



Citrus Production

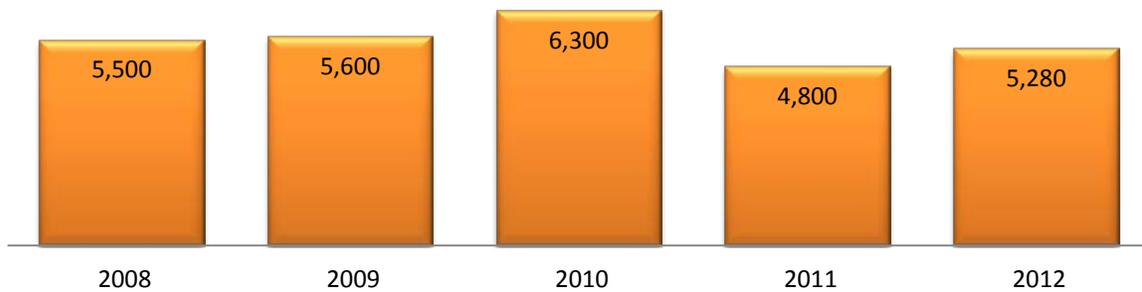
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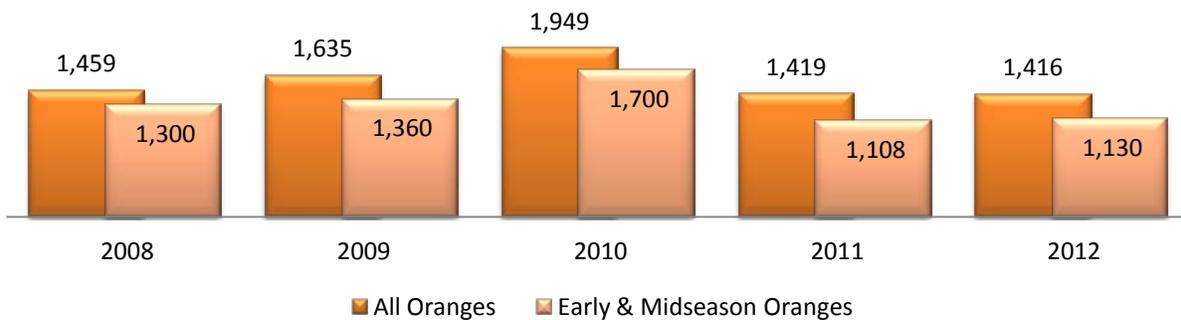
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As of October 1, 2012, Texas **grapefruit production** is forecast at 5.28 million boxes for the 2012-2013 season, up 10 percent from last year's production of 4.80 million boxes. All **orange production** is estimated at 1.42 million boxes, virtually unchanged from last year's production. Early and midseason oranges account for 1.13 million boxes and Valencias for 286 thousand boxes.

Texas Grapefruit Utilized Production (Thousand Boxes)



Texas Orange Utilized Production (Thousand Boxes)



U.S. Highlights: United States grapefruit production is forecast at 29.6 million boxes, up 5 percent from last year. All orange production is forecast at 215 million boxes, up 4 percent from last year.

Link to the U.S. report: <http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/usda/nass/CropProd//2010s/2012/CropProd-10-11-2012.pdf>

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