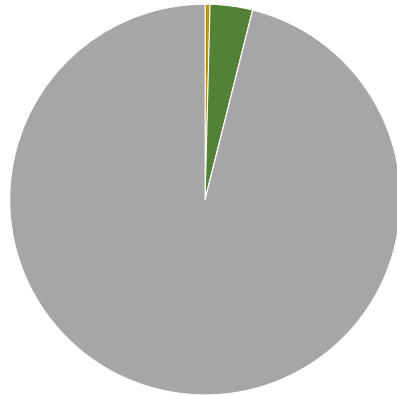
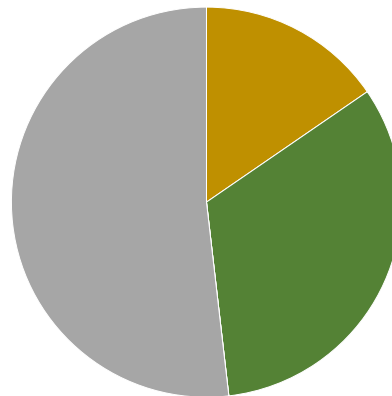


HANCOCK 2018 Fall Cover Crop and Tillage Transect

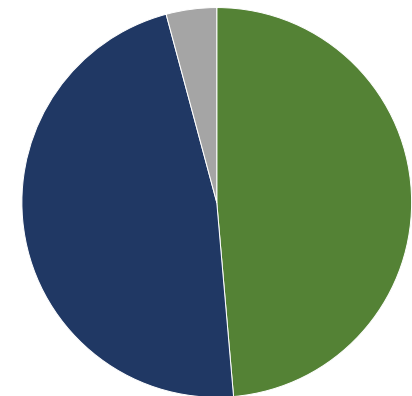
Living Cover Acres



Not Tilled Acres



Tillage Systems



■ Corn ■ Soybeans ■ 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	54,853	1%	549	38%	20,844	59%	32,364	3%	1,646
Soybeans	79,044	6%	4,743	56%	44,265	39%	30,827	5%	3,952
Small Grains	1,215	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-
Specialty Crops	45.4	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-	0%	-
Total	135,158	4%	5,291	48%	65,109	47%	63,191	4%	5,598

*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