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Areas sown in autumn in the Republic of Serbia, 2012

– Preliminary results –

Data on sown areas in autumn are presented as of November 30th 2012.

In the Republic of Serbia, according to these data and compared to the previous year, until the end of November 2012, areas sown with wheat, barley, oats and lucerne increased by 16.4%, 15.3%, 28.8% and 0.1%, respectively, while area sown with rape seed and clover decreased by 4.8% and 16.6% respectively. When compared to ten-year average (2002-2011), areas sown with wheat increased by 2.3%.

Final data on areas sown in autumn will be available at the beginning of January 2013.

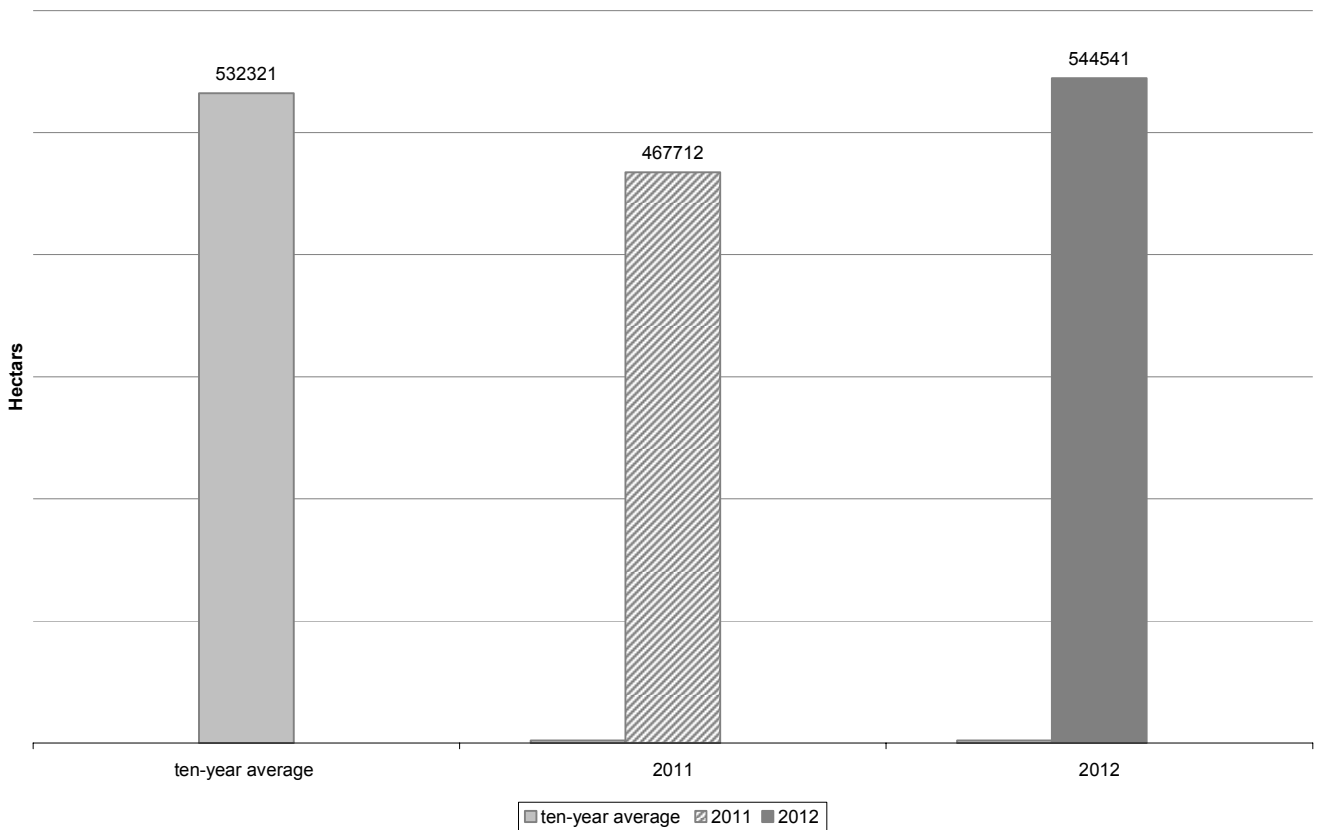
Territorial distribution has been done in accordance with the Regulation on Nomenclature of Statistical Territorial Units ("Official Gazette of RS", No. 109/09 and 46/10).

Starting from 1999 the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia has not at disposal and may not provide available certain data relative to AP Kosovo and Metohija and therefore these data are not included in the coverage for the Republic of Serbia (total).

1. Areas sown in autumn

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	Republic of Serbia	All	Beogradski region	Region Vojvodine	All	Region Šumadije i Zapadne Srbije	Region Južne i Istočne Srbije	Region Kosovo i Metohija
<i>Sown in autumn</i>								
Sown area, ha	704266	393230	39491	353739	311036	142982	168054	...
Index, 2011 = 100	115.4	119.8	109.5	121.1	110.2	114.4	106.9	...
<i>Wheat</i>								
Sown area, ha	544541	316677	26866	289811	227864	95096	132768	...
Index, 2011 = 100	116.4	120.5	105.8	122.0	111.2	115.7	108.3	...
<i>Barley</i>								
Sown area, ha	72276	41572	6079	35493	30704	15962	14742	...
Index, 2011 = 100	115.3	123.9	117.0	125.2	105.4	105.4	105.5	...
<i>Oats</i>								
Sown area, ha	11323	1513	543	970	9810	6934	2876	...
Index, 2011 = 100	128.2	111.2	113.4	110.0	131.3	149.3	101.6	...
<i>Rape seed</i>								
Sown area, ha	9598	9071	1427	7644	527	152	375	...
Index, 2011 = 100	95.2	99.7	95.9	100.4	53.6	80.4	47.2	...
<i>Clover</i>								
Sown area, ha	4499	1839	571	1268	2660	1593	1067	...
Index, 2011 = 100	83.4	99.6	102.9	98.1	74.9	87.1	62.0	...
<i>Lucerne</i>								
Sown area, ha	7790	3934	617	3317	3856	1969	1887	...
Index, 2011 = 100	100.1	107.3	78.7	115.1	93.6	95.3	91.9	...

Area sown with wheat in autumn 2012



Methodological notes

Data in this statistical release are obtained on the basis of the Report on areas sown in autumn (PO-21a, b).

Companies and agricultural cooperatives complete the reports based on the accounting records, while referring to family holdings, estimates are provided by statistical estimators according to estimation areas (one cadastre municipality or several of them).

Sown areas are taken to be the areas cultivated and sown with certain crops.

Interested users can find more details in abridged Methodology of plant production statistics that is available on the website of the Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia: www.stat.gov.rs