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FIELD CROP ACREAGE, YIELD, AND PRODUCTION

Crop	Area Planted		Area Harvested		Unit	Yield Per Acre		Unit	Production	
	2012	2013	2012	2013 Estimate		2012	2013 Estimate		2012	2013 Estimate
	1,000 Acres					Number			1,000	
HAWAII										
Coffee 1/	---	---	7.30	7.30	Lbs.	960	960	Lbs.	7,000	7,000
Taro	---	---	0.40	0.40	Lbs.	---	---	Lbs.	3,500	3,100
Sugar Cane	---	---	17.4	17.5	Tons	75.1	80.7	Tons	1,307	1,413
NEVADA										
Corn, All	8	7	---	---	Tons	---	---	Tons	---	---
For Silage	---	---	6	6	Tons	26.0	24.0	Tons	156	144
Wheat, Winter 2/	20	20	11	11	Tons	2.31	2.70	Tons	25.4	29.7
Wheat, Other Spring	6	8	2	3	Tons	2.10	2.25	Tons	4.20	6.75
Hay, All	---	---	415	345	Tons	3.22	3.37	Tons	1,336	1,161
Alfalfa	---	---	240	210	Tons	4.40	4.50	Tons	1,056	945
Other	---	---	175	135	Tons	1.60	1.60	Tons	280	216
CALIFORNIA										
Wheat, Winter 2/	610	610	310	340	Tons	2.55	2.40	Tons	791	816
Wheat, Durum	140	75	135	67	Tons	3.15	3.00	Tons	425	201
Oats 2/	230	180	25	20	Tons	1.44	1.28	Tons	36.0	25.6
Barley 2/	120	90	80	40	Tons	1.32	1.80	Tons	106	72.0
Corn, All	610	600	---	---	Tons	---	---	Tons	---	---
For Grain	---	---	180	180	Tons	5.18	5.46	Tons	932	983
For Silage	---	---	425	415	Tons	26.5	26.5	Tons	11,263	10,998
Rice, All	562	566	557	561	Lbs.	8,100	8,480	Cwt.	45,137	47,574
Long	6	6	6	6	Lbs.	5,000	5,700	Cwt.	300	342
Medium	500	515	495	510	Lbs.	8,300	8,670	Cwt.	41,085	44,217
Short 3/	56	45	56	45	Lbs.	6,700	6,700	Cwt.	3,752	3,015
Cotton, All 4/	367.0	280.0	365.0	278.0	Lbs.	1,658	1,597	Bales	1,261.0	925.0
Upland 4/	142.0	93.0	141.0	92.0	Lbs.	1,729	1,643	Bales	508.0	315.0
American-Pima 4/	225.0	187.0	224.0	186.0	Lbs.	1,614	1,574	Bales	753.0	610.0
Cottonseed 5/	---	---	---	---	Tons	---	---	Tons	469.0	364.0
Sugar Beets 6/	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.5	Tons	43.7	45.0	Tons	1,066	1,103
Beans, Dry, All 7/	58.5	50.0	57.5	49.5	Lbs.	2,270	2,320	Cwt.	1,304	1,150
Hay, All	---	---	1,550	1,440	Tons	5.62	5.53	Tons	8,715	7,956
Alfalfa	---	---	950	900	Tons	6.90	6.80	Tons	6,555	6,120
