# Good morning

US equities are higher, WTI crude more than \$1.00 higher, USD lower and gold higher. US soybeans, meal and soybean oil are higher on follow through buying amid ongoing SA weather concerns. Corn is higher but gains are limited on lower wheat due to lack of fresh global grain import developments. USDA's corn sale to unknown yesterday was refreshing to see but inspections reported later Monday morning did indicate a slowdown in US shipments. US weather maps showed an expansion in precipitation coverage for the heart of the US growing areas, much needed for some of the dry areas of winter wheat country. Argentina still looks dry through Thursday with above normal temperatures over the next two weeks. Brazil will see active weather in the northern areas and net drying in the southern production regions. Australia's weather looks good. Europe precipitation is expected to occur periodically over the next two weeks but will miss Spain and surrounding areas. Western CIS winter grain and rapeseed areas will see waves of snow and rain over the next ten days. Offshore values are leading soybean oil 60 points lower and meal \$2.20 short ton higher. Malaysian March futures increased 168 ringgit to 4,772 and cash increased \$35/ton to \$1,192.50/ton. China soybean complex showed a 1.3% increase in soybeans and 0.3% to 0.8% increase in the products.

Prices as	12/28/2	1 6:55 AM									
<b>CBOT Soybe</b>	ans	Change	Volume	Soybean	Meal	Change	Volume	Soybean	Oil	Change	Volume
JAN2	1370.25	7.75	6383	JAN2	417.30	2.50	2978	JAN2	57.51	0.79	1462
MAR2	1378.75	7.25	25608	MAR2	410.10	1.80	8424	MAR2	57.63	0.78	8090
MAY2	1385.75	7.00	3660	MAY2	405.20	0.70	2587	MAY2	57.62	0.73	2225
JUL2	1387.50	5.75	2429	JUL2	404.10	0.40	1415	JUL2	57.51	0.70	1202
AUG2	1367.25	5.25	336	AUG2	399.80	0.00	139	AUG2	57.12	0.66	112
SEP2	1318.50	3.00	436	SEP2	390.80	(0.60)	116	SEP2	56.75	0.64	48
<b>CBOT Corn</b>		Change	Volume	Oats		Change	Volume	Chicago V	Wheat	Change	Volume
MAR2	615.50	0.75	15731	MAR2	707.00	(17.00)	86	MAR2	798.00	(6.00)	6431
MAY2	617.75	1.00	2953	MAY2	681.00	(4.75)	18	MAY2	801.75	(6.50)	1164
JUL2	616.75	1.00	2053	JUL2	646.75	4.75	12	JUL2	795.75	(5.00)	668
SEP2	577.50	(0.50)	987	SEP2	553.75	0.00	0	SEP2	796.25	(4.25)	291
DEC2	555.50	(1.50)	1489	DEC2	560.00	2.50	2	DEC2	800.25	(3.25)	498
MAR3	562.50	(1.50)	65	MAR3	562.00	0.00	0	MAR3	802.00	(2.25)	65
KC Wheat		Change	Volume	Mat Whe	at	Change	Volume	ICE CAN	OLA	Change	Volume
MAR2	838.00	(9.00)	2159	MAR2	283.25	(6.25)	14812	JAN2	1019.40	9.70	182
MAY2	838.25	(8.50)	898	MAY2	281.75	(5.00)	8824	MAR2	1018.60	14.90	182
JUL2	830.00	(8.75)	496	SEP2	255.25	(3.50)	1108	MAY2	988.10	13.40	182
SEP2	831.75	(7.50)	60	DEC2	255.00	(3.75)	294	JUL2	937.70	9.60	182
				Soy	/Corn Rati	o X/Z 2022	2.3024			Source: Fl a	and Reuters

