



# September Crop Production

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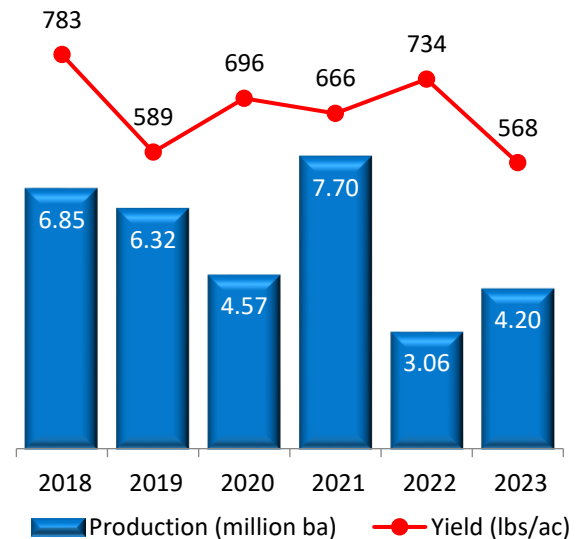
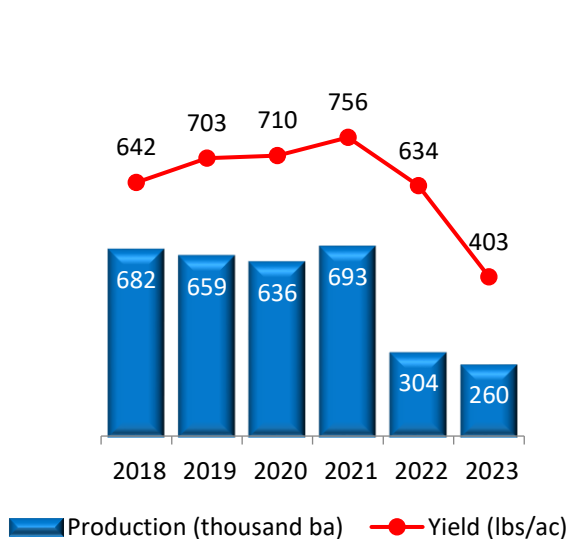
The September row crop harvested, and production forecasts are based on a survey of approximately 1,000 Texas and Oklahoma growers conducted by the Southern Plains Regional Field Office. The survey is conducted primarily by telephone with some use of mail and internet. For Texas cotton, an objective 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

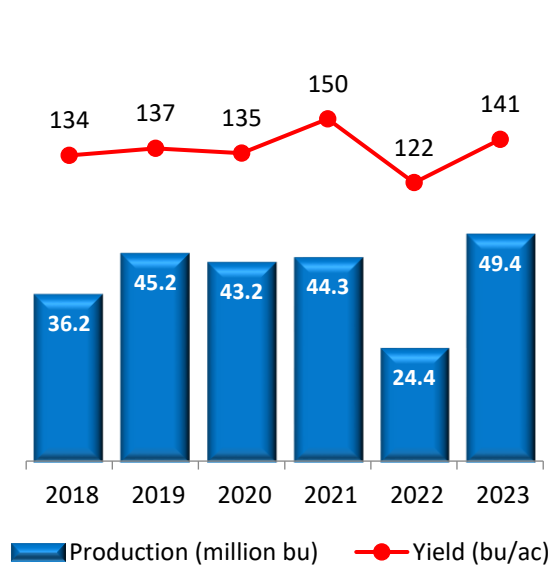
**Oklahoma Upland cotton** production is forecast at 260 thousand bales, 14 percent lower than 2022. Yield averaged 403 pounds per acre, compared with 634 pounds last year. Acreage harvested, at 310 thousand acres, is up 35 percent from last year.

**Texas Upland cotton** production is forecast at 4.20 million bales, 37 percent higher than 2022. Yield averaged 568 pounds per acre, compared with 734 pounds last year. Acreage harvested, at 3.55 million acres, is up 78 percent from last year.

