



# August Crop Production

Southern Plains Regional Field Office · Post Office Box 70, Austin, Texas 78767 · 800-626-3142 · www.nass.usda.gov

Cooperating with the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry and Texas Department of Agriculture

August 12, 2019

Contact: [Tomas Resendiz](#) or [Betty Johnson](#)

The August Row Crop harvested and production forecasts are based on a survey of approximately 1,100 Texas and Oklahoma growers conducted by the Southern Plains Regional Field Office. The survey is conducted primarily by telephone with some use of mail, internet, and personal interviews. For Texas cotton, an objective yield survey is conducted in addition to the grower's survey. Actual counts of plants and boll weights are collected from small plots set up in producer fields and are used in conjunction with the results of the grower's survey to forecast yield and production of Texas cotton.

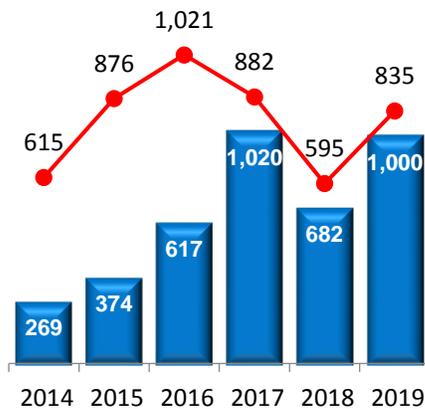
Data provided by Oklahoma and Texas operators are the foundation of the estimates for the Southern Plains region. The Southern Plains Regional Field Office would like to thank all farmers that responded to the Ag Yield survey and those who permitted Cotton Objective Yield measurements to be taken from their fields.

## UPLAND COTTON

**Oklahoma Upland Cotton** production totaled 1.00 million bales, 47 percent higher than 2018. Yield averaged 835 pounds per acre, compared with 595 pounds last year. Acreage harvested, at 575 thousand acres, is up 5 percent from last year.

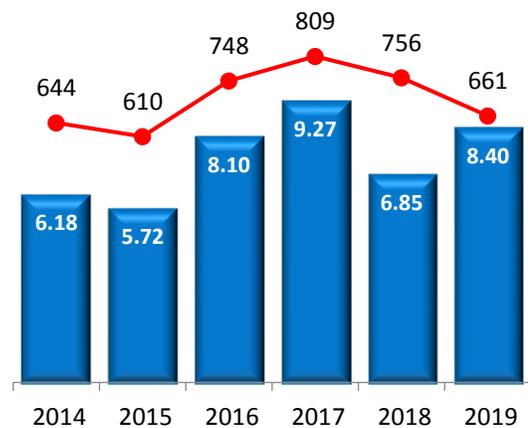
**Texas Upland Cotton** production totaled 8.40 million bales, 23 percent higher than 2018. Yield averaged 661 pounds per acre, compared with 756 pounds last year. Acreage harvested, at 6.10 million acres, is up 40 percent from last year.

### OK Upland Cotton



Production (thousand ba) Yield (lbs/ac)

