

The following are the corrections made to the Cotton Ginnings 1999 Summary dated 5.12.00:

### **COTTON GINNINGS 1999 SUMMARY CORRECTIONS**

The Cotton Ginnings 1999 Summary has been updated to reflect 8,000 bales (480-lb equivalent) which were incorrectly reported as produced in Missouri. These bales were produced in Arkansas. The United States production was unchanged.

- I. Running bales produced for Arkansas and Missouri have been corrected.
  
- II. Running bales produced have been corrected for selected counties in Arkansas and Missouri.
  
- III. County Rankings by Running Bales Produced have been corrected to reflect the changes made in Arkansas and Missouri.

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The following is the complete revised text file:



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# Cotton Ginnings 1999 Summary

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Cotton Ginnings: Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters)  
by Type, State, and United States, Crop Years 1996-99

Type and State	1996	1997	1998	1999
All Cotton				
AL	755,850	529,100	538,500	620,650
AZ	812,850	844,350	600,750	695,900
AR	1,593,150	1,627,600	1,172,600	1,390,300
CA	2,687,550	2,558,400	1,466,400	2,127,350
FL 1/				
GA	2,041,500	1,884,400	1,516,450	1,524,050
KS 1/				
LA	1,299,450	1,001,950	652,750	918,950
MS	1,819,250	1,766,450	1,400,900	1,680,400
MO	557,250	547,250	337,750	450,150
NM	89,600	79,900	69,600	59,250
NC	985,100	911,350	1,006,700	802,550
OK	126,100	178,100	138,450	139,500
SC	434,000	389,900	334,200	265,000
TN	664,100	646,850	530,600	574,300
TX	4,294,450	5,080,350	3,558,550	5,020,450
VA	153,000	131,400	133,850	133,950
US	18,438,550	18,301,050	13,533,950	16,528,050
Amer-Pima				
AZ	72,450	41,200	25,400	16,000
CA	360,200	422,450	340,550	580,100
NM	14,450	10,400	6,750	6,500
TX	62,900	57,150	54,050	47,550
US	510,000	531,200	426,750	650,150

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Cotton Ginnings: Running Bales Produced and Equivalent 480-Pound  
Bales Ginned, by Type, State, and United States, Crop Years 1998-99

Type and State	Running Bales Produced		Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	
	1998	1999	1998	1999
All Cotton				
AL	535,950	601,000	555,000	644,700
AZ	616,800	715,400	618,150	712,350
AR	1,189,550	1,406,300	1,191,650	1,410,300
CA	1,450,400	2,107,900	1,515,200	2,202,550
FL 1/	78,100	109,900		
GA	1,494,350	1,520,300	1,564,150	1,570,700
KS 1/	13,950	21,650		
LA	627,800	887,600	665,650	932,350
MS	1,409,400	1,694,050	1,435,050	1,716,800
MO	344,250	463,850	343,150	457,950
NM	89,150	118,900	70,500	59,600
NC	993,800	791,000	1,039,000	828,150
OK	136,150	139,350	142,300	143,000
SC	341,600	273,800	342,200	271,750
TN	532,450	577,500	543,400	590,450
TX	3,536,850	4,958,600	3,672,700	5,160,600
VA	143,400	140,950	135,400	135,700
US	13,533,950	16,528,050	13,912,250	16,966,200
Amer-Pima				
AZ	25,350	15,800	26,750	16,600
CA	340,600	580,400	352,750	602,450
NM	9,750	10,600	6,900	6,550
TX	51,050	43,350	55,750	48,850
US	426,750	650,150	442,150	674,450

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Cotton Ginnings: Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters) by Type,  
Survey Period, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999

Type and State	October 1	October 15	November 1
All Cotton			
AL	77,900	194,800	348,200
AZ	27,100	68,750	177,750
AR	335,700	728,600	1,154,850
CA 1/		73,150	516,800
FL 1/	5,000		46,400
GA	63,900	188,150	501,300
LA	277,700	552,950	807,950
MS	470,900	924,100	1,417,550
MO	135,700	290,300	415,200
NM 1/			13,650
NC 1/		13,650	103,400
OK	2,250	16,550	52,500
SC	4,000	26,500	80,000
TN	152,800	325,550	484,750
TX	1,134,550	1,464,300	2,118,800
VA	0	3,000	23,750
US	2,689,850	4,885,350	8,262,850
Amer-Pima			
AZ 1/			
CA	0	2,850	67,000
NM 1/	0	0	
TX 1/	0		5,600
US 1/		5,200	77,150

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Cotton Ginnings: Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters) by Type,  
Survey Period, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

Type and State	November 15	December 1	December 15
All Cotton			
AL	470,750	548,050	595,400
AZ	296,750	408,450	509,300
AR	1,345,450	1,376,850	1,388,400
CA	1,003,200	1,462,000	1,783,800
FL	71,700	96,000	104,450
GA	808,050	1,141,850	1,392,400
LA	899,200	916,700	918,600
MS	1,607,750	1,672,050	1,678,700
MO	444,400	449,300	450,050
NM	29,550	42,800	54,400
NC	297,250	536,900	714,050
OK	83,150	106,900	122,000
SC	148,000	213,200	249,400
TN	557,950	572,150	573,800
TX	2,880,950	3,736,150	4,331,000
VA	61,450	99,750	125,900
US	11,005,550	13,379,100	14,996,650
Amer-Pima			
AZ 1/		9,200	12,500
CA	159,400	257,600	351,650
NM 1/		3,450	5,650
TX	15,400	25,600	32,850
US	183,250	295,850	402,650

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Cotton Ginnings: Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters) by Type,  
Survey Period, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

Type and State	January 1	January 15	February 1
All Cotton			
AL	614,300	619,600	620,350
AZ	590,100	651,050	686,150
AR	1,388,700	1,389,350	1,389,350
CA	1,954,700	2,039,550	2,093,650
FL 1/			
GA	1,485,050	1,516,500	1,522,700
KS 1/			
LA	918,600	918,950	918,950
MS	1,680,150	1,680,150	1,680,150
MO	450,050	450,100	450,150
NM	58,700	59,150	59,200
NC	782,550	797,450	801,600
OK	131,650	134,450	137,250
SC	260,800	262,650	264,650
TN	574,150	574,150	574,150
TX	4,821,600	4,971,550	5,010,750
VA	133,100	133,650	133,950
US	15,965,150	16,321,650	16,467,700
Amer-Pima			
AZ	14,000	14,650	15,400
CA	436,150	499,600	547,150
NM	6,250	6,400	6,450
TX	40,300	46,000	47,550
US	496,700	566,650	616,550

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
All Cotton	:					
Autauga	1/:					11,700
Baldwin	1/:					26,250
Barbour	:	0		0		7,500
Blount	1/:					1,950
Bullock	:	0		0		550
Butler	:	0		0		4,400
Calhoun	:	0		0		2,050
Chambers	:	0		0		750
Cherokee	1/:					14,700
Chilton	1/:					1,500
Choctaw	:	0		0		450
Clarke	:	0		0		600
Coffee	1/:					15,150
Colbert	1/:					25,500
Conecuh	:	0		0		5,350
Covington	1/:					20,300
Crenshaw	1/:					3,200
Cullman	:	0		0		2,600
Dale	:	0		0		7,500
Dallas	1/:					16,350
Dekalb	1/:	0		0		
Elmore	1/:					15,050
Escambia	1/:					43,450
Etowah	:	0		0		3,300
Fayette	1/:					1,700
Franklin	:	0		0		550
Geneva	1/:					15,000
Greene	1/:					800
Hale	:	0		0		1,250
Henry	1/:					17,750
Houston	1/:					17,350
Jackson	:	0		0		1,900
Lamar	:	0		0		950
Lauderdale	1/:					16,150
Lawrence	1/:					35,200
Lee	:	0		0		3,100

