turkey's TMO seeks around 250,000 tons of wheat and 50,000 tons of durum on Feb. 18 for March shipment.
- The Philippines might be in for wheat soon.

Rice/Other

- Thailand set a rice export target of 7.5 million tons for 2020, the lowest in seven years.
- South Korea's Agro-Fisheries & Food Trade Corp. bought 22,222 tons of US rice. They were looking for 77,778 tons which closed on Jan. 30.
- Results awaited: Mauritius has delayed the deadline for to buy up to 6,000 tons of long grain white rice to Feb. 10, for delivery between May 1 and July 31.
- Turkey's TMO seeks 20,000 tons of rice on Feb. 12 for shipment between Feb. 19 and April 6.

Chicago Wh	eat	Change	KC Wheat		Change	MN Wheat	Settle	Change
MAR0	547.50	5.50	MAR0	471.00	2.75	MAR0	531.25	0.00
MAY0	548.50	4.50	MAY0	477.25	3.00	MAY0	540.50	(0.50)
JUL0	549.00	4.25	JUL0	483.50	2.50	JUL0	549.00	(0.50)
SEP0	554.75	3.50	SEP0	490.50	1.75	SEP0	557.75	(0.75)
DEC0	564.25	3.25	DEC0	502.00	1.75	DEC0	569.50	(0.75)
MAR1	573.25	3.25	MAR1	513.50	2.25	MAR1	581.25	(0.25)
MAY1	572.00	3.00	MAY1	517.75	1.75	MAY1	586.25	0.00
Chicago Rice	9	Change						
MAR0	13.39	(0.215)	MAY0	13.62	(0.215)	JUL0	13.49	(0.155)
US Wheat E	Basis							
Gulf SRW W	/heat		Gulf HRW Wh	ieat		Chicago mill	+40 h	unch
FEB	+100 / h	unch	FEB	160	0 / h dn2	Toledo	+15 h	unch
MCH	+105 / h	unch	MCH	I 164	4 / h dn1/up1	PNW US So	ft White 10.5%	protein
APR	+105 / k	unch	APR	16	3 / k dn2	PNW FEB	635	unchanged
MAY	+105 / k	unch	MAY	′ 16	53 / k dn2	PNW MAR	637	unchanged
JUNE	+75 / n	unch	0-Jan	1		PNW APR	640	unchanged
						PNW May	640	unchanged
Euronext El	J Wheat	Change	OI	OI Change	World Price	s \$/ton		Change
MAR0	192.50	0.00	141,337	(9,905)	US SRW FOE	3	\$244.47	\$6.13
MAY0	191.50	0.25	154,321	5,208	US HRW FO	3	\$235.60	\$2.30
SEP0	184.00	0.75	55,330	206	Rouen FOB	11%	\$208.70	\$0.75
DEC0	186.25	0.50	75,867	775	Russia FOB	12%	\$226.00	\$4.50
EUR	1.0870				Ukr. FOB fee	ed (Odessa)	\$217.50	\$0.00
					Arg. Bread F	OB 12%	\$259.68	\$0.00
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Source: FI, DJ, Reuters & various trade sources

Updated 2/11/20

- CBOT Chicago March wheat is seen in a \$5.30-\$5.65 range
- CBOT KC March wheat is seen in a \$4.55-\$4.80 range
- MN March wheat is seen in a \$5.20-\$5.45 range

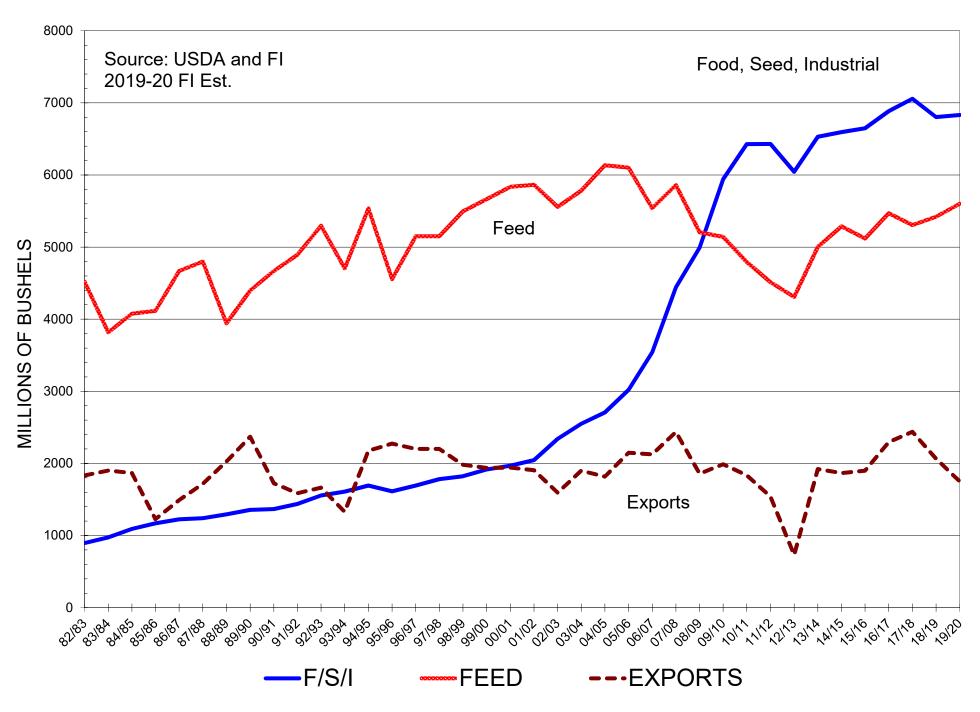
U.S. CORN SUPPLY USAGE BALANCE

(September-August)(thousand acres)(million bushels)

