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SOVIET AGRICULTURAL REORGANIZATION
AND THE BREAD-GRAIN SITUATION

THIS study illuminates the course of agricultural developments in the USSR since 1930 and 1931, when Soviet grain exports reached spectacular heights after a bumper crop.

Socialistic reorganization of agriculture resulted much less in increase and improvement of grain production than in greatly increased power of the government over crop disposition. Collective farms, dominated by the state but involving certain elements of co-operation, have been more successful than state farms in stabilizing their position and improving their practices. The state grain farms were conspicuously unsuccessful in enlarging wheat production in semiarid regions; consequently, governmental efforts have recently been directed toward expansion of wheat in more humid regions, and toward enhancement of yield per acre. But in humid regions the scope for expansion of wheat is rather narrow and has proceeded mainly at the expense of rye. The total bread-grain area has not yet regained the levels of 1930 and 1931. Yields per acre, though better in 1933-35 than in the poor years 1931-32, failed to exceed the yields on peasant farms before collectivization.

Greater control over crops has enabled the Soviet government to collect more grain than was possible before 1930. This facilitated large exports in 1930-31, but left producers with insufficient reserves. During the following years the government, while continuing to collect large quantities of bread grain, exported only moderate quantities and accumulated grain sufficient for abolition of bread rationing in 1935. To the extent that the government held grain stocks, its power to export remained; but reduced need for foreign exchange, and policies aimed first at covering the rapidly increasing domestic needs, kept grain exports within moderate limits. The poor crops of 1936 necessarily affected the grain reserves earlier accumulated; and the present position does not suggest the likelihood of large wheat exports from the USSR in the next few years..

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APPENDIX TABLES

TABLE I.—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION OF THE PRINCIPAL GRAINS IN THE USSR, BY REGIONS, 1928–34*

Year	Area (Million acres)							Production (Million 60-lb. units)						
	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Winter rye ^a	Oats	Barley ^b	All grains	All crops	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Winter rye ^a	Oats	Barley ^b	All grains	
USSR														
1928...	15.27	53.25	59.60	42.61	18.03	227.76	279.21	175.85	631.53	694.44	605.59	208.25	2,694.01	
1929...	16.20	57.26	60.33	46.66	19.98	237.25	291.70	190.41	503.22	732.72	578.31	265.05	2,636.02	
1930...	21.87	58.52	70.23	44.21	18.36	251.45	314.36	367.52	621.61	853.35	610.68	248.92	3,069.72	
1931...	27.97	63.14	67.05	43.18	16.94	257.99	336.76	377.89	375.33	794.89	402.66	190.24	2,553.07	
1932...	29.19	56.07	63.69	38.11	16.91	246.36	332.19	319.84	424.20	798.77	413.05	184.67	2,567.38	
1933...	26.70	55.44	61.82	41.22	17.93	250.94	320.48	429.81	588.97	877.49	566.25	288.38	3,299.71	
1934...	26.66	60.44	58.47	44.51	20.96	258.66	324.64	314.99	802.50	728.55	694.49	251.20	3,284.97	
RFSR														
1928...	7.83	43.50	47.66	35.65	6.84	164.32	197.39	78.13	536.87	556.90	508.98	87.70	1,997.30	
1929...	8.86	47.12	46.41	38.79	7.98	172.00	207.37	86.26	384.98	550.10	458.68	87.42	1,765.11	
1930...	10.95	46.81	53.05	36.75	7.72	179.48	219.53	148.06	496.51	578.80	491.33	89.96	2,033.36	
1931...	11.21	54.53	51.23	37.00	7.18	189.98	240.28	141.18	299.29	602.70	334.38	70.21	1,697.87	
1932...	11.48	50.21	50.90	32.71	7.99	185.47	241.68	106.94	375.66	634.87	354.14	81.52	1,875.07	
1933...	10.33	49.38	47.82	35.44	8.74	186.37	231.63	132.34	515.94	664.92	475.33	127.22	2,288.37	
1934...	11.24	53.62	46.26	38.29	10.32	192.74	236.23	156.31	728.94	598.37	622.73	133.04	2,600.84	
Leningrad Province and Karelian ASSR														
1928...	.02	.02	1.37	.92	.38	2.91	4.45	.31	.26	19.30	15.02	4.07	40.39	
1929...	.02	.02	1.28	1.04	.30	2.77	4.37	.30	.30	16.13	15.68	3.72	37.54	
1930...	.03	.03	1.48	1.25	.33	3.32	5.29	.45	.30	18.64	16.77	3.73	41.95	
1931...	.04	.03	1.41	1.19	.31	3.17	5.21	.50	.38	18.91	16.20	3.90	41.91	
1932...	.05	.04	1.36	1.14	.36	3.20	5.46	.61	.51	17.89	14.83	4.27	41.15	
1933...	.05	.07	1.22	1.15	.43	3.24	5.26	.90	1.02	19.46	15.51	5.64	46.88	
1934...	.18	.18	1.18	1.25	.40	3.54	5.61	3.02	2.41	19.52	19.90	6.10	56.09	
NORTHERN PROVINCE														
1928...	—	.06	.90	.85	.43	2.29	2.68	—	.61	8.67	9.82	5.78	25.34	
1929...	—	.07	.96	.86	.41	2.35	2.80	—	.83	13.22	11.88	5.99	32.55	
1930...	—	.06	1.03	.76	.39	2.29	2.77	—	.66	13.43	8.85	5.38	28.77	
1931...	—	.05	.95	.77	.37	2.19	2.76	—	.66	14.25	11.02	5.29	31.89	
1932...	—	.06	.80	.80	.34	2.06	2.70	—	.68	11.39	9.02	5.94	27.86	
1933...	.00	.09	.63	.82	.43	2.07	2.67	.01	1.42	11.31	13.32	7.93	35.70	
1934...	.01	.16	.70	.87	.47	2.34	3.00	.15	2.83	14.21	15.51	9.80	44.35	
WESTERN PROVINCE														
1928...	.05	.08	3.58	1.89	.27	6.87	10.37	1.04	.88	48.02	29.13	2.83	90.38	
1929...	.05	.10	3.75	2.08	.25	7.11	11.10	.68	1.35	46.05	31.91	3.48	92.06	
1930...	.10	.09	4.20	2.19	.30	7.78	11.81	1.30	1.22	60.69	32.79	3.72	109.24	
1931...	.03	.10	3.95	2.08	.33	7.24	11.78	.29	1.22	43.53	24.44	3.98	79.69	
1932...	.07	.13	3.56	2.14	.38	6.99	12.03	.73	1.45	38.70	28.60	4.59	80.41	
1933...	.07	.15	3.11	1.97	.52	6.82	11.24	1.00	2.34	45.76	26.52	7.65	94.27	
1934...	.19	.24	3.03	2.16	.53	7.14	11.13	2.84	3.46	42.66	31.98	8.22	98.75	

