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On: ANNUAL CROP PRODUCTION STATISTICS

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AUSTIN . . . The 2009 Texas **Upland cotton** crop totaled 4.9 million bales, up 10 percent from 2008 and down 2 percent from last month. An estimated 3.65 million acres were harvested, 12 percent less than in 2008. Harvested acreage produced a yield of 644 pounds per acre, compared with a yield of 657 pounds last year.

**Corn** production was estimated at 254.8 million bushels, up slightly from 2008. Statewide yield was estimated at 130 bushels per acre, 5 bushels more than in 2008. Harvested acreage was estimated at 1.96 million acres, down 3 percent from 2008.

Texas **peanut** production was estimated at 542.5 million pounds, down 35 percent from 2008. Statewide yield, at 3,500 pounds per acre, was 200 pounds more than 2008.

**Sorghum** production was estimated at 98.4 million bushels, down 38 percent from 2008. Harvested acreage was estimated at 2.05 million acres, down 33 percent from the previous year. Yield, at 48 bushels per acre, was 4 bushels less than in 2008.

**Rice** production totaled 13.2 million cwt, up 11 percent from 2008. Statewide yield averaged 7,770 pounds per acre, 870 pounds more than the yield in 2008.

The 2009 Texas **soybean** crop was estimated at 4.8 million bushels, down 5 percent from the previous year. Harvested acreage was estimated at 190,000 thousand acres, down 7 percent from 2008. Yield per acre was estimated at 25 bushels per acre, up 0.5 bushels from 2008.

Production of **all hay** was estimated at 8.3 million tons, down 10 percent the previous year. Harvested acreage, at 4.6 million acres, was up 4 percent, and yield was 1.79 tons per acre, compared with 2.08 tons in 2008.

**United States** corn for grain production, at 13.2 billion bushels, was up 9 percent from the previous year. Yield was estimated at 165.2 bushels per acre, up 11.3 bushels from 2008. The U.S. sorghum crop was estimated at 383 million bushels, down 19 percent from 2008. The U.S. Upland cotton crop totaled 12.4 million bales, down 3 percent from 2008. Soybean production totaled 3.36 billion bushels, up 13 percent from last year. The U.S. peanut crop was estimated at 3.69 billion pounds, down 29 percent from a year ago. U.S. rice production was estimated at 220 million cwt, up 8 percent from 2008.

**TEXAS DISTRICT ESTIMATES, 2008 AND 2009 <sup>1/</sup>**

Districts	Planted Acres		Harvested Acres		Yield Per Acre		Production	
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
<b>CORN</b>	<u>1,000 acres</u>		<u>1,000 acres</u>		<u>Bushels</u>		<u>1,000 bushels</u>	
1-N .....	864.6	940.0	758.3	810.0	203.0	209.9	153,780	170,000
1-S .....	97.6	105.0	78.1	80.0	174.0	193.8	13,558	15,500
4 .....	639.7	630.0	549.7	550.0	67.0	58.2	36,700	32,000
8-N .....	191.6	195.0	168.4	130.0	61.0	59.2	10,350	7,700
9 .....	287.9	255.0	286.2	240.0	82.0	62.5	23,440	15,000
10-S .....	59.6	60.0	52.4	45.0	77.0	100.0	4,045	4,500
Other districts .....	159.0	165.0	136.9	105.0	87.0	96.2	11,877	10,100
<b>STATE .....</b>	<b>2,300.0</b>	<b>2,350.0</b>	<b>2,030.0</b>	<b>1,960.0</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>130.0</b>	<b>253,750</b>	<b>254,800</b>
<b>UPLAND COTTON</b>	<u>1,000 acres</u>		<u>1,000 acres</u>		<u>Pounds</u>		<u>1,000 bales</u>	
1-N .....	616.4	597.0	554.2	502.0	864.0	889.0	997.3	930.0
1-S .....	2,648.5	2,691.0	1,350.1	1,973.0	683.0	693.0	1,920.6	2,850.0
2-N .....	348.5	326.0	247.8	286.0	526.0	487.0	271.7	290.0
2-S .....	473.8	511.0	416.6	446.0	464.0	377.0	402.9	350.0
4 .....	89.7	61.0	89.1	60.0	491.0	480.0	91.1	60.0
7 .....	178.4	174.0	122.0	155.0	605.0	511.0	153.8	165.0
8-N .....	61.8	50.0	52.7	36.0	640.0	400.0	70.3	30.0
8-S .....	276.3	342.0	221.3	18.0	563.0	533.0	259.4	20.0
9 .....	119.4	90.0	117.5	83.0	696.0	549.0	170.3	95.0
10-S .....	97.8	74.0	21.4	45.0	413.0	427.0	18.4	40.0
Other districts .....	89.4	84.0	57.3	46.0	789.0	730.0	94.2	70.0
<b>STATE .....</b>	<b>5,000.0</b>	<b>5,000.0</b>	<b>3,250.0</b>	<b>3,650.0</b>	<b>657.0</b>	<b>644.0</b>	<b>4,450.0</b>	<b>4,900.0</b>
<b>SORGHUM</b>	<u>1,000 acres</u>		<u>1,000 acres</u>		<u>Bushels</u>		<u>1,000 bushels</u>	
1-N .....	661.0	510.0	551.0	410.0	54.4	65.4	30,000	26,800
1-S .....	1,012.0	570.0	932.0	480.0	41.4	37.3	38,580	17,900
2-S .....	106.3	65.0	84.4	40.0	27.3	18.8	2,308	750
4 .....	192.0	210.0	181.8	180.0	59.6	46.7	10,840	8,400
7 .....	112.1	100.0	95.2	80.0	30.1	25.0	2,864	2,000
8-N .....	105.1	120.0	87.2	75.0	46.7	41.3	4,071	3,100
8-S .....	415.6	340.0	396.6	110.0	71.0	39.5	28,150	4,340
9 .....	183.1	230.0	176.0	210.0	77.1	64.3	13,566	13,500
10-N .....	93.6	50.0	67.7	20.0	38.5	32.5	2,606	650
10-S .....	455.0	425.0	391.0	380.0	57.0	49.5	22,272	18,800
Other districts .....	114.2	80.0	87.1	65.0	38.4	33.2	3,343	2,160
<b>STATE .....</b>	<b>3,450.0</b>	<b>2,700.0</b>	<b>3,050.0</b>	<b>2,050.0</b>	<b>52.0</b>	<b>48.0</b>	<b>158,600</b>	<b>98,400</b>

<sup>1/</sup> Preliminary, January, 2010.

