

Ag Update Call

What to Expect in March 31's Prospective Planting Report

MARCH 23, 2021 | 2:00PM ET

Stephens is hosting a conference call for institutional investors with Dr. Michael Cordonnier. This call will discuss expectations for the March 31 Prospective Planting report, farmer expectations for the coming season in the US and expectations for Brazil given the late start to the season there.

About Featured Speaker

Dr. Cordonnier holds a Ph.D. in agronomy from Michigan State University and has been involved in global crop production for more than 35 years. His experience in South America started in the early 1970's when he conducted agricultural experiments in central Brazil. He has been a keen observer of the development of the soybean industry in South America over the last thirty years. Dr. Cordonnier is fluent in Portuguese and travels regularly to Brazil, Argentina, and Paraguay to inspect the soybean and corn crops. He appears frequently on national television and radio programs to discuss world agricultural issues and he conducts numerous seminars dealing with agricultural production for regional and national audiences. He is now president of Soybean And Corn Advisor, Inc., a consulting firm that works with many Fortune 500 companies and the agricultural trading community specializing in fundamental analysis of soybean and corn production with special emphasis on South America.

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Topics of Discussion

- Outlook for NA corn and soy before the March 31 Prospective Planting report.
- Ag conditions in Brazil and status of harvesting / export expectations.
- Outlook for Brazilian farmers into 21/22 planting season.

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