* Compiled from *Agriculture of the USSR, 1935* (Moscow, Sel'khozgiz, 1936), Tables 97, 107, 110, 112, 115, 117, 120, 122, 125, 127, 130, 132, 135, and 137. This is a yearbook published jointly by the People's Commissariats of Agriculture and of State Farms. The areas of winter crops exclude winterkilled acreage.

Not including spring rye, data for which were not distributed by regions before 1932. The total area of spring rye (80 per cent in Siberian regions) fell from 1.3 to .9 million acres between 1928 and 1935; total production ranged from 15 to 11 million 60-pound bushels in this period.

^a Winter and spring.

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	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Winter rye ^a	Oats	Barley ^b	All grains	All crops	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Winter rye ^a	Oats	Barley ^b	All grains	
MOSCOW PROVINCE														
1928...	.04	.01	3.82	2.68	.11	7.92	11.33	.65	.11	42.61	42.62	1.64	97.96	
1929...	.06	.01	4.33	3.11	.12	8.75	12.40	.91	.13	55.59	45.47	1.71	113.96	
1930...	.08	.01	4.53	3.14	.09	8.91	12.92	1.19	.07	55.37	45.34	1.25	114.05	
1931...	.09	.01	4.43	2.92	.12	8.95	13.72	1.28	.08	65.85	32.55	1.58	115.63	
1932...	.14	.03	4.33	3.26	.12	9.49	14.57	1.88	.30	59.06	43.11	1.66	122.98	
1933...	.19	.05	3.66	3.69	.17	9.30	14.39	2.82	.84	57.18	51.14	2.46	137.16	
1934...	.58	.32	3.36	3.57	.15	9.49	14.64	9.71	4.89	51.18	61.09	2.40	149.43	
IVANOV PROVINCE														
1928...	.06	.09	1.65	1.23	.11	3.33	4.95	1.07	.99	19.81	20.88	1.45	46.03	
1929...	.07	.10	1.64	1.39	.11	3.47	5.25	.98	1.08	19.74	20.48	1.32	45.25	
1930...	.09	.08	1.76	1.47	.10	3.67	5.67	1.02	.92	22.86	22.07	1.12	50.39	
1931...	.09	.07	1.73	1.24	.11	3.51	5.58	1.21	.85	23.39	17.56	1.34	47.71	
1932...	.09	.07	1.63	1.34	.13	3.51	5.58	1.22	.68	24.95	15.47	1.39	46.78	
1933...	.10	.10	1.37	1.41	.16	3.46	5.48	1.92	1.73	24.43	24.01	2.77	60.14	
1934...	.32	.22	1.20	1.42	.18	3.69	5.98	6.53	3.52	21.28	25.71	3.23	64.87	
GORKI REGION														
1928...	.02	.16	6.06	4.62	.45	12.04	13.84	.23	2.01	74.78	65.69	6.92	158.09	
1929...	.02	.18	5.16	5.01	.54	11.74	13.94	.30	2.21	67.63	65.53	7.57	151.92	
1930...	.03	.18	6.52	5.10	.52	13.20	15.79	.42	1.95	67.05	65.67	7.07	150.99	
1931...	.02	.18	6.21	4.55	.50	12.41	15.21	.22	1.97	74.46	50.89	6.31	143.14	
1932...	.02	.25	6.32	4.61	.59	12.73	15.71	.29	3.00	81.69	53.09	8.20	156.05	
1933...	.03	.34	5.72	4.77	.60	12.59	15.51	.40	5.60	92.80	64.18	7.62	185.63	
1934...	.09	.80	5.77	4.80	.61	13.16	16.16	1.25	12.28	82.68	70.90	9.73	189.43	
URAL PROVINCE														
1928...	.01	5.00	2.16	4.03	.49	11.99	12.89	.11	74.27	30.37	64.41	9.25	181.36	
1929...	.00	5.11	1.94	4.43	.57	12.54	13.76	.02	52.18	22.66	46.01	9.47	133.25	
1930...	.00	5.61	2.35	4.30	.91	13.76	15.50	.03	63.98	31.62	57.86	14.82	173.27	
1931...	.00	6.39	2.58	4.68	.71	15.40	17.64	.02	13.02	23.03	18.09	4.66	62.64	
1932...	—	5.36	3.09	2.46	.90	14.98	18.04	—	40.72	45.87	21.61	6.58	130.51	
1933...	.00	5.48	3.16	3.23	.79	14.65	16.51	.04	54.10	43.40	33.74	8.97	155.45	
1934...	.01	5.64	3.30	3.64	.52	14.60	16.13	.04	79.66	43.04	56.92	8.54	199.64	
BASHKIR ASSR														
1928...	.01	1.44	2.28	1.25	.03	6.04	6.49	.07	18.44	29.27	18.48	.45	77.59	
1929...	.00	1.58	1.69	1.58	.03	6.10	6.65	.01	12.24	15.59	15.64	.28	53.09	
1930...	.00	1.68	2.20	1.54	.03	6.51	7.25	.02	21.86	29.72	22.60	.31	86.10	
1931...	—	2.36	2.27	1.85	.05	7.85	8.71	—	10.24	18.18	10.51	.23	46.36	
1932...	—	2.30	2.56	1.28	.02	7.48	8.47	—	15.10	33.10	8.62	.15	65.72	
1933...	.00	2.29	2.41	1.42	.02	7.54	8.22	.02	23.68	37.04	18.29	.30	90.68	
1934...	.00	2.39	2.32	1.61	.03	7.56	8.35	.02	38.00	34.70	33.38	.54	119.21	
TATAR ASSR														
1928...	.00	.26	3.15	1.67	.03	6.22	6.72	.03	3.02	31.87	16.13	.51	62.82	
1929...	.00	.28	2.70	1.56	.03	5.83	6.38	.01	2.67	22.10	15.63	.39	48.39	
1930...	.00	.33	3.36	1.69	.03	6.62	7.17	.03	2.50	28.31	16.12	.32	56.89	
1931...	—	.43	3.19	1.66	.03	6.77	7.75	—	3.22	39.03	12.08	.26	64.23	
1932...	—	.63	3.18	1.25	.05	6.82	8.03	—	5.78	49.09	9.28	.59	77.49	
1933...	.01	.91	2.96	1.55	.06	7.18	7.99	.09	11.88	44.98	21.55	1.11	94.64	
1934...	.03	1.08	3.01	1.49	.07	7.23	8.13	.49	18.57	37.92	26.91	1.42	101.21	

