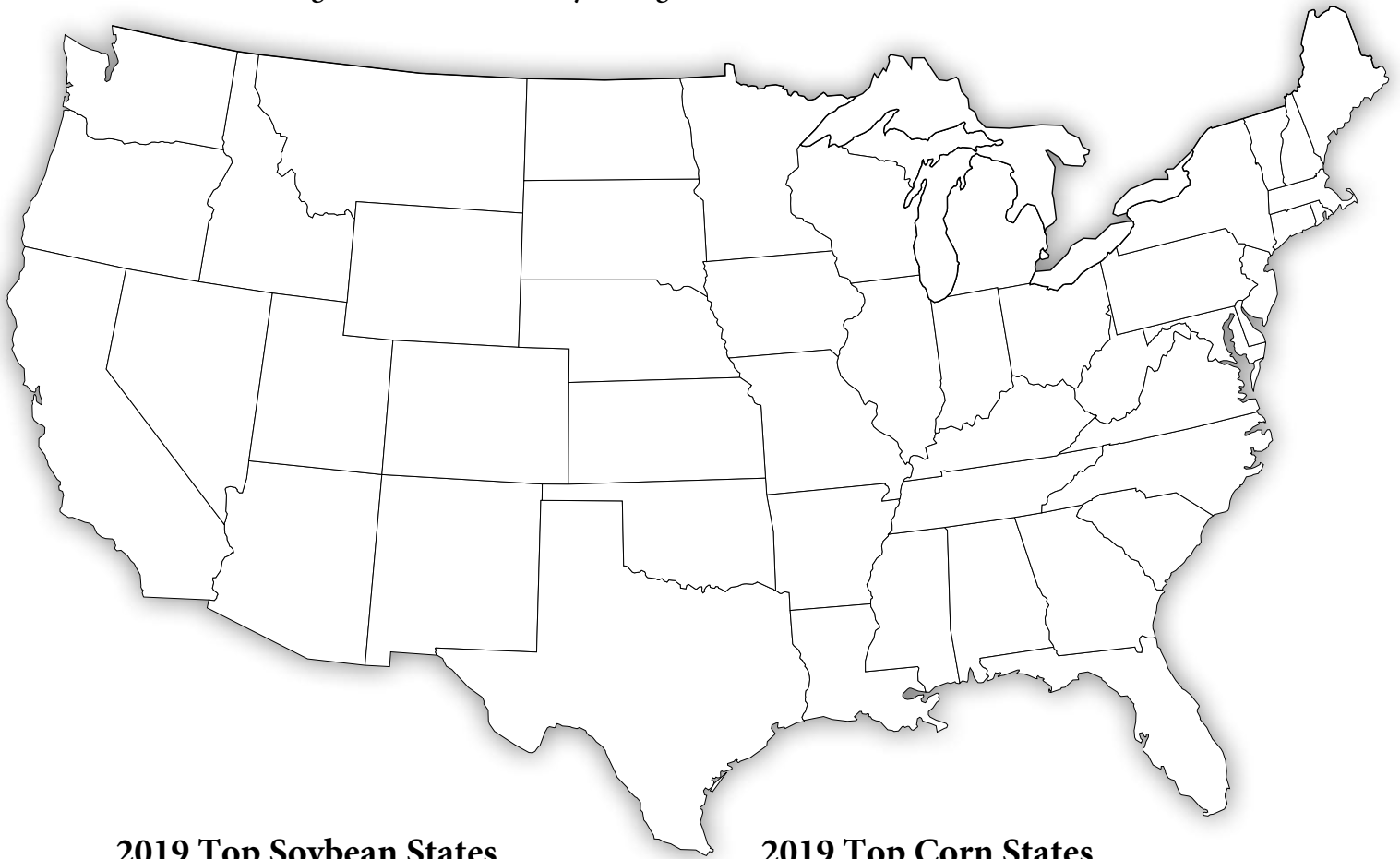




Talking Corn ... and Soybeans



Corn and soybeans are important ingredients in feed for dairy cattle as well as pigs, sheep, chickens, turkeys, and many other animals raised on farms. In 2019, Minnesota was third in the nation for soybean production and fourth for corn production. The top ten corn- and soybean-producing states are listed below. Label each state using the postal abbreviation. Color the corn states red and the soybean states blue. If a state grows both, use purple. What can you tell us about the region where corn and soybeans grow?



2019 Top Soybean States

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| 1. Iowa | 6. Missouri |
| 2. Illinois | 7. Ohio |
| 3. Minnesota | 8. Kansas |
| 4. Nebraska | 9. North Dakota |
| 5. Indiana | 10. South Dakota |

2019 Top Corn States

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