

Crop Record Highs and Lows¹

Crop	Date Series Began	Planted Acres				Harvested Acres			
		High		Low		High		Low	
		Year	Acres	Year	Acres	Year	Acres	Year	Acres
			1,000		1,000			1,000	1,000
Cotton, All	1866	1930	4,163	1983	687	1930		4,142	1983
Cottonseed	1866	---	---	---	---	---		---	---
Corn, for Grain	1866	1939	3,254	1983	100	1921		3,237	1983
Grain Sorghum ²	1949	1985	650	1914	7.3	1985		20	1953
Wheat	1866	1982	1,100	1939	1	1982		950	1939
Soybeans	1924	1979	4,200	1924	45	1979		4,100	1928
Rice	1949	1981	340	1949	5	1981		337	1949
Hay, All	1909	---	---	---	---	1941		1,030	1909
Sweetpotatoes	1869	1934	103	1989	3	1934		103	1989
Pecans, All	1919	---	---	---	---	---		---	---
Crop	Unit	Yield Per Acre				Production			
		High		Low		High		Low	
		Year	Yield	Year	Yield	Year	Prod. (1,000)	Year	Prod. (1,000)
Cotton, All ³	lbs	2004	1,024	1866	86	1937	2,692	1866	323
Cottonseed	tons	---	---	---	---	1937	1,177	1866	133
Corn, for Grain	bu	2007	150.0	1866	9.5	2007	141,000	1980	2,464
Grain Sorghum	bu	1999	87.0	1951	13.0	1985	39,680	1951	39
Wheat	bu	2006	59.0	1890	4.0	1982	36,100	1928	13
Soybeans	bu	2003	39.0	1930	6.5	1979	118,900	1930	78
Rice	cwt	2007	74.5	1952	23.3	1994	18,467	1949	135
Hay, All	tons	2005	2.9	1924	.9	2005	2,117	1909	262
Sweetpotatoes	cwt	2005	180.0	1924	29.0	1934	5,212	1989	285
Pecans, All	lbs	---	---	---	---	1963	30,400	1992	700
Crop	Unit	Average Price				Value of Production			
		High		Low		High		Low	
		Year	Dollars	Year	Dollars	Year	Dollars (1,000)	Year	Dollars (1,000)
Cotton, All	lbs	1980	.766	1931	.0616	1994	733,749	1932	40,230
Cottonseed	tons	1983	165.00	1931	9.23	1996	87,465	1932	7,461
Corn, for Grain	bu	1974	3.48	1895	.37	2007	521,700	980	8,131
Grain Sorghum	bu	2007	3.61	1971	.93	1985	86,502	1951	57
Wheat	bu	1995	4.40	1895	.61	1982	108,300	1914	15
Soybeans	bu	1983	7.85	1932	1.08	1979	757,393	1932	181
Rice	cwt	1973	17.20	1986	3.91	2007	152,075	1949	540
Hay, All	tons	2007	65.00	1932	7.00	2007	121,550	1909	3,118
Sweetpotatoes	cwt	1999	21.70	1896	.73	2007	66,150	1884	1,323
Pecans, All	lbs	2005	1.76	1937	.084	1973	7,260	1920	250

¹ When record is for 2 or more years, the latest year is shown to represent record high or low.² Only planted acreage published prior to 1949.³ Production in bales.

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