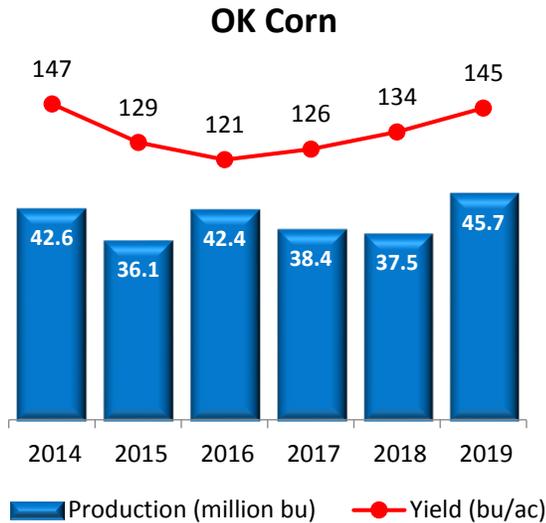
### TX Upland Cotton



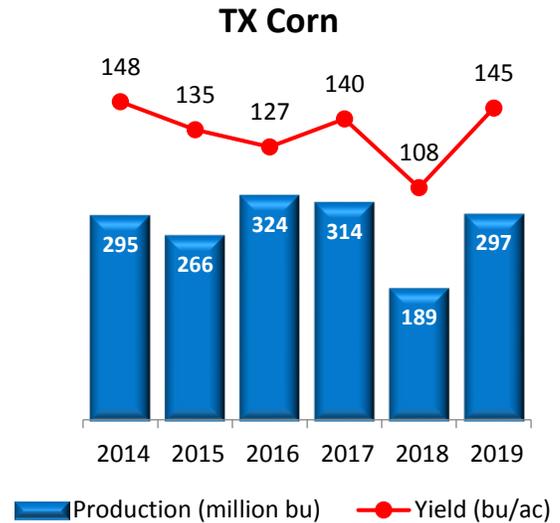
Production (million ba) Yield (lbs/ac)

## CORN

**Oklahoma corn** production totaled 45.7 million bushels, up 22 percent from the previous year. Statewide yields averaged 145 bushels per acre, 11 bushels higher than 2018. Acres harvested for grain, at 315 thousand, are up 13 percent from last year.

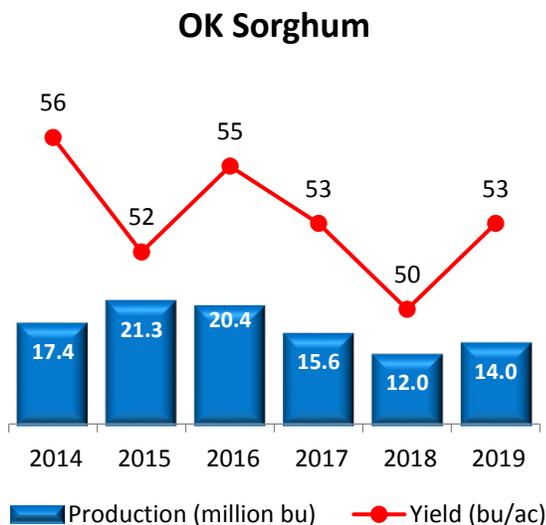


**Texas corn** production totaled 297 million bushels, up 57 percent from the previous year. Statewide yields averaged 145 bushels per acre, 37 bushels higher than 2018. Acres harvested for grain, at 2.05 million, are up 17 percent from last year.

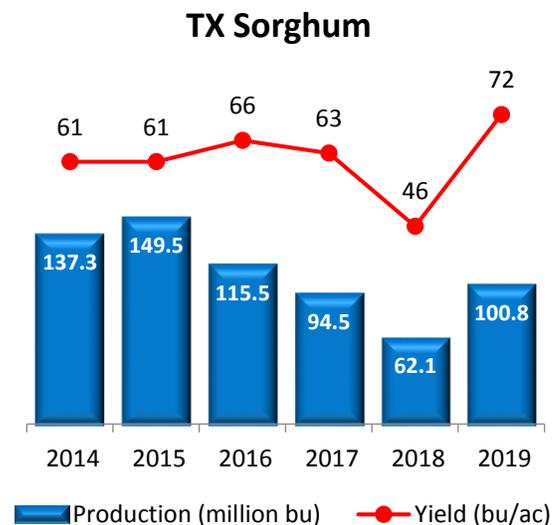


## SORGHUM

**Oklahoma sorghum** production totaled 14.0 million bushels, up 17 percent from last year. Yield averaged 53 bushels per acre, up 3 bushels from the previous year. Acres harvested, at 265 thousand acres, are 10 percent higher than 2018.



**Texas sorghum** production totaled 101 million bushels, up 62 percent from last year. Yield averaged 72 bushels per acre, up 26 bushels from the previous year. Acres harvested, at 1.40 million acres, are 4 percent higher than 2018.

