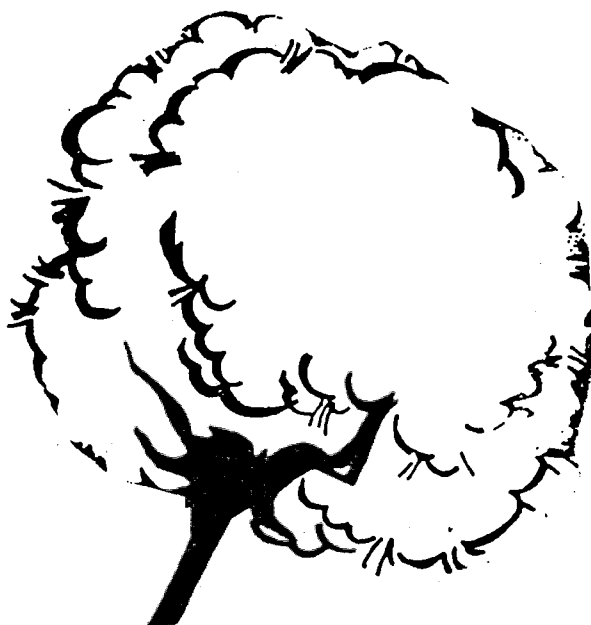


# **COTTON PRICE STATISTICS 1998 - 1999**



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Spot cotton quotations for color 41, leaf 4, staple 34, mike 35-36 and 43-49, strength readings of 23.5-25.4 grams per tex, in the designated markets, averaged 60.12 cents per pound for the 1998-99 marketing year, according to the USDA, Agricultural Marketing Service's Cotton Programs. Transactions reported in the designated markets totaled 1,983,700 running bales.

Quotations for color 41, leaf grade 4, staple 34, mike 35-36 and 43-49, strength 23.5-25.4 cotton, in the designated markets averaged 60.12 cents per pound for the 1998-99 season. This was down from 67.79 cents for the 1997-98 season. Quotations averaged 71.87 cents per pound in August 1998, the first month of the marketing year. Average quotations weakened from September through February and then fluctuated the remainder of the marketing year. The highest monthly average for the marketing year was 71.87 cents per pound in August 1998 and the lowest was 49.23 in July 1999. The season's highest daily average quotation for the base quality occurred on August 23, 1998, at 74.19 cents per pound, and the season's lowest daily quotation was 47.21 cents on both July 12 and July 14, 1999.

Prices received by farmers for upland cotton averaged 54.90 cents per pound in mid July, according to the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. This compares with 55.50 cents for the entire month of June and 68.00 cents in July 1998. The average price received by farmers during the 1997-98 marketing year was 65.20 cents and 69.30 cents for the 1996-97 marketing year. The marketing year average price is monthly prices weighted by monthly marketings during the period August through the following July, with no allowances for unredeemed loans.

Spot cotton transactions in the designated markets totaled 1,983,700 running bales in the 1998-99 season, down from 3,445,700 bales in 1997-98 and 3,224,300 bales in 1996-97.

### CCC-loan stocks on July 31, 1999

1999-crop upland loan stocks	3,770
1998-crop American Pima loan stocks	93,941
1998-crop upland loan stocks	<u>321,890</u>
 Total	 419,601

Table 1. Season average prices, upland cotton, for the base quality, by designated markets, cents per pound, 1993-1998 1/ 2/

Market Areas	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Southeast	67.46	87.17	83.86	72.33	68.60	62.06
North Delta	67.04	87.25	83.76	72.11	68.36	61.82
South Delta	67.04	87.25	83.76	72.11	68.36	61.82
East Texas-Oklahoma	66.22	86.96	80.89	70.29	65.93	57.66
West Texas	65.92	86.66	80.64	69.89	65.88	57.76
Desert Southwest	64.16	87.96	80.90	69.88	65.63	55.92
San Joaquin Valley	65.04	93.73	87.40	74.47	71.79	63.78
Average	66.13	88.14	83.03	71.58	67.79	60.12

1/ Year beginning August 1. 2/ In mixed lots, net weight, compressed, FOB car/truck.

Table 2. Season average prices for American Pima cotton, by qualities, cents per pound, 1998-1999 1/

Staple	Grade						Mike Ranges	
	01	02	03	04	05	06		
	Desert Southwest						26 & below	-2300
44	94.63	94.38	90.69	83.79	66.72	51.96	27-29	-1800
46	95.38	95.13	91.44	84.54	66.72	51.96	30-32	-1350
							33-34	-500
							35& above	0
	San Joaquin Valley						26 & below	-2200
44	96.92	96.67	92.93	86.35	70.53	56.22	27-29	-1700
46	97.42	97.17	93.43	86.85	70.53	56.22	30-32	-1250
							33-34	-400
							35& above	0
	Average						26 & below	-2250
44	95.78	95.53	91.81	85.07	68.62	54.09	27-29	-1750
46	96.40	96.15	92.43	85.70	68.62	54.09	30-32	-1300
							33-34	-450
							35& above	0

1/ In mixed lots, net weight, uncompressed, FOB warehouse.

Table 3. High and low average prices for upland cotton base quality in the designated markets, by seasons. 1/ 2/

Year	HIGH		LOW	
	Date	Price	Date	Price
1993	3-May-94	81.06	12-Aug-93	51.48
1994	26-May-95	111.53	4-Oct-94	65.98
1995	21-Sep-95	93.51	3-Jul-96	75.84
1996	3-Sep-96	78.11	12-Nov-96	68.00
1997	8-Jul-98	77.79	8-Apr-98	59.82
1998	24-Aug-98	74.19	12-Jul-99	47.21

1/ Year beginning August 1. 2/ Color 41, leaf 4, staple 34, mike 35-36 and 43-49, strength 23.5-25.4.

Table 4. Spot cotton prices for color 41, leaf 4, staple 34, mike 35-36 and 43-49, strength 23.5-25.4, in the designated markets, daily and monthly averages, 1998-99 season. 1/

Date	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
1		71.43	69.88		63.32		57.66	56.10	56.79		54.99	51.00
2		73.11	69.90	65.69	63.82		57.13	57.71			55.69	50.63
3	69.07	72.79		65.46	62.26		57.35	57.79		58.14	55.47	
4	69.11	72.14		66.33	62.64	55.88	56.20	58.31		57.74	55.13	
5	70.11		70.46	66.16		57.16	56.40	59.70	56.96	56.58		
6	71.94		71.59	66.44		57.01			57.47	56.19		50.84
7	71.81		71.24		62.23	55.92			57.79	57.35	55.44	50.02
8		72.05	71.18		62.16	56.21	57.01	58.99	58.76		55.09	49.66
9		71.93	69.52	67.89	61.48		55.03	58.45	58.26		55.05	48.83
10	70.86	71.39		67.39	61.10		55.18	58.59		57.29	54.26	
11	69.99	71.79		66.16	60.08	56.06	54.01	59.54		56.94	53.74	
12	71.39		68.96	66.09		56.69	54.36	58.36	57.74	54.54		47.21
13	71.85		68.44	66.59		55.95			57.32	55.05		47.99
14	72.66	72.09	68.57		60.28	56.07			57.37	54.96	54.03	47.21
15		71.68	66.64		59.23	56.24		58.15	56.99		54.22	47.64
16		71.84	65.56	64.14	60.07		54.21	58.37	55.39		53.08	48.26
17	73.81	71.47		63.14	59.32		54.61	58.51		55.24	52.45	
18	72.84	72.32		64.00	59.37		54.64	58.04		54.78	53.29	
19	73.40		65.51	63.31		55.79	54.41	57.90	54.76	55.04		49.21
20	72.68		66.26	63.37		56.10			55.24	54.95		48.67
21		72.34	66.54		59.12	56.20			55.15	54.70	53.46	49.90
22		73.10	64.97		58.20	55.60	54.46	59.12	54.74		53.31	49.74
23	74.19	72.80	65.51	62.61	56.82		54.29	59.12	56.39		52.64	50.40
24	73.66	70.99		62.72	56.81		55.26	58.80		53.76	53.35	
25	73.36	70.90		63.36		54.48	56.17	59.29		54.50	52.78	
26	71.93		64.97			55.11	55.31	58.14	56.36	54.36		49.04
27	70.93		65.76			55.75			57.04	54.09		49.01
28		70.94	65.84		57.06	57.82			58.31	54.64	51.45	48.25
29		69.54	64.66		57.39	57.77		56.10	59.49		51.57	49.86
30	70.51	70.01	65.55	63.29	57.39			56.24	58.86		51.78	50.52
31	71.87				57.19			56.56				
Average	71.81	71.75	67.61	64.96	59.88	56.20	55.46	58.17	57.01	55.54	53.74	49.23
High	74.19	73.11	71.59	67.89	63.82	57.82	57.66	59.70	59.49	58.14	55.69	51.00
Low	69.07	69.54	64.66	62.61	56.81	54.48	54.01	56.10	54.74	53.76	51.45	47.21

1/ Prices are for mixed lots, net weight, FOB car/truck.

