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# **DECEMBER CROP PRODUCTION**

## Executive Summary

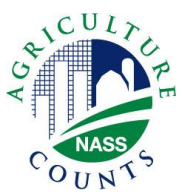
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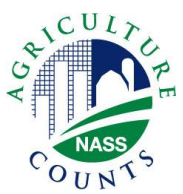
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Field Crops	Fruits/Nuts	Specialty Crops
Cotton	Citrus	Dry Beans
Fall Potatoes		Coffee
Sugarcane		



# December 2012 Crop Production

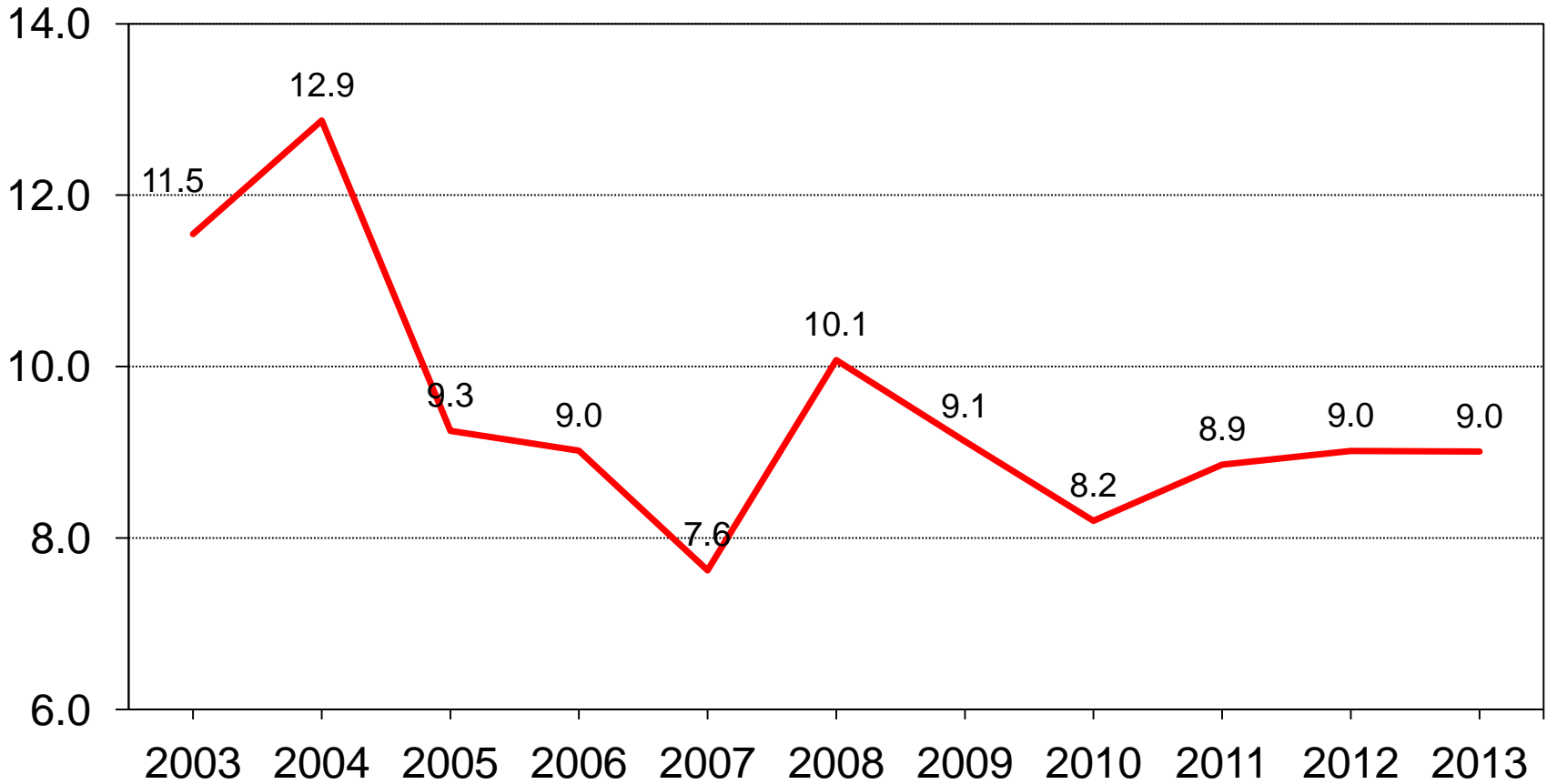
Crop	Unit	December 2012	% Change from Previous Forecast	% Change from Previous Season
Oranges	Mil Tons	9.01	- 3.8	- <0.1
Grapefruit	Mil Tons	1.14	- 7.9	- 2.8
Tangelos	Thou Tons	50.0	- 7.4	- 3.8
Tangerines and Mandarins	Thou Tons	661	- 4.1	+ 2.0