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Year	Area (Million acres)							Production (Million 60-lb. units)						
	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Winter rye*	Oats	Barley*	All grains	All crops	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Winter rye*	Oats	Barley*	All grains	
MIDDLE VOLGA REGION														
1928...	.00	4.81	6.18	2.80	.14	16.38	18.33	.22	63.89	69.42	34.99	2.03	194.28	
1929...	.01	5.10	5.78	3.03	.17	16.53	18.45	.10	26.25	61.46	26.47	.45	125.02	
1930...	.01	6.11	6.71	3.13	.06	18.82	21.19	.05	60.26	54.88	19.43	.40	157.54	
1931...	.01	7.54	6.33	3.13	.09	20.49	24.41	.07	25.90	59.59	20.02	.16	122.39	
1932...	.03	6.98	6.57	2.83	.16	20.00	25.34	.30	39.05	81.12	20.85	.79	166.56	
1933...	.29	6.83	5.71	3.00	.18	19.70	23.54	2.73	54.39	68.01	40.85	1.15	200.75	
1934...	.45	7.07	5.58	3.39	.16	20.52	24.10	4.54	97.94	62.24	51.22	2.35	259.77	
CENTRAL BLACKSOIL REGION														
1928...	.45	.75	8.30	4.34	.38	19.16	24.64	5.93	6.42	96.42	62.15	4.16	215.92	
1929...	.38	.77	8.85	4.60	.38	19.84	25.26	5.69	10.33	124.51	66.99	5.44	238.77	
1930...	.70	1.11	9.04	4.88	.42	20.88	26.55	11.28	13.28	110.24	77.45	5.94	270.90	
1931...	.96	1.06	8.80	4.11	.40	19.93	27.14	14.04	7.34	138.31	38.26	3.83	243.77	
1932...	1.48	1.03	7.92	3.73	.43	19.80	27.23	17.63	10.86	115.37	44.30	5.74	239.91	
1933...	1.50	.93	7.77	3.36	.45	19.79	26.39	22.20	11.88	121.94	40.20	6.45	273.21	
1934...	1.60	1.23	7.25	3.53	.63	20.47	26.50	21.54	14.89	97.55	56.24	7.38	262.31	
LOWER VOLGA REGION														
1928...	.06	5.70	4.65	1.06	.47	13.63	15.81	.41	61.86	43.49	14.06	4.92	138.76	
1929...	.08	6.57	4.59	1.27	.58	14.69	16.79	.52	50.03	43.41	15.47	4.08	120.03	
1930...	.10	7.87	5.32	1.43	.40	17.05	19.16	.81	70.55	37.39	20.99	3.43	144.79	
1931...	.20	9.22	5.17	1.45	.42	19.06	22.69	1.39	45.06	40.73	7.80	1.70	104.91	
1932...	.44	9.00	5.27	1.17	.47	18.79	22.95	3.15	46.83	46.27	8.03	2.07	119.01	
1933...	.52	8.17	5.18	1.09	.53	18.42	21.11	3.60	71.86	36.67	13.93	6.22	154.49	
1934...	.36	8.04	4.69	1.30	.70	17.90	20.34	2.64	66.50	29.85	18.48	7.46	142.27	
NORTH CAUCASUS														
1928...	5.44	4.50	1.05	.45	2.22	18.11	23.56	50.85	43.44	6.91	7.48	27.05	188.41	
1929...	6.63	5.05	1.36	.78	2.94	20.63	26.06	59.41	47.71	9.58	8.70	28.82	199.91	
1930...	7.90	5.52	1.76	.84	2.67	22.91	29.33	111.74	51.76	12.17	10.23	29.09	246.12	
1931...	7.72	5.21	1.89	.99	2.11	22.59	30.50	97.13	39.40	15.13	10.45	21.89	263.74	
1932...	7.16	5.33	1.98	.85	2.31	22.56	31.29	58.09	39.09	18.95	7.76	21.13	215.47	
1933...	5.84	4.22	2.22	1.13	2.58	22.11	28.17	73.77	43.98	23.20	15.14	44.94	297.83	
1934...	5.59	3.69	1.99	1.15	3.89	22.47	27.98	79.41	28.03	16.93	14.90	38.09	271.54	
CRIMEAN ASSR														
1928...	.99	.00	.01	.24	.29	1.62	1.74	7.48	.00	.04	1.53	2.26	11.50	
1929...	.86	.00	.01	.28	.39	1.65	1.78	9.34	.02	.09	3.31	4.13	17.84	
1930...	1.02	.00	.01	.27	.53	1.95	2.14	9.33	.01	.08	1.45	1.63	12.92	
1931...	1.31	—	.03	.18	.38	2.04	2.36	16.70	—	.28	1.17	2.79	21.96	
1932...	1.16	—	.05	.13	.45	2.01	2.35	14.20	—	.49	1.30	4.37	22.68	
1933...	1.11	—	.07	.14	.50	2.06	2.36	17.01	—	.71	2.06	8.74	31.06	
1934...	1.16	—	.01	.14	.56	2.29	2.63	13.64	—	.07	1.43	5.39	22.13	
KAKAK AND KARA-KALPAK ASSR														
1928...	.50	6.49	.18	1.08	.35	9.86	11.06	6.95	86.86	2.03	16.74	5.10	134.84	
1929...	.44	6.96	.09	1.16	.42	10.62	11.90	4.73	46.21	.45	7.26	2.98	74.42	
1930...	.68	6.27	.12	.73	.28	9.86	11.46	8.02	54.01	1.05	7.73	2.86	90.38	
1931...	.53	7.73	.29	.97	.35	12.51	15.08	5.18	44.97	2.76	6.51	2.82	80.77	
1932...	.65	6.34	.43	.69	.32	11.55	14.15	6.78	46.25	4.12	5.98	2.94	87.87	
1933...	.41	5.66	.61	.82	.34	11.30	13.03	3.31	45.65	4.23	7.01	2.76	76.05	
1934...	.43	6.67	.58	1.07	.38	11.29	12.88	6.23	108.54	4.84	18.27	6.01	163.71	

