Table 3. In-season yield potential forecasts as of Aug. 1, 2014 in central and eastern Corn Belt

Location	Water regime	Long-term average Yp (bu/ac) [§]	Yp forecast as of Aug 1st (bu/ac) 25%[¶]	Median[†]	75%[‡]	Change in median Yp forecast since July 20th (%)
IOWA						
Sutherland	Dryland	**232**	253	231	214	**0%**
Ames	Dryland	**228**	272	243	230	**+4%**
Crawfordsville	Dryland	**230**	283	254(+)	242	**+1%**
Nashua	Dryland	**245**	268	256	245	**+2%**
Lewis	Dryland	**172**	232	221(+)	184	**+2%**
Kanawha	Dryland	**221**	259	253(+)	227	**+6%**
ILLINOIS						
Monmouth	Dryland	**206**	292	270(+)	255	**+4%**
DeKalb	Dryland	**198**	267	244(+)	220	**-3%**
Bondville	Dryland	**177**	302	283(+)	266	**+4%**
WISCONSIN						
Arlington	Dryland	**160**	162	139(-)	126	**-12%**
Hancock	Irrigated	**188**	194	184	165	**0%**
	Dryland	**167**	188	168	150	**-3%**
OHIO						
Custar	Dryland	**166**	232	207(+)	154	**-6%**
S. Charleston	Dryland	**191**	238	216(+)	198	**+4%**
Wooster	Dryland	**208**	239	224	209	**-3%**

[§]Average (25+ years) simulated yield potential (Yp) based on dominant soil series, average planting date, plant density and relative maturity of most widespread hybrid at each location. [¶] 25% probability of obtaining a yield equal to or higher than the value shown based on long-term weather data to finish the season. [†] Median Yp forecast with minus ('-') and plus ('+') signs indicating that median Yp is forecasted to be well below (<-10%) or well above (>10%) the long-term average Yp, respectively. [‡] 75% probability of obtaining a yield equal to or higher than the value shown based on long-term weather data to finish the season.