

COMMENTARY

According to the results of the survey as at 30 September 2026, the Czech Statistical Office estimates the harvest of cereals to be 6 997 thous. tonnes, with the average yield 5.47 t/ha. In comparison with the 2025 final data, their yield decreased by 1.05 t/ha and their production went down by 1 497 thous. tonnes. The harvest of grain maize is supposed to be 538 thous. tonnes; i.e. by 265 thous. tonnes less (-33.0%) than in the previous year.

The harvest of potatoes, total (including July estimates of early potatoes) shall reach 582 thous. tonnes (index 79.2%) and their estimated average yield 24.73 t/ha (30.39 t/ha in 2025). The harvest of other potatoes is expected to be 510 thous. tonnes with their yield being 25.37 t/ha (31.53 t/ha in 2025). The production of sugar beet is awaited to be 3 260 thous. tonnes, which is by 687 thous. tonnes less (-17.4%) compared to 2025. Its supposed yield 61.72 t/ha is by 12.33 t/ha lower than in 2025.

The yield of rape seed is supposed to be 2.62 t/ha; i.e. it decreased by 0.43 t/ha (-14.0%) in comparison with 2025. The total production of rape seed is expected to reach 803 thous. tonnes; i.e. by 218 thous. tonnes less (-21.4%) than in 2025.

The harvest of green maize shall reach 6 447 thous. tonnes; it shall decrease by 1 540 thous. tonnes in comparison to the previous year. Its yield of 27.63 t/ha shall be by 7.67 t/ha lower (-21.7%) than in 2025. The harvest of clover hay is estimated to reach 237 thous. tonnes (index 75.2%) and the production of lucerne hay shall be 321 thous. tonnes (index 82.7%). The supposed yield of clover is 3.93 t/ha (5.47 t/ha in 2025) and the yield of lucerne is estimated to be 4.64 t/ha (5.65 t/ha in 2025).