

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE: 1940

Table 29

COTTON HARVESTED—100 LEADING COUNTIES IN ACREAGE WITH PRODUCTION, 1939 AND WITH COMPARISONS, 1929

COUNTY AND STATE	ACRES (NUMBER)		RANK		PRODUCTION (SQUARE BALES) ¹		RANK	
	1939	1929	1939	1929	1939	1929	1939	1929
UNITED STATES	22,811,004	43,227,488	.....	.....	11,481,300	14,574,405	.....	.....
100 counties	8,596,576	15,550,423	.....	.....	4,621,609	5,262,617	.....	.....
Mississippi, Ark.	183,388	218,701	1	20	200,445	140,862	1	3
Ellis, Tex.	168,581	324,778	2	1	73,034	97,182	16	8
Lubbock, Tex.	160,629	205,276	3	24	60,464	44,691	19	59
Bolivar, Miss.	160,115	287,011	4	3	147,138	161,650	2	1
Sunflower, Miss.	158,631	285,674	5	4	134,633	160,791	3	2
Navarro, Tex.	145,876	317,174	6	2	51,169	88,017	35	10
Hill, Tex.	143,304	273,314	7	5	50,849	80,701	37	13
Nueces, Tex.	142,994	254,044	8	9	77,244	124,413	15	4
Lynn, Tex.	140,511	204,005	9	25	55,308	27,179	27	(*)
McLennan, Tex.	139,637	272,896	10	6	42,431	78,014	46	17
Williamson, Tex.	139,332	268,328	11	7	36,890	68,266	64	22
Hunt, Tex.	125,251	232,880	12	13	53,444	62,388	30	29
Jones, Tex.	123,801	245,298	13	10	23,426	24,281	(*)	(*)
Collin, Tex.	123,569	218,519	14	21	61,063	70,464	18	21
Lamb, Tex.	118,899	100,727	15	99	46,507	50,495	43	46
Falls, Tex.	115,185	241,098	16	12	35,145	61,989	71	30
Limestone, Tex.	110,053	257,932	17	8	33,573	64,956	78	23
Pemiscot, Mo.	109,201	125,637	18	71	128,893	81,024	4	12
Bell, Tex.	107,386	228,871	19	15	30,435	57,574	93	38
Kaufman, Tex.	106,474	227,161	20	17	41,451	57,698	47	37
Hockley, Tex.	106,209	95,145	21	(*)	32,787	28,687	81	(*)
Maricopa, Ariz.	105,741	136,195	22	55	112,762	88,544	5	9
Coahoma, Miss.	105,599	177,954	23	30	100,761	101,640	9	7
Washington, Miss.	104,839	147,003	24	45	92,751	103,651	12	6
Fannin, Tex.	104,587	195,349	25	27	51,522	61,564	34	31
Crittenden, Ark.	101,019	166,495	26	33	98,550	79,605	10	14
Haskell, Tex.	100,421	200,331	27	26	21,874	26,127	(*)	(*)
San Patricio, Tex.	98,394	155,082	28	42	59,885	78,399	22	16
Runnels, Tex.	95,635	206,705	29	23	17,721	39,043	(*)	75
Milam, Tex.	95,401	213,257	30	22	27,650	43,037	(*)	66
Tillman, Okla.	94,666	229,906	31	14	31,345	77,265	87	18
Leflore, Miss.	94,059	172,006	32	32	89,921	109,848	13	5
Caddo, Okla.	93,991	226,784	33	18	35,678	71,707	68	20
New Madrid, Mo.	93,972	54,240	34	(*)	111,377	37,142	6	82
Jackson, Okla.	92,540	244,598	35	11	19,915	63,402	(*)	27
Washita, Okla.	89,422	219,605	36	19	29,425	85,717	97	11
Fisher, Tex.	85,786	165,108	37	35	21,109	17,937	(*)	(*)
Jefferson, Ark.	85,575	143,353	38	48	50,928	61,376	36	33
Dawson, Tex.	85,390	182,527	39	29	38,543	33,978	59	94
Dunklin, Mo.	84,593	89,241	40	(*)	83,571	64,529	14	25
Grayson, Tex.	83,139	142,970	41	50	34,224	40,287	75	73
Lamar, Tex.	83,090	192,266	42	28	38,400	51,872	60	42
Hall, Tex.	81,437	158,021	43	40	13,078	46,108	(*)	57
Crosby, Tex.	81,104	134,078	44	60	23,192	24,954	(*)	(*)
Beckham, Okla.	77,275	177,591	45	31	21,563	71,903	(*)	19
Wharton, Tex.	77,077	100,996	46	96	37,941	15,051	62	(*)
Orangeburg, S. C.	77,073	118,740	47	75	60,337	51,777	20	43
Madison, Ala.	76,951	129,790	48	68	36,255	55,555	67	39
Anderson, S. C.	76,367	138,784	49	52	56,114	64,880	26	24
Tulare, Calif.	74,868	64,403	50	(*)	103,129	61,260	8	34

