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# Commentary

### **Futures Price**

March corn gained 10 cents in the past week, in line with the QH Forecast last week that showed a bullish probability of 77%. Our current 91%\* reading places CH squarely in bullish territory (80–100). The model's forecast cone (see chart) shows a widening but upward-biased distribution, consistent with markets transitioning from harvest lows into historically firmer late-Q4 and early-Q1 patterns.

### **Spread Forecast**

The CH/CK spread held its constructive tone this week, with the QH model registering a 60% probability of near-term firming\*, a slight cooling from last week's 65% reading but still within moderately neutral-to-bullish territory. After a steady climb through much of November, model momentum has begun to flatten, suggesting the spread may be transitioning into a more balanced, range-bound environment.

## Soybeans

## **Futures Price**

Soybean sentiment held essentially steady this week, with the QH model posting a 51% probability of near-term upside\*, a slight easing from last week's 52% but still squarely within the model's neutral range. The signal continues to reflect a market lacking strong directional conviction after several weeks of choppy behavior.

## **Soybeans Spread Forecast**

Soy spreads tigtened this past week with SF/SH firming 1 cent a bushel, consistent with last week's QH Model showing a 70% probability of a tighter spread. This week's reading slipped to a 35% probability of near-term firming\*, moving the signal back into the moderately bearish range. This represents a meaningful cooling and suggests that the recent firmness in the front end of the soybean curve is beginning to fade.

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# **Futures Price Corn**

#### **Market Outlook**

Bullish with a strong seasonal trend to the upside for this time of year.



### **Key Drivers**

Technical Indicators, **US Corn Production** 

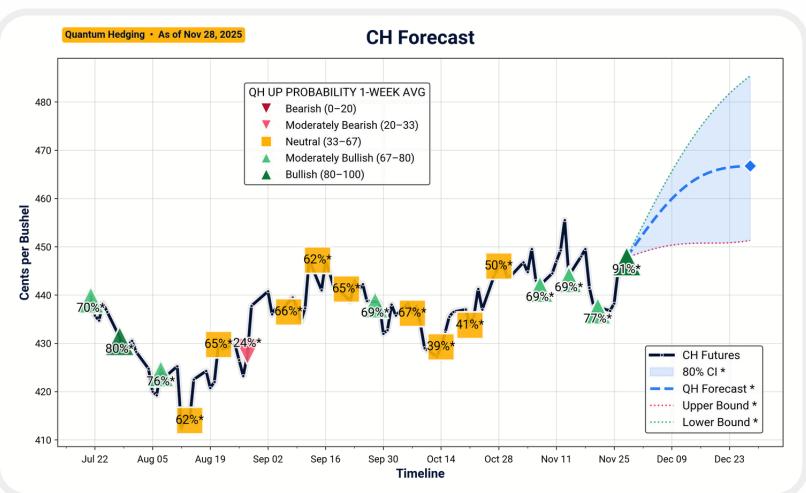
#### **30-Day Forecast**



**CI-** Confidence Interval

#### **Similar Market Conditions: Historical Analog Years**





### **QH 1-Month Forecast vs Seasonal 30-Day History**

Model	Seasonal	QH
	<b>Current Price</b>	448
Forecast *	458	467
Range (80% CI) *	430/486	452/481
Probability Higher in 30 Days (%) *	77	91

33-67%

20-33%

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0-20%

67-80%

80-100%

Range (80%

-9.75/-5.75

-8.75/-6.50

-16.75/-9.25

-14.25/-10.50

**Probability** 

Higher in 30

Days (%) \*

61

60

63

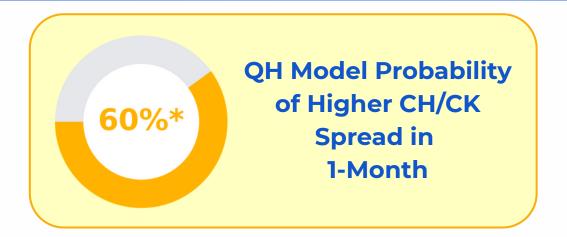
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# **Spread Forecast**

#### **Market Outlook**

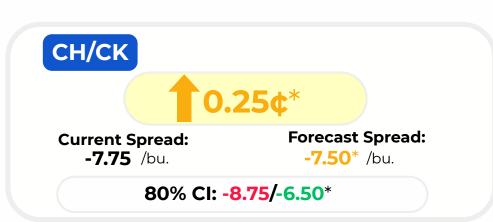
Slightly bullish on corn flat price strength

