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GENERAL OVERVIEW



Cotton Picking Machine in Texas, 1908

AGRICULTURE FUNDAMENTALLY DIFFERENT

- **Tied to nature, biological, renewable**
- **Demand changes more slowly than supplies**
- **Many producers competing**
- **Farmers are generally price takers**

Cash Receipts by State Ranking for All Commodities, 2016 - 2018
Nominal (current dollars)

Rank*	State	2016	2017	2018
		<i>\$1,000</i>		
	United States	358,482,028	370,423,352	373,498,863
1	California	47,489,864	49,607,579	49,915,493
2	Iowa	26,918,727	26,619,312	27,668,804
3	Texas	21,538,689	22,230,577	21,816,059
4	Nebraska	20,243,524	20,300,358	21,317,654
5	Minnesota	17,069,748	17,191,094	17,256,128
6	Illinois	16,256,030	15,927,958	16,794,856
7	Kansas	15,475,830	15,714,394	15,950,206
8	North Carolina	10,741,775	11,402,790	11,139,382
9	Wisconsin	10,534,447	11,317,277	10,894,801
10	Indiana	10,138,719	10,692,387	10,711,219
11	Missouri	9,520,610	9,902,053	10,098,948
12	Washington	9,345,014	9,688,351	9,401,062
13	Arkansas	8,875,691	8,984,877	9,167,431
14	Georgia	8,545,227	8,965,973	9,128,015
15	South Dakota	8,333,493	8,962,108	9,113,589
16	Ohio	8,182,044	8,536,800	8,927,636
17	North Dakota	8,129,679	7,874,468	7,965,911
18	Michigan	7,717,047	7,843,731	7,563,792
19	Idaho	7,435,674	7,461,975	7,390,922
20	Florida	7,228,738	7,328,095	7,186,838
21	Colorado	6,389,313	6,892,361	7,073,724
22	Pennsylvania	6,303,286	6,822,596	6,791,840
23	Oklahoma	6,169,694	6,769,841	6,735,548
24	Kentucky	5,422,128	5,596,634	5,904,131
25	Alabama	5,150,414	5,567,747	5,773,944
26	Mississippi	5,057,337	5,554,509	5,727,702
27	New York	4,995,625	5,228,972	5,024,868
28	Oregon	4,791,222	4,978,652	4,897,438
29	Arizona	3,937,379	4,533,567	4,298,441
30	Tennessee	3,648,438	3,585,023	3,541,672
31	Virginia	3,419,330	3,538,749	3,529,839
32	Montana	3,314,533	3,533,077	3,493,827
33	Louisiana	2,917,907	3,050,758	3,141,160
34	New Mexico	2,831,083	2,961,252	2,919,467
35	South Carolina	2,152,004	2,362,518	2,520,633
36	Maryland	2,135,061	2,297,120	2,244,723
37	Utah	1,679,612	1,807,808	1,685,829
38	Wyoming	1,402,563	1,454,514	1,547,265
39	Delaware	1,208,208	1,340,087	1,409,465
40	New Jersey	1,119,113	1,142,524	1,107,925
41	Vermont	766,400	789,043	740,483
42	West Virginia	694,729	727,298	684,415
43	Maine	667,762	673,509	667,332
44	Nevada	651,107	645,415	659,878
45	Connecticut	588,350	642,972	598,147
46	Hawaii	585,783	600,652	592,959
47	Massachusetts	434,482	439,710	434,321
48	New Hampshire	227,569	225,994	229,061
49	Rhode Island	68,443	73,065	76,207
50	Alaska	32,581	35,228	37,872

*Ranked based on 2018

Data as of August 30, 2019

[USDA/ERS Farm Income and Wealth Statistics](#)

State Ranking by Cash Receipts

2016, 2017, 2018

(Billion \$)

State	2016	State	2017	State	2018
1. California	47.49	1. California	49.61	1. California	49.92
2. Iowa	26.92	2. Iowa	26.62	2. Iowa	27.67
3. Nebraska	21.54	3. Texas	22.23	3. Texas	21.82
4. Texas	20.24	4. Nebraska	20.30	4. Nebraska	21.32
5. Illinois	17.07	5. Minnesota	17.19	5. Minnesota	17.26

**Government payments and ag-related activities not included.*

All Cotton: States' Ranking for Cash Receipts, 2018
Nominal (current dollars)

