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## U.S. Sugarcane Production Down 10 Percent

Production of sugarcane for sugar and seed in 2012 is revised to 32.2 million tons, up slightly from the March estimate. Area harvested for sugar and seed production totaled 902,400 acres for the 2012 crop year, up 6,400 acres from March and 3 percent above the previous year. Yield for sugar and seed is estimated at 35.7 tons per acre, down 0.2 ton from the previous estimate but up 2.2 tons from 2011. ■

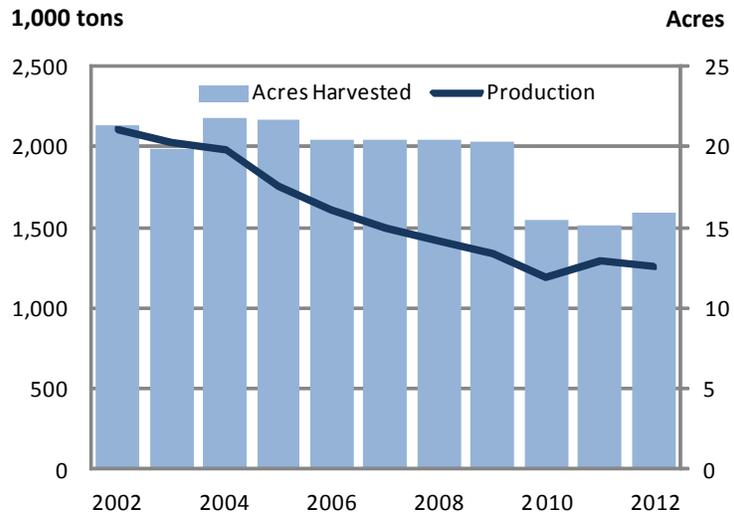
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SUGARCANE: Production and Area Harvested, State of Hawaii, 2002-2012



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**SUGARCANE: Area Harvested, Yield, and Production  
States and United States, 2011 and 2012**

State	Area harvested		Yield per acre <sup>1</sup>		Production <sup>1</sup>	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
	———— 1,000 acres ————		———— Tons ————		———— 1,000 tons ————	
For sugar						
Florida	380.0	396.0	<b>37.5</b>	36.6	14,250	<b>14,494</b>
Hawaii	15.1	15.9	<b>85.2</b>	79.4	1,287	<b>1,262</b>
Louisiana	385.0	400.0	<b>27.6</b>	33.0	10,626	<b>13,200</b>
Texas	47.0	43.0	<b>33.5</b>	35.9	1,575	<b>1,544</b>
United States	827.1	854.9	<b>33.5</b>	35.7	27,738	<b>30,500</b>
For seed						
Florida	17.0	17.0	<b>40.0</b>	42.7	680	<b>726</b>
Hawaii	1.5	1.5	<b>30.0</b>	30.0	45	<b>45</b>
Louisiana	25.0	28.0	<b>27.6</b>	33.0	690	<b>924</b>
Texas	2.0	1.0	<b>35.5</b>	32.0	71	<b>32</b>
United States	45.5	47.5	<b>32.7</b>	36.4	1,486	<b>1,727</b>
For sugar and seed						
Florida	397.0	413.0	<b>37.6</b>	36.9	14,930	<b>15,220</b>
Hawaii	16.6	17.4	<b>80.2</b>	75.1	1,332	<b>1,307</b>
Louisiana	410.0	428.0	<b>27.6</b>	33.0	11,316	<b>14,124</b>
Texas	49.0	44.0	<b>33.6</b>	35.8	1,646	<b>1,576</b>
United States	872.6	902.4	<b>33.5</b>	35.7	29,224	<b>32,227</b>

<sup>1</sup> Net tons.

**SUGARCANE: Price and Value  
States and United States, 2011 and 2012**

State	For Sugar				For Sugar and Seed	
	Price per Ton		Value of Production		Value of Production <sup>1</sup>	
	2011	2012 <sup>2</sup>	2011	2012 <sup>2</sup>	2011	2012 <sup>2</sup>
	———— Dollars ————		———— 1,000 Dollars ————			
Florida	45.10		642,675		673,343	
Hawaii	60.70		78,121		80,853	
Louisiana	50.40		53,550		570,326	
Texas	33.40		52,605		54,976	
United States	47.20		1,308,951		1,379,498	

<sup>1</sup> Price per ton of cane for sugar used in evaluating value of production for seed. <sup>2</sup> United States marketing year average price, value of production, and parity price will be published at a later date.