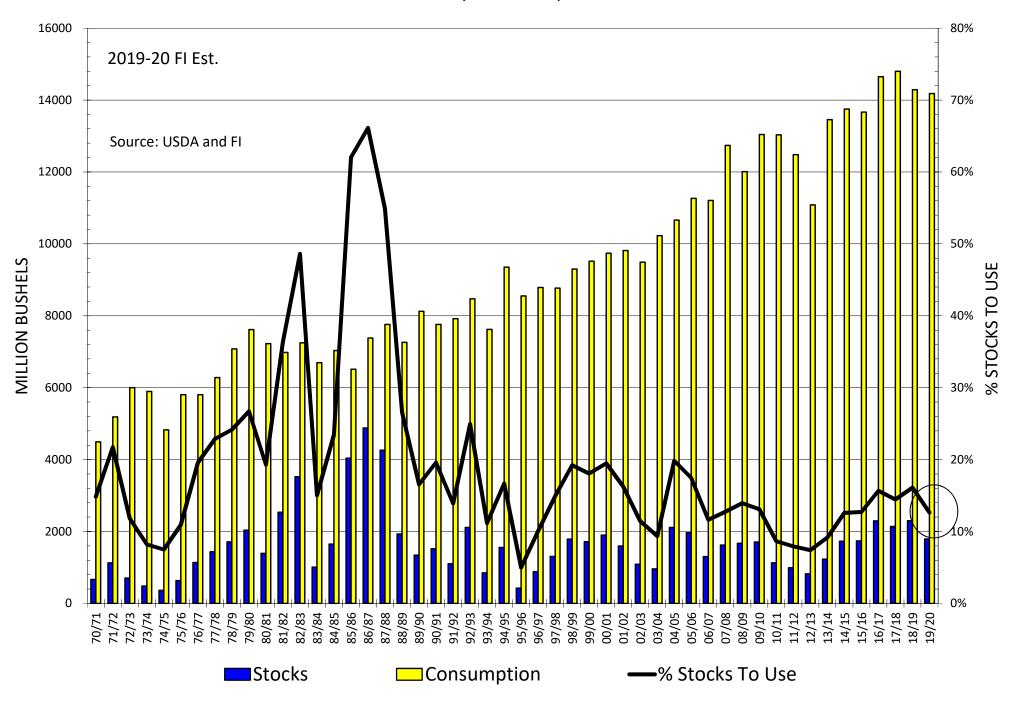
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	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	Current FI Proj. 19/20	USDA Feb 19/20	Current FI Proj. 20/21
ACRES PLANTED	81779	78327	93527	85982	86382	88192	91936	97291	95365	90597	88019	94004	90167	88871	89700	89700	92500
% HARVESTED	91.9	90.2	92.5	91.4	92.0	92.4	91.2	89.8	91.7	91.8	91.7	92.3	91.8	91.5	90.8	90.8	90.8
ACRES HARVEST	75117	70638	86520	78570	79490	81446	83879	87365	87461	83146	80753	86748	82733	81276	81482	81472	83990
AVERAGE YIELD	147.9	149.1	150.7	153.3	164.4	152.6	146.8	123.1	158.1	171.0	168.4	174.6	176.6	176.4	168.0	168.0	174.6
CARRY-IN	2114	1967	1304	1624	1673	1708	1128	989	821	1232	1731	1737	2293	2140	2221	2221	1792
PRODUCTION	11112	10531	13038	12043	13067	12425	12314	10755	13831	14217	13602	15148	14609	14340	13692	13692	14665
IMPORTS	9	12	20	14	8	28	29	160	36	32	68	57	36	28	60	50	25
TOTAL SUPPLY	13235	12510	14362	13681	14749	14161	13471	11904	14688	15481	15401	16942	16939	16509	15972	15962	16482
FOOD/IND	1396	1398	1371	1294	1348	1384	1400	1372	1377	1366	1393	1424	1423	1386	1386	1364	1395
ETHANOL	1603	2119	3049	3709	4591	5019	5000	4641	5124	5200	5224	5432	5605	5376	5415	5425	5525
SEED	24	29	27	27	28	30	31	31	30	29	31	29	30	29	30	31	30
F/S/I	3023	3546	4447	5030	5966	6432	6431	6044	6531	6595	6647	6885	7057	6791	6831	6820	6950
FEED	6111	5535	5853	5128	5096	4770	4512	4309	5004	5287	5118	5470	5304	5432	5600	5525	5600
EXPORTS	2134	2125	2437	1849	1979	1831	1539	730	1921	1867	1899	2294	2438	2065	1750	1725	2150
TOTAL USAGE	11268	11207	12737	12008	13041	13033	12482	11083	13456	13750	13664	14649	14798	14288	14180	14070	14700
CARRY-OUT	1967	1304	1624	1673	1708	1128	989	821	1232	1731	1737	2293	2140	2221	1792	1892	1782
C.O. AS % USE	17.5	11.6	12.8	13.9	13.1	8.7	7.9	7.4	9.2	12.6	12.7	15.7	14.5	15.5	12.6	13.4	12.1
(DOLLARS/BUSHEL) LOAN RATE	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95	1.95		1.95	
Seas.Ave.Nrby.Brd	2.23	3.56	5.15	3.93	3.72	6.47	6.57	6.74	4.41	3.75	3.69	3.60	3.64		3.90		4.10
Seas.Ave.Farm.Price	2.00	3.04	4.20	4.06	3.55	5.18	6.22	6.89	4.46	3.70	3.61	3.36	3.36	3.61		3.85	
															x2.28		x2.39
Ethanol Pro. Gallons	4499	5849	8301	10209	12519	10209	13765	12822	14103	14667	15194	15766			=9.00 Soy		=9.80 Soy
Ethanol Yield	2.81	2.76	2.72	2.75	2.73	2.03	2.75	2.76	2.75	2.82	2.91	2.90					
Source: USDA & FI	2020 trend:	20-year 1	74.6														

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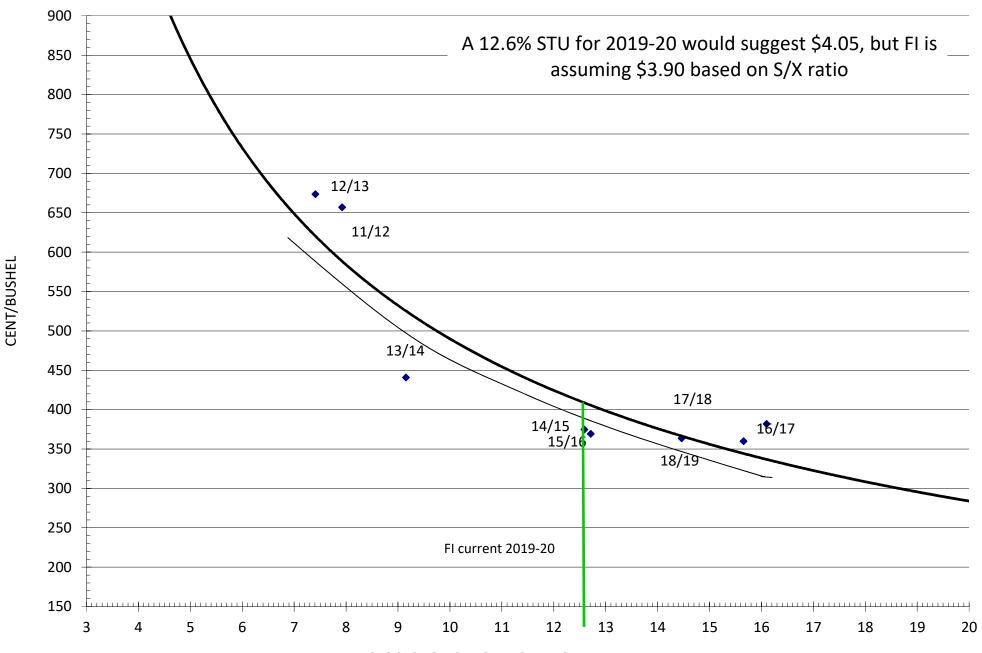
US DOMESTIC CORN USAGE



U.S. CORN CONSUMPTION, STOCKS, AND STOCKS TO USE %



US CORN STOCKS TO USE RATIO VS. CROP YEAR AVERAGE FUTURES PRICES



Source: FI and USDA

USDA Export Sales Estimates/Results in 000 tons

		ESTIMATED 2/6/2020			1/30/2020 Last Week			2/7/201 Year Ago	
Beans	19/20	600-800		19/20	703.8		18/19	NA	
	n/c	0.0		n/c	4.0		n/c	NA	
					Sales to China	31.5		Sales to Cl	hina NA
			Shipped			Shipped			Shipped
Meal	19-20	200-400	125-300	19/20	212.7	171.9	18/19	NA	NA
							n/c	NA	
	19/20								
			Shipped			Shipped			Shipped
Oil	19-20	15-30	10-25	19/20	52.9	5.3	18/19	NA	NA
							n/c	NA	
					Sales to China	0.0		Sales to Cl	hina NA
Corn	19/20	900-1200		19/20	1,247.8		18/19	NA	
	n/c	0-100		n/c	90.7		n/c	NA	
					Sales to China	0.0		Sales to Cl	hina NA
Wheat	19/20	350-550		19/20	338.6		18/19	NA	
	n/c	0-25		n/c	0.0		n/c	NA	