Table 5. Spot cotton prices for color 41, leaf 4, staple 34, mike 35-36 and 43-49, strength 23.5-25.4, in the designated markets, monthly and annual averages, 1998-99 1/

Market Area	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
	Cents per pound											
Southeast	71.90	71.39	67.70	65.49	60.90	58.55	57.73	61.04	60.79	59.05	57.41	52.76
North Delta	72.25	71.80	67.74	65.90	61.36	57.70	56.94	60.67	60.22	58.38	56.64	52.23
South Delta	72.25	71.83	67.74	65.90	61.36	57.70	56.94	60.67	60.22	58.38	56.64	52.23
East Texas-Oklahoma	70.45	69.81	65.56	62.28	56.99	53.83	53.26	55.17	53.81	52.74	51.25	46.75
West Texas	70.45	69.81	65.74	63.01	57.13	53.83	53.26	55.17	53.81	52.74	51.25	46.90
Desert Southwest	66.15	68.55	64.67	61.83	57.24	52.29	50.76	54.19	52.23	50.13	48.28	44.76
San Joaquin Valley	79.65	79.01	74.17	70.28	64.18	59.51	59.30	60.27	57.96	57.38	54.71	49.01
Average	71.87	71.75	67.61	64.96	59.88	56.20	55.46	58.17	57.01	55.54	53.74	49.23

1/ Prices are for mixed lots, net weight, compressed, FOB car/truck.

Table 6. Spot cotton prices for color 31, leaf 3, staple 34, mike 35-36 and 43-49, strength 23.5-25.4, in the designated markets, monthly and annual averages, 1998-99 1/

Market Area	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
	Cents per pound											
Southeast	72.40	71.89	68.20	65.99	61.40	59.05	58.23	61.54	61.29	59.55	57.91	53.26
North Delta	73.25	72.80	69.12	67.40	62.86	59.20	58.44	62.17	61.72	59.88	58.14	53.73
South Delta	73.25	72.83	69.12	67.40	62.86	59.20	58.44	62.17	61.72	59.88	58.14	53.73
East Texas-Oklahoma	71.05	70.31	66.45	63.04	57.60	54.33	53.92	56.23	55.06	53.99	52.02	47.38
West Texas	71.08	70.31	66.64	63.54	57.57	54.33	53.92	56.23	55.06	53.99	52.02	47.65
Desert Southwest	69.40	71.80	67.92	65.08	60.09	55.92	54.76	58.19	56.23	54.13	52.28	48.76
San Joaquin Valley	81.65	81.01	76.17	72.28	66.63	63.35	63.30	66.12	64.46	63.88	61.21	55.51
Average	73.15	73.00	69.09	66.39	61.29	57.91	57.29	60.38	59.36	57.90	55.96	51.43

1/ Prices are for mixed lots, net weight, compressed, FOB car/truck.

Table 7. United States spot cotton differences, season averages

August, 1998-July, 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple								
		26-29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
11 & 21	1 & 2	-1167	-991	-786	-488	-113	204	301	328	331
	3	-1193	-1016	-811	-513	-121	197	289	317	320
	4	-1218	-1041	-844	-548	-224	67	170	197	199
	5	-1278	-1099	-911	-636	-387	-194	-110	-108	-105
	6	-1338	-1160	-963	-743	-610	-465	-421	-421	-421
	7	-1437	-1235	-995	-807	-874	-791	-766	-766	-766
31	1 & 2	-1184	-1007	-804	-516	-131	188	282	306	309
	3	-1209	-1032	-829	-541	-140	181	272	299	302
	4	-1234	-1057	-862	-566	-237	55	154	181	184
	5	-1305	-1124	-934	-694	-407	-214	-131	-129	-126
	6	-1365	-1187	-1007	-801	-639	-492	-448	-448	-448
	7	-1464	-1262	-1039	-865	-896	-823	-798	-798	-798
41	1 & 2	-1306	-1118	-903	-623	-282	26	120	139	140
	3	-1306	-1118	-903	-623	-282	23	117	136	138
	4	-1307	-1119	-904	-637	-285	60.12	93	112	113
	5	-1392	-1185	-990	-744	-473	-332	-281	-280	-279
	6	-1448	-1266	-1057	-858	-710	-609	-565	-565	-565
	7	-1527	-1335	-1094	-917	-994	-950	-925	-925	-925
51	1 & 2	-1459	-1281	-1003	-719	-602	-397	-352	-352	-352
	3	-1459	-1281	-1003	-719	-602	-397	-352	-352	-352
	4	-1485	-1306	-1028	-760	-628	-430	-385	-385	-385
	5	-1518	-1339	-1112	-861	-701	-544	-499	-499	-499
	6	-1579	-1379	-1151	-945	-818	-787	-761	-761	-761
	7	-1644	-1422	-1194	-997	-1081	-1063	-1038	-1038	-1038
61	1 & 2	-1515	-1349	-1078	-843	-776	-706	-706	-706	-706
	3	-1515	-1349	-1078	-843	-776	-706	-706	-706	-706
	4	-1538	-1370	-1106	-896	-816	-746	-746	-746	-746
	5	-1573	-1399	-1147	-946	-872	-796	-796	-796	-796
	6	-1624	-1438	-1186	-1012	-943	-863	-863	-863	-863
	7	-1694	-1484	-1232	-1091	-1162	-1092	-1092	-1092	-1092
71	1 & 2	-1562	-1403	-1125	-938	-1187	-1129	-1129	-1129	-1129
	3	-1562	-1403	-1125	-938	-1187	-1129	-1129	-1129	-1129
	4	-1585	-1429	-1151	-1035	-1208	-1149	-1149	-1149	-1149
	5	-1622	-1457	-1173	-1038	-1234	-1175	-1175	-1175	-1175
	6	-1671	-1495	-1211	-1075	-1244	-1185	-1185	-1185	-1185
	7	-1724	-1540	-1259	-1128	-1274	-1215	-1215	-1215	-1215
12 & 22	1 & 2	-1212	-1045	-834	-557	-253	47	117	141	144
	3	-1237	-1070	-859	-582	-269	23	94	117	120
	4	-1265	-1095	-891	-628	-409	-210	-149	-143	-140
	5	-1330	-1159	-964	-713	-545	-379	-337	-337	-337
	6	-1389	-1219	-1036	-786	-756	-732	-707	-707	-707
	7	-1482	-1289	-1068	-850	-1069	-1047	-1025	-1025	-1025
32	1 & 2	-1259	-1088	-877	-596	-319	-59	11	32	34
	3	-1259	-1088	-877	-596	-319	-69	1	22	24
	4	-1288	-1117	-910	-646	-460	-279	-236	-229	-229
	5	-1377	-1206	-982	-739	-598	-443	-400	-400	-400
	6	-1436	-1266	-1064	-830	-805	-784	-759	-759	-759
	7	-1508	-1339	-1117	-894	-1105	-1103	-1078	-1078	-1078
42	1 & 2	-1364	-1197	-956	-694	-520	-315	-272	-268	-268
	3	-1364	-1197	-959	-719	-528	-336	-293	-289	-289
	4	-1390	-1222	-988	-758	-556	-387	-344	-340	-340
	5	-1434	-1263	-1054	-854	-707	-579	-539	-539	-539
	6	-1484	-1303	-1106	-957	-879	-886	-861	-861	-861
	7	-1559	-1372	-1164	-1005	-1174	-1191	-1181	-1181	-1181
52	1 & 2	-1510	-1345	-1069	-794	-736	-607	-586	-586	-586
	3	-1510	-1345	-1069	-794	-736	-607	-586	-586	-586
	4	-1540	-1370	-1119	-869	-812	-791	-773	-773	-773
	5	-1596	-1414	-1188	-967	-869	-841	-823	-823	-823
	6	-1648	-1459	-1246	-1040	-1032	-1071	-1068	-1068	-1068
	7	-1703	-1516	-1281	-1125	-1257	-1290	-1286	-1286	-1286
62	1 & 2	-1608	-1412	-1121	-969	-982	-908	-908	-908	-908
	3	-1608	-1412	-1121	-969	-982	-908	-908	-908	-908
	4	-1608	-1412	-1171	-1019	-1022	-961	-961	-961	-961
	5	-1640	-1469	-1271	-1119	-1093	-1030	-1030	-1030	-1030
	6	-1689	-1515	-1316	-1155	-1177	-1121	-1121	-1121	-1121