Rank	State	State Receipts for Cotton	Share of U.S. Receipts for Cotton	Cumulative Share of U.S. Receipts for Cotton	State Receipts for all Commodities	Share of State Receipts for all Commodities	Share of U.S. Receipts for all Commodities
		<i>\$1,000</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>\$1,000</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
	United States	8,082,602			373,498,863	2.2	
1	Texas	3,205,940	39.7	39.7	21,816,059	14.7	0.858
2	Georgia	871,208	10.8	50.4	9,128,015	9.5	0.233
3	California	627,541	7.8	58.2	49,915,493	1.3	0.168
4	Mississippi	539,341	6.7	64.9	5,727,702	9.4	0.144
5	Arkansas	413,353	5.1	70.0	9,167,431	4.5	0.111
6	Oklahoma	359,770	4.5	74.4	6,735,548	5.3	0.096
7	Missouri	332,169	4.1	78.6	10,098,948	3.3	0.089
8	Alabama	312,933	3.9	82.4	5,773,944	5.4	0.084
9	North Carolina	284,117	3.5	85.9	11,139,382	2.6	0.076
10	Tennessee	267,788	3.3	89.3	3,541,672	7.6	0.072
11	Arizona	232,281	2.9	92.1	4,298,441	5.4	0.062
12	South Carolina	179,036	2.2	94.3	2,520,633	7.1	0.048
13	Louisiana	160,616	2.0	96.3	3,141,160	5.1	0.043
14	Kansas	120,103	1.5	97.8	15,950,206	0.8	0.032
15	Virginia	70,603	0.9	98.7	3,529,839	2.0	0.019
16	New Mexico	53,515	0.7	99.4	2,919,467	1.8	0.014
17	Florida	52,288	0.6	100.0	7,186,838	0.7	0.014