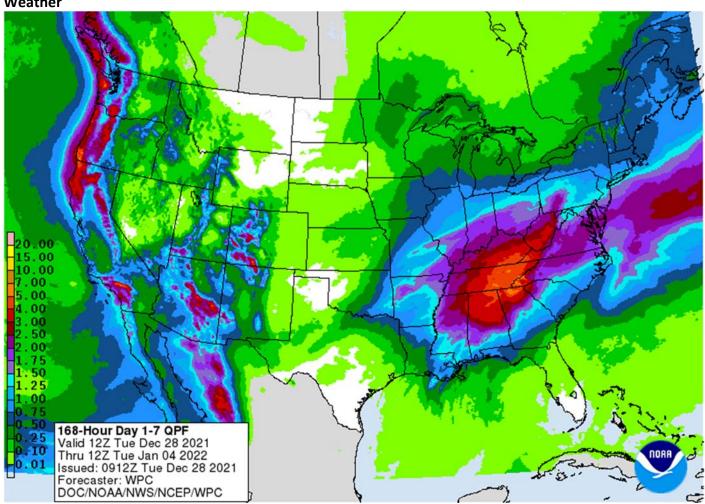
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	Corn	Bean	Chi. Wheat	Meal	Oil
FI Est. Managed Fut. Only	369	101	(11)	63	49
FI Est. Managed Money F&O	378	100	(9)	63	50

#### Weather



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# **Bloomberg Ag Calendar**

Wednesday

EIA weekly ethanol production and stocks

#### **Thursday**

**USDA** export sales

# Friday

- EIA biodiesel feedstock and month ethanol production
- **CFTC Commitment of Traders**

Russia's New Year holiday is from Dec. 31 to Jan. 9.

Source: Bloomberg and FI

# Terry Reilly Grain Research

<b>CBOT Deliveries a</b>	nd Registrations				
				Latest	
	FI FND Est.			Registrations	Reg. Change
Soybeans	NA			244	0
Soybean Meal	0			0	0
Soybean Oil	0-300			143	0
Corn	0			50	0
Oats	NA			39	0
Chi. Wheat	500-1000			1,900	0
KC Wheat	0-100			92	0
Rice	100-300			522	(49)
	SOUTHERN RICE & COTTON	HARRISBURG, A	2		
	HARVEST RICE	OTWELL, AR	103		
Ethanol	NA			0	0
MN Wheat	0-150				

Source:	CROT	Reuters	and FI
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<b>CBOT Open Inter</b>	rest					
					Total Open	
CBOT Product			Prompt OI	Change	Interest*	Change
Soybeans	Sv1	Mar 22	304,452	10,190	650,960	1,832
Soy Oil	BOv1	Mar 22	157,556	588	382,798	(9,954)
Soy Meal	SMv1	Mar 22	188,691	1,260	391,558	(4,155)
Corn	Cv1	Mar 22	759,258	5,844	1,528,428	18,204
Oats	Oc1	Mar 22	3,248	(56)	4,439	(67)
CHI Wheat	Wv1	Mar 22	173,935	(549)	358,318	(183)
KC Wheat	KWv1	Mar 22	121,684	(458)	221,934	504
Rice	RRc2	Mar 22	6,706	177	7,820	(153)
					<b>Total Open</b>	
CME Product					Interest*	Change
Live Cattle	LCc2	Dec 17	117,760	1,165	309,583	1,564
Lean Hogs	LHc2	Dec 17	56,303	670	216,019	967
*Previous day prelimina	ry data as of	12/27/2021				

#### Top 15 most active options Current **Open Interest** TL Globex/Pit **Change from** Open **Option Strike** Volume Interest previous day SH 1350C 5,740 1,851 125 SH 1380C 5,295 5,198 2,342 SH 1400C 5,197 9,708 1,112 CH 600C 5,005 25,995 3,721 CH 640C + 2,930 4,865 8,941 CH 570P 3,917 8,895 1,440 CH 580P 3,761 9,000 + 2,451 SG 1400C 3,735 3,403 461 CH 700C 3,189 7,852 506 CH 650C 19,983 3,022 1,053 CH 620C + 121 2,849 9,950 SH 1470C 2,778 2,135 1,949 SMH 370P 2,724 1,747 1,418 SH 1300P 2,629 4,550 1,296

