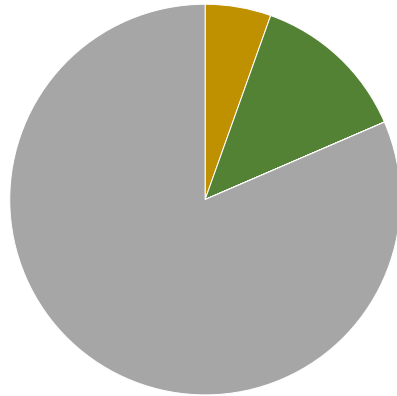
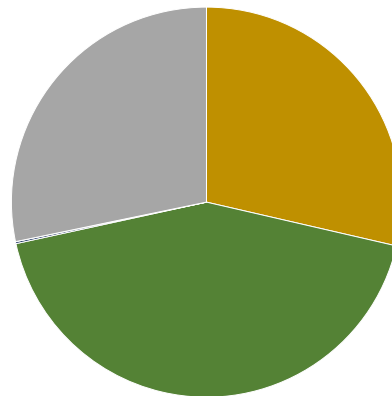


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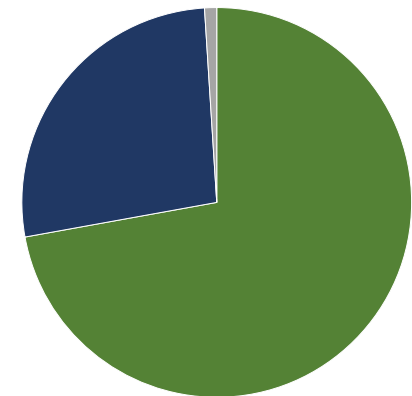
Living Cover Acres



Not Tilled Acres



Tillage Systems



■ Corn ■ Soybeans ■ Small Grains ■ Not Tilled ■ Conservation Till ■ Conventional Till
■ Small Grains ■ Specialty Crops ■ Specialty Crops ■ Other Systems

Crop	NASS CropScape Acres	Living Cover Percentage	Living Cover Acres	Not Tilled	Not Tilled Acres	Conservation Till	Conservation Till Acres	Conventional Till	Conventional Till Acres
Corn	44,034	12%	5,284	63%	27,741	36%	15,852	1%	440
Soybeans	52,755	24%	12,661	79%	41,676	19%	10,023	1%	528
Small Grains	176	4%	7	92%	162	4%	7	0%	-
Specialty Crops	9.3	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-
Total	96,974	19%	17,952	72%	69,579	27%	25,883	1%	968

*No Till - Any direct seeding system, including site preparation, with minimal soil disturbance (includes strip & ridge till).

*Conservation Till - Any tillage system leaving 16% - 75% residue cover after planting, excluding no-till (includes mulch and reduced tillage).

*Conventional Till - Any tillage system leaving less than 15% residue cover after planting.

*Living Cover includes living cover crops and cereal grains planted into cash crops using direct seeding or broadcast methods.

*Data is limited to what is reported to ISDA by the individuals conducting windshield surveys and recording data