Table 7. United States (Continued)

August, 1998-July, 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple								
		26-29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
13 & 23	1 & 2	-1368	-1179	-948	-713	-509	-390	-390	-390	-390
	3	-1371	-1179	-973	-738	-534	-415	-415	-415	-415
	4	-1396	-1207	-1030	-793	-637	-515	-515	-515	-515
	5	-1428	-1280	-1091	-895	-763	-713	-713	-713	-713
	6	-1491	-1353	-1164	-1073	-958	-889	-889	-889	-889
	7	-1585	-1409	-1214	-1143	-1073	-1013	-1013	-1013	-1013
33	1 & 2	-1396	-1236	-1002	-770	-563	-465	-465	-465	-465
	3	-1396	-1236	-1002	-770	-565	-465	-465	-465	-465
	4	-1471	-1286	-1066	-828	-695	-890	-890	-890	-890
	5	-1525	-1339	-1173	-933	-843	-995	-995	-995	-995
	6	-1575	-1399	-1236	-1101	-1015	-1181	-1181	-1181	-1181
	7	-1635	-1459	-1307	-1197	-1111	-1349	-1349	-1349	-1349
43	1 & 2	-1582	-1390	-1182	-890	-835	-872	-865	-865	-865
	3	-1610	-1422	-1218	-968	-861	-901	-897	-897	-897
	4	-1635	-1450	-1246	-997	-896	-959	-955	-955	-955
	5	-1692	-1511	-1307	-1079	-1076	-1148	-1144	-1144	-1144
	6	-1721	-1564	-1384	-1197	-1251	-1297	-1294	-1294	-1294
	7	-1778	-1685	-1431	-1278	-1483	-1539	-1536	-1536	-1536
53	1 & 2	-1706	-1570	-1369	-1096	-1058	-1024	-1020	-1020	-1020
	3	-1706	-1570	-1369	-1096	-1058	-1024	-1020	-1020	-1020
	4	-1759	-1627	-1447	-1178	-1144	-1117	-1113	-1113	-1113
	5	-1816	-1659	-1501	-1232	-1179	-1151	-1147	-1147	-1147
	6	-1848	-1716	-1601	-1328	-1328	-1301	-1297	-1297	-1297
	7	-1902	-1769	-1687	-1385	-1514	-1494	-1490	-1490	-1490
63	1 & 2	-1752	-1641	-1462	-1311	-1368	-1341	-1341	-1341	-1341
	3	-1752	-1641	-1462	-1311	-1368	-1341	-1341	-1341	-1341
	4	-1802	-1691	-1512	-1343	-1381	-1363	-1363	-1363	-1363
	5	-1856	-1745	-1587	-1422	-1447	-1429	-1429	-1429	-1429
	6	-1877	-1766	-1630	-1422	-1496	-1478	-1478	-1478	-1478
	7	-1902	-1769	-1687	-1385	-1514	-1494	-1490	-1490	-1490
34	1 & 2	-1583	-1401	-1182	-978	-885	-839	-839	-839	-839
	3	-1583	-1401	-1182	-978	-885	-839	-839	-839	-839
	4	-1655	-1472	-1286	-1081	-989	-937	-937	-937	-937
	5	-1723	-1547	-1364	-1224	-1064	-1018	-1018	-1018	-1018
	6	-1787	-1643	-1445	-1321	-1160	-1114	-1114	-1114	-1114
	7	-1816	-1659	-1501	-1232	-1179	-1151	-1147	-1147	-1147
44	1 & 2	-1741	-1558	-1397	-1149	-992	-946	-946	-946	-946
	3	-1769	-1590	-1429	-1203	-1067	-1000	-1000	-1000	-1000
	4	-1791	-1633	-1472	-1267	-1089	-1043	-1043	-1043	-1043
	5	-1823	-1687	-1547	-1364	-1185	-1139	-1139	-1139	-1139
	6	-1876	-1724	-1622	-1439	-1239	-1193	-1193	-1193	-1193
	7	-1902	-1769	-1687	-1385	-1514	-1494	-1490	-1490	-1490
54	1 & 2	-1866	-1708	-1550	-1367	-1203	-1136	-1136	-1136	-1136
	3	-1866	-1708	-1550	-1367	-1203	-1136	-1136	-1136	-1136
	4	-1916	-1758	-1600	-1417	-1244	-1189	-1189	-1189	-1189
	5	-1916	-1758	-1600	-1417	-1244	-1189	-1189	-1189	-1189

## Mike

Range	Diff.
24 & Below	-1399
25-26	-1222
27-29	-936
30-32	-467
33-34	-209
Base 35-36	0
37-42	19
Base 43-49	0
50-52	-409
53 & Above	-624

## Strength

(Grams per Tex)	
Range	Diff.
18.5-19.4	-189
19.5-20.4	-176
20.5-21.4	-142
21.5-22.4	-108
22.5-23.4	-58
Base 23.5-25.4	0
25.5-26.4	0
26.5-27.4	0
27.5-28.4	0
28.5-29.4	15
29.5-30.4	29
30.5 & Above	42

## Extraneous Matter

Level	Diff.
Except bark for TX and OK	
1	-421
2	-791
BARK - TX and OK only	
1	-206
2	-392

Table 8. Southeast spot cotton differences, season average.

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple					Color	Leaf	Staple				
		33	34	35	36	37			33	34	35	36	37
11 & 21	1 & 2	-270	50	87	87	87	43	1 & 2	-1062	-1062	-1062	-1062	-1062
	3	-270	50	87	87	87		3	-1062	-1062	-1062	-1062	-1062
	4	-295	25	62	62	62		4	-1112	-1112	-1112	-1112	-1112
	5	-470	-150	-113	-113	-113		5	-1212	-1212	-1212	-1212	-1212
	6	-670	-350	-344	-344	-344		6	-1462	-1462	-1462	-1462	-1462
	7	-1020	-700	-700	-700	-700		7	-1662	-1662	-1662	-1662	-1662
	31	1 & 2	-270	50	87	87		87	53	1 & 2	-1162	-1162	-1162
3		-270	50	87	87	87	3	-1162		-1162	-1162	-1162	-1162
4		-295	25	62	62	62	4	-1212		-1212	-1212	-1212	-1212
5		-470	-150	-113	-113	-113	5	-1312		-1312	-1312	-1312	-1312
6		-670	-350	-344	-344	-344	6	-1512		-1512	-1512	-1512	-1512
7		-1020	-700	-700	-700	-700	7	-1712		-1712	-1712	-1712	-1712
41		1 & 2	-320	0	37	37	37	63		1 & 2	-1387	-1387	-1387
	3	-320	0	37	37	37	3		-1387	-1387	-1387	-1387	-1387
	4	-320	62.06	37	37	37	4		-1387	-1387	-1387	-1387	-1387
	5	-595	-275	-238	-238	-238	5		-1562	-1562	-1562	-1562	-1562
	6	-845	-525	-519	-519	-519	6		-1762	-1762	-1762	-1762	-1762
	7	-1195	-875	-875	-875	-875							
	51	1 & 2	-654	-325	-313	-313	-313						
3		-654	-325	-313	-313	-313							
4		-704	-375	-363	-363	-363							
5		-804	-475	-463	-463	-463							
6		-1005	-676	-664	-664	-664							
7		-1304	-1008	-1008	-1008	-1008							
61		1 & 2	-653	-539	-539	-539	-539						
	3	-653	-539	-539	-539	-539							
	4	-703	-589	-589	-589	-589							
	5	-803	-689	-689	-689	-689							
	6	-1053	-939	-939	-939	-939							
	7	-1303	-1189	-1189	-1189	-1189							
	71	1 & 2	-1218	-1104	-1104	-1104	-1104						
3		-1218	-1104	-1104	-1104	-1104							
4		-1218	-1104	-1104	-1104	-1104							
5		-1318	-1204	-1204	-1204	-1204							
6		-1318	-1204	-1204	-1204	-1204							
7		-1318	-1204	-1204	-1204	-1204							
12 & 22		1 & 2	-361	-48	-48	-48	-48						
	3	-361	-48	-48	-48	-48							
	4	-411	-98	-98	-98	-98							
	5	-636	-323	-323	-323	-323							
	6	-861	-548	-548	-548	-548							
	7	-1194	-881	-881	-881	-881							
	32	1 & 2	-361	-48	-48	-48	-48						
3		-361	-48	-48	-48	-48							
4		-411	-98	-98	-98	-98							
5		-636	-323	-323	-323	-323							
6		-861	-548	-548	-548	-548							
7		-1194	-881	-881	-881	-881							
42		1 & 2	-635	-322	-322	-322	-322						
	3	-635	-322	-322	-322	-322							
	4	-685	-372	-372	-372	-372							
	5	-885	-572	-572	-572	-572							
	6	-1035	-722	-722	-722	-722							
	7	-1333	-1020	-1020	-1020	-1020							
	52	1 & 2	-835	-522	-522	-522	-522						
3		-835	-522	-522	-522	-522							
4		-885	-572	-572	-572	-572							
5		-985	-672	-672	-672	-672							
6		-1135	-822	-822	-822	-822							
7		-1385	-1138	-1138	-1138	-1138							
62		1 & 2	-883	-788	-788	-788	-788						
	3	-883	-788	-788	-788	-788							
	4	-983	-888	-888	-888	-888							
	5	-1083	-988	-988	-988	-988							
	6	-1433	-1338	-1338	-1338	-1338							

