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Preface

The 1997-98 North Dakota Grain and Oilseed Transportation Statistics Report was prepared by Matt Domine and Douglas Benson, Upper Great Plains Transportation Institute. The authors gratefully acknowledge the desktop publishing assistance of Bev Trittin in constructing this report.

This report represents a continuation of analysis concerned with the patterns and methods of distributing grains and oilseeds from North Dakota. This series began with the analysis of 1956-57 data and was published in Agricultural Economics Reports 15, 17, 44, 56, and 86 and Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin 462. The compilation and analysis of data for the year 1967-68 in this series was assumed by the Upper Great Plains Transportation Institute. Also, the data representing the 1967-68 period were the first results of the requirements of the North Dakota Public Service Commission that all North Dakota elevators report monthly movements of grains and oilseeds by truck and rail. Prior to 1967-68, these data had been estimated from questionnaires completed by a sample of country elevators.

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NORTH DAKOTA GRAIN AND OILSEED TRANSPORTATION STATISTICS 1997-98

Objective of Report

This report represents a continuation of analysis concerned with the patterns and methods of distributing grain from North Dakota. The collection and compilation of this type of data began in 1956-57. The objectives of this report, like prior reports, are to provide the necessary database for identifying trends in the distribution of grain and oilseeds from North Dakota.

Scope of Report

Data are tabulated according to major characteristics which typically describe commodity flows. The major shipment characteristics considered are destination, mode, origin, time and commodity. These characteristics are defined as follows:

- **Destination:** Minneapolis-St. Paul, Duluth-Superior, West (ID, OR, WA), and miscellaneous markets. Miscellaneous markets consist of Other Minnesota/Wisconsin, Midland/Southwest States (AR, AZ, CA, CO, IA, KS, LA, MO, MT, NE, NM, NV, OK, SD, TX, and WY), North Dakota and other destinations.
- Mode: Rail or truck. Rail includes Commodity Credit Corporation shipments.
- Origin: The nine crop reporting districts in North Dakota (Figure 1).
- Time: By month, from July 1997 to June 1998, and previous years.
- Commodity: Hard red spring wheat, durum, barley, sunflower, oats, soybeans, flaxseed, corn, and canola.

Source of Data

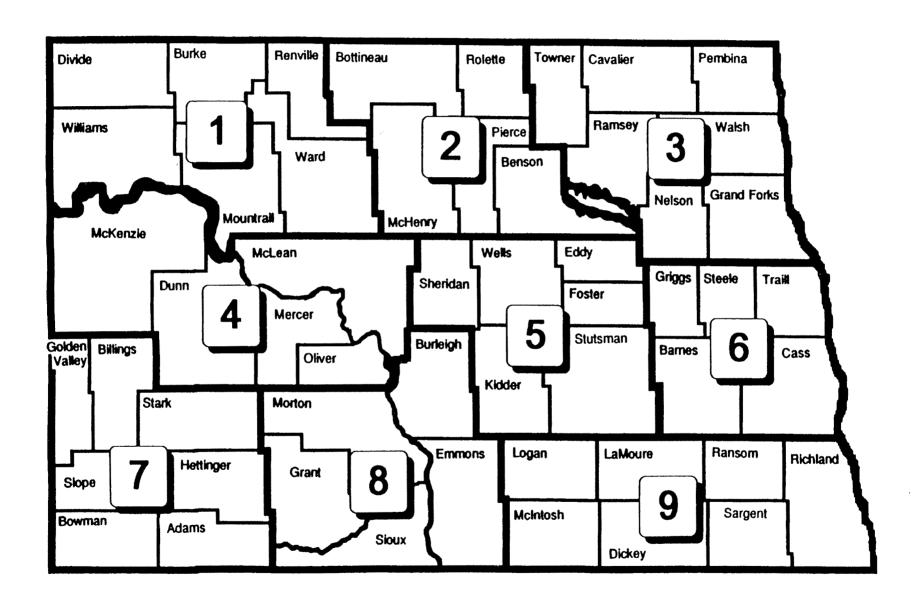
The data used to analyze North Dakota grain distribution patterns for the period July 1997 through June 1998 were obtained from all country elevators in North Dakota. The data source is the North Dakota Public Service Commission's "Grain Movement Report." Every country elevator in North Dakota is required under state statute to assemble and submit a "Grain Movement Report" to the Public Service Commission on a monthly basis.

Organization of the Remainder of the Report

The same general commodity flow characteristics are considered in this report as in previous years' reports. Flow patterns for each type of grain are described in separate sections in the following order: (1) Total Grain and Oilseed Shipments, (2) Hard Red Spring Wheat, (3) Durum, (4) Barley, (5) Sunflower, (6) Oats, (7) Soybeans, (8) flaxseed, (9) Corn, and (10) Canola. Canola replaces flaxseed in the 1997-98 report because of its larger volume of shipments. Flax shipments are reported for historical purposes only.

Some small inconsistencies in totals may be noted when comparing tables and graphs due to rounding error.

1997-98 totals are preliminary, representing 99 percent of the required reports.



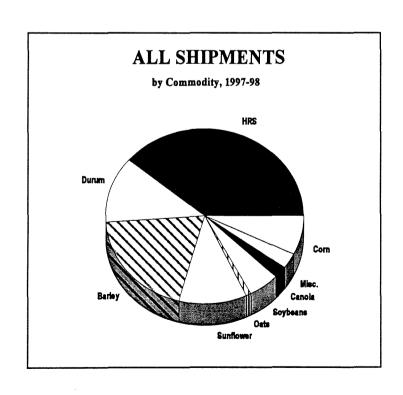
North Dakota Crop Reporting Districts and Counties



NORTH DAKOTA GRAIN AND OILSEED SHIPMENTS 1989-90 to 1997-98

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YEAR	HRS	Durum	Barley	Sunflower	Oats	Soybeans	Canola	Misc.	Corn	TOTAL
1989-90	192,485 40%	72,003 15%	112,256 23%	32,174 7%	5,015 1%	14,015 3%	N/A	15,709 4%	34,764 7%	478,421 100%
1990-91	191,072 38%	78,309 15%	114,046 23%	37,086 7%	5,601 1%	10,185 2%	N/A	41,487 8%	28,434 6%	506,220 100%
1991-92	261,169 43%	83,827 14%	124,755 20%	57,364 9%	7,601 1%	16,464 3%	N/A	25,105 4%	36,084 6%	612,376 100%
1992-93	344,261 (49%	88,080 12%	131,139 19%	66,965 10%	13,272 2%	15,528 2%	N/A	15,878 3%	18,054 3%	704,083 100%
1993-94	255,377 49%	84,740 16%	111,087 21%	26,582 5%	11,676 2%	9,898 2%	N/A	14,708 2%	8,167 2%	522,235 100%
1994-95	223,886 42%	69,562 13%	120,251 23%	49,921 9 %	10,262 2%	14,595 3%	N/A	20,359 3%	24,398 5%	533,234 100%
1995-96	264,379 46%	70,875 13%	103,590 18%	42,338 7%	7,576 1%	20,704 4%	N/A	19,957 3%	35,722 6%	565,141 100%
1996-97	219,045 43%	67,764 13%	107,821 21%	34,935 7%	3,919 0	21,097 4%	N/A	29,319 6%	25,187 5%	509,087 100%
1997-98	1 80,477 39%	57,567 12%	93,987 20%	49,786 11%	3,122 1%	25,223 5%	8,641 2%	14,753 3%	32,842 7%	466,398 100%



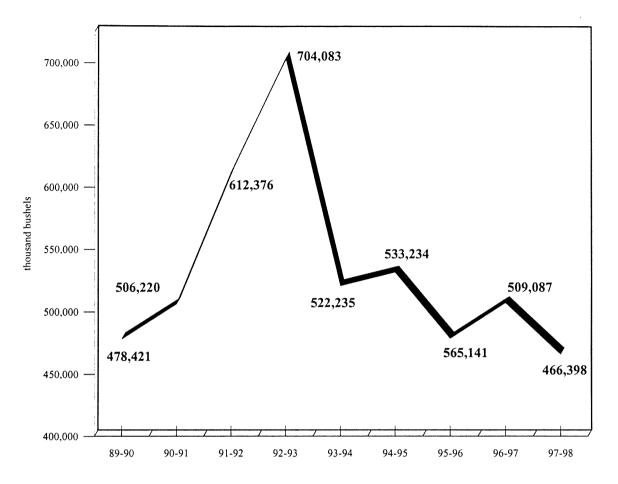
NORTH DAKOTA GRAIN AND OILSEED SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION 1989-90 to 1997-98 thousand bu.

YEAR	Minneapolis- St. Paul	Duluth- Superior	West	North Dakota	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1989-90	107,958 22%	85,112 18%	67,347 14%	54,110 11%	1 63,894 35%	478,421 100%
1990-91	114,712 23%	80,740 16%	77,311 15%	61,987 12%	171,470 34%	506,220 100%
1991-92	134,437 22%	73,029 12%	75,720 12%	74,695 12%	254,491 42%	612,376 100%
1992-93	145,713 21%	82,087 12%	95,005 13%	89,780 13%	291,497 41%	704,083 100%
1993-94	125,542 24%	66,452 13%	82,949 16%	54,375 10%	191,705 37%	521,023 100%
1994-95	135,193 25%	62,920 12%	82,823 16%	77,563 15%	173,301 33%	531,800 100%
1995-96	129,626 27%	41,540 9%	89,485 19%	60,717 13%	1 57,513 33%	478,881 100%
1996-97	129,892 26%	61,122 12%	65,378 13%	75,773 15%	175,395 35%	507,560 100%
1997-98	114,800 25%	69,509 15%	62,048 13%	85,893 19%	128,784 28%	466,398 100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to Midland/Southwest destinations, other Minnesota/Wisconsin destinations, and all other markets.