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

Souce: Futures International and USDA

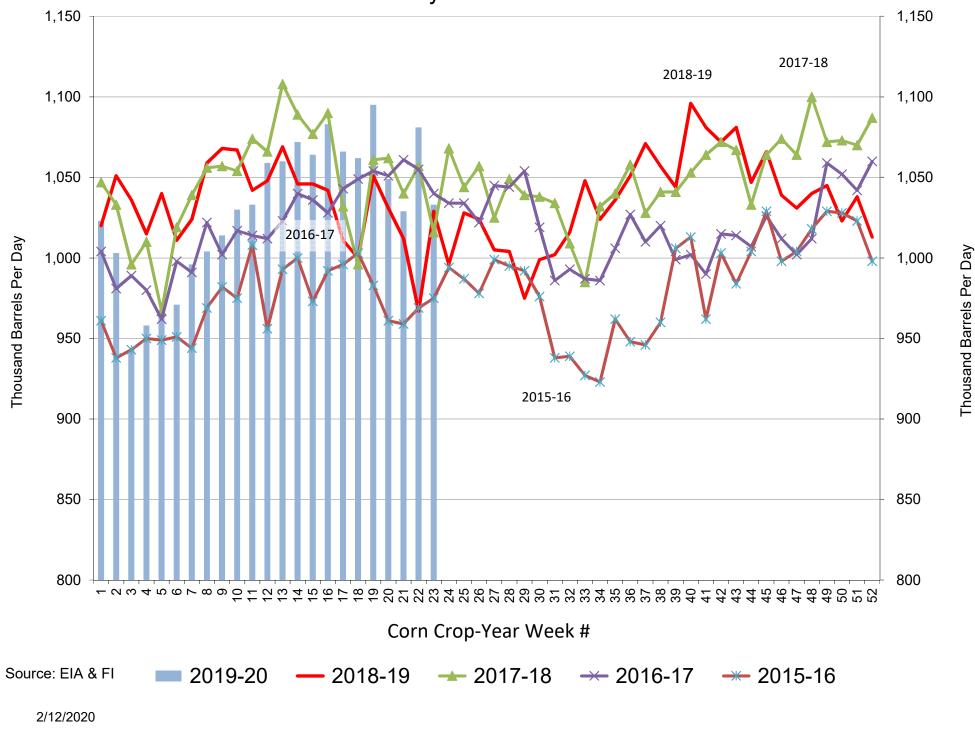
US Weekly Petroleum Status Report

Ethanol Production 000 Barrels Per Day		Change from Last Week	Change from Last Month	Change from Last Year	Ethanol Stocks 000 Barrels	Change from Last Week	Change from Last Month	Change from Last Year	Days of Ethanol Inventory
2/1/2019	967	(45)	-3.3%	-8.5%	23,947	(33)	3.0%	1.9%	24.8
2/8/2019	1029	62	-2.1%	1.3%	23,466	(481)	0.5%	2.5%	23.3
2/15/2019		(33)	-3.4%	-6.7%	23,913	447	1.8%	5.1%	23.6
2/22/2019		32	1.6%	-1.5%	23,709	(204)	-1.1%	3.2%	23.3
3/1/2019	1024	(4)	5.9%	-3.1%	24,261	552	1.3%	4.8%	23.2
3/8/2019	1005	(19)	-2.3%	-2.0%	23,731	(530)	1.1%	-2.3%	24.1
3/15/2019		(1)	0.8%	-4.3%	24,412	681	2.1%	2.8%	23.6
3/22/2019		(29)	-5.2%	-6.2%	24,448	36	3.1%	7.3%	25.0
3/29/2019		24	-2.4%	-3.8%	23,992	(456)	-1.1%	7.0%	24.5
4/5/2019	1002	3	-0.3%	-3.1%	23,193	(799)	-2.3%	6.2%	23.9
4/12/2019		14	1.2%	0.7%	22,676	(517)	-7.1%	6.2%	22.8
4/19/2019		32	7.5%	6.4%	22,747	71	-7.0%	4.8%	21.6
4/26/2019		(24)	2.5%	-0.8%	22,695	(52)	-5.4%	2.5%	22.2
5/3/2019	1036	12	3.4%	-0.4%	22,468	(227)	-3.1%	2.3%	21.9
5/10/2019		15	3.4%	-0.7%	22,250	(218)	-1.9%	3.5%	21.4
5/17/2019		20	2.2%	4.2%	23,404	1154	2.9%	5.8%	20.8
5/24/2019		(14)	3.2%	1.5%	22,624	(780)	-0.3%	6.4%	22.1
5/31/2019		(13)	0.8%	0.3%	22,553	(71)	0.4%	3.0%	21.7
6/7/2019	1096	52	4.3%	4.1%	21,802	(751)	-2.0%	-1.7%	20.6
6/14/2019		(15)	0.9%	1.6%	21,613	(189)	-7.7%	-0.2%	20.2
6/21/2019		(9)	1.4%	0.0%	21,567	(46)	-4.7%	-0.5%	20.2
6/28/2019		9	3.5%	1.3%	22,844	1277	1.3%	4.0%	20.2
7/5/2019	1047	(34)	-4.5%	1.4%	23,009	165	5.5%	2.8%	21.8
7/3/2019		19	-1.4%	0.2%	23,365	356	8.1%	7.3%	21.6
7/12/2013		(27)	-3.1%	-3.3%	23,689	324	9.8%	9.4%	22.5
