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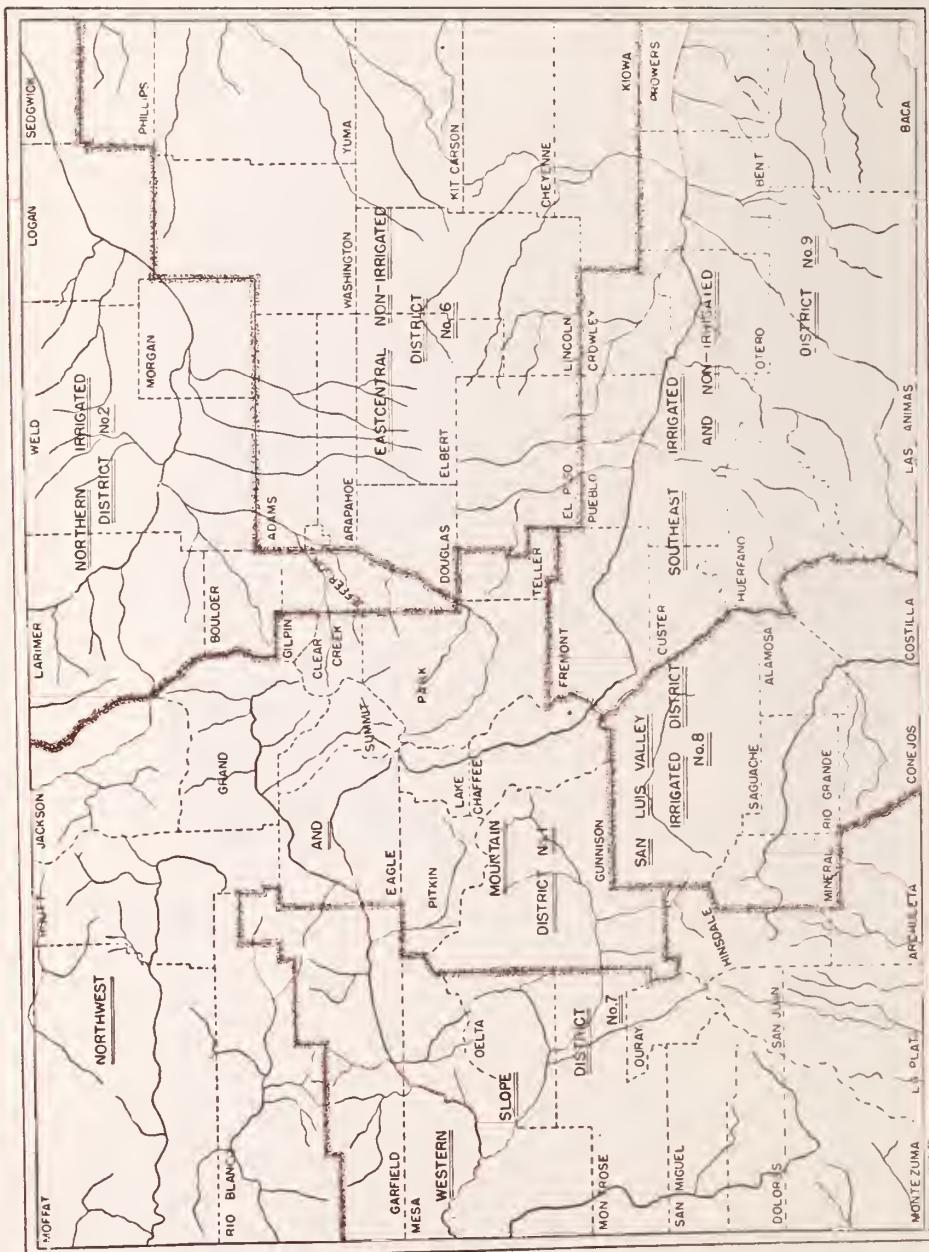
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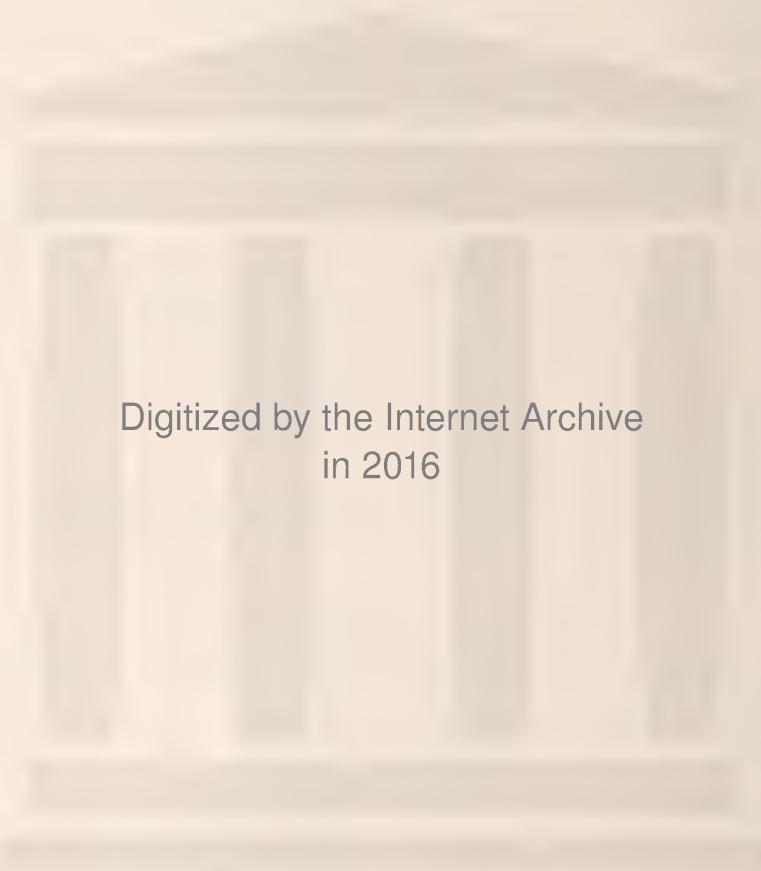
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REVIEW 1960 CROP SEASON

Total field crop production in Colorado during 1960 was much above 1959 due largely to the near-record winter wheat crop. Also contributing was the largest sugar beet production since 1930; barley, oats, rye, potato and all hay output above 1959 and the 1949-58 average; and dry beans and field pea crops above the 1959 level. Corn and sorghum grain production was below 1959 total outturn but much above average. Broomcorn and spring wheat were sharply below both 1959 and average production.

A slightly larger total acreage was harvested in 1960, as compared to 1959, and higher yields per acre were obtained for most crops. Winter wheat, oats and sugar beet yields were the highest of record. All corn yield exceeded the previous high record. The 1960 season was very good for small grains and most irrigated crops, but dry weather during the summer cut yields on fall maturing non-irrigated crops. The 1960 crop output was obtained from 6,044,000 acres harvested, against 5,948,000 acres harvested in 1959.

Cash receipts from sale of farm products reached an all-time record high of \$639 million in 1960. The 1959 total was \$597 million and the previous high year was 1952 with \$608 million.

WHEAT—Production of winter wheat in 1960 amounted to 65,961,000 bushels, 81 percent above the 1949-58 average of 36,531,000 bushels. This was the second largest wheat crop in Colorado history. In 1959 production was 53,746,000 bushels and the record high was 66,274,000 bushels in 1958. The 1960 record-high yield of 27.0 bushels per harvested acre was 5.0 bushels per acre above 1959 and 10.6 bushels above average. The 2,443,000 acres harvested this year equals the 1959 acreage but is below the 2,599,000 acres harvested in 1958. Seedings of winter wheat the fall of 1959 totaled 2,602,000 acres against 2,655,000 in 1958 and 3,242,000 acres the 1949-58 average. Fall growth of the winter wheat crop was somewhat restricted by lack of moisture early in the fall and cool weather in October. Snow cover through most of winter held acreage losses to a minimum. Warm temperatures with little wind allowed wheat to become well established in April. Rainfall was timely during the growing season and the crop developed extremely well. Harvest was mostly dry and rapid. Quality of this year's crop was good—test weights were unusually heavy, contributing to the record yield. **Spring wheat** production at 686,000 bushels was 16 percent below the 1959 crop of 816,000 bushels and 54 percent below the 10-year average.

POTATOES—A potato crop of 11,922,000 cwt. was harvested in 1960. This was 1 percent above the 11,760,000 cwt. in 1959 and 11 percent above the 10-year average of 10,698,000 cwt. The fall potato crop totaled 9,503,000 cwt. compared to 9,000,000 cwt. in 1959 and 8,368,000 cwt., the 10-year average. There were 44,200 acres of fall potatoes harvested in 1960 compared to 45,000 in 1959. The fall crop was planted "on time." Irrigation water supplies in the San Luis Valley were adequate although pump irrigation was used heavily as natural water became short. Killing frost in October was later than normal. The yield of 215 sacks per acre exceeded the 1959 yield of 200 sacks and the 10-year average of 190 sacks. Quality was good and potatoes went into storage in very good condition. Prices were favorable. The late summer potato crop totaled 2,419,000 cwt. compared to 2,760,000 in 1959 and 2,330,000 cwt. the average. Harvested acreage in 1960 was 11,800 acres, slightly less than the 12,000 acres in 1959 but above the 1949-58 average of 10,600 acres. Quality of the late summer crop was excellent and the crop moved to market rapidly. Yield at 205 sacks was below both the 1959 yield of 230 sacks and the 10-year average of 220 sacks.

SUGAR BEETS—Sugar beet production totaled 2,761,000 tons compared to 2,437,000 tons in 1959 and the 10-year average of 1,980,000 tons. A record-high yield of 17.8 tons per acre was obtained and production was the largest since 1930. Yield in 1959 was 17.0 tons and the 10-year average was 16.1 tons. Harvested acreage in 1960 at 155,100 acres compared to 143,200 acres in 1959 and 123,100 acres the average. Sugar content was high and the crop turned out exceptionally well in the northern area. The crop was planted early and made rapid growth. Irrigation water supplies were generally adequate. Harvest started under favorable conditions but snow and rain the second decade of October hampered progress. Mild clear weather most of November permitted harvest to be completed without undue delay.

DRY BEANS—Production of dry beans was 1,736,000 bags (100 pound clean basis) compared to 1,646,000 bags harvested in 1959 and the 1949-58 average of 1,838,000 bags. The 1960 crop was harvested from 217,000 acres averaging 800 pounds per acre. In 1959, 211,000 acres were harvested averaging 780 pounds per acre. Irrigated yields averaged 1,640 pounds in 1960 compared to 1,700 pounds in 1959 and 1,498 pounds, the 1949-58 average. Dry-land bean yields averaged 260 pounds compared to 210 pounds in 1959 and 354 pounds, the 10-year average. Harvest of eastern irrigated dry beans was completed early with harvest and threshing weather ideal. Non-irrigated beans in the southwest were short of summer moisture which reduced yields. Even so, harvest weather was generally good and the final yield turnout was better than experienced in 1959. Quality of the dry bean crop was generally good.

CORN—Total corn production was 24,975,000 bushels in 1960, 5 percent below 1959 production of 26,182,000 bushels but 48 percent above the 10-year average of 16,831,000 bushels. The 1960 yield at 55.5 bushels exceeded the record high of 53.0 bushels established in 1959 and compared to the 1949-58 average yield of 34.3 bushels. Irrigated corn did very well, yielding 69.5 bushels per harvested acre compared to 70.5 bushels in 1959. Non-irrigated acreage was short of moisture during the summer and yielded only 13.0 bushels compared to 18.0 bushels in 1959. Of the 1960 total acreage, 56 percent was harvested for grain compared to 62 percent in 1959. The corn "for grain" crop totaled 12,926,000 bushels, 17 percent smaller than the 1959 crop of 15,606,000 bushels but 36 percent above the 10-year average of 9,518,000 bushels. Silage production at 2,322,000 tons compared to 1,944,000 tons in 1959.

OATS AND BARLEY—Barley production at 17,985,000 bushels was sharply above the 1959 crop of 15,341,000 bushels and the 10-year average of 11,433,000 bushels. About 60 percent of the total acreage was winter barley. Many winter barley stands were thin but yields were good. Spring barley also yielded well. Oats production at 5,274,000 bushels compared to 4,140,000 bushels in 1959 and 4,929,000 bushels average. Favorable weather during the critical growing period resulted in high yields and heavy test weight. Yield at 38.5 bushels per acre was the highest on record and compared to 36.0 in 1959 and 31.4 average.

SORGHIUM—A sorghum grain crop of 8,740,000 bushels was harvested in 1960 against 9,292,000 bushels in 1959 and 5,369,000 bushels average. Forage production was 222,000 tons compared to 213,000 tons in 1959 and 364,000 tons the average. Silage production at 228,000 tons was well above both 1959 at 148,000 and average at 143,000. Harvested acreage for all purposes totaled 692,000 acres in 1960 and 653,000 in 1959. Irrigated sorghum grain yielded 51.0 bushels per acre compared to 46.0 bushels in 1959. Dry weather reduced yields on non-irrigated plantings to 13.0 bushels per acre harvested. This was well below the 16.5 bushels realized in 1959 and the 17.5 bushels of 1958. A large percentage of the non-irrigated crop was pastured or cut for forage. Harvest of most sorghums for grain was completed during November under favorable conditions.

BROOMCORN—Production of broomcorn totaled 5,300 tons in 1960 against 7,200 tons in 1959 and 7,040 tons average. Acreage harvested at 44,000 acres compared to 48,000 in 1959 and the 10-year average of 68,000 acres. Yield at 240 pounds per acre was below the 1959 yield of 300 but above the 10-year average of 203 pounds. Quality of brush was good and a large proportion of the crop sold before December 1.

SEED CROPS—**Alfalfa seed** production in 1960 was 1,680,000 pounds compared to 2,340,000 pounds in 1959 and the 1949-58 average of 3,052,000 pounds. Area harvested in 1960 at 12,000 acres was 33 per cent less than the 1959 acreage of 18,000 acres and 50 percent less than the 10-year average of 24,400 acres. Quality of the 1960 crop was generally good but production was short in some sections due to dry weather. Yield was 140 pounds per harvested acre compared to 130 and 128 for the 1959 crop year and 1949-58 average respectively. **Sweetclover seed** production in Colorado at 320,000 pounds in 1960 was the smallest since 1934. The 1959 crop totaled 486,000 pounds and the 1949-58 average was 1,672,000 pounds. Acreage harvested in 1960 at 2,000 acres was below 1959 at 2,700 and much below the average of 7,080 acres. Yield at 160 pounds was 20 pounds below the 1959 yield. Moisture shortages accounted for the short crop in both 1960 and 1959. The **sudangrass seed** crop

totaled 9,100,000 pounds in 1960, 96 percent above the 1959 crop of 4,640,000 pounds but 27 percent below the 1949-58 average production of 12,425,000 pounds. Acreage harvested in 1960 at 26,000 acres compared to 16,000 in 1959 and the 10-year average of 39,800 acres. At 350 pounds, the yield per harvested acre was 60 pounds above 1959 and 66 pounds above average. Prices received by the farmers for the 1960 crop averaged \$5.10 per cwt. compared to the final 1959 season average price of \$4.00 per cwt. The increase in acreage in 1960 over 1959 was the result of somewhat better prices which came about because of a reduction in carryover from the large 1957 crop.

HAY CROPS—A total of 2,712,000 tons of all hay was harvested this year versus 2,559,000 tons in 1959 and 2,392,000 tons average. Acreage harvested at 1,500,000 acres was slightly above the 1,436,000 acres harvested in 1959 and average at 1,438,000 acres. **Alfalfa** hay production in 1960 totaled 1,948,000 tons, compared to 1,852,000 tons in 1959 and 1,663,000 tons the average. Quality was generally good. Hay and roughage supplies (carryover plus production) were below recent years but were adequate for winter feeding.

FRUIT CROPS—All fruit crops in 1960 were below 1959 and the 1949-58 average as a result of severe freeze damage in April. **Peach** production at 710,000 bushels was 61 percent below the 1,830,000 bushels in 1959 and 58 percent below average. Quality was good. The **commercial apple** crop in 1960 amounted to 800,000 bushels equal to 1959 but below the average of 1,276,000 bushels. The **pear crop** was almost a total loss at 30,000 bushels compared to 1959 at 235,000 and the average at 194,000 bushels. **Sour cherry** production at 700 tons compared to 1,300 tons in 1959 and 1,722 tons average. **Sweet cherries** were near failure at 120 tons in contrast to 550 tons in 1959 and 625 tons, the 10-year average.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

1960 Season

The characteristics of the 1960 season and factors having a bearing on production that year were reviewed in detail on pages 6 to 8 of the 1959-60 edition of Colorado Agricultural Statistics published in April, 1961. A further resume of the 1960 commercial vegetable deal in this issue would be largely repetition. However, pertinent statistics relating to acreage, production and value of individual crops produced in 1960 are given as comparable data in the Review of the 1961 Season found subsequently in this text and in the statistical tables for each vegetable crop. For some crops, revisions required to place estimates in better alignment with the 1959 Census of Agriculture are reflected in these comparable data.

REVIEW OF 1961 CROP SEASON

Preliminary Estimates

Production of field crops during 1961 was below the large 1960 outturn but much above average. Production of winter wheat, the principal grain crop, which (with summer fallow land) uses nearly one-half the total area tilled in the state, was below the near record 1960 outturn. The 1961 crop was still the fifth largest of record and was sharply above average. Production of each feed grain except sorghums was moderately lower than in 1960. Sugar beet tonnage was also lower than in 1960 but substantially above average. The crop of fall potatoes was record high but the portion of the crop harvested in late summer was disappointing. Production of dry beans, mostly pintos, was substantially above 1960 and average. Corn for grain harvest was moderately smaller than in 1960 because of curtailment in acreage. Despite substantial acreage cuts, production of sorghum grains was larger than a year earlier because of favorable weather in the non-irrigated eastern plains counties.

In general, 1961 yields per acre for most crops were near or above the favorable 1960 level but production was below the 1960 total because of smaller areas harvested. Total acreage of principal crops harvested in 1961 was 5,840,000 acres compared with 6,044,000 acres in 1960. Much of the reduction in planted and harvested area was the result of participation in the 1961 Feed Grain Program and continuation of some acreage in the Conservation Reserve.

The fall-seeded grains were planted in dry soil during late September and early October. Conditions improved during late October and early November when slow rains and wet snow provided much-needed moisture. Winter weather was generally mild. Rain was adequate to promote rapid development of fall-seeded grains over the state during the spring of 1961 except in the southeast areas where prospects were reduced to some extent by lack of moisture. Supplies of water were adequate in northern Colorado irrigated areas, but shortage of natural stream flow made pump irrigation necessary in the San Luis Valley. Small grain harvest was rapidly completed under favorable weather except in the high western valleys. Potatoes and sugar beets were harvested "on time." Adverse weather conditions in the west and southwest dry bean producing areas hampered harvest and reduced the quality of beans. Snow and rain continuing into November slowed sorghum grain harvest but losses were held to a minimum.

Cash receipts from the sale of farm commodities during the calendar year of 1961 are indicated at \$636 million. This compares with the record high of \$639 million in 1960 and \$597 million in 1959. Prior to 1960 and the current year, the high income total was \$608 million in 1952.

WHEAT—Winter wheat production in 1961 totaled 56,189,000 bushels compared with the 1960 outturn of 65,961,000 bushels and the 1950-59 average of 37,667,000 bushels. The 1961 crop was the fifth largest ever harvested in Colorado. Yield averaged 23.0 bushels per harvested acre, 4.0 bushels less than the record-high established in 1960 but 6.0 bushels above the 1950-59 average. Acreage harvested totaled 2,443,000 acres, the same as the 1960 acreage, but 13 percent above the 10-year average of 2,167,000 acres. Abandonment at 6.1 percent was relatively low in both 1961 and 1960. A large portion of the winter wheat acreage was seeded in dry soil in late September and early October, 1960. Slow rain and wet snow in late October and November were very beneficial but stands were unusually ragged in east-central Colorado due to uneven germination. Winter temperatures were generally mild in the main wheat producing areas. Favorable late spring weather and good moisture supplies in all areas, except the southeast, enhanced crop prospects. Lack of rain during May in Baca and Prowers Counties decreased prospects, but final yield exceeded preharvest expectations. Premature ripening cut yield potential in eastern Colorado and to some extent in northeastern counties. Hail damage was rather widespread. Even with these adverse conditions, yields were above average. Generally favorable weather at harvest time made it possible for the bulk of the crop to be taken by August 1. Test weights were low in some east-central counties. Spring wheat production at 368,000 bushels was the lowest of record. The 1960 crop was 686,000 bushels and the 1950-59 average 1,187,000 bushels.

POTATOES—Potato production totaled 13,097,000 cwt. in 1961, the second largest crop of record. In 1960, 11,922,000 cwt. were produced and the 10-year average was 10,733,000 cwt. The record-high crop of 13,505,000 cwt. was harvested in 1958. The 1961 fall potato crop was 10,912,000 cwt., the largest fall crop of record. In 1960 the fall crop totaled 9,503,000 cwt. and the 10-year average was 8,301,000 cwt. Acreage harvested in 1961 was 48,500 acres compared to 44,200 acres the previous year. The average yield of 225 sacks per harvested acre was 10 sacks above the 1960 yield. The 1950-59 average acreage harvested was 43,400 acres and yield was 191 sacks per acre. Potatoes for fall harvest were planted "on time" and had an adequate growing season to reach full maturity even though killing frosts in the San Luis Valley occurred earlier than normal. Ideal weather during August helped in sizing the crop. Prices were disappointing and a large percentage of the crop went into storage. Production of late summer potatoes was 2,185,000 sacks compared with 2,419,000 sacks in 1960 and 2,432,000 sacks the 1950-59 average. Harvested acreage totaled 11,500 acres in 1961 against 11,800 acres in 1960 and 10,800 acres average. Yields averaged 190 cwt. per acre versus last year's 205 cwt. and the 1950-59 average of 224 cwt. per acre. Blight reduced the quality of the late summer crop.

SUGAR BEETS—Production of sugar beets was 2,456,000 tons. This is 11 percent below the 2,761,000 tons produced in 1960 but 21 percent above the 10-year average of 2,036,000 tons. Area harvested at 167,100 acres was above the 155,100 acres harvested in 1960 but the 1961 yield at 14.7 tons was much below the 17.8 tons obtained in 1960. A cool spring and widespread hail damage in northern Colorado had an adverse effect on beet acreage

and stands were much thinner than normal. This, together with cool, wet September weather, was the principal reason for the disappointing average yield in 1961. Harvest weather was generally favorable but tonnage ran well below the large volume obtained in 1960. Final harvest was completed by December 1.

DRY BEANS—The 1961 dry bean production totaled 2,247,000 bags (100-pounds clean basis), the largest crop produced since 1949 when 2,274,000 bags were harvested. Production in 1960 was 1,736,000 bags and the 10-year average was 1,775,000 bags. An increase in harvested acreage and higher yields in 1961 compared to 1960, and the 1950-59 average, account for the higher production level. In 1961, 239,000 acres were harvested compared with 217,000 acres recorded for both 1960 and average. Irrigated yields averaged 1,720 pounds per acre in 1961 against 1,640 pounds in 1960. Non-irrigated yields were 430 pounds per acre in 1961 and 260 pounds in 1960. Difficulty was experienced in harvesting because of adverse weather conditions which also affected quality. Much of the 1961 crop was No. 2 grade.

CORN—The 1961 acreage of corn planted for all purposes was 376,000 acres. This is a reduction of 20 percent from the 470,000 acres planted in 1960. The 1961 acreage was the smallest area planted to corn in Colorado since estimates of planted acreage were begun in 1924. The 1961 harvested acreage of corn for all purposes was 364,000 acres which was the smallest area since 1909 when 361,000 acres were harvested. The Feed Grain Program was responsible for the bulk of the reduction in acreage planted in 1961. Favorable growing weather and adequate moisture in both irrigated and non-irrigated areas resulted in record yields which held production comparable to previous years.

Production of corn for grain was estimated at 12,204,000 bushels, 6 percent below the 1960 crop of 12,926,000 bushels but 23 percent above the 1950-1959 average of 9,893,000 bushels. Corn for grain harvested at 216,000 acres compares with 251,000 acres harvested in 1960, a reduction of 14 percent. The 1950-59 average was 274,000 acres. Irrigated yields per acre were a record high, 75.0 bushels in 1961 compared to 70.0 bushels per acre in 1960. Non-irrigated yields per acre at 22.0 bushels were substantially above the 13.0 bushel yield per acre in 1960 but 1 bushel short of the record high set in 1957. Silage production, estimated at 1,778,000 tons, was down 23 percent from the 1960 production of 2,322,000 tons. Yield at 14.0 tons per acre was a record high, exceeding the previous record of 13.5 tons set in both 1957 and 1960. Area harvested at 127,000 acres was 26 percent below the 172,000 acres harvested in 1960. The 1961 harvested acreage was the smallest since 1953, when 120,000 acres of corn were cut for silage.

OATS AND BARLEY—Barley production at 17,353,000 bushels about equaled the 1960 crop of 17,985,000 bushels and was much above the 1950-59 average of 10,753,000 bushels. Winter barley made up a smaller portion of the total acreage in 1961 compared to the previous year. Dry soil conditions the fall of 1960 and severe winter kill the previous year discouraged many growers in planting barley in the fall of 1960. However, an increase in spring planting of both feed barley and brewing barley made up for most of the decrease in fall plantings. All barley yields averaged 33.5 bushels per acre in 1961 compared to 33.0 bushels in 1960 and 25.6 bushels the 10-year average. The 1961 yield of irrigated barley was 44.5 bushels per acre and non-irrigated 28.5 bushels per acre. The 1961 oat crop was only 4,200,000 bushels—20 percent below the 1960 crop of 5,274,000 bushels and 9 percent less than the 10-year average of 4,616,000 bushels. Yield at 37.5 bushels per acre compares with 38.5 bushels in 1960 and 31.6 bushels, the 10-year average.

SORGHUMS—Grain sorghum production in 1961 was 8,992,000 bushels compared with 8,740,000 bushels produced in 1960 and 5,768,000 bushels, the 1950-59 average. Production of forage was 322,000 tons compared to 222,000 tons in 1960 and 353,000 tons average. Silage production amounted to 344,000 tons against 228,000 tons in 1960 and 153,000 tons the average. Acreage harvested for all purposes at 554,000 acres was down 20 percent from the 692,000 acres in 1960. Abandonment at 3.3 percent was a record low. Only 573,000 acres were planted for all purposes in 1961. Irrigated sorghums did very well, averaging 56.0 bushels per harvested acre compared with 51.0 bushels in 1960. Favorable moisture conditions in eastern non-irrigated sections pushed the dryland yield to 21.5 bushels compared to 13.0 bushels in 1960. Non-irrigated yields were exceptionally high in northeastern counties. Harvest of sorghum was slowed by high moisture content of the grain.

BROOMCORN—Broomcorn production totaled 8,300 tons in 1961. This was an increase of 57 percent from the 5,300 tons produced in 1960 and 26 percent above the 6,590 tons average. Colorado led the Nation in broomcorn production in 1961. Area harvested was 51,000 acres versus 44,000 acres in 1960 and 65,000 acres average. Moisture supplies were generally adequate and the average yield at 325 pounds per acre was much above the 240 pounds obtained in 1960 and 204 pounds the 1950-59 average. There was still much tonnage of this year's crop to be sold after December 1.

SEED CROPS—Production of **alfalfa seed** for 1961 was estimated at 1,430,000 pounds. This was a reduction of 15 percent from the 1,680,000 pounds produced in 1960 and considerably below the 1950-59 average of 2,936,000 pounds. Area harvested in 1961 at 11,000 acres was moderately below the 1960 acreage of 12,000 acres and sharply below the 1950-59 average of 22,700 acres. The 1961 yield was 130 pounds per harvested acre compared to 140 pounds in 1960 and 132 pounds, the 1950-59 average. **Sweet-clover seed** production at 240,000 pounds in 1961 was the smallest of record. This compares with the 1960 production of 320,000 pounds and the 10-year average of 1,471,000 pounds. Harvested acreage in 1961 totaled 1,500 acres compared to 2,000 acres in 1960 and the 10-year average of 6,370 acres. The yield at 160 pounds was the same as 1960 but 70 pounds below average. Production of **sudangrass seed** in Colorado was up sharply during 1961, totaling 18,000,000 pounds. This was nearly double the 1960 production of 9,100,000 pounds and 51 percent above the 1950-59 average of 11,899,000 pounds. Acreage harvested in 1961 was 36,000 acres compared to 26,000 in 1960 and the 10-year average of 38,700 harvested acres. The yield per harvested acre at 500 pounds was a record high. This yield level was 150 pounds above the 1960 yield of 350 pounds and much above the 10-year average of 277 pounds.

HAY CROPS—Total all **hay** production in 1961 was 2,960,000 tons compared to 2,712,000 tons in 1960 and 2,420,000 tons the 1950-59 average. Acreage harvested at 1,560,000 acres was above 1960 and average. Production of **alfalfa** hay was 2,110,000 tons in 1961 and 1,948,000 tons in 1960. The 1950-59 average is 1,704,000 tons. Quality of this year's hay crop was generally good although some late cuttings were damaged by wet weather in the mountains and in the northern Colorado irrigated area. Hay and roughage supplies (carryover plus production) were generally adequate for wintering the livestock inventory.

FRUIT CROPS—The 1961 season was favorable for all fruits. Production of **peaches** totaled 2,000,000 bushels compared with the 1960 short crop of 710,000 bushels and the 10-year average of 1,650,000 bushels. **Commercial apple** production was 1,400,000 bushels against 800,000 bushels in 1960 and 1,154,000 bushels the average. The **pear** crop totaled 245,000 bushels versus the 1960 near freeze-out of only 30,000 bushels and the 10-year average of 206,000 bushels. Production of **sour cherries** was 2,300 tons compared to 700 tons in 1960 and 1,500 tons average. **Sweet cherry** production of 1,100 tons was much above the short 120 tons produced in 1960 and third largest. The 1950-59 average production was 616 tons.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

1961 Season

Colorado vegetable growers maintained a high level of productivity in 1961 despite unfavorable late spring and damaging weather conditions which occurred in widely scattered areas throughout the season. The average yield of 166 cwt. per acre for all crops grown for fresh market and for processing was the highest of record with the exception of 1960. Many fields got off to a very slow start due to cold weather, high winds and crusting. Most of the damage throughout the season occurred east of the Continental Divide. Severe hail storms in June caused considerable abandonment, necessitated heavy replanting and reduced yield prospects materially. Frequent rains in August and cold rains and snow over the Labor Day week-end delayed harvest and caused considerable deterioration of matured vegetables. In unaffected areas, yields were high, but the final high over-all turnout per acre was a commendable achievement on the part of the vegetable growers. This is further substantiated by comparisons on a National scope. In 1961, Colorado ranked 15th among the states in the acreage harvested for fresh market but

was up in 8th place in the total volume produced. A similar showing is observed in vegetables grown for processing with the State ranking 26th in acreage and 21st in production. Such production achievement is even more noteworthy since these crops are grown in a relatively short season and under such widely diversified conditions at altitudes ranging from 3,500 to 8,000 feet above sea level.

The combined total of 37,630 acres of vegetables grown for fresh market and for processing in 1961 yielded an aggregate quantity of 310,660 tons valued at \$17,256,000. In 1960, 37,280 acres produced 318,660 tons worth \$16,044,000. The 1959 area harvested was 38,650 acres, production was 308,590 tons and the farm value of these crops was \$16,836,000. In comparison with 1960, the 1961 acreage was up 1 percent, production was down 3 percent and total value was up almost 8 percent. Compared with 1959, the 1961 acreage was 3 percent less, production was 1 percent more and value was 2 percent greater.

ONIONS—The 1961 crop of 2,322,000 cwt. was the second largest harvest since 1949 despite unfavorable growing conditions in some areas. Onions accounted for 37 percent of the total quantity and 42 percent of the aggregate value of all commercial vegetables grown in the State in 1961. In addition to holding top spot in the state's vegetable industry, Colorado onion production also merits a high rating in the Nation, ranking 3rd among the 19 states in the late summer group by producing more than 13 percent of the country's fall and winter onion supply. The preliminary value of the 1961 crop was estimated in December at \$7,314,000. The final evaluation may go even higher as a result of the sharp rise in prices after January 1, 1962. In 1960, production of 2,523,000 cwt. was appraised at \$5,677,000 and the 1950-59 average production was 1,821,000 cwt. worth \$4,084,000. An area of 8,600 acres was harvested in 1961 compared with 8,700 acres in 1960 and 7,310 acres, the 10-year average. In comparison with a year earlier, the acreage harvested in 1961 was about 2 percent smaller in the Arkansas Valley but unchanged in Northern Colorado and on the Western Slope. The outturn per acre, however, was down in all three districts. Losses from hail, disease and decay at harvest time reduced yields to a level below that in any of the last 5 years. The crop was retarded by adverse growing conditions in widely scattered areas all along the eastern slope throughout the season. Many fields got a very slow start due to cold weather, high winds and crusting. Then came severe hail storms in June which caused some abandonment and reduced yield prospects materially. Frequent rains in August resulted in the heaviest damage from purple blotch that the Arkansas Valley has experienced in several years. The disease was also prevalent to a lesser degree in some areas in Northern Colorado. Cold rain and snow over the Labor Day weekend delayed harvest and caused considerable losses from decay. In the Arkansas Valley, the best onions were found generally from La Junta eastward. In Northern Colorado, the Adams County acreage yielded better than had been anticipated earlier in the season. The usually high-yielding areas in Weld County, while good, were not up to average. The Western Slope deal was more normal but wet weather at harvest time resulted in heavy losses from decay in some local areas.

LETTUCE—The lettuce crop maintained its position as second in importance in the Colorado vegetable industry, accounting for 19 percent of the State's total vegetable production and 14 percent of the gross value of vegetable crops. Colorado also ranked second in volume of production among the Nation's summer group of lettuce growing states. A total area of 5,600 acres harvested in 1961 produced 1,176,000 cwt. with a gross farm value of \$2,411,000 compared with 6,000 acres, 1,170,000 cwt. and \$2,730,000 in 1960 and 6,200 acres, 1,085,000 cwt. and \$4,394,000 in 1959. The 1950-59 average was 4,800 acres, 608,000 cwt. and \$1,669,000. In comparison with the 10-year average, in 1961 the acreage harvested was 17 percent larger, production was 93 percent greater and gross value was up 44 percent.

CABBAGE—Cabbage moved into third place in Colorado's vegetable output in 1961 and provided 17 percent of the country's late summer cabbage supplies produced by a group of 9 states. The 2,300 acres harvested in 1961 produced 621,000 cwt. valued at \$778,000 against 2,000 acres, 540,000 cwt. and \$755,000 in 1960. The 10-year average was 2,980 acres, 715,000 cwt. and \$949,000.

TOMATOES—Tomatoes grown for fresh market and for processing rank fourth in Colorado with a combined production of 516,000 cwt. worth

\$993,000. About three-fourths of this crop is utilized for processing, which in 1961 amounted to 374,000 cwt. taken from 2,200 acres with a farm value of \$468,000 against 542,000 cwt., 2,400 acres and \$661,000 in 1960, and 491,000 cwt., 3,000 acres and \$593,000, the 10-year average. The 1961 fresh market crop totaled 142,000 cwt., worth \$525,000 compared with 135,000 cwt. and \$486,000 a year earlier and 158,000 cwt. and \$561,000 average.

CANTALOUPS—A harvested area of 2,800 acres in 1961 yielded 280,000 cwt. with a farm value of \$672,000. This output amounted to more than 23 percent of the Nation's late summer supplies grown in 8 states. In 1960, 2,800 acres produced 266,000 cwt. worth \$665,000 and the 1950-59 average was 2,170 acres, 196,000 cwt. and \$413,000.

CARROTS—In 1961, a total of 1,500 acres produced 270,000 cwt. of carrots valued at \$1,080,000 compared with 1,500 acres, 285,000 cwt. and \$1,482,000 a year earlier and 1,660 acres, 230,000 cwt. and \$805,000 average. Colorado's 1961 crop accounted for 35 percent of the country's recorded late summer commercial carrot supplies.

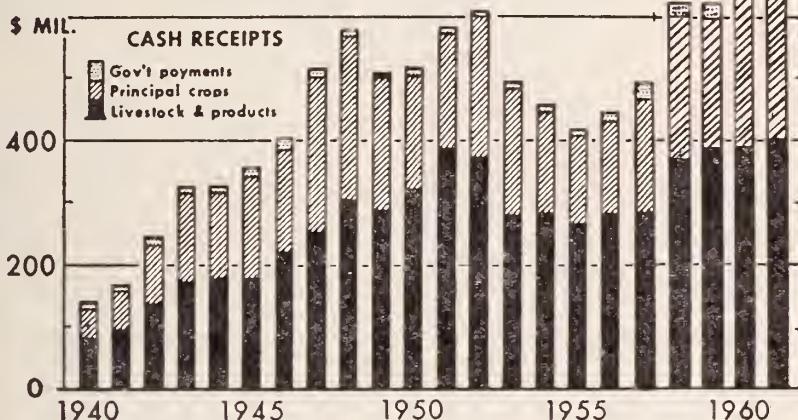
SNAP BEANS—Production of snap beans grown for processing in 1961 totaled 120,000 cwt. valued at \$506,000 while the fresh market crop amounted to 32,000 cwt. worth \$288,000. In 1960 the canning crop of 92,000 cwt. brought \$402,000 to growers and the fresh market output of 38,000 cwt. was worth \$334,000.

SPINACH—Colorado is the only State in the Nation on record as producing spinach in commercial volume during the summer season. In 1961, 2,200 acres yielded 121,000 cwt. valued at \$714,000 compared with 2,300 acres, 126,000 cwt. and \$693,000 in 1960. The 10-year average was 1,160 acres, 48,000 cwt. and \$218,000.

OTHER VEGETABLE CROPS—Acreage harvested and production for 1961 and 1960 respectively are as follows: **Cauliflower**: 750 acres and 68,000 cwt. in 1961 against 750 acres and 64,000 cwt. in 1960. **Sweet Corn for Fresh Market**: 2,600 acres and 195,000 cwt. compared with 2,400 acres and 168,000 cwt. **Green Peas for Fresh Market**: 800 acres and 32,000 cwt. against 950 acres and 33,000 cwt. **Celery**: 230 acres and 69,000 cwt. compared with 230 acres and 64,000 cwt. **Cucumbers for Pickles**: 2,000 acres and 472,000 cwt. against 1,200 acres and 360,000 cwt. During the summer period of 1961, Colorado provided 22 percent of the cauliflower and more than half of the fresh market peas recorded as marketed in the country in commercial volume.

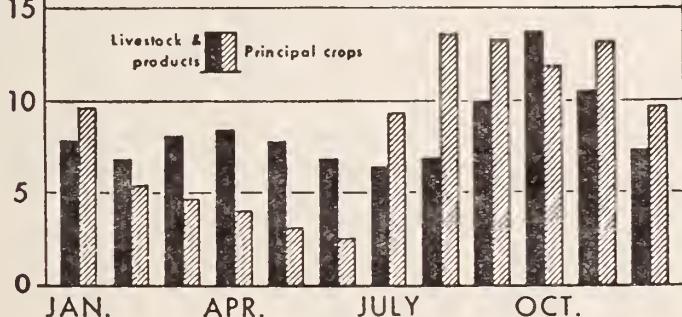
CASH FARM INCOME, COLORADO

*Receipts from Farm and Ranch Marketings, by Years
and Monthly Distribution*



% OF YEARLY TOTAL

MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION
(1945-54 AV)



CASH FARM INCOME, GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS CONSUMED ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED—1950-1961

Year	Cash Income from Farm Marketings			Government Payments ¹	Cash Farm Income and Government Payments ²	Value of Products Consumed on Farms Where Produced ³	Cash Income, Government Payments and Value of Products Consumed on Farms Where Produced ⁴
	Crops	Livestock and Livestock Products	Total				
1950	181,100	320,700	501,800	11,900	513,700	14,800	528,500
1951	186,500	387,100	573,600	8,700	582,300	17,300	599,600
1952	232,800	374,800	607,600	7,700	615,300	15,500	630,800
1953	199,400	277,300	476,700	10,300	487,000	14,000	501,000
1954	160,000	283,100	443,400	11,200	454,600	12,400	467,000
1955	138,200	265,700	403,900	10,200	414,100	12,100	426,200
1956	143,500	283,200	426,700	17,000	443,700	12,000	455,700
1957	168,800	286,300	455,100	36,100	491,200	12,600	503,800
1958	226,700	375,900	602,600	20,500	623,100	11,600	634,700
1959	209,400	387,900	597,300	24,900	622,200	10,800	633,000
1960	246,500	392,200	638,700	24,800	663,500	10,000	673,500
1961 ⁴	233,600	402,900	636,500	30,300	666,800	9,300	676,100

COLORADO
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)

1950	181,100	320,700	501,800	11,900	513,700	14,800	528,500
1951	186,500	387,100	573,600	8,700	582,300	17,300	599,600
1952	232,800	374,800	607,600	7,700	615,300	15,500	630,800
1953	199,400	277,300	476,700	10,300	487,000	14,000	501,000
1954	160,000	283,100	443,400	11,200	454,600	12,400	467,000
1955	138,200	265,700	403,900	10,200	414,100	12,100	426,200
1956	143,500	283,200	426,700	17,000	443,700	12,000	455,700
1957	168,800	286,300	455,100	36,100	491,200	12,600	503,800
1958	226,700	375,900	602,600	20,500	623,100	11,600	634,700
1959	209,400	387,900	597,300	24,900	622,200	10,800	633,000
1960	246,500	392,200	638,700	24,800	663,500	10,000	673,500
1961 ⁴	233,600	402,900	636,500	30,300	666,800	9,300	676,100

UNITED STATES
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)

1950	12,410,000	16,102,000	28,512,000	283,000	28,795,000	2,223,000	31,018,000
1951	13,324,000	19,634,000	32,958,000	286,000	33,244,000	2,471,000	35,715,000
1952	14,380,000	18,252,000	32,632,000	274,000	32,906,000	2,374,000	35,280,000
1953	14,193,000	16,933,000	31,126,000	213,000	31,339,000	2,161,000	33,500,000
1954	13,669,000	16,284,000	29,953,000	257,000	30,210,000	1,944,000	32,154,000
1955	13,676,000	15,880,000	29,556,000	229,900	29,785,000	1,806,000	31,591,000
1956	14,252,000	16,312,000	30,564,000	553,000	31,117,000	1,775,000	32,892,000
1957	12,461,000	17,363,000	29,824,000	1,016,000	30,840,000	1,762,000	32,602,000
1958	14,182,000	19,223,000	33,405,000	1,089,000	34,494,000	1,552,000	36,046,000
1959	14,573,000	18,879,000	33,452,000	681,000	34,133,000	1,410,000	35,543,000
1960	15,076,000	18,937,000	34,014,000	693,000	34,707,000	1,342,000	36,049,000
1961 ⁴	15,510,000	19,245,000	34,755,000	1,484,000	36,239,000	1,289,000	37,528,000

CASH FARM INCOME FROM SALES, BY CROPS AND BY GROUPS OF LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, COLORADO, CALENDAR YEARS, 1950-1960

Year	Corn	All Wheat	Rye	Oats	Barley	Hay	Potatoes	Beans	Sugar Beets	Fruit Crops
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)										
1950	6,733	69,911	190	1,406	5,090	12,098	18,992	10,578	23,367	6,669
1951	5,400	72,146	147	1,217	3,158	17,891	17,425	9,564	23,756	5,024
1952	5,582	100,206	213	1,597	4,245	18,889	27,142	12,295	23,211	8,906
1953	4,145	88,115	128	1,234	4,359	14,345	15,411	14,601	23,400	7,539
1954	5,244	53,062	173	939	4,719	14,355	12,299	14,328	18,591	10,295
1955	4,731	33,243	139	1,014	3,802	13,178	16,103	10,474	17,415	8,969
1956	5,791	34,697	123	899	3,735	12,906	16,550	7,995	22,206	9,379
1957	5,950	48,651	202	1,491	6,690	14,425	12,401	9,561	27,826	9,323
1958	11,537	88,354	288	1,344	6,888	10,511	15,807	11,425	31,574	8,459
1959	8,346	84,454	551	925	5,383	12,262	12,339	9,627	29,000	9,488
1960	7,186	104,475	405	1,221	7,415	16,026	20,766	16,411	34,013	6,212

Year	Cattle and Calves	Hogs	Sheep and Lambs	Wool	Chickens and Broilers	Eggs	Turkeys	Dairy Products	Commercial Vegetables
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)									
1950..	214,915	16,791	34,262	6,335	4,136	10,050	4,562	27,605	9,277
1951..	259,064	18,953	39,906	12,795	5,054	12,550	5,278	31,162	13,725
1952..	263,827	15,438	36,241	4,357	3,816	10,773	4,568	33,267	16,466
1953..	178,325	10,294	25,911	7,299	3,676	11,600	4,393	33,015	12,888
1954..	191,583	9,610	24,101	6,313	3,343	8,863	5,055	31,907	10,933
1955..	184,673	7,464	23,033	3,763	2,741	9,032	4,783	32,544	13,891
1956..	191,594	7,444	23,730	4,688	2,242	9,096	5,859	32,453	14,096
1957..	190,770	8,352	24,679	7,354	1,291	7,596	5,165	33,853	15,356
1958..	285,047	8,182	28,650	2,845	1,195	7,957	6,220	32,780	16,139
1959..	293,538	8,502	28,114	7,395	1,192	6,816	6,514	32,828	17,351
1960..	294,339	9,849	29,773	6,099	1,063	6,545	7,711	33,597	14,710

¹Includes rental and benefit, soil conservation, soil bank, agricultural adjustment program, price parity and Sugar Act Payments.

²Total of columns 3 and 4.

³Includes value of products consumed by farm laborers and their families as well as in the operator's own household.

⁴Preliminary estimates as of February 1962.

**RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF PRINCIPAL FARM PRODUCTS
1951-1961 (Thousand Dollars)**

MONTH	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961 ¹
PRINCIPAL CROPS											
Jan.....	\$ 20,167	\$ 19,474	\$ 23,569	\$ 17,268	\$ 18,199	\$ 14,909	\$ 16,111	\$ 22,365	\$ 19,420	\$ 19,141	\$ 23,782
Feb.....	11,323	11,403	8,217	11,119	5,958	8,268	6,169	16,108	12,440	10,617	15,358
Mar.....	8,673	9,860	8,380	5,821	6,367	6,514	5,392	10,715	7,762	10,894	10,332
Apr.....	11,669	7,054	7,715	6,281	8,070	5,241	4,806	7,653	10,108	10,082	11,285
May.....	2,781	5,820	9,906	4,503	4,668	3,109	3,030	4,329	5,128	5,851	6,170
June.....	-317	4,358	9,543	6,637	3,287	3,643	3,727	4,815	4,492	5,111	5,050
July.....	12,300	23,772	16,213	17,293	11,757	14,153	8,338	20,006	26,717	34,440	27,386
Aug.....	27,467	38,234	22,484	20,868	12,410	19,643	20,281	28,049	27,091	31,954	26,575
Sept.....	22,178	36,210	28,185	21,443	19,903	17,715	25,996	31,686	23,831	29,644	27,846
Oct.....	22,662	30,089	25,249	15,540	14,799	13,323	21,471	25,233	18,075	22,351	22,428
Nov.....	27,432	27,893	23,460	19,264	19,411	22,033	31,275	32,186	30,483	36,995	31,680
Dec.....	20,123	18,696	16,518	13,946	13,375	14,985	22,237	23,607	23,850	29,428	25,653
Total....	\$186,458	\$232,863	\$199,439	\$159,983	\$138,204	\$143,536	\$168,833	\$226,752	\$209,397	\$246,508	\$233,545

LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS											
Jan.....	\$ 33,251	\$ 30,645	\$ 24,023	\$ 21,061	\$ 25,976	\$ 22,469	\$ 23,525	\$ 29,368	\$ 33,202	\$ 26,928	\$ 33,404
Feb.....	27,057	29,610	18,717	18,363	17,743	18,549	17,998	27,708	25,676	22,732	25,855
Mar.....	32,296	32,766	23,494	23,790	22,919	20,800	23,704	32,765	31,648	30,735	30,903
Apr.....	34,286	33,898	25,465	23,594	22,084	22,696	25,124	31,234	34,009	38,041	37,353
May.....	32,364	30,224	23,265	23,473	22,247	23,612	23,319	27,113	33,286	30,797	28,236
June.....	24,624	25,481	21,332	24,063	17,545	19,214	19,147	27,723	31,039	30,419	29,334
July.....	26,108	24,532	17,453	17,292	17,243	20,330	19,566	24,201	23,724	27,061	26,572
Aug.....	23,271	26,373	21,039	20,428	19,707	24,020	22,483	24,788	27,905	23,422	24,561
Sept.....	37,025	33,288	26,610	27,369	23,883	27,502	28,407	36,887	37,968	30,206	30,200
Oct.....	57,175	44,011	31,595	32,415	33,296	40,031	33,704	48,611	46,296	52,049	54,355
Nov.....	35,336	34,886	28,194	30,092	25,035	25,565	28,216	38,275	36,830	40,068	41,800
Dec.....	24,304	29,061	16,070	21,458	18,053	18,391	21,118	27,166	25,723	39,740	40,326
Total....	\$387,097	\$374,775	\$277,257	\$283,398	\$265,731	\$283,179	\$286,311	\$375,839	\$387,906	\$392,198	\$402,899

CROPS, LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS											
Jan.....	\$ 53,418	\$ 50,119	\$ 47,592	\$ 38,329	\$ 44,175	\$ 37,378	\$ 39,636	\$ 51,733	\$ 52,622	\$ 46,069	\$ 57,186
Feb.....	38,380	41,013	26,934	29,482	23,701	26,817	24,167	43,816	38,116	33,349	41,213
Mar.....	40,969	42,626	31,874	29,611	29,286	27,314	29,096	43,480	39,410	41,629	41,235
Apr.....	45,955	40,952	33,180	29,875	30,154	27,937	29,930	38,887	44,717	48,123	48,638
May.....	35,145	36,044	33,171	27,976	26,915	26,721	26,349	31,442	38,414	36,648	34,406
June.....	24,307	29,839	30,875	30,700	20,832	22,857	22,874	32,538	35,531	35,530	34,384
July.....	38,408	48,304	33,666	34,555	29,000	34,483	27,904	44,207	50,441	61,501	53,958
Aug.....	50,738	64,607	43,523	41,296	32,117	43,663	42,764	52,837	54,996	55,376	51,136
Sept.....	59,203	69,498	54,795	48,812	43,786	45,217	54,403	68,573	61,799	59,850	58,046
Oct.....	79,837	74,100	56,844	47,955	48,095	53,354	55,175	73,844	64,371	74,400	76,783
Nov.....	62,768	62,779	51,654	49,356	44,446	47,598	59,491	70,461	67,313	77,063	73,480
Dec.....	44,427	47,757	32,588	35,404	31,428	33,376	43,355	50,773	49,573	69,168	65,979
Total....	\$573,555	\$607,638	\$476,696	\$443,381	\$403,935	\$426,715	\$455,144	\$602,591	\$597,303	\$638,706	\$636,444

PERCENT OF YEARLY RECEIPTS RECEIVED EACH MONTH (COMPUTED FROM ABOVE TABLE)

Jan.....	9.3	8.2	10.0	8.6	10.9	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.8	7.2	9.0
Feb.....	6.7	6.8	5.7	6.6	5.9	6.3	5.3	7.3	6.4	5.2	6.5
Mar.....	7.1	7.0	6.7	6.7	7.3	6.4	6.4	7.2	6.6	6.5	6.5
Apr.....	8.0	6.8	7.0	6.7	7.5	6.5	6.6	6.4	7.5	7.5	7.6
May.....	6.1	6.0	7.0	6.3	6.7	6.3	5.8	5.2	6.4	5.7	5.4
June.....	4.2	4.9	6.5	6.9	5.2	5.4	5.0	5.4	6.0	5.6	5.4
July.....	6.7	7.9	7.1	7.8	7.2	8.1	6.1	7.4	8.4	9.6	8.5
Aug.....	8.8	10.6	9.1	9.3	8.0	10.2	9.4	8.8	9.2	8.7	8.0
Sept.....	10.4	11.4	11.5	11.1	10.8	10.6	12.0	11.5	10.3	9.4	9.1
Oct.....	13.9	12.2	11.8	10.8	11.8	12.4	12.1	11.9	10.8	11.7	12.1
Nov.....	11.0	10.3	10.8	11.2	11.0	11.2	13.1	11.8	11.3	12.1	11.5
Dec.....	7.8	7.9	6.8	8.0	7.7	7.8	9.5	8.5	8.3	10.8	10.4
Total....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹Preliminary.

COLORADO CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1960

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Corn, All.....	470,000 ²	450,000	.....	.....	Bu.	\$ 1.08	\$13,960,000
Corn, for Grain.....	251,000	51.5	12,926,000	.....	Ton	.....	.....
Corn, for Silage.....	172,000	13.5	2,322,000	.....	Bu.	.71	3,745,000
Oats, for Grain.....	201,000 ²	137,000	38.5	5,274,000	Bu.	.75	13,489,000
Barley, for Grain.....	622,000 ²	545,000	33.0	17,985,000	Bu.	1.67	110,155,000
Winter Wheat.....	2,602,000	2,443,000	27.0	65,961,000	Bu.	1.60	1,038,000
Spring Wheat.....	31,000 ²	28,000	24.5	686,000	Bu.	.74	829,000
Rye, for Grain.....	130,000 ²	70,000	16.0	1,120,000	Bu.	.....	.....
Dry Beans ⁴	228,000	217,000	800 ³	1,736,000	Cwt.	7.00	12,152,000
Field Peas ⁴	16,000	8,000	950 ³	76,000	Cwt.	3.75	285,000
Potatoes.....	57,300	56,000	213	11,922,000	Cwt.	2.02	23,962,000
Sugar Beets.....	157,100	155,100	17.8	2,761,000	Ton	12.40	34,236,000
All Sorghums, for Grain.....	380,000	23.0	.....	8,740,000	Bu.	.85	7,429,000
All Sorghums, for Forage.....	277,000	.80	.....	222,000	Ton	19.50	4,329,000
All Sorghums, All Uses.....	764,000	692,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alfalfa Hay.....	829,000	2.35	1,948,000	.....	Ton	24.20 ⁵	47,142,000
Clover & Timothy Hay.....	221,000	1.30	287,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grain Hay.....	66,000	1.30	86,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Misc. Tame Hay.....	81,000	.90	73,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
All Tame Hay.....	1,197,000	2.00	2,394,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wild Hay.....	303,000	1.05	318,000	.....	Ton	24.50 ⁵	7,791,000
All Hay.....	1,500,000	1.81	2,712,000	.....	Ton	24.10 ⁵	65,359,000
Broomcorn.....	44,000	240 ³	5,300	.....	Ton	320.00	1,696,000
Alfalfa Seed.....	12,000	140 ³	1,680,000	.....	Cwt.	21.60	363,000
Sweetclover Seed.....	2,000	160 ³	320,000	.....	Cwt.	8.40	27,000
Sudangrass Seed.....	26,000	350 ³	9,100,000	.....	Cwt.	5.10	464,000
Apples, Commercial Crop.....	.....	.....	800,000	.....	Bu.	2.40	1,920,000
Peaches.....	.....	.....	710,000	.....	Bu.	3.45	2,450,000
Pears.....	.....	.....	30,000	.....	Bu.	3.45	101,000
Cherries, Sour.....	.....	.....	700	.....	Ton	165.00	116,000
Cherries, Sweet.....	.....	.....	120	.....	Ton	560.00	67,000
Total Field and Fruit Crops.....	6,373,100 ⁶	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	298,235,000
COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES							
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.....	1,800	1,700	2.7	4,600	Ton	87.50	402,000
Beans, Snap for Market.....	750	700	55	38,000	Cwt.	8.80	334,000
Cabbage, for Market.....	2,600	2,000	270	540,000	Cwt.	1.40	755,000
Cantaloupe.....	3,200	2,800	95	266,000	Cwt.	2.50	665,000
Carrots.....	1,700	1,500	190	285,000	Cwt.	5.20	1,482,000
Cauliflower.....	850	750	85	64,000	Cwt.	5.80	371,000
Celery.....	250	230	280	64,000	Cwt.	4.20	269,000
Sweet Corn.....	2,800	2,100	70	168,000	Cwt.	3.30	554,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles.....	1,400	1,200	300	360,000	Bu.	1.15	414,000
Lettuce.....	7,000	6,000	195	1,170,000	Cwt.	2.60	2,730,000
Onions.....	9,600	8,700	290	2,523,000	Cwt.	2.25	5,677,000
Peas, Green for Market.....	1,000	950	35	33,000	Cwt.	8.00	264,000
Spinach.....	2,600	2,300	55	126,000	Cwt.	5.50	693,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.....	2,700	2,400	11.3	27,100	Ton	24.40	661,000
Tomatoes, for market.....	1,000	900	150	135,000	Cwt.	3.60	486,000
Total Commercial Vegetables.....	42,170 ⁷	37,280 ⁷	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,044,000 ⁷
Total All Principal Crops.....	.....	6,410,380 ⁷	.....	.....	.....	.....	314,279,000 ⁷

¹Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.²Planted for all uses.³Pounds.⁴Production, price and value on clean basis.⁵Price of hay sold baled.⁶Excludes minor crops and duplicated acreages.⁷Some minor crops included in totals are not listed individually.

COLORADO CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1961

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Corn, All.....	376,000 ²	364,000		12,204,000	Bu.	\$ 1.19	\$14,523,000
Corn, for Grain.....		216,000	56.5	1,778,000	Ton		
Corn, for Silage.....		127,000	14.0				
Oats, for Grain.....	165,000 ²	112,000	37.5	4,200,000	Bu.	.70	2,940,000
Barley, for Grain.....	610,000 ²	518,000	33.5	17,353,000	Bu.	.83	14,403,000
Winter Wheat.....	2,602,000	2,443,000	23.0	56,189,000	Bu.	1.75	98,331,000
Spring Wheat.....	18,000 ²	16,000	23.0	368,000	Bu.	1.70	626,000
Rye, for Grain.....	92,000 ²	51,000	16.0	816,000	Bu.	.82	669,000
Dry Beans ⁴	246,000	239,000	910 ³	2,247,000	Cwt.	6.10	13,707,000
Field Peas ⁴	9,000	6,000	900 ³	54,000	Cwt.	3.40	184,000
Potatoes.....	62,000	60,000	218 ³	13,097,000	Cwt.	1.13	14,734,000
Sugar Beets.....	174,200	167,100	14.7	2,456,000	Ton	....⁵	....⁵
All Sorghums, for Grain.....		281,000	32.0	8,992,000	Bu.	.99	8,902,000
All Sorghums, for Forage.....		230,000	1.40	322,000	Ton	18.50	5,957,000
All Sorghums, All Uses.....	573,000	554,000					
Alfalfa Hay.....		879,000	2.40	2,110,000	Ton	21.20 ⁶	44,732,000
Clover & Timothy Hay.....		221,000	1.50	332,000			
Grain Hay.....		76,000	1.35	103,000			
Misc. Tame Hay.....		81,000	1.20	97,000			
All Tame Hay.....		1,257,000	2.10	2,612,000			
Wild Hay.....		303,000	1.05	318,000	Ton	24.80 ⁶	7,886,000
All Hay.....		1,560,000	1.90	2,960,000	Ton	22.00 ⁶	65,120,000
Broomcorn.....		51,000	325 ³	8,300	Ton	315.00	2,614,000
Alfalfa Seed.....		11,000	130 ³	1,430,000	Cwt.	29.00	415,000
Sweetclover Seed.....		1,500	160 ³	240,000	Cwt.	9.40	23,000
Sudangrass Seed.....		36,000	500 ³	18,000,000	Cwt.	4.50	810,000
Apples, Commercial Crop.....				1,400,000	Bu.	2.30	3,220,000
Peaches.....				2,000,000	Bu.	2.65	5,300,000
Pears.....				245,000	Bu.	2.50	612,000
Cherries, Sour.....				2,300	Ton	162.00	373,000
Cherries, Sweet.....				1,100	Ton	356.00	392,000
Total Field & Fruit Crops.....		6,178,600 ⁷					253,855,000
COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES							
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.....	2,200	2,000	3.0	6,000	Ton	84.30	506,000
Beans, Snap, for Market.....	750	700	45	32,000	Cwt.	9.00	288,000
Cabbage, for Market.....	2,600	2,300	270	621,000	Cwt.	1.25	778,000
Cantalou.....	3,200	2,800	100	280,000	Cwt.	2.40	672,000
Carrots.....	1,700	1,500	180	270,000	Cwt.	4.00	1,080,000
Cauliflower.....	850	750	90	68,000	Cwt.	7.10	483,000
Celery.....	250	230	300	69,000	Cwt.	4.80	331,000
Sweet Corn.....	3,000	2,600	75	195,000	Cwt.	2.90	566,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles.....	2,500	2,000	236	472,000	Bu.	1.15	543,000
Lettuce.....	6,600	5,600	210	1,176,000	Cwt.	2.05	2,411,000
Onions.....	9,600	8,600	270	2,322,000	Cwt.	3.15	7,314,000
Peas, Green for Market.....	850	800	40	32,000	Cwt.	9.50	304,000
Spinach.....	2,400	2,200	55	121,000	Cwt.	5.90	714,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.....	3,000	2,200	8.5	18,700	Ton	25.00	468,000
Tomatoes, for Market.....	1,050	950	150	142,000	Cwt.	3.70	525,000
Total Commercial Vegetables.....	43,230 ⁸	37,630 ⁸					17,256,000 ⁸
Total All Principal Crops.....		6,216,230 ⁸					270,997,000 ⁸

¹Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.²Planted for all uses.³Pounds.⁴Production, price and value on clean basis.⁵Not available.⁶Price of hay sold baled.⁷Excludes minor crops and duplicated acreages.⁸Some minor crops included in totals are not listed individually.

**NUMBER OF FARMS, LAND IN FARMS, AVERAGE SIZE OF FARMS
1940-1962¹**

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES ²		
	Number of Farms (000)	Land in Farms (000) Acres	Average Size Acres	Number of Farms (000)	Land in Farms (000) Acres	Average Size Acres
1940.....	52	33,000	630	6,350 ³	1,104,900 ³	174 ³
1945.....	50	36,500	733	5,967 ³	1,163,565 ³	195 ³
1950.....	47	39,000	830	5,648	1,202,019	213
1951.....	46	39,500	859	5,428	1,203,500	222
1952.....	45	39,900	887	5,198	1,204,930	232
1953.....	44	40,300	916	4,984	1,205,740	242
1954.....	43	40,700	947	4,798	1,206,355	251
1955.....	42	40,800	971	4,654	1,201,900	258
1956.....	41	40,800	995	4,514	1,197,070	265
1957.....	40	40,900	1,023	4,372	1,191,340	272
1958.....	39	41,000	1,051	4,233	1,184,944	280
1959.....	38	41,000	1,079	4,097	1,179,158	288
1960.....	37	41,000	1,108	3,949	1,174,065	297
1961.....	36	41,000	1,139	3,811	1,169,410	307
1962 ⁴	35	41,000	1,171	3,688	1,165,355	316

¹United States Department of Agriculture, Statistical Reporting Service estimates, Based on 1959 census definition of a farm.

²Excludes Alaska and Hawaii, Alaska and Hawaii have a combined 1961 total of 7,200 farms and 3.5 million acres.

³U. S. Census.

⁴Preliminary.