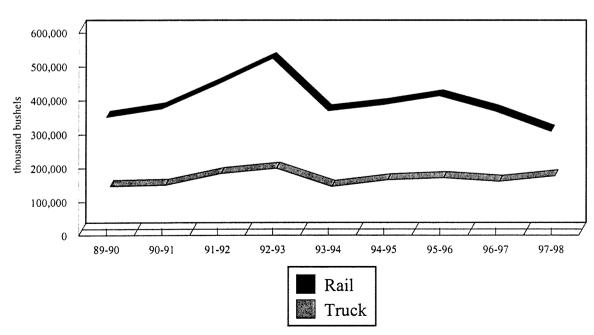
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1989-90 to 1997-98



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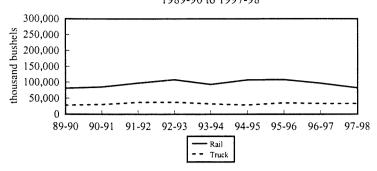
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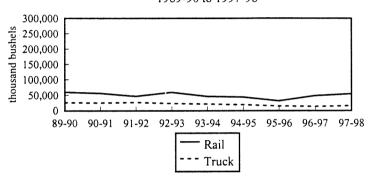
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YEAR	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck
1989-90	80,412 74%	27,546 26%	59,256 70%	25,857 30%	62,826 93%	4,520 7%	148,839 68%	69,165 32%	351,333 73%	127,088 27%
1990-91	85,295 74%	29,416 26%	55,844 69%	24,896 31%	74,543 96%	2,768 4%	160,029 69%	73,430 31%	375,712 74%	130,510 26%
1991-92	97,591 73%	36,846 27%	46,537 64%	26,492 36%	72,253 95%	3,466 5%	231,055 70%	98,129 30%	44 7,439 73%	164,937 27%
1992-93	108,441 74%	37,272 26%	59,021 72%	23,067 28%	90,912 96%	4,093 4%	265,465 70%	115,813 30%	523,839 74%	1 80,244 26%
1993-94	93,217 74%	32,325 26%	46,027 69%	20,425 31%	80,290 97%	2,659 3%	176,662 71%	70,629 29%	396,196 76%	126,038 24%
1994-95	1 07,058 79%	28,135 21%	43,896 70%	19,023 30%	79,837 96%	2,986 4%	156,650 62%	94,214 38%	387,618 73%	145,615 27%
1995-96	1 08,390 76%	34,999 24%	31,650 68%	14,922 32%	100,810 97%	3,320 3%	172,447 64%	98,603 36%	413,297 73%	151,844 27%
1996-97	96,776	33,116	47,834	13,288	63,648	1,730	159,569	93,127	367,827	141,261
	75%	25%	78%	22%	97%	3%	63%	37%	72%	28%
1997-98	81,840	32,960	54,023	15,486	59,553	2,496	110,855	77,445	308,542	157,855
	71%	29%	78%	22%	96%	4%	59%	41%	66%	34%

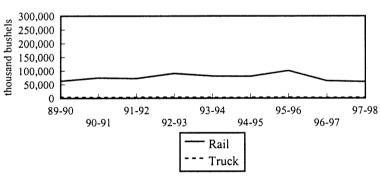
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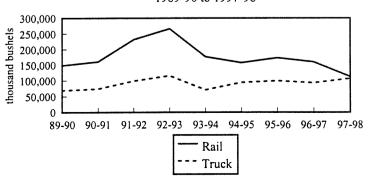
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ALL SHIPMENTS TO WEST 1989-90 to 1997-98



ALL SHIPMENTS TO MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS 1989-90 to 1997-98

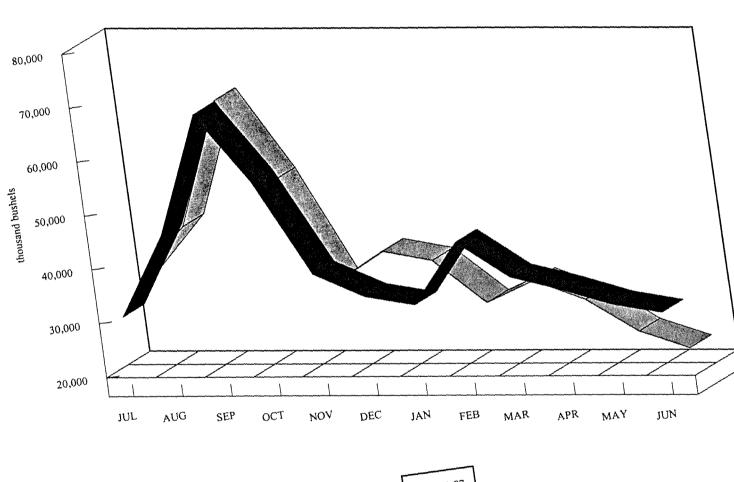


NORTH DAKOTA GRAIN AND OILSEED MOVEMENTS BY MONTH July 1007 June 1008

July 1997 - June 1998 thousand bu.

MONTH	HRS	Durum	Soybeans	Canola	Barley	Oats	Corn	SF	Misc.	TOTAL
July	14,256	6,133	745	15	7,455	216	3,068	2,768	1,160	35,816
August	19,774	6,353	623	167	12,133	534	2,192	2,616	1,172	45,564
September	30,825	8,862	1,691	5,688	16,314	667	938	2,445	1,491	68,921
October	14,825	5,064	9,677	1,134	9,589	434	2,664	8,640	2,096	54,123
November	9,983	4,776	1,755	236	6,757	227	3,909	6,184	1,396	35,223
December	15,036	4,699	2,003	170	7,875	183	4,567	4,879	1,368	40,780
January	14,872	4,803	2,314	315	8,036	190	2,708	4,929	909	39,076
February	10,999	3,399	1,087	123	6,241	295	4,542	3,511	1,025	31,222
March	12,847	3,932	1,896	233	5,449	143	3,892	5,630	1,245	35,267
April	14,193	3,403	1,116	233	4,833	93	2,018	4,817	1,096	31,802
May	12,335	3,578	1,137	283	4,473	29	1,009	2,036	978	25,858
June	10,530	2,565	1,179	44	4,831	111	1,334	1,331	817	22,742
TOTAL	180,477	57,567	25,223	8,641	93,987	3,122	32,842	49,786	14,753	466,398

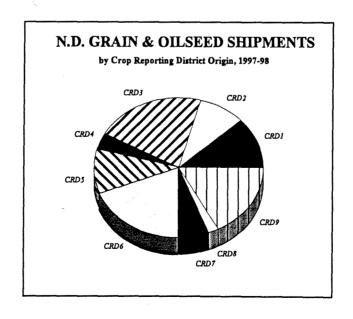
ALL COMMODITY SHIPMENTS by Month, 1996-97 and 1997-98



NORTH DAKOTA GRAIN AND OILSEED SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT ORIGIN 1989-90 to 1997-98

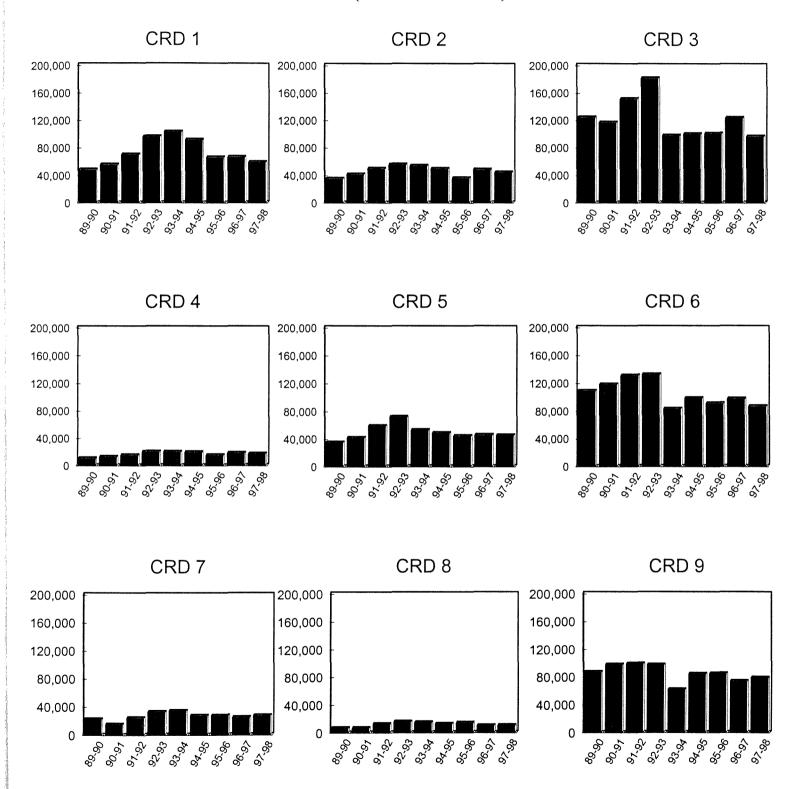
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YEAR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1989-90	47,958 10%	35,000 7%	1 24,101 26%	10,596 2%	35,032 7%	109,025 23%	22,581 5%	6,830 2%	87,298 18%	478,421 100%
1990-91	55,109 11%	41,253 8%	117, 055 23%	13,028 3%	41,778 8%	118,104 23%	15,336 3%	6,649 1%	97,908 19%	506,220 100%
1991-92	69,889 11%	49,595 8%	151,523 25%	15,580 3%	58,815 10%	130,741 21%	24,399 4%	12,668 2%	99,162 16%	612,376 100%
1992-93	96,075 14%	55,530 8%	181,745 26%	20,567 3%	71,819 10%	1 32,408 19%	32,897 4%	15,456 2%	97,586 14%	704,083 100%
1993-94	103,040 20%	53,735 10%	97,901 19%	20,403 4%	52,754 10%	83,265 16%	34,439 7%	14,575 3%	62,130 12%	522,243 100%
1994-95	91,367 17%	49,478 9%	1 00,348 19%	19,720 3%	48,491 9%	98,499 18%	27,633 5%	12,594 2%	84,602 16%	533,233 100%
1995-96	65,800 14%	35,946 7%	100,984 21%	15,556 3%	44,277 9%	91,036 19%	27,679 6%	14,019 3%	84,994 18%	480,291 100%
1996-97	66,373 13%	48,027 9%	123,753 24%	18,384 4%	45,560 9%	97,604 19%	24,972 5%	10,412 2%	74,002 15%	509,087 100%
1997-98	58,870 12%	44,293 9%	96,533 21%	17,345 4%	44,958 10%	86,910 19%	27,7 0 9 6%	10,693 2%	79,087 17%	466,398 100%



ALL GRAIN AND OILSEED SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT

(thousand bushels)



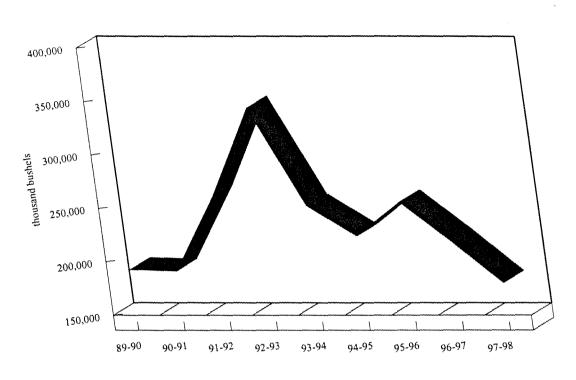


NORTH DAKOTA HARD RED SPRING WHEAT SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION thousand bu.

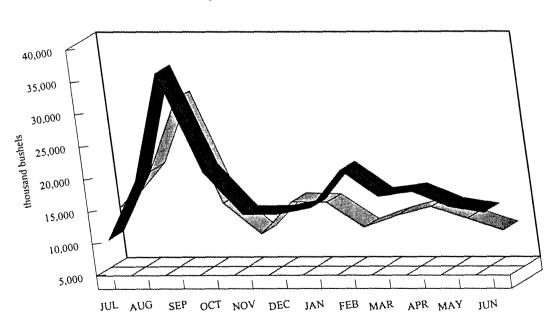
YEAR	Minneapolis- St. Paul	Duluth- Superior	West	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1989-90	58,880	38,510	25,131	69,964	192,485
	31%	20%	13%	36%	100%
1990-91	56,356	39,229	39,521	55,966	191,072
	29%	21%	21%	29%	100%
1991-92	74,751	23,891	29,125	133,400	261,169
	29%	9%	11%	51%	100%
1992-93	81,210	38,573	62,458	162,021	344,261
	24%	11%	18%	47%	100%
1993-94	64,995	36,159	66,186	88,036	255,376
	25%	14%	26%	34%	100%
1994-95	62,588	34,840	52,971	73,487	223,886
	28%	16%	24%	33%	100%
1995-96	65,828	25,666	47,294	90,718	229,506
	29%	11%	21%	40%	100%
1996-97	64,913	35,353	36,584	82,195	219,045
	30%	16%	17%	38%	100%
1997-98	54,820	33,740	32,475	59,441	180,477
	30%	19%	18%	33%	100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to Midland/Southwest destinations 10%, other Minnesota/Wisconsin destinations 3%, and all other markets including North Dakota processors 6%.