7/13/2013		(8)	-4.6%	-3.1%	24,468	779	7.1%	11.4%	23.0
8/2/2019	1040	9	-0.7%	-5.5%	23,117	(1351)	0.5%	0.8%	23.5
8/9/2019	1045	5	-2.0%	-2.5%	23,883	766	2.2%	3.8%	22.1
8/16/2019		(22)	-1.5%	-4.7%	23,367	(516)	-1.4%	0.5%	23.3
8/23/2019		15	0.7%	-3.0%	22,982	(385)	-6.1%	-0.3%	22.5
8/30/2019		(25)	-2.6%	-6.8%	23,801	819	3.0%	4.8%	22.7
9/6/2019	1023	10	-2.1%	0.3%	22,499	(1302)	-5.8%	-1.7%	23.3
9/13/2019		(20)	-2.0%	-4.6%	23,238	739	-0.6%	2.2%	22.4
9/20/2019		(60)	-9.2%	-9.0%	22,500	(738)	-2.1%	-0.6%	24.6
9/27/2019		15	-5.4%	-5.6%	23,219	719	-2.4%	-1.0%	23.5
10/4/2019		5	-5.9%	-7.4%	21,224	(1995)	-5.7%	-11.6%	24.1
10/1/201		8	-3.2%	-4.0%	22,061	837	-5.1%	-8.6%	21.9
10/11/201		25	5.6%	-2.7%	21,364	(697)	-5.0%	-10.6%	22.1
10/25/201		8	4.8%	-5.2%	21,099	(265)	-9.1%	-7.2%	21.3
11/1/2019		10	5.3%	-5.1%	21,874	775	3.1%	-5.5%	20.8
11/8/2019		16	6.1%	-3.5%	20,985	(889)	-4.9%	-10.8%	21.2
11/15/201		3	3.7%	-0.9%	20,514	(471)	-4.0%	-10.0%	20.3
11/22/201		26	5.5%	1.0%	20,277	(237)	-3.9%	-11.6%	19.4
11/29/201		1	4.5%	-0.8%	20,639	362	-5.6%	-10.4%	19.1
12/6/2019		12	4.1%	2.5%	21,815	1176	4.0%	-4.7%	19.3
12/13/201		(8)	3.0%	1.7%	21,798	(17)	6.3%	-8.7%	20.5
12/20/201		19	2.3%	3.9%	21,469	(329)	5.9%	-7.2%	20.1
12/27/201		(17)	0.6%	5.4%	21,034	(435)	1.9%	-9.2%	20.1
1/3/2020	1062	(4)	-0.9%	6.2%	22,462	1428	3.0%	-3.4%	19.8
1/10/2020		33	2.9%	4.2%	23,006	544	5.5%	-1.5%	20.5
1/17/2020		(46)	-3.1%	1.7%	24,031	1025	11.9%	2.3%	21.9
1/24/2020		(20)	-3.5%	1.7%	24,244	213	15.3%	1.1%	23.4
1/31/2020		52	1.8%	11.8%	23,474	(770)	4.5%	-2.0%	22.4
2/7/2020	1033	(48)	-5.7%	0.4%	24,358	884	5.9%	3.8%	22.7
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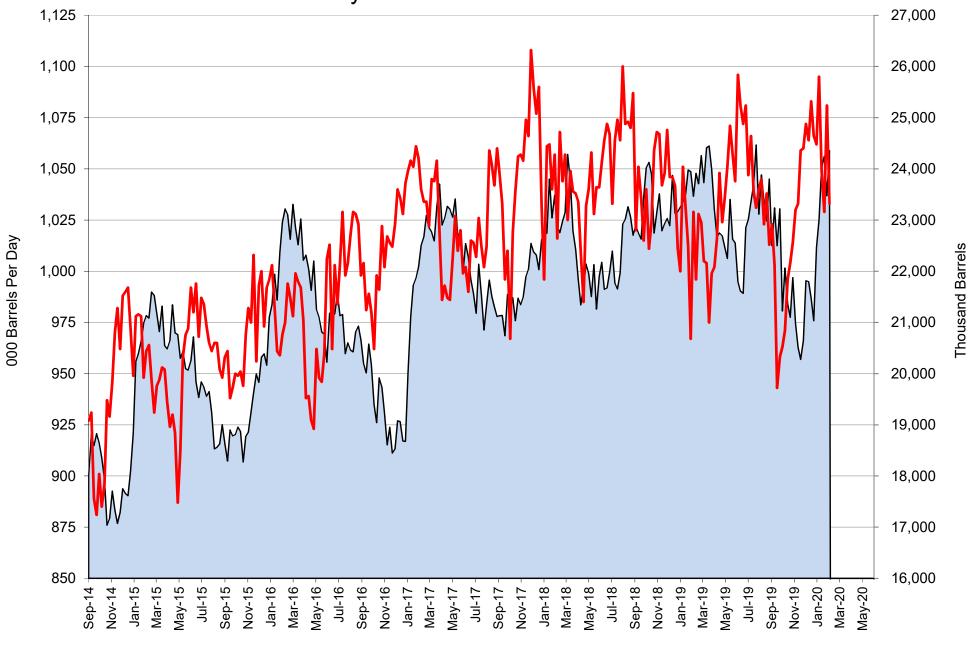
4-week average change: -16 4-week average change: 338