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Limestone	:	80,300	:	84,250	:	76,000
Lowndes	1/:		:		:	5,150
Macon	1/:		:		:	7,050
Madison	:	35,850	:	37,650	:	49,450
Marengo	1/:		:		:	4,450
Marion	:	0	:	0	:	400
Marshall	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Mobile	1/:		:		:	19,050
Monroe	1/:		:		:	41,250
Montgomery	:	0	:	0	:	3,000
Morgan	:	0	:	0	:	1,900
Perry	:	0	:	0	:	1,600
Pickens	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Pike	:	0	:	0	:	9,750
Russell	1/:		:		:	7,000
Shelby	:	0	:	0	:	6,000
Talladega	:	0	:	0	:	10,850
Tallapoosa	1/:		:		:	2,250
Tuscaloosa	1/:		:		:	5,550
Washington	:	0	:	0	:	1,600
Wilcox	:	0	:	0	:	2,050
Winston	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Other	2/:		:		:	4,150
	:		:		:	
Alabama	:	620,650	:	644,700	:	601,000
	:		:		:	
Cochise	1/:		:		:	6,150
Graham	1/:		:		:	48,250
Greenlee	:	0	:	0	:	1,150
La Paz	1/:		:		:	47,350
Maricopa	:	260,550	:	263,950	:	220,750
Mohave	1/:		:		:	11,350
Pima	1/:		:		:	35,750
Pinal	:	252,750	:	259,550	:	284,000
Yuma	:	62,100	:	63,800	:	60,650
	:		:		:	
Arizona	:	695,900	:	712,350	:	715,400
	:		:		:	
Arkansas	:	0	:	0	:	900
Ashley	:	88,850	:	89,600	:	92,800
Chicot	1/:		:		:	56,950

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Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Clay	1/:		:		:	35,500
Craighead	:	162,250	:	161,700	:	153,300
Crittenden	:	72,800	:	73,350	:	72,700
Cross	1/:		:		:	2,850
Desha	:	190,000	:	191,200	:	162,950
Drew	1/:		:		:	33,700
Greene	1/:		:		:	20,400
Jackson	:	0	:	0	:	5,150
Jefferson	:	69,150	:	70,150	:	73,650
Lafayette	1/:		:		:	8,750
Lee	1/:		:		:	50,450
Lincoln	1/:		:		:	57,150
Lonoke	:	52,100	:	52,950	:	48,000
Miller	:	0	:	0	:	2,750
Mississippi	:	285,350	:	291,050	:	270,600
Monroe	1/:		:		:	21,750
Phillips	:	155,000	:	157,600	:	130,050
Poinsett	:	79,650	:	81,300	:	74,700
Prairie	1/:		:		:	1,500
Pulaski	:	0	:	0	:	800
Saint Francis	:	38,500	:	40,000	:	22,050
Woodruff	1/:		:		:	6,900
	:		:		:	
Arkansas	:	1,390,300	:	1,410,300	:	1,406,300
	:		:		:	
Colusa	1/:		:		:	14,750
Fresno	1/:	757,950	:	788,750	:	749,850
Glenn	:	0	:	0	:	
Imperial	1/:		:		:	27,850
Kern	:	402,850	:	416,050	:	459,050
Kings	:	446,500	:	461,400	:	430,350
Madera	1/:		:		:	61,500
Merced	:	158,450	:	164,150	:	173,450
Riverside	1/:		:		:	32,850
San Bernardi	:	0	:	0	:	1,500
Sutter	1/:		:		:	1,200
Tehama	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Tulare	:	206,350	:	212,250	:	152,000
Yolo	:	0	:	0	:	2,300
	:		:		:	
California	:	2,127,350	:	2,202,550	:	2,107,900

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Calhoun	:	0	:	0	:	2,700
Columbia	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Escambia	1/:		:		:	21,150
Gadsen	:	0	:	0	:	1,050
Gilchrist	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Hamilton	:	0	:	0	:	1,100
Holmes	:	0	:	0	:	1,000
Jackson	1/:		:		:	26,000
Jefferson	:	0	:	0	:	650
Madison	:	0	:	0	:	300
Okaloosa	:	0	:	0	:	7,850
Santa Rosa	1/:		:		:	43,950
Walton	:	0	:	0	:	2,400
Washington	:	0	:	0	:	1,450
	:		:		:	
Florida	1/:		:		:	109,900
	:		:		:	
Appling	1/:		:		:	41,000
Atkinson	:	0	:	0	:	15,700
Bacon	:	0	:	0	:	12,050
Baker	:	0	:	0	:	29,550
Bartow	1/:		:		:	2,750
Ben Hill	:	0	:	0	:	11,700
Berrien	1/:		:		:	24,800
Bibb	:	0	:	0	:	400
Bleckley	1/:		:		:	14,900
Blinch	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Brooks	1/:		:		:	46,000
Bryan	:	0	:	0	:	350
Bulloch	1/:		:		:	26,300
Burke	:	39,150	:	40,350	:	20,450
Calhoun	1/:		:		:	35,350
Candler	1/:		:		:	8,150
Clay	:	0	:	0	:	9,000
Coffee	1/:		:		:	52,300
Colquitt	:	225,300	:	232,450	:	98,550
Cook	:	0	:	0	:	27,450
Crawford	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Crisp	1/:		:		:	35,550
Decatur	1/:		:		:	62,300
Dodge	1/:		:		:	17,750

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Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Dooly	:	108,150	:	110,950	:	75,850
Dougherty	:	0	:	0	:	13,950
Early	1/:		:		:	49,800
Effingham	:	0	:	0	:	3,600
Elbert	:	0	:	0	:	1,950
Emanuel	:	0	:	0	:	9,600
Evans	:	0	:	0	:	4,000
Floyd	:	0	:	0	:	2,850
Glascock	:	0	:	0	:	450
Grady	:	0	:	0	:	41,050
Hart	:	0	:	0	:	500
Henry	:	0	:	0	:	1,250
Houston	:	0	:	0	:	11,200
Irwin	1/:		:		:	34,150
Jeff Davis	1/:		:		:	24,450
Jefferson	1/:		:		:	10,150
Jenkins	:	0	:	0	:	8,450
Johnson	:	0	:	0	:	2,650
Lamar	:	0	:	0	:	350
Lanier	:	0	:	0	:	7,450
Laurens	1/:		:		:	5,900
Lee	1/:		:		:	34,650
Lowndes	1/:		:		:	10,050
Macon	:	0	:	0	:	17,650
Marion	1/:	0	:	0	:	
McDuffie	:	0	:	0	:	350
Miller	1/:		:		:	33,950
Mitchell	1/:		:		:	72,650
Monroe	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Montgomery	:	0	:	0	:	3,400
Morgan	1/:		:		:	1,000
Oconee	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Peach	:	0	:	0	:	4,800
Pierce	:	0	:	0	:	19,950
Polk	:	0	:	0	:	2,050
Pulaski	1/:		:		:	28,200
Quitman	:	0	:	0	:	1,150
Randolph	1/:		:		:	15,750
Richmond	:	0	:	0	:	400
Schley	:	0	:	0	:	750
Screven	1/:		:		:	14,400

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Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
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County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
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:						
Seminole	1/:					37,750
Stewart	:	0		0		4,450
Sumter	1/:					30,800
Tattnall	:	0		0		5,350
Taylor	1/:					4,400
Telfair	:	0		0		4,850
Terrell	1/:					19,150
Thomas	1/:					38,500
Tift	1/:					31,300
Toombs	:	0		0		7,300
Treutlen	:	0		0		3,250
Troup	1/:	0		0		
Turner	1/:					30,550
Twiggs	:	0		0		4,000
Walton	:	0		0		400
Ware	:	0		0		5,650
Washington	:	0		0		1,800
Wayne	:	0		0		17,300
Webster	:	0		0		3,800
Wheeler	:	0		0		2,350
Wilcox	1/:					32,550
Wilkinson	:	0		0		300
Worth	1/:					70,500
:						
Georgia	:	1,524,050		1,570,700		1,520,300
:						
:						
Kansas	1/:					21,650
:						
:						
Avoyelles	1/:					15,050
Bienville	:	0		0		700
Bossier	:	0		0		2,650
Caddo	:	29,800		30,850		20,500
Caldwell	:	0		0		10,500
Catahoula	:	63,500		64,350		76,050
Claiborne	1/:	0		0		
Concordia	:	74,250		75,350		73,750
Desoto	:	0		0		1,300
East Baton r	1/:	0		0		
East Carroll	:	100,350		100,850		63,800
East Felicia	:	0		0		300