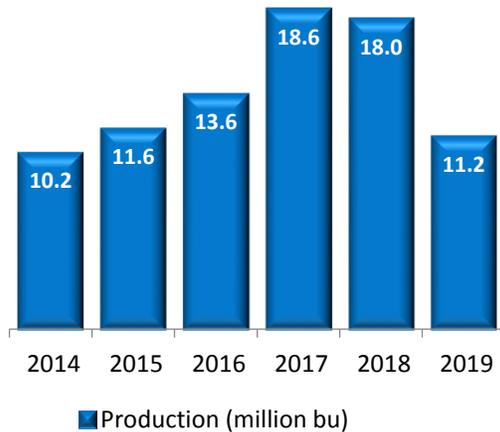


## SOYBEANS

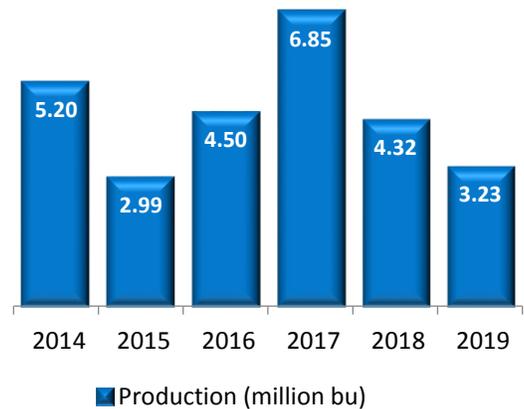
**Oklahoma soybean** production is forecast at 11.2 million bushels, down 38 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 26 bushels per acre, compared with 30 bushels in 2018. Harvested acreage, at 430 thousand acres, is 28 percent lower than last year.

**Texas soybean** production is forecast at 3.23 million bushels, down 25 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 38 bushels per acre, compared with 32.0 bushels in 2018. Harvested acreage, at 85.0 thousand acres, is 37 percent lower than last year.

### OK Soybeans



### TX Soybeans

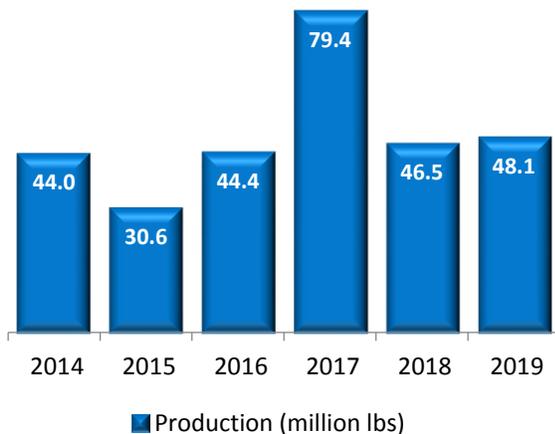


## PEANUTS

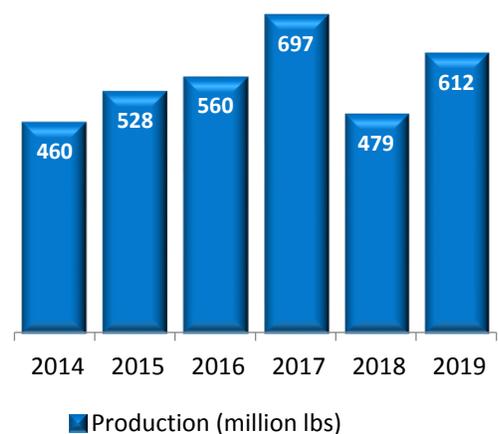
**Oklahoma peanut** production is 3 percent higher than last year, at 48.1 million pounds. Yield is forecast at 3,700 pounds per acre, up 600 pounds from 2018. Harvested acres is down 13 percent from last year to 13 thousand acres.

**Texas peanut** production is 28 percent higher than last year, at 612 million pounds. Yield is forecast at 3,400 pounds per acre, up 100 pounds from 2018. Harvested acres is up 24 percent from last year to 180 thousand acres.

