



August Crop Production

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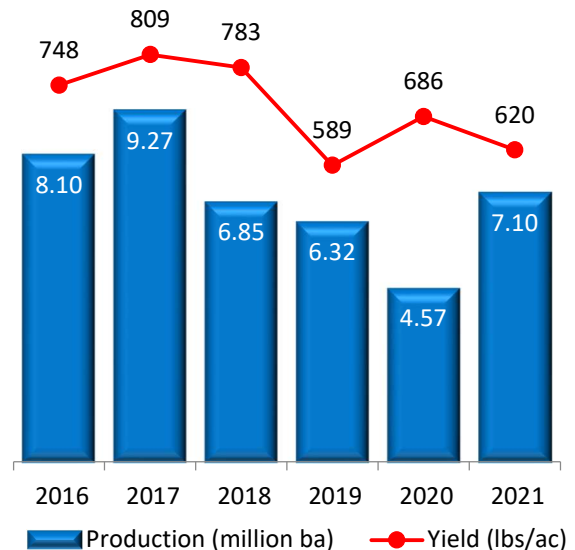
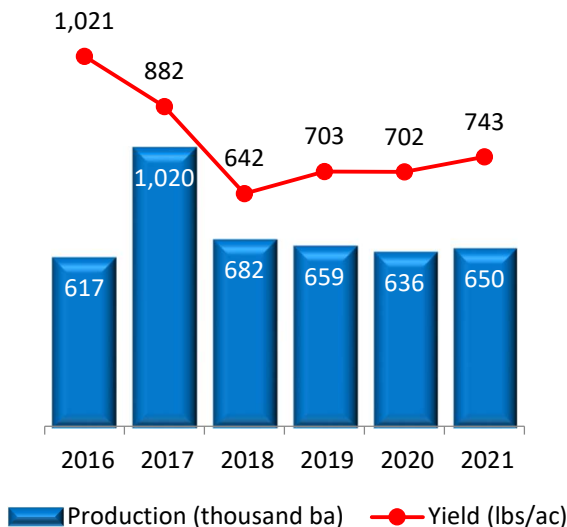
The August row crop harvested and production forecasts are based on a survey of approximately 1,100 Texas and Oklahoma growers conducted by the Southern Plains Regional Field Office. The survey is conducted primarily by telephone with some use of mail and internet. For Texas cotton, an objective yield 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.

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

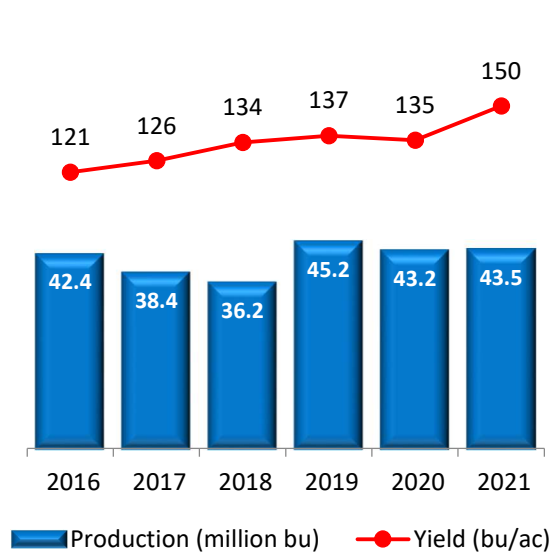
Oklahoma Upland Cotton production is forecast at 650 thousand bales, 2 percent higher than 2020. Yield averaged 743 pounds per acre, compared with 702 pounds last year. Acreage harvested, at 420 thousand acres, is down 3 percent from last year.

Texas Upland Cotton production is forecast at 7.10 million bales, 55 percent higher than 2020. Yield averaged 620 pounds per acre, compared with 686 pounds last year. Acreage harvested, at 5.50 million acres, is up 72 percent from last year.

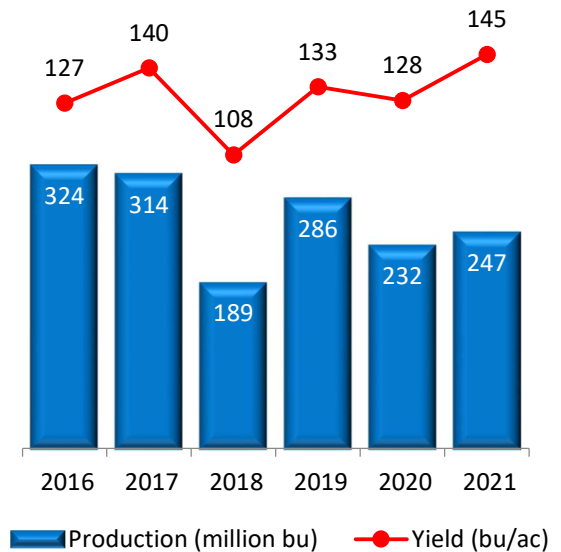


CORN

Oklahoma corn production is forecast at 43.5 million bushels, up 1 percent from the previous year. Statewide yields averaged 150 bushels per acre, 15.0 bushels higher than 2020. Acres harvested for grain, at 290 thousand, is down 9 percent from last year.