**TOTAL AND FARM POPULATION
COLORADO AND UNITED STATES, 1940-1962**

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES		
	Total ¹ Pop. ² (000)	Farm Population		Total ³ Pop. ⁴ (000)	Farm Population	
		Number of Persons ⁵ (000)	Percent of Total Pop.		Number of Persons ⁵ (000)	Percent of Total Pop.
1940.....	1,123	253	22.5	131,820	30,574	23.2
1945.....	1,118	214	19.1	139,583	25,295	18.1
1950.....	1,336	211	15.8	151,132	25,058	16.6
1951.....	1,328	.....	.....	153,691	24,160	15.7
1952.....	1,378	.....	.....	156,421	24,283	15.5
1953.....	1,454	.....	.....	159,012	22,679	14.3
1954.....	1,520	.....	.....	161,761	22,099	13.7
1955.....	1,583	.....	.....	164,607	22,438	13.6
1956.....	1,655	.....	.....	167,509	22,362	13.8
1957.....	1,693	.....	.....	170,496	21,606	12.7
1958.....	1,690	.....	.....	173,367	21,388	12.3
1959.....	1,727	.....	.....	176,551	21,172	12.0
1960.....	1,758	128	7.3	180,004	15,633 ^{6,7}	8.7
1961 ⁸	1,781	.....	.....	182,952	.....	.....

¹As of July 1.

²Data compiled from "Statistical Abstract of the United States" United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

³As of April 1.

⁴Includes armed forces overseas, also includes Alaska since 1959 and Hawaii in 1960.

⁵April-centered annual averages.

⁶Includes Alaska and Hawaii.

⁷Based on 1959 census definition of a farm. 1954 definition would have shown 20,541,000 people on farms.

⁸Preliminary.

PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION OF FOOD PRODUCTS IN THE UNITED STATES,¹ 1942-1961²

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA									Lard
	Beef ³	Veal ³	Lamb and Mutton ³	Pork ³	Total Meat ³	Total Fish ⁴	Chicken ⁵	Turkey ⁵	Eggs (Number Not Pounds)	
1942.....	60.4	8.1	7.1	62.8	138.4	8.7	17.4	3.0	314	12.7
1943.....	52.5	8.1	6.4	77.9	144.9	7.9	22.7	2.7	342	12.9
1944.....	54.9	12.2	6.6	78.5	152.2	8.7	20.1	2.7	350	12.1
1945.....	58.6	11.7	7.2	65.7	143.2	9.8	21.3	3.4	397	11.5
1946.....	60.8	9.8	6.6	74.9	152.1	10.4	19.1	3.7	374	11.7
1947.....	68.6	10.7	5.2	68.6	153.1	10.0	17.9	3.5	378	12.4
1948.....	62.2	9.4	5.0	66.8	143.4	10.4	18.1	3.0	384	12.6
1949.....	63.0	8.8	4.0	66.8	142.6	10.5	19.4	3.2	378	11.7
1950.....	62.5	7.9	3.9	68.1	142.4	11.5	20.3	4.0	383	12.4
1951.....	55.2	6.6	3.4	70.6	135.8	10.9	22.2	4.3	396	12.1
1952.....	61.2	7.1	4.1	71.6	144.0	11.0	23.1	4.5	405	11.7
1953.....	76.5	9.4	4.6	62.6	153.1	10.7	21.6	4.7	374	11.2
1954.....	80.1	10.0	4.6	60.0	154.7	10.9	22.8	5.3	376	10.2
1955.....	82.0	9.4	4.6	66.8	162.8	10.4	21.4	5.0	371	10.1
1956.....	85.4	9.5	4.4	67.4	166.7	10.3	24.6	5.2	368	9.8
1957.....	84.6	8.8	4.2	61.5	159.1	10.1	25.5	5.9	358	9.5
1958.....	80.5	6.7	4.2	60.2	152.0	10.6	28.2	5.9	354	9.6
1959.....	81.4	5.7	4.8	67.6	160.1	10.7	28.9	6.3	353	8.8
1960.....	85.2	6.2	4.8	65.3	161.5	10.5	28.3	6.3	334	7.7
1961 ⁹	86.7	5.9	5.0	63.0	160.6	10.6	30.1	7.4	323	7.9

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA									Total Canned Vegetables ⁶	Total Commercial Fresh Vegetables ⁶	Total Canned Vegetables ⁷
	Fluid Milk and Cream	Cheese	Ice Cream	Butter	Marga- rine	Total Fresh Fruit	Total Canned Fruit	Total Fruit In- cluding Juices ⁶				
1942.....	354	6.3	15.6	15.7	2.7	129.4	17.0	183.0	138.9	39.2	36.5	
1943.....	371	4.9	12.9	11.7	3.8	118.0	12.4	167.2	134.7	36.5	35.7	
1944.....	381	4.8	14.1	11.8	3.8	139.7	9.1	198.7	151.8	33.9	33.9	
1945.....	399	6.6	15.4	10.8	4.0	139.9	14.2	204.7	164.3	42.6	42.6	
1946.....	389	6.6	22.8	10.4	3.8	134.4	21.9	224.7	163.7	46.1	46.1	
1947.....	369	6.8	19.8	11.1	4.9	140.1	17.9	216.4	150.8	39.9	39.9	
1948.....	355	6.8	18.2	9.9	6.0	128.9	17.8	210.1	152.0	37.3	37.3	
1949.....	352	7.2	17.4	10.4	5.7	121.9	18.6	200.3	146.3	38.2	38.2	
1950.....	349	7.6	17.0	10.6	6.0	106.4	20.9	187.2	145.7	41.5	41.5	
1951.....	352	7.1	17.1	9.5	6.5	114.4	18.6	196.2	143.1	41.2	41.2	
1952.....	352	7.5	17.6	8.6	7.8	110.5	20.6	202.9	145.0	40.9	40.9	
1953.....	347	7.3	17.7	8.4	7.9	107.8	20.6	153.1	147.0	41.8	41.8	
1954.....	348	7.9	17.4	8.9	8.5	106.1	21.1	151.7	136.2	41.9	41.9	
1955.....	352	7.9	18.0	9.0	8.1	101.6	22.6	149.4	133.0	43.5	43.5	
1956.....	354	8.0	18.0	8.8	8.2	100.4	21.8	147.7	134.7	43.9	43.9	
1957.....	350	7.7	18.0	8.5	8.6	99.3	22.4	147.5	130.3	43.9	43.9	
1958.....	336	8.2	17.8	8.3	9.0	97.8	22.7	144.2	129.0	44.7	44.7	
1959.....	330	8.1	18.7	7.9	9.2	101.5	22.1	146.8	125.6	44.8	44.8	
1960.....	324	8.4	18.4	7.5	9.4	97.4	23.1	145.0	127.2	44.5	44.5	
1961 ⁹	314	8.7	17.9	7.5	9.6	95.4	23.1	143.2	123.2	44.8	44.8	

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA									Syrups and Sugars	
	Wheat		Corn		Potatoes ⁶	Sweet Potatoes ⁶	Dry Beans ⁸	Oats	Barley		
	Flour	Cereal	Flour & Meal	Cereal							
1942.....	154	3.3	19.5	2.5	125	20.2	11.0	4.8	1.5	5.2	106
1943.....	161	3.3	20.2	2.5	124	21.2	8.8	4.1	1.8	5.6	98
1944.....	147	3.2	18.9	2.5	135	19.5	8.0	3.2	1.4	5.3	107
1945.....	159	3.2	17.4	2.1	120	18.0	7.7	3.4	1.5	4.8	91
1946.....	154	3.2	15.7	1.9	122	17.0	8.6	3.1	2.0	4.0	92
1947.....	137	3.2	13.7	1.4	124	14.3	6.4	3.3	1.9	4.6	108
1948.....	135	3.1	13.5	1.5	104	11.2	6.7	3.4	1.5	4.8	108
1949.....	134	3.1	13.0	1.5	109	11.5	6.8	3.4	1.5	4.9	107
1950.....	133	3.1	12.7	1.5	101	12.3	8.5	3.4	1.4	5.0	107
1951.....	131	3.1	12.6	1.5	108	7.2	7.9	3.4	1.4	5.7	108
1952.....	130	3.1	12.3	1.5	99	7.0	8.0	3.4	1.3	5.2	107
1953.....	126	2.9	11.1	1.6	103	8.0	7.7	3.4	1.2	5.3	109
1954.....	126	2.9	9.3	1.7	106	8.0	8.2	3.2	1.1	5.3	109
1955.....	123	2.9	8.8	1.7	106	8.2	7.3	3.2	1.1	5.5	110
1956.....	121	2.8	8.6	1.7	99	7.6	8.0	3.2	1.1	5.8	111
1957.....	119	2.8	8.0	1.7	106	7.2	7.5	3.4	1.0	5.8	109
1958.....	121	2.8	7.6	1.8	101	6.7	7.7	3.5	1.0	5.7	111
1959.....	120	2.7	7.5	1.8	101	7.7	7.6	3.5	1.0	5.2	112
1960.....	118	2.7	7.4	1.8	102	6.2	7.3	3.5	1.0	5.9	113
1961 ¹³	117	2.7	7.3	1.8	104	5.6	7.6	3.5	1.0	5.8	112

¹Primary distribution weight. Approximately wholesale or processing level of distribution. Excludes quantities used in alcoholic beverages. ²Civilian consumption only beginning 1941. ³Carcass weight. ⁴Edible weight equivalent. ⁵Equivalent eviscerated weight. ⁶Farm weight equivalent. ⁷Net canned weight. ⁸Cleaned basis. ⁹Preliminary.

**LAND AREA, FARM AND RANCH NUMBERS, ACREAGE AND VALUE
FEDERAL CENSUS, 1959**

COUNTY	All Farms and Ranches Number	Approximate Land Area (000) Acres	All Land in Farms and Ranches Acres	Percent in Farms and Ranches	Average Size of Farms and Ranches Acres	Average Value of Land and Buildings	
	Per Farm Dollars	Per Acre Dollars					
Chaffee.....	183	665	155,734	23.4	851	37,192	58.36
Clear Creek.....	10	252	12,842	5.1	1,284	136,771	192.17
Eagle.....	166	1,078	296,003	27.4	1,783	77,418	39.63
Gilpin.....	18	95	19,141	20.1	1,063	46,439	71.56
Grand.....	154	1,178	336,875	28.6	2,188	109,787	44.20
Gunnison.....	163	2,072	251,610	12.1	1,544	106,190	73.92
Jackson.....	101	1,038	412,956	39.8	3,971	151,099	39.87
Lake.....	13	243	8,928	3.7	687	57,538	73.28
Moffat.....	276	3,043	1,238,106	40.7	4,486	82,794	18.21
Park.....	120	1,386	590,913	42.6	4,924	160,648	38.47
Pitkin.....	75	624	111,828	17.9	1,491	143,036	77.85
Rio Blanco.....	196	2,088	614,109	29.4	3,133	77,445	30.05
Routt.....	414	1,491	676,065	45.3	1,633	59,729	37.80
Summit.....	34	392	50,772	13.0	1,493	102,200	54.35
Teller.....	84	355	144,921	40.9	1,725	57,720	38.40
Total Northwest District.....	2,010	16,000	4,920,833	30.8	2,448	.....	.....
Boulder.....	882	480	287,466	59.9	326	59,908	179.99
Jefferson.....	624	502	240,974	48.0	386	100,548	316.80
Larimer.....	1,292	1,670	770,520	46.1	596	50,569	124.15
Logan.....	1,201	1,169	1,088,862	93.1	907	52,751	58.30
Morgan.....	1,184	820	859,451	101.8	726	53,398	77.11
Sedgwick.....	376	318	311,398	98.4	828	90,812	115.44
Weld.....	3,730	2,563	2,157,885	81.2	578	56,369	99.01
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	9,289	7,552	5,716,559	75.7	615	.....	.....
Adams.....	967	797	653,175	81.9	676	103,634	132.53
Arapahoe.....	463	524	512,533	97.9	1,107	90,375	78.62
Cheyenne.....	347	1,134	950,244	83.8	2,738	74,609	28.18
Denver.....	81	42	11,211	26.5	138	87,131	779.41
Douglas.....	313	540	358,633	66.5	1,146	96,029	94.02
Elbert.....	654	1,193	1,136,154	95.2	1,737	55,436	32.98
El Paso.....	779	1,381	1,233,691	90.0	1,596	74,352	55.21
Kiowa.....	350	1,147	825,455	72.0	2,358	77,896	32.14
Kit Carson.....	840	1,389	1,277,831	92.0	1,521	72,703	43.51
Lincoln.....	583	1,660	1,559,368	94.0	2,675	81,271	24.43
Phillips.....	526	435	489,332	112.4	930	94,262	100.49
Washington.....	1,013	1,616	1,409,471	87.2	1,391	75,084	52.19
Yuma.....	1,122	1,517	1,442,495	95.1	1,286	71,164	53.96
Total East Central District.....	8,038	13,375	11,869,596	88.7	1,477	.....	.....
Archuleta.....	180	873	200,900	23.0	1,116	60,646	56.58
Delta.....	1,224	740	334,298	45.1	273	27,113	119.63
Dolores.....	155	658	137,594	20.9	888	51,119	53.41
Garfield.....	532	1,916	482,661	25.2	907	47,285	56.04
Hinsdale.....	26	676	34,094	5.0	1,311	53,700	70.24
La Plata.....	677	1,078	671,916	62.3	992	40,890	39.89
Mesa.....	1,879	2,120	713,603	33.7	380	30,371	109.48
Montezuma.....	709	1,340	966,355	72.1	1,363	32,142	84.50
Montrose.....	1,068	1,433	555,145	40.8	548	32,819	59.64
Ouray.....	93	316	155,889	45.1	1,676	46,587	50.83
San Juan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Miguel.....	75	821	157,286	19.2	2,097	72,610	31.74
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	6,618	12,001	4,439,741	37.0	671	.....	.....
Alamosa.....	315	461	429,526	93.2	1,364	46,409	93.66
Conejos.....	520	812	574,943	70.8	1,106	35,334	41.12
Costilla.....	228	778	397,672	51.1	1,744	27,404	26.41
Mineral.....	14	589	21,265	3.6	1,519	87,333	66.08
Rio Grande.....	472	586	206,061	35.2	437	55,919	132.14
Saguache.....	251	2,012	502,599	25.0	2,002	70,926	48.55
Total South Central District.....	1,800	5,238	2,132,069	40.7	1,184	.....	.....
Baca.....	773	1,612	1,353,667	82.5	1,751	66,848	37.62
Bent.....	439	971	869,410	89.5	1,980	60,716	24.96
Crowley.....	348	514	424,904	82.7	1,221	38,595	33.91
Custer.....	162	472	229,102	48.6	1,414	45,380	33.18
Fremont.....	579	1,000	452,669	45.3	781	25,977	34.64
Huerfano.....	294	1,010	756,593	77.9	2,676	43,992	18.45
Las Animas.....	638	3,068	2,378,176	77.5	3,728	55,423	17.06
Otero.....	755	811	842,944	104.0	1,116	46,198	41.97
Prowers.....	763	1,041	924,330	88.8	1,211	60,550	54.07
Pueblo.....	884	1,537	1,446,719	94.1	1,637	38,272	45.67
Total Southeast District.....	5,635	12,066	9,708,511	80.5	1,723	.....	.....
State Total.....	33,390	66,232	38,787,312	58.6	1,162	58,417	55.43

LAND IN FARMS AND RANCHES ACCORDING TO USE—FEDERAL CENSUS, 1959
 (Acres of Crop Land According to Use in 1959)

COUNTY	Crop Land Harvested		Crop Land in Cultivated Summer Fallow		Crop Land Used for Pasture Only		Land in Soil-Improvement Grasses	Other Crop Land (Failure, Idle, etc.)	Indicated Total Crop Land
	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres
Chaffee.....	158	11,748	1	3	8,937	508	1,572	22,768	
Clear Creek.....	5	180			120	108		408	
Eagle.....	144	21,932			6,255	126	94	28,387	
Gilpin.....	7	185						185	
Grand.....	148	33,209	15	1,384	9,737	365	682	45,377	
Gunnison.....	143	37,655	4	296	13,318	460	40	51,769	
Jackson.....	100	84,102			28,613	761		113,476	
Lake.....	10	1,813			4,164			5,977	
Moffat.....	250	56,723	139	30,151	26,725	1,346	4,258	119,203	
Park.....	86	39,033	2	105	11,929	3,124	255	54,446	
Pitkin.....	68	9,997	1	220	4,050	40	173	14,480	
Rio Blanco.....	175	30,587	43	5,251	26,357	240	1,271	63,706	
Routt.....	386	80,704	127	18,894	19,179	1,034	3,177	122,988	
Summit.....	34	6,336			2,265	100	34	8,735	
Teller.....	49	3,105	2	14	3,564	877	1,269	8,829	
Total Northwest District.....	1,763	417,309	334	56,318	165,193	9,089	12,825	660,734	
Boulder.....	713	77,709	204	15,593	13,946	2,634	1,733	111,615	
Jefferson.....	435	27,591	77	7,248	15,282	820	2,287	53,228	
Larimer.....	1,099	127,407	275	25,985	22,586	5,375	12,964	194,317	
Logan.....	1,097	282,575	743	172,135	27,106	3,680	19,012	504,508	
Morgan.....	1,061	200,440	287	67,919	13,596	30,059	11,132	326,146	
Sedgwick.....	358	116,173	272	79,949	13,214	1,426	2,893	213,655	
Weld.....	3,400	630,821	1,078	248,706	64,353	41,576	34,829	1,020,285	
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	8,163	1,462,716	2,936	617,535	170,083	85,570	87,850	2,423,754	
Adams.....	871	217,478	492	176,409	13,695	14,086	14,905	436,573	
Arapahoe.....	346	93,642	240	86,231	11,515	20,155	7,892	219,465	
Cheyenne.....	300	159,490	231	130,462	8,973	36,536	49,077	381,538	
Deover.....	75	1,208	2	398	51	180	4	1,841	
Douglas.....	254	30,462	107	10,555	8,327	1,586	4,183	55,113	
Elbert.....	566	115,618	424	74,456	43,717	19,810	11,923	265,524	
El Paso.....	476	69,873	100	9,915	21,826	31,542	8,556	141,712	
Kiowa.....	271	159,347	213	116,450	25,003	78,806	42,555	422,161	
Kit Carson.....	780	330,128	714	246,898	36,872	57,706	45,981	717,585	
Lincoln.....	480	189,450	365	145,415	37,218	40,644	25,386	438,113	
Phillips.....	505	186,674	484	138,584	31,286	3,227	12,770	372,541	
Washington.....	945	349,495	822	260,509	21,319	29,889	29,621	690,863	
Yuma.....	1,021	336,794	751	180,790	72,260	26,358	22,881	639,083	
Total East Central District.....	6,890	2,239,659	4,945	1,577,072	332,122	360,525	275,731	4,785,112	
Archuleta.....	144	11,229	13	365	28,635	88	1,119	41,436	
Delta.....	1,125	50,223	60	706	34,235	1,109	5,058	91,331	
Dolores.....	151	54,713	64	9,392	3,322	6,157	3,017	76,601	
Garfield.....	487	42,681	48	3,150	27,653	1,827	2,939	78,250	
Hinsdale.....	26	3,176	1	30	580			3,786	
La Plata.....	580	44,984	150	10,523	24,923	2,919	7,637	91,016	
Mesa.....	1,693	69,283	78	1,529	29,624	1,347	5,129	106,912	
Montezuma.....	620	85,250	97	5,570	27,438	4,643	4,865	127,766	
Montrose.....	915	63,651	72	2,157	25,934	1,249	2,661	95,652	
Ouray.....	86	12,959	8	321	5,323	423	87	19,113	
San Juan.....	67	7,927	25	1,739	13,152	1,109	1,202	25,129	
San Miguel.....									
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	5,894	446,076	616	35,482	220,819	20,901	33,714	756,992	
Alamosa.....	268	48,009	27	1,121	33,217	5,777	3,148	91,272	
Cooejoos.....	468	78,877	98	4,949	38,208	3,197	4,482	129,713	
Costilla.....	207	23,528	24	1,850	5,919	1,163	8,444	40,904	
Mineral.....	10	1,858			2,983	40		4,881	
Rio Grande.....	445	79,157	30	1,991	33,394	1,243	8,737	124,522	
Saguache.....	232	65,319	9	415	61,754	860	5,619	133,967	
Total South Central District.....	1,630	296,748	188	10,326	175,475	12,280	30,430	525,259	
Baca.....	691	389,738	562	226,040	38,307	73,313	49,658	777,056	
Bent.....	359	72,087	71	8,700	18,126	13,292	7,267	119,472	
Crowley.....	301	50,281	45	6,436	11,961	16,461	12,382	97,521	
Custer.....	129	15,718	6	176	6,709	3,568	324	26,495	
Fremont.....	446	13,730	18	387	8,707	2,450	1,972	27,246	
Huerfano.....	219	21,661	10	1,418	10,625	2,206	2,510	38,450	
Las Animas.....	424	44,257	78	9,498	33,150	12,744	6,499	106,148	
Otero.....	629	66,109	39	1,479	10,238	2,698	4,769	85,293	
Prowers.....	677	266,986	310	119,923	49,232	22,552	49,723	508,416	
Pueblo.....	697	78,371	103	15,702	41,421	11,459	6,759	153,712	
Total Southeast District.....	4,572	1,018,938	1,242	389,789	228,476	160,743	141,863	1,939,809	
State Total.....	28,912	5,881,446	10,261	2,686,522	1,292,168	649,108	582,416	11,091,660	

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

NUMBER OF IRRIGATED FARMS AND IRRIGATED LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING
TO USE—FEDERAL CENSUS 1959

COUNTY	Irrigated Farms Number	All Land in Irrigated Farms Acres	Irrigated Farms as Per Cent of all Farms (Per Cent)	Irrigated Crop Land Harvested in 1959		Other Irrigated Land in addition to cropland harvested Acres	Total Irrigated Land in 1959 Acres
				Farms Reporting	Acres		
Chaffee	168	140,941	91.8	151	11,639	5,763	17,402
Clear Creek							
Eagle	160	295,380	96.4	143	21,838	12,397	34,235
Gilpin	3	1,055	16.7	2	21	25	46
Grand	144	331,110	93.5	141	31,964	8,172	40,136
Gunnison	156	244,799	95.7	142	37,051	18,999	56,050
Jackson	101	403,076	97.1	98	83,708	45,749	129,457
Lake	10	8,602	76.9	8	1,723	2,509	4,232
Moffat	143	908,586	51.8	140	15,979	4,786	20,765
Park	71	523,913	59.2	69	36,966	5,914	42,880
Pitkin	73	110,588	97.3	65	9,478	7,028	16,506
Rio Blanco	144	426,735	73.5	135	20,567	8,442	29,009
Routt	274	522,018	66.2	257	32,204	9,201	41,405
Summit	34	50,176	100.0	34	6,336	1,784	8,120
Teller	12	39,877	14.3	12	1,162	30	1,192
Total Northwest District	1,493	4,013,186	74.3	1,400	310,636	130,799	441,435
Boulder	698	251,988	79.1	630	58,843	14,951	73,794
Jefferson	378	131,465	60.6	302	12,833	4,354	17,187
Larimer	1,087	585,111	84.1	996	99,083	11,215	110,298
Logan	521	339,292	43.4	513	73,664	4,919	78,583
Morgan	872	374,922	73.6	861	116,590	4,121	120,711
Sedgwick	124	85,299	33.0	120	20,769	1,238	22,027
Weld	2,836	1,009,864	76.0	2,796	364,733	14,583	379,316
Total N. Central and N. E. District	6,516	2,780,971	70.1	6,221	746,515	55,401	801,916
Adams	587	223,018	60.7	573	42,270	4,875	47,145
Arapahoe	103	147,456	23.3	98	6,512	608	7,120
Cheyenne	9	73,339	2.6	9	501	.....	501
Denver	73	826	90.1	73	216	4	220
Douglas	87	167,937	27.8	83	5,525	1,622	7,147
Elbert	38	125,130	5.8	38	2,243	72	2,315
El Paso	106	233,377	13.6	101	9,500	1,734	11,234
Kiowa	12	50,304	3.4	11	1,767	117	1,884
Kit Carson	98	233,524	11.7	97	16,295	2,651	18,946
Lincoln	38	232,870	6.5	37	2,915	600	3,515
Phillips	23	50,621	4.4	23	2,747	90	2,837
Washington	98	166,005	9.7	97	9,795	543	10,338
Yuma	106	222,872	9.4	104	10,485	648	11,133
Total East Central District	1,383	1,927,279	17.2	1,311	110,771	13,564	121,335
Archuleta	123	152,016	68.3	113	8,917	6,814	15,731
Delta	1,172	321,125	95.8	1,095	49,271	25,031	74,302
Dolores	7	16,174	4.5	6	398	354	552
Garfield	491	435,383	92.3	462	36,799	17,519	54,318
Hinsdale	25	33,294	96.2	25	3,009	641	3,650
La Plata	559	371,590	82.6	497	28,386	29,541	57,927
Mesa	1,809	664,809	96.3	1,686	65,793	36,571	102,364
Montezuma	502	822,722	70.8	440	20,388	29,799	50,187
Montrose	1,018	558,560	95.3	909	62,730	33,430	96,160
Ouray	89	154,821	95.7	83	12,514	6,006	18,520
San Juan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Miguel	56	142,410	74.7	51	4,708	6,323	11,031
Total West Central & S. W. Dist.	5,851	3,672,904	88.4	5,367	292,913	192,029	484,942
Alamosa	281	414,910	89.2	250	44,028	37,204	81,232
Conejos	476	561,157	91.5	442	74,961	35,546	110,507
Costilla	210	375,162	92.1	202	23,269	6,759	30,028
Mineral	7	13,130	50.0	7	1,230	.....	1,230
Rio Grande	451	203,642	95.6	442	77,257	37,763	115,020
Saguache	232	485,971	92.4	228	61,168	27,358	88,526
Total South Cent. District	1,657	2,053,972	92.1	1,571	281,913	144,630	426,543
Baca	83	248,182	10.7	81	17,877	3,110	20,987
Bent	316	344,910	72.0	314	55,578	2,498	58,076
Crowley	279	149,076	80.2	273	35,596	4,215	39,811
Custer	103	143,147	63.6	102	13,480	8,184	21,664
Fremont	478	300,622	82.6	413	11,355	3,213	14,568
Huerfano	186	420,273	63.3	175	13,043	2,699	15,742
Las Animas	281	996,929	44.0	271	16,959	2,367	19,326
Otero	627	384,715	83.0	607	63,940	2,991	66,931
Prowers	480	364,150	62.9	473	96,371	8,509	104,880
Pueblo	579	887,276	65.5	554	40,023	3,578	43,601
Total Southeast District	3,412	4,239,280	60.6	3,263	364,222	41,664	405,586
State Total	20,312	18,687,592	60.8	19,166	2,106,970	577,787	2,684,757

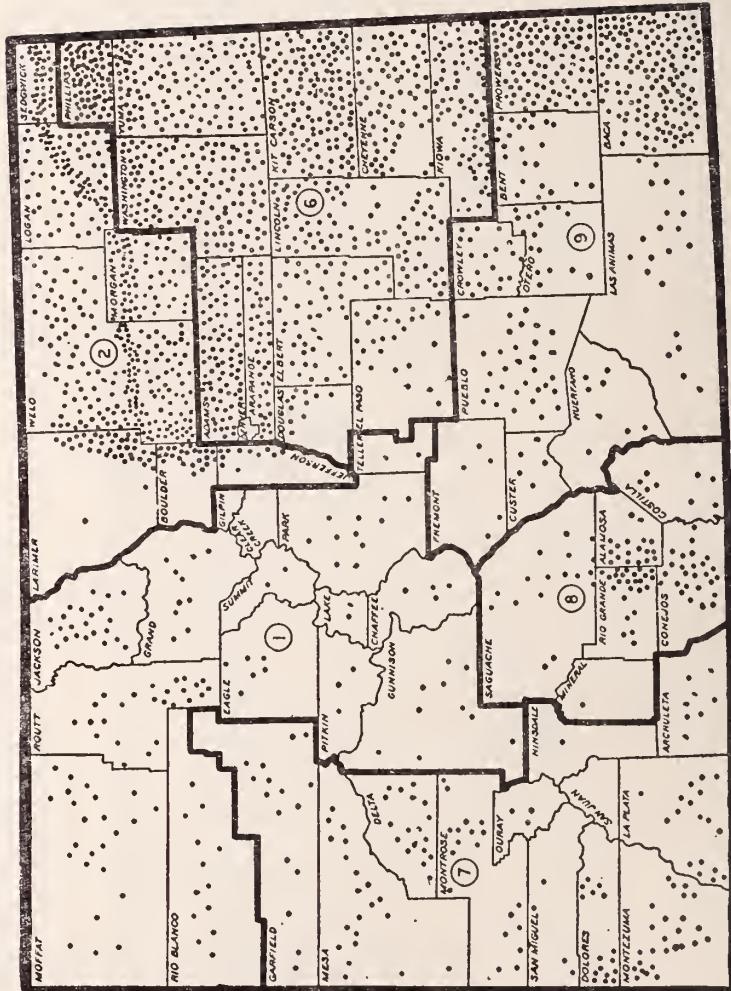
¹Includes Irrigated Pasture.

NUMBER OF FARMS BY SIZE GROUPS—FEDERAL CENSUS, 1959

COUNTY	Under 10 Acres	10 to 49 Acres	50 to 99 Acres	100 to 179 Acres	180 to 259 Acres	260 to 499 Acres	500 to 999 Acres	1000 or More Acres	1000 to 1999 Acres ¹
Chaffee.....	9	18	18	33	17	41	20	27	9
Clear Creek.....		2		1	1	1	4	1	
Eagle.....	4	13	4	23	11	26	26	59	25
Gilpin.....		1			1	9	2	4	1
Grand.....	2	6	5	8	6	17	24	86	35
Gunnison.....	3	5	1	9	8	21	41	75	33
Jackson.....			1		1	7	12	83	24
Lake.....	1	3		2		1	2	4	3
Moffat.....	3	2	5	13	7	31	42	173	62
Park.....	2	1		5	6	10	18	78	22
Pitkin.....				6	7	12	13	27	18
Rio Blanco.....	2	2	8	13	7	30	31	103	34
Routt.....	2	18	9	27	20	61	104	173	103
Summit.....		1	1	5	1	9	5	12	8
Teller.....	1		1	12	6	9	17	38	18
Total Northwest District.....	29	72	60	161	99	285	358	946	396
Boulder.....	104	165	133	187	80	109	55	44	22
Jefferson.....	137	200	59	48	23	46	48	63	33
Larimer.....	138	200	172	291	130	167	69	125	49
Logan.....	32	31	47	146	97	263	295	290	189
Morgan.....	22	50	123	287	128	218	143	213	114
Sedgwick.....	7	9	9	54	15	99	90	93	64
Weld.....	165	234	474	1,083	463	560	280	471	222
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	605	889	1,022	2,096	936	1,462	980	1,299	693
Adams.....	82	195	91	126	42	127	119	185	105
Arapahoe.....	72	74	20	23	14	53	86	121	67
Cheyenne.....		1	1	6	5	24	52	258	115
Denver.....	67	9	1			2		2	1
Douglas.....	6	19	16	22	23	51	85	91	45
Elbert.....	10	9	13	21	17	93	180	311	166
El Paso.....	45	53	25	38	28	119	198	273	157
Kiowa.....	5	5	1	7	5	37	64	226	96
Kit Carson.....	5	6	5	32	13	118	206	455	252
Lincoln.....	11	8	3	13	11	41	125	371	156
Phillips.....	6	10	7	32	13	121	193	144	108
Washington.....	9	10	8	50	13	138	302	483	300
Yuma.....	12	24	11	41	25	192	366	451	293
Total East Central District.....	330	423	202	411	209	1,116	1,976	3,371	1,861
Archuleta.....	1	6	7	26	20	38	32	50	22
Delta.....	92	414	262	181	81	85	42	67	32
Dolores.....	1	1	3	5	7	38	60	40	29
Garfield.....	21	86	61	76	38	73	62	115	47
Hinsdale.....				2	1	9	7	7	4
La Plata.....	22	61	85	115	53	145	97	99	54
Mesa.....	337	788	231	189	95	90	60	89	33
Montezuma.....	9	87	89	135	64	149	111	65	35
Montrose.....	51	199	192	244	105	106	64	107	35
Ouray.....	2	2	3	10	7	17	21	31	15
San Juan.....									
San Miguel.....		3	4	9	3	17	13	26	8
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	536	1,647	937	992	474	767	569	696	314
Alamosa.....	4	10	15	82	21	94	44	45	23
Conejos.....	16	68	48	85	63	97	64	79	22
Costilla.....	11	70	38	17	19	28	20	25	12
Mineral.....						4	4	6	1
Rio Grande.....	12	30	18	104	47	149	77	35	24
Saguache.....		7	7	23	14	65	43	92	42
Total South Central District.....	43	185	126	311	164	437	252	282	124
Baca.....	6	3	2	35	15	110	197	405	231
Bent.....	10	33	31	74	46	89	52	104	35
Crowley.....	13	34	49	49	40	61	29	73	28
Custer.....	1	3	3	10	12	30	45	58	33
Fremont.....	150	204	39	30	15	36	20	85	19
Huerfano.....	4	15	14	23	17	48	39	134	39
Las Animas.....	14	39	29	41	30	88	96	301	86
Otero.....	64	142	108	155	84	95	34	73	27
Prowers.....	23	38	29	111	78	149	109	226	104
Pueblo.....	106	249	67	91	49	83	78	161	71
Total Southeast District.....	391	760	371	619	386	789	699	1,620	673
State Total.....	1,934	3,976	2,718	4,590	2,268	4,856	4,834	8,214	4,061

¹Included in first preceding column.

TOTAL CROP LAND (1959 FEDERAL CENSUS)—ACRES HARVESTED, FAILURE, IDLE AND FALLOW IN 1959



EACH DOT REPRESENTS 5,000 ACRES

STATE OF COLORADO

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VALUE OF FARM PRODUCTS SOLD IN 1959—FEDERAL CENSUS 1959

COUNTY	All Farm Products Sold in 1959 Dollars	All Crops Sold Dollars	Field Crops Only Dollars	Vegetables Sold Dollars	Fruits and Nuts Dollars	Horticultural Specialties Sold ¹ Dollars	Forest Products Sold Dollars
Chaffee.....	1,134,886	121,828	83,203	4,020	1,485	29,660	3,460
Clear Creek.....	18,163	533	533				
Eagle.....	1,922,773	222,636	221,694		751		191
Gilpin.....	22,225	1,434	595				839
Grand.....	2,135,846	208,495	183,607	18,828			6,060
Gunnison.....	2,863,114	133,156	128,465		607	(D)	1,544
Jackson.....	3,672,992	251,907	241,383				10,614
Lake.....	105,272	8,255	8,255				
Moffat.....	5,309,418	1,199,692	1,194,870	1,550	817	(D)	1,455
Park.....	2,069,385	100,305	98,179				2,126
Pitkin.....	984,754	99,923	99,303	200	380		40
Rio Blanco.....	3,326,910	295,257	293,973		164	(D)	
Routt.....	5,453,136	1,294,045	1,279,650	10,000	47		4,348
Summit.....	631,649	11,618	10,243				1,375
Teller.....	504,442	9,601	5,079				4,522
Total Northwest District.....	30,154,965	3,958,775	3,849,032	34,598	4,251	34,320	36,574
Boulder.....	19,499,886	2,549,866	2,197,059	182,131	7,092	162,091	1,463
Jefferson.....	5,774,927	1,883,921	524,662	149,398	8,055	1,194,260	7,537
Larimer.....	22,257,078	5,283,705	4,511,077	401,245	110,997	192,395	34,991
Logan.....	27,451,490	9,192,481	9,177,045	9,919	467	(D)	
Morgan.....	38,279,712	10,820,936	10,757,467	45,670	99	17,700	
Sedgwick.....	8,380,592	5,244,078	5,214,663	26,115	100	(D)	
Weld.....	130,266,062	36,860,725	35,132,595	1,593,894	1,041	133,125	70
Total N. Central & N. E. Dist.....	251,909,747	71,835,712	67,544,598	2,411,372	127,851	1,707,830	44,061
Adams.....	27,562,076	9,654,705	7,603,944	1,306,456	1,966	737,339	
Arapahoe.....	7,484,285	5,569,755	3,172,238	18,560	99	2,378,858	
Cheyenne.....	6,459,029	3,585,959	3,585,959				
Denver.....	3,107,222	3,016,201	20,760	55,916		2,939,525	
Douglas.....	3,893,864	542,656	535,619	10	85		6,857
Elbert.....	8,952,562	2,291,468	2,289,284	320	5		1,859
El Paso.....	9,202,604	1,201,624	616,956	48,041	531	529,921	6,175
Kiowa.....	6,249,896	3,366,397	3,366,397				
Kit Carson.....	15,610,020	8,234,160	8,233,490	373	192	100	
Lincoln.....	11,306,488	4,504,715	4,489,779	25	11	14,900	
Phillips.....	7,042,735	4,500,147	4,499,687	375	85		
Washington.....	14,648,401	8,094,505	8,092,875	185		1,389	56
Yuma.....	13,234,342	6,496,746	6,482,121	4,800	75	(D)	
Total East Cent. District.....	135,253,527	61,059,038	52,994,109	1,435,066	4,438	6,610,534	14,891
Archuleta.....	1,559,135	90,938	69,494		984		20,460
Delta.....	9,177,197	3,278,172	942,077	62,335	2,246,170	26,650	940
Dolores.....	915,358	761,940	729,470		490		31,980
Garfield.....	4,691,600	613,015	484,350	1,367	122,953	(D)	1,045
Hinsdale.....	189,330	11,860	7,032		28		
La Plata.....	4,048,505	613,495	542,928	3,534	25,986	7,062	33,985
Mesa.....	14,187,615	6,476,449	2,053,927	221,205	4,010,660	179,160	11,497
Montezuma.....	4,228,864	1,638,099	1,394,278	5,037	229,058		9,726
Montrose.....	9,315,555	2,984,776	2,470,065	227,920	258,625	3,840	24,326
Ouray.....	919,440	117,330	92,217				25,113
San Juan.....							
San Miguel.....	906,063	113,397	73,151		460		39,786
Total West Cent. & S. W. District.....	50,138,662	16,699,471	8,858,989	521,398	6,895,414	220,012	203,658
Alamosa.....	3,998,451	1,857,177	1,397,102	456,925			3,150
Conejos.....	5,598,489	2,171,338	1,674,625	471,673	230		24,810
Costilla.....	3,739,834	3,087,988	895,613	2,170,321	79		21,975
Mineral.....	138,075	1,948	1,948				
Rio Grande.....	9,039,543	5,878,311	5,723,306	149,616	389	(D)	
Saguache.....	4,991,629	1,635,700	1,427,565	207,818	317		
Total S. Central District.....	27,506,021	14,632,462	11,122,159	3,456,353	1,015	3,000	49,935
Baca.....	14,260,910	9,960,144	9,872,664	87,340	140		
Bent.....	7,521,080	2,519,692	2,079,608	439,046	73	965	
Crowley.....	4,430,647	1,779,746	1,672,973	103,224	49	(D)	
Custer.....	1,409,200	112,443	107,217	1,200			4,026
Fremont.....	2,770,544	310,452	111,484	74,856	30,856	83,581	9,675
Huerfano.....	2,506,397	192,581	175,640	40	241		16,660
Las Animas.....	6,465,525	626,580	571,140	265	1,202	(D)	31,123
Otero.....	19,158,631	4,590,517	3,276,200	1,228,535	597	85,185	
Prowers.....	15,239,829	8,024,385	7,896,211	123,050	39	(D)	
Pueblo.....	11,250,410	3,528,514	2,599,695	705,338	395	216,490	6,596
Total Southeast District.....	85,013,173	31,645,054	28,362,832	2,762,894	33,592	417,656	67,080
State Total.....	579,976,095	199,830,512	172,731,719	10,621,681	7,066,561	8,993,352	417,199

¹Mostly Greenhouse & Nursery flowers, shrubs and trees.

D Data not shown to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

CORN—FOR GRAIN—1960

COUNTY	Acres ¹ Planted	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee.....	30								
Clear Creek.....									
Eagle.....	30								
Gilpin.....									
Grand.....									
Gunnison.....	20								
Jackson.....	60								
Lake.....									
Moffat.....									
Park.....									
Pitkin.....	60								
Rio Blanco.....	320								
Routt.....	20								
Summit.....									
Teller.....									
Total Northwest District.....	540								
Boulder.....	17,320	7,560	71	559,440				559,440	626,573
Jefferson.....	2,350	170	59	10,030	10	18	180	10,210	11,333
Larimer.....	21,980	7,520	75	564,000	80	15	1,200	565,200	610,416
Logan.....	36,810	22,500	67	1,507,500	1,890	14	26,460	1,533,960	1,625,998
Morgan.....	55,150	34,870	81	2,824,470	710	13	9,230	2,833,700	3,005,658
Sedgwick.....	10,610	6,150	57	350,550	1,350	17	22,950	373,500	388,440
Weld.....	90,640	32,340	76	2,450,210	1,000	17	17,000	2,467,210	2,689,259
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	231,920	111,110	74.4	8,266,200	5,040	15.3	77,020	8,343,220	8,957,677
Adams.....	13,300	2,850	75	213,750	500	14	7,000	220,750	238,410
Arapahoe.....	1,670	290	66	19,140	350	10	3,500	22,640	24,451
Cheyenne.....	1,100	60	42	2,520	730	15	10,950	13,470	13,739
Denver.....									
Douglas.....	3,190	20	47	940	10	12	120	1,060	1,166
Elbert.....	13,170				1,230	11	13,530	13,530	14,883
El Paso.....	16,650	710	55	39,050	5,180	11	56,980	96,030	109,474
Kiowa.....	1,250	300	39	11,700	690	15	10,350	22,050	22,712
Kit Carson.....	17,140	6,620	70	463,400	3,280	12	39,300	502,760	507,788
Lincoln.....	2,440	260	41	10,660	580	12	6,960	17,620	18,853
Phillips.....	15,200	520	65	33,800	11,950	15	179,250	213,050	219,442
Washington.....	10,600	2,510	67	168,170	4,130	12	49,560	217,730	222,085
Yuma.....	52,740	4,070	73	297,110	42,030	13	525,900	823,010	835,678
Total East Central District.....	148,450	18,210	69.2	1,260,240	70,660	12.8	903,400	2,163,700	2,228,681
Archuleta.....	360	80	34	2,720	20	17	340	3,060	3,825
Delta.....	8,270	2,960	66	195,360	200	16	3,200	198,560	242,243
Dolores.....	160				30	17	510	510	632
Garfield.....	2,020	200	33	6,600			6,600	6,600	7,986
Hinsdale.....									
La Plata.....	1,450	110	29	3,190	10	18	180	3,370	4,179
Mesa.....	12,650	8,370	64	535,680	440	15	6,600	542,280	667,004
Montezuma.....	1,560	200	51	10,200	30	16	480	10,680	13,350
Montrose.....	8,340	3,590	64	229,760	230	16	3,680	233,440	282,462
Ouray.....	100	10	58	580				580	708
San Juan.....									
San Miguel.....	100	20	43	860				860	1,058
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	35,010	15,540	63.4	984,950	960	15.6	14,990	999,940	1,223,447
Alamosa.....	560								
Conejos.....	400								
Costilla.....	450								
Mineral.....									
Rio Grande.....	870								
Saguache.....	250								
Total South Central District.....	2,530								
Baca.....	3,260	340	56	19,010	1,910	14	26,740	45,780	48,069
Bent.....	4,680	3,240	45	145,800	280	13	3,610	149,440	159,901
Crowley.....	5,850	4,040	55	222,200	290	14	4,060	226,260	246,623
Custer.....	160								
Fremont.....	1,720	500	48	24,000	160	11	1,760	25,760	30,397
Huerfano.....	460	30	46	1,380	10	13	130	1,510	1,721
Las Animas.....	940	140	47	6,580	200	12	2,400	8,980	9,878
Otero.....	15,210	9,730	57	554,610	780	15	11,700	566,310	617,323
Prowers.....	8,400	3,920	50	196,000	430	10	4,300	200,300	210,315
Pueblo.....	7,870	3,200	60	192,000	280	10	2,800	194,800	225,968
Total Southeast District.....	48,550	25,140	54.2	1,361,610	4,340	13.3	57,530	1,419,140	1,550,195
State Total.....	470,000	170,000	69.8	11,873,000	81,000	13.0	1,053,000	12,926,000	13,960,000

¹Corn planted for All Purpose.

WINTER WHEAT—1960

COUNTY	Acres Planted	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee.....	30	30	26	780				780	1,248
Clear Creek.....	10	10	40	400				400	668
Eagle.....									
Gilpin.....									
Grand.....	680	280	26	7,280	310	13	4,030	11,310	18,888
Gunison.....									
Jackson.....	110				100	14	1,400	1,400	2,310
Lake.....									
Moffat.....	31,570	700	32	22,400	29,610	17	503,370	525,770	888,551
Park.....									
Pitkin.....	120	110	38	4,180				4,180	6,897
Rio Blanco.....	4,550	100	30	3,000	4,310	24	103,440	106,440	178,819
Routt.....	18,560	70	29	2,030	16,630	19	315,970	318,000	531,060
Summit.....									
Teller.....									
Total Northwest District.....	55,630	1,300	30.1	40,070	50,960	18.2	928,210	968,280	1,628,441
Boulder.....	13,800	3,600	36	129,600	9,510	31	294,810	424,410	687,544
Jefferson.....	7,400	900	34	30,600	6,280	33	207,240	237,840	385,301
Larimer.....	20,970	1,800	33	59,400	17,700	25	442,500	501,900	818,097
Logan.....	154,600	1,700	30	51,000	140,530	27	3,794,310	3,845,310	6,383,215
Morgan.....	56,320	6,900	40	276,000	43,790	29	1,269,910	1,545,910	2,550,752
Sedgwick.....	66,530	700	29	20,300	57,850	27	1,561,950	1,582,250	2,642,358
Weld.....	188,860	8,200	35	289,750	167,440	27	4,520,880	4,810,630	7,793,221
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	508,380	23,800	36.0	856,650	443,100	27.3	12,001,600	12,948,250	21,260,488
Adams.....	134,240	1,500	36	54,000	124,690	30	3,740,700	3,794,700	6,147,414
Arapahoe.....	59,690	500	36	18,000	53,820	28	1,506,960	1,524,960	2,470,435
Chcyenne.....	146,000				140,160	29	4,064,640	4,064,640	6,950,534
Denver.....									
Douglas.....	10,020	30	31	930	9,190	25	229,750	230,680	373,702
Elbert.....	65,080				60,520	23	1,391,960	1,391,960	2,282,814
El Paso.....	9,000	100	31	3,100	7,910	18	142,380	145,480	235,678
Kiowa.....	182,280	620	32	19,840	173,310	25	4,332,750	4,352,590	7,486,455
Kit Carson.....	244,610	1,570	42	65,940	230,810	31	7,155,110	7,221,050	12,347,996
Lincol.....	141,450	200	32	6,400	132,760	26	3,451,760	3,458,160	5,775,127
Phillips.....	118,540				113,800	30	3,414,000	3,414,000	5,598,960
Washington.....	254,610	600	39	23,400	233,640	30	7,009,200	7,032,600	11,543,018
Yuma.....	151,720	300	40	12,000	140,800	29	4,083,200	4,095,200	6,838,984
Total East Central District.....	1,517,240	5,420	37.6	203,610	1,421,410	28.5	40,522,410	40,726,020	68,051,117
Archuleta.....	970	490	24	11,760	390	19	7,410	19,170	31,822
Delta.....	750	610	36	21,960	70	19	1,330	23,290	37,730
Dolores.....	25,550				23,510	13	305,630	305,630	501,233
Garfield.....	2,200	200	29	5,800	1,760	22	38,720	44,520	74,794
Hinsdale.....									
La Plata.....	14,680	5,300	29	153,700	8,790	19	167,010	320,710	529,172
Mesa.....	800	600	30	18,000	160	17	2,720	20,720	35,017
Montezuma.....	17,400	600	34	20,400	16,280	15	244,200	264,600	447,174
Montrose.....	1,200	1,050	37	38,850	30	20	600	39,450	63,909
Ouray.....	320	50	29	1,450	250	20	5,000	6,450	10,449
San Juan.....									
San Miguel.....	3,470	100	31	3,100	3,230	14	45,220	48,320	78,762
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	67,340	9,000	30.1	275,020	54,470	15.0	817,840	1,092,860	1,810,062
Alamosa.....									
Conejos.....									
Costilla.....									
Mineral.....									
Rio Grande.....									
Saguache.....									
Total South Central District.....									
Baca.....	258,900	6,800	32	217,600	241,740	22	5,412,030	5,629,630	9,626,667
Bent.....	14,100	6,600	43	283,800	5,240	20	101,800	388,600	652,848
Crowley.....	7,100	1,800	33	59,400	5,090	15	76,350	135,750	222,630
Custer.....	90	10	27	270	70	18	1,260	1,530	2,509
Fremont.....	620	290	28	8,120	290	19	5,510	13,630	22,626
Huerfano.....	4,490	300	25	7,500	4,060	21	85,260	92,760	152,126
Las Animas.....	13,000	100	29	2,900	11,600	16	185,600	188,500	320,450
Otero.....	4,120	3,080	37	113,960	500	23	11,500	125,460	205,754
Prowers.....	137,880	11,800	39	460,200	121,940	24	2,926,560	3,386,760	5,757,492
Pueblo.....	13,010	1,700	37	62,900	10,530	19	200,070	262,970	411,790
Total Southeast District.....	453,310	32,480	37.5	1,216,650	401,060	22.5	9,008,940	10,225,590	17,404,892
State Total.....	2,602,000	72,000	36.0	2,592,000	2,371,000	26.7	63,369,000	65,961,000	110,155,000

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

SPRING WHEAT—1960

COUNTY	Acres Planted	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee.....	50	50	26	1,300	.....	.....	.....	1,300	2,067
Clear Creek.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,660	15,456
Eagle.....	230	230	42	9,660	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gilpin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand.....	100	10	42	420	90	17	1,530	1,950	3,140
Gunnison.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jackson.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lake.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Moffat.....	2,840	300	28	8,400	2,450	17	41,650	50,050	82,082
Park.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,700	5,920
Pitkin.....	100	100	37	3,700	.....	.....	.....	15,510	17,820
Rio Blanco.....	820	60	38	2,280	740	21	.....	29,047	29,047
Routt.....	3,780	150	39	5,850	3,520	20	70,400	76,250	124,283
Summit.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Teller.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Northwest District.....	7,920	900	35.1	31,610	6,800	19.0	129,120	160,730	261,995
Boulder.....	720	520	39	20,280	180	23	4,140	24,420	38,828
Jefferson.....	300	90	28	2,520	200	20	4,000	6,520	10,367
Larimer.....	1,030	760	35	26,600	290	21	6,090	32,690	51,977
Logan.....	80	20	37	740	60	20	1,200	1,940	3,085
Morgan.....	770	460	33	15,180	220	20	4,400	19,580	31,132
Sedgwick.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Weld.....	1,700	550	40	22,000	950	20	19,000	41,000	63,550
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	4,650	2,400	36.4	87,320	1,900	20.4	38,830	126,150	198,939
Adams.....	830	300	39	11,700	430	15	6,450	18,150	29,040
Arapahoe.....	160	80	40	3,200	70	14	980	4,180	6,772
Cheyenne.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Denver.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Douglas.....	130	.....	.....	.....	100	14	1,400	1,400	2,212
Elbert.....	420	20	29	580	330	13	4,290	4,870	7,743
El Paso.....	3,210	100	27	2,700	2,600	12	31,200	33,900	53,901
Kiowa.....	830	.....	.....	.....	700	14	9,800	9,800	16,072
Kit Carson.....	1,080	.....	.....	.....	800	13	10,400	10,400	17,160
Lincoln.....	320	.....	.....	.....	220	14	3,080	3,080	5,051
Phillips.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington.....	110	.....	.....	.....	100	18	1,800	1,800	2,880
Yuma.....	160	50	30	1,500	100	18	1,800	3,300	5,346
Total East Central District.....	7,250	550	35.8	19,680	5,450	13.1	71,200	90,880	146,177
Archuleta.....	210	190	27	5,130	10	12	120	5,250	8,212
Delta.....	730	550	36	19,800	150	14	2,100	21,900	34,602
Dolores.....	310	.....	.....	.....	300	11	3,300	3,300	5,217
Garfield.....	1,810	790	35	27,650	410	17	6,970	34,620	56,431
Hinsdale.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
La Plata.....	280	200	32	6,400	50	15	750	7,150	11,226
Mesa.....	260	250	34	8,500	.....	.....	.....	8,500	13,600
Montezuma.....	390	250	38	9,500	50	13	650	10,150	16,342
Montrose.....	2,310	2,070	39	80,730	130	15	1,950	82,680	130,634
Ouray.....	90	80	33	2,640	.....	.....	.....	2,640	4,171
San Juan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Miguel.....	30	20	35	700	.....	.....	.....	700	1,113
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	6,450	4,400	36.6	161,050	1,100	14.4	15,840	176,890	281,608
Alamosa.....	520	500	35	17,500	.....	.....	.....	17,500	27,825
Conejos.....	490	470	28	13,160	.....	.....	.....	13,160	20,793
Costilla.....	450	430	26	11,180	.....	.....	.....	11,180	17,663
Mineral.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rio Grande.....	1,580	1,500	36	54,000	.....	.....	.....	54,000	86,400
Saguache.....	310	300	29	8,700	.....	.....	.....	8,700	13,833
Total South Central District.....	3,350	3,200	32.7	104,540	.....	.....	.....	104,540	166,514
Baca.....	100	100	31	3,100	100	13	1,300	1,300	2,093
Bent.....	100	50	24	1,200	10	14	140	3,100	5,022
Crowley.....	60	20	30	600	20	14	280	880	2,104
Custer.....	40	20	30	600	30	16	480	1,320	1,364
Fremont.....	60	30	28	840	30	16	480	1,320	2,046
Huerfano.....	90	60	29	1,710	20	15	300	2,010	3,182
Las Animas.....	110	40	30	1,200	60	13	780	1,980	3,109
Otero.....	200	160	28	4,480	20	15	300	4,780	7,505
Prowers.....	520	30	28	840	450	15	6,750	7,590	12,448
Pueblo.....	100	60	30	1,800	40	17	680	2,480	3,894
Total Southeast District.....	1,380	550	28.7	15,800	750	14.7	11,010	26,810	42,767
State Total.....	31,000	12,000	35.0	420,000	16,000	16.6	266,000	686,000	1,098,000

OATS—1960
(Threshed or Combined)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee.....	1,000	750	33	24,750	.....	.....	.....	24,750	18,562
Clear Creek.....									
Eagle.....	1,150	980	54	52,920	.....	.....	.....	52,920	40,738
Gilpin.....									
Grand.....	1,490	1,000	32	32,000	420	26	10,920	42,920	32,190
Gunnison.....	40	20	45	900	10	26	260	1,160	882
Jackson.....	50	30	36	1,080	10	26	260	1,340	1,018
Lake.....									
Moffat.....	1,250	110	36	3,960	690	28	19,320	23,280	18,857
Park.....	30				20	21	420	420	307
Pitkin.....	430	380	51	19,380	20	26	520	19,900	14,925
Rio Blanco.....	670	350	40	14,000	170	30	5,100	19,100	14,898
Routt.....	4,260	170	51	8,670	3,830	27	103,410	112,080	86,302
Summit.....	140	90	40	3,600	20	26	520	4,120	2,925
Teller.....	440	30	41	1,230	300	26	7,800	9,030	6,321
Total Northwest District.....	10,950	3,910	41.6	162,490	5,490	27.1	148,530	311,020	237,935
Boulder.....	4,320	3,800	57	216,600	300	27	8,100	224,700	155,043
Jefferson.....	3,020	1,050	45	47,250	760	30	22,800	70,050	47,634
Larimer.....	7,150	4,720	59	278,480	930	30	27,900	306,380	205,275
Logan.....	9,230	2,550	45	114,750	3,450	26	89,700	201,450	134,937
Morgan.....	3,930	2,690	51	137,190	850	24	20,400	157,590	102,434
Sedgwick.....	5,670	410	50	20,500	3,300	43	145,770	166,270	108,076
Weld.....	29,520	11,700	51	597,790	6,600	24	157,430	755,220	528,654
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	62,840	26,920	52.5	1,412,560	16,280	29.0	472,100	1,884,660	1,282,053
Adams.....	4,200	2,340	54	126,360	980	28	27,440	153,800	101,508
Arapahoe.....	380	40	47	1,880	280	26	7,280	9,160	6,229
Cheyenne.....	190				180	27	4,860	4,860	3,256
Denver.....									
Douglas.....	4,090	100	48	4,800	2,190	24	52,560	57,360	38,431
Elbert.....	10,460	130	46	5,980	4,890	23	112,470	118,450	80,546
El Paso.....	6,610	200	41	8,200	2,840	14	39,700	47,960	34,052
Kiowa.....	1,160				520	20	10,400	10,400	7,072
Kit Carson.....	1,770	60	48	2,880	700	28	19,600	22,480	15,062
Lincoln.....	130	30	48	1,440	90	27	2,430	3,870	2,825
Phillips.....	3,210	80	50	4,000	2,170	39	84,630	88,630	57,610
Washington.....	4,070	350	47	16,450	3,070	29	89,030	105,480	70,672
Yuma.....	1,900	70	50	3,500	1,390	32	44,480	47,980	31,667
Total East Central District.....	38,170	3,400	51.6	175,490	19,300	25.6	494,940	670,430	448,930
Archuleta.....	1,280	660	35	23,100	250	24	6,000	29,100	22,698
Delta.....	4,080	3,590	47	168,730	.....	.....	.....	168,730	123,173
Dolores.....	150				90	21	1,890	1,890	1,418
Garfield.....	2,690	1,860	45	83,700	400	23	9,200	92,900	71,533
Hinsdale.....									
La Plata.....	4,810	3,580	32	114,560	510	25	12,750	127,310	100,575
Mesa.....	6,170	4,200	45	189,000	490	20	9,800	198,800	155,064
Montezuma.....	2,780	1,360	43	58,480	450	22	9,900	68,380	51,969
Montrose.....	8,250	4,870	48	233,760	490	19	9,310	243,070	181,026
Ouray.....	890	370	36	13,320	220	20	4,400	17,720	13,290
San Juan.....									
San Miguel.....	320	210	37	7,770	.....	.....	.....	7,770	5,828
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	31,420	20,700	43.1	892,420	2,900	21.8	63,250	955,670	726,574
Alamosa.....	5,730	3,440	29	99,760	.....	.....	.....	99,760	70,830
Conejos.....	7,880	7,010	36	252,360	.....	.....	.....	252,360	176,652
Costilla.....	2,350	2,000	37	74,000	.....	.....	.....	74,000	53,280
Mineral.....									
Rio Grande.....	13,190	7,650	45	344,250	.....	.....	.....	344,250	247,860
Saguache.....	14,260	7,700	37	284,900	.....	.....	.....	284,900	207,979
Total South Central District.....	43,410	27,800	38.0	1,055,270	.....	.....	.....	1,055,270	756,601
Baca.....	360	250	43	10,750	.....	.....	.....	10,750	7,632
Bent.....	1,090	990	49	48,510	.....	.....	.....	48,510	33,957
Crowley.....	1,250	800	34	27,200	.....	.....	.....	27,200	18,768
Custer.....	1,710	830	34	28,220	450	21	9,450	37,670	29,759
Fremont.....	1,440	620	41	25,420	130	21	2,730	28,150	22,239
Huerfano.....	2,090	1,370	42	57,540	490	19	9,310	66,850	52,812
Las Animas.....	1,450	430	43	18,490	150	18	2,700	21,190	15,045
Otero.....	1,680	1,150	42	48,300	210	19	3,990	52,290	36,603
Prowers.....	1,140	900	53	47,700	150	17	2,550	50,250	37,688
Pueblo.....	2,000	930	48	44,640	450	21	9,450	54,090	38,404
Total Southeast District.....	14,210	8,270	43.1	356,770	2,030	19.8	40,180	396,950	292,907
State Total.....	201,000	91,000	44.6	4,055,000	46,000	26.5	1,219,000	5,274,000	3,745,000

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

BARLEY—1960

COUNTY	Acres Planted	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee.....	370	330	47	15,510	30	20	600	16,110	12,566
Clear Creek.....								8,320	6,573
Eagle.....	160	160	52	8,320					
Gilpin.....									
Grand.....	100	80	48	3,840	20	20	400	4,240	3,222
Gunnison.....	50	30	44	1,320	20	19	380	1,700	1,343
Jackson.....									
Lake.....									
Moffat.....	6,430	110	45	4,950	6,190	20	123,800	128,750	109,438
Park.....	40				40	20	800	800	624
Pitkin.....	200	190	45	8,550				8,550	6,840
Rio Blanco.....	2,020	190	40	7,600	1,710	25	42,750	50,350	41,790
Routt.....	10,920	30	43	1,290	10,670	22	234,740	236,030	202,986
Summit.....									
Teller.....									
Total Northwest District.....	20,290	1,120	45.9	51,380	18,680	21.6	403,470	454,850	385,382
Boulder.....	16,020	12,200	55	671,000	3,500	38	133,000	804,000	611,040
Jefferson.....	4,110	1,100	49	53,900	2,800	31	86,800	140,700	106,932
Larimer.....	22,450	15,000	55	825,000	7,000	24	168,000	993,000	754,680
Logan.....	33,930	5,300	40	212,000	23,200	24	556,800	768,800	599,664
Morgan.....	17,130	7,700	44	338,800	7,200	32	230,400	569,200	426,900
Sedgewick.....	18,310	400	36	14,400	12,600	26	327,600	342,000	253,080
Weld.....	105,880	41,500	49	2,033,310	48,500	27	1,309,500	3,342,810	2,641,009
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	217,830	83,200	49.9	4,148,410	104,800	26.4	2,812,100	6,960,510	5,393,305
Adams.....	55,500	5,400	43	232,200	46,800	29	1,361,610	1,593,810	1,147,543
Arapahoe.....	20,880	500	44	22,000	18,300	33	603,900	625,900	438,130
Cheyenne.....	7,450				7,000	27	189,000	189,000	128,520
Denver.....									
Douglas.....	1,890				1,700	20	34,000	34,000	24,480
Elbert.....	12,500				11,500	24	276,000	276,000	195,960
El Paso.....	2,670	70	34	2,380	1,930	15	28,950	31,330	22,558
Kiowa.....	7,240				5,500	22	121,000	121,000	82,280
Kit Carson.....	25,840	40	45	1,800	22,960	27	619,920	621,720	422,770
Lincoln.....	8,720	120	46	5,520	7,380	23	169,740	175,260	120,929
Phillips.....	27,630	110	36	3,960	20,890	33	689,370	693,330	492,264
Washington.....	56,320	350	46	16,100	48,650	30	1,459,500	1,475,600	1,032,920
Yuma.....	31,460	110	45	4,950	25,690	29	745,010	749,960	524,972
Total East Central District.....	258,100	6,700	43.1	288,910	218,300	28.8	6,298,000	6,556,910	4,633,326
Archuleta.....	270	200	41	8,200	50	20	1,000	9,200	7,636
Delta.....	5,310	4,710	45	211,950	490	14	6,860	218,810	188,177
Dolores.....	530				500	17	8,500	8,500	6,800
Garfield.....	3,470	3,000	47	141,000	400	19	7,600	148,600	126,310
Hinsdale.....									
La Plata.....	4,950	3,700	38	140,600	1,000	20	20,000	160,600	136,510
Mesa.....	2,060	1,750	39	68,250	250	14	3,500	71,750	60,988
Montezuma.....	2,530	1,800	48	86,400	700	17	11,900	98,300	80,606
Montrose.....	7,650	7,400	50	370,000	100	13	1,300	371,300	304,466
Ouray.....	160	110	50	5,500	50	15	750	6,250	5,125
San Juan.....									
San Miguel.....	820	750	52	39,000	40	24	960	39,960	32,767
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	27,750	23,420	45.7	1,070,900	3,580	17.4	62,370	1,133,270	949,385
Alamosa.....	5,910	5,200	32	166,400				166,400	126,464
Conejos.....	12,500	12,000	44	528,000				528,000	396,000
Costilla.....	4,420	4,200	38	159,600				159,600	119,700
Mineral.....									
Rio Grande.....	13,370	12,300	45	553,500				553,500	426,195
Saguache.....	4,690	4,500	57	256,500				256,500	194,910
Total South Central District.....	40,890	38,200	43.6	1,664,000				1,664,000	1,263,299
Baca.....	20,000	180	27	4,860	14,820	18	266,760	271,620	192,850
Bent.....	2,440	1,750	34	59,500	150	22	9,900	69,400	52,744
Crowley.....	2,590	1,750	26	45,500	450	16	7,200	52,700	40,579
Custer.....	610	320	36	11,520	280	22	6,160	17,680	13,437
Fremont.....	1,430	960	37	35,520	440	21	9,240	44,760	34,465
Huerfano.....	1,460	1,100	38	41,800	200	20	4,000	45,800	35,266
Las Animas.....	2,500	1,100	26	28,600	1,100	16	17,600	46,200	33,726
Otero.....	3,370	2,700	28	75,600	100	18	1,800	77,400	58,050
Prowers.....	17,650	5,300	37	196,100	9,700	23	223,100	419,200	293,440
Pueblo.....	5,090	2,200	42	92,400	2,100	23	48,300	140,700	109,746
Total Southeast District.....	57,140	17,360	34.1	591,400	29,610	20.0	594,060	1,185,460	864,303
State Total.....	622,000	170,000	46.0	7,815,000	375,000	27.0	10,170,000	17,985,000	13,489,000

