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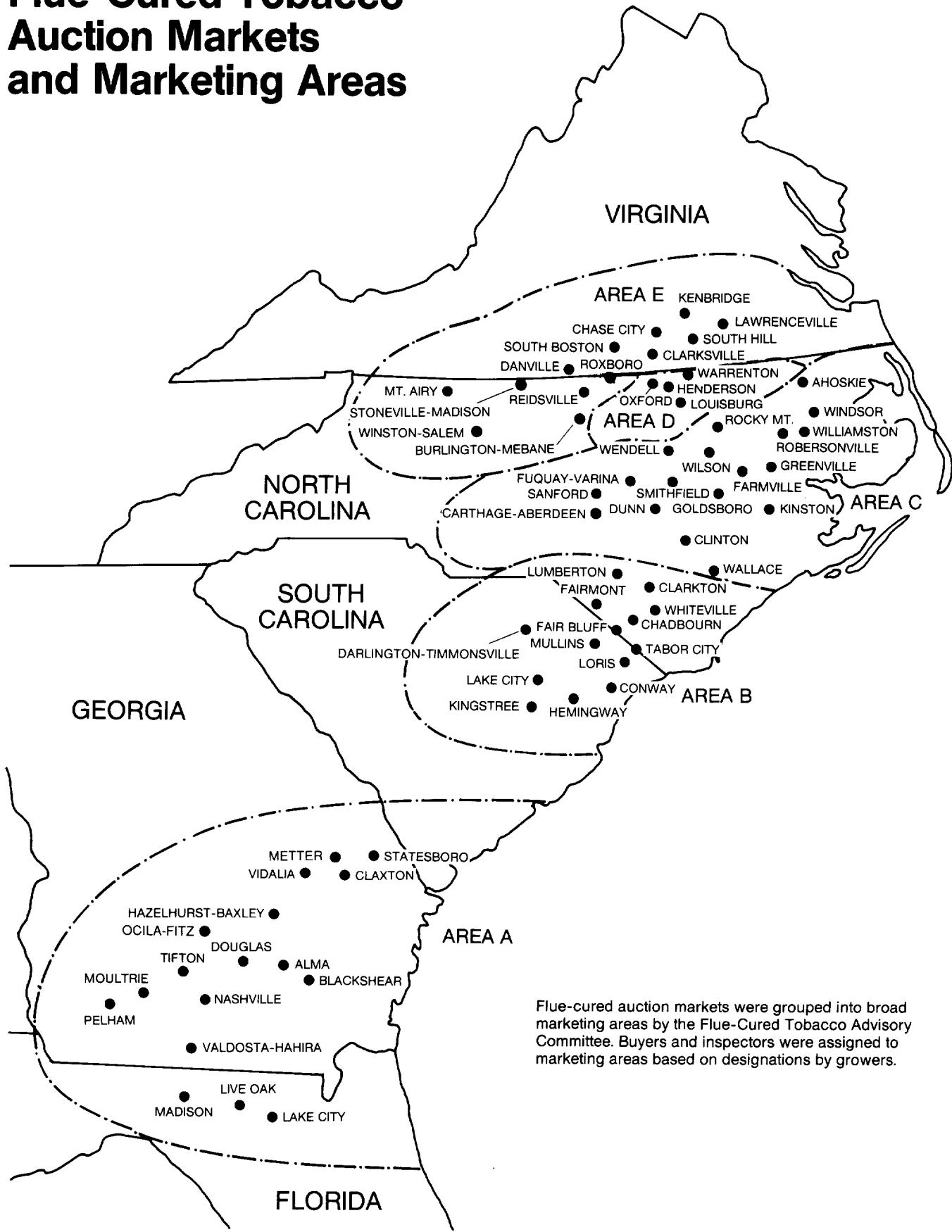
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Tobacco Market Review

Flue-Cured, 1992 Crop



Flue-Cured Tobacco Auction Markets and Marketing Areas



Flue-cured auction markets were grouped into broad marketing areas by the Flue-Cured Tobacco Advisory Committee. Buyers and inspectors were assigned to marketing areas based on designations by growers.

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Review of the 1992 Marketing Season

1992 was an unusual marketing season for flue-cured tobacco. The first few weeks saw much lower prices than the previous year, and sharply higher loan receipts. This was partly due to cool-wet weather, particularly in the Georgia-Florida and South Carolina areas. However, when upper stalk offerings hit warehouse floors, the picture improved. Grade averages rose above 1991 levels in most cases, and loan receipts declined. Overall, the general average rose slightly, aided by the best maturity figures since the 1975 crop, and the fact that early auctions contained in excess of 54 million pounds of high support price leaf tobacco carried over from 1991 production. The effective quota was up about 7 percent with the basic quota up 1.5 percent.

SALES AND AVERAGES. Producers' sales for 1992 totaled 901.1 million pounds, up 2.1 percent from 1991. The general average price of \$172.79 was up only 37 cents from the 1991 figure of \$172.42. These figures are based on auction sales only, including carry-over tobacco, and do not reflect assessments. Total value of producers' sales was \$1,557.1 million, up 2.3 percent from the 1991 return of \$1,521.9 million.

GRADE AVERAGES. Grade averages reflected the buyers' preference for upper stalk tobacco in 1992. Higher supported grades in the leaf and smoking leaf groups were unchanged to \$3 above 1991 levels, as were better cutter grades. Unripe leaf grades advanced \$1 to \$6 in most cases, but small losses were noted on immature "B" and "C" grades. Consistent declines occurred on lugs, primings, and nondescript offerings. Better lugs lost mostly \$1 to \$3 with others down \$6 to \$15. The bulk of primings dropped \$13 to \$23, but some were off \$33 to \$35. Nondescript tobacco was down \$19 to \$34 per hundred in most cases. The practical top bid was \$187, the same as for the 1991 crop.

COMPOSITION OF OFFERINGS. Overall quality was better than in 1991 in nearly all categories. By groups, leaf (B) grades gained 3.4 points with a 1.8 drop in nondescript. Other groups changed very little. Percentages were: leaf 62.6; smoking leaf 2.9; cutters 7.2; lugs 14.5; primings 9.5; and nondescript 2.9 percent. Tobacco grading good quality or better gained 9.7 points, accounting for 26.6 percent of sales. Fair quality was up 1.4 points to 56.7, while low and poor together dropped 9 points while making up only 13.4 percent of offerings. Sales in premature to mellow colors gained 6.5 points to 71.0 percent of auctions, with unripe and immature categories declining to 25.7 percent of all sales. Old and Middle Belt markets had 81.7 percent in premature to mellow grades, followed by the Eastern Belt at 69.6, South Carolina and Border North Carolina markets at 68.3, and Georgia-Florida markets 57.6 percent. The three heaviest volume grades and their percentages were: B4K (15.1); B3K (9.6); and B4KM (5.9). Rounding out the top ten grades were: B4KR (5.0); B3KR (4.5); B4F (4.2); B5K (4.0); B3KM (3.8); X4F (3.8); and P4F (3.6). These ten grades made up 59.5 percent of all auctions in 1992.

LOAN RATES. Loan rates by grades for the 1992 crop were based on an average support level of \$1.560 per pound, compared to \$1.528 for 1991. The Flue-Cured Stabilization Corporation continued to deduct one cent per pound from the support price to offset overhead costs. The support level for 1993 was announced at \$1.577 per pound by the Secretary of Agriculture in December 1992.

STABILIZATION RECEIPTS. Much more tobacco was placed under loan from the 1992 crop than the 1991 crop. Producers delivered 81.3 million pounds or 9.0 percent of net sales to the Stabilization Corporation, compared to 49.6 million pounds or 5.6 percent from the 1991 crop. Percentages of loan receipts by group follow:

GROUP	1992	1991
Leaf (B)	55.6	81.1
Smoking leaf (H)	3.1	7.4
Cutters (C)	6.8	8.0
Lugs (X)	22.4	3.1
Primings (P)	11.9	*
Mixed (M)	*	*
Nondescript (N)	0.2	0.4

*Less than one-tenth of one percent.

MARKETING REGULATIONS. The marketing of flue-cured tobacco is regulated by the grower designation plan, which began in 1974. In 1992, the "no-net-cost" assessment was 0.4400 cents per pound with a "marketing assessment" of 1.560 cents per pound. This made a total assessment of 2.0 cents per pound shared equally by producers and purchasers. In 1991, the total was also 2.0 cents per pound. Growers were required to certify that any pesticides (including plant regulators, defoliants, or desiccants) they used had been approved by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and that they had not planted a discount variety. The USDA-ASCS checked for compliance by random sampling. The 1992 user fee for grading services of the USDA-AMS Tobacco Division remained at 70 cents per hundred pounds.

PRELIMINARY 1993 INFORMATION. The 1993 basic marketing quota was announced by the Secretary of Agriculture in December 1992. The quota was set at 891.8 million pounds, unchanged from the 1992 level. A cut in the quota was averted due to a special sale by the Stabilization Corporation involving 64 million pounds (redried weight). The 1993 effective quota is expected to be about 887 million pounds or about 12 million below the 1992 effective figure. The national acreage allotment remained at 427,107 acres, and the yield goal was unchanged at 2,088 pounds per acre. The "marketing assessment" for 1993 was set at 1.577 cents per pound, with growers and buyers each paying 0.7885 cents per pound. The "no-net-cost" assessment will be announced later.

SUMMARY OF STANDARD FLUE-CURED TOBACCO GRADES 1/

Key to Standard Grademarks for Flue-cured Tobacco

Groups	Qualities	Color symbols	Combination symbols
B - Leaf	1 - Choice	L - Lemon	XL - Lug side
H - Smoking leaf	2 - Fine	F - Orange	PO - Oxidized primings
C - Cutters	3 - Good	FR - Orange red	XO - Oxidized lugs or cutters
X - Lugs	4 - Fair	R - Red	BO - Oxidized leaf or smoking leaf
P - Primings	5 - Low	K - Variegated	GL - Thin-bodied nondescript
M - Mixed	6 - Poor	KR - Variegated red or scorched	GF - Medium-bodied nondescript
N - Nondescript		V - Greenish	LP - Lemon (primings side)
S - Scrap		LL - Whitish-lemon	FP - Orange (primings side)
			KK - Excessively scorched
		Special factor	Special symbol
		W - Wet	S - Slick
		U - Unsound	
		Sand or Dirt	

Special factors "sand" or "dirt" may be applied to all priming grades and to first quality nondescript from the priming side.

Individual flue-cured grades

63 Grades of Leaf:	Leaf--Continued:	Cutters--Continued:	Lugs--Continued:
B1L	B3KD	C4LL	X3KM
B2L	B4KD	C5LL	X4KM
B3L	B5KD	C5LP	X4GK
B4L	B6KD	C1F	X4G
B5L	B4KV	C2F	X5G
B6L	B5KV	C3F	10 Grades of Primings:
B1F	B6KV	C4F	P2L
B2F	B3KM	C5F	P3L
B3F	B4KM	C5FP	P4L
B4F	B5KM	C4KR	P5L
B5F	B6KM	C4V	P2F
B6F	B3KK	C4S	P3F
B1FR	B4KK	C4KL	P4F
B2FR	B5KK	C4KF	P5F
B3FR	B6KK	C4KM	P4G
B4FR	B4G	C4KK	P5G
B5FR	B5G	C4G	7 Grades of Mixed: 2/
B6FR	B6G	C4GK	M4F
B5R	B5GR	26 Grades of Lugs:	M5F
B3K	B4GK	X1L	M4KR
B4K	B5GK	X2L	M4KM
B5K	B6GK	X3L	M5KM
B6K	B5GG	X4L	M4GK
B3KR	10 Grades of Smoking leaf:	X5L	M5GK
B4KR	H3F	X3LL	13 Grades of Nondescript:
B5KR	H4F	X4LL	N1L
B3V	H5F	X1F	N1XL
B4V	H6F	X2F	N1K
B5V	H4FR	X3F	N1R
B3S	H5FR	X4F	N1GL
B4S	H6FR	X5F	N1GF
B5S	H4K	X3KR	N1KV
B3KL	H5K	X4KR	N1GR
B4KL	H6K	X3V	N1GG
B5KL	23 Grades of Cutters:	X4V	N1PO
B6KL	C1L	X3S	N1XO
B3KF	C2L	X4S	N1BO
B4KF	C3L	X4KL	N2
B5KF	C4L	X4KF	
B6KF	C5L	X4KV	

1/ Tobacco not covered by the standard grades is designated "No-G," "No-G-F" or "No-G-Nested."

2/ Suspended for the 1987 and 1988 crops.

Table 1.--Allotted sales opportunities compared to producers' sales, 1992 crop 1/

1/ Based on grower designation. Sales scheduled by Tobacco Division, AMS, USDA, as recommended by the Flue-cured Tobacco Advisory Committee.

2/ Producers' sales derived from weekly market news reports.
3/ Number of sets reduced as markets close.

4/ Sales opportunity was not predetermined, but limited to 450,000 pounds per day per set of buyers.

Table 2.--Initial and final designation of the 1992 crop 1/

Market	Initial	Final	Market	Initial	Final
Marketing area A			Marketing area C		
Georgia:	Pounds	Pounds	North Carolina:	Pounds	Pounds
Alma	12,188,816	12,754,368	Ahoskie	5,247,184	5,058,650
Blackshear	9,821,879	9,940,917	Cart-Aber	9,939,586	10,405,276
Claxton	6,300,019	6,472,174	Clinton	14,906,171	14,867,821
Douglas	13,568,098	14,264,303	Dunn	5,434,539	5,128,754
Haz-Bax	0	0	Farmville	23,739,349	24,368,339
Metter	0	0	Fuquay-Varina	19,536,065	19,962,823
Moultrie	12,970,305	13,524,965	Goldsboro	26,514,452	28,748,257
Nashville	10,419,594	10,412,796	Greenville	33,970,165	33,705,435
Ocila-Fitz	1,684,583	1,708,931	Kinston	42,892,887	44,921,305
Pelham	9,717,418	9,811,844	Robersonville	6,071,953	6,329,620
Statesboro	5,294,615	5,098,513	Rocky Mount	10,458,473	12,065,018
Tifton	2,231,355	2,082,623	Sanford	9,072,938	8,965,565
Val-Hira	10,681,702	10,689,866	Smithfield	29,143,696	31,305,644
Vidalia	10,169,653	9,825,616	Wallace	5,615,130	5,617,358
Total Georgia	105,048,037	106,586,916	Wendell	3,167,213	3,231,655
Florida:			Williamston	10,074,147	10,258,735
Lake City	7,566,553	7,484,287	Wilson	74,486,997	82,172,351
Live Oak	9,908,045	10,216,633	Windsor	10,464,278	10,544,337
Madison	2,476,092	2,502,261	Total area C:	340,735,223	357,656,943
Total Florida	19,950,690	20,203,181			
Total area A:	124,998,727	126,790,097			
Marketing area B			Marketing area D		
South Carolina:	Pounds	Pounds	North Carolina:	Pounds	Pounds
Conway	6,864,466	6,748,139	Henderson	12,566,086	13,566,822
Darl-Tim	11,776,749	12,113,453	Louisburg	19,219,739	22,127,211
Hemingway	8,526,523	8,465,893	Oxford	10,170,359	11,280,774
Kingstree	7,848,921	8,526,454	Warrenton	7,963,506	7,842,413
Lake City	31,508,179	33,562,175	Total area D:	49,919,690	54,817,220
Loris	7,194,680	6,473,602			
Mullins	31,152,791	31,800,859			
Total S.C.	104,872,309	107,690,575			
North Carolina:			Marketing area E		
Chadbourn	6,198,590	6,539,083	North Carolina:	Pounds	Pounds
Clarkton	7,914,519	8,131,730	Burl-Meb	5,346,892	5,729,223
Fair Bluff	3,554,648	3,686,532	Mt. Airy	11,640,171	11,436,161
Fairmont	27,962,139	27,645,325	Reidsville	14,648,937	16,174,076
Lumberton	15,684,928	15,997,421	Roxboro	15,172,712	15,458,316
Tabor City	10,350,743	10,326,161	Ston-Mad	10,294,521	10,655,983
Whiteville	13,982,443	15,193,928	Winston-Salem	37,736,935	39,233,780
Total N.C.	85,648,010	87,520,180	Total N.C.	94,840,168	98,687,539
Total area B:	190,520,319	195,210,755	Virginia:		
			Chase City	3,893,478	3,915,550
			Clarksville	8,493,589	8,832,521
			Danville	43,385,995	45,206,841
			Kenbridge	1,909,549	1,780,087
			Lawrenceville	7,810,840	7,993,105
			South Boston	18,486,351	19,038,653
			South Hill	8,314,942	8,311,269
			Total Virginia	92,294,744	95,078,026
			Total area E:	187,134,912	193,765,565
			Total flue-cured	893,308,871	928,240,580

1/ Growers allowed to designate 103 percent of their effective quota.