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Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
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County and State	Running Bales Ginned	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	Running Bales Produced
Evangeline	0	0	2,800
Franklin	119,550	121,600	96,750
Grant	0	0	1,600
Lasalle 1/:	0	0	
Madison 1/:			83,550
Morehouse	109,450	111,150	83,100
Natchitoches	0	0	6,000
Ouachita 1/:			19,200
Pointe Coupe 1/:			11,950
Rapides	36,500	36,750	29,750
Red River 1/:			8,000
Richland	95,650	96,400	67,850
Saint Landry	0	0	6,000
Tensas	135,550	139,150	152,950
Union 1/:	0	0	
Webster	0	0	350
West Carroll 1/:			52,000
West Feliciana	0	0	450
Louisiana	918,950	932,350	887,600
Adams	0	0	7,450
Alcorn	0	0	1,350
Attala	0	0	7,850
Benton 1/:			750
Bolivar	115,100	117,350	114,900
Calhoun 1/:			28,200
Carroll 1/:			24,400
Chickasaw 1/:			7,550
Choctaw	0	0	1,050
Claiborne	0	0	3,400
Clay	0	0	3,500
Coahoma	146,450	148,250	130,000
Copiah	0	0	2,750
Covington	0	0	950
Desoto 1/:			18,450
George	0	0	9,250
Greene	0	0	550
Grenada 1/:			12,400
Hinds 1/:			21,700
Holmes	109,200	110,950	101,400

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Running Bales Ginned	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	Running Bales Produced
Humphreys	87,950	89,350	108,000
Issaquena 1/:			26,450
Itawamba	0	0	1,050
Jackson	0	0	300
Jefferson 1/:			8,050
Jones 1/:	0	0	
Lafayette 1/:			7,000
Leake	0	0	1,400
Lee 1/:			4,700
Leflore	158,900	164,500	138,450
Lowndes	0	0	4,850
Madison 1/:			34,350
Marshall 1/:	0	0	
Monroe 1/:			11,500
Montgomery 1/:			11,650
Newton	0	0	500
Noxubee	0	0	5,450
Oktibbeha	0	0	1,050
Panola	44,850	46,700	45,400
Pike	0	0	2,150
Pontotoc 1/:			3,750
Prentiss	0	0	2,100
Quitman	51,550	52,250	46,900
Rankin 1/:			8,200
Scott	0	0	4,600
Sharkey 1/:			87,100
Smith 1/:	0	0	
Sunflower	117,250	119,950	98,200
Tallahatchie	94,500	96,650	115,650
Tate 1/:			12,450
Tippah 1/:			1,550
Tishomingo	0	0	1,250
Tunica	62,700	64,150	76,500
Union	0	0	1,050
Warren 1/:			17,100
Washington	134,500	138,850	129,250
Webster 1/:			20,150
Wilkinson	0	0	550
Yalobusha 1/:			11,900
Yazoo	174,850	178,300	145,250
Mississippi	1,680,400	1,716,800	1,694,050

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Butler	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Dade	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Dunklin	:	172,250	:	174,950	:	183,700
Mississippi	1/:	0	:	0	:	
New Madrid	:	133,700	:	136,500	:	113,650
Pemiscot	:	97,250	:	98,450	:	99,550
Scott	1/:		:		:	12,550
Stoddard	1/:		:		:	46,700
Other	2/:		:		:	6,800
	:		:		:	
Missouri	:	450,150	:	457,950	:	463,850
	:		:		:	
Chaves	1/:		:		:	9,550
Curry	:	0	:	0	:	18,650
Dona Ana	:	26,000	:	26,100	:	28,950
Eddy	1/:		:		:	17,300
Hidalgo	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Lea	:	0	:	0	:	11,950
Luna	1/:		:		:	9,600
Quay	:	0	:	0	:	5,400
Roosevelt	:	0	:	0	:	17,150
Sierra	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Other	2/:		:		:	50
	:		:		:	
New Mexico	:	59,250	:	59,600	:	118,900
	:		:		:	
Anson	1/:		:		:	4,500
Beaufort	1/:		:		:	18,600
Bertie	1/:		:		:	37,550
Bladen	:	0	:	0	:	8,800
Brunswick	:	0	:	0	:	400
Cabarrus	:	0	:	0	:	2,650
Camden	:	0	:	0	:	1,700
Carteret	:	0	:	0	:	1,650
Chatham	:	0	:	0	:	350
Chowan	:	0	:	0	:	23,600
Cleveland	1/:		:		:	2,200
Columbus	1/:		:		:	3,200
Craven	1/:		:		:	15,050

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Running Bales Ginned	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	Running Bales Produced
Cumberland	0	0	6,600
Currituck	0	0	1,300
Davidson	0	0	
Duplin	0	0	22,450
Edgecombe	0	0	31,200
Franklin	0	0	
Gates	0	0	24,650
Greene	0	0	19,900
Halifax	61,100	62,600	60,900
Harnett	0	0	10,800
Hertford	0	0	24,150
Hoke	0	0	13,900
Hyde	0	0	21,250
Iredell	0	0	1,000
Johnston	0	0	10,400
Jones	0	0	18,250
Lee	0	0	1,900
Lenoir	0	0	32,250
Martin	0	0	40,950
Montgomery	0	0	6,950
Moore	0	0	
Nash	0	0	17,550
Northampton	71,150	73,900	70,350
Onslow	0	0	3,150
Pamlico	0	0	3,850
Pasquotank	0	0	8,250
Pender	0	0	2,050
Perquimans	0	0	18,700
Pitt	0	0	30,400
Richmond	0	0	350
Robeson	38,250	41,150	25,400
Rowan	0	0	1,350
Rutherford	0	0	450
Sampson	43,000	43,750	30,750
Scotland	0	0	19,650
Stanly	0	0	17,600
Tyrrell	0	0	2,950
Union	0	0	12,150
Wake	0	0	350
Warren	0	0	
Washington	0	0	14,100

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Wayne	1/:		:		:	22,350
Wilson	1/:		:		:	19,500
	:		:		:	
North Carolina	:	802,550	:	828,150	:	791,000
	:		:		:	
Alfalfa	:	0	:	0	:	1,200
Beckham	1/:		:		:	5,550
Bryan	1/:		:		:	0
Caddo	:	1,950	:	2,000	:	1,750
Canadian	:	0	:	0	:	950
Coal	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Comanche	:	0	:	0	:	300
Cotton	:	0	:	0	:	300
Custer	1/:		:		:	2,300
Garfield	:	0	:	0	:	1,750
Garvin	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Grady	1/:		:		:	700
Grant	:	0	:	0	:	2,500
Greer	1/:		:		:	6,250
Harmon	:	22,450	:	22,950	:	26,200
Jackson	:	58,700	:	60,100	:	55,200
Kay	1/:		:		:	6,100
Kiowa	:	8,300	:	8,450	:	7,750
Mcclain	1/:		:		:	850
Noble	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Oklahoma	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Roger Mills	:	0	:	0	:	1,700
Tillman	1/:		:		:	6,950
Wagoner	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Washita	:	6,750	:	6,850	:	9,850
Woods	:	0	:	0	:	500
	:		:		:	
Oklahoma	:	139,500	:	143,000	:	139,350
	:		:		:	
Abbeville	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Aiken	:	0	:	0	:	5,100
Allendale	1/:		:		:	6,500
Anderson	:	0	:	0	:	400
Bamberg	:	0	:	0	:	12,900
Barnwell	1/:		:		:	6,200
Berkeley	:	0	:	0	:	650

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Calhoun	:	52,450	:	53,650	:	28,200
Cherokee	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Chester	:	0	:	0	:	1,450
Chesterfield	:	0	:	0	:	300
Clarendon	:	18,500	:	19,200	:	5,400
Colleton	:	0	:	0	:	2,650
Darlington	1/:		:		:	37,850
Dillon	1/:		:		:	16,350
Dorchester	:	0	:	0	:	6,650
Edgefield	:	0	:	0	:	650
Fairfield	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Florence	:	0	:	0	:	5,550
Hampton	1/:		:		:	17,250
Horry	:	0	:	0	:	400
Kershaw	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Lancaster	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Laurens	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Lee	:	25,500	:	25,900	:	19,700
Lexington	:	0	:	0	:	1,400
Marion	:	0	:	0	:	3,200
Marlboro	:	28,350	:	29,400	:	28,850
Newberry	:	0	:	0	:	950
Orangeburg	:	46,800	:	47,650	:	37,100
Richland	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Saluda	1/:		:		:	1,450
Sumter	:	9,200	:	9,200	:	7,650
Union	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Williamsburg	1/:		:		:	16,550
York	1/:		:		:	1,600
	:		:		:	
South Carolina	:	265,000	:	271,750	:	273,800
	:		:		:	
Carroll	1/:		:		:	13,400
Chester	:	0	:	0	:	2,100
Coffee	:	0	:	0	:	400
Crockett	:	94,100	:	96,450	:	84,150
Dyer	1/:		:		:	34,800
Fayette	1/:		:		:	45,950
Franklin	:	0	:	0	:	9,000
Gibson	:	43,700	:	44,800	:	36,550
Giles	:	0	:	0	:	2,000

