

Trends in Global Cotton Supply, Demand, and Trade

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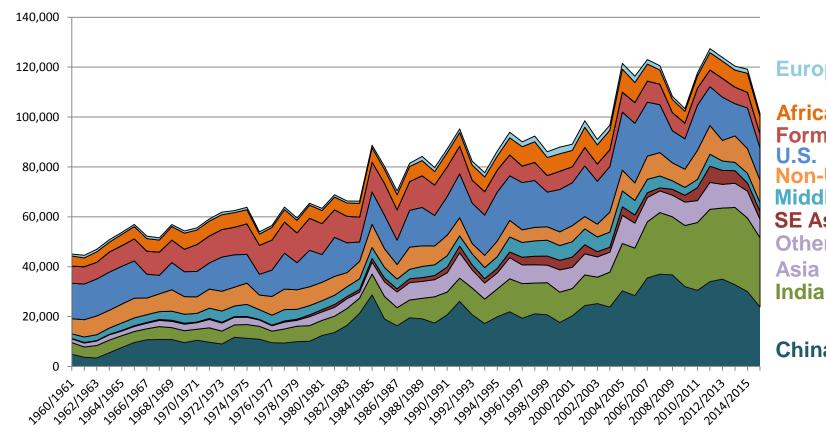
Production

How did we get to where we are?

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Where do we go from here?





Europe

Africa Former Sov. U. U.S. Non-US, W. Hem. **Middle East** SE Asia/Oceania Other South Asia

China



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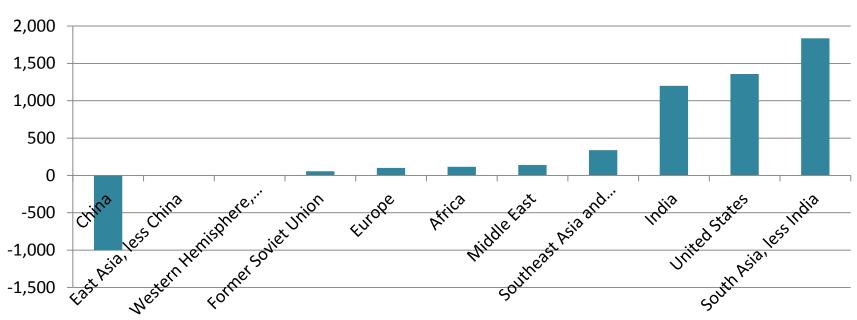
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Forecast Change in Production 2015/2016 to 2016/2017 thousands of 480-lb Bales





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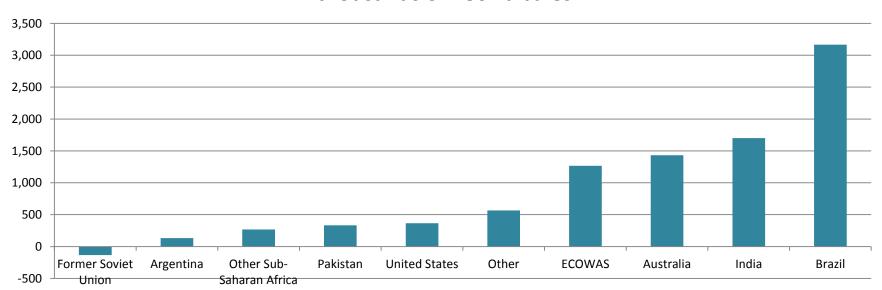


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Forecast Change in Exports 2014-2016 Average Versus 2023-2025 Average thousands of 480-lb bales





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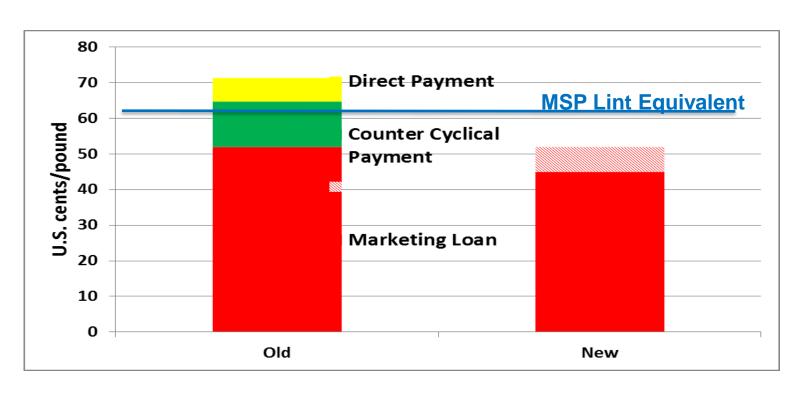
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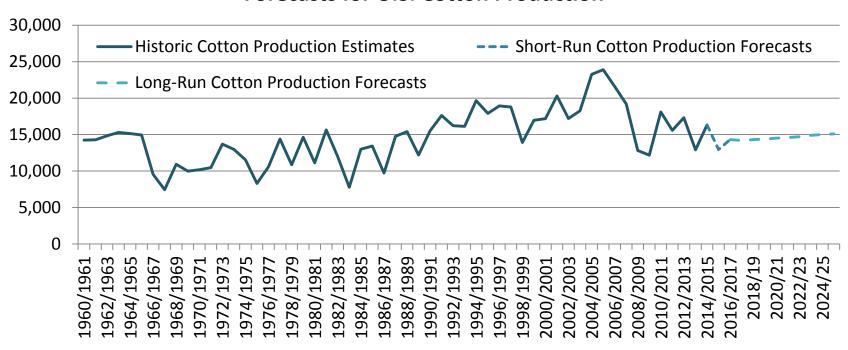