Mike	
Range	Diff.
25-26	-1250
27-29	-900
30-32	-475
33-34	-225
Base 35-36	0
37-42	10
Base 43-49	0
50-52	-411
53 & Above	-625

Strength	
(Grams per Tex)	
Range	Diff.
20.5-21.4	-177
21.5-22.4	-127
22.5-23.4	-78
Base 23.5-25.4	0
25.5-26.4	0
26.5-27.4	0
27.5-28.4	0
28.5-29.4	10
29.5-30.4	15
30.5 & Above	25

Extraneous Matter	
Level	Diff.
1	-434
2	-800



Table 9. North Delta spot cotton differences, season average.

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple					Color	Leaf	Staple				
		33	34	35	36	37			33	34	35	36	37
11 & 21	1 & 2	-118	141	191	225	225	43	1 & 2	-956	-956	-956	-956	-956
	3	-118	141	191	225	225		3	-956	-956	-956	-956	-956
	4	-168	91	141	175	175		4	-956	-956	-956	-956	-956
	5	-396	-273	-263	-263	-263		5	-1105	-1105	-1105	-1105	-1105
	6	-855	-855	-855	-855	-855		6	-1305	-1305	-1305	-1305	-1305
	7	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255		7	-1805	-1805	-1805	-1805	-1805
31	1 & 2	-118	141	191	225	225	53	1 & 2	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255
	3	-118	141	191	225	225		3	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255
	4	-168	91	141	175	175		4	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255
	5	-396	-273	-263	-263	-263		5	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255
	6	-855	-855	-855	-855	-855		6	-1405	-1405	-1405	-1405	-1405
	7	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255		7	-1805	-1805	-1805	-1805	-1805
41	1 & 2	-259	0	50	85	85	63	1 & 2	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	3	-259	0	50	85	85		3	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	4	-259	61.82	50	85	85		4	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	5	-487	-364	-354	-354	-354		5	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	6	-855	-855	-855	-855	-855		6	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	7	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255							
51	1 & 2	-716	-538	-538	-538	-538							
	3	-716	-538	-538	-538	-538							
	4	-716	-538	-538	-538	-538							
	5	-762	-585	-585	-585	-585							
	6	-889	-889	-889	-889	-889							
	7	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255							
61	1 & 2	-955	-955	-955	-955	-955							
	3	-955	-955	-955	-955	-955							
	4	-955	-955	-955	-955	-955							
	5	-955	-955	-955	-955	-955							
	6	-957	-957	-957	-957	-957							
	7	-1305	-1305	-1305	-1305	-1305							
71	1 & 2	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
	3	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
	4	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
	5	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
	6	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
	7	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
12 & 22	1 & 2	-324	-66	-31	4	4							
	3	-324	-66	-31	4	4							
	4	-528	-364	-364	-364	-364							
	5	-638	-474	-474	-474	-474							
	6	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005							
	7	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455							
32	1 & 2	-374	-116	-81	-46	-46							
	3	-374	-116	-81	-46	-46							
	4	-568	-404	-404	-404	-404							
	5	-678	-514	-514	-514	-514							
	6	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005							
	7	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455							
42	1 & 2	-622	-444	-444	-444	-444							
	3	-622	-444	-444	-444	-444							
	4	-622	-444	-444	-444	-444							
	5	-772	-609	-609	-609	-609							
	6	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005							
	7	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455							
52	1 & 2	-869	-757	-757	-757	-757							
	3	-869	-757	-757	-757	-757							
	4	-869	-757	-757	-757	-757							
	5	-869	-757	-757	-757	-757							
	6	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005							
	7	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455							
62	1 & 2	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							
	3	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							
	4	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							
	5	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							
	6	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							

Mike	
Range	Diff.
25-26	-1248
27-29	-897
30-32	-460
33-34	-228
Base 35-36	0
37-42	0
Base 43-49	0
50-52	-388
53 & Above	-590

Strength	
(Grams per Tex)	
Range	Diff.
20.5-21.4	-100
21.5-22.4	-75
22.5-23.4	0
Base 23.5-25.4	0
25.5-26.4	0
26.5-27.4	0
27.5-28.4	0
28.5-29.4	4
29.5-30.4	16
30.5 & Above	21

Extraneous Matter	
Level	Diff.
1	-435
2	-785

Table 10. South Delta spot cotton differences, season average.

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple					Color	Leaf	Staple				
		33	34	35	36	37			33	34	35	36	37
11 & 21	1 & 2	-118	141	191	225	225	43	1 & 2	-956	-956	-956	-956	-956
	3	-118	141	191	225	225		3	-956	-956	-956	-956	-956
	4	-168	91	141	175	175		4	-956	-956	-956	-956	-956
	5	-396	-273	-263	-263	-263		5	-1105	-1105	-1105	-1105	-1105
	6	-855	-855	-855	-855	-855		6	-1305	-1305	-1305	-1305	-1305
	7	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255		7	-1805	-1805	-1805	-1805	-1805
	31	1 & 2	-118	141	191	225		225	53	1 & 2	-1255	-1255	-1255
3		-118	141	191	225	225	3	-1255		-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255
4		-168	91	141	175	175	4	-1255		-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255
5		-396	-273	-263	-263	-263	5	-1255		-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255
6		-855	-855	-855	-855	-855	6	-1405		-1405	-1405	-1405	-1405
7		-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	7	-1805		-1805	-1805	-1805	-1805
41		1 & 2	-259	0	50	85	85	63		1 & 2	-1555	-1555	-1555
	3	-259	0	50	85	85	3		-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	4	-259	61.82	50	85	85	4		-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	5	-487	-364	-354	-354	-354	5		-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	6	-855	-855	-855	-855	-855	6		-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555	-1555
	7	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255							
	51	1 & 2	-716	-538	-538	-538	-538						
3		-716	-538	-538	-538	-538							
4		-716	-538	-538	-538	-538							
5		-762	-585	-585	-585	-585							
6		-889	-889	-889	-889	-889							
7		-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255							
61		1 & 2	-955	-955	-955	-955	-955						
	3	-955	-955	-955	-955	-955							
	4	-955	-955	-955	-955	-955							
	5	-955	-955	-955	-955	-955							
	6	-957	-957	-957	-957	-957							
	7	-1305	-1305	-1305	-1305	-1305							
	71	1 & 2	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505						
3		-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
4		-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
5		-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
6		-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
7		-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505	-1505							
12 & 22		1 & 2	-324	-66	-31	4	4						
	3	-324	-66	-31	4	4							
	4	-528	-364	-364	-364	-364							
	5	-638	-474	-474	-474	-474							
	6	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005							
	7	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455							
	32	1 & 2	-374	-116	-81	-46	-46						
3		-374	-116	-81	-46	-46							
4		-568	-404	-404	-404	-404							
5		-678	-514	-514	-514	-514							
6		-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005							
7		-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455							
42		1 & 2	-622	-444	-444	-444	-444						
	3	-622	-444	-444	-444	-444							
	4	-622	-444	-444	-444	-444							
	5	-772	-609	-609	-609	-609							
	6	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005							
	7	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455							
	52	1 & 2	-869	-757	-757	-757	-757						
3		-869	-757	-757	-757	-757							
4		-869	-757	-757	-757	-757							
5		-869	-757	-757	-757	-757							
6		-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005	-1005							
7		-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455	-1455							
62		1 & 2	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207						
	3	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							
	4	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							
	5	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							
	6	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207	-1207							

Mike	
Range	Diff.
25-26	-1248
27-29	-897
30-32	-460
33-34	-228
Base 35-36	0
37-42	0
Base 43-49	0
50-52	-388
53 & Above	-590

Strength (Grams per Tex)	
Range	Diff.
20.5-21.4	-100
21.5-22.4	-75
22.5-23.4	0
Base 23.5-25.4	0
25.5-26.4	0
26.5-27.4	0
27.5-28.4	0
28.5-29.4	4
29.5-30.4	16
30.5 & Above	21

Extraneous Matter	
Level	Diff.
1	-435
2	-785

Table 11. East Texas-Oklahoma spot cotton differences, season average.