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RANKING AGRICULTURAL COUNTIES

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COUNTY AND STATE	ACRES (NUMBER)		RANK		PRODUCTION (SQUARE BALES) ¹		RANK	
	1939	1929	1939	1929	1939	1929	1939	1929
Fort Bend, Tex.....	74,605	124,107	51	73	33,885	12,030	76	(*)
Lonoke, Ark.....	73,937	117,325	52	79	34,468	46,426	73	56
Hidalgo, Tex.....	72,865	131,884	53	66	37,454	50,817	63	45
Kiowa, Okla.....	72,711	228,783	54	16	14,035	63,073	(*)	28
Karnes, Tex.....	72,247	151,231	55	43	6,988	25,654	(*)	(*)
Collingsworth, Tex.....	71,639	162,095	56	38	18,048	44,158	(*)	60
Van Zandt, Tex.....	70,890	162,695	57	37	25,096	32,592	(*)	(*)
Fresno, Calif.....	70,224	51,457	58	(*)	97,730	43,735	11	61
Wilbarger, Tex.....	70,159	165,508	59	34	29,366	53,777	98	40
Dallas, Tex.....	70,092	141,545	60	51	32,268	38,909	83	76
St. Francis, Ark.....	69,951	111,141	61	84	53,584	43,171	28	64
Phillips, Ark.....	69,686	104,706	62	89	52,413	36,704	31	86
Tallahatchie, Miss.....	68,722	117,540	63	78	58,208	60,804	23	35
Spartanburg, S. C.....	67,858	135,456	64	57	46,868	78,962	42	15
Hopkins, Tex.....	67,587	137,966	65	54	25,710	25,766	(*)	(*)
Knox, Tex.....	67,584	130,247	66	67	15,793	21,093	(*)	(*)
Kern, Calif.....	66,470	65,930	67	(*)	106,766	60,297	7	36
Greer, Okla.....	65,652	155,401	68	41	14,773	48,665	(*)	51
Mitchell, Tex.....	65,479	132,193	69	65	17,515	24,560	(*)	(*)
Craighead, Ark.....	64,424	80,992	70	(*)	56,438	52,476	25	41
Yazoo, Miss.....	64,377	91,617	71	(*)	45,652	38,659	44	77
Scurry, Tex.....	63,577	129,404	72	69	17,394	18,325	(*)	(*)
Shelby, Tenn.....	63,141	102,212	73	94	40,048	45,049	52	58
Quitman, Miss.....	62,525	100,042	74	100	60,261	48,915	21	50
Caddo, La.....	62,478	135,616	75	56	48,776	61,438	40	32
Grady, Okla.....	61,629	159,651	76	39	19,040	47,457	(*)	53
Hale, Tex.....	61,418	64,882	77	(*)	19,029	16,741	(*)	(*)
Johnson, Tex.....	61,404	126,207	78	70	20,414	26,935	(*)	(*)
Humphreys, Miss.....	60,792	92,707	79	(*)	49,436	51,140	38	44
Tunica, Miss.....	60,314	100,818	80	97	62,672	40,468	17	72
Terry, Tex.....	60,120	101,487	81	95	21,954	21,586	(*)	(*)
Houston, Tex.....	59,994	143,131	82	49	23,564	27,960	(*)	(*)
Travis, Tex.....	59,885	143,376	83	47	12,980	19,037	(*)	(*)
Limestone, Ala.....	59,776	106,844	84	88	30,878	46,683	91	54
Robertson, Tex.....	59,445	133,430	85	62	21,582	25,253	(*)	(*)
Lee, Ark.....	59,406	84,687	86	(*)	39,503	29,490	56	(*)
Cottle, Tex.....	59,187	133,467	87	61	12,950	24,941	(*)	(*)
Harrison, Tex.....	58,474	133,321	88	64	20,797	33,755	(*)	95
Taylor, Tex.....	58,185	150,195	89	44	11,768	17,983	(*)	(*)
Foinsett, Ark.....	57,828	61,965	90	(*)	56,919	43,223	24	63
Coleman, Tex.....	57,597	138,604	91	53	11,621	25,318	(*)	(*)
Childress, Tex.....	57,473	134,845	92	59	8,002	26,040	(*)	(*)
Burke, Ga.....	57,404	74,484	93	(*)	35,148	30,050	70	(*)
Fayette, Tenn.....	56,952	87,307	94	(*)	25,429	34,957	(*)	91
Red River, Tex.....	56,725	133,404	95	63	24,927	34,633	(*)	92
Holmes, Miss.....	55,920	88,124	96	(*)	40,339	49,761	48	48
Franklin, La.....	55,330	92,085	97	(*)	40,308	47,623	49	52
Madison, Miss.....	54,670	90,638	98	(*)	29,980	37,888	96	78
Smith, Tex.....	54,494	146,481	99	46	18,048	37,040	(*)	83
St. Landry, La.....	54,237	93,342	100	(*)	38,994	31,120	57	(*)

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