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Hardeman	1/:		:		:	15,600
Hardin	:	0	:	0	:	550
Haywood	:	159,400	:	164,000	:	114,850
Henderson	:	0	:	0	:	1,250
Henry	:	0	:	0	:	300
Lake	1/:		:		:	13,750
Lauderdale	:	55,200	:	57,000	:	51,050
Lawrence	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Lincoln	1/:		:		:	7,800
Madison	1/:		:		:	47,250
Mcnairy	:	0	:	0	:	900
Moore	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Obion	:	0	:	0	:	4,800
Rutherford	:	0	:	0	:	1,600
Shelby	:	0	:	0	:	20,850
Tipton	:	83,100	:	86,400	:	67,750
Weakley	:	0	:	0	:	550
	:		:		:	
Tennessee	:	574,300	:	590,450	:	577,500
	:		:		:	
Anderson	:	0	:	0	:	21,800
Andrews	:	0	:	0	:	13,800
Archer	1/:	0	:	0	:	
Austin	:	0	:	0	:	5,950
Bailey	:	98,600	:	101,500	:	61,050
Bastrop	:	0	:	0	:	600
Baylor	:	0	:	0	:	1,650
Bee	:	0	:	0	:	6,800
Bell	:	0	:	0	:	5,400
Borden	1/:		:		:	5,850
Brazoria	:	24,600	:	26,100	:	9,700
Brazos	1/:		:		:	11,650
Briscoe	:	27,500	:	28,800	:	10,050
Brown	:	0	:	0	:	850
Burleson	1/:		:		:	29,200
Caldwell	1/:		:		:	2,350
Calhoun	1/:		:		:	47,600
Cameron	:	66,450	:	68,400	:	72,450
Castro	:	55,400	:	56,100	:	64,200
Childress	1/:		:		:	29,400
Clay	1/:		:		:	300

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:					
Cochran	1/:					81,350
Coke	1/:					
Coleman	:	0		0		1,850
Collin	1/:					2,550
Collingsworth	1/:					20,600
Colorado	:	0		0		4,100
Concho	1/:					10,600
Cottle	1/:					7,350
Crosby	:	160,550		166,100		156,700
Culberson	1/:					1,050
Dawson	:	174,850		177,850		190,150
De Witt	:	0		0		350
Deaf Smith	1/:					30,900
Delta	:	0		0		500
Denton	:	0		0		550
Dickens	1/:					12,550
Dimmit	1/:	0		0		
Donley	1/:					3,000
El Paso	1/:					45,100
Ellis	:	23,700		24,350		23,950
Falls	1/:					7,400
Fisher	1/:					29,950
Floyd	:	128,750		134,550		142,400
Foard	:	0		0		1,500
Fort Bend	:	81,500		83,650		68,600
Frio	:	0		0		8,800
Gaines	:	285,800		294,750		290,100
Garza	1/:					24,350
Glasscock	1/:					44,900
Goliad	:	0		0		1,950
Grimes	:	0		0		2,150
Guadalupe	:	0		0		400
Hale	:	371,900		382,200		310,750
Hall	:	62,800		65,350		64,700
Hardeman	1/:					5,400
Haskell	:	40,300		41,850		34,400
Hays	1/:	0		0		
Hidalgo	:	51,700		52,800		60,200
Hill	1/:					19,850
Hockley	:	202,300		208,350		101,550
Houston	1/:					750

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
Howard	:	48,650	:	50,050	:	39,900
Hudspeth	:	0	:	0	:	24,500
Hunt	1/:					1,800
Irion	1/:	0		0		
Jackson	1/:					51,700
Jim Wells	:	0		0		1,250
Johnson	:	0		0		350
Jones	:	24,100		24,750		18,350
Kaufman	:	0		0		5,500
Kent	1/:					550
King	:	0		0		500
Kinney	:	0		0		400
Kleberg	1/:					1,450
Knox	1/:					31,250
La Salle	1/:	0		0		
Lamar	1/:					3,200
Lamb	:	228,200		235,450		198,700
Leon	1/:	0		0		
Limestone	:	0		0		2,400
Live Oak	:	0		0		1,550
Lubbock	:	248,200		257,000		181,700
Lynn	:	185,050		190,450		139,450
Madison	:	0		0		450
Martin	:	107,300		110,350		76,050
Mason	:	0		0		400
Matagorda	1/:					73,400
Mcculloch	1/:					1,600
Mclennan	1/:					10,500
Medina	1/:					5,400
Midland	1/:					16,400
Milam	1/:					12,450
Mitchell	:	18,400		18,750		19,200
Motley	1/:					14,950
Navarro	1/:					13,750
Nolan	1/:					14,900
Nueces	:	122,600		127,100		143,300
Parmer	:	115,300		118,950		109,350
Pecos	1/:					14,300
Randall	1/:	0		0		
Reagan	:	0		0		12,500
Red River	:	0		0		2,700

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Running Bales Ginned	:	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	:	Running Bales Produced
	:		:		:	
Reeves	1/:					9,450
Refugio	1/:					55,150
Robertson	:	24,950		25,400		18,850
Runnels	:	28,150		29,200		18,750
San Patricio	:	337,550		346,050		259,600
San saba	1/:	0		0		0
Schleicher	:	0		0		1,650
Scurry	:	27,650		28,150		27,000
Shackelford	:	0		0		500
Starr	1/:					0
Stonewall	:	0		0		750
Swisher	:	73,650		75,800		89,800
Taylor	1/:					2,100
Terry	:	163,150		167,350		173,200
Throckmorton	1/:					450
Tom Green	:	45,400		46,200		43,800
Travis	:	0		0		1,350
Upton	1/:					8,150
Uvalde	:	0		0		8,000
Victoria	:	0		0		29,950
Walker	1/:					1,100
Ward	1/:	0		0		0
Washington	:	0		0		300
Wharton	:	212,400		216,800		108,900
Wichita	1/:					1,450
Wilbarger	:	9,300		9,450		7,800
Willacy	:	113,500		116,550		53,950
Williamson	:	42,900		42,700		41,350
Wilson	:	0		0		1,350
Yoakum	:	163,300		165,950		130,050
Young	1/:					600
Zavala	1/:					4,050
Other	2/:					397,900
	:					
Texas	:	5,020,450		5,160,600		4,958,600
	:					
Accomack	1/:					2,000
Amelia	1/:	0		0		
Brunswick	1/:	0		0		
Charles City	:	0		0		2,350
Dinwiddie	:	0		0		9,300

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Cotton Ginnings: All Cotton Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters),  
Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned, and Running Bales Produced  
by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Running Bales Ginned	Equivalent 480-Pound Bales Ginned	Running Bales Produced
Greensville 1/:			10,900
Henrico 1/:	0	0	
Isle of Wigh 1/:			15,450
King William 1/:	0	0	
King and Que 1/:	0	0	
New Kent 1/:	0	0	
Northampton :	0	0	5,400
Prince Georg 1/:	0	0	
Southampton :	0	0	54,700
Suffolk City 1/:			24,400
Surry :	0	0	6,450
Sussex 1/:			7,050
Virginia :	133,950	135,700	140,950
US TOTAL :	16,528,050	16,966,200	16,528,050

1/ Withheld to avoid disclosing individual gins, but included in State and U. S. totals.

2/ County of origin was not determined.

Note: Counties may not add to State total due to rounding.



Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Autauga	2	513.5	254
Baldwin	1	497.0	155
Barbour	0	0.0	300
Blount	1	485.0	418
Bullock	0	0.0	510
Butler	0	0.0	356
Calhoun	0	0.0	412
Chambers	0	0.0	495
Cherokee	4	486.1	232
Chilton	1	484.0	444
Choctaw	0	0.0	524
Clarke	0	0.0	506
Coffee	1	493.0	223
Colbert	2	485.6	158
Conecuh	0	0.0	341
Covington	1	503.2	183
Crenshaw	1	489.9	371
Cullman	0	0.0	394
Dale	0	0.0	301
Dallas	2	565.1	216
Dekalb	0	0.0	563
Elmore	3	494.6	224
Escambia	1	502.4	103
Etowah	0	0.0	369
Fayette	1	498.6	430
Franklin	0	0.0	509
Geneva	2	491.0	227
Greene	1	500.0	491
Hale	0	0.0	461
Henry	2	489.0	203
Houston	1	491.3	208
Jackson	0	0.0	422
Lamar	0	0.0	483
Lauderdale	2	494.8	218
Lawrence	4	501.2	120
Lee	0	0.0	377

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Limestone	6	503.7	53
Lowndes	1	503.0	343
Macon	1	480.0	307
Madison	3	504.1	88
Marengo	1	486.3	354
Marion	0	0.0	530
Marshall	0	0.0	594
Mobile	1	504.5	194
Monroe	1	491.8	105
Montgomery	0	0.0	378
Morgan	0	0.0	421
Perry	0	0.0	436
Pickens	0	0.0	564
Pike	0	0.0	272
Russell	2	484.0	309
Shelby	0	0.0	323
Talladega	0	0.0	262
Tallapoosa	1	497.6	404
Tuscaloosa	1	499.3	330
Washington	0	0.0	437
Wilcox	0	0.0	413
Winston	0	0.0	607
Alabama	51	498.6	
Cochise	1	485.9	321
Graham	4	502.6	89
Greenlee	0	0.0	468
La Paz	2	498.8	92
Maricopa	14	486.3	9
Mohave	2	486.2	259
Pima	2	496.7	116
Pinal	18	492.9	6
Yuma	4	493.1	74
Arizona	47	491.3	
Arkansas	0	0.0	487
Ashley	6	484.1	43
Chicot	2	488.5	77
Clay	3	481.5	118

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Craighead	8	478.3	18
Crittenden	5	483.7	59
Cross	1	521.0	381
Desha	6	483.0	16
Drew	1	484.6	127
Greene	3	480.1	182
Jackson	0	0.0	344
Jefferson	9	487.0	57
Lafayette	2	501.1	284
Lee	1	503.3	86
Lincoln	1	500.2	76
Lonoke	7	487.7	90
Miller	0	0.0	384
Mississippi	13	489.6	7
Monroe	2	480.0	174
Phillips	7	488.0	26
Poinsett	6	490.0	55
Prairie	1	475.0	445
Pulaski	0	0.0	492
Saint Francis	3	498.7	172
Woodruff	1	493.9	313
Arkansas	88	486.9	
Colusa	1	491.1	231
Fresno	27	499.5	1
Glenn	0	0.0	469
Imperial	1	490.0	150
Kern	17	495.7	2
Kings	15	496.0	3
Madera	3	502.9	71
Merced	5	497.3	14
Riverside	2	489.6	128
San Bernardi	0	0.0	446
Sutter	1	500.0	466
Tehama	0	0.0	595
Tulare	7	493.7	20
Yolo	0	0.0	402
California	79	497.0	

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Calhoun	0	0.0	388
Columbia	0	0.0	608
Escambia	1	480.1	177
Gadsen	0	0.0	473
Gilchrist	0	0.0	565
Hamilton	0	0.0	471
Holmes	0	0.0	479
Jackson	1	502.6	157
Jefferson	0	0.0	503
Madison	0	0.0	553
Okaloosa	0	0.0	293
Santa Rosa	2	500.2	101
Walton	0	0.0	397
Washington	0	0.0	448
Florida	4	497.1	
Appling	2	497.2	107
Atkinson	0	0.0	220
Bacon	0	0.0	250
Baker	0	0.0	142
Bartow	1	480.0	385
Ben Hill	0	0.0	255
Berrien	2	495.7	160
Bibb	0	0.0	532
Bleckley	1	496.0	229
Blinch	0	0.0	596
Brooks	2	503.7	96
Bryan	0	0.0	544
Bulloch	2	485.4	154
Burke	4	495.0	181
Calhoun	2	495.0	119
Candler	2	497.7	288
Clay	0	0.0	280
Coffee	2	493.5	82
Colquitt	7	495.2	40
Cook	0	0.0	151
Crawford	0	0.0	610
Crisp	2	484.7	117
Decatur	2	496.1	70

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Dodge	1	492.0	204
Dooly	8	492.5	54
Dougherty	0	0.0	236
Early	1	491.4	87
Effingham	0	0.0	365
Elbert	0	0.0	419
Emanuel	0	0.0	274
Evans	0	0.0	361
Floyd	0	0.0	382
Glascock	0	0.0	525
Grady	0	0.0	106
Hart	0	0.0	518
Henry	0	0.0	462
Houston	0	0.0	260
Irwin	2	495.8	125
Jeff Davis	1	503.0	163
Jefferson	2	505.0	268
Jenkins	0	0.0	285
Johnson	0	0.0	390
Lamar	0	0.0	542
Lanier	0	0.0	302
Laurens	2	501.7	327
Lee	1	484.3	122
Lowndes	1	496.6	269
Macon	0	0.0	205
Marion	0	0.0	566
McDuffie	0	0.0	543
Miller	1	492.3	126
Mitchell	1	493.7	60
Monroe	0	0.0	567
Montgomery	0	0.0	367
Morgan	1	492.0	480
Oconee	0	0.0	609
Peach	0	0.0	348
Pierce	0	0.0	185
Polk	0	0.0	414
Pulaski	2	481.9	147
Quitman	0	0.0	470

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Randolph	1	498.5	219
Richmond	0	0.0	533
Schley	0	0.0	496
Screven	1	513.1	233
Seminole	1	497.2	112
Stewart	0	0.0	355
Sumter	2	492.1	135
Tattnall	0	0.0	342
Taylor	1	487.7	357
Telfair	0	0.0	346
Terrell	1	497.0	193
Thomas	2	493.2	110
Tift	2	483.1	131
Toombs	0	0.0	306
Treutlen	0	0.0	370
Troup	0	0.0	575
Turner	2	501.7	137
Twiggs	0	0.0	360
Walton	0	0.0	531
Ware	0	0.0	329
Washington	0	0.0	425
Wayne	0	0.0	209
Webster	0	0.0	363
Wheeler	0	0.0	399
Wilcox	1	494.0	129
Wilkinson	0	0.0	554
Worth	1	505.0	62
Georgia	70	494.7	

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	:	Number of Active Gins	:	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	:	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	:	Number	:	Pounds	:	Rank
Kansas	1/	2	:	485.0	:	
Avoyelles	:	1	:	485.4	:	225
Bienville	:	0	:	0.0	:	500
Bossier	:	0	:	0.0	:	391
Caddo	:	5	:	496.7	:	180
Caldwell	:	0	:	0.0	:	265
Catahoula	:	4	:	486.6	:	51
Claiborne	:	0	:	0.0	:	615
Concordia	:	3	:	487.1	:	56
Desoto	:	0	:	0.0	:	459
East Baton r	:	0	:	0.0	:	568
East Carroll	:	11	:	482.3	:	69
East Felicia	:	0	:	0.0	:	555
Evangeline	:	0	:	0.0	:	383
Franklin	:	10	:	488.2	:	42
Grant	:	0	:	0.0	:	438
Lasalle	:	0	:	0.0	:	579
Madison	:	2	:	475.4	:	47
Morehouse	:	5	:	487.5	:	48
Natchitoches	:	0	:	0.0	:	324
Ouachita	:	1	:	480.0	:	191
Pointe Coupe	:	1	:	487.7	:	251
Rapides	:	4	:	483.3	:	141
Red River	:	1	:	476.8	:	291
Richland	:	10	:	483.7	:	65
Saint Landry	:	0	:	0.0	:	325
Tensas	:	7	:	492.7	:	19
Union	:	0	:	0.0	:	578
Webster	:	0	:	0.0	:	546
West Carroll	:	2	:	496.0	:	83
West Felicia	:	0	:	0.0	:	526
Louisiana	:	67	:	487.0	:	