HRS WHEAT SHIPMENTS



HRS WHEAT SHIPMENTS by Month, 1996-97 to 1997-98





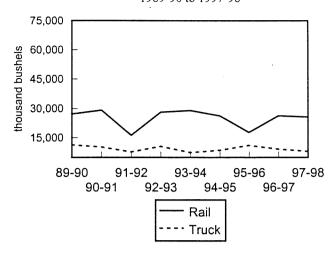
NORTH DAKOTA HARD RED SPRING WHEAT SHIPMENTS BY RAIL, TRUCK AND DESTINATION thousand bu.

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YEAR	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck
1989-90	41,249 70%	1 7,631 30%	27,148 70%	11,362 30%	21,552 86%	3,578 14%	57,236 82%	12,728 18%	147,186 76%	45,299 24%
1990-91	38,707 69%	1 7,649 31%	29,079 74%	10,150 26%	37,359 95%	2,162 5%	45,281 81%	10,685 19%	1 50,426 79%	40,646 21%
1991-92	55,940 75%	18,811 25%	16,154 68%	7,737 32%	27,087 83%	2,037 17%	116,553 87%	16,843 13%	215,738 83%	45,431 17%
1992-93	65,059 80%	16,150 20%	27,958 72%	10,616 28%	60,140 96%	2,317 4%	148,773 92%	13,247 8%	301,930 88%	42,331 12%
1993-94	50,783 78%	14,212 22%	28,891 80%	7,269 20%	64,035 97%	2,151 3%	76,547 87%	11,489 13%	220,256 86%	35,121 14%
1994-95	46,658 75%	1 5,93 1 25%	26,243 75%	8,597 25%	50,957 96%	2,014 4%	61,514 83%	11, 972 17%	185,372 83%	38,514 17%
1995-96	51,915 72%	19,945 28%	17,745 62%	11, 097 38%	54,151 96%	2,073 4%	90,231 84%	1 7,222 16%	214,042 81%	50,337 19%
1996-97	47,890 74%	1 7,023 26%	26,184 74%	9,168 26%	35,103 96%	1,480 4%	69,268 84%	12,927 16%	178,445 81%	40,598 19%
1997-98	38,332	16,489	25,658	8,082	30,607	1,868	45,670	13,771	140,267	40,211
	70%	30%	76%	24%	94%	6%	77%	23%_	78%	22%

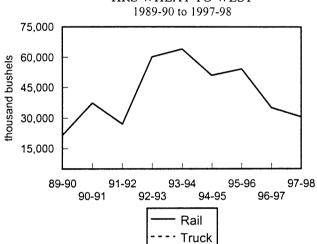
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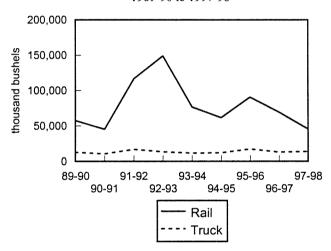
HRS WHEAT TO DULUTH-SUPERIOR 1989-90 to 1997-98



HRS WHEAT TO WEST

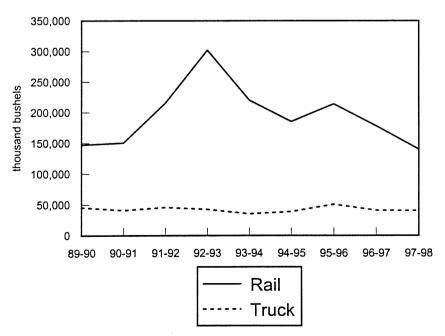


HRS WHEAT TO MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS 1989-90 to 1997-98



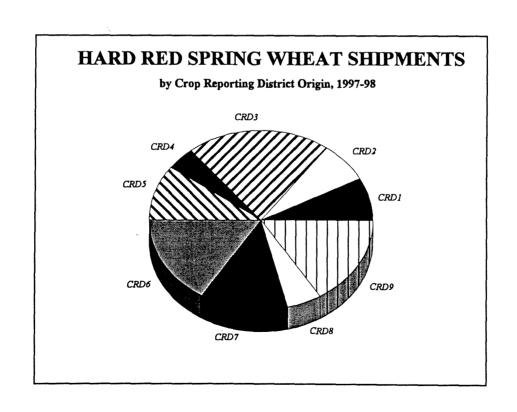
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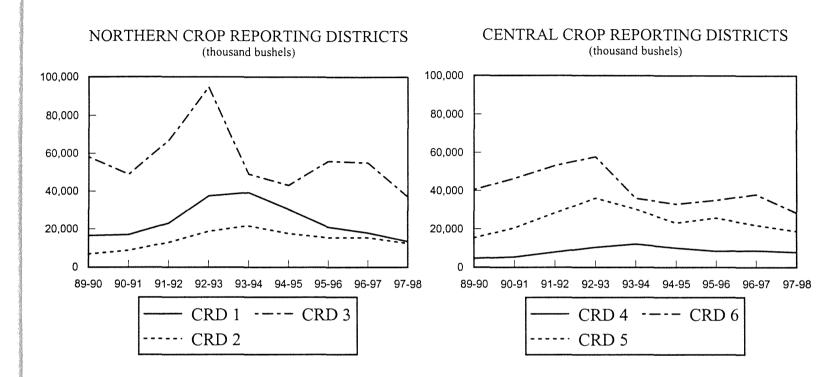


NORTH DAKOTA HARD RED SPRING WHEAT SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT ORIGIN thousand bu.

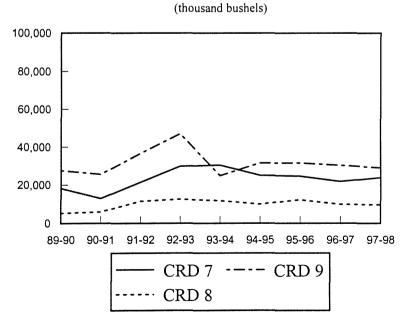
				Crop	Reporting I	District				
YEAR	11	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1989-90	16,523 9%	6,775 4%	58,154 30%	4,477 2%	15,229 8%	40,511 21%	18,217 9%	5,043 3%	27,556 14%	1 92,48 5
1990-91	16,896 9%	8,751 5%	48,869 26%	5,299 3%	20,484 11%	46,365 24%	12,921 7%	5,890 3%	25,597 13%	191,07 2 100%
1991-92	22,914 9%	12,920 5%	66,696 26%	7,854 3%	28,334 11%	53,005 20%	21,429 8%	11,389 4%	36,623 14%	261,16 9
1992-93	37,519 10%	18,768 5%	94,790 28%	10,260 5%	36,094 10%	57,697 17%	29,701 9%	12,519 4%	46,910 14%	344,26 1 100%
1993-94	39,245 15%	21,662 8%	49,068 19%	12,029 5%	30,307 12%	36,024 14%	30,409 12%	11,719 5%	24,913 10%	255,377 100%
1994-95	30,429 14%	17,669 8%	43,099 19%	10,003 4%	23,169 10%	32,962 15%	25,078 11%	9,900 4%	31,576 14%	223,886 100%
1995-96	26,395 10%	19,336 8%	58,232 23%	9,840 4%	28,109 11%	39,401 15%	28,825 11%	12,690 5%	33,075 13%	225,90 4 100%
1996-97	17,973 8%	15,443 7%	55,052 25%	8,604 4%	21,990 10%	37,985 17%	21,830 10%	9,848 4%	30,319 14%	219,045 100%
1997-98	13,517 8%	12,487 7%	37,081 21%	7,719 4%	18,775 10%	28,459 16%	23,779 13%	9,598 5%	29,062 16%	1 80,47 7



HARD RED SPRING WHEAT SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT



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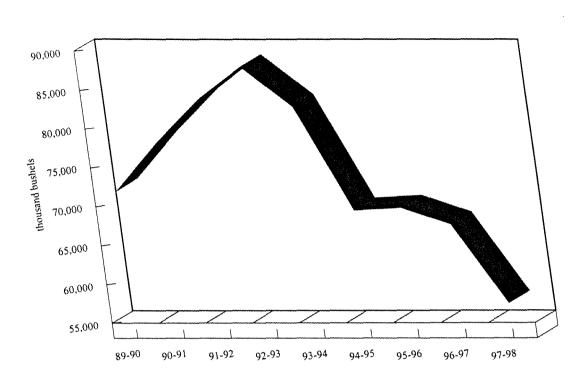


NORTH DAKOTA DURUM SHIPMENTS
BY DESTINATION
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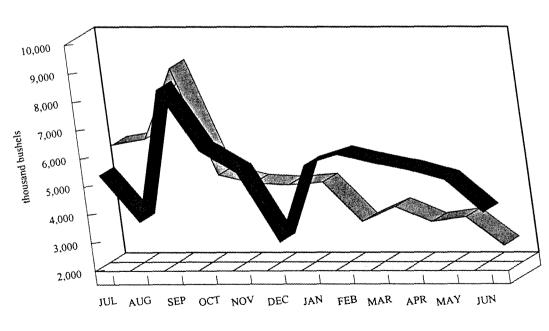
YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul	Duluth- Superior	West	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1989-90	15,612	21,103	1,127	34,161	72,003
	22%	29%	2%	47%	100%
1990-91	18,159	24,167	929	35,054	78,309
	23%	31%	1%	45%	100%
1991-92	16,379	26,063	1,191	40,191	83,827
	20%	31%	1%	48%	100%
1992-93	19,434	20,627	2,424	45,596	88,080
	22%	23%	3%	52%	100%
1993-94	21,155	12,798	2,359	48,428	84,740
	25%	15%	3%	57%	100%
1994-95	25,295	6,592	1,569	36,105	69,562
	36%	9%	2%	52%	100%
1995-96	22,470	7,481	693	40,231	70,875
	32%	11%	1%	57%	100%
1996-97	23,003	10,430	879	33,452	67,764
	34%	15%	1%	49%	100%
1997-98	18,504	9,088	217	29,758	57,567
	32%	16%	1%	51%	100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to Midland/Southwest destinations 15%, other Minnesota/Wisconsin destinations 7%, and all other markets including North Dakota processors 17%.

DURUM SHIPMENTS



DURUM SHIPMENTS by Month, 1996-97 to 1997-98





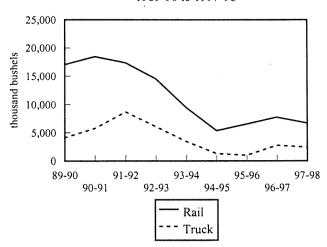
NORTH DAKOTA DURUM SHIPMENTS BY RAIL, TRUCK AND DESTINATION thousand bu.