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US Weekly Ethanol Production

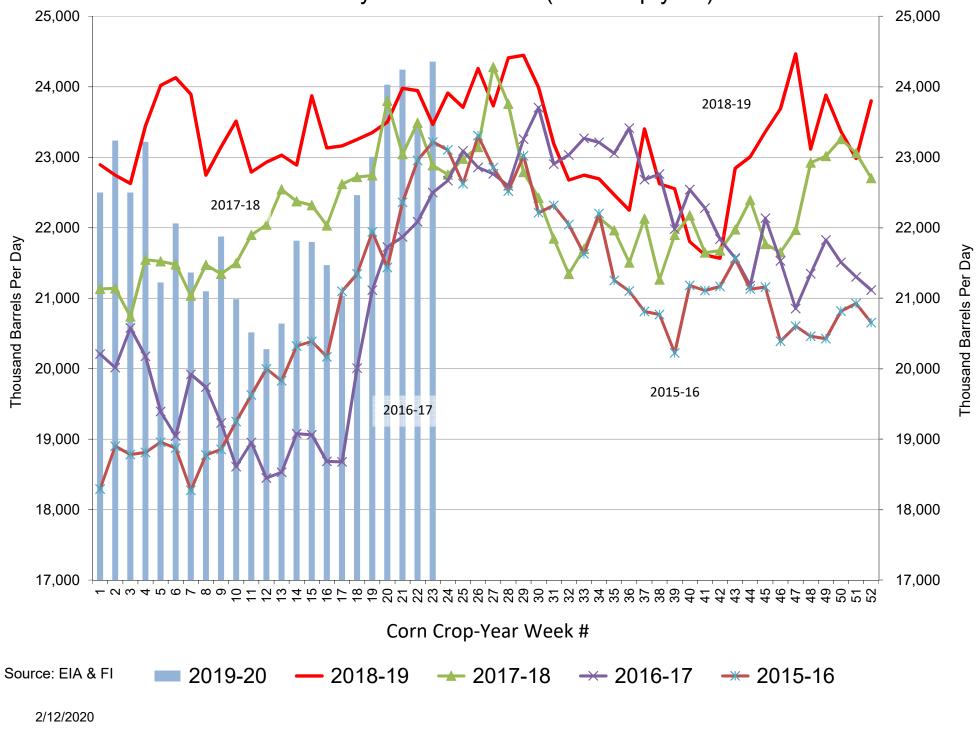




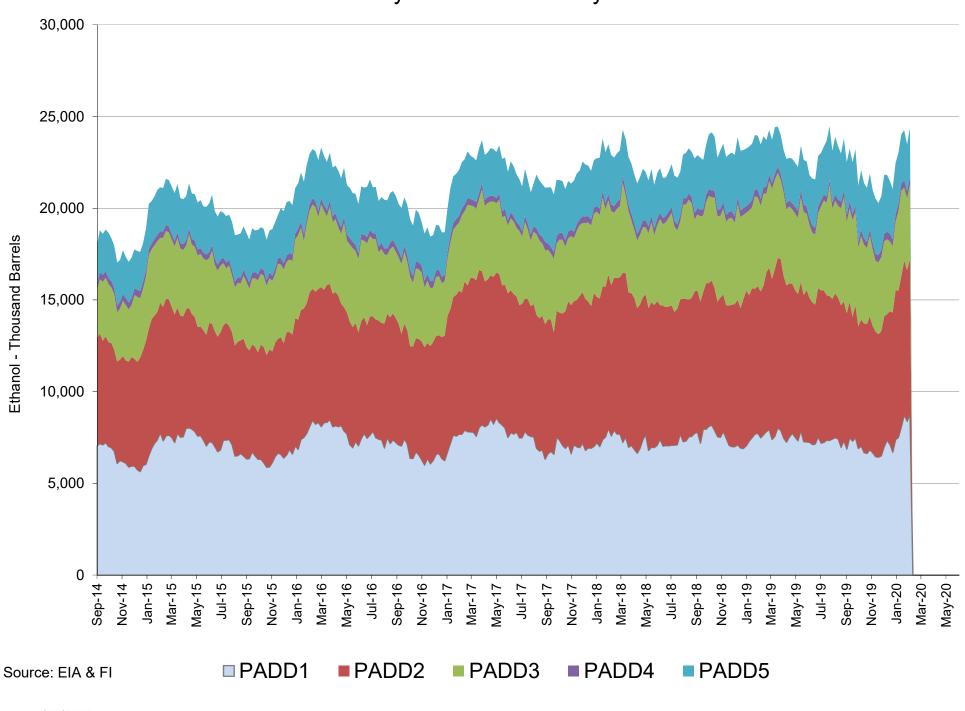


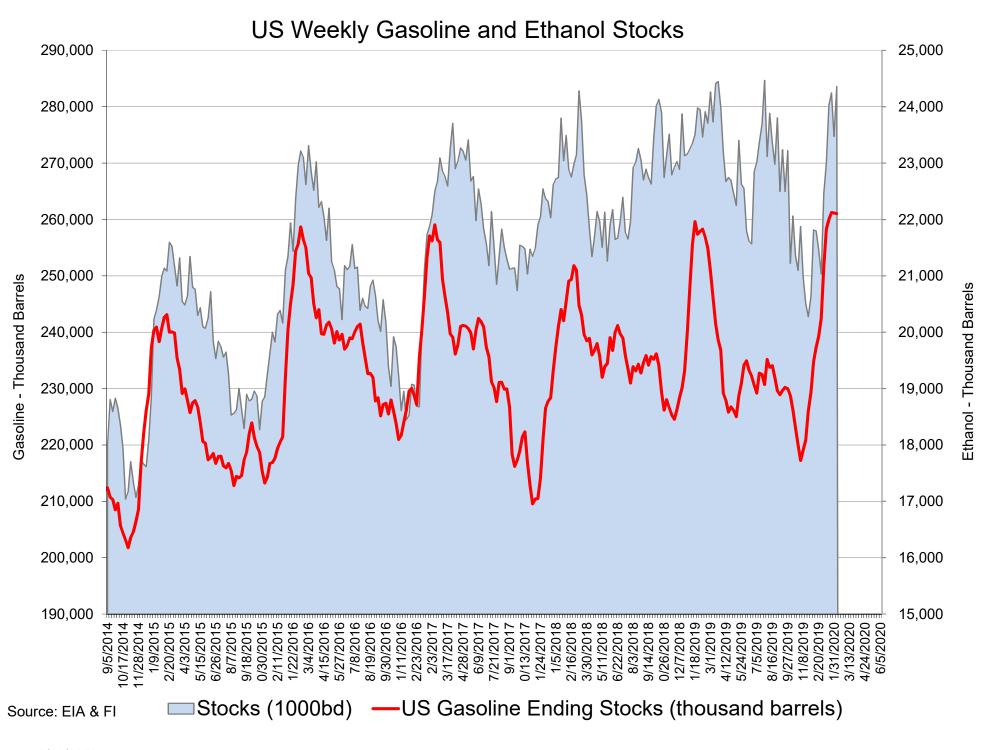
Source: EIA & FI Stocks (1000bd) — Production (1000bd)

US Weekly Ethanol Stocks (corn crop year)

