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**Areas sown in autumn in the Republic of Serbia, 2013**

**– Preliminary results –**

Data on sown areas in autumn are presented as of November 30th 2013.

In the Republic of Serbia, according to these data and compared to the previous year, until the end of November 2013, areas sown with wheat, oats, clover and lucerne decreased by 1.9%, 1.3%, 12.8% and 0.7%, respectively, while areas sown with barley and rape seed increased by 1.2% and 15.7% respectively. When compared to ten-year average (2002-2012), areas sown with wheat increased by 2.9%.

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).

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**1. Areas sown in autumn**

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| total | Beogradski region | Region Vojvodine | total | Region Šumadije I Zapadne Srbije | Region Južne I Istočne Srbije | Region Kosovo I Metohija |
| *Sown in autumn* |
| Sown area, ha | 711883 | 389094 | 40492 | 348602 | 322789 | 147732 | 175057 | … |
|  Index, 2012 = 100 | 98,6 | 98,4 | 102,3 | 98,0 | 98,9 | 97,3 | 100,2 | … |
| *Wheat* |
| Sown area, ha | 542856 |  306202 | 25150 | 281052 | 236654 | 99290 | 137364 | … |
|  Index, 2012 = 100 | 98,1 | 96,2 | 93,8 | 96,4 | 100,8 | 102,6 | 99,4 | … |
| *Barley* |
| Sown area, ha | 74015 | 41654 | 6069 | 35585 | 32361 | 16880 | 15481 | … |
|  Index, 2012 = 100 | 101,2 | 99,9 | 98,9 | 100,1 | 103,0 | 102,7 | 103,3 | … |
| *Oats* |
| Sown area, ha | 11948 | 1951 | 808 | 1143 | 9997 | 6828 | 3169 | … |
|  Index, 2012 = 100 | 98,7 | 126,9 | 151,6 | 113,7 | 94,6 | 88,7 | 110,1 | … |
| *Rape seed* |
| Sown area, ha | 11265 | 10370 | 1452 | 8918 | 895 | 177 | 718 | … |
|  Index, 2012 = 100 | 115,7 | 114,4 | 101,8 | 116,8 | 133,2 | 122,9 | 136,0 | … |
| *Clover* |
| Sown area, ha | 5732 | 2074 | 697 | 1377 | 3658 | 2334 | 1324 | … |
|  Index, 2012 = 100 | 87,2 | 124,9 | 116,0 | 129,9 | 74,5 | 65,5 | 98,1 | … |
| *Lucerne* |
| Sown area, ha | 10483 | 5224 | 1404 | 3820 | 5259 | 2436 | 2823 | … |
|  Index, 2012 = 100 | 99,3 | 125,8 | 210,5 | 109,6 | 82,2 | 64,4 | 107,7 | … |

**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](http://www.stat.gov.rs)

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