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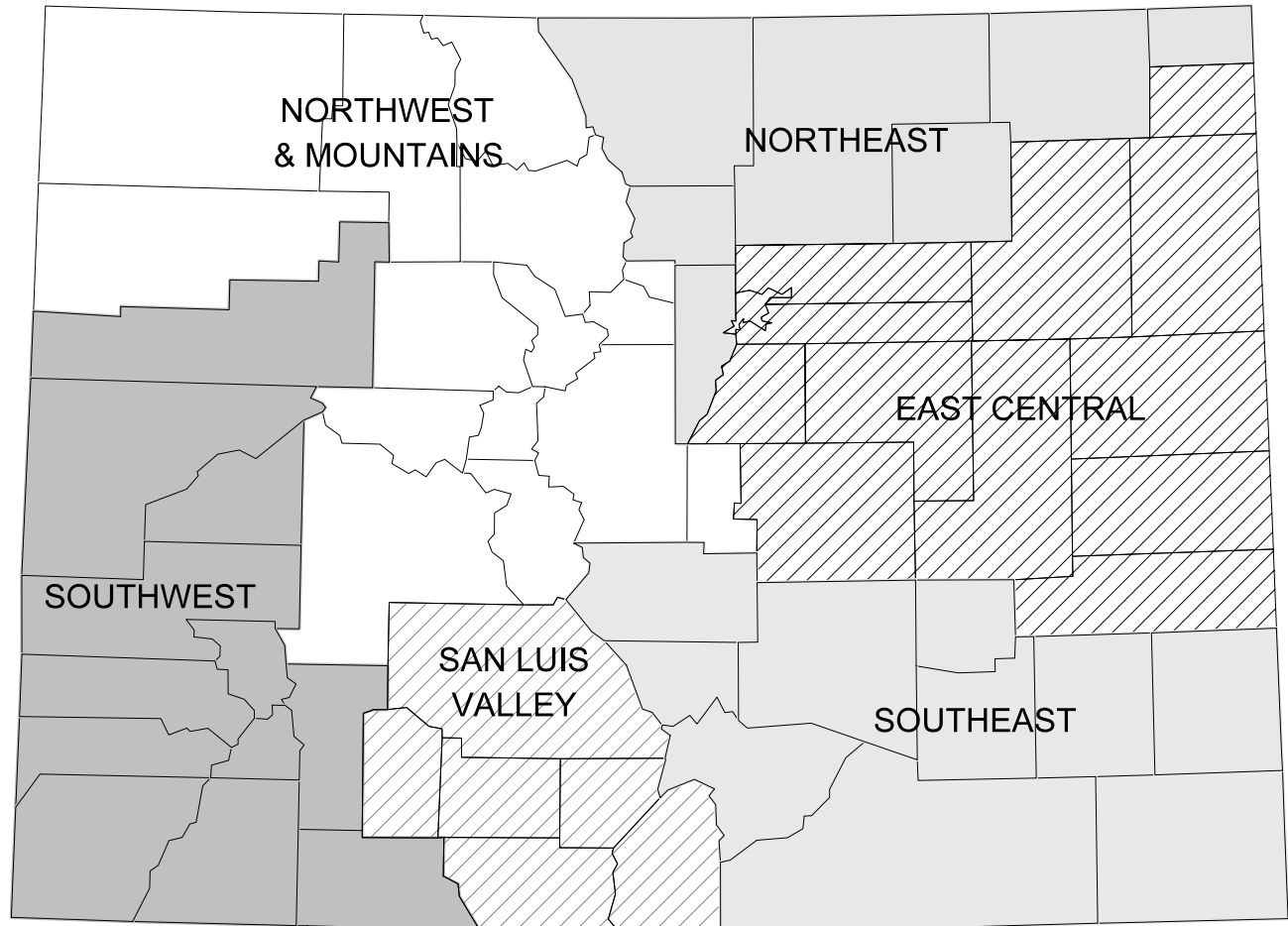
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AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS DISTRICTS



ASD by Number: Northwest and Mountains = 10; Northeast = 20; East Central = 60; Southwest = 70;
San Luis Valley = 80; Southeast = 90

COLORADO

The Centennial State, admitted to the Union in 1876, is the eighth largest state in area and has the highest average elevation. The highest point is at Mount Elbert, 14,433 feet above sea level, one of the 53 "fourteeners" rising above 14,000 feet. The lowest elevation is 3,350 feet in extreme eastern Prowers County.