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KIRGHIZ ASSR														
1928	.15	.72	.00	.08	.17	1.33	1.67	2.24	8.36	.04	1.52	2.48	18.09	
1929..	.21	.81	.00	.12	.21	1.56	1.88	2.94	11.10	.02	2.00	3.04	22.93	
1930..	.18	.94	.01	.13	.22	1.56	2.00	2.02	9.74	.08	1.66	2.82	17.50	
1931	.21	1.08	—	.14	.30	1.88	2.48	3.15	14.48	—	2.24	4.11	26.60	
1932.	.19	1.00	—	.18	.35	1.89	2.56	2.06	9.56	—	2.36	4.00	20.25	
1933..	.21	.98	—	.16	.35	1.93	2.42	2.44	10.91	—	2.21	4.17	23.21	
1934	.23	.96	—	.17	.34	1.89	2.30	4.13	14.64	—	2.69	5.02	29.69	
WESTERN SIBERIA														
1928.	.03	10.78	1.54	4.66	.37	17.89	19.37	.54	152.52 ^c	32.54 ^c	77.63 ^c	6.31 ^c	283.70 ^c	
1929..	.02	12.00	1.55	4.80	.37	19.49	21.48	.26	105.13	30.33	45.11	3.42	122.08	
1930.	.03	8.75	1.85	2.54	.22	14.63	16.88	.35	112.58	23.91	43.30	2.64	199.01	
1931.	—	10.63	1.32	3.34	.31	17.40	19.71	—	60.59	14.91	30.63	1.44	117.55	
1932.	—	9.11	1.07	2.99	.23	14.80	17.53	—	82.69	16.38	39.17	2.36	153.53	
1933.	.00	10.57	1.38	3.82	.25	17.53	19.92	.07	141.39	24.65	60.17	3.27	244.85	
1934	.01	12.21	1.57	4.58	.32	20.00	22.37	.13	190.07	26.47	82.95	5.77	316.53	
EASTERN SIBERIA														
1928	.00	1.53	.64	.94	.11	4.22	4.61	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1929.	.00	1.52	.62	.93	.11	4.17	4.58	—	2.05	.58	1.68	.17	8.94	
1930.	—	1.40	.71	.81	.14	3.92	4.41	—	23.89	10.46	14.32	2.42	62.81	
1931.	—	1.60	.60	1.08	.21	4.56	5.02	—	22.63	9.38	17.16	3.01	63.25	
1932.	—	1.52	.65	1.25	.28	4.70	5.17	—	23.48	9.18	14.26	3.65	59.94	
1933.	.00	1.52	.56	1.17	.29	4.47	4.80	.01	22.60	8.62	16.67	4.07	61.99	
1934..	—	1.76	.63	1.41	.30	4.96	5.34	—	31.30	12.37	23.86	4.86	82.89	
IAKUTSK ASSR														
1928..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1929..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1930..	—	.01	—	.01	.04	.06	.10	—	.17	—	.13	.62	1.09	
1931..	—	.03	—	.02	.03	.12	.13	—	.37	—	.26	.48	1.68	
1932..	—	.04	—	.02	.04	.16	.17	—	.50	—	.27	.59	1.97	
1933..	—	.04	.01	.02	.05	.18	.19	—	.48	.03	.24	.58	2.06	
1934..	—	.04	.01	.02	.05	.20	.20	—	.34	.03	.18	.39	1.39	
FAR EAST REGION														
1928..	—	1.10	.14	.86	.04	2.51	2.88	—	12.93	1.31	10.70	.49	31.84	
1929..	.01	.89	.11	.76	.05	2.15	2.54	.06	13.16	.96	13.46	.96	37.16	
1930..	—	.76	.09	.54	.04	1.78	2.14	—	6.80	.85	6.57	.39	18.65	
1931..	—	.81	.08	.65	.05	1.91	2.40	—	6.91	.98	6.54	.43	18.05	
1932..	—	.99	.13	.59	.06	1.95	2.35	—	9.13	1.25	6.23	.51	18.93	
1933..	—	.98	.07	.72	.04	2.03	2.43	—	10.19	.50	8.59	.42	22.32	
1934..	—	.92	.08	.72	.03	2.00	2.46	—	11.07	.83	10.21	.34	25.63	
UKRAINIAN SSR														
1928...	3.96	7.75	8.81	5.53	9.17	48.58	61.60	51.20	71.60	105.26	79.78	53.71	510.20	
1929...	3.80	7.83	10.77	6.29	9.87	49.88	63.12	57.57	94.69	148.90	99.80	150.03	687.17	
1930...	10.13	8.29	13.93	5.77	8.32	55.13	70.09	173.04	90.47	236.95	99.04	130.35	835.02	
1931..	13.17	5.80	12.44	4.67	7.43	52.13	71.39	192.22	45.06	161.35	51.90	90.55	674.09	
1932..	14.19	2.98	9.54	3.86	6.19	44.79	65.33	180.37	25.56	113.67	43.61	76.30	538.55	
1933..	13.48	3.03	11.17	4.42	6.44	49.08	65.15	262.80	46.24	172.80	73.26	126.55	819.25	
1934..	12.41	3.66	9.26	4.72	7.87	49.91	64.31	114.00	30.98	90.37	51.06	75.98	453.23	