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Stable								
		26-29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
11 & 21	1 & 2	-1169	-995	-786	-488	-203	126	185	214	214
	3	-1195	-1020	-811	-513	-228	111	151	180	180
	4	-1220	-1045	-843	-548	-274	63	100	125	125
	5	-1280	-1103	-914	-639	-421	-252	-252	-252	-252
	6	-1340	-1164	-965	-745	-519	-381	-381	-381	-381
31	7	-1439	-1239	-997	-809	-604	-452	-452	-452	-452
	1 & 2	-1186	-1011	-803	-515	-240	103	150	167	167
	3	-1211	-1036	-828	-540	-265	79	117	142	142
	4	-1236	-1061	-860	-565	-307	53	83	108	108
	5	-1308	-1128	-934	-694	-480	-280	-280	-280	-280
41	6	-1367	-1191	-1007	-801	-603	-434	-434	-434	-434
	7	-1466	-1266	-1039	-865	-669	-520	-520	-520	-520
	1 & 2	-1306	-1120	-899	-622	-343	13	61	76	76
	3	-1306	-1120	-899	-622	-343	13	61	76	76
	4	-1307	-1121	-900	-634	-353	57.66	46	60	60
51	5	-1392	-1187	-990	-745	-543	-332	-332	-332	-332
	6	-1448	-1268	-1056	-859	-634	-486	-486	-486	-486
	7	-1527	-1338	-1094	-916	-720	-571	-571	-571	-571
	1 & 2	-1459	-1281	-1003	-716	-515	-347	-347	-347	-347
	3	-1459	-1281	-1003	-716	-515	-347	-347	-347	-347
61	4	-1485	-1306	-1028	-760	-568	-397	-397	-397	-397
	5	-1518	-1339	-1112	-861	-688	-506	-506	-506	-506
	6	-1579	-1379	-1151	-941	-775	-631	-631	-631	-631
	7	-1644	-1422	-1194	-997	-875	-731	-731	-731	-731
	1 & 2	-1515	-1349	-1078	-843	-659	-540	-540	-540	-540
71	3	-1515	-1349	-1078	-843	-659	-540	-540	-540	-540
	4	-1538	-1370	-1106	-896	-734	-615	-615	-615	-615
	5	-1573	-1399	-1147	-946	-823	-690	-690	-690	-690
	6	-1624	-1438	-1186	-1011	-874	-730	-730	-730	-730
	7	-1694	-1484	-1232	-1091	-948	-830	-830	-830	-830
12 & 22	1 & 2	-1562	-1403	-1125	-938	-854	-765	-765	-765	-765
	3	-1562	-1403	-1125	-938	-854	-765	-765	-765	-765
	4	-1585	-1429	-1151	-1035	-906	-815	-815	-815	-815
	5	-1622	-1457	-1173	-1038	-920	-830	-830	-830	-830
	6	-1671	-1495	-1211	-1075	-945	-855	-855	-855	-855
32	7	-1724	-1540	-1259	-1128	-1020	-930	-930	-930	-930
	1 & 2	-1211	-1046	-833	-556	-277	-48	-48	-34	-34
	3	-1236	-1071	-858	-581	-302	-68	-68	-54	-54
	4	-1265	-1096	-890	-626	-356	-127	-127	-112	-112
	5	-1329	-1161	-966	-711	-491	-322	-322	-322	-322
42	6	-1389	-1220	-1039	-784	-577	-466	-466	-466	-466
	7	-1482	-1291	-1071	-848	-685	-537	-537	-537	-537
	1 & 2	-1259	-1090	-875	-594	-320	-90	-90	-65	-65
	3	-1259	-1090	-876	-594	-320	-90	-90	-65	-65
	4	-1288	-1118	-908	-645	-400	-173	-173	-148	-148
52	5	-1377	-1207	-984	-737	-541	-362	-362	-362	-362
	6	-1436	-1267	-1066	-828	-667	-515	-515	-515	-515
	7	-1508	-1340	-1120	-892	-736	-604	-604	-604	-604
	1 & 2	-1364	-1198	-953	-693	-410	-182	-182	-167	-167
	3	-1364	-1198	-957	-718	-435	-207	-207	-192	-192
62	4	-1390	-1223	-985	-756	-494	-272	-272	-257	-257
	5	-1434	-1265	-1054	-854	-650	-464	-464	-464	-464
	6	-1484	-1304	-1107	-956	-748	-636	-636	-636	-636
	7	-1559	-1373	-1166	-1003	-836	-717	-717	-717	-717
	1 & 2	-1510	-1345	-1069	-794	-614	-454	-454	-454	-454
52	3	-1510	-1345	-1069	-794	-614	-454	-454	-454	-454
	4	-1540	-1370	-1119	-869	-698	-546	-546	-546	-546
	5	-1596	-1414	-1188	-967	-796	-645	-645	-645	-645
	6	-1648	-1459	-1246	-1040	-913	-768	-768	-768	-768
	7	-1703	-1516	-1281	-1125	-1012	-873	-873	-873	-873
62	1 & 2	-1608	-1412	-1121	-969	-807	-669	-669	-669	-669
	3	-1608	-1412	-1121	-969	-807	-669	-669	-669	-669
	4	-1608	-1412	-1171	-1019	-857	-751	-751	-751	-751
	5	-1640	-1469	-1271	-1119	-984	-874	-874	-874	-874
	6	-1689	-1515	-1316	-1155	-1019	-926	-926	-926	-926

Table 11. East Texas-Oklahoma (Continued)

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple								
		26-29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
13 & 23	1 & 2	-1364	-1177	-946	-711	-505	-385	-385	-385	-385
	3	-1367	-1177	-971	-736	-530	-410	-410	-410	-410
	4	-1392	-1205	-1028	-789	-633	-510	-510	-510	-510
	5	-1424	-1278	-1089	-893	-759	-710	-710	-710	-710
	6	-1488	-1351	-1162	-1071	-955	-886	-886	-886	-886
	7	-1581	-1407	-1212	-1141	-1070	-1009	-1009	-1009	-1009
33	1 & 2	-1392	-1234	-1000	-767	-558	-439	-439	-439	-439
	3	-1392	-1234	-1000	-767	-560	-439	-439	-439	-439
	4	-1467	-1284	-1064	-824	-690	-626	-626	-626	-626
	5	-1521	-1337	-1171	-931	-840	-785	-785	-785	-785
	6	-1571	-1397	-1234	-1099	-1012	-939	-939	-939	-939
	7	-1631	-1457	-1305	-1195	-1108	-1041	-1041	-1041	-1041
43	1 & 2	-1579	-1387	-1179	-887	-712	-634	-634	-634	-634
	3	-1607	-1419	-1214	-965	-790	-734	-734	-734	-734
	4	-1632	-1447	-1243	-994	-819	-763	-763	-763	-763
	5	-1689	-1508	-1303	-1076	-1010	-950	-950	-950	-950
	6	-1718	-1560	-1381	-1194	-1111	-1048	-1048	-1048	-1048
	7	-1774	-1682	-1427	-1275	-1206	-1144	-1144	-1144	-1144
53	1 & 2	-1703	-1567	-1366	-1093	-957	-884	-884	-884	-884
	3	-1703	-1567	-1366	-1093	-957	-884	-884	-884	-884
	4	-1756	-1624	-1444	-1175	-1039	-987	-987	-987	-987
	5	-1813	-1656	-1498	-1229	-1096	-1041	-1041	-1041	-1041
	6	-1845	-1713	-1598	-1325	-1193	-1141	-1141	-1141	-1141
	7	-1899	-1766	-1684	-1382	-1250	-1219	-1219	-1219	-1219
63	1 & 2	-1749	-1638	-1459	-1308	-1170	-1102	-1102	-1102	-1102
	3	-1749	-1638	-1459	-1308	-1170	-1102	-1102	-1102	-1102
	4	-1799	-1688	-1509	-1340	-1202	-1155	-1155	-1155	-1155
	5	-1853	-1742	-1584	-1419	-1280	-1234	-1234	-1234	-1234
	6	-1874	-1763	-1627	-1419	-1302	-1255	-1255	-1255	-1255
	7	-1913	-1784	-1640	-1441	-1317	-1157	-1111	-1111	-1111
34	1 & 2	-1580	-1398	-1179	-975	-882	-836	-836	-836	-836
	3	-1580	-1398	-1179	-975	-882	-836	-836	-836	-836
	4	-1651	-1469	-1283	-1078	-986	-934	-934	-934	-934
	5	-1720	-1544	-1361	-1221	-1061	-1015	-1015	-1015	-1015
	6	-1784	-1640	-1441	-1317	-1157	-1111	-1111	-1111	-1111
	7	-1813	-1656	-1498	-1229	-1096	-1041	-1041	-1041	-1041
44	1 & 2	-1738	-1555	-1394	-1146	-989	-943	-943	-943	-943
	3	-1766	-1587	-1426	-1200	-1064	-997	-997	-997	-997
	4	-1788	-1630	-1469	-1264	-1086	-1040	-1040	-1040	-1040
	5	-1820	-1683	-1544	-1361	-1182	-1136	-1136	-1136	-1136
	6	-1873	-1721	-1619	-1436	-1236	-1190	-1190	-1190	-1190
	7	-1863	-1705	-1547	-1364	-1200	-1133	-1133	-1133	-1133
54	1 & 2	-1863	-1705	-1547	-1364	-1200	-1133	-1133	-1133	-1133
	3	-1863	-1705	-1547	-1364	-1200	-1133	-1133	-1133	-1133
	4	-1913	-1755	-1597	-1414	-1241	-1186	-1186	-1186	-1186
	5	-1913	-1755	-1597	-1414	-1241	-1186	-1186	-1186	-1186
	6	-1863	-1705	-1547	-1364	-1200	-1133	-1133	-1133	-1133
	7	-1863	-1705	-1547	-1364	-1200	-1133	-1133	-1133	-1133

