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CONVERSION FACTORS

BUSHEL TO METRIC TONS	480-LB. BALES TO METRIC TONS
WHEAT & SOYBEANS = BUSHEL X .027216	COTTON = BALES X .217727
BARLEY = BUSHEL X .021772	CWT. TO METRIC TONS
CORN, SORGHUM, RYE = BUSHEL X .025401	RICE = CWT. X .045359
OATS = BUSHEL X .014515	KILOGRAM = 2.204622 POUNDS
1 HECTARE = 2.471044 ACRES	

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