* Not including spring rye, data for which were not distributed by regions before 1932. The total area of spring rye (80 per cent in Siberian regions) fell from 1.3 to .9 million acres between 1928 and 1935; total production ranged from 15 to 11 million 60-pound bushels in this period.

^b Winter and spring.

^c Includes Eastern Siberia.

TABLE I.—Concluded

Year	Area (Million acres)							Production (Million 60-lb. units)						
	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Winter rye*	Oats	Barley†	All grains	All crops	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Winter rye*	Oats	Barley†	All grains	
WHITE RUSSIAN SSR														
1928...	.07	.16	3.12	1.42	.64	6.22	8.40	1.00	2.01	32.22	16.71	7.32	65.01	
1929...	.07	.18	3.14	1.57	.62	6.28	8.62	.93	2.05	33.62	19.68	7.44	69.56	
1930...	.07	.18	3.22	1.68	.59	6.35	8.95	.98	1.86	37.28	20.17	5.92	72.04	
1931...	.08	.10	3.38	1.50	.65	6.44	9.50	.86	1.07	30.84	16.18	7.27	62.05	
1932...	.07	.20	3.24	1.52	.74	6.49	9.84	.68	2.18	30.20	15.09	7.93	62.23	
1933...	.08	.23	2.82	1.33	.78	6.14	9.33	1.25	3.30	39.72	17.23	12.15	83.45	
1934...	.15	.34	2.94	1.46	.78	6.47	9.54	2.16	4.96	39.68	20.29	12.31	87.82	
TRANSCAUCASIAN SFSR														
1928...	2.09	.43	.01	.01	.87	4.69	5.28	27.34	4.98	.06	.09	13.21	67.02	
1929...	2.20	.45	.01	.01	.89	4.90	5.55	29.80	5.00	.10	.15	13.57	62.98	
1930...	2.37	.47	.03	.01	.98	5.18	6.11	29.75	5.67	.32	.14	13.87	70.73	
1931...	2.21	.46	—	.01	.98	4.79	6.10	27.56	5.24	—	.20	13.38	61.21	
1932...	2.14	.57	.01	.02	1.08	5.07	6.39	20.09	3.75	.03	.21	10.57	49.47	
1933...	1.85	.50	.01	.03	1.04	4.74	5.86	24.49	5.27	.05	.43	14.08	63.62	
1934...	1.93	.52	.01	.04	1.10	4.92	6.13	26.73	5.29	.13	.41	15.14	68.61	
UZBEK SSR														
1928...	.81	.79	—	.00	.30	2.45	4.37	18.18 ^c	16.07 ^d	—	.03 ^d	6.31 ^d	54.48 ^d	
1929...	.75	.98	—	—	.36	2.58	4.67	15.83 ^d	16.50 ^d	—	—	6.59 ^d	51.50 ^d	
1930...	1.04	1.49	—	—	.32	3.27	6.42	11.44	10.94	—	—	2.80	31.41	
1931...	.61	1.41	—	—	.31	2.64	6.28	6.17	12.93	—	—	3.03	28.75	
1932...	.61	1.31	—	—	.61	2.67	5.98	4.28	9.16	—	—	5.20	22.25	
1933...	.65	1.60	—	—	.58	3.14	6.06	4.82	10.71	—	—	4.15	27.29	
1934...	.59	1.59	—	—	.58	3.14	6.02	9.80	22.18	—	—	9.77	51.16	
TURKMEN SSR														
1928...	.23	.10	—	—	.03	.44	.82	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1929...	.25	.11	—	—	.03	.46	.88	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1930...	.24	.14	—	—	.07	.46	1.05	3.41	2.45	—	—	1.15	7.27	
1931...	.18	.12	—	—	.03	.39	1.04	3.10	2.26	—	—	.54	6.86	
1932...	.19	.15	—	—	.06	.45	1.05	2.48	1.48	—	—	.72	5.73	
1933...	.14	.12	—	—	.08	.37	.90	1.83	1.49	—	—	1.08	4.87	
1934...	.17	.13	—	—	.08	.42	.95	2.94	2.14	—	—	1.42	7.41	
TADZHIK SSR														
1928...	.28	.52	—	—	.18	1.06	1.35	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1929...	.27	.59	—	—	.23	1.15	1.49	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1930...	.07	1.14	—	—	.36	1.58	2.21	.84	13.71	—	—	4.87	19.89	
1931...	.51	.72	—	—	.36	1.62	2.17	6.80	9.48	—	—	5.26	22.24	
1932...	.51	.65	—	—	.24	1.42	1.92	5.00	6.41	—	—	2.43	14.08	
1933...	.17	.58	—	—	.27	1.10	1.55	2.28	6.02	—	—	3.15	12.86	