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YEAR	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck
1989-90	12,346 79%	3,265 21%	17,022 81%	4,081 19%	1,118 99%	8 1%	28,039 82%	6,123 18%	58,525 81%	13,478 19%
1990-91	13,842 76%	4,317 24%	18,463 76%	5,705 24%	914 98%	15 2%	28,391 81%	6,662 19%	61,610 79%	16,699 21%
1991-92	12,373 76%	4,005 24%	17,382 67%	8,680 33%	1,149 96%	42 4%	18,479 78%	5,162 22%	65,658 78%	18,168 22%
1992-93	14,129 73%	5,305 27%	14,565 71%	6,062 29%	2,317 96%	106 4%	39,340 86%	6,256 14%	70,351 80%	17,730 20%
1993-94	16,165 76%	4,990 24%	9,406 73%	3,392 27%	2,358 100%	0 0%	42,467 88%	5,961 12%	70,396 83%	14,343 17%
1994-95	20,604 81%	4,691 19%	5,326 81%	1,265 19%	1,555 99%	14 1%	28,797 80%	7,307 20%	56,284 81%	13,277 19%
1995-96	1 8,013 80%	4,456 20%	6,514 87%	967 13%	690 100%	2 0%	33,341 83%	6,888 17%	58,558 83%	12,313 17%
1996-97	17,168 75%	5,835 25%	7,725 74%	2,705 26%	838 95%	41 5%	28,485 85%	4,966 15%	54,216 80%	13,457 20%
1997-98	14,284	4,220	6,658	2,430	214	3	25,144	4,614	46,300	11,266
	77%	23%	73%	27%	99%	1%	85%	15%	80%	20%

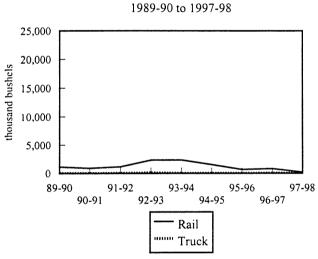
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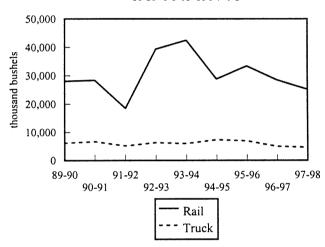
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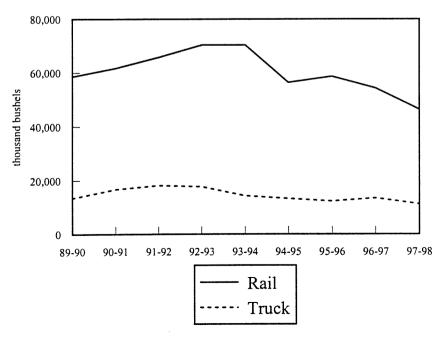


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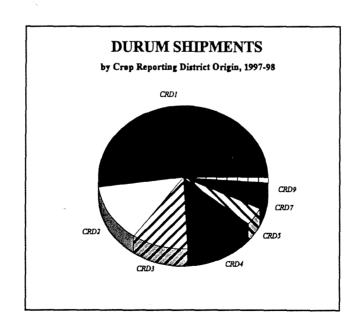
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1989-90 to 1997-98

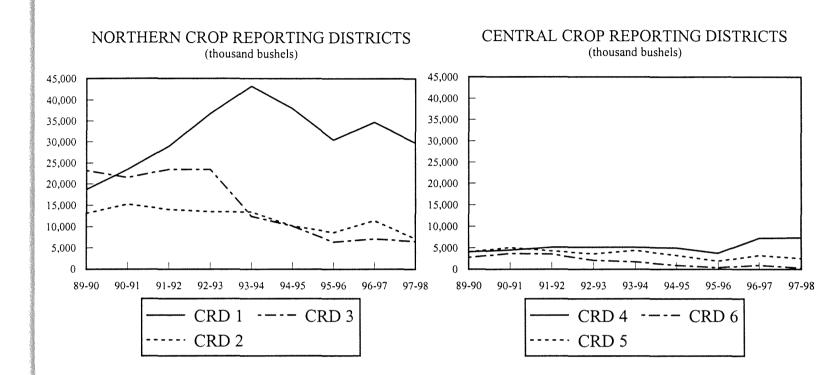


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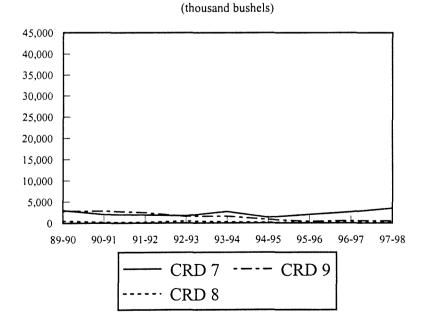
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YEAR	11	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAI
1989-90	18,690 26%	13,063 18%	23,198 32%	4,035 6%	4,013 5%	2,703 4%	2,991 4%	478 1%	2,832 4%	72,003 100%
1990-91	23,441 30%	1 5,241 19%	21,489 27%	4,446 6%	5,039 6%	3,641 5%	2,008 3%	175 0%	2,829 4%	78,309 100%
1991-92	28,978 35%	1 4,003 17%	23,461 28%	5,114 6%	4,269 5%	3,485 4%	1,874 2%	193 0%	2,445 3%	83,827 100%
1992-93	36,683 42%	13,516 15%	23,491 27%	5,136 6%	3,547 4%	2,012 2%	1,711 2%	430 0%	1,551 2%	88,080 100%
1993-94	43,240 51%	13,427 16%	12,421 15%	5,118 6%	4,358 5%	1,704 2%	2,661 3%	242 0%	1,570 2%	84,741 100%
1994-95	37,975 55%	10,178 15%	10,158 15%	4,956 7%	3,210 5%	883 1%	1,301 2%	1 52 0%	747 1%	69,562 100%
1995-96	37,541 53%	10,727 15%	9,254 13%	6,415 9%	3,574 5%	418 1%	2,477 4%	115 0%	352 1%	70,815 100%
1996-97	34,706 51%	11,381 17%	7,117 11%	7,216 11%	3,220 5%	905 1%	2,589 4%	1 09 0%	522 1%	67,765 100%
1997-98	29,731 52%	7,204 13%	6,520 11%	7,352 13%	2,484 4%	240 0%	3,469 6%	137 0%	429 1%	57,567 100%



DURUM SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT



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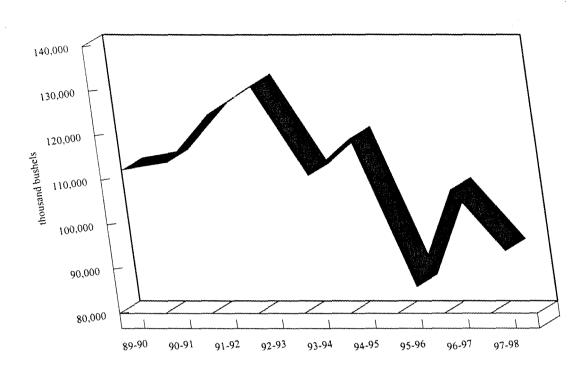


NORTH DAKOTA BARLEY SHIPMENTS
BY DESTINATION
thousand bu.

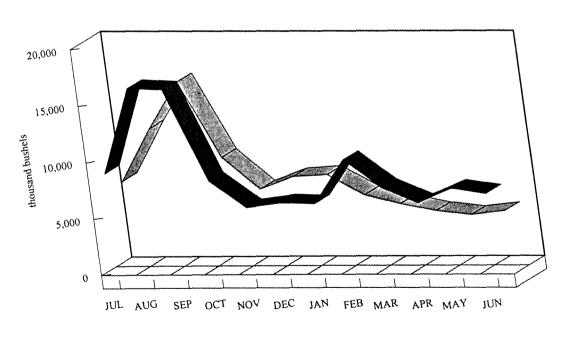
YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul	Duluth - Superior	Midland/ Southwest	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1989-90	23,464 21%	22,893 20%	19,061 17%	46,838 42%	112,256 100%
1990-91	24,174 21%	1 4,200 12%	20,482 18%	55,190 48%	114,046 100%
1991-92	28,184 23%	19,398 16%	22,430 17%	54,740 44%	124,755 100%
1992-93	29,461 23%	20,799 16%	18,724 14%	62,153 47%	131,139 100%
1993-94	25,979 23%	16,345 15%	18,276 16%	50,487 45%	111,087 100%
1994-95	33,959 28%	14,514 12%	11,798 10%	59,979 50%	119,405 100%
1995-96	34,313 40%	2,644 3%	4,331 5%	44,676 52%	85,964 100%
1996-97	34,158 32%	5,514 5%	12,670 12%	55,479 51%	107,821 100%
1997-98	29,309	9,213	5,902	49,562	93,987
	31%	10%	6%	53%	100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to Pacific Northwest destinations 12%, other Minnesota/Wisconsin destinations 10%, North Dakota destinations, and all other markets 12%.

BARLEY SHIPMENTS 1989-90 to 1997-98



BARLEY SHIPMENTS By Month, 1996-97 to 1997-98

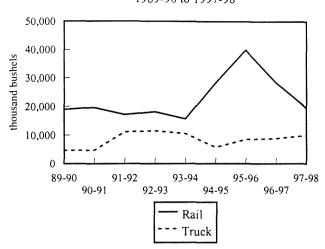




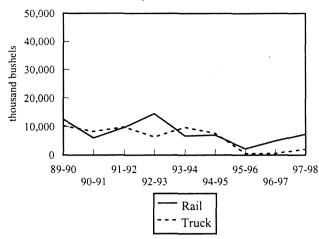
NORTH DAKOTA BARLEY SHIPMENTS BY RAIL, TRUCK AND DESTINATION thousand bu.

YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul		Duluth - Superior		Midland/ Southwest		Misc. Markets		TOTAL	
	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck
1989-90	18,892 81%	4,572 19%	12,603 55%	10 ,290 45%	17,919 94%	1,142 6%	35,370 76%	11,468 24%	84,784 76%	27,472 24%
1990-91	19,533 81%	4,641 19%	5,969 42%	8,231 58%	19,678 96%	804 4%	45,005 82%	10,185 18%	90,185 79%	23,861 21%
1991-92	17,098 61%	11,085 39%	9,599 49%	9,798 51%	21,710 97%	719 3%	38,878 71%	1 5,860 29%	87,290 70%	37,465 30%
1992-93	18,070 61%	11,391 39%	14,468 70%	6,331 30%	10,472 97%	327 3%	50,921 73%	19,159 27%	93,931 72%	3 7,208 28%
1993-94	15,524 60%	10,454 40%	6,706 41%	9,639 59%	17,367 95%	909 5%	35,468 70%	15,019 30%	75,065 68%	36,021 32%
1994-95	28,285 83%	5,675 17%	6,980 48%	7,534 52%	10,897 92%	901 8%	40,670 68%	19,310 32%	86,831 72%	33,420 28%
1995-96	29,965 78%	8,403 22%	2,189 80%	559 20%	4,750 88%	635 12%	35,355 62%	21,733 38%	72,259 70%	31,330 30%
1996-97	28,387 76%	8,771 24%	4,954 90%	560 10%	11,680 92%	990 8%	35,653 50%	36,010 50%	80,674 64%	46,331 36%
1997-98	19,513	9,796	7,207	2,006	5,154	748	29,023	20,539	60,898	33,089
	67%	33%	78%	22%	87%	13%	59%	41%	65%	35%

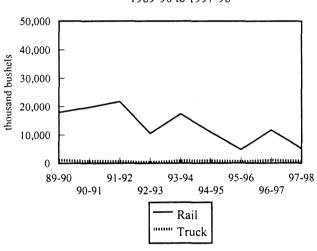
BARLEY TO MINNEAPOLIS 1989-90 to 1997-98



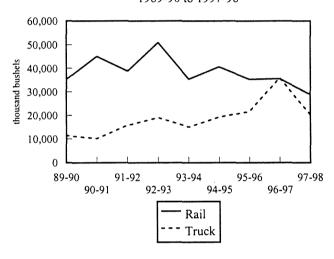
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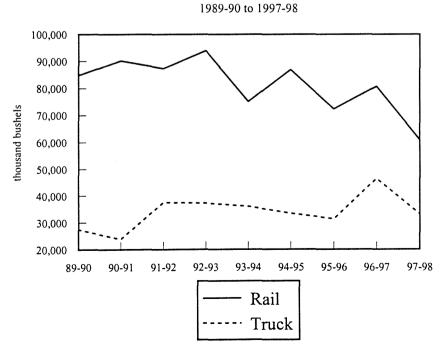
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BARLEY TO MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS 1989-90 to 1997-98