2,480

2,129

+ 1,514

### **CFTC Commitment of Traders**

\*Previous day preliminary data as of

BOG 600C

Traditional D	Traditional Daily Estimate of France 12/24/24								
Traditional Daily Estimate of Funds 12/21/21									
	Corn	Bean	Chi. Wheat	Meal	Oil				
Actual	445.3	102.9	9.1	80.1	40.4				
Estimated*	436.6	93.2	16.0	82.4	48.2				
Difference	8.7	9.7	(6.9)	(2.3)	(7.8)				
*Estimated as of Tue	sday								

12/27/2021

## **TRADITIONAL FUNDS net position changes**

Source: Reuters, CFTC & FI (FI est. are noted with latest date)

Wed to Tue, in 000 contracts

	Corn	Bean	Meal	Oil	Chi. Wheat	KC Wheat	Min Wheat
Futures Only	18.7	39.7	8.7	(2.8)	(2.8)	4.3	(0.4)
Futures & Options Combined	18.1	40.7	11.5	(4.1)	(1.7)	3.4	(0.5)

# **MANAGED MONEY net position changes**

	Corn	Bean	Meal	Oil	Chi. Wheat	KC Wheat	Min Wheat
Futures Only	15.4	33.5	9.9	(6.2)	(3.2)	1.0	(0.0)
Futures & Options Combined	14.4	31.9	10.0	(5.7)	(3.7)	1.6	(0.0)

## **USDA** inspections versus Reuters trade range

 Wheat
 271,349
 versus 200000-800000

 Corn
 719,031
 versus 875000-1300000

 Soybeans
 1,577,417
 versus 1000000-1800000

#### Macros

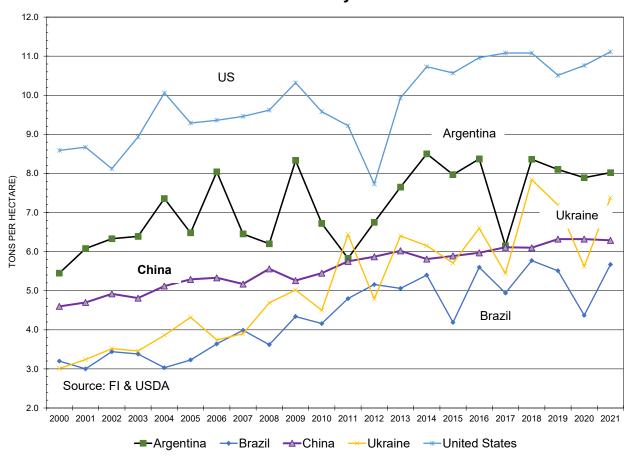
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	Month	Price	Change					
USD	Index	96.015	(0.078)					
EUR/USD	Spot	1.1329	0.000					
USD/BRL	Bid	5.6544	0.030					
BITCOIN	BTCc1	\$49,285	(\$1,990)					
WTI Crude	FEB2	76.67	1.100					
Brent	FEB2	79.53	0.930					
Nat Gas	JAN2	4.034	(0.026)					
DJ Mini	MAR2	36276	98					
US 10-Yr	MAR2	130 18/32	- 1/32					
Gold	JAN2	1817.7	9.700					
Source: Fl a	Source: FI and Reuters							

#### Corn

- CBOT corn is higher in the nearby months on strength in WTI crude oil and follow though buying in soybeans, but gains are limited from a lower trade in wheat. US ethanol margins slipped over the past couple of weeks, per DTN article.
- China approved more genetically modified (GMO) corn varieties produced by domestic companies. Increasing yields is one major step in achieving grain security, IMO.

# **Selected Country Corn Yields**



• USDA US corn export inspections as of December 23, 2021 were 719,031 tons, below a range of trade expectations, below 1,001,528 tons previous week and compares to 1,266,318 tons year ago. Major countries included Mexico for 307,127 tons, Japan for 190,023 tons, and China for 138,119 tons.