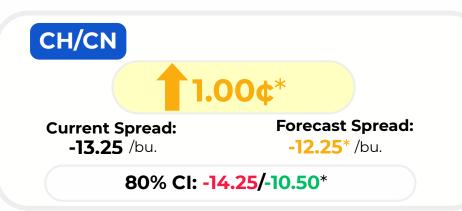


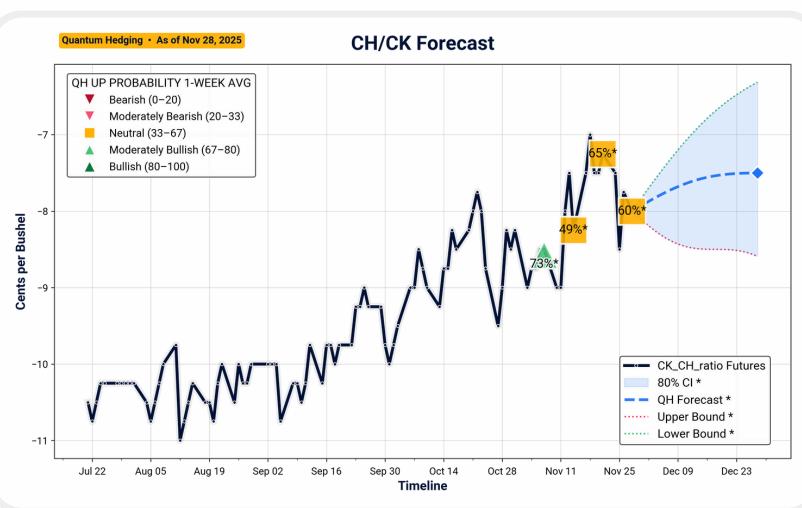
### **Key Drivers**

Global Export Trade, **ENSO Signals** 

#### **30 Day Forecast**







#### Forecast \* Spread Model -7.75 CH/CK Seasonal Current:-7.75 QH -7.50 QH More Bullish than Seasonal CH/CN Seasonal -13.00 **Current:-13.25** -12.25 QH

CI- Confidence Interval

#### **Cost of Carry**

QH More Bullish than Seasonal

**QH 1-Month Forecast vs** 

**Seasonal 30 Day History** 

Spread	Current Value	Full Carry	% of Full Carry
CH/CK	8.00	22.0	36.4%
CH/CN	13.50	44.0	30.7%

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# **Futures Price Soybeans**

#### **Market Outlook**

Mostly neutral the last 4 weeks on continued choppy trade after the October bullish run.



### **Key Drivers**

US Stocks, Price relationships to other Grains

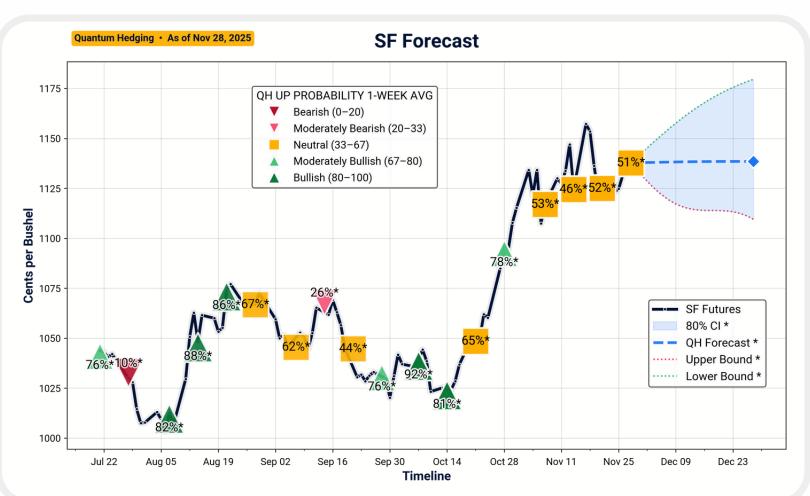
#### **30-Day Forecast**



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### **Similar Market Conditions: Historical Analog Years**





### **QH 1-Month Forecast vs Seasonal 30-Day History**

Model	Seasonal	В
	<b>Current Price</b>	1138
Forecast *	1155	1139
Range (80% CI) *	1086/1224	1102/1175
Probability Higher in 30 Days (%) *	49	51

0-20%	20-33%	33-67%	67-80%	80-100%	
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# Spread Forecast Soybeans

#### **Market Outlook**

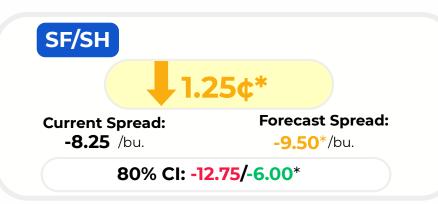
From neutral in the past 5 weeks, to moderately bearish this week.