Table 3.--Opening and closing dates, and number of warehouse firms by type, state, and market

Type 11 - Old and Middle Belt flue-cured

States and markets	1992				1991			
	Opening dates	Closing dates	Sales days	Warehouse firms	Opening dates	Closing dates	Sales days	Warehouse firms
Virginia:			Number	Number			Number	Number
Chase City	July 23	Oct. 27	15	3	July 30	Nov. 4	16	3
Clarksville	July 22	Oct. 28	33	3	July 29	Nov. 5	33	3
Danville 1/	July 22	Oct. 29	56	6	July 29	Nov. 5	56	6
Kenbridge	July 28	Oct. 27	8	2	Aug. 1	Oct. 30	8	3
Lawrenceville	July 23	Oct. 22	26	2	July 30	Nov. 4	28	2
South Boston	July 22	Nov. 2	57	6	July 29	Nov. 7	57	7
South Hill	July 22	Oct. 29	28	4	July 29	Nov. 5	28	4
Total Virginia			26				28	
North Carolina:								
Burl-Meb	July 23	Oct. 27	19	2	July 31	Oct. 24	19	2
Cart-Abr	July 21	Oct. 15	29	3	July 22	Oct. 16	26	4
Fuquay-Varina	July 21	Oct. 15	49	4	July 22	Oct. 16	49	4
Henderson	July 22	Oct. 22	39	4	July 29	Oct. 24	37	5
Louisburg	July 22	Oct. 22	51	3	July 29	Oct. 29	52	3
Mt. Airy 2/	July 22	Oct. 29	46	2	July 29	Oct. 29	44	2
Oxford 3/	July 22	Oct. 28	36	4	July 29	Nov. 6	41	4
Reidsville	July 22	Oct. 28	55	3	July 29	Oct. 30	52	3
Roxboro	July 22	Oct. 27	53	5	July 29	Oct. 31	54	5
Sanford	July 22	Oct. 14	25	3	July 23	Oct. 17	25	3
Ston-Mad	July 22	Nov. 4	39	3	July 29	Nov. 5	35	3
Warrenton	July 23	Oct. 21	27	3	July 30	Oct. 24	26	3
Winston-Salem 4/	July 22	Nov. 5	60	7	July 29	Oct. 31	54	7
Total N.C.			46				48	
Total type 11			72				76	

Type 12 - Eastern North Carolina flue-cured

North Carolina:	July 22	Oct. 21	19	1	July 23	Oct. 21	19	1
Ahoskie	July 21	Oct. 15	48	3	July 22	Oct. 16	49	3
Clinton	July 22	Oct. 14	17	2	July 22	Oct. 17	21	2
Dunn	July 21	Oct. 15	48	3	July 22	Oct. 17	50	3
Farmville	July 21	Oct. 21	51	5	July 22	Oct. 21	51	5
Goldsboro	July 21	Oct. 14	48	7	July 22	Oct. 16	49	7
Greenville	July 21	Oct. 14	48	6	July 22	Oct. 16	49	6
Kinston	July 22	Oct. 14	19	2	July 23	Oct. 22	21	2
Robersonville	July 21	Oct. 15	33	3	July 22	Oct. 22	39	3
Rocky Mount	July 21	Oct. 21	52	6	July 22	Oct. 22	52	6
Smithfield	July 22	Oct. 14	23	1	July 22	Oct. 9	23	1
Wallace	July 27	Oct. 15	11	2	July 25	Oct. 8	11	2
Wendell	July 21	Oct. 20	31	2	July 22	Oct. 21	30	2
Williamston	July 21	Oct. 20	50	12	July 22	Oct. 23	53	11
Wilson	July 21	Oct. 22	34	2	July 22	Oct. 22	33	2
TOTAL type 12			57				56	

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3.--Opening and closing dates, and number of warehouse firms by type, state, and market--Continued

Type 13 - South Carolina and Border North Carolina flue-cured

States and markets	1992				1991			
	Opening dates	Closing dates	Sales days	Warehouse firms	Opening dates	Closing dates	Sales days	Warehouse firms
South Carolina:			Number	Number			Number	Number
Conway	July 22	Sept. 24	18	3	July 18	Oct. 3	22	3
Darl-Tim	July 20	Oct. 13	35	5	July 17	Oct. 3	39	5
Hemingway	July 20	Oct. 7	24	2	July 17	Oct. 9	30	2
Kingstree	July 21	Oct. 13	24	3	July 18	Oct. 7	24	3
Lake City	July 20	Oct. 15	49	5	July 17	Oct. 8	47	4
Loris	July 21	Sept. 29	20	3	July 17	Oct. 8	24	3
Mullins	July 20	Oct. 15	49	5	July 17	Oct. 9	47	5
Total S.C.			26					25
North Carolina:								
Chadbourn	July 22	Oct. 14	18	3	July 17	Oct. 10	25	3
Clarkton	July 20	Oct. 19	27	2	July 18	Oct. 16	26	2
Fair Bluff	July 21	Oct. 7	13	3	July 18	Oct. 9	14	3
Fairmont	July 20	Oct. 15	50	6	July 17	Oct. 10	49	6
Lumberton	July 20	Oct. 15	50	4	July 17	Oct. 10	49	4
Tabor City	July 20	Oct. 7	28	3	July 17	Oct. 8	34	3
Whiteville	July 20	Oct. 14	48	5	July 17	Oct. 10	48	6
Total N.C.			26					27
Total type 13			52					52

Type 14 - Georgia and Florida flue-cured

Georgia:								
Alma	July 15	Oct. 6	38	3	July 15	Sept. 18	28	3
Blackshear	July 15	Oct. 7	35	2	July 15	Sept. 18	24	2
Claxton	July 16	Oct. 6	22	1	July 15	Sept. 19	16	1
Douglas	July 15	Oct. 7	42	3	July 15	Sept. 18	32	3
Haz-Bax	Not operating in 1992.				Sep. 16	Sept. 16	1	1
Metter	Not operating in 1992.				Sep. 5	Sept. 5	1	1
Moultrie	July 15	Oct. 7	37	3	July 15	Sept. 18	30	3
Nashville	July 15	Oct. 7	35	2	July 15	Sept. 19	23	2
Ocila-Fitz	July 23	Sept. 28	6	1	July 24	Sept. 17	3	1
Pelham	July 16	Oct. 7	29	2	July 15	Sept. 18	27	2
Statesboro	July 16	Oct. 6	16	1	July 15	Sept. 18	16	1
Tifton	July 21	Oct. 7	7	1	July 17	Sept. 11	7	2
Val-Hira	July 15	Sept. 30	30	3	July 15	Sept. 17	27	3
Vidalia	July 20	Oct. 7	31	2	July 15	Sept. 19	31	2
Total Georgia			24					27
Florida:								
Lake City	July 16	Oct. 5	20	1	July 15	Sept. 16	16	1
Live Oak	July 15	Oct. 1	26	2	July 15	Sept. 19	26	2
Madison	July 16	Oct. 6	7	1	July 17	Sept. 10	5	1
Total Florida			4					4
Total type 14			28					31
Total 11-14			209					215

1/ Clean up sale held Nov. 4, 1992.

2/ Clean up sale held Nov. 9, 1992, and Nov. 7, 1991.

3/ Clean up sale held Nov. 13, 1991.

4/ Clean up sale held Nov. 7, 1991.

Table 4.--Movement of tobacco across state lines 1/

State in which produced and crop year	Total sold out of State	Sold in:				
		Florida	Georgia	South Carolina	North Carolina	Virginia
thousand pounds						
1992 Crop						
Alabama	776	--	776	--	--	--
Florida	3,750	--	3,750	--	--	--
Georgia	2,993	2,993	--	--	--	--
South Carolina	10,727	--	525	--	10,202	--
North Carolina	23,528	--	--	2,269	--	21,259
Virginia	8,521	--	--	--	8,521	--
Total	50,295	2,993	5,051	2,269	18,723	21,259
1991 Crop						
Alabama	673	--	673	--	--	--
Florida	2,703	--	2,703	--	--	--
Georgia	2,562	2,556	--	6	--	--
South Carolina	11,898	--	608	--	11,290	--
North Carolina	24,629	--	--	2,553	--	22,076
Virginia	7,250	--	--	--	7,250	--
Total	49,715	2,556	3,984	2,559	18,540	22,076

1/ Based on reports of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, USDA.

Table 5.--Producers' sales, value, and average price by types, 1987-92 crops 1/

Type 11 - Old and Middle Belt				Type 12 - Eastern North Carolina			
Crop	Sales Pounds	Value Dollars	Average price Dollars	Crop	Sales Pounds	Value Dollars	Average price Dollars
1987	196,762,052	301,659,444	153.31	1987	240,030,456	383,293,166	159.69
1988	242,354,823	384,431,536	158.62	1988	275,406,677	447,963,016	162.66
1989	253,481,860	426,982,317	168.45	1989	289,640,728	485,385,312	167.58
1990	284,357,274	480,371,433	168.93	1990	322,032,434	545,959,062	169.54
1991	284,703,858	493,645,487	173.39	1991	306,350,494	530,256,108	173.09
1992	280,539,708	493,748,869	176.00	1992	311,062,604	539,201,056	173.34

Type 13 - South Carolina and Border North Carolina

Type 14 - Georgia and Florida

Crop	Sales	Value	Average price	Crop	Sales	Value	Average price
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars		Pounds	Dollars	Dollars
1987	160,587,362	259,371,950	161.51	1987	86,413,943	140,989,837	163.16
1988	175,280,516	283,302,453	161.63	1988	103,261,656	168,658,682	163.04
1989	186,019,360	308,703,764	165.95	1989	106,686,431	178,249,560	167.08
1990	192,638,263	307,417,624	159.58	1990	120,190,364	202,991,523	168.89
1991	189,869,314	326,207,545	171.81	1991	101,766,870	171,831,968	168.85
1992	188,253,945	320,134,328	170.05	1992	121,291,907	204,032,569	168.22

Types 11-14 - Total flue-cured

Crop	Sales	Value	Average price	Crop	Sales	Value	Average price
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars		Pounds	Dollars	Dollars
1987	683,793,813	1,085,314,397	158.72	1990	919,218,335	1,536,739,676	167.18
1988	796,303,672	1,284,055,687	161.25	1991	882,690,536	1,521,941,108	172.42
1989	835,828,379	1,399,320,953	167.42	1992	901,148,164	1,557,116,822	172.79

1/ Auction sales only. Does not include nonauction sales or direct deliveries.

Table 6.--Gross sales, value, and average price; resales, average price, and percentage of gross sales by types, 1987-92 crops 1/

Type 11 - Old and Middle Belt

Crop	Gross			Resales		
	Sales	Value	Average price	Resales	Average price	Percentage of gross sales
1987	Pounds 219,853,069	Dollars 336,821,190	Dollars 153.20	Pounds 23,091,017	Dollars 152.27	Percent 10.5
1988	268,826,895	425,791,593	158.39	26,472,072	156.24	9.9
1989	276,581,617	465,752,946	168.40	23,099,757	167.84	8.4
1990	311,758,684	525,776,194	168.65	27,401,410	165.70	8.8
1991	317,609,835	550,548,812	173.34	32,905,977	172.93	10.4
1992	304,180,759	534,907,404	175.85	23,641,051	174.10	7.8

Type 12 - Eastern North Carolina

1987	267,886,831	427,543,289	159.60	27,856,375	158.85	10.4
1988	308,193,754	501,186,876	162.62	32,787,077	162.33	10.6
1989	314,324,409	526,582,157	167.53	24,683,681	166.90	7.9
1990	353,116,281	598,364,018	169.45	31,083,857	168.59	8.8
1991	343,435,618	594,610,574	173.14	37,085,124	173.53	10.8
1992	336,392,053	583,085,070	173.33	25,329,449	173.25	7.5

Type 13 - South Carolina and Border North Carolina

1987	178,239,911	287,862,577	161.50	17,652,549	161.40	9.9
1988	195,802,337	316,645,311	161.72	20,521,821	162.48	10.5
1989	205,434,547	340,990,851	165.99	19,415,187	166.30	9.5
1990	211,339,198	337,303,379	159.60	18,700,935	159.81	8.9
1991	210,939,135	362,445,995	171.82	21,069,821	171.99	10.0
1992	206,724,528	351,667,472	170.11	18,470,583	170.72	8.9

Type 14 - Georgia and Florida

1987	99,513,011	162,089,355	162.88	13,099,068	161.08	13.2
1988	119,891,798	195,554,553	163.11	16,630,142	163.53	13.9
1989	121,735,812	203,572,450	167.22	15,049,381	168.27	12.4
1990	135,561,833	229,191,390	169.07	15,371,469	170.44	11.3
1991	115,202,404	194,861,355	169.15	13,435,534	171.41	11.7
1992	136,824,612	230,292,301	168.31	15,532,705	169.06	11.4

Types 11-14 Total flue-cured

1987	765,492,822	1,214,316,411	158.63	81,699,009	157.92	10.7
1988	892,714,784	1,439,178,333	161.21	96,411,112	160.90	10.8
1989	918,076,385	1,536,898,404	167.40	82,248,006	167.27	9.0
1990	1,011,776,006	1,690,634,981	167.10	92,557,671	166.27	9.2
1991	987,186,992	1,702,466,736	172.46	104,496,456	172.76	10.6
1992	984,121,952	1,699,952,247	172.74	82,973,788	172.15	8.4

1/ Auction sales only. Does not include nonauction sales or direct deliveries.