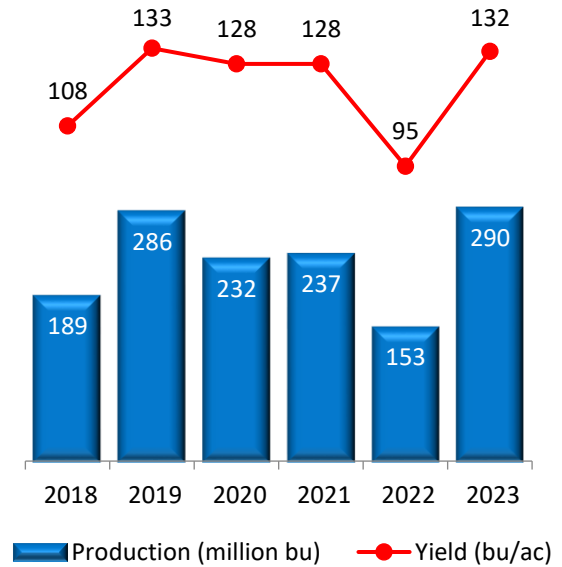


## CORN

**Oklahoma corn** production is forecast at 49.4 million bushels, up 102 percent from the previous year. Statewide yields averaged 141 bushels per acre, 19 bushels higher than 2022. Acres harvested for grain, at 350 thousand, is up 75 percent from last year.

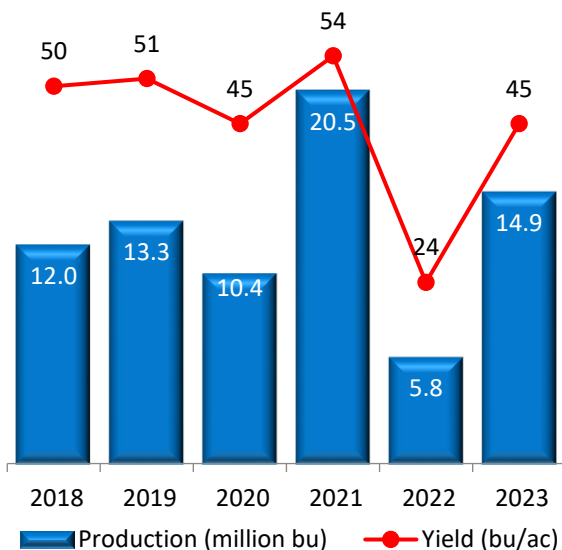


**Texas corn** production is forecast at 290 million bushels, up 90 percent from the previous year. Statewide yields averaged 132 bushels per acre, 37 bushels higher than 2022. Acres harvested for grain, at 2.20 million, is up 37 percent from last year.

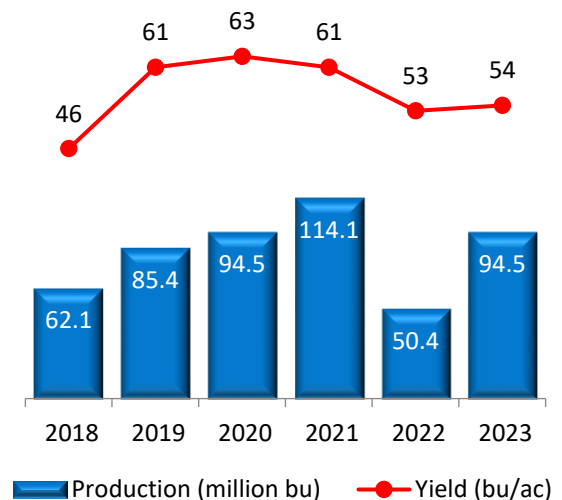


## SORGHUM

**Oklahoma sorghum** production is forecast at 14.9 million bushels, up 158 percent from last year. Yield averaged 45 bushels per acre, up 21 bushels from the previous year. Acres harvested, at 330 thousand acres, is 38 percent higher than 2022.

