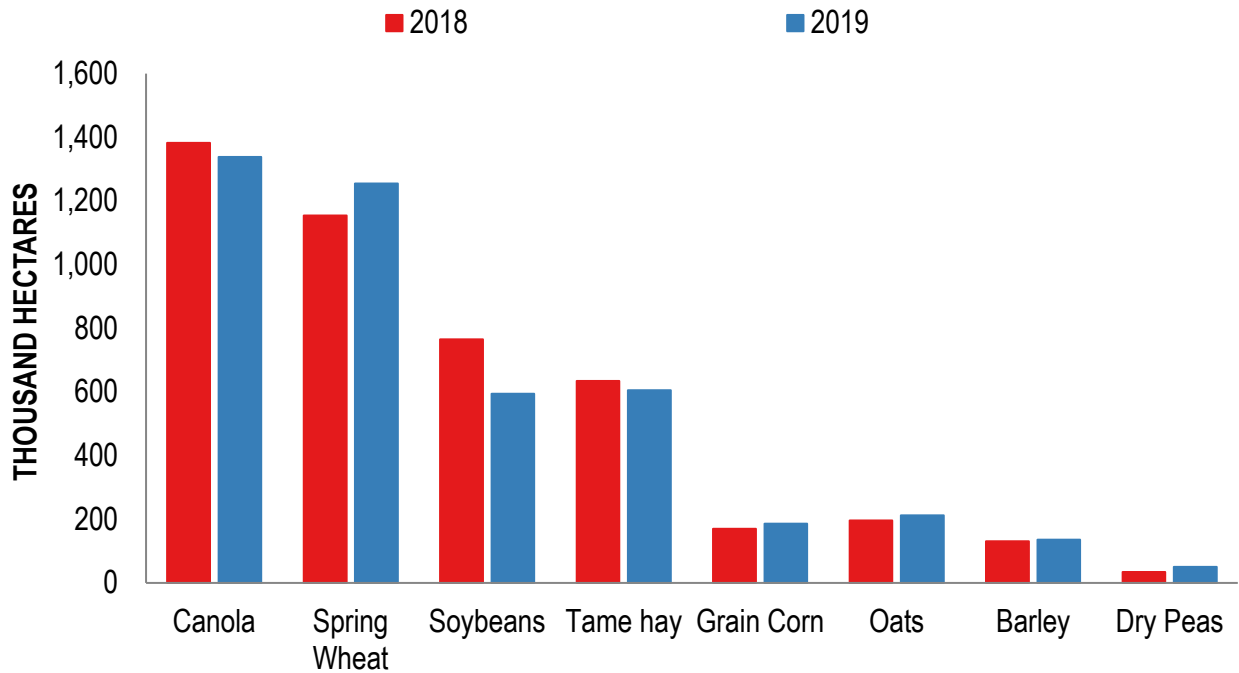


## November Estimates of Crop Production 2019



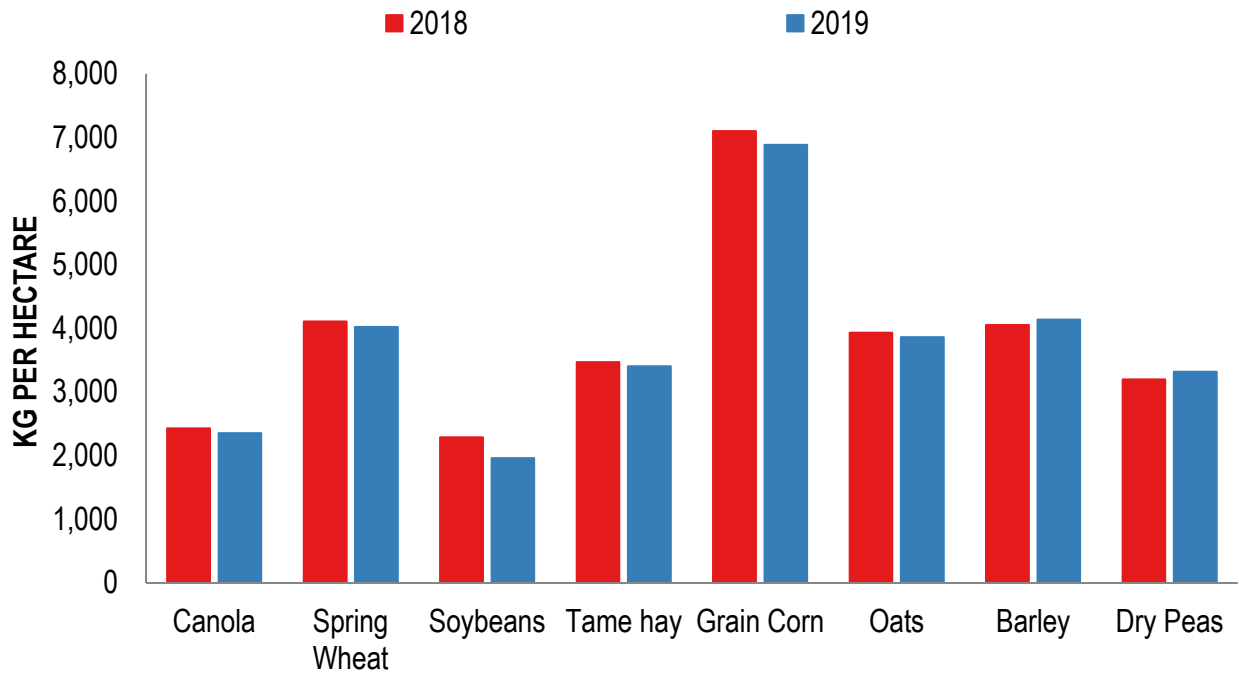
- The 2019 growing season was certainly varied and challenging. It began dry and relatively cool which allowed planting to progress in a timely fashion. June, July and August were extremely dry with the exception of one critical storm in early July that delivered the vast majority of the usable rainfall for the season. Harvest started early and progressed rapidly through August for our shorter season crops such as canola, wheat, oats and barley. September ushered in record rainfall amounts, generally in excess of 200 mm across the province. This greatly impeded harvest progress, which struggled inch by inch through the mud until early October when an early season snowstorm dealt yet another blow to the 2019 season. Although that snowfall ultimately melted and harvest pushed forward in later October and November, the 2019 harvest will go down in history as one of the most difficult.
- Canola weathered the numerous challenges of the 2019 season to produce 3.06 million tonnes, down 8% from the record 3.32 million tonnes in 2018, but still our third largest harvest on record. Harvested area shrank 5% while yields also declined 3% from 2018. Nonetheless, 2019 yields were the third best ever after 2017 and 2018. Nationally, canola production declined more than 8% from 20.3 million tonnes in 2018 to 18.6 million tonnes in 2019. Harvested acres were down 9% while yields slipped just half of one percent compared to last year. Canada's canola yields averaged 39.8 bushels per acre while Manitoba averaged 42 bushels per acre in 2019.
