

QUALITY SUMMARY OF 2016 U.S. UPLAND COTTON - BY CLASSING OFFICE

CLASSING OFFICE	PERCENT OF BALES																NO. BALES	LEN inch
	WHITE GRADES				LIGHT SPOT GRADES				OTHER Grades	BARKY Grades	MIC unit	LEN 32/in	L.U.I (%)	STR g/t	TRASH (%)	LGRD INDEX		
	MID+	SLM	LM-	TOT	MID+	SLM	LM-	TOT										
Florence,SC	17.1	50.0	8.8	75.9	1.0	11.9	9.9	22.8	1.3	1.4	4.69	35.7	81.19	29.90	0.47	3.6	660,675	1.112
Macon,GA	80.8	13.6	2.2	96.6	1.6	1.4	0.2	3.1	0.2	3.6	4.64	35.9	81.87	29.74	0.28	2.7	2,772,531	1.118
Rayville,LA	66.9	28.0	1.3	96.2	0.4	2.3	1.1	3.7	0.1	1.0	4.78	36.3	81.53	30.96	0.40	3.4	285,971	1.132
Memphis,TN	64.0	34.7	0.2	98.9	0.5	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.1	0.7	4.60	36.7	82.18	31.20	0.44	3.5	2,174,109	1.146
Dumas,AR	82.0	16.7	0.1	98.8	0.4	0.7	0.0	1.1	0.1	0.7	4.68	36.3	81.73	31.38	0.40	3.4	991,951	1.131
C.Christi,TX	46.4	18.5	4.3	69.1	9.8	8.3	8.9	27.0	3.8	3.1	4.42	35.8	81.20	30.35	0.42	3.3	1,371,249	1.117
Abilene,TX	61.7	27.0	1.2	89.8	5.0	3.1	0.3	8.5	1.7	15.5	4.27	36.2	80.64	29.93	0.36	2.9	1,952,958	1.129
Lubbock,TX	82.4	10.2	0.1	92.6	5.2	0.7	0.0	5.9	1.5	11.6	4.13	36.5	80.78	29.88	0.29	2.7	3,643,542	1.138
Lamesa,TX	66.8	20.5	0.3	87.6	7.9	2.3	0.1	10.3	2.2	10.8	4.37	36.2	80.59	30.05	0.33	2.9	1,620,277	1.128
Visalia,CA	87.9	6.7	0.7	95.3	2.7	1.1	0.3	4.1	0.6	1.3	4.45	37.5	81.70	33.09	0.25	2.4	654,819	1.171
AVERAGE	69.7	20.0	1.4	91.2	3.9	2.4	1.3	7.6	1.2	6.7	4.43	36.3	81.28	30.34	0.35	3.0	16,128,082	1.131

Classing Week Ending: Final 2016

Comparison to 2015 crop at this time

<u>U.S. Average</u>	<u>Final 2015</u>	<u>Final 2016</u>
Total White Grade	74.2 %	91.2 %
Total Light Spotted Grade	22.4 %	07.6 %
Average Micronaire	4.42	4.43
Average Length (32's)	35.9 (32/in)	36.3 (32/in)
(Inches)	1.119 (in)	1.131 (in)
Average Strength	30.34 (g/tex)	30.34 (g/tex)
Number of Bales Classed	12,078,138	16,128,082

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