



## Arkansas Acreage Report

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This report contains the results from the **2018 June Agricultural Surveys**. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/ar> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

### **Corn Planted Acreage Up 5 Percent from 2017** **Cotton Planted Acreage Up 8 Percent from 2017** **Rice Planted Acreage Up 20 Percent from 2017** **Soybean Planted Acreage Up 2 Percent from 2017**

Arkansas **corn** planted area for all purpose is estimated at 650,000 acres, up 30,000 acres from a year ago but unchanged from March planting intentions.

**Upland cotton** planted acres is estimated at 480,000, up 35,000 acres from a year ago but unchanged from March planting intentions.

**All hay** expected to be harvested is estimated at 1.20 million acres, up 40,000 acres from a year ago and up 23,000 acres from March intentions.

**Oats** for all purposes planted acres is estimated at 12,000 acres, up 1,000 acres from 2017 but unchanged from March planting intentions.

**Peanuts** planted area is estimated at 30,000 acres, unchanged from a year ago and unchanged from March planting intentions.

**All rice** planted area for 2018 is estimated at 1.39 million acres, up 230,000 acres from a year ago and up 60,000 acres from March planting intentions. Breakout is 1.21 million acres for long grain, 180,000 acres for medium grain, and 1,000 acres for short grain.

**Sorghum** planted area is estimated at 10,000 acres, up 1,000 acres from a year ago but down 5,000 acres from March planting intentions.

**Soybeans** planted area is estimated at 3.60 million acres, up 70,000 acres from a year ago but unchanged from March planting intentions. If realized, this will be the highest planted acres since 1997, when the State planted 3.65 million acres.

**Sweet potatoes** planted area is estimated at 5,000 acres.

**Winter wheat** planted acres is estimated at 180,000 acres, down 20,000 acres from a year ago but unchanged from March plantings. Wheat acres intended to be harvested for grain this year is estimated at 100,000, down 25,000 acres from the 2017 harvest.

## Area Planted and Harvested - Arkansas and United States: 2017 and 2018

Crop	Area planted			Area harvested		
	2017	2018	Percent of previous year	2017	2018 <sup>1</sup>	Percent of previous year
<b>Arkansas</b>	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(percent)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(percent)
Corn .....	620.0	650.0	105	595.0	640.0	108
Cotton, upland <sup>2</sup> .....	445.0	480.0	108	438.0		
Hay, all <sup>3</sup> .....				1,163.0	1,203.0	103
Alfalfa <sup>3</sup> .....				3.0	3.0	100
Other <sup>3</sup> .....				1,160.0	1,200.0	103
Oats .....	11.0	12.0	109	8.0	8.0	100
Peanuts .....	30.0	30.0	100	29.0	29.0	100
Rice, all .....	1,161.0	1,391.0	120	1,104.0	1,376.0	125
Long grain .....	995.0	1,210.0	122	955.0	1,200.0	126
Medium grain .....	165.0	180.0	109	148.0	175.0	118
Short grain .....	1.0	1.0	100	1.0	1.0	100
Sorghum .....	9.0	10.0	111	7.0	8.0	114
Soybeans .....	3,530.0	3,600.0	102	3,500.0	3,570.0	102
Sweet potatoes .....	(D)	5.0	(X)	(D)	4.8	(X)
Wheat, winter .....	200.0	180.0	90	125.0	100.0	80
<b>United States</b>	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(percent)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(percent)
Corn .....	90,167.0	89,128.0	99	82,703.0	81,770.0	99
Cotton, upland <sup>2</sup> .....	12,360.0	13,275.0	107	10,850.0		
Hay, all <sup>3</sup> .....				53,784.0	55,068.0	102
Alfalfa <sup>3</sup> .....				16,563.0	17,351.0	105
Other <sup>3</sup> .....				37,221.0	37,717.0	101
Oats .....	2,588.0	2,889.0	112	801.0	1,009.0	126
Peanuts .....	1,870.6	1,502.0	80	1,775.6	1,461.0	82
Rice, all .....	2,463.0	2,840.0	115	2,374.0	2,803.0	118
Long grain .....	1,811.0	2,132.0	118	1,748.0	2,106.0	120
Medium grain .....	613.0	667.0	109	587.0	656.0	112
Short grain .....	39.0	41.0	105	39.0	41.0	105
Sorghum .....	5,626.0	6,040.0	107	5,045.0	5,292.0	105
Soybeans .....	90,142.0	89,557.0	99	89,522.0	88,862.0	99
Sweet potatoes .....	161.6	159.5	99	159.3	157.2	99
Wheat, winter .....	32,696.0	32,732.0	100	25,291.0	24,831.0	98

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

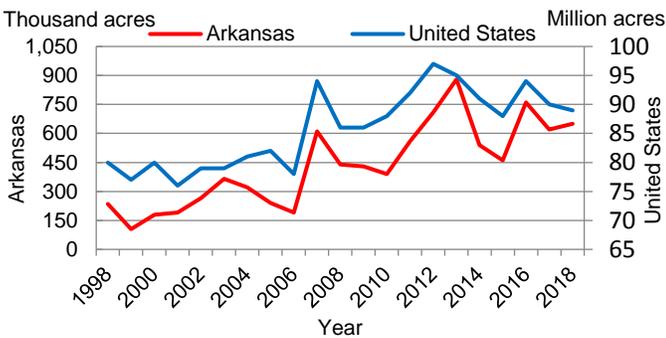
(X) Not applicable.

<sup>1</sup> Forecasted.

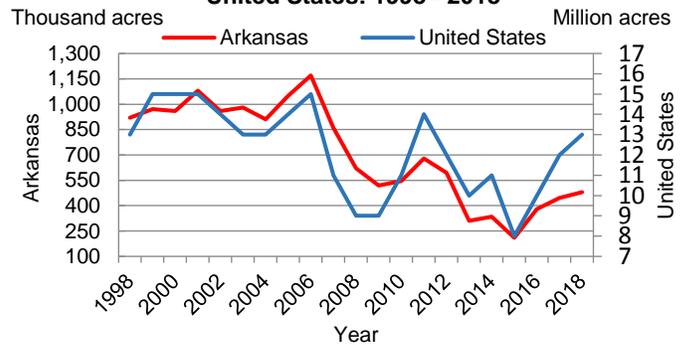
<sup>2</sup> First estimate of area harvested to be released August 10, 2018, in the Crop Production report.

<sup>3</sup> Area harvested only.

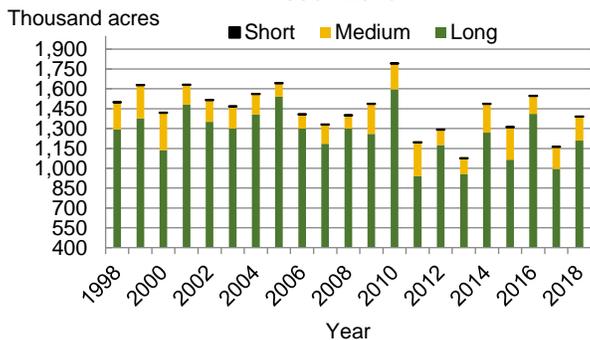
**Corn: Area Planted - Arkansas and United States: 1998 - 2018**



**Upland Cotton: Area Planted - Arkansas and United States: 1998 - 2018**



**Rice: Area Planted - Arkansas 1998 - 2018**



**Soybeans: Area Planted - Arkansas and United States: 1998 - 2018**