- Manitoba reported that total wheat production was up 4% thanks to harvested area rising 6% while yield slipped 2% versus 2018. Total wheat production came in just shy of 5.0 million tonnes for Manitoba, for about 15.5% of total Canadian production. Although wheat performed well during the generally dry growing season, harvest was a different story with excellent quality for the 70% harvested prior to the September rains, but post-rain quality was all feed wheat. Nationally, wheat production edged a half percent higher to 32.3 million tonnes, which was good enough to take second highest on record, though still 14% below the whopping 37.6 million tonne wheat crop produced in 2013.
- Soybeans have experienced sharp production declines in both 2018 and 2019 after establishing the 2017 record. Production in 2019 totalled 1.1 million tonnes, down by half from the 2017 record. Compared to 2018, harvested area was down 24% and yield was 14% lower to 29.2 bushels per acre on average. Soybean production in Manitoba was down by 35% from 2018 to 2019 after a 30% drop from 2017 to 2018. Canadian soybean production also saw a sharp 18.5% decline to just over 6.0 million tonnes due to an 11% decline in harvested area and 9% lower yield, averaging 39.6 bushels per acre.
- Manitoba grain corn harvested area continued its growth trend up 2% to another new high of 425,300 acres in 2019. Corn yields came in at 109.7 bushels per acre, below the 2014 to 2018 average of 121 bushels per acre. Total corn production dipped slightly to 1.185 million tonnes from 1.20 million tonnes in 2018. In 2019, Manitoba produced 9% of total Canadian corn production, up from only about 4% ten years ago.
- Oat production inched higher to 714,000 tonnes in 2019 from 709,000 tonnes in 2018. Harvested area increased 3% while yields declined 2% compared to 2018. Yields averaged 101.3 bushels per acre in 2019, which is third highest on record after 2017 at 110.8 bushels per acre and 2018 at 103.2 bushels per acre.
- Barley production rose 5.5% over 2018 to 529,000 tonnes in 2019. Yields averaged 76.9 bushels per acre, second only to the 2017 showing of 80.4 bushels per acre. Harvested area rose 3.4% from 2018 to 316,000 acres in 2019.