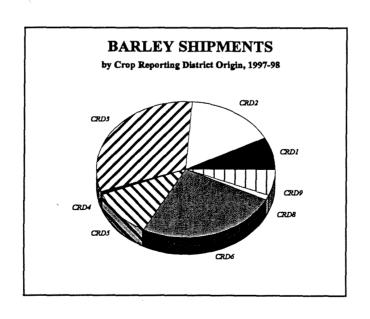


BARLEY SHIPMENTS

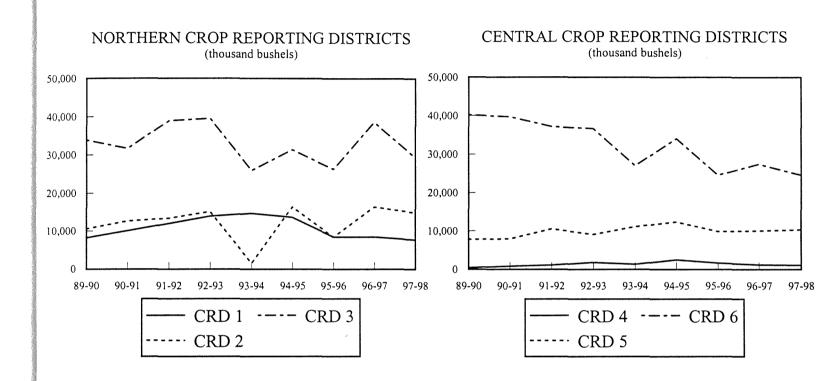


NORTH DAKOTA BARLEY SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT ORIGIN thousand bu.

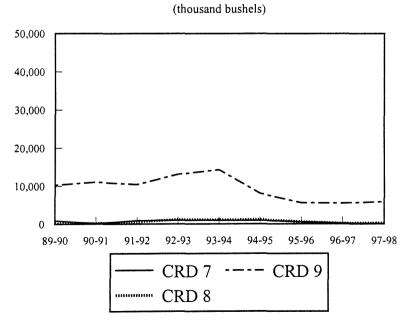
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YEAR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1989-90	8,234 7%	10,645 10%	33,912 30%	419 0%	7,755 7%	40,160 36%	798 1%	123 0%	10,210 9%	112,256 100%
1990-91	10,057 9%	12,675 11%	31,650 28%	756 1%	7,936 7%	39,682 35%	117 0%	187 0%	10,986 10%	114,046 100%
1991-92	12,025 10%	13,402 11%	38,945 31%	1,088 1%	10,569 8%	37,116 30%	794 1%	531 0%	10,281 8%	124,755 100%
1992-93	13,966 11%	15,193 12%	39,522 30%	1,762 1%	9,106 7%	36,618 28%	883 1%	1,084 1%	13,000 10%	131,138 100%
1993-94	14,657 13%	14,888 13%	25,960 23%	1,308 1%	11,144 10%	27,022 24%	854 0%	1,033 0%	14,221 13%	111,087 100%
1994-95	13,695 11%	16,394 14%	31,422 26%	2,400 2%	12,394 10%	34,056 28%	846 1%	1,064 1%	7,979 7%	120,251 100%
1995-96	8,467 10%	8,404 10%	26,315 31%	1,656 2%	9,877 11%	24,639 29%	517 0%	599 0%	5,490 6%	85,964 100%
1996-97	8,457 8%	16,436 15%	38,523 36%	1,178 1%	10,067 9%	27,443 25%	164 0%	139 0%	5,414 5%	107,821 100%
1997-98	7,719 8%	14,852 16%	29,362 31%	1,068 1%	10,354 11%	24,580 26%	18 0%	247 1%	5,787 6%	93,987 100%



BARLEY SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT



SOUTHERN CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS



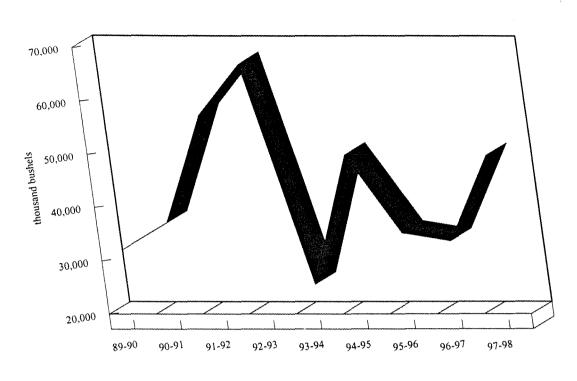


NORTH DAKOTA SUNFLOWER SHIPMENTS
BY DESTINATION
thousand bu.

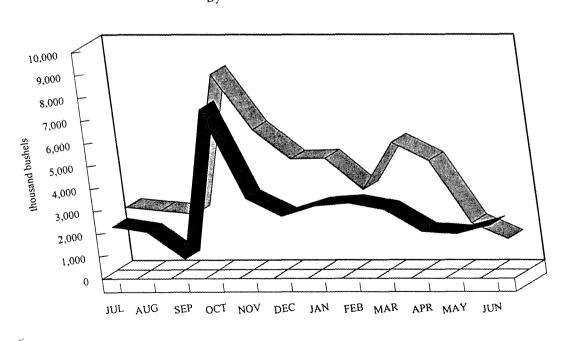
YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul	Duluth - Superior	North Dakota	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1989-90	2,219	433	20,964	8,558	32,174
	7%	1%	65%	27%	100%
1990-91	4,264	716	20,866	11,240	37,086
	11%	2%	56%	30%	100%
1991-92	4,050	1,157	33,428	18,720	57,364
	7%	2%	58%	33%	100%
1992-93	4,367	845	47,059	14,964	66,965
	7%	1%	70%	22%	100%
1993-94	2,091	38	16,721	6,750	25,600
	8%	0%	65%	26%	100%
1994-95	2,619	2,774	32,725	10,668	49,921
	5%	6%	66%	22%	100%
1995-96	1,729	2,418	24,119	7,000	35,266
	5%	7%	68%	20%	100%
1996-97	1,553	108	27,102	4,994	33,757
	5%	0%	80%	15%	100%
1997-98	2,243	3,179	36,634	7,730	49,786
	4%	6%	74%	16%	100%

Miscellaneous markets for sunflower in 1997-98 include Other Minnesota and Wisconsin destinations 7%, Midland/Southwest markets 1%, Pacific Northwest destinations 1%, and all other markets 6%.

SUNFLOWER SHIPMENTS 1989-90 to 1997-98



SUNFLOWER SHIPMENTS By Month, 1996-97 to 1997-98

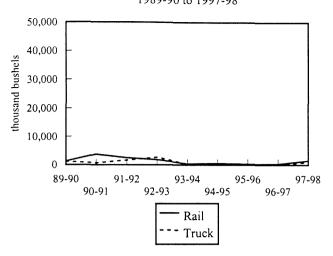




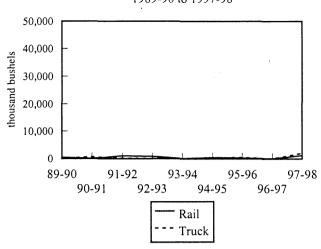
NORTH DAKOTA SUNFLOWER SHIPMENTS BY RAIL, TRUCK AND DESTINATION thousand bu.

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YEAR	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Trucks
1989-90	1,1 59 52%	1,060 48%	420 97%	13 3%	4,750 23%	1 6,214 77%	2,041 24%	6,517 76%	8,370 26%	23,804 74%
1990-91	3,653 86%	610 14%	0 0%	716 100%	4,875 23%	15,991 77%	4,843 43%	6,398 57%	13,371 36%	23,715 64%
1991-92	2,464 61%	1,582 39%	1,010 87%	146 13%	4,421 13%	29,007 87%	8,648 46%	10,065 54%	16,553 29%	40,810 71%
1992-93	1,746 40%	2,621 60%	803 95%	42 5%	3,918 8%	43,141 92%	3,215 21%	11,478 89%	9,682 14%	57,283 86%
1993-94	302 52%	283 48%	0 0%	10 100%	283 6%	4,398 94%	304 14%	1 ,860 86%	3,125 12%	22,891 88%
1994-95	481 66%	252 34%	443 57%	334 43%	859 9%	8,305 91%	1,120 34%	2,183 64%	2,903 21%	11,074 79%
1995-96	268 52%	243 48%	278 35%	507 65%	205 3%	7,883 97%	395 16%	2,074 84%	1,146 10%	10,707 90%
1996-97	265 61%	170 39%	11 35%	20 65%	275 4%	7,314 96%	257 15%	1,472 85%	808 8%	8,976 92%
1997-98	1,379	865	1,158	2,021	1,587	35,047	1,572	6,158	5,696	44,090
	61%	39%	36%	64%	4%	96%	20%	80%	11%	89%

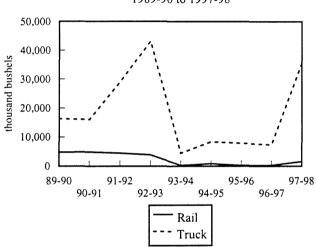
SUNFLOWER TO MINNEAPOLIS 1989-90 to 1997-98



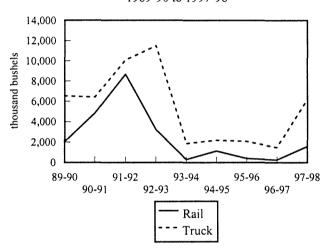
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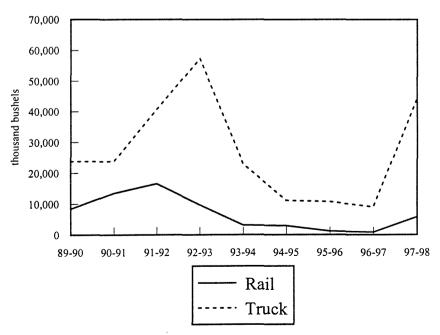


SUNFLOWER TO MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS 1989-90 to 1997-98



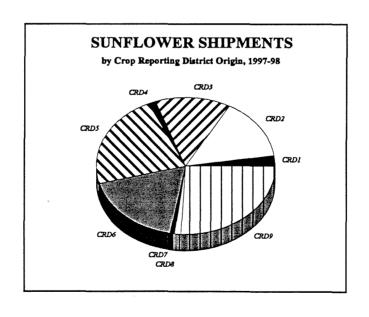
SUNFLOWER SHIPMENTS

1989-90 to 1997-98



NORTH DAKOTA SUNFLOWER SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT ORIGIN thousand bu.