1934...	.17	.58	—	—	.23	1.06	1.46	3.05	8.01	—	—	3.54	15.90	

* Not including spring rye, data for which were not distributed by regions before 1932. The total area of spring rye (80 per cent in Siberian regions) fell from 1.3 to 9 million acres between 1928 and 1935; total production ranged from 15 to 11 million 60-pound bushels in this period.

^a Winter and spring. ^b Includes Turkmen and Tadzhik.

TABLE II.—ACREAGE OF THE PRINCIPAL GRAINS IN THE USSR, BY REGIONS, 1934–35*

(Million acres)

Region	Year	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Total wheat	Winter rye ^a	Oats	Barley ^b	Corn	Other grains ^c	All grains	All crops
USSR	1934.....	26.66	60.44	87.10	58.47	44.51	20.96	9.09	38.53	258.66	324.87
	1935.....	30.78	60.79	91.57	57.13	45.27	21.60	8.00	32.03	255.60	328.10
RSFSR	1934.....	11.24	53.62	64.86	46.26	38.29	10.32	4.70	28.31	192.74	236.45
	1935.....	13.12	54.76	67.88	45.36	39.34	11.09	4.18	23.83	191.68	239.82
Northern	1934.....	.01	.15	.16	.70	.88	.47	—	.13	2.34	3.01
	1935.....	.02	.22	.24	.74	.86	.46	—	.14	2.44	3.19
Karelian	1934.....	—	.00	.00	.04	.05	.02	—	.00	.11	.15
	1935.....	.00	.00	.00	.04	.04	.02	—	.01	.11	.15
Leningrad	1934.....	.16	.17	.33	.98	1.09	.33	—	.28	3.01	4.78
	1935.....	.22	.26	.48	.95	1.06	.30	—	.31	3.10	5.04
Western	1934.....	.14	.21	.35	2.48	1.69	.40	—	.83	5.75	8.81
	1935.....	.17	.33	.50	2.40	1.66	.41	—	.77	5.74	9.02
Moscow	1934.....	.51	.26	.77	2.90	2.94	.02	—	1.48	8.11	12.07
	1935.....	.61	.52	1.13	2.62	2.67	.03	—	1.33	7.78	12.04
Kalinin	1934.....	.14	.10	.24	1.19	1.21	.31	—	.23	3.18	5.57
	1935.....	.19	.17	.36	1.18	1.25	.32	—	.27	3.38	5.82
Ivanov	1934.....	.32	.22	.54	1.20	1.42	.18	—	.35	3.69	5.99
	1935.....	.36	.33	.69	1.24	1.40	.18	—	.36	3.87	6.30
Gorki	1934.....	.07	.52	.59	2.86	2.15	.08	—	.83	6.51	8.18
	1935.....	.13	.68	.81	2.79	2.04	.08	—	.79	6.51	8.38
Kirov	1934.....	.03	.39	.42	3.11	2.78	.54	—	.37	7.22	8.59
	1935.....	.05	.60	.65	3.06	2.56	.55	—	.32	7.14	8.73
Sverdlovsk	1934.....	.00	.94	.94	1.52	1.68	.37	—	.50	5.01	5.84
	1935.....	.00	1.04	1.04	1.54	1.73	.38	—	.50	5.19	6.09
Cheliabinsk	1934.....	.00	3.75	3.75	1.15	1.37	.08	—	.70	7.05	7.56
	1935.....	.00	3.64	3.64	1.07	1.70	.10	—	.55	7.06	7.70
Bashkir	1934.....	.00	2.36	2.36	2.31	1.60	.03	—	1.21	7.51	8.29
	1935.....	.01	2.43	2.44	2.10	1.62	.04	—	1.08	7.28	8.25
Tartar	1934.....	.03	1.08	1.11	3.01	1.49	.07	—	1.55	7.23	8.13
	1935.....	.06	1.18	1.24	2.77	1.48	.07	—	1.33	6.89	8.03
Kuibyshev	1934.....	.40	3.54	3.94	4.10	2.71	.04	.00	3.20	13.99	16.78
	1935.....	.35	3.69	4.04	3.94	2.55	.09	.00	2.54	13.16	16.08
Orenburg	1934.....	.05	3.81	3.86	1.56	.72	.12	.01	.77	7.04	7.85
	1935.....	.02	3.82	3.84	1.50	.83	.18	.01	.59	6.95	7.78
Voronezh	1934.....	.90	1.05	1.95	4.17	1.94	.33	.10	3.48	11.97	15.50
	1935.....	1.05	1.25	2.30	4.02	1.99	.34	.15	2.72	11.52	15.44
Kursk	1934.....	.70	.18	.88	3.08	1.59	.31	.02	2.62	8.50	11.00
	1935.....	.76	.46	1.22	3.02	1.74	.42	.03	1.89	8.32	10.99
Saratov	1934.....	.19	3.98	4.17	2.64	1.04	.34	.01	1.70	9.90	11.28
	1935.....	.16	4.14	4.30	2.79	1.09	.40	.04	1.56	10.18	11.78
Stalingrad	1934.....	.17	4.05	4.22	2.05	.26	.36	.06	1.05	8.00	9.19
	1935.....	.13	3.62	3.75	2.22	.43	.54	.08	.80	7.82	9.16

