

WEEKLY AGRICULTURAL REPORT





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I - NWA (North-West Argentina)

II - NEA (North-East Argentina)

III - North-Central Córdoba

IV - South Córdoba

V - North-Central Santa Fe

VI - North Belt

VII - South Belt

VIII - East-Central Entre Ríos

IX - North La Pampa - West Buenos Aires

X - Central Buenos Aires

XI - South-West de Buenos Aires - South La Pampa

XII - South-East Buenos Aires

XIII - San Luis

XIV - Cuenca del Salado

XV - Others

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AGRICULTURAL WEATHER OUTLOOK: FEBRUARY 23 TO MARCH 1, 2023:

## TEMPERATURES ABOVE NORMAL, FOLLOWED BY PRECIPITATIONS OF VARIED INTENSITY WITH SCARCE VALUES OVER ARGENTINA'S MAIN AGRICULTURAL AREA AND URUGUAY. FINAL TEMPERATURE DROP.

The perspective will begin with winds from the tropics causing highs of varying intensity, with intense heat in the interior of the agricultural area, and moderate records in the mountainous areas and the Atlantic coast. At the same time, the entry of a storm front will bring abundant rainfall to the north, west and south of the agricultural area, but leaving scarce records that will affect a large part of the main agricultural area of Argentina and Uruguay, as well as to the west and center of Paraguay. Coupled with the front, polar winds will arrive, starting a temperature drop, with lows below normal, but with little chances of local frost.



## **SOYBEAN**

Early frosts in sectors of the agricultural area have led to additional losses while 48.3% of the crops are defining yields (R3-R6). Sectors in the North of La Pampa-West of Buenos Aires, San Luis and the South of Córdoba report damage to the upper third of the canopy, being second-crop soybeans the most affected. Additionally, the absence of precipitation coupled with the heat stroke registered during the 10th and 11th of this month continue to generate plant losses. With no prospects in the short term of new storm fronts over the center of the agricultural area, we reduce our soybean production estimate to 33.5 MTn.

## CORN

Since our previous report, the harvest of corn has concentrated in the provinces of Santa Fe and Entre Ríos. Early-planted corn continues yielding below the initial expectations, as well as the projected productivities in the North and South belt. Under this scenario, the new production projection for the 2022/23 campaign stands at 41 MTn. In absolute numbers, this projection is down11 MTn YoY. (Campaign 2021/22: 52 MTn). Despite this drop, the impact that the frost and the heat stroke generated on the productive potential of late plantings of the cereal remains to be assessed...

## **SUNFLOWER**

The sunflower harvest continues expanding slowly into the center of the agricultural area, covering 24.5% of the total area. The national average yield is 1.53 Tn/Ha and the production projection remains at 3.9 MTn. During the last seven days the collection of the oil crop has begun in the North of La Pampa – West of Buenos Aires. At the same time, last week's rains on the sunflower main-producing area in the south of Buenos Aires, have improved the condition of the crop at a national level with 78% of the area registering a condition between Normal and Good.



## Annex



## **SOYBEAN**

		Hectareage (Ha)		Porcentage	Hectares	
	Zone	2021/22	2022/23	Planted (%)	Planted	
1	NWA	1.130.000	1.100.000	100,0	1.100.000	
П	NEA	1.587.720	1.625.000	100,0	1.625.000	
III	NCnt Cba	1.694.590	1.670.000	100,0	1.670.000	
IV	S Cba	1.660.630	1.515.000	100,0	1.515.000	
V	NCnt SFe	1.034.890	965.700	100,0	965.700	
VI	North Belt	2.083.000	2.096.000	100,0	2.096.000	
VII	South Belt	2.205.000	2.220.000	100,0	2.220.000	
VIII	ECnt ER	1.017.000	1.061.300	100,0	1.061.300	
IX	N LP-W BA	1.850.000	1.870.000	100,0	1.870.000	
Х	Cnt BA	690.000	707.000	100,0	707.000	
ΧI	SW BA-S LP	365.000	400.000	100,0	400.000	
XII	SE BA	510.000	500.000	100,0	500.000	
XIII	SL	232.000	222.000	100,0	222.000	
XIV	Cuenca Sal	162.170	170.000	100,0	170.000	
XV	Others	78.000	78.000	100,0	78.000	

TOTAL 16.300.000

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TOTAL 7.700.000 7.100.000

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2022/23 Season

Data to: February 22, 2023

	Zone	Sown	Hectareage (Ha) Lost	Harvestable	Porcentage Harvested (%)	Hectares Harvested	Yield (qq/Ha)	Production (Tn)
1	NWA	-	-	-		-	-	-
II	NEA	170.000	6.300	163.700	100,0	163.700	16,5	269.327
III	NCnt Cba	18.000	185	17.815	80,0	14.252	19,8	28.182
IV	S Cba	52.000	558	51.442	22,0	11.317	18,8	21.221
V	NCnt SFe	264.000	4.900	259.100	99,0	256.509	13,9	357.814
VI	North Belt	26.000	270	25.730	75,0	19.298	16,6	32.105
VII	South Belt	11.000	240	10.760	45,0	4.842	20,0	9.684
VIII	ECnt ER	9.000	502	8.498	85,0	7.223	14,6	10.541
IX	N LP-W BA	180.000	50	179.950	2,5	4.499	18,0	8.098
X	Cnt BA	93.000	15	92.985	-	-	-	-
XI	SW BA-S LP	473.000	-	473.000	-	-	-	-
XII	SE BA	526.500	-	526.500	-	-	-	-
XIII	SL	48.000	-	48.000	-	-	-	-
XIV	Cuenca Sal	121.000	40	120.960	-	-	-	-
XV	Others	8.500	262	8.238	50,0	4.119	14,8	6.096
	TOTAL	2.000.000	13.322	1.986.678	24,5	125.088	15,5	193.402