				Crop	Reporting I	District				
YEAR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1989-90	2,487	3,466	3,258	810	6,560	7,460	308	613	7,212	32,174
	8%	11%	10%	3%	20%	23%	1%	2%	22%	100%
1990-91	2,146	2,648	8,634	1,357	6,893	7,900	118	291	7,099	37,086
	6%	7%	23%	4%	19%	21%	0%	1%	19%	100%
1991-92	2,635	6,689	12,414	385	13,507	11,307	78	185	10,142	57,364
	5%	12%	22%	1%	23%	19%	0%	0%	18%	100%
1992-93	1,033	1,681	1,571	520	5,216	5,191	29	53	3,451	18,750
	6%	9%	8%	2%	28%	28%	0%	0%	18%	100%
1993-94	1,223	1,451	3,412	81	4,479	8,126	59	100	7,650	26,581
	5%	5%	13%	0%	17%	31%	0%	0%	29%	100%
1994-95	4,413	3,641	5,358	551	7,664	11,381	45	436	16,430	49,921
	9%	7%	11%	1%	15%	23%	0%	1%	33%	100%
1995-96	1,342	2,279	4,062	440	5,209	10,610	54	441	11,963	36,400
	4%	6%	11%	1%	14%	29%	0%	1%	33%	100%
1996-97	1,999	2,949	5,255	203	7,461	6,842	82	85	10,059	34,935
	6%	8%	15%	1%	21%	20%	0%	0%	29%	100%
1997-98	1,699	6,843	7,185	279	11,015	9,115	202	665	12,783	49,786
	3%	14%	14%	1%	22%	18%	1%	1%	26%	100%

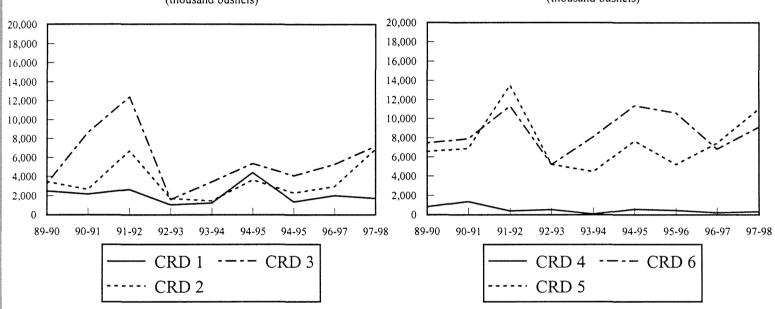


SUNFLOWER SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT

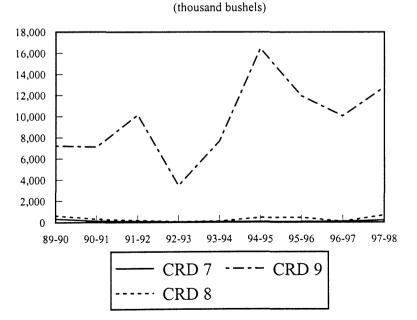


(thousand bushels)

CENTRAL CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS (thousand bushels)



SOUTHERN CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS



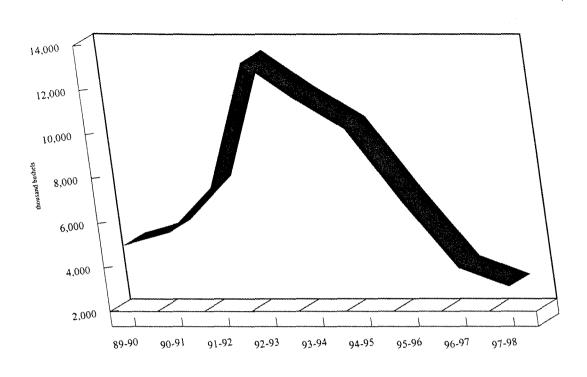


NORTH DAKOTA OATS SHIPMENTS
BY DESTINATION
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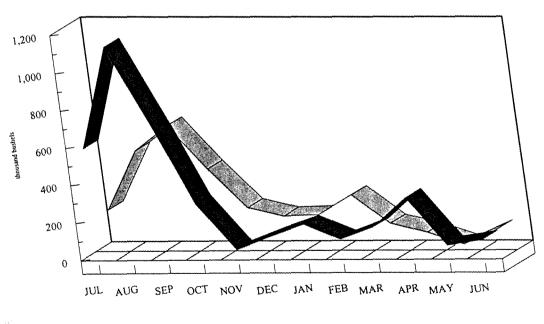
YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul	Duluth - Superior	West	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1989-90	3,179 63%	36 1%	12 0%	1,788 36%	5,015 100%
1990-91	2,496 45%	45 1%	316 6%	2,744 49%	5,601 100%
1991-92	4,518 59%	146 2%	181 2%	2,754 37%	7,601 100%
1992-93	5,468 41%	284 0%	270 2%	7,505 57%	13,272 100%
1993-94	6,494 56%	206 2%	66 0%	4,909 42%	11,675 100%
1994-95	5,848 57%	1 05 1%	67 1%	4,242 42%	10,262 100%
1995-96	3,970 57%	189 3%	28 0%	2,779 40%	6,966 100%
1996-97	1, 822 46%	83 2%	6 0%	2,056 52%	3,967 100%
1997-98	1,503	102	92	1,425	3,122
	48%	3%	3%	46%	100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to North Dakota destinations 3%, Midland/Southwest destinations 21%, other Minnesota/Wisconsin destinations 3%, and all other markets 19%.

OATS SHIPMENTS 1989-90 to 1997-98



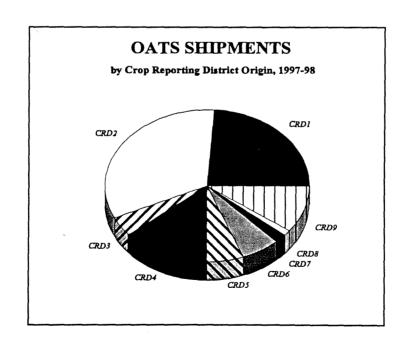
OATS SHIPMENTS by Month, 1996-97 to 1997-98



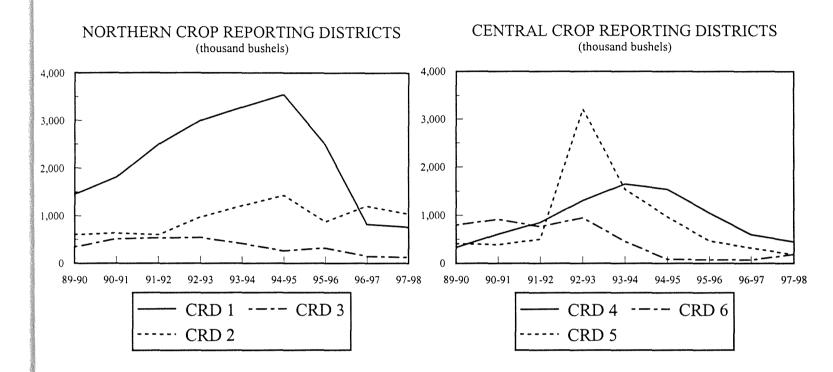


NORTH DAKOTA OATS SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT ORIGIN thousand bu.

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YEAR	11	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1989-90	1,453	600	342	330	409	794	75	240	772	5,015
	29%	12%	7%	7%	8%	16%	1%	5%	15%	100%
1990-91	1,809	636	515	605	386	911	52	70	617	5,601
	32%	11%	9%	11%	7%	16%	1%	1%	11%	100%
1991-92	2,492	596	532	848	499	763	73	322	1,472	7,601
	33%	8%	7%	11%	7%	10%	1%	4%	19%	100%
1992-93	2,997	971	539	1,308	3,209	948	289	1,127	1,879	13,271
i	23%	7%	4%	10%	24%	7%	2%	9%	14%	100%
1993-94	3,273	1,211	409	1,646	1,539	455	337	1,182	1,624	11,676
	28%	10%	4%	14%	13%	4%	3%	10%	14%	100%
1994-95	3,544	1,426	260	1,540	968	79	276	974	1,195	10,262
	35%	14%	3%	15%	9%	1%	3%	10%	12%	100%
1995-96	2,488	871	318	1,046	465	66	335	602	777	6,968
	36%	13%	5%	15%	7%	0%	5%	9%	11%	100%
1996-97	855	1,205	144	599	318	63	106	179	499	3,967
	22%	30%	4%	15%	8%	2%	3%	5%	13%	100%
1997-98	755	1,036	120	447	178	180	62	20	323	3,122
j	24%	33%	4%	14%	6%	6%	2%	1%	10%	100%



OATS SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT



SOUTHERN CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS (thousand bushels)

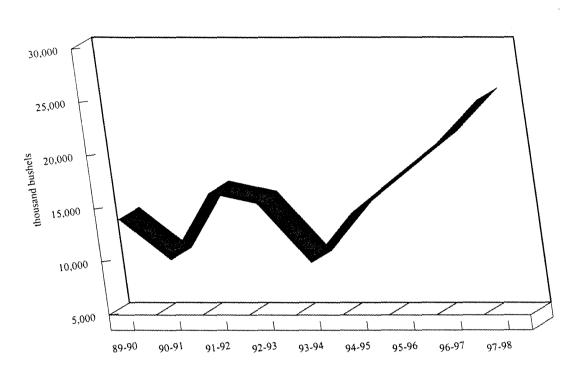


NORTH DAKOTA SOYBEAN SHIPMENTS
BY DESTINATION
thousand bu.

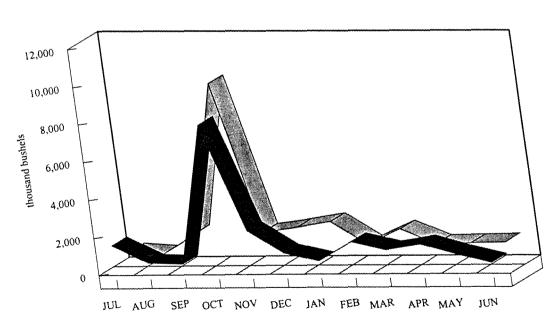
YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul	Duluth - Superior	West	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1989-90	1,819	1,379	6,712	4,105	14,015
	13%	10%	48%	29%	100%
1990-91	1,802	1,268	4,001	3,114	10,185
	18%	12%	39%	31%	100%
1991-92	3,025	510	7,552	5,374	16,464
	18%	3%	46%	33%	100%
1992-93	3,594	354	8,396	3,184	15,528
	23%	2%	54%	21%	100%
1993-94	3,198	621	3,669	2,411	9,899
	32%	6%	37%	25%	100%
1994-95	2,825	3,110	6,806	1,853	14,594
	19%	21%	47%	13%	100%
1995-96	1,588	3,596	9,914	2,768	17,866
	9%	20%	55%	15%	100%
1996-97	1,607	8,252	5,809	5,428	21,096
	8%	39%	28%	26%	100%
1997-98	4,520	9,085	4,751	6,867	25,223
	18%	36%	19%	27%	100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to other Minnesota/Wisconsin destinations 3%, Midland/Southwest destinations 3%, and all other markets including North Dakota processors 9%.