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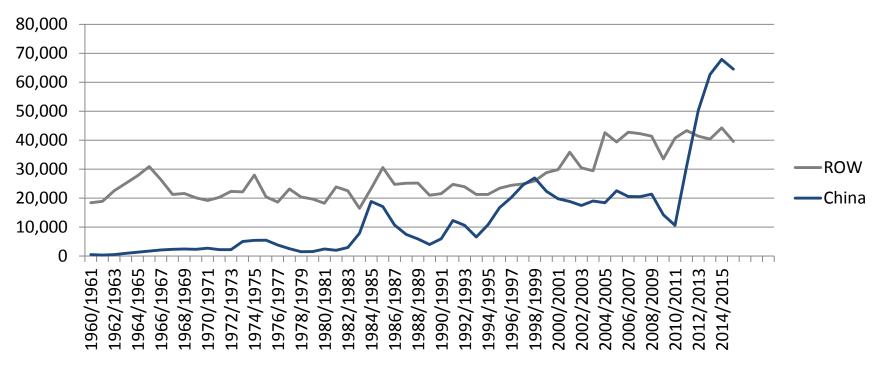
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Forecasts for U.S. Cotton Production

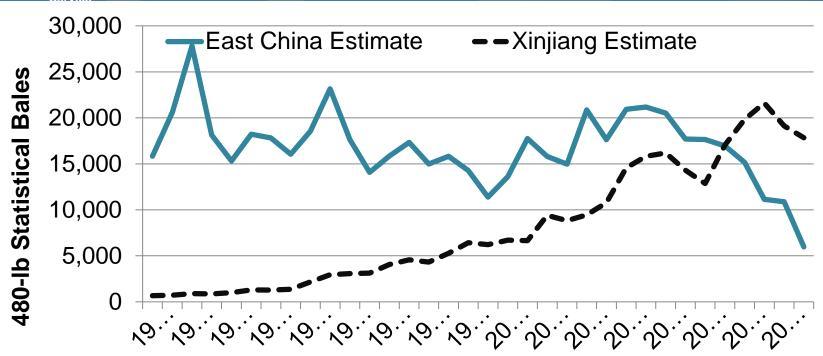


China Policy Changes

China and Rest-of-World Stocks



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Consumption



Emerging new players

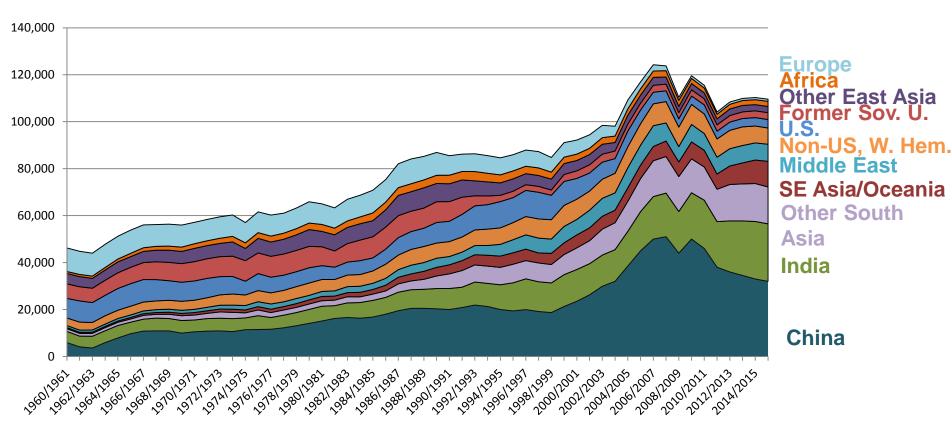


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The History of Consumption





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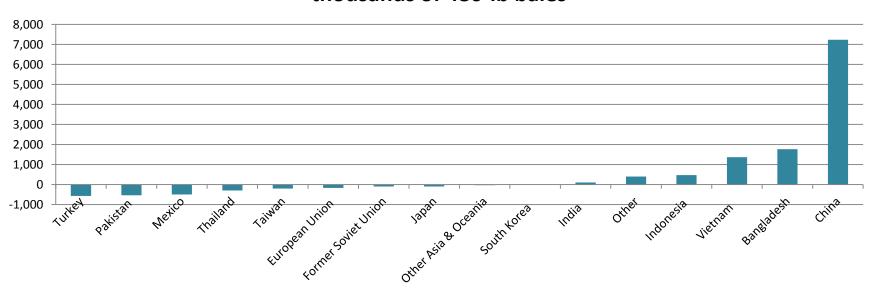
