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## 2005 Louisiana Sorghum Parish Estimates

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Preliminary Data

District and Parish	Planted for all Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Acre	Total Production	District and Parish	Planted for all Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Acre	Total Production
	-----Acres-----		-----Bushels-----			-----Acres-----		-----Bushels-----	
Franklin	1,500	1,500	90.0	135,000	St. Martin	1,600	1,500	100.0	150,000
Madison	1,200	1,200	95.8	115,000	Other Parishes <sup>1</sup>	700	600	95.0	57,000
Morehouse	2,200	2,100	78.6	165,000	<b>District VII</b>	<b>2,300</b>	<b>2,100</b>	<b>98.6</b>	<b>207,000</b>
Richland	2,000	1,900	105.3	200,000	Other Districts <sup>1</sup>	1,700	1,600	81.3	130,000
Tensas	1,900	1,700	100.0	170,000	<b>District II, IV &amp; VI</b>	<b>1,700</b>	<b>1,600</b>	<b>81.3</b>	<b>130,000</b>
Other Parishes <sup>1</sup>	2,300	2,200	88.6	195,000	<b>State Total</b>	<b>90,000</b>	<b>88,000</b>	<b>99.0</b>	<b>8,712,000</b>
<b>District III</b>	<b>11,100</b>	<b>10,600</b>	<b>92.5</b>	<b>980,000</b>					
Avoyelles	22,000	21,800	103.2	2,250,000	<b><u>Top 5 Sorghum Producing Parishes</u></b>				
Catahoula	13,400	13,300	99.2	1,320,000	Avoyelles			2,250,000	
Concordia	9,400	9,300	101.1	940,000	St. Landry			1,520,000	
Point Coupee	3,400	3,300	104.5	345,000	Catahoula			1,320,000	
Rapides	4,700	4,600	103.3	475,000	Concordia			940,000	
St. Landry	15,100	14,900	102.0	1,520,000	Rapides			475,000	
Other Parishes <sup>1</sup>	2,000	1,800	91.7	165,000					
<b>District V</b>	<b>70,000</b>	<b>69,000</b>	<b>101.7</b>	<b>7,015,000</b>					
Acadia	3,500	3,300	72.7	240,000					
Other Parishes <sup>1</sup>	1,400	1,400	100.0	140,000					
<b>District VII</b>	<b>4,900</b>	<b>4,700</b>	<b>80.9</b>	<b>380,000</b>					

<sup>1</sup>Parishes and/or districts with less than 1,000 planted acres are not listed separately; estimates for these parishes and/or districts are included in totals for other parishes or other districts.

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