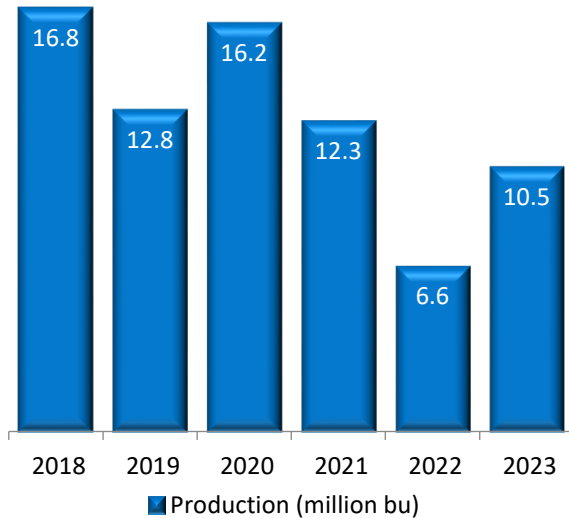


**Texas sorghum** production is forecast at 94.5 million bushels, up 88 percent from last year. Yield averaged 54 bushels per acre, up 1 bushel from the previous year. Acres harvested, at 1.75 million acres, is 84 percent higher than 2022.

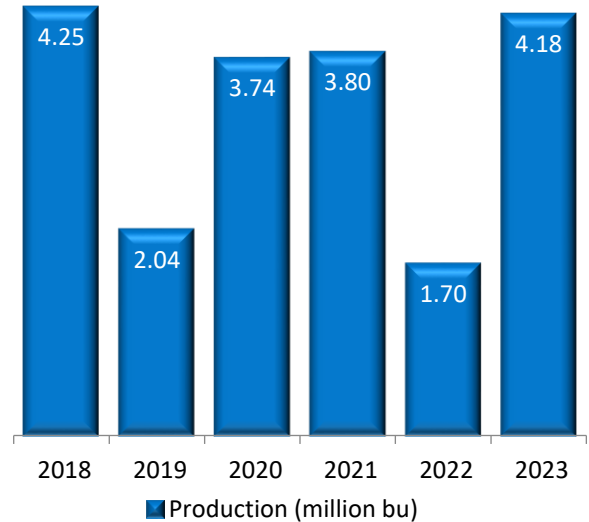


## SOYBEANS

**Oklahoma soybean** production is forecast at 10.5 million bushels, up 60 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 25 bushels per acre, compared with 17 bushels in 2022. Harvested acreage, at 420 thousand acres, is 9 percent higher than last year.

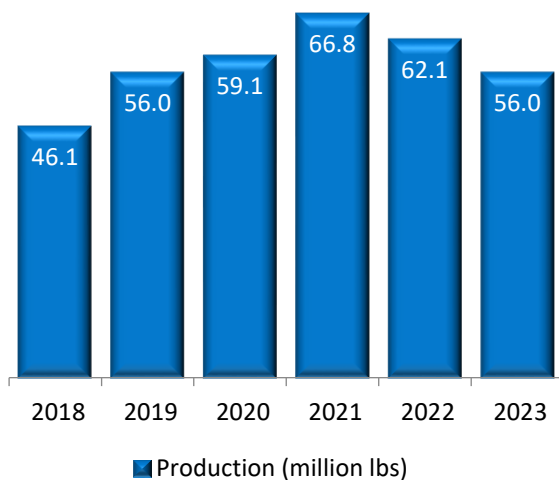


**Texas soybean** production is forecast at 4.18 million bushels, up 146 percent from last year. Yield is expected to average 38 bushels per acre, compared with 20 bushels in 2022. Harvested acreage, at 110 thousand acres, is 29 percent higher than last year.

