

## **IPPE NARA Rendering Symposium 2024**

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# Methodology

Fastmarkets analysts conduct daily survey of traders, buyers, sellers & brokers

Market data submitter requirements

IOSCO reasonable assurance in August 2020

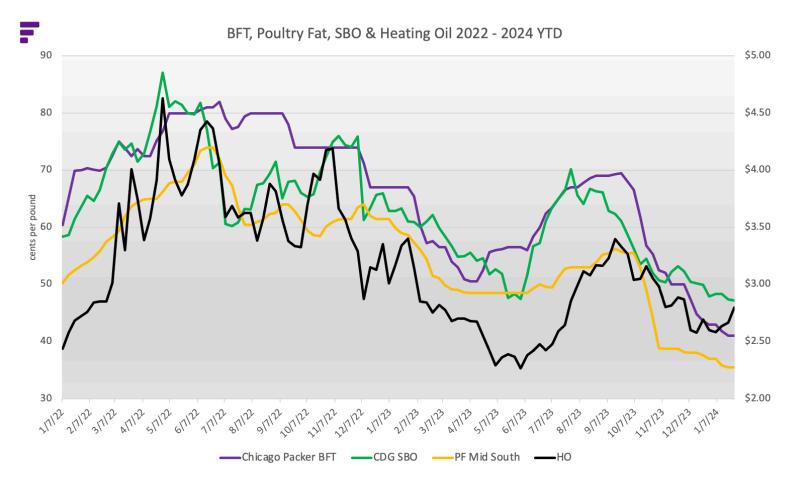
IOSCO Type I Audit completed June 2022 (BFT, DCO, UCO)

IOSCO Type II Audit completed July 2023 (BFT, DCO, UCO)

Prices are based on trades, bids/offers and price indications

Full methodology can be found at www.thejacobsen.com/methodology

### Animal Fats Market - Still a Price Taker



Invasion of Ukraine

Drought concerns in 2023

Biofuel demand and production

RFS? LCFS? CFP?

Shifting trade flows (big imports)

RINS

Source: Jacobsen/Fastmarkets weekly averages, nearby CME ULSD (HO) price

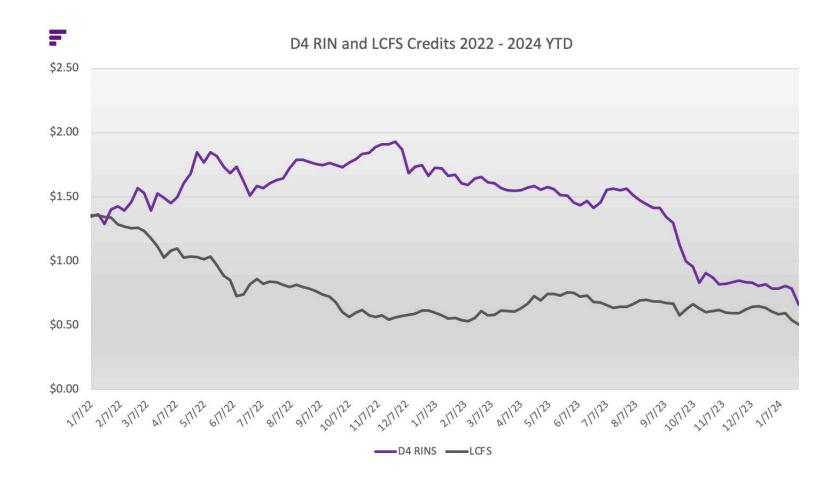
## Renewable Fuel Domestic Capacity vs Mandate

**US Renewable Fuel** Production Mandate

Domestic RF Capacity ~ 25.5 billion gallons (even more RINS) 2024 RVO – 21.54 billion RINS 20% carryover

