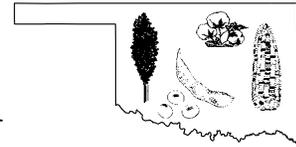




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2003 ANNUAL ROW CROP SUMMARY

OKLAHOMA: Production decreased from last year for most row crops. Hot, dry weather during the summer caused only cotton to show a higher yield than last year, according to the Oklahoma Agricultural Statistics Service.

Production of corn for grain is set at 23.75 million bushels, down 4 percent from last year and the lowest production since 1997. Yield averaged 125 bushels per acre from 190,000 harvested acres. Corn for silage is set at 432,000 tons, 18 percent below 2002. Yield averaged 18 tons per acre from 24,000 harvested acres.

Production of grain sorghum is set at 9.25 million bushels, down 38 percent from last year to the lowest production since 1956. Yield averaged 37 bushels per acre from 250,000 harvested acres. Sorghum for silage is set at 180,000 tons, 6 percent above 2002. Yield averaged 10 tons per acre from 18,000 harvested acres.

Cotton production is forecast at 210,000 bales, virtually the same as last year and the highest production since 1994. A record-high yield of 593 pounds per acre, is expected from 170,000 harvested acres.

Soybean production is set at 6.37 million bushels, down 2 percent from last year. Yield averaged 26 bushels per acre from 245,000 harvested acres.

Peanut production is forecast at 98 million pounds, down 39 percent from last year and the lowest production since 1957. Yield is expected to average 2,800 pounds per acre from 35,000 harvested acres. Harvested acres is the lowest since 1937.

Production of all hay is set at 4.99 million tons, down 1 percent from last year. Yield averaged 1.78 tons per acre from a record-high 2.81 million harvested acres.

UNITED STATES: Corn for grain production is estimated at 10.1 billion bushels, up 12 percent from 2002. The U.S. grain yield averaged 142.2 bushels per acres, 12.2 bushels above last year. Both production and yield estimates are the largest on record.

Sorghum for grain production in 2003 is estimated at 411 million bushels, up 3 percent from the November forecast and up 11 percent from 2002. Average grain yield, at 52.7 bushels per acre, is 2.0 bushels above the 2002 average yield.

All cotton production is estimated at 18.2 million bales, up fractionally from last month and 6 percent more than last year's production. Yield is expected to average a record high 725 pounds per harvested acre, up 60 pounds per acre from a year ago.

Soybean production in 2003 totaled 2.42 billion bushels, down 1 percent from the November 1 forecast and 12 percent below 2002. The average yield per acre in 2003 is estimated at 33.4 bushels, 0.4 bushel below the November 1 forecast and 4.6 bushels below 2002. This is the lowest yield since 1993.

Peanut production totaled 4.14 billion pounds, up 25 percent from last year's crop. Yield per harvested acre averaged a record high 3,159 pounds, up 598 pounds from 2002.

Production of all hay is estimated at 157 million tons, down 2 percent from the October 1 forecast but up 4 percent from the 2002 total.

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ACREAGE, YIELD, AND PRODUCTION, FINAL 2002 AND 2003 1/

CROP	Planted		Harvested		Unit	Yield per Acre		Production	
	2002	2003	2002	2003		2002	2003	2002	2003
	1,000 Acres					Thousands			
OKLAHOMA									
Winter Wheat	6,100	6,600	3,600	4,600	Bu.	28.0	39.0	100,800	179,400
All Corn	240	230	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn, Grain	-	-	190	190	Bu.	130.0	125.0	24,700	23,750
Corn, Silage	-	-	25	24	Ton	21.0	18.0	525	432
All Sorghum	430	300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum, Grain	-	-	330	250	Bu.	45.0	37.0	14,850	9,250
Sorghum, Silage	-	-	17	18	Ton	10.0	10.0	170	180
All Cotton	200	180	180	170	2/	557	593	209	210
Cottonseed	-	-	-	-	Ton	-	-	81	83
All Hay	-	-	2,740	2,810	Ton	1.84	1.78	5,030	4,992
Alfalfa	-	-	340	310	Ton	3.50	3.20	1,190	992
All Other	-	-	2,400	2,500	Ton	1.60	1.60	3,840	4,000
Soybeans	270	270	250	245	Bu.	26.0	26.0	6,500	6,370
Peanuts	60	37	57	35	Lbs.	2,800	2,800	159,600	98,000
Pecans 3/	-	-	-	-	Lbs.	-	-	10,000	12,000
UNITED STATES									
All Wheat	60,468	61,700	45,917	52,839	Bu.	35.3	44.2	1,619,001	2,336,526
Winter	41,845	44,945	29,751	36,541	Bu.	38.5	46.7	1,145,602	1,707,069
Durum	2,909	2,915	2,703	2,869	Bu.	29.4	33.7	79,450	96,637
Other Spring	15,714	13,840	13,463	13,429	Bu.	29.3	39.7	393,949	532,820
All Corn	79,054	78,736	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn, Grain	-	-	69,313	71,139	Bu.	130.0	142.2	9,007,659	10,113,887
Corn, Silage	-	-	7,490	6,528	Ton	14.0	16.2	104,979	105,864
All Sorghum	9,580	9,420	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghum, Grain	-	-	7,299	7,798	Bu.	50.7	52.7	369,758	411,237
Sorghum, Silage	-	-	352	343	Ton	9.5	10.4	3,360	3,552
All Cotton	13,958	13,483	12,427	12,058	2/	665	725	17,209	18,224
Cottonseed	-	-	-	-	Ton	-	-	6,184	6,694
All Hay	-	-	64,497	63,342	Ton	2.34	2.48	150,962	157,123
Alfalfa	-	-	23,135	23,578	Ton	3.19	3.24	73,824	76,307
All Other	-	-	41,362	39,764	Ton	1.86	2.03	77,138	80,816
Soybeans	73,923	73,404	72,437	72,321	Bu.	38.0	33.4	2,749,340	2,417,565
Peanuts	1,358	1,344	1,297	1,312	Lbs.	2,561	3,159	3,320,490	4,144,150
Pecans 3/	-	-	-	-	Lbs.	-	-	172,900	263,900

1/ Peanuts finalized in the April Crop Production release, cotton in the May Crop Production release, and pecans in the July Noncitrus Fruit and Nut release. 2/ Cotton yield in pounds and production in 480-lbs. bales. 3/ Estimate carried forward.