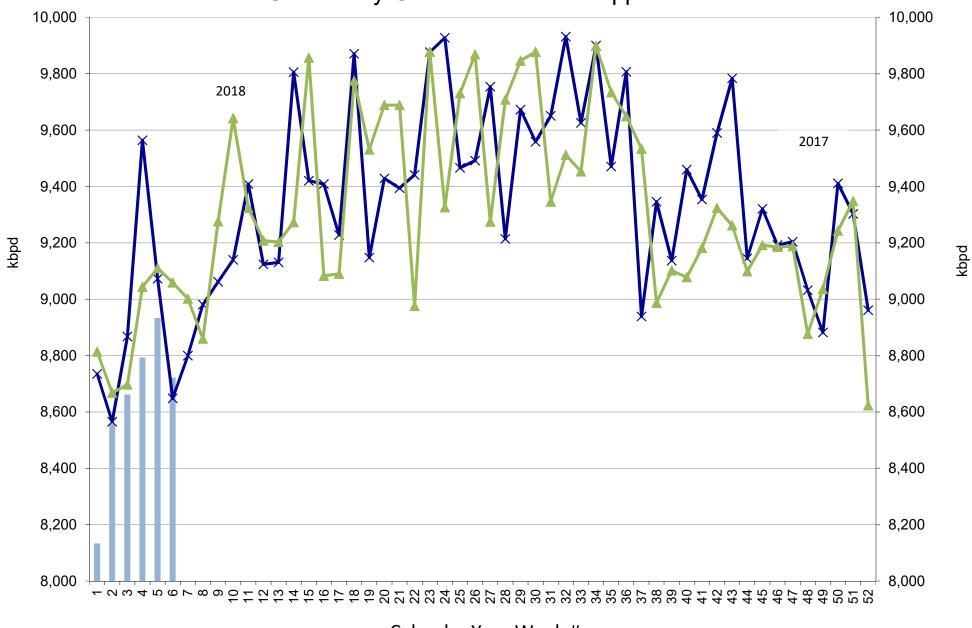


US Weekly Ethanol Stocks by PADD





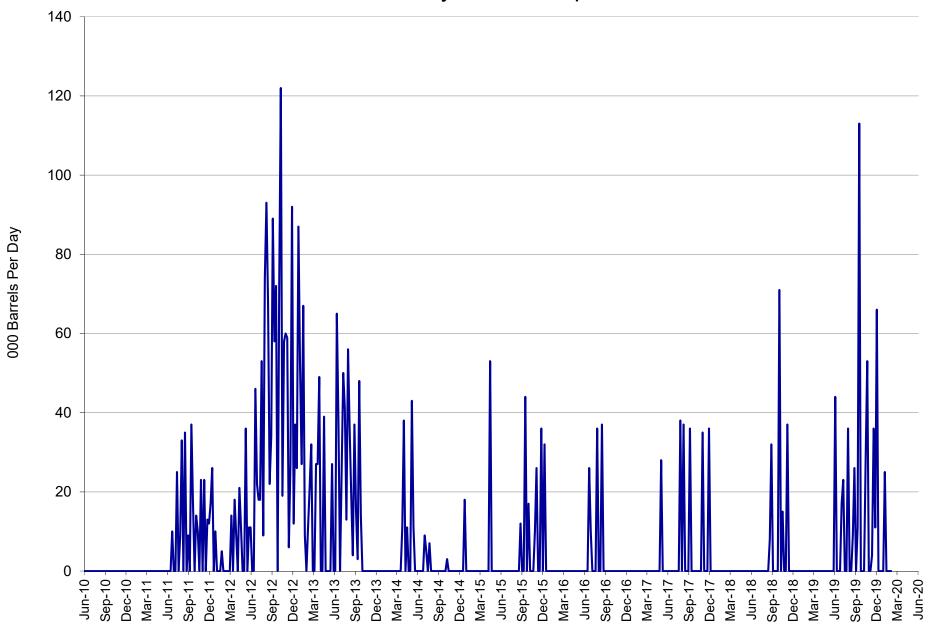




Calendar Year Week #

Source: EIA & FI Gasoline Product Supplied (kbpd) → 2019 → 2018

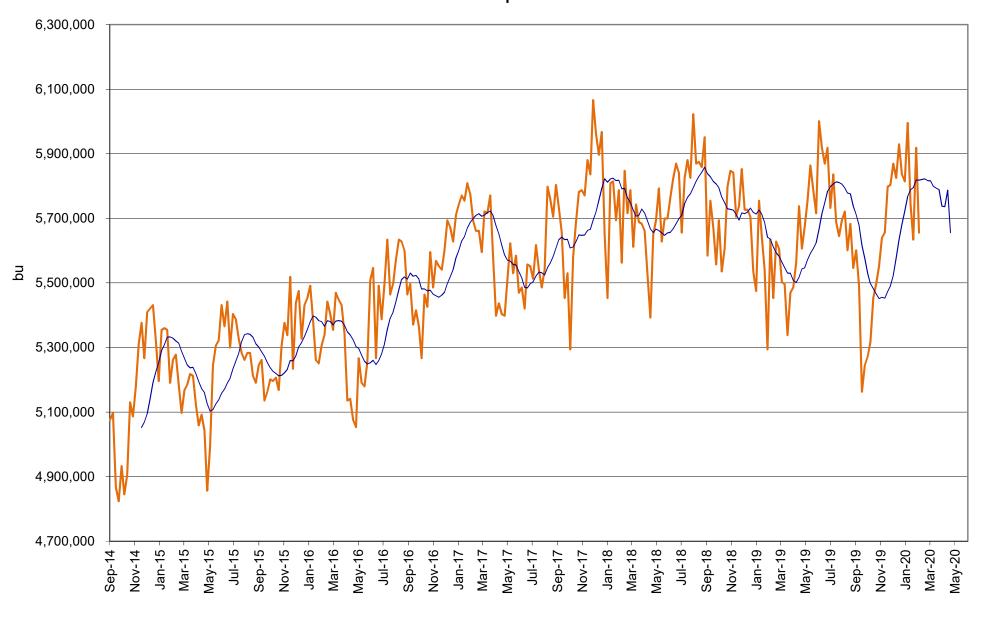
US Weekly Ethanol Imports



Source: EIA & FI

—Imports (BPD)

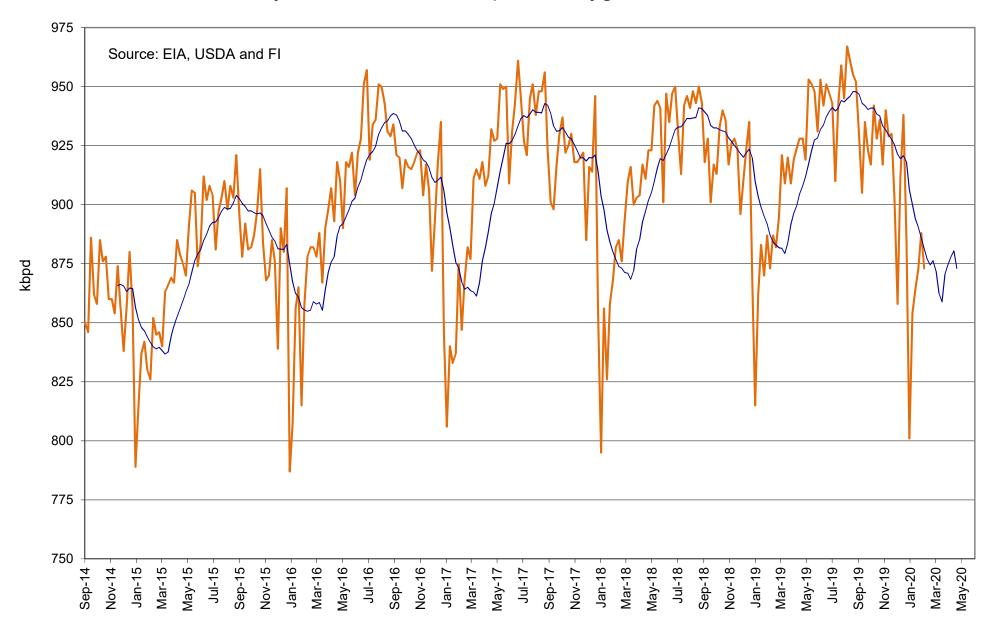
US Annualized Implied Corn Use



Source: EIA, USDA and FI —US —12 pe

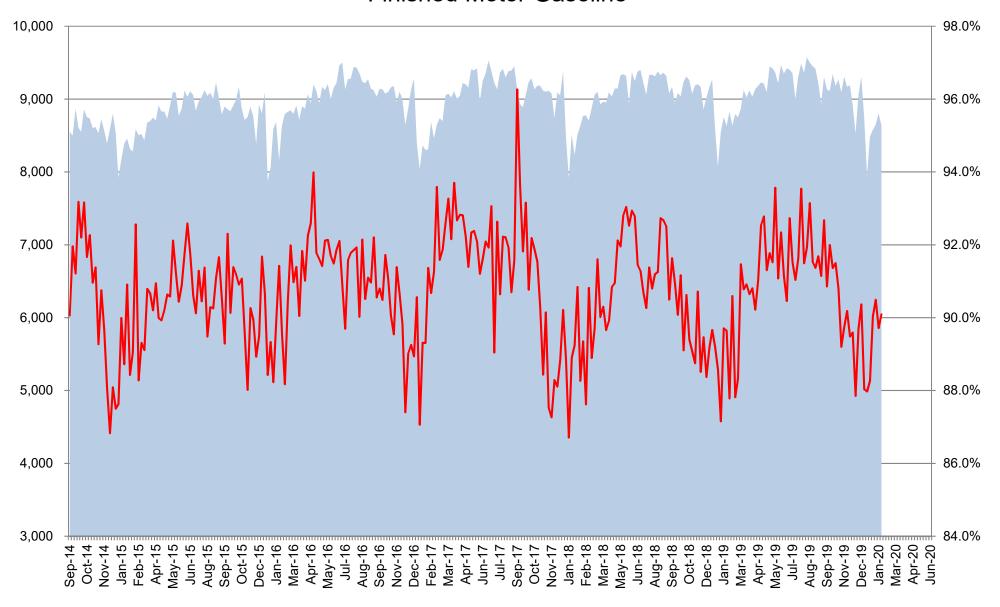
—12 per. Mov. Avg. (US)