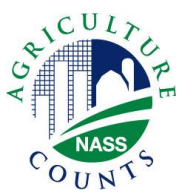


# U.S. Orange Production



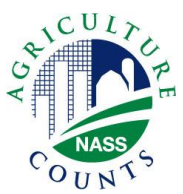
Million tons





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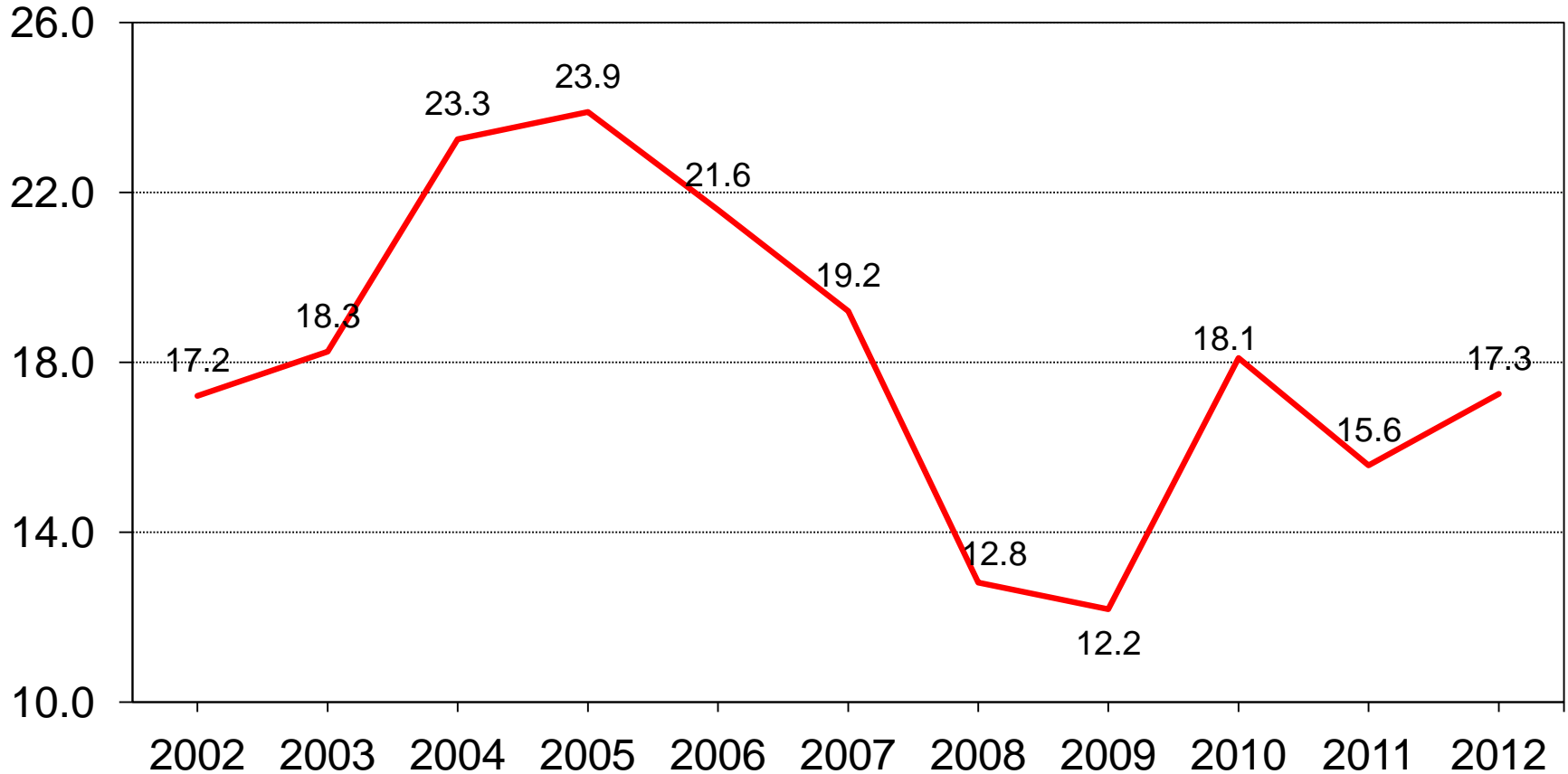
Crop	Unit	December 2012	% Change from Previous Forecast	% Change from Previous Season
<b>All Cotton</b>				
Harvested	Mil Ac	10.4	NC	+ 10.4
Yield	Lbs/Ac	793	- 1.1	+ 0.4
Production	Mil Bales	17.3	- 1.1	+ 10.8