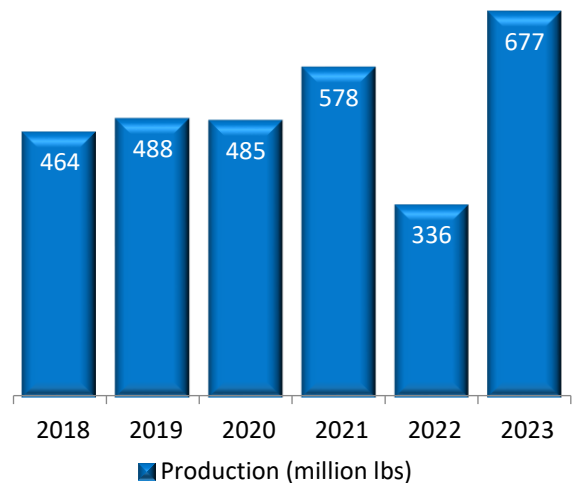


## PEANUTS

**Oklahoma peanut** production is forecast at 56 million pounds, 10 percent lower than last year. Yield is forecast at 4,000 pounds per acre, up 350 pounds from 2022. Harvested acres are down 18 percent from last year to 14 thousand acres.



**Texas peanut** production is forecast at 677 million pounds, 101 percent higher than last year. Yield is forecast at 3,300 pounds per acre, up 500 pounds from 2022. Harvested acres are up 71 percent from last year to 205 thousand acres.



# CROP SUMMARY

## Crop Acreage, Yield, and Production Oklahoma, Texas, and United States: 2022 and Forecast, September 1, 2023

Item	Planted		Harvested		Yield per Acre		Unit	Production	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023		2022	2023
	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	units	units		1,000 units	1,000 units
<b>Corn, grain <sup>1</sup></b>									
Oklahoma	350	390	200	350	122.0	141.0	Bushels	24,400	49,350
Texas	2,150	2,500	1,610	2,200	95.0	132.0	Bushels	152,950	290,400
United States	88,579	94,868	79,207	87,096	173.3	173.8	Bushels	13,729,719	15,133,911
<b>Upland Cotton</b>									
Oklahoma	670	420	230	310	634	403	(2)	304	260
Texas	7,850	5,550	2,000	3,550	734	568	(2)	3,060	4,200
United States	13,579	10,086	7,132	7,880	942	778	(2)	13,998	12,776
<b>Pima Cotton</b>									
Texas	33	29	29	25	728	806	(2)	44	42
United States	182	147	176	141	1,280	1,211	(2)	470	356
<b>Peanuts</b>									
Oklahoma	18	15	17	14	3,650	4,000	Pounds	62,050	56,000
Texas	160	230	120	205	2,800	3,300	Pounds	336,000	676,500
United States	1,450	1,650	1,385	1,600	4,019	3,953	Pounds	5,568,150	6,323,710
<b>Rice</b>									
Texas	195	149	186	144	6,510	8,800	(3)	12,105	12,672
United States	2,222	2,897	2,172	2,850	7,383	7,751	(3)	160,368	220,907
<b>Sorghum, grain <sup>1</sup></b>									
Oklahoma	430	400	240	330	24.0	45.0	Bushels	5,760	14,850
Texas	1,450	2,000	950	1,750	53.0	54.0	Bushels	50,350	94,500
United States	6,325	7,180	4,570	6,260	41.1	60.9	Bushels	187,785	381,220
<b>Soybeans</b>									
Oklahoma	545	470	385	420	17.0	25.0	Bushels	6,545	10,500
Texas	155	130	85	110	20.0	38.0	Bushels	1,700	4,180
United States	87,450	83,600	86,336	82,791	49.5	50.1	Bushels	4,276,123	4,146,036

<sup>1</sup> Area planted for all purposes.

<sup>2</sup> Cotton yield in pounds and production in 480-pound bales.

<sup>3</sup> Yield in pounds and production in cwt.

**U.S. Highlights:** United States **upland cotton** production is forecast to total 12.8 million bales, down 9 percent from last year. **Corn** production is forecast at 15.1 billion bushels, up 10 percent from 2022. **Sorghum** crop production is up 103 percent from last year at 381 million bushels. The U.S. **peanut** production is forecast at 6.32 billion pounds, up 14 percent from a year ago. **Soybean** production is forecast at 4.15 billion bushels, 3 percent below last year's estimate. U.S. **rice** production is forecast at 221 million cwt, up 38 percent from 2022.

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