### MANITOBA SEEDED AREA NOVEMBER 2018-2019



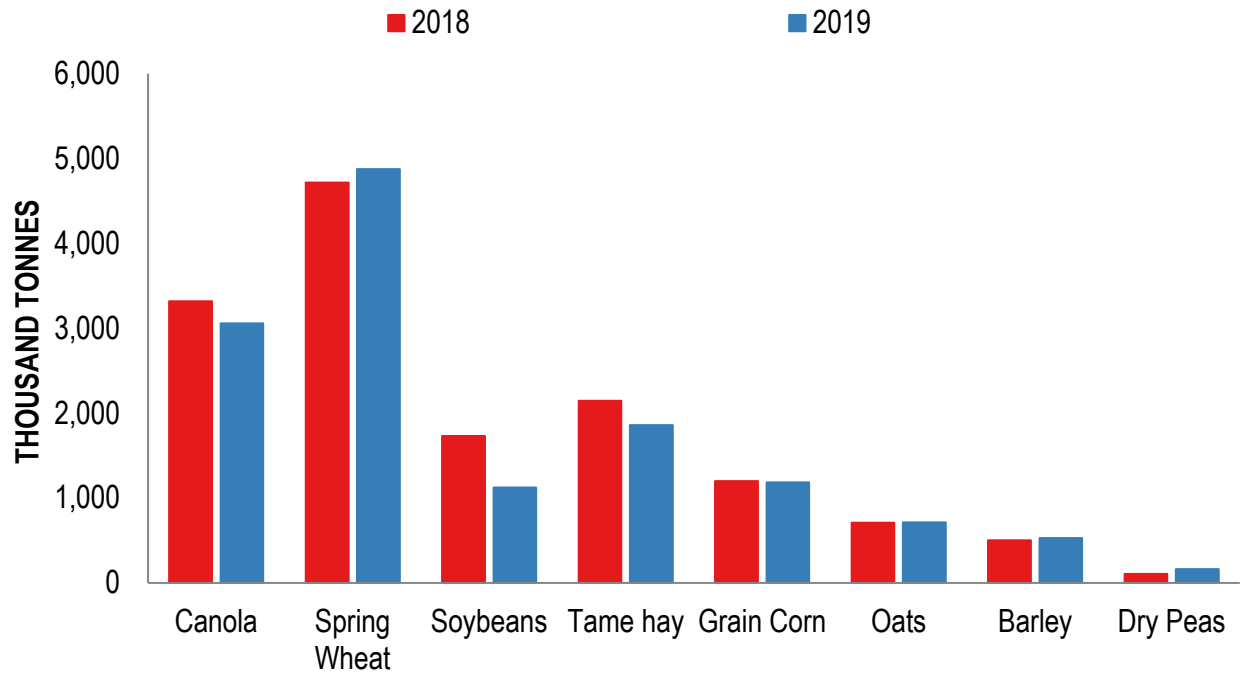
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### MANITOBA CROP YIELD NOVEMBER 2018-2019



