

**Table 812. Selected Farm Products—United States and World Production and Exports: 2000 to 2007**

[In metric tons, except as indicated (61 represents 61,000,000). Metric ton = 1.102 short tons or .984 long tons]

Commodity	Unit	Amount						United States as percent of world		
		United States			World			2000	2005	2007
		2000	2005	2007	2000	2005	2007			
<b>PRODUCTION</b> <sup>1</sup>										
Wheat . . . . .	Million . . . . .	61	57	56	581	621	606	10.4	9.2	9.3
Corn for grain . . . . .	Million . . . . .	252	282	332	590	699	780	42.7	40.4	42.6
Soybeans . . . . .	Million . . . . .	75	83	70	176	221	220	42.6	37.8	32.0
Rice, milled . . . . .	Million . . . . .	5.9	7.1	6.3	398	418	427	1.5	1.7	1.5
Cotton <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	Million bales <sup>3</sup> . . .	17.0	23.3	21.6	87.7	121.4	122.1	19.3	19.2	17.7
<b>EXPORTS</b> <sup>4</sup>										
Wheat <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	Million . . . . .	28.0	27.4	35.5	104.0	113.5	110.5	26.9	24.2	32.1
Corn . . . . .	Million . . . . .	48.3	56.1	63.0	76.4	82.6	97.7	63.3	67.9	64.5
Soybeans . . . . .	Million . . . . .	27.1	25.6	29.7	53.9	63.9	75.3	50.3	40.0	39.4
Rice, milled basis . . . . .	Million . . . . .	2.8	3.9	3.0	22.8	29.2	31.3	12.5	13.2	9.7
Cotton <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	Million bales <sup>3</sup> . . .	6.8	14.4	13.0	27.1	35.0	37.3	24.9	41.2	34.9

<sup>1</sup> Production years vary by commodity. In most cases, includes harvests from July 1 of the year shown through June 30 of the following year. <sup>2</sup> For production and trade years ending in year shown. <sup>3</sup> Bales of 480 lb. net weight. <sup>4</sup> Trade years may vary by commodity. Wheat, corn, and soybean data are for trade year beginning in year shown. Rice data are for calendar year. <sup>5</sup> Includes wheat flour on a grain equivalent.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Foreign Agricultural Service, *Foreign Agricultural Commodity Circular Series*, periodic; <<http://www.fas.usda.gov/commodities.asp>>.