Mike	
Range	Diff.
24 & Below	-1299
25-26	-1097
27-29	-632
30-32	-314
33-34	-168
Base 35-36	0
37-42	38
Base 43-49	0
50-52	-427
53 & Above	-586

Strength	
(Grams per Tex)	
Range	Diff.
18.5-19.4	-189
19.5-20.4	-176
20.5-21.4	-163
21.5-22.4	-136
22.5-23.4	-111
Base 23.5-25.4	0
25.5-26.4	0
26.5-27.4	1
27.5-28.4	2
28.5-29.4	17
29.5-30.4	29
30.5 & Above	40

Extraneous Matter		
Level		Diff.
1	Bark	-209
2		-392
1	Other	-372
2		-521

Table 12. West Texas spot cotton differences, season average

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple								
		26-29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
11 & 21	1 & 2	-1165	-987	-787	-487	-205	127	185	214	214
	3	-1190	-1012	-812	-512	-230	112	152	181	181
	4	-1216	-1037	-844	-548	-275	66	102	127	127
	5	-1276	-1095	-909	-633	-417	-253	-253	-253	-253
	6	-1335	-1156	-960	-740	-516	-383	-383	-383	-383
	7	-1435	-1231	-992	-804	-601	-455	-455	-455	-455
31	1 & 2	-1182	-1003	-806	-517	-242	100	148	164	164
	3	-1207	-1028	-831	-542	-267	77	114	139	139
	4	-1232	-1053	-864	-567	-309	55	85	110	110
	5	-1303	-1120	-933	-694	-479	-283	-283	-283	-283
	6	-1362	-1183	-1006	-801	-602	-437	-437	-437	-437
	7	-1462	-1258	-1038	-865	-669	-523	-523	-523	-523
41	1 & 2	-1306	-1116	-906	-624	-347	13	61	76	76
	3	-1306	-1116	-906	-624	-347	13	61	76	76
	4	-1307	-1117	-907	-639	-357	57.76	46	60	60
	5	-1392	-1183	-991	-742	-540	-334	-334	-334	-334
	6	-1448	-1263	-1057	-857	-632	-488	-488	-488	-488
	7	-1527	-1333	-1095	-917	-717	-574	-574	-574	-574
51	1 & 2	-1459	-1281	-1003	-721	-515	-347	-347	-347	-347
	3	-1459	-1281	-1003	-721	-515	-347	-347	-347	-347
	4	-1485	-1306	-1028	-760	-568	-397	-397	-397	-397
	5	-1518	-1339	-1112	-861	-688	-506	-506	-506	-506
	6	-1579	-1379	-1151	-948	-775	-631	-631	-631	-631
	7	-1644	-1422	-1194	-997	-875	-731	-731	-731	-731
61	1 & 2	-1515	-1349	-1078	-843	-659	-540	-540	-540	-540
	3	-1515	-1349	-1078	-843	-659	-540	-540	-540	-540
	4	-1538	-1370	-1106	-896	-734	-615	-615	-615	-615
	5	-1573	-1399	-1147	-946	-823	-690	-690	-690	-690
	6	-1624	-1438	-1186	-1014	-874	-730	-730	-730	-730
	7	-1694	-1484	-1232	-1091	-948	-830	-830	-830	-830
71	1 & 2	-1562	-1403	-1125	-938	-854	-765	-765	-765	-765
	3	-1562	-1403	-1125	-938	-854	-765	-765	-765	-765
	4	-1585	-1429	-1151	-1035	-906	-815	-815	-815	-815
	5	-1622	-1457	-1173	-1038	-920	-830	-830	-830	-830
	6	-1671	-1495	-1211	-1075	-945	-855	-855	-855	-855
	7	-1724	-1540	-1259	-1128	-1020	-930	-930	-930	-930
12 & 22	1 & 2	-1212	-1044	-835	-559	-281	-52	-52	-38	-38
	3	-1237	-1069	-860	-584	-306	-72	-72	-58	-58
	4	-1266	-1094	-893	-629	-361	-131	-131	-116	-116
	5	-1330	-1158	-961	-716	-494	-325	-325	-325	-325
	6	-1390	-1218	-1033	-788	-580	-470	-470	-470	-470
	7	-1483	-1287	-1065	-852	-690	-541	-541	-541	-541
32	1 & 2	-1259	-1087	-878	-598	-323	-93	-93	-68	-68
	3	-1259	-1087	-878	-598	-323	-93	-93	-68	-68
	4	-1288	-1116	-911	-648	-403	-176	-176	-151	-151
	5	-1377	-1205	-979	-741	-545	-365	-365	-365	-365
	6	-1436	-1264	-1061	-831	-670	-518	-518	-518	-518
	7	-1508	-1337	-1114	-895	-739	-606	-606	-606	-606
42	1 & 2	-1364	-1196	-958	-696	-416	-185	-185	-170	-170
	3	-1364	-1196	-961	-721	-441	-210	-210	-195	-195
	4	-1390	-1221	-990	-759	-500	-274	-274	-260	-260
	5	-1434	-1262	-1054	-854	-652	-467	-467	-467	-467
	6	-1484	-1302	-1104	-959	-755	-639	-639	-639	-639
	7	-1559	-1371	-1163	-1007	-843	-720	-720	-720	-720
52	1 & 2	-1510	-1345	-1069	-794	-614	-454	-454	-454	-454
	3	-1510	-1345	-1069	-794	-614	-454	-454	-454	-454
	4	-1540	-1370	-1119	-869	-698	-546	-546	-546	-546
	5	-1596	-1414	-1188	-967	-796	-645	-645	-645	-645
	6	-1648	-1459	-1246	-1040	-913	-768	-768	-768	-768
	7	-1703	-1516	-1281	-1125	-1012	-873	-873	-873	-873
62	1 & 2	-1608	-1412	-1121	-969	-807	-669	-669	-669	-669
	3	-1608	-1412	-1121	-969	-807	-669	-669	-669	-669
	4	-1608	-1412	-1171	-1019	-857	-751	-751	-751	-751
	5	-1640	-1469	-1271	-1119	-984	-874	-874	-874	-874
	6	-1689	-1515	-1316	-1155	-1019	-926	-926	-926	-926

Table 12. West Texas (Continued)