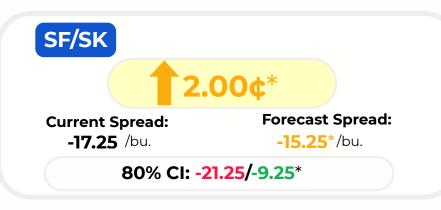


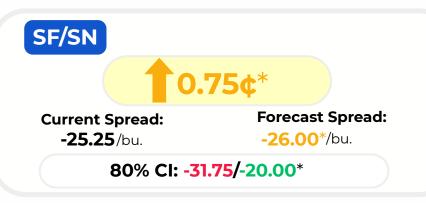
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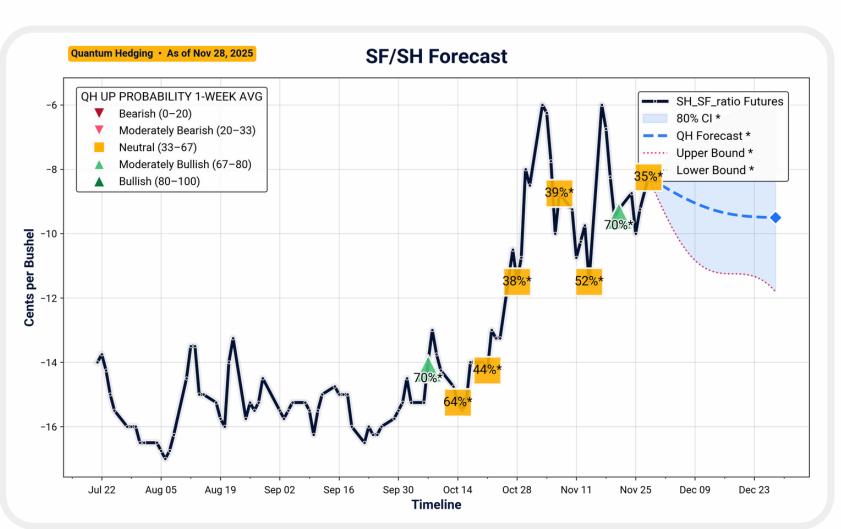
Soy Spread Relationships, South America Exports

#### **30 Day Forecast**









#### QH 1-Month Forecast vs Seasonal 30 Day History

Spread	Model	Forecast *	Range (80% CI) *	Probability Higher in 30 Days (%) *
SF/SH	Seasonal	-7.5	-14.00/-1.00	53
Current:-8.25	QH	-9.5	-12.75/-6.00	35
	QH More Bearish than Seasonal			
SF/SK	Seasonal	-17.75	-28.25/-7.00	50
Current:-17.25	QH	-15.25	-21.25/-9.25	63
	QH More Bullish than Seasonal			
SF/SN	Seasonal	-26.00	-38.25/-13.50	50
Current:-25.25	QH	-26.00	-31.75/-20.00	45
	QH More Bearish than Seasonal			

CI- Confidence Interval

#### Cost of Carry

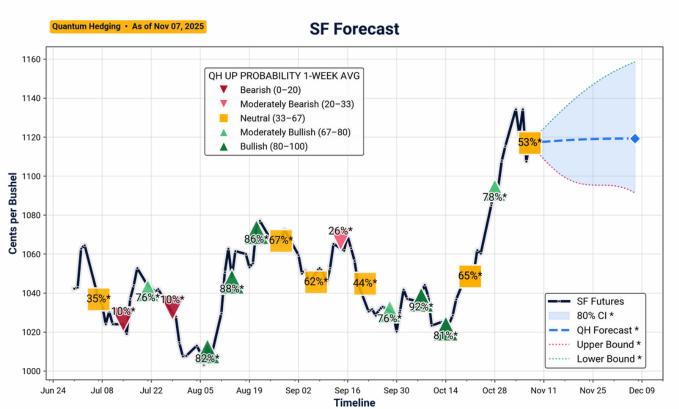
Spread	Current Value	Full Carry	% of Full Carry
SF/SH	8.25	30.0	27.5%
SF/SK	17.50	61.1	28.6%
SF/SN	25.75	92.1	28.0%

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## How to Read the Forecast







This gauge shows how likely our model thinks prices are to close higher in 1-month relative to the current price. This probability is based on over 30 years of historical data and thousands of features to predict prices and compute the probability. A higher percentage means stronger odds of rising prices based on current market data and historical trends. For example, a 69% reading suggests the model is moderately bullish given today's conditions.

This line chart shows recent price history of the commodity (black line), while the dotted blue line shows the QH forecast path. The shaded area represents the 80% confidence range where prices are most likely to trade based on past patterns. Each red, yellow, and green marker represents a previous weekly QH forecast—showing how bullish or bearish the model was, based on its probability of higher prices at that time. Note the probabilities are a 4-week ahead prediction and represent the QH Model probability of a higher close on the 4week ahead date.

direction and size of the move—in this case, an increase of 11¢, or about 2.4%. The forecast price is where our model expects the market to trade one month from now, while the 80% confidence interval (CI) gives the likely price range based on historical accuracy.

This quote box compares the current

price with our model's 30-day forecast

price. The arrow shows the expected

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# How to Read the Forecast

Model	Seasonal	QH
	<b>Current Price</b>	442
Forecast *	435	453
Range (80% CI) *	405/465	431/475
Probability Higher in 30 Days (%) *	47	69

This table compares our QH model forecast for 4-week ahead date and a seasonal outlook to show how they differ. Both start from the same current price, but the QH model incorporates over 30 years of history on thousands of unique data features to project the next 30 days. The table then shows each model's forecast price, 80% Confidence Interval (CI) range, and the probability of higher prices on the 30-day ahead date vs the Current Price.

# Similar Market Conditions: Historical Analog Years



The analog years highlight past periods when market conditions were most similar to today's. These years help identify how prices tended to move under comparable supply, demand, and seasonal patterns. While not exact predictions, they provide historical context for the current forecast and help gauge how today's setup fits within past market behavior.



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