Other	---	---	600	540	Tons	3.60	3.40	Tons	2,160	1,836
Safflower	53.0	50.0	52.5	49.5	Lbs.	2,100	2,000	Lbs.	110,250	99,000
Sunflower	50.8	58.5	50.3	58.0	Lbs.	1,294	1,296	Lbs.	65,110	75,150
UNITED STATES										
Coffee 1/	---	---	7.30	7.30	Lbs.	960	960	Lbs.	7,000	7,000
Taro	---	---	0.40	0.40	Lbs.	---	---	Lbs.	3,500	3,100
Sugar Cane	---	---	902.4	905.6	Tons	35.7	35.6	Tons	32,227	32,205
Wheat, Winter 2/	41,224	43,090	34,734	32,402	Tons	1.42	1.42	Tons	49,238	46,028
Wheat, Other Spring	12,289	11,596	12,055	11,334	Tons	1.35	1.41	Tons	16,259	16,006
Wheat, Durum	2,153	1,470	2,132	1,421	Tons	1.17	1.31	Tons	2,484	1,857
Oats 2/	2,760	3,010	1,045	1,030	Tons	0.98	1.02	Tons	1,024	1,054
Barley 2/	3,637	3,480	3,244	3,000	Tons	1.63	1.72	Tons	5,287	5,162
Corn, All	97,155	95,365	---	---	Tons	---	---	Tons	---	---
For Grain	---	---	87,375	87,668	Tons	3.45	4.45	Tons	301,848	389,904
For Silage	---	---	7,379	6,256	Tons	15.4	18.8	Tons	113,450	117,851
Rice, All	2,700	2,489	2,679	2,468	Lbs.	7,449	7,694	Cwt.	199,546	189,886
Long	1,994	1,781	1,979	1,767	Lbs.	7,285	7,464	Cwt.	144,163	131,896
Medium	649	662	643	655	Lbs.	8,020	8,384	Cwt.	51,571	54,915
Short 3/	57	46	57	46	Lbs.	6,688	6,685	Cwt.	3,812	3,075
Cotton, All 4/	12,314.4	10,407.0	9,371.8	7,664.4	Lbs.	887	826	Bales	17,314.8	13,186.7
Upland 4/	12,076.0	10,206.0	9,135.0	7,465.0	Lbs.	869	807	Bales	16,535.0	12,551.0
American-Pima 4/	238.4	201.0	236.8	199.4	Lbs.	1,581	1,530	Bales	779.8	635.7
Cottonseed 5/	---	---	---	---	Tons	---	---	Tons	5,666.0	4,406.0
Sugar Beets 6/	1,230.1	1,198.1	1,204.1	1,154.2	Tons	29.3	28.5	Tons	35,224	32,837
Beans, Dry, All 7/	1,742.5	1,354.7	1,690.4	1,311.3	Lbs.	1,889	1,867	Cwt.	31,925	24,486
Hay, All	---	---	56,260	58,257	Tons	2.13	2.33	Tons	119,878	135,946
Alfalfa	---	---	17,292	17,763	Tons	3.01	3.24	Tons	52,049	57,581
Other	---	---	38,968	40,494	Tons	1.74	1.94	Tons	67,829	78,365
Safflower	169.8	175.5	160.1	170.0	Lbs.	1,121	1,232	Lbs.	179,424	209,461
Sunflower	1,919.0	1,575.5	1,841.0	1,474.6	Lbs.	1,513	1,378	Lbs.	2,785,695	2,032,725