# US Weekly Petroleum Status Report - Ethanol

	Ethanol Production		Cha	nge	Ethanol Stocks		Change		Days of
	FI Production Est.	Mbbl	Last Week	Last Year	FI Stocks Est.	Mbbl	Last Week	Last Year	Ethanol
10/29/2021		1107	1	15.2%		20,129	204	2.3%	18.0
11/5/2021		1039	-68	6.3%		20,286	157	0.6%	19.4
11/12/2021		1060	21	10.2%		20,081	-205	-0.6%	19.1
11/19/2021		1079	19	9.0%		20,164	83	-3.4%	18.6
11/26/2021		1035	-44	6.3%		20,301	137	-4.4%	19.5
12/3/2021		1090	55	10.0%		20,464	163	-7.3%	18.6
12/10/2021		1087	-3	13.6%		20,883	419	-9.0%	18.8
12/17/2021		1051	-36	7.7%		20,705	-178	-10.6%	19.9
12/24/2021	-10 to -20				-100 to -200				
Source: EIA an	nd FI								

## Export developments.

None reported

## Soybeans

- CBOT soybean complex is higher on follow through buying. Today we could see more market participation than that of yesterday post Boxing Day holiday.
- Paris February rapeseed is 4.75 euros lower at 775.00, after hitting a record earlier in the session of 791.50 euros.
- Offshore values are leading soybean oil 60 points lower and meal \$2.20 short ton higher.
- Indonesia's 2022 crude palm oil production was estimated to increase 2.6% to 51.01 million tons from a projected 49.71 million in 2021, according to Estate Crop Fund Eddy Abdurrachman. Export demand was seen at 27.9 million tons from 27.08 million throughout 2021. Indonesia will consume 9.3 million to 9.4 million kiloliters of biodiesel this year. The Government target is 9.41 million kiloliters for 2021; goal next year is 10.15 million.
- Malaysian March futures increased 168 ringgit to 4,772 and cash increased \$35/ton to \$1,192.50/ton.

MALAYSIA PALM OIL		28-Dec	27-Dec		
Futures MYR/MT	MAR2	4772	4604	+16	8 \$1,142
RBD Olien Cash USD/MT	Mar22	\$1,192.50	\$1,157.50	\$35.00	3.0%
US Gulf Crude SBO over RBD Palm	Spot	\$51	\$42	\$9	

- Rotterdam vegetable oil values were 10 euros higher in the nearby tradable positions from around this time yesterday morning and Rotterdam meal 7-20 euros higher.
- China crush margins on our analysis was last \$1.65/bu (\$1.59 previous) versus \$1.74 at the end of last week and compares to \$1.13 a year ago.
- China soybean complex showed a 1.3% increase in soybeans and 0.3% to 0.8% increase in the products.

China Futures (Set Prv. Settle)		28-Dec	27-Dec	
Soybeans #1 (DCE) CNY/MT	MAR2	6011	5933	+78 1.3%
Soybean Meal	MAR2	3404	3377	+27 0.8%
Soybean Oil	MAR2	9050	9024	+26 0.3%
China Palm Oil	MAR2	9082	9030	+52 0.6%
China Futures Crush Margin				
USD/BU	MAR2	-2.90	-2.81	-0.09
CNY/MT	MAR2	-1675.82	-1623.97	-51.85
Corn (DCE) CNY/MT	MAR2	2646	2659	-13 -0.5%
Wheat (ZCE) CNY/MT	MAR2	2906	2906	unchanged 0.0%
Hogs (ZCE) CNY	MAR2	14520	14625	-105 -0.7%

• USDA US soybean export inspections as of December 23, 2021 were 1,577,417 tons, within a range of trade expectations, below 1,890,426 tons previous week and compares to 2,273,575 tons year ago. Major countries included China for 750,312 tons, Thailand for 78,597 tons, and Mexico for 70,066 tons.

#### **Export Developments**

• The CCC seeks 12,000 tons of soybean oil on Jan 5 for Feb 5-15 delivery for the Dominican Republic.

### Wheat

• US wheat is lower on lack of fresh global export developments, favorable Australian weather and technical selling. Chicago March wheat is trading near a couple key MA's.

- Paris March wheat was trading 6.25 euros lower at 283.25 euros earlier this morning.
- USDA US all-wheat export inspections as of December 23, 2021 were 271,349 tons, within a range of trade expectations, above 226,739 tons previous week and compares to 407,374 tons year ago. Major countries included Japan for 90,284 tons, Colombia for 45,167 tons, and Mexico for 38,160 tons.