Table 7.--Producers' sales, value, and average price by type, state, and market 1/

Type 11 - Old and Middle Belt flue-cured

Market and State	1992 crop			1991 crop		
	Sales	Value	Average price	Sales	Value	Average price
Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars
Virginia:						
Chase City	3,868,587	6,777,269	175.19	4,026,674	6,876,292	170.77
Clarksville	8,555,339	15,101,035	176.51	8,734,305	14,989,669	171.62
Danville	44,214,877	78,172,924	176.80	44,928,636	77,809,991	173.19
Kenbridge	1,635,097	2,896,732	177.16	1,784,426	3,023,723	169.45
Lawrenceville	7,757,732	13,685,189	176.41	8,103,154	13,961,351	172.30
South Boston	18,507,461	32,341,602	174.75	19,322,803	32,539,456	168.40
South Hill	8,123,329	14,371,166	176.91	8,609,393	14,718,296	170.96
Total Virginia	92,662,422	163,345,917	176.28	95,509,391	163,918,778	171.63
North Carolina:						
Burl-Meb	5,577,906	9,869,283	176.94	5,706,213	9,980,440	174.90
Cart-Abr	9,988,521	17,363,289	173.83	9,677,762	16,875,952	174.38
Fuquay-Varina	19,548,415	33,933,724	173.59	20,276,746	35,575,231	175.45
Henderson	13,488,735	23,964,316	177.66	12,413,989	21,742,947	175.15
Louisburg	21,938,249	39,163,320	178.52	20,840,445	36,573,048	175.49
Mt. Airy	11,182,984	19,471,615	174.12	11,809,006	20,458,691	173.25
Oxford	11,078,526	19,507,229	176.08	10,986,472	18,911,559	172.13
Reidsville	15,785,577	27,936,780	176.98	16,257,768	28,416,096	174.78
Roxboro	15,260,827	26,871,347	176.08	15,452,737	26,807,606	173.48
Sanford	8,662,377	14,931,260	172.37	8,383,923	14,610,913	174.27
Ston-Mad	10,237,214	17,956,740	175.41	11,689,634	20,173,004	172.57
Warrenton	7,725,439	13,684,975	177.14	7,724,626	13,497,118	174.73
Winston-Salem	37,402,516	65,749,074	175.79	37,975,146	66,104,104	174.07
Total N.C.	187,877,286	330,402,952	175.86	189,194,467	329,726,709	174.28
Total type 11	280,539,708	493,748,869	176.00	284,703,858	493,645,487	173.39

Type 12 - Eastern North Carolina flue-cured

North Carolina:						
Ahoskie	4,611,815	8,022,356	173.95	4,528,758	7,573,636	167.23
Clinton	14,389,089	24,725,066	171.83	15,069,433	25,931,083	172.08
Dunn	4,888,505	8,392,272	171.67	5,391,264	9,243,751	171.46
Farmville	24,001,448	41,699,203	173.74	24,328,189	42,204,884	173.48
Goldsboro	28,109,083	48,726,437	173.35	27,071,869	46,995,249	173.59
Greenville	33,201,300	56,884,739	171.33	34,033,658	58,691,367	172.45
Kinston	43,834,045	75,494,788	172.23	42,115,685	73,163,654	173.72
Robersonville	6,182,353	10,599,891	171.45	6,040,339	10,336,446	171.12
Rocky Mount	11,831,861	20,602,143	174.12	11,376,476	19,560,963	171.94
Smithfield	30,615,883	53,020,800	173.18	29,262,603	50,434,837	172.35
Wallace	5,442,525	9,266,356	170.26	5,257,098	8,973,509	170.69
Wendell	3,190,418	5,589,891	175.21	2,805,766	4,923,286	175.47
Williamston	10,059,621	17,431,240	173.28	10,207,476	17,667,654	173.09
Wilson	80,555,824	141,192,460	175.27	78,889,418	137,564,292	174.38
Windsor	10,148,834	17,553,414	172.96	9,972,462	16,991,497	170.38
Total type 12	311,062,604	539,201,056	173.34	306,350,494	530,256,108	173.09

See footnote at end of table.

**Table 7.--Producers' sales, value, and average price by type, state, and market 1/
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Type 13 - South Carolina and Border North Carolina flue-cured

Market and State	1992 crop			1991 crop		
	Sales	Value	Average price	Sales	Value	Average price
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars
South Carolina:						
Conway	6,343,677	10,937,749	172.42	6,603,667	11,576,727	175.31
Darl-Tim	11,733,569	19,662,816	167.58	11,116,433	18,922,224	170.22
Hemingway	8,273,623	14,200,809	171.64	8,633,117	14,848,871	172.00
Kingstree	8,334,315	14,345,922	172.13	7,569,469	13,077,437	172.77
Lake City	32,150,177	54,228,745	168.67	29,967,815	50,703,045	169.19
Loris	6,029,965	10,223,815	169.55	7,402,679	12,836,040	173.40
Mullins	30,852,873	52,651,678	170.65	30,537,819	52,684,935	172.52
Total S.C.	103,718,199	176,251,534	169.93	101,830,999	174,649,279	171.51
North Carolina:						
Chadbourn	6,330,481	10,711,293	169.20	7,168,586	12,238,510	170.72
Clarkton	7,710,328	13,136,102	170.37	7,652,920	13,167,116	172.05
Fair Bluff	3,581,502	6,085,428	169.91	4,134,168	7,087,287	171.43
Fairmont	26,809,635	45,675,608	170.37	27,652,746	47,793,431	172.83
Lumberton	15,564,464	26,713,884	171.63	15,541,012	26,839,010	172.70
Tabor City	9,889,549	16,739,677	169.27	10,744,669	18,328,810	170.59
Whiteville	14,649,787	24,820,802	169.43	15,144,214	26,104,102	172.37
Total N.C.	84,535,746	143,882,794	170.20	88,038,315	151,558,266	172.15
Total type 13	188,253,945	320,134,328	170.05	189,869,314	326,207,545	171.81

Type 14 - Georgia and Florida flue-cured

Georgia:						
Alma	12,459,914	21,373,923	171.54	10,076,253	17,252,452	171.22
Blackshear	9,784,468	16,866,135	172.38	7,444,197	12,757,150	171.37
Claxton	6,300,772	10,779,463	171.08	4,929,794	8,514,311	172.71
Douglas	13,662,119	23,137,857	169.36	13,023,030	22,058,376	169.38
Haz-Bax	Not operating in 1992			1,198	2,156	179.94
Metter	Not operating in 1992			4,732	8,394	177.39
Moultrie	12,900,249	21,282,896	164.98	9,651,056	16,160,335	167.45
Nashville	10,168,373	17,430,079	171.41	8,439,548	14,632,191	173.38
Ocila-Fitz	1,611,894	2,652,341	164.55	672,754	1,108,394	164.75
Pelham	9,324,447	15,671,912	168.07	8,163,834	13,748,908	168.41
Statesboro	4,710,562	7,767,031	164.89	3,685,276	6,124,645	166.19
Tifton	2,003,952	3,365,023	167.92	2,397,984	3,981,397	166.03
Val-Hira	10,064,695	16,919,784	168.11	8,822,703	14,614,443	165.65
Vidalia	9,585,999	16,125,134	168.22	8,502,975	14,297,875	168.15
Total Georgia	102,577,444	173,371,578	169.02	85,815,334	145,261,027	169.27
Florida:						
Lake City	6,978,537	11,372,705	162.97	5,359,710	8,931,976	166.65
Live Oak	9,414,674	15,482,164	164.45	9,082,025	15,302,245	168.49
Madison	2,321,252	3,806,122	163.97	1,509,801	2,336,720	154.77
Total Florida	18,714,463	30,660,991	163.84	15,951,536	26,570,941	166.57
Total type 14	121,291,907	204,032,569	168.22	101,766,870	171,831,968	168.85
Total types 11-14	901,148,164	1,557,116,822	172.79	882,690,536	1,521,941,108	172.42

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Table 8.--Gross sales, value, and average price by type, state, and market 1/

Type 11 - Old and Middle Belt flue-cured

Market and State	1992 crop			1991 crop		
	Sales	Value	Average price	Sales	Value	Average price
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars
Virginia:						
Chase City	4,068,200	7,128,488	175.22	4,390,387	7,480,965	170.39
Clarksville	9,064,113	15,991,033	176.42	9,665,193	16,589,400	171.64
Danville	48,250,821	85,178,919	176.53	50,544,842	87,468,742	173.05
Kenbridge	1,652,653	2,927,350	177.13	1,843,748	3,118,002	169.11
Lawrenceville	8,032,248	14,164,000	176.34	8,652,408	14,904,420	172.26
South Boston	20,365,817	35,505,639	174.34	22,613,274	38,086,532	168.43
South Hill	8,526,975	15,080,412	176.86	9,266,141	15,851,383	171.07
Total Virginia	99,960,827	175,975,841	176.04	106,975,993	183,499,444	171.53
North Carolina:						
Burl-Meb	5,657,759	10,009,603	176.92	5,937,519	10,381,872	174.85
Cart-Abr	11,022,006	19,170,854	173.93	10,711,126	18,694,673	174.54
Fuquay-Varina	20,701,511	35,937,931	173.60	21,979,288	38,558,936	175.43
Henderson	14,268,474	25,335,643	177.56	13,342,964	23,362,150	175.09
Louisburg	23,173,762	41,352,700	178.45	22,910,037	40,193,799	175.44
Mt. Airy	12,707,064	22,146,528	174.29	13,546,915	23,497,251	173.45
Oxford	11,477,202	20,178,599	175.81	12,044,503	20,699,949	171.86
Reidsville	17,230,681	30,476,786	176.88	18,203,931	31,832,585	174.87
Roxboro	16,767,528	29,504,156	175.96	17,568,376	30,473,374	173.46
Sanford	9,688,212	16,704,389	172.42	9,640,504	16,831,166	174.59
Ston-Mad	11,391,340	19,959,610	175.22	13,037,993	22,494,069	172.53
Warrenton	8,022,005	14,210,984	177.15	8,400,239	14,688,967	174.86
Winston-Salem	42,112,388	73,943,780	175.59	43,310,447	75,340,577	173.95
Total N.C.	204,219,932	358,931,563	175.76	210,633,842	367,049,368	174.26
Total type 11	304,180,759	534,907,404	175.85	317,609,835	550,548,812	173.34

Type 12 - Eastern North Carolina flue-cured

North Carolina:						
Ahoskie	4,914,239	8,551,382	174.01	4,940,423	8,280,177	167.60
Clinton	15,431,391	26,550,554	172.06	16,696,960	28,796,019	172.46
Dunn	5,174,957	8,858,421	171.18	5,900,729	10,121,508	171.53
Farmville	25,936,413	45,092,037	173.86	26,785,996	46,395,690	173.21
Goldsboro	30,599,633	53,092,783	173.51	31,238,146	54,288,734	173.79
Greenville	35,947,192	61,619,206	171.42	38,050,765	65,580,706	172.35
Kinston	46,404,940	79,993,162	172.38	47,083,575	81,884,288	173.91
Robersonville	6,718,901	11,488,683	170.99	6,592,353	11,312,407	171.60
Rocky Mount	12,202,325	21,246,422	174.12	12,174,269	20,927,024	171.90
Smithfield	33,341,851	57,706,669	173.08	32,083,645	55,293,800	172.34
Wallace	5,566,855	9,473,824	170.18	5,804,376	9,902,842	170.61
Wendell	3,258,191	5,706,014	175.13	2,890,747	5,070,890	175.42
Williamston	10,891,065	18,854,916	173.12	11,145,634	19,234,659	172.58
Wilson	88,961,850	155,778,578	175.11	91,040,943	158,772,349	174.40
Windsor	11,042,250	19,072,419	172.72	11,007,057	18,749,481	170.34
Total type 12	336,392,053	583,085,070	173.33	343,435,618	594,610,574	173.14

See footnote at end of table.

**Table 8.--Gross sales, value, and average price by type, state, and market 1/
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Type 13 - South Carolina and Border North Carolina flue-cured

Market and State	1992 crop			1991 crop		
	Sales	Value	Average price	Sales	Value	Average price
South Carolina:	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars
Conway	6,639,141	11,442,880	172.35	7,043,120	12,339,002	175.19
Darl-Tim	13,029,685	21,872,046	167.86	12,300,985	20,982,752	170.58
Hemingway	9,082,130	15,607,830	171.85	9,517,954	16,402,556	172.33
Kingstree	9,060,325	15,598,798	172.17	8,258,586	14,264,028	172.72
Lake City	36,188,494	61,131,444	168.93	34,081,087	57,620,746	169.07
Loris	6,547,906	11,124,152	169.89	7,959,592	13,804,122	173.43
Mullins	34,082,612	58,111,881	170.50	33,916,645	58,527,939	172.56
Total S.C.	114,630,293	194,889,031	170.02	113,077,969	193,941,145	171.51
North Carolina:						
Chadbourn	6,884,929	11,674,092	169.56	8,057,425	13,795,489	171.21
Clarkton	8,443,301	14,418,112	170.76	8,623,161	14,861,545	172.34
Fair Bluff	4,036,562	6,855,481	169.83	4,658,896	7,997,375	171.66
Fairmont	29,736,867	50,667,851	170.39	31,505,742	54,495,332	172.97
Lumberton	16,162,354	27,737,809	171.62	16,348,631	28,221,492	172.62
Tabor City	10,738,125	18,184,334	169.34	11,927,459	20,339,908	170.53
Whiteville	16,092,097	27,240,762	169.28	16,739,852	28,793,709	172.01
Total N.C.	92,094,235	156,778,441	170.24	97,861,166	168,504,850	172.19
Total type 13	206,724,528	351,667,472	170.11	210,939,135	362,445,995	171.82

Type 14 - Georgia and Florida flue-cured

Georgia:						
Alma	14,458,985	24,866,495	171.98	11,433,795	19,641,862	171.79
Blackshear	11,283,801	19,484,260	172.67	8,544,090	14,622,569	171.14
Claxton	7,042,373	12,079,313	171.52	5,548,325	9,592,163	172.88
Douglas	15,437,609	26,173,948	169.55	14,667,734	24,894,997	169.73
Haz-Bax	Not operating in 1992			1,198	2,156	179.97
Metter	Not operating in 1992			4,732	8,394	177.39
Moultrie	14,618,249	24,150,582	165.21	10,984,708	18,463,685	168.09
Nashville	11,327,416	19,405,762	171.32	9,338,857	16,204,903	173.52
Ocila-Fitz	1,793,903	2,928,412	163.24	694,404	1,144,744	164.85
Pelham	10,480,669	17,649,855	168.40	9,467,870	15,991,459	168.90
Statesboro	5,266,697	8,707,857	165.34	4,229,335	7,027,457	166.16
Tifton	2,296,632	3,835,243	166.99	2,682,597	4,440,819	165.54
Val-Hira	10,973,165	18,335,998	167.10	9,661,209	15,984,143	165.45
Vidalia	10,859,821	18,266,195	168.20	9,662,388	16,286,500	168.56
Total Georgia	115,839,320	195,883,920	169.10	96,921,242	164,305,851	169.53
Florida:						
Lake City	7,805,045	12,722,627	163.01	6,084,038	10,164,058	167.06
Live Oak	10,614,792	17,479,260	164.67	10,461,251	17,669,273	168.90
Madison	2,565,455	4,206,494	163.97	1,735,873	2,722,173	156.82
Total Florida	20,985,292	34,408,381	163.96	18,281,162	30,555,504	167.14
Total type 14	136,824,612	230,292,301	168.31	115,202,404	194,861,355	169.15
Total types 11-14	984,121,952	1,699,952,247	172.74	987,186,992	1,702,466,736	172.46