1/ For coffee: 2012 represents (2012-2013), 2013 represents (2013-2014)

2/ Includes acreage planted during the preceding fall.

3/ Sweet rice acreage, yield, and production are included with short grain.

4/ Cotton yield is in pounds; production is in 480 pound net-weight bales. For 2013, production is ginned and to be ginned.

5/ Estimates based on 3-year average lint-seed ratio.

6/ Relates to year of intended harvest in all States, except California. In California, related to year of intended harvest for fall planted beets in central California and to year of planting for over-wintered beets in Central and Southern California.

7/ Excludes beans grown for garden seed. Yield and production are on a clean basis.

CALIFORNIA AND U.S. COTTON

California's 2013 **Upland** cotton production is estimated at 315 thousand bales, up 13 percent from the December 1 forecast. Harvested acreage is estimated at 92.0 thousand acres. The yield calculates to 1,643 pounds per acre. As of January, cotton harvest was finished. Harvested fields were shredded and disked.

California's 2013 **American Pima** cotton production is estimated at 610 thousand bales for 2013, down 19 percent from 2012. Harvested acreage is estimated at 186 thousand acres. The resulting yield is 1,574 pounds per acre.

U.S. **Upland** cotton production for 2013 is estimated at 12.6 million 480-pound bales, up 1 percent from the December 1 forecast, but down 24 percent from last year. The U.S. yield for Upland cotton is estimated at 807 pounds per acre, up 19 pounds from last month, but down 62 pounds from 2012. Upland planted area, estimated at 10.2 million acres, is down 15 percent from last year. Harvested area, at 7.47 million acres, is down 2 percent from last month and down 18 percent from last year.

U.S. **American Pima** producers planted 201 thousand acres in 2013, down 16 percent from 2012. Harvested area, at 199 thousand acres, is down 16 percent from last year. Production is estimated at 636 thousand bales (480-pound), up 2 percent from the September 1 forecast, but down 18 percent from last year. The U.S. yield is estimated at 1,530 pounds per acre, up 20 pounds from the September 1 forecast, but down 51 pounds from last year.

HAY STOCKS

Stocks of all hay on California farms totaled 1.90 million tons as of December 1, 2013. This was unchanged from last year. Stocks of all hay on Nevada farms totaled 650 thousand tons as of December 1, 2013. This was unchanged from last year.

As of December 1, 2013 U.S. hay stocks stored on farms totaled 89.3 million tons, up 17 percent from a year ago. Disappearance from May 1, 2013 - December 1, 2013 totaled 60.5 million tons, compared with 64.7 million tons for the same period a year earlier.

HAY STOCKS ON FARMS

State	May 1		December 1	
	2012	2013	2012	2013
	1,000 Tons			
California	240	320	1,900	1,900
Nevada	238	140	650	650
Arizona	35	35	240	200
Oregon	275	230	1,700	1,700
Utah	350	230	900	1,250
United States	21,381	14,156	76,547	89,304

WINTER AND DURUM WHEAT SEEDING

California farmers are expected to seed 570 thousand acres to winter wheat for the 2014 crop, down 7 percent from the 2013 crop. Nevada farmers are expected to seed 20 thousand acres to winter wheat for the 2014 crop, unchanged from last year.

The U.S. Winter wheat seeded area for 2014 is estimated at 41.9 million acres, down 3 percent from 2013, but 2 percent above 2012. Seeding began in August, but by the end of September was slightly behind the 5-year average pace. However, by the end of October, seeding had progressed slightly ahead of the 5-year average pace.

Durum wheat seedings in Arizona and California for 2014 harvest are estimated at 145 thousand acres, down 6 percent from 2013 and 41 percent below 2012. Planting has progressed well in both the San Joaquin Valley and Imperial Valley. No major problems with the crop have been reported.

WINTER AND DURUM WHEAT SEEDING

Area	2012	2013	2014	<u>2014</u> 2013
	1,000 Acres			Percent
WINTER WHEAT				
California	610	610	570	93
Nevada	20	20	20	100
United States	41,224	43,090	41,892	97
DURUM WHEAT				
California	140	75	75	100
Arizona	105	80	70	88
United States	2,153	1,470	1/	1/

1/ To be published in "Prospective Plantings" on March 28, 2014.

CALIFORNIA AND U.S. RICE CROP

California farmers produced 47.6 million cwt. of rice in 2013. This was 5 percent above the 45.1 million cwt. produced in 2012. The 2013 crop included 342 thousand cwt. of long grain rice, 14 percent above the 300 thousand cwt. produced in 2012. Medium grain production totaled 44.2 million cwt., 8 percent above the 2012 crop. Short grain production was 3.02 million cwt., 20 percent below the previous year. The overall yield of 8,480 pounds per acre was 380 pounds above 2012.

Nationally, production in 2013 is estimated 190 million cwt, up 1 percent from the previous forecast but down 5 percent from 2012. Planted area is estimated at 2.49 million acres, down 8 percent from 2012. Area harvested, at 2.47 million acres, is also down 8 percent from the previous crop year. The average yield for all U.S. rice is estimated at a record high 7,694 pounds per acre, up 34 pounds from the previous forecast and 245 pounds above the previous record high set last crop year.