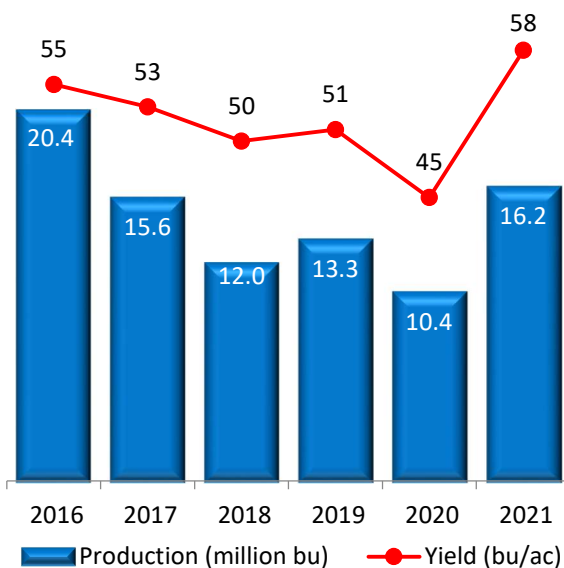


Texas corn production is forecast at 247 million bushels, up 6 percent from the previous year. Statewide yields averaged 145 bushels per acre, 17.0 bushels higher than 2020. Acres harvested for grain, at 1.70 million, is down 6 percent from last year.

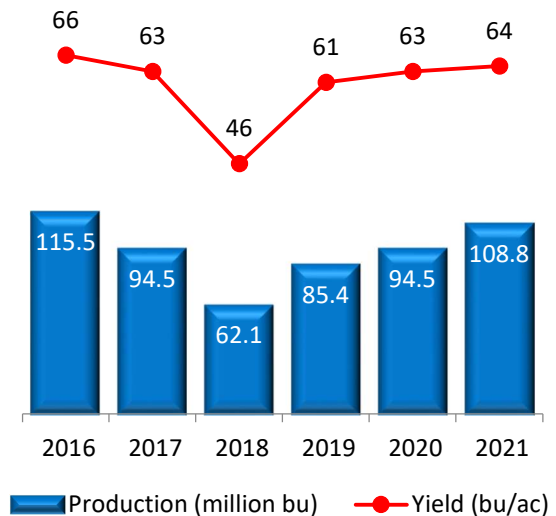


SORGHUM

Oklahoma sorghum production is forecast at 16.2 million bushels, up 57 percent from last year. Yield averaged 58.0 bushels per acre, up 13.0 bushels from the previous year. Acres harvested, at 280 thousand acres, is 22 percent higher than 2020.

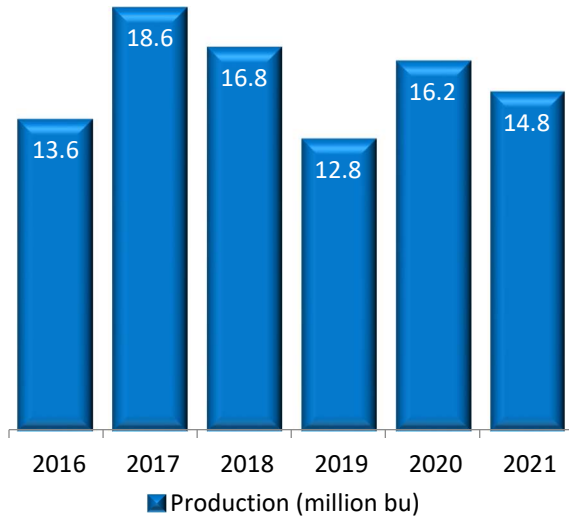


Texas sorghum production is forecast at 109 million bushels, up 15 percent from last year. Yield averaged 64.0 bushels per acre, up 1.0 bushel from the previous year. Acres harvested, at 1.70 million acres, is 13 percent higher than 2020.

