



Abilene Classing Office Quality Report for the Week Ending 1/9/2025

Abilene - Office Summary

Agricultural Marketing Service

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COLOR GRADE			STAPLE			STRENGTH		
	Week	Season		Week	Season		Week	Season
11	0.7	18.1	31 & Shorter	1.9	1.0	22 & Below	0.5	0.3
21	7.6	26.2	32	2.9	2.0	23	0.4	0.3
31	20.9	13.8	33	7.7	5.1	24	0.6	0.5
41	26.6	9.8	34	13.1	11.9	25	1.6	0.9
51	4.0	1.0	35	19.7	19.5	26	3.3	2.1
61	-	*	36	21.7	22.8	27	8.8	4.9
71	-	-	37	19.5	24.9	28	13.0	8.8
12	*	2.6	38	8.2	9.2	29	13.5	13.6
22	0.9	5.2	39	4.8	3.2	30	18.2	16.9
32	4.8	4.4	40	0.4	0.4	31	13.3	15.7
42	15.4	7.7	41 & Longer	*	*	32	11.3	14.8
52	9.8	4.0	Avg Staple	35.62	35.83	33	8.8	12.8
62	0.1	*	Avg Length	1.11	1.12	34	5.6	6.3
13	*	0.1				35	0.8	1.8
23	0.1	0.5	MICRONAIRE			36	0.2	0.5
33	1.2	1.0	2.4 & Below	*	*	37	0.1	0.1
43	1.4	1.5	2.5-2.6	1.0	0.1	38	*	*
53	5.2	3.3	2.7-2.9	1.0	0.5	39	*	*
63	0.1	*	3.0-3.2	2.7	2.1	40 & Above	-	*
24-54	1.1	0.7	3.3-3.4	3.0	2.5	Avg Strength	30.38	31.01
25-35	-	-	3.5-3.6	5.2	4.8	UNIFORMITY		
81-85	*	*	3.7-4.2	38.5	39.9	74 & Below	Week	Season
LEAF GRADE			4.3-4.9	48.3	47.0	75	0.2	0.1
	Week	Season	5.0-5.2	0.3	3.0	76	0.9	0.3
1	1.0	10.4	5.3 & Above	-	0.2	77	1.4	0.8
2	12.7	29.7	Avg Micronaire	4.14	4.22	78	3.7	2.6
3	43.6	33.6	EXTRANEIOUS MATTER			79	13.2	7.7
4	23.4	15.4	Bark (11)	Week	Season	80	22.2	18.1
5	12.2	6.8	Grass (21)	13.7	10.3	81	23.9	27.0
6	4.8	2.7	Seed Coat (31)	0.1	0.1	82	21.0	26.1
7	1.7	1.0	Prep (01)	*	*	83	12.4	13.7
8	0.7	0.4	Other (61)	-	*	84	0.9	3.4
Avg Leaf	3.57	2.93	Plastic (71)	-	*	85 & Above	0.1	0.2
Avg Trash	0.47	0.36	Gins	*	*	Avg Uniformity	80.23	80.63
Bales Classed	21,722	480,744		27	34			

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11	-	8.5	31 & Shorter	*	0.3	22 & Below	*	*
21	1.3	26.4	32	0.6	1.4	23	-	*
31	2.3	12.0	33	6.9	4.8	24	0.2	0.1
41	7.5	2.0	34	16.1	13.2	25	2.0	0.2
51	11.9	2.3	35	18.2	22.7	26	2.1	0.5
61	-	*	36	22.8	24.6	27	1.7	1.7
71	-	-	37	28.7	26.6	28	6.3	4.3
12	-	2.9	38	5.7	5.9	29	15.3	10.0
22	0.7	9.6	39	1.1	0.5	30	34.7	18.0
32	0.3	4.2	40	-	*	31	23.7	21.3
42	7.2	5.4	41 & Longer	-	*	32	11.1	19.9
52	39.0	11.7	Avg Staple	35.70	35.69	33	2.0	15.4
62	0.2	0.1	Avg Length	1.11	1.11	34	0.9	6.8
13	-	0.1	MICRONAIRE			35	-	1.3
23	-	0.4	2.4 & Below	0.1	*	36	-	0.4
33	0.1	0.5	2.5-2.6	1.7	0.2	37	-	0.1
43	3.0	2.1	2.7-2.9	2.7	1.0	38	-	*
53	21.8	10.4	3.0-3.2	3.8	4.5	39	-	*
63	0.5	0.1	3.3-3.4	4.7	4.6	40 & Above	-	*
24-54	4.2	1.4	3.5-3.6	9.5	8.0	Avg Strength	30.47	31.62
25-35	-	-	3.7-4.2	43.0	45.9	UNIFORMITY		
81-85	0.1	*	4.3-4.9	34.6	33.5	74 & Below	*	*
LEAF GRADE			5.0-5.2	*	2.2	75	0.1	*
	Week	Season	5.3 & Above	-	*	76	0.1	0.3
1	0.1	3.0	Avg Micronaire	3.97	4.06	77	3.6	1.5
2	0.8	19.3	EXTRANEIOUS MATTER			78	9.2	6.9
3	12.2	34.8	Bark (11)	42.4	19.3	79	19.0	19.9
4	35.0	18.8	Grass (21)	0.2	0.1	80	39.1	31.4
5	31.7	13.2	Seed Coat (31)	-	0.1	81	23.5	30.3
6	15.1	6.9	Prep (01)	-	*	82	5.4	9.1
7	4.5	2.9	Other (61)	-	-	83	*	0.5
8	0.7	1.1	Plastic (71)	*	*	84	*	*
Avg Leaf	4.64	3.58	Gins	3	3	85 & Above	-	-
Avg Trash	0.70	0.49				Avg Uniformity	80.30	80.55
Bales Classed	5,145	149,510						

