

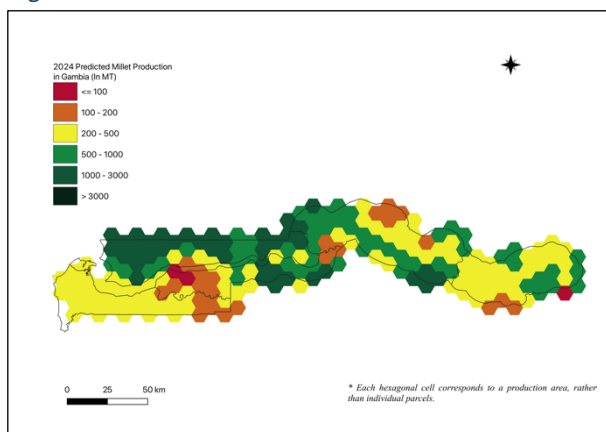
AAGWa Crop Production Forecasts Brief Series Gambia – Millet

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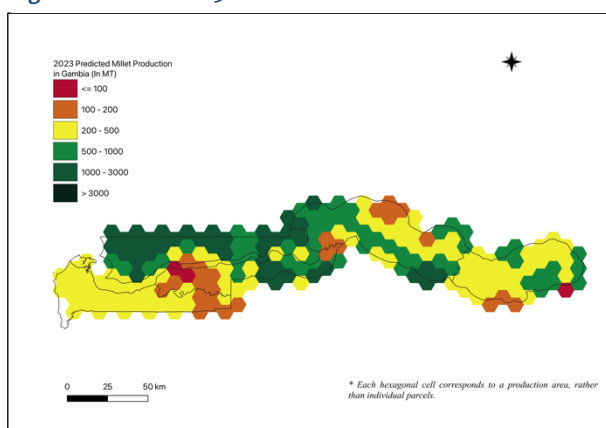
The crop production forecast brief series by AKADEMIYA2063's Africa Agriculture Watch (AAGWa) aims to provide more accurate and timely data on harvest and yields for ten major crops across nearly

Figure 1. Gambia 2024 Millet Production Forecast.



Data source: Africa Agriculture Watch (www.aagwa.org).

Figure 2. Gambia 2023 Millet Production Forecast.



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50 African countries. The timeliness, wide availability, and easy access to this type of data will allow stakeholders across the value chain to better plan and execute policy and business actions more efficiently. The data published in the briefs are generated through the Africa Crop Production (AfCP) model, an Artificial Intelligence (AI-based) model applied to remotely sensed geo-biophysical data to produce estimates at pixel as well as administrative levels as early as the beginning of every growing season. In Brief 183, we provide forecasts on millet production in Gambia.

In 2024, millet production in Gambia is projected to reach 80,819 metric tons (MT), which indicates a 4% increase over 2023 production levels. The highest millet production levels are expected in districts such as Upper Baddibu (North Bank), Fulladu West (Maccarthy Island), Upper and Lower Nuimi (North Bank), with production values estimated at 10,166 MT, 8,167 MT, 6,977 MT, and 6,125 MT, respectively. In contrast, lower production volumes are expected in the Western and Maccarthy Island areas, including Foni Bondali, Foni Jarrol, Janjanbureh, and Jarra East, with production levels estimated at 146 MT, 176 MT, 205 MT, and 239 MT, respectively.

Compared to 2023, the most significant increases in millet production levels are expected mainly in districts such as Upper Baddibu, Upper Nuimi, and Fulladu West, with differences of, respectively, 2,860 MT, 2,839 MT,

and 2,450 MT. These correspond to changes of 39%, 69%, and 43%.

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Annex – 2024 Gambia Millet Production Forecast at District Level

Regions	Districts	2024 Production (MT)	2023 Production (MT)	Difference (MT)	Change (%)
Lower River	Jarra Central	2702	273	2429	891%
Lower River	Jarra East	239	4439	-4200	-95%
Lower River	Jarra West	273	4531	-4258	-94%
Lower River	Kiang Central	1104	546	559	102%
Lower River	Kiang East	2390	458	1932	421%
Lower River	Kiang West	769	875	-106	-12%
Maccarthy Island	Fulladu West	8167	5717	2450	43%
Maccarthy Island	Janjanbureh	205	0	205	inf
Maccarthy Island	Lower Saloum	2001	3921	-1920	-49%
Maccarthy Island	Niamina Dankunku	521	1207	-686	-57%
Maccarthy Island	Niamina East	2661	2279	382	17%
Maccarthy Island	Niamina West	841	92	749	813%
Maccarthy Island	Niani	641	792	-150	-19%
Maccarthy Island	Nianija	707	1481	-774	-52%
Maccarthy Island	Sami	1819	3186	-1366	-43%
Maccarthy Island	Upper Saloum	3905	3081	824	27%
North Bank	Central Baddibu	4289	2583	1706	66%
North Bank	Jokadu	5552	3978	1574	40%
North Bank	Lower Baddibu	2777	3237	-460	-14%
North Bank	Lower Nuimi	6125	7423	-1298	-17%
North Bank	Upper Baddibu	10166	7305	2860	39%
North Bank	Upper Nuimi	6977	4138	2839	69%
Upper River	Fulladu East	4836	4864	-28	-1%
Upper River	Kantora	2351	2334	16	1%
Upper River	Sandu	907	1119	-212	-19%
Upper River	Wuli	3312	3061	251	8%
	Foni Bintang				
Western	Karanai	496	526	-30	-6%
Western	Foni Bondali	146	290	-144	-50%
Western	Foni Brefet	284	293	-9	-3%
Western	Foni Jarrol	176	200	-24	-12%
Western	Foni Kansala	334	260	74	28%
Western	Kombo Central	829	425	404	95%
Western	Kombo East	603	1357	-754	-56%
Western	Kombo Saint Mary	391	378	13	3%
Western	Kombo South	1323	813	511	63%
Total		80819	77462	3359	4%

MT (Metric tons): 1 MT is equivalent to 1,000 kilograms.

Change: refers to the relative difference and is calculated as (2024 prod – 2023 prod) divided by 2023 prod.

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