## U.S. Sugarbeets:

Production of sugarbeets for the 2012 crop year remains at 35.2 million tons, unchanged from the January end-of-season estimate but 22 percent above 2011. Planted area totaled 1.23 million acres and harvested area totaled 1.20 million acres, both unchanged from the previous estimate. The final United States yield, at 29.3 tons per acre, is a record high. ■

### SUGARBEET: Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value States and United States, 2011 and 2012 <sup>1</sup>

State	Area Planted		Area Harvested		Yield per Acre	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
	———— 1,000 acres ————				———— Tons ————	
California <sup>2</sup>	25.2	<b>24.5</b>	25.2	<b>24.5</b>	46.5	<b>44.0</b>
Colorado	29.4	<b>31.2</b>	28.7	<b>29.7</b>	28.9	<b>31.8</b>
Idaho	176.0	<b>183.0</b>	176.0	<b>182.0</b>	34.4	<b>35.3</b>
Michigan	153.0	<b>154.0</b>	153.0	<b>153.0</b>	24.0	<b>29.0</b>
Minnesota	479.0	<b>475.0</b>	469.0	<b>463.0</b>	19.0	<b>26.5</b>
Montana	45.0	<b>46.6</b>	43.0	<b>45.8</b>	25.9	<b>28.2</b>
Nebraska	52.3	<b>51.0</b>	51.6	<b>48.9</b>	24.9	<b>29.8</b>
North Dakota	231.0	<b>222.0</b>	225.0	<b>215.0</b>	20.5	<b>28.0</b>
Wyoming	10.9	<b>11.0</b>	10.8	<b>11.0</b>	35.8	<b>38.0</b>
Oregon	31.0	<b>31.8</b>	30.9	<b>31.3</b>	27.8	<b>28.6</b>
United States	1,232.8	<b>1,230.0</b>	1,213.2	<b>1,204.2</b>	23.8	<b>29.3</b>

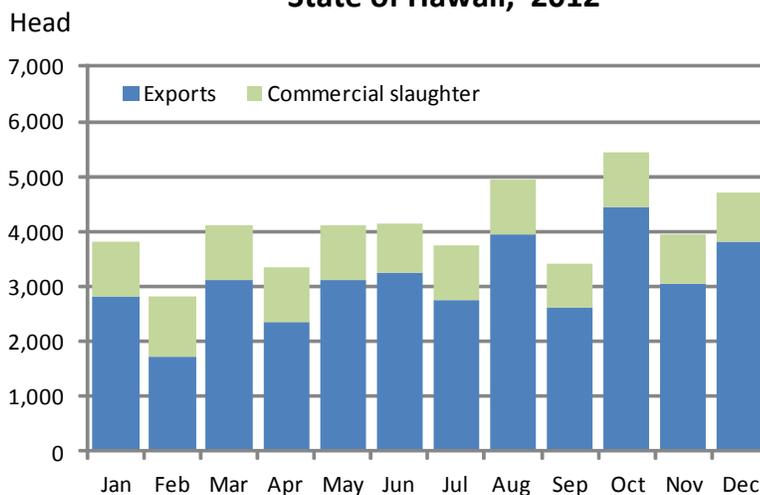
State	Area Planted		Area Harvested		Yield per Acre	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
	———— 1,000 Tons ————		———— Dollars ————		———— 1,000 Dollars ————	
California <sup>2</sup>	1,172	<b>1,078</b>	70.00		82,040	
Colorado	829	<b>944</b>	68.40		56,704	
Idaho	6,054	<b>6,425</b>	65.40		395,932	
Michigan	3,672	<b>4,437</b>	87.70		322,034	
Minnesota	8,911	<b>12,270</b>	68.30		608,621	
Montana	1,114	<b>1,292</b>	71.90		80,097	
Nebraska	1,285	<b>1,457</b>	72.50		93,163	
North Dakota	4,613	<b>6,020</b>	60.80		280,470	
Wyoming	387	<b>418</b>	65.40		25,310	
Oregon	859	<b>895</b>	74.60		64,081	
United States	28,896	<b>35,236</b>	69.50		2,008,452	

<sup>1</sup> Relates to year of intended harvest in all States except California. Blank data cells indicate estimation period has not yet begun. <sup>2</sup> In California, relates to year of intended harvest for fall planted beets in central California and to year of planting for overwintered beets in central and southern California.

# Cattle: Marketings for 2012 Drop 3 Percent from Previous Year

Cattle marketings (sum of exports and local slaughter) totaled 48,500 for the year of 2012, down 3 percent from 50,150 head in 2011. This is the second year in a row cattle marketings have decreased. Exports accounted for 76 percent of the year's total with steers making up 58 percent of the exported cattle. Local slaughter, accounting for the remaining 24 percent of marketings totaled 11,600 head for the year. The average live weight of commercially slaughtered cattle in Hawaii during 2012 was 1,136 pounds, up slightly or 3 pounds heavier than a year ago. ■

**CATTLE: Monthly Total Marketings  
State of Hawaii, 2012**



**CATTLE: Number and Weights of Total Marketing, Exports, and Local Slaughter by Months, State of Hawaii, 2012 with 2011 Year-to-date Comparisons<sup>1</sup>**