STATE OF COLORADO

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POTATOES—1960

COUNTY	Acres Planted	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
		Acres Harvested	Cwt. Per Acre	Production Cwt.	Acres Harvested	Cwt. Per Acre	Production Cwt.	Production Cwt.	Value Dollars
Chaffee.....	50	50	170	8,500				8,500	15,810
Clear Creek.....	480	470	190	89,300				89,300	177,707
Eagle.....									
Gilpin.....									
Grand.....	10	10	110	1,100				1,100	2,266
Gunnison.....	30	30	130	3,900				3,900	7,293
Jackson.....									
Lake.....									
Moffat.....	50	40	110	4,400	10	40	400	4,800	9,888
Park.....	10	10	100	1,000				1,000	1,740
Pitkin.....	60	60	190	11,400				11,400	21,204
Rio Blanco.....									
Routt.....	60	30	100	3,000	30	20	600	3,600	7,452
Summit.....									
Teller.....	10				10	25	250	250	440
Total Northwest District.....	760	700	175	122,600	50	25	1,250	123,850	243,800
Boulder.....									
Jefferson.....	10				10	40	400	400	788
Larimer.....	210	200	195	39,000				39,000	76,830
Logan.....	50	40	220	8,800	10	45	450	9,250	18,962
Morgan.....	2,290	2,220	240	532,800				532,800	1,070,928
Sedgwick.....	790	710	230	163,300	50	65	3,250	166,550	334,766
Weld.....	11,490	11,180	215	2,403,700	80	40	3,200	2,406,900	4,837,869
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	14,840	14,350	219	3,147,600	150	49	7,300	3,154,900	6,340,143
Adams.....	120	110	210	23,100					23,100
Arapahoe.....									
Cheyenne.....									
Denver.....									
Douglas.....									
Elbert.....									
El Paso.....	10	10	170	1,700				1,700	3,349
Kiowa.....									
Kit Carson.....									
Lincoln.....									
Phillips.....	50	50	210	10,500				10,500	21,000
Washington.....	20	10	195	1,950	10	40	400	2,350	4,606
Yuma.....	10	10	160	1,600					1,600
Total East Central District.....	210	190	204	38,850	10	40	400	39,250	80,617
Archuleta.....									
Delta.....	70	70	205	14,350				14,350	26,691
Dolores.....	20				20	25	500	500	960
Garfield.....	120	110	220	24,200	10	20	200	24,400	49,776
Hinsdale.....									
La Plata.....	60	50	200	10,000	10	45	450	10,450	21,214
Mesa.....	160	160	195	31,200				31,200	60,528
Montezuma.....	210	160	200	32,000	40	40	1,600	33,600	67,536
Montrose.....	520	490	190	93,100	10	30	300	93,400	185,866
Ouray.....	10	10	190	1,900				1,900	3,895
San Juan.....									
San Miguel.....	10	10	150	1,500				1,500	2,880
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	1,180	1,060	196	208,250	90	34	3,050	211,300	419,346
Alamosa.....	5,680	5,450	210	1,144,500				1,144,500	2,323,335
Conejos.....	4,610	4,520	215	971,800				971,800	1,914,446
Costilla.....	2,550	2,500	215	537,500				537,500	1,064,250
Mineral.....									
Rio Grande.....	20,910	20,500	211	4,333,200				4,333,200	8,753,846
Saguache.....	6,050	5,930	225	1,334,250				1,334,250	2,681,842
Total South Central District.....	39,800	38,900	214	8,321,250				8,321,250	16,737,719
Baca.....	30	30	150	4,500				4,500	8,820
Bent.....	90	90	160	14,400				14,400	28,224
Crowley.....	10	10	95	950				950	1,910
Custer.....									
Fremont.....									
Huerfano.....									
Las Animas.....									
Otero.....	350	340	135	45,900				45,900	89,964
Prowers.....									
Pueblo.....	30	30	190	5,700				5,700	11,457
Total Southeast District.....	510	500	143	71,450				71,450	140,375
State Total.....	57,300	55,700	214	11,910,000	300	40	12,000	11,922,000	23,962,000

BEANS (DRY)—1960

COUNTY	Acres Planted	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
		Acres Harv.	Pounds Per Acre ¹	Production 100-Lb. Bags ¹	Acres Harv.	Pounds Per Acre ¹	Production 100-Lb. Bags ¹	Production 100-Lb. Bags ¹	Value Dollars
Chaffee.....									
Clear Creek.....									
Eagle.....									
Gilpin.....									
Grand.....									
Gunnison.....									
Jackson.....									
Lake.....									
Moffat.....									
Park.....									
Pitkin.....									
Rio Blanco.....									
Routt.....									
Summit.....									
Teller.....									
Total Northwest District.....									
Boulder.....	620	480	1,730	8,304	120	220	264	8,568	60,576
Jefferson.....									
Larimer.....	3,330	2,800	1,760	49,280	400	210	840	50,120	353,346
Logan.....	2,190	2,000	1,510	30,200	100	220	220	30,420	217,199
Morgan.....	9,380	8,900	1,720	153,080	100	240	240	153,320	1,080,906
Sedgwick.....	4,090	3,550	1,510	53,605	250	230	575	54,180	379,260
Weld.....	47,730	45,770	1,730	790,443	530	220	1,166	791,609	5,622,645
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	67,340	63,500	1,709	1,084,912	1,500	220	3,305	1,088,217	7,713,932
Adams.....	1,150	500	1,630	8,150	600	200	1,200	9,350	64,889
Arapahoe.....	210	50	1,460	730	150	200	300	1,030	7,107
Cheyenne.....									
Denver.....									
Douglas.....									
Elbert.....	1,150				1,100	180	1,980	1,980	13,662
El Paso.....	9,130	10	720	72	8,390	180	15,102	15,174	105,459
Kiowa.....	10				10	150	15	15	103
Kit Carson.....	90	60	1,210	726	30	150	45	771	5,320
Lincoln.....	2,450	330	1,150	3,795	2,020	200	4,040	7,835	54,140
Phillips.....									
Washington.....	1,250	880	1,620	14,256	220	230	506	14,762	101,858
Yuma.....	170	70	1,700	1,190	80	250	200	1,390	9,660
Total East Central District.....	15,610	1,900	1,522	28,919	12,600	186	23,388	52,307	362,198
Archuleta.....									
Delta.....	1,930	1,650	1,570	25,905	200	200	400	26,305	173,613
Dolores.....	37,760				36,250	280	101,500	101,500	710,500
Garfield.....									
Hinsdale.....									
La Plata.....	6,360	100	930	930	6,000	270	16,200	17,130	118,197
Mesa.....	1,250	900	1,360	12,240	300	140	420	12,660	83,556
Montezuma.....	55,280	350	1,100	3,850	52,950	280	148,085	151,935	1,063,545
Montrose.....	8,510	7,900	1,460	115,340	300	240	720	116,060	771,799
Ouray.....									
San Juan.....									
San Miguel.....	4,270	100	980	980	4,000	290	11,600	12,580	85,544
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	115,390	11,000	1,448	159,245	100,000	279	278,925	438,170	3,006,754
Alamosa.....									
Conejos.....	50	50	1,210	605				605	3,957
Costilla.....	540	520	1,130	5,876				5,876	38,312
Mineral.....									
Rio Grande.....	10	10	1,180	118				118	771
Saguache.....	20	20	1,200	240				240	1,570
Total South Central District.....	620	600	1,140	6,839				6,839	44,610
Baca.....	1,080	650	920	5,980	350	250	875	6,855	46,614
Bent.....	50	30	880	264	20	210	42	306	2,081
Crowley.....	6,630	1,800	1,280	23,040	4,300	230	9,890	32,930	223,924
Custer.....	20	20	880	176				176	1,170
Fremont.....	110				100	210	210	210	1,386
Huerfano.....	220				200	210	420	420	2,814
Las Animas.....	2,310	2,150	1,380	29,670	100	260	260	29,930	205,020
Otero.....	160	100	980	980	50	250	125	1,105	7,459
Prowers.....	18,430	3,250	1,630	52,975	12,780	200	25,560	78,535	534,038
Total Southeast District.....	29,040	8,000	1,414	113,085	17,900	209	37,382	150,467	1,024,506
State Total.....	228,000	85,000	1,639	1,393,000	132,000	260	343,000	1,736,000	12,152,000

¹Cleaned basis.

SUGAR BEETS AND BROOMCORN, 1960
SUGAR BEETS—IRRIGATED

COUNTY ¹	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Value ² Dollars
Boulder.....	3,061	100	3,061	18.5	56,630	712,972
Jefferson.....						
Larimer.....	10,116	98	9,951	17.0	168,882	2,126,224
Logan.....	11,010	99	10,922	17.9	195,756	2,464,568
Morgan.....	22,186	97	21,628	19.0	410,168	5,164,015
Sedgwick.....	4,371	99	4,356	17.9	78,086	983,103
Weld.....	73,968	99	73,590	18.2	1,338,549	16,863,394
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	124,712	99	123,508	18.2	2,248,071	28,314,276
Adams.....	2,939	98	2,904	17.2	49,958	628,971
Arapahoe.....	34	88	30	10.5	314	3,953
Cheyenne.....						
Denver.....						
Douglas.....						
Elbert.....						
El Paso.....						
Kiowa.....						
Kit Carson.....	539	87	467	17.4	8,135	102,420
Lincoln.....						
Phillips.....						
Washington.....	833	100	833	20.3	16,876	212,469
Yuma.....						
Total East Central District.....	4,345	97	4,234	17.8	75,283	947,813
Archuleta.....						
Delta.....	869	93	811	16.0	12,973	151,395
Doiores.....						
Garfield.....	144	95	137	12.6	1,731	20,201
Hinsdale.....						
La Plata.....						
Mesa.....	3,532	98	3,469	18.6	64,423	751,816
Montezuma.....						
Montrose.....	1,462	95	1,392	16.1	22,424	261,688
Ouray.....	79	100	79	15.3	1,208	14,097
San Juan.....						
San Miguel.....						
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	6,086	97	5,888	17.5	102,759	1,199,198
Alamosa.....	189	94	178	8.8	1,575	17,798
Conejos.....	111	75	83	8.1	673	7,605
Costilla.....						
Mineral.....						
Rio Grande.....	27	100	27	11.1	301	3,401
Saguache.....						
Total South Central District.....	327	88	288	8.9	2,549	28,804
Baca.....	1,470	100	1,470	13.4	19,730	222,949
Bent.....	1,834	96	1,759	15.1	26,561	300,173
Crowley.....	2,960	94	2,772	16.4	45,585	508,273
Custer.....						
Fremont.....						
Huerfano.....						
Las Animas.....	511	96	489	12.9	6,305	71,246
Otero.....	6,874	99	6,788	16.7	113,155	1,278,652
Prowers.....	3,735	100	3,735	14.5	54,172	612,144
Pueblo.....	4,246	98	4,169	16.0	66,827	752,472
Total Southeast District.....	21,630	98	21,182	15.7	332,338	3,745,909
State Total.....	157,100	99	155,100	17.8	2,761,000	34,236,000

¹N. W. District omitted, no acreage or production.²Does not include Government payments under the Sugar Act. The Colorado payments, excluding abandonment and deficiency payments amounted to \$2.37 per ton in 1959 and \$2.52 in 1960.

BROOMCORN—IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production Tons	Value Dollars
Baca.....	46,670	92	42,770	240	5,156	1,650,615
El Paso.....	110	91	100	200	10	3,100
Las Animas.....	700	93	650	250	81	25,515
Prowers.....	350	91	320	210	34	10,880
Pueblo.....	170	94	160	240	19	5,890
State Total.....	48,000	92	44,000	240	5,300	1,696,000

RYE—AND SORGHUM FORAGE—1960

COUNTY	RYE					SORGHUM FORAGE ¹			
	Acres		Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushel	Value Dollars	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Value Dollars
	Planted	Harvested							
Chaffee									
Clear Creek									
Eagle	60	20	11	220	165				
Gilpin									
Grand	100	40	9	360	270				
Gunnison	20	10	10	100	74				
Jackson									
Lake									
Moffat	670	200	8	1,600	1,184				
Park									
Pitkin									
Rio Blanco	10	10	10	100	78				
Routt	80	40	8	320	246				
Summit									
Teller									
Total Northwest District	80	30	9	270	194				
	1,020	350	8.5	2,970	2,211				
Boulder									
Jefferson	270	40	16	610	480	.30	.7	.20	430
Larimer	200	30	17	510	377	.200	.7	.140	3,010
Logan	150	30	13	390	289	.60	.8	.50	1,000
Morgan	3,780	2,800	15	42,000	31,920	6,100	.6	3,660	73,200
Sedgwick	2,630	1,550	17	26,350	20,026	3,700	.7	2,590	55,680
Weld	970	650	19	12,350	9,880	2,920	.9	2,630	55,230
Total North Central and N. E. District	5,200	3,900	17	66,300	51,714	5,000	.7	3,500	70,000
	13,200	9,000	16.5	148,540	114,686	18,010	.70	12,590	258,550
Adams	3,730	1,900	20	38,000	28,880	2,200	.7	1,540	34,650
Arapahoe	1,900	990	20	19,800	15,048	2,600	.8	2,080	46,800
Cheyenne	4,730	2,600	16	41,600	29,952	18,160	.7	12,710	235,140
Denver									
Douglas	1,090	60	15	900	648	400	.9	360	8,640
Elbert	13,120	2,100	13	27,300	19,110	11,380	.6	6,830	140,010
El Paso	3,550	1,350	13	17,550	12,460	14,600	.6	8,760	210,240
Kiowa	11,050	4,350	13	56,550	41,847	16,950	.9	15,260	268,320
Kit Carson	10,200	5,100	18	91,800	67,014	37,420	.8	28,660	573,200
Lincoln	2,300	1,750	14	24,500	17,395	18,430	.6	11,060	243,320
Phillips	9,260	5,000	19	95,000	69,350	6,060	.8	4,850	99,420
Washington	16,390	10,000	19	190,000	148,179	22,920	.7	16,040	328,820
Yuma	12,620	8,200	15	123,000	88,560	28,090	.7	19,660	393,200
Total East Central District	89,940	43,400	16.7	726,000	538,443	179,210	.71	127,810	2,581,760
Archuleta									
Delta	60	30	13	390	292	60	.9	50	1,100
Dolores	130	60	21	1,260	945	30	1.8	50	1,100
Garfield									
Hinsdale	400	150	18	2,700	2,025	80	.9	70	1,500
La Plata									
Mesa	840	260	11	2,860	2,145	70	.9	60	1,320
Montezuma	760	190	19	3,610	2,708	320	1.8	580	12,470
Montrose	110	40	19	760	562	10	.9	10	220
Ouray	470	150	24	3,600	2,700	170	1.6	270	6,080
San Juan	60	20	18	360	263	40	.9	40	920
San Miguel									
Total West Central & S. W. District	2,830	900	17.3	15,540	11,640	810	1.42	1,150	25,140
Alamosa									
Conejos	20	10	20	200	140	40	.7	30	630
Costilla	490	340	27	9,180	6,334	30	.7	20	420
Mineral									
Rio Grande									
Saguache									
Total South Central District	510	350	26.8	9,380	6,474	250	.76	190	3,990
Baca	11,710	8,200	11	90,200	63,140	23,250	.8	18,600	344,100
Bent	500	250	19	4,750	3,420	12,110	1.3	15,740	267,580
Crowley	2,930	2,200	16	35,200	24,640	6,650	1.6	10,640	212,800
Custer	240	100	15	1,500	1,065	160	.8	130	3,060
Fremont	100	40	17	680	496	120	.8	100	2,400
Huerfano	120	50	12	600	432	380	.6	230	5,180
Las Animas	1,110	500	9	4,500	3,195	4,570	.8	3,660	65,880
Otero	400	160	24	3,840	2,726	1,120	1.7	1,900	33,250
Prowers	5,180	4,400	17	74,800	55,352	24,840	1.0	24,840	434,700
Pueblo	210	100	15	1,500	1,080	5,520	.8	4,420	90,610
Total Southeast District	22,500	16,000	13.6	217,570	155,546	78,720	1.02	80,260	1,450,560
State Total	130,000	70,000	16.0	1,120,000	829,000	277,000	.80	222,000	4,329,000

¹Excludes Silage.

ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN—1960

COUNTY	Acres Planted	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee.									
Clear Creek.									
Eagle.									
Gilpin.									
Grand.									
Gunnison.									
Jackson.									
Lake.									
Moffat.									
Park.									
Pitkin.									
Rio Blanco.									
Routt.									
Summit.									
Teller.									
Total Northwest District.									
Boulder.	80	40	57	2,280				2,280	2,029
Jefferson.	340	50	40	2,000	40	13	520	2,520	2,243
Larimer.	170	60	50	3,000	10	11	110	3,110	2,892
Logan.	14,280	850	44	37,400	3,350	10	33,500	70,900	63,810
Morgan.	10,900	350	45	15,750	3,290	10	32,900	48,650	44,758
Sedgwick.	12,900	250	52	13,000	7,690	14	107,660	120,660	107,387
Weld.	14,810	710	45	31,950	1,900	15	28,500	60,450	56,823
Total North Central and N. E. District.	53,480	2,310	45.6	105,380	16,280	12.5	203,190	308,570	279,942
Adams.	5,060	310	37	11,470	1,770	11	19,470	30,940	28,155
Arapahoe.	4,430	150	37	5,550	1,210	10	12,100	17,650	15,885
Cheyenne.	39,170	340	47	15,980	15,070	12	180,840	196,820	165,329
Denver.									
Douglas.	620	30	41	1,230	80	11	880	2,110	1,941
Elbert.	16,520				2,120	11	23,320	23,320	21,454
El Paso.	21,110	90	39	3,510	3,370	15	50,550	54,060	49,735
Kiowa.	65,540	730	49	35,770	37,850	14	529,900	565,670	469,506
Kit Carson.	81,000	2,560	58	148,480	27,330	13	355,290	503,770	418,129
Lincoln.	31,010	300	43	12,900	10,180	15	132,700	165,600	149,040
Phillips.	24,900	400	63	25,200	15,480	16	247,680	272,880	248,321
Washington.	33,660	200	42	8,400	5,960	10	59,600	68,000	58,480
Yuma.	84,160	1,770	63	111,510	46,080	12	552,960	664,470	558,155
Total East Central District.	407,180	6,880	55.2	380,000	166,500	13.1	2,185,290	2,565,290	2,184,130
Archuleta.	120								
Delta.	100	20	53	1,060				1,060	975
Dolores.	100				60	13	780	780	702
Garfield.	150	20	51	1,020					1,020
Hinsdale.									938
La Plata.	140				40	14	560	560	504
Mesa.	1,910	1,370	58	79,460	30	14	420	79,880	75,087
Montezuma.	60				30	14	420	420	378
Montrose.	270	30	53	1,590					1,590
Ouray.	50								1,431
San Juan.									
San Miguel.									
Total West Central & S. W. District.	2,900	1,440	57.7	83,130	160	13.6	2,180	85,310	80,015
Alamosa.	170								
Conejos.	70								
Costilla.	100								
Mineral.									
Rio Grande.	210								
Saguache.									
Total South Central District.	550								
Baca.	103,200	6,490	52	337,480	63,320	13	827,690	1,165,170	967,091
Bent.	37,440	18,600	50	930,000	2,300	13	29,900	959,900	806,316
Crowley.	19,370	8,160	51	416,160	1,540	13	20,020	436,180	379,477
Custer.	280	30	46	1,380	70	14	980	2,360	2,100
Fremont.	300	80	41	3,280	20	13	260	3,540	3,292
Huerfano.	670	50	41	2,050	120	14	1,680	3,730	3,282
Las Animas.	7,820	380	40	15,200	2,060	13	26,780	41,980	34,843
Otero.	12,850	9,110	51	464,610	360	15	5,400	470,010	413,608
Prowers.	104,240	43,470	51	2,214,330	24,140	12	289,680	2,504,010	2,100,349
Pueblo.	13,720	3,000	49	147,000	3,130	15	46,950	193,950	174,555
Total Southeast District.	299,890	89,370	50.7	4,531,490	97,060	12.9	1,249,340	5,780,830	4,884,913
State Total.	764,000	100,000	51.0	5,100,000	280,000	13.0	3,640,000	8,740,000	7,429,000

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

HAY—1960

COUNTY	ALFALFA HAY (Including Mixtures)			WILD HAY			ALL HAY ¹		
	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Harvested	Production Tons	Total Value Dollars
Chaffee.	7,000	2.2	15,400	1,190	1.2	1,428	12,990	23,068	553,632
Clear Creek.	.	.	.	160	.9	144	460	324	8,748
Eagle.	13,000	2.3	29,900	500	1.0	500	25,500	48,400	1,258,400
Gilpin.	70	1.6	112	300	.9	270	370	382	10,696
Grand.	1,080	1.6	1,728	4,800	1.2	5,760	32,680	39,648	951,552
Gunnison.	1,000	1.7	1,700	8,090	1.5	12,135	36,390	43,865	1,096,625
Jackson.	150	1.6	240	81,000	1.0	81,000	86,150	86,240	1,897,280
Lake.	.	.	.	2,400	.9	2,160	2,900	2,910	64,020
Moffat.	11,800	1.3	15,340	5,200	.9	4,680	22,300	25,850	620,400
Park.	.	.	.	36,500	.9	32,850	38,800	34,460	861,500
Pitkin.	10,300	2.1	21,630	820	1.2	984	13,620	26,114	548,394
Rio Blanco.	12,800	1.5	19,200	3,300	1.7	5,610	27,000	37,890	947,250
Routt.	12,300	1.0	12,300	2,400	.8	1,920	46,800	49,543	1,139,489
Summit.	.	.	.	510	.7	357	7,010	7,507	202,689
Teller.	500	1.4	700	1,030	.9	927	2,530	2,527	68,229
Total Northwest District.	70,000	1.69	118,250	148,200	1.02	150,725	355,500	428,728	10,228,904
Boulder.	18,900	2.8	52,920	1,810	1.2	2,172	26,010	63,042	1,702,134
Jefferson.	7,900	2.5	19,750	1,900	.9	1,710	13,100	25,420	686,310
Larimer.	36,500	2.9	105,850	7,250	1.1	7,975	50,500	121,925	3,018,125
Logan.	28,900	2.8	80,920	7,050	1.3	9,165	50,450	106,035	2,438,805
Morgan.	28,500	2.8	79,800	2,500	1.3	3,250	35,800	89,290	2,232,250
Sedgwick.	4,100	2.5	10,250	2,890	1.2	3,468	9,830	17,138	394,067
Weld.	110,000	3.2	352,075	14,200	.9	12,782	142,700	337,057	8,902,311
Total North Central and N. E. District.	234,800	2.99	701,565	37,600	1.08	40,522	328,400	809,907	19,401,032
Adams.	17,900	2.8	50,120	1,800	1.4	2,520	22,500	57,120	1,428,000
Arapahoe.	5,400	1.8	9,720	1,310	1.1	1,441	8,310	13,401	335,025
Cheyenne.	300	2.0	600	400	.9	360	2,010	1,746	38,412
Denver.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Douglas.	11,400	2.1	23,940	2,340	1.3	3,012	17,960	31,624	822,224
Elbert.	12,300	1.6	19,680	3,550	1.0	3,550	21,550	28,360	737,360
El Paso.	9,400	1.8	16,920	6,800	1.1	7,480	26,200	35,400	885,000
Kiowa.	600	1.9	1,140	150	.8	120	2,210	2,282	50,204
Kit Carson.	1,850	2.9	5,365	1,800	1.1	1,980	8,610	14,289	328,647
Lincoln.	2,450	2.9	7,105	2,300	.9	2,070	9,400	12,430	310,750
Phillips.	2,900	1.9	5,510	950	.9	855	8,400	10,005	230,115
Washington.	10,900	2.1	22,890	6,300	.9	5,670	30,100	40,170	964,080
Yuma.	11,100	2.0	22,200	7,500	1.0	7,500	28,150	38,295	880,785
Total East Central District.	86,500	2.14	185,190	35,200	1.04	36,588	185,400	285,122	7,010,602
Archuleta.	5,000	1.5	7,500	1,100	1.2	1,320	15,000	15,940	382,560
Delta.	22,600	2.5	56,500	1,200	1.7	2,010	28,650	66,785	1,736,410
Dolores.	350	1.6	560	40	1.1	44	840	1,009	24,216
Garfield.	38,500	1.9	73,150	560	1.3	728	41,010	77,244	1,931,100
Hinsdale.	50	1.5	75	2,050	.9	1,845	3,330	3,765	94,125
La Plata.	15,000	1.8	27,000	800	1.3	1,010	22,700	37,700	980,200
Mesa.	41,500	2.7	112,050	150	2.0	300	47,350	123,180	2,956,320
Montezuma.	14,200	2.3	32,660	550	1.2	660	19,250	40,520	1,013,000
Montrose.	24,300	2.5	60,750	890	1.4	1,246	31,980	73,539	1,764,936
Ouray.	1,850	2.2	4,070	460	1.2	552	14,210	24,852	621,300
San Juan.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
San Miguel.	2,200	1.8	3,960	300	1.5	450	3,300	5,370	128,880
Total West Central & S. W. District.	165,550	2.28	378,275	8,100	1.26	10,225	227,650	469,904	11,633,047
Alamosa.	21,900	1.8	39,420	12,500	.9	11,250	37,800	54,750	1,314,000
Conejos.	30,950	1.6	49,520	15,000	1.1	16,500	51,850	72,510	1,667,730
Costilla.	6,100	2.2	13,420	1,250	1.1	1,375	9,150	17,135	394,105
Mineral.	.	.	.	1,350	1.0	1,350	2,050	1,770	42,480
Rio Grande.	38,800	1.8	69,840	10,500	1.3	13,650	55,500	92,170	2,119,910
Saguache.	22,600	1.7	38,420	24,000	1.0	24,000	51,600	68,920	1,723,000
Total South Central District.	120,350	1.75	210,620	64,600	1.05	68,125	207,950	307,255	7,261,225
Baca.	3,100	1.8	5,580	300	.8	240	5,750	7,230	166,290
Bent.	21,300	2.4	51,120	250	1.0	250	22,470	52,750	1,213,250
Crowley.	11,000	2.8	30,800	20	1.0	20	11,920	32,170	772,080
Custer.	2,600	2.3	5,980	1,200	1.2	1,440	15,800	24,220	629,720
Fremont.	7,100	2.2	15,620	1,150	1.0	1,150	10,850	20,150	544,050
Huerfano.	13,000	1.9	21,700	1,760	1.3	2,288	19,360	34,808	835,392
Las Animas.	16,000	1.6	25,600	3,630	1.4	5,082	26,730	39,202	862,444
Otero.	22,200	2.5	55,500	40	1.5	60	22,790	56,495	1,355,880
Prowers.	38,500	2.6	100,100	500	1.4	700	39,500	101,150	2,326,450
Pueblo.	17,000	2.3	39,100	450	1.3	585	19,930	42,909	1,115,634
Total Southeast District.	151,800	2.33	354,100	9,300	1.27	11,815	195,100	411,084	9,821,190
State Total.	829,000	2.35	1,948,000	303,000	1.05	318,000	1,500,000	2,712,000	65,359,000

¹Includes Other Tame Hay (Millet and Sudan, Small Grains for Hay, Clo-Tim, and Misc.)

WINTER WHEAT, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1961 (Preliminary)

COUNTY	Acres Planted ¹	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels ² Per Acre	Production Bushels
Chaffee.	30	100	30	25.0	750
Clear Creek.	30	100	30	30.0	900
Eagle.	710	70	500	23.5	11,770
Gilpin.	100	90	90	17.0	1,530
Grand.	31,670	96	30,400	18.0	554,400
Gunnison.	110	95	100	26.0	2,600
Jacksoo.	4,340	90	3,910	21.0	82,470
Lake.	20,850	99	20,640	23.0	475,080
Moffat.					
Park.					
Pitkin.					
Rio Blanco.					
Routt.					
Summit.					
Teller.					
Total Northwest District.	57,840	96	55,700	20.5	1,129,500
Boulder.	12,950	99	12,820	31.0	393,770
Jefferson.	7,550	96	7,250	34.0	246,030
Larimer.	20,320	95	19,300	23.0	442,800
Logan.	155,190	97	150,530	25.0	3,758,790
Morgan.	56,940	88	50,110	22.0	1,116,950
Sedgwick.	65,400	98	64,090	26.0	1,668,080
Weld.	179,680	94	168,900	25.0	4,274,040
Total North Central and N. E. District.	498,030	95	473,000	25.0	11,900,460
Adams.	134,900	92	124,110	28.0	3,495,160
Arapahoe.	61,060	93	56,790	28.0	1,597,080
Cheyenne.	138,010	95	131,010	23.0	3,013,710
Denver.	9,530	97	9,240	27.0	249,630
Douglas.	65,050	92	59,850	21.0	1,256,850
Elbert.	9,430	83	7,830	17.0	134,430
Kiowa.	188,000	90	168,370	21.0	3,542,920
Kit Carson.	246,060	96	236,220	18.0	4,271,640
Lincoln.	139,310	93	125,380	19.0	2,384,500
Phillips.	121,940	98	119,500	32.0	3,824,000
Washiotgo.	255,560	96	245,340	24.0	5,957,090
Yuma.	152,460	96	146,360	25.0	3,659,620
Total East Central District.	1,521,310	94	1,430,000	23.5	33,386,630
Archuleta.	1,070	90	960	24.0	23,060
Delta.	260	90	230	32.0	7,440
Dolores.	26,280	97	25,490	13.0	331,370
Garfield.	2,620	96	2,520	17.0	43,400
Hinsdale.					
La Plata.	14,510	95	13,810	23.0	312,900
Mesa.	630	90	570	28.0	16,150
Montezuma.	16,770	93	15,600	18.5	289,060
Montrose.	1,320	85	1,120	30.0	33,100
Ouray.	310	95	290	18.0	5,100
San Juan.					
San Miguel.	2,180	97	2,110	16.0	33,300
Total West Central & S. W. District.	65,980	95	62,700	17.5	1,094,880
Alamosa.					
Conejos.					
Costilla.					
Mineral.					
Rio Grande.					
Saguache.					
Total South Central District.					
Baca.	258,580	95	245,650	20.0	5,020,380
Bent.	16,500	90	14,850	25.0	372,170
Crowley.	10,900	36	3,920	27.0	105,700
Custer.	80	90	70	16.0	1,140
Fremont.	830	83	690	28.0	19,260
Huerfano.	3,940	97	3,820	24.0	90,290
Las Animas.	13,680	97	13,270	19.0	253,950
Otero.	4,310	86	3,730	35.0	130,960
Prowers.	134,210	90	121,080	20.0	2,396,100
Pueblo.	15,780	92	14,520	20.0	287,580
Total Southeast District.	458,840	92	421,600	20.5	8,677,530
State Total.	2,602,000	94	2,443,000	23.0	56,189,000

¹Planted fall of preceding year.²Yields per acre by counties derived from irrigated and non-irrigated production.

SUGAR BEETS—IRRIGATED—1961 (Preliminary)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons
Chaffee.					
Clear Creek.					
Eagle.					
Gilpin.					
Grand.					
Gunnison.					
Jackson.					
Lake.					
Moffat.					
Park.					
Pitkin.					
Rio Blanco.					
Routt.					
Summit.					
Teller.					
Total Northwest District.					
Boulder.	3,922	98	3,850	16.4	63,061
Jefferson.					
Larimer.	11,107	97	10,768	13.8	148,740
Logan.	13,735	97	13,336	14.6	195,423
Morgan.	26,720	96	25,708	16.0	410,304
Sedgwick.	5,261	99	5,209	16.6	86,366
Weld.	79,961	95	75,925	14.5	1,101,091
Total North Central and N. E. District.	140,756	96	134,796	14.9	2,004,985
Adams.	3,631	96	3,499	13.7	48,074
Arapahoe.					
Cheyenne.					
Denver.					
Douglas.					
Elbert.					
El Paso.					
Kiowa.					
Kit Carson.	1,520	96	1,454	12.9	18,801
Lincoln.					
Phillips.					
Washington.	1,058	96	1,018	13.2	13,477
Yuma.					
Total East Central District.	6,209	96	5,971	13.5	80,352
Archuleta.					
Delta.	701	98	685	18.7	12,825
Dolores.					
Garfield.	108	100	108	12.0	1,295
Hinsdale.					
La Plata.					
Mesa.	3,644	99	3,609	22.5	81,226
Montezuma.					
Montrose.	1,377	99	1,366	17.7	24,207
Ouray.	76	100	76	3.5	267
San Juan.					
San Miguel.					
Total West Central & S. W. District.	5,906	99	5,844	20.5	119,820
Alamosa.	59	100	59	8.5	503
Conejos.	62	90	56	10.4	584
Costilla.					
Mineral.					
Rio Grande.	21	100	21	7.0	148
Saguache.					
Total South Central District.	142	96	136	9.1	1,235
Baca.	1,406	99	1,389	15.9	22,043
Bent.	1,951	100	1,949	12.0	23,437
Crowley.	1,949	90	1,755	9.2	16,164
Custer.					
Fremont.					
Huerfano.					
Las Animas.	494	95	469	11.8	5,527
Otero.	7,006	98	6,842	12.7	87,103
Prowers.	4,325	93	4,008	11.9	47,661
Pueblo.	4,056	97	3,941	12.1	47,673
Total Southeast District.	21,187	96	20,353	12.3	249,608
State Total.	174,200	96	167,100	14.7	2,456,000

MORAVIAN (MALTING) BARLEY¹—1960-1961

By Counties

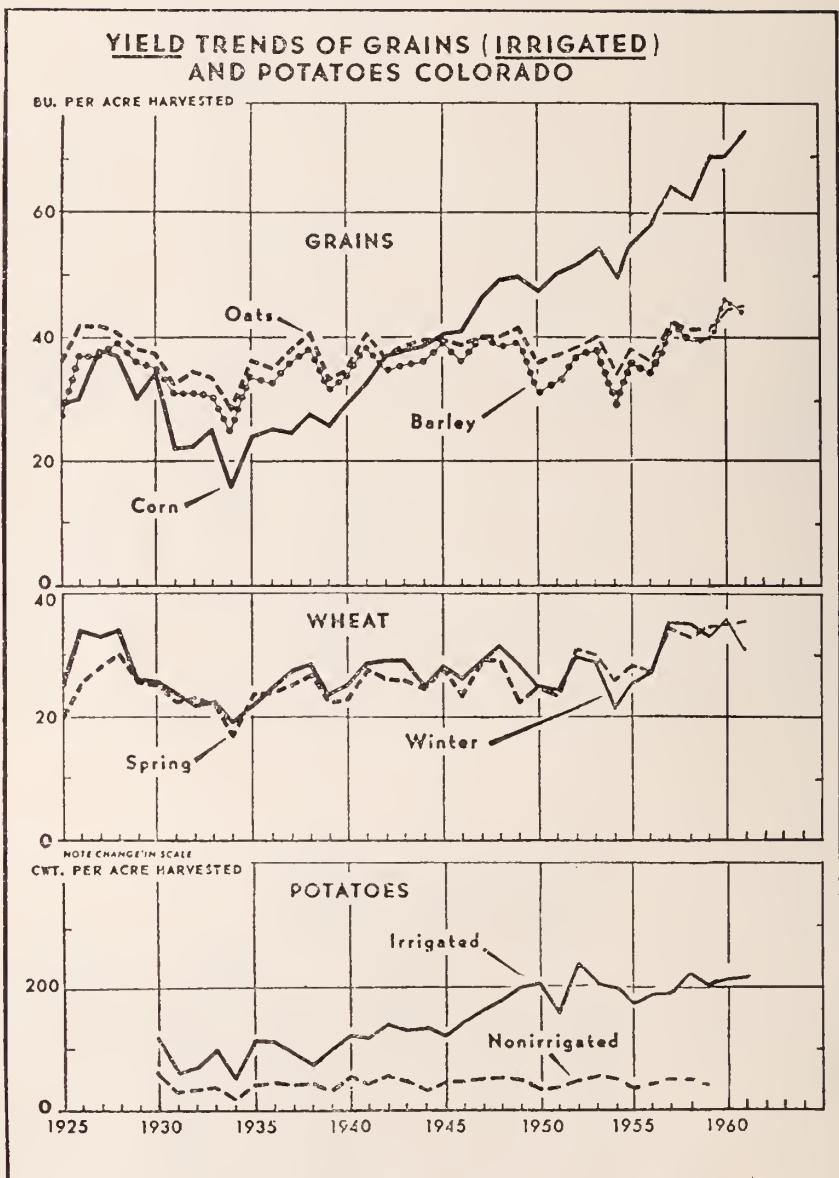
COUNTY	Number of Growers 1961	ACRES				PRODUCTION BUSHELS			
		Seeded		Harvested		Per Acre Harvested		Total	
		1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961
Adams.....	25	922	1,013	922	1,013	64.2	61.0	59,226	61,754
Boulder.....	55	1,355	1,269	1,353	1,269	60.3	61.4	81,588	77,976
Jefferson.....	8	251	269	251	269	55.9	52.8	14,026	14,203
Larimer.....	115	2,323	2,548	2,323	2,548	60.8	60.4	158,421	144,110
Logan.....		29	.....	29	.....	58.7	.....	1,701	.....
Morgan.....	35	712	862	712	862	63.7	62.4	45,380	51,569
Weld.....	216	3,120	5,484	3,033	5,430	67.7	61.2	205,351	348,883
Total N. Central Dist.....	454	8,712	11,445	8,623	11,391	65.6	62.2	565,693	698,495
Archuleta.....	1	39	50	39	50	61.6	50.2	2,401	2,508
Delta.....	47	812	1,003	812	952	67.1	73.0	54,504	69,497
La Plata.....		20	.....	20	.....	30.6	.....	612	.....
Montezuma.....	44	1,275	1,536	1,270	1,536	57.8	56.4	73,692	88,644
Montrose.....	163	3,433	3,916	3,372	3,803	59.1	72.1	199,438	274,255
San Miguel.....	12	685	559	680	559	51.8	50.9	35,464	28,475
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	267	6,264	7,064	6,193	6,900	59.1	66.9	366,111	461,379
Alamosa.....	29	758	1,123	738	1,105	52.8	53.8	38,941	59,506
Conejos.....	112	6,123	6,027	6,123	6,027	48.8	59.8	299,051	360,561
Costilla.....	54	2,623	2,980	2,526	2,792	43.2	50.3	110,273	140,586
Rio Grande.....	149	5,930	7,141	5,713	7,116	57.3	55.6	290,940	395,871
Saguache.....	87	4,234	4,792	4,234	4,314	58.5	55.5	247,544	239,274
Total South Central Dist.....	431	19,668	22,063	19,334	21,354	51.0	56.0	986,749	1,195,798
State Total.....	1,152	34,644	40,572	34,150	39,645	56.2	59.7	1,918,553	2,355,672

MORAVIAN (MALTING) BARLEY¹

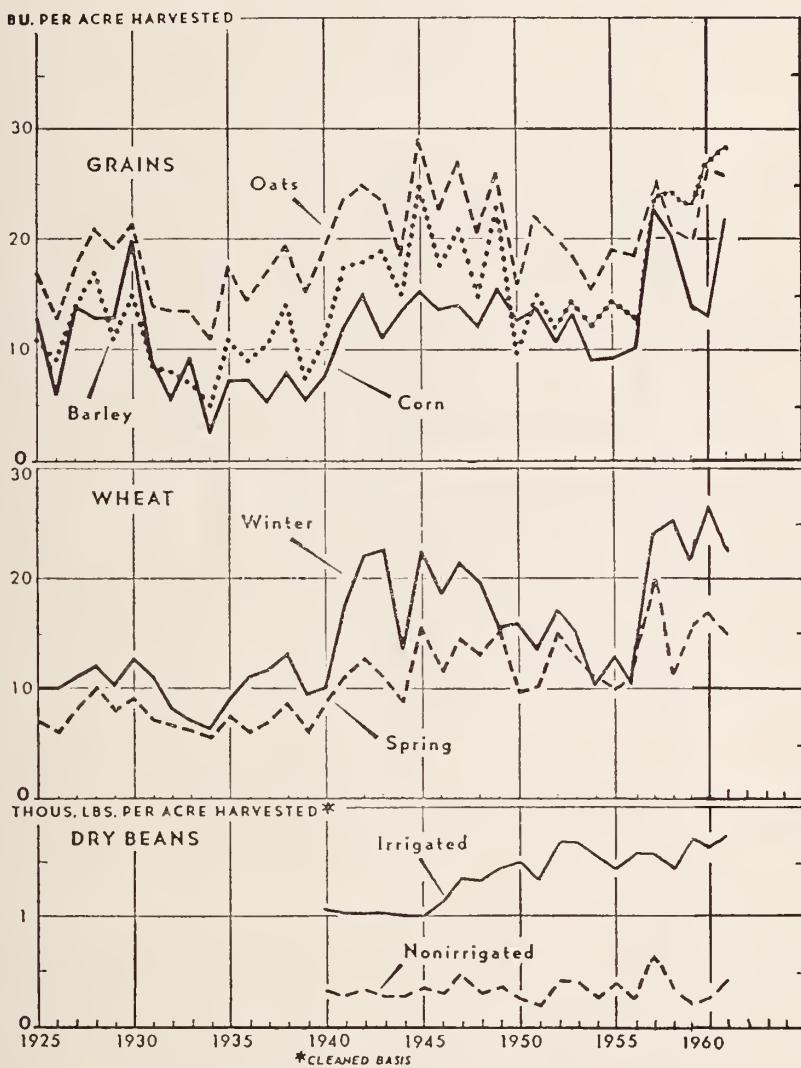
Acreage, Production and Value 1952-1961

YEAR	Number of Growers	Acres		Bushels per Harvested Acre	Production		Value (Purchased)	
		Seeded	Harvested		Total Bushels	Purchased Bushels	Per Cwt. (\$ Dollars)	Total (\$ Dollars)
1952.....		18,573	14,754	32.5	479,728	451,410	3.85	834,206
1953.....		24,895	20,917	35.2	736,862	690,340	3.75	1,242,612
1954.....		32,971	23,220	37.6	873,670	837,250	3.60	1,446,768
1955.....		21,163	18,013	51.3	923,540	843,860	3.60	1,358,190
1956.....		25,217	20,946	48.4	1,013,180	913,517	3.45	1,512,784
1957.....	699	18,355	16,726	60.8	1,016,120	932,755	3.45	1,544,642
1958.....	696	15,136	14,418	51.7	715,680	659,702	3.35	1,060,801
1959.....	796	24,049	21,926	57.3	1,256,979	1,179,906	3.30	1,868,971
1960.....	1,036	34,644	34,150	56.2	1,918,553	1,918,553	3.32	3,057,406
1961.....	1,152	40,572	39,482	59.7	2,355,672	2,040,000	3.35	3,280,320

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**YIELD TRENDS OF GRAINS (NONIRRIGATED)
AND DRY BEANS, COLORADO**



AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

5-YEAR (1956-1960) AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE HARVESTED (PRINCIPAL CROPS)

COUNTY	CORN		OATS		BARLEY		Sorghums For Grain	ALFALFA HAY	WILD HAY
	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrig. & Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrig. & Non-Irrig. (Tons)	Irrig. & Non-Irrig. (Tons)
Chaffee.....	41.5	.....	36.0	.....	39.0	.....	.....	2.0	1.3
Clear Creek.....	.....	.....	58.2	.....	47.0	.....	.....	.9	.....
Eagle.....	42.8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.2	1.3
Gilpin.....	.....	.....	36.2	22.4	37.4	20.4	.....	1.5 ¹	.9
Grand.....	.....	.....	39.8	17.8	37.4	19.0	.....	1.7	1.1
Gunnison.....	42.8	.....	39.5	18.6	.....	.....	.....	1.7	1.4
Jackson.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.6 ¹	1.0
Lake.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.1 ¹	.9
Moffat.....	40.7	.....	42.2	25.6	39.0	19.6	.....	1.5	1.0
Park.....	.....	.....	.....	16.5 ¹	.....	18.0 ¹	.....	1.5 ¹	.8
Pitkin.....	42.0	19.8 ¹	58.2	23.0 ¹	47.2	.....	.....	2.1	1.2
Rio Blanco.....	41.2	.....	45.0	29.2	42.6	24.2	.....	1.6	1.4
Routt.....	.....	.....	40.8	31.6	38.6	26.4	.....	1.2	1.0
Summit.....	.....	.....	38.0 ¹	21.2	.....	.....	.....	1.0	.....
Teller.....	.....	.....	38.5 ¹	20.4	.....	.....	.....	1.3	1.0
Total Northwest District.....	42.0	19.8 ¹	46.8	29.1	41.9	24.4	.....	1.75	1.03
Boulder.....	68.8	21.8 ¹	48.4	23.8	45.8	28.2	35.4	2.5	1.3
Jefferson.....	49.4	20.0	42.2	25.2	40.0	27.2	21.4	2.0	.9
Larimer.....	69.2	22.0	52.6	25.6	48.4	26.0	32.1	2.8	1.2
Logan.....	62.4	19.6	39.4	20.4	33.2	20.6	19.6	2.8	1.2
Morgan.....	70.0	14.8	44.2	19.0	39.6	20.6	15.5	2.9	1.2
Sedgwick.....	63.4	21.6	41.4	28.4	34.2	26.8	21.4	2.7	1.1
Weld.....	72.4	18.8	45.0	19.6	44.0	22.4	18.6	2.9	.9
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	69.1	19.2	46.6	21.9	43.7	22.9	18.6	2.81	1.11
Adams.....	63.2	17.6	47.6	21.6	38.2	23.4	16.4	2.6	1.2
Arapahoe.....	59.6	15.2	44.8	21.0	38.6	24.6	13.8	2.0	1.1
Cheyenne.....	47.6	14.2	.....	18.2	.....	19.0	12.6	1.4	.8
Denver.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Douglas.....	47.6	13.2	41.0	20.8	36.8	21.4	14.6	1.9	1.0
Elbert.....	47.0	12.8	38.8	18.6	.....	18.6	11.8	1.7	.9
El Paso.....	46.8	12.2	41.0	14.0	33.0	15.0	12.7	1.9	.9
Kiowa.....	48.0	14.4	.....	13.5	.....	14.8	12.7	1.3	.8
Kit Carson.....	64.0	15.6	39.2	18.2	39.0	19.6	16.6	2.7	1.0
Lincoln.....	47.6	13.4	40.2	15.0	.....	15.8	13.4	2.5	1.0
Phillips.....	63.6	19.6	43.5	25.8	35.7	28.6	19.0	2.0	1.0
Washington.....	69.2	14.8	42.2	17.8	37.4	19.6	12.6	2.2	.9
Yuma.....	66.8	16.6	42.0	20.4	37.2	22.6	15.8	1.8	1.0
Total East Central District.....	62.4	15.7	45.4	18.8	37.8	21.8	15.0	2.10	.96
Archuleta.....	41.0	15.8	38.8	23.2	36.0	21.6	.....	1.5	1.0
Delta.....	63.6	16.0	47.2	19.3 ¹	45.6	17.8	48.5 ¹	2.6	1.7
Dolores.....	14.8	.....	.....	21.0	.....	15.4	14.5 ¹	1.5	1.1
Garfield.....	42.6	15.8 ¹	48.6	24.8	44.6	21.8	45.5 ¹	2.0	1.4
Hinsdale.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.7	1.0
La Plata.....	40.4	16.6	34.6	22.4	33.0	18.6	16.5 ¹	1.8	1.2
Mesa.....	62.4	15.8	42.4	19.8	38.4	16.8	44.6	2.6	1.6
Montezuma.....	46.2	16.8	41.0	21.8	38.0	15.4	19.7 ¹	2.2	1.3
Montrose.....	60.4	16.6	45.4	24.2	49.2	19.4	36.2 ¹	2.6	1.6
Ouray.....	55.6	.....	42.2	23.2	39.0	17.8	.....	1.9	1.5
San Juan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Miguel.....	48.6	16.2	41.0	.....	44.6	21.0	.....	1.7	1.5
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	60.2	15.6	43.0	22.5	42.6	17.7	41.7	2.29	1.32
Alamosa.....	50.5	.....	29.0	.....	29.8	.....	.....	1.6	.8
Conejos.....	51.5	.....	34.8	.....	38.0	.....	.....	1.6	1.1
Costilla.....	50.5	.....	40.6	.....	34.6	.....	.....	1.9	1.0
Mineral.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.8
Rio Grande.....	52.0	.....	42.0	.....	39.6	.....	.....	1.7	1.2
Saguache.....	49.5	.....	35.0	.....	39.8	.....	.....	1.6	.9
Total South Central District.....	51.3	.....	36.2	.....	37.0	.....	.....	1.66	.94
Baca.....	48.2	15.2	40.0	.....	31.2	15.2	14.7	2.4	1.0
Bent.....	47.4	14.0	43.4	.....	30.0	18.2	39.0	2.2	1.1
Crowley.....	49.2	15.2	34.8	.....	32.8	16.8	34.0	2.5	1.1
Custer.....	45.8	12.8 ¹	29.8	18.0	32.4	19.8	16.4	1.9	1.0
Fremont.....	47.2	12.4	36.6	17.2	33.8	17.4	29.9	2.2	1.0
Huerfano.....	42.4	13.0 ¹	38.2	16.8	37.0	17.4	19.8	1.7	1.1
Las Animas.....	37.4	12.9	35.2	17.2	28.2	15.8	15.2	1.8	1.1
Otero.....	55.8	16.0	42.8	16.2	35.8	15.2	44.5	2.5	1.1
Prowers.....	51.2	13.8	41.6	12.8	32.8	16.2	35.0	2.6	1.2
Pueblo.....	55.6	14.8	43.4	19.4	42.0	22.8	26.1	2.4	1.1
Total Southeast District.....	52.3	14.7	39.2	17.2	34.2	17.5	26.4	2.31	1.06
State Total.....	65.0	16.0	41.7	22.4	40.8	22.3	20.6	2.30	1.02

¹Short Term Average.

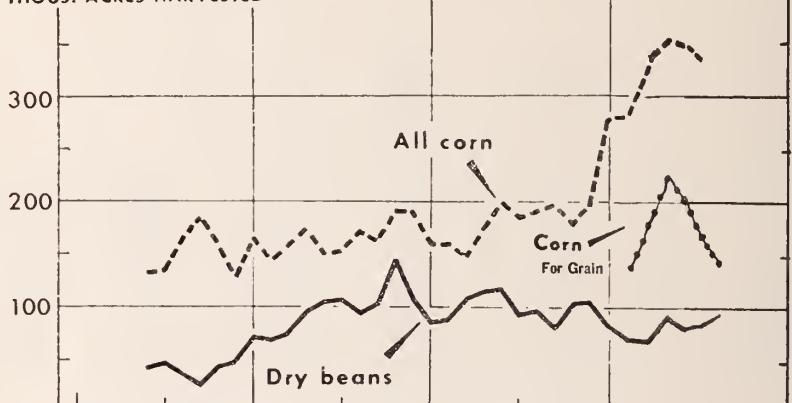
5-YEAR (1956-1960) AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE HARVESTED (PRINCIPAL CROPS)

COUNTY	WINTER WHEAT		SPRING WHEAT		POTATOES		DRY BEANS		SUGAR BEETS
	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Cwt.)	Irrigated (Lbs.)	Non-Irrig. (Lbs.)	Irrigated (Tons)	
Chaffee.....	28.0	.....	25.6	.....	142	.....	.....	.....
Clear Creek.....	.....	.....	42.0	.....	192	.....	.....	.....
Eagle.....	34.2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gilpin.....	.....	.....	39.0	17.5 ¹	89	.....	.....	.....
Grand.....	26.4	15.2	.....	.....	111	.....	.....	.....
Gunnison.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jackson.....	.....	15.8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lake.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Moffat.....	32.4	18.2	32.4	16.0	102	.....	.....	.....
Park.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78	.....	.....	.....
Pitkin.....	35.7 ¹	.....	39.6	.....	178	.....	.....	.....
Rio Blanco.....	31.6	21.8	37.4	18.8	102 ¹	.....	.....	.....
Routt.....	29.2	22.4	37.6	18.6	93	.....	.....	.....
Summit.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Teller.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Northwest District.....	30.6	19.8	37.5	17.6	169	.....	.....	.....
Boulder.....	35.0	25.6	36.6	17.8	.....	1,584	370 ¹	17.5
Jefferson.....	31.2	27.2	29.6	17.6	.....	1,320 ¹	413 ¹	.....
Larimer.....	34.8	25.2	36.2	18.2	200	1,588	374	16.5	
Logan.....	28.4	22.8	30.2	14.2	191	1,338	354	16.5	
Morgan.....	36.2	21.2	31.6	13.6	211	1,488	360	16.9	
Sedgwick.....	30.2	28.0	32.0	16.2	206	1,402	374	17.5	
Weld.....	33.2	23.0	36.6	14.4	215	1,717	386	17.7	
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	34.0	23.7	35.5	15.5	214	1,647	381	17.3	
Adams.....	33.0	23.6	32.0	12.8	208	1,482	264	15.4	
Arapahoe.....	33.6	22.4	36.0 ¹	12.0	.....	1,262	260	12.6
Cheyenne.....	18.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Denver.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Douglas.....	31.5 ¹	25.2	28.7 ¹	11.6	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elbert.....	34.5 ¹	20.6	28.6	10.0	.....	.....	252	.....
El Paso.....	29.8	17.4	27.8	9.4	177	874	272	.....
Kiowa.....	30.4	15.8	28.0 ¹	.....	.....	840 ¹	255	.....
Kit Carson.....	34.6	20.6	.....	10.4	.....	986	280	13.6
Lincoln.....	30.2	20.0	.....	13.5 ¹	.....	918	286	.....
Phillips.....	26.2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	427 ¹	.....
Washington.....	34.2	21.8	28.0 ¹	12.8	176	1,340	322	18.0	
Yuma.....	33.8	22.4	29.8 ¹	13.2	175	1,216	330	.....
Total East Central District.....	33.2	21.9	30.7	11.0	201	1,299	272	15.7	
Archuleta.....	27.8	17.8	28.8	12.0	.....	825 ¹	370 ¹	.....
Delta.....	37.0	16.8	36.6	13.5	175	1,560	296	16.8	
Dolores.....	.....	13.8	.....	9.6	.....	.....	328	.....
Garfield.....	29.6	17.2	36.2	14.4	187	.....	353 ¹	13.9
Hinsdale.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
La Plata.....	29.4	15.8	27.2	12.4	167	872	346	.....
Mesa.....	32.8	15.2	32.4	13.7 ¹	161	1,228	260	18.4	
Montezuma.....	30.0	15.6	29.0	12.8	154	1,022	369	.....
Montrose.....	39.0	17.0	39.4	13.2	184	1,578	318	16.3	
Ouray.....	34.2	17.4	35.6	12.7 ¹	177	.....	.....	16.8
San Juan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Miguel.....	34.4	14.2	34.6	.....	145	1,006	332	.....
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	31.6	14.9	35.8	12.6	176	1,446	351	17.6	
Alamosa.....	.....	.....	27.2	.....	196	583 ¹	.....	8.0
Conejos.....	.....	.....	25.4	.....	204	812	.....	6.9
Costilla.....	.....	.....	26.6	.....	202	746	.....	.....
Mineral.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rio Grande.....	.....	.....	32.0	.....	215	780	.....	7.9
Saguache.....	.....	.....	27.6	.....	204	820	.....	.....
Total South Central District.....	.....	.....	29.4	.....	208	761	.....	7.7
Baca.....	29.0	16.8	28.0 ¹	8.8	160 ¹	988	288	14.1	
Bent.....	33.8	14.8	31.0	.....	177	870	266	14.3
Crowley.....	35.8	13.4	30.0	10.6	.....	974	300	13.4
Custer.....	17.8 ¹	15.2	29.2	10.0	79	.....	.....	.....
Fremont.....	29.4	16.2	28.0	9.8	.....	814	.....	.....
Huerfano.....	26.2	16.2	28.0	9.8	.....	743 ¹	284	.....
Las Animas.....	28.8	13.2	27.6	9.2	.....	740 ¹	258	12.8
Otero.....	39.2	15.6	31.8	.....	176	1,164	300	16.3
Prowers.....	34.4	16.4	30.2	9.0	148 ¹	942	292	14.4	
Pueblo.....	35.6	21.0	32.4	13.4	210 ¹	1,468	318	16.5	
Total Southeast District.....	33.8	16.9	29.7	10.2	168	1,237	314	15.2	
State Total.....	33.6	21.7	33.3	15.1	208	1,566	341	17.0	

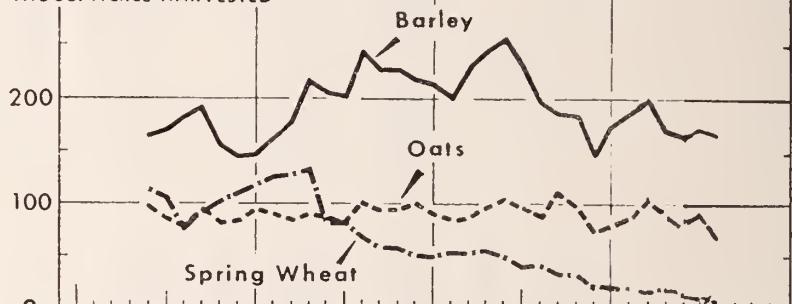
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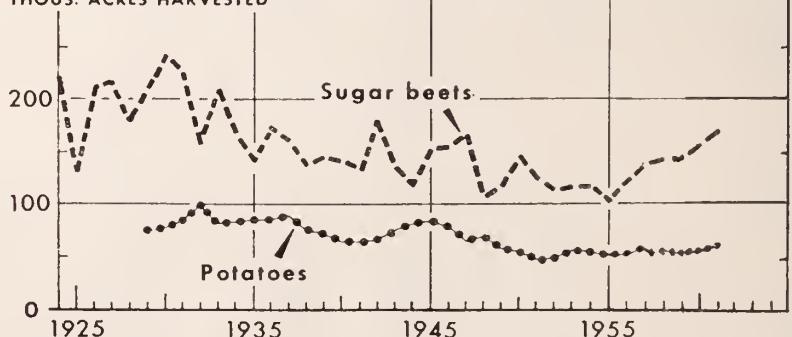
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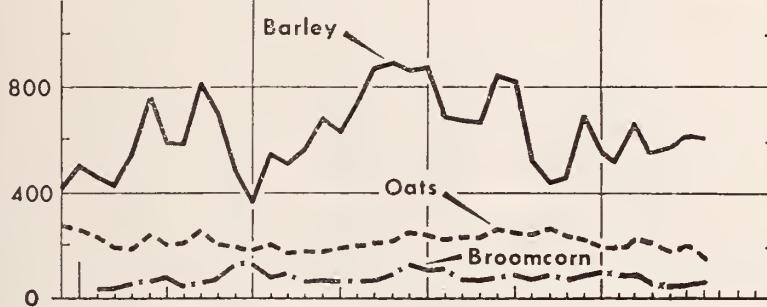


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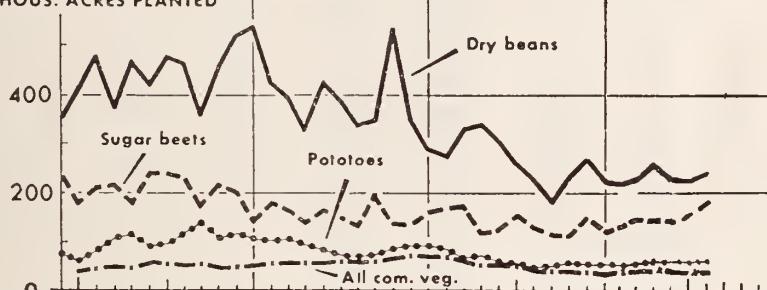


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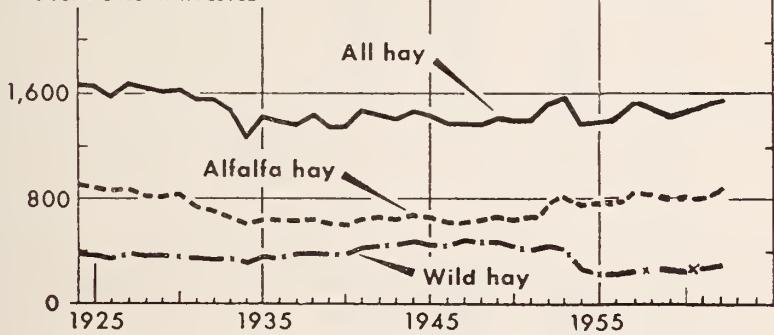
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AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

