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U.S. Cotton Supply and Use 1/

	2022/23	2023/24 Est.	2024/25 Proj. Nov	2024/25 Proj. Dec
Area				
		<i>Million Acres</i>		
Planted	13.75	10.23	11.17	11.17
Harvested	7.29	6.44	8.63	8.63
		<i>Pounds</i>		
Yield per Harvested Acre	953	899	789	792
		<i>Million 480 Pound Bales</i>		
Beginning Stocks	4.60	4.65	3.15	3.15
Production	14.47	12.07	14.19	14.26
Imports	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01
Supply, Total	19.07	16.72	17.35	17.41
Domestic Use	2.05	1.85	1.80	1.80
Exports, Total	12.45	11.75	11.30	11.30
Use, Total	14.50	13.60	13.10	13.10
Unaccounted 2/	-0.08	-0.03	-0.05	-0.09
Ending Stocks	4.65	3.15	4.30	4.40
Avg. Farm Price 3/	84.8	76.1	66.0	66.0

Note: Reliability calculations at end of report. 1/ Upland and extra-long staple; marketing year beginning August 1. Totals may not add due to rounding. 2/ Reflects the difference between the previous season's supply less total use and ending stocks. 3/ Cents per pound for upland cotton.

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**World Cotton Supply and Use 1/
(Million 480-Pound Bales)**

2022/23	Beginning Stocks	Production	Imports	Domestic Use	Exports	Loss /2	Ending Stocks
World	70.88	116.30	37.74	112.64	36.65	-0.27	75.90
World Less China	36.72	85.55	31.51	74.94	36.55	-0.27	42.55
United States	4.60	14.47	3/	2.05	12.45	-0.08	4.65
Total Foreign	66.28	101.83	37.74	110.59	24.20	-0.19	71.25
Major Exporters 4/	21.76	55.72	2.47	32.81	20.05	-0.20	27.28
Central Asia 5/	2.73	5.50	0.10	3.53	1.12	0.00	3.69
Afr. Fr. Zone 6/	1.01	4.02	3/	0.10	3.98	0.00	0.96
S. Hemis. 7/	9.19	19.32	0.14	4.12	13.39	-0.20	11.34
Australia	4.98	5.80	3/	0.01	6.19	-0.20	4.78
Brazil	2.05	11.72	0.01	3.11	6.66	0.00	4.01
India	8.40	26.30	1.73	24.50	1.10	0.00	10.82
Major Importers 8/	42.77	42.93	32.86	73.77	3.01	0.02	41.77
Mexico	0.32	1.58	0.69	1.80	0.41	0.00	0.38
China	34.17	30.75	6.23	37.70	0.09	0.00	33.36
European Union 9/	0.30	1.64	0.52	0.56	1.52	0.00	0.39
Turkey	1.92	4.90	4.19	7.50	0.86	0.02	2.63
Pakistan	1.93	3.90	4.50	8.70	0.10	0.00	1.53
Indonesia	0.46	3/	1.66	1.75	0.02	0.00	0.36
Thailand	0.15	3/	0.66	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.14
Bangladesh	2.28	0.15	7.00	7.70	0.00	0.00	1.73
Vietnam	1.02	3/	6.47	6.45	0.00	0.00	1.05
2023/24 Est.							
World	75.90	112.98	44.01	114.33	44.61	-0.21	74.16
World Less China	42.55	85.63	29.03	75.83	44.54	-0.21	37.05
United States	4.65	12.07	3/	1.85	11.75	-0.03	3.15
Total Foreign	71.25	100.92	44.00	112.48	32.86	-0.18	71.01
Major Exporters 4/	27.28	57.96	1.58	34.30	28.29	-0.18	24.40
Central Asia 5/	3.69	5.03	0.05	3.84	1.67	0.00	3.25
Afr. Fr. Zone 6/	0.96	5.02	3/	0.10	4.59	0.00	1.29
S. Hemis. 7/	11.34	22.03	0.15	4.22	19.25	-0.18	10.22
Australia	4.78	5.00	3/	0.01	5.74	-0.18	4.20
Brazil	4.01	14.57	0.01	3.16	12.31	0.00	3.11
India	10.82	25.40	0.89	25.50	2.31	0.00	9.30
Major Importers 8/	41.77	39.62	39.96	74.10	2.99	0.00	44.27
Mexico	0.38	0.87	0.70	1.50	0.20	0.00	0.24
China	33.36	27.35	14.98	38.50	0.06	0.00	37.12
European Union 9/	0.39	1.04	0.48	0.51	1.14	0.00	0.26
Turkey	2.63	3.20	3.57	6.60	1.39	0.00	1.41
Pakistan	1.53	7.00	3.20	9.70	0.18	0.00	1.85
Indonesia	0.36	3/	1.85	1.80	0.01	0.00	0.40
Thailand	0.14	3/	0.40	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.09
Bangladesh	1.73	0.16	7.58	7.75	0.00	0.00	1.71
Vietnam	1.05	3/	6.59	6.60	0.00	0.00	1.03