SOYBEAN SHIPMENTS 1989-90 to 1997-98



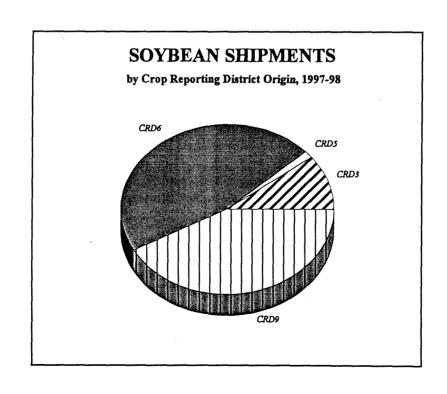
SOYBEAN SHIPMENTS by Month, 1996-97 to 1997-98



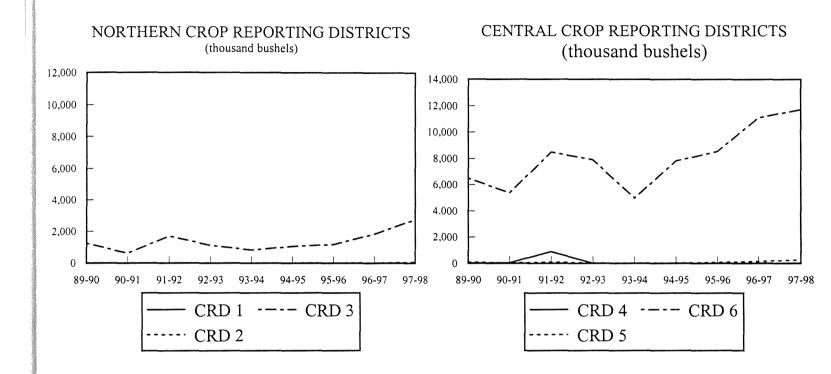


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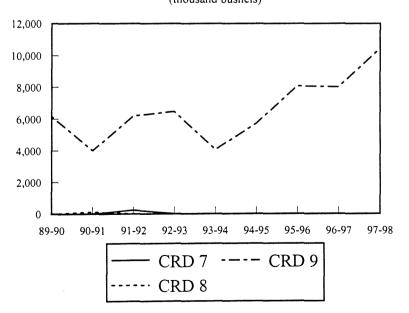
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YEAR	11	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1989-90	0	14	1,251	3	77	6,491	4	3	6,172	14,015
	0%	0%	9%	0%	1%	46%	0%	0%	44%	100%
1990-91	3	6	622	29	36	5,369	0	122	3,998	10,185
	0%	0%	6%	0%	0%	53%	0%	1%	39%	100%
1991-92	0	11	1,696	883	78	8,491	220	0	6,184	16,464
	0%	0%	10%	5%	0%	51%	1%	0%	37%	100%
1992-93	8	4	1,112	8	14	7,900	0	3	6,475	15,527
	0%	0%	7%	0%	0%	51%	0%	0%	42%	100%
1993-94	4	0	827	0	22	4,986	0	0	4,059	9,898
	0%	0%	8%	0%	0%	50%	0%	0%	41%	100%
994-95	0	5	1,057	0	15	7,818	0	0	5,700	14,594
	0%	0%	7%	0%	0%	54%	0%	0%	39%	100%
995-96	1	12	1,175	0	63	8,543	0	0	8,071	17,865
	0%	0%	7%	0%	0%	48%	0%	0%	45%	100%
996-97	7	5	1,833	1	140	11,105	0	0	8,006	21,097
	0%	0%	9%	0%	1%	53%	0%	0%	38%	100%
997-98	0	58	2,736	26	247	11,717	3	8	10,429	25,223
1	0%	0%	11%	0%	1%	46%	0%	0%	42%	100%



SOYBEAN SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT



SOUTHERN CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS (thousand bushels)



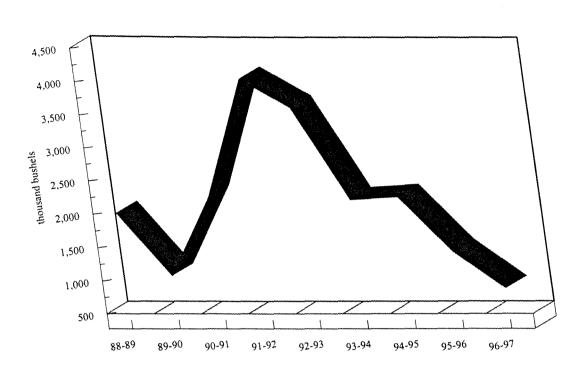


NORTH DAKOTA FLAXSEED SHIPMENTS
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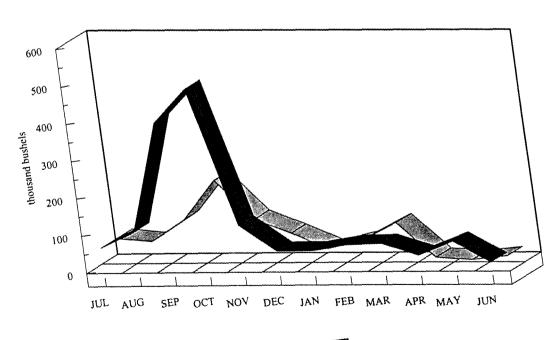
YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul	Other Minnesota - Wisconsin	North Dakota	Misc.	TOTAL
1988-89	214	849	650	299	2,013
	11%	42%	32%	15%	100%
1989-90	209	269	425	174	1,077
	19%	25%	39%	16%	100%
1990-91	422	487	1,068	281	2,258
	19%	22%	47%	12%	100%
1991-92	1,141	504	1,750	659	4,058
	28%	12%	43%	16%	100%
1992-93	469	567	1,501	1,084	3,621
	13%	16%	41%	30%	100%
1993-94	771	539	687	231	2,228
	35%	24%	31%	10%	100%
1994-95	513	447	923	386	2,270
	23%	20%	41%	17%	100%
1995-96	354	165	628	303	1,450
	24%	11%	43%	21%	100%
1996-97	175	103	458	155	891
	20%	12%	51%	17%	100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to Duluth Superior destinations 1%, Midland/Southwest markets 5%, Pacific Northwest markets 8%, and all other markets 7%.

FLAX SHIPMENTS 1988-89 to 1996-97



FLAX SHIPMENTS by Month, 1995-96 to 1996-97





NORTH DAKOTA FLAXSEED SHIPMENTS BY RAIL, TRUCK AND DESTINATION thousand bu.

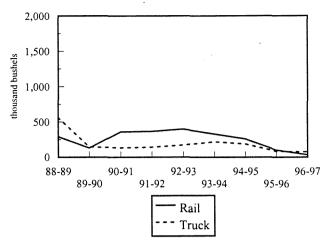
YEAR		Minneapolis- St. Paul		Other Minnesota - Wisconsin		North Dakota		lisc. irkets	то	ΓAL
	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck
1988-89	101 47%	112 53%	288 34%	561 66%	44 7%	606 93%	125 42%	174 58%	559 28%	1,454 72%
1989-90	92 44%	116 56%	125 46%	144 54%	25 6%	400 94%	61 35%	113 65%	304 28%	773 72%
1990-91	238 56%	184 44%	358 74%	1 29 26%	117 11%	951 89%	145 52%	136 48%	858 38%	1,400 62%
1991-92	1,039 91%	1 02 9%	364 72%	140 28%	160 9%	1,590 91%	499 76%	158 24%	2,065 51%	1,993 49%
1992-93	275 59%	195 41%	398 70%	169 30%	81 5%	1,420 95%	819 75%	266 25%	1,572 43%	2,050 57%
1993-94	466 60%	305 40%	327 61%	213 39%	19 3%	668 97%	77 33%	153 67%	889 40%	1,339 60%
1994-95	330 64%	183 36%	259 58%	187 42%	122 13%	801 87%	155 40%	231 60%	867 38%	1,402 62%
1995-96	1 52 40%	225 60%	98 55%	80 45%	49 7%	668 93%	237 70%	100 30%	536 33%	1073 67%
1996-97	59 34%	115 66%	31 30%	72 70%	47 10%	411 90%	90 58%	66 42%	227 25%	664 75%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to Duluth-Superior, Midland/Southwest and Pacific Northwest destinations.

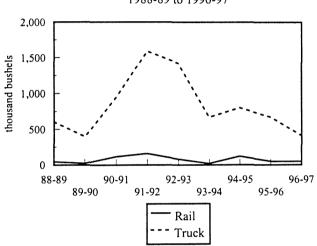
FLAX TO MINNEAPOLIS 1988-89 to 1996-97

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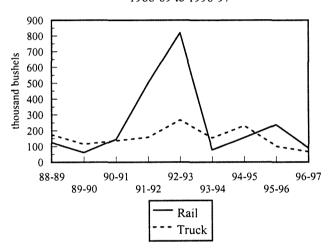
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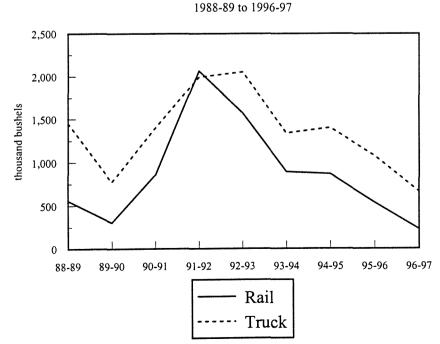
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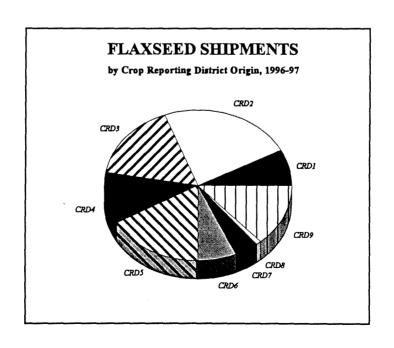


FLAX SHIPMENTS

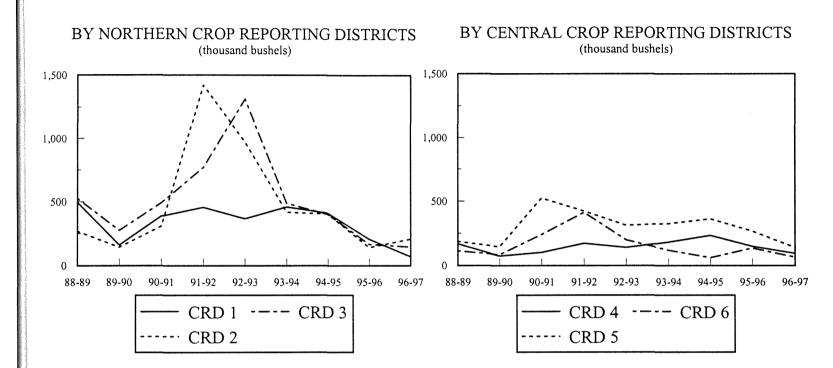


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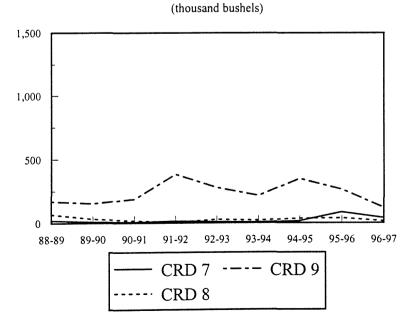
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YEAR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1988-89	494	268	525	169	187	112	19	67	168	2,009
.,000	25%	13%	26%	8%	9%	6%	1%	3%	98%	100%
1989-90	161	145	276	72	146	84	9	30	154	1,077
	15%	13%	26%	7%	13%	9%	1%	3%	14%	100%
1990-91	388	308	490	102	523	241	4	16	186	2,258
	17%	14%	22%	5%	23%	11%	0%	1%	8%	100%
1991-92	456	1,421	769	173	423	413	13	5	381	4,058
	11%	35%	19%	4%	10%	10%	0%	0%	9%	100%
1992-93	367	974	1,312	140	313	200	9	25	278	3,621
	10%	27%	36%	4%	9%	6%	0%	1%	8%	100%
1993-94	459	418	486	182	326	118	5	20	213	2,200
	21%	19%	22%	1%	15%	5%	0%	0%	10%	100%
1994-95	411	405	402	234	363	61	13	33	347	2,270
	18%	18%	17%	10%	16%	3%	1%	1%	15%	100%
1995-96	206	142	166	149	268	136	84	37	261	1,449
	14%	10%	11%	10%	18%	. 9%	6%	3%	18%	100%
1996-97	69	206	146	95	140	64	38	13	119	890
	8%	23%	16%	11%	16%	7%	4%	1%	13%	100%



FLAX SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT



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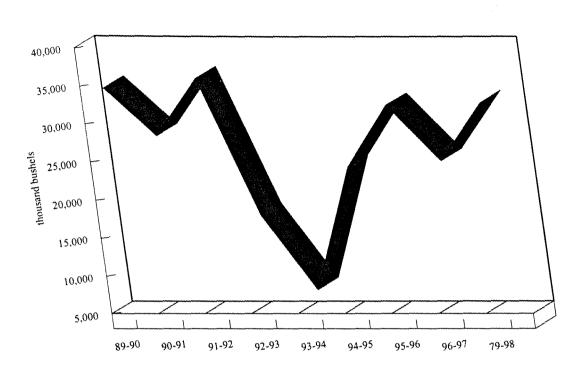


NORTH DAKOTA CORN SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION thousand bu.

