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Grain Market Plan

Pretend you are now a corn farmer. Each question below is a scenario that a real farmer might face. Use the data you have to make the best decision possible. Be sure to give reasons for why you chose the option you did.

Marketing options:

store the grain dry the grain sell the grain

1. You are an experienced farmer with multiple grain bins equipped with drying systems. You just harvested one field of corn that averaged 20% moisture. What do you do with the grain and why?
2. You are a beginning farmer, and do not yet have storage or drying equipment of your own. You have harvested two fields of corn that averaged 13% moisture. What do you do with the grain and why?
3. You are a farmer that is considering retirement. You once did have a grain bin, but it was recently lost to a tornado and you did not rebuild it. You have harvested a small field of corn that averaged 16% moisture. What do you do with the grain and why?