

**RSA COTTON CROP ESTIMATE**

30/08/2022

**COTTON CROP REPORT - 8th ESTIMATE**

**2021/2022 PRODUCTION YEAR**

PRODUCTION REGION	HECTARES IRRIGATED	HECTARES DRYLAND	YIELD IRRIGATION kg seed cotton per hectare	YIELD DRYLAND kg seed cotton per hectare	PRODUCTION 200 kg bales cotton lint
<b>LIMPOPO</b>					<b>44,833</b>
Marble Hall/ Groblersdal	2,698	2,000	4,028	1,000	23,026
Springbokvlakte	267	3,625	3,843	962	8,072
Weipe	330	0	4,000	0	2,442
Bosveld (Koedoeskop/ Thabazimbi)	1,235	100	4,500	600	9,831
Smallholders	0	1,161	0	700	1,463
<b>NOORD-KAAP</b>					<b>11,118</b>
Benede-Oranje	339	0	3,700	0	2,383
Marydale/Prieska	486	0	5,826	0	5,380
Douglas/Hopetown/Plooyburg	0	0	0	0	0
Modderivier/Perdeberg	0	0	0	0	0
Vaalharts	432	0	4,421	0	3,151
Barkley-Wes	22	0	5,000	0	204
Smallholders	0	0	0	0	0
<b>MPUMALANGA</b>					<b>1,260</b>
Laeveld/ Nkomazi	0	870	0	700	1,096
Malelane/Komatiepoot	0	0	0	0	0
Ander (Spesifiseer)	0	130	0	700	164
Smallholders	0	0	0	0	0
<b>KWAZULU-NATAL</b>					<b>7,525</b>
Makhathini	35	65	4,000	1,000	379
Pongola/ Mkuze	713	140	3,812	1,000	5,287
Winterton	0	0	0	0	0
Smallholders	0	1,435	0	700	1,858
<b>NOORDWES</b>					<b>6,022</b>
Stella/Delareyville/Setlagoli	0	463	0	1,404	1,152
Sannieshof	0	0	0	0	0
Schweizer-Reneke	0	1,215	0	2,000	4,010
Skuinsdrift/Zeerust	100	0	4,500	0	788
Lichtenburg	0	0	0	0	0
Hartbeesfontein	0	0	0	0	0
Christiana	11	0	4,000	0	73
Smallholders	0	0	0	0	0
<b>VRYSTAAT</b>					<b>111</b>
Hertzogville	0	0	0	0	0
Hoopstad	0	0	0	0	0
Petrusburg/ Perdeberg	15	0	4,000	0	111
Heilbron/ Koppies	0	0	0	0	0
Luckhoff	0	0	0	0	0
Jacobsdal	0	0	0	0	0
Smallholders	0	0	0	0	0
<b>BLNS LANDE</b>					<b>132</b>
	15	0	4,647	0	132
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,698</b>	<b>11,204</b>	<b>4,234</b>	<b>1,013</b>	<b>71,001</b>

**CURRENT CROP ESTIMATES vs PREVIOUS CROP ESTIMATES**

	2021/2022 8th Estimate	2021/2022 7th Estimate	Monthly Change	Change previous year	2020/21 Final
Hectares Irrigated	6,698	6,641	1%	15%	5,802
Hectares Dryland	11,204	11,204	0%	7%	10,511
<b>Total Hectares</b>	<b>17,902</b>	<b>17,845</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>16,313</b>
Yield Irrigated	4,234	4,228	0%	-6%	4,515
Yield Dryland	1,013	1,013	0%	-31%	1,468
<b>Total Production</b>					
<b>200 kg lint bales</b>	<b>71,001</b>	<b>70,471</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>-7%</b>	<b>76,009</b>