

 **EXHIBIT FARM**

Corn is measured in bushels. A bushel is about the size of a laundry basket. How many kernels are there in one bushel?

What is the difference between field corn and sweet corn?

True or false: Biodegradable plastic can be made from corn.

Which is more common: sweet corn or field corn?

How many cans of soda can one bushel of corn sweeten?

True or False: About 75% of items in grocery stores contain corn-based ingredients.

Who are the biggest buyers of American field corn?

True or False: Corn is native to the western hemisphere.

How many uses are there for corn or corn-based products?

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About 90,000

While sweet corn is delicious to eat right off the cob, field corn harvested when it is hard and dry and is processed into a variety of items including food, feed, fiber, and fuel.

True! Packing peanuts, disposable plates, and golf tees are just a few of the products that can be made using field corn.

99% of the corn grown in America is field corn.

400 cans. Corn syrup is one of the most popular sweeteners in the US

True! From pet food to sweeteners to plastics, corn appears in many products.

Livestock farmers, since corn makes an excellent livestock feed. They use about 50% of the US field corn crop.

True! Called maize in many languages, corn was first cultivated 7,000 years ago in areas now known as Mexico.

Over 3,500 separate uses!