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This report contains the results from the **2022 Cotton Ginnings** and **Sugarcane Inquiry** surveys. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/la> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all who responded to this survey.

Cotton Yield and Production Up from November

As of December 1, Louisiana **upland cotton** production is forecast at 360,000 bales, up 10,000 bales from the November 1 forecast and up 141,000 bales from last year. Yield is expected to average 934 pounds per harvested acre, up 26 pounds from last month but down 77 pounds from 2021. Harvested acreage is estimated at 185,000 acres, up 81,000 acres from 2021.

United States **upland cotton** production is forecast at 13.8 million bales, up 211,000 bales from November 1 but down 3.42 million bales from last year. Yield is expected to average 857 pounds per harvested acre, up 44 pounds from last year. Producers expect to harvest 7.71 million acres, down 2.44 million acres from 2021.

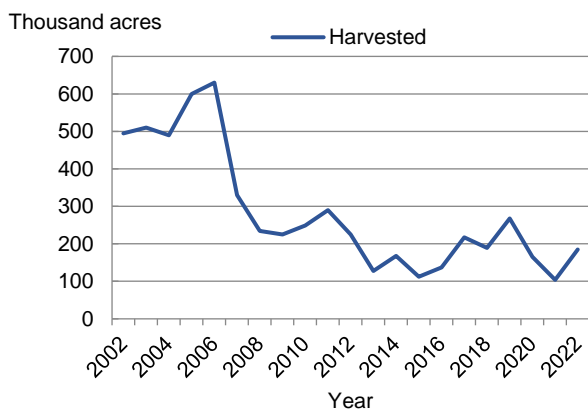
Upland Cotton: Area Harvested, Yield, and Production - Louisiana, Surrounding States, and United States: 2021 and Forecasted December 1, 2022

State	Area harvested		Yield per acre			Production ¹	
	2021	2022	2021	2022		2021	2022
				November 1	December 1		
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(1,000 bales) ²	(1,000 bales) ²
Alabama	401.0	425.0	826	904	920	690	815
Arkansas	475.0	630.0	1,248	1,166	1,181	1,235	1,550
Louisiana	104.0	185.0	1,011	908	934	219	360
Mississippi	430.0	525.0	997	1,006	1,033	893	1,130
Missouri	310.0	300.0	1,260	1,104	1,184	814	740
Oklahoma	440.0	310.0	756	325	325	693	210
Tennessee	270.0	325.0	1,036	1,022	1,031	583	698
Texas	5,550.0	2,500.0	666	634	634	7,700	3,300
United States	10,148.5	7,711.5	813	844	857	17,191	13,772

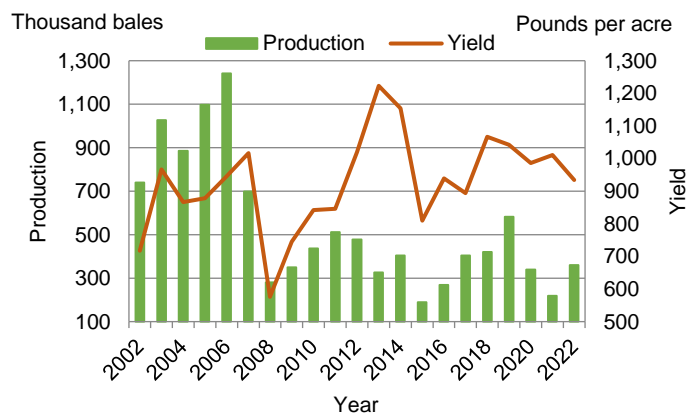
¹ Production ginned and to be ginned.

² 480-pound net weight bale.

Upland Cotton: Area Harvested
Louisiana: 2002 - 2022



Upland Cotton: Production and Yield
Louisiana: 2002 - 2022



Sugarcane Yield and Production Down from November

Louisiana **sugarcane** production for sugar and seed is forecast at 15.9 million net tons, down 1 percent from the November 1 forecast but up 10 percent from a year ago. The yield is forecast at 32.2 net tons per acre, down 0.2 net ton from last month but up 2.9 net tons from last year. Area harvested for sugar and seed totaled 495,000 acres, down 300 acres from 2021.

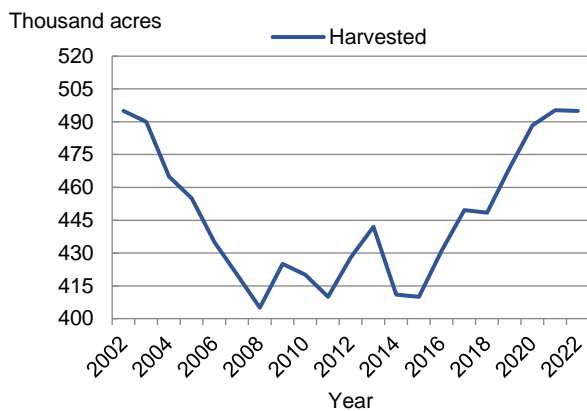
United States production of **sugarcane** for sugar and seed in 2022 is forecast at 34.1 million net tons, up 4 percent from 2021. Expected yield for sugar and seed is forecast at 36.8 net tons per acre, down 0.3 net ton from the November 1 forecast but up 1.7 net tons from the previous year. Producers intend to harvest 925,000 acres for sugar and seed, down 10,200 acres from 2021.

Sugarcane for Sugar and Seed: Area Harvested, Yield, and Production - States and United States: 2021 and Forecasted December 1, 2022

State	Area harvested		Yield per acre ¹			Production ¹	
	2021	2022	2021	2022		2021	2022
				November 1	December 1		
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(tons)	(tons)	(tons)	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)
Florida	403.5	398.0	42.6	44.0	43.5	17,187	17,313
Louisiana	495.3	495.0	29.3	32.4	32.2	14,525	15,939
Texas	36.4	32.0	30.9	25.0	25.0	1,126	800
United States	935.2	925.0	35.1	37.1	36.8	32,838	34,052

¹ Net tons.

**Sugarcane: Area Harvested
Louisiana: 2002 - 2022**



**Sugarcane: Production and Yield
Louisiana: 2002 - 2022**