### OK Peanuts



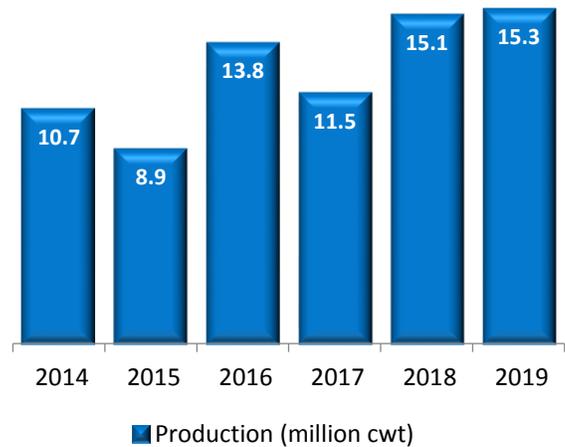
### TX Peanuts



## OTHER CROPS

### TX Rice

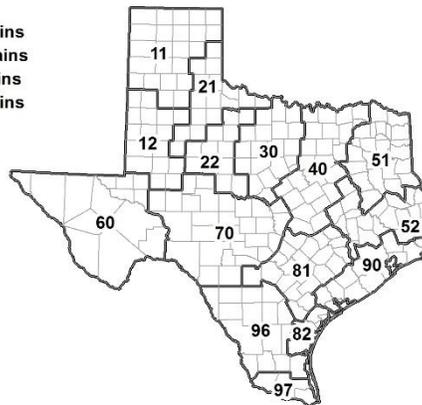
**Texas rice** production is forecast at 15.3 million cwt, up 2 percent from 2018. Yield is expected to average 7,900 pounds per acre, 70.0 pounds lower than last year. Harvested acreage is forecast at 194 thousand acres, up 3 percent from last year.



**Hay Acreage, Yield, and Production, Oklahoma, Texas, and United States: 2018 and Forecasted August 1, 2019**

State	Harvested		Yield per acre		Production		Percent Change
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>tons</i>	<i>tons</i>	<i>1,000 tons</i>	<i>1,000 tons</i>	<i>percent</i>
<b>Oklahoma</b>							
Alfalfa	230	200	2.7	2.9	621	580	72
Other Hay	3,000	3,100	1.5	1.8	4,500	5,580	94
<b>Texas</b>							
Alfalfa	140	165	5.6	5.5	784	908	148
Other Hay	4,600	4,300	1.7	2.1	7,590	9,030	84
<b>United States</b>							
Alfalfa	16,608	16,828	3.2	3.3	52,634	55,393	94
Other Hay	36,231	35,945	2.0	2.1	70,966	75,672	98

- 11 Northern High Plains
- 12 Southern High Plains
- 21 Northern Low Plains
- 22 Southern Low Plains
- 30 Cross Timbers
- 40 Blacklands
- 51 North East
- 52 South East
- 60 Trans-Pecos
- 70 Edwards Plateau
- 81 South Central
- 82 Coastal Bend
- 90 Upper Coast
- 96 South
- 97 Lower Valley