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Table 9.--Resales, average price, and percentage of gross sales by type, state, and market 1/

Type 11 - Old and Middle Belt flue-cured

Market and State	1992 crop			1991 crop		
	Resales	Average price	Percent of gross	Resales	Average price	Percent of gross
Virginia:	Pounds	Dollars	Percent	Pounds	Dollars	Percent
Chase City	199,613	175.95	4.91	363,713	166.25	8.3
Clarksville	508,774	174.93	5.61	930,888	171.85	9.6
Danville	4,035,944	173.59	8.36	5,616,206	171.98	11.1
Kenbridge	17,556	174.40	1.06	59,322	158.93	3.2
Lawrenceville	274,516	174.42	3.42	549,254	171.70	6.4
South Boston	1,858,356	170.26	9.12	3,290,471	168.58	14.6
South Hill	403,646	175.71	4.73	656,748	172.53	7.1
Total Virginia	7,298,405	173.05	7.30	11,466,602	170.76	10.7
North Carolina:						
Burl-Meb	79,853	175.72	1.41	231,306	173.55	3.9
Cart-Abr	1,033,485	174.90	9.38	1,033,364	176.00	9.7
Fuquay-Varina	1,153,096	173.81	5.57	1,702,542	175.25	7.8
Henderson	779,739	175.87	5.46	928,975	174.30	7.0
Louisburg	1,235,513	177.20	5.33	2,069,592	174.95	9.0
Mt. Airy	1,524,080	175.51	11.99	1,737,909	174.84	12.8
Oxford	398,676	168.40	3.47	1,058,031	169.03	8.8
Reidsville	1,445,104	175.77	8.39	1,946,163	175.55	10.7
Roxboro	1,506,701	174.74	8.99	2,115,639	173.27	12.0
Sanford	1,025,835	172.85	10.59	1,256,581	176.69	13.0
Ston-Mad	1,154,126	173.54	10.13	1,348,359	172.14	10.3
Warrenton	296,566	177.37	3.70	675,613	176.41	8.0
Winston-Salem	4,709,872	173.99	11.18	5,335,301	173.12	12.3
Total N.C.	16,342,646	174.57	8.00	21,439,375	174.08	10.2
Total type 11	23,641,051	174.10	7.77	32,905,977	172.93	10.4

Type 12 - Eastern North Carolina flue-cured

North Carolina:						
Ahoskie	302,424	174.93	6.15	411,665	171.63	8.3
Clinton	1,042,302	175.14	6.75	1,627,527	176.03	9.8
Dunn	286,452	162.73	5.54	509,465	172.29	8.6
Farmville	1,934,965	175.34	7.46	2,457,807	170.51	9.2
Goldsboro	2,490,550	175.32	8.14	4,166,277	175.06	13.3
Greenville	2,745,892	172.42	7.64	4,017,107	171.50	10.6
Kinston	2,570,895	174.97	5.54	4,967,890	175.54	10.6
Robersonville	536,548	165.65	7.99	552,014	176.80	8.4
Rocky Mount	370,464	173.91	3.04	797,793	171.23	6.6
Smithfield	2,725,968	171.90	8.18	2,821,042	172.24	8.8
Wallace	124,330	166.87	2.23	547,278	169.81	9.4
Wendell	67,773	171.34	2.08	84,981	173.69	2.9
Williamston	831,444	171.23	7.63	938,158	167.03	8.4
Wilson	8,406,026	173.52	9.45	12,151,525	174.53	13.4
Windsor	893,416	170.02	8.09	1,034,595	169.92	9.4
Total type 12	25,329,449	173.25	7.53	37,085,124	173.53	10.8

See footnote at end of table.

**Table 9.--Resales, average price, and percentage of gross sales by type, state, and market 1/
--Continued**

Type 13 - South Carolina and Border North Carolina flue-cured

Market and State	1992 crop			1991 crop		
	Resales	Average price	Percent of gross	Resales	Average price	Percent of gross
South Carolina:	Pounds	Dollars	Percent	Pounds	Dollars	Percent
Conway	295,464	170.96	4.45	439,453	173.46	6.2
Darl-Tim	1,296,116	170.45	9.95	1,184,552	173.95	9.6
Hemingway	808,507	174.03	8.90	884,837	175.59	9.3
Kingstree	726,010	172.57	8.01	689,117	172.19	8.3
Lake City	4,038,317	170.93	11.16	4,113,272	168.18	12.1
Loris	517,941	173.83	7.91	556,913	173.83	7.0
Mullins	3,229,739	169.06	9.48	3,378,826	172.93	10.0
Total S.C.	10,912,094	170.80	9.52	11,246,970	171.53	10.0
North Carolina:						
Chadbourn	554,448	173.65	8.05	888,839	175.17	11.0
Clarkton	732,973	174.91	8.68	970,241	174.64	11.3
Fair Bluff	455,060	169.22	11.27	524,728	173.44	11.3
Fairmont	2,927,232	170.54	9.84	3,852,996	173.94	12.2
Lumberton	597,890	171.26	3.70	807,619	171.18	4.9
Tabor City	848,576	170.24	7.90	1,182,790	170.03	9.9
Whiteville	1,442,310	167.78	8.96	1,595,638	168.56	9.5
Total N.C.	7,558,489	170.61	8.21	9,822,851	172.52	10.0
Total type 13	18,470,583	170.72	8.93	21,069,821	171.99	10.0

Type 14 - Georgia and Florida flue-cured

Georgia:						
Alma	1,999,071	174.71	13.83	1,357,542	176.01	11.9
Blackshear	1,499,333	174.62	13.29	1,099,893	169.60	12.9
Claxton	741,601	175.28	10.53	618,531	174.26	11.2
Douglas	1,775,490	171.00	11.50	1,644,704	172.47	11.2
Haz-Bax	Not operating in 1992			--	--	--
Metter	Not operating in 1992			--	--	--
Moultrie	1,718,000	166.92	11.75	1,333,652	172.71	12.1
Nashville	1,159,043	170.46	10.23	899,309	174.88	9.6
Ocila-Fitz	182,009	151.68	10.15	21,650	167.90	3.1
Pelham	1,156,222	171.07	11.03	1,304,036	171.97	13.8
Statesboro	556,135	169.17	10.56	544,059	165.94	12.9
Tifton	292,680	160.66	12.74	284,613	161.42	10.6
Val-Hira	908,470	155.89	8.28	838,506	163.35	8.7
Vidalia	1,273,822	168.08	11.73	1,159,413	171.52	12.0
Total Georgia	13,261,876	169.75	11.45	11,105,908	171.48	11.5
Florida:						
Lake City	826,508	163.33	10.59	724,328	170.10	11.9
Live Oak	1,200,118	166.41	11.31	1,379,226	171.62	13.2
Madison	244,203	163.95	9.52	226,072	170.50	13.0
Total Florida	2,270,829	165.02	10.82	2,329,626	171.04	12.7
Total type 14	15,532,705	169.06	11.35	13,435,534	171.41	11.7
Total types 11-14	82,973,788	172.15	8.43	104,496,456	172.76	10.6

1/ Auction sales only. Does not include nonauction sales or direct deliveries.

**Table 10.--Rank of markets by volume of producers' sales, by separate types and by all types,
1992 crop 1/**

Type, market, and State	Sales Mil. lb.	Rank by Separate types	All types	Type, market, and State	Sales Mil. lb.	Rank by Separate types	All types
Type 11							
Danville, Va.	44.2	1	2	Lake City, S.C.	32.2	1	6
Winston-Salem, N.C.	37.4	2	4	Mullins, S.C.	30.9	2	7
Louisburg, N.C.	21.9	3	12	Fairmont, N.C.	26.8	3	10
Fuquay-Varina, N.C.	19.5	4	13	Lumberton, N.C.	15.6	4	16
South Boston, Va.	18.5	5	14	Whiteville, N.C.	14.6	5	18
Reidsville, N.C.	15.8	6	15	Dari-Tim, S.C.	11.7	6	25
Roxboro, N.C.	15.3	7	17	Tabor City, N.C.	9.9	7	34
Henderson, N.C.	13.5	8	21	Kingstree, S.C.	8.3	8	41
Mount Airy, N.C.	11.2	9	26	Hemingway, S.C.	8.3	9	42
Oxford, N.C.	11.1	10	27	Clarkton, N.C.	7.7	10	46
Stone-Mad, N.C.	10.2	11	28	Conway, S.C.	6.3	11	48
Cart-Abr, N.C.	10.0	12	33	Chadbourn, N.C.	6.3	12	49
Sanford, N.C.	8.7	13	39	Loris, S.C.	6.0	13	52
Clarksville, Va.	8.6	14	40	Fair Bluff, N.C.	3.6	14	59
South Hill, Va.	8.1	15	43				
Lawrenceville, Va.	7.8	16	44				
Warrenton, N.C.	7.7	17	45				
Burl-Meb, N.C.	5.6	18	53				
Chase City, Va.	3.9	19	58				
Kenbridge, Va.	1.6	20	63				
Type 12							
				Type 14			
Wilson, N.C.	80.6	1	1	Douglas, Ga.	13.7	1	20
Kinston, N.C.	43.8	2	3	Moultrie, Ga.	12.9	2	22
Greenville, N.C.	33.2	3	5	Alma, Ga.	12.5	3	23
Smithfield, N.C.	30.6	4	8	Nashville, Ga.	10.2	4	29
Goldsboro, N.C.	28.1	5	9	Val-Hira, Ga.	10.1	5	31
Farmville, N.C.	24.0	6	11	Blackshear, Ga.	9.8	6	35
Clinton, N.C.	14.4	7	19	Vidalia, Ga.	9.6	7	36
Rocky Mount, N.C.	11.8	8	24	Live Oak, Fl.	9.4	8	37
Windsor, N.C.	10.1	9	30	Pelham, Ga.	9.3	9	38
Williamston, N.C.	10.1	10	32	Lake City, Fl.	7.0	10	47
Robersonville, N.C.	6.2	11	51	Clahton, Ga.	6.3	11	50
Wallace, N.C.	5.4	12	54	Statesboro, Ga.	4.7	12	56
Dunn, N.C.	4.9	13	55	Madison, Fl.	2.3	13	61
Ahoskie, N.C.	4.6	14	57	Tifton, Ga.	2.0	14	62
Wendell, N.C.	3.2	15	60	Ocila-Fitz, Ga.	1.6	15	64

1/ In instances where producers' sales for two or more markets when rounded to million pounds were identical, rank was determined from sales on an exact poundage basis.

Table 11.--Season average prices and support rates by individual grades, per 100 pounds 1/

Group and grade 2/	1992 crop Season averages					1992 Advance rate 3/ 11-14	Group and grade 2/
	Type 11	Type 12	Type 13	Type 14	11-14		
LEAF							LEAF
B1L	--	(193)	--	--	(193)	192	B1L
B2L	--	191	--	--	191	190	B2L
B3L	189	189	188	--	189	188	B3L
B4L	186	186	185	186	186	185	B4L
B5L	182	183	180	181	182	177	B5L
B6L	--	--	--	--	--	173	B6L
B1F	193	193	--	--	193	192	B1F
B2F	191	191	190	--	191	190	B2F
B3F	189	189	189	189	189	188	B3F
B4F	187	187	187	187	187	186	B4F
B5F	183	182	181	184	183	177	B5F
B6F	--	181	179	185	182	173	B6F
B1FR	--	--	--	--	--	191	B1FR
B2FR	--	--	--	--	--	188	B2FR
B3FR	187	187	187	187	187	186	B3FR
B4FR	186	186	186	187	186	184	B4FR
B5FR	185	185	184	187	185	176	B5FR
B6FR	--	--	--	186	184	172	B6FR
B5R	--	179	--	--	179	150	B5R
B3K	184	184	184	186	184	182	B3K
B4K	184	183	183	185	184	180	B4K
B5K	181	181	180	184	182	172	B5K
B6K	175	177	174	181	178	162	B6K
B3KR	184	184	183	185	184	181	B3KR
B4KR	183	183	182	185	183	176	B4KR
B5KR	179	180	179	184	181	166	B5KR
B3V	183	182	180	181	181	177	B3V
B4V	180	179	177	180	178	171	B4V
B5V	172	177	172	178	175	164	B5V
B3S	182	180	175	177	177	170	B3S
B4S	(183)	177	171	172	173	164	B4S
B5S	--	--	(168)	176	174	157	B5S
B3KL	181	181	177	178	180	169	B3KL
B4KL	179	178	175	179	179	165	B4KL
B5KL	175	171	169	175	173	155	B5KL
B6KL	--	(168)	--	--	164	148	B6KL
B3KF	180	182	181	182	181	169	B3KF
B4KF	179	181	178	181	180	165	B4KF
B5KF	173	176	172	179	176	155	B5KF
B6KF	167	173	163	176	171	148	B6KF
B3KD	(182)	(180)	--	--	180	166	B3KD
B4KD	173	173	167	(179)	173	158	B4KD
B5KD	166	166	165	164	166	146	B5KD
B6KD	159	161	155	170	161	138	B6KD
B4KV	179	180	171	177	178	159	B4KV
B5KV	175	177	166	175	174	149	B5KV
B6KV	168	170	160	171	168	140	B6KV
B3KM	182	182	181	182	182	175	B3KM
B4KM	181	180	179	181	180	170	B4KM
B5KM	178	177	174	178	177	163	B5KM
B6KM	173	174	172	171	173	152	B6KM
B3KK	178	180	178	180	179	168	B3KK
B4KK	177	178	175	177	177	162	B4KK
B5KK	173	176	169	175	174	153	B5KK
B6KK	--	167	--	166	165	144	B6KK
B4G	171	170	165	162	166	152	B4G
B5G	(177)	169	159	163	164	144	B5G
B6G	--	--	(148)	152	152	136	B6G
B5GR	--	--	--	--	--	129	B5GR
B4GK	175	174	169	169	171	150	B4GK
B5GK	170	170	163	164	166	143	B5GK
B6GK	156	159	160	152	157	133	B6GK
B5GG	142	(165)	(164)	159	154	124	B5GG