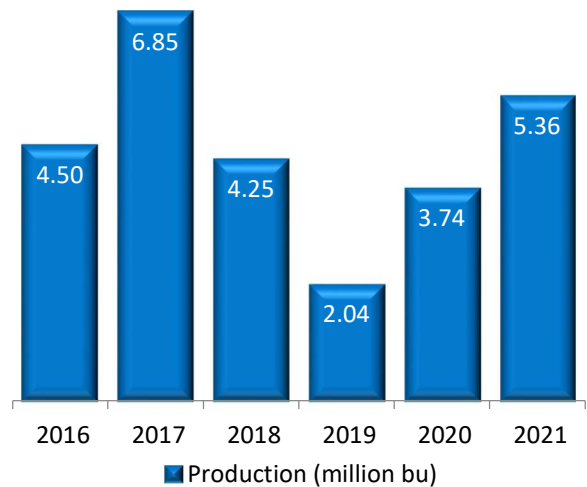


SOYBEANS

Oklahoma soybean production is forecast at 14.8 million bushels, down 8 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 28.0 bushels per acre, compared with 30.0 bushels in 2020. Harvested acreage, at 530 thousand acres, is 2 percent lower than last year.

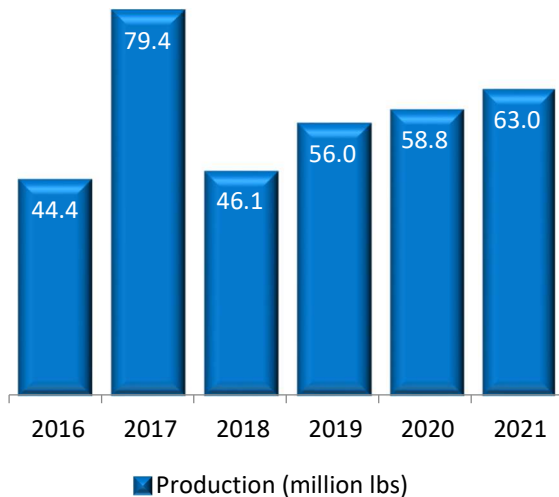


Texas soybean production is forecast at 5.36 million bushels, up 43 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 40.0 bushels per acre, compared with 34.0 bushels in 2020. Harvested acreage, at 134 thousand acres, is 22 percent higher than last year.

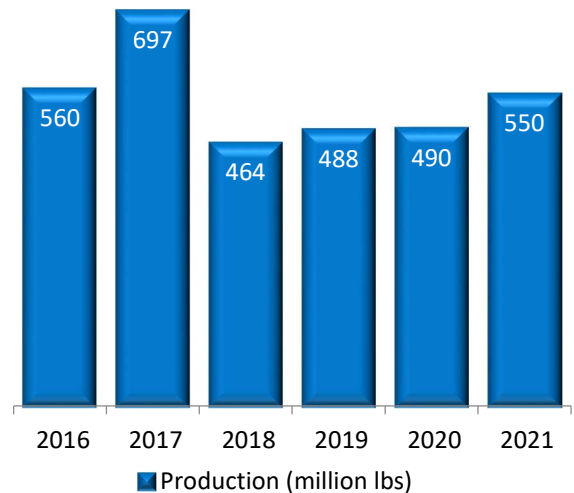


PEANUTS

Oklahoma peanut production is 7 percent higher than last year, at 63.0 million pounds. Yield is forecast at 4,200 pounds per acre, unchanged from 2020. Harvested acres are up 7 percent from last year to 15.0 thousand acres.



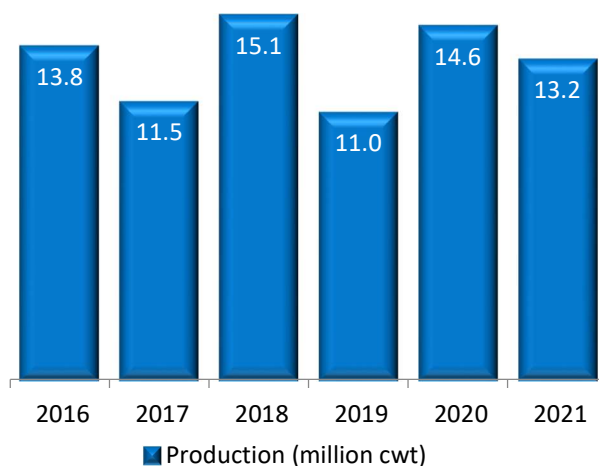
Texas peanut production is 12 percent higher than last year, at 550 million pounds. Yield is forecast at 3,550 pounds per acre, up 750 pounds from 2020. Harvested acres are down 11 percent from last year to 155 thousand acres.