* Data from *Agriculture of the USSR, 1935*, Tables 986–87. Areas of winter crops exclude winterkilled acreage. Regions with names in roman type are subdivisions of regions immediately preceding with names in italic type.

^a See footnote a, Table I.

^b Winter and spring.

^c Mainly millets, buckwheat, and dry legumes.

TABLE II.—Continued

Region	Year	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Total wheat	Winter rye ^a	Oats	Barley ^b	Corn	Other grains ^c	All grains	All crops
Azov-Black Sea	1934.....	3.09	3.60	6.69	1.79	.60	2.62	1.84	1.15	14.69	18.29
	1935.....	3.91	3.33	7.24	1.91	.65	2.54	1.69	.73	14.76	18.87
North Caucasus (new boundaries)	1934.....	2.50	.10	2.60	.19	.55	1.27	2.24	.92	7.77	9.73
	1935.....	3.06	.09	3.15	.18	.61	1.27	1.83	.66	7.70	9.86
Crimea	1934.....	1.16	—	1.16	.01	.14	.56	.27	.15	2.29	2.63
	1935.....	1.23	—	1.23	.01	.14	.55	.18	.08	2.19	2.58
Kazak	1934.....	.42	6.41	6.83	.51	1.04	.37	.05	1.96	10.76	12.14
	1935.....	.34	6.88	7.22	.47	1.27	.56	.06	1.92	11.50	12.91
Kara-Kalpak	1934.....	.01	.01	.02	—	—	.01	—	.05	.08	.27
	1935.....	.01	.02	.03	—	—	.01	—	.05	.09	.28
Kirghiz	1934.....	.23	.96	1.19	—	.17	.34	.08	.11	1.89	2.30
	1935.....	.27	.93	1.20	.01	.20	.41	.09	.09	2.00	2.46
Omsk	1934.....	.00	2.94	2.94	.70	1.20	.14	—	.42	5.40	6.05
	1935.....	.00	2.78	2.78	.73	1.36	.19	—	.32	5.38	6.16
Western Siberia	1934.....	.01	9.07	9.08	1.07	3.23	.20	—	.99	14.57	16.27
	1935.....	.01	8.41	8.42	1.15	3.42	.23	—	1.00	14.22	16.08
Krasnoiarsk	1934.....	.00	1.71	1.71	.50	1.11	.12	—	.20	3.64	3.96
	1935.....	—	1.69	1.69	.47	1.21	.13	—	.14	3.64	4.01
Eastern Siberia	1934.....	—	1.09	1.09	.35	.90	.21	—	.77	3.32	3.57
	1935.....	—	1.20	1.20	.37	.93	.21	—	.72	3.43	3.77
Iakutsk	1934.....	—	.05	.05	.01	.02	.05	—	.07	.20	.21
	1935.....	—	.06	.06	.01	.02	.05	—	.07	.21	.22
Far East	1934.....	—	.92	.92	.08	.72	.03	.02	.24	2.01	2.46
	1935.....	—	.99	.99	.06	.83	.03	.02	.19	2.12	2.65
Ukraine	1934.....	12.41	3.65	16.06	9.26	4.73	7.87	3.36	8.64	49.92	64.31
	1935.....	14.06	3.01	17.07	9.04	4.53	7.55	2.78	6.71	47.68	63.54
Kiev	1934.....	1.45	.04	1.49	1.83	1.13	.84	.08	1.57	6.94	9.27
	1935.....	1.44	.04	1.48	1.71	1.09	.83	.10	1.44	6.65	9.27
Chernigov	1934.....	.22	.11	.33	1.63	.64	.31	—	1.24	4.15	5.56
	1935.....	.26	.13	.39	1.56	.70	.32	—	1.03	4.00	5.54
Vinnitsa	1934.....	1.40	.01	1.41	1.15	.86	.91	.33	1.35	6.01	8.03
	1935.....	1.46	.01	1.47	1.20	.82	.87	.30	1.18	5.84	7.99
Kharkov	1934.....	1.30	1.14	2.44	2.08	.73	1.04	.35	1.68	8.32	10.91
	1935.....	1.75	.94	2.69	2.18	.73	1.04	.42	1.04	8.10	11.08
Dnepropetrovsk	1934.....	3.17	.82	3.99	.92	.50	1.83	1.10	1.06	9.40	11.42
	1935.....	3.87	.63	4.50	.89	.45	1.59	.74	.76	8.93	11.22
Odessa	1934.....	3.73	.37	4.10	.46	.45	1.77	.70	.89	8.37	10.40
	1935.....	3.97	21	4.18	.37	.38	1.83	.63	.64	8.03	10.19
Donetsk	1934.....	.71	1.13	1.84	1.09	.38	1.00	.57	.82	5.70	7.42
	1935.....	.86	1.03	1.89	1.04	.32	.90	.38	.59	5.12	6.97
Moldavia	1934.....	.43	.03	.46	.10	.04	.17	.23	.03	1.03	1.31
	1935.....	.45	.02	.47	.09	.04	.17	.21	.03	1.01	1.28
White Russia	1934.....	.15	.34	.49	2.94	1.45	.78	—	.81	6.47	9.55
	1935.....	.16	.34	.50	2.70	1.36	.73	—	.74	6.03	9.48