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Table 11.--Season average prices and support rates by individual grades, per 100 pounds 1/
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Group and grade 2/	1992 crop Season averages					1992 Advance rate 3/ 11-14	Group and grade 2/
	Type 11	Type 12	Type 13	Type 14	11-14		
SMOKING LEAF							SMOKING LEAF
H3F	188	(189)	189	189	189	188	H3F
H4F	187	187	187	187	187	186	H4F
H5F	184	184	181	184	183	177	H5F
H6F	--	--	(175)	--	176	173	H6F
H4FR	187	186	186	187	187	184	H4FR
H5FR	186	186	185	(187)	185	176	H5FR
H6FR	--	--	--	--	(184)	172	H6FR
H4K	185	184	184	186	185	180	H4K
H5K	183	183	181	185	183	172	H5K
H6K	181	181	176	181	180	162	H6K
CUTTERS							CUTTERS
C1L	--	--	--	--	--	178	C1L
C2L	--	(181)	--	--	(181)	176	C2L
C3L	181	178	176	173	178	173	C3L
C4L	177	174	170	170	173	167	C4L
C5L	173	169	164	165	167	161	C5L
C5LP	154	162	145	145	148	134	C5LP
C1F	--	--	--	--	--	178	C1F
C2F	182	(182)	(182)	--	182	176	C2F
C3F	181	178	177	174	180	173	C3F
C4F	179	175	173	171	176	167	C4F
C5F	176	170	167	166	170	161	C5F
C5FP	(147)	159	152	146	149	134	C5FP
C4KR	177	170	168	167	172	160	C4KR
C4V	173	168	164	163	166	158	C4V
C4LL	--	--	150	148	149	147	C4LL
C5LL	--	--	(145)	--	(145)	141	C5LL
C4S	173	167	161	163	163	155	C4S
C4KL	173	165	162	162	166	154	C4KL
C4KF	170	169	163	166	166	154	C4KF
C4KM	173	168	165	164	167	157	C4KM
C4KK	167	165	162	160	163	153	C4KK
C4G	159	160	154	152	155	143	C4G
C4GK	165	160	153	152	156	138	C4GK
LUGS							LUGS
X1L	178	--	--	--	178	171	X1L
X2L	168	167	164	--	167	164	X2L
X3L	165	162	161	161	163	159	X3L
X4L	159	155	152	153	154	148	X4L
X5L	147	145	142	141	143	135	X5L
X1F	177	(178)	172	--	176	171	X1F
X2F	172	169	165	165	171	164	X2F
X3F	169	163	161	161	166	159	X3F
X4F	165	157	154	154	159	148	X4F
X5F	156	148	144	144	148	135	X5F
X3KR	170	163	161	160	166	155	X3KR
X4KR	167	157	154	157	160	147	X4KR
X3V	163	159	156	157	160	153	X3V
X4V	153	152	149	150	151	144	X4V
X3LL	--	157	(139)	145	148	138	X3LL
X4LL	--	--	150	140	143	132	X4LL
X3S	159	153	151	153	153	146	X3S
X4S	154	147	146	144	146	136	X4S
X4KL	162	152	143	142	150	133	X4KL
X4KF	165	151	145	147	153	133	X4KF
X4KV	147	145	139	141	143	129	X4KV
X3KM	161	158	154	156	158	147	X3KM
X4KM	154	153	149	149	152	138	X4KM
X4G	145	145	140	138	141	129	X4G
X5G	138	138	132	131	134	124	X5G
X4GK	150	146	140	139	143	127	X4GK

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Table 11.--Season average prices and support rates by individual grades, per 100 pounds 1/
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Group and grade 2/	1992 crop Season averages					1992 Advance rate 3/ 11-14	Group and grade 2/
	Type 11	Type 12	Type 13	Type 14	11-14		
PRIMINGS							PRIMINGS
P2L	155	154	151	(151)	154	146	P2L
P2LS	--	--	--	--	--	131	P2LS
P3L	149	146	145	143	147	136	P3L
P3LS	(142)	--	--	127	132	122	P3LS
P4L	146	141	138	137	141	132	P4L
P4LS	134	--	--	124	126	119	P4LS
P5L	124	127	120	113	119	0	P5L
P5LS	--	--	--	--	--	0	P5LS
P2F	156	154	152	(149)	155	146	P2F
P2FS	--	--	--	--	--	131	P2FS
P3F	153	149	146	145	151	136	P3F
P3FS	141	--	--	133	138	122	P3FS
P4F	150	142	140	138	143	132	P4F
P4FS	133	(136)	(125)	123	127	119	P4FS
P5F	134	128	122	114	124	0	P5F
P5FS	114	--	--	--	111	0	P5FS
P4G	139	131	129	126	131	116	P4G
P4GS	--	--	--	107	108	104	P4GS
P5G	118	117	112	109	114	0	P5G
P5GS	--	--	--	--	--	0	P5GS
MIXED							MIXED
M4F	--	--	--	--	--	147	M4F
M5F	--	--	--	--	--	136	M5F
M4KR	--	--	--	--	--	134	M4KR
M4KM	--	--	(161)	--	163	133	M4KM
M5KM	--	--	--	(150)	(151)	129	M5KM
M4GK	--	--	--	--	--	122	M4GK
M5GK	--	--	--	--	--	116	M5GK
NONDESCRIPT							NONDESCRIPT
N1L	125	120	113	108	116	0	N1L
N1LS	--	--	--	--	--	0	N1LS
N1XL	141	133	120	124	128	0	N1XL
N1K	162	172	159	172	169	128	N1K
N1R	(170)	--	--	--	158	122	N1R
N1GL	116	119	104	105	110	0	N1GL
N1GLS	--	--	--	--	--	0	N1GLS
N1GF	145	147	125	130	136	109	N1GF
N1KV	151	150	146	154	152	113	N1KV
N1GR	--	--	--	--	136	110	N1GR
N1GG	--	--	--	(111)	(125)	104	N1GG
N1PO	128	124	112	104	111	0	N1PO
N1POS	--	--	--	--	--	0	N1POS
N1XO	143	138	121	114	123	0	N1XO
N1BO	167	167	163	161	163	115	N1BO
N2	126	121	105	106	111	0	N2
NO-G	113	120	98	94	102	0	NO-G
NO-G-F	169	170	152	152	157	0	NO-G-F
NO-G-F-S	--	--	--	--	--	0	NO-G-F-S
NO-G-N	--	--	--	--	--	0	NO-G-N
W-unsafe	164	172	(138)	--	167	0	W-unsafe
U-unsound	135	154	132	137	138	0	U-unsound
S-scrap	--	--	--	--	--	0	S-scrap

1/ Averages based on auction sales. Averages are shown in parentheses when at least 10 but fewer than 20 lots were recorded. Dashes indicate that fewer than 10 lots were recorded.

2/ For key to standard trademarks, see brief of classification on page 5.

3/ Commodity Credit Corporation loans made available through the Flue-cured Cooperative Stabilization Corporation, Raleigh, N.C.

Table 12.--Average prices by weeks for representative grades and season averages 1/

Type 11 - 1992 crop

Group and grade	Week ending									
	July 24	July 31	Aug. 7	Aug. 14	Aug. 21	Aug. 28	Sept. 4	Sept. 11	Sept. 18	
B3F	189	188	188	--	189	189	189	189	189	189
B4F	187	187	186	--	186	187	187	187	187	187
B5F	179	181	182	--	182	182	183	184	183	183
B4FR	185	186	--	--	--	185	186	186	187	187
B3K	183	183	184	183	182	184	185	185	185	185
B4K	181	182	182	182	181	182	184	184	184	184
B5K	176	177	177	177	176	177	180	182	182	182
B3KR	182	182	183	182	182	183	184	184	184	184
B4KR	179	180	181	181	179	182	183	184	184	184
B4KL	172	175	--	--	169	174	179	181	181	181
B3KF	176	177	179	--	--	178	182	183	184	184
B4KF	173	175	177	172	172	178	181	183	183	183
B5KF	165	167	170	167	165	166	176	178	176	176
B5KD	159	163	159	--	165	--	--	--	--	--
B4KV	--	174	--	--	165	173	178	179	178	
B5KV	162	169	--	--	160	165	170	175	175	
B3KM	179	180	181	178	179	182	183	184	184	
B4KM	178	178	179	176	176	180	182	183	183	
B5KM	167	175	--	--	172	178	181	181	180	
B3KK	175	176	178	--	177	--	181	184	184	
B4KK	173	174	175	--	174	178	180	--	183	
B4GK	162	166	160	162	166	172	177	180	181	
B5GK	156	165	--	160	158	165	171	178	175	
H4F	187	187	186	--	186	187	187	187	187	
H4FR	185	--	185	--	--	--	185	--	187	
H4K	182	184	184	--	--	--	184	186	185	
H5K	176	179	178	--	--	180	179	182	181	
C3F	--	--	173	174	174	178	182	184	184	
C4F	170	171	168	169	171	177	181	183	183	
C5F	162	166	162	163	168	174	179	181	179	
C4KR	--	171	163	164	167	175	179	182	181	
C4KM	166	161	162	164	168	174	180	182	181	
X3L	--	160	160	161	163	168	174	175	177	
X4L	--	151	151	154	158	164	169	172	170	
X5L	--	142	138	141	144	159	156	--	158	
X3F	--	162	160	161	165	172	178	180	179	
X4F	150	152	153	156	161	168	175	177	174	
X5F	138	142	141	146	152	161	169	168	161	
X3KR	--	162	159	160	166	171	176	179	179	
X4KR	--	154	150	155	162	168	175	177	176	
X3V	--	154	156	158	162	166	171	167	172	
X4V	--	147	148	151	156	164	168	169	159	
X4KV	136	139	133	138	145	156	165	169	164	
X3KM	151	151	153	158	162	171	174	172	179	
X4KM	143	146	145	151	157	165	173	175	175	
X4G	--	138	135	141	144	157	164	171	165	
P3L	138	146	147	148	154	161	168	172	171	
P4L	134	139	139	139	145	157	165	161	--	
P3F	140	147	148	152	157	164	170	168	--	
P4F	134	140	141	144	151	160	166	164	165	
P5F	105	125	125	130	137	146	155	156	144	
P4G	120	127	129	133	139	149	156	154	162	
N1L	--	101	115	121	122	135	140	138	133	
N1XL	99	115	122	127	124	141	146	157	155	
N1K	139	150	150	--	--	--	--	139	--	
N1GL	--	100	111	116	119	130	145	--	--	
N1PO	--	118	117	124	126	144	150	158	--	
N1XO	--	124	115	135	130	151	160	153	149	
N1BO	158	152	149	--	--	--	172	171	169	
N2	90	92	107	110	111	127	127	122	130	

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Table 12.--Average prices by weeks for representative grades and season averages
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Type 11 - 1992 crop

Group and grade	Week ending						Season		
	Sept. 25	Oct. 2	Oct. 9	Oct. 16	Oct. 23	Oct. 30	2/ 30	1992	1991
B3F	189	189	188	189	189	--		189	189
B4F	187	187	187	187	187	187		187	187
B5F	184	183	183	184	184	--		183	181
B4FR	187	187	186	186	187	186		186	186
B3K	185	184	184	185	185	185		184	184
B4K	184	184	184	184	185	184		184	182
B5K	183	183	183	183	185	182		181	178
B3KR	185	184	184	184	185	185		184	183
B4KR	185	184	184	184	185	184		183	182
B4KL	183	180	182	183	--	--		179	173
B3KF	183	183	183	183	184	--		180	179
B4KF	184	183	182	182	184	183		179	178
B5KF	179	181	180	178	184	179		173	174
B5KD	--	--	166	183	181	172		166	168
B4KV	179	181	182	182	184	180		179	173
B5KV	172	179	178	178	184	181		175	170
B3KM	183	184	183	184	184	185		182	181
B4KM	183	183	182	183	184	184		181	179
B5KM	182	179	180	--	185	--		178	174
B3KK	184	183	183	183	--	--		178	179
B4KK	184	180	184	183	184	--		177	177
B4GK	181	181	179	181	182	181		175	171
B5GK	182	176	179	174	181	172		170	167
H4F	187	187	187	187	187	187		187	187
H4FR	187	187	187	187	187	--		187	187
H4K	186	186	186	186	186	185		185	184
H5K	184	184	185	185	186	184		183	179
C3F	184	185	185	184	186	--		181	179
C4F	183	183	177	183	183	--		179	174
C5F	182	182	178	182	182	178		176	169
C4KR	182	182	--	--	--	--		177	169
C4KM	183	182	180	179	--	--		173	168
X3L	--	--	--	--	--	--		165	165
X4L	172	170	--	--	--	--		159	159
X5L	--	--	--	--	--	--		147	153
X3F	180	180	179	--	--	--		169	167
X4F	175	175	173	173	173	173		165	160
X5F	170	167	170	174	178	--		156	154
X3KR	183	--	--	--	--	--		170	165
X4KR	180	180	--	--	--	--		167	160
X3V	172	--	171	--	--	--		163	162
X4V	164	--	--	--	--	--		153	157
X4KV	--	--	--	--	--	--		147	152
X3KM	--	--	--	--	--	--		161	163
X4KM	181	176	--	169	--	--		154	159
X4G	--	--	--	--	--	--		145	154
P3L	--	--	--	--	--	--		149	159
P4L	164	164	165	166	165	169		146	156
P3F	--	--	--	--	--	--		153	159
P4F	164	162	164	164	164	165		150	155
P5F	--	--	--	--	--	--		134	149
P4G	162	--	--	168	--	--		139	151
N1L	128	131	134	134	134	--		125	143
N1XL	155	151	144	--	172	--		141	146
N1K	162	167	165	174	181	--		162	166
N1GL	--	--	--	--	--	--		116	143
N1PO	--	--	--	--	--	--		128	146
N1XO	148	158	--	--	--	--		143	147
N1BO	169	176	169	177	181	--		167	163
N2	130	132	135	132	135	141		126	138

1/ Averages based on auction sales. Dashes indicate that fewer than 20 lots were recorded for the week.
 2/ No averages shown after Oct. 30 due to limited sales.