Approximate Land Area: 66.3 Million Acres *
Approximate Cropland Area: 10.5 Million Acres *
Approximate Irrigated Area: 3.4 Million Acres *
Number of Farms and Ranches (2002): 30,000
Land in Farms and Ranches (2002): 31.3 Million Acres
Average Size of Farm and Ranch (2002): 1,043 Acres

Farms by Type *

82%	Individual
10%	Partnership
7%	Corporate
1%	Other

Farms By Tenure *

58%	Full Owners
30%	Part Owners
12%	Tenants

Farms By Class *

57%	Livestock & Poultry
43%	Crops

* 1997 Federal Census of Agriculture

Farm Marketing Receipts (2001):	\$ 4,729.0	Million
Livestock & Livestock Products:	\$ 3,374.5	Million (71.4% of the total)
Field, Fruit, & Vegetable Crops:	\$ 1,354.5	Million (28.6% of the total)

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Dear Friends:

It is my pleasure to introduce the 2004 edition of the Colorado Agricultural Statistics Bulletin. Once again, the citizens of Colorado have access to the most up-to-date, reliable and consistent information on the agricultural industry in the state.

This edition marks yet another milestone in Colorado's agricultural industry. For the past three decades and more, we have been fortunate to have the services one of the nation's most trusted agricultural statisticians, Lance Fretwell. Lance has been a mainstay of the state's farm and ranch data collection program, and many of you have had the opportunity to meet him and learn from him as well. Lance retired this year, and we will miss his fervent dedication to the accuracy, completeness and thoughtful analysis of the data that describe this important Colorado industry.

We know how important this information can be in planning the future of a farming enterprise, projecting sales potential for an agribusiness, or developing public policy. We can rely on data reported by the Colorado Agricultural Statistics Service because of the dedication of people like Lance and the entire CASS staff. Yet none of this is possible without the farmers and ranchers who take the time to complete the questionnaires and answer the telephone surveys. I know this can be bothersome at times, but it's critical to producing an accurate and dependable corn crop estimate or statewide cattle on feed report.

I want to extend my personal appreciation to Lance and to Colorado's farmers and ranchers. Your dedication is remarkable.

Sincerely,

Don Ament
Commissioner

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Rank in Agriculture: Colorado's rank among states, 2003

