

WEEKLY EXPORT REPORT

USA Upland and Pima Export Sales and Shipments for Week Ending February 18, 2021

Net current crop sales were 259,740 bales. Net current crop PLUS new crop sales were 300,460 bales.

Net cotton sales for current crop are right were they need to be in mid-February to meet or exceed WASDE projection of 15.5 million bales shipped by July 31, 2021. Very likely March report will show any increase.

Shipments are down slightly from the previous four weeks, but through February 18, the U.S. has shipped 56% of the projected 15.5 million bales. Compared to a five-year average of 41% in week number 29.

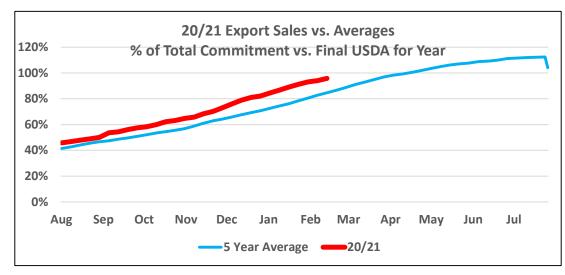
Cancellations show net of only 800 bales.

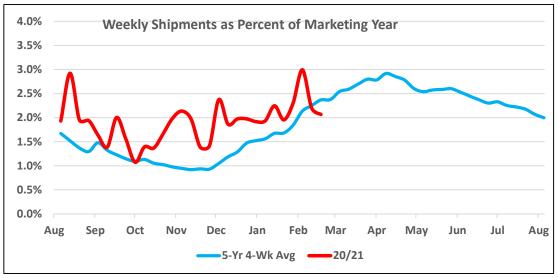
China was biggest buyer of current crop with 64,000 bales but showed a 20,000 bale decrease in new crop. Vietnam and Turkey each bought about 45,000 bales. Pakistan, who bought an average of 60,000 bales per week in December and January bought 29,000 bales.

Shipments of Upland and Pima were 304,610 running bales, which was 87% of expected seasonally-adjusted pace.

There are 24 weeks remaining in the 2020/21 marketing year.

To ship the USDA estimate of 15,500,000 (480 lb.) bales for 2020/21 crop, the U.S. needs to average sales of 94,700 bales per week, and needs to average shipments of 276,500 running bales per week.







U.S. Cotton Exports Details

CURRENT MARKETING YEAR						Week	# 29 Ending:	2/18/2021	
	Net Current Crop Sales			Ne	t New Crop	Sales	Current plus New Crop Sales		
	Pima	Upland	All	Pima	Upland	All	Pima	Upland	All
This Week	11,925	247,813	259,738	ı	40,726	40,726	11,925	288,539	300,464
This Marketing Year to Date	700,716	13,408,665	14,109,381	1,141	1,156,102	1,157,243	701,857	14,564,767	15,266,624
Outstanding Sales	275,665	5,656,223	5,931,888	1,141	1,156,102	1,157,243	276,806	6,812,325	7,089,131

	Shipments (Running Bales)			
	Pima	Upland	All	
This Week	12,239	292,374	304,613	
This Marketing Year to Date	425,051	7,752,442	8,177,493	

USDA Export Estimate (480 lb. Bales)				
	All			
Season	15,500,000			

LAST MARKETING YEAR Week # 29 Ending: 2/13/20								2/13/2020	
	Net Marketing Year Sales			Ne	t Next Year	Sales	Current plus Next Crop Sales		
	Pima	Upland	All	Pima	Upland	All	Pima	Upland	All
Last Marketing Year to Date	449,653	13,432,704	13,882,357	35,251	1,284,090	1,319,341	484,904	14,716,794	15,201,698
Outstanding Sales	227,132	7,189,494	7,416,626	35,251	1,284,090	1,319,341	262,383	8,473,584	8,735,967

	Shipments (Running Bales)			
	Pima	Upland	All	
Week	10,084	375,681	385,765	
Last Marketing Year to Date	222,521	6,243,210	6,465,731	

USDA Export Estimate (480 lb. Bales)				
		All		
	Season	15,527,000		