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North America Harvesters



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2023 Production Forecast

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This information comes from industry interviews and from two proprietary databases maintained by Power Systems Research: **EnginLinkTM**, which provides information on engines, and **OE LinkTM**, a database of equipment manufacturers.

Market Share: With 52% of total units produced, Deere leads in production of harvesters in North America. In second position, with combined plant total, is Oxbo International with 25%; third, Flory with 10%.

Exports: Collectively, up to 1% worldwide.

Trends: In 2022 production of Harvesters in NA decreased a nominal 1%, but production is expected to gain 10% in 2023. The Ag industry has fluctuated recently and demand



for new products declined a few years ago due to falling commodity prices. Farmers couldn't afford new equipment and for several years they simply refurbished existing units.

Currently, it appears that growers are moving from manual to machine harvesting. They are increasingly using overthe-row mechanical harvesters to pick produce and similar commodities. This type of machinery reduces the need for manual labor during labor shortages. The increase in harvester production is also attributed to the desire for new machinery that increases productivity. Expect production to fluctuate over the next 3-5 years with an increase of 5% by 2025. **PSR**

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