CALIFORNIA DECEMBER 1 ROUGH RICE STOCKS

On December 1, 2013, California rough rice stocks in all positions totaled 41.4 million cwt., 7 percent above last year. Off-farms stocks including stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, ports and in transit, totaled 38.3 million cwt. of the total rough rice stored. Stocks being stored on farms accounted for 3.12 million cwt.

CALIFORNIA ROUGH RICE STOCKS

Month	Season		
	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
	1,000 Cwt.		
December 1	39,767	38,607	41,414
March 1	26,571	26,631	---
June 1	13,103	---	---
August 1	7,149	8,182	---
October 1	2,480	2,926	---

ROUGH AND MILLED RICE STOCKS IN ALL POSITIONS

Type of Rice	CALIFORNIA		UNITED STATES	
	December 1		December 1	
	2012	2013	2012	2013
	1,000 Cwt.			
ROUGH RICE				
Long Grain	1/	1/	99,111	84,362
Medium Grain	34,578	37,632	45,349	45,086
Short Grain	1/	1/	3,575	3,336
TOTAL ROUGH RICE	38,607	41,414	148,035	132,784
MILLED RICE				
Whole Kernels (Head Rice)				
Long Grain	1/	1/	2,574	3,348
Medium Grain	1/	1,110	1,638	1,285
Short Grain	1/	1/	99	58
Total	1,625	1,169	4,311	4,691
Broken Kernels				
Second Heads	1/	1/	1,231	1,243
Screenings	2/	2/	136	96
Brewers	1/	1/	1,241	575
Total	1,254	1,168	2,608	1,914
TOTAL MILLED RICE	2,879	2,337	6,919	6,605

- 1/ Not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.
2/ Screenings included with second heads.

GRAIN STOCKS

Stocks of wheat in California on December 1, 2013 totaled 417 thousand tons, 11 percent above the 375 thousand tons on hand a year earlier. U.S. stocks of all wheat totaled 43.9 million tons, down 12 percent from a year ago.

Barley stocks in California on December 1, 2013 totaled 19.5 thousand tons, 12 percent below a year earlier. U.S. barley stocks, at 4.07 million tons, were 7 percent above the December 1, 2012 total.

Off-farm stocks of corn in California totaled 242 thousand tons on December 1, 2013, 17 percent below a year earlier. U.S. stocks of corn in all positions totaled 292 million tons.

GRAIN STOCKS IN ALL POSITIONS

(Includes stocks under support and government owned grain.)

Grain and Position	Dec. 1,	Sept. 1, 2013 1/	Dec. 1,
	2012		2013
Tons			
ALL WHEAT			
California			
On-Farm	21,000	48,000	33,000
Off-Farm 2/	354,000	543,570	383,820
Total	375,000	591,570	416,820
U.S. Total	50,117,370	56,089,110	43,881,060
BARLEY			
California			
Off-Farm 2/ 3/	22,152	15,984	19,464
U.S. Total	3,793,272	4,706,160	4,074,648
OATS			
California			
Off-Farm 2/ 3/	2,528	2,160	2,080
U.S. Total	1,170,416	1,015,824	767,664
CORN			
California			
Off-Farm 2/ 3/	292,264	46,340	241,556
U.S. Total	224,916,496	22,993,180	291,930,912
SORGHUM GRAIN			
California			
Off-Farm 2/	9,996	4/	4/
U.S. Total	3,915,716	424,284	6,403,124

- 1/ Revised corn, oats barley and wheat.
2/ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals and processors.
3/ California on-farm stocks and total stocks are included in United States totals.
4/ Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

CALIFORNIA FIELD CROP PRICES - DECEMBER 2013

Prices received by California farmers at mid-December were above November for dry, edible beans. The December prices were below November for alfalfa hay, other hay and cottonseed. Mid-December prices for wheat and upland cotton were not published due to possible disclosure of individual operations. There was insufficient data to establish a mid-December price for barley and spring potatoes. Prices were above a year earlier for dry, edible beans and fall potatoes.