CORN—Federal Census 1959

COUNTY	IRRIGATED				NON-IRRIGATED			
	Harvested All Purpose Acres	Harvested for Grain			Harvested All Purpose Acres	Harvested for Grain		
		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
Chaffee	18							
Clear Creek								
Eagle	24							
Gilpin								
Grand								
Gunnison	13							
Jackson	52							
Lake								
Moffat								
Park								
Pitkin	42							
Rio Blanco	113							
Routt	20							
Summit								
Teller								
Total Northwest District	9	2	100.0	200				
	291	2	100.0	200	208			
Boulder	14,756	5,167	77.0	397,783	1,364	516	59.7	30,785
Jefferson	1,761	58	59.4	3,445	466	80	15.0	1,200
Larimer	22,308	9,760	74.1	722,882	897	293	44.9	13,147
Logan	27,614	21,258	67.5	1,434,941	9,343	8,408	23.7	198,937
Morgan	49,792	36,873	80.6	2,972,825	4,685	3,665	30.9	113,075
Sedgwick	7,898	7,287	76.2	555,334	3,139	2,703	22.8	61,527
Weld	83,252	35,663	77.7	2,770,011	7,009	3,482	47.9	166,844
Total North Central and N. E. District	207,384	116,066	76.3	8,857,221	26,903	19,147	30.6	585,515
Adams	9,793	3,029	62.3	188,648	1,985	771	33.0	25,432
Arapahoe	562	42	55.5	2,330	1,045	53	21.2	1,125
Cheyenne	90	65	68.5	4,450	1,104	787	13.0	10,214
Denver	6	5	20.0	100	20			
Douglas	695				2,272	19	15.8	300
Elbert	224	35	61.4	2,150	11,245	524	10.2	5,331
El Paso	2,210	603	43.4	26,144	13,212	4,078	11.0	44,988
Kiowa	450	435	50.0	21,750	818	732	15.4	11,265
Kit Carson	8,144	6,313	62.8	396,288	6,779	4,462	26.5	118,404
Lincoln	402	200	48.8	9,750	2,757	1,275	11.8	15,005
Phillips	1,351	951	69.0	65,590	18,320	17,598	16.4	288,892
Washington	3,505	2,728	78.1	213,049	8,948	6,750	12.0	80,870
Yuma	4,496	3,854	69.8	269,110	54,888	53,122	15.7	833,800
Total East Central District	31,928	18,260	65.7	1,199,359	123,393	90,171	15.9	1,435,626
Archuleta	63	38	21.0	798	49	10	20.0	200
Delta	7,761	4,100	74.1	303,658	183	121	33.5	4,050
Dolores					212	80	40.9	3,275
Garfield	1,170	24	50.8	1,220	41			
Hinsdale								
La Plata	1,154	60	32.3	1,940	146	38	29.5	1,120
Mesa	13,096	9,327	69.2	645,542	196	86	70.2	6,036
Montezuma	917	151	40.4	6,104	246	38	10.9	415
Montrose	8,248	4,337	67.4	292,226				
Ouray	97	20	60.0	1,200				
San Juan								
San Miguel	104	60	41.7	2,500				
Total West Central & S. W. District	32,610	18,117	69.3	1,255,188	1,073	373	40.5	15,096
Alamosa	468				55			
Conejos	404	15	50.0	750				
Costilla	268	1	50.0	50	3	3	10.0	30
Mineral								
Rio Grande	785				100			
Saguache	262				2			
Total South Central District	2,187	16	50.0	800	160	3	10.0	30
Baca	1,337	1,040	57.6	59,935	2,620	1,934	19.4	37,588
Bent	4,278	3,339	56.2	187,598	111	84	54.8	4,600
Crowley	5,482	4,166	49.0	204,263	88	34	51.8	1,760
Custer	47				76			
Fremont	1,968	954	39.6	37,774	226	4	45.0	180
Huerfano	117	2	50.0	100	266	32	28.6	916
Las Animas	601	152	26.7	4,053	615	254	17.0	4,310
Otero	14,631	10,141	60.8	616,774	472	467	38.5	17,990
Prowers	6,781	5,010	57.6	288,640	707	152	25.0	3,800
Pueblo	7,276	4,013	64.3	257,897	519	289	17.9	5,169
Total Southeast District	42,518	28,817	57.5	1,657,034	5,700	3,250	23.5	76,313
State Total	316,918	181,278	71.5	12,969,802	157,437	112,944	18.7	2,112,580

WINTER WHEAT—Federal Census 1959

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
Chaffee.	7	17.1	120				7	120
Clear Creek.							6	300
Eagle.	6	50.0	300					
Gilpin.								
Grand.	77	8.6	660	298	18.2	5,436	375	6,096
Gunnison.				145	19.3	2,800	145	2,800
Jackson.				67	26.9	1,800	67	1,800
Lake.								
Moffat.	99	19.6	1,945	24,527	21.4	524,776	24,626	526,721
Park.								
Pitkin.	9	72.2	650	240	40.0	9,600	249	10,250
Rio Blanco.	27	31.5	850	3,771	24.8	93,383	3,798	94,233
Routt.	144	19.3	2,780	17,536	25.9	455,034	17,680	457,814
Summit.								
Teller.								
Total Northwest District.	369	19.8	7,305	46,584	23.5	1,092,829	46,953	1,100,134
Boulder.	2,539	35.5	90,012	9,914	27.0	267,741	12,453	357,753
Jefferson.	538	47.9	25,745	6,491	28.8	186,982	7,029	212,727
Larimer.	2,256	29.8	67,218	15,297	30.9	472,707	17,553	539,925
Logan.	2,371	27.0	63,976	131,201	21.6	2,828,118	133,572	2,892,124
Morgan.	4,958	37.7	186,702	52,481	21.1	1,104,848	57,439	1,291,550
Sedgwick.	579	24.9	14,420	63,553	27.3	1,737,684	64,132	1,752,104
Weld.	6,530	31.1	203,245	165,252	24.0	3,966,427	171,782	4,169,672
Total North Central and N. E. District.	19,771	32.9	651,318	444,189	23.8	10,564,537	463,960	11,215,855
Adams.	2,358	31.0	73,077	131,365	27.9	3,665,623	133,723	3,738,700
Arapahoe.	182	35.9	6,540	56,600	28.8	1,627,966	56,782	1,634,506
Cheyenne.				111,032	19.0	2,107,171	111,032	2,107,171
Denver.				393	24.6	9,668	393	9,668
Douglas.	107	27.3	2,920	9,344	30.0	280,644	9,451	283,564
Elbert.				60,684	23.3	1,413,800	60,684	1,413,800
El Paso.	295	36.0	10,617	9,592	21.2	203,449	9,887	214,066
Kiowa.				96,412	18.4	1,770,643	96,412	1,770,643
Kit Carson.	444	28.1	12,476	218,277	20.2	4,403,561	218,721	4,416,037
Lincoln.				129,935	20.7	2,684,635	129,935	2,684,635
Phillips.	15	15.7	235	101,548	21.0	1,232,494	101,563	2,132,729
Washington.	515	43.7	22,438	212,459	19.7	4,182,059	212,974	4,204,497
Yuma.	65	23.5	1,530	142,134	22.5	3,201,627	142,199	3,203,157
Total East Central District.	3,981	32.6	129,833	1,279,775	21.6	27,683,340	1,283,756	27,813,173
Archuleta.	249	26.7	6,641	424	18.9	8,000	673	14,641
Delta.	593	38.6	22,884	43	21.6	930	636	23,814
Dolores.				18,014	9.9	177,814	18,014	177,814
Garfield.	149	22.0	3,285	2,424	13.4	32,583	2,573	35,868
Hinsdale.								
La Plata.	2,642	27.7	73,224	8,598	15.6	133,973	11,240	207,197
Mesa.	726	36.5	26,529	215	10.7	2,299	941	28,828
Montezuma.	518	31.7	16,403	13,432	11.7	157,251	13,950	173,654
Montrose.	1,091	42.7	46,615	204	16.5	3,360	1,295	49,975
Ouray.	144	17.3	2,495	147	21.8	3,200	291	5,695
San Juan.								
San Miguel.	393	20.8	8,175	1,489	9.3	13,822	1,882	21,997
Total West Central & S. W. District.	6,505	31.7	206,251	44,990	11.9	533,232	51,495	739,483
Alamosa.							70	1,400
Conejos.	70	20.0	1,400					
Costilla.	113	15.6	1,760				113	1,760
Mineral.								
Rio Grande.	86	28.4	2,440				86	2,410
Saguache.	35	17.1	600				35	600
Total South Central District.	304	20.4	6,200				304	6,200
Baca.	3,136	31.9	99,991	204,658	20.1	4,112,295	207,794	4,212,286
Bent.	4,428	44.4	196,803	6,623	11.4	75,703	11,051	272,506
Crowley.	1,036	31.2	34,174	4,460	9.2	40,907	5,556	75,081
Custer.				62	28.2	1,750	62	1,750
Fremont.	289	25.9	7,493	148	20.7	3,070	437	10,563
Huerfano.	147	30.0	4,405	2,568	18.0	46,118	2,715	50,523
Las Animas.	213	24.9	5,297	10,382	13.6	141,594	10,595	146,891
Otero.	2,646	43.9	116,145	664	6.6	4,373	3,310	120,518
Prowers.	11,604	35.2	408,903	99,573	22.5	2,248,208	111,177	2,652,111
Pueblo.	927	40.0	37,092	12,406	23.2	287,452	13,333	324,544
Total Southeast District.	24,486	37.2	910,303	341,544	26.4	6,956,470	366,030	7,866,773
State Total.	55,416	34.5	1,911,210	2,157,082	21.7	46,830,408	2,212,498	48,741,618

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

BARLEY—Federal Census 1959

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
Chaffee.....	310	35.3	10,939				310	10,939
Clear Creek.....								
Eagle.....	179	61.5	11,004	36	22.8	820	215	11,824
Gilpin.....								
Grand.....	29	30.0	870	85	16.5	1,400	114	2,270
Gunnison.....	8	50.0	400	40	21.0	840	48	1,240
Jackson.....								
Lake.....								
Moffat.....	160	29.8	4,765	6,157	23.0	141,724	6,317	146,489
Park.....				35	6.6	230	35	230
Pitkin.....	73	64.2	4,690	200	41.0	8,200	273	12,890
Rio Blanco.....	312	40.5	12,642	1,682	21.9	36,765	1,994	49,407
Routt.....	4	30.0	120	10,138	26.8	271,972	10,142	272,092
Summit.....								
Teller.....								
Total Northwest District.....	1,075	42.3	45,430	18,373	25.1	461,951	19,448	507,381
Boulder.....	11,065	47.1	521,594	4,539	33.3	151,268	15,604	672,862
Jefferson.....	1,195	30.2	36,076	2,572	25.2	64,703	3,767	100,779
Larimer.....	13,776	51.3	706,038	6,973	29.5	205,719	20,749	911,757
Logan.....	4,692	26.6	124,686	25,138	19.6	492,006	29,830	616,692
Morgan.....	6,456	34.1	220,223	8,374	20.1	168,558	14,830	388,781
Sedgwick.....	352	30.7	10,815	14,881	25.0	372,365	15,233	383,180
Weld.....	38,328	46.0	1,764,219	48,015	22.8	1,094,843	86,343	2,859,062
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	75,864	44.6	3,383,651	110,492	23.1	2,549,462	186,356	5,933,113
Adams.....	3,294	33.3	109,765	32,690	26.7	873,207	35,984	982,972
Arapahoe.....	1,694	21.6	36,550	15,834	24.9	393,720	17,528	430,270
Cheyenne.....				6,460	17.6	113,897	6,460	113,897
Denver.....				335	16.8	5,620	335	5,620
Douglas.....	29	12.6	365	1,379	23.4	32,292	1,408	32,657
Elbert.....				8,817	21.4	188,826	8,817	188,826
El Paso.....	288	30.8	8,875	1,075	14.8	15,942	1,363	24,817
Kiowa.....				5,913	21.3	125,660	5,913	125,660
Kit Carson.....	20	60.0	1,200	17,674	21.8	385,419	17,694	386,649
Lincoln.....				7,753	20.7	160,181	7,753	160,181
Phillips.....				26,898	24.8	667,449	26,898	667,449
Washington.....	495	31.7	17,180	35,896	19.9	713,546	36,391	730,726
Yuma.....	22	20.5	450	25,797	24.5	632,353	25,819	632,803
Total East Central District.....	5,842	29.9	174,385	186,521	23.1	4,308,142	192,363	4,482,527
Archuleta.....	90	41.8	3,759	53	17.8	942	143	4,701
Delta.....	4,627	48.2	223,164	216	38.8	8,372	4,843	231,536
Dolores.....				460	8.4	3,848	460	3,848
Garfield.....	2,319	51.5	119,403	373	29.1	10,868	2,692	130,271
Hinsdale.....								
La Plata.....	1,684	32.1	54,482	2,111	2.0	4,175	3,795	58,657
Mesa.....	1,735	39.5	68,586	233	9.7	2,270	1,968	70,856
Montezuma.....	1,619	47.8	77,376	414	24.6	10,205	2,033	87,581
Montrose.....	6,454	54.1	349,163	278	15.8	4,390	6,732	353,553
Ouray.....	219	44.6	9,775	173	13.6	2,350	392	12,125
San Juan.....								
San Miguel.....								
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	531	45.3	24,037	74	8.1	600	605	24,637
Alamosa.....	19,278	48.2	929,745	4,385	11.0	48,020	23,663	977,765
Conejos.....								
Costilla.....	3,848	39.0	150,058	3	30.0	90	3,851	150,148
Mineral.....								
Rio Grande.....	8,924	44.7	398,838	95	30.0	2,850	9,019	401,688
Saguache.....	4,271	45.8	195,569	85	33.6	2,860	4,356	198,429
Total South Central District.....	32,271	43.2	1,394,512	769	21.8	16,800	33,040	1,411,312
Baca.....	20	20.0	400	24,078	17.9	429,989	24,098	430,389
Bent.....	1,640	31.6	51,836	30	10.3	310	1,670	52,146
Crowley.....	1,325	37.9	50,231	134	19.0	2,542	1,459	52,773
Custer.....	135	51.2	6,917	365	19.7	7,193	500	14,110
Fremont.....	533	31.2	16,638	569	15.6	8,850	1,102	25,488
Huerfano.....	388	31.2	12,108	975	15.0	14,613	1,363	26,721
Las Animas.....	691	34.7	23,967	1,472	15.6	22,912	2,163	46,879
Otero.....	3,464	43.3	149,868	169	21.2	3,578	3,633	153,446
Prowers.....	4,353	30.8	133,929	10,739	22.8	244,942	15,092	378,871
Pueblo.....	1,952	47.4	92,514	2,402	26.5	63,684	4,354	156,198
Total Southeast District.....	14,501	37.1	538,408	40,933	19.5	798,613	55,434	1,337,021
State Total.....	148,831	43.4	6,466,131	361,473	22.6	8,182,988	510,304	14,649,119

SORGHUM—Federal Census 1959

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED		
	Harvested All Purpose Acres	Harvested for Grain		Harvested All Purpose Acres	Harvested for Grain	
		Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre		Production Bushels	Production Bushels
Chaffee						
Clear Creek						
Eagle						
Gilpin						
Grand						
Gunnison						
Jackson						
Lake						
Moffat						
Park						
Pitkin						
Rio Blanco						
Routt						
Summit						
Teller	8	8	67.0	536		
Total Northwest District	8	8	67.0	536	150	150
Boulder	45	26	24.7	641	91	32
Jefferson	103	23	22.0	507	178	58
Larimer	74	48	39.9	1,916	61	20
Logan	675	527	33.4	17,602	7,642	3,187
Morgan	766	387	24.0	9,296	5,784	2,266
Sedgwick	145	52	24.2	1,257	6,455	2,907
Weld	531	104	24.1	2,510	8,395	2,391
Total North Central and N. E. District	2,339	1,167	28.9	33,729	28,606	10,861
Adams	423	362	41.4	14,985	5,840	2,960
Arapahoe	78	70	50.0	3,500	3,113	776
Cheyenne	140	80	80.0	6,400	31,139	14,409
Denver					170	
Douglas	51				503	
Elbert	40				7,957	326
El Paso	292	42	24.8	1,043	10,968	1,427
Kiowa	95	60	12.5	750	46,063	34,553
Kit Carson	1,399	901	40.1	36,155	71,573	40,684
Lincoln	311	159	31.4	5,000	29,303	10,458
Phillips	232	190	36.7	6,968	15,902	12,001
Washington	319	258	38.0	9,794	27,966	10,596
Yuma	255	110	42.0	4,618	66,037	45,705
Total East Central District	3,635	2,232	40.0	89,213	316,534	173,895
Archuleta	4					
Delta	95	19	47.7	907	9	2
Dolores	92	92	71.4	6,571		
Garfield	4	3	40.0	120		
Hinsdale						
La Plata					64	50
Mesa	859	564	58.5	33,011	35	3
Montezuma	4				7	59.3
Montrose	137	36	40.9	1,471		
Ouray						
San Juan						
San Miguel						
Total West Central & S. W. District	1,195	714	58.9	42,080	115	55
Alamosa					80	
Conejos						
Costilla						
Mineral						
Rio Grande						
Saguache						
Total South Central District	15				60	
Baca	1,907	1,782	24.4	43,501	83,057	62,939
Bent	23,361	20,452	47.2	965,616	9,637	5,087
Crowley	11,178	9,708	44.8	435,273	3,968	2,133
Custer	10				118	
Fremont	208	31	22.5	696	50	12
Huerfano	69				459	157
Las Animas	95	64	21.0	1,346	6,497	1,948
Otero	7,273	6,232	47.0	293,035	799	654
Prowers	34,474	30,950	48.6	1,503,080	63,001	46,186
Pueblo	3,620	2,901	31.9	92,509	6,690	3,894
Total Southeast District	82,195	72,120	46.2	3,335,056	174,276	123,010
State Total	89,387	76,241	45.9	3,500,614	519,821	307,971
					16.5	5,073,827

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COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL	
	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Harvested	Production Tons
Chaffee	10,474	1.64	17,198	293	1.88	551	10,767	17,749
Clear Creek				180	.92	165	180	165
Eagle	20,002	1.92	38,491	102	2.35	240	20,104	38,731
Gilpin	6	.67	4	175	.71	125	181	129
Grand	30,385	1.41	42,810	525	.92	482	30,910	43,292
Gunnison	35,339	1.52	53,744	1,803	1.28	2,310	37,147	56,054
Jackson	83,653	1.02	85,003	280	1.00	280	83,933	85,283
Lake	1,753	.60	1,053	90	.47	42	1,843	1,095
Moffat	13,274	1.63	21,694	7,016	1.06	7,502	20,320	29,196
Park	35,356	.56	19,864	3,666	.77	2,837	39,022	22,701
Pitkin	8,558	1.94	16,566	59	.75	44	8,617	16,610
Rio Blanco	18,458	1.71	31,545	4,149	1.22	5,053	22,607	36,598
Routt	29,101	1.80	52,524	14,134	1.53	21,621	43,238	74,115
Summit	6,336	1.16	7,369				6,336	7,369
Teller	930	1.21	1,124	1,969	.90	1,780	2,899	2,904
Total Northwest District	293,628	1.32	388,989	34,476	1.25	43,032	328,104	432,021
Boulder	18,693	2.68	50,093	5,425	1.58	8,506	24,118	58,689
Jefferson	6,901	1.97	13,582	4,662	1.07	4,997	11,563	18,579
Larimer	36,582	2.78	101,534	6,958	1.27	8,821	43,540	110,355
Logan	21,836	2.71	59,205	20,743	1.12	23,161	42,579	82,366
Morgan	19,976	2.98	59,438	8,235	1.04	8,559	28,211	67,997
Sedgwick	3,079	2.69	8,280	6,023	.99	5,948	9,102	14,228
Weld	89,381	3.29	294,349	33,091	1.02	33,785	122,472	328,134
Total North Central and N. E. District	196,448	2.98	586,481	85,137	1.10	93,867	281,585	680,348
Adams	12,218	2.85	34,850	7,232	1.86	13,440	19,450	48,290
Arapahoe	2,433	2.28	5,569	3,675	1.13	4,164	6,113	9,733
Cheyenne	157	2.48	389	1,808	.76	1,376	1,965	1,765
Denver	30	1.27	38	12	2.67	32	42	70
Douglas	2,813	2.36	6,635	10,768	1.44	15,535	13,581	22,170
Elbert	1,151	2.14	2,464	16,808	1.26	21,253	17,959	23,717
El Paso	4,532	2.50	11,350	14,440	.96	13,828	18,972	25,178
Kiowa	75	1.33	100	1,234	1.03	1,272	1,309	1,372
Kit Carson	690	3.97	2,740	3,916	1.28	4,993	4,606	7,733
Lincoln	1,524	2.84	4,323	7,067	.97	6,864	8,591	11,187
Phillips	496	2.75	1,366	5,455	.96	5,262	5,951	6,628
Washington	2,611	3.09	8,069	22,019	1.00	22,134	24,660	30,203
Yuma	1,010	2.75	2,777	21,181	1.13	23,888	22,191	26,665
Total East Central District	29,745	2.71	80,670	115,645	1.16	134,041	145,390	214,711
Archuleta	7,538	1.51	11,413	1,640	1.31	2,150	9,178	13,563
Delta	22,497	2.29	51,478	498	1.66	829	22,995	52,307
Dolores	217	2.68	581	737	.94	691	954	1,272
Garfield	27,092	2.19	59,282	4,551	1.23	5,616	31,643	64,898
Hinsdale	2,508	1.27	3,184	667	.95	635	3,175	3,819
La Plata	17,814	1.71	30,508	2,542	1.36	3,470	20,356	33,978
Mesa	31,947	2.56	81,912	1,390	1.10	1,523	33,337	83,435
Montezuma	13,768	2.11	29,019	1,113	1.26	1,401	14,881	30,420
Montrose	27,421	2.47	67,735	310	.67	207	27,731	67,942
Ouray	11,575	1.41	16,376	85	.47	40	11,660	16,416
San Juan								
San Miguel	3,342	1.51	5,055	147	.86	127	3,489	5,182
Total West Central & S. W. District	165,719	2.15	356,543	13,680	1.22	16,689	179,399	373,232
Alamosa	29,446	1.33	39,247	4,104	1.08	4,431	33,550	43,678
Conejos	44,306	1.40	61,926	4,565	1.06	4,831	48,871	66,757
Costilla	6,939	1.86	12,905	923	.76	698	7,862	13,603
Mineral	1,230	.97	1,190	628	.62	387	1,858	1,577
Rio Grande	39,722	1.63	64,604	1,785	1.21	2,161	41,507	66,765
Saguache	42,451	1.16	49,484	7,953	1.09	8,697	50,404	58,181
Total South Central District	164,094	1.40	229,356	19,958	1.06	21,205	184,052	250,561
Baca	903	3.19	2,881	2,724	1.55	4,223	3,627	7,104
Bent	15,210	2.19	33,326	665	1.62	1,081	15,875	34,407
Crowley	9,136	2.52	23,029	341	1.32	451	9,477	23,480
Custer	11,258	1.66	18,708	2,538	1.49	3,773	13,796	22,481
Fremont	6,119	2.26	13,859	1,968	1.28	2,523	8,087	16,382
Huerfano	10,630	1.81	19,511	4,338	1.25	5,412	14,968	24,923
Las Animas	12,742	1.80	22,882	6,990	.94	6,562	19,732	29,444
Otero	18,248	2.66	48,493	266	3.96	1,054	18,514	49,547
Prowers	25,350	2.73	69,227	1,164	2.12	2,470	26,514	71,697
Pueblo	13,380	2.59	34,667	2,989	1.28	3,829	16,369	38,496
Total Southeast District	122,976	2.33	286,583	23,983	1.31	31,378	146,959	317,961
State Total	972,610	1.98	1,928,622	292,879	1.16	340,212	1,265,489	2,268,834

**CORN, WINTER WHEAT, SPRING WHEAT AND OATS
IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1945-1961**

Year	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
CORN 1								
1945.....	160,000	40.4	6,464,000	556,000	15.3	8,507,000	716,000	15,036,000
1946.....	160,000	41.0	6,560,000	413,000	13.5	5,576,000	573,000	12,033,000
1947.....	149,000	46.0	6,854,000	373,000	14.0	5,222,000	522,000	12,006,000
1948.....	175,000	49.0	8,575,000	347,000	12.0	4,164,000	522,000	12,528,000
1949.....	200,000	49.5	9,900,000	426,000	15.5	6,603,000	626,000	16,401,000
1950.....	185,000	47.1	8,714,000	372,000	12.5	4,650,000	557,000	13,368,000
1951.....	190,000	50.0	9,500,000	367,000	13.5	4,954,000	557,000	14,482,000
1952.....	198,000	51.5	10,197,000	253,000	10.5	2,656,000	451,000	12,854,000
1953.....	180,000	54.5	9,810,000	221,000	13.5	2,954,000	401,000	12,832,000
1954.....	198,000	49.5	9,801,000	207,000	9.0	1,863,000	405,000	11,745,000
1955.....	278,000	51.9	15,263,000	196,000	9.2	1,801,000	474,000	17,064,000
1956.....	278,000	58.0	16,105,000	130,000	9.5	1,235,000	408,000	17,340,000
1957.....	338,000	65.0	21,970,000	192,000	23.0	4,416,000	530,000	26,500,000
1958.....	355,000	63.0	22,365,000	170,000	20.0	3,400,000	525,000	23,725,000
1959.....	188,000	71.5	13,442,000	118,000	18.5	2,183,000	306,000	15,606,000
1960.....	170,000	70.0	11,900,000	81,000	13.0	1,053,000	251,000	12,926,000
1961 ²	140,000	75.0	10,500,000	76,000	22.0	1,672,000	216,000	12,204,000
WINTER WHEAT								
1945.....	65,000	28.0	1,820,000	1,362,000	22.2	30,236,000	1,427,000	32,108,000
1946.....	90,000	26.0	2,340,000	1,794,000	18.6	33,368,000	1,884,000	35,796,000
1947.....	90,000	29.0	2,610,000	2,529,000	21.2	53,615,000	2,619,000	56,308,000
1948.....	90,000	31.5	2,835,000	2,669,000	19.6	52,312,000	2,759,000	55,180,000
1949.....	85,000	28.5	2,422,000	2,564,000	15.5	39,742,000	2,649,000	42,384,000
1950.....	63,000	25.0	1,575,000	2,136,000	15.7	33,553,000	2,199,000	35,184,000
1951.....	58,000	24.0	1,392,000	2,493,000	13.8	34,403,000	2,551,000	35,714,000
1952.....	68,000	30.0	2,040,000	3,172,000	17.2	54,558,000	3,240,000	56,700,000
1953.....	50,000	29.0	1,450,000	2,672,000	15.2	40,614,000	2,722,000	42,191,000
1954.....	34,000	21.0	714,000	1,654,000	10.3	17,010,000	1,688,000	17,724,000
1955.....	37,000	25.5	944,000	1,212,000	13.1	15,918,000	1,249,000	16,862,000
1956.....	44,000	27.0	1,188,000	1,492,000	10.5	15,708,000	1,536,000	16,896,000
1957.....	41,000	36.0	1,476,000	1,403,000	24.0	33,672,000	1,444,000	35,378,000
1958.....	45,000	36.0	1,620,000	2,554,000	25.5	65,127,000	2,599,000	66,274,000
1959.....	67,000	33.0	2,211,000	2,376,000	22.0	52,272,000	2,413,000	53,746,000
1960.....	72,000	36.0	2,592,000	2,371,000	27.0	64,017,000	2,413,000	65,961,000
1961 ²	83,000	31.0	2,573,000	2,360,000	22.5	53,100,000	2,443,000	56,189,000
SPRING WHEAT								
1945.....	48,000	27.5	1,320,000	85,000	15.5	1,318,000	133,000	2,660,000
1946.....	52,000	23.5	1,222,000	68,000	11.5	782,000	120,000	1,980,000
1947.....	51,000	29.0	1,479,000	68,000	14.5	986,000	119,000	2,558,000
1948.....	55,000	29.0	1,595,000	47,000	13.0	611,000	102,000	2,193,000
1949.....	49,000	32.5	1,592,000	140,000	15.0	2,100,000	189,000	3,780,000
1950.....	38,000	25.0	950,000	77,000	9.5	732,000	115,000	1,725,000
1951.....	40,000	23.5	940,000	68,000	10.0	680,000	108,000	1,620,000
1952.....	30,000	31.0	930,000	35,000	15.0	525,000	65,000	1,462,000
1953.....	30,000	30.0	900,000	61,000	13.0	793,000	91,000	1,684,000
1954.....	20,000	26.0	520,000	32,000	11.4	364,000	52,000	884,000
1955.....	19,000	28.4	539,000	31,000	10.0	311,000	50,000	850,000
1956.....	17,000	27.5	468,000	25,000	11.5	288,000	42,000	756,000
1957.....	17,000	35.0	595,000	27,000	20.0	540,000	44,000	1,144,000
1958.....	18,000	33.0	594,000	31,000	11.0	341,000	49,000	931,000
1959.....	15,000	36.0	540,000	17,000	16.0	272,000	32,000	816,000
1960.....	12,000	35.0	420,000	16,000	17.0	272,000	28,000	686,000
1961 ²	6,000	36.0	216,000	10,000	15.0	150,000	16,000	368,000
OATS ³								
1945.....	90,000	39.5	3,555,000	130,000	29.0	3,770,000	220,000	7,260,000
1946.....	85,000	33.7	3,290,000	102,000	22.7	2,315,000	157,000	5,610,000
1947.....	88,000	40.0	3,520,000	112,000	27.0	3,024,000	200,000	6,500,000
1948.....	95,000	40.0	3,800,000	99,000	20.5	2,030,000	194,000	5,820,000
1949.....	100,000	41.5	4,150,000	117,000	26.5	3,100,000	217,000	7,270,000
1950.....	95,000	36.0	3,420,000	74,000	16.5	1,221,000	169,000	4,648,000
1951.....	87,000	37.0	3,219,000	68,000	22.0	1,496,000	155,000	4,728,000
1952.....	109,000	38.5	4,196,000	66,000	20.0	1,320,000	175,000	5,512,000
1953.....	96,000	40.0	3,840,000	63,000	18.5	1,166,000	159,000	5,008,000
1954.....	72,000	34.0	2,448,000	54,000	15.5	837,000	126,000	3,276,000
1955.....	79,000	38.0	3,001,000	47,000	19.3	905,000	126,000	3,906,000
1956.....	81,000	36.3	2,941,000	30,000	18.5	555,000	111,000	3,496,000
1957.....	104,000	43.0	4,172,000	72,000	26.0	1,872,000	176,000	6,336,000
1958.....	96,000	42.0	4,032,000	52,000	21.0	1,092,000	148,000	5,106,000
1959.....	81,000	42.5	3,442,000	34,000	20.0	680,000	115,000	4,140,000
1960.....	91,000	44.5	4,050,000	46,000	26.5	1,219,000	137,000	5,274,000
1961 ²	67,000	45.0	3,015,000	45,000	26.0	1,170,000	112,000	4,200,000

¹Corn for all purposes prior to 1959, beginning in 1959 "Corn for Grain" only.²Preliminary.³Beginning in 1949, excludes oats cut ripe and fed unthreshed.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

BARLEY, POTATOES AND DRY BEANS
IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1945-1961

Year	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
BARLEY								
1945.....	210,000	39.0	8,190,000	581,000	24.7	14,351,000	791,000	22,544,000
1946.....	200,000	36.0	7,200,000	393,000	17.5	6,878,000	593,000	13,936,000
1947.....	230,000	40.0	9,200,000	375,000	21.0	7,875,000	605,000	16,940,000
1948.....	244,000	38.5	9,394,000	319,000	14.7	4,689,000	563,000	14,075,000
1949.....	255,000	39.0	9,945,000	533,000	22.9	12,206,000	788,000	22,143,000
1950.....	228,000	31.0	7,068,000	261,000	9.5	2,480,000	489,000	9,536,000
1951.....	195,000	33.0	6,435,000	211,000	15.0	3,165,000	406,000	9,541,000
1952.....	188,000	37.0	6,956,000	137,000	12.0	1,644,000	325,000	8,612,000
1953.....	185,000	38.0	7,030,000	159,000	14.5	2,306,000	344,000	9,288,000
1954.....	145,000	29.0	4,205,000	237,000	12.0	2,844,000	382,000	7,067,000
1955.....	175,000	36.0	6,293,000	138,000	14.5	2,001,000	313,000	8,294,000
1956.....	157,000	33.8	6,325,000	132,000	12.5	1,650,000	319,090	7,975,000
1957.....	200,000	43.5	8,700,000	397,000	24.0	9,528,000	597,000	18,208,000
1958.....	175,000	40.0	7,000,000	273,000	24.5	6,688,000	418,000	13,664,000
1959.....	168,000	40.5	6,804,000	361,000	23.5	8,484,000	529,000	15,341,000
1960.....	170,000	46.0	7,815,000	375,000	27.0	10,125,000	545,000	17,985,000
1961 ¹	166,000	44.5	7,387,000	352,000	28.5	10,032,000	518,000	17,353,000

POTATOES

Year	Acres Harvested	Cwt. Per Acre	Production Cwt.	Acres Harvested	Cwt. Per Acre	Production Cwt.	Acres Harvested	Production Cwt.
1945.....	84,000	121	10,164,000	5,000	48	240,000	89,000	10,413,000
1946.....	79,000	146	11,534,000	4,000	48	192,000	83,000	11,703,000
1947.....	63,000	164	10,332,000	3,000	51	153,000	66,000	10,494,000
1948.....	70,000	178	12,460,000	2,000	54	108,000	72,000	12,528,000
1949.....	57,000	199	11,343,000	2,000	50	100,000	59,000	11,420,000
1950.....	54,000	201	10,854,000	2,000	33	66,000	56,000	10,909,000
1951.....	47,000	155	7,285,000	1,000	36	36,000	48,000	7,347,000
1952.....	49,000	235	11,515,000	1,000	48	48,000	50,000	11,530,000
1953.....	56,000	204	11,424,000	1,000	54	54,000	57,000	11,481,000
1954.....	53,200	199	10,587,000	800	50	40,000	54,000	10,620,000
1955.....	51,300	177	9,088,000	800	40	32,000	52,100	9,120,000
1956.....	52,200	195	10,161,000	800	45	36,000	53,000	10,197,000
1957.....	55,600	195	10,842,000	400	54	22,000	56,000	10,857,000
1958.....	58,700	230	13,490,000	300	50	15,000	59,000	13,505,000
1959.....	56,700	207	11,737,000	300	45	14,000	57,000	11,760,000
1960.....	55,700	213	11,928,000	300	40	12,000	56,000	11,922,000
1961 ¹	59,700	218	13,080,000	300	50	15,000	60,000	13,097,000

DRY BEANS (Cleaned)

Year	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production 100-lb. Bags	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production 100-lb. Bags	Acres Harvested	Production 100-lb. Bags
1945.....	86,000	992	853,000	185,000	346	640,000	271,000	1,493,000
1946.....	89,000	1,111	989,000	160,000	287	459,000	249,000	1,448,000
1947.....	107,000	1,332	1,423,000	214,000	455	973,000	321,000	2,396,000
1948.....	114,000	1,306	1,489,000	210,000	313	657,000	324,000	2,146,000
1949.....	118,000	1,408	1,662,000	177,000	346	612,000	295,000	2,274,000
1950.....	91,000	1,474	1,341,000	148,000	270	400,000	239,000	1,741,000
1951.....	96,000	1,316	1,263,000	107,000	193	206,000	203,000	1,469,000
1952.....	80,000	1,692	1,354,000	95,000	414	393,000	175,000	1,747,000
1953.....	102,000	1,661	1,694,000	122,000	408	495,000	221,000	2,192,000
1954.....	104,000	1,517	1,578,000	140,000	273	382,000	244,000	1,960,000
1955.....	83,000	1,420	1,179,000	117,000	395	462,000	200,000	1,640,000
1956.....	73,000	1,516	1,107,000	131,000	230	301,000	204,000	1,408,000
1957.....	72,000	1,570	1,130,000	144,000	650	936,000	216,000	2,063,000
1958.....	94,000	1,410	1,325,000	157,000	360	565,000	251,000	1,882,000
1959.....	81,000	1,700	1,377,000	130,000	210	273,000	211,000	1,646,000
1960.....	85,000	1,640	1,394,000	132,000	260	343,000	217,000	1,736,000
1961 ¹	95,000	1,720	1,631,000	144,000	430	619,000	239,000	2,247,000

¹Preliminary.

PLANTED AND HARVESTED ACREAGES OF PRINCIPAL CROPS, 1951-1961

Year	All Corn	Oats	Barley	All Wheat ¹	Rye	All Sorghums	Dry Beans	Potatoes	Sugar Beets	Broom Corn	All Hay ²	Commercial Truck Crops	Total Principal Crops	
	Pro-cess-ing ²	Market ²												
PLANTED ACREAGE														
Thousand Acres (000 Omitted)														
1951.....	591	246	518	3,953	59	819	230	50.0	132.4	79	1,394	13	31	8,115
1952.....	485	263	435	3,989	55	639	184	51.0	117.8	91	1,529	12	26	7,877
1953.....	422	237	457	4,003	58	799	234	58.0	121.3	78	1,565	12	26	8,070
1954.....	498	225	699	3,204	122	1,159	271	56.0	151.4	88	1,349	8	24	7,854
1955.....	528	194	552	3,266	112	1,808	220	56.0	123.2	101	1,368	9	26	8,363
1956.....	438	196	530	3,139	88	1,229	218	55.0	131.3	91	1,370	10	28	7,523
1957.....	548	229	673	2,054	92	1,671	227	57.0	139.9	93	1,520	9	29	7,342
1958.....	543	215	559	3,006	82	869	266	60.0	146.1	59	1,468	10	30	7,314
1959.....	516	176	587	2,691	124	721	226	58.0	148.6	54	1,436	10	30	6,778
1960.....	470	201	622	2,633	130	764	228	57.3	157.1	45	1,500	9	33	6,849
1961.....	376	165	610	2,620	92	573	246	62.0	174.2	56	1,560	11	33	6,578

HARVESTED ACREAGE
Thousand Acres (000 Omitted)

1951.....	557	155	406	2,659	27	704	203	48	124.3	74	1,394	13	31	6,395
1952.....	451	175	325	3,305	28	429	175	50	112.9	58	1,529	12	26	6,676
1953.....	401	159	344	2,813	23	601	221	57	115.5	62	1,565	12	26	6,403
1954.....	405	126	382	1,740	46	823	244	54	115.1	66	1,349	8	24	5,382
1955.....	474	126	313	1,299	28	1,270	200	52	102.0	81	1,368	9	26	5,348
1956.....	408	111	319	1,578	28	660	204	53	120.7	62	1,370	10	28	4,952
1957.....	530	176	597	1,488	44	1,439	216	56	135.6	80	1,520	9	29	6,320
1958.....	525	148	448	2,648	40	777	251	59	142.1	40	1,468	10	30	6,586
1959.....	494	115	529	2,475	72	653	211	57	143.2	48	1,436	10	30	6,273
1960.....	450	137	545	2,471	70	692	217	56	155.1	44	1,500	8	29	6,374
1961.....	364	112	518	2,459	51	554	239	60	167.1	51	1,560	9	29	6,173

¹Planted for harvest in year shown. Winter wheat sown fall of preceding year.²Only harvested acreage estimates are made for these crops, with the exception of commercial truck crops for 1960 and 1961.

ALL WHEAT—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1951-1961

Year	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
	Planted ¹ 1,000 Acres	Harvested 1,000 Acres	Planted Bushels	Harvested Bushels			
1951.....	3,953	2,659	9.4	14.0	37,334	2.11	78,710
1952.....	3,989	3,305	14.6	17.6	58,162	2.05	119,159
1953.....	4,003	2,813	11.0	15.6	43,375	2.04	89,371
1954.....	3,204	1,740	5.8	10.7	18,608	2.14	39,884
1955.....	3,266	1,299	5.4	13.6	17,712	1.95	34,505
1956.....	3,139	1,578	5.6	11.2	17,652	1.90	33,478
1957.....	2,054	1,488	17.8	24.5	36,522	1.83	66,790
1958.....	3,006	2,648	22.4	25.4	67,205	1.65	110,832
1959.....	2,691	2,475	20.3	22.0	54,562	1.69	92,137
1960.....	2,633	2,471	25.3	27.0	66,647	1.67	111,253
1961 ²	2,620	2,459	21.6	23.0	56,557	1.75	98,957

COLORADO

1951.....	3,953	2,659	9.4	14.0	37,334	2.11	78,710
1952.....	3,989	3,305	14.6	17.6	58,162	2.05	119,159
1953.....	4,003	2,813	11.0	15.6	43,375	2.04	89,371
1954.....	3,204	1,740	5.8	10.7	18,608	2.14	39,884
1955.....	3,266	1,299	5.4	13.6	17,712	1.95	34,505
1956.....	3,139	1,578	5.6	11.2	17,652	1.90	33,478
1957.....	2,054	1,488	17.8	24.5	36,522	1.83	66,790
1958.....	3,006	2,648	22.4	25.4	67,205	1.65	110,832
1959.....	2,691	2,475	20.3	22.0	54,562	1.69	92,137
1960.....	2,633	2,471	25.3	27.0	66,647	1.67	111,253
1961 ²	2,620	2,459	21.6	23.0	56,557	1.75	98,957

UNITED STATES

1951.....	78,524	61,873	12.6	16.0	988,161	2.11	2,088,739
1952.....	78,645	71,130	16.6	18.4	1,306,440	2.09	2,729,402
1953.....	78,931	67,840	14.9	17.3	1,173,071	2.04	2,390,936
1954.....	62,539	54,356	15.7	18.1	983,900	2.12	2,082,485
1955.....	58,246	47,290	16.1	19.8	937,094	1.98	1,855,446
1956.....	60,655	49,768	16.6	20.2	1,005,397	1.97	1,980,632
1957.....	49,843	43,754	19.2	21.8	955,740	1.93	1,841,578
1958.....	56,017	53,047	26.0	27.5	1,457,435	1.75	2,550,511
1959.....	56,772	51,781	19.7	21.7	1,121,118	1.76	1,973,168
1960.....	54,919	51,896	24.7	26.2	1,357,272	1.75	2,368,414
1961 ²	55,648	51,620	22.2	23.9	1,234,705	1.84	2,269,670

¹Planted for harvest in year shown. Winter wheat sown fall preceding year.²Preliminary.

**CORN, OATS, BARLEY, WINTER WHEAT, SPRING WHEAT, AND RYE
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1952-1961**

Year	COLORADO								UNITED STATES		
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acreage Planted 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Harv. Acre Bushels	Production 1,000 Bushels	
	Planted 1,000 Acres	Harv. 1,000 Acres	Planted Bushels	Harv. Bushels							
CORN¹											
1952.....	485	451	26.5	28.5	12,854	1.63	20,952	82,230	40.7	3,291,994	
1953.....	422	401	30.4	32.0	12,832	1.56	20,018	81,574	39.9	3,209,896	
1954.....	498	405	23.6	29.0	11,745	1.58	18,557	82,185	38.1	3,057,891	
1955.....	528	474	32.3	36.0	17,064	1.42	24,231	80,932	40.6	3,219,546	
1956.....	438	408	39.6	42.5	17,340	1.43	24,796	77,828	45.8	3,445,029	
1957.....	548	530	48.4	50.0	26,500	1.13	29,945	73,180	47.3	3,399,649	
1958.....	543	525	47.4	49.0	25,725	1.08	27,783	73,351	51.6	3,724,969	
1959.....	516	306	NA	51.0	15,606	1.12	17,479	82,742	53.1	3,824,598	
1960.....	470	251	NA	51.5	12,926	1.08	13,960	81,711	54.5	3,908,070	
1961.....	376	216	NA	56.5	12,204	1.19	14,523	66,965	61.8	3,624,313	
OATS											
1952.....	263	175	21.0	31.5	5,512	.93	5,126	42,341	32.9	1,217,433	
1953.....	237	159	21.1	31.5	5,008	.82	4,107	43,220	30.7	1,153,205	
1954.....	225	126	14.6	26.0	3,276	.90	2,948	46,898	34.8	1,409,601	
1955.....	194	126	20.1	31.0	3,906	.75	2,930	47,494	38.3	1,495,978	
1956.....	196	111	17.8	31.5	3,496	.80	2,797	44,205	34.5	1,151,398	
1957.....	229	176	27.7	36.0	6,336	.67	4,245	41,840	37.9	1,289,880	
1958.....	215	148	23.7	34.5	5,106	.65	3,319	37,699	44.8	1,401,410	
1959.....	176	115	23.5	36.0	4,140	.73	3,022	35,108	37.9	1,052,059	
1960.....	201	137	26.2	38.5	5,274	.71	3,745	31,538	43.4	1,155,312	
1961.....	165	112	25.5	37.5	4,200	.70	2,940	32,521	42.1	1,012,855	
BARLEY²											
1952.....	435	325	19.8	26.5	8,612	1.34	11,540	9,190	27.7	228,168	
1953.....	457	344	20.3	27.0	9,288	1.12	10,403	9,615	28.4	246,723	
1954.....	699	382	10.1	18.5	7,067	1.20	8,480	14,740	28.4	379,254	
1955.....	552	313	15.0	26.5	8,294	1.02	8,460	16,293	27.8	403,065	
1956.....	530	319	15.0	25.0	7,975	1.07	8,533	14,732	29.3	376,661	
1957.....	673	597	27.1	30.5	18,208	.77	14,020	16,398	29.8	442,761	
1958.....	559	448	24.4	30.5	13,664	.77	10,521	16,150	32.3	477,368	
1959.....	587	529	26.1	29.0	15,341	.77	11,813	16,817	28.3	422,383	
1960.....	622	545	28.9	33.0	17,985	.75	13,489	15,614	30.9	431,309	
1961.....	610	518	38.4	33.5	17,353	.83	14,403	15,800	30.3	393,384	
WINTER WHEAT³											
1952.....	3,902	3,240	14.5	17.5	56,700	2.05	116,235	56,997	20.9	1,065,220	
1953.....	3,902	2,722	10.8	15.5	42,191	2.01	86,070	57,087	18.9	885,032	
1954.....	3,122	1,688	5.7	10.5	17,724	2.15	38,107	46,617	20.4	801,369	
1955.....	3,184	1,219	5.3	13.5	16,862	1.95	32,881	44,297	20.9	705,636	
1956.....	3,088	1,536	5.5	11.0	16,896	1.90	32,102	44,418	20.8	740,592	
1957.....	2,007	1,444	17.6	24.5	35,378	1.83	64,742	37,402	22.5	711,798	
1958.....	2,950	2,599	22.5	25.5	66,274	1.65	109,352	43,674	28.6	1,173,538	
1959.....	2,655	2,443	20.2	22.0	53,746	1.69	90,831	43,615	23.2	917,752	
1960.....	2,602	2,443	25.4	27.0	65,961	1.67	110,155	42,689	27.8	1,110,557	
1961.....	2,602	2,443	21.6	23.0	56,189	1.75	98,331	43,416	26.4	1,076,274	
SPRING WHEAT⁴											
1952.....	87	65	16.8	22.5	1,462	2.00	2,924	19,320	12.1	218,727	
1953.....	101	91	16.7	18.5	1,684	1.96	3,301	19,741	14.4	275,072	
1954.....	82	52	10.8	17.0	884	2.01	1,777	14,285	12.8	177,549	
1955.....	82	50	10.4	17.0	850	1.91	1,624	12,564	17.3	211,878	
1956.....	51	42	14.8	18.0	756	1.82	1,376	13,718	19.0	226,014	
1957.....	47	44	24.3	26.0	1,144	1.79	2,048	10,053	20.8	204,007	
1958.....	56	49	16.6	19.0	931	1.59	1,480	11,405	23.6	262,228	
1959.....	36	32	22.7	25.5	816	1.60	1,306	11,940	16.5	183,174	
1960.....	31	28	22.1	24.5	686	1.60	1,098	12,230	20.7	212,574	
1961.....	18	16	20.4	23.0	368	1.70	626	12,230	15.0	139,476	
RYE⁵											
1952.....	55	28	4.1	8.0	224	1.59	356	3,186	11.6	16,146	
1953.....	58	23	3.2	8.0	184	1.12	206	3,456	13.2	18,894	
1954.....	122	46	2.3	6.0	276	1.13	312	4,178	14.5	25,963	
1955.....	112	28	1.8	7.0	196	1.01	198	5,133	14.2	29,089	
1956.....	88	28	2.2	7.0	196	1.09	214	4,546	13.1	21,288	
1957.....	92	44	6.7	14.0	616	.94	579	4,415	16.6	28,516	
1958.....	82	40	7.3	15.0	600	.86	516	4,390	18.5	33,182	
1959.....	124	72	7.8	13.5	972	.78	758	4,013	15.8	23,076	
1960.....	130	70	8.6	16.0	1,120	.74	829	4,107	19.6	33,052	
1961.....	92	51	8.9	16.0	816	.82	669	4,150	17.7	27,262	

¹Corn planted for all purposes. Corn Harvested for All Purposes prior to 1959, beginning in 1959 "Corn for Grain" only.

²Includes winter barley sown fall of preceding year.

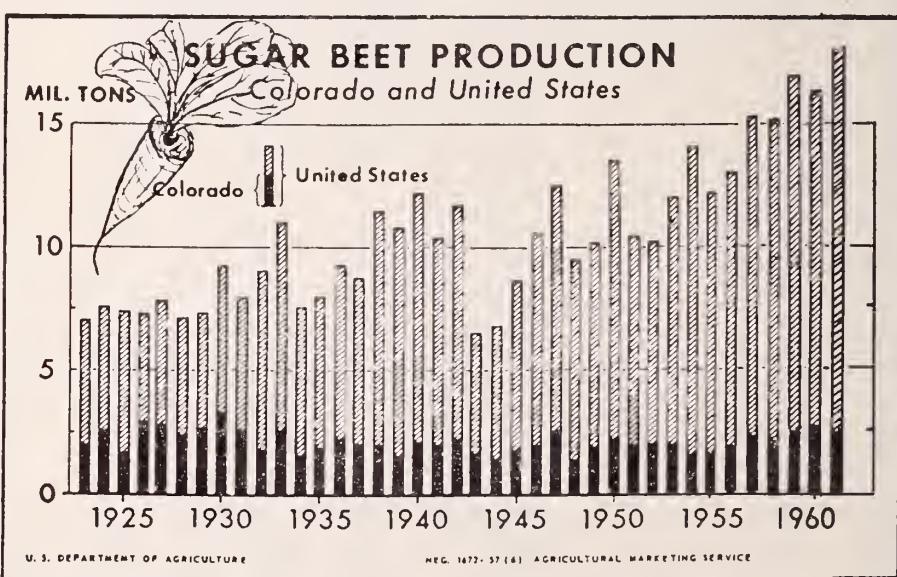
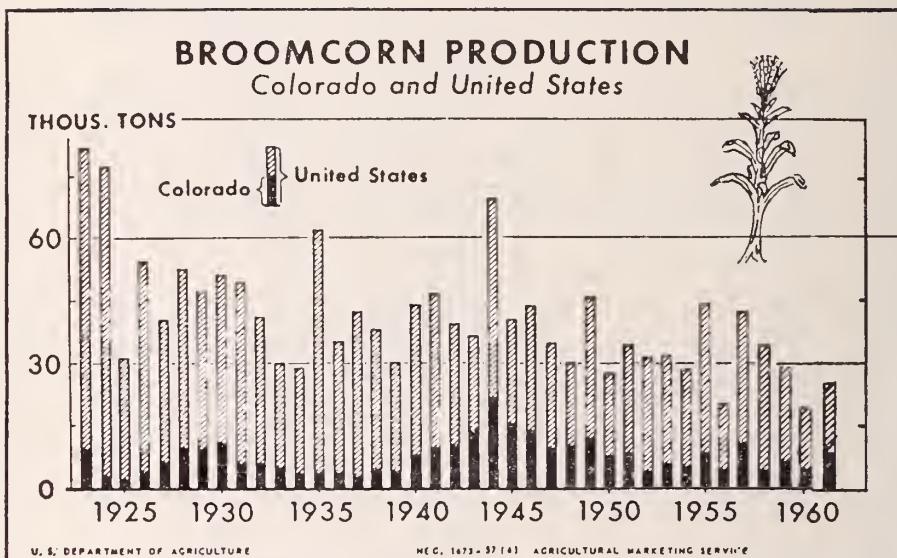
³Acreage planted fall of preceding year.

⁴United States figures exclude Durum wheat.

POTATOES, SUGAR BEETS, BROOMCORN, DRY BEANS AND FIELD PEAS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1952-1961

Year	COLORADO					UNITED STATES				
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production 1,000 Cwt.	Price Per Cwt. Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acreage Planted 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Harv. Acre Cwt.	
	Planted 1,000 Acres	Harv. 1,000 Acres	Planted Cwt.	Harv. Cwt.						
POTATOES										
1952.....	51.0	50.0	226	231	11,530	2.81	32,380	1,417	151	211,005
1953.....	58.0	57.0	198	201	11,481	1.20	13,799	1,563	151	231,679
1954.....	56.0	54.0	190	197	10,620	2.02	21,498	1,431	155	219,547
1955.....	56.0	52.0	163	175	9,120	1.71	15,840	1,458	162	227,696
1956.....	55.0	53.0	185	192	10,197	1.51	15,082	1,392	179	245,702
1957.....	57.0	56.0	190	194	10,857	2.07	22,654	1,404	178	242,522
1958.....	60.0	59.0	225	229	13,505	.96	12,957	1,461	187	266,897
1959.....	58.0	57.0	203	206	11,760	1.56	18,494	1,359	184	245,799
1960.....	57.0	56.0	209	213	11,922	2.02	23,962	1,410	184	257,435
1961.....	62.0	60.0	211	218	13,097	1.13	14,734	1,519	196	290,939
SUGAR BEETS										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Tons	Tons	1,000 Tons	Per Ton ¹ Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	1,000 Tons	
1952.....	117.8	112.9	16.5	17.2	1,941	11.90	23,098	719	15.3	10,169
1953.....	121.3	115.5	16.1	16.9	1,956	11.70	22,885	794	16.2	12,084
1954.....	151.4	115.1	10.9	14.4	1,654	10.60	17,532	964	16.1	14,082
1955.....	123.2	102.0	13.2	15.9	1,621	11.30	18,317	798	16.5	12,228
1956.....	131.3	120.7	14.4	15.7	1,893	12.30	23,284	831	16.6	12,993
1957.....	139.9	135.6	17.1	17.7	2,399	11.90	28,548	916	17.7	15,505
1958.....	146.1	142.1	16.2	16.7	2,372	12.30	29,176	935	17.0	15,150
1959.....	148.6	143.2	16.4	17.0	2,437	11.90	29,000	955	18.8	17,015
1960.....	157.1	155.1	17.6	17.8	2,761	12.40	34,236	977	17.2	16,421
1961.....	174.2	167.1	14.1	14.7	2,456	²	1,128	16.5	17,966	
BROOMCORN										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Tons	Per Ton Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Harvested	Pounds	1,000 Tons
1952.....	91	58	79	125	3.6	365.00	1,314	263	242	31.8
1953.....	78	62	146	185	5.7	300.00	1,710	268	239	32.0
1954.....	88	66	120	160	5.3	330.00	1,749	260	220	28.6
1955.....	101	81	168	210	8.5	215.00	1,828	315	278	43.8
1956.....	91	62	95	140	4.3	430.00	1,870	202	194	19.5
1957.....	93	80	241	280	11.2	215.00	2,576	273	308	42.0
1958.....	59	40	156	230	4.6	225.00	1,035	192	351	33.7
1959.....	54	48	267	300	7.2	230.00	1,656	169	363	30.7
1960.....	48	44	221	240	5.3	320.00	1,696	139	292	20.3
1961.....	56	51	296	325	8.3	315.00	2,614	150	337	25.2
DRY BEANS ³										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Tons	Per Cwt. Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Planted	Pounds	1,000 Cwt.
1952.....	184	175	949	1,000	1,747	8.20	14,325	1,299	1,191	14,917
1953.....	234	224	937	980	2,192	7.10	15,563	1,418	1,196	16,498
1954.....	271	244	723	800	1,960	6.50	12,740	1,668	1,105	16,939
1955.....	220	200	745	820	1,640	5.40	8,356	1,602	1,110	16,672
1956.....	218	204	646	690	1,408	6.40	9,011	1,476	1,211	17,234
1957.....	227	216	999	955	2,063	5.60	11,553	1,451	1,136	15,670
1958.....	266	251	708	750	1,882	5.70	10,727	1,660	1,194	19,287
1959.....	226	211	728	780	1,646	6.80	11,193	1,543	1,297	18,939
1960.....	228	217	761	800	1,736	7.00	12,152	1,472	1,249	17,917
1961.....	246	239	913	940	2,247	6.10	13,707	1,471	1,390	20,006
FIELD PEAS³										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Cwt.	Per Cwt. Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Planted	Pounds	1,000 Cwt.
1952.....	15	8	493	920	74	4.50	333	224	1,184	2,463
1953.....	14	6	436	1,020	61	3.05	186	277	1,183	3,052
1954.....	14	6	314	730	44	3.40	150	279	1,200	3,107
1955.....	18	8	367	820	66	3.75	248	335	891	2,673
1956.....	18	9	428	860	77	4.00	308	387	1,362	4,984
1957.....	28	18	579	900	162	2.30	373	315	1,228	3,610
1958.....	22	12	545	1,000	120	2.55	306	248	1,195	2,665
1959.....	13	7	500	930	65	3.45	224	368	1,436	4,997
1960.....	16	8	475	950	76	3.75	285	321	1,088	3,241
1961.....	9	6	600	900	51	3.40	184	349	1,063	3,498

¹Government payments under the Sugar Act are not included.²Not available.³Yield, production and value, cleaned basis. Yields derived for years 1952-1954.



**CORN—UTILIZATION FOR GRAIN, SILAGE, HOGGING DOWN, GRAZING AND FORAGE,
1950-1961**

YEAR	For Grain			For Silage			Hogging Down, Grazing and Forage 1,000 Acres
	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Bushels	Production 1,000 Bushels	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons	
COLORADO							
1950.....	343	24.5	8,404	117	8.0	936	97
1951.....	340	27.5	9,350	139	8.0	1,112	78
1952.....	212	26.0	5,512	148	9.5	1,406	91
1953.....	237	30.0	7,110	120	10.0	1,200	44
1954.....	219	27.0	5,913	141	9.2	1,297	45
1955.....	237	32.0	7,584	166	9.5	1,577	71
1956.....	204	42.0	8,568	171	10.5	1,796	33
1957.....	296	48.5	14,356	194	13.5	2,619	40
1958.....	348	47.5	16,530	144	13.0	1,872	33
1959.....	306	51.0	15,606	162	12.0	1,944	26
1960.....	251	51.5	12,926	172	13.5	2,322	27
1961.....	216	56.5	12,204	127	14.0	1,778	21
UNITED STATES							
1950.....	72,398	38.2	2,761,071	4,937	8.31	41,002	4,483
1951.....	71,191	36.9	2,628,937	4,809	8.10	38,949	4,729
1952.....	71,353	41.8	2,980,793	5,361	8.05	43,174	4,226
1953.....	70,738	40.7	2,881,801	6,102	7.84	47,855	3,619
1954.....	68,668	39.4	2,707,913	7,114	7.39	52,559	4,404
1955.....	68,462	42.0	2,872,959	6,961	7.61	52,974	3,944
1956.....	64,877	47.4	3,075,336	6,535	8.35	54,571	3,835
1957.....	63,065	48.3	3,045,355	6,122	8.83	54,072	2,677
1958.....	63,549	52.8	3,356,205	6,284	8.85	55,612	2,391
1959.....	72,091	53.1	3,824,598	7,017	8.51	59,703	2,794
1960.....	71,649	54.5	3,908,070	7,176	9.11	65,386	2,135
1961.....	58,691	61.8	3,624,313	6,117	10.44	63,856	1,645

SORGHUM—UTILIZATION FOR GRAIN, SILAGE AND FORAGE, 1950-1961

YEAR	For Grain				For Silage			For Forage		
	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Bushels	Production 1,000 Bushels	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons
COLORADO										
1950.....	103	12.0	1,236	1,483	4	4.5	18	350	1.00	350
1951.....	278	12.0	3,336	4,604	11	3.5	38	415	.95	391
1952.....	129	8.0	1,032	1,517	13	5.0	65	287	.85	244
1953.....	216	10.5	2,268	2,880	20	6.0	120	365	.95	347
1954.....	306	10.5	4,158	5,114	34	4.0	136	393	.70	275
1955.....	660	7.5	4,950	5,247	32	4.5	144	578	.70	405
1956.....	205	12.5	2,562	3,228	20	6.0	120	435	.60	261
1957.....	820	20.0	16,400	14,268	75	7.5	562	544	1.40	762
1958.....	498	25.0	12,450	11,454	26	7.0	182	253	1.10	278
1959.....	413	22.5	9,292	7,991	27	5.5	148	213	1.00	213
1960.....	380	23.0	8,740	7,429	35	6.5	228	277	.80	222
1961.....	281	32.0	8,992	8,902	43	8.0	344	230	1.40	322

UNITED STATES

1950.....	10,346	22.6	233,536	245,342	706	7.3	5,176	4,304	1.5	6,567
1951.....	8,544	19.1	162,863	215,468	855	6.8	5,858	4,550	1.3	6,072
1952.....	5,326	17.0	90,741	142,221	794	5.3	4,218	4,578	.9	4,069
1953.....	6,295	18.4	115,719	152,036	1,093	6.0	6,506	4,814	1.2	5,535
1954.....	11,718	20.1	235,575	295,882	1,359	5.6	7,603	5,053	1.0	5,172
1955.....	12,891	18.8	242,638	239,183	1,758	5.5	9,613	6,142	1.1	6,725
1956.....	9,209	22.2	204,881	235,818	1,463	6.3	9,194	6,136	.7	4,457
1957.....	19,682	28.8	567,506	550,180	1,989	8.3	16,560	3,991	1.7	6,729
1958.....	16,524	35.2	581,012	579,849	1,418	9.3	13,155	2,118	2.0	4,209
1959.....	15,402	36.0	555,211	472,481	1,345	8.6	11,611	2,265	1.7	3,835
1960.....	15,592	39.8	619,867	514,743	1,384	9.1	12,547	2,164	1.8	3,859
1961.....	11,026	43.8	482,615	458,359	1,309	9.8	12,894	1,722	2.0	3,420

ALL HAY, ALFALFA HAY AND WILD HAY—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1954-1961

Year	COLORADO					UNITED STATES		
	Acreage Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons	Price Per Ton Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acreage Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons
ALL HAY								
1954.....	1,349	1.55	2,087	26.30	54,888	73,721	1.46	107,834
1955.....	1,368	1.70	2,322	22.40	52,013	74,956	1.50	112,807
1956.....	1,370	1.68	2,303	25.20	58,036	72,292	1.49	107,978
1957.....	1,520	1.90	2,886	17.90	51,659	71,912	1.67	120,043
1958.....	1,468	1.81	2,652	15.60	41,371	70,547	1.70	120,100
1959.....	1,436	1.78	2,559	22.00	56,298	66,274	1.67	110,978
1960.....	1,500	1.81	2,712	24.10	65,359	67,246	1.76	118,236
1961.....	1,560	1.90	2,960	22.00	65,120	67,085	1.74	116,632
ALFALFA HAY								
1954.....	754	2.05	1,546	26.00	40,196	26,576	2.12	56,364
1955.....	769	2.20	1,692	21.80	36,886	28,320	2.09	59,101
1956.....	784	2.15	1,686	25.40	42,824	29,103	2.09	60,940
1957.....	831	2.40	1,994	17.70	35,294	29,826	2.31	68,761
1958.....	839	2.30	1,930	15.80	30,494	28,941	2.30	66,522
1959.....	805	2.30	1,852	22.70	42,040	27,382	2.31	63,310
1960.....	829	2.35	1,948	24.20	47,142	27,564	2.44	67,356
1961.....	879	2.40	2,110	21.20	44,732	28,169	2.38	66,961
WILD HAY								
1954.....	252	.75	189	29.30	5,538	12,880	.77	9,935
1955.....	232	.90	209	25.50	5,330	12,052	.76	9,129
1956.....	241	.95	229	26.20	6,000	11,730	.72	8,504
1957.....	280	1.15	322	19.00	6,118	12,060	.92	11,038
1958.....	280	1.00	280	14.20	3,976	11,215	.90	10,086
1959.....	294	.95	279	20.20	5,636	10,780	.83	8,957
1960.....	303	1.05	318	24.50	7,791	11,626	.92	10,658
1961.....	303	1.05	318	24.80	7,886	10,130	.83	8,371



(COURTESY UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD)

**DRY EDIBLE BEANS—PRODUCTION BY COMMERCIAL CLASSES, 1951-1961
(THOUSAND CWT.—CLEANED)**

Year	Pea (Navy)	Great Northern	Other White	Pinto	Red Kidney	Pink	Small Red	Cran- berry	Yellow Eye	Standard Lima	Baby Lima	Other Classes	Total All Var.
COLORADO													
1951...				1,430								39	1,469
1952...				1,747									1,747
1953...				2,192									2,192
1954...				1,980									1,980
1955...				1,640									1,640
1956...				1,396			12						1,408
1957...				2,063									2,063
1958...				1,880								2	1,882
1959...	10			1,635								1	1,646
1960...	5			1,729								2	1,736
1961...	4			2,243									2,247

UNITED STATES

1951...	4,072	1,469	854	2,980	1,344	534	768	85	138	1,168	798	1,618	15,828
1952...	3,412	1,872	695	3,143	1,421	393	605	108	171	1,360	430	1,307	14,917
1953...	3,601	1,707	672	4,782	1,249	450	666	163	179	1,137	639	1,253	16,498
1954...	3,158	1,956	846	4,537	1,155	656	1,217	131	59	1,259	758	1,207	16,939
1955...	4,428	1,949	928	3,589	1,045	414	1,018	78	61	1,077	318	1,767	16,672
1956...	5,020	1,800	829	3,351	1,863	400	757	169	143	1,024	559	1,310	17,234
1957...	3,358	1,501	836	4,913	1,307	399	750	64	118	943	345	1,136	15,670
1958...	5,042	2,035	873	4,904	1,379	457	1,490	93	124	1,093	356	1,441	19,287
1959...	6,068	2,256	980	4,381	988	269	871	204	80	916	412	1,513	18,939
1960...	5,845	1,572	656	4,475	1,474	314	733	124	83	756	467	1,418	17,917
1961...	6,764	1,616	516	5,508	1,413	455	341	120	87	774	454	1,958	20,006

**SWEETCLOVER SEED, ALFALFA SEED AND SUDANGRASS SEED
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1953-1961**

Year	COLORADO				UNITED STATES		
	Acreage Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Pounds	Production 1,000 Pounds	Price Per Cwt. Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acreage Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Pounds

SWEETCLOVER SEED—(Cleaned Basis)

1953...	6.5	230	1,495	8.50	127	221	162	36,024
1954...	3.0	200	600	11.10	67	266	171	45,505
1955...	4.5	250	1,125	9.00	101	254	190	48,292
1956...	6.0	270	1,620	9.60	156	220	166	36,570
1957...	5.0	280	1,400	8.60	120	188	164	30,705
1958...	9.0	150	1,350	8.70	117	153	175	26,631
1959...	2.7	180	486	8.90	43	137	201	27,507
1960...	2.0	160	320	8.10	27	130	212	27,694
1961...	1.5	160	240	9.40	23	86	200	17,127

ALFALFA SEED—(Cleaned Basis)

1953...	21	135	2,835	21.80	618	950	147	140,058
1954...	23	130	2,990	29.10	870	1,048	156	163,949
1955...	26	140	3,640	18.70	681	1,392	153	212,390
1956...	19	150	2,850	24.80	707	914	181	165,280
1957...	14	145	2,030	21.60	438	882	182	160,865
1958...	16	140	2,240	22.60	506	842	181	152,130
1959...	18	130	2,340	21.70	508	746	173	129,268
1960...	12	140	1,680	21.60	363	710	192	136,458
1961...	11	130	1,430	29.00	415	617	189	116,393

SUDANGRASS SEED—(Cleaned Basis)

1953...	52	330	17,160	4.70	870	134	479	64,298
1954...	38	275	10,450	8.50	888	104	405	42,325
1955...	57	250	14,250	4.05	577	166	534	88,970
1956...	40	230	9,200	6.10	561	102	536	54,975
1957...	106	410	43,460	2.25	978	192	545	104,705
1958...	26	275	7,150	2.75	197	67	496	33,052
1959...	16	290	4,640	4.00	186	64	595	38,248
1960...	26	350	9,100	5.10	464	78	605	47,526
1961...	36	500	18,000	4.50	810	98	715	69,874

**WHEAT, BARLEY, OATS, CORN AND SORGHUM GRAIN—GRAIN STOCKS ON FARMS
WHEAT**

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ¹	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²
1952-53	24,428	42	20,357	35	13,959	24	2,908	5.0
1953-54	28,519	65	17,111	39	11,846	27	6,581	15.0
1954-55	10,793	58	7,629	41	3,722	20	2,047	11.0
1955-56	10,450	59	7,439	42	3,897	22	1,417	8.0
1956-57	10,062	57	6,884	39	4,590	26	1,059	6.0
1957-58	20,452	56	14,244	39	8,765	24	3,652	10.0
1958-59	38,979	58	27,554	41	15,457	23	9,409	14.0
1959-60	36,557	67	27,281	50	18,551	26	14,186	26.0
1960-61	43,987	66	37,322	56	25,326	38	15,995	24.0
1961-62	47,508	84	32,803	58	.....	.....	.....	.....