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## MANITOBA CROP PRODUCTION NOVEMBER 2018-2019



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**CROP PRODUCTION (IMPERIAL UNITS)**

	2017	2018	2019	% 19/18
<b>Seeded Area (Acres)</b>				
Canola	3,160,000	3,416,000	3,307,800	97
All wheat	2,765,000	2,932,200	3,163,700	108
Spring wheat	2,625,000	2,852,100	3,099,900	109
Winter wheat	70,000	41,000	40,500	99
Soybeans	2,290,000	1,890,000	1,469,500	78
Tame hay	1,620,000	1,567,000	1,495,700	95
Oats	520,000	484,900	525,200	108
Corn	410,000	421,000	459,800	109
Barley	265,000	324,000	336,300	104
Dry beans	136,000	135,900	168,300	124
Fodder corn	87,000	115,500	130,000	113
Rye	80,000	57,800	98,900	171
Dry peas	65,000	85,000	125,600	148
Sunflower seed	65,000	60,000	65,000	108
Flaxseed	60,000	37,500	87,000	232
Mixed grains	13,000	15,000	24,600	164
<b>Harvested Area (Acres)</b>				
Canola	3,155,000	3,379,100	3,208,600	95
All wheat	2,682,000	2,888,900	3,052,800	106
Spring wheat	2,612,000	2,837,800	2,994,300	106
Winter wheat	70,000	41,000	40,100	98
Soybeans	2,285,000	1,870,400	1,412,200	76
Tame hay	1,575,000	1,527,300	1,348,200	88
Oats	480,000	445,600	456,900	103
Corn	390,000	417,500	425,300	102
Barley	250,000	305,500	315,900	103
Dry beans	135,000	132,800	153,300	115
Fodder corn	80,000	104,000	106,900	103
Rye	75,000	45,100	86,500	192
Dry peas	63,000	81,900	122,000	149
Sunflower seed	63,000	56,000	60,500	108
Flaxseed	60,000	36,500	71,500	196
Mixed grains	4,000	10,600	11,500	108
<b>Yield (Bushels per Acre)</b>				
Canola	44.0	43.3	42.0	97
All wheat	61.3	60.9	59.8	98
Spring wheat	61.3	61.1	59.8	98
Winter wheat	61.8	54.1	61.4	113
Soybeans	36.1	34.0	29.2	86
Tame hay ( <i>Tons per Acre</i> )	2.10	1.55	1.52	98
Oats	110.8	103.2	101.3	98
Corn	128.2	113.2	109.7	97
Barley	80.4	75.3	76.9	102
Dry beans ( <i>Hundredweight per Acre</i> )	21.3	17.7	15.8	89
Fodder corn ( <i>Tons per Acre</i> )	17.1	16.4	16.6	101
Rye	69.2	61.0	60.3	99
Dry peas	46.8	47.0	49.4	105
Sunflower seed ( <i>Pounds per Acre</i> )	2,016.0	1,918.0	2006.0	105
Flaxseed	29.7	26.7	23.3	87
Mixed grains	50.0	60.8	37.8	62

**CROP PRODUCTION (IMPERIAL UNITS)***(continued)*

	2017	2018	2019	% 19/18
<b>Production (Thousands of Bushels)</b>				
Canola	138,800	146,315	134,761	92
All wheat	164,460	176,061	182,595	104
Spring wheat	160,135	173,334	179,131	103
Winter wheat	4,325	2,220	2,462	111
Soybeans	82,500	63,625	41,236	65
Tame hay ( <i>Thousands of Tons</i> )	3,300	2,364	2,049	87
Oats	53,200	45,973	46,284	101
Corn	50,000	47,241	46,655	99
Barley	20,100	23,007	24,293	106
Dry beans ( <i>Thousands of Hundredweights</i> )	2,875	2,351	2,418	103
Fodder corn ( <i>Thousands of Tons</i> )	1,365	1,704	1,777	104
Rye	5,190	2,752	5,218	190
Dry peas	2,950	3,853	6,022	156
Sunflower seed ( <i>Thousands of Pounds</i> )	127,000	107,424	121,363	113
Flaxseed	1,782	974	1,665	171
Mixed grains	200	644	435	68