Source: FM/Jacobsen research, EIA

## **Credit Prices for Renewables Falling**

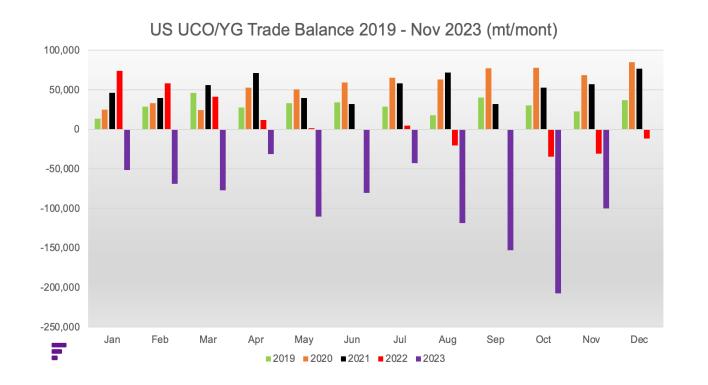


Capacity in the US is outgrowing the mandate

Gasoline demand outlook and potential for further disruption

Sustainable aviation fuel (SAF)

## US YG/UCO Trade Balance



Source: USDA FAS, GTT

1.22 MMT of UCO imported to US through November

Origins – China, ANZ, South America and Canada

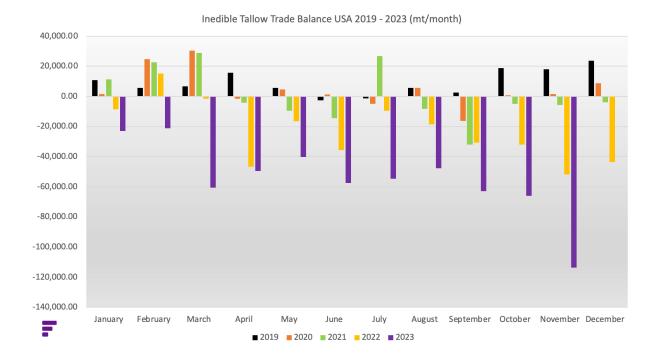
China ~ 49%

Canada, Chile, Australia & New Zealand top five

Imports from UK and NL

219 KT in Oct, 109 in Nov

## **US Inedible Tallow Trade Balance**



#### 1 MMT Trade Deficit

Canada is top exporter to US ~ 190 KT through November.

ANZ and SAM round out top six

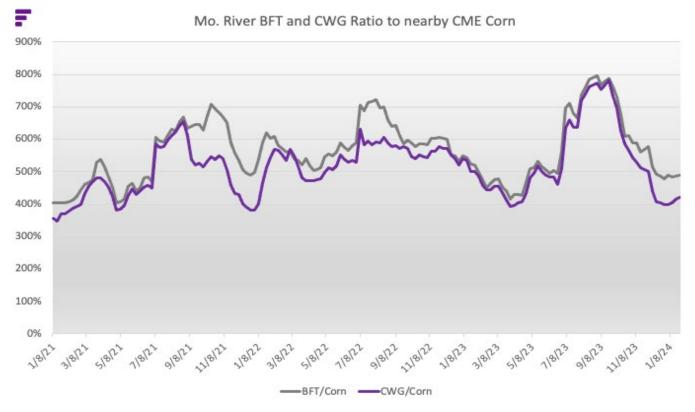
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## The Return of Corn Ratios?

Fats favorably priced to palm

Working back into historical buy zone vs. corn

More certainty/stability for "non RIN-eligible" fats and oils



Source: Fastmarkets/The Jacobsen

### 2024 Market Dynamics

- Growth in renewable diesel demand
- Changing trade flows (US & int'l)
- Relatively static domestic supply
- Credit prices and production
- Logistics big demand centers change the way product is traded
- Capacity utilization
- Geopolitical risk

### Final Thoughts...

Big capacity and big demand doesn't necessarily mean big price increases

Volatile period as the market restructures

Logistics will continue to be key

Margin structure best indicator of renewable demand

IRA, Canada and SAF

### **QUESTIONS?**

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