

First half of autumn sees 10.4 million tonnes shipped from Ukraine

In one and a half months of autumn, Ukraine shipped 10.4 million tonnes of grain, legumes, oil crops and their processing products. This is one million tonnes more than for the entire summer of 2022. In

particular, in 16 days of October, 3.6 million tonnes of grain left Ukraine. In just 7.5 months, 23 million tonnes of agricultural products crossed the Ukrainian border.

This month, for the first time since the beginning of the war, wheat took the lead in terms of supplies, while corn, which had been the leading export in recent months, took second place. Thus, the volume of shipped wheat as of October 16 is 1149 million tonnes, which is 100,000 tonnes more than in mid-September. 1089 million tonnes of corn were also shipped, which is 300,000 tonnes less than in the previous half of the month.

In total, since the beginning of the war, 4.6 million tonnes of wheat and corn have been shipped from Ukraine, almost twice as much.

Rapeseed supplies decreased by 237,000 tonnes compared to the first half of September. As of mid-October, 341,000 tonnes of this crop were exported. The same downward trend is observed in sunflower oil: 365 thousand tonnes in mid-September against 265 thousand tonnes in mid-October.

The amount of meal deliveries remains almost unchanged – 257 thousand tonnes, which is 14 thousand tonnes less than in mid-September. Barley and sunflower seeds also have similar volumes in terms of shipments. 165,000 tonnes of barley and 152,000 tonnes of sunflower went, which is 44,000 tonnes more than in the first half of September.

118,000 tonnes of soybeans were shipped, which is 7,000 tonnes less than in the first half of September. Minor changes in the supply of soybean oil: as of mid-October, 13,400 tonnes were shipped, which is 3000 tonnes less than in the middle of September.

The general picture of the quantities of agricultural products that actually crossed the border of Ukraine in percentage for the first half of October is as follows: 30.70% is planted with corn, 32.37% with wheat, 9.61% with rapeseed, 7.47% with sunflower oil, 7.23% – meal, 4.28% – sunflower seeds, barley – 4.64%, soybeans – 3.33%, soybean oil – 0.38%.

The export of agricultural products in terms of their transportation in the first two weeks of October is as follows: 2.8 million tonnes were sent through ports (sea and river), 436 thousand tonnes by rail, 318 thousand tonnes by car, and 22.3 thousand tonnes by ferry.

Information on the volume of shipments by individual types of goods and modes of transport in accordance with EAIS 'Delivery Control'.