^a See footnote *a*, Table I.^b Winter and spring.^c Mainly millets, buckwheat, and dry legumes.

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TABLE II.—Concluded

Region	Year	Winter wheat	Spring wheat	Total wheat	Winter rye ^a	Oats	Barley ^b	Corn	Other grains ^c	All grains	All crops
<i>Transcaucasia</i>	1934.....	1.93	.52	2.45	.01	.04	1.10	.99	.32	4.91	6.13
	1935.....	2.01	.51	2.52	.03	.04	1.15	.99	.34	5.07	6.31
<i>Azerbaijan</i>	1934....	1.09	.05	1.14	—	.02	.56	.02	.21	1.95	2.65
	1935....	1.16	.06	1.22	.00	.02	.62	.02	.21	2.09	2.85
<i>Georgia</i>	1934....	.61	.15	.76	.00	.01	.25	.97	.06	2.05	2.41
	1935....	.61	.15	.76	.01	.01	.26	.97	.06	2.07	2.38
<i>Armenia</i>	1934....	.23	.32	.55	.01	.01	.29	.00	.05	.91	1.07
	1935....	.24	.30	.54	.02	.01	.27	.00	.07	.91	1.08
<i>Uzbek</i>	1934....	.60	1.59	2.19	—	—	.58	.04	.33	3.14	6.02
	1935....	1.02	1.41	2.43	—	—	.72	.04	.26	3.45	6.30
<i>Turkmen</i>	1934....	.17	.13	.30	—	—	.08	—	.04	.42	.94
	1935....	.19	.16	.35	—	—	.09	.00	.06	.50	1.01
<i>Tadzhik</i>	1934....	.17	.59	.76	—	—	.23	.01	.06	1.06	1.47
	1935....	.23	.60	.83	—	.00	.27	.01	.08	1.19	1.64

^a See footnote *a*, Table I.^b Winter and spring.^c Mainly millets, buckwheat, and dry legumes.

NOTE: *Grouping of administrative districts.*—The number and the boundaries of administrative subdivisions of the USSR have been changed in recent years. In Table I, we present data for 26 districts, 1928–34; in Table II, for 46 districts, 1934–35. In Table 5, p. 329, data for 5 "major areas" are given covering the whole period 1928–35. The following list shows how data by smaller districts were grouped in order to reach totals for "major areas" closely comparable over the whole period in spite of the changes in number and boundaries of districts. Names (a) in parentheses are of administrative districts specified in the 1928–34 statistics but not in the 1934–35 statistics; (b) in roman type, without parentheses, of districts specified in both sets of statistics; and (c) in italic type, of districts specified in statistics for 1934–35 but not 1928–34.

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL AREA: Northern, Karelian ASSR, Leningrad, Western, Moscow, *Kalinin*, Ivanov, Gorki, Kirov, Tartar ASSR, White Russian SSR. EASTERN AREA: (Ural), Sverdlovsk, Cheliabinsk, Bashkir ASSR, (Middle Volga), *Kuibyshev*, Orenburg, (Lower Volga), Saratov, Stalingrad, Kazak ASSR. SOUTHERN AREA: (Central Blacksoil), Voronezh, Kursk, North Caucasus, Azov-Black Sea (formerly part of North Caucasus), Crimean ASSR, Ukrainian SSR (divided into 8 districts in Table II, 1934–35). SIBERIA AND FAR EAST AREA: Omsk, Western Siberia, Krasnoiarsk, Eastern Siberia, Iakutsk ASSR, Far East. CENTRAL ASIATIC AND TRANSCAUCASIAN AREA: Kara-Kalpak ASSR, Kirghiz ASSR, Uzbek SSR, Turkmen SSR, Tadzhik SSR, Transcaucasian SFSR (divided into 3 districts in Table II, 1934–35).

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