# DISTRICT ESTIMATES

## Texas District Estimates, 2018 and Forecasted August 1, 2019

Corn	Planted acres		Harvested acres		Yield per acre		Production	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>bushels</i>	<i>bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>
11	772.0	970.0	574.0	825.0	173.9	192.0	99,800.0	158,000.0
12	(D)	180.0	(D)	150.0	(D)	157.0	(D)	23,500.0
22	7.9	(D)	4.3	(D)	66.3	(D)	285.0	(D)
40	670.0	650.0	549.0	520.0	63.4	96.0	34,800.0	50,100.0
52	18.0	(D)	14.4	(D)	102.8	(D)	1,480.0	(D)
70	27.9	30.0	21.2	25.0	117.5	128.0	2,490.0	3,200.0
81	175.0	170.0	148.7	140.0	74.0	109.0	11,000.0	15,300.0
82	42.2	70.0	25.4	59.0	68.0	114.0	1,727.0	6,700.0
90	226.0	210.0	211.0	175.0	91.2	121.0	19,240.0	21,200.0
96	29.3	(D)	20.0	(D)	92.7	(D)	1,853.0	(D)
97	80.0	110.0	69.0	80.0	89.9	138.0	6,200.0	11,000.0
Other Districts	151.7	110.0	113.0	76.0	89.6	109.0	10,125.0	8,250.0
<b>Texas</b>	<b>2,200.0</b>	<b>2,500.0</b>	<b>1,750.0</b>	<b>2,050.0</b>	<b>108.0</b>	<b>145.0</b>	<b>189,000.0</b>	<b>297,250.0</b>
Upland Cotton	Planted acres		Harvested acres		Yield per acre		Production	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>1,000 bales</i>	<i>1,000 bales</i>
11	1,521.0	1,280.0	925.9	800.0	974.0	831.0	1,878.3	1,385.0
12	3,276.0	3,160.0	1,500.5	2,830.0	658.0	601.0	2,056.1	3,545.0
21	545.0	500.0	339.4	450.0	600.0	619.0	424.1	580.0
22	762.5	675.0	267.4	630.0	416.0	461.0	231.7	605.0
40	235.6	160.0	209.8	145.0	616.0	447.0	269.2	135.0
51	22.7	(D)	13.6	(D)	671.0	(D)	19.0	(D)
52	39.3	(D)	35.9	(D)	1,044.0	(D)	78.1	(D)
70	270.3	250.0	164.0	235.0	636.0	746.0	217.2	365.0
81	90.6	85.0	77.8	80.0	966.0	990.0	156.5	165.0
82	333.2	350.0	325.2	320.0	839.0	818.0	568.6	545.0
90	327.8	325.0	285.9	295.0	916.0	838.0	545.4	515.0
96	47.1	(D)	40.0	(D)	935.0	(D)	77.9	(D)
97	217.3	215.0	119.7	185.0	971.0	908.0	242.1	350.0
Other Districts	61.6	150.0	44.9	130.0	917.0	775.0	85.8	210.0
<b>Texas</b>	<b>7,750.0</b>	<b>7,150.0</b>	<b>4,350.0</b>	<b>6,100.0</b>	<b>756.0</b>	<b>661.0</b>	<b>6,850.0</b>	<b>8,400.0</b>
Sorghum	Planted acres		Harvested acres		Yield per acre		Production	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>bushels</i>	<i>bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>
11	401.0	575.0	315.0	530.0	53.0	70.0	16,694.0	37,000.0
12	177.0	135.0	158.0	115.0	28.0	54.0	4,426.0	6,200.0
40	82.0	80.0	75.0	72.0	44.0	71.0	3,274.0	5,100.0
70	43.0	45.0	34.0	40.0	40.0	61.0	1,380.0	2,450.0
81	85.0	65.0	81.0	60.0	51.0	73.0	4,137.0	4,350.0
82	318.0	275.0	302.0	255.0	46.0	93.0	13,774.0	23,600.0
90	93.0	55.0	92.0	50.0	79.0	96.0	7,212.0	4,800.0
97	214.0	200.0	189.0	188.0	38.0	66.0	7,257.0	12,350.0
Other Districts	138.0	120.0	104.0	90.0	38.0	55.0	3,946.0	4,950.0
<b>Texas</b>	<b>1,550.0</b>	<b>1,550.0</b>	<b>1,350.0</b>	<b>1,400.0</b>	<b>46.0</b>	<b>72.0</b>	<b>62,100.0</b>	<b>100,800.0</b>

(D) Combined under *Other Districts*. Not published to prevent disclosure.

