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QUALITY OF SAMPLES	1,821,837		03/16/18			
	WEST TEXAS		OKLAHOMA		KANSAS	
	WEEK	SEASON	WEEK	SEASON	WEEK	SEASON
	21,597	1,010,235	36,304	673,219	7,953	138,383
COLOR GRADES						
11 & 21	28.4	46.4	47.6	56.9	37.6	37.7
31	42.0	41.0	23.0	31.7	34.4	39.3
41	15.2	4.4	1.9	3.2	4.5	10.2
51	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
61	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
71	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
12 & 22	3.9	2.3	13.2	3.1	3.4	1.5
32	4.2	3.5	4.5	1.8	9.7	5.5
42	1.6	1.1	1.5	0.7	0.3	1.0
52	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
62	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
13 & 23 & 33	3.3	0.8	6.9	1.9	9.5	2.7
43	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.6
53	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
63	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
24,34, 44, 54	0.7	0.1	0.9	0.5	0.2	1.3
BG'S	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
LEAF GRADES:						
1 & 2	47.0	57.3	53.8	55.8	33.7	31.9
3	36.3	33.9	35.6	33.7	40.3	49.7
4	12.5	7.1	7.5	8.1	22.7	15.4
5	3.5	1.3	2.1	2.0	3.2	2.5
6	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.3
7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1
BG'S	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
AVERAGE LEAF:	2.7	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.9	2.9
BARK:						
	34.9	17.1	16.9	11.1	42.4	23.0
GRASS & OTHER						
	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
AVERAGE UNIFORMITY:						
	79.4	79.5	80.9	81.1	79.3	80.2
STAPLES (32nd)						
30 & SHORTER	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
31	2.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
32	6.8	4.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1
33	13.8	12.0	2.2	0.7	1.6	1.2
34	25.1	19.6	10.3	4.9	14.3	8.6
35	24.8	22.4	19.0	14.3	39.9	29.7
36	15.1	18.9	24.3	23.2	36.4	37.9
37 & HIGHER	12.1	21.8	43.8	56.9	7.6	22.5
AVERAGE STAPLE:	34.6	35.1	36.2	36.7	35.3	35.7
MICRONAIRE						
2.9 & LOWER	3.1	1.5	1.0	0.5	37.7	18.8
3.0 - 3.2	5.9	5.2	2.5	1.4	18.8	12.8
3.3 - 3.4	6.4	8.9	4.4	2.7	15.9	9.0
3.5 - 4.9	84.6	84.2	90.5	93.5	27.6	59.2
5.0 & HIGHER	0.0	0.2	1.6	2.0	0.0	0.2
AVERAGE MICRONAIRE:	3.8	3.8	4.1	4.2	3.2	3.6
STRENGTH						
21 & LOWER	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.2
22 - 23	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.0	1.3	0.4
24 - 25	6.3	1.9	0.3	0.1	7.1	1.8
26 - 27	27.9	18.9	8.7	2.9	31.8	8.6
28 - 29	43.6	45.5	49.2	31.8	44.8	44.6
30 & HIGHER	21.6	33.7	41.7	65.2	13.6	44.4
AVERAGE STRENGTH:	26.1	28.8	29.3	30.1	27.6	29.2