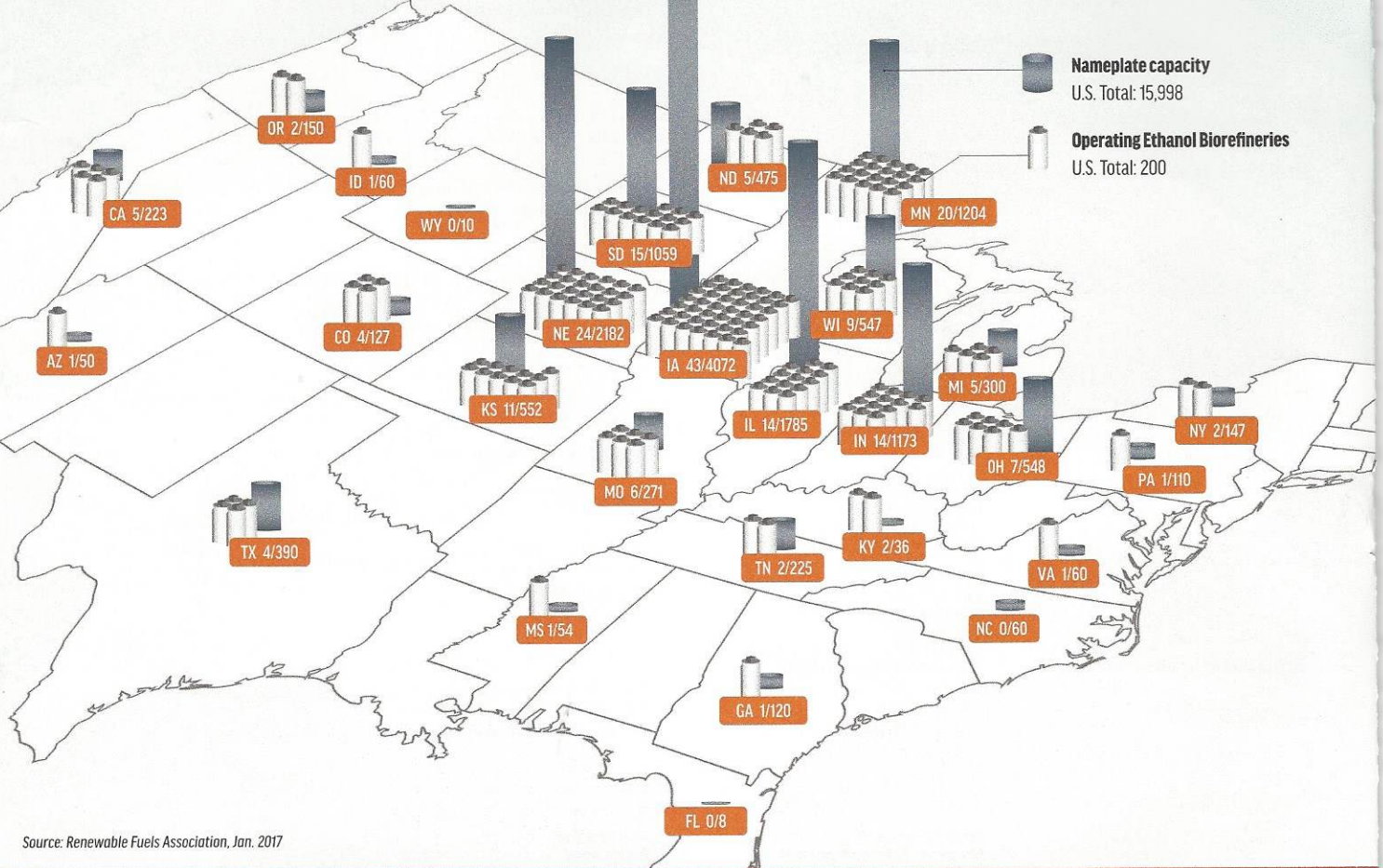


U.S. ETHANOL PRODUCTION FACILITIES

Ethanol is a powerful force in realizing a reduction in our dependence on crude oil. Thanks to ethanol, plant-based biofuel is the fastest-growing renewable energy technology.

The renewable fuel industry provides tremendous job creation for rural America, directly supporting nearly 86,000 jobs.

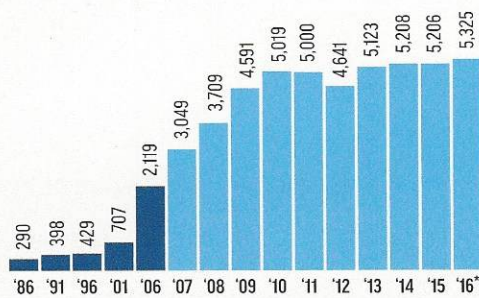
Renewable Fuels Association



Source: Renewable Fuels Association, Jan. 2017

Corn Used for Ethanol and DDG Production 1986 - 2016

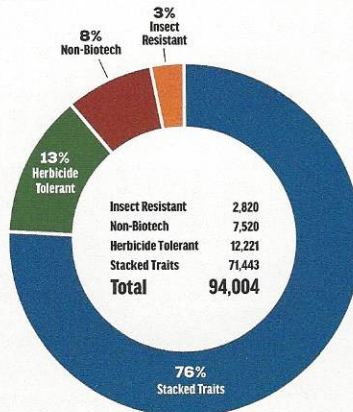
(million bushels)



Source: USDA, ERS Feed Outlook Jan. 17, 2017
*Crop Year ending Aug. 31, 2017

Biotech Share of U.S. Corn Acres Planted 2016

(1,000 acres)



Data Source: USDA, NASS, Crop Production Annual Jan. 12, 2017

Percentage of Biotech Acreage 2014-2016

Year	Insect Resistant			Herbicide Tolerant			Stacked Traits			All Biotech Hybrids		
	'14	'15	'16	'14	'15	'16	'14	'15	'16	'14	'15	'16
IL	3	1	2	5	4	4	83	88	87	91	93	93
IN	2	4	2	8	8	9	78	76	75	88	88	86
IA	1	5	3	8	8	9	83	80	80	95	93	92
KS	5	4	4	18	12	12	72	79	79	95	95	95
MI	2	2	3	15	16	18	76	74	70	93	92	91
MN	2	2	3	10	13	10	81	78	80	93	93	93
MO	4	5	4	10	9	8	79	75	81	93	89	93
NE	4	4	3	15	10	15	77	82	77	96	96	95
ND	6	6	4	22	21	25	68	70	66	96	97	95
OH	3	3	2	14	14	18	69	68	66	86	85	86
SD	3	1	4	14	13	16	80	83	78	97	97	98
TX	12	10	8	17	12	11	62	67	71	91	89	90
WI	3	3	3	17	19	17	72	70	70	92	92	90
Other	6	4	5	19	18	18	66	68	68	91	90	90
Total	4	4	3	13	12	13	76	77	76	93	92	92

Source: USDA, NASS, Acreage June 30, 2016