#### Export Developments.

- Jordan seeks 120,000 tons of milling wheat on December 29 for shipment sometime between June 16 and 30, July 1 and 15, July 16 and 31 and Aug. 1 and 15.
- Jordan seeks 120,000 tons of feed barley on December 30. Possible shipments period included July 1-15, July 16-31, Aug. 1-15 and Aug. 16-31.
- Iraq seeks 50,000 tons of wheat on January 3 from the US, Canada and Australia.

## Rice/Other

• Bangladesh seeks 50,000 tons of non-basmati parboiled rice on December 30 for delivery 50 days from contract award and letter of credit opening.

# **CBOT Deliverable Commodities Under Registration**

Source: CBOT and FI

Date	CHI Wheat	Change	Oats	Change	Corn	Change	Ethanol	Change	Soybeans	Change	Soy Oil	Change	Soy Meal	Change	Rough Rice	Change	KC Wheat	Change
12/27/2021	1,900	0	39	0	50	0	0	0	244	0	143	0	0	0	522	(49)	92	0
12/23/2021	1,900	0	39	0	50	0	0	0	244	0	143	0	0	0	571	(45)	92	0
12/22/2021	1,900	0	39	0	50	0	0	0	244	0	143	0	0	0	616	0	92	0
12/21/2021	1,900	0	39	0	50	0	0	0	244	0	143	0	0	0	616	0	92	0
12/20/2021	1,900	0	39	0	50	0	0	0	244	0	143	0	0	0	616	0	92	0
12/17/2021	1,900	0	39	0	50	0	0	0	244	0	143	0	0	0	616	(123)	92	0
12/16/2021	1,900	0	39	(2)	50	0	0	0	244	0	143	(3)	0	0	739	0	92	(6)
12/15/2021	1,900	0	41	0	50	0	0	0	244	0	146	(7)	0	0	739	0	98	(10)
12/14/2021	1,900	0	41	(59)	50	50	0	0	244	(22)	153	(11)	0	0	739	0	108	0
12/13/2021	1,900	15	100	0	0	0	0	0	266	0	164	(1)	0	(1)	739	0	108	0
12/10/2021	1,885	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	266	0	165	(1)	1	0	739	0	108	0
12/9/2021	1,885	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	266	0	166	(26)	1	0	739	0	108	0
12/8/2021	1,885	24	100	0	0	(2)	0	0	266	0	192	(40)	1	0	739	0	108	0
12/7/2021	1,861	0	100	0	2	0	0	0	266	0	232	(1)	1	0	739	0	108	0
12/6/2021	1,861	0	100	0	2	0	0	0	266	(11)	233	0	1	0	739	0	108	0
12/3/2021	1,861	71	100	(11)	2	0	0	0	277	0	233	0	1	0	739	0	108	0
12/2/2021	1,790	0	111	(33)	2	0	0	0	277	0	233	0	1	0	739	0	108	0
12/1/2021	1,790	172	144	0	2	0	0	0	277	(65)	233	0	1	0	739	0	108	0
11/30/2021	1,618	0	144	42	2	0	0	0	342	(562)	233	0	1	0	739	0	108	0
11/29/2021	1,618	438	102	100	2	0	0	0	904	0	233	0	1	0	739	(136)	108	0
11/26/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	904	0	233	0	1	0	875	0	108	0
11/24/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	904	0	233	0	1	0	875	0	108	0
11/23/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	904	0	233	0	1	0	875	0	108	0
11/22/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	904	(55)	233	0	1	0	875	0	108	0
11/19/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	959	(124)	233	0	1	0	875	0	108	0
11/18/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,083	0	233	0	1	0	875	0	108	0
11/17/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,083	0	233	0	1	0	875	0	108	0
11/16/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,083	(32)	233	0	1	0	875	(176)	108	0
11/15/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,115	(78)	233	0	1	0	1,051	0	108	0
11/12/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,193	(114)	233	0	1	0	1,051	0	108	0
11/11/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,307	(11)	233	0	1	0	1,051	0	108	0
11/10/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,318	0	233	0	1	0	1,051	0	108	0
11/9/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,318	0	233	0	1	0	1,051	35	108	0
11/8/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,318	0	233	0	1	0	1,016	0	108	0
11/5/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,318	0	233	0	1	0	1,016	0	108	0
11/4/2021	1,180	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1,318	0	233	0	1	0	1,016	(6)	108	0