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11	0.1	22.7	31 & Shorter	*	1.0	22 & Below	-	0.1
21	4.5	36.6	32	0.5	1.4	23	-	0.2
31	5.4	4.4	33	3.3	3.3	24	*	0.4
41	52.5	12.4	34	6.1	8.9	25	0.1	0.7
51	2.3	0.6	35	21.8	18.0	26	1.4	1.7
61	-	-	36	21.9	24.9	27	2.9	4.0
71	-	-	37	17.3	25.5	28	9.5	7.4
12	-	2.2	38	16.2	11.0	29	9.1	11.8
22	0.1	3.2	39	11.8	5.4	30	8.2	13.4
32	3.5	2.3	40	1.1	0.6	31	10.6	13.0
42	30.4	11.4	41 & Longer	-	*	32	19.7	15.8
52	0.7	0.9	Avg Staple	36.43	36.10	33	21.8	17.8
62	-	-	Avg Length	1.14	1.13	34	14.4	9.7
13	-	0.1	MICRONAIRE			35	1.9	3.0
23	-	0.5	2.4 & Below	-	*	36	0.3	0.7
33	*	0.8	2.5-2.6	-	*	37	0.1	0.2
43	0.5	1.3	2.7-2.9	0.1	0.1	38	*	*
53	*	0.2	3.0-3.2	0.7	0.7	39	*	*
63	-	-	3.3-3.4	1.2	1.3	40 & Above	-	-
24-54	-	0.5	3.5-3.6	3.6	3.5	Avg Strength	31.86	31.50
25-35	-	-	3.7-4.2	30.7	40.2	UNIFORMITY		
81-85	-	*	4.3-4.9	63.7	51.3	74 & Below	*	0.1
LEAF GRADE			5.0-5.2	0.1	2.7	75	*	0.1
	Week	Season	5.3 & Above	-	0.1	76	0.1	0.5
1	0.1	19.6	Avg Micronaire	4.30	4.27	77	0.8	1.6
2	9.0	38.5	EXTRANEEOUS MATTER			78	7.3	4.6
3	68.0	30.0	Bark (11)	3.6	2.9	79	15.7	12.2
4	18.2	9.3	Grass (21)	-	*	80	13.8	19.3
5	4.2	2.1	Seed Coat (31)	*	*	81	29.8	27.7
6	0.5	0.4	Prep (01)	-	*	82	30.4	24.8
7	-	*	Other (61)	-	-	83	1.8	8.5
8	-	*	Plastic (71)	-	*	84	0.1	0.6
Avg Leaf	3.19	2.37	Gins	6	11	85 & Above	-	*
Avg Trash	0.40	0.26				Avg Uniformity	81.09	81.21
Bales Classed	7,309	158,070						

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11	1.5	22.2	31 & Shorter	4.4	1.5	22 & Below	1.1	0.7
21	13.6	16.7	32	6.0	3.1	23	0.9	0.6
31	43.5	24.0	33	11.8	6.9	24	1.4	0.9
41	16.8	14.2	34	16.8	13.4	25	2.5	1.6
51	0.9	0.1	35	19.0	18.2	26	5.6	3.8
61	-	-	36	20.9	19.4	27	17.3	8.4
71	-	-	37	16.2	23.0	28	19.4	14.1
12	0.1	2.6	38	3.4	10.5	29	16.0	18.3
22	1.7	3.3	39	1.4	3.5	30	16.9	19.1
32	8.3	6.4	40	0.1	0.6	31	9.7	13.3
42	8.2	6.2	41 & Longer	*	*	32	4.8	9.3
52	0.7	0.2	Avg Staple	34.92	35.71	33	2.3	5.8
62	-	*	Avg Length	1.09	1.11	34	1.3	2.9
13	*	0.1	MICRONAIRE			35	0.5	1.0
23	0.2	0.7	2.4 & Below	*	*	36	0.2	0.3
33	2.8	1.6	2.5-2.6	1.4	0.1	37	0.1	0.1
43	1.3	1.2	2.7-2.9	0.7	0.3	38	*	*
53	*	0.1	3.0-3.2	3.6	1.2	39	-	*
63	-	-	3.3-3.4	3.6	1.7	40 & Above	-	*
24-54	0.3	0.3	3.5-3.6	4.0	3.2	Avg Strength	29.15	30.04
25-35	-	-	3.7-4.2	42.2	34.4	UNIFORMITY		
81-85	-	*	4.3-4.9	43.7	54.7	74 & Below	Week	Season
LEAF GRADE			5.0-5.2	0.7	3.8	75	0.5	0.2
	Week	Season	5.3 & Above	-	0.5	76	2.1	0.6
1	2.2	8.3	Avg Micronaire	4.12	4.31	77	3.1	1.6
2	22.2	30.6	EXTRANEIOUS MATTER			78	6.1	4.6
3	41.9	35.8	Bark (11)	Week	Season	79	20.2	11.1
4	21.1	18.0	Grass (21)	5.8	9.3	80	29.1	21.8
5	7.6	5.5	Seed Coat (31)	*	0.1	81	23.3	30.3
6	2.4	1.3	Prep (01)	-	*	82	12.7	21.1
7	1.4	0.3	Other (61)	-	-	83	2.1	7.5
8	1.2	0.2	Plastic (71)	-	*	84	0.6	1.2
Avg Leaf	3.28	2.88	Gins	18	20	85 & Above	0.1	0.1
Avg Trash	0.39	0.34				Avg Uniformity	79.51	80.17
Bales Classed	9,268	173,164						

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