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

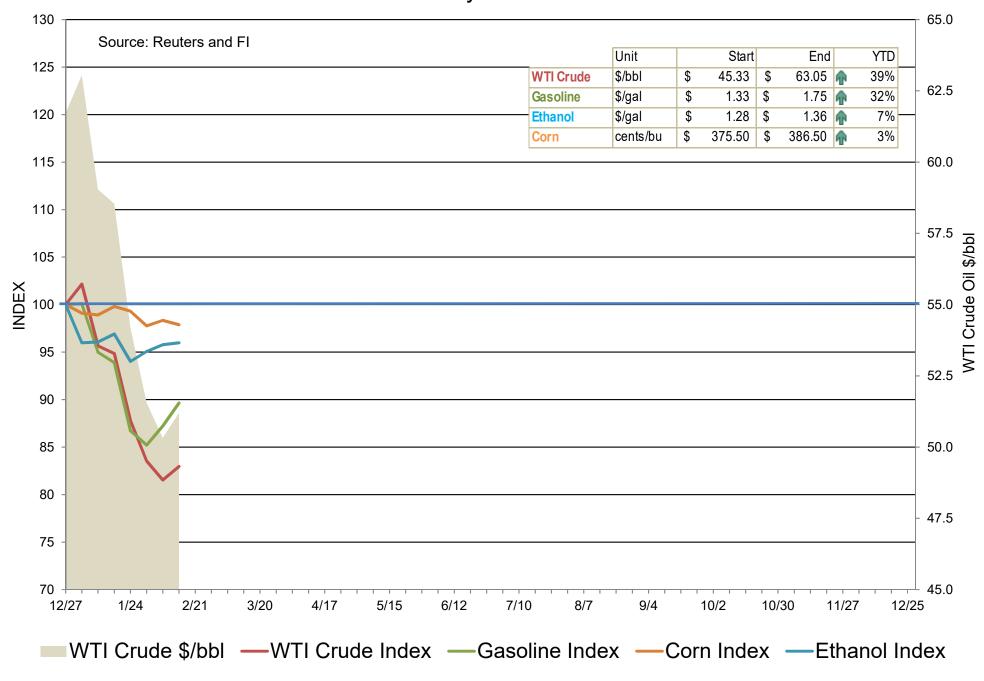


Source: EIA, USDA and FI

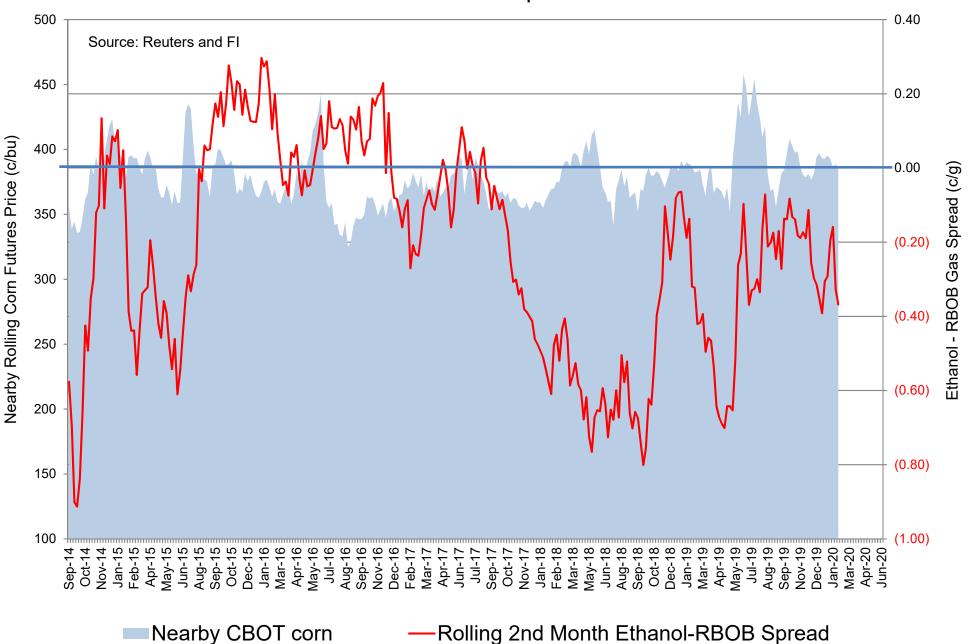
Total Blend Etoh

—Etoh Blend %

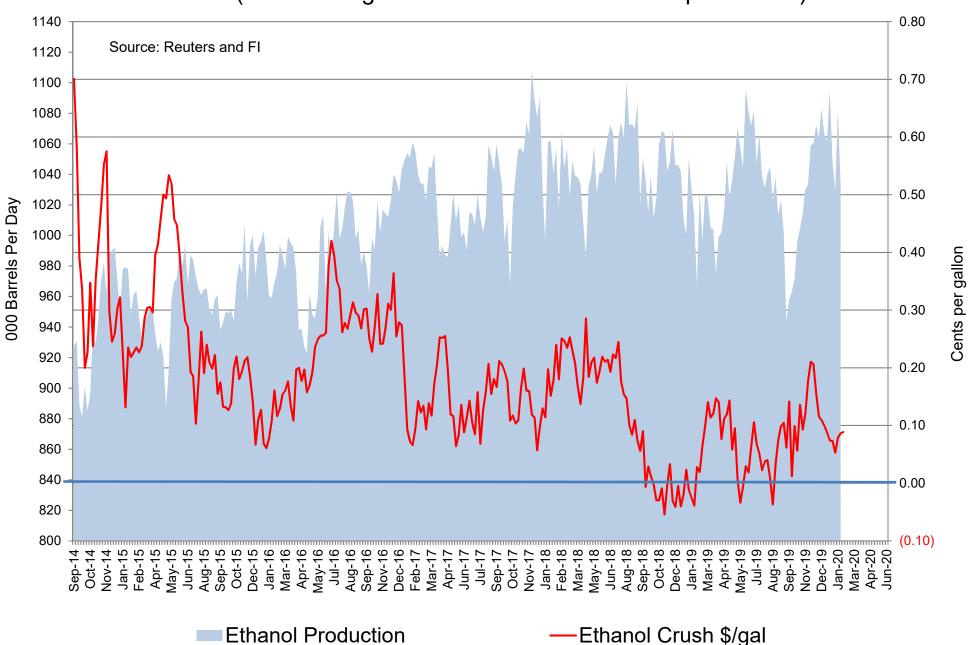
Indexed Commodity Prices Starting January 2020 versus WTI Crude Nearby Futures



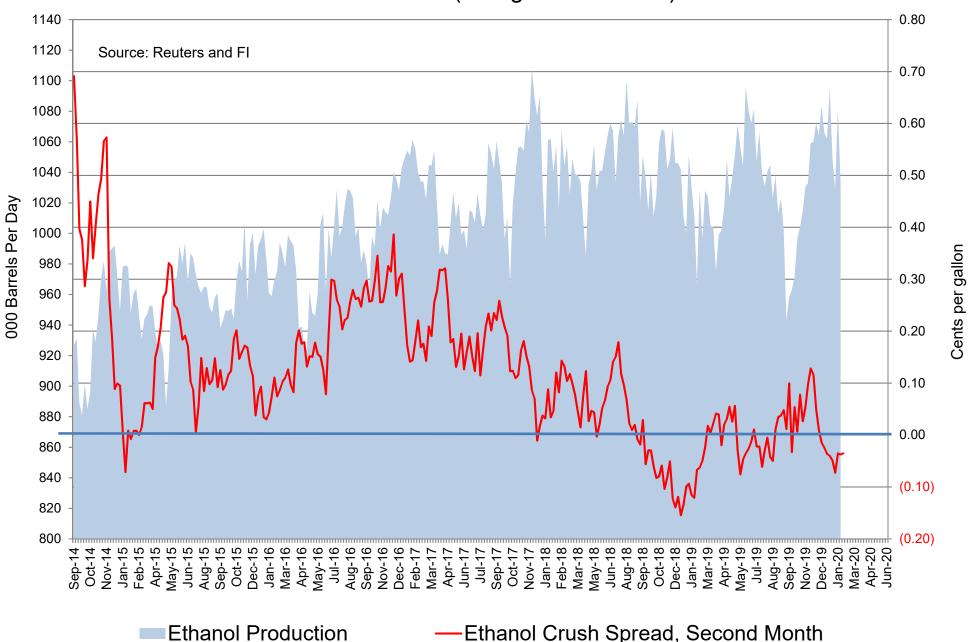
CBOT Second Month Corn Futures versus Second Month Ethanol - RBOB Futures Spread