Commodity	Unit	Colorado		Leading State		United States
		Rank	Production	State	Production	
FIELD CROPS:						
Barley	1,000 bu.	6	8,938	North Dakota	118,800	276,087
Beans, dry edible	1,000 cwt.	7	1,168	North Dakota	7,800	22,515
Corn, grain	1,000 bu.	15	120,150	Iowa	1,884,000	10,113,887
Corn, silage	1,000 tons	16	1,890	Wisconsin	14,080	105,864
Hay, all	1,000 tons	20	3,610	Texas	12,388	157,123
Hay, alfalfa	1,000 tons	13	2,560	California	7,630	76,307
Hay, other	1,000 tons	24	1,050	Texas	11,730	80,816
Oats	1,000 bu.	25	975	North Dakota	21,240	144,649
Potatoes, all	1,000 cwt.	5	26,198	Idaho	123,180	459,045
Potatoes, fall	1,000 cwt.	5	23,652	Idaho	123,180	411,386
Potatoes, summer	1,000 cwt.	3	2,546	Texas	3,528	19,199
Proso Millet	1,000 bu.	1	5,415	Colorado	5,415	11,450
Sorghum, grain	1,000 bu.	11	4,320	Texas	153,900	411,237
Sorghum, silage	1,000 tons	6	210	Texas	770	3,552
Sugar beets	1,000 tons	9	644	Minnesota	10,032	30,605
Sunflower, all	1,000 lbs.	5	118,330	North Dakota	1,518,850	2,665,226
Sunflower, oil varieties	1,000 lbs.	5	85,000	North Dakota	1,326,000	2,259,666
Sunflower, non-oil varieties	1,000 lbs.	4	33,330	North Dakota	192,850	405,560
Wheat, all <u>1/</u>	1,000 bu.	11	78,160	Kansas	480,000	2,336,526
Wheat, spring <u>2/</u>	1,000 bu.	8	1,160	North Dakota	252,800	532,820
Wheat, winter	1,000 bu.	6	77,000	Kansas	480,000	1,707,069
VEGETABLES: <u>3/</u>						
Cabbage	1,000 cwt.	8	1,120	California	5,265	23,204
Cantaloupe	1,000 cwt.	6	304	California	12,005	22,331
Carrots	1,000 cwt.	3	1,152	California	25,725	33,094
Corn, sweet	1,000 cwt.	6	1,360	Florida	5,612	29,403
Lettuce	1,000 cwt.	3	522	California	47,250	64,920
Onions (storage only)	1,000 cwt.	5	3,936	California	13,527	48,623
Spinach	1,000 cwt.	5	126	California	4,550	5,978
FRUITS:						
Apples	Mil lbs.	24	22.0	Washington	4,500.0	9,015.0
Cherries, tart	Mil lbs.	8	0.6	Michigan	154.0	227.0
Peaches	Mil lbs.	8	21.0	California	1,870.0	2,523.1
Pears	Tons	7	2,800.0	Washington	446,000.0	921,450.0
LIVESTOCK: <u>4/</u>						
All cattle & calves	1,000 head	10	2,400	Texas	13,900	94,882
All cows <u>5/</u>	1,000 head	25	710	Texas	5,800	41,851
All chickens	1,000 head	23	5,100	Iowa	50,882	448,748
All hogs & pigs	1,000 head	15	770	Iowa	15,800	60,040
All layers	1,000 head	21	4,300	Iowa	41,222	339,989
All sheep & lambs	1,000 head	5	360	Texas	1,100	6,090
Beef cows <u>5/</u>	1,000 head	19	612	Texas	5,483	32,860
Breeding hogs & pigs	1,000 head	13	110	Iowa	1,060	5,966
Breeding sheep & lambs	1,000 head	9	170	Texas	840	4,480
Calf crop, 2003	1,000 head	18	730	Texas	5,100	37,903
Cattle on feed <u>6/</u>	1,000 head	4	1,060	Texas	2,850	13,811
Egg production, 2003	Million	22	1,073	Iowa	10,446	87,196
Fed cattle marketings	1,000 head	4	2,270	Texas	5,940	23,467
Lamb crop, 2003	1,000 head	9	180	Texas	520	4,120
Market hogs & pigs	1,000 head	15	660	Iowa	14,740	54,074
Milk cows <u>5/</u>	1,000 head	23	98	California	1,700	8,991
Milk production, 2003	Mil lbs.	16	2,177	California	35,437	170,312
Market sheep & lambs	1,000 head	3	190	California	355	1,610
Pig crop, 2003	1,000 head	12	2,283	North Carolina	19,494	100,406
Wool production, 2003	1,000 lbs.	6	2,580	Texas	5,600	38,114
MISCELLANEOUS:						
Farms, 2003	Number	28	31,400	Texas	229,000	2,126,000
Land in farms 2003	1,000 acres	11	31,000	Texas	130,500	938,750
Average size of farm 2003	Acres	9	987	Wyoming	3,743	441

1/ Includes Durum wheat. 2/ Excludes Durum wheat. 3/ Fresh market.

4/ Inventory January 1, 2004 for cattle and sheep; December 1, 2003 for hogs and chickens.