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- Vietnam- major prospect for future growth
 - Depends on TPP, China policy choices



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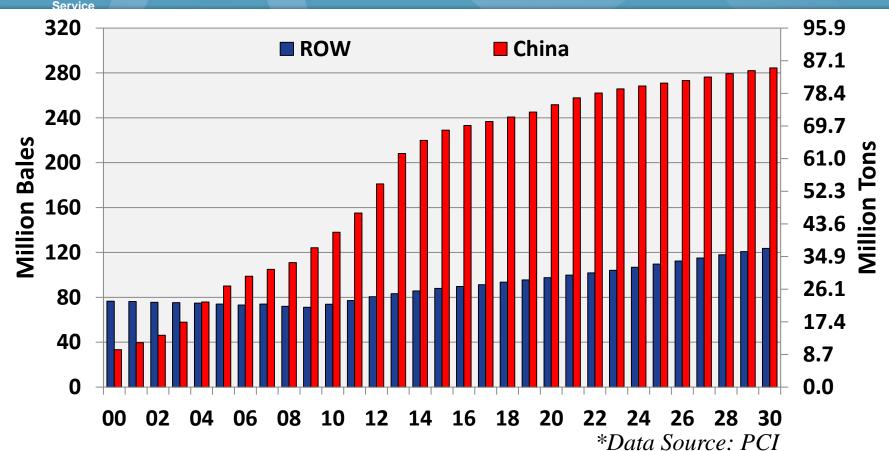


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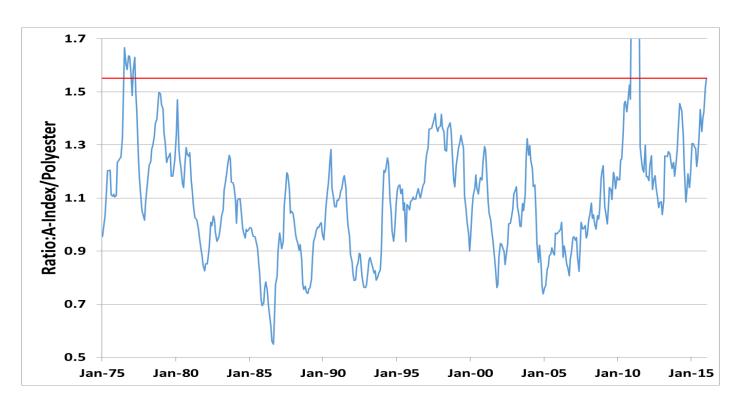
- Africa- limited prospects for Franc Zone, North African spinning
 - May see growth in East Africa



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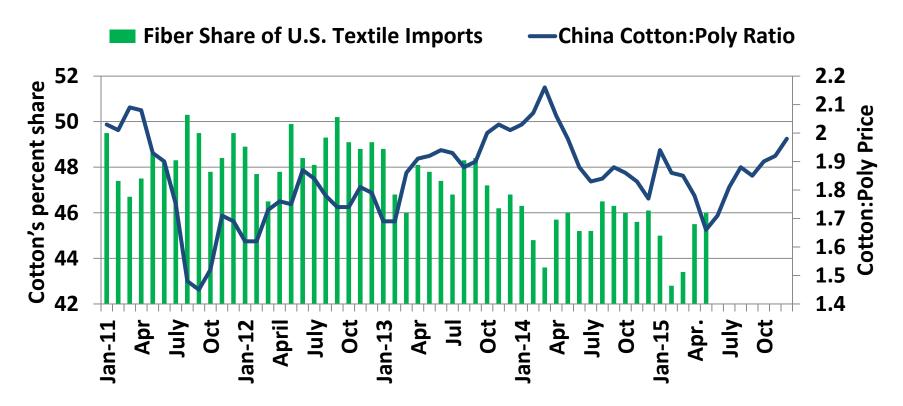


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Any Questions?