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple									
		26-29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	
13 & 23	1 & 2	-1371	-1181	-950	-716	-512	-394	-394	-394	-394	
	3	-1375	-1181	-975	-741	-537	-419	-419	-419	-419	
	4	-1400	-1209	-1032	-797	-641	-519	-519	-519	-519	
	5	-1432	-1282	-1093	-897	-766	-716	-716	-716	-716	
	6	-1495	-1355	-1166	-1075	-962	-892	-892	-892	-892	
	7	-1589	-1411	-1216	-1145	-1076	-1016	-1016	-1016	-1016	
	33	1 & 2	-1400	-1238	-1004	-772	-567	-447	-447	-447	-447
3		-1400	-1238	-1004	-772	-569	-447	-447	-447	-447	
4		-1475	-1288	-1068	-832	-699	-635	-635	-635	-635	
5		-1528	-1341	-1175	-935	-847	-791	-791	-791	-791	
6		-1578	-1401	-1238	-1103	-1018	-946	-946	-946	-946	
7		-1639	-1461	-1309	-1199	-1115	-1048	-1048	-1048	-1048	
43		1 & 2	-1585	-1393	-1185	-893	-718	-641	-641	-641	-641
	3	-1614	-1425	-1221	-972	-797	-741	-741	-741	-741	
	4	-1639	-1454	-1249	-1000	-825	-769	-769	-769	-769	
	5	-1696	-1514	-1310	-1082	-1017	-957	-957	-957	-957	
	6	-1724	-1567	-1388	-1200	-1118	-1054	-1054	-1054	-1054	
	7	-1781	-1688	-1434	-1281	-1213	-1151	-1151	-1151	-1151	
	53	1 & 2	-1709	-1573	-1372	-1099	-964	-890	-890	-890	-890
3		-1709	-1573	-1372	-1099	-964	-890	-890	-890	-890	
4		-1763	-1630	-1451	-1181	-1045	-994	-994	-994	-994	
5		-1819	-1662	-1504	-1235	-1102	-1047	-1047	-1047	-1047	
6		-1851	-1719	-1604	-1331	-1199	-1147	-1147	-1147	-1147	
7		-1905	-1772	-1690	-1388	-1256	-1226	-1226	-1226	-1226	
63		1 & 2	-1755	-1644	-1465	-1315	-1176	-1108	-1108	-1108	-1108
	3	-1755	-1644	-1465	-1315	-1176	-1108	-1108	-1108	-1108	
	4	-1805	-1694	-1515	-1347	-1208	-1162	-1162	-1162	-1162	
	5	-1859	-1748	-1590	-1425	-1286	-1240	-1240	-1240	-1240	
	6	-1880	-1769	-1633	-1425	-1308	-1262	-1262	-1262	-1262	
	34	1 & 2	-1586	-1404	-1185	-981	-889	-842	-842	-842	-842
		3	-1586	-1404	-1185	-981	-889	-842	-842	-842	-842
4		-1658	-1475	-1289	-1084	-992	-941	-941	-941	-941	
5		-1726	-1550	-1367	-1227	-1067	-1021	-1021	-1021	-1021	
6		-1790	-1647	-1448	-1324	-1164	-1117	-1117	-1117	-1117	
44		1 & 2	-1744	-1561	-1400	-1152	-995	-949	-949	-949	-949
		3	-1772	-1593	-1432	-1206	-1070	-1003	-1003	-1003	-1003
	4	-1794	-1636	-1475	-1270	-1092	-1046	-1046	-1046	-1046	
	5	-1826	-1690	-1550	-1367	-1189	-1142	-1142	-1142	-1142	
	6	-1879	-1727	-1625	-1442	-1242	-1196	-1196	-1196	-1196	
	54	1 & 2	-1869	-1711	-1553	-1370	-1207	-1139	-1139	-1139	-1139
		3	-1869	-1711	-1553	-1370	-1207	-1139	-1139	-1139	-1139
4		-1919	-1761	-1603	-1420	-1247	-1192	-1192	-1192	-1192	
5		-1919	-1761	-1603	-1420	-1247	-1192	-1192	-1192	-1192	

Mike	
Range	Diff.
24 & Below	-1299
25-26	-1092
27-29	-627
30-32	-310
33-34	-165
Base 35-36	0
37-42	37
Base 43-49	0
50-52	-426
53 & Above	-585

Strenath (Grams per Tex)	
Range	Diff.
18.5-19.4	-189
19.5-20.4	-176
20.5-21.4	-163
21.5-22.4	-136
22.5-23.4	-111
Base 23.5-25.4	0
25.5-26.4	0
26.5-27.4	1
27.5-28.4	2
28.5-29.4	17
29.5-30.4	29
30.5 & Above	40

Extraneous Matter	
Level	Diff.
Bark	
1	-202
2	-392
Other	
1	-371
2	-521

Table 13. Desert Southwest spot cotton differences, season average.

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple					Color	Leaf	Staple																																																													
		33	34	35	36	37			33	34	35	36	37																																																									
11 & 21	1 & 2	235	398	623	668	678	43	1 & 2	-606	-550	-500	-500	-500																																																									
	3	235	398	623	668	678		3	-606	-550	-525	-525	-525																																																									
	4	-163	16	324	370	380		4	-706	-650	-625	-625	-625																																																									
	5	-224	-61	264	274	284		5	-1006	-950	-925	-925	-925																																																									
	6	-249	-111	-11	-11	-11		6	-1206	-1150	-1125	-1125	-1125																																																									
	7	-511	-411	-336	-336	-336		7	-1206	-1150	-1125	-1125	-1125																																																									
	31	1 & 2	200	362	587	633		643	53	1 & 2	-756	-700	-675	-675	-675																																																							
3		200	362	587	633	643	3	-756		-700	-675	-675	-675																																																									
4		-173	-10	289	334	344	4	-1056		-1000	-975	-975	-975																																																									
5		-224	-61	264	274	284	5	-1056		-1000	-975	-975	-975																																																									
6		-249	-111	-11	-11	-11	6	-1256		-1200	-1175	-1175	-1175																																																									
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Staple	Grade						mike ranges	Points per pound
	01	02	03	04	05	06		
44	94.63	94.38	90.69	83.79	66.72	51.96	26 & Below	-2300
							27-29	-1800
							30-32	-1350
46	95.38	95.13	91.44	84.54	66.72	51.96	33-34	-500
							35 & Above	0

Table 14. San Joaquin Valley spot cotton differences, season average.

August 1998-July 1999

Color	Leaf	Staple				Color	Leaf	Staple																				
		34	35	36	37			34	35	36	37																	
11 & 21	1 & 2	443	643	665	675	33	1 & 2	-508	-508	-508	-508																	
	3	428	628	650	660		3	-508	-508	-508	-508																	
	4	119	319	341	351		4	-1408	-1408	-1408	-1408																	
	5	-94	106	111	121		5	-1408	-1408	-1408	-1408																	
	6	-319	-119	-119	-119		6	-1658	-1658	-1658	-1658																	
	7	-1012	-912	-912	-912	7	-1958	-1958	-1958	-1958																		
31	1 & 2	418	618	640	650	43	1 & 2	-1308	-1308	-1308	-1308																	
	3	418	618	640	650		3	-1308	-1308	-1308	-1308																	
	4	79	279	301	311		4	-1508	-1508	-1508	-1508																	
	5	-180	20	25	35		5	-1758	-1758	-1758	-1758																	
	6	-405	-205	-205	-205		6	-1758	-1758	-1758	-1758																	
	7	-1098	-998	-998	-998	7	-2058	-2058	-2058	-2058																		
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3	137	337	360	370																								
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5	-530	-330	-325	-315																								
6	-755	-555	-555	-555																								
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	4	-555	-355	-355	-355																							
	5	-880	-680	-680	-680																							
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Staple	Grade						Mike range	Points per pound
	01	02	03	04	05	06		
44	96.92	96.67	92.93	86.35	70.53	56.22	26 & Below	-2200
46	97.42	97.17	93.43	86.85	70.53	56.22	27-29	-1700
							30-32	-1250
							33-34	-400
							35 & Above	0



Table 15. Average quotations in cents per pound for American Pima cotton

August 1998-July 1999

Staple	Grade						Mike Range		
	01	02	03	04	05	06			
DESERT SOUTHWEST								26 & Below	-2300
44	94.63	94.38	90.69	83.79	66.72	51.96	27-29	-1800	
46	95.38	95.13	91.44	84.54	66.72	51.96	30-32	-1350	
							33-34	-500	
							35 & Above	0	
SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY								26 & Below	-2200
44	96.92	96.67	92.93	86.35	70.53	56.22	27-29	-1700	
46	97.42	97.17	93.43	86.85	70.53	56.22	30-32	-1250	
							33-34	-400	
							35 & Above	0	
UNITED STATES AVERAGE								26 & Below	-2250
44	95.78	95.53	91.81	85.07	68.62	54.09	27-29	-1750	
46	96.40	96.15	92.43	85.70	68.62	54.09	30-32	-1300	
							33-34	-450	
							35 & Above	0	

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Table 16. Spot transactions reported, in running bales, in the designated spot markets.