OTHER CROPS

TX Rice

Texas rice production is forecast at 13.2 million cwt, down 9 percent from 2020. Yield is expected to average 7,000 pounds per acre, 1,150 pounds lower than last year. Harvested acreage is forecast at 189 thousand acres, up 6 percent from last year.



Hay Acreage, Yield, and Production - Oklahoma, Texas, and United States: 2020 and August 1, 2021

	Harvested		Yield per Harvested Acre		Production		Percent Change
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	
	<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>
Oklahoma							
Alfalfa	190	160	3.60	3.60	684	576	84
Other Hay	2,600	2,600	1.80	1.95	4,680	5,070	108
Texas							
Alfalfa	110	140	4.90	5.00	539	700	130
Other Hay	4,900	5,000	1.85	2.10	9,065	10,500	116
United States							
Alfalfa	16,230	16,123	3.27	2.97	53,067	47,813	90
Other Hay	36,008	35,414	2.05	2.00	73,745	70,927	96

CROP SUMMARY

Crop Acreage, Yield, and Production - Oklahoma, Texas, and United States: 2020 and 2021

Item	Planted		Harvested		Yield per Acre		Unit	Production	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021		2020	2021
	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	units	units		1,000 units	1,000 units
Corn, grain ¹									
Oklahoma	360	330	320	290	135	150	Bushels	43,200	43,500
Texas	2,250	2,100	1,810	1,700	128	145	Bushels	231,680	246,500
United States	90,819	92,692	82,467	84,495	172	174	Bushels	14,182,479	14,750,368
Upland Cotton									
Oklahoma	525	490	435	420	702	743	(2)	636	650
Texas	6,800	6,700	3,200	5,500	686	620	(2)	4,570	7,100
United States	11,890	11,577	8,081	10,216	835	794	(2)	14,061	16,893
Pima Cotton									
Texas	38	22	31	21	666	914	(2)	43	40
United States	202	142	194	139	1,352	1,281	(2)	547	371
Oats									
Texas	470	370	60	37	45	42	Bushels	2,700	1,554
United States	2,984	2,352	1,004	722	65	57	Bushels	65,355	41,431
Peanuts									
Oklahoma	15	16	14	15	4,200	4,200	Pounds	58,800	63,000
Texas	190	170	175	155	2,800	3,550	Pounds	490,000	550,250
United States	1,664	1,633	1,616	1,586	3,796	4,183	Pounds	6,133,900	6,635,800
Rice									
Texas	184	195	179	189	8,150	7,000	(3)	14,597	13,230
United States	3,036	2,661	2,987	2,616	7,619	7,544	(3)	227,583	197,360
Sorghum, grain ¹									
Oklahoma	305	340	230	280	40	58	Bushels	10,350	16,240
Texas	1,800	2,000	1,500	1,700	63	64	Bushels	94,500	108,800
United States	5,880	6,490	5,095	5,785	73	70	Bushels	372,960	409,385
Soybeans									
Oklahoma	560	570	540	530	30	28	Bushels	16,200	14,840
Texas	120	155	110	134	34	40	Bushels	3,740	5,360
United States	83,084	87,555	82,318	86,720	50	50	Bushels	4,135,477	4,338,853
Winter Wheat									
Oklahoma	4,250	4,300	2,600	2,700	40	40	Bushels	104,000	108,000
Texas	4,900	5,600	2,050	2,250	30	37	Bushels	61,500	83,250
United States	30,415	33,683	23,024	25,443	50	51	Bushels	1,171,022	1,318,735

¹ Area planted for all purposes.

² Cotton yield in pounds and production in 480-pound bales.

³ Yield in pounds and production in cwt.

U.S. Highlights: United States **upland cotton** production is expected to total 16.9 million bales, up 20 percent from last year. **Corn** production is forecast at 14.8 billion bushels, up 4 percent from 2020. The **sorghum** crop production is up 10 percent from last year at 409 million bushels. The U.S. **peanut** production is forecast at 6.64 billion pounds, up 8 percent from a year ago. **Soybean** production is forecast at 4.34 billion bushels, 5 percent above last year's estimate. U.S. **rice** production is forecast at 197 million cwt, down 13 percent from 2020. **Alfalfa** production is expected to total 47.8 million tons, down 10 percent from last year. Production of **other hay** is forecast at 70.9 million tons, 4 percent lower than last year.

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