# U.S. All Cotton Production



Million bales

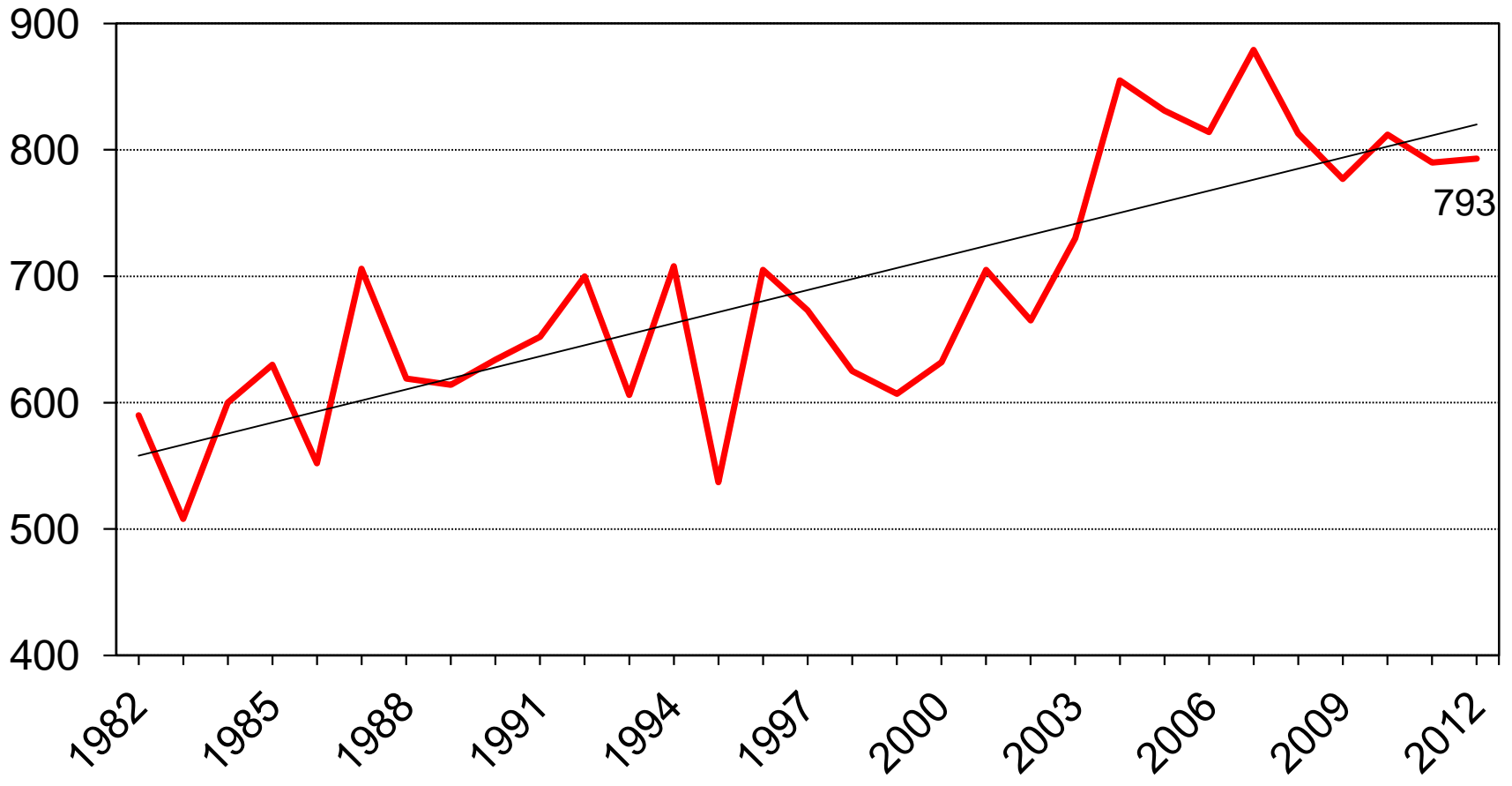


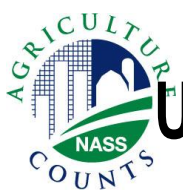


# U.S. All Cotton Yield



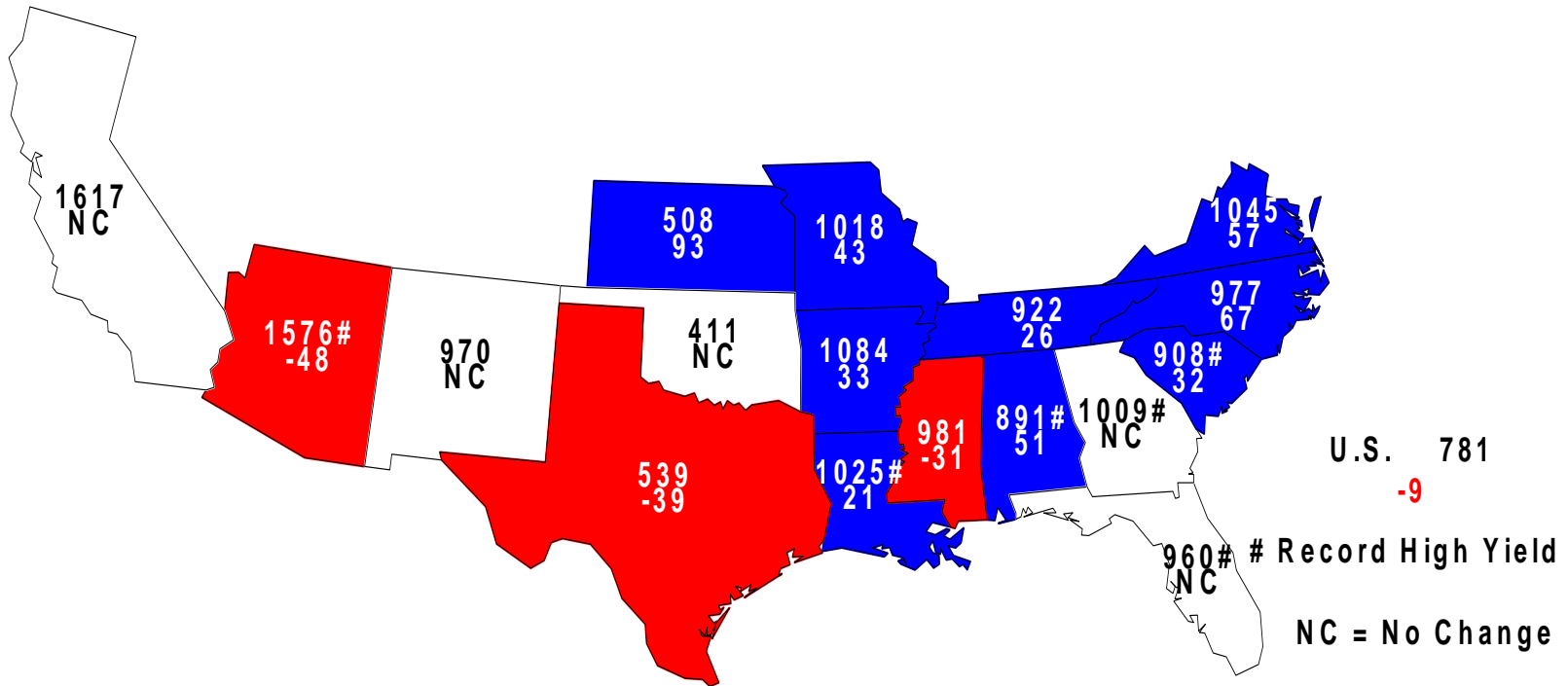
Pounds/Acre





# Upland Cotton Yield, December 1, 2012

## Pounds and Change From Previous Month

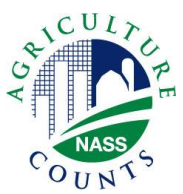


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# Record High Yield

NC = No Change





# December 2012 Crop Production

Crop	Unit	December 2012	% Change from Previous Forecast	% Change from Previous Season
Dry Beans	Mil Cwt	31.8	+ 2.3	+ 59.7
Fall Potatoes	Mil Cwt	422	- <0.1	+ 7.8
Coffee (HI)	Mil Lbs	7.20	---	- 5.3
Sugarcane	Mil Tons	32.1	- <0.1	+ 9.9



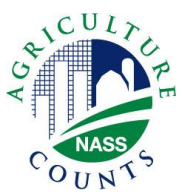
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