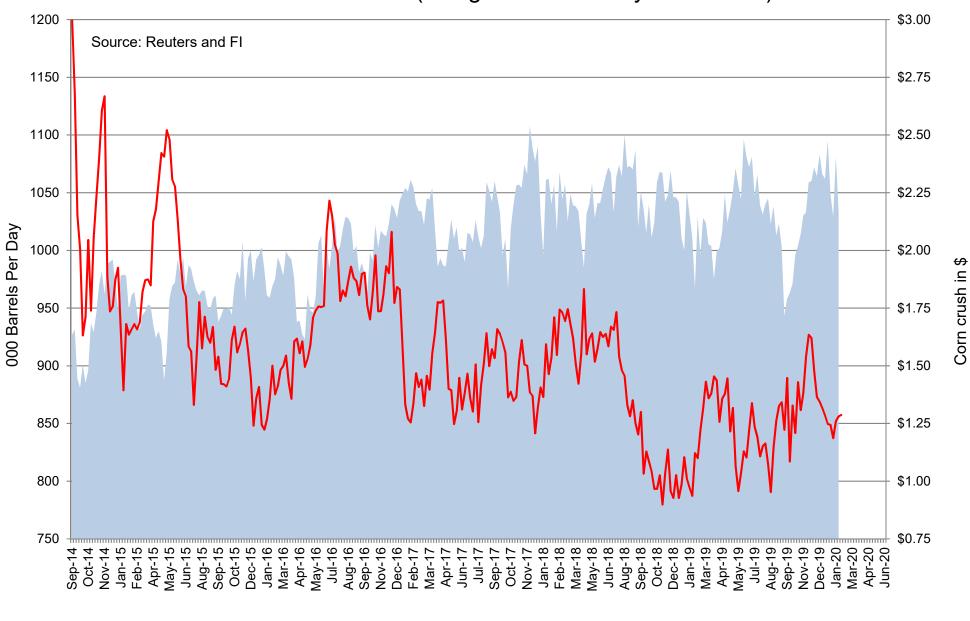
CBOT Second Month Corn Crush Spread versus Weekly Ethanol Production (uses Chicago ethanol and IL DDGS w/ implied costs)



Chicago Platts Second Month Corn Crush Spread versus Weekly Ethanol Production (Straight Calculation)



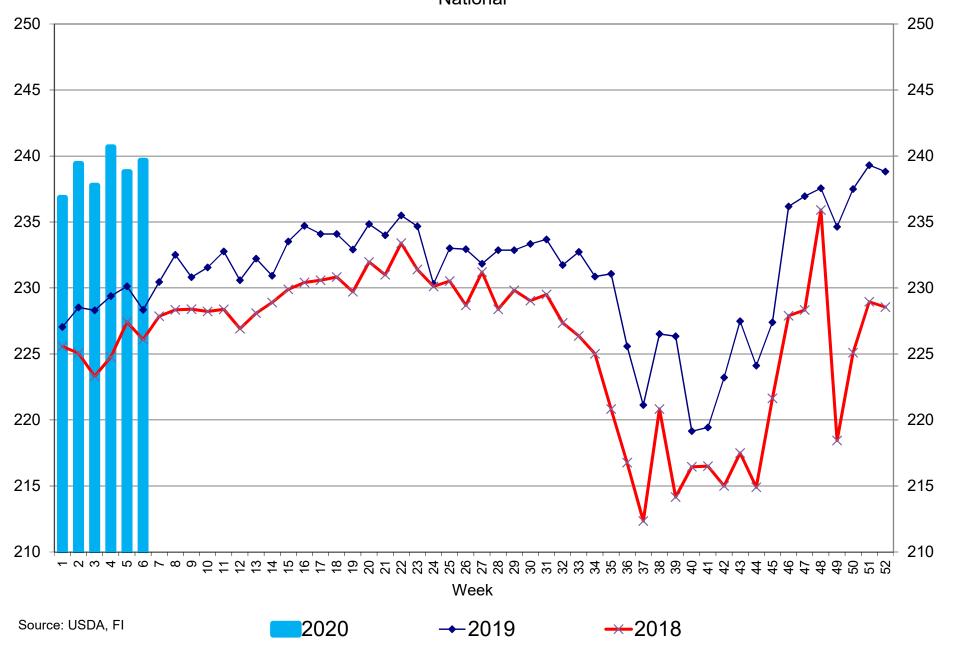
CBOT Second Month Corn Crush Spread with IL DDGS versus Weekly Ethanol Production (straight 3-commodity calculation)



Corn Crush Using IL DDGS

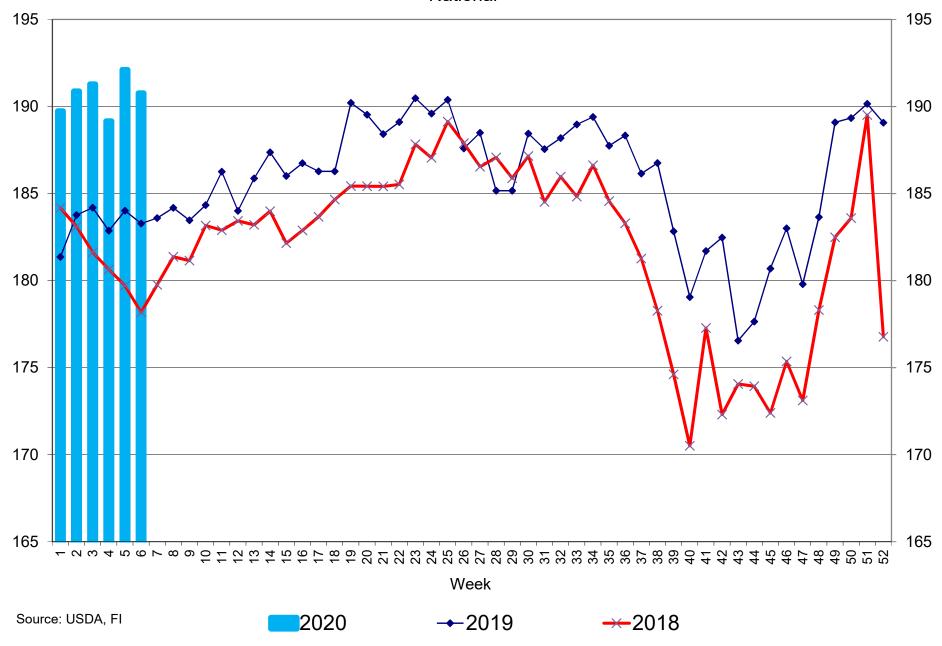
Ethanol Production

Broiler Egg Sets, in millions National



Broiler Chicks Placed, in millions

National



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