U.S. PRICES RECEIVED INDEX

The preliminary All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Farmers in December, at 180 percent, based on 1990-1992=100, declined 4 points (2.2 percent) from November. The Crop Index is 6 points (3.1 percent) lower and the Livestock Index is down 1 point (0.6 percent). Producers received lower prices for corn, oranges, wheat, and hogs but higher prices for soybeans, milk, eggs, and rice. In addition to prices, the overall index is also affected by the seasonal change based on a 3-year average mix of commodities producers sell. Decreased marketing of corn, cattle, soybeans, and calves more than offset the increased monthly movement of wheat, milk, broilers, and cotton.

The preliminary All Farm Products Index is down 19 points (9.5 percent) from December 2012. The Food Commodities Index, at 185, declined 3 points (1.6 percent) from last month and 1 point (0.5 percent) from December 2012.

The December All Crops Index, at 186, decreased 3.1 percent from November and is 18 percent below December 2012. Index decreases for feed grains & hay and food grains more than offset the index increase for oilseeds.

The December Food Grains Index, at 223, is 2.2 percent below the previous month and 17 percent below a year ago. The December price for all wheat, at \$219.67 per ton, is down \$8.66 from November and \$57.00 below December 2012.

The December Feed Grains & Hay Index, at 192, is down 0.5 percent from last month and 35 percent below a year ago. The corn price, at \$153.93 per ton, is \$1.43 lower than last month and \$91.43 below December 2012. The all hay price, at \$168 per ton, is down \$3.00 from November and \$21.00 from last December. Sorghum grain, at \$7.44 per cwt., is 6 cents higher than November, but \$4.76 lower than December last year.

The December Upland Cotton Index, at 123, is down 0.8 percent from November, but 4.2 percent above last year. The December price, at 74.5 cents per pound, is down 0.8 cents from the previous month, but 2.7 cents higher than last December.

The December Potatoes & Dry Beans Index, at 165, is down 1.8 percent from last month, but 13 percent above December 2012. The all potato price, at \$9.09 per cwt., is down 9 cents from November, but up \$1.35 from last December. The all dry bean price, at \$37.90 per cwt., is down 80 cents from the previous month, but 10 cents above December 2012.

AVERAGE FARM PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS 1/

Commodity	Unit	CALIFORNIA			UNITED STATES		
		December 2012	November 2013	Dec 15, 2013	December 2012	November 2013	Dec 15, 2013
Dollars							
Corn 2/	Tons	---	---	---	245.36	155.36	153.93
Wheat 2/	Tons	260.67	270.33	3/	276.67	228.33	219.67
Oats 2/	Tons	---	---	---	243.75	212.50	215.00
Barley 2/	Tons	4/	3/	4/	268.33	255.00	233.75
Sorghum Grain 2/	Cwt.	---	---	---	12.20	7.38	7.44
Rice 2/	Cwt.	---	---	---	14.80	15.50	15.80
Dry Edible Beans 2/	Cwt.	56.60	61.50	62.60	37.80	38.70	37.90
All Potatoes 5/	Cwt.	6.80	9.50	9.50	7.74	9.18	9.09
Spring	Cwt.	4/	4/	4/	---	---	---
Fall	Cwt.	6.80	9.50	9.50	---	---	---
Upland Cotton Lint 2/	Lbs	0.930	0.928	3/	0.718	0.753	0.745
Cottonseed	Tons	369.00	375.00	365.00	252.00	248.00	246.00

1/ The estimated prices shown in the table represent composite average prices received by farmers. They are averages for all grades, classes and methods of sale of each commodity for the State and U.S. as a whole.

2/ Previous month revised to monthly average.

3/ Not published to avoid possible disclosure of operations.

4/ Insufficient data to establish a price.

5/ Monthly average.

INDEX NUMBER OF PRICES RECEIVED AND PRICES PAID BY FARMERS, UNITED STATES

Index	1910-14 = 100			1990-92 = 100		
	Nov 2012	Oct 2013	Nov 2013	Nov 2012	Oct 2013	Nov 2013
Prices Received						
All Farm Products	1,261	1,166	1,142	199	184	180
All Crops	1,118	952	924	226	192	186
Food Grains	846	722	706	267	228	223
Feed Grains and Hay	1,048	689	685	294	193	192
Cotton	608	637	631	118	124	123
Potatoes and Dry Edible Beans	742	852	838	146	168	165
Prices Paid by Farmers for Commodities, Services, Interest, Taxes and Wage Rates 1/	2,883	2,846	2,834	217	214	213
Parity Ratio 2/	44	41	40	92	86	85

1/ All production indexes as of 15th of month.