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2024/25 Proj.		Beginning Stocks	Production	Imports	Domestic Use	Exports	Loss /2	Ending Stocks
World	Nov	74.59	116.18	42.15	115.22	42.18	-0.23	75.75
	Dec	74.16	117.39	42.25	115.79	42.26	-0.27	76.02
World Less China	Nov	37.47	87.98	33.15	77.22	42.10	-0.23	39.51
	Dec	37.05	89.19	33.75	78.29	42.18	-0.27	39.77
United States	Nov	3.15	14.19	0.01	1.80	11.30	-0.05	4.30
	Dec	3.15	14.26	0.01	1.80	11.30	-0.09	4.40
Total Foreign	Nov	71.44	101.99	42.15	113.42	30.88	-0.18	71.45
	Dec	71.01	103.13	42.25	113.99	30.96	-0.18	71.62
Major Exporters 4/	Nov	24.86	58.67	3.07	34.65	26.79	-0.18	25.34
	Dec	24.40	59.82	3.07	35.17	26.92	-0.18	25.38
Central Asia 5/	Nov	3.21	5.17	0.10	4.07	1.39	0.00	3.03
	Dec	3.25	5.17	0.10	4.07	1.39	0.00	3.07
Afr. Fr. Zone 6/	Nov	1.29	4.81	3/	0.10	4.65	0.00	1.36
	Dec	1.29	4.71	3/	0.10	4.58	0.00	1.33
S. Hemis. 7/	Nov	10.22	24.11	0.15	4.34	18.96	-0.18	11.36
	Dec	10.22	24.36	0.15	4.36	19.16	-0.18	11.38
Australia	Nov	4.20	5.00	3/	0.01	5.40	-0.18	3.97
	Dec	4.20	5.00	3/	0.01	5.40	-0.18	3.97
Brazil	Nov	3.11	16.80	0.01	3.30	12.30	0.00	4.32
	Dec	3.11	16.90	0.01	3.30	12.50	0.00	4.22
India	Nov	9.80	24.00	2.30	25.50	1.30	0.00	9.30
	Dec	9.30	25.00	2.30	26.00	1.30	0.00	9.30
Major Importers 8/	Nov	44.27	39.94	36.41	74.49	2.35	0.00	43.78
	Dec	44.27	39.94	36.43	74.46	2.30	0.00	43.88
Mexico	Nov	0.24	0.83	0.93	1.55	0.20	0.00	0.24
	Dec	0.24	0.83	0.83	1.50	0.15	0.00	0.24
China	Nov	37.12	28.20	9.00	38.00	0.08	0.00	36.24
	Dec	37.12	28.20	8.50	37.50	0.08	0.00	36.24
European Union 9/	Nov	0.26	1.26	0.54	0.56	1.20	0.00	0.29
	Dec	0.26	1.26	0.54	0.56	1.20	0.00	0.29
Turkey	Nov	1.41	4.00	4.30	7.10	0.80	0.00	1.81
	Dec	1.41	4.00	4.30	7.10	0.80	0.00	1.81
Pakistan	Nov	1.85	5.50	4.00	9.50	0.05	0.00	1.80
	Dec	1.85	5.50	4.50	9.90	0.05	0.00	1.90
Indonesia	Nov	0.40	3/	2.00	2.00	0.01	0.00	0.39
	Dec	0.40	3/	2.00	2.00	0.01	0.00	0.39
Thailand	Nov	0.09	3/	0.40	0.42	0.00	0.00	0.08
	Dec	0.09	3/	0.43	0.44	0.00	0.00	0.08
Bangladesh	Nov	1.71	0.15	7.70	7.80	0.00	0.00	1.76
	Dec	1.71	0.15	7.70	7.80	0.00	0.00	1.76
Vietnam	Nov	1.03	3/	6.90	6.90	0.00	0.00	1.04
	Dec	1.03	3/	7.00	7.00	0.00	0.00	1.04

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