# Foreign Agriculture Market Guidance

As of 6:19 AM

#### Currency adjusted to the CME pit close Day on day change 28-Dec 28-Dec 27-Dec Change **Rotterdam Oils** oils in points and meal in USD/short ton Soy oil EUR/MT Feb/Apr 1,285.00 1,275.00 Rot soy oil -71 +10.00 Rape oil EUR/MT 1,630.00 1,620.00 Rot rape oil -73 Feb/Apr +10.00 **Rotterdam Soybean Meal** Argentina USD/MT (high protien) Jan/Mar 521.50 502.33 +19.17 Rot meal Argentina USD/MT Apr/Sep 485.00 475.00 +10.00 Jan/Mar \$6.30 Brazil USD/MT (pellets) Jan/Mar 508.50 498.00 +10.50 Rot meal Brazil USD/MT Apr/Sep 473.00 466.00 +7.00 Apr/Sep \$4.23 **MALAYSIA PALM OIL** 28-Dec 27-Dec Futures MYR/MT MAR2 4772 4604 +168 \$1,142 Malaysian Fut +42 3.6% RBD Olien Cash USD/MT Mar22 \$1,192.50 \$1,157.50 \$35.00 3.0% Malaysian Cash +16 US Gulf Crude SBO over RBD Palm Spot \$52 \$42 \$10 China Futures (Set. - Prv. Settle) 28-Dec 27-Dec Soybeans #1 (DCE) CNY/MT MAR2 6011 5933 +78 1.3% China soy #1 +3 3404 China meal -\$3.96 Soybean Meal MAR2 3377 +27 0.8% MAR2 9050 9024 China oil -125 Soybean Oil +26.03% China Palm Oil MAR2 9082 9030 +52 0.6% China Futures Crush Margin MAR2 -2.90 -0.09 USD/BU -2.81 CNY/MT MAR2 -1675.82 -1623.97 -51.85 -14 Corn (DCE) CNY/MT MAR2 2646 2659 -13 -0.5% Dalian corn Wheat (ZCE) CNY/MT MAR2 2916 2906 +10 0.3% Gluten Wheat +15 Hogs (ZCE) CNY MAR2 14520 14625 -105 -0.7% China Cash 28-Dec 27-Dec Cash Soybean Crush USD/BU \$1.65 \$1.59 +0.06 Spot Average Cash Wheat USD/BU \$12.33 \$12.31 +0.02 Average Cash Corn USD/BU \$10.77 \$10.79 -0.01 Corn North USD/BU 308.25 Spot \$9.85 \$9.85 +0.00 300.75 Corn South USD/BU Spot \$11.36 \$11.41 -0.05 Reuters Imported Corn South USD/BU \$8.76 7.5 Spot \$8.85 +0.09 \$/ton Matif Wheat (Liffe) \$320.07 \$329.03 Matif EUR/MT morning over morning 282.50 291.00 Matif morning -13.64 MAY2 -8.50 **Baltic Dry Index** 0 2217 Spot -2,217 ALL OILS 24-Dec 24-Dec **Exchange Rates** Average lead -60 Euro/\$ EU 1.1330 1.1307 +0.0023 MYR Ringgit/\$ 4.1785 4.1810 -0.0025 **ALL MEAL** CNY RMB/\$ 6.3688 6.3687 +0.0001 Average lead \$2.19 CME electronic close change SF22 BOF22 CH22 SMF22 +30.50 +8.70 +128 +9.00 SH22 +30.75 SMH22 BOH22 CK22 +7.80 +143 +9.50 SK22 +30.50 SMK22 +6.50 BOK22 +154 CN22 +9.75

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<sup>#1</sup> China SB is only designed for Non-GMO soybeans, but captures 96-98% of total bean open interest. #2 China soybeans are not heavily traded Source: Reuters, Dow Jones Newswires and Futures International

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