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Adams	0	0.0	303
Alcorn	0	0.0	455
Attala	0	0.0	294
Benton	1	496.5	497
Bolivar	8	489.4	31
Calhoun	3	485.7	148
Carroll	3	490.4	164
Chickasaw	1	487.0	299
Choctaw	0	0.0	476
Claiborne	0	0.0	368
Clay	0	0.0	366
Coahoma	7	485.9	28
Copiah	0	0.0	387
Covington	0	0.0	484
Desoto	2	489.2	200
George	0	0.0	279
Greene	0	0.0	512
Grenada	1	487.1	248
Hinds	2	495.5	175
Holmes	4	487.6	38
Humphreys	4	487.7	36
Issaquena	1	480.0	153
Itawamba	0	0.0	474
Jackson	0	0.0	556
Jefferson	1	475.0	290
Jones	0	0.0	599
Lafayette	1	482.5	310
Leake	0	0.0	453
Lee	1	500.2	350
Leflore	10	496.9	25
Lowndes	0	0.0	347
Madison	2	480.4	124
Marshall	0	0.0	580
Monroe	2	497.5	258
Montgomery	1	496.6	256
Newton	0	0.0	519
Noxubee	0	0.0	334
Oktibbeha	0	0.0	477

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Panola	3	499.8	98
Pike	0	0.0	407
Pontotoc	2	475.7	364
Prentiss	0	0.0	409
Quitman	4	486.4	94
Rankin	2	495.7	287
Scott	0	0.0	351
Sharkey	5	491.6	45
Smith	0	0.0	598
Sunflower	7	491.1	41
Tallahatchie	7	490.8	30
Tate	1	480.0	246
Tippah	1	503.4	442
Tishomingo	0	0.0	463
Tunica	5	491.0	50
Union	0	0.0	475
Warren	1	484.0	213
Washington	12	495.6	29
Webster	1	480.0	184
Wilkinson	0	0.0	511
Yalobusha	1	492.6	253
Yazoo	7	489.5	21
Mississippi	114	490.4	
Butler	0	0.0	581
Dade	0	0.0	534
Dunklin	12	487.5	12
Mississippi	0	0.0	547
New Madrid	9	490.0	33
Pemiscot	9	486.0	39
Scott	3	495.6	243
Stoddard	2	487.9	95
Missouri	35	488.3	
Chaves	1	494.6	276
Curry	0	0.0	198
Dona Ana	10	481.7	145
Eddy	2	480.6	210
Hidalgo	0	0.0	616

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Lea	0	0.0	252
Luna	1	479.0	275
Quay	0	0.0	335
Roosevelt	0	0.0	212
Sierra	0	0.0	569
New Mexico	14	483.0	
Anson	1	500.0	353
Beaufort	1	486.2	199
Bertie	2	490.7	113
Bladen	0	0.0	282
Brunswick	0	0.0	535
Cabarrus	0	0.0	392
Camden	0	0.0	431
Carteret	0	0.0	433
Chatham	0	0.0	548
Chowan	0	0.0	169
Cleveland	4	495.8	405
Columbus	1	487.0	372
Craven	1	493.7	226
Cumberland	0	0.0	316
Currituck	0	0.0	460
Davidson	0	0.0	582
Duplin	1	489.6	170
Edgecombe	2	497.3	133
Franklin	0	0.0	570
Gates	1	483.9	161
Greene	1	495.2	186
Halifax	5	491.8	73
Harnett	1	498.2	263
Hertford	1	480.3	167
Hoke	1	499.6	237
Hyde	1	481.4	176
Iredell	0	0.0	481
Johnston	0	0.0	267
Jones	1	506.1	202
Lee	0	0.0	423
Lenoir	2	495.2	130
Martin	1	491.5	108
Montgomery	0	0.0	311

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Moore	0	0.0	600
Nash	1	512.3	207
Northampton	6	498.6	63
Onslow	0	0.0	376
Pamlico	0	0.0	362
Pasquotank	0	0.0	286
Pender	0	0.0	415
Perquimans	1	493.5	197
Pitt	2	498.8	138
Richmond	0	0.0	550
Robeson	4	516.4	159
Rowan	0	0.0	456
Rutherford	1	436.0	527
Sampson	3	488.3	136
Scotland	2	503.3	189
Stanly	1	493.4	206
Tyrrell	0	0.0	380
Union	0	0.0	249
Wake	0	0.0	549
Warren	0	0.0	588
Washington	0	0.0	235
Wayne	1	0.0	171
Wilson	1	503.1	190
North Carolina	51	495.3	
Alfalfa	0	0.0	467
Beckham	4	499.8	331
Bryan	1	486.2	
Caddo	3	490.5	428
Canadian	0	0.0	485
Coal	0	0.0	617
Comanche	0	0.0	557
Cotton	0	0.0	558
Custer	2	500.4	403
Garfield	0	0.0	429
Garvin	0	0.0	589
Grady	1	485.2	501
Grant	0	0.0	396
Greer	2	500.5	319
Harmon	4	490.6	156

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Jackson	4	491.3	78
Kay	1	497.5	322
Kiowa	3	489.0	297
Mcclain	1	454.8	489
Noble	0	0.0	571
Oklahoma	0	0.0	583
Roger Mills	0	0.0	432
Tillman	3	487.4	312
Wagoner	0	0.0	618
Washita	4	487.2	271
Woods	0	0.0	520
Oklahoma	33	492.0	
Abbeville	0	0.0	584
Aiken	0	0.0	345
Allendale	1	470.2	317
Anderson	0	0.0	536
Bamberg	0	0.0	242
Barnwell	1	494.8	320
Berkeley	0	0.0	505
Calhoun	4	491.0	149
Cherokee	0	0.0	619
Chester	0	0.0	449
Chesterfield	0	0.0	559
Clarendon	3	497.9	336
Colleton	0	0.0	393
Darlington	2	488.9	111
Dillon	2	500.0	217
Dorchester	0	0.0	315
Edgefield	0	0.0	504
Fairfield	0	0.0	622
Florence	0	0.0	332
Hampton	1	500.2	211
Horry	0	0.0	537
Kershaw	0	0.0	572
Lancaster	0	0.0	601
Laurens	0	0.0	620
Lee	4	487.2	188

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Lexington	0	0.0	454
Marion	0	0.0	373
Marlboro	4	498.1	146
Newberry	0	0.0	486
Orangeburg	6	488.7	114
Richland	0	0.0	590
Saluda	1	500.7	450
Sumter	3	480.5	298
Union	0	0.0	621
Williamsburg	2	500.0	214
York	1	482.9	439
South Carolina	35	492.2	
Carroll	1	479.6	241
Chester	0	0.0	410
Coffee	0	0.0	538
Crockett	8	492.0	46
Dyer	1	490.0	121
Fayette	2	498.4	97
Franklin	0	0.0	281
Gibson	5	492.2	115
Giles	0	0.0	416
Hardeman	2	497.2	221
Hardin	0	0.0	513
Haywood	9	493.9	32
Henderson	0	0.0	464
Henry	0	0.0	560
Lake	1	489.8	239
Lauderdale	4	495.5	85
Lawrence	0	0.0	573
Lincoln	1	480.0	295
Madison	2	485.8	93
McNairy	0	0.0	488
Moore	0	0.0	623
Obion	0	0.0	349
Rutherford	0	0.0	440
Shelby	0	0.0	178
Tipton	4	499.1	66
Weakley	0	0.0	514
Tennessee	40	493.5	

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and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Anderson	0	0.0	173
Andrews	0	0.0	238
Archer	0	0.0	585
Austin	0	0.0	326
Bailey	7	494.1	72
Bastrop	0	0.0	508
Baylor	0	0.0	434
Bee	0	0.0	314
Bell	0	0.0	338
Borden	1	480.0	328
Brazoria	3	509.6	273
Brazos	2	484.3	257
Briscoe	7	502.5	270
Brown	0	0.0	490
Burleson	1	465.7	144
Caldwell	1	480.7	400
Calhoun	1	498.5	91
Cameron	7	494.0	61
Castro	5	486.1	68
Childress	1	496.5	143
Clay	1	450.0	561
Cochran	2	493.6	49
Coke	1	497.1	591
Coleman	0	0.0	424
Collin	1	480.0	395
Collingswort	5	492.2	179
Colorado	0	0.0	358
Concho	1	486.0	264
Cottle	1	499.1	305
Crosby	7	496.6	17
Culberson	1	480.0	478
Dawson	11	488.2	11
De Witt	0	0.0	552
Deaf Smith	1	494.0	134
Delta	0	0.0	523
Denton	0	0.0	516
Dickens	2	487.9	244
Dimmit	0	0.0	605
Donley	1	480.0	379
El Paso	6	491.8	99

