# MISSOURI CORN INDUSTRY

## QUICK FACTS

#### MISSOURI CORN SUPPLY & DEMAND

2015 Supply

- 3.25 million acres planted
- 3.08 million acres harvested
- 437 million bushels total corn production
- 142 bushels/acre average yield

#### **MISSOURI CORN ECONOMIC IMPACT**

- \$4.3 billion in economic output
- Sustains 65,960 jobs

#### **MISSOURI CORN-BASED ETHANOL PRODUCTION**

#### Growing Forward

6 majority farmer-owned ethanol cooperatives

Nearly 300 million gallons of ethanol

Nearly 825,000 tons of distillers grains – a competitive source of energy and protein for Missouri's livestock and poultry industries

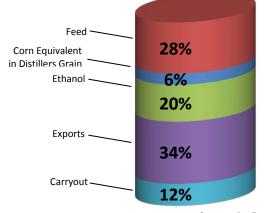
### MISSOURI CORN GROWERS

*Compared to 20 years ago, today's farmers are:* 

- growing 87 percent more corn per ounce of fertilizer applied;
- cutting soil erosion 44 percent through innovative conservation methods;
- reducing energy use by 37 percent per bushel.







Nearly 1,575 direct and indirect jobs statewide

\$1.1 billion in economic output generated in 2011

\$15 million in state and local taxes and \$21 million

Thanks a BILLION!

in federal taxes

Source: ProExporter