Footnotes

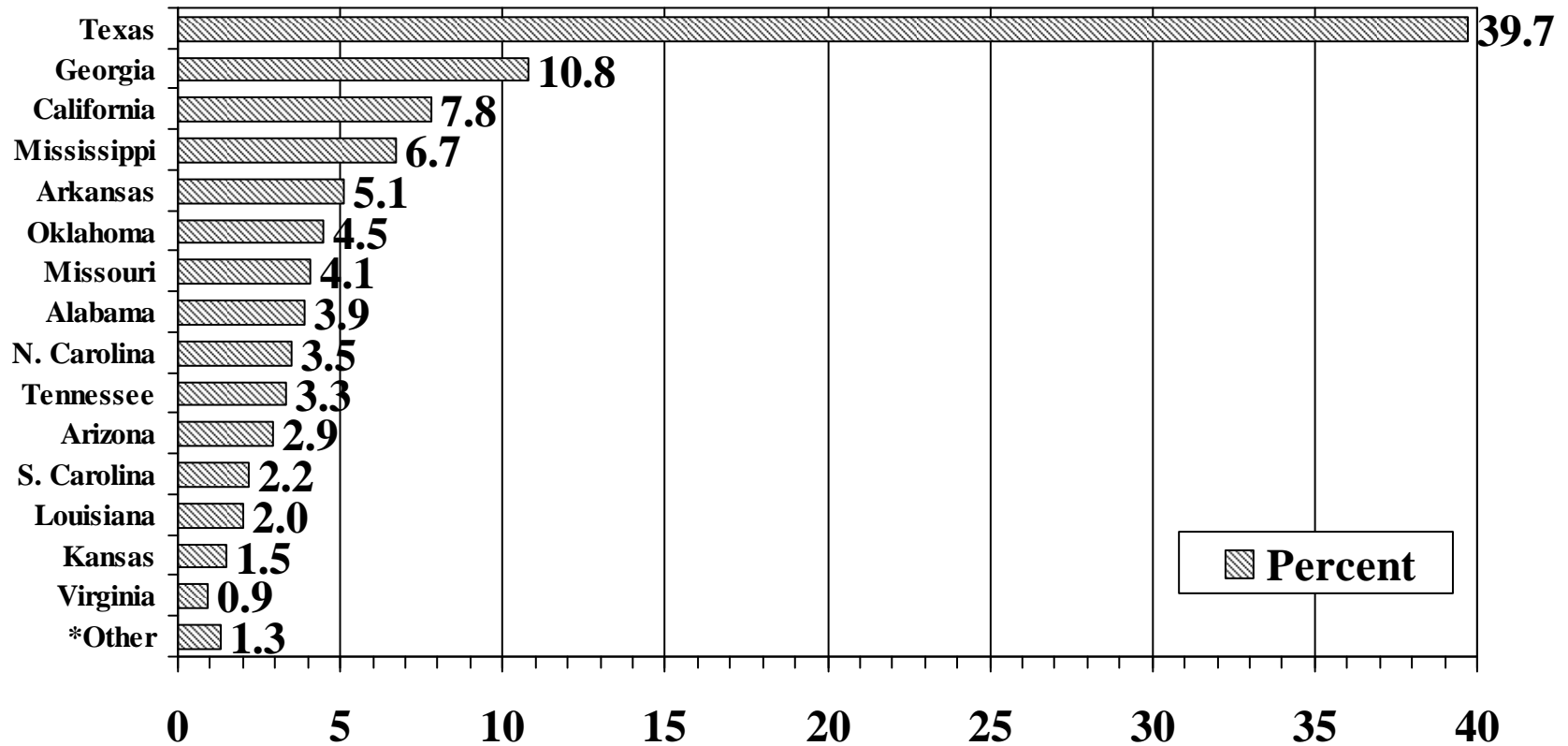
Data as of August 30, 2019

NA = Data are not available/applicable.

Values are rounded to the nearest thousand. When 'Real (2019 dollars)' is selected, nominal values are adjusted for inflation using the chain-type GDP deflator, base year=2019.

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Cotton: States' Percent of Total Receipts, 2018



*New Mexico (0.7%) and Florida (0.6%)

Net Farm Income by State Rank, 2016, 2017, 2018
Nominal (current dollars)

Rank*	State	2016	2017	2018
			<i>\$1,000</i>	
1	California	15,290,776	16,522,145	15,646,613
2	Iowa	3,850,794	4,266,535	5,669,843
3	Texas	2,579,792	3,721,777	4,454,159
4	Illinois	2,491,775	3,176,549	4,136,046
5	Minnesota	2,425,731	3,061,872	2,973,542
6	Florida	2,396,017	2,692,625	2,905,193
7	Kansas	2,260,989	2,586,526	2,755,957
8	Nebraska	2,234,407	2,377,952	2,612,654
9	South Dakota	2,033,321	2,321,001	2,575,278
10	Georgia	1,941,252	2,283,708	2,279,380
11	Ohio	1,800,017	1,867,197	2,232,099
12	Washington	1,629,721	1,848,290	2,217,963
13	Wisconsin	1,503,097	1,836,451	2,164,780
14	Indiana	1,469,565	1,740,619	2,136,815
15	North Dakota	1,345,868	1,719,457	1,928,662
16	Arkansas	1,257,725	1,714,171	1,804,264
17	Oklahoma	1,172,891	1,707,402	1,766,132
18	Kentucky	1,121,022	1,588,892	1,752,386
19	North Carolina	1,117,966	1,570,736	1,736,886
20	Idaho	1,106,387	1,513,239	1,689,152
21	Missouri	985,487	1,466,309	1,608,412
22	Mississippi	973,246	1,386,323	1,597,854
23	Pennsylvania	881,183	1,337,463	1,472,944
24	Alabama	846,452	1,307,814	1,388,192
25	Colorado	838,051	1,190,993	1,251,498
26	Montana	725,076	1,067,661	1,104,753
27	Michigan	708,478	1,007,366	1,071,655
28	New York	693,152	921,465	1,068,211
29	Arizona	679,672	901,432	1,055,547
30	Louisiana	598,603	834,457	902,101
31	New Mexico	427,150	802,757	842,787
32	Oregon	401,297	721,738	809,105
33	Virginia	353,208	602,877	650,238
34	Delaware	351,936	602,678	605,800
35	Maryland	329,011	532,875	541,819
36	Utah	278,631	449,730	470,781
37	Wyoming	203,241	397,076	326,016
38	Tennessee	157,721	380,076	296,748
39	New Jersey	153,143	328,894	288,427
40	South Carolina	141,450	245,736	285,773
41	Connecticut	76,873	204,951	164,885
42	Vermont	69,149	178,035	153,441
43	Maine	64,585	167,035	144,707
44	Hawaii	39,264	153,248	140,424
45	Nevada	20,947	134,311	88,717
46	West Virginia	17,544	88,602	82,324
47	Massachusetts	12,565	76,386	72,355
48	New Hampshire	5,537	60,982	62,996
49	Rhode Island	-6,357	30,304	33,447
50	Alaska	-22,078	-13,298	-7,087

* Ranking based on 2018 numbers

Source: USDA/ERS Farm Income and Wealth Statistics

State Ranking by Net Farm Income

2016, 2017, 2018

(Billion \$)