Table 13.--Average prices by weeks for representative grades and season averages 1/

Type 12 - 1992 crop

Group and grade	Week ending						
	July 24	July 31	Aug. 7	Aug. 14	Aug. 21	Aug. 28	Sept. 4
B3F	188	--	--	--	189	189	189
B4F	187	186	--	186	186	187	187
B4FR	--	--	--	--	--	184	186
B3K	183	183	183	183	183	184	185
B4K	181	182	182	181	181	183	184
B5K	176	178	179	175	176	180	182
B6K	168	171	171	168	166	173	177
B3KR	182	183	182	182	182	183	184
B4KR	179	181	182	179	180	183	184
B5KR	174	177	180	176	176	181	181
B4KL	--	--	--	167	169	177	179
B5KL	--	--	--	--	161	165	173
B3KF	177	179	--	--	179	180	183
B4KF	175	180	177	173	175	181	182
B5KF	166	172	170	159	168	174	181
B5KD	162	163	169	--	--	--	--
B4KV	--	--	--	163	169	179	181
B5KV	169	--	--	158	167	174	177
B3KM	179	181	181	178	179	182	184
B4KM	177	179	174	174	176	181	183
B5KM	171	173	169	168	172	177	181
B3KK	181	--	--	171	175	182	182
B4KK	174	176	176	167	174	180	182
B5KK	173	176	169	--	168	177	179
B4GK	172	160	160	164	167	175	179
B5GK	167	--	--	155	159	169	176
H4K	182	182	--	--	--	--	184
H5K	178	181	--	--	--	--	182
C4L	--	169	169	170	173	176	180
C5L	--	--	162	164	168	174	179
C4F	--	168	169	171	173	178	181
C5F	163	162	164	165	169	175	180
C4KR	165	161	163	165	169	177	181
C4KM	160	162	162	165	169	177	180
C4GK	--	--	156	158	160	173	176
X3L	160	162	160	162	167	173	178
X4L	153	154	152	154	158	168	176
X5L	147	143	142	145	149	162	167
X3F	160	163	161	163	165	175	178
X4F	152	154	153	156	161	171	176
X5F	140	143	145	147	151	161	170
X4KR	150	151	154	156	161	172	176
X4KV	--	139	141	143	151	163	164
X3KM	153	157	157	159	164	173	178
X4KM	146	151	151	154	159	168	171
X4G	140	144	143	142	150	157	161
X4GK	139	144	145	146	149	162	--
P3L	144	147	147	148	155	165	--
P4L	138	140	141	143	145	158	167
P3F	146	149	149	153	156	--	172
P4F	139	141	141	146	149	158	160
P5F	125	126	126	129	133	141	145
P4G	127	130	130	132	134	152	--
N1L	118	113	120	126	118	138	--
N1XL	109	128	127	131	132	144	146
N1GL	102	114	118	117	129	143	141
N1PO	115	123	124	130	121	134	140
N1XO	126	134	133	137	140	156	157
N1BO	155	153	--	--	148	163	167
N2	102	108	116	114	112	124	136

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**Table 13.--Average prices by weeks for representative grades and season averages 1/
--Continued**

Type 12 - 1992 crop

Group and grade	Week ending							Season	
	Sept. 11	Sept. 18	Sept. 25	Oct. 2	Oct. 9	Oct. 16	2/	1992	1991
B3F	189	189	188	189	188	188		189	189
B4F	187	187	187	186	186	186		187	187
B4FR	186	187	186	186	185	185		186	186
B3K	184	184	184	184	183	184		184	184
B4K	184	184	184	184	183	183		183	182
B5K	183	183	184	183	183	183		181	178
B6K	179	180	182	182	182	181		177	172
B3KR	184	184	184	183	183	184		184	183
B4KR	184	184	184	183	183	184		183	181
B5KR	184	183	184	183	183	182		180	178
B4KL	182	181	182	182	182	--		178	173
B5KL	177	--	176	--	--	--		171	166
B3KF	183	183	183	183	183	--		182	180
B4KF	183	183	183	183	183	182		181	178
B5KF	181	181	183	182	180	179		176	173
B5KD	165	--	--	181	173	171		166	171
B4KV	181	183	183	182	182	180		180	175
B5KV	180	180	183	180	181	180		177	170
B3KM	184	184	183	183	183	181		182	181
B4KM	183	184	184	183	183	183		180	179
B5KM	183	183	183	181	182	181		177	173
B3KK	183	183	183	183	183	--		180	179
B4KK	183	183	182	182	183	184		178	178
B5KK	180	180	182	181	--	--		176	173
B4GK	181	180	180	181	179	177		174	170
B5GK	178	176	175	178	177	--		170	166
H4K	184	184	184	184	184	185		184	182
H5K	--	183	183	184	184	184		183	179
C4L	182	181	182	182	179	--		174	172
C5L	181	177	--	181	--	--		169	166
C4F	183	183	184	183	181	--		175	173
C5F	182	181	181	180	177	--		170	167
C4KR	183	181	180	183	181	--		170	170
C4KM	182	182	182	181	180	--		168	168
C4GK	--	--	--	175	--	--		160	162
X3L	--	175	--	--	--	--		162	166
X4L	172	167	--	165	169	--		155	162
X5L	--	--	--	--	--	--		145	156
X3F	--	180	174	--	178	--		163	166
X4F	177	175	171	170	166	169		157	161
X5F	171	168	170	154	157	--		148	155
X4KR	--	--	--	--	--	--		157	161
X4KV	--	--	166	--	--	--		145	155
X3KM	176	--	175	173	--	--		158	165
X4KM	169	174	172	165	166	157		153	160
X4G	--	--	--	--	--	--		145	157
X4GK	--	--	--	--	143	--		146	157
P3L	--	--	--	--	--	--		146	163
P4L	--	--	150	158	149	--		141	159
P3F	--	165	--	--	--	--		149	163
P4F	161	158	146	154	151	152		142	158
P5F	134	145	148	134	122	127		128	153
P4G	--	--	--	--	134	146		131	156
N1L	--	130	128	134	125	121		120	148
N1XL	--	162	143	--	140	--		133	146
N1GL	--	--	--	--	--	--		119	147
N1PO	--	132	--	--	--	--		124	150
N1XO	--	--	--	--	--	--		138	147
N1BO	171	174	174	177	176	177		167	163
N2	149	135	151	137	121	137		121	142

1/ Averages based on auction sales. Dashes indicate that fewer than 20 lots were recorded for the week.

2/ No averages shown after Oct. 16 due to limited sales.

Table 14.--Average prices by weeks for representative grades and season averages 1/

Type 13 - 1992 crop

Group and grade	Week ending					
	July 24	July 31	Aug. 7	Aug. 14	Aug. 21	Aug. 28
B3F	--	--	--	188	188	189
B4F	186	--	186	186	186	186
B5F	--	--	178	178	179	181
B3K	183	183	--	--	183	183
B4K	181	180	--	181	182	182
B5K	175	173	173	174	177	180
B6K	165	--	--	163	166	170
B3KR	181	--	--	181	182	183
B4KR	178	177	177	177	180	182
B5KR	175	171	--	--	173	178
B3V	--	--	--	178	179	180
B4V	--	--	--	173	174	176
B4KL	--	--	--	169	170	174
B3KF	--	--	--	175	178	179
B4KF	170	--	--	171	175	178
B5KF	164	--	--	165	171	171
B6KF	--	--	--	154	161	164
B4KV	--	--	--	161	164	172
B5KV	--	--	--	157	158	166
B3KM	177	175	176	177	178	181
B4KM	177	171	172	174	176	180
B5KM	--	--	167	171	172	175
B3KK	--	--	--	171	175	178
B4KK	176	--	168	167	172	176
B4G	--	--	--	158	159	169
B4GK	--	--	160	159	162	169
B5GK	--	--	--	154	155	161
H4F	--	--	--	--	187	187
H5F	--	--	--	--	179	180
H4K	180	--	--	--	182	183
H5K	175	--	--	--	177	176
C4L	168	167	168	168	171	175
C3F	--	--	175	174	175	177
C4F	168	167	168	169	172	175
C5F	162	162	163	164	168	172
C4KR	160	161	164	165	169	174
C4V	162	160	161	162	166	171
C4KM	161	160	162	163	168	173
C4GK	148	151	151	152	155	163
X4L	150	150	151	152	157	162
X5L	143	141	141	141	150	154
X3F	160	160	160	161	164	169
X4F	151	151	152	155	159	165
X5F	144	141	142	144	151	158
X4KV	142	136	136	138	141	156
X4KM	148	147	148	151	156	164
X4G	140	137	138	141	142	155
X5G	135	131	129	134	136	143
P4L	138	139	136	139	--	--
P4F	140	139	137	141	146	152
P5F	120	122	120	128	141	132
P4G	130	128	124	128	138	--
P5G	110	114	106	126	127	--
N1L	109	115	110	116	120	121
N1XL	104	117	112	118	128	136
N1GL	100	109	99	99	106	130
N1XO	126	114	116	122	128	143
N1BO	139	--	--	--	156	153
N2	99	103	92	100	106	113

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**Table 14.--Average prices by weeks for representative grades and season averages 1/
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Type 13 - 1992 crop

Group and grade	Week ending					Season	
	Sept. 4	Sept. 11	Sept. 18	Sept. 25	Oct. 2/	1992	1991
B3F	189	189	189	189	189	189	189
B4F	187	187	187	187	186	187	187
B5F	182	183	183	182	183	181	180
B3K	183	184	184	184	184	184	184
B4K	183	184	183	183	183	183	182
B5K	181	181	181	181	182	180	177
B6K	174	174	174	176	179	174	170
B3KR	183	184	184	184	184	183	183
B4KR	183	183	183	183	183	182	180
B5KR	180	181	182	181	181	179	176
B3V	181	183	183	182	182	180	181
B4V	181	180	181	180	178	177	177
B4KL	177	--	181	182	--	175	172
B3KF	182	182	183	182	182	181	179
B4KF	180	181	180	180	180	178	175
B5KF	172	176	177	177	179	172	169
B6KF	162	--	162	173	173	163	162
B4KV	177	180	180	179	177	171	171
B5KV	169	174	176	175	178	166	166
B3KM	182	183	183	183	183	181	180
B4KM	181	182	182	182	182	179	177
B5KM	177	177	180	180	180	174	172
B3KK	182	--	179	--	182	178	177
B4KK	180	181	180	181	180	175	173
B4G	169	179	177	177	173	165	166
B4GK	174	179	177	171	178	169	168
B5GK	168	172	175	174	176	163	164
H4F	186	186	187	187	187	187	187
H5F	181	182	183	182	183	181	180
H4K	183	184	184	184	184	184	182
H5K	180	182	182	182	183	181	177
C4L	177	--	--	--	--	170	169
C3F	181	183	--	183	182	177	176
C4F	180	181	182	181	179	173	171
C5F	177	177	179	176	173	167	167
C4KR	175	--	--	180	--	168	169
C4V	176	--	--	178	--	164	168
C4KM	178	181	180	177	177	165	168
C4GK	176	--	--	--	--	153	162
X4L	165	--	--	--	--	152	161
X5L	--	--	--	--	--	142	156
X3F	175	--	--	--	--	161	165
X4F	168	171	168	161	163	154	161
X5F	159	162	160	152	155	144	156
X4KV	160	--	--	--	--	139	155
X4KM	165	169	--	--	--	149	161
X4G	165	--	--	--	--	140	156
X5G	142	--	--	--	--	132	151
P4L	--	--	--	--	--	138	156
P4F	--	--	--	--	--	140	157
P5F	--	--	--	--	--	122	151
P4G	--	--	--	--	--	129	154
P5G	--	--	--	--	--	112	149
N1L	129	--	--	--	--	113	145
N1XL	140	--	--	130	146	120	142
N1GL	120	--	--	--	--	104	140
N1XO	131	--	151	125	--	121	144
N1BO	165	165	164	165	168	163	157
N2	117	133	113	114	118	105	117

1/ Averages based on auction sales. Dashes indicate that fewer than 20 lots were recorded for the week.

2/ No averages shown after Oct. 2 due to limited sales.

Table 15.--Average prices by weeks for representative grades and season averages 1/

Type 14 - 1992 crop

Group and grade	Week ending												Season	
	July 17	July 24	July 31	Aug. 7	Aug. 14	Aug. 21	Aug. 28	Sept. 4	Sept. 11	Sept. 18	Sept. 25	Oct. 2/2	1992	1991
B3F	--	--	--	--	189	188	189	189	189	189	189	--	189	189
B4F	--	--	--	186	187	187	187	187	187	187	187	187	187	187
B5F	--	--	--	178	180	183	183	186	186	185	186	185	184	183
B3K	--	--	--	--	183	185	186	187	187	186	187	186	186	185
B4K	--	--	180	180	181	184	184	186	187	186	186	185	185	184
B5K	--	--	--	172	176	181	182	185	186	185	186	184	184	180
B6K	--	--	--	--	168	176	177	180	183	182	183	181	181	172
B3KR	--	--	--	--	183	183	184	185	186	186	186	185	185	182
B4KR	--	--	--	177	180	183	183	186	187	186	186	185	185	181
B5KR	--	--	--	--	173	182	182	185	186	186	186	184	184	177
B4S	--	--	--	165	169	171	177	182	187	183	183	--	--	172
B3KL	--	--	170	169	170	176	181	184	185	184	--	--	178	176
B4KL	--	--	--	169	171	174	179	183	184	184	183	179	179	175
B3KF	--	--	--	--	176	179	181	184	185	185	184	183	182	177
B4KF	--	--	--	169	173	179	181	184	186	185	185	183	181	176
B5KF	--	--	--	158	167	175	179	181	182	184	184	183	179	171
B6KF	--	--	--	--	168	168	174	181	182	181	178	178	176	166
B4KV	--	--	--	162	168	172	177	180	183	179	185	182	177	173
B5KV	--	--	--	154	164	166	174	176	182	178	183	180	175	171
B6KV	--	--	--	--	156	167	170	168	177	171	174	178	171	167
B3KM	--	--	175	176	178	181	182	184	186	184	184	183	182	181
B4KM	--	--	170	171	175	179	181	184	186	185	185	183	181	180
B5KM	--	--	165	165	171	176	178	183	184	184	185	182	178	177
B4KK	--	--	--	164	171	178	180	184	184	184	184	183	177	174
B46K	--	--	160	155	163	167	173	176	177	179	178	172	169	171
B56K	--	157	154	153	158	161	167	175	173	174	177	174	164	167
H4F	--	--	--	--	186	187	187	187	187	187	187	187	187	187
H5F	--	--	--	179	180	185	184	186	187	187	187	--	184	181
H4K	--	--	--	--	183	184	186	187	187	186	187	186	186	185
H5K	--	--	--	177	176	182	184	185	186	185	186	185	185	180
C4L	--	--	167	168	168	171	174	177	179	--	177	168	170	171
C5L	--	162	163	163	163	168	173	179	183	--	--	--	165	168
C4F	--	--	167	168	169	171	173	178	181	179	176	--	171	173
C5F	--	164	163	164	165	169	172	178	180	--	175	164	166	170
C4S	--	159	159	159	160	162	170	176	182	--	173	--	163	165
C4KL	--	--	158	157	157	163	172	175	--	--	--	--	162	164
C4KM	--	162	161	161	163	165	172	179	180	178	177	167	164	169
C46K	--	151	151	150	150	151	171	166	--	--	--	141	152	161
X4L	152	152	152	152	153	154	166	169	170	--	159	--	153	161
X5L	139	144	140	140	144	147	158	--	--	--	--	--	141	155
X3F	160	160	161	161	162	167	163	--	--	--	--	--	161	167
X4F	154	151	152	153	157	160	166	171	167	165	160	155	154	162
X5F	141	143	141	141	151	149	161	166	--	163	155	149	144	156
X3KM	155	155	156	156	157	154	166	--	--	--	--	--	156	165
X4KM	150	148	147	147	152	152	158	169	164	160	162	147	149	161
X4G	140	138	138	137	140	137	151	144	133	--	--	--	138	156
X46K	133	141	139	137	140	137	141	--	--	159	--	--	139	157
P3L	144	143	142	141	--	--	--	--	157	--	--	--	143	159
P4L	137	138	136	135	138	--	146	--	--	154	160	--	137	157
P5L	110	114	111	115	128	--	--	--	136	--	--	--	113	151
P4F	138	139	137	135	139	134	138	--	145	--	164	139	138	157
P5F	114	115	111	114	125	129	--	--	--	--	145	120	114	151
P4G	124	128	124	123	--	118	--	--	--	--	--	123	126	152
N1L	105	105	103	110	122	120	119	--	--	128	134	119	108	147
N1XL	121	119	112	119	132	131	141	151	--	137	141	135	124	150
N1KV	--	--	--	134	138	144	144	144	162	165	172	168	154	160
N1PO	103	104	102	110	118	112	102	106	--	126	--	118	104	148
N1XO	117	110	107	113	122	121	123	127	136	129	137	119	114	148
N1BO	--	--	--	145	147	154	154	163	160	163	165	166	161	158
N2	89	87	91	102	108	105	118	121	133	140	129	117	106	141

1/ Averages based on auction sales. Dashes indicate that fewer than 20 lots were recorded for the week.