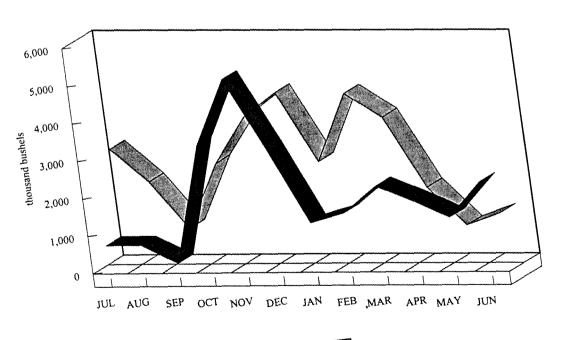
YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul	Duluth - Superior	West	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1989-90	900	358	26,133	7,374	34,764
	3%	1%	75%	21%	100%
1990-91	944	710	19,590	7,190	28,434
	3%	2%	69%	25%	100%
1991-92	1,556	665	25,034	8,826	36,084
	4%	2%	69%	24%	100%
1992-93	807	0	8,903	8,344	18,054
	5%	0%	49%	46%	100%
1993-94	196	75	1,465	6,429	8,165
	2%	0%	18%	79%	100%
1994-95	1,150	114	13,703	9,431	24,398
	5%	0%	56%	39%	100%
1995-96	2,184	18	23,779	6,563	32,544
	7%	0%	73%	20%	100%
1996-97	2,253	514	13,396	9,024	25,187
	9%	2%	53%	36%	100%
1997-98	3,304	1,074	12,851	15,613	32,842
	10%	3%	39%	48%	100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to North Dakota destinations 8%, Midland/Southwest destinations 7%, and all other markets 31%.

CORN SHIPMENTS 1989-90 to 1997-98



CORN SHIPMENTS by Month, 1996-97 to 1997-98

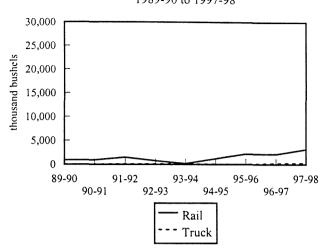




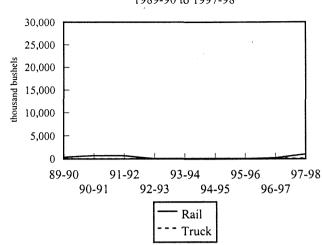
NORTH DAKOTA CORN SHIPMENTS BY RAIL, TRUCK AND DESTINATION thousand bu.

	Minneapolis - St. Paul		Duluth - Superior		West		Misc. Markets		TOTAL	
YEAR	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck
1989-90	876 97%	24 3%	357 100%	1 0%	25,720 98%	412 2%	3,914 53%	3,460 47%	30,867 89%	3,897 11%
1990-91	915 97%	28 3%	708 100%	2 0%	19,555 100%	35 0%	3,913 54%	3,278 46%	25,091 88%	3,343 12%
1991-92	1,474 95%	81 5%	651 98%	13 2%	24,641 98%	392 2%	4,731 54%	4,093 46%	31,501 87%	4,583 13%
1992-93	705 87%	102 13%	0 0%	0 0%	8,807 99%	96 1%	2,680 32%	5,663 68%	12,192 68%	5,861 32%
1993-94	162 82%	35 18%	69 92%	6 8%	1,451 97%	14 3%	790 12%	5,641 88%	2,472 30%	5,696 70%
1994-95	1,147 100%	3 0%	97 85%	17 15%	13,699 100%	4 0%	2,528 27%	6,903 73%	1 7,472 72%	6,927 28%
1995-96	2,168 99%	29 1%	0 0%	24 100%	25,232 97%	715 3%	4,108 54%	3,446 46%	31,508 88%	4,214 12%
1996-97	2,052 91%	201 9%	509 99%	6 1%	13,383 100%	13 0%	4,162 46%	4,862 54%	20,106 80%	5,082 20%
1997-98	3,081	223	942	132	12,642	209	6,012	9,601	22,676	10,166
	93%_	7%	88%	12%	98%	2%	39%	61%	69%	31%

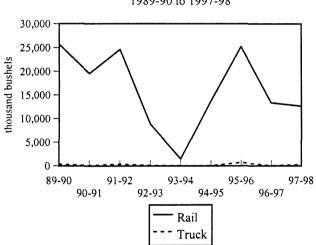
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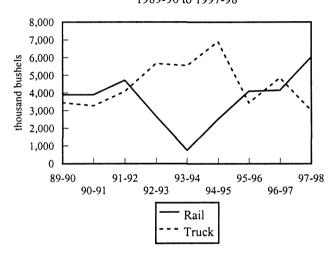
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CORN TO WEST 1989-90 to 1997-98

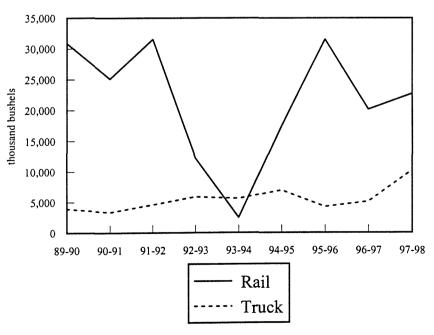


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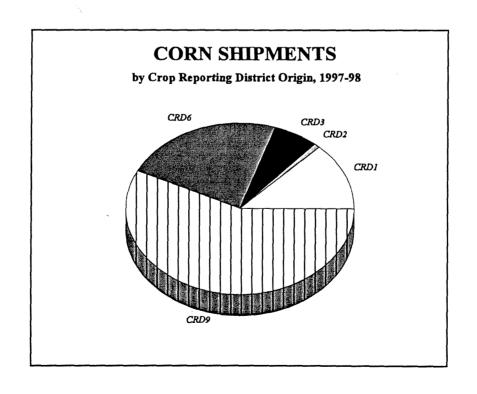
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1989-90 to 1997-98

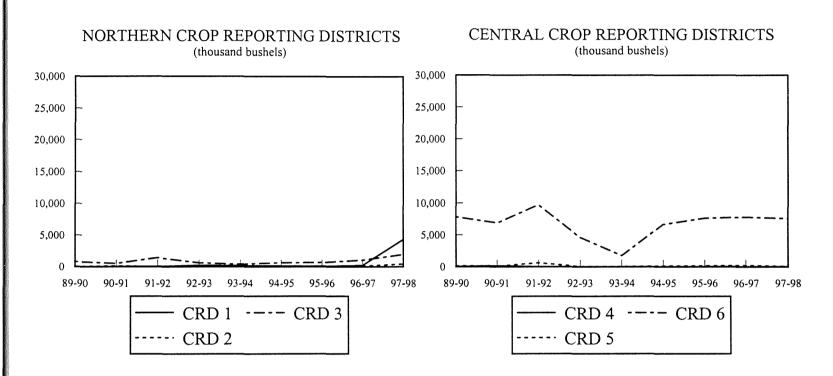


NORTH DAKOTA CORN SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT thousand bu.

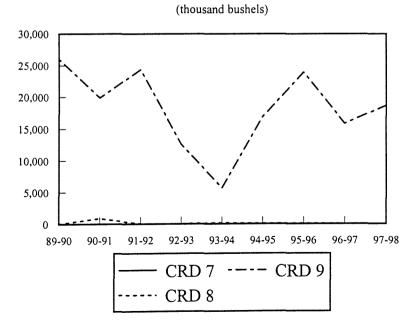
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YEAR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1989-90	7	0	797	7	153	7,784	1	0	26,015	34,764
	0%	0%	2%	0%	1%	22%	0%	0%	75%	100%
1990-91	0	144	479	142	78	6,812	0	871	19,908	28,434
	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%	24%	0%	3%	70%	100%
1991-92	30	18	1,391	20	593	9,660	1	17	24,350	36,084
!	0%	0%	4%	0%	2%	27%	0%	0%	67%	100%
1992-93	208	6	623	11	27	4,599	1	7	12,567	18,053
	1%	0%	3%	0%	0%	25%	0%	0%	70%	100%
1993-94	173	10	389	12	20	1,738	0	149	5,676	8,167
	2%	0%	5%	0%	0%	21%	0%	2%	69%	100%
1994-95	108	7	621	12	115	6,636	0	26	16,873	24,398
	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	27%	0%	0%	69%	100%
1995-96	74	45	662	9	130	7,621	2	71	23,928	32,542
	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	23%	0%	0%	74%	100%
1996-97	192	100	1,032	30	218	7,770	0	0	15,845	25,187
	1%	0%	4%	0%	1%	31%	0%	0%	63%	100%
1997-98	4,259	387	1,904	7	72	7,553	5	0	18,655	32,842
	13%	1%	6%	0%	0%	23%	0%	0%	57%	100%



CORN SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT



SOUTHERN CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS





NORTH DAKOTA CANOLA SHIPMENTS BY DESTINATION thousand bu.

YEAR	Minneapolis - St. Paul	Duluth - Superior	North Dakota Processors	Misc. Markets	TOTAL
1997-98	78	2,967	4,298	1,298	8,641
	1%	34%	50%	15%	100%

Miscellaneous markets include shipments to Midland/Southwest destinations 4%, and all other markets 15%.

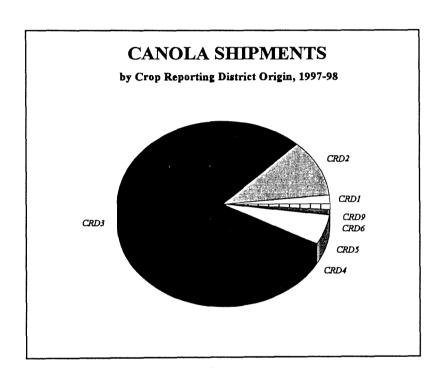
NORTH DAKOTA CANOLA SHIPMENTS BY RAIL, TRUCK AND DESTINATION thousand bu.

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YEAR	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck	Rail	Truck
1997-98	61 78%	17 22%	2,932 99%	35 1%	55 1%	4,243 99%	193 15%	1,105 85%	3,241 38%	5,400 62%

NORTH DAKOTA CANOLA SHIPMENTS BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICT

thousand bu.

	Crop Reporting District									
YEAR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
1997-98	156 2%	932 11%	6,733 78%	143 2%	527 6%	50 1%	22 0%	1	76 1%	8,641 100%



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