BARLEY

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ¹	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²
1952-53	6,631	77	4,737	55	2,497	29	1,033	12.0
1953-54	7,152	77	5,387	58	2,508	27	1,115	12.0
1954-55	5,371	76	4,382	62	2,049	29	919	13.0
1955-56	6,055	73	4,230	51	2,488	30	995	12.0
1956-57	5,343	67	3,908	49	1,914	27	558	7.0
1957-58	13,838	76	11,471	63	9,650	53	4,916	27.0
1958-59	9,428	69	7,242	53	3,689	27	1,640	12.0
1959-60	11,199	73	9,358	61	4,295	28	1,534	10.0
1960-61	13,489	75	8,633	48	4,856	27	2,698	15.0
1961-62	11,106	64	9,891	57	.....	.....	.....	.....

OATS

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ¹	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²
1952-53	4,465	81	3,693	67	2,315	42	1,047	19.0
1953-54	4,407	88	3,255	65	1,853	37	901	18.0
1954-55	2,817	86	2,359	72	1,441	44	819	25.0
1955-56	2,930	75	2,500	64	1,601	41	820	21.0
1956-57	2,832	81	2,342	67	1,503	43	874	25.0
1957-58	5,069	80	4,435	70	3,105	49	1,647	26.0
1958-59	4,646	91	3,830	75	1,991	39	868	17.0
1959-60	3,560	86	3,105	75	1,615	39	828	20.0
1960-61	4,958	94	3,586	68	1,951	37	1,318	25.0
1961-62	3,570	85	3,108	74	.....	.....	.....	.....

CORN³

YEAR	Jan. 1		April 1		July 1		Oct. 1	
	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²						
1953	3,803	69	1,488	27	551	10.0	165	3.0
1954	5,048	71	2,133	30	675	9.5	462	6.5
1955	4,730	80	2,070	35	1,183	20.0	207	3.5
1956	5,385	71	1,820	24	834	11.0	228	3.0
1957	6,169	72	3,256	38	1,114	13.0	386	4.5
1958	11,198	78	7,609	53	4,307	30.0	1,436	10.0
1959	11,240	68	5,455	33	2,149	13.0	1,074	6.5
1960	11,392	73	5,306	34	1,561	10.0	702	4.5
1961	8,531	66	3,749	29	1,810	14.0	517	4.0
1962	8,665	71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

SORGHUM GRAIN³

YEAR	Jan. 1		April 1		July 1		Oct. 1	
	Bu. (000)	Per- cent ²						
1953	413	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	4.5
1954	498	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	170	7.5
1955	2,037	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	104	2.5
1956	2,772	56	845	33	891	18	173	3.5
1957	1,793	70	.....	.....	359	14	231	9.0
1958	10,004	61	6,396	39	3,312	8	492	3.0
1959	5,727	46	3,735	30	1,868	15	311	2.5
1960	7,248	78	4,181	45	2,323	25	418	4.5
1961	6,118	70	3,758	43	1,661	19	337	5.0
1962	5,935	66	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

¹Stocks as percentage of crop produced in current year (year of harvest).²Stocks as a percentage of crop produced in first preceding year (year of harvest).³Percentages given are stocks as a percentage of the amount of corn or Sorghum harvested "for grain".

**WHEAT, BARLEY, OATS, CORN AND SORGHUM GRAIN
OFF FARM (COMMERCIAL) GRAIN STOCKS**

WHEAT

Crop Year	In Elevators ¹				All Commercial Stocks ²			
	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1
In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)								
1945-46.....	3,520	2,355	930	77	5,590	4,630	2,291	275
1946-47.....	3,200	2,010	740	124	6,271	4,622	2,268	599
1947-48.....	5,676	3,599	2,946	1,192	8,937	6,599	4,947	2,215
1948-49.....	4,531	5,388	4,807	1,861	8,647	9,194	7,593	3,085
1949-50.....	8,397	8,393	6,854	4,848	12,170	11,430	9,243	6,124
1950-51.....	11,933	10,299	6,838	1,327	15,364	13,493	9,359	3,935
1951-52.....	8,634	6,834	2,964	702	12,896	9,981	5,079	1,392
1952-53.....	14,764	14,532	11,941	11,309	19,386	17,981	15,319	15,802
1953-54.....	17,947	15,919	15,741	16,536	24,264	21,714	20,980	21,912
1954-55.....	18,924	18,188	17,484	16,503	27,390	25,387	23,897	22,040
1955-56.....	21,526	19,127	17,689	17,477	29,313	26,825	24,299	23,019
1956-57.....	22,054	20,249	19,228	18,063	30,541	27,538	24,718	22,695
1957-58.....	23,200	25,918	21,373	19,162	30,863	29,810	24,891	22,363
1958-59.....	32,310	31,377	26,414	24,830	37,258	35,404	29,084	28,088
1959-60.....	37,500	34,072	31,093	27,200	42,030	38,411	35,404	30,841
1960-61.....	47,300	46,383	40,540	38,316	48,010	47,093	41,250	39,188
1961-62.....	49,100	45,515	.....	.....	49,972	46,324	.....	.....

BARLEY AND OATS—ALL COMMERCIAL STOCKS²

Crop Year	BARLEY				OATS			
	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1
In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)								
1949-50.....	1,685	1,501	1,458	1,167	345	427	356	153
1950-51.....	2,349	2,532	1,911	1,113	226	386	312	235
1951-52.....	2,121	1,932	1,231	805	517	403	349	190
1952-53.....	1,656	1,156	892	482	557	337	492	211
1953-54.....	2,365	1,574	948	464	342	346	268	175
1954-55.....	2,077	1,484	1,103	751	544	438	302	191
1955-56.....	1,945	1,787	1,333	....³	519	438	329	260
1956-57.....	2,312	....³	....³	....³	334	288	287	171
1957-58.....	3,718	2,828	2,389	2,324	461	356	378	195
1958-59.....	4,311	2,832	1,518	1,410	469	409	258	164
1959-60.....	3,129	2,215	1,913	....³	289	290	372	213
1960-61.....	4,088	3,010	2,517	....³	528	405	375	165
1961-62.....	4,753	3,692	.....	.....	445	348	.....	.....

CORN AND SORGHUM GRAIN—ALL COMMERCIAL STOCKS²

Year ⁴	CORN				SORGHUM GRAIN			
	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1
In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)								
1949.....	691	265	341	201	124	74	44	49
1950.....	1,690	1,510	1,164	927	850	703	520	618
1951.....	2,347	2,298	1,441	880	1,069	542	318	174
1952.....	1,738	1,644	784	482	1,972	768	279	58
1953.....	1,763	892	420	238	313	372	150	88
1954.....	942	682	315	820	583	314	199	136
1955.....	1,732	1,065	533	410	1,079	600	362	877
1956.....	983	715	466	305	2,266	1,799	593	484
1957.....	1,392	1,108	789	394	1,591	1,052	664	374
1958.....	673	702	753	2,130	2,168	2,153	1,892	1,436
1959.....	2,765	2,275	1,363	946	4,006	3,164	2,243	2,084
1960.....	2,103	1,723	1,655	1,536	4,066	3,832	2,374	2,098
1961.....	2,160	1,912	1,797	1,370	2,710	2,608	1,318	1,275
1962.....	1,692	.....	.....	.....	2,179	.....	.....	.....

¹Does not include stocks in merchant mills or bins owned by Commodity Credit Corporation.

²Includes stocks in interior mills, elevators, warehouses, commercial stocks at terminals and those owned by Commodity Credit Corporation in storage under CCC control.

³Unallocated—to avoid disclosing individual operations.

⁴Year shown refers to year of storage. For example: The 1,738,000 bushels of corn shown as in storage January 1, 1952, was produced in 1951 or earlier.

**CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS COMPARED WITH VALUE OF MINERALS
AND TOTAL INCOME PAYMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS—1950-1961**

Year	Total Income ¹ Payments (000,000)	Gold ² and Silver (000)	Zinc ² (000)	Copper ² and Lead (000)	Coal ² (000)	Crude ² Petroleum (000)	Uranium ² Ore (000)	Total ² Mineral Products (000) ³	Receipts From Farm Marketings (000)
1950..	1,935	7,724	13,000	8,599	19,500	59,420	.....⁴	145,995	501,800
1951..	2,289	6,601	20,280	12,051	21,170	70,670	.....⁴	178,680	573,600
1952..	2,473	6,907	17,663	11,426	19,202	74,310	.....⁴	183,612	607,600
1953..	2,515	6,164	8,896	7,388	19,330	98,644	.....⁴	211,670	476,700
1954..	2,543	6,458	7,592	7,552	16,079	127,990	.....⁴	255,852	443,400
1955..	2,783	5,609	8,696	7,935	20,100	144,800	.....⁴	286,104	403,900
1956..	3,064	5,486	11,027	9,829	19,832	162,674	.....⁴	309,505	426,700
1957..	3,367	5,600	10,904	9,086	21,831	166,046	.....⁴	338,504	455,100
1958..	3,550	4,644	7,575	5,508	19,305	145,721	22,486	306,561	602,600
1959..	3,776	3,351	8,139	4,774	21,034	134,676	22,546	314,668	597,300
1960..	4,079	3,646	8,070	6,316	21,090	137,660	23,462	313,104	638,700
1961 ⁵ .	4,361	3,911	9,856	6,215	.....⁶	136,663	23,891	350,178	636,400

¹Data for 1954-60 are taken from the August, 1961 issue "Survey of Current Business" published by the U. S. Dept. of Commerce, under the heading "Personal Income by States and Regions." For detailed explanation of these estimates, see text in August, 1960 Issue "Survey of Current Business," p. 17.

²Compiled from Mineral Industry Surveys of the U. S. Bureau of Mines for the years concerned. Reported values were rounded to the nearest thousand dollars for ease of presentation and comparability with other income data.

³In addition to minerals shown separately this total includes primarily molybdenum, vanadium, tungsten, natural gas together with sand and gravel and a number of other minerals of lesser importance. Individual data on some minerals are not included for security reasons.

⁴Unavailable.

⁵Preliminary.

⁶Unallocated—to avoid disclosing individual operations.

NOTE—For a discussion of the significance of this table, see page 4 of Colorado Agricultural Statistics, 1950.

1961—CROP PRODUCTION IN STATES WHICH PRODUCE IN COMPETITION WITH COLORADO

State	Winter Wheat 1,000 Bu.	Sugar Beets 1,000 Tons	All Potatoes 1,000 Cwt.	Dry Beans 1,000 Cwt.	All Hay 1,000 Tons	Corn For Grain 1,000 Bu.	Barley 1,000 Bu.
Maine..			37,000		578		
N. Y..	8,174		21,074	1,262	5,978	11,403	858
Pa..	15,720		8,241		4,123	59,965	7,730
Ohio..	45,167	307	2,764		3,829	187,738	2,236
Ind..	45,150		1,407		2,546	308,802	1,900
Ill..	61,308		279		4,297	638,176	2,553
Mich..	39,996	1,177	9,116	7,290	3,164	101,864	2,613
Wis..	1,204	78	11,490		9,198	120,377	1,395
Minn..	688	1,262	14,082		7,601	324,242	27,300
Iowa..	2,522		555		7,482	747,252	1,014
Mo..	43,096		450		4,949	175,398	4,900
N. Dak..		600	12,947		3,495	5,148	42,938
S. Dak..	10,332	94	618		3,888	100,046	11,832
Nebr..	78,620	1,159	2,625	1,292	5,962	279,439	6,300
Kans..	273,718	156	238	276	4,103	58,800	26,010
Okla..	110,832		118		2,163	5,390	19,250
Texas..	84,870		2,786		2,424	31,890	10,104
Mont..	39,102	956	1,360	240	2,527	174	26,370
Idaho..	19,002	2,261	56,424	2,352	3,022	1,817	19,142
Wyo..	4,263	709	660	891	1,406	1,340	3,193
COLO..	56,189	2,456	13,097	2,247	2,960	12,201	17,353
N. Mex..	8,004		544	91	723	525	2,025
Ariz..	1,118		2,472		1,209	360	11,220
Utah..	2,550	321	1,530	32	1,287	192	6,063
Nev..	64		231		523		333
Wash..	50,736	1,256	12,910	491	1,800	2,975	28,560
Oreg..	17,901	486	9,360		1,930	1,632	16,214
Calif..	8,225	4,593	34,447	3,542	7,342	7,776	73,824

**APPLES, PEACHES, PEARs AND CHERRIES—PRODUCTION,¹
FARM DISPOSITION AND VALUE, 1954-1961**

Year	Production 1,000 Bushels	Not Utilized 1,000 Bushels	Production Having Value 1,000 Bushels	Farm Disposition			Season Average Price Dollars	Value of Production 1,000 Dollars	Value of Sales 1,000 Dollars			
				Farm Household Use 1,000 Bushels	Sold							
					Quantity 1,000 Bushels	Percent of Total Production						
APPLES—(Commercial Crop ²)												
1954..	1,500	.....	1,500	26	1,474	98.3	2.35	3,525	3,464		
1955..	1,170	73	1,097	40	1,057	90.3	2.25	2,468	2,378			
1956..	1,440	.....	1,410	34	1,406	97.6	2.20	3,168	3,093		
1957..	1,010	.....	1,010	34	976	96.6	2.00	2,020	1,952		
1958..	1,290	.....	1,290	30	1,260	97.7	1.85	2,386	2,331		
1959..	800	9	791	26	765	95.6	2.25	1,780	1,721			
1960..	800	.....	800	18	782	97.8	2.40	1,920	1,877		
1961..	1,400	.....	1,400	.....³	.....³	.....³	2.30	3,220	.....³
PEACHES												
1954..	2,230	100	2,130	25	2,105	94.4	2.65	5,644	5,578			
1955..	2,110	160	1,950	25	1,925	91.2	2.70	5,265	5,198			
1956..	1,697	63	1,634	25	1,609	94.8	2.75	4,494	4,425			
1957..	1,850	100	1,750	23	1,727	93.4	3.05	5,338	5,267			
1958..	1,880	274	1,606	22	1,584	84.3	2.60	4,176	4,118			
1959..	1,830	107	1,723	20	1,703	93.1	2.90	4,997	4,939			
1960..	710	.....	710	10	700	98.6	3.45	2,450	2,415		
1961..	2,000	.....	2,000	.....³	.....³	.....³	2.65	5,300	.....³
PEARS												
1954..	270	.....	270	7	263	97.4	2.50	675	658		
1955..	175	.....	175	6	169	96.6	2.55	446	431		
1956..	240	.....	240	6	234	97.5	2.35	564	550		
1957..	180	.....	180	6	174	96.7	2.70	486	470		
1958..	250	20	230	6	224	89.6	2.10	483	470			
1959..	235	.....	235	5	230	97.9	2.25	529	518		
1960..	30	.....	30	1	29	96.7	3.45	104	100		
1961..	245	.....	245	.....³	.....³	.....³	2.50	612	.....³
Farm Disposition												
Year	Production Tons	Not Utilized Tons	Production Having Value Tons	Farm Household Use Tons	Sold		Season Average Price Dollars	Value of Production 1,000 Dollars	Value of Sales 1,000 Dollars			
					Quantity Tons	Percent of Total Production						
					.....³	.....³				
CHERRIES (Sour)												
1954..	1,550	.....	1,550	85	1,465	94.5	180.00	279	264		
1955..	1,000	.....	1,000	75	925	92.5	140.00	140	130		
1956..	1,600	.....	1,600	80	1,520	95.0	153.00	245	233		
1957..	1,450	.....	1,450	70	1,380	95.2	139.00	202	192		
1958..	1,650	.....	1,650	70	1,580	95.8	158.00	261	250		
1959..	1,300	102	1,198	60	1,138	87.5	157.00	188	179			
1960..	700	.....	700	40	660	94.3	165.00	116	109		
1961..	2,300	.....	2,300	.....³	.....³	.....³	162.00	373	.....³
CHERRIES (Sweet)												
1954..	1,200	.....	1,200	75	1,125	93.8	270.00	324	304		
1955..	580	.....	580	60	520	89.7	300.00	174	156		
1956..	550	.....	550	60	490	89.1	334.00	184	164		
1957..	420	.....	420	60	360	85.7	351.00	147	126		
1958..	1,100	.....	1,100	75	1,025	93.2	278.00	306	285		
1959..	550	.....	550	50	500	90.9	421.00	232	210		
1960..	120	.....	120	15	105	87.5	470.00	67	59		
1961..	1,100	.....	1,100	.....³	.....³	.....³	356.00	392	.....³
APPLES, COMMERCIAL CROP—PRODUCTION BY VARIETIES, 1956-1961 (In Thousands of Bushels)												
Year	Jonathan	Ben Davis and Gano	Delicious	Golden Delicious	McIntosh	Rome Beauty	Winesap	Other Varieties	Total			
COLORADO												
1956..	441	153	391	.....	.....	272	95	88	1,440	
1957..	315	76	333	.....	.....	153	85	48	1,010	
1958..	444	90	413	.....	.....	152	116	75	1,290	
1959..	215	40	248	.....	.....	152	108	37	800	
1960..	304	48	135	26 ⁴	.....	152	106	29	800		
1961..	424	105	377	69	.....	210	140	75	1,400		
UNITED STATES												
1956..	7,114	1,359	19,277	4,575	10,958	6,870	9,299	41,863	101,315			
1957..	8,837	1,170	28,756	5,492	14,199	7,595	12,097	41,112	119,258			
1958..	7,593	1,472	28,737	6,570	17,188	8,441	11,018	46,466	127,485			
1959..	9,131	1,298	27,470	6,786	17,555	8,506	9,305	46,796	126,847			
1960..	7,002	1,222	23,554	7,417	14,435	7,804	8,058	39,023	108,515			
1961..	9,029	1,285	24,023	7,823	19,751	9,645	8,590	45,364	125,510			

¹In certain years, production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and excluded in computing value.²Estimates of commercial apples relate to production in 7 commercial counties (Larimer, Delta, Garfield, Mesa, Montezuma, Montrose and Fremont), which produce about 95 per cent of the total apples produced in the state.³Not available.⁴Included in "other varieties" in previous years.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

FRUIT TREES AND PRODUCTION—1925-1959
(Federal Census—Principal Counties)

Year	Farms Reporting	Trees			Production Preceding Year Bushels ¹
		Total	Non-bearing	Bearing	
APPLES—Larimer County					
1925	614	78,510	8,285	70,225	121,112
1930	760	60,865	7,856	53,012	170,081
1935	699	49,638	6,528	43,110	68,349
1940	507	32,171	5,221	26,950	78,899
1945	735	41,041	—	—	66,122
1950	606	22,422	1,978	20,444	25,562
1954	151	8,841	657	8,184	15,820
1959	83	5,127	853	4,274	10,874
Delta County					
1925	958	483,194	14,253	468,941	1,051,045
1930	827	458,873	34,941	423,932	1,189,442
1935	815	380,326	10,801	369,525	661,045
1940	587	264,766	15,082	249,684	594,129
1945	644	251,869	—	—	1,181,961
1950	672	254,150	38,616	215,534	983,635
1954	390	227,688	47,935	179,753	1,100,059
1959	363	275,543	98,016	177,527	533,004
Garfield County					
1925	495	69,444	2,517	66,927	60,899
1930	382	42,040	4,601	37,439	54,450
1935	393	36,514	2,257	34,257	40,314
1940	419	24,428	3,944	20,484	28,395
1945	286	25,033	—	—	63,738
1950	358	20,933	3,385	17,548	47,449
1954	147	17,872	1,873	15,999	44,948
1959	100	11,984	1,183	10,801	21,812
Mesa County					
1925	1,005	248,337	4,939	243,398	389,540
1930	633	112,097	3,147	108,950	284,250
1935	488	61,511	1,524	59,987	64,390
1940	375	21,848	1,579	20,269	13,024
1945	506	19,589	—	—	43,445
1950	565	29,157	15,272	13,885	24,552
1954	357	27,942	14,381	13,561	36,358
1959	282	41,364	21,950	19,414	50,926
Montezuma County					
1925	264	58,343	2,718	55,625	57,345
1930	320	55,024	6,621	48,403	122,816
1935	323	51,360	3,562	47,798	69,913
1940	382	45,672	5,065	40,607	111,596
1945	456	69,177	—	—	203,826
1950	450	67,568	16,815	50,753	62,634
1954	215	47,610	4,249	43,361	113,669
1959	133	42,711	8,174	34,537	77,512
Montrose County					
1925	554	140,001	6,935	133,066	152,730
1930	493	54,330	2,427	51,903	94,702
1935	352	36,098	3,280	32,818	71,950
1940	489	37,750	3,206	34,544	40,910
1945	435	31,019	—	—	107,059
1950	609	27,436	5,022	22,414	49,599
1954	160	23,282	5,953	17,329	110,688
1959	108	29,151	12,884	16,267	45,853
Fremont County					
1925	683	126,848	6,154	120,694	252,410
1930	721	120,182	5,179	115,003	124,991
1935	771	122,098	8,349	113,749	327,352
1940	550	76,073	5,832	70,241	285,218
1945	576	85,250	—	—	188,841
1950	487	70,405	18,416	51,989	140,447
1954	302	34,476	6,804	27,672	778
1959	112	15,972	1,853	14,119	11,543
State Total					
1925	10,395	1,473,874	84,162	1,389,712	2,424,421
1930	9,607	1,030,239	97,053	993,186	2,251,330
1935	8,138	870,424	56,013	814,411	1,466,956
1940	6,805	588,221	55,715	532,506	1,237,313
1945	7,811	611,572	—	—	1,971,570
1950	8,573	564,419	113,675	450,744	1,397,747
1954	2,299	406,821	85,472	321,349	1,443,500
1959	1,591	436,336	148,099	288,237	764,803

¹Except 1954 and 1959 which are for the current year.

STATE OF COLORADO

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FRUIT TREES AND PRODUCTION—1925-1959
(Federal Census—Principal Counties)

Year	Farms Reporting	Trees			Production Preceding Year Bushels ²
		Total	Non-bearing	Bearing	
TOTAL CHERRIES—Larimer County					
1925		292,951	146,994	145,957	76,689
1930	636	381,423	146,753	234,670	86,702
1935	633	256,470	13,369	243,101	2,941,033 ¹
1940	471	218,401			6,853,039 ¹
1945	613	182,882	28,203	154,679	27,248,500 ¹
1950	570	70,190	14,114	56,076	725,898 ¹
1954	151				
1959	84	62,920	14,115	48,805	1,274,717 ¹
Delta County					
1925		19,147	8,729	10,418	15,014
1930	503	19,320	4,147	15,173	16,047
1935	467	20,436	4,392	16,044	408,589 ¹
1940	424	20,098			1,318,985 ¹
1945	497	50,226	33,935	16,291	10,974,900 ¹
1950	723	34,594	12,027	22,567	2,408,065 ¹
1954	341				
1959	295	40,081	10,814	29,267	718,025 ¹
Garfield County					
1925		3,762	569	3,193	3,866
1930	246	4,130	336	3,794	2,697
1935	263	4,739	825	3,914	68,530 ¹
1940	229	4,409			61,586 ¹
1945	156	7,562	3,047	4,315	1,729,800 ¹
1950	316	5,467	2,812	2,655	220,018 ¹
1954	140				
1959	96	5,685	3,567	2,118	131,823 ¹
Mesa County					
1925		9,301	5,538	3,763	3,438
1930	358	33,378	3,518	29,860	15,396
1935	360	9,313	799	8,514	134,542 ¹
1940	478	17,361			617,878 ¹
1945	730	22,985	7,989	14,996	5,796,100 ¹
1950	525	15,915	8,032	7,883	513,281 ¹
1954	396	17,278	6,326	10,952	481,451 ¹
Fremont County					
1925		65,589	28,951	36,638	47,260
1930	582	65,663	19,224	46,439	36,288
1935	456	43,156	5,968	37,188	1,247,975 ¹
1940	488	42,321			1,302,859 ¹
1945	428	27,529	7,100	20,429	3,415,900 ¹
1950	245	10,421	2,418	8,003	19,243 ¹
1954	94	3,876	312	3,564	22,760 ¹
State Total					
1925		516,329	230,218	286,111	182,606
1930	7,141	600,568	207,463	393,105	186,775
1935	5,992	407,184	38,651	368,533	5,458,937 ¹
1940	5,139	366,180			11,377,878 ¹
1945	5,871	344,605	95,778	248,827	53,362,700 ¹
1950	7,574	150,670	42,475	108,195	4,155,107 ¹
1954	2,282				
1959	1,509	137,806	37,088	100,718	2,840,491 ¹
SWEET CHERRIES—Delta County					
1940	349	16,827	3,887	12,940	343,604 ¹
1950	414	25,578	12,794	12,784	9,733,600 ¹
1954	210	19,060	6,523	12,537	1,418,754 ¹
1959	181	21,319	4,558	16,761	468,529 ¹
Garfield County					
1940	138	2,795	532	2,263	51,151 ¹
1950	156	6,397	2,885	3,512	1,372,800 ¹
1954	69	4,844	2,677	2,167	204,225 ¹
1959	51	5,406	3,543	1,563	120,300 ¹
Mesa County					
1940	308	2,964	511	2,453	39,523 ¹
1950	417	6,944	4,754	2,190	585,600 ¹
1954	318	7,311	4,020	3,291	137,158 ¹
1959	219	5,570	786	4,784	169,955 ¹
State Total					
1940	1,686	32,565	7,957	24,608	527,241 ¹
1950	2,513	52,903	26,052	26,351	12,661,300 ¹
1954	940	36,648	14,377	22,271	1,974,819 ¹
1959	659	35,554	9,420	26,134	908,866 ¹

¹Pounds.²Except 1954 and 1959 which are for the current year.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

FRUIT TREES AND PRODUCTION—1925-1959
(Federal Census—Principal Counties)

Year	Farms Reporting	Trees			Production Preceding Year Bushels ¹
		Total	Non-bearing	Bearing	
PEACHES—Delta County					
1925	671	138,056			203,376
1930	631	222,942	74,853	148,089	78,373
1935	596	181,431	15,031	166,400	172,341
1940	614	251,508	84,455	167,053	254,134
1945	766	297,550			468,032
1950	777	303,317	56,859	246,458	401,500
1954	401	178,245	25,926	152,319	352,420
1959	318	166,301	36,257	130,044	248,128
Mesa County					
1925	577	234,558			473,796
1930	720	527,155	241,401	285,754	862,316
1935	731	544,851	114,785	430,066	1,007,465
1940	952	728,891	283,429	445,462	991,369
1945	1,203	812,407			1,347,153
1950	1,279	878,860	242,506	636,354	1,282,991
1954	945	728,293	126,317	601,976	1,448,132
1959	689	639,797	143,523	496,274	1,241,857
State Total					
1925	3,042	407,950			715,341
1930	3,035	788,666	334,565	454,101	953,175
1935	2,548	758,107	136,979	621,128	1,210,075
1940	3,187	1,044,015	398,309	645,736	1,276,701
1945	4,042	1,225,554			1,966,572
1950	4,942	1,295,753	325,327	970,426	1,781,370
1954	2,131	979,683	157,767	821,916	1,890,549
1959	1,577	856,146	186,121	670,025	1,555,057
PEARS—Delta County					
1925	461	8,408			
1930	313	12,063	2,688	9,375	18,327
1935	261	10,004	649	9,355	19,349
1940	232	8,399	1,344	7,055	13,479
1945	253	18,808			17,074
1950	274	16,799	6,163	10,636	16,781
1954	155	27,224	11,284	15,940	43,307
1959	150	27,365	8,261	19,104	52,769
Mesa County					
1925	788	169,177			
1930	588	181,091	41,977	139,114	501,167
1935	405	116,236	15,172	101,064	176,086
1940	325	73,362	1,858	71,504	77,354
1945	324	57,157			87,115
1950	391	70,752	11,098	59,654	143,335
1954	310	64,910	12,120	52,790	164,350
1959	228	59,353	17,959	41,394	138,536
State Total					
1925	2,636	186,244			
1930	2,334	203,109	47,809	155,300	527,900
1935	1,932	133,573	16,796	116,777	205,683
1940	1,754	88,339	5,089	83,250	100,064
1945	1,867	83,328			114,297
1950	2,228	95,278	20,728	74,550	165,795
1954	1,074	99,121	24,466	74,655	212,443
1959	750	90,793	27,856	62,937	195,437

¹Except 1954 and 1959, which are for the current year.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES—ACRES HARVESTED FOR MARKET IN 1960
 (Principal Commercial Counties)

COUNTY	Snap Beans	Cab-bage	Canta-loups	Carrots	Cauli-flower	Celery	Sweet Corn	Lettuce	Onions	Green Peas	Spinach	Tomatoes	Total
Adams.....	130	450	370	450	220	100	700	80	880	20	140	70	3,610
Arapahoe.....	10	20			20		20	10	10		10		100
Boulder.....	40	170	20	20	10		140	10	150	10	30	80	680
Jefferson.....	40	20	10	10	30	20	350	20	20	10	10	10	550
Larimer.....	20	20	20	10	10		70	10	20	10		10	200
Logan.....			20				40		30			10	100
Morgan.....			30				10		170			40	250
Sedgwick.....			20				20		120				160
Weld.....	120	370	140	500	40	20	270	40	2,000		40	180	3,720
Total Denver and Northern Area.....	360	1,050	630	990	330	140	1,620	170	3,400	50	230	400	9,370
Baca.....	140									200			340
Bent.....			390					20		710		60	1,180
Crowley.....	20		100					10		120		30	280
El Paso.....	10	10					130	10					160
Fremont.....	20	30	10	10	70	20	40	10	20		50	20	300
Otero.....	30		1,000	10			60	10	2,500			160	3,770
Prowers.....			100				20		300			10	430
Pueblo.....	180	60	400	60	60	50	350	50	750	30	100	100	2,190
Total Pueblo and Arkansas Val. Area.....	260	240	2,000	80	130	70	630	80	4,600	30	150	380	8,650
Alamosa.....			350		10	140			800		70	50	
Conejos.....			40			40			800		600	50	
Costilla.....			250		350	90			2,400		80	1,510	
Rio Grande.....			10			10			700		70	30	
Saguache.....			10						900		30		
Total San Luis Valley Area.....			660		360	280			5,600		850	1,670	
Garfield.....								10				10	20
Grand.....					50				120		20	100	
Routt.....												150	
Delta.....	30	10	40				20		110			10	220
Mesa.....	30	10	90	10	10	10	70	30	40			50	350
Montezuma.....			20	40			20					10	90
Montrose.....	20	10		10		10	30		550			40	670
Total Mountain and Western Slope Area.....	80	50	170	70	10	20	150	150	700	20	250	120	1,790
State Total.....	700	2,000	2,800	1,500	750	230	2,400	6,000	8,700	950	2,300	900	29,230

ONIONS—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1951-1961

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production ¹ Cwt. (000)	Price Per Unit Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
1951	8,800	175	1,540	2.80	4,312
1952	5,500	262	1,441	4.20	6,052
1953	5,900	250	1,475	1.00	1,475
1954	5,900	250	1,475	2.00	2,950
1955	6,900	270	1,620	2.40	3,888
1956	6,700	280	1,876	2.35	4,409
1957	7,200	280	2,014	2.00	4,058
1958	7,800	280	2,184	2.95	6,443
1959	8,200	280	2,296	2.05	4,707
1960	8,700	290	2,523	2.25	5,677
1961 ²	8,600	270	2,322	3.15	7,314

¹In certain years production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and excluded in computing values.

²Preliminary.

ONIONS—ACRES AND PRODUCTION BY AREAS, 1951-1961

Year	Northern Colorado				Western Slope			
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production Cwt. (000)	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production Cwt. (000)
1951	2,800	2,500	250	624	1,500	1,300	225	292
1952	2,200	2,000	280	560	1,100	1,000	275	275
1953	2,300	2,100	250	525	1,100	1,000	278	278
1954	2,100	2,100	268	562	1,000	900	282	253
1955	2,600	2,250	262	590	900	850	308	262
1956	2,750	2,500	268	669	850	800	340	272
1957	3,000	2,650	278	736	800	750	340	255
1958	3,300	3,050	265	808	800	750	315	236
1959	3,550	2,800	280	784	750	700	315	220
1960	3,850	3,400	320	1,088	750	700	310	217
1961 ¹	3,850	3,400	290	986	750	700	300	210

Year	Arkansas Valley				State			
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production Cwt. (000)	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production Cwt. (000)
1951	6,300	5,000	125	624	10,600	8,800	175	1,510
1952	2,700	2,500	212	606	6,000	5,500	262	1,441
1953	3,290	2,800	240	672	6,600	5,900	250	1,475
1954	3,200	2,900	228	660	6,600	5,900	250	1,475
1955	3,300	2,900	265	768	6,800	6,000	270	1,620
1956	3,700	3,400	275	935	7,300	6,700	280	1,876
1957	4,200	3,900	270	1,053	8,000	7,300	280	2,044
1958	4,800	4,000	285	1,140	8,900	7,800	280	2,184
1959	5,200	4,700	275	1,292	9,500	8,200	280	2,296
1960	5,000	4,600	265	1,218	9,600	8,700	290	2,523
1961 ¹	5,000	4,500	250	1,126	9,600	8,600	270	2,322

ONIONS—PER CENT OF ACRES PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY, 1951-1961

Year	Northern Colorado			Western Slope			Arkansas Valley		
	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Other ² Varieties	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Other ² Varieties	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Other ² Varieties
PER CENT									
1951	71	26	3	20	13	67	85	15	.....
1952	60	22	18	10	15	75	80	20	.....
1953	69	17	11	20	13	67	75	25	.....
1954	69	22	9	14	12	74	74	26	.....
1955	61	37	2	10	10	80	66	34	.....
1956	64	32	4	18	30	52	61	39	.....
1957	52	30	18	10	25	65	52	48	.....
1958	59	21	20	20	18	62	64	36	.....
1959	52	23	25	21	16	63	52	48	.....
1960	43	27	30	15	18	67	53	47	.....
1961 ¹	45	25	30	15	18	67	55	45	.....

¹Preliminary.

²Includes Danvers, Hybrids and miscellaneous.

**BEANS, CABBAGE, CANTALOUP, CARROTS, CAULIFLOWER, CELERY, SWEET CORN AND
LETUCE ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1954-1961**

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production ¹ 1,000 Cwt.	Price Per Unit Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
BEANS, SNAP FOR MARKET					
1954.....	750	45	34	8.85	301
1955.....	750	45	34	7.00	238
1956.....	750	45	34	8.30	282
1957.....	700	50	35	8.80	308
1958.....	700	50	35	7.80	273
1959.....	700	50	35	9.50	332
1960.....	700	55	38	8.80	334
1961.....	700	45	32	9.00	288
CABBAGE FOR MARKET					
1954.....	2,800	225	630	1.20	756
1955.....	3,000	210	630	1.35	850
1956.....	2,800	230	644	1.45	934
1957.....	2,700	260	702	1.27	889
1958.....	2,700	220	594	1.06	627
1959.....	2,400	240	576	2.05	1,182
1960.....	2,000	270	540	1.40	755
1961.....	2,300	270	621	1.25	778
CANTALOUP					
1954.....	1,900	104	198	2.35	465
1955.....	2,200	90	198	1.80	356
1956.....	2,500	90	225	1.95	439
1957.....	2,500	85	212	2.15	456
1958.....	2,500	90	225	1.95	439
1959.....	2,700	85	230	2.40	552
1960.....	2,800	95	266	2.50	665
1961.....	2,800	100	280	2.40	672
CARROTS					
1954.....	1,800	120	216	2.70	583
1955.....	1,900	130	247	3.50	864
1956.....	2,000	135	270	3.35	904
1957.....	1,900	150	285	5.00	1,425
1958.....	1,900	155	294	3.65	1,073
1959.....	1,900	160	304	4.35	1,322
1960.....	1,500	190	285	5.20	1,482
1961.....	1,500	180	270	4.00	1,080
CAULIFLOWER					
1954.....	800	76	61	6.70	409
1955.....	1,000	81	81	7.30	591
1956.....	1,000	82	82	5.40	44
1957.....	900	85	76	5.40	410
1958.....	900	85	76	5.00	380
1959.....	850	85	72	7.00	504
1960.....	750	85	64	5.80	371
1961.....	750	90	68	7.10	483
CELERY					
1954.....	700	300	210	3.65	766
1955.....	600	300	180	4.65	837
1956.....	600	310	186	3.50	651
1957.....	450	250	112	4.25	476
1958.....	400	305	122	4.00	488
1959.....	350	305	107	4.50	482
1960.....	230	280	64	4.20	269
1961.....	230	300	69	4.80	331
SWEET CORN FOR MARKET					
1954.....	2,400	55	132	3.40	449
1955.....	2,700	55	148	3.10	372
1956.....	2,700	60	162	3.60	583
1957.....	2,800	65	182	3.35	610
1958.....	3,400	65	221	2.65	586
1959.....	3,400	65	221	3.30	729
1960.....	2,400	70	168	3.30	554
1961.....	2,600	75	195	2.90	566
LETUCE					
1954.....	3,700	110	407	2.80	1,140
1955.....	3,800	130	494	4.15	2,050
1956.....	5,000	115	575	2.05	1,179
1957.....	6,000	125	750	4.05	3,038
1958.....	6,000	150	900	1.15	897
1959.....	6,200	175	1,085	4.05	4,394
1960.....	6,000	195	1,170	2.60	2,730
1961.....	5,600	210	1,176	2.05	2,411

¹In certain years production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and excluded in computing value.

**PEAS, SPINACH, TOMATOES, BEANS AND CUCUMBERS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1954-1961**

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production ¹ 1,000 Cwt.	Price Per Unit Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
PEAS, GREEN FOR MARKET					
1954.....	1,600	24	38	7.00	266
1955.....	2,200	27	59	6.35	375
1956.....	1,800	25	45	7.40	333
1957.....	1,600	25	40	9.30	372
1958.....	1,400	28	39	7.00	273
1959.....	900	34	31	8.60	267
1960.....	950	35	33	8.00	264
1961.....	800	40	32	9.50	304
SPINACH					
1954.....	700	40	28	5.00	140
1955.....	900	40	36	5.50	198
1956.....	1,100	38	42	4.90	206
1957.....	1,300	40	52	3.60	187
1958.....	1,600	50	80	4.15	332
1959.....	1,800	50	90	5.00	450
1960.....	2,300	55	126	5.50	693
1961.....	2,200	55	121	5.90	714
TOMATOES FOR MARKET					
1954.....	900	125	112	3.50	392
1955.....	900	130	117	3.50	410
1956.....	900	170	153	3.25	497
1957.....	900	160	144	3.65	526
1958.....	1,000	150	150	3.35	502
1959.....	950	150	142	2.75	390
1960.....	900	150	135	3.60	486
1961.....	950	150	142	3.70	525
Year	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
BEANS, SNAP FOR PROCESSING					
1954.....	1,500	4.0	6,000	91.30	548
1955.....	1,400	4.0	5,600	82.20	460
1956.....	1,400	4.0	5,600	93.80	525
1957.....	1,400	3.7	5,200	97.40	506
1958.....	1,700	3.7	6,300	86.20	543
1959.....	1,700	3.0	5,100	87.40	416
1960.....	1,700	2.7	4,600	87.50	402
1961.....	2,000	3.0	6,000	84.30	506
TOMATOES FOR PROCESSING					
1954.....	3,000	7.1	21,300	23.90	509
1955.....	2,900	6.1	17,700	23.10	409
1956.....	3,400	10.9	37,100	23.60	876
1957.....	2,400	9.0	21,600	23.60	510
1958.....	2,900	7.2	20,900	23.20	485
1959.....	3,400	8.7	29,600	23.70	702
1960.....	2,400	11.3	27,100	24.40	661
1961.....	2,200	8.5	18,700	25.00	468
Year	Acres	Pounds	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
PEAS, GREEN FOR PROCESSING					
1954.....	700	1,310	460	89.40	41
1955.....	800	2,010	800	84.90	68
1956.....	1,800	1,960	1,760	78.10	137
1957.....	2,200	2,710	2,980	92.10	274
1958.....	2	2	2	2	2
1959.....	2	2	2	2	2
1960.....	2	2	2	2	2
1961.....	2	2	2	2	2
Year	Acres	Bu.	1,000 Bu.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
CUCUMBERS, FOR PICKLES					
1954.....	2,300	211	485	1.25	606
1955.....	2,300	232	534	1.30	694
1956.....	2,200	330	726	1.55	1,125
1957.....	1,900	374	711	1.45	1,031
1958.....	1,800	370	666	1.30	866
1959.....	1,500	365	548	1.00	548
1960.....	1,200	300	360	1.15	414
1961.....	2,000	236	472	1.15	543

¹In certain years production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and excluded in computing value

²Not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

POTATOES, ACRES HARVESTED AND PRODUCTION—1951-1961

Year	COLORADO						UNITED STATES					
	Late Summer			Fall Crop			Late Summer			Fall Crop		
	Acres Har- vested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Produc- tion 1,000 Cwt.	Acres Har- vested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Produc- tion 1,000 Cwt.	Acres Har- vested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Produc- tion 1,000 Cwt.	Acres Har- vested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Produc- tion 1,000 Cwt.
1951.....	9.7	177	1,717	38.3	147	5,630	212	148	31,394	790	159	125,761
1952.....	9.7	258	2,503	40.3	224	9,027	212	150	31,829	848	166	141,108
1953.....	11.7	234	2,738	45.3	193	8,743	212	155	32,945	929	163	151,278
1954.....	9.0	205	1,845	45.0	195	8,775	198	165	32,646	887	165	146,095
1955.....	9.0	225	2,025	43.0	165	7,095	188	170	31,896	876	170	148,832
1956.....	10.6	250	2,650	42.4	178	7,547	187	187	35,067	869	193	167,981
1957.....	12.5	190	2,375	43.5	195	8,482	181	183	33,108	844	189	159,784
1958.....	13.1	225	2,948	45.9	230	10,557	182	194	35,378	921	200	184,167
1959.....	12.0	230	2,760	45.0	200	9,000	179	188	34,905	905	182	167,733
1960.....	11.8	205	2,419	44.2	215	9,503	170	203	34,552	946	185	175,042
1961.....	11.5	190	2,185	48.5	225	10,912	173	210	36,342	1,033	195	201,461

POTATOES, COLORADO PRODUCTION AND DISPOSITION—1951-1961

Crop Year	ALL POTATOES						FALL CROP ¹					
	Production 1,000 Cwt.	Farm Disposition				Production 1,000 Cwt.	Farm Disposition				Quantity Sold 1,000 Cwt.	Percent of Crop Sold Percent
		Fed to Livestock Shrinkage and Loss After Harvest 1,000 Cwt.	Used in Farm Household 1,000 Cwt.	Used for Seed on Farm Where Grown 1,000 Cwt.	Sold Quantity 1,000 Cwt.		Percent of Crop Percent	Production 1,000 Cwt.	Quantity Sold 1,000 Cwt.	Percent of Crop Sold Percent		
1951-52	7,347	664	54	594	6,035	82	5,630	4,429	4,429	79		
1952-53	11,530	920	58	693	9,859	86	9,027	7,518	7,518	83		
1953-54	11,481	1,721	61	661	9,038	79	8,743	6,520	6,520	75		
1954-55	10,620	1,101	57	577	8,885	84	8,775	7,168	7,168	82		
1955-56	9,120	891	49	597	7,583	83	7,095	5,706	5,706	80		
1956-57	10,197	1,029	46	605	8,517	84	7,547	6,056	6,056	80		
1957-58	10,857	1,265	44	603	8,945	82	8,482	6,810	6,810	80		
1958-59	13,505	1,941	35	610	10,919	81	10,557	8,466	8,466	80		
1959-60	11,760	1,155	31	607	9,967	85	9,000	7,422	7,422	82		
1960-61	11,922	1,121	28	678	10,095	85	9,503	7,906	7,906	83		

FALL POTATOES, PRODUCTION AND STOCKS—1951-1962

Year	Production 1,000 Cwt.	TOTAL STOCKS HELD BY GROWERS AND LOCAL DEALERS ²							
		December 1		January 1		February 1		March 1	
	1,000 Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Percent of Production	1,000 Cwt.	Percent of Production	1,000 Cwt.	Percent of Production	1,000 Cwt.	Percent of Production
COLORADO									
1951-52	5,630	3,900	69	3,200	57	2,500	44	1,740	31
1952-53	9,027	6,300	70	5,600	62	4,400	49	3,330	37
1953-54	8,743	6,700	77	5,600	64	4,500	51	3,540	40
1954-55	8,775	5,900	67	5,300	60	4,050	46	3,100	35
1955-56	7,095	4,700	66	4,000	56	2,900	41	2,060	29
1956-57	7,547	5,400	72	4,500	60	3,450	46	2,700	36
1957-58	8,482	5,700	67	4,550	54	3,450	41	2,450	29
1958-59	10,557	7,400	70	5,750	54	4,400	42	3,300	31
1959-60	9,000	6,500	72	5,300	59	4,100	46	3,000	33
1960-61	9,503	6,100	64	5,000	53	3,900	41	3,000	32
1961-62 ³	10,912	7,800	71	6,200	57	4,500	41	3,400	31
UNITED STATES									
1951-52	125,761	83,960	67	69,170	55	52,580	42	35,110	28
1952-53	141,108	96,070	68	81,240	58	62,110	44	44,780	32
1953-54	151,278	108,500	72	91,750	61	71,660	47	53,130	35
1954-55	146,005	103,290	71	88,160	60	69,380	47	52,230	36
1955-56	148,832	101,050	70	86,010	57	65,990	44	47,630	32
1956-57	167,981	118,650	71	100,650	60	79,180	47	58,880	35
1957-58	159,784	110,615	69	92,680	58	71,670	45	53,150	33
1958-59	184,167	129,630	70	107,865	59	83,530	45	61,480	33
1959-60	167,733	119,620	71	99,430	59	78,090	47	58,650	35
1960-61	175,042	124,860	71	105,015	60	83,720	48	63,075	36
1961-62 ³	201,461	145,220	72	120,890	60	93,050	46	68,595	34

¹Production and quantity solid figures are included in All Potatoes.²Total stocks consist of "production less total disappearance to date." Disappearance includes all sales for all purposes to date, all potatoes eaten or fed on farms where produced to date and all losses to date through shrinkage, decay, dumping, etc.³Preliminary.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—INSPECTED FOR SHIPMENT BY MOTOR TRUCKS¹

Crop	1960-61				1961-62			
	District ²				District ²			
	Western Colorado	Northern and Eastern Colorado	San Luis Valley	State Valley	Western Colorado	Northern and Eastern Colorado	San Luis Valley	State
(Carlot Equivalents) ³								
Apples	59	.....	2	61	123	.....	47	170 ⁴
Peaches	646	.....	1	647	1,314	.....	1	1,315
Pears	2	.....	.....	2	96	.....	.....	96
Mixed Fruit	4	.....	.....	4	157	.....	.....	157
Cabbage	365	.....	205	570	.....	192	310	502
Cantaloupe	94	.....	.....	94	.....	54	.....	54
Cauliflower	27	.....	65	92	.....	9	42	51
Lettuce	1	.....	2,044	2,045	.....	4	2,439	2,443
Mixed Vegetables	282	.....	70	352	.....	236	73	309
Onions	59	261	.....	319	54	409	.....	463 ⁴
Potatoes	337	6,335	10,707	17,378	250	5,318	7,887	13,455 ⁴

¹Compiled from reports of the Fruit and Vegetable Inspection Service A. M. S.²For some crops the inspection district does not indicate the area of production.³Based on schedule of equivalent carlots established by Inspection Service for fee purposes.⁴Shipments through February, 1961, are incomplete for 1961-62 season for apples, potatoes and onions.PRODUCTION OF CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES, 1952-1961
(By Varieties)
Certified Seed—Cwt.

Variety	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Red McClure	126,486	142,816	77,268	407,865	326,080	362,840	583,320	569,775	390,000	456,000
Russet Burbank	46,893	57,055	48,453	153,948	165,835	332,911	218,060	154,720	96,000	287,000
Triumph	49,971	48,911	29,791	5,178	2,300	400	.....	.....	.....	.....
Russet Rural	10,677	14,033	20,382	40,608	27,925	13,060	23,655	28,650	15,000	10,900
Katahdin	23,460	18,457	15,552	17,790	20,935	10,610	29,010	14,175	10,950	8,400
Cobbler	15,729	15,317	7,176	5,196	15,925	17,355	12,735	6,735	3,400	2,400
Rural New Yorker	8,520	2,326	5,664	3,060	6,200	10,145	15,920	27,055	22,000	15,200
White Rose	11,058	1,639	900	.....	380	7,000	3,000	.....	2,000	.....
Hai .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,405	5,140	7,500	.....
Red Pontiac	62,472	36,331	95,664	149,646	109,165	99,785	119,090	51,025	13,300	18,400
Red Warba	4,860	4,169	2,700	990	2,300	750	.....	.....	.....	.....
De Soto	7,635	6,848	9,540	690	.....	.....	300	3,475	28,305	47,000
Kennebec	5,010	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	74,200	17,500
Golden Chip .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
La Soda	255	1,488	1,335	110	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
White Cloud	203	810	540	535	.....	200	150	75	.....	.....
Yampa	1,950	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,075	16,450	40,000	.....
Blanca .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,175	260	.....	.....
Navajo .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	900	10,075	7,930	16,000
Early Gem .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	475	1,980	2,630	22,400
Norland .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,580	66,060	66,145	14,750	5,000
Red La Soda .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,240	9,455	11,775	6,400	2,000
Dazoc .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	13,600
Merrimac .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	.....
Bounty .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Delcuss .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	383,661	348,898	315,928	777,846	677,690	874,206	1,085,305	994,145	655,610	996,500

PRODUCTION OF CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES 1961
(Varieties, by Counties)^{1,2}

County	Red McClure	Russet Burbank	Kennebec	Russet Rural	Rural New Yorker	All Other Varieties
	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres
Routt .....	.....	.....	.....	15.0	16.0	11.0
Total N. W. District .....	.....	.....	.....	15.0	16.0	11.0
Morgan .....	.....	6.0	.....	.....	.....	35.0
Sedgwick .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31.5
Weld .....	.....	35.0	.....	71.1	98.2	382.8
Total N. Central & N. E. Dist. .....	.....	41.0	.....	71.1	98.2	452.3
Alamosa .....	.....	.....	16.0	.....	.....	6.0
Costilla	5.0	10.0	.....	5.0	.....	.....
Rio Grande	1,618.0	1,074.5	316.0	.....	.....	270.0
Saguache	195.0	97.0	9.5	.....	.....	21.0
Total S. Central District	1,818.0	1,181.5	341.5	5.0	.....	297.0
Total State	1,818.0	1,243.5	343.2	91.1	114.2	760.3

¹Compiled from reports of the Colorado Certified Potato Growers Association Inc., in cooperation with Colorado State University.²Some counties with small acreage not listed individually.

CARLOT RAIL SHIPMENTS OF COLORADO FRUITS AND VEGETABLES¹
 (Crop Season Shipments)

Crop	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
FRUITS													
Apples.....	618	424	408	570	258	584	193	420	143	131	18	44	61 ²
Peaches.....	2,650	1,615	456	2,343	1,704	2,528	2,155	1,550	1,400	1,141	1,260	434	1,013
Pears.....	111	168	193	163	130	208	80	157	91	103	91	4	109
Mixed Fruits.....	8	2	1	15	30	59	33	58	22	4	26	4	28
VEGETABLES													
Potatoes.....	14,267	10,337	8,048	13,228	8,369	6,031	4,336	2,958	4,025	4,906	4,423	3,562	....³
Cabbage.....	988	324	301	377	251	169	239	96	69	24	83	10	14
Celery.....	95	58	33	54	25	18	7	5	.....	1	.....	1	.....
Onions.....	3,477	1,581	1,352	1,079	527	737	816	703	535	781	837	995	....³
Lettuce.....	461	291	323	485	424	526	724	861	1,237	696	1,154	851	1,159
Mixed Vegetables.....	3,194	2,203	2,147	1,639	941	994	785	600	469	423	410	212	177
Cauliflower.....	956	669	336	389	375	113	233	223	199	152	149	87	74
Cantaloup.....	329	114	45	56	73	186	135	149	123	88	120	84	77
Honeydews.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Peas, Green.....	570	273	123	195	156	130	211	148	111	105	86	111	102
Carrots.....	36	47	49	81	48	109	115	134	79	79	60	64	54
Spinach.....	122	87	47	14	34	6	44	64	82	109	183	280	264
Tomatoes.....	56	39	50	20	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Beans, Snap.....	3	4	4	7	.....	1	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

POTATOES—MONTHLY CARLOT RAIL SHIPMENTS, BY CROP YEARS¹

Season	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
1950-51.....	99	1,211	1,714	1,250	907	860	1,076	929	1,011	841	414	25	10,337
1951-52.....	29	996	949	1,059	880	909	868	998	1,091	253	16	.....	8,048
1952-53.....	335	1,490	1,762	2,308	1,171	1,374	1,433	1,050	1,140	904	260	1	13,228
1953-54.....	14	720	1,272	1,332	738	727	1,045	561	584	602	709	65	8,369
1954-55.....	46	557	594	828	608	531	669	550	629	588	395	36	6,031
1955-56.....	18	277	477	757	633	593	532	394	494	158	3	.....	4,336
1956-57.....	48	369	222	342	314	429	429	223	260	208	112	2	2,958
1957-58.....	4	202	264	623	541	525	578	550	379	212	147	.....	4,025
1958-59.....	4	183	449	1,027	592	693	647	358	512	354	87	.....	4,906
1959-60.....	6	113	355	483	644	631	605	476	486	433	191	.....	4,423
1960-61.....	6	129	468	652	544	445	347	265	355	265	86	.....	3,562
1961-62.....	67	304	610	619	652	761	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

POTATOES—MONTHLY CARLOT⁴ TRUCK SHIPMENTS⁵, BY CROP YEARS¹

Season	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
1950-51.....	130	972	1,431	1,073	821	595	825	712	683	705	459	83	8,489
1951-52.....	53	1,140	1,341	755	668	628	727	829	694	422	73	2	7,332
1952-53.....	403	1,051	1,566	1,084	733	966	1,112	930	1,172	1,165	464	22	10,668
1953-54.....	43	1,276	2,101	1,547	1,075	1,146	1,393	1,353	1,498	1,384	1,080	17	13,913
1954-55.....	139	1,493	1,872	1,945	1,351	1,385	1,565	1,462	1,779	1,418	818	131	15,268
1955-56.....	129	1,380	2,153	1,876	1,258	1,345	1,454	1,159	1,274	583	53	.....	12,664
1956-57.....	404	1,898	2,684	2,090	1,514	1,370	1,656	1,386	1,426	1,402	918	86	16,834
1957-58.....	131	1,833	2,401	2,172	1,440	1,507	1,564	1,280	1,109	1,013	714	19	15,183
1958-59.....	166	1,784	2,850	2,032	1,520	1,757	1,828	1,436	1,769	1,388	599	28	17,157
1959-60.....	210	1,529	3,073	2,165	1,592	1,747	1,853	1,733	1,714	1,415	645	13	17,689
1960-61.....	253	1,865	2,341	1,911	1,473	1,355	1,481	1,307	1,378	947	.....	.....	14,311
1961-62.....	168	1,193	2,135	1,857	1,503	1,481	1,593	3	3	3	3	3	3

¹Compiled from reports of the Fruit and Vegetable Division of the Market News Service A.M.S.

²Through December 1961 only.

³Data not yet available.

⁴Reported pounds shipped converted to carlots at 36,000 pounds per car through 1957-58. Reported in carlots on a 36,000 pound basis for 1958-59 and 1959-60. Reported carlots converted basis 43,000 lbs. per carlot equivalent starting 1960 season.

⁵Includes a few potatoes raised in New Mexico and shipped from Colorado points prior to July 1960.

SUGAR BEETS 1934-1960

(Season average price per ton received by farmers, support payments and program payments to growers, and total production)

Year	Prices Received by Farmers ¹ Per Ton Dollars	Program Payments Per Ton ² Dollars	Total Amount Received Per Ton Dollars	Acreage Abandonment and Crop Deficiency Payments ³ 1,000 Dollars	Production 1,000 Tons
1934.....	5.04	1.75	6.79		1,566
1935.....	5.81	1.13	6.94		1,826
1936.....	5.70		5.70		2,234
1937.....	4.80	1.78	6.58		1,992
1938.....	4.17	1.75	5.92	31	2,001
1939.....	4.64	1.93	6.57	344	1,543
1940.....	4.99	1.77	6.76	144	2,092
1941.....	6.20	1.79	7.99	29	1,949
1942.....	6.46	2.28	8.74	443	2,178
1943.....	8.42	2.49	10.91	186	1,623
1944.....	10.70	2.68	13.38	242	1,427
1945.....	9.90	2.48	12.38	258	1,835
1946.....	10.10	2.24	12.34	440	1,920
1947.....	11.50	2.41	13.91	90	2,548
1948.....	9.80	2.27	12.07	287	1,376
1949.....	10.90	2.51	13.41	74	1,878
1950.....	12.00	2.59	14.59	109	2,183
1951.....	11.90	2.46	14.36	114	1,906
1952.....	11.90	2.39	14.29	46	1,941
1953.....	11.70	2.44	14.14	43	1,956
1954.....	10.60	2.25	12.85	687	1,654
1955.....	11.30	2.27	13.57	317	1,621
1956.....	12.30	2.47	14.77	158	1,893
1957.....	11.90	2.40	14.30	33	2,399
1958.....	12.30	2.44	14.74	106	2,372
1959.....	11.90	2.37	14.27	63	2,437
1960.....	12.40	2.52	14.92	16	2,761

¹Paid by sugar beet processors—includes "support payments" in amounts per ton as follows: 1943, \$1.28; 1944, \$2.82; 1945, \$1.90; 1947 support data not available by states, U. S. payment, \$1.30.

²Bases for program payments are: 1933, processing tax refund pursuant to Jones-Costigan Act; 1934, '35, parity payments pursuant to Jones-Costigan Act; 1936 no program; 1937-57 payments based upon provisions of the Sugar Act.

³Total payment made under authority of the Sugar Act for unavoidable abandonment of acreage and deficiency in yield due to natural hazards.

PEACH SHIPMENTS, 1950-1961

(Principally Mesa and Delta Counties)

Year	Shipments by Rail Only ¹								Estimated Total Production 1,000 Bushels	
	Shipments Began— (25 or More Cars Per Day)		Volume Shipments— (50 or More Cars Per Day)		Shipments End— (Fewer Than 10 Cars Per Day)		Peak Day			
	Date	Number of Cars	From—Through		End— (Fewer Than 10 Cars Per Day)	Date	Number of Cars	Total Cars Shipped		
					End— (Fewer Than 10 Cars Per Day)	Date	Number of Cars	Total Cars Shipped		
1950..	Aug. 21	44	Aug. 22 thru Aug. 31	Sept. 8	4	Aug. 25	232	1,615	11,314	1,219
1951..	Aug. 27	34	Aug. 31 thru Sept. 1	Sept. 6	5	Sept. 1	64	456	2,020	316
1952..	Aug. 24	25	Aug. 25 thru Sept. 10	Sept. 17	5	Aug. 29	208	2,343	15,787	2,053
1953..	Aug. 25	40	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 5	Sept. 18	6-8	Aug. 31-Sept. 2	177	1,704	14,788	1,312
1954..	Aug. 16	40	Aug. 17 thru Aug. 28	Sept. 12	7	Aug. 23	268	2,528	24,522	2,230
1955..	Sept. 1	68	Sept. 1 thru Sept. 14	Sept. 23	7	Sept. 8	201	2,155	28,259	2,110
1956..	Aug. 17	33	Aug. 18 thru Aug. 26	Sept. 9	5	Aug. 22	205	1,550	21,511	1,697
1957..	Sept. 1	33	Sept. 3 thru Sept. 12	Sept. 15	5	Sept. 6	139	1,400	24,263	1,850
1958..	Aug. 23	34	Aug. 24 thru Aug. 31	Sept. 15	6	Aug. 29	128	1,141	1,273 ²	1,820
1959..	Aug. 19	26	Aug. 20 thru Aug. 29	Sept. 11	8	Aug. 27	122	1,260	1,265 ²	1,670
1960..	Aug. 28	25	Aug. 28 thru Sept. 3 ³	Sept. 6	5	Sept. 2 ⁴	37	434	647 ²	710
1961..	Aug. 23	26	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 2	Sept. 16	8	Aug. 31	99	996	1,492 ²	2,000

¹Compiled from reports of the Fruit and Vegetable Division of the Market News Service, A. M. S.

