

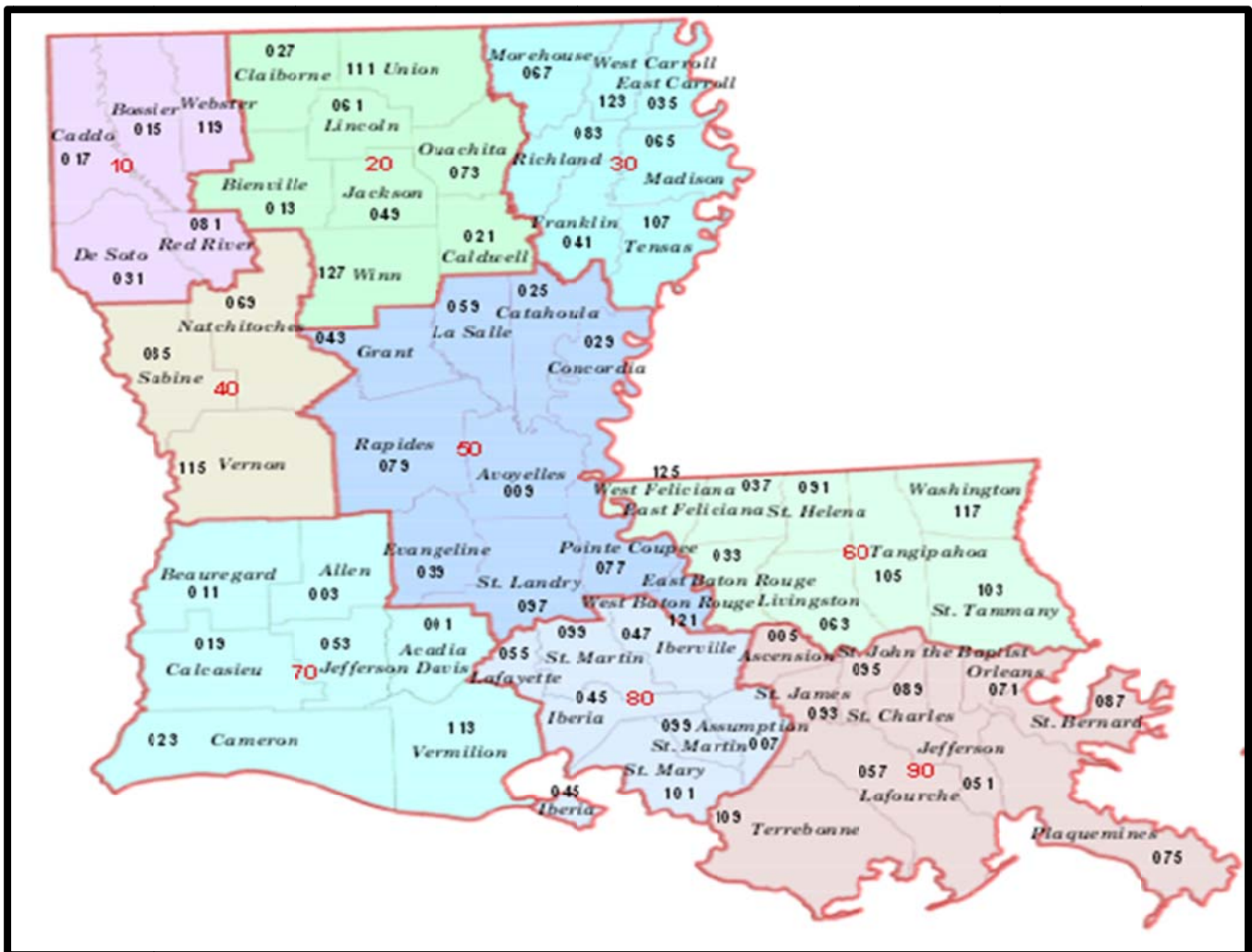
2014 Parish Yield Estimates for Louisiana Corn, Soybeans, and Grain Sorghum

The following are parish level estimates of yields released on February 19, 2015 by the USDA's National Agricultural Statistic Service (NASS). To this point, NASS has only released parish level estimates for corn, soybeans and grain sorghum. Estimates for rice are scheduled to be released on March 5, 2015.