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**CROP PRODUCTION (METRIC UNITS)**

	2017	2018	2019	% 19/18
<b>Seeded Area (Hectares)</b>				
Canola	1,278,800	1,382,400	1,338,600	97
All wheat	1,119,100	1,186,600	1,280,300	108
Spring wheat	1,062,400	1,154,200	1,254,500	109
Winter wheat	28,300	16,600	16,400	99
Soybeans	926,700	764,900	594,700	78
Tame hay	655,600	634,100	605,290	95
Oats	210,400	196,200	212,500	108
Corn	165,900	170,400	186,100	109
Barley	107,200	131,100	136,100	104
Dry beans	55,000	55,000	68,100	124
Fodder corn	35,200	46,700	52,600	113
Rye	32,400	23,400	40,000	171
Dry peas	26,200	34,400	50,800	148
Sunflower seed	26,300	24,300	26,300	108
Flaxseed	24,300	15,200	35,200	232
Mixed grains	5,300	6,100	10,000	164
<b>Harvested Area (Hectares)</b>				
Canola	1,276,800	1,367,500	1,298,500	95
All wheat	1,085,400	1,169,100	1,235,400	106
Spring wheat	1,057,100	1,148,400	1,211,800	106
Winter wheat	28,300	16,600	16,200	98
Soybeans	924,700	756,900	571,500	76
Tame hay	637,400	618,100	545,600	88
Oats	194,200	180,300	184,900	103
Corn	157,800	169,000	172,100	102
Barley	101,200	123,600	127,800	103
Dry beans	54,600	53,700	62,000	115
Fodder corn	32,400	42,100	43,300	103
Rye	30,400	18,300	35,000	191
Dry peas	25,400	33,100	49,400	149
Sunflower seed	25,500	22,700	24,500	108
Flaxseed	24,300	14,800	28,900	195
Mixed grains	1,600	4,300	4,700	109

**CROP PRODUCTION (METRIC UNITS)**
*(continued)*  
**% 19/18**

	2017	2018	2019	
<b>Yield (Kilograms per Hectare)</b>				
Canola	2,500	2,427	2,354	97
All wheat	4,124	4,099	4,022	98
Spring wheat	4,123	4,110	4,023	98
Winter wheat	4,200	3,641	4,129	113
Soybeans	2,400	2,288	1,964	86
Tame hay	4,700	3,470	3,407	98
Oats	4,200	3,932	3,860	98
Corn	8,000	7,102	6,886	97
Barley	4,300	4,052	4,140	102
Dry beans	2,400	2,000	1,767	88
Fodder corn	38,220	36,690	37,265	102
Rye	4,340	3,830	3,786	99
Dry peas	3,200	3,200	3,318	104
Sunflower seed	2,260	2,150	2,248	105
Flaxseed	1,900	1,675	1,461	87
Mixed grains	2,600	3,064	1,907	62
<b>Production (Metric Tonnes)</b>				
Canola	3,147,900	3,318,400	3,056,300	92
All wheat	4,475,900	4,791,600	4,969,400	104
Spring wheat	4,358,100	4,717,400	4,875,100	103
Winter wheat	117,700	60,400	67,000	111
Soybeans	2,245,300	1,731,600	1,122,300	65
Tame hay	2,993,700	2,144,900	1,859,100	87
Oats	820,500	709,000	713,800	101
Corn	1,270,100	1,200,000	1,185,100	99
Barley	437,600	500,900	528,900	106
Dry beans	130,400	106,600	109,600	103
Fodder corn	1,238,300	1,545,500	1,612,100	104
Rye	131,800	69,900	132,500	190
Dry peas	80,300	104,800	163,900	156
Sunflower seed	57,600	48,700	55,000	113
Flaxseed	45,300	24,700	42,300	171
Mixed grains	4,100	13,200	8,900	67

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