



Cotton Ginnings

Released August 12, 2008, by the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), Agricultural Statistics Board, U.S. Department of Agriculture. For information on *Cotton Ginnings* call Shiela Corley at (202) 720-5944, office hours 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET.

**Cotton Ginnings: Running Bales Ginned (Excluding Linters)
As of August 1, Crop Years 2005-2008
by Crop, State, and United States**

Crop and State	Running Bales Ginned			
	2005	2006	2007 ¹	2008
TX	68,700	23,250		13,050
US	68,700	23,250		13,050

¹ Not published to avoid disclosing individual gins.

* * * * *

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination in all its programs and activities on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, and where applicable, sex, marital status, familial status, parental status, religion, sexual orientation, genetic information, political beliefs, reprisal, or because all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program. (Not all prohibited bases apply to all programs.) Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (Braille, large print, audiotape, etc.) should contact USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TDD).

To file a complaint of discrimination, write to USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, or call (800) 795-3272 (voice) or (202) 720-6382 (TDD). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.