5/ Cows and heifers that have calved. 6/ As of 1/1/2004.

Farms and Land in Farms

Farms: Number of farms, land in farms and average size, Colorado and U. S. , 1994-2003

Year	Colorado			United States		
	Farms <u>1/</u>	Land in farms	Average size	Farms <u>1/</u>	Land in farms	Average size
	Number	1,000 Acres	Acres	Number	1,000 Acres	Acres
1994	29,500	32,700	1,108	2,197,690	965,935	440
1995	29,500	32,700	1,108	2,196,400	962,515	438
1996	29,500	32,500	1,102	2,190,500	958,675	438
1997	29,500	32,500	1,102	2,190,510	956,010	436
1998	29,500	32,200	1,092	2,192,330	952,080	434
1999	30,000	31,900	1,063	2,187,280	948,460	434
2000	30,000	31,600	1,060	2,166,780	945,080	436
2001	30,900	31,400	1,023	2,148,630	942,070	438
2002	31,400	31,100	997	2,135,360	940,300	440
2003	31,400	31,000	987	2,126,860	938,750	441

1/ Places with annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more.

Number of Farms: Economic sales class, Colorado and United States, 1994 - 2003

Year	Colorado					United States				
	Economic Sales Class					Economic Sales Class				
	\$1,000-\$9,999	\$10,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$249,999 <u>1/</u>	\$250,000-\$499,999	\$500,000 & Over	\$1,000-\$9,999	\$10,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$249,999 <u>1/</u>	\$250,000-\$499,999	\$500,000 & Over
	Number					Number				
1994	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	1,141,390	709,500	346,800	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>
1995	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	1,157,400	692,100	346,900	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>
1996	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	1,167,800	673,600	349,100	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>
1997	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	1,191,050	645,960	353,500	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>
1998	14,100	10,500	2,600	1,200	1,100	1,184,380	651,400	192,910	92,120	71,520
1999	15,200	10,000	2,500	1,200	1,100	1,187,390	648,710	188,340	90,940	71,900
2000	15,400	10,000	2,400	1,100	1,100	1,183,480	638,380	182,900	89,370	72,650
2001	16,400	10,000	2,300	1,100	1,100	1,189,920	621,490	176,290	87,400	73,530
2002	17,200	9,900	2,300	950	1,050	1,201,840	604,570	168,820	86,550	73,580
2003	17,700	9,700	2,100	900	1,000	1,199,270	600,530	167,230	86,550	73,280

1/ \$100,000 & Over prior to 2002. 2/ Not estimated separately prior to 1998. 3/ Not estimated separately prior to 2002.

Land In Farms: Economic sales class, Colorado and United States, 1994 - 2003

Year	Colorado					United States				
	Economic Sales Class					Economic Sales Class				
	\$1,000-\$9,999	\$10,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$249,999	\$250,000-\$499,999	\$500,000 & Over	\$1,000-\$9,999	\$10,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$249,999 <u>1/</u>	\$250,000-\$499,999	\$500,000 & Over
	Acres					Acres				
1994	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	132,910	310,460	522,565	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
1995	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	133,515	303,200	525,800	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
1996	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	133,790	297,200	527,685	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
1997	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	135,375	288,485	532,150	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
1998	3,800	10,300	7,000	5,100	6,000	131,000	285,825	203,445	145,205	186,605
1999	3,800	10,200	7,000	5,000	5,900	129,810	282,565	201,005	146,245	188,835
2000	3,500	10,200	7,000	4,900	6,000	128,320	279,265	198,705	147,295	191,495
2001	3,400	10,300	7,000	4,800	5,900	127,090	274,895	197,065	148,605	194,415
2002	3,100	10,500	7,100	4,500	5,900	126,625	271,155	196,305	149,170	197,045
2003	3,100	10,500	7,000	4,500	5,900	124,780	270,055	196,145	150,135	197,635

1/ \$100,000 & Over prior to 2002. 2/ Not estimated separately prior to 1998.