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and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Ellis	5	493.1	168
Falls	2	487.5	304
Fisher	3	496.4	139
Floyd	9	501.6	23
Foard	0	0.0	447
Fort Bend	10	492.7	64
Frio	0	0.0	283
Gaines	10	495.0	5
Garza	2	494.0	166
Glasscock	3	498.1	100
Goliad	0	0.0	420
Grimes	0	0.0	408
Guadalupe	0	0.0	541
Hale	16	493.3	4
Hall	5	499.6	67
Hardeman	2	497.1	337
Haskell	6	498.2	123
Hays	0	0.0	625
Hidalgo	5	490.2	75
Hill	3	496.8	187
Hockley	12	494.4	37
Houston	1	501.7	499
Howard	4	493.8	109
Hudspeth	0	0.0	162
Hunt	2	470.0	426
Irion	0	0.0	604
Jackson	1	484.0	84
Jim Wells	0	0.0	465
Johnson	0	0.0	551
Jones	7	492.8	201
Kaufman	0	0.0	333
Kent	1	480.0	515
King	0	0.0	521
Kinney	0	0.0	539
Kleberg	2	500.0	452
Knox	2	507.2	132
La Salle	0	0.0	592
Lamar	2	489.2	374
Lamb	12	495.3	10
Leon	0	0.0	603

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Limestone	0	0.0	398
Live Oak	0	0.0	443
Lubbock	15	497.0	13
Lynn	10	494.0	24
Madison	0	0.0	529
Martin	7	493.6	52
Mason	0	0.0	540
Matagorda	1	485.0	58
Mcculloch	1	462.0	441
Mclennan	1	483.1	266
Medina	1	492.1	339
Midland	1	498.3	215
Milam	3	479.0	247
Mitchell	3	489.3	192
Motley	2	498.1	228
Navarro	2	483.3	240
Nolan	1	495.9	230
Nueces	6	497.6	22
Parmer	8	495.1	34
Pecos	1	480.0	234
Randall	0	0.0	602
Reagan	0	0.0	245
Red River	0	0.0	389
Reeves	1	485.0	277
Refugio	1	497.7	79
Robertson	4	488.6	195
Runnels	4	497.8	196
San Patricio	10	492.1	8
San saba	0	0.0	624
Schleicher	0	0.0	435
Scurry	3	489.0	152
Shackelford	0	0.0	522
Starr	1	498.0	
Stonewall	0	0.0	498
Swisher	4	494.1	44
Taylor	1	495.0	411
Terry	13	492.4	15
Throckmorton	2	458.0	528
Tom Green	5	488.6	102

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and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
Travis	0	0.0	457
Upton	1	494.2	289
Uvalde	0	0.0	292
Victoria	0	0.0	140
Walker	1	500.5	472
Ward	0	0.0	586
Washington	0	0.0	562
Wharton	6	489.9	35
Wichita	1	492.9	451
Wilbarger	3	486.8	296
Willacy	4	492.9	81
Williamson	6	477.9	104
Wilson	0	0.0	458
Yoakum	6	487.8	27
Young	1	485.0	507
Zavala	3	486.8	359
Texas	348	493.4	
Accomack	1	502.9	417
Amelia	0	0.0	606
Brunswick	0	0.0	587
Charles City	0	0.0	401
Dinwiddie	0	0.0	278
Greensville	1	489.3	261
Henrico	0	0.0	574
Isle of Wigh	2	479.9	222
King William	0	0.0	502
King and Que	0	0.0	482
New Kent	0	0.0	593
Northampton	0	0.0	340
Prince Georg	0	0.0	517
Southampton	0	0.0	80
Suffolk City	1	492.4	165
Surry	0	0.0	318
Sussex	1	496.5	308
Virginia	6	486.2	

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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins, Average Bale Weight,  
and Rank by County, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

County and State	Number of Active Gins	Average Weight per Running Bale Ginned	Rank by Running Bales Produced
	Number	Pounds	Rank
US TOTAL	1,084	492.7	

1/ Withheld to avoid disclosing individual data.

Note: County of origin was not determined for approximately  
408,900 bales in the U.S., and ranking may be affected.

Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins and Bales Ginned  
by Size Group, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999

Running Bales Ginned by Size Group	:	Number of Active Gins	:	Running Bales Ginned by Size Group	:	Number of Active Gins
All cotton	:		:		:	
US 1/	:	1,084	:	CA	:	79
1 - 2,999	:	123	:	1 - 2,999	:	2
3,000 - 4,999	:	86	:	3,000 - 4,999	:	3
5,000 - 6,999	:	91	:	5,000 - 6,999	:	3
7,000 - 9,999	:	125	:	7,000 - 9,999	:	2
10,000 - 14,999	:	189	:	10,000 - 14,999	:	4
15,000 - 19,999	:	125	:	15,000 - 19,999	:	10
20,000 - 39,999	:	259	:	20,000 - 39,999	:	43
40,000 - and over	:	74	:	40,000 - and over	:	12
AL	:	51	:	GA	:	70
1 - 2,999	:	5	:	1 - 2,999	:	3
3,000 - 4,999	:	11	:	3,000 - 4,999	:	2
5,000 - 6,999	:	8	:	5,000 - 6,999	:	4
7,000 - 9,999	:	5	:	7,000 - 9,999	:	8
10,000 - 14,999	:	7	:	10,000 - 14,999	:	10
15,000 - 19,999	:	6	:	15,000 - 19,999	:	9
20,000 - 39,999	:	8	:	20,000 - 39,999	:	22
40,000 - and over	:	1	:	40,000 - and over	:	12
AZ	:	47	:	LA	:	67
1 - 2,999	:	5	:	1 - 2,999	:	2
3,000 - 4,999	:	4	:	3,000 - 4,999	:	1
5,000 - 6,999	:	1	:	5,000 - 6,999	:	3
7,000 - 9,999	:	1	:	7,000 - 9,999	:	13
10,000 - 14,999	:	5	:	10,000 - 14,999	:	19
15,000 - 19,999	:	6	:	15,000 - 19,999	:	12
20,000 - 39,999	:	22	:	20,000 - 39,999	:	14
40,000 - and over	:	3	:	40,000 - and over	:	3
AR	:	88	:	MS	:	114
1 - 2,999	:	3	:	1 - 2,999	:	8
3,000 - 4,999	:	13	:	3,000 - 4,999	:	8
5,000 - 6,999	:	6	:	5,000 - 6,999	:	9
7,000 - 9,999	:	6	:	7,000 - 9,999	:	19
10,000 - 14,999	:	21	:	10,000 - 14,999	:	25
15,000 - 19,999	:	12	:	15,000 - 19,999	:	16
20,000 - 39,999	:	19	:	20,000 - 39,999	:	24
40,000 - and over	:	8	:	40,000 - and over	:	5

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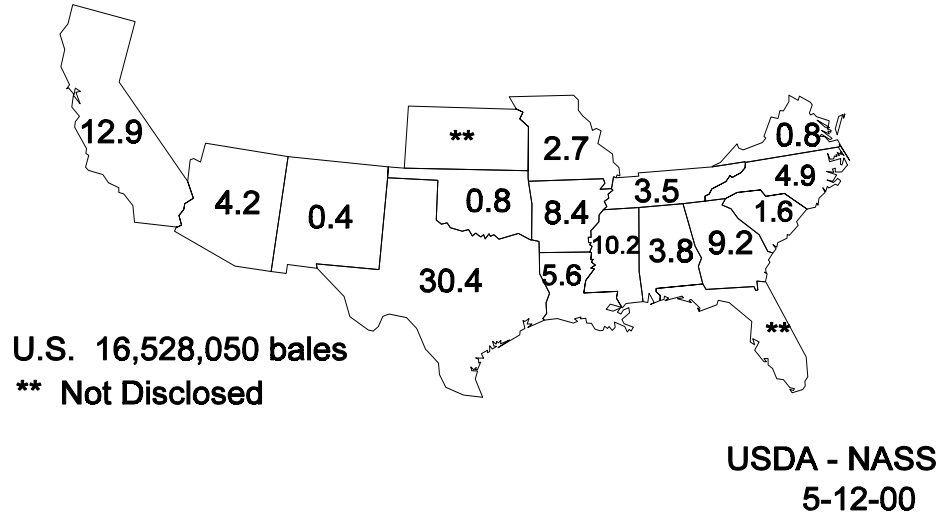
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Cotton Ginnings: Number of Active Gins and Bales Ginned  
by Size Group, State, and United States, Crop Year 1999 (continued)