August 1998-July 1999

Month	Southeast	North Delta	South Delta	East Texas Oklahoma	West Texas	Desert SW	SJ Valley	All Markets
BALES REPORTED								
Aug-98								
UP	909	1,341	13,317	7,389	2,912	0	0	25,868
AP						65	1,260	1,325
Sep-98								
UP	0	6933	23356	9883	7532	2850	336	50890
AP						0	1176	1176
Oct-98								
UP	7458	7198	16344	18795	62955	938	0	113688
AP						510	800	1310
Nov-98								
UP	25177	10188	16374	23564	135670	14835	1025	226833
AP						2910	0	2910
Dec-98								
UP	48888	14008	33903	11695	371058	3690	8850	492092
AP						3465	2525	5990
Jan-99								
UP	68399	8130	32510	13369	251786	24911	12866	411971
AP						1215	1646	2861
Feb-99								
UP	34720	16282	27452	8024	7249	2402	2781	185782
AP						222	3863	6090
Mar-99								
UP	23056	34435	48601	8709	69739	36507	12197	233244
AP						2149	1369	3518
Apr-99								
UP	2064	5561	16707	5889	31498	2638	2497	66854
AP						1779	3360	5139
May-99								
UP	16300	4054	9769	2005	18034	4485	713	55360
AP						1216	6759	7975
Jun-99								
UP	8419	10897	8291	5095	21665	1756	3573	59696
AP						228	2268	2496
Jul-99								
UP	4624	1271	6008	7037	35674	963	5805	61382
AP						1383	1327	2710
Total								
UP	240,014	120298	252632	121454	1081017	117602	50643	1983660
AP						17147	26353	43500
All	240014	120298	252632	121454	1081017	134749	76996	2027160

Table 17. Total spot transactions in the designated markets, running bales, by month and season, 1998-99.

Market Area	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
	Bales											
Southeast	909	0	7,458	25,177	48,888	68,399	34,720	23,056	2,064	16,300	8,419	4,624
North Delta	1,341	6,933	7,198	10,188	14,008	8,130	16,282	34,435	5,561	4,054	10,897	1,271
South Delta	13,317	23,356	16,344	16,374	33,903	32,510	27,452	48,601	16,707	9,769	8,291	6,008
East Texas-Oklahoma	7,389	9,883	18,795	23,564	11,695	13,369	8,024	8,709	5,889	2,005	5,095	7,037
West Texas	2,912	7,532	62,955	135,670	371,058	251,786	72,494	69,739	31,498	18,034	21,665	35,674
Desert Southwest	65	2,850	1,448	17,745	7,155	26,126	26,256	38,656	4,417	5,701	1,984	2,346
San Joaquin Valley	1,260	1,512	800	1,025	11,375	14,512	6,644	13,566	5,857	7,472	5,841	7,132
Total	27,193	52,066	114,998	229,743	498,082	414,832	191,872	236,762	71,993	63,335	62,192	64,092

Table 18. Upland cotton spot transactions in the designated markets, running bales, season totals, 1993-98. 1/

Market Area	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
	Bales					
Southeast	133,506	292,697	138,594	216,283	294,739	240,014
North Delta	636,459	610,781	177,767	208,894	251,313	120,298
South Delta	1,322,367	1,618,203	623,952	839,635	793,921	252,632
East Texas-Oklahoma	492,298	312,931	187,177	211,500	242,778	121,454
West Texas	1,232,744	1,105,948	979,547	1,501,599	1,611,929	1,081,017
Desert Southwest	183,309	140,914	66,505	108,593	143,220	117,602
San Joaquin Valley	1,020,119	244,914	140,913	137,757	107,754	50,643
Total	5,020,802	4,326,388	2,314,455	3,224,261	3,445,654	1,983,660

1/ Year beginning August 1.

Table 19. Farm prices, average quotations in designated spot markets and landed Group 201 Mill Points (Group B), in cents per pound, net weight, United States, marketing years 1993-1998.

Year beginning August 1	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AVERAGE
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Average prices received by farmers for upland cotton 1/

1993	53.10	51.90	52.40	53.30	56.50	62.70	65.70	66.60	67.50	69.00	63.30	58.70	58.10
1994	66.80	65.90	66.20	68.50	73.20	78.70	80.20	82.60	77.60	76.20	86.50	80.10	72.00
1995	72.20	74.80	74.20	75.00	75.70	76.40	75.70	76.80	78.90	76.70	76.90	73.60	75.40
1996	71.90	71.70	71.50	69.70	69.30	67.90	68.10	69.30	67.60	68.30	67.10	67.50	69.30
1997	67.00	69.60	69.40	67.90	63.80	61.10	62.50	63.90	63.60	63.50	69.70	68.00	65.20
1998	66.20	67.10	66.40	65.10	60.70	58.30	56.00	55.30	56.70	56.10	55.50	54.90 2/	

Color 41, leaf 4, staple 34, mike 35-36 & 43-49, strength 23.5-26.4 cotton in the designated markets

1993	53.04	54.01	54.58	55.61	60.29	66.53	72.69	72.74	76.12	79.30	76.85	71.71	66.12
1994	70.32	71.10	67.58	72.00	81.92	88.11	91.89	104.20	104.94	105.38	106.96	93.28	88.14
1995	85.90	90.00	84.65	84.16	82.18	81.81	81.56	81.13	84.69	83.22	80.23	76.84	83.03
1996	76.15	75.24	72.21	70.12	71.98	70.53	70.53	71.12	69.09	69.30	71.03	71.83	71.59
1997	71.61	70.75	69.46	68.90	64.57	62.75	63.66	67.04	61.88	65.21	73.50	74.18	67.79
1998	71.87	71.75	67.61	64.95	59.88	56.20	55.46	58.17	57.01	55.54	53.74	49.23	60.12

Color 31, leaf 3, staple 34, mike 35-36 & 43-49, strength 23.5-26.4 cotton in the designated markets

1993	54.15	55.10	55.70	56.51	60.97	67.21	73.31	73.35	76.73	79.91	77.46	72.32	66.89
1994	70.96	71.87	68.31	72.82	82.92	89.25	93.50	106.01	106.75	107.22	108.80	95.12	89.46
1995	87.74	92.02	86.38	85.63	83.50	83.83	83.42	83.00	86.68	85.28	82.10	78.29	84.82
1996	77.32	76.13	73.06	70.96	73.06	71.89	72.15	72.82	70.50	70.70	72.53	73.33	72.87
1997	72.94	71.95	70.41	69.94	65.72	63.91	65.08	68.47	63.31	66.70	74.97	75.55	69.08
1998	73.15	73.01	69.08	66.38	61.29	57.91	57.29	60.38	59.37	57.90	55.96	51.43	61.93

Color 41, leaf 4, staple 34 cotton, landed Group 201 Mill Points (Group B) 3/

1993	57.80	58.02	59.79	59.54	64.96	71.51	79.59	79.42	81.38	85.40	82.57	75.93	71.24
1994	75.45	75.71	72.98	76.91	87.53	95.17	100.06	111.91	113.17	113.94	117.65	100.04	95.04
1995	89.71	96.34	90.82	90.58	89.70	88.86	89.76	88.77	92.10	90.20	85.99	82.18	89.58
1996	82.61	82.99	78.96	76.89	79.14	77.97	77.68	77.95	75.18	75.54	77.09	78.47	78.37
1997	77.59	76.56	74.96	74.97	71.57	69.45	69.48	72.95	69.50	71.78	80.87	83.62	74.44
1998	79.80	79.02	75.35	71.48	67.16	64.47	63.39	66.31	64.69	63.17	60.87	56.24	67.66

Color 31, leaf 3, staple 34 cotton, landed Group 201 Mill Points (Group B) 3/

1993	60.48	60.92	61.71	62.33	67.71	73.51	80.82	80.21	82.17	86.19	83.63	76.77	73.04
1994	76.40	76.83	73.84	78.02	88.68	96.50	101.88	114.34	115.48	116.15	120.70	103.39	96.85
1995	92.80	98.84	92.54	92.31	91.25	90.44	91.42	90.38	94.18	92.53	88.31	84.86	91.66
1996	85.29	84.99	80.46	78.50	80.81	79.70	79.66	79.79	76.99	77.40	78.85	80.01	80.20
1997	79.21	78.26	76.62	76.30	72.69	70.74	70.66	74.27	70.92	73.71	83.02	85.89	76.02
1998	81.85	80.84	77.07	73.46	69.81	67.09	65.94	68.83	67.43	66.20	63.66	58.80	70.08

1/ Marketing year average is monthly prices weighted by monthly marketings during the period August through the following July, with no allowance for unredeemed loans, as reported by the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. 2/ Mid-month price. 3/ Monthly average quotations of cotton for South-eastern, Memphis, TX-OK and California (San Joaquin) growths. Average landed quotations for color 31, leaf 3, staple 34 excludes TX-OK growths.