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AUSTIN . . . According to the Texas Field Office, the second-quarter **wheat** stocks for Texas were down 6 percent from last year. Stocks in all positions on December 1 totaled 45.6 million bushels. The on-farm wheat storage, at 2.6 million bushels, was up from the 1.7 million bushels stored on farms a year ago. Off-farm wheat stocks, at 43.0 million bushels, accounted for 94 percent of all wheat stocks.

All **sorghum** stocks in all positions for Texas totaled 61.0 million bushels on December 1, down 2 percent from the previous year. On-farm stocks totaled 5.3 million bushels was up 77 percent from a year ago. Off-farm sorghum stocks, at 55.7 million bushels, accounted for 91 percent of all sorghum stocks.

U.S. **corn** stocks in all positions on December 1, 2008, totaled 10.1 billion bushels, down 2 percent from December 1, 2007. **All wheat** stocks in all positions on December 1, totaled 1.42 billion bushels, up 26 percent from a year ago. **Grain sorghum** in all positions totaled 312 million bushels, up 7 percent from December 1, 2007. **Soybeans** stored in all positions on December 1, 2008, totaled 2.28 billion bushels, down 4 percent from December 1, 2007. **Oats** in all positions totaled 115 million bushels, up 22 percent from December 1, 2007.