Month	Total marketings <sup>2</sup>	Marketings							
		Exports				Commercial (local) slaughter <sup>4</sup>			
		Total exports <sup>3</sup>	Type of cattle		Average live weight	Number slaughter	Average live weight	Total live weight	Total dress weight <sup>5</sup>
			Steers	Heifers					
Head		Pounds		Head	Pounds	1,000 pounds			
January	3,800	2,800	1,800	950	468	1,000	1,122	1,081	593
February	2,800	1,700	800	900	481	1,100	1,151	1,242	682
March	4,100	3,100	1,700	1,400	453	1,000	1,134	1,112	610
April	3,350	2,350	1,200	1,150	492	1,000	1,177	1,170	642
May	4,100	3,100	2,100	1,000	423	1,000	1,149	1,149	631
June	4,150	3,250	2,100	1,150	427	900	1,117	1,052	578
July	3,750	2,750	1,500	1,250	520	1,000	1,154	1,110	609
August	4,950	3,950	1,900	2,050	445	1,000	1,149	1,158	636
September	3,400	2,600	1,300	1,250	483	800	1,122	940	516
October	5,450	4,450	2,600	1,850	459	1,000	1,136	1,159	636
November	3,950	3,050	1,800	1,250	453	900	1,137	1,003	551
December	4,700	3,800	2,600	1,200	441	900	1,091	999	548
Year-to-date <sup>6</sup> :									
<b>2012</b>	<b>48,500</b>	<b>36,900</b>	<b>21,400</b>	<b>15,400</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>11,600</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>13,175</b>	<b>7,233</b>
2011	50,150	38,150	21,600	15,900	451	12,000	1,133	13,599	7,466
Change	-3.3	-3.3	-0.9	-3.1	1.8	-3.3	0.3	-3.1	-3.1

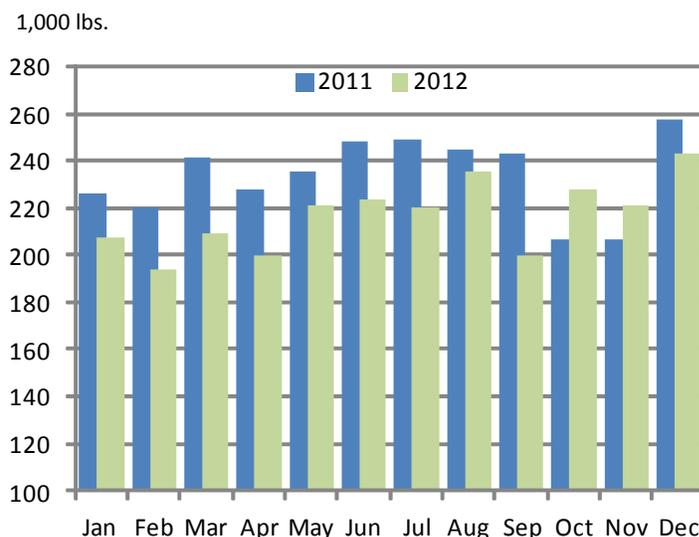
<sup>1</sup> Data revised due to updated information. <sup>2</sup> Sum of commercial (local) slaughter and exports. Totals may not add due to rounding. <sup>3</sup> Cattle and calves shipped out-of-state include: steers, heifers, and all other classes. All other classes not shown separately, but are included in total. <sup>4</sup> Excludes non-inspected farm slaughter; includes custom slaughter. <sup>5</sup> Estimates based on 54.9 dressing percentage. <sup>6</sup> Includes revisions made to previous months.

# Hogs: Monthly Slaughter

## Pork Production For 2012 was Down 7 Percent

Total hogs slaughtered during 2012 total 14,400 head for 2012, down 6 percent from the 15,300 slaughtered in 2011. Total dressed weight was 2.6 million pounds, down 7 percent from 2011. Average live weight for 2012 was 241 pounds or 4 pounds less than the previous year. ■

**HOGS: Monthly Commercial Production, State of Hawaii, 2011 and 2012**



**HOGS: Number and Weights of Commercial Slaughter by Months, State of Hawaii, 2012 with 2011 Year-to-date Comparisons <sup>1</sup>**

Month	Total Commercial Slaughter	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight	Total Dressed Weight <sup>2</sup>
	Head	Pounds	1,000 pounds	
January	1,200	240	277	208
February	1,100	241	259	194
March	1,100	249	279	209
April	1,100	251	267	200
May	1,200	253	294	221
June	1,200	251	298	224
July	1,300	229	293	220
August	1,300	238	315	236
September	1,100	251	267	200
October	1,200	256	304	228
November	1,200	251	295	221
December	1,400	234	324	243
Year-to-date:				
<b>2012</b>	<b>14,400</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>3,472</b>	<b>2,604</b>
2011	15,300	245	3,745	2,809
Change	-5.9	-1.6	-7.3	-7.3

<sup>1</sup> Excludes non-inspected farm slaughter; includes custom slaughter and live hog inshipments from the mainland for slaughter. <sup>2</sup> Estimate based on 75.0 dressing percentage.