MARKET RESEARCH

2017 MARKET RESEARCH SURVEY

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NORTH AMERICA

COUNTRY / REGION (IF APPLICABLE)	CROP	PROPOSED SURVEY TIME	REASON	TYPE	AVAILABLE
UNITED STATES					
Great Plains/Delta	Corn, Soybean and Wheat	Mar 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Apr-Jun	PH/IT	
		Aug/Sep 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Oct/Nov (corn and soybean)	PH/IT	EX/SY
Cotton States: TX, GA, MS, CA, NC etc.	Cotton **	Jan/Feb 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Feb/Jun	PH/IT	EX/SY
		Jun 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Jul/Nov		
Great Plains/Delta	Corn, Soybean and Wheat	Nov 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Apr/Jun both 2017 plus yield confirmation	PH/IT	EX/SY

SOUTH AMERICA

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ARGENTINA					
Corn/SB Belt	Corn	Feb 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Mar/May	— FF	EX/SY
		Sep 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Oct/Nov		
Corn/SB Belt	Soybean	Mar 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Apr/Jun	FF	EV/CV
		Sep 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Oct/Dec		EX/SY
Cereal Belt	Winter Wheat/ Winter Barley	Jun 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Jul/Aug	- FF	EX/SY
		Oct 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Nov/Dec		

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BRAZIL					
Mato Grosso, Bahia.	Cotton **	May 2017 Oct 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Early harvest indications. Harvest is Jun/Sep Pre-planting survey.	FF/PH	EX/SY
			Main planting is Nov/Jan		
COLOMBIA					
Central and Eastern Cordilleras	Coffee	Sep 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Oct/Nov (mitaca survey also available)	FF/PH	EX

ASIA PACIFIC

COUNTRY / REGION (IF APPLICABLE)	CROP	PROPOSED SURVEY TIME	REASON	TYPE	AVAILABLE
CHINA					
Anhui, Guizhou, Henan, Hubei, Hunan, Jiangsu, Jiangxi, Sichuan	Rapeseed	Mar 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Apr/May	FF/PH	EX
Inner Mongolia, Heilongjiang, Jilin, Liaoning, Hebei, Shandong, Henan	Corn	Mar 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Apr/May	FF/PH	EX
Anhui, Hebei, Henan, Jiangsu, Shandong	Winter Wheat	Mar 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is May/Jun	- FF/PH	EX
		Aug 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Sep/Oct		EX
Anhui, Heilongjiang, Jilin, Jiangsu, Inner Mongolia, Shanxi, Sichuan	Soybean	Sep 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Oct/Nov	FF/PH	EX
Anhui, Guangdong, Hebei, Henan, Shandong,	Peanut	Sep 2017	Pre/at-harvest survey. Harvest is Hebei, Henan and Shandong is Sep/Oct. (Separate survey and timing available for Anhui and Guangdong where harvest is Jul)	FF/PH	EX
Inner Mongolia, Heilongjiang, Jilin, Liaoning, Hebei, Shandong, Henan	Corn	Sep 2017	Pre/at-harvest survey. Harvest is Sep/Oct	FF/PH	EX
Xinjiang, Shandong, Hebei, Henan, Hubei	Cotton **	Aug 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Sep, for Xinjiang Extra Long Staple Survey is available	FF/PH	EX
Guangxi, Yunnan, Guangdong	Sugar Cane	Sep 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Nov 2017/ Mar 2017	FF/PH	EX