State	2016	State	2017	State	2018
1. California	15.29	1. California	16.52	1. California	15.65
2. Nebraska	3.85	2. Texas	4.27	2. Iowa	5.67
3. Iowa	2.58	3. Iowa	3.72	3. Texas	4.45
4. Texas	2.49	4. Florida	3.18	4. Illinois	4.14
5. N. Carolina	2.43	5. N. Carolina	3.06	5. Minnesota	2.97
6. Washington	2.40	6. Georgia	2.69	6. Florida	2.91
7. Kansas	2.26	7. Washington	2.59	7. Kansas	2.76
8. Illinois	2.23	8. Minnesota	2.38	8. Nebraska	2.61

Leading States in Value of Farmland and Buildings, 2018

State	Million Dollars
1. <i>Texas</i>	260,350
2. California	227,205
3. Iowa	222,462
4. Illinois	196,560
5. Nebraska	123,750
6. Minnesota	123,675
7. Indiana	98,700
8. Missouri	93,626
9. S. Dakota	89,424
10. Ohio	86,180

Texas and United States Number of Farms, 1915 - 2018
(1,000)

Texas						U.S.					
Year	Farms	Year	Farms	Year	Farms	Year	Farms	Year	Farms	Year	Farms
1915	430	1965	226	2015	242	1915	6,458	1965	3,356	2015	2,068
1916	432	1966	222	2016	242	1916	6,463	1966	3,257	2016	2,060
1917	436	1967	219	2017	249	1917	6,478	1967	3,162	2017	2,042
1918	438	1968	216	2018	247	1918	6,488	1968	3,071	2018	2,029
1919	442	1969	214			1919	6,506	1969	3,000		
1920	446	1970	212			1920	6,518	1970	2,949		
1921	450	1971	210			1921	6,511	1971	2,902		
1922	454	1972	209			1922	6,500	1972	2,860		
1923	458	1973	209			1923	6,492	1973	2,823		
1924	464	1974	209			1924	6,480	1974	2,795		
1925	470	1975	189			1925	6,471	1975	2,521		
1926	476	1976	187			1926	6,462	1976	2,497		
1927	481	1977	186			1927	6,458	1977	2,456		
1928	484	1978	185			1928	6,470	1978	2,436		
1929	492	1979	192			1929	6,512	1979	2,437		
1930	496	1980	196			1930	6,546	1980	2,440		
1931	506	1981	195			1931	6,609	1981	2,440		
1932	504	1982	194			1932	6,687	1982	2,407		
1933	496	1983	194			1933	6,741	1983	2,379		
1934	496	1984	194			1934	6,776	1984	2,334		
1935	501	1985	192			1935	6,814	1985	2,293		
1936	489	1986	190			1936	6,739	1986	2,250		
1937	472	1987	188			1937	6,636	1987	2,213		
1938	449	1988	187			1938	6,527	1988	2,197		
1939	440	1989	186			1939	6,441	1989	2,171		
1940	420	1990	196			1940	6,350	1990	2,146		
1941	418	1991	197			1941	6,293	1991	2,117		
1942	406	1992	198			1942	6,202	1992	2,108		
1943	397	1993	218			1943	6,089	1993	2,202		
1944	389	1994	220			1944	6,003	1994	2,198		
1945	387	1995	222			1945	5,967	1995	2,196		
1946	380	1996	224			1946	5,926	1996	2,191		
1947	372	1997	225			1947	5,871	1997	2,191		
1948	365	1998	226			1948	5,803	1998	2,192		
1949	355	1999	227			1949	5,772	1999	2,187		
1950	345	2000	226			1950	5,648	2000	2,167		
1951	332	2001	229			1951	5,428	2001	2,149		
1952	318	2002	229			1952	5,198	2002	2,135		
1953	305	2003	229			1953	4,984	2003	2,127		
1954	297	2004	229			1954	4,798	2004	2,113		
1955	298	2005	230			1955	4,654	2005	2,099		
1956	281	2006	230			1956	4,514	2006	2,089		
1957	273	2007	248			1957	4,372	2007	2,205		
1958	265	2008	248			1958	4,233	2008	2,185		
1959	252	2009	249			1959	4,105	2009	2,170		
1960	247	2010	249			1960	3,963	2010	2,150		
1961	242	2011	249			1961	3,825	2011	2,131		
1962	237	2012	249			1962	3,692	2012	2,110		
1963	233	2013	249			1963	3,572	2013	2,103		
1964	230	2014	246			1964	3,457	2014	2,085		

Source: TDA/USDA, "1966-1989 Texas Historical Crops Statistics", compiled by Texas Agricultural Statistics Service, August 1991, USDA; "Texas Ag Facts", USDA/TASS; "Farm Numbers and Land in Farms", USDA/NASS, various years.

Texas and U.S. Number of Farms, 1910 - 2018