²Carlots—truck inspections were shifted from weight to carlot basis starting in July 1958—carlot averaged approximately 21,000 pounds in 1958. Starting in July 1961—approximately 23,000 pounds.

³Volume Shipments were at the 25 car level during this season.

⁴Peak day Sept. 2, totaled only 37 cars.

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SEASON AVERAGE PRICES

CROP	UNIT	Principal Commodities for Recent and Selected Earlier Years (Dollars per Unit)											
		1910	1914	1919	1924	1929	1931	1933	1935	1937	1939	1941	
Corn.....	Bushel	.61	.65	1.43	1.03	.71	.36	.40	.66	.63	.62	.71	
Oats.....	Bushel	.48	.47	.88	.57	.47	.27	.29	.34	.38	.36	.37	
Barley.....	Bushel	.62	.61	1.30	.72	.55	.27	.31	.44	.51	.46	.44	
Wheat, All.....	Bushel	.84	.89	2.02	1.12	.97	.33	.65	.90	.91	.64	.89	
Rye.....	Bushel	.67	.71	1.46	.85	.73	.23	.49	.52	.61	.41	.47	
Dry Beans ¹	Cwt.	3.75	3.15	4.85	4.60	4.90	1.40	2.90	2.75	3.80	3.40	3.40	
Field Peas ¹	Cwt.			4.20	2.60	2.40	1.50	1.30	1.50	2.00	2.10	3.00	
Potatoes.....	Cwt.	1.12	1.12	2.90	1.10	1.92	.55	1.02	.85	.70	1.00	1.32	
Sugar Beets ²	Ton	5.68	10.85	7.59	6.93	5.44	4.62	5.81	4.80	4.64	6.20		
Grain Sorghum.....	Bushel			1.27	.98	.81	.24	.48	.66	.47	.56	.47	
Hay, All Baled.....	Ton						11.50	9.10	13.90	11.00	10.20	11.00	
Broomcorn.....	Ton			98.00	62.00	110.00	40.00	95.00	52.00	54.00	97.00	94.00	
Alfalfa Seed.....	Cwt.				16.70	16.10	9.60	8.40	11.80	23.90	19.00	19.80	
Sweetclover Seed.....	Cwt.					9.30	5.20	4.80	4.25	4.10	7.50	5.00	6.92
Apples, Commercial.....	Bushel	1.10	.66	1.78	1.18	1.11	.61	.58	.69	.73	.66	.74	
Peaches.....	Bushel	1.59	.75	1.80	1.45	1.35	.50	1.35	.80	.90	.80	1.10	
Pears.....	Bushel			2.20	1.40	1.50	.60	.65	.50	.85	.75	1.00	
Cherries, All.....	Ton				115.00	120.00	70.00	54.00	50.00	80.00	53.30	73.90	
Commercial Vegetables for Market													
Cabbage ³	Cwt.			1.00	.57	1.02	.70	.83	.36	.53	.68	.95	
Cauliflower.....	Cwt.				3.24	1.89	1.89	1.08	1.49	1.62	.81	1.08	
Celery.....	Cwt.				2.31	2.89	1.26	1.38	1.62	1.17	2.18	1.96	
Lettuce.....	Cwt.				4.29	3.07	1.79	1.86	1.43	1.00	1.43	1.71	
Onions.....	Cwt.				6.60	3.46	1.08	2.28	1.10	1.16	1.30	.58	
Tomatoes.....	Cwt.				2.45	2.17	1.79	1.13	.85	1.13	1.13	1.32	
Livestock⁴													
Cattle and Calves.....	Head	25.10	42.70	58.50	27.70	55.30	37.80	16.10	16.30	32.20	34.90	42.10	
Stock Sheep.....	Head	3.80	3.70	10.90	8.00	11.50	6.00	2.90	4.95	6.40	6.00	7.60	
Hogs.....	Head	9.50	10.50	22.00	9.40	12.10	11.10	3.10	5.20	11.30	10.40	6.90	
Turkeys.....	Head					3.05	2.55	1.25	2.00	1.85	2.40	2.10	
Chickens.....	Head					.75	.63	.34	.42	.56	.60	.55	
Eggs.....	Dozen	.26	.21	.41	.26	.28	.16	.12	.23	.20	.16	.21	
Milk, Wholesale.....	Cwt.	1.60	1.65	3.20	2.05	2.15	1.45	1.10	1.60	1.85	1.40	1.85	
Wool.....	Pound				.38	.29	.13	.19	.17	.32	.22	.33	
CROP													
UNIT	1945	1947	1949	1951	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961 ⁵		
Corn.....	Bushel	1.19	2.17	1.27	1.84	1.42	1.43	1.13	1.08	1.12	1.08	1.19	
Oats.....	Bushel	.66	1.04	.70	.99	.75	.80	.67	.65	.73	.71	.70	
Barley.....	Bushel	.93	1.49	.90	1.29	1.02	1.07	.77	.77	.77	.75	.83	
Wheat, All.....	Bushel	1.41	2.23	1.87	2.11	1.95	1.90	1.83	1.65	1.69	1.67	1.75	
Rye.....	Bushel	1.19	2.17	1.00	1.52	1.01	1.09	.94	.86	.78	.74	.82	
Dry Beans ¹	Cwt.	5.50	10.10	6.50	6.70	5.40	6.40	5.60	5.70	6.80	7.00	6.10	
Field Peas ¹	Cwt.	3.55	4.65	2.35	5.00	3.75	4.00	2.30	2.55	3.45	3.75	3.40	
Potatoes.....	Cwt.	2.02	2.82	2.29	3.01	1.71	1.51	2.07	.96	1.56	2.02	1.13	
Sugar Beets ²	Ton	9.90	11.50	10.90	11.90	11.30	12.30	11.90	12.30	11.90	12.40	..6	
Grain Sorghum.....	Bushel	1.14	1.82	1.14	1.38	1.06	1.26	.87	.92	.86	.85	.99	
Hay, All Baled.....	Ton	21.30	22.50	20.30	32.60	22.40	25.20	17.90	15.60	22.00	24.10	22.00	
Broomcorn.....	Ton	249.00	280.00	220.00	425.00	215.00	430.00	215.00	225.00	230.00	320.00	315.00	
Alfalfa Seed.....	Cwt.	33.70	25.70	38.50	50.00	18.70	24.80	21.60	22.60	21.70	21.60	29.00	
Sweetclover Seed.....	Cwt.	10.00	10.50	13.80	10.40	9.00	9.60	8.60	8.70	8.90	8.40	9.40	
Apples, Commercial.....	Bushel	2.99	1.95	1.40	1.75	2.25	2.20	2.00	1.85	2.25	2.40	2.30	
Peaches.....	Bushel	2.30	2.60	1.70	3.85	2.70	2.75	3.05	2.60	2.90	3.45	2.65	
Pears.....	Bushel	2.00	2.00	1.70	2.35	2.55	2.35	2.70	2.10	2.25	3.45	2.50	
Cherries, All.....	Ton	217.00	213.00	180.00	150.00	199.00	199.00	185.09	206.00	230.00	223.00	241.00	
Commercial Vegetables for Market													
Cabbage ³	Cwt.	.78	1.65	1.05	1.50	1.35	1.45	1.27	1.06	2.05	1.40	1.25	
Cauliflower.....	Cwt.	2.43	2.84	2.55	3.50	4.05	3.00	2.95	2.75	3.80	5.80	7.10	
Celery.....	Cwt.	6.17	5.50	3.10	3.10	4.65	3.50	4.25	4.00	4.50	4.20	4.80	
Lettuce.....	Cwt.	2.82	3.53	3.25	2.55	4.15	2.05	4.05	1.15	4.05	2.60	2.05	
Onions.....	Cwt.	2.80	4.20	2.70	2.80	2.40	2.35	2.00	2.95	2.05	2.25	3.15	
Tomatoes.....	Cwt.	3.68	3.40	3.00	4.45	3.50	3.25	3.65	3.35	2.75	3.60	3.70	
Livestock⁴													
Cattle and Calves.....	Head	61.30	90.20	134.00	168.00	88.00	84.00	82.00	123.00	158.00	131.00	135.00	
Stock Sheep.....	Head	11.20	13.70	20.60	32.40	16.20	14.50	15.50	22.30	23.40	18.50	16.20	
Hogs.....	Head	18.10	35.40	34.80	31.20	26.00	15.50	20.40	27.00	29.80	16.30	22.40	
Turkeys.....	Head	5.10	6.40	9.00	7.00	5.50	5.60	5.30	5.20	5.00	4.50	5.00	
Chickens.....	Head	1.04	1.25	1.50	1.25	1.00	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	.94	1.05	
Eggs.....	Dozen	.36	.42	.44	.46	.38	.38	.34	.37	.32	.33	..6	
Milk, Wholesale.....	Cwt.	3.05	4.58	4.38	4.88	4.64	4.69	4.83	4.74	4.68	4.63	4.42	
Wool.....	Pound	.40	.41	.47	1.00	.41	.43	.52	.37	.43	.41	.42	

¹Price applies to cleaned beans and peas.²Price support payments are included for 1945 and 1947 only. Government payments under the Sugar Act are not included.³Includes small quantity used for kraut.⁴January 1 inventory value, except eggs and milk which are calendar year averages and wool which is a season average beginning in 1945.⁵Preliminary.⁶Not available.

FARM PRICES—CORN, OATS, BARLEY, WHEAT, RYE AND GRAIN SORGHUMS
ESTIMATED PRICE OF FARM PRODUCTS RECEIVED BY COLORADO FARMERS
AS OF THE 15TH OF THE MONTH

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
CORN (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39.....	77	77	77	79	80	79	81	82	83	76	67	66
1955.....	155	154	152	154	159	165	165	161	159	152	140	138
1956.....	137	136	137	144	154	154	163	165	162	153	148	144
1957.....	146	140	139	140	142	141	143	141	126	124	121	111
1958.....	101	100	101	107	108	117	120	120	121	110	102	104
1959.....	103	104	106	110	115	120	120	122	120	120	109	109
1960.....	110	112	112	112	111	116	115	118	118	110	107	104
1961.....	107	105	106	105	108	111	115	116	116	118	112	112

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
OATS (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39.....	41	41	42	43	43	42	40	35	35	34	35	36
1955.....	92	95	96	96	96	91	85	80	72	72	73	74
1956.....	75	75	73	73	74	74	73	75	74	76	79	80
1957.....	84	87	89	89	87	82	75	69	63	66	66	66
1958.....	68	67	66	66	67	66	64	60	62	62	64	66
1959.....	66	67	66	68	71	72	69	68	69	72	72	75
1960.....	74	77	76	78	78	78	77	69	70	71	71	72
1961.....	71	69	69	70	67	69	69	67	68	70	69	70

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
BARLEY (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39.....	55	57	57	57	57	54	47	44	48	48	47	49
1955.....	122	121	124	122	125	115	110	101	100	101	100	102
1956.....	101	100	96	102	106	105	95	103	110	111	111	115
1957.....	114	118	120	119	117	107	77	77	72	72	74	74
1958.....	73	72	73	76	73	72	66	73	75	77	79	82
1959.....	81	82	82	85	86	82	72	76	78	81	79	81
1960.....	80	80	80	81	79	79	72	74	75	75	77	78
1961.....	78	78	77	77	78	80	80	81	83	85	86	86

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
WHEAT, ALL (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39.....	88	86	85	83	81	78	77	74	79	79	78	80
1955.....	219	214	215	212	217	207	196	193	190	190	188	190
1956.....	189	189	191	198	193	182	181	185	188	191	196	196
1957.....	196	194	196	196	187	188	181	176	175	175	179	181
1958.....	181	181	187	191	185	160	148	149	159	162	163	163
1959.....	164	167	171	172	168	158	160	164	167	168	169	172
1960.....	171	174	177	174	169	163	159	160	164	165	168	168
1961.....	170	171	171	167	166	166	166	172	173	173	176	179

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
RYE (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39.....	61	60	60	60	59	56	52	50	54	52	52	53
1955.....	109	114	108	107	108	109	103	96	99	105	100	100
1956.....	100	100	100	103	100	104	100	105	114	113	109	113
1957.....	115	113	110	113	106	105	89	86	89	83	79	82
1958.....	81	80	79	81	81	76	76	76	78	77	78	80
1959.....	78	82	82	85	85	79	75	79	82	80	81	80
1960.....	80	82	79	77	76	76	72	73	74	74	75	75
1961.....	73	71	73	72	72	74	78	81	83	81	83	86

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
GRAIN SORGHUMS (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39.....	1.25	1.35	1.47	1.48	1.59	1.55	1.42	1.22	1.26	1.09	.98	1.02
1955.....	2.30	2.30	2.25	2.30	2.35	2.45	2.40	2.20	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.85
1956.....	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.95	2.05	2.20	2.30	2.40	2.30	2.30	2.35	2.35
1957.....	2.35	2.30	2.30	2.27	2.10	2.03	1.93	1.90	1.70	1.45	1.34	1.42
1958.....	1.47	1.47	1.51	1.67	1.67	1.71	1.74	1.85	1.76	1.50	1.54	1.61
1959.....	1.65	1.67	1.70	1.74	1.78	1.85	1.80	1.83	1.65	1.54	1.52	1.53
1960.....	1.51	1.53	1.54	1.55	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.55	1.57	1.47	1.44	1.44
1961.....	1.49	1.51	1.53	1.55	1.63	1.66	1.78	1.80	1.81	1.71	1.69	1.73

**BEANS, DRY, POTATOES, APPLES, CHICKENS, EGGS, TURKEYS AND HOGS
ESTIMATED PRICE OF FARM PRODUCTS RECEIVED BY COLORADO FARMERS
AS OF THE 15TH OF THE MONTH**

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
BEANS, DRY (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39..	4.09	4.19	4.21	4.18	4.27	4.27	4.20	3.74	3.56	3.52	3.32	3.31
1955.....	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.60	6.50	5.80	5.40	5.40	5.30	5.20
1956.....	5.20	5.30	5.30	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.50	5.50	5.90	6.60	6.70
1957.....	6.80	6.50	6.50	6.50	7.30	7.80	7.20	6.00	5.50	5.20	5.80	5.70
1958.....	5.50	5.80	5.90	5.60	5.70	5.80	5.70	5.50	5.50	5.60	5.70	5.60
1959.....	5.70	5.70	5.90	6.00	6.20	6.20	6.00	5.90	5.50	6.20	6.70	7.20
1960.....	7.40	7.40	7.40	7.30	7.40	7.40	7.10	6.30	6.40	7.00	6.70	7.10
1961.....	7.00	6.70	6.90	6.90	7.20	7.30	6.90	6.70	6.60	6.30	5.80	5.60

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
POTATOES (Dollars per cwt.)												
Average 1935-39..	1.15	1.13	1.13	1.23	1.27	1.52	1.65	1.05	.98	.90	1.07	1.03
1955.....	1.50	1.50	1.60	3.65	3.40	.. ¹	.85	.65	1.00	1.40	1.50	1.40
1956.....	1.85	2.40	2.60	3.75	4.10	.. ¹	4.25	2.35	1.60	1.50	1.55	1.40
1957.....	1.40	1.20	1.00	.75	.70	.60	.. ¹	1.55	1.65	1.60	1.75	1.60
1958.....	1.90	2.70	3.90	3.60	2.15	.55	1.00	1.00	.75	.85	1.05	.95
1959.....	1.00	.95	.70	1.45	1.55	.. ¹	2.75	1.45	.95	1.35	1.40	1.45
1960.....	1.60	1.60	2.30	2.35	2.20	.. ¹	3.20	2.60	2.50	1.70	1.80	1.95
1961.....	1.85	1.75	1.65	2.00	1.50	.. ¹	1.30	1.20	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.00

¹Less than .5% was marketed during this month.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
APPLES (Dollars per bushel)												
Average 1935-39..	.87	.91	.86	.93	1.09	1.16	1.15	.80	.76	.71	.74	.79
1955.....	2.85	2.90	2.90	3.00	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	2.00	2.95	2.50	2.20	2.40
1956.....	2.75	2.60	2.60	2.60	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	2.60	2.25	2.50	2.60	2.80
1957.....	2.90	2.90	2.90	2.90	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	2.50	2.05	2.20	2.20	2.40
1958.....	2.20	2.25	2.25	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	2.25	2.49	1.85	1.90	1.90
1959.....	2.20	2.40	2.40	2.20	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	2.00	2.50	2.25	2.25	2.60
1960.....	2.20	2.20	2.20	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	2.50	2.50	2.70	2.70	2.60
1961.....	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.70	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	2.50	2.80	2.35	2.40	2.50

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
CHICKENS (Cents per pound—live weight)												
Average 1935-39..	12.7	12.8	13.4	14.5	14.5	14.3	14.0	13.9	13.4	13.1	12.7	12.4
1955.....	19.3	25.3	23.5	24.4	23.2	24.3	22.5	21.8	18.4	19.5	23.7	24.1
1956.....	20.8	24.2	22.6	22.4	21.5	20.0	19.5	19.7	17.4	18.1	18.5	18.5
1957.....	17.2	18.2	18.3	17.5	17.0	18.0	17.6	16.6	16.8	15.0	14.5	15.4
1958.....	16.0	18.4	20.0	20.8	20.9	18.2	19.8	16.4	15.9	14.8	14.6	15.4
1959.....	15.4	15.8	17.3	17.1	15.4	15.2	14.4	14.7	12.1	12.8	14.5	13.8
1960.....	14.7	14.5	15.6	16.7	16.1	16.1	15.6	16.4	15.3	15.2	15.3	16.3
1961.....	16.2	16.9	17.7	16.8	16.1	14.2	14.1	14.2	12.7	13.0	13.2	13.0

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
EGGS (Cents per dozen)												
Average 1935-39..	22.1	19.8	16.3	16.1	16.7	17.1	18.7	20.6	23.0	26.8	30.7	28.4
1955.....	32.0	36.0	37.0	35.0	32.0	32.0	35.0	39.0	45.0	45.0	47.0	50.0
1956.....	47.0	41.0	38.0	36.0	34.0	35.0	36.0	39.0	38.0	40.0	39.0	39.0
1957.....	34.0	33.0	30.0	29.0	28.0	29.0	29.0	36.0	42.0	44.0	43.0	45.0
1958.....	41.0	36.0	37.0	36.0	34.0	33.0	34.0	37.0	42.0	40.0	40.0	39.0
1959.....	37.0	36.0	34.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	29.0	31.0	36.0	36.0	36.0	34.0
1960.....	31.0	29.0	30.0	31.0	30.0	29.0	31.0	32.0	34.0	41.0	43.0	43.0
1961.....	42.0	37.0	33.0	33.0	30.0	32.0	33.0	34.0	38.0	37.0	37.0	37.0

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
TURKEYS (Cents per pound—live weight)												
Average 1935-39..	16.2	15.6	15.3 ¹	16.0 ¹	16.0 ¹	15.0 ¹	15.3 ¹	14.2	14.8	15.8	17.0	16.5 ²
1955.....	27.0	29.0	28.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	28.0	30.0	30.0	30.0
1956.....	29.0	29.0	30.0	39.0	30.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	28.0	26.0	25.0	26.0
1957.....	25.0	25.0	26.0	26.0	27.0	25.0	23.0	21.0	22.0	22.0	21.0	25.0
1958.....	23.0	25.0	25.0	.. ¹	.. ¹	.. ¹	24.0	25.0	25.0	24.0	24.0	23.0
1959.....	23.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	25.0	24.0	27.0	29.0
1960.....	29.0	26.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	26.0	26.0	26.0	27.0	28.0
1961.....	26.0	26.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	24.0	24.0

¹Three-year average (1935-37).

²Four-year average (1935-38).

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
HOGS (Dollars per 100 pounds—live weight)												
Average 1935-39..	8.08	8.12	8.56	8.32	8.04	8.54	8.84	9.14	9.28	8.54	7.80	7.45
1955.....	17.10	17.20	16.40	17.40	17.00	19.00	17.50	16.60	16.40	14.40	12.10	10.90
1956.....	11.00	12.40	13.10	15.00	16.30	17.20	16.40	16.80	16.00	15.90	14.70	16.00
1957.....	17.10	17.10	17.10	17.40	18.00	19.30	20.60	20.80	19.60	17.20	16.90	17.60
1958.....	18.40	19.90	20.60	20.70	20.90	22.00	22.00	21.00	19.70	18.50	18.00	17.70
1959.....	16.40	16.30	16.50	16.40	16.40	15.70	14.70	15.00	13.70	12.80	12.50	12.30
1960.....	13.10	14.20	16.40	16.20	16.30	17.00	17.80	17.20	16.50	17.80	17.10	17.00
1961.....	17.10	18.40	18.10	17.70	16.60	16.80	17.70	18.60	18.20	16.50	16.00	17.10

**BEEF CATTLE, CALVES, SHEEP, LAMBS, MILK COWS, BUTTERFAT AND WHOLE MILK
ESTIMATED PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS RECEIVED BY COLORADO FARMERS
AS OF THE 15TH OF THE MONTH**

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
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BEEF CATTLE (Dollars per 100 pounds)

Average 1935-39..	6.42	6.60	6.94	7.16	7.34	7.32	7.16	6.98	6.94	6.72	6.54	6.64
1955.....	18.10	17.30	18.30	19.20	18.50	18.50	18.10	17.80	16.90	16.10	15.30	15.40
1956.....	15.80	15.40	15.80	16.90	17.30	18.20	18.30	19.70	18.10	16.50	15.60	15.60
1957.....	17.10	15.80	18.10	19.30	20.00	20.50	21.40	21.20	19.70	19.60	20.10	21.60
1958.....	22.80	22.50	25.00	25.30	26.00	24.90	24.40	22.50	24.00	24.60	24.70	24.70
1959.....	24.60	23.70	24.80	26.30	26.30	25.30	24.90	23.90	23.90	22.80	21.40	21.20
1960.....	21.70	22.30	23.40	23.70	23.50	22.80	22.10	20.70	20.50	20.40	21.10	21.50
1961.....	22.60	22.10	22.20	22.40	21.30	20.70	20.30	22.10	21.70	21.80	21.50	22.40

CALVES (Dollars per 100 pounds)

Average 1935-39..	7.50	7.98	8.20	8.26	8.28	8.18	8.08	7.90	7.98	7.82	7.76	7.72
1955.....	17.60	19.00	19.00	19.50	19.00	19.50	18.70	17.40	17.10	18.10	17.60	17.00
1956.....	17.00	17.00	17.30	17.00	17.50	17.30	16.50	16.50	16.00	16.50	17.00	16.50
1957.....	19.00	18.00	18.50	20.00	20.80	20.90	21.30	21.20	21.00	22.00	24.00	25.50
1958.....	27.00	27.50	27.80	26.80	27.60	27.00	27.20	26.00	29.00	32.00	33.00	32.50
1959.....	33.70	33.70	33.00	33.00	33.00	31.00	31.00	29.00	30.00	29.60	27.50	27.90
1960.....	27.60	28.10	28.80	28.30	29.20	27.60	26.10	24.60	24.00	24.00	26.50	27.00
1961.....	28.00	27.00	28.60	27.60	26.30	26.20	24.00	25.60	25.40	27.60	28.30	28.50

SHEEP (Dollars per 100 pounds)

Average 1935-39..	3.87	4.13	4.30	4.61	4.49	4.23	4.17	3.59	3.64	3.45	3.44	3.57
955.....	6.50	6.50	7.20	5.90	5.60	4.60	5.00	5.60	4.90	4.60	5.50	5.60
956.....	6.20	6.40	7.70	6.50	6.50	5.30	5.20	6.60	5.30	5.10	4.90	4.70
957.....	6.80	6.00	5.70	5.50	5.00	5.40	5.80	6.50	6.80	6.00	6.30	6.80
958.....	7.00	8.00	7.70	7.60	7.60	7.00	6.30	7.00	7.80	7.30	7.30	7.60
959.....	6.90	7.00	7.00	7.00	6.20	5.00	4.90	4.40	4.40	4.80	4.10	4.50
960.....	5.20	6.00	5.70	5.70	5.70	4.70	4.60	4.00	4.00	3.90	4.80	5.60
961.....	5.70	6.00	5.90	4.50	4.80	4.00	3.90	4.40	4.00	4.40	5.20	5.90

LAMBS (Dollars per 100 pounds)

Average 1935-39..	8.16	8.11	8.62	8.94	9.02	8.36	7.94	7.94	8.16	8.06	8.00	7.98
1955.....	19.20	20.00	21.20	20.40	18.60	22.00	20.00	19.80	18.20	18.50	18.10	17.10
1956.....	17.60	18.40	19.00	19.00	25.00	22.00	21.10	20.80	19.60	18.60	18.00	18.00
1957.....	19.00	19.20	22.00	22.20	21.80	20.90	21.20	21.80	21.50	21.00	21.80	22.30
1958.....	23.30	22.50	22.00	20.60	20.40	22.40	22.50	22.10	22.00	22.00	22.60	18.60
1959.....	18.50	18.10	19.40	19.40	20.90	22.50	21.40	20.90	19.40	18.70	17.80	17.40
1960.....	19.00	20.10	21.90	21.20	20.60	20.60	19.50	18.80	18.10	17.10	16.50	16.40
1961.....	16.80	17.30	17.20	15.60	15.50	16.70	17.10	17.30	16.20	16.50	16.00	16.50

MILK COWS (Dollars per head)

Average 1935-39..	46	48	49	50	52	50	49	50	51	51	51	51
1955.....	150	155	160	165	165	165	165	165	165	160	155	155
1956.....	155	160	160	160	155	160	165	160	155	155	155	155
1957.....	160	165	165	165	165	165	165	170	170	170	170	170
1958.....	180	185	190	200	205	205	215	205	215	215	210	210
1959.....	220	220	225	225	225	220	215	215	215	210	205	205
1960.....	205	200	205	200	200	200	200	200	195	195	200	205
1961.....	205	205	205	205	210	205	205	205	205	205	215	215

BUTTERFAT (Cents per pound)

Average 1935-39..	29	29	27	26	24	23	24	25	26	27	29	30
1955.....	58	58	58	58	57	55	55	55	55	57	58	58
1956.....	57	58	58	58	59	59	59	58	58	60	61	61
1957.....	60	60	60	60	60	59	58	58	58	59	60	60
1958.....	59	58	58	57	56	57	56	56	58	58	58	58
1959.....	57	56	57	57	57	58	57	57	58	58	59	60
1960.....	60	53	58	58	58	57	56	56	56	57	57	58
1961.....	58	58	58	58	58	58	59	58	58	58	58	58

WHOLE MILK (Wholesale) (Dollars per 100 pounds)

Average 1935-39..	1.74	1.69	1.60	1.53	1.44	1.42	1.49	1.55	1.65	1.72	1.79	1.77
1955.....	4.75	4.75	4.65	4.55	4.45	4.35	4.35	4.50	4.65	4.85	5.00	5.00
1956.....	4.90	4.95	4.75	4.50	4.55	4.45	4.45	4.55	4.65	4.80	4.95	5.00
1957.....	5.00	4.90	4.95	4.80	4.95	4.55	4.45	4.60	4.90	4.95	5.00	5.00
1958.....	5.05	4.95	4.85	4.70	4.50	4.40	4.40	4.55	4.70	4.85	5.00	4.95
1959.....	5.00	4.95	4.80	4.60	4.41	4.30	4.35	4.45	4.55	4.95	5.00	5.00
1960.....	5.00	4.85	4.70	4.40	4.30	4.25	4.30	4.55	4.65	4.85	5.00	5.00
1961.....	4.90	4.75	4.60	4.50	4.35	4.35	4.30	4.45	4.75	4.90	5.10	5.00

**ALL HAY—BALED, ALFALFA HAY, WILD HAY, ALFALFA SEED, SWEETCLOVER SEED AND WOOL
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AS OF THE 15TH OF THE MONTH**

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ALL HAY—BALED (Dollars per ton)												
Average 1935-39..	11.52	11.28	11.54	11.90	11.86	11.34	10.64	10.48	10.56	10.78	11.02	10.84
1954.....	21.00	20.80	20.70	21.40	23.50	23.00	26.00	27.50	26.70	26.20	25.70	26.90
1955.....	26.70	27.10	26.50	27.60	29.20	25.90	25.40	22.40	21.80	22.00	21.10	21.50
1956.....	21.80	21.60	21.50	21.70	20.90	20.10	19.40	19.40	21.40	24.50	26.90	28.90
1957.....	29.40	29.10	26.60	27.40	26.20	21.70	19.50	17.60	17.40	17.70	18.00	17.20
1958.....	18.00	16.80	16.90	15.90	15.00	14.50	15.00	15.20	16.40	15.30	15.30	15.30
1959.....	15.80	16.20	16.10	16.60	16.70	16.70	17.50	18.60	21.50	22.90	23.80	23.70
1960.....	24.20	24.30	24.10	25.00	24.50	23.50	22.00	22.00	23.00	23.50	25.50	25.50
1961.....	26.00	25.50	25.00	24.00	23.50	22.30	21.60	21.10	21.40	21.40	21.90	21.80

**ALFALFA HAY—BALED
(Dollars per ton)**

Average 1935-39 ¹ ..	9.00	8.80	8.72	9.28	9.26	8.40	7.76	7.90	8.18	8.50	8.42	8.18
1954.....	20.80	20.80	20.70	21.50	23.60	23.00	26.00	27.00	26.00	25.60	25.10	26.60
1955.....	26.50	26.80	26.30	27.40	28.90	25.70	25.00	21.00	20.60	20.90	20.60	21.00
1956.....	21.30	21.50	21.30	21.50	20.40	19.40	19.30	19.30	21.20	24.40	27.50	29.60
1957.....	30.00	29.70	27.00	28.00	26.00	20.60	18.40	17.20	17.10	17.40	18.30	17.60
1958.....	18.20	17.00	17.00	16.00	15.00	14.50	15.30	15.30	16.50	15.50	15.50	15.50
1959.....	16.00	16.40	16.50	17.00	17.00	17.00	18.00	19.00	22.00	23.50	24.50	24.50
1960.....	25.00	25.00	25.00	26.00	25.50	24.00	22.00	22.00	23.00	23.50	25.50	25.50
1961.....	26.00	25.50	25.00	24.00	23.00	21.50	21.00	20.50	21.00	21.00	21.50	21.50

**WILD HAY—BALED
(Dollars per ton)**

Average 1935-39 ¹ ..	7.90	7.74	7.98	8.44	8.62	8.08	7.72	7.54	7.28	7.52	7.40	7.04
1954.....	21.60	21.00	21.00	21.70	24.00	24.00	27.00	32.00	31.00	30.40	29.50	29.80
1955.....	29.00	30.10	28.50	30.00	32.80	28.00	28.00	27.50	25.50	25.50	23.50	25.00
1956.....	25.00	23.50	24.10	24.30	24.30	25.00	21.00	21.00	23.50	26.50	27.00	29.00
1957.....	30.00	29.00	26.00	26.50	26.50	26.00	23.80	18.50	19.00	19.50	18.00	17.00
1958.....	18.50	16.50	17.50	16.00	14.50	13.50	14.00	15.00	16.00	13.50	13.50	13.50
1959.....	14.50	15.00	14.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.50	17.00	20.00	20.50	21.50	21.50
1960.....	22.50	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	21.00	22.00	23.00	24.00	27.00	27.00
1961.....	27.50	26.00	25.50	25.00	26.00	26.00	24.00	24.00	24.50	25.00	25.00	25.00

¹Prices received for these years, loose basis.

**ALFALFA SEED (ALL)
(Dollars per 100 Pounds, Cleaned)**

Average 1935-39 ¹ ..	18.30	19.40	20.50	21.30	21.20	21.00	20.80	19.80	17.60	17.00	17.50	17.80
1954.....	20.40	23.00	23.00	23.90	24.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	24.00	29.80	30.40	30.50
1955.....	30.50	31.20	31.60	31.40	30.20	29.00	29.00	22.20	20.30	18.10	17.50	16.60
1956.....	17.80	19.00	18.50	18.80	18.90	18.50	19.00	19.40	22.90	23.80	24.80	26.00
1957.....	26.00	27.00	26.50	26.00	26.50	26.00	.....	.....	18.70	19.30	23.00	24.00
1958.....	23.50	23.00	25.00	24.00	23.00	22.00	.....	.....	22.00	23.50	22.50	22.50
1959.....	22.00	21.50	22.00	22.00	21.50	21.00	.....	.....	20.70	21.60	22.30	22.30
1960.....	22.80	22.30	21.80	22.50	23.00	22.50	.....	.....	22.50	21.50	21.00	21.00
1961.....	21.00	21.40	22.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	.....	.....	25.30	27.30	30.30	33.30

**SWEETCLOVER SEED (ALL)
(Dollars per 100 Pounds, Cleaned)**

Average 1935-39..	6.20	7.10	7.60	8.70	8.50	8.40	7.50	6.20	4.90	5.40	5.50	5.30
1954.....	8.80	8.80	8.80	9.50	9.50	10.00	10.00	9.00	9.00	10.50	11.50	11.90
1955.....	12.20	14.00	13.50	13.90	13.50	13.00	12.00	8.50	8.50	9.00	8.70	8.90
1956.....	8.90	10.00	9.30	9.40	10.00	9.50	9.00	9.00	9.20	9.50	9.50	10.00
1957.....	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50	.....	8.50	8.00	8.00	8.00	9.00	8.50
1958.....	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.50	8.50	9.00
1959.....	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.50	8.50	.....	8.50	8.50	8.50	9.00	9.00
1960.....	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.00	.....	9.00	8.50	8.50	7.50	7.50
1961.....	7.50	8.00	7.50	9.00	10.00	9.50	.....	7.50	7.50	9.00	9.50	10.00

**WOOL
(Cents per Pound)**

Average 1935-39..	22	21	22	22	22	22	22	23	23	24	25	25
1954.....	51	51	51	51	52	52	50	50	50	48	49	49
1955.....	49	49	50	50	47	43	46	36	32	37	38	37
1956.....	34	37	38	40	40	38	39	34	37	41	44	46
1957.....	46	48	51	54	54	53	52	50	50	52	51	46
1958.....	40	37	41	40	39	38	37	34	37	37	36	35
1959.....	37	35	36	42	44	41	41	47	45	42	41	40
1960.....	45	43	45	46	44	41	38	38	41	38	40	38
1961.....	40	41	40	41	41	41	41	40	40	39	40	40

SUMMARY OF MONTHLY AND ANNUAL PRECIPITATION FOR COLORADO BY DISTRICTS¹

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total
CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 1 (Northwest and Mountain Counties) ²													
Average													
1900-45	1.15	1.28	1.52	1.70	1.48	1.09	2.03	1.91	1.46	1.22	.92	1.12	16.88
1953...	1.23	.73	1.41	1.70	1.90	.95	2.46	1.57	.18	1.07	1.18	.87	15.25
1954...	.76	.55	1.70	.70	1.28	.61	1.99	1.29	2.39	1.16	1.06	.91	14.40
1955...	.88	1.39	1.28	.65	1.54	.89	1.55	3.09	.49	.96	1.91	1.00	15.63
1956...	2.17	1.60	.71	1.99	.93	.47	1.64	1.47	.13	.90	1.01	1.31	14.33
1957...	2.88	1.04	1.55	3.00	3.60	1.71	2.62	2.26	.52	1.50	1.37	1.14	23.19
1958...	.68	1.30	1.64	1.49	.90	.69	.72	1.12	1.24	.39	.90	1.13	12.20
1959...	1.17	1.65	1.34	1.38	1.33	1.53	1.16	1.92	3.20	2.07	.57	.42	17.74
1960...	.74	1.87	1.82	1.06	1.51	.66	1.32	.78	1.05	1.13	.94	1.00	13.88
1961...	.27	.94	1.73	1.98	1.70	.78	1.75	2.20	4.76	1.35	.98	1.03	19.47
CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 2 (Northeast Counties) ²													
Average													
1900-45	.44	.70	1.20	2.41	2.51	1.81	2.22	1.83	1.48	1.20	.61	.67	17.98
1953...	.34	.80	1.05	2.24	1.83	1.82	2.21	1.83	.14	.54	.92	.60	14.32
1954...	.28	.15	1.04	.45	1.51	.92	1.75	1.34	1.27	.51	.52	.46	10.20
1955...	.36	.82	.94	.74	3.24	2.33	1.72	2.42	1.47	.39	1.05	.41	15.89
1956...	.55	.82	.68	1.12	1.99	1.69	2.43	2.01	.07	.23	1.30	.59	13.48
1957...	.61	.51	.82	3.61	5.62	2.15	2.09	1.83	.64	1.54	.60	1.69	21.71
1958...	.37	.53	1.79	2.27	3.49	2.24	2.84	1.24	1.10	.49	.45	.86	17.67
1959...	.76	.65	1.87	1.46	3.40	1.24	1.05	1.00	2.11	2.20	.22	.11	16.07
1960...	.67	1.11	.76	1.32	3.15	1.41	1.48	.39	.74	1.89	.39	.93	14.24
1961...	.18	.47	2.47	1.06	3.95	1.95	3.30	1.83	3.42	.60	.67	.27	20.17
CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 6 (East Central Counties) ²													
Average													
1900-45	.31	.49	.95	2.15	2.32	2.20	2.59	2.35	1.38	.96	.49	.52	16.71
1953...	2.01	.35	.52	2.34	1.79	1.29	2.22	2.29	.13	.80	.85	.58	15.17
1954...	.23	.06	.56	.25	1.77	.93	1.96	2.22	.61	.85	.20	.36	10.00
1955...	.19	.39	.41	.60	2.87	1.79	1.23	2.39	1.00	.28	.22	.10	11.47
1956...	.50	.26	.56	.52	1.33	.95	2.98	1.64	.20	.31	1.12	.33	10.70
1957...	.26	.24	.88	3.76	4.98	2.09	3.73	2.36	.78	1.23	.73	1.90	22.94
1958...	.37	.45	1.16	1.46	3.68	2.78	4.19	1.61	1.31	.66	.35	.37	18.39
1959...	.59	.40	1.34	1.02	2.68	1.88	1.17	2.07	1.94	1.68	.25	.19	15.21
1960...	.85	1.42	.66	1.37	2.29	1.46	2.49	.50	.80	2.08	.30	.92	15.14
1961...	.42	.40	1.52	.89	2.74	2.36	3.04	2.45	2.24	.42	.67	.29	17.44
CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 7 (West Central and Southwest Counties) ²													
Average													
1900-45	1.39	1.47	1.75	1.61	1.26	.88	1.69	1.94	1.79	1.54	1.07	1.31	17.70
1953...	1.06	.42	1.43	1.75	1.19	.52	2.17	1.99	.14	2.71	1.44	.62	15.44
1954...	.77	.36	1.39	.66	1.31	.57	2.12	1.32	2.71	1.27	1.12	.82	14.42
1955...	1.12	1.68	.29	1.20	1.76	.48	1.45	2.48	.45	.22	1.29	1.49	13.91
1956...	2.42	.92	.58	.92	.58	.47	1.33	.98	.09	1.13	.57	.78	10.77
1957...	3.96	1.01	1.32	2.52	3.04	1.06	3.09	3.71	.12	3.35	2.34	1.07	26.59
1958...	1.02	1.88	1.80	1.14	.41	.43	.52	1.24	1.79	.91	.90	.36	12.40
1959...	.53	1.51	.51	1.42	.60	.76	.88	2.49	1.72	2.62	.52	1.74	15.30
1960...	1.26	1.72	1.58	1.13	.73	.55	.70	.67	1.05	1.90	.87	1.19	13.35
1961...	.41	.76	2.51	1.18	.91	.22	.88	2.34	3.04	2.06	1.07	.92	16.30
CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 8 (South Central Counties) ²													
Average													
1900-45	.87	1.03	1.33	1.24	1.04	.83	1.77	1.92	1.24	1.09	.82	.88	14.06
1953...	.45	.46	.90	1.27	1.66	.79	2.27	1.07	.05	1.42	1.04	.65	12.03
1954...	.60	.17	.75	.32	1.40	.18	2.40	1.64	1.46	.44	.32	.49	10.17
1955...	.54	.74	.19	.88	1.75	.17	1.41	2.10	.35	.08	.68	.75	9.64
1956...	1.54	.60	.52	1.13	.65	.36	.59	.86	.06	.74	.54	.48	8.07
1957...	1.11	.24	.61	1.40	2.76	.58	3.31	2.39	.03	1.78	1.39	3.11	18.71
1958...	.49	.68	1.20	1.47	.64	.54	.74	1.37	.92	.86	.49	.37	9.77
1959...	.31	1.01	.51	1.20	1.18	.72	.98	2.62	1.52	2.93	.30	.78	14.06
1960...	.92	1.06	.74	.72	.50	.68	.96	.52	.53	1.72	.44	.89	9.68
1961...	.09	.54	1.90	.98	.70	.35	1.36	2.66	1.75	2.25	.79	.78	14.15
CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 9 (Southeast Counties) ²													
Average													
1900-45	.40	.68	.98	1.97	2.00	1.68	2.33	2.09	1.27	1.04	.61	.59	15.64
1953...	2.05	.26	.89	1.22	2.15	.55	2.56	2.53	.11	.68	1.07	.77	14.84
1954...	.28	.22	.45	.30	1.83	.61	2.31	1.79	.39	1.25	.19	.33	9.95
1955...	.09	.42	.32	1.12	5.15	.72	.98	2.45	1.01	.13	.26	.20	12.85
1956...	.53	.39	.63	1.23	1.29	.84	2.44	1.78	.03	.16	.62	.26	10.20
1957...	.32	.14	1.01	3.66	3.68	1.97	2.52	1.94	.73	1.26	1.61	.24	19.08
1958...	.44	.42	1.46	1.29	3.02	1.44	2.89	1.92	.72	.65	.51	.30	15.06
1959...	.86	.44	1.06	1.23	2.28	1.30	1.46	2.20	1.44	2.19	.28	.38	15.12
1960...	1.11	1.32	.57	1.30	.97	1.29	2.45	.61	1.50	2.76	.23	.99	15.10
1961...	.12	.94	1.00	.64	1.28	2.64	3.06	2.78	1.46	.74	.97	.49	16.12

¹Compiled from reports issued by the United States Weather Bureau, and includes Hi-Altitude reports.²For counties included in each Crop Reporting District, see outline map on inside front cover.

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SUMMARY OF NORMAL PRECIPITATION BY STATIONS¹

STATION	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
Northwest and Mountain District													
Buena Vista.....	.43	.58	.62	1.08	1.04	.60	1.74	1.44	.71	.61	.41	.39	9.65
Crested Butte.....	2.38	2.36	2.35	1.66	1.26	1.51	2.06	2.34	1.70	1.33	1.48	2.13	22.56
Dillon.....	1.41	1.51	2.13	2.21	1.73	1.22	1.94	1.71	1.12	1.14	1.22	1.30	18.64
Fraser.....	1.37	1.44	1.59	1.83	1.67	1.38	1.64	1.53	1.04	1.00	1.16	1.08	16.73
Guooison.....	.80	.84	.78	.73	.74	.88	1.52	1.45	.91	.69	.55	.75	10.59
Hartsel.....	.41	.34	.49	.86	1.03	.94	2.06	2.23	.95	.61	.37	.33	10.62
Hayden.....	1.13	1.06	1.32	1.48	1.49	1.20	1.28	1.26	1.24	1.45	1.03	1.35	15.22
Leadville.....	1.25	1.44	1.75	1.83	1.48	1.15	2.97	2.28	1.39	1.13	1.11	1.14	18.92
Salida.....	.38	.57	.85	1.26	1.31	.80	1.52	1.56	.81	.85	.46	.43	10.80
Spicer.....	.92	1.00	1.34	1.55	1.36	1.02	1.30	1.46	1.19	.95	1.09	1.22	14.31
Steamboat Springs.....	2.27	2.18	2.25	2.31	2.04	1.60	1.36	1.49	1.40	1.81	1.87	2.50	23.08
North Central and Northeast District													
Boulder.....	.71	.77	1.79	2.68	3.05	2.01	1.39	1.69	1.27	1.34	.97	.62	18.29
Ft. Collios.....	.36	.50	.93	1.78	2.68	1.88	1.17	1.57	1.29	.99	.50	.42	14.07
Ft. Lupton.....	.47	.42	.62	1.70	2.52	1.55	1.30	1.30	1.06	.77	.48	.32	12.51
Ft. Morgan.....	.34	.27	.69	1.56	2.54	1.68	1.58	1.47	1.25	.70	.35	.30	12.73
Greeley.....	.36	.36	.71	1.43	2.42	1.51	1.21	.74	.73	.75	.42	.32	10.96
Grover.....	.32	.41	.63	1.11	2.51	2.03	1.94	1.59	1.11	.54	.37	.29	12.85
Julesburg.....	.39	.42	.94	1.74	2.80	2.73	2.07	1.97	1.30	.73	.50	.42	16.01
LeRoy.....	.58	.53	1.31	2.30	2.67	2.74	1.98	2.04	1.35	.84	.70	.65	17.69
Longmont.....	.34	.39	.75	1.58	2.36	1.56	1.11	.85	.85	.55	.46	.31	11.66
Sedgwick.....	.33	.34	.95	1.92	2.80	3.26	2.37	2.00	1.41	.75	.45	.43	17.01
Sterling.....	.35	.33	.78	1.61	2.51	2.57	1.60	1.59	1.17	.72	.42	.35	14.00
East Central District													
Arriba.....	.41	.41	.94	1.56	2.81	2.15	2.24	2.12	1.38	.72	.57	.33	15.64
Burlington.....	.35	.41	.91	1.59	2.40	2.57	2.32	2.27	1.28	.74	.41	.39	15.64
Byers.....	.40	.45	.84	1.93	2.36	1.72	1.82	1.65	1.18	.62	.54	.40	13.91
Cheyenne Wells.....	.31	.33	.77	1.37	2.15	2.29	1.91	2.62	1.09	.74	.44	.21	14.23
Colorado Springs.....	.22	.33	.69	1.40	2.06	1.79	2.72	2.69	1.07	.63	.35	.31	14.26
Denver AP.....	.50	.53	1.19	2.05	2.20	1.64	1.36	1.43	1.08	1.01	.70	.51	14.20
Eads.....	.35	.37	.73	1.29	2.19	1.96	1.94	2.16	1.05	.78	.51	.31	13.64
Haswell.....	.26	.28	.51	1.20	2.21	1.82	1.84	1.79	1.10	.70	.45	.24	10.40
Holyoke.....	.28	.30	.91	2.06	3.04	3.38	2.46	2.07	1.51	.90	.41	.39	17.71
Limon.....	.41	.42	.94	1.56	2.22	1.68	2.09	2.33	1.36	.70	.60	.36	14.67
Monument.....	.52	.77	1.33	2.53	2.73	1.61	2.47	2.59	1.29	.91	.78	.44	17.97
Parker.....	.34	.36	.69	1.91	2.21	1.60	1.83	1.83	1.05	.75	.56	.29	13.42
Rush.....	.22	.27	.57	1.35	2.13	1.64	2.06	2.48	1.21	.55	.30	.20	12.98
Wray.....	.41	.47	.55	2.24	2.92	2.51	2.61	2.15	1.55	.69	.40	.40	17.20
Yuma.....	.38	.41	1.02	1.70	2.60	2.67	2.40	2.03	1.31	.86	.43	.37	16.18
West Central and Southwest District													
Cedaredge.....	.88	.97	.94	1.15	.83	.69	.94	1.30	1.12	1.02	.66	.87	11.37
Colbran.....	.93	1.23	1.32	1.65	1.10	.74	.99	1.45	1.31	1.23	.97	.98	13.90
Cortez.....	.92	1.12	1.16	1.04	.79	.57	1.20	1.50	1.39	1.43	.75	1.20	13.27
Delta.....	.53	.49	.49	.73	.63	.52	.65	1.10	.93	.86	.40	.46	7.79
Durango.....	1.42	1.28	1.51	1.25	1.18	.91	1.83	2.35	1.88	1.60	.92	1.63	17.76
Ft. Lewis.....	1.52	1.76	1.64	1.45	1.23	.95	1.82	2.12	2.00	1.83	.97	1.65	18.94
Fruita.....	.69	.60	.75	.72	.47	.47	.72	.96	.94	.75	.57	.67	8.31
Glenwood Springs.....	1.85	1.79	1.61	1.93	1.41	1.20	1.47	1.77	1.42	1.40	1.23	1.53	18.61
Grand Junction.....	.60	.63	.87	.75	.68	.45	.79	1.20	1.02	.84	.55	.68	9.06
Ignacio.....	1.17	1.19	1.25	1.06	1.01	.76	1.43	1.78	1.42	1.36	.76	1.24	14.43
Montrose.....	.56	.59	.64	1.01	.77	.50	.72	1.24	1.02	.87	.59	.57	9.08
Northdale.....	1.06	1.05	1.19	1.10	.86	.58	1.11	1.52	1.66	1.45	.92	1.16	13.66
Norwood.....	1.05	1.24	1.31	1.54	.99	.90	1.50	2.17	1.59	1.49	.92	1.13	15.92
Palisade.....	.46	.61	.63	1.02	.66	.55	.70	.92	1.18	1.00	.60	.48	8.81
Paonia.....	1.28	1.31	1.15	1.56	1.02	.75	.84	1.16	1.20	1.32	1.04	1.31	13.94
Rifle.....	.88	.72	.93	.99	.79	.68	1.02	1.12	.96	1.04	.86	.86	10.80
South Central District													
Alamosa.....	.23	.18	.43	.54	.57	.49	.87	1.10	.69	.58	.38	.17	6.23
Del Norte.....	.43	.28	.46	.74	.82	.59	1.16	1.60	.96	.63	.35	.33	8.35
Manassa.....	.35	.21	.30	.53	.77	.48	.74	1.31	.82	.53	.24	.28	6.56
Saguache.....	.34	.27	.44	.67	.73	.61	1.29	1.59	.82	.56	.28	.32	7.92
Southeast District													
Canco City.....	.43	.45	.76	1.62	1.99	1.08	1.43	1.80	.83	.62	.62	.40	12.03
Lamar.....	.45	.42	.78	1.29	2.38	2.07	1.72	2.08	1.12	.77	.57	.37	14.02
Las Animas.....	.43	.30	.72	1.07	2.06	1.54	1.43	1.73	1.00	.56	.45	.36	11.65
Ordway.....	.38	.37	.71	1.15	2.01	1.11	1.48	1.67	1.14	.47	.41	.36	11.26
Penrose.....	.30	.39	.60	1.35	1.84	1.17	1.71	1.71	.79	.68	.47	.31	11.32
Pueblo AP.....	.38	.48	.70	1.24	1.73	1.40	1.81	1.78	.75	.70	.47	.43	11.87
Rocky Ford.....	.41	.34	.76	1.30	2.09	1.28	1.81	1.83	1.05	.67	.44	.34	12.32
Springfield.....	.45	.44	1.04	1.33	2.61	2.12	1.88	1.74	1.27	.79	.58	.43	14.68
Two Buttes.....	.44	.48	.90	1.43	2.35	1.95	1.67	2.05	1.17	.80	.56	.41	14.21
State Average ².....	.66	.69	.98	1.44	1.77	1.42	1.61	1.72	1.17	.90	.64	.65	13.65

¹Average for period 1931-1955.²Average of above stations.



FARM WAGE RATES—1955-1962

YEAR and MONTH	Per Month		Per Day	Per Hour	Index ³
	With Board ¹	Without Board ²	Without Board		
1955	January.....	128.00	176.00	7.40	.91
	April.....	134.00	182.00	7.40	.92
	July.....	140.00	184.00	7.60	.93
	October.....	141.00	191.00	7.80	.97
1956	January.....	136.00	185.00	7.30	.93
	April.....	136.00	188.00	7.70	.94
	July.....	147.00	195.00	8.00	.93
	October.....	145.00	193.00	8.00	.96
1957	January.....	139.00	191.00	7.90	.98
	April.....	140.00	194.00	8.20	1.00
	July.....	150.00	205.00	8.60	1.05
	October.....	151.00	201.00	8.80	1.03
1958	January.....	143.00	198.00	8.50	1.01
	April.....	148.00	203.00	8.40	1.00
	July.....	158.00	203.00	8.90	1.00
	October.....	158.00	206.00	8.90	1.01
1959	January.....	149.00	206.00	8.60	1.03
	April.....	148.00	209.00	8.80	1.03
	July.....	160.00	212.00	9.00	1.04
	October.....	159.00	216.00	9.20	1.05
1960	January.....	158.00	215.00	9.00	1.06
	April.....	162.00	218.00	9.30	1.05
	July.....	174.00	224.00	9.60	1.10
	October.....	166.00	224.00	9.70	1.10
1961	January.....	161.00	220.00	9.20	1.07
	April.....	164.00	222.00	9.20	1.06
	July.....	173.00	225.00	9.60	1.11
	October.....	164.00	229.00	9.90	1.15
1962	January.....	164.00	226.00	9.50	1.14
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¹Wages are with board and room.²Wages are without board but include house.³Based on average rate, 1910-14=100. Adjusted for seasonal variation.

LIVESTOCK

(Summary of livestock numbers and value on farms January 1)

	NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1			VALUE PER HEAD JANUARY 1			TOTAL VALUE JANUARY 1		
	1960	1961	1962	1960	1961	1962	1960	1961	1962
	Thousands			Dollars			Thousand Dollars		
All Cattle & Calves.....	2,267	2,282	2,333	131.00	135.00	144.00	296,977	303,070	335,952
Cows 2 Years Old for Milk ¹	139	132	127	198.00	197.00	206.00	27,522	26,004	26,162
Hogs & Pigs.....	219	210	202	16.30	22.40	24.10	3,570	4,704	4,868
Sheep & Lambs on Feed.....	555	570	540	18.00	15.00	14.00	9,990	8,550	7,560
Stock Sheep & Lambs.....	1,434	1,420	1,392	18.50	16.20	14.30	26,529	23,004	19,906
Horses & Mules.....	70	76	76	122.00	129.00	129.00	8,540	9,804	.....
Chickens.....	1,715	1,546	1,696	.94	1.05	.99	1,612	1,623	1,679
Turkeys.....	30	49	53	4.50	5.00	4.15	135	245	220
TOTAL VALUE.....							347,353	382,004	370,185
Cattle on Grain Feed									
Jan. 1 ²	385	414	397						
Calf Crop, Annual.....	801	809	.....					
Lamb Crop, Annual.....	1,224	1,188	.....					
Pig Crop, Annual.....	292	272	.....					
Chickens Raised, Annual.....	1,342	1,409	.....					
Turkeys Raised, Annual.....	1,479	1,997	1,908 ³						

¹The figures for number on farms and total value are included in all cattle and calves.²These figures are included in all cattle and calves.³Intentions.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY AND VALUE

January 1, 1962 and 1961

Livestock inventory numbers on January 1, 1962 were higher for cattle but lower for sheep and hogs than on January 1, 1961. The number of all cattle and calves increased 2 percent during 1961, continuing the five-year upward trend in the total cattle inventory. Milk cows continued their downward trend with a 4 percent decrease while beef cow numbers rose 1 percent. Cattle on feed for slaughter market were down 4 percent but other cattle were up 4 percent. Hog numbers decreased 4 percent and stock sheep inventory declined 2 percent from the previous year. Sheep and lambs on feed were down 5 percent. Chicken numbers on January 1, 1962 were up 10 percent from the previous year. The aggregate value of all livestock (including cattle and sheep on feed but excluding horses and mules) and poultry January 1, 1962 was \$370,185,000. This was 7 percent above the January 1, 1961 inventory value of \$346,196,000. For the 1951-60 period, the average January 1 inventory valuation was \$298,244,000. The January 1, 1952 inventory value of \$446,641,000 is the record high. Grain feed production in 1961 was below the 1960 output but above the 10-year average. All hay and sorghum forage production was larger than in 1960. The total supply (carryover plus production) of roughage feed was sufficient to meet livestock requirements for the 1961-62 feeding season throughout the state.

ALL CATTLE AND CALVES

The number of cattle and calves on Colorado farms and ranches January 1, 1962 (including animals in feedlots) totaled 2,333,000 head. This is 2 percent more than the 2,282,000 head in the state on January 1, 1961 and the largest January 1 inventory on record. The 1962 January number was 12 percent above the 1951-60 average of 2,075,000 head. Inventory of cattle and calves excluding animals on feed for market totaled 1,936,000 head. This is 4 percent above the revised estimate of 1,868,000 head for January 1, 1961. (The estimate of 1,868,000 head for January 1, 1961 is a revision from the preliminary estimate of 1,826,000 head.)

This is the fifth consecutive year of increasing cattle numbers in the state. The upward trend, starting in 1958, was preceded by 4 years of decreasing cattle and calf inventories. The January 1, 1962 cattle and calf inventory was 15 percent above January 1, 1958.

The number of range and stock beef cattle and calves at 1,733,000 head on January 1, 1962 is a record high and 5 percent above January 1, 1961 total of 1,652,000 head. This is a continuation of the general upward trend which has prevailed since 1940 when the number was 925,000 head. Beef

cows at 803,000 head exceeded by 1 percent the January 1, 1961 inventory of 795,000 head. The January 1, 1962 level of beef heifers 1-2 years old at 339,000 head is 6 percent below the previous year's inventory of 360,000 head. Calves (other than milk heifers) totaled 614,000 head on January 1, 1962 compared to 576,000 head on January 1 a year earlier. Inventory of steers over one-year on January 1, 1962 totaled 324,000 head, an increase of 14 percent over the 284,000 head January 1, of the previous year. In addition to the above, cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market totaled 397,000 on January 1, 1962—4 percent less than the 414,000 head on feed a year earlier. The January 1, 1962 average value of all cattle and calves was \$144.00 per head compared to \$135.00 on January 1, 1961. Total value of all cattle and calves was \$335,952,000 on January 1, 1962, an increase of 9 percent over the \$308,070,000 a year earlier. **Cattle in Feedlots—Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in Colorado feedlots** January 1, 1962 totaled 397,000 head. This was 4 percent less than the record high 414,000 head on feed a year earlier. This is the first decline from a year earlier in January 1 inventories of cattle on feed since 1954. The seasonal increase from October 1, 1961 to January 1, 1962 was sharper than usual at 22 percent. However, the fall build up in feedlots was late this year so the October 1 number on feed was unusually low.

Weight information for cattle and calves in feedlots January 1, 1962 shows 18,000 heavy cattle (weighing over 1,100 pounds) compared to 25,000 January 1 a year earlier. In the 900 to 1,100-pound group there were 119,000 head compared to 129,000 a year ago. Cattle and calves weighing less than 900 pounds totaled 260,000 head the same as on January 1, 1961.

Data on **kinds of animals** on feed in the state January 1, 1962 show 223,000 steers, 167,000 heifers and 7,000 cows and others. On January 1 a year ago there were 199,000 steers, 211,000 heifers and 4,000 cows and others.

Reports from cattle feeders on **length of time** the January 1 inventory had been in feedlots show more animals than a year ago in the "less than 3 months" and "over 6 months" categories, with fewer on feed 3 to 6 months. Comparable feedlot inventories, January 1, 1962 with January 1, 1961, were as follows: On feed less than 3 months—263,000 and 215,000; on feed 3 to 6 months—117,000 and 184,000; and on feed more than 6 months—17,000 and 15,000.

Milk Cows and Heifers—Milk cow numbers continued to decline through 1961 and on January 1, 1962 were at the lowest level since 1910. Production per cow leveled off at 6,930 pounds per year, down 40 pounds from 1960 after a continuous increase for the preceding 14 years. Cows and heifers 2 years old and over kept for milk at 127,000 head on farms January 1, 1962 were 4 percent below the 132,000 on hand a year earlier. The 1951-60 average inventory for January 1 was 164,000. Milk heifers 1-2 years at 32,000 head were down 22 percent from the 41,000 head a year earlier. Milk heifer calves increased 2 percent from 43,000 January 1, 1961, to 44,000 January 1, 1962. Value per head for milk cows averaged \$206.00 on January 1, 1962 compared to \$197.00 a year earlier.

Calf Crop—The 1961 Colorado calf crop totaled 816,000 head—up 1 percent from the 810,000 head born during 1960. The 1961 crop is 4 percent greater than the 1950-59 annual average of 782,000 head and the largest since 1954 when 873,000 head were born.

Cows and heifers 2 years old and older on January 1, 1961 totaled 927,000 head. This is a 3 percent increase over the January 1, 1960 inventory and 4 percent more than the January 1, 1950-59 average of 889,000 head. The increase in cows and heifers 2 years old and over accounted for the increase in the calf crop. Calves born as a percent of cows and heifers on hand the first of the year was 88 percent in 1961, the same as the 10-year average. In 1960 calves born as a percent of cows and heifers on hand the first of the year was 90 percent.

Weather during the late winter and early spring of 1961 was generally mild and favorable for calving. An early April snow storm resulted in some loss of calves but calving rate was generally good throughout most of the state. Early spring grass was short because of the shortage of late summer and fall moisture in 1960. Late spring and summer precipitation was adequate for growth of range and pasture grass and grazing was good in most areas. Fall grazing was generally good throughout the state with eastern Colorado being the best in years with the exception of extreme northeast portion. Calves made good gains throughout the summer.

Sheep and Lambs—Stock sheep on hand January 1, 1962 was 1,392,000 head. This is a 2 percent decrease from January 1, 1961 inventory of 1,420,000 head and a 3 percent decrease from the record high 1,434,000 head on January 1, 1960. However, the January 1, 1962 estimate is 7 percent above the 10-year 1951-60 average of 1,288,000 head. Mature ewes at 1,152,000 head January 1, 1962 decreased 1 percent from the 1,164,000 head a year earlier. Ewe lambs totaled 173,000 head on January 1, 1962 compared to 185,000 a year ago. In addition to stock sheep there were 540,000 **sheep and lambs on feed** for market on January 1, 1962. This gives a total sheep and lambs inventory of 1,932,000 head on hand January 1, 1962—a decrease of 3 percent from the 1,990,000 head on Colorado farms and ranches January 1, 1961. Average value per head for stock sheep January 1, 1962 was \$14.30 compared to \$16.20 January 1, 1961. **Total value** for all sheep on January 1, 1962 was \$27,466,000 compared to \$31,554,000 on January 1, 1961.

Weather during late winter and early spring of 1961 was favorable throughout the state. Snowfall was generally light and temperatures were seasonal. Heavy supplemental feeding was necessary due to a shortage of grazing caused by drought conditions the preceding fall. Early lambing losses were light but storms during mid-April and mid-May caused some deaths among new lambs and early shorn sheep.

Growth of range and pasture grasses was retarded in early spring by the lack of moisture the previous fall. However, precipitation in Eastern Colorado was adequate to promote very good late spring and summer grazing. The higher elevations also provided generally good late spring and summer grazing. The western Colorado sheep grazing areas were lacking in moisture and grazing was only fair through late spring and summer. August rainfall, generally over the state, improved grazing west of divide to some extent, and continued the very good to excellent grazing on the eastern plains and south central portions of the state.

