

Change Request, Cotton Ginnings Survey, OMB No. 0535-0220

NASS is submitting this non-substantive change request for the Cotton Ginnings Survey, OMB Control Number 0535-0220. As NASS works towards standardizing questionnaires and making more of them available to respondents via the internet we find it necessary to make minor changes to some of the questions to add clarity and consistency across the country.

The following questionnaires have changes marked in a red font.

The sample size and statistical methodology that was covered in the original approval have not changed for this survey.

COTTON GINNINGS REPORT – Master Copy



NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE

This master questionnaire includes all questions that will be asked either for the first of the month or mid month periods. Slight wording changes were made to some of the questions to make them easier for the respondents to reply to and consistent from State to State. Some of the questions are only asked at the specific times listed below.

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 Nass-ca@nass.usda.gov

Information requested in this survey is used to prepare estimates of selected agricultural commodities. Under Title 7 of the U.S. Code and CIPSEA (Public Law 107-347), facts about your operation are kept **confidential** and used only for statistical purposes in combination with similar reports from other producers. Response is **voluntary**.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Report cotton ginned from the [CROP YEAR] crop prior to [REFERENCE DATE].
- This report may be faxed to our office at [FAX NUMBER] or mailed on [REFERENCE DATE].

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NOTE: PIMA only asked in AZ, CA, NM, and TX

Every Form

1. Total bales of cotton ginned prior to [REFERENCE DATE]. Bales
2. How many more bales do you expect to gin from [REFERENCE DATE] to the end of the season Bales
3. Average price paid (or will be paid) to producers for cottonseed sold during the last two weeks of [REFERENCE MONTH – 1] (*Include amount deducted from ginning charges if nothing is paid directly to producers*) Dollars per Ton
3. Average price paid (or will be paid) to producers (or amount deducted from ginning charges) for cottonseed sold the first two weeks of [REFERENCE MONTH] (*Include amount deducted from ginning charges if nothing is paid directly to producers*).. . . . Dollars per Ton
4. In what county(s) is the cotton gin(s) located which you reported for on this form?

EVERY FORM (CHANGE)

8/1 TX Only, 2/1 All States

9/15, 10/15, 11/15, 12/15, 1/15

Only 9/15, All States

Upland	American Pima
411	311
412	312
421	321
\$	\$
421	321
\$	\$

- 505
 a. _____
 506
 b. _____
 507
 c. _____

Survey Results: To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to www.nass.usda.gov/results/.
 Would you rather have a brief summary sent to you at a later date?

1 Yes 3 No

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Respondent Name: _____	9911 Phone: (____) _____	9910 MM DD YY Date: ____-____-____
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Response	9901	Respondent	9902	Mode	9903	Enum	098	Eval.	100	Change	785	921	407	408	9906	9916
1-Comp		1-Op/Mgr		1-Mail												
2-R		2-Sp		2-Tel												
3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face												
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI												
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web												
6-Inac – Est				6-e-mail												
7-Off Hold – Est				7-Fax												
8-Known Zero				8-CAPI												
				19-Other												

S/E Name _____

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COTTON GINNINGS FINAL REPORT

[CROP YEAR] CROP



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This master questionnaire includes all questions that will be asked at the end of the marketing season for States that are in both the Upland Cotton and American Pima Cotton programs. Slight wording changes were made to some of the questions to make them easier for the respondents to reply to and consistent from State to State.

The amount of cotton ginned is needed by the cotton industry for market and trade analysis. Response to this survey is **voluntary** and not required by law. However, your cooperation is **very important** to the accuracy of cotton estimates. Individual reports are kept **confidential**. Please complete and return this form promptly by mail or facsimile.

Please make corrections to name, address and Zip Code, if necessary.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Report all cotton ginned from the [CROP YEAR] crop.
- Please RETURN your report promptly.
- This report may be faxed to our office at 1-888-478-5637 or mailed.

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	Upland	American Pima
1. Total bales of cotton ginned this season to date Bales	411	311
2. How many more bales do you expect to gin to the end of the season? Bales	412	312
3. Total pounds of lint cotton produced from these (Item 1) bales. Pounds	413	313
or		
4. Average weight per bale of the (Item 1) ginned cotton(excluding bagging and ties) Lbs/Bale	414	314
5. Total pounds of cottonseed derived from these (Item 1) bales. Pounds	415	315
a. Of the (Item 5) total pounds of cottonseed, how many pounds were or will be delivered to oil mills? Pounds*	416	316
b. Of the (Item 5) total pounds of cottonseed how many pounds were or will be used for feed, seed or other uses? Pounds*	417	317

* Item 5a + Item 5b = Item 5

	Plants
6. How many SAW ginning plants, which you report for on this form, operated during the [CROP YEAR] crop season?	501
7. How many ROLLER ginning plants, which you report for on this form, operated during the [CROP YEAR] crop season?	502

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COTTON GINNINGS [CROP YEAR] CROP

For the total [CROP YEAR] crop ginnings (Item 1 + Item 2 on face page) please report the number of bales of cotton ginned and to be ginned by STATE and COUNTY IN WHICH GROWN.

STATE Where Grown	Office Use	COUNTY Where Grown	Office Use	Upland Bales Grown	American Pima Bales Grown
	503		504	404	304
	503		504	404	304
	503		504	404	304
	503		504	404	304
	503		504	404	304
	503		504	404	304
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Total (Should equal Item 1 + Item 2 on face page.)					

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Yes No
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Respondent Name: _____		9911 Phone: () _____	9910 MM DD YY Date: _ _ _ _			
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Response	Respondent	Mode	Enum	Eval.	Change	Optional Use
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S/E Name _____						



COTTON GINNINGS FINAL REPORT 2012 CROP



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This master questionnaire includes all questions that will be asked at the end of the marketing season for States that are in the Upland Cotton program only. Slight wording changes were made to some of the questions to make them easier for the respondents to reply to and consistent from State to State.

The amount of cotton ginned is needed by the cotton industry for market and trade analysis. Under Title 7 of the U.S. Code and CIPSEA (Public Law 107-347), facts about your operation are kept **confidential** and used only for statistical purposes in combination with similar reports from other producers. Response is **voluntary**.

Please make corrections to name, address and Zip Code, if necessary.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Report all cotton ginned from the 2012 crop.
- Please RETURN your report promptly.
- This report may be faxed to our office at 1-334-279-3590 or mailed.

		Upland
1.	Total bales of cotton ginned this season to date Bales	411
2.	How many more bales do you expect to gin to the end of the season? Bales	412
3.	Total pounds of lint cotton produced from these (Item 1) bales. Pounds	413
	or	414
4.	Average weight per bale of the (Item 1) ginned cotton (excluding bagging and ties) Lbs/Bale	414
5.	Total pounds of cottonseed derived from these (Item 1) bales. Pounds	415
	a. Of the (Item 5) total pounds of cottonseed, how many pounds were or will be delivered to oil mills?. Pounds*	416
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COTTON GINNINGS 2012 CROP

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STATE Where Grown	Office Use	COUNTY Where Grown	Office Use	Upland Bales Grown
	503		504	404
	503		504	404
	503		504	404
	503		504	404
	503		504	404
	503		504	404
	503		504	404
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Response	

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Phone: (____) _____		Date: ____	__	__	__

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						9906
						9916

S/E Name