2/ No averages shown after Oct. 2 due to limited sales.

Table 16.--Warehouse charges by states, 1992 crop

State	Type	Auction fee 1/	Commission on gross sales 1/	Additional charges
Florida	14	15 cents on all piles of 100 pounds or less	2-3/4	Weighing and handling 10 cents per pile on all piles of 100 pounds or fewer, and 10 cents for each additional 100 pounds.
Georgia	14	and 25 cents on all piles over 100 pounds	2-3/4	
North Carolina	11-13		2-1/2	
South Carolina	13		2-1/2	
Virginia	11	25 cents per pile	2-1/2	Weighing, 10 cents per 100 pounds.

1/ Maximum permitted under State law.

Table 17.--Average weight per lot, 1987-92 crops

Crop	Type 11	Type 12	Type 13	Type 14	Types 11-14
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
1987	179	185	181	184	183
1988 1/	189	191	193	192	191
1989	198	194	195	197	196
1990	204	202	197	195	200
1991	204	198	197	190	199
1992	207	201	199	199	201

1/ Maximum allowed was increased from 250 pounds to 275 pounds.

Table 18.--Tobacco received by the Stabilization Corporation, 1989-92 crops

Crop	Type 11		Type 12		Type 13	
	Receipts (green weight)	Percentage of net sales	Receipts (green weight)	Percentage of net sales	Receipts (green weight)	Percentage of net sales
	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent
1989	10,818	4.3	8,145	2.8	8,697	4.7
1990	29,243	10.3	16,489	5.1	26,378	13.7
1991	20,221	7.1	15,925	5.2	9,551	5.0
1992	20,640	7.4	24,348	7.8	25,934	13.8

Crop	Type 14		Types 11-14 1/	
	Receipts (green weight)	Percentage of net sales	Receipts (green weight)	Percentage of net sales
	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent
1989	744	0.7	28,404	3.4
1990	1,981	1.7	74,091	8.1
1991	3,951	3.9	49,647	5.6
1992	10,331	8.5	81,253	9.0

1/ Details may not add to totals due to rounding.

Table 19.-Percentage distribution by groups and types, 1988-92 crops 1/

Crop year	A Wrappers	B Leaf	H S. Leaf	C Cutters	X Lugs	P Primings	M 2/ Mixed	N Nondescript	Misc.
(Type 11)									
1988	--	60.8	1.1	4.4	14.4	12.1	--	5.7	1.5
1989	--	61.8	1.4	10.2	13.3	10.0	--	2.5	0.8
1990	--	61.5	2.8	5.7	12.5	14.5	--	2.7	0.3
1991	--	58.4	3.8	9.3	14.2	12.1	--	1.9	0.3
1992	--	63.1	4.8	5.8	13.5	11.0	--	1.5	0.3
(Type 12)									
1988	--	62.5	0.6	10.0	12.6	10.7	--	3.1	0.5
1989	--	62.7	0.6	10.6	15.0	6.7	0.1	3.5	0.8
1990	--	65.3	0.8	6.1	13.7	10.9	--	2.8	0.4
1991	--	61.8	2.1	7.3	16.0	9.4	--	3.0	0.4
1992	--	68.1	1.1	6.9	14.6	7.5	--	1.6	0.2
(Type 13)									
1988	--	62.0	2.3	7.7	12.9	9.9	--	4.5	0.7
1989	--	59.3	3.4	9.4	15.6	6.7	--	4.5	1.1
1990	--	59.9	2.0	4.6	14.7	9.7	--	7.9	1.2
1991	--	57.7	4.6	8.8	17.1	5.6	--	5.1	1.1
1992	--	58.3	2.7	10.9	15.9	8.2	--	3.5	0.5
(Type 14)									
1988	--	57.9	2.7	5.5	10.6	13.4	--	8.7	1.2
1989	--	60.8	1.8	9.6	14.4	8.5	--	3.9	1.0
1990	--	54.4	5.2	6.9	15.5	12.1	--	5.4	0.5
1991	--	56.5	5.2	3.7	11.0	7.8	--	13.8	2.0
1992	--	55.4	3.3	6.2	14.5	12.1	--	7.4	1.1

1/ Dashes indicate a percentage of less than 0.1.

2/ Suspended for the 1988 crop.

Table 20.--Percentage distribution by qualities and types, 1988-92 crops 1/

Crop year	1 Choice	2 Fine	3 Good	4 Fair	5 Low	6 Poor	Nondescript	Misc.
(Type 11)								
1988	--	0.1	8.7	52.6	29.3	2.1	5.7	1.5
1989	--	0.5	21.5	55.4	18.3	1.0	2.5	0.8
1990	--	0.8	16.3	57.8	20.6	1.5	2.7	0.3
1991	--	0.3	23.5	58.7	14.7	0.6	1.9	0.3
1992	--	0.7	33.5	56.3	7.4	0.3	1.5	0.3
(Type 12)								
1988	--	0.1	8.9	57.3	28.4	1.7	3.1	0.5
1989	--	0.1	14.6	59.6	20.1	1.3	3.5	0.8
1990	--	0.2	12.4	54.6	26.3	3.3	2.8	0.4
1991	--	0.2	17.2	59.4	18.6	1.2	3.0	0.4
1992	--	0.1	30.6	55.8	11.0	0.7	1.6	0.2
(Type 13)								
1988	--	0.1	8.8	55.2	28.0	2.7	4.5	0.7
1989	--	0.1	7.4	54.9	26.4	2.9	6.9	1.4
1990	--	0.1	4.7	45.1	34.7	6.3	7.9	1.2
1991	--	0.1	13.7	55.5	22.3	2.2	5.1	1.1
1992	--	0.4	20.7	58.9	15.3	0.7	3.5	0.5
(Type 14)								
1988	--	--	4.6	49.1	30.8	5.6	8.7	1.2
1989	--	0.1	7.4	54.9	26.4	2.9	6.9	1.4
1990	--	0.2	10.2	59.0	22.5	2.2	5.4	0.5
1991	--	0.1	4.7	38.7	32.9	7.8	13.8	2.0
1992	--	--	10.5	57.2	22.0	1.8	7.4	1.1

1/ Dashes indicate a percentage of less than 0.1.

Table 21.--Percentage distribution by colors and types, 1988-92 crops 1/

Crop Year	L	F	FR-R	K-KR	LP-FP	V	LL-KV	K	G-GK	Nondescript	Misc.
(Type 11)											
1988	4.5	21.2	0.2	22.5	0.4	0.7	4.6	32.9	5.8	5.7	1.5
1989	6.3	19.8	0.1	26.5	0.1	0.5	0.9	40.4	2.1	2.5	0.8
1990	4.5	26.6	0.3	34.7	0.1	0.6	2.1	24.6	3.5	2.7	0.3
1991	4.2	28.2	0.4	36.9	--	1.1	1.4	23.0	2.6	1.9	0.3
1992	4.3	27.3	1.4	47.8	--	0.9	0.7	14.3	1.5	1.5	0.3
(Type 12)											
1988	4.5	13.2	--	23.4	2.3	0.4	2.0	45.1	5.5	3.1	0.5
1989	5.4	11.9	0.1	20.6	0.7	0.5	0.9	52.6	3.0	3.5	0.8
1990	4.0	13.4	0.1	32.6	0.4	0.6	3.4	36.3	6.0	2.8	0.4
1991	4.3	18.1	0.3	38.8	0.1	0.5	1.3	29.8	3.4	3.0	0.4
1992	6.1	16.5	0.6	45.8	--	0.6	0.9	25.3	2.4	1.6	0.2
(Type 13)											
1988	2.9	15.3	0.1	30.9	2.2	0.9	1.7	34.5	6.3	4.5	0.7
1989	4.3	20.0	0.1	31.3	0.7	0.9	1.0	32.7	3.4	4.5	1.1
1990	1.9	16.3	0.2	31.7	0.1	1.2	5.8	26.3	7.4	7.9	1.2
1991	3.2	22.3	0.5	37.3	--	1.9	1.2	23.3	4.1	5.1	1.1
1992	3.4	24.7	1.0	36.4	--	2.8	1.0	22.1	4.6	3.5	0.5
(Type 14)											
1988	5.7	14.1	--	25.3	0.5	0.3	3.1	32.1	9.0	8.7	1.2
1989	5.3	19.5	--	27.7	1.0	0.4	2.2	30.7	4.9	6.9	1.4
1990	7.1	19.4	0.1	20.3	0.4	0.6	4.2	33.9	8.1	5.4	0.5
1991	6.6	13.3	--	34.8	--	0.4	3.9	22.2	3.0	13.8	2.0
1992	7.6	18.9	0.2	30.1	0.1	0.7	1.8	27.2	4.9	7.4	1.1

1/ Dashes indicate a percentage of less than 0.1.

Table 22.--Percentage distribution by groups, qualities, and colors for types 11-14, 1988-92 crops 1/

(Group)											
Crop year	A Wrappers	B Leaf	H S. Leaf	C Cutters	X Lugs	P Primings	M 2/ Mixed	N Nondescript	Misc.		
1988	--	61.3	1.4	7.2	13.0	11.3	--	4.9	0.9		
1989	--	60.8	1.8	9.6	14.4	8.5	--	3.9	1.0		
1990	--	61.2	2.4	5.8	13.9	11.9	--	4.2	0.6		
1991	--	59.2	3.6	7.6	14.8	9.4	--	4.7	0.7		
1992	--	62.6	2.9	7.2	14.5	9.5	--	2.9	0.4		

(Quality)

Crop year	1 Choice	2 Fine	3 Good	4 Fair	5 Low	6 Poor	Nondescript	Misc.
1988	--	0.1	8.3	54.3	28.9	2.6	4.9	0.9
1989	--	0.2	14.8	56.6	21.8	1.7	3.9	1.0
1990	--	0.3	11.6	54.5	25.7	3.1	4.2	0.6
1991	--	0.2	16.7	55.3	20.2	2.2	4.7	0.7
1992	--	0.3	26.3	56.7	12.6	0.8	2.9	0.4

(Color)

Crop year	L	F	FR-R	K-KR	LP-FP	V	LL-KV	K	G-GK	Nondescript	Misc.
1988	4.3	16.2	0.1	25.0	1.5	0.6	2.9	37.4	6.2	4.9	0.9
1989	5.4	17.1	0.1	25.7	0.5	0.6	1.0	41.6	3.1	3.9	1.0
1990	4.3	18.7	0.2	30.8	0.2	0.7	3.6	30.7	6.0	4.2	0.6
1991	4.5	21.4	0.4	37.3	--	0.9	1.7	25.2	3.2	4.7	0.7
1992	5.3	21.7	0.9	42.0	--	1.1	1.0	21.7	3.0	2.9	0.4

1/ Dashes indicate a percentage of less than 0.1.

2/ Suspended for the 1988 crop.

Table 23.--Percentage distribution by grades and types, 1992 crop 1/

Group and grade	1992 crop				Group and grade	1992 crop			
	11	12	13	14		11	12	13	14
Leaf:					Smoking leaf:				
B1L	--	.002	--	--	H3F	.032	.002	.049	.073
B2L	.001	.005	--	--	H4F	1.026	.092	.471	.520
B3L	.020	.025	.007	.003	H5F	.061	.011	.182	.178
B4L	.047	.113	.037	.099	H6F	.001	--	.005	.001
B5L	.010	.026	.015	.067	H4FR	.296	.025	.077	.033
B6L	--	--	--	--	H5FR	.025	.006	.038	.005
B1F	.013	.041	.001	--	H6FR	--	--	.003	.002
B2F	.071	.036	.085	--	H4K	2.746	.691	1.212	1.148
B3F	.697	.592	.568	.438	H5K	.576	.265	.595	1.137
B4F	5.300	3.407	5.134	3.054	H6K	.059	.044	.105	.205
B5F	.561	.181	1.396	1.189	Total H	4.822	1.134	2.737	3.300
B6F	--	.004	.008	.008	Cutters:				
B1FR	--	--	--	--	C1L	--	--	--	--
B2FR	--	--	--	--	C2L	--	.003	.001	--
B3FR	.163	.071	.025	.058	C3L	.035	.048	.025	.030
B4FR	.904	.475	.744	.072	C4L	.177	.361	.241	.264
B5FR	.043	.025	.095	.018	C5L	.065	.358	.286	.458
B6FR	--	--	--	.006	C5LP	.005	.007	.028	.067
B5R	--	.003	.001	--	C1F	.001	--	--	--
B3K	12.873	12.090	7.570	1.137	C2F	.008	.003	.007	--
B4K	17.243	14.085	14.698	13.482	C3F	.474	.130	.300	.044
B5K	2.174	3.529	4.439	7.748	C4F	2.127	1.021	1.637	.588
B6K	.121	.436	.393	1.135	C5F	.932	1.091	1.964	.941
B3KR	5.712	6.153	2.701	.879	C5FP	.003	.003	.031	.041
B4KR	5.062	7.008	3.679	2.415	C4KR	.473	.297	.419	.138
B5KR	.331	.883	.356	.599	C4V	.096	.160	.973	.129
B3V	.032	.062	.279	.013	C4LL	--	--	.009	.014
B4V	.041	.086	.397	.100	C5LL	--	--	.003	--
B5V	.005	.016	.041	.015	C4S	.035	.051	.289	.384
B3S	.018	.034	.118	.070	C4KL	.049	.038	.032	.092
B4S	.003	.025	.070	.343	C4KF	.090	.025	.178	.108
B5S	--	--	.004	.009	C4KM	1.146	2.958	3.520	2.440
B3KL	.106	.092	.061	.168	C4KK	.046	.101	.156	.066
B4KL	.135	.202	.069	.559	C4G	.017	.043	.301	.092
B5KL	.011	.028	.013	.085	C4GK	.064	.214	.452	.296
B6KL	.001	.002	.001	.002	Total C	5.844	6.913	10.851	6.194
B3KF	.706	.255	.391	.338	Lugs:				
B4KF	1.901	1.387	1.487	3.048	X1L	.008	--	--	.001
B5KF	.369	.560	.777	1.504	X2L	.023	.007	.008	.002
B6KF	.025	.049	.076	.142	X3L	.469	.758	.249	.437
B3KD	.002	.002	--	--	X4L	.548	1.592	.707	1.488
B4KD	.062	.037	.022	.006	X5L	.065	.387	.197	.587
B5KD	.128	.107	.066	.039	X1F	.043	.002	.009	.002
B6KD	.034	.046	.030	.024	X2F	.182	.021	.017	.008
B4KV	.332	.315	.274	.464	X3F	2.995	1.304	1.211	.746
B5KV	.149	.218	.263	.812	X4F	4.536	3.235	4.225	3.284
B6KV	.019	.027	.043	.142	X5F	.683	1.014	1.745	1.257
B3KM	3.395	5.017	3.257	2.858	X3KR	.285	.131	.112	.034
B4KM	2.885	7.657	5.844	8.064	X4KR	.156	.211	.092	.040
B5KM	.154	.920	.814	2.077	X3V	.386	.094	.475	.164
B6KM	.008	.030	.014	.060	X4V	.298	.219	.622	.287
B3KK	.228	.208	.119	.103	X3LL	--	.004	.003	.017
B4KK	.381	.657	.286	.333	X4LL	--	--	.006	.020
B5KK	.039	.107	.057	.150	X3S	.039	.129	.125	.205
B6KK	.001	.003	.001	.011	X4S	.004	.055	.042	.131
B4G	.019	.025	.154	.131	X4KL	.028	.022	.024	.065
B5G	.001	.009	.022	.039	X4KF	.088	.028	.118	.085
B6G	--	--	.003	.009	X4KV	.218	.293	.417	.318
B5GR	.001	--	--	--	X3KM	1.011	1.716	1.421	1.107
B4GK	.381	.578	.922	.739	X4KM	1.102	2.731	2.561	2.507
B5GK	.118	.163	.287	.514	X4G	.153	.165	.671	.663
B6GK	.009	.015	.029	.028	X5G	.060	.084	.349	.275
B5GG	.009	.002	.004	.019	X4GK	.149	.392	.509	.755
Total B	63.055	68.138	58.247	55.428	Total X	13.527	14.594	15.915	14.485