Running Bales Ginned by Size Group	:	Number of Active Gins	:	Running Bales Ginned by Size Group	:	Number of Active Gins
MO	:	35	:	SC	:	35
1 - 2,999	:	2	:	1 - 2,999	:	9
3,000 - 4,999	:	3	:	3,000 - 4,999	:	5
5,000 - 6,999	:	3	:	5,000 - 6,999	:	6
7,000 - 9,999	:	8	:	7,000 - 9,999	:	3
10,000 - 14,999	:	7	:	10,000 - 14,999	:	9
15,000 - 19,999	:	6	:	15,000 - 19,999	:	2
20,000 - 39,999	:	6	:	20,000 - 39,999	:	1
40,000 - and over	:	0	:	40,000 - and over	:	0
NM	:	14	:	TN	:	40
1 - 2,999	:	4	:	1 - 2,999	:	2
3,000 - 4,999	:	1	:	3,000 - 4,999	:	1
5,000 - 6,999	:	4	:	5,000 - 6,999	:	3
7,000 - 9,999	:	2	:	7,000 - 9,999	:	8
10,000 - 14,999	:	3	:	10,000 - 14,999	:	14
15,000 - 19,999	:	0	:	15,000 - 19,999	:	3
20,000 - 39,999	:	0	:	20,000 - 39,999	:	9
40,000 - and over	:	0	:	40,000 - and over	:	0
NC	:	51	:	TX	:	348
1 - 2,999	:	4	:	1 - 2,999	:	54
3,000 - 4,999	:	2	:	3,000 - 4,999	:	29
5,000 - 6,999	:	4	:	5,000 - 6,999	:	34
7,000 - 9,999	:	3	:	7,000 - 9,999	:	43
10,000 - 14,999	:	9	:	10,000 - 14,999	:	55
15,000 - 19,999	:	10	:	15,000 - 19,999	:	33
20,000 - 39,999	:	19	:	20,000 - 39,999	:	70
40,000 - and over	:	0	:	40,000 - and over	:	30
OK	:	33	:		:	
1 - 2,999	:	20	:		:	
3,000 - 4,999	:	3	:		:	
5,000 - 6,999	:	3	:		:	
7,000 - 9,999	:	4	:		:	
10,000 - 14,999	:	1	:		:	
15,000 - 19,999	:	0	:		:	
20,000 - 39,999	:	2	:		:	
40,000 - and over	:	0	:		:	

1/ Total number of gins operating. Data excludes 4 gins in Florida, 2 gins in Kansas, and 6 gins in Virginia.

## 1999 All Cotton Ginnings Percent of U.S. Crop Ginned, by State



**Cotton Ginnings 1999:** A total of 16.5 million running bales were ginned during the 1999 season, 22 percent above 1998's ginnings of 13.5 million bales. Planting activities for 1999 were delayed in the West due to unseasonably cool weather and in the Southeast due to extremely dry conditions. Warm, dry weather in the Delta allowed for accelerated development, but resulted in some deterioration of the condition and quality of the cotton. Harvest progressed well throughout most of the cotton belt, experiencing brief delays in the High Plains due to cool temperatures and in the Carolina's due to excessively wet, muddy fields.

There were 1,084 active cotton gins during the 1999 season, down from the 1,113 that operated in 1998. There were 333 ginning firms processing more than 20,000 bales in 1999, compared to 251 the previous season.

**Cotton, 1999 Final:** All cotton production in the United States totaled 17.0 million bales in 1999, 22 percent above the 1998 production level. The 1999 output is the ninth largest crop on record. Upland cotton production, at 16.3 million bales, was 21 percent above the previous year. American-Pima production totaled 674,300 bales, up 52 percent from 1998.

The area planted to all cotton totaled 14.9 million acres, up 11 percent from 1998. Harvested area was 13.4 million acres, up 26 percent from last year. The increases in planted acreage are attributable to the favorableness of cotton as an alternative crop during times of low prices. Harvested acreage increased due to more traditional abandonment levels than in 1998, when high abandonment occurred due to extremely dry conditions. Yields for the U.S. averaged 607 pounds per harvested acre.

Harvest of Texas cotton progressed normally during the season as conditions were generally dry and open. However, there were brief early harvest delays on the High Plains due to cool temperatures and widely scattered showers. Delays were also experienced late in the harvest season due to blowing, wet snow. Some farmers sprayed to aid in harvest rather than waiting for the first hard freeze, which did not occur until late November. Abandonment of Upland cotton, at 1.05 million acres, is higher than average, but much less than last year's drought affected crop. Hail and wind damage in June resulted in some cotton acreage being replanted to alternative crops. Crop development began slowly, but was on pace with average by the first of August. Heavy rains during early September raised some concerns about regrowth. Cotton objective yield data indicated Texas' crop had the seventh lowest boll weight in the last 10 years.

The Delta States (Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, and Tennessee) planted 3.74 million acres. This was 16 percent more than in 1998. Harvested area totaled 3.69 million acres. Warm, dry weather accelerated development of the crop, but resulted in deterioration of the condition and quality of the cotton. The dry weather also allowed harvest to progress well ahead of average. On October 31, Arkansas was 15 points ahead of average, at 94 percent harvested. Louisiana reported 99 percent harvested, 7 points ahead of the 5-year average. Mississippi, at 97 percent harvested, was 10 percentage points ahead of average. Missouri and Tennessee both reported 96 percent of their cotton acreage harvested on October 31, twenty-one and 20 points ahead of the 5-year average, respectively. Data from objective yield surveys show boll weights in Arkansas and Mississippi were the lowest in the last ten years, while Louisiana's weight was ranked as the ninth lowest out of the last ten years.

Arizona increased the acreage planted to Upland cotton in 1999, while California decreased planted acres. Arizona planted 270,000 acres, an 8 percent increase from last year, while California planted 610,000 acres, 6 percent less than in 1998. Unseasonably cool weather hampered planting activities, resulting in a late developing crop. Despite the slow development, condition ratings remained high throughout the season. Warm, dry weather allowed great harvest progress during October and November, with California being virtually complete by the end of November. January 1 cotton objective yield counts show boll weights in California were the lowest in the last ten years. California producers increased American-Pima planted acres 20 percent from 1998, to 240,000 acres. Planting in the San Joaquin Valley began in late March, but made very little progress until mid-April. The harvest was nearly complete by mid-December and some growers picked a third time in order to get the last few late-opening bolls.

Georgia and South Carolina plantings were delayed due to extremely dry conditions. Alabama and North Carolina were able to progress at a normal pace during the planting season, but were required to do some replanting because of the dry conditions. Extremely dry conditions persisted for Georgia and Alabama during August and September, leading to deterioration of the cotton crop. North Carolina and South Carolina were dry during most of August. Hurricane Dennis improved soil moisture in some areas during late August, but some fields were too mature to benefit from the moisture.

During September, the Carolinas were adversely affected by torrential rainfall from Hurricane Floyd. North Carolina abandoned 55,000 acres during 1999, mostly the result of wind and rain damage from the hurricane. The excessively wet, muddy fields also delayed harvest in North Carolina. As of October 31, North Carolina reported only 24 percent of their cotton acreage harvested, compared to 55 percent for the 5-year average. Harvest activities progressed ahead of average in Alabama and remained on pace for both Georgia and South Carolina.

**Cottonseed:** Cottonseed production in 1999 totaled 6.35 million tons, up 18 percent from 1998.

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