Sheep and Lambs on Feed for Market—The number of sheep and lambs on feed for slaughter market in Colorado on January 1, 1962 was 540,000 head. This is 5 percent less than the January 1, 1961 inventory of 570,000 head but 2 percent more than the 1951-60 average of 532,000 head. Although this is sharply below the peak of 2,035,000 on January 1, 1930, Colorado still maintains its position as the leading lamb finishing state in the Nation both as to number and quality.

The decrease in the number on feed January 1, 1962, compared with 1960, was greatest in Northern Colorado which decreased from 426,000 head January 1, 1961 to 373,000 head on January 1, 1962. The Arkansas Valley had a slight decrease—from 121,000 head January 1, 1961 to 115,000 head January 1, 1962. Western Colorado and the San Luis Valley increased their sheep on feed to 52,000 head on January 1, 1962 from 23,000 head a year earlier. Data on weight of sheep and lambs on feed January 1, 1962 as compared to January 1, 1961 is as follows: Under 60 lbs., 5,000 head and 6,000 head; 60-79 pounds, 124,000 head and 142,000 head; 80-99 pounds, 368,000 head and 342,000 head; 100 pounds and over 43,000 head and 80,000 head.

The **in-movement** of sheep and lambs on feed during the fall of 1961 was a little earlier than usual with 84 percent placed by November 1 as compared to 81 percent the previous year. Favorable weather during the late fall months enabled feeders to put good gains on their lambs. Prices were disappointing however. Feed grains were in good supply but prices were generally higher than the fall of 1960 while hay prices generally were lower.

Lamb Crop—The 1961 Colorado lamb crop totaled 1,164,000 head—down 5 percent from the 1,224,000 head born in 1960. This is 13 percent above the 1950-59 average of 1,028,000 head. The 1961 decrease in the lamb crop was preceded by 3 straight years of increases over the preceding year in the number of lambs born.

The **lamb crop percentage** for 1961 (number of lambs saved per 100 ewes one year old and older on farms and ranches January 1) was 100 percent, as compared to 102 percent in 1960 and the 1950-59 average of 97 percent. The number of ewes 1 year old and older on hand January 1, 1961 totaled 1,164,000 head, 3 percent below 1,200,000 breeding ewes on hand January 1, 1960. The 1950-59 January 1 average is 1,056,000 head breeding ewes.

Wool—Production of wool in Colorado during 1961 totaled 15,266,000 pounds. This was 3 percent above the 1960 production of 14,808,000 pounds.

The 1961 wool production was the largest production since 1943 when 15,458,000 pounds were clipped.

Sheep and lambs shorn (including feedlot lambs) in 1961 totaled 1,721,000 head, 8 percent above the 1,590,000 head shorn in 1960. This increase is responsible for the increase in 1961 wool production. **Average fleece weight** was 8.9 pounds compared to 9.3 pounds the previous year.

Value of the 1961 wool crop was \$6,412,000 based on the average price of 42 cents a pound received for wool sold, April 1961 through January 1962. The 1960 wool crop averaged 41 cents a pound and the total value was \$6,071,000. Government wool incentive payments are not included in the price and valuation figure.

Hogs and Pigs—Hogs on farms January 1, 1962 were estimated at 202,000 head, a 4 percent decrease from the January 1, 1961 inventory of 210,000 head. The 1951-60 January 1 average was 209,000 head. **Average values** were up, for the second consecutive year to \$24.10 per head. The January 1, 1961 average was \$22.40 and the January 1, 1960 average was \$16.30.

Pig Crop—The 1961 **pig crop** in Colorado totaled 272,000 pigs saved. This was a decrease of 7 percent from the 292,000 pigs saved in 1960. The 1950-59 average was 306,000 head. The 1961 pig crop was only 28 percent of the 961,000 pigs saved in 1943. **Litter average** was 7.2 pigs saved per sow compared to the 1960 average of 6.8 pigs per litter. The 1950-59 average was 6.5 pigs saved per litter. This is the first year in which average litter size has equalled or exceeded 7.0 pigs.

The fall **pig crop** of 137,000 head accounted for approximately half of the 1961 total. There were 19,000 sows farrowed during the fall months (June through November). This was 14 percent less than the 22,000 sows farrowed the fall of 1960 and 5 percent below 1950-59 average of 20,000 sows. Pigs saved per fall litter average 7.2 pigs compared to 6.7 saved in 1960. The previous high of 6.9 pigs was reached in 1957, 1958 and 1959. Pigs saved from spring litters were also at a record high at 7.1 pigs in 1961 compared with the previous high of 6.9 pigs saved per litter the spring of 1960.

Distribution of 1961 fall farrowings by month showed a larger portion in June and July with the compensating decline showing up in August and September when compared with 1960 fall farrowings. Monthly percentage distribution was as follows: June, 19.4; July, 17.3; August, 16.1; September, 21.3; October, 17.5; and November, 8.4.

Chickens and Eggs—On January 1, 1962 **chickens on farms** totaled 1,696,000 head. This was 10 percent more than the 1,546,000 head in Colorado a year earlier. The 1951-60 average was 2,199,000 head. Average value per bird was 99 cents—down 6 cents from January 1, 1961. The total valuation was \$1,679,000 as compared to \$1,623,000 the preceding year.

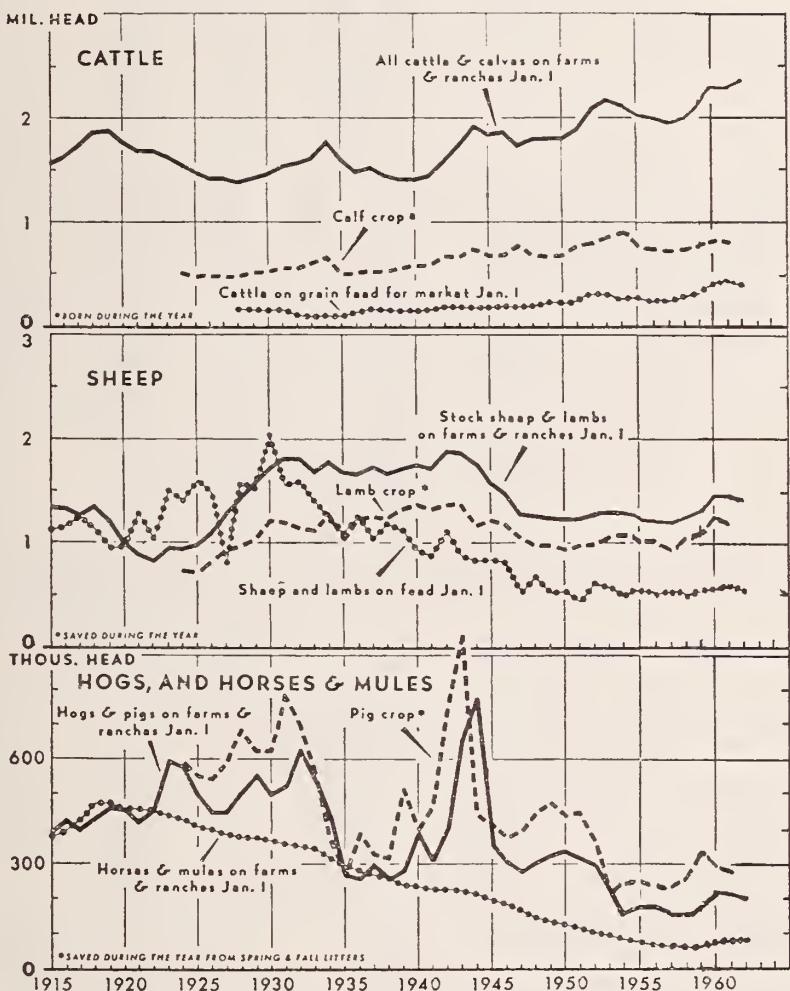
During 1961 the average number of **layers** on hand was 1,405,000 birds, the smallest number of record. This was a decline of 6,000 birds from 1960 and continues the downtrend which has been practically unbroken since 1944 when the peak number of layers of 3,622,000 was reached. The number of eggs per layer in 1961 was 196, down from 198 eggs per layer in 1960.

Total egg production in 1961 was 276 million as compared to 280 million during 1960. This was the smallest annual egg production in the state since records were begun in 1925.

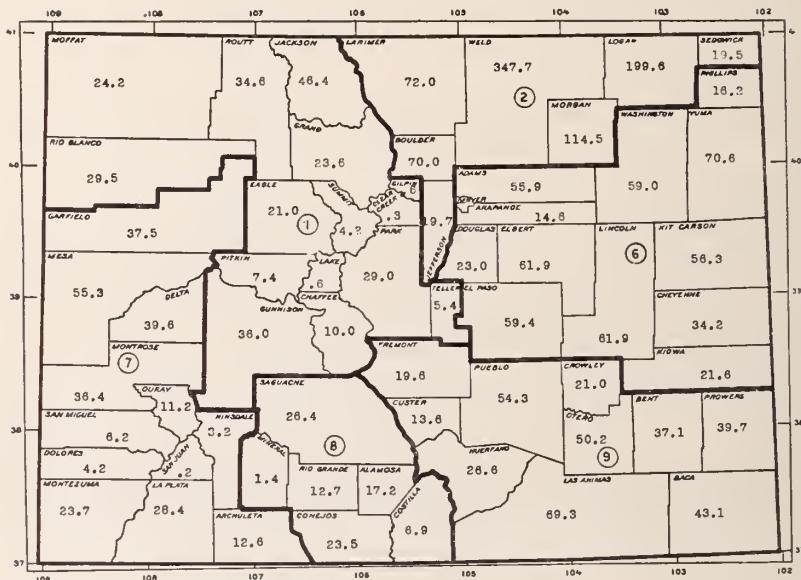
Turkeys—Colorado turkey growers **raised** 1,997,000 birds in 1961. This was an increase of 35 percent over the 1960 crop of 1,479,000 birds. The 1961 number of turkeys raised was easily the largest of record. The 1950-59 average was 952,000 birds.

The **turkey inventory** on January 1, 1962 was 53,000 birds, an increase of 4,000 from January 1, 1961. The value per bird decreased 85 cents from a year earlier to \$4.15 on January 1, 1962. Total valuation of turkeys on hand January 1, 1962 was \$220,000 compared to \$245,000 the preceding year, a decrease of 10 percent. Turkey breeder **hens on hand** totaled 21,000 birds, the largest number since 1947 when there were 35,000 birds on hand for breeding purposes. The January 1, 1961 number was 15,000 birds.

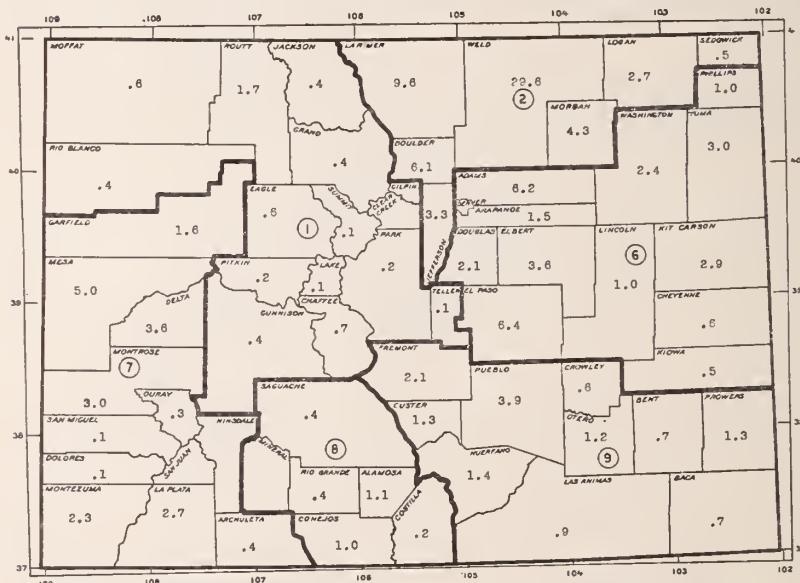
LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, COLORADO



ALL CATTLE AND CALVES ON FARMS JANUARY 1, 1961
(1,000 Head)



COWS AND HEIFERS OVER TWO YEARS OLD KEPT FOR MILK
Number on Farms January 1, 1961
(1,000 Head)



SCALE - STATUTE MILES
0 10 20 30 40 50

ESTIMATED NUMBER ON FARMS, JANUARY 1, 1957-1961

COUNTY	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES					COWS AND HEIFERS Over 2 yrs. Old (Kept for Milk)					
	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
	Chaffee.....	9,370	9,310	9,320	9,380	10,040	790	770	810	840	730
Clear Creek.....	310	320	340	330	280	40	70	50	30	30	30
Eagle.....	19,080	18,740	20,020	21,910	21,030	570	570	570	550	480	
Gilpin.....	600	580	530	690	640	30	30	20	20	20	
Grand.....	21,140	21,870	22,780	23,130	23,590	460	450	460	460	380	
Gunnison.....	35,710	34,310	36,300	39,630	38,040	550	500	470	450	360	
Jackson.....	35,810	40,080	42,660	44,120	46,420	350	340	310	340	350	
Lake.....	1,120	520	650	560	610	170	140	100	80	60	
Moffat.....	21,680	22,100	23,480	24,660	24,170	600	570	540	620	580	
Park.....	26,010	25,570	25,810	25,640	28,970	190	200	170	150	160	
Pitkin.....	7,720	7,530	7,470	7,620	7,390	200	270	230	190	250	
Rio Blanco.....	31,010	28,950	30,040	31,020	29,470	490	450	440	470	450	
Routt.....	34,610	33,540	34,550	35,270	34,560	2,210	2,140	1,980	1,700	1,720	
Summit.....	5,350	5,020	4,900	5,290	4,230	120	110	80	70	60	
Teller.....	6,130	5,340	5,620	5,500	5,440	190	200	140	100	70	
Total Northwest District.....	255,650	253,780	264,470	274,750	274,880	7,050	6,810	6,400	6,070	5,700	
Boulder.....	41,870	46,650	53,040	57,940	70,010	6,910	7,270	6,680	6,330	6,080	
Jefferson.....	19,180	18,530	18,550	18,600	19,720	4,920	4,850	4,250	3,760	3,310	
Larimer.....	63,400	61,850	68,200	72,740	71,960	9,110	9,420	9,110	9,250	9,800	
Logan.....	79,100	82,300	92,210	101,720	109,560	5,280	4,660	4,180	3,390	2,680	
Morgan.....	100,870	102,280	106,810	117,150	114,500	5,110	4,970	4,620	4,430	4,340	
Sedgwick.....	20,950	19,860	19,280	20,210	19,470	830	690	610	600	480	
Weld.....	284,150	293,330	318,390	342,750	347,720	31,250	30,860	30,380	30,100	29,810	
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	609,520	624,800	676,480	731,110	752,970	63,410	62,720	59,860	57,860	56,500	
Adams.....	42,070	40,330	45,260	51,680	55,860	8,400	8,430	8,580	8,630	8,220	
Arapahoe.....	15,550	15,360	14,880	15,770	14,820	2,580	2,310	2,140	1,970	1,480	
Cheyenne.....	23,930	29,450	31,700	35,570	34,150	1,240	840	780	690	610	
Denver.....											
Douglas.....	20,470	21,420	24,660	24,970	22,970	2,620	2,550	2,490	2,400	2,050	
Elbert.....	43,490	47,860	54,010	52,990	51,930	5,800	5,420	4,730	4,480	3,580	
El Paso.....	48,410	52,470	57,980	58,810	59,430	6,780	6,620	6,360	6,400	6,430	
Kiowa.....	17,120	19,150	23,680	25,430	21,610	570	630	580	460	470	
Kit Carson.....	34,930	45,350	58,710	66,260	58,310	3,830	3,770	3,360	2,870	2,870	
Lincoln.....	51,520	52,830	58,470	58,710	61,910	1,750	1,390	1,370	1,300	1,040	
Phillips.....	16,120	16,180	17,030	17,120	15,150	1,600	1,460	1,260	1,050	1,010	
Washington.....	51,360	53,740	56,610	59,500	58,960	4,190	3,840	3,680	3,040	2,440	
Yuma.....	58,230	61,460	65,010	68,570	70,780	5,390	4,600	3,900	3,320	2,990	
Total East Central District.....	425,200	455,600	508,000	535,440	528,880	44,750	41,860	39,230	36,610	33,200	
Archuleta.....	13,610	12,480	12,510	12,070	12,570	510	530	470	380	360	
Delta.....	36,850	38,600	42,370	42,280	39,550	4,520	4,370	4,350	4,190	3,810	
Dolores.....	4,210	3,470	3,520	3,520	4,220	220	160	110	90	80	
Garfield.....	34,340	35,630	37,280	39,210	37,510	2,140	1,960	1,870	1,850	1,550	
Hinsdale.....	3,560	2,950	2,970	3,030	3,150	50	40	30	40	40	
La Plata.....	26,320	27,630	27,890	28,450	28,450	3,560	3,390	3,310	3,250	2,660	
Mesa.....	51,950	50,280	51,570	53,190	55,310	5,560	5,240	4,760	4,830	4,970	
Montezuma.....	23,730	23,160	23,000	22,810	23,720	2,170	2,300	2,270	2,210	2,280	
Montrose.....	37,960	37,250	38,550	39,240	38,420	3,480	2,860	3,020	3,220	3,030	
Ouray.....	9,700	9,510	9,530	10,350	11,180	320	300	280	310	290	
San Juan.....	220	200	230	230	220						
San Miguel.....	5,610	5,870	6,420	6,280	6,200	310	300	210	130	130	
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	248,090	247,030	255,810	260,740	260,500	22,850	21,450	20,710	20,500	19,200	
Alamosa.....	18,300	17,730	17,480	16,230	17,210	1,490	1,480	1,290	1,200	1,140	
Concejos.....	21,220	22,190	23,000	23,540	23,510	1,500	1,030	1,120	1,160	950	
Costilla.....	7,360	6,370	6,560	6,800	6,870	190	150	140	130	150	
Mineral.....	2,050	1,800	1,660	1,650	1,450	60	60	40	30	30	
Rio Grande.....	13,010	13,510	11,940	11,970	12,690	880	690	590	530	410	
Saguache.....	26,610	27,520	27,580	27,870	28,420	730	620	530	480	420	
Total South Central District.....	91,550	89,120	88,220	88,060	90,150	4,850	4,090	3,710	3,530	3,100	
Baca.....	34,210	39,950	42,270	44,200	43,120	1,970	1,590	1,170	950	710	
Bent.....	28,620	35,560	38,160	39,610	37,130	1,370	1,010	980	850	690	
Crowley.....	18,100	18,010	21,430	20,000	21,000	860	780	750	720	800	
Custer.....	13,170	12,350	12,920	13,600	13,600	1,470	1,380	1,300	1,220	1,320	
Fremont.....	17,500	17,930	18,590	19,200	19,780	1,740	1,760	1,780	2,000	2,130	
Huerfano.....	25,280	24,940	25,610	26,470	26,630	1,210	1,240	1,280	1,310	1,350	
Las Animas.....	71,670	68,600	73,380	70,050	69,050	1,690	1,360	1,180	900	890	
Otero.....	45,200	45,160	46,970	46,470	50,250	1,610	1,400	1,350	1,310	1,230	
Prowers.....	35,600	38,580	40,120	42,690	39,700	1,630	1,580	1,430	1,260	1,320	
Pueblo.....	48,520	49,590	51,510	54,610	54,330	4,540	3,970	3,870	3,910	3,860	
Total Southeast District.....	340,990	350,670	370,990	376,900	374,590	18,090	16,070	15,090	14,430	14,300	
State Total.....	1,971,000	2,021,000	2,161,000	2,267,000	2,282,000	161,000	153,000	145,000	139,000	132,000	

**VALUE OF LIVESTOCK, LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS
SOLD IN 1959—FEDERAL CENSUS 1959**

COUNTY	All Livestock and Livestock Products Sold Dollars	Livestock and Livestock Products other than Dairy and Poultry Sold Dollars	Dairy Products Sold Dollars	Poultry and Poultry Products Sold Dollars	Livestock Sold Alive Dollars
Chaffee	1,013,058	805,692	186,092	21,274	785,592
Clear Creek	17,630	13,500	4,000	130	13,500
Eagle	1,700,137	1,646,591	42,647	10,899	1,478,999
Gilpin	20,791	20,790		1	20,790
Grand	1,927,351	1,890,287	31,545	5,519	1,864,232
Gunnison	2,729,958	2,694,342	33,957	1,659	2,650,242
Jackson	3,420,995	3,410,645	9,956	394	3,334,005
Lake	97,017	52,017	45,000		48,980
Moffat	4,109,726	4,032,135	54,330	23,261	3,354,768
Park	1,969,080	1,943,976	3,199	21,905	1,884,905
Pitkin	884,831	878,011	5,861	959	809,385
Rio Blanco	3,031,653	2,995,198	29,133	7,322	2,779,434
Routt	4,159,091	3,855,255	276,294	27,542	3,580,944
Summit	620,031	617,785	2,159	77	616,724
Teller	494,841	485,709	6,276	2,856	485,583
Total Northwest District	26,196,190	25,341,943	730,449	123,798	23,708,083
Boulder	16,950,020	13,889,924	1,910,280	1,149,816	13,888,977
Jefferson	3,891,006	1,809,291	1,350,828	730,887	1,801,845
Larimer	16,973,373	13,875,666	2,759,710	337,997	13,763,107
Logan	18,259,009	17,534,884	487,321	236,804	17,522,015
Morgan	27,458,776	26,093,531	1,074,943	290,302	26,057,585
Sedgwick	3,136,514	3,050,000	14,054	72,460	3,016,129
Weld	93,405,337	83,552,587	8,080,966	1,771,784	83,415,423
Total North Central District	180,074,035	159,805,883	15,678,102	4,590,050	159,445,081
Adams	17,907,371	15,314,669	2,465,739	126,963	15,270,716
Arapahoe	1,914,530	1,323,285	292,059	299,186	1,289,671
Cheyenne	2,873,070	2,810,777	34,481	27,812	2,796,268
Denver	91,021	46,000		45,021	46,000
Douglas	3,351,208	1,969,806	1,150,395	231,007	1,964,565
Elbert	6,661,094	5,750,425	663,014	247,655	5,717,216
El Paso	8,000,980	5,488,856	2,212,957	299,167	5,463,092
Kiowa	2,883,499	2,792,506	27,534	63,459	2,774,375
Kit Carson	7,375,860	7,016,765	260,909	98,186	7,003,628
Lincoln	7,301,773	7,096,020	100,684	105,069	7,033,379
Phillips	2,542,588	2,222,403	208,922	111,263	2,202,941
Washington	6,553,899	6,093,119	255,826	204,954	6,033,174
Yuma	6,737,596	5,881,669	561,666	294,261	5,866,970
Total East Central District	74,194,489	63,806,300	8,234,186	2,154,003	63,461,995
Archuleta	1,468,197	1,451,673	5,370	11,154	1,388,363
Delta	5,899,025	5,306,752	501,828	90,445	5,130,857
Dolores	153,418	149,310	253	3,855	141,105
Garfield	4,078,585	3,870,763	175,119	32,703	3,663,864
Hinsdale	177,470	164,207	13,167	96	163,337
La Plata	3,435,010	2,627,892	682,340	124,778	2,539,622
Mesa	7,711,166	6,277,507	1,124,216	309,443	5,924,154
Montezuma	2,590,765	2,066,331	473,885	50,549	1,944,762
Montrose	6,330,779	5,797,531	411,846	121,402	5,382,067
Ouray	802,110	792,914	8,257	939	780,012
San Juan					
San Miguel	792,666	788,523	277	3,866	663,554
Total West Central & S. W. District	33,439,191	29,293,403	3,396,558	749,230	27,721,697
Alamosa	2,141,274	1,620,802	468,752	51,720	1,468,313
Conejos	3,427,151	3,303,618	80,469	43,064	2,981,268
Costilla	651,846	634,636	142	17,068	583,607
Mineral	136,127	132,741	3,330	56	132,741
Rio Grande	3,161,232	3,063,268	59,165	38,799	2,642,695
Saguache	3,355,929	3,328,041	19,865	8,023	3,086,970
Total South Central District	12,873,559	12,083,106	631,723	158,730	10,895,594
Baca	4,300,766	4,248,519	21,896	30,351	4,226,086
Bent	5,001,388	4,661,078	89,646	250,664	4,578,231
Crowley	2,650,901	2,291,893	186,573	172,435	2,282,883
Custer	1,296,757	1,000,784	292,387	3,586	993,586
Fremont	2,460,092	1,602,921	635,260	221,911	1,597,991
Huerfano	2,313,816	2,066,403	216,384	31,029	2,026,458
Las Animas	5,838,945	5,758,160	36,519	44,266	5,732,273
Otero	14,568,114	12,804,212	97,570	1,666,332	12,762,432
Prowers	7,215,444	6,807,603	108,945	298,896	6,690,131
Pueblo	7,721,896	6,342,596	1,197,560	181,740	6,330,168
Total Southeast District	53,368,119	47,584,169	2,882,740	2,901,210	47,220,239
State Total	380,145,583	337,914,804	31,553,758	10,677,021	332,452,689

**NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING SPECIFIED CLASSES OF LIVESTOCK ON HAND
OCTOBER-NOVEMBER—FEDERAL CENSUS, 1959**

COUNTY	Number of Farms Reporting							
	Cattle, Calves or Both	Milk Cows	Steers & Bulls Incl. Steer and Bull Calves	Horses, Mules or Both	Sheep, Lambs or Both	All Hogs and Pigs	Chickens 4 months old and over	Turkeys Raised
Chaffee.....	145	93	122	107	43	41	92	6
Clear Creek.....	8	4	6	8			3	
Eagle.....	147	122	133	132	72	69	123	7
Gilpin.....	10	2	7	12	1		5	
Grand.....	126	92	118	134	43	25	67	3
Gunnison.....	146	112	139	144	21	26	50	3
Jackson.....	95	75	94	98	28	17	36	1
Lake.....	6	4	3	10	4			
Moffat.....	197	140	175	201	120	65	149	14
Park.....	105	54	97	99	11	16	37	1
Pitkin.....	62	42	57	69	18	31	41	5
Rio Blanco.....	148	101	134	167	73	37	84	13
Routt.....	316	255	279	306	149	92	240	14
Summit.....	30	22	26	29	3	8	9	
Teller.....	75	33	67	75	2	10	37	2
Total Northwest District.....	1,616	1,151	1,457	1,591	588	437	973	69
Boulder.....	672	451	527	308	97	204	438	22
Jefferson.....	384	207	287	316	54	104	282	41
Larimer.....	994	681	822	441	278	358	719	56
Logan.....	965	594	828	440	85	403	694	26
Morgan.....	863	521	715	390	172	470	727	45
Sedgwick.....	241	133	211	82	18	83	190	11
Weld.....	2,789	1,769	2,200	907	399	835	1,906	70
Total North Central and N. E. District.....	6,908	4,356	5,590	2,884	1,103	2,457	4,956	271
Adams.....	523	370	406	256	80	219	418	42
Arapahoe.....	264	160	223	193	51	106	215	25
Cheyenne.....	257	147	238	158	20	97	174	12
Denver.....	5	2	5	4	2	2	4	
Douglas.....	273	166	246	220	23	67	176	20
Elbert.....	577	360	521	356	40	157	408	24
El Paso.....	655	403	581	401	51	216	452	51
Kiowa.....	235	112	198	121	19	96	140	7
Kit Carson.....	651	390	598	281	35	327	496	37
Lincoln.....	467	285	419	262	52	162	354	20
Phillips.....	326	200	276	109	47	142	261	10
Washington.....	756	423	677	357	109	348	588	36
Yuma.....	933	561	840	416	87	457	667	39
Total East Central District.....	5,922	3,579	5,228	3,134	616	2,396	4,353	323
Archuleta.....	148	98	117	138	73	46	120	19
Delta.....	816	641	603	458	261	483	738	71
Dolores.....	72	47	50	58	9	32	73	4
Garfield.....	425	343	356	369	167	227	357	33
Hinsdale.....	20	12	20	23	3	2	8	
La Plata.....	527	398	434	432	154	200	418	71
Mesa.....	972	695	756	616	342	579	919	123
Montezuma.....	502	362	369	365	168	182	422	40
Montrose.....	816	627	653	516	396	508	617	52
Ouray.....	83	66	80	70	22	21	43	5
San Juan.....								
San Miguel.....	59	41	47	54	24	28	40	3
Total West Central & S. W. District.....	4,440	3,330	3,485	3,099	1,619	2,308	3,755	421
Alamosa.....	252	178	217	140	166	97	164	34
Conejos.....	421	267	296	271	272	222	245	32
Costilla.....	143	55	83	84	85	144	141	5
Mineral.....	11	6	11	13			4	2
Rio Grande.....	278	194	218	170	307	176	223	26
Saguache.....	176	126	153	141	148	65	128	13
Total South Central District.....	1,281	826	978	819	978	704	905	112
Baca.....	502	275	431	269	25	221	393	37
Bent.....	328	193	249	187	91	177	268	17
Crowley.....	246	159	199	117	27	158	219	22
Custer.....	139	93	129	132	18	38	102	8
Fremont.....	362	236	282	210	34	195	306	32
Huerfano.....	236	148	210	185	55	98	171	15
Las Animas.....	526	230	445	416	62	124	291	29
Otero.....	469	260	346	254	106	300	389	54
Prowers.....	508	274	420	235	140	319	425	28
Pueblo.....	602	356	458	404	48	378	538	48
Total Southeast District.....	3,918	2,224	3,169	2,409	609	2,008	3,102	290
State Total.....	24,085	15,466	19,907	13,936	5,513	10,310	18,044	1,486

¹Average date of enumeration—first week in November 1959. (Range Oct. 18-Dec. 4).

LIVESTOCK—NUMBER ASSESSED FEBRUARY 1, 1960-1961¹

COUNTY	Horses Mules & Ponies 1961	Stock Sheep ²		All Cattle ²		Milk Cows		Hogs	Chickens (Doz.)	
		1960	1961	1960	1961	1960	1961		1960	1961
Chaffee.....	367	3,323	2,890	5,065	5,451	523	468	181	641	353
Clear Creek.....	90	1,314	968	216	183	4	4	49	8	9
Eagle.....	707	24,184	25,011	13,582	13,097	369	343	49	304	294
Gilpin.....	91			582	540					
Grand.....	886	6,716	8,064	15,003	15,381	316	270	2	113	101
Gunnison.....	900	21,427	22,982	27,307	25,944	251	175		28	
Jackson.....	1,248	18,250	16,505	33,015	34,606	295	306	9	42	43
Lake.....	36	2,435	2,261	422	459	53	33			
Moffat.....	949	108,808	104,418	17,719	17,322	318	298	27	594	725
Park.....	686	12,366	9,318	13,821	15,529	58	72	10	262	261
Pitkin.....	316	6,008	6,042	5,185	5,101	13	36	32	59	14
Rio Blanco.....	1,055	57,754	57,589	23,226	22,151	401	359	61	267	249
Routt.....	2,024	82,831	81,808	27,826	26,623	1,206	1,235	74	987	752
Summit.....	164	1,639	2,178	3,756	2,863	63	54	9	8	6
Teller.....	572	71	65	4,512	4,397	76	51	9	75	73
Total N. W. District.....	10,091	347,126	340,099	191,237	189,647	3,954	3,704	463	3,388	2,880
Boulder.....	984	3,024	2,225	15,805	16,208	4,667	4,490	1,344	3,716	3,022
Jefferson.....	1,084	1,371	1,200	7,814	8,239	2,168	1,699	777	1,587	1,318
Larimer.....	2,743	20,266	16,558	35,934	35,677	6,947	7,345	3,781	4,929	4,637
Logan.....	709	2,741	1,983	43,169	42,245	2,022	1,488	3,245	2,781	2,066
Morgan.....	826	6,349	6,777	32,723	33,717	2,441	2,406	5,465	1,791	2,069
Sedgwick.....	185	1,023	1,170	10,919	11,102	296	210	1,198	1,113	1,015
Weld.....	1,806	18,647	17,136	92,958	93,135	23,924	23,649	4,850	10,674	9,002
Total N. Central and N. E. District.....	8,337	53,421	47,049	239,322	240,323	42,468	41,287	20,660	26,591	23,129
Adams.....	956	8,027	5,685	19,883	19,439	5,761	5,501	13,015	1,959	4,102
Arapahoe.....	236	6,402	7,512	7,885	7,396	1,179	781	412	950	378
Cheyenne.....	291	6,580	6,138	25,930	25,493	236	211	528	423	166
Denver.....										
Douglas.....	734	764	697	17,443	16,603	1,450	1,197		1,273	1,262
Elbert.....	994	7,110	6,765	42,310	41,829	2,765	2,098	905	1,875	1,823
El Paso.....	4,818	5,470	37,593	38,220	4,548	4,444	1,676	2,704	2,533	
Kiowa.....	306	3,299	3,452	18,054	15,800	93	90	250	948	759
Kit Carson.....	678	6,493	5,363	48,873	43,934	1,011	996	2,937	1,712	1,334
Lincoln.....	521	12,940	12,142	39,289	40,243	120	89	1,379	1,476	1,234
Phillips.....	273	2,643	3,395	8,341	8,841	729	705	1,924	2,111	1,977
Washington.....	913	11,418	11,495	41,537	41,442	1,334	952	3,721	1,950	1,799
Yuma.....	639	2,864	2,521	46,462	47,381	1,890	1,630	4,180	2,551	2,302
Total E. Central District.....	8,232	73,358	70,635	353,600	346,621	21,116	18,694	30,927	19,962	19,669
Archuleta.....	575	14,841	12,841	10,255	10,694	61	25	118	327	255
Delta.....	1,294	29,738	27,290	21,993	20,618	3,094	2,102	2,367	1,909	1,537
Dolores.....	162	22,564	17,996	3,170	3,769	6	4	95	129	90
Garfield.....	1,745	56,354	51,975	28,192	27,945	1,317	1,106	620	1,015	1,046
Hinsdale.....	200	7,796	7,217	2,624	2,721	17	10		9	
La Plata.....	1,126	15,756	16,243	17,040	17,034	1,285	1,055	423	2,218	2,210
Mesa.....	2,032	45,781	43,507	33,390	34,814	3,951	4,118	2,500	2,528	2,590
Montezuma.....	812	19,144	17,971	12,546	13,324	650	700	157	1,060	991
Montrose.....	1,261	71,699	65,780	23,736	23,247	2,011	2,006	3,543	2,252	1,999
Ouray.....	264	9,279	7,001	6,418	6,764	203	167	45	64	68
San Juan.....	28	5,127	5,163	157	116					
San Miguel.....	326	36,790	37,429	5,279	5,091	79	77	17	73	64
Total W. Central and S. W. District.....	9,875	334,879	310,413	164,800	166,137	12,704	11,400	9,885	11,614	10,850
Alamosa.....	767	31,822	26,003	9,559	11,188	934	789	662	466	433
Conejos.....	661	40,652	40,218	12,214	12,550	638	525	1,123	835	817
Costilla.....	222	13,564	11,929	5,031	5,093	79	115	925	498	528
Mineral.....	150	2,044	2,298	1,482	1,303	14	4		6	24
Rio Grande.....	503	86,520	79,269	7,722	8,280	202	145	2,150	873	816
Saguache.....	340	53,547	48,091	23,643	24,386	83	68	346	70	50
Total S. Central District.....	2,643	228,149	207,808	59,651	62,800	1,950	1,646	5,206	2,748	2,668
Baca.....	902	4,876	4,391	27,729	26,958	207	155	1,470	1,127	1,066
Bent.....	346	7,792	6,545	20,759	20,831	301	217	1,622	1,751	1,259
Crowley.....	288	2,111	1,461	12,836	13,944	462	499	2,346	1,400	1,228
Custer.....	441	1,368	1,398	11,420	11,400	722	740	83	260	243
Fremont.....	466	1,382	1,186	13,417	13,809	1,542	1,546	1,065	2,080	2,341
Huerfano.....	533	9,202	6,890	20,875	21,732	740	731	231	604	661
Las Animas.....	1,274	3,746	3,758	49,661	50,911	292	287	134	600	537
Otero.....	399	6,846	6,882	14,570	14,708	861	686	2,357	2,243	2,120
Prowers.....	611	15,059	9,126	25,080	23,176	385	369	3,890	1,662	1,115
Pueblo.....	1,509	3,306	1,626	27,947	29,773	2,229	2,193	1,036	1,740	1,509
Total S. E. District.....	6,769	55,718	43,263	224,294	227,242	7,741	7,423	14,234	13,467	12,079
State Total.....	45,947	1,092,651	1,019,267	1,232,904	1,232,770	89,933	84,154	81,375	77,770	71,275

¹Compiled from reports of the Colorado Tax Commission.²Includes animals "grazed" in transit but excludes animals "fed" in transit. Animals "grazed" in transit are primarily breeding stock, while animals "fed" in transit are primarily those being fattened for slaughter.

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, 1953-1962
 (Estimated Number and Value January 1)

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES		
	Number 1,000 Head	Farm Value		Number 1,000 Head	Farm Value	
		Per Head Dollars	Total 1,000 Dollars		Per Head Dollars	Total 1,000 Dollars
HORSES AND MULES¹						
1953.....	91	35.00	3,185	5,403	53.00	286,434
1954.....	82	36.00	2,952	4,791	52.90	253,435
1955.....	75	42.00	3,150	4,309	56.20	242,104
1956.....	72	50.00	3,600	3,958	62.60	247,919
1957.....	70	60.00	4,200	3,632	71.80	260,756
1958.....	69	76.00	5,244	3,415	84.40	288,060
1959.....	69	106.00	7,314	3,189	102.00	326,230
1960.....	70	122.00	8,540	3,089	113.00	347,689
1961.....	76	129.00	9,804	.....²	.....²	.....²
1962.....	76	.....²	.....²	.....	.....	.....
ALL CATTLE AND CALVES						
1953.....	2,161	117.00	252,837	94,241	128.00	12,044,722
1954.....	2,096	88.00	184,448	95,679	92.00	8,804,396
1955.....	2,054	88.00	180,752	96,592	88.20	8,517,027
1956.....	2,027	84.00	170,268	95,900	88.10	8,445,718
1957.....	1,971	82.00	161,622	92,860	91.60	8,509,481
1958.....	2,021	123.00	248,583	91,176	120.00	10,913,416
1959.....	2,164	158.00	341,912	93,322	153.00	14,299,985
1960.....	2,267	131.00	296,977	96,236	137.00	13,149,812
1961.....	2,282	135.00	308,070	97,819	134.00	13,070,641
1962.....	2,333	144.00	335,952	99,500	140.00	13,910,784
COWS AND HEIFERS, TWO YEARS OLD AND OLDER, KEPT FOR MILK						
1953.....	175	199.00	34,825	23,549	203.00	4,769,389
1954.....	177	155.00	27,435	23,896	147.00	3,510,972
1955.....	168	140.00	23,520	23,462	134.00	3,148,392
1956.....	163	138.00	22,194	22,912	139.00	3,185,041
1957.....	161	137.00	22,057	22,325	147.00	3,291,347
1958.....	153	183.00	27,999	21,265	177.00	3,760,830
1959.....	145	231.00	33,495	20,132	221.00	4,451,485
1960.....	139	198.00	27,522	19,527	210.00	4,102,483
1961.....	132	197.00	26,004	19,342	207.00	4,013,379
1962.....	127	206.00	26,162	19,215	211.00	4,059,126
HOGS AND PIGS						
1953.....	209	20.40	4,264	51,755	26.10	1,350,424
1954.....	157	32.00	5,024	45,114	36.60	1,649,313
1955.....	181	26.00	4,706	50,174	30.60	1,542,285
1956.....	186	15.50	2,883	55,354	17.70	981,115
1957.....	166	20.40	3,386	51,897	24.70	1,279,895
1958.....	159	27.00	4,293	51,517	30.20	1,558,363
1959.....	192	29.80	5,722	58,045	32.00	1,858,798
1960.....	219	16.30	3,570	59,026	18.50	1,091,896
1961.....	210	22.40	4,704	55,443	27.10	1,504,105
1962.....	202	24.10	4,868	56,982	27.50	1,565,068
STOCK SHEEP AND LAMBS						
1953.....	1,299	18.20	23,642	27,593	15.70	434,497
1954.....	1,293	15.30	19,783	27,079	13.80	375,018
1955.....	1,241	16.20	20,104	27,137	14.90	403,524
1956.....	1,216	14.50	17,632	26,890	14.30	383,271
1957.....	1,216	15.50	18,848	26,348	14.90	393,264
1958.....	1,265	22.30	28,210	27,167	19.40	526,475
1959.....	1,379	23.40	32,269	28,108	20.30	570,865
1960.....	1,434	18.50	26,529	28,849	16.50	477,350
1961.....	1,420	16.20	23,004	28,556	14.60	416,897
1962.....	1,392	14.30	19,906	27,281	12.90	351,822

¹Includes colts.²Discontinued.

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS JANUARY 1, BY CLASSES
CATTLE AND CALVES

Year	Total 1,000 Head	Kept for Milk			Other Cattle				
		Cows 2 Years and Over 1,000 Head	Heifers 1 to 2 Years 1,000 Head	Heifer Calves 1,000 Head	Cows 2 Years and Over 1,000 Head	Heifers 1 to 2 Years 1,000 Head	Calves 1,000 Head	Steers 1 Year and Over 1,000 Head	Bulls 1 Year and Over 1,000 Head
COLORADO									
1954.	2,096	177	48	54	804	208	515	240	50
1955.	2,054	168	43	55	752	236	524	229	47
1956.	2,027	163	44	47	710	244	541	234	44
1957.	1,971	161	38	47	695	274	515	197	44
1958.	2,021	153	38	47	713	304	538	187	41
1959.	2,164	145	38	50	741	321	562	262	45
1960.	2,267	139	41	50	761	327	592	310	47
1961.	2,282	132	41	43	795	360	576	284	51
1962 ¹ .	2,333	127	32	44	803	339	614	324	50

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1954..	95,679	23,896	5,873	6,392	25,050	6,365	17,978	8,229	1,896
1955..	96,592	23,462	5,786	6,094	25,659	6,514	18,804	8,444	1,829
1956..	95,900	22,912	5,407	5,890	25,371	6,206	18,869	9,483	1,762
1957..	92,860	22,325	5,267	5,699	24,534	5,926	18,405	8,991	1,713
1958..	91,176	21,265	5,126	5,571	24,165	5,903	18,275	9,252	1,619
1959..	93,322	20,132	5,050	5,526	25,112	6,557	19,407	9,931	1,607
1960..	96,236	19,527	5,079	5,575	26,344	7,036	20,425	10,574	1,676
1961..	97,319	19,342	5,060	5,546	27,028	7,047	20,652	10,942	1,702
1962 ¹ .	99,500	19,215	4,996	5,594	28,111	7,240	21,698	10,947	1,699

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Year	All Sheep 1,000 Head	On Feed 1,000 Head	Total 1,000 Head	Stock Sheep			1 Year and Over			
				Lambs		Ewes 1,000 Head	Wethers and Rams 1,000 Head	Ewes 1,000 Head	Rams 1,000 Head	Wethers 1,000 Head
				Ewes	Wethers and Rams					
COLORADO										
1954..	1,798	505	1,293	146	10	1,098	36	3		
1955..	1,783	542	1,241	131	10	1,063	34	3		
1956..	1,726	510	1,216	134	9	1,038	32	3		
1957..	1,766	550	1,216	144	9	1,028	32	3		
1958..	1,769	504	1,265	172	7	1,049	33	4		
1959..	1,919	540	1,379	186	10	1,143	37	3		
1960..	1,989	555	1,434	177	16	1,200	38	3		
1961..	1,990	570	1,420	185	24	1,164	42	5		
1962 ¹ .	1,932	540	1,392	173	22	1,152	41	4		

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1954..	31,356	4,277	27,079	3,641	823	21,471	868	276
1955..	31,582	4,445	27,137	3,982	740	21,321	860	234
1956..	31,157	4,267	26,890	3,819	687	21,323	851	210
1957..	30,654	4,306	26,348	3,709	634	20,976	840	189
1958..	31,217	4,050	27,167	4,289	625	21,208	864	181
1959..	32,606	4,493	28,108	4,549	647	21,832	893	187
1960..	33,170	4,321	28,849	4,562	721	22,406	927	233
1961..	32,967	4,411	28,556	4,115	886	22,396	924	235
1962 ¹ .	31,446	4,165	27,281	3,684	872	21,603	898	224

HOGS

Year	Total 1,000 Head	Under 6 Months 1,000 Head	6 Months and Over	
			Sows and Gilt 1,000 Head	Other 1,000 Head
COLORADO				
1954..	157	90	24	43
1955..	181	103	25	53
1956..	186	110	25	51
1957..	166	98	22	46
1958..	159	98	23	38
1959..	192	120	29	43
1960..	219	146	23	50
1961..	210	138	25	47
1962 ¹ .	202	130	23	49

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1954..	45,114	26,272	8,420	10,422
1955..	50,474	29,906	9,063	11,505
1956..	55,354	33,960	8,506	12,888
1957..	51,897	32,734	8,064	11,079
1958..	51,517	32,732	8,103	10,682
1959..	58,045	38,236	8,819	10,990
1960..	59,026	38,747	7,531	12,748
1961..	55,443	37,271	7,800	10,372
1962 ¹ .	56,982	37,959	8,056	10,967

¹Preliminary.

WOOL PRODUCTION—1941-1961

Year	COLORADO				United States			
	Sheep Shorn 1,000	Wt. Per Fleece Pounds	Production 1,000 Pounds	Value		Shorn 1,000 Pounds	Pulled 1,000 Pounds	Wt. Per Fleece Pounds
				Per Pound Dollars	Total 1,000 Dollars			
1941.....	1,634	8.3	13,561	.33	4,475	387,520	65,800	8.1
1942.....	1,797	8.3	14,896	.39	5,809	388,297	66,700	7.9
1943.....	1,805	8.6	15,458	.39	6,029	378,843	65,200	7.9
1944.....	1,594	8.3	13,229	.41	5,424	338,318	73,500	7.8
1945.....	1,481	8.7	12,885	.40	5,154	307,976	70,500	8.0
1946.....	1,377	9.0	12,378	.40	4,951	280,908	61,300	8.1
1947.....	1,224	9.1	11,138	.41	4,567	251,425	56,600	8.1
1948.....	1,199	8.6	10,311	.48	4,949	231,770	46,600	8.1
1949.....	1,187	8.5	10,090	.47	4,742	212,899	35,600	8.1
1950.....	1,215	9.1	11,098	.63	6,992	216,944	32,400	8.2
1951.....	1,200	9.6	11,580	1.00	11,580	228,091	25,900	8.3
1952.....	1,286	9.1	11,688	.52	6,078	233,309	33,600	8.3
1953.....	1,286	9.0	11,636	.52	6,051	232,258	42,200	8.3
1954.....	1,283	9.3	11,879	.50	5,940	235,807	43,500	8.5
1955.....	1,229	9.7	11,869	.41	4,866	241,284	41,600	8.6
1956.....	1,255	9.3	11,622	.43	4,997	242,177	40,500	8.5
1957.....	1,255	9.2	11,494	.52	5,977	239,101	33,600	8.4
1958.....	1,314	9.3	12,164	.37	4,501	243,713	30,400	8.3
1959.....	1,457	9.3	13,589	.43	5,843	259,939	34,500	8.4
1960.....	1,590	9.3	14,808	.41	6,071	265,480	33,600	8.6
1961.....	1,721	8.9	15,266	.42 ¹	6,421 ²	261,370	33,500	8.5

¹Average for 10-month period only (April 1961-January 1962).²1961 production multiplied by 10 month (April 1961-January 1962) average price.

BEEs, HONEY AND BEESWAX—1941-1961

Year	Colonies of Bees 1,000	Honey				Beeswax		
		Pounds Per Colony	Production 1,000 Pounds	Value—Dollars		Pounds Per Colony	Production 1,000 Pounds	Average Price Per Pound Cents
				Per Pound	Total			
1941.....	64	75	4,800	....	....	1.5	....	35.1
1942.....	66	90	5,940	.114	677,000	1.5	101	41.1
1943.....	69	90	6,210	.143	888,000	1.5	106	41.6
1944.....	71	84	5,964	.142	847,000	1.8	131	42.0
1945.....	75	81	6,075	.145	881,000	1.5	109	42.0
1946.....	75	50	3,750	.215	806,000	1.2	90	45.0
1947.....	75	65	4,875	.216	1,053,000	1.3	98	44.0
1948.....	74	90	6,660	.148	986,000	1.7	123	43.0
1949.....	73	60	4,380	.126	552,000	1.1	83	34.0
1950.....	73	52	3,796	.130	493,000	1.2	91	42.0
1951.....	68	70	4,760	.132	628,000	1.3	90	51.0
1952.....	67	85	5,695	.146	831,000	1.6	108	41.0
1953.....	67	90	6,030	.149	898,000	1.8	121	39.0
1954.....	68	56	3,808	.151	575,000	1.1	72	45.0
1955.....	65	85	5,525	.160	884,000	1.7	110	53.0
1956.....	66	62	4,092	.170	696,000	1.2	82	56.0
1957.....	67	62	4,154	.164	681,000	1.2	79	58.0
1958.....	67	72	4,824	.159	767,000	1.4	92	47.0
1959.....	68	51	3,468	.157	544,000	1.0	66	42.0
1960.....	65	47	3,055	.172	525,000	.9	61	42.0
1961.....	63	76	4,788	.171	819,000	1.4	91	42.0

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

CATTLE ON FEED FOR MARKET

COLORADO

Year and Months	Number on Feed	Kinds of Cattle on Feed			Length of Time on Feed First of Month			
		Steers and Steer Calves	Heifers and Heifer Calves	Cows and Others	Under 3 Months	3-6 Months	Over 6 Months	
		(000 Head)						
1961—Jan. 1.....	414	199	211	4	215	184	15	
Apr. 1.....	362	194	165	3	139	176	47	
July 1.....	331	162	169	.....	168	110	53
Oct. 1.....	324	154	170	.....	166	118	40
1962—Jan. 1.....	397	223	167	7	263	117	17	
Number on Feed by Weight Groups								
Year and Months	Under 500 lbs.	500-699 lbs.	700-899 lbs.	900-1099 lbs.	Over 1100 lbs.	Placed on Feed Past 3 Months	Marketed in Past 3 Months	
	(000 Head)						Short Feds ¹	
1961—Jan. 1.....	31	53	176	129	25	222	175	7
Apr. 1.....	16	84	88	133	41	144	196	5
July 1.....	3	56	153	79	40	179	210	11
Oct. 1.....	6	61	123	114	17	175	182	9
1962—Jan. 1.....	42	55	163	119	18	275	202	12

¹Short fed cattle are defined as those placed on feed and marketed within 3 months.

CATTLE ON FEED FOR MARKET

IN STATES FATTENING CATTLE

Year and Months	Number on Feed ¹	Kinds of Cattle on Feed			Length of Time on Feed Beginning of Each Quarter		
		Steers and Steer Calves	Heifers and Heifer Calves	Cows and Others	Under 3 Months	3-6 Months	Over 6 Months
		(000 Head)					
26 Major Feeding States							
1961—Jan. 1.....	7,645	5,348	2,215	82	5,486	1,809	350
Apr. 1.....	7,100	4,998	2,051	48	2,682	3,946	472
July 1.....	5,822	4,118	1,673	31	2,004	1,975	1,843
Oct. 1.....	5,597	3,952	1,612	33	3,114	1,302	1,181
1962—Jan. 1.....	7,833	5,524	2,211	98	5,500	1,852	481
11 Other Feeding States							
1961—Jan. 1.....	362	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1962—Jan. 1.....	418	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Number on Feed by Weight Groups							
Year and Months	Under 500 lbs.	500-699 lbs.	700-899 lbs.	900-1099 lbs.	Over 1100 lbs.	Placed on Feed Last 3 Months	Marketed in Past 3 Months
	(000 Head)						
26 Major Feeding States							
1961—Jan. 1.....	1,311	1,887	2,436	1,567	444	5,643	3,125
Apr. 1.....	479	2,477	1,913	1,732	499	2,766	3,311
July 1.....	174	1,132	2,630	1,357	529	2,263	3,541
Oct. 1.....	375	1,048	2,020	1,799	355	3,239	3,464
1962—Jan. 1.....	1,536	1,887	2,306	1,678	426	5,663	3,427

¹See historical record of U. S. totals January 1, on following page.

²Includes cattle placed on feed beginning of quarter and marketed by end of quarter.

**CATTLE AND SHEEP AND LAMBS FED IN TRANSIT
(EXCLUDING ANIMALS GRAZED IN TRANSIT),¹ 1955-1961**
(Compiled from Reports of the Colorado Tax Commission)

COUNTY	CATTLE							SHEEP AND LAMBS						
	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
	(1,000 Head)							(1,000 Head)						
Adams.....	5	8	10	6	7	8	10	8	2	9	7	18	11	7
Boulder.....	16	19	16	19	22	25	16	79	76	88	79	82	76	82
Larimer.....	23	23	26	20	28	27	36	2	3	2	2	2	7	7
Logao.....	17	18	20	22	25	28	42	2	3	2	2	2	7	7
Morgan.....	63	63	53	54	57	58	62	18	10	13	7	13	14	15
Sedgwick.....	6	5	6	5	6	7	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Washington.....	1	1	1	3	3	4	2	1	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....
Weld.....	144	154	169	182	208	218	210	180	162	194	190	221	201	226
Total Northern Colorado Area.....	278	294	303	321	364	383	383	290	254	307	286	346	324	343
Bent.....	4	4	4	8	5	6	5	16	22	24	22	18	25	33
Crowley.....	3	6	4	3	8	5	5	2	1	.....	4	1	4	7
Otero.....	4	11	16	16	18	17	10	2	2	16	20	18	9	11
Prowers.....	6	4	7	7	7	8	6	21	24	42	36	40	43	44
Pueblo.....	7	5	5	7	8	9	8	7	7	6	6	7	7	5
Total Arkansas Valley Area.....	28	34	35	45	48	46	36	48	56	89	88	85	96	104
State Total.....	313	340	348	380	427	442	430	347	324	403	386	442	434	453

¹These totals do not include all animals fattened for market. The purpose of this table is to show the principal counties in which feeding is done. For data on total number fed see below. The state and district totals here shown include animals fed in a few counties in some areas of the state for which county totals are not given in this table.

**CATTLE ON FEED FOR MARKET (ESTIMATED NUMBER JANUARY 1)
(By Sections of the State)**

Year	Colorado					United States	
	Northern Colorado	Arkansas Valley	Western Slope	Other Sections	State Total	26 States	37 States
(1,000 Head)							
1954.....	213	26	3	3	245	5,384	.....
1955.....	238	30	4	3	275	5,795	.....
1956.....	241	34	5	4	284	5,929	.....
1957.....	254	35	5	4	298	6,122	.....
1958.....	248	38	5	7	298	5,898	.....
1959.....	299	41	7	8	355	6,601	.....
1960.....	343	45	8	8	404	7,173	7,535
1961.....	349	48	8	9	414	7,645	8,007
1962.....	341	41	6	9	397	7,833	8,251

**SHEEP AND LAMBS ON FEED (ESTIMATED NUMBER JANUARY 1)
(By Sections of the State)**

Year	Colorado				U. S.	
	Northern Colorado	Arkansas Valley	Other Sections	State Total	Total	
(1,000 Head)						
1954.....	320	120	65	505	4,277	.....
1955.....	397	95	50	542	4,445	.....
1956.....	350	130	30	510	4,267	.....
1957.....	377	145	28	550	4,306	.....
1958.....	340	140	24	504	4,050	.....
1959.....	398	120	22	540	4,498	.....
1960.....	410	125	20	555	4,321	.....
1961.....	426	121	23	570	4,411	.....
1962.....	373	115	52	540	4,165	.....

MEAT ANIMALS—FARM PRODUCTION, VALUE AND INCOME, 1954-1961

CATTLE AND CALVES

Calendar Year	Calf Crop (Calves Born)		In-ship- ments 1,000 Head	Marketing		Farm Sigr. Cattle and Calves 1,000 Head	Net Production (Cattle & Clevs) Amount 1,000 Pounds	Market- ings ¹ 1,000 Pounds	Cash Receipts 1,000 Dollars	Value of Home Con- sumption 1,000 Dollars
	% of Cows 2 Yrs. Plus	No. 1,000 Head		Cattle 1,000 Head	Calves 1,000 Head					
COLORADO ^{2 3}										
1954.....	89	873	545	1,122	241	22	683,795	1,090,800	191,583	1,687
1955.....	87	800	536	1,105	158	21	659,305	1,060,115	184,673	1,923
1956.....	89	777	604	1,177	167	20	697,480	1,180,985	191,594	1,832
1957.....	88	753	537	1,024	113	20	663,100	972,515	190,770	2,225
1958.....	88	762	771	1,195	101	20	763,255	1,160,625	285,047	3,016
1959.....	88	780	765	1,259	83	20	800,195	1,214,475	293,538	3,090
1960.....	89	801	793	1,382	133	20	829,535	1,333,620	294,339	2,842
1961.....	88	809								

UNITED STATES

Calendar Year	Lambs Saved		In-ship- ments 1,000 Head	Marketing		Farm Sigr. Sheep and Lambs 1,000 Head	Net Production (Sheep & Lmbs) Amount 1,000 Pounds	Market- ings ¹ 1,000 Pounds	Cash Receipts 1,000 Dollars	Value of Home Con- sumption 1,000 Dollars
	% of Ewes 1 Yr. Plus	No. 1,000 Head		Sheep 1,000 Head	Lambs 1,000 Head					
COLORADO ^{2 3}										
1954.....	97	1,054	650	133	1,393	13	97,973	133,347	24,101	160
1955.....	97	1,031	580	142	1,343	13	96,313	131,721	23,033	159
1956.....	100	1,038	766	188	1,377	13	88,146	138,512	23,730	160
1957.....	94	966	691	152	1,284	13	79,218	129,054	24,679	175
1958.....	103	1,080	843	121	1,421	13	97,749	140,294	28,650	194
1959.....	102	1,166	858	130	1,572	14	114,805	156,348	28,111	182
1960.....	102	1,224	935	199	1,716	12	107,073	173,748	29,773	158
1961.....	100	1,164								

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Calendar Year	Lambs Saved		In-ship- ments 1,000 Head	Marketing		Farm Sigr. Sheep and Lambs 1,000 Head	Net Production (Sheep & Lmbs) Amount 1,000 Pounds	Market- ings ¹ 1,000 Pounds	Cash Receipts 1,000 Dollars	Value of Home Con- sumption 1,000 Dollars
	% of Ewes 1 Yr. Plus	No. 1,000 Head		Sheep 1,000 Head	Lambs 1,000 Head					
COLORADO ^{2 3}										
1954.....	96	1,054	650	133	1,393	13	97,973	133,347	24,101	160
1955.....	97	1,031	580	142	1,343	13	96,313	131,721	23,033	159
1956.....	100	1,038	766	188	1,377	13	88,146	138,512	23,730	160
1957.....	94	966	691	152	1,284	13	79,218	129,054	24,679	175
1958.....	103	1,080	843	121	1,421	13	97,749	140,294	28,650	194
1959.....	102	1,166	858	130	1,572	14	114,805	156,348	28,111	182
1960.....	102	1,224	935	199	1,716	12	107,073	173,748	29,773	158
1961.....	100	1,164								

HOGS AND PIGS

Calendar Year	Pig Crop (Pigs Saved)			In-ship- ments 1,000 Head	Market- ings 1,000 Head	Farm Slaughter 1,000 Head	Net Production 1,000 Pounds	Market- ings ¹ 1,000 Pounds	Cash Receipts 1,000 Dollars	Value of Home Con- sumption 1,000 Dollars
	Spring 1,000 Head	Fall 1,000 Head	Annual Total 1,000 Head							
COLORADO ^{2 3}										
1954.....	143	114	257	1	171	34	53,601	41,031	9,610	1,587
1955.....	147	114	261	.....	191	34	55,205	45,245	7,164	1,221
1956.....	145	104	249	.....	213	33	53,702	48,777	7,444	1,088
1957.....	134	104	238	1	191	30	50,654	45,394	8,352	1,182
1958.....	143	124	267	1	169	34	52,981	40,611	8,182	1,547
1959.....	181	166	347	244	38	68,536	56,836	8,502	1,301
1960.....	145	147	292	1	258	30	62,175	59,645	9,849	1,149
1961.....	135	137	272							

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Calendar Year	Pig Crop (Pigs Saved)	In-ship- ments 1,000 Head	Market- ings 1,000 Head	Farm Slaughter 1,000 Head	Net Production 1,000 Pounds	Market- ings ¹ 1,000 Pounds	Cash Receipts 1,000 Dollars	Value of Home Con- sumption 1,000 Dollars		
COLORADO ^{2 3}										
1954.....	52,852	33,978	86,830	1,116	66,012	6,668	18,218,278	15,761,848	3,454,542	321,554
1955.....	57,610	38,119	95,729	1,398	75,400	6,835	20,153,606	17,848,736	2,693,958	241,133
1956.....	53,124	36,302	89,426	1,532	79,091	6,551	19,089,436	18,302,376	2,637,734	213,821
1957.....	51,263	36,099	87,362	1,515	74,087	6,041	18,413,031	17,184,746	3,062,318	243,647
1958.....	51,334	42,179	93,533	2,077	73,419	5,857	19,179,682	17,079,447	3,366,859	267,392
1959.....	56,620	42,775	99,395	2,348	84,379	6,024	21,272,858	19,747,078	2,783,899	201,830
1960.....	47,282	41,105	88,387	2,463	80,087	5,339	18,988,866	18,644,076	2,856,918	190,669
1961.....	50,464	42,709	93,173							

¹Liveweight.²In shipments for Colorado are animals shipped in from points outside the state and purchased at the Denver Stockyards.³Marketings include animals shipped to points outside the state and to the Denver Stockyards, plus animals slaughtered by local butchers and at small killing plants within the state.

