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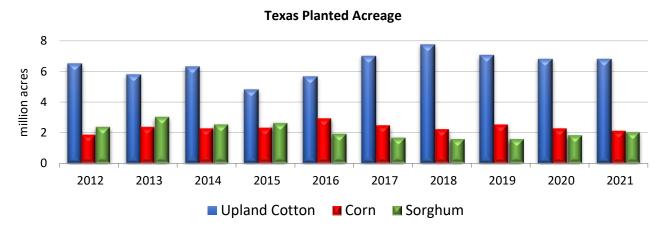
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This report contains the results from the March Agricultural Survey which was conducted during the first two weeks of March 2021. The estimates provided in this report are intended to reflect grower intentions as of the survey period. New acreage estimates will be made based on surveys conducted in June when crop acreages have been established or planting intentions are firm. We would like to thank all farmers and ranchers who responded to this survey and made these estimates possible.

Texas Upland cotton is forecast at 6.80 million acres, unchanged from last year. Planting of **Pima cotton** is expected to total 20.0 thousand acres, 47 percent below 2020. Growers intend to plant 2.10 million acres of **corn**, down 7 percent from last year. Producers intend to plant 2.00 million acres of **sorghum** this year, 11 percent above last year.



Oklahoma Upland cotton is forecast at 510 thousand acres, down 3 percent from last year. Growers intend to plant 350 thousand acres of **corn**, down 3 percent from last year. Producers intend to plant 380 thousand acres of **sorghum** this year, 25 percent above last year.

Oklahoma Planted Acreage

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■ Sorghum

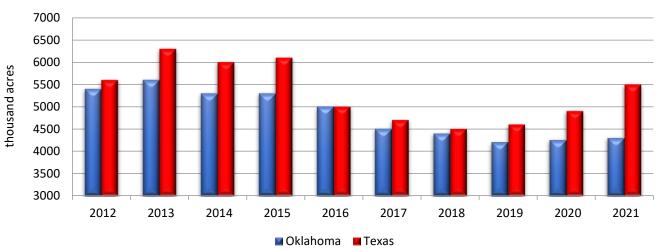
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■ Upland Cotton ■ Corn

Oklahoma winter wheat planted, at 4.30 million acres, is up 1 percent from a year ago. Planted acreage for **oats** is down 9 percent from last year, at 100 thousand acres.

Texas winter wheat planted, at 5.50 million acres, is up 12 percent from a year ago. Planted acreage for **oats** is down 15 percent from last year, at 400 thousand acres.





Oklahoma canola acreage increased 17 percent from last year to 14.0 thousand acres. Prospective **soybean** acreage, at 550 thousand acres, is down 2 percent from last year. Planted acreage for **peanuts** is forecast at 17.0 thousand acres, up 13 percent from 2020. An estimated 2.70 million acres will be harvested for **dry hay** this year, down 3 percent from last year.

Texas rice acreage increased 3 percent from last year at 190 thousand acres. Prospective **soybean** acreage, at 80.0 thousand acres, is down 33 percent from last year. Planted acreage for **peanuts** is forecast at 170 thousand acres, down 11 percent from 2020. An estimated 4.80 million acres will be harvested for **dry hay** this year, down 4 percent from last year.

Planted Acreage of Selected Crops - Oklahoma and Texas: 2019-2021

	Oklahoma				Texas			
Crop	2019	2020	2021 ¹	Percent of previous year	2019	2020	2021 ¹	Percent of previous year
	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	percent	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	percent
Canola	35	12	14	117	-	-	-	-
Corn	370	360	350	97	2,500	2,250	2,100	93
Cotton, Pima	-	-	-	-	12	38	20	53
Cotton, Upland	640	525	510	97	7,050	6,800	6,800	100
Oats	100	110	100	91	400	470	400	85
Peanuts	15	15	17	113	165	190	170	89
Rice	-	-	-	-	157	184	190	103
Sorghum	300	305	380	125	1,550	1,800	2,000	111
Soybeans	465	560	550	98	80	120	80	67
All Sunflowers	-	-	-	-	33	63	52	83
Winter Wheat	4,200	4,250	4,300	101	4,600	4,900	5,500	112
Hay (dry, harvested)	3,005	2,790	2,700	97	4,920	5,010	4,800	96

⁻ No estimates made for this state.

¹ Intended plantings for 2021 based on responses from the March 2021 Agricultural Survey.

U.S. Highlights: United States **Upland cotton** producers intend to plant 11.9 million acres, up slightly from last year. **Corn** acreage, at 91.1 million acres, is up slightly from 2020. **Sorghum** acreage intentions, at 6.94 million acres, are up 18 percent from 2020. **Rice** acreage is forecast at 2.71 million acres, down 11 percent from last year. **Soybean** planting intentions are 87.6 million acres, up 5 percent from last year. **Winter wheat** planted nationally is estimated at 33.1 million acres, up 9 percent from the previous year. Area to be harvested for **all hay** was estimated at 51.7 million, down 1 percent from the previous year.

Planted Acreage of Selected Crops - United States: 2019-2021

Сгор	2019	2020	2021 ¹	Percent of previous year	
	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	percent	
Canola	2,040	1,825	2,115	116	
Corn	89,745	90,819	91,144	100	
Cotton, Pima	229	203	142	70	
Cotton, Upland	13,507	11,890	11,894	100	
Oats	2,830	2,984	2,488	83	
Peanuts	1,433	1,664	1,626	98	
Rice	2,550	3,036	2,710	89	
Sorghum	5,265	5,880	6,940	118	
Soybeans	76,100	83,084	87,600	105	
All Sunflowers	1,351	1,719	1,216	71	
Winter Wheat	31,474	30,415	33,078	109	
Hay (dry, harvested)	52,425	52,238	51,714	99	

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