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Abstract

This report opens with a look at legislation which provided the foundation for commodity support programs and highlights legislation which revised and supplemented the basic structure of these programs. However, the main body of this report is devoted to program provisions for 1961-90 crops of corn, sorghum, barley, oats, wheat, rice, upland cotton, and extra-long staple cotton which are presented in tables with extensive footnotes clarifying the program specifics.

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List of Abbreviations

-- = This provision not authorized by current legislation
¢ = Cents
\$ = Dollars
% = Percent
Ac = Acre
Adj = Adjustments to CCC sales price for value factors as determined
AF = National allocation factor
Alt = Farm allotment acres
Ba = Bale
Bas = Farm base acres
Bu = Bushel
CC = Carrying costs
CCC = Commodity Credit Corporation
Cert = Certificate
Cwt = Hundredweight
Def = Deficiency payment
Div = Farm diverted acres
Dom = Farm domestic allotment
Lb = Pound
mmt = Million metric tons
PIK = Farm PIK acres
Plt = Farm planted acres
Pmt = Farm permitted plantings acres
Prg = Farm program acres
Vol = Voluntary set-aside acres
Yld = Farm normal or program yield