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23.--Percentage distribution by grades and types, 1992 1/--Continued

Group and grade	1992 crop				Group and grade	1992 crop			
	11	12	13	14		11	12	13	14
Primings:					Nondescript:				
P2L	.119	.033	.084	.003	N1L	.393	.191	.292	.675
P2L sand	--	--	--	--	N1L sand	--	--	--	--
P3L	1.147	.842	.519	.809	N1XL	.141	.148	.406	.458
P3L sand	.002	--	--	.009	N1K	.066	.071	.092	.436
P4L	1.397	1.352	.868	2.648	N1R	.002	.001	.002	.002
P4L sand	.006	--	--	.041	N1GL	.107	.144	.367	.397
P5L	.161	.204	.176	.674	N1GL sand	--	--	--	--
P5L sand	--	--	--	--	N1GF	.017	.009	.028	.028
P2F	.298	.029	.143	.005	N1KV	.014	.017	.016	.096
P2F sand	--	--	--	--	N1GR	.001	.001	.001	.001
P3F	2.631	.881	1.130	.794	N1GG	--	--	--	.003
P3F sand	.010	--	.002	.008	N1PO	.144	.322	.812	2.083
P4F	4.019	2.797	3.549	4.453	N1PO sand	--	--	--	--
P4F sand	.041	.002	.004	.088	N1XO	.097	.193	.598	.837
P5F	.589	.644	.795	1.234	N1BO	.084	.252	.415	.760
P5F sand	.004	--	.002	.001	N2	.399	.238	.472	1.650
P4G	.460	.519	.729	1.018	Total N	1.468	1.590	3.503	7.426
P4G sand	.001	--	.001	.059	No-grade 2/	.158	.104	.401	.718
P5G	.073	.151	.193	.265	No-G-F sand	--	--	--	--
P5G sand	.001	--	--	--	W - unsafe	.013	.015	.004	.002
Total P	10.960	7.454	8.194	12.111	U - unsound	.151	.057	.143	.329
Mixed:					S - scrap	--	--	--	.001
M4F	--	--	--	--					
M5F	--	--	--	--					
M4KR	--	--	--	--					
M4KM	--	--	.004	.003					
M5KM	--	--	--	.004					
M4GK	--	--	--	--					
M5GK	.001	--	--	--					
Total M	.002	.001	.004	.007	Grand total	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000

1/ Dashes indicate a percentage of less than 0.001. Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.

2/ Includes grades No-G and No-G-F.

Table 24.--Percentage breakdown of marketings by selected groupings, 1992 and 1991 crops

Grouping	Type 11		Type 12		Type 13		Type 14		11-14	
	1992	1991	1992	1991	1992	1991	1992	1991	1992	1991
Premature to mellow	81.7	70.8	69.6	62.1	68.3	65.2	57.6	55.1	71.0	64.5
Unripe	15.0	24.4	26.2	31.1	23.1	24.5	29.0	26.1	22.7	26.9
Immature	1.5	2.6	2.4	3.4	4.6	4.1	4.9	3.0	3.0	3.2
Nondescript	1.5	1.9	1.6	3.0	3.5	5.1	7.4	13.8	2.9	4.7
No-grade 1/	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.5	1.1	1.1	2.0	0.4	0.7
Total:	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

1/ Includes tobacco defined as decayed, off-type, and nested; also unsafe keeping order and unsound. Also includes grade No-G-F.

Table 25.--Group averages by maturity, 1992 crop

GROUP	MATURE TO MELLOW	PREMATURE	UNRIPE	IMMATURE
dollars per hundred pounds				
Leaf (B)	183.75	--	179.50	169.14
Smoking Leaf (H)	184.84	--	--	--
Cutters (C)	172.64	148.26	166.89	155.64
Lugs (X)	157.86	--	152.94	140.34
Primings (P)	--	141.96	--	126.82
Total	178.77	141.98	172.81	146.83
Nondescript	123.21	.00	.00	.00
No-grade 1/	118.13	.00	.00	.00

1/ Includes tobacco defined as decayed, off-type, and nested; also includes unsafe keeping order unsound, and scrap.

Table 26.--Percentage distribution by grades for all types, 1990-92 crops 1/

Group and grade	Crop of:			Group and grade	Crop of:		
	1990	1991	1992		1990	1991	1992
Wrappers:				B5KM	2.469	1.822	.874
A1L	--	--	--	B6KM	.101	.062	.026
A1F	--	--	--	Total BKM -	12.166	11.414	10.666
Total A	--	--	--	B3KK	.108	.084	.180
Leaf:				B4KK	.607	.521	.449
B1L	.002	.001	.001	B5KK	.207	.181	.085
B2L	.001	.001	.002	B6KK	.020	.007	.004
B3L	.014	.007	.017	Total BKK -	.942	.793	.718
B4L	.068	.066	.077	B4G	.073	.034	.065
B5L	.033	.044	.027	B5G	.037	.022	.014
B6L	.001	.001	--	B6G	.003	.002	.002
Total BL --	.119	----	.120	Total BG --	.113	----	.058
B1F	.011	.005	.018	B5GR	.009	.002	.001
B2F	.036	.024	.049	B4GK	1.118	.623	.606
B3F	.304	.443	.592	B5GK	.857	.411	.234
B4F	2.057	2.487	4.227	B6GK	.162	.048	.018
B5F	1.154	.993	.691	Total BGK -	2.137	---	1.082
B6F	.010	.010	.004	B5GG	.008	.011	.008
Total BF --	3.572	----	3.962	Total B --	61.251	---	59.138
B1FR	--	.001	--	Smoking leaf	----	----	62.563
B2FR	.006	.001	--	H3F	.122	.032	.032
B3FR	.010	.018	.089	H4F	.458	.410	.523
B4FR	.075	.214	.581	H5F	.135	.201	.086
B5FR	.048	.031	.042	H6F	.003	.006	.001
B6FR	.002	.001	.001	Total HF --	.718	----	.649
Total BFR --	.141	----	.266	H4FR	.019	.045	.119
B5R	.007	.004	.001	H5FR	.012	.019	.018
B3K	1.812	4.826	9.572	H6FR	--	--	.001
B4K	12.065	14.196	15.056	Total HFR -	.031	----	.064
B5K	8.484	6.784	4.030	H4K	.798	1.398	1.497
B6K	1.579	1.204	.457	H5K	.661	1.159	.575
Total BK --	23.940	----	27.010	H6K	.180	.318	.088
B3KR	.651	1.745	4.467	Total HK --	1.639	----	2.875
B4KR	3.144	4.182	5.002	Total H --	2.388	----	3.588
B5KR	1.127	.873	.570	Cutters:	----	----	2.940
Total BKR --	4.922	----	6.800	C1L	--	.001	--
B3V	.028	.040	.082	C2L	.001	.001	.001
B4V	.131	.111	.129	C3L	.013	.030	.037
B5V	.032	.027	.017	C4L	.122	.232	.266
Total BV --	.191	----	.178	C5L	.157	.310	.273
B3S	.046	.047	.050	Total CL --	.293	----	.574
B4S	.070	.038	.083	C5LP	.125	.018	.021
B5S	.003	.004	.003	C1F	.001	--	--
Total BS --	.119	----	.089	C2F	.004	.003	.005
B3KL	.099	.161	.105	C3F	.065	.144	.250
B4KL	.367	.485	.223	C4F	.706	1.389	1.391
B5KL	.113	.153	.031	C5F	.900	1.648	1.167
B6KL	.009	.012	.001	Total CF --	1.676	----	3.184
Total BKL --	.588	----	.811	C5FP	.116	.018	.015
B3KF	.374	.429	.433	C4KR	.138	.324	.344
B4KF	4.528	2.706	1.862	C4V	.119	.202	.276
B5KF	3.641	1.590	.709	C4LL	.001	.004	.004
B6KF	.533	.204	.063	C5LL	--	.002	--
Total BKF --	9.076	----	4.929	Total CLL -	.001	----	.006
B3KD	.002	.001	.001	C4S	.149	.086	.147
B4KD	.059	.065	.036	C4KL	.102	.168	.050
B5KD	.169	.144	.094	C4KF	.254	.198	.087
B6KD	.093	.062	.036	C4KM	2.195	2.446	2.404
Total BKD --	.323	----	.272	C4KK	.123	.085	.087
B4KV	.811	.377	.340	C4G	.077	.061	.089
B5KV	1.593	.705	.312	C4GK	.445	.276	.224
B6KV	.474	.255	.048	Total C --	5.813	----	7.646
Total BKV --	2.878	----	1.337	X1L	--	.001	.003
B3KM	2.112	2.723	3.822	X2L	.007	.014	.011
B4KM	7.484	6.807	5.944	X3L	.289	.523	.522

See footnotes at end of table

Table 26.--Percentage distribution by grades for all types, 1990-92 crops 1/--Continued

Group and grade	Crop of:			Group and grade	Crop of:		
	1990	1991	1992		1990	1991	1992
X4L	.612	.927	1.097	P4F	4.424	3.972	3.603
X5L	.160	.214	.291	P4F sand	.063	.033	.030
Total XL --	1.068 ----	1.679 ----	1.924	P5F	1.210	.909	.759
X1F	.001	.003	.016	P5F sand	.010	.006	.002
X2F	.031	.030	.067	Total PF --	7.657 ----	6.488 ----	5.974
X3F	.960	1.506	1.708	P4G	1.051	.574	.627
X4F	2.766	4.193	3.817	P4G sand	.006	.002	.011
X5F	1.303	1.386	1.083	P5G	.338	.176	.155
Total XF --	5.061 ----	7.118 ----	6.691	P5G sand	.002	.001	--
X3KR	.080	.125	.158	Total PG --	1.397 ----	.753 ----	.793
X4KR	.099	.157	.143	Total P --	11.881 ----	9.306 ----	9.501
Total XKR --	.179 ----	.282 ----	.301	Mixed:			
X3V	.134	.219	.263	M4F	.001	--	--
X4V	.269	.329	.325	M5F	.001	--	--
Total XV --	.403 ----	.548 ----	.588	Total MF --	.002 ----	-- ----	--
X3LL	.004	.002	.005	M4KR	--	--	--
X4LL	.002	.002	.005	M4KM	.002	--	.001
Total XLL --	.006 ----	.004 ----	.010	M5KM	.004	.001	.001
X3S	.105	.028	.114	Total MKM -	.006 ----	.001 ----	.002
X4S	.055	.016	.051	M4GK	.001	.001	.001
Total XS --	.160 ----	.044 ----	.165	M5GK	.002	--	--
X4KL	.100	.087	.032	Total MGK -	.003 ----	.001 ----	.001
X4KF	.429	.215	.072	Total M --	.011 ----	.002 ----	.003
X4KV	.750	.361	.296	Nondescript			
X3KM	1.420	1.268	1.338	N1L	.551	.302	.358
X4KM	2.561	2.280	2.159	N1L sand	.001	.002	--
Total XKM --	3.981 ----	3.548 ----	3.497	N1XL	.443	.386	.247
X4G	.470	.299	.339	N1K	.410	.563	.139
X5G	.295	.162	.157	N1R	.022	.006	.002
Total XG --	.765 ----	.461 ----	.496	N1GL	.674	.240	.217
X4GK	1.006	.496	.403	N1GL sand	.001	--	--
Total X --	13.908 ----	14.843 ----	14.475	N1GF	.074	.043	.019
Primings:				N1KV	.234	.166	.030
P2L	.103	.052	.063	N1GR	.011	.003	.001
P2L sand	--	--	--	N1GG	.002	.001	.001
P3L	1.025	.735	.874	N1PO	.312	.559	.670
P3L sand	.003	.006	.002	N1PO sand	.001	--	--
P4L	1.408	1.075	1.515	N1XO	.231	.640	.350
P4L sand	.013	.012	.009	N1BO	.297	.823	.320
P5L	.273	.184	.271	N2	.927	1.001	.583
P5L sand	.002	.001	--	Total N --	4.191 ----	4.735 ----	2.937
Total PL --	2.827 ----	2.065 ----	2.734	No-grade 2/	.557	.742	.443
P2F	.152	.046	.127				
P2F sand	--	--	--				
P3F	1.787	1.520	1.448				
P3F sand	.011	.002	.005	Grand total:	100.000	100.000	100.000

1/ Dashes indicate a percentage of less than 0.001. Detail may not add to totals due to rounding.

2/ Includes tobacco defined as decayed, off-type, nested, unsafe keeping order, and unsound. Also includes grade No-G-F sand, which totaled 0.000 percent in 1992.

Table 27.--Average price by grade groups and types, 1992 and 1991 crops

1992 crop							1991 crop						
Group							Group						
Type	B	H	C	X	P	N	B	H	C	X	P	N	
11	183	185	177	163	148	132	181	183	170	160	155	147	
12	182	184	170	155	140	134	180	180	168	161	159	150	
13	181	183	166	150	137	120	178	179	168	160	156	143	
14	182	185	164	150	133	117	178	180	169	160	156	151	
11-14	182	185	170	155	141	123	180	181	169	161	157	149	