As you will notice, parish estimates are not available for every parish in the state, even in some parishes that had production in 2015. NASS can only publically release estimates for those parishes that had a significant number of production acres and producers so that any estimate cannot be identified with a particular producer. In those cases, NASS combines all remaining parishes in the district (see Figure 1) to develop an estimate of average yield across all of those parishes.

These parish yields will be used by FSA in their calculations for the Agricultural Risk Coverage – County Option (ARC-CO). For those parishes that don't have a yield estimated specifically for the parish, the estimated yield for that parish's district would be an alternative estimate.

Figure 1. NASS's Reporting Districts



2014 Estimated Parish Yield - Corn

Parish	Yield (Bu/Ac)
District 10 (Northwest District)	
Other Combined Parishes	146.9
District 20 (North Central District)	
Other Combined Parishes	183.4
District 30 (Northeast District)	
East Carroll	191.2
Franklin	197.5
Madison	183.9
Morehouse	192.1
Richland	184.6
Tensas	182.6
West Carroll	184.5
District 40 (West Central District)	
Natchitoches	150.8
District 50 (Central District)	
Avoyelles	172.1
Catahoula	183.2
Concordia	169.5
Pointe Coupee	186.9
Rapides	177.2
St. Landry	184.5
Other Combined Parishes	166.8
District 60 (East Central District)	
Other Combined Parishes	157.6

Note: Other Combined Parishes represents the average yield for those remaining parishes in the district that had corn production.

Note: A district not listed means there was not sufficient production in that entire district to develop an estimate.

2014 Estimated Parish Yield - Grain Sorghum

Parish	Yield (Bu/Ac)
District 30 (Northeast District)	
Morehouse	80.4
Richland	88.1
Tensas	84.3
Other Combined Parishes	78.4
District 50 (Central District)	
Avoyelles	104.2
Catahoula	90.2
Concordia	87.9
Rapides	101.2
St. Landry	98.4
Other Combined Parishes	89.1
District 70 (Southwest District)	
Other Combined Parishes	83.8
District 80 (South Central District)	
Other Combined Parishes	81.7

Note: Other Combined Parishes represents the average yield for those remaining parishes in the district that had sorghum production.

Note: A district not listed means there was not sufficient production in that entire district to develop an estimate.

2014 Estimated Parish Yield - Soybeans

Parish	Yield (Bu/Ac)
District 10 (Northwest District)	
Bossier	45.8
Caddo	56.4
Other Combined Parishes	46.3
District 20 (North Central District)	
Ouachita	56.3
Other Combined Parishes - North Central District	45.0
District 30 (Northeast District)	
East Carroll	68.5
Franklin	64.6
Madison	65.4
Morehouse	62.4
Richland	59.5
Tensas	64.4
West Carroll	59.7
District 40 (West Central District)	
Natchitoches	53.5
District 50 (Central District)	
Avoyelles	54.4
Catahoula	58.4
Concordia	60.5
Evangeline	39.4
Pointe Coupee	57.4
Rapides	53.4
St. Landry	46.5
Other Combined Parishes	55.5
District 60 (East Central District)	
West Feliciana	47.3
Other Combined Parishes	51.3
District 70 (Southwest District)	
Acadia	38.4
Calcasieu	34.5
Jefferson Davis	35.4
Vermilion	38.5
Other Combined Parishes	40.7
District 80 (South Central District)	
Assumption	49.5
Iberia	53.5
Iberville	57.4
Lafayette	43.4
St. Martin	47.4
St. Mary	54.4
District 90 (Southeast District)	
St. James	37.6
Other Combined Parishes	51.2

Note: Other Combined Parishes represents the average yield for those remaining parishes in the district that had soybean production.

Note: A district not listed means there was not sufficient production in that entire district to develop an estimate.