# CROP SUMMARY

## Crop Acreage, Yield, and Production - Oklahoma, Texas, and United States: 2018 and Forecasted August 1, 2019 <sup>1</sup>

Crop	Planted		Harvested		Yield per acre		Unit	Production	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019		2018	2019
	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	unit	unit		1,000 units	1,000 units
<b>Corn, grain <sup>2</sup></b>									
Oklahoma	320	360	280	315	134.0	145.0	bushels	37,520	45,675
Texas	2,200	2,500	1,750	2,050	108.0	145.0	bushels	189,000	297,250
United States	89,129	90,005	81,740	82,017	176.4	169.5	bushels	14,420,101	13,900,651
<b>Upland Cotton</b>									
Oklahoma	780	650	550	575	595.0	835.0	(3)	682	1,000
Texas	7,750	7,150	4,350	6,100	756.0	661.0	(3)	6,850	8,400
United States	13,850	13,630	9,957	12,378	847.0	843.0	(3)	17,566	21,726
<b>Pima Cotton</b>									
Texas	18	17	18	15	933.0	960.0	(3)	34	29
United States	250	273	249	259	1,545.0	1,462.0	(3)	801	790
<b>Oats</b>									
Oklahoma	50	75	10	11	48.0	(5)	bushels	480	(5)
Texas	450	400	50	40	50.0	50.0	bushels	2,500	2,000
United States	2,746	2,549	865	909	64.9	66.4	bushels	56,130	60,385
<b>Peanuts</b>									
Oklahoma	16	14	15	13	3,100.0	3,700.0	pounds	46,500	48,100
Texas	155	190	145	180	3,300.0	3,400.0	pounds	478,500	612,000
United States	1,426	1,364	1,369	1,323	3,991.0	4,008.0	pounds	5,461,600	5,302,600
<b>Rice</b>									
Texas	195	200	189	194	7,970.0	7,900.0	(4)	15,060	15,326
United States	2,946	2,756	2,915	2,711	7,692.0	7,577.0	(4)	224,211	205,412
<b>Sorghum, grain <sup>2</sup></b>									
Oklahoma	300	300	240	265	50.0	53.0	bushels	12,000	14,045
Texas	1,550	1,550	1,350	1,400	46.0	72.0	bushels	62,100	100,800
United States	5,690	5,290	5,061	4,785	72.1	73.9	bushels	364,986	353,745
<b>Soybeans</b>									
Oklahoma	630	450	600	430	30.0	26.0	bushels	18,000	11,180
Texas	175	100	135	85	32.0	38.0	bushels	4,320	3,230
United States	89,196	76,700	88,110	75,866	51.6	48.5	bushels	4,543,883	3,680,217
<b>Winter Wheat</b>									
Oklahoma	4,400	4,400	2,500	2,750	28.0	40.0	bushels	70,000	110,000
Texas	4,500	4,500	1,750	2,200	32.0	35.0	bushels	56,000	77,000
United States	32,535	31,778	24,742	24,924	47.9	53.2	bushels	1,183,939	1,326,223

<sup>1</sup> Harvested production and yield are based on August 1 conditions.

<sup>2</sup> Area planted for all purposes.

<sup>3</sup> Cotton yield in pounds and production in 480-pound bales.

<sup>4</sup> Yield in pounds and production in cwt.

<sup>5</sup> State level estimate will be published in the *Small Grains 2019 Summary*.

**U.S. Highlights:** United States **upland cotton** production is expected to total 21.7 million bales, up 24 percent from last year. **Corn** production is forecast at 13.9 billion bushels, down 4 percent from 2018. The **sorghum** crop production is down 3 percent from last year at 354 million bushels. The U.S. **peanut** production is estimated at 5.30 billion pounds, down 3 percent from a year ago. **Soybean** production is forecast at 3.68 billion bushels, 19 percent below last year's estimate. U.S. **rice** production is forecast at 205 million cwt, down 8 percent from 2018. **Alfalfa** production is expected to total 55.4 million tons, up 5 percent from last year. Production of **other hay** is forecast at 75.7 million tons, 7 percent higher than last year.

NASS provides accurate, timely, useful and objective statistics in service to U.S. agriculture. In order to view the full national report, please visit the following website: [www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/](http://www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/).



### August Crop Production (August 2019)

USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service, Southern Plains Regional Field Office