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INDIA					
Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, Haryana	Rapeseed (Mustard/ Canola) (Rabi)	Jan 2017	Harvest survey. Harvest is Jan/Mar	FF	
		Aug 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Sep/Oct		EX
Gujarat, Maharahtra, Andra Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana	Cotton **	Apr 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is May	FF	EX
		Nov 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Nov/Jan 2017		
Bihar	Corn (Rabi)	Mar 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Apr	FF	EX
Maharashtra, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, etc.	Soybean	Aug 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Sep/Oct	FF	EX
Rajasthan, Gujarat, Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra, Andrha Pradesh	Sesame (Kharif)	Sep 2017	At-harvest survey	FF	EX
Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh etc.	Sugar Cane	Sep/Oct 2017	Pre/at-harvest survey. Harvest is Sep/Jan 2017 (includes mill survey)	FF	EX
Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Uttar Pradesh, Rajasthan, Karnataka	Corn	Sep 2017	Harvest survey. Harvest is Sep/Oct	FF	EX
MALAYSIA					
All regions	Palm oil	As required	Peak production is Jul/ Oct	FF	EX
THAILAND					
North, Central and North-East	Sugar Cane	Jul 2017 Sep/Oct 2017	At planting survey Pre harvest survey. Harvest is Nov/Jan- 2017	FF	EX
South	Rice	Aug 2017 Oct 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is in Sep Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Nov/Dec	- FF	EX/SY
VIETNAM			Harvest is Nov/Dec		
Central Highlands, Southeast, Central Coastal	Coffee	Sep 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Oct-Jan	FF	EX
AUSTRALIA					
Queensland, NSW	Cotton **	Feb 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Apr/May	- FF/PH	EV.
		Aug 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Sep/Oct		EX
Western Australia, South Australia, NSW	Winter Wheat	Mar 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is May/Jun	EE/DU	EX
		Oct 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Nov/Dec	FF/PH	
Western Australia, South Australia	Malting Barley	Sep/Oct 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Oct/Dec	FF/PH	EX

EUROPE, THE MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICA

COUNTRY / REGION (IF APPLICABLE)	CROP	PROPOSED SURVEY TIME	REASON	TYPE	AVAILABLE
EGYPT					
North Egypt, South Egypt	Cotton **	Jan 2017	Planting survey. Planting is Feb-Apr	FF	EX
		Jun 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Jul-Oct. Final harvest after 10 months from planting		
RUSSIA/UKRAINE/KAZAKHSTAN					
Chernozem Belt and Northern, Caucases (Rostov-on-Don,	Winter/ Spring	Apr 2017	Winter Wheat (Winter kill)/ Spring wheat planting	EE/DU	EV CV
Krasnodar, Stavropol and Volgograd)	Wheat	Jul 2017	Pre/at-harvest survey. Harvest is Jul/Sep	FF/PH	EX, SY
Russia / Ukraine / Kazaksthan / Hungary / Romania	Wheat, Barley, Rapeseeds and Sunseeds	Variable	This a weekly report on grain quality at harvest access through Internet.		Subscription via website
PAKISTAN					
Punjab, Sind	Cotton **	Mar 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Jun	- FF	EX
		Aug 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Sep/Dec		
CÔTE D'IVOIRE					
South, Southeast, Coastal, East, West	Cocoa	As required	Main harvest is Oct-Mar (secondary crop is May-Jul)	FF	EX
Côte d'Ivoire/Burkina Faso Cotton Belt	Cotton	Mar 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Apr/May 2017	- FF	EX
		Sep 2017	Pre-harvest survey. Harvest is Oct/Nov 2017		
GHANA					
Ashanti, Brong-Ahafo, Central, Eastern, Western, Volta	Cocoa	As required	Main harvest is Nov-Jun (secondary crop is Jul/Nov)	- FF	EX,SY
		Aug 2017	Pre-planting survey. Planting is Sep/Oct		
KENYA					
Rift Valley, Eastern, Nyanza	White/ Yellow Corn	As required		- FF	EX,SY
		May 2017			

Type of survey: FF is Face to Face, PH is Phone Survey, IT is Internet Survey Availability: EX is Exclusive, SY is Syndicated (can be shared)

Notes

(1) Completed surveys are designed to be ahead of official reports from the USDA, individual governments and other private forecasters to provide maximum trading advantage.

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