2/ Ratio of Index of Prices Received by Farmers to Index of Prices Paid, Interest, Taxes and Farm Wage Rates.

SWEET POTATO PRODUCTION

California sweet potato production for 2013 is estimated at 6.84 million cwt., an increase of 11 percent over last year's crop. Harvested acres are estimated at 19.0 thousand acres, 6 percent above 2012. The yield of 360 cwt. per acre is 5 percent above last year.

Nationally, production of sweet potatoes in 2013 is estimated at 24.8 million cwt., down 6 percent from last year. Growers

harvested 113 thousand acres, down 11 percent from last year. Yield per acre, at 219 cwt., is up 10 cwt. from last year. In North Carolina, wet conditions prevented growers from planting their intended acreage. Alabama growers reported poor crop conditions due to extremely wet weather. In California, yields were above average. The crop in Florida benefitted from timely rains and warm temperatures throughout the growing season. In Louisiana, timely rains and favorable temperatures resulted in a record high yield.

SWEET POTATO PRODUCTION

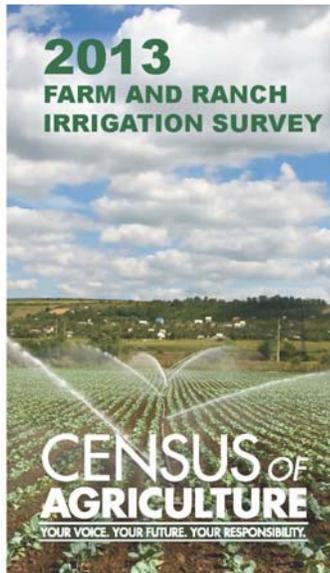
State	Area Planted		Area Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
	1,000 Acres		1,000 Acres		Cwt.		1,000 Cwt.	
Alabama	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.4	210	173	546	415
Arkansas	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	200	180	780	702
California	18.0	19.0	18.0	19.0	343	360	6,174	6,840
Florida	6.4	6.0	6.3	5.9	120	142	756	838
Louisiana	10.0	8.0	9.5	7.5	205	220	1,948	1,650
Mississippi	24.0	20.0	22.0	19.5	160	180	3,520	3,510
New Jersey	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	160	125	208	150
North Carolina	63.0	54.0	62.0	53.0	200	200	12,400	10,600
Texas	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.8	150	100	150	80
United States	130.5	115.7	126.6	113.2	209	219	26,482	24,785

HAY PRICES 1/

Commodity	Unit	Alfalfa Hay			Other Hay		
		December 2012	November 2013	December 2013	December 2012	November 2013	December 2013
		Dollars					
Arizona	Tons	190.00	170.00	190.00	210.00	180.00	190.00
California 2/	Tons	212.00	204.00	198.00	183.00	172.00	170.00
Idaho	Tons	200.00	180.00	170.00	140.00	170.00	170.00
Nevada	Tons	205.00	207.00	196.00	174.00	190.00	180.00
Oregon	Tons	222.00	215.00	190.00	177.00	190.00	185.00
Utah	Tons	192.00	170.00	170.00	154.00	145.00	145.00
UNITED STATES	Tons	217.00	188.00	187.00	142.00	135.00	130.00

1/ Current month hay prices are preliminary.

2/ Previous month revised to monthly average.



If you have already completed the 2013 Farm and Ranch Irrigation Survey form, thank you. If not, please do so by February 10, 2014. This survey is your opportunity to impact federal, state, and local irrigation policies.

We guarantee that your individual responses will be kept fully confidential, as required by U.S. law. The same law also makes your participation in the 2013 Farm and Ranch Irrigation Survey mandatory, as the survey is a part of the U.S. Census of Agriculture.

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