SOWS FARROWING AND PIG PRODUCTION, 1954-1962

Year	Sows Farrowing in Spring					Spring Pig Crop		Sows Farrowing in Fall					Fall Pig Crop					
	Number (1,000 head)					Pigs Per Litter	Pigs Saved 1,000 head	Number (1,000 head)					Pigs Per Litter	Pigs Saved 1,000 head				
	Total	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Total	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.				
1954.....	22	2	2	3	5	6	4	6.5	143	17	3	2	4	4	2	2	6.7	114
1955.....	22	1	3	5	5	5	3	6.7	147	17	2	2	4	4	3	2	6.7	114
1956.....	23	1	2	4	7	6	3	6.3	145	16	2	2	3	4	3	2	6.5	104
1957.....	20	1	2	3	5	6	3	6.7	134	15	2	2	3	4	3	1	6.9	104
1958.....	21	1	2	4	6	5	3	6.8	143	18	2	3	4	4	3	2	6.9	124
1959.....	27	2	4	5	7	5	4	6.7	181	24	4	3	4	6	5	2	6.9	166
1960.....	21	2	3	5	5	4	2	6.9	145	22	4	3	4	5	4	2	6.7	147
1961.....	19	2	3	3	5	3	3	7.1	135	19	3	3	4	4	3	2	7.2	137
1962.....	19																	

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Year	Sows Farrowing in Spring					Spring Pig Crop		Sows Farrowing in Fall					Fall Pig Crop					
	Total	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Pigs Per Litter	Pigs Saved 1,000 head	Total	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Pigs Per Litter	Pigs Saved 1,000 head
1954.....	22	2	2	3	5	6	4	6.5	143	17	3	2	4	4	2	2	6.7	114
1955.....	22	1	3	5	5	5	3	6.7	147	17	2	2	4	4	3	2	6.7	114
1956.....	23	1	2	4	7	6	3	6.3	145	16	2	2	3	4	3	2	6.5	104
1957.....	20	1	2	3	5	6	3	6.7	134	15	2	2	3	4	3	1	6.9	104
1958.....	21	1	2	4	6	5	3	6.8	143	18	2	3	4	4	3	2	6.9	124
1959.....	27	2	4	5	7	5	4	6.7	181	24	4	3	4	6	5	2	6.9	166
1960.....	21	2	3	5	5	4	2	6.9	145	22	4	3	4	5	4	2	6.7	147
1961.....	19	2	3	3	5	3	3	7.1	135	19	3	3	4	4	3	2	7.2	137
1962.....	19																	

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Year	UNITED STATES																Annual Total	
	7669	255	480	1313	2288	2104	1229	6.9	52,852	5014	769	709	1280	1308	641	307	6.8	33,978
1954.....	7669	255	480	1313	2288	2104	1229	6.9	52,852	5014	769	709	1280	1308	641	307	6.8	33,978
1955.....	8347	305	675	1517	2306	2254	1290	6.9	57,610	5599	755	832	1378	1479	796	359	6.8	38,119
1956.....	7655	395	724	1420	2156	1914	1046	6.9	53,124	5181	666	711	1264	1411	762	367	7.0	36,302
1957.....	7194	382	695	1310	1986	1811	1010	7.1	51,263	5112	735	759	1183	1330	744	361	7.1	36,099
1958.....	7281	410	790	1480	1869	1706	1026	7.0	51,354	5887	829	912	1400	1504	820	422	7.2	42,179
1959.....	7796	539	985	1529	2048	1853	1042	7.1	56,620	6128	954	978	1414	1559	808	415	7.0	42,775
1960.....	6777	495	760	1253	1707	1602	960	6.9	47,282	5855	877	875	1290	1505	865	443	7.0	41,105
1961.....	7032	506	777	1248	1706	1748	1047	7.2	50,464	5968	947	901	1261	1486	907	466	7.2	42,709
1962.....	7268																	

¹Intentions.ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN COLORADO—BY MONTHS¹

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	CATTLE (Number Head)		Annual Total
													Total	Number Head	
1956...	79,000	72,000	77,000	78,000	85,000	83,000	83,000	81,000	74,000	87,000	82,000	73,000	954,000		
1957...	90,000	69,000	63,000	75,000	78,000	69,000	74,000	75,000	69,000	71,000	64,000	60,000	857,000		
1958...	74,000	67,000	68,000	68,000	69,500	73,500	75,500	73,500	72,000	74,500	64,500	68,000	848,000		
1959...	72,500	63,000	72,000	79,000	78,500	79,500	80,000	78,000	78,000	78,000	70,000	77,500	906,000		
1960...	76,500	75,500	88,500	83,500	89,000	96,000	85,500	90,500	88,500	92,500	91,500	88,500	1,046,000		
1961...	97,000	89,000	100,000	90,500	98,000	93,000	88,500	97,500	89,000	98,000	90,000	88,000	1,118,500		

CALVES (Number Head)

Year	4,600	4,400	4,400	4,100	5,300	4,800	5,100	5,600	5,900	7,300	5,100	3,900	CATTLE (Number Head)		Annual Total	
													Total	Number Head		
1956...	4,600	3,800	2,800	4,000	4,000	2,700	3,300	3,200	2,800	3,300	2,400	2,600	39,900			
1957...	2,700	2,100	1,700	1,900	1,700	1,800	1,700	1,600	1,400	1,700	1,400	1,100	20,800			
1958...	1,400	1,500	1,300	1,400	1,100	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,400	1,100	1,200	1,400	1,200	15,000		
1959...	1,200	1,100	1,300	1,100	1,300	1,000	1,200	900	1,000	1,100	1,300	1,000	900	13,400		
1960...	900	1,100	800	900	800	700	900	1,000	900	900	700	600	10,200			

SHEEP AND LAMBS (Number Head)

Year	92,000	106,000	104,000	112,000	69,000	64,000	84,000	106,000	124,000	123,000	80,000	67,000	SHEEP AND LAMBS (Number Head)		Annual Total
													Total	Number Head	
1956...	92,000	101,000	92,000	87,000	75,000	50,000	96,000	116,000	140,000	136,000	66,000	59,000	1,132,000		
1957...	84,000	98,500	103,000	116,000	87,000	54,500	78,000	100,000	150,000	141,000	83,500	101,000	1,196,500		
1958...	153,000	144,000	141,000	136,000	87,500	55,000	85,500	113,000	123,000	130,000	112,000	120,000	1,423,000		
1959...	129,000	122,000	140,000	120,000	91,000	87,000	89,000	114,000	187,000	176,000	133,000	110,000	1,498,000		
1960...	134,000	142,000	187,000	164,000	130,000	102,000	136,000	164,000	225,000	198,000	117,000	111,000	1,810,000		
1961...	50,000	47,000	52,000	46,500	51,000	50,000	40,000	46,000	44,500	53,000	53,500	51,500	585,000		

¹Excludes farm slaughter.

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN COLORADO^{1,2}

Year	CATTLE			CALVES		
	Number Slaughtered Head	Total Liveweight 1,000 Pounds	Average Liveweight	Number Slaughtered Head	Total Liveweight 1,000 Pounds	Average Liveweight
1954.....	824,000	786,488	954	63,400	21,346	337
1955.....	899,000	851,552	947	60,900	21,809	358
1956.....	954,000	917,714	962	60,500	22,853	378
1957.....	857,000	825,886	964	39,900	15,490	388
1958.....	848,000	847,542	999	20,800	8,375	403
1959.....	906,000	952,090	1,051	15,000	5,991	399
1960.....	1,046,000	1,079,853	1,032	13,400	5,044	376
1961.....	1,118,500	1,180,988	1,056	10,200	4,021	394
SHEEP AND LAMBS				HOGS		
1954.....	750,000	74,811	100	588,000	142,422	242
1955.....	880,000	87,955	104	661,000	157,989	229
1956.....	1,131,000	112,762	100	697,000	159,906	229
1957.....	1,132,000	113,647	100	589,000	140,564	239
1958.....	1,196,000	123,199	103	512,500	123,707	241
1959.....	1,423,000	148,874	105	562,500	130,463	232
1960.....	1,498,000	153,636	103	656,500	151,205	230
1961.....	1,810,000	181,124	100	585,000	134,721	230

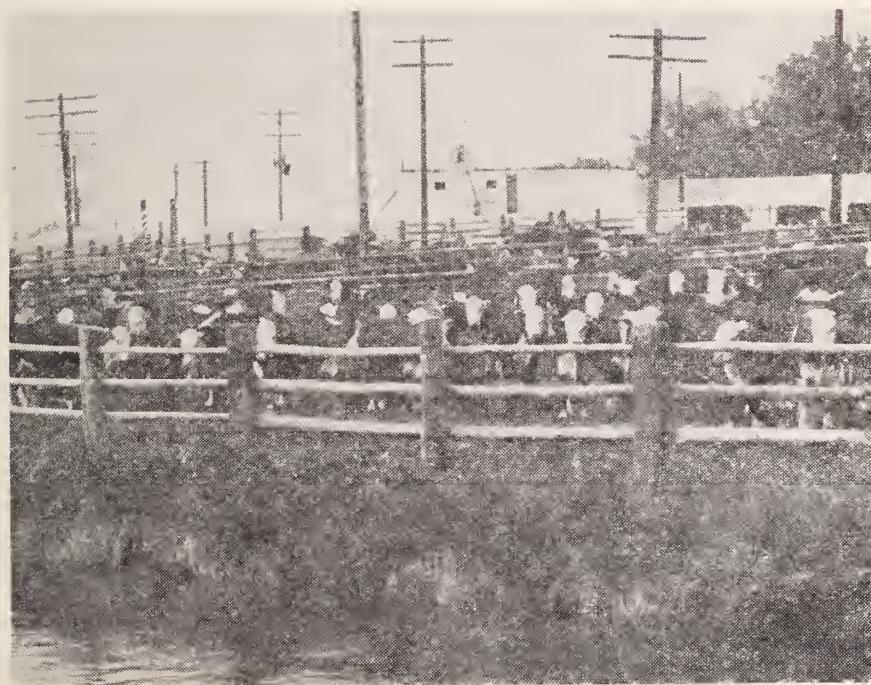
ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN UNITED STATES^{1,2}

Year	CATTLE				CALVES			
	Federal Inspected 1,000 Head	Number Slaughtered 1,000 Head	Total Liveweight 1,000 Pounds	Average Liveweight	Federal Inspected 1,000 Head	Number Slaughtered 1,000 Head	Total Liveweight 1,000 Pounds	Average Liveweight
1954.....	18,476	25,017	23,158,000	926	7,573	12,746	2,811,000	220
1955.....	19,055	25,722	24,201,000	941	7,499	12,377	2,689,000	217
1956.....	20,186	26,862	25,683,000	956	7,842	12,512	2,791,000	223
1957.....	19,454	26,232	25,126,000	958	7,324	11,901	2,587,000	217
1958.....	17,642	23,555	23,242,000	987	5,672	9,315	1,977,000	212
1959.....	17,458	22,930	23,256,000	1,014	4,875	7,683	1,643,000	214
1960.....	19,394	25,224	25,331,000	1,004	5,259	8,224	1,825,000	222
1961.....	19,968	25,610	26,040,000	1,017	5,005	7,684	1,713,000	223
SHEEP AND LAMBS					HOGS			
1954.....	14,148	15,920	1,514,000	95	52,894	64,827	15,554,000	240
1955.....	14,383	16,215	1,556,000	96	61,370	74,216	17,603,000	237
1956.....	14,228	15,993	1,526,000	95	65,738	78,513	18,229,000	232
1957.....	13,234	14,957	1,439,000	96	60,682	72,595	16,904,000	233
1958.....	12,397	14,164	1,392,000	98	59,462	70,965	16,692,000	235
1959.....	13,466	15,180	1,496,000	99	68,707	81,582	19,310,000	237
1960.....	14,036	15,899	1,567,000	99	66,153	79,036	18,658,000	236
1961.....	15,036	17,159	1,680,000	98	65,632	77,293	18,380,000	238

¹Excludes farm slaughter.²Calendar year totals.



(COURTESY UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD)



CATTLE AND SHEEP—MARKET RECEIPTS—1957-1961

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Cattle^{1 2} (1000 head)													
1957...	82	63	77	82	75	60	60	72	90	102	87	59	909
1958...	72	68	75	70	60	69	58	60	83	118	82	59	874
1959...	69	53	63	70	70	67	46	58	78	102	89	122	887
1960...	60	52	71	96	79	85	76	64	76	143	98	67	967
1961 ⁴ ...	90	74	79	81	89	74	67	68	87	111	94	71	1,015
Calves^{1 2 3} (1000 head)													
1957...	13	5	4	4	2	2	2	1	3	10	20	4	70
1958...	6	1	2	2	1	1	.....	1	1	12	21	5	53
1959...	8	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	2	9	17	6	52
1960...	12	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	10	19	5	58
1961 ⁴ ...	9	1	2	1	1	.....	1	1	1	9	22	5	53
Sheep and Lambs^{1 2} (1000 head)													
1957...	119	139	153	124	71	41	48	71	255	299	60	53	1,433
1958...	83	127	144	121	57	22	40	91	275	216	57	70	1,303
1959...	111	124	160	155	74	36	63	95	306	271	92	81	1,568
1960...	120	147	175	139	88	55	71	132	350	290	118	83	1,768
1961 ⁴ ...	129	156	186	169	92	52	74	148	325	368	155	108	1,962

¹Table includes only animals moving through some Central Markets or slaughter points (excluding reshipments). Animals moving from Colorado country points to country points in other states and from one country point in Colorado to another Colorado country point are not included.

²See Page 93 for annual marketing estimates.

³This record covers only about half the calves that are marketed and the distinction between "cattle" and "calve" is not clearly defined.

⁴Preliminary.

UNITED STATES IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF LIVE CATTLE,
SHEEP AND LAMBS, AND MEAT PRODUCTS, 1942-1961¹

Year	IMPORTS				EXPORTS			
	Live Cattle 1,000 Head ⁵	Beef and Veal Million Pounds ²	Live Sheep and Lambs 1,000 Head	Lamb and Mutton Million Pounds ²	Live Cattle 1,000 Head	Beef and Veal Million Pounds ²	Live Sheep and Lambs 1,000 Head	Lamb and Mutton Million Pounds ²
1942...	669	212	5	.....	5	58	1	.....
1943...	653	226	4	.....	4	109	3	.....
1944...	358	190	141	.....	10	131	25	.....
1945...	512	128	101	.....	20	339	5	.....
1946...	558	20	8	.....	43	682	11	.....
1947...	85	64	6	.....	10	197	2	.....
1948...	462	356	54	.....	7	48	1	.....
1949...	433	254	41	.....	5	29	1	.....
1950...	461	348	100	3 ³	8	23	3	2 ³
1951...	239	484	17	7	8	20	1	1
1952...	140	429	1	6	11	30	6	1
1953...	198	271	2	3	15	58	34	2
1954...	86	226	1	2	21	58	12	2
1955...	314	222	8	2	35	68	26	1
1956...	159	204	3	1	37	117	60	2
1957...	728	395 ⁴	18	4	44	121	36	4
1958...	1,152	909 ⁴	40	24	26	49	17	2
1959...	709	1,063	75	57	51	53	22	2
1960...	663	776	50	50	32	36	36	2
1961...	1,043	1,038	1	21	24	36	28	2

¹Source: Bureau of Census.

²Carcass Weight Equivalent.

³Data not available prior to 1950.

⁴Includes quantities of other canned, prepared or pressed meat, assumed to be mostly beef.

⁵From Mexico and Canada only.

MONTHLY MILK PRODUCTION ON FARMS, 1954-1962

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total
MILK PRODUCED ON FARMS (million pounds)													
1954...	69	67	81	82	89	88	86	81	72	70	66	69	920
1955...	70	69	78	81	85	86	85	80	71	70	65	69	909
1956...	68	69	74	79	85	83	84	77	67	68	65	69	888
1957...	66	65	74	78	85	84	83	79	69	67	66	68	881
1958...	66	63	70	75	82	82	78	74	66	65	65	67	853
1959...	66	64	73	76	81	77	74	70	65	67	67	71	851
1960...	70	68	72	73	80	79	79	73	66	68	66	70	864
1961 ¹ ...	68	65	72	72	76	74	75	69	63	65	63	63	825
1962 ¹ ...	62	60											

AVERAGE NUMBER OF MILK COWS ON FARMS (1,000)

1954...	162	162	162	161	161	160	160	159	158	157	156	156	160
1955...	156	156	155	156	155	154	154	154	153	153	152	151	154
1956...	150	149	148	147	147	147	147	147	147	147	147	147	148
1957...	146	146	145	145	144	144	143	143	142	142	140	139	143
1958...	138	138	137	137	136	136	135	134	133	132	132	131	135
1959...	131	130	130	129	129	128	128	127	127	126	126	126	128
1960...	126	126	126	125	125	125	124	124	123	122	121	121	124
1961 ¹ ...	120	120	120	119	119	119	119	118	118	118	118	117	119
1962 ¹ ...	117	117											

MILK PRODUCTION PER COW (pounds)

1954...	423	413	497	512	554	547	538	507	453	443	418	445	5,750
1955...	446	445	504	518	551	556	550	522	463	460	428	460	5,900
1956...	455	463	500	540	580	562	570	525	455	460	440	470	6,000
1957...	453	448	513	541	590	583	580	552	488	475	471	489	6,180
1958...	478	457	511	547	605	600	578	550	495	490	490	515	6,320
1959...	505	490	560	590	630	600	580	550	515	535	530	565	6,650
1960...	556	540	572	584	640	630	640	588	538	558	548	576	6,970
1961 ¹ ...	570	538	600	600	640	620	630	580	530	550	535	540	6,930
1962 ¹ ...	530	510											

MONTHLY CREAMERY BUTTER AND ICE CREAM PRODUCTION, 1954-1961

Year	Number Plants	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total
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CREAMERY BUTTER PRODUCTION (1,000 Pounds)

1954.....	29	1,319	1,306	1,493	1,521	1,734	1,802	1,626	1,485	1,214	1,032	971	1,267	16,770
1955.....	29	1,118	1,103	1,235	1,252	1,335	1,551	1,478	1,329	1,048	923	883	1,176	14,431
1956.....	29	971	1,010	1,149	1,186	1,424	1,462	1,328	1,240	975	904	874	1,099	13,622
1957.....	27	973	966	1,050	1,103	1,268	1,358	1,370	1,149	939	794	750	992	12,712
1958.....	23	884	881	940	1,011	1,194	1,264	1,192	1,019	853	789	736	1,004	11,767
1959.....	23	842	870	963	1,037	1,145	1,237	1,141	1,108	1,004	928	858	1,111	12,244
1960.....	20	786	780	892	916	1,076	1,117	1,028	885	744	706	692	910	10,532
1961 ¹....	..²	790	750	930	930	1,010	1,100	950	880	780	745	670	910	10,445

ICE CREAM PRODUCTION—1954-1960 (1,000 Gallons)

1954.....	214	360	418	423	456	508	590	663	628	521	470	417	383	5,837
1955.....	164	346	361	464	499	561	584	668	695	533	489	393	376	5,969
1956.....	137	435	399	492	510	605	658	623	640	507	526	433	385	6,213
1957.....	143	413	417	480	477	517	647	726	705	558	520	438	421	6,319
1958.....	131	449	428	490	516	665	626	712	712	689	516	444	486	6,733
1959.....	118	505	453	561	572	627	786	757	771	729	520	490	598	7,369
1960.....	133	434	521	611	623	674	817	819	830	691	598	551	504	7,673

¹Preliminary.²Not available.

DAIRY PRODUCTS, SALES PRICE AND VALUE; VALUE OF PRODUCTS CONSUMED IN THE FARM HOUSEHOLD; AND GROSS FARM INCOME FROM DAIRY PRODUCTS—1951-1960

Year	Farm Butter Sold			Cream Sold to Plants, Dealers, etc., (As Butterfat)			Milk Sold to Plants, Dealers, etc., at Wholesales		
	Quantity Sold Pounds (000)	Price Per Pound Cents	Value of Sales Dollars (1000)	Quantity Butterfat Sold Pounds(1000)	Price Per Pound Butterfat Cents	Value of Sales Dollars (1,000)	Quantity Sold Million Pounds	Price Per 100 Lbs. Dollars	Value of Sales Dollars (1000)
1951..	100	70	70	9,630	70	6,741	420	4.88	20,496
1952..				9,010	73	6,577	430	5.28	22,704
1953..				7,530	64	4,819	510	4.82	24,582
1954..				7,820	57	4,487	540	4.49	24,246
1955..				7,240	57	4,127	518	4.64	25,427
1956..				6,940	59	4,095	550	4.69	25,795
1957..				6,290	59	3,711	575	4.83	27,772
1958..				5,550	57	3,164	580	4.74	27,492
1959..				5,000	58	2,900	600	4.68	28,050
1960..				4,620	57	2,633	634	4.63	29,354
Milk and Cream Retailled by Farmers			Combined Sales of Butter, Cream and Milk			Value of Milk Products Consumed in Household on Farms Where Produced ² Dollars (1000)			Gross Farm Income from Dairy Products ³ Dollars (1000)
	Quantity Sold, Milk Equiv. Million Quarts	Price Per Quart Cents	Value of Sales Dollars (1000)	Milk Utilized Million Pounds	Average Returns ¹	Value of Sales (Cash Income) Dollars (1000)			
				Per 100 Lbs. Milk Dollars	Per Lb. Butterfat Cents				
1951..	19	20.3	3,857	727	4.28	113	31,094	5,179	36,273
1952..	18	21.8	3,924	717	4.63	122	33,205	5,139	38,344
1953..	16	22.3	3,568	753	4.38	117	32,969	4,468	37,437
1954..	14	22.6	3,164	786	4.05	109	31,867	3,928	35,795
1955..	13	23.0	2,990	775	4.20	114	32,544	4,032	36,576
1956..	11	23.3	2,563	764	4.25	115	32,453	3,740	36,193
1957..	10	23.7	2,370	767	4.41	119	33,853	3,616	37,469
1958..	9	23.6	2,124	750	4.37	120	32,780	3,103	35,883
1959..	8	23.1	1,848	753	4.36	119	32,828	2,965	35,793
1960..	7	23.0	1,610	775	4.34	119	33,597	2,864	37,758

¹Computed from the value of milk, cream, and farm butter sold, divided by the quantity of milk or butterfat used in the preparation of these products for market.

²Milk and milk equivalent of cream and farm butter consumed, valued at the average returns for milk utilized in dairy products sold.

³Value of combined sales plus value of products consumed in the farm household.

MILK—PRODUCTION OF MILK ON FARMS, 1951-1960

Year	Number of Milk Cows on Farms ¹ Thousands	Production Per Milk Cow ²		Percentage of Butterfat in Milk Percent	Total Production on Farms		Butter Churned on Farms	
		Milk Pounds	Butterfat Pounds		Milk Million Pounds	Butterfat in Milk Million Pounds	Milk Used Million Pounds	Butter Made Million Pounds
1951..	164	5,400	205	3.8	886	34	32	1,400
1952..	157	5,500	209	3.8	864	33	27	1,200
1953..	160	5,570	209	3.8	891	33	23	1,000
1954..	160	5,750	213	3.7	920	34	23	1,000
1955..	154	5,900	218	3.7	909	34	21	950
1956..	148	6,000	222	3.7	888	33	20	900
1957..	143	6,180	229	3.7	884	33	19	830
1958..	135	6,320	231	3.6	853	31	17	770
1959..	128	6,650	243	3.6	851	31	15	660
1960 ³ ..	125	6,960	254	3.6	870	32	14	600

¹Average number on farms during year, heifers that have not freshened are excluded.

²Excludes milk sucked by calves.

³1960 figures are unrevised.

MILK—DISPOSITION OF MILK PRODUCED ON FARMS, 1951-1960⁴

Year	Milk Fed or Consumed on Farms Where Produced			Milk Sold or Utilized for Producing Dairy Products Sold from Farms				Total Utilized for Products Sold	
	Fed to Calves	Consumed in the Farm Household		For Farm Churned Butter Sold ¹	For Wholesale Deliveries to Plants, Dealers, etc.		For Retail Sales of Milk and Cream by Farmers ²		
		As Milk or Cream	As Farm Butter		As Cream	As Milk			
1951..	38	89	32	159	2	266	420	41	
1952..	36	84	27	147	.....	249	430	38
1953..	36	79	23	138	.....	208	510	35
1954..	37	74	23	134	.....	216	540	30
1955..	38	75	21	134	.....	200	548	27
1956..	36	68	20	124	.....	190	550	24
1957..	35	63	19	117	.....	170	575	22
1958..	32	54	17	103	.....	150	580	20
1959..	30	53	15	98	.....	135	600	18
1960 ³ ..	29	52	14	95	.....	125	634	16

¹Farm butter sold, not reported after 1951.

²Approximations based chiefly on population in small towns and rural areas where most families purchase.

³1960 figures are unrevised.

⁴Million Pounds.

DAIRY PRODUCTS: QUANTITIES MANUFACTURED, 1953-1960

COLORADO

PRODUCT	1953 1,000 lbs.	1954 1,000 lbs.	1955 1,000 lbs.	1956 1,000 lbs.	1957 1,000 lbs.	1958 1,000 lbs.	1959 1,000 lbs.	1960 1,000 lbs.
Creamery Butter.....	16,347	16,770	14,431	13,622	12,712	11,767	12,244	10,532
American Cheese, all ¹	2,421	2,448	1,152	1,038	1,369	929	1,106	2,574
Total Cheese ²	2,480	2,518	1,259	1,080	1,471	1,061	1,390	2,847
Cottage Cheese (curd).....	4,548	5,046	5,924	7,290	7,194	7,222	7,609	7,777
Cottage Cheese (creamed).....	5,122	5,999	7,240	9,274	10,070	10,129	10,901	11,696
Condensed Milk (sweetened)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed).....	2,373	1,487	1,096	1,310	1,034	1,352	1,751	1,548
Plain Condensed Milk (unsweetened)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed).....	929	3,132	3,638	3,632	2,062	2,001	2,236	1,956
	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.
Farm Products:								
Ice Cream.....	5,544	5,837	5,969	6,213	6,319	6,733	7,369	7,673
Ice Milk.....	1,543	2,051	2,226	2,276	2,127	2,179	2,232	2,431
Milk Sherbet.....	520	579	549	521	537	594	605	577

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PRODUCT	1953 1,000 lbs.	1954 1,000 lbs.	1955 1,000 lbs.	1956 1,000 lbs.	1957 1,000 lbs.	1958 1,000 lbs.	1959 1,000 lbs.	1960 1,000 lbs.
Creamery Butter.....	1,412,100	1,448,872	1,382,914	1,413,344	1,414,060	1,389,575	1,334,385	1,372,876
Renovated or Process Butter.....								
American Cheese:								
Whole Milk.....	1,021,056	1,042,345	1,004,269	991,254	1,021,728	977,973	942,517	996,147
Part Skim.....	1,417	2,378	1,105	2,395	1,646	5,649	5,359	6,431
Swiss Cheese (including block).....	103,780	113,525	116,664	123,216	100,048	107,114	111,901	121,081
Brick and Munster Cheese.....	36,717	40,877	44,289	45,213	45,252	48,164	48,038	50,305
Limburger Cheese.....	5,752	5,018	4,943	4,642	4,371	3,607	3,712	3,436
Cream and Neufchatel Cheese.....	78,285	79,238	80,174	87,919	88,748	94,908	98,916	106,437
All Italian Varieties of Cheese.....	68,417	71,404	86,018	101,738	111,620	130,557	140,765	157,890
Blue Mold Cheese.....	9,554	9,519	10,047	10,663	10,864	11,447	12,710	15,169
All Other Varieties of Cheese.....	19,422	18,930	19,384	20,652	20,146	19,965	19,143	21,024
Total Cheese ²	1,344,400	1,383,234	1,366,893	1,387,692	1,407,423	1,399,384	1,383,061	1,477,920
Full Skim American Type Cheese....	749	393	2,526	3,247	3,327	4,927	4,344	4,408
Cottage Cheese (curd).....	403,822	433,034	458,616	534,652	546,453	552,211	576,204	591,678
Cottage Cheese (creamed).....	500,790	534,338	569,298	663,526	693,526	708,105	738,754	768,615
Condensed Milk (sweetened)								
Case Goods (skimmed).....								
Case Goods (unskimmed).....	41,464	25,229	33,681	69,725	59,860	57,054	60,646	67,830
Bulk Goods (skimmed).....	134,265	100,727	88,392	75,493	80,330	69,503	69,139	56,101
Bulk Goods (unskimmed).....	49,457	37,280	42,124	48,437	50,011	53,634	49,654	47,771
Plain Condensed Milk (unsweetened)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed).....	581,088	645,248	647,710	655,254	677,797	643,453	714,260	726,911
Bulk Goods (unskimmed).....	231,149	248,209	266,495	294,591	314,807	342,580	364,823	373,521
Evaporated Milk (unsweetened)								
Case Goods (unskimmed).....	2,553,339	2,534,115	2,579,831	2,540,141	2,447,637	2,298,332	2,267,961	2,177,267
Condensed or Evaporated Buttermilk.....	132,657	123,379	62,852	49,691	26,177	19,374	13,858	8,359
Dry Buttermilk.....	57,424	56,261	58,333	64,269	70,358	77,160	81,475	86,426
Dry Whole Milk.....	106,293	95,776	108,317	110,315	103,174	87,702	90,383	97,998
Nonfat Dry Milk for Human Food....	1,213,774	1,334,043	1,365,772	1,489,894	1,623,880	1,709,664	1,723,212	1,818,424
Dry Skim Milk for Animal Feed.....	19,967	20,396	20,145	19,262	21,203	21,182	23,295	25,870
	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.
Frozen Products:								
Ice Cream.....	605,051	596,821	628,525	641,333	650,583	658,026	698,931	698,698
Ice Milk.....	64,710	80,019	90,185	103,052	111,165	117,404	134,216	144,740
Milk Sherbet.....	31,079	34,170	37,365	35,721	36,712	37,083	40,396	40,681

¹Includes whole milk American but not part skim or full skim American Type.²Excludes full skim American and cottage cheese.

MONTHLY EGG PRODUCTION, 1953-1961

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
NUMBER OF LAYERS (Average Number on Hand During Month)												
Thousands												
1953.....	2,126	2,012	1,882	1,826	1,824	1,768	1,683	1,726	1,911	2,068	2,125	2,097
1954.....	2,054	1,974	1,868	1,828	1,775	1,722	1,656	1,656	1,844	2,030	2,084	2,057
1955.....	2,004	1,954	1,877	1,800	1,711	1,608	1,596	1,648	1,777	1,944	1,982	1,930
1956.....	1,869	1,821	1,784	1,748	1,698	1,650	1,626	1,638	1,734	1,832	1,856	1,832
1957.....	1,820	1,796	1,725	1,617	1,569	1,557	1,486	1,474	1,557	1,628	1,652	1,663
1958.....	1,646	1,606	1,548	1,498	1,466	1,441	1,408	1,433	1,548	1,622	1,630	1,622
1959.....	1,614	1,606	1,582	1,550	1,502	1,429	1,422	1,502	1,548	1,552	1,546	1,546
1960.....	1,542	1,524	1,507	1,480	1,418	1,339	1,304	1,313	1,348	1,375	1,384	1,402
1961 ¹	1,411	1,397	1,383	1,376	1,362	1,348	1,341	1,355	1,396	1,459	1,508	1,522
EGGS PER 100 LAYERS—Number												
1953.....	1,454	1,476	1,795	1,848	1,866	1,692	1,652	1,550	1,380	1,339	1,254	1,308
1954.....	1,445	1,512	1,823	1,821	1,891	1,740	1,628	1,451	1,266	1,265	1,311	1,414
1955.....	1,457	1,411	1,745	1,827	1,876	1,746	1,668	1,500	1,350	1,348	1,272	1,339
1956.....	1,469	1,520	1,829	1,899	1,944	1,770	1,733	1,637	1,446	1,364	1,218	1,302
1957.....	1,438	1,484	1,829	1,824	1,885	1,761	1,752	1,662	1,497	1,438	1,278	1,364
1958.....	1,513	1,495	1,786	1,827	1,941	1,854	1,817	1,652	1,494	1,476	1,338	1,392
1959.....	1,522	1,498	1,814	1,842	1,897	1,761	1,730	1,643	1,512	1,491	1,392	1,466
1960.....	1,513	1,485	1,767	1,884	2,009	1,890	1,823	1,702	1,536	1,463	1,368	1,435
1961 ¹	1,540	1,501	1,779	1,815	1,881	1,788	1,762	1,661	1,514	1,488	1,410	1,432
TOTAL EGGS PRODUCED—Millions												
1953.....	31	30	34	34	34	30	28	27	26	28	27	27
1954.....	30	30	34	33	34	30	27	24	23	26	27	29
1955.....	29	28	33	33	32	28	27	25	24	26	25	26
1956.....	27	28	33	33	33	29	28	27	25	25	23	24
1957.....	26	27	32	29	30	27	26	24	23	23	21	23
1958.....	25	24	28	27	28	27	26	24	23	24	22	23
1959.....	25	24	29	29	28	25	25	25	23	23	22	23
1960.....	23	23	27	28	28	25	24	22	21	20	19	20
1961 ¹	22	21	25	25	26	24	24	23	21	22	21	22
EGGS—FARM PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND INCOME, 1953-1960												
Year	Avg. No. of Layers During Year	Eggs Per Layer	Eggs				Price Per Dozen	Value of Eggs Pro- duced 1,000 Millions	Cash Income From Sales 1,000 Dollars	Value of Eggs Con- sumed on Farms 1,000 Dollars	Gross Income 1,000 Dollars	
			Total Produ- ced 1,000 Number	Used for Farm Hatch- ing Millions	Con- sumed on Farms Millions	Sold Millions						
COLORADO												
1953.....	1,921	185	356	1	55	300	46.4	13,765	11,600	2,127	13,727	
1954.....	1,879	185	347	0	54	293	36.3	10,497	8,863	1,634	10,497	
1955.....	1,819	185	336	0	53	283	38.3	10,724	9,032	1,692	10,724	
1956.....	1,757	191	335	0	50	285	38.3	10,692	9,096	1,596	10,692	
1957.....	1,629	191	311	0	47	264	34.5	8,941	7,590	1,351	8,941	
1958.....	1,539	196	301	0	45	256	37.3	9,356	7,957	1,399	9,356	
1959.....	1,533	196	301	0	43	258	31.7	7,952	6,816	1,136	7,952	
1960 ¹	1,386	199	276	0	38	238	33.0	7,590	6,515	1,045	7,590	
UNITED STATES												
1953.....	312,086	185	57,891	104	5,578	52,209	47.7	2,301,167	2,073,381	215,698	2,289,079	
1954.....	314,153	188	58,933	87	5,530	53,316	36.6	1,797,456	1,627,391	167,957	1,795,348	
1955.....	309,297	192	59,526	.....	5,511	54,015	39.5	1,959,398	1,777,085	177,661	1,951,746	
1956.....	310,672	197	61,113	.....	5,189	55,924	39.3	2,001,451	1,833,637	169,274	2,002,911	
1957.....	306,676	199	61,026	.....	4,853	56,173	35.9	1,825,694	1,682,353	144,090	1,826,443	
1958.....	304,441	202	61,607	.....	4,507	57,100	38.5	1,976,558	1,833,106	144,946	1,978,052	
1959.....	305,720	207	63,335	4,256	59,079	31.4	1,657,266	1,544,939	110,801	1,655,740	
1960 ¹	294,168	209	61,377	3,782	57,595	36.0	1,841,310	1,727,514	110,568	1,838,082	

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COMMERCIAL HATCHERY AND BROILER PRODUCTION AND CASH RECEIPTS FROM POULTRY AND EGGS

CHICKS HATCHED BY COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	In Thousands (000 Omitted)											
1946.....	90	560	1,070	1,410	870	150	25	21	21	21	21	21
1947.....	183	844	1,620	1,670	1,404	315	170	19	25	25	25	.....
1948.....	142	587	1,294	1,653	1,220	467	108	40	46	57	46	40
1949.....	210	678	1,638	2,184	1,794	581	242	125	101	70	78	105
1950.....	369	877	1,804	1,886	1,435	615	271	197	123	164	246	213
1951.....	378	966	1,570	1,859	1,336	572	322	201	161	201	242	242
1952.....	377	1,174	1,972	1,766	1,255	646	269	197	374	401	281	305
1953.....	387	968	1,467	1,736	1,073	481	201	201	149	186	261	335
1954.....	415	837	1,394	1,537	906	421	115	82	175	85	89	81
1955.....	260	575	1,220	1,200	780	280	165	60	46	44	51	40
1956.....	225	740	1,335	1,263	872	320	242	215	121	165	157	94
1957.....	290	509	915	1,008	605	348	212	135	174	155	149	144
1958.....	267	505	870	689	694	402	243	233	216	242	275	140
1959.....	196	385	759	683	489	305	147	108	107	97	111	126
1960.....	141	285	503	560	415	202	142	134	106	122	133	110
1961 ¹	171	316	539	502	395	190	116	65	103	160	131	100

COMMERCIAL BROILER PRODUCTION AND GROSS INCOME, 1950-1960

Year	Colorado				United States			
	Number Produced (000)	Pounds Produced (000)	Price Per Pound (Cents)	Gross Income (Thousand Dollars)	Number Produced (000)	Pounds Produced (000)	Price Per Pound (Cents)	Gross Income (Thousand Dollars)
1950.....	1,638	4,750	31.0	1,472	631,458	1,941,524	27.4	532,652
1951.....	2,129	6,387	31.0	1,980	783,601	2,414,767	28.5	689,317
1952.....	2,129	6,174	31.0	1,914	860,891	2,623,934	28.8	756,182
1953.....	2,278	6,806	30.0	1,982	946,533	2,904,174	27.1	786,324
1954.....	2,210	6,409	29.7	1,903	1,047,798	3,236,248	23.1	746,891
1955.....	1,945	6,030	29.0	1,749	1,091,684	3,349,555	25.2	843,953
1956.....	1,459	4,523	25.0	1,131	1,343,660	4,269,502	19.6	838,450
1957.....	1,097	3,510	20.7	727	1,447,528	4,682,738	18.9	886,062
1958.....	1,163	3,722	20.3	756	1,659,519	5,430,674	18.5	1,001,990
1959.....	1,245	4,233	18.0	762	1,736,922	5,762,951	16.1	925,408
1960 ¹	1,183	4,022	18.5	744	1,795,718	6,020,417	16.9	1,014,645

CASH RECEIPTS FROM POULTRY AND EGGS, 1945-1960

Year	Farm Chickens	Commercial Broilers	All Chickens	Eggs	Turkeys	All Poultry and Eggs
	In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)					
1945.....	6,009	537	6,546	10,770	5,218	22,534
1946.....	4,723	544	5,267	10,852	6,284	22,383
1947.....	3,918	718	4,636	10,582	4,661	19,879
1948.....	3,480	983	4,463	11,448	4,620	20,531
1949.....	3,593	1,238	4,463	11,881	5,030	21,742
1950.....	2,664	1,472	4,136	10,050	4,562	18,748
1951.....	3,074	1,980	5,054	12,550	5,278	22,882
1952.....	1,932	1,914	3,846	10,773	4,568	19,187
1953.....	1,694	1,982	3,676	11,600	4,393	19,669
1954.....	1,440	1,903	3,343	8,863	5,055	17,261
1955.....	992	1,749	2,741	9,032	4,783	16,556
1956.....	1,111	1,131	2,242	9,096	5,859	17,197
1957.....	564	727	1,291	7,590	5,165	14,046
1958.....	439	756	1,195	7,957	6,220	15,372
1959.....	430	762	1,192	6,816	6,468	14,476
1960 ¹	319	744	1,063	6,545	6,514	14,122

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CHICKENS ON FARMS JANUARY 1 AND CHICKENS PRODUCED ANNUALLY, 1943-1962

Year	Chickens on Farms—Jan. 1			Chickens Produced on Farms Annually			Chickens Consumed Annually on Farms Where Produced			Chickens Sold From Farms Annually			Average Live Wt. Per Head Sold Pounds				
	Hens and Pullets Number 1,000	All Chickens		Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value	Per Head Cents	Total 1,000 Dollars	Gross Income ² 1,000 Dollars	Chickens Raised Number 1,000	Chickens Lost Number 1,000	
		Number 1,000	Value														
COLORADO																	
1943	4,421	4,821	90	4,339	8,945	1,690	1,387	6,822	91	6,222	7,600	9,698	723	4.0	4.0	4.4	
1944	4,732	5,254	104	5,464	5,374	1,606	1,283	5,554	95	5,279	6,562	6,961	1,051	4.4	4.4	4.4	
1945	4,004	4,781	113	4,164	5,910	1,549	1,442	6,289	96	6,009	7,451	6,701	761	3.9	3.9	3.9	
1946	4,215	4,106	125	4,429	5,572	1,622	1,505	4,012	102	4,723	6,321	6,352	780	4.0	4.0	4.0	
1947	3,215	3,444	140	4,279	5,384	1,516	1,584	3,833	103	3,918	5,946	6,034	660	3.8	3.8	3.8	
1948	3,167	3,183	150	4,682	4,855	1,626	1,584	3,131	111	3,380	5,105	5,189	635	3.9	3.9	3.9	
1949	3,052	3,245	124	4,021	4,774	1,544	1,589	3,151	102	3,593	5,112	5,812	668	4.2	4.2	4.2	
1950	2,770	2,932	125	4,001	4,324	1,530	1,521	3,171	84	2,664	3,635	4,824	584	4.2	4.2	4.2	
1951	2,680	2,802	125	3,665	4,131	1,329	1,141	3,232	95	3,074	4,215	5,017	586	4.1	4.1	4.1	
1952	2,240	2,325	120	3,502	3,033	2,488	2,325	2,452	79	1,322	2,874	3,863	560	4.0	4.0	4.0	
1953	2,175	2,278	120	2,734	2,973	2,526	1,315	1,885	90	1,694	2,568	3,438	466	4.2	4.2	4.2	
1954	2,129	2,210	100	2,210	2,534	2,118	1,203	2,035	67	1,440	2,163	3,747	456	4.0	4.0	4.0	
1955	1,987	2,061	105	2,164	2,715	1,521	1,083	621	62	992	1,613	2,998	464	4.0	4.0	4.0	
1956	2,000	2,000	105	1,900	2,158	1,654	1,040	582	64	1,111	1,693	3,148	433	4.0	4.0	4.0	
1957	1,933	1,936	105	1,920	2,000	1,558	1,034	461	54	564	1,025	2,295	440	4.1	4.1	4.1	
1958	1,786	1,829	105	1,753	1,924	934	985	479	58	439	918	2,137	384	4.3	4.3	4.3	
1959	1,745	1,840	105	1,832	1,747	669	734	861	56	430	731	1,635	368	4.5	4.5	4.5	
1960	1,675	1,715	94	1,612	1,999	467	668	821	578	56	319	603	1,342	343	4.8	4.8	
1961	1,513	1,546	105	1,623	1,696	99	1,679	1,679	578	56	319	603	1,409	343	4.8	4.8	
1962 ¹	1,646	1,646	99	1,696	1,696	1,679	1,679	1,679	578	56	319	603	1,409	343	4.8	4.8	
UNITED STATES																	
1943	488,959	542,017	104	563,986	913,707	904,605	190,620	166,614	682,937	101,9	696,214	862,828	1,001,392	87,685	4.2	4.2	4.2
1944	523,557	582,197	118	665,901	724,871	733,634	178,670	151,474	611,901	103,8	790,392	832,063	987,392	801,445	4.3	4.3	4.3
1945	473,880	516,497	121	636,259	709,102	861,502	183,101	175,354	601,271	111,0	675,593	851,947	890,445	91,341	4.3	4.3	4.3
1946	472,820	523,227	127	622,734	646,910	748,094	173,063	175,124	529,437	120,7	639,173	814,297	737,632	91,142	4.4	4.4	4.4
1947	431,446	467,217	144	618,293	655,729	708,119	161,851	159,271	491,511	115,5	567,539	727,110	719,418	83,689	4.4	4.4	4.4
1948	417,570	449,644	144	618,293	536,262	688,107	168,122	168,122	401,613	135,5	621,654	761,776	716,099	78,969	4.5	4.5	4.5
1949	399,880	430,876	166	616,344	622,833	673,682	156,216	146,792	440,944	112,6	648,354	705,099	702,266	82,266	4.4	4.4	4.4
1950	423,733	456,549	136	622,994	535,266	512,777	152,091	124,434	408,736	101,1	413,384	537,818	619,803	84,537	4.5	4.5	4.5
1951	466,677	500,777	146	637,400	539,549	577,907	146,434	132,918	397,942	112,4	447,483	580,401	622,942	83,393	4.5	4.5	4.5
1952	500,794	526,555	153	622,940	473,381	447,415	138,286	110,792	363,492	99,6	361,866	472,658	560,983	87,602	4.5	4.5	4.5
1953	397,294	463,158	141	561,667	463,237	452,259	128,649	102,581	336,624	103,9	349,783	557,364	547,524	83,633	4.7	4.7	4.7
1954	373,013	439,776	143	569,237	454,848	327,193	129,339	123,339	311,577	74,747	322,922	332,669	345,908	85,060	4.5	4.5	4.5
1955	370,794	410,741	105	410,740	375,286	301,554	121,366	81,227	280,920	86,6	225,942	306,876	349,426	84,158	4.7	4.7	4.7
1956	368,595	390,708	126	423,359	385,792	263,150	124,095	124,095	471,872	87,2	257,372	301,021	257,610	45,256	4.6	4.6	4.6
1957	361,045	383,690	117	455,689	306,941	184,700	115,702	57,372	211,321	65,2	137,846	195,158	183,764	83,823	4.8	4.8	4.8
1958	355,517	374,281	126	422,119	344,397	208,455	110,500	55,338	221,276	65,6	145,227	242,215	241,446	76,951	4.7	4.7	4.7
1959	366,856	389,482	126	426,987	311,222	149,355	96,055	37,601	227,975	61,4	157,241	246,211	246,010	74,798	4.7	4.7	4.7
1960	351,766	369,482	106	380,733	260,922	139,424	83,374	35,540	188,142	61,0	110,569	146,123	130,103	68,161	4.8	4.8	4.8
1961	342,689	360,576	125	349,639	349,932	139,424	117,419	347,477	114	347,477	346,026	346,026	346,026	346,026	4.8	4.8	4.8
1962 ¹	347,266	365,477	114	347,477	347,477	114	117,419	347,477	114	347,477	347,477	347,477	347,477	347,477	4.8	4.8	4.8

¹ Net production during the calendar year, i.e., chickens sold, consumed in household of farm producers, and the plus or minus change in inventory.

² Value of chickens sold and chickens consumed on farms.

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TURKEYS ON FARMS JANUARY 1 AND TURKEYS PRODUCED ANNUALLY, 1943-1962

Year	Turkeys on Farms January 1		Turkeys Produced on Farms Annually ¹		Turkeys Consumed Annually on Farms Where Produced		Turkeys Sold from Farms Annually		Turkeys Raised Number 1,000	Turkeys Lost Number 1,000	Average Live Wt. Per Head Sold Pounds		
	Number 1,000	Per Head Dollars	Total 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars				
COLORADO													
1943	172	4.50	774	852	4,260	21	105	831	5,00	4,260	861		
1944	172	5.10	800	938	5,355	18	90	878	5,64	5,043	861		
1945	135	5.30	716	892	6,107	18	103	914	5,71	5,321	947		
1946	94	6.40	602	714	4,461	15	94	746	6,25	6,387	900		
1947	47	6.90	324	588	4,792	15	122	567	8,15	4,755	720		
1948	53	9.00	447	759	5,195	13	89	735	6,84	4,742	590		
1949	64	6.10	390	720	4,562	14	89	720	6,34	4,651	761		
1950	50	7.00	350	721	4,562	13	98	733	7,66	4,376	723		
1951	60	7.80	468	722	4,562	11	70	723	6,32	4,638	723		
1952	48	6.20	298	636	4,394	12	83	635	6,92	4,476	636		
1953	36	6.80	245	896	5,135	10	57	882	5,73	5,112	897		
1954	40	5.50	220	859	4,733	11	61	888	5,51	4,944	860		
1955	20	5.00	162	1,161	5,946	51	1,144	512	1,161	1,161	0		
1956	27	6.30	1,183	1,183	5,200	11	48	1,175	4,40	5,213	1,184		
1957	24	5.20	1,325	1,255	6,296	10	48	1,309	4,75	6,268	1,136		
1958	30	5.00	1,250	1,285	6,513	9	46	1,276	5,07	6,514	1,286		
1959	30	5.00	1,250	1,478	7,774	4	4	1,459	5,26	1,479	1,288		
1960	39	4.50	135	2,196	8,880	4	4	1,982	4,45	8,863	1,967		
1961	49	5.00	216	53	4,15	20	4	4	4	4	1		
1962's													
UNITED STATES													
1943	6,600	4.47	29,515	31,854	168,982	747	3,811	30,278	5,29	163,855	455		
1944	5,33	5.33	35,170	201,165	3,664	3,664	747	3,749	6,72	202,256	32,309		
1945	7,082	5.79	41,014	42,470	250,028	691	4,932	40,989	5,89	245,347	36,616		
1946	7,862	5.75	45,228	39,746	290,106	4,423	41,030	6,54	42,900	42,900	430		
1947	5,879	6.54	38,451	33,693	233,136	675	4,315	34,938	7,92	272,931	39,396		
1948	3,059	6.97	27,606	31,346	285,709	666	5,302	30,017	8,57	235,823	38,180		
1949	6,34	6.80	40,682	44,134	288,762	676	4,315	39,841	6,60	262,693	31,541		
1950	5,124	6.34	32,477	44,134	288,952	641	3,907	43,580	6,10	267,397	247		
1951	6,48	5,037	32,638	53,055	356,199	629	4,188	51,738	6,72	356,442	243		
1952	5,725	6.99	39,999	62,117	332,537	688	3,963	62,068	5,68	356,442	62,327		
1953	6,15	5,086	6,32	31,383	59,626	682	3,955	59,074	5,70	34,443	39,396		
1954	4,917	5.33	26,185	65,471	324,237	679	3,586	66,867	4,95	331,404	38,180		
1955	5,037	4.65	27,547	33,292	31,313	67,507	3,426	64,738	5,02	328,985	67,603		
1956	5,628	4.917	33,292	34,616	329,014	653	3,426	76,007	4,62	342,401	76,777		
1957	5,612	4.67	26,189	34,616	31,232	31,232	3,17,619	681	3,020	80,767	3,91		
1958	6,105	4.65	28,396	84,294	342,972	461	2,017	84,305	4,06	344,599	70,219		
1959	5,633	4.89	27,547	84,538	378,811	4	83,401	4,47	327,571	84,493	199		
1960	6,770	4.91	33,292	107,879	365,014	4	108,297	3,29	356,483	84,721	186		
1961	6,352	4.91	24,087	3,79	4	4	4	4	108,131	252	17,4		

Net production during the calendar year, i.e., turkeys sold, consumed in household of farm producers, and the plus or minus change in inventory.

¹Value of turkeys sold and consumed on farms.

²Preliminary.

UNITED STATES CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1960

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Winter Wheat.....	42,689,000	39,996,000	27.8	1,110,557,000	Bu.	1.73	1,925,420,000
Spring Wheat, All.....	12,230,000 ²	11,900,000	20.7	246,715,000	Bu.	1.80	442,994,000
Rye, for Graio.....	4,107,000 ²	1,684,000	19.6	33,052,000	Bu.	.876	29,621,000
Rice.....	1,614,000	1,595,000	3,423 ³	54,591,000	Cwt.	4.55	248,445,000
Dry Beans ⁴	1,472,000	1,434,000	1,249 ³	17,917,000	Cwt.	7.21	129,336,000
Corn, All.....	81,711,000 ²	80,960,000	53.4	4,322,813,000	Bu.	.996	3,891,847,000
Corn for Grain.....		71,649,000	54.5	3,908,070,000	Bu.	.601	694,123,000
Oats, for Grain.....	31,538,000 ²	26,646,000	43.4	1,155,312,000	Bu.	.838	357,299,000
Barley, for Grain.....	15,614,000 ²	13,939,000	30.9	431,309,000	Bu.	.837	514,743,000
All Sorghums, for Grain.....		15,592,000	39.8	619,867,000	Bu.		
All Sorghums, for Forage.....		2,164,000	1.78	3,859,000	Ton	15.70	60,593,000
All Sorghums, All Uses.....	19,588,000	19,140,000			Bale	.3019	2,154,165,000
Cotton, lint.....	16,080,000	15,309,000	446 ³	14,272,000	Too	11.60	190,109,000
Sugar Beets.....	977,000	957,000	17.2	16,421,000	Ton	7.41	57,192,000
Sugarcane, for sugar and seed.....		330,000	23.4	7,720,000	Lb.	.609	1,183,777,000
Tobacco.....		1,142,000	1,703	1,944,089,000	Ton	42.50	249,977,000
Cottonseed.....				5,886,000	Bu.	2.65	80,533,000
Flaxseed.....	3,437,000	3,342,000	9.1	30,402,000	Bu.	.100	178,724,000
Peanuts.....		1,410,000	1,266	1,785,716,000	Lb.		
Soybeans, for beans.....		23,655,000	23.5	555,307,000	Bu.	2.13	1,185,352,000
Potatoes.....	1,410,500	1,397,000	184.3	257,435,000	Cwt.	2.00	513,749,000
Sweet Potatoes.....	196,500	196,000	78.6	15,445,000	Cwt.	4.11	64,150,000
Alfalfa Hay.....		27,564,000	2.44	67,356,000	Ton		
All Hay.....		67,246,000	1.76	118,236,000	Ton	21.60 ⁵	2,409,626,000
Alfalfa Seed.....		710,000	192 ³	136,458,000	Cwt.	27.50	37,302,000
Sweetclover Seed.....		130,000	212 ³	27,694,000	Cwt.	6.39	1,797,000
Sudangrass Seed.....		78,500	605 ³	47,526,000	Cwt.	5.61	2,663,000
Field Peas ⁴	321,000	298,000	1,088 ³	3,241,000	Cwt.	4.11	13,313,000
Broomcorn.....	153,000	139,000	292 ³	20,000	Ton	327.00	6,637,000
Popcorn.....	163,100	156,000	2,168 ³	338,656,000	Cwt.	2.56	8,662,000
Apples, Commercial Crop.....				108,515,000	Bu.	2.20	237,976,000
Peaches.....				74,315,000	Bu.	1.86	134,288,000
Pears.....				25,621,000	Bu.	2.14	54,578,000
Cherries, Sour.....				116,140	Ton	158.00	18,363,000
Cherries, Sweet.....				70,520	Ton	362.00	25,136,000
Apricots.....				243,000	Ton	105.00	24,976,000
Crabberries.....	21,000			1,341,000	Bbl.	8.49	11,347,000
Grapes.....				2,997,000	Too	55.30	166,158,000
Orange and Tangerines.....				121,535,000	Box	3.58	435,186,000
Grapefruit.....				43,300,000	Box	1.26	54,669,000

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

Asparagus, for Mfg.....	111,600	111,600	1.09	125,920	Ton	219.00	27,558,000
Asparagus, for Market.....	44,400	44,400		1,231,000	Cwt.	13.65	16,803,000
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.....	179,180	173,390	2.34	406,500	Ton	108.00	44,034,000
Beans, Snap, for Market.....	131,460	122,460	37	4,527,000	Cwt.	8.59	38,579,000
Cabbage, for Mfg.....	14,300	14,200	15.5	220,460	Ton	15.50	3,419,000
Cabbage, for Market.....	119,660	114,825		20,189,000	Cwt.	2.02	39,812,000
Carrot.....	130,150	127,000	99	12,623,000	Cwt.	4.32	54,547,000
Carrot.....	84,750	83,625	216	18,090,000	Cwt.	2.29	39,403,000
Cauliflower.....	31,270	30,570	96	2,923,000	Cwt.	6.01	17,571,000
Celery.....	37,350	36,280	418	15,167,000	Cwt.	3.28	49,781,000
Sweet Corn, for Mfg.....	430,700	411,890	3.38	1,390,960	Ton	19.20	26,768,000
Sweet Corn, for Market.....	215,260	202,660	63	12,843,000	Cwt.	4.00	51,320,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles.....	101,980	95,010	3.66	347,620	Too	54.70	19,001,000
Lettuce.....	229,930	223,280	173	38,698,000	Cwt.	4.13	144,498,000
Onions.....	111,000	102,160	259	26,477,000	Cwt.	2.17	56,479,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.....	360,770	345,990	1.29	445,390	Ton	86.00	38,311,000
Peas, Green, for Market.....	6,700	6,650	37	244,000	Cwt.	9.30	2,269,000
Spinach, for Market.....	28,000	25,300	61	1,543,000	Cwt.	6.70	10,332,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.....	282,300	279,350	14.5	4,043,170	Ton	26.10	105,609,000
Tomatoes, for Market.....	181,700	163,100	117	19,063,000	Cwt.	7.73	147,315,000
Watermelons.....	363,590	335,390	93	31,039,000	Cwt.	1.25	37,054,000
Total Com. Vegetables.....	3,563,260 ⁷	3,398,990 ⁷					1,092,169,000 ⁷
Total All Principal Crops...		316,248,000 ⁷					19,183,372,000 ⁷

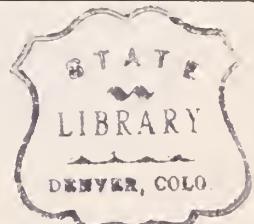
¹Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.²Planted for all uses.³Pounds.⁴Production, price and value on clean basis.⁵Price of hay sold baled.⁶Not available.⁷Includes some crops not shown separately.

UNITED STATES CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1961

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Winter Wheat.....	43,416,000	40,753,000	26.4	1,076,274,000	Bu.	1.80	1,933,600,000
Spring Wheat, All.....	12,230,000 ²	10,867,000	14.6	158,431,000	Bu.	2.12	336,070,000
Rye, for Grain.....	4,150,000 ²	1,542,000	17.7	27,262,000	Bu.	1.02	27,533,000
Rice.....	1,618,000	1,589,000	3,376 ³	53,636,000	Cwt.	4.97	226,531,000
Dry Beans ⁴	1,471,000	1,439,000	1,390 ³	20,006,000	Cwt.	7.14	142,932,000
Corn, All.....	66,965,000 ²						
Corn, for Grain.....		58,691,000	61.8	3,624,313,000	Bu.	1.07	3,889,685,000
Oats, for Grain.....	32,521,000 ²	24,077,000	42.1	1,012,855,000	Bu.	.640	650,703,000
Barley, for Grain.....	15,800,000 ²	12,969,000	30.3	393,384,000	Bu.	.973	372,388,000
All Sorghums, for Grain.....	11,026,000		43.8	482,615,000	Bu.	.955	459,359,000
All Sorghums, for Forage.....		1,722,000	1.99	3,420,000	Ton	15.50	52,959,000
All Sorghums, All Uses.....	14,366,000	14,057,000					
Cotton, Lint.....	16,587,000	15,686,000	438 ³	14,304,000	Bale	.334 ³	2,385,751,000
Sugar Beets.....	1,127,900	1,088,000	16.5	17,966,000	Ton	10.80	194,033,000
Sugarcane, for Sugar & Seed.....		359,000	26.2	9,387,000	Ton	7.37	69,227,000
Tobacco.....		1,174,000	1,723	2,022,831,000	Lb.	.636	1,285,829,000
Cottonseed.....				5,932,000	Ton	51.20	303,499,000
Flaxseed.....	2,949,000	2,514,000	8.7	21,852,000	Bu.	3.24	70,710,000
Peanuts.....		1,429,000	1,234 ³	1,762,975,000	Lb.	.109	192,298,000
Soybeans, for Beans.....		27,340,000	25.3	693,023,000	Bu.	2.29	1,589,923,000
Potatoes.....	1,519,300	1,488,000	195.5	290,939,000	Cwt.	1.37	399,417,000
Sweet Potatoes.....	198,400	194,000	77.7	15,083,000	Cwt.	4.46	67,088,000
Alfalfa Hay.....		28,169,000	2.38	66,961,000	Ton	.6	6
All Hay.....	67,085,000		1.74	116,632,000	Ton	20.70 ⁵	2,379,354,000
Alfalfa Seed.....		617,000	189 ³	116,393,000	Cwt.	34.40	39,915,000
Sweetclover Seed.....		86,000	200 ³	17,127,000	Cwt.	9.74	1,666,000
Sudangrass Seed.....		97,700	715 ³	69,874,000	Cwt.	5.36	3,742,000
Field Peas ⁴	349,000	329,000	1,063 ³	3,498,000	Cwt.	4.21	14,718,000
Broomcorn.....	164,000	150,000	337 ³	25,000	Ton	327.00	8,235,000
Popcorn.....	209,600	202,000	2,405 ³	485,136,000	Cwt.	2.67	12,931,000
Apples, Commercial Crop.....				125,510,000	Bu.	1.87	233,561,000
Peaches.....				77,487,000	Bu.	1.93	143,254,000
Pears.....				27,111,000	Bu.	2.29	61,984,000
Cherries, Sour.....				162,820	Ton	167.00	27,188,000
Cherries, Sweet.....				98,300	Ton	310.00	30,356,000
Apricots.....				191,300	Ton	94.60	16,290,000
Cranberries.....		21,000		1,223,000	Bbl.	.6	10,404,000 ⁷
Grapes.....				3,093,480	Ton	.6	181,912,000 ⁷
Oranges and Tangerines.....				130,775,000	Box	.6	448,994,000 ⁷
Grapefruit.....				46,500,000	Box	.6	58,957,000 ⁷

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

Asparagus, for Mfg.....	107,600	107,600	1.20	129,170	Ton	242.00	31,201,000
Asparagus, for Market.....	39,350	39,350		1,100,000	Cwt.	15.18	16,701,000
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.....	193,420	185,660	2.53	470,070	Ton	105.00	49,577,000
Beans, Snap, for Market.....	129,300	121,150	38	4,563,000	Cwt.	8.70	39,372,000
Cabbage, for Mfg.....	13,460	13,280		209,900	Ton	12.70	2,661,000
Cabbage, for Market.....	124,355	119,795		19,444,000	Cwt.	1.84	34,781,000
Cantaloupe.....	126,950	123,100	104	12,775,000	Cwt.	5.01	63,988,000
Carrots.....	75,575	74,050	208	15,408,000	Cwt.	3.02	46,579,000
Cauliflower.....	30,300	27,950	87	2,429,000	Cwt.	6.14	14,903,000
Celery.....	32,020	31,390	468	14,702,000	Cwt.	3.11	45,350,000
Sweet Corn, for Mfg.....	465,320	447,220	3.83	1,714,370	Ton	19.40	33,292,000
Sweet Corn, for Market.....	212,820	200,520	66	13,263,000	Cwt.	3.98	51,631,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles.....	114,280	106,270	3.94	418,630	Ton	55.90	23,405,000
Lettuce.....	223,230	218,440	172	37,618,000	Cwt.	3.44	122,950,000
Onions.....	96,010	89,990	260	23,388,000	Cwt.	3.02	70,434,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.....	420,950	398,980	1.27	507,280	Ton	85.90	43,554,000
Peas, Green, for Market.....	6,150	6,100	42	254,000	Cwt.	9.81	2,493,000
Spinach, for Market.....	29,170	25,570	55	1,415,000	Cwt.	6.75	9,544,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.....	307,950	305,050	13.8	4,220,500	Ton	29.70	125,426,000
Tomatoes, for Market.....	173,680	167,430	126	21,171,000	Cwt.	7.35	155,664,000
Watermelons.....	336,630	313,830	93	29,013,000	Cwt.	1.54	44,587,000
Total Com. Vegetables.....	3,624,010 ⁸	3,474,465 ⁸					1,155,697,000 ⁸
Total All Principal Crops.....		296,062,000 ⁸					19,790,655,000 ⁸

¹Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.²Planted for all uses.³Includes pounds per bushel.⁴Price of hay sold baled.⁵Not available.⁶Used 1960 price to evaluate production.⁷Includes some crops not shown separately.

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A man's judgment is no better than his facts and crop reports are the basic facts of Agriculture.

They aid farmers in planning their production and marketing.

They are essential in enacting wise legislation affecting Agriculture.

They are the basis for analysis of agriculture and other business conditions.

They enable railroads to make a better distribution of cars for moving farm products.

They give producers the same foresight to future price trends that organized dealers possess.

They are a check on fluctuation in price. Uncertainty of supply promotes undue fluctuation in price.

They are indispensable in times of war because food is as essential as ammunition and weapons of war.

They are the best basis for adjusting supply to demand which is highly essential if maximum price is to prevail.

They aid farm organizations, schools and others in planning constructive programs, and the prospective purchaser of land.

They give information on surplus and deficit areas of production making possible a more economical distribution of products. 

They eliminate the ill effects of misleading reports that might be circulated for private gain, if there were no official reports.

They are a guide to farm resources and for developing new resources such as irrigation, electric power, location of food processing and other factories.

They reduce the amount of speculation in farm products. Speculation thrives on uncertainty. Unbiased official crop reports reduce uncertainty which limits speculation.

They indicate potential buying power thereby enabling the manufacturer to meet the probable demand. With economical production and distribution, the manufacturer can sell at a lower price than he could with uncertain demand.

They reduce the risk of ownership of buyers of farm products which enables them to do business on a smaller margin. Under the stimulus of competition, they pay producers higher prices than could be paid if uncertainty of production existed.

They provide an accurate, unbiased picture of Colorado's agriculture. The facts on present and prospective supplies furnish a sound basis for judgment and action by farmers, other individuals, business men, railroads, crop and livestock interests and governmental agencies.