HISTORIC STATE LEVEL DATA BY CROP

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Acreage		Yield per acre		Production	Value per unit	Total value		
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harvested					
Field Crops: Acreage, Production and Value, Colorado, 1987-2003	All Wheat								
	1,000 Acres		Bushels		1,000 Bushels	Dollars Per Bu	1,000 Dollars		
	1987	3,160	2,555	30.8	38.1	97,380	2.51	244,751	
	1988	2,554	2,352	31.1	33.8	79,540	3.69	293,248	
	1989	2,775	2,270	22.4	27.4	62,100	3.66	227,401	
	1990	2,742	2,590	31.7	33.6	86,950	2.46	214,235	
	1991	2,638	2,336	28.1	31.7	74,000	3.07	227,126	
	1992	2,700	2,397	27.5	30.9	74,119	3.15	232,932	
	1993	2,835	2,583	34.2	37.5	96,990	3.21	310,335	
	1994	2,945	2,592	27.1	30.8	79,734	3.48	276,828	
	1995	2,940	2,738	35.8	38.4	105,260	4.64	488,528	
	1996	2,870	2,268	26.3	33.3	75,500	4.26	320,855	
	1997	3,053	2,750	29.5	32.8	90,100	3.17	285,580	
	1998	2,812	2,610	36.8	39.6	103,470	2.49	257,118	
	1999	2,653	2,450	40.4	43.8	107,200	2.22	238,336	
	2000	2,548	2,396	28.0	29.8	71,370	2.70	191,991	
	2001	2,397	2,044	28.9	33.8	69,168	2.72	187,852	
	2002	2,375	1,674	16.2	23.0	38,460	3.63	139,675	
	2003	2,630	2,229	29.7	35.1	78,160	3.35	262,590	
	Field Crops: Acreage, Production and Value, Colorado, 1987-2003	Winter Wheat							
		1,000 Acres		Bushels		1,000 Bushels	Dollars Per Bu	1,000 Dollars	
		1987	3,100	2,500	30.0	37.5	93,750	2.51	235,313
		1988	2,500	2,300	30.5	33.0	75,900	3.69	280,071
		1989	2,700	2,200	21.0	26.0	57,200	3.68	210,496
		1990	2,700	2,550	31.0	33.0	84,150	2.47	207,851
		1991	2,600	2,300	27.5	31.0	71,300	3.07	218,891
		1992	2,650	2,350	26.5	30.0	70,500	3.15	222,075
		1993	2,800	2,550	33.5	37.0	94,350	3.21	302,864
		1994	2,900	2,550	26.5	30.0	76,500	3.48	266,220
		1995	2,900	2,700	35.5	38.0	102,600	4.65	477,090
		1996	2,800	2,200	25.0	32.0	70,400	4.27	300,608
		1997	3,000	2,700	29.0	32.0	86,400	3.17	273,888
		1998	2,750	2,550	36.0	39.0	99,450	2.49	247,631
		1999	2,600	2,400	39.5	43.0	103,200	2.23	230,136
		2000	2,500	2,350	27.5	29.0	68,150	2.70	184,005
		2001	2,350	2,000	28.0	33.0	66,000	2.72	179,520
2002		2,350	1,650	15.5	22.0	36,300	3.63	131,769	
2003		2,600	2,200	29.5	35.0	77,000	3.35	257,950	
Field Crops: Acreage, Production and Value, Colorado, 1987-2003		Spring Wheat							
		1,000 Acres		Bushels		1,000 Bushels	Dollars Per Bu	1,000 Dollars	
		1987	60	55	60.5	66.0	3,630	2.60	9,438
		1988	54	52	67.5	70.0	3,640	3.62	13,177
		1989	75	70	65.5	70.0	4,900	3.45	16,905
		1990	42	40	66.5	70.0	2,800	2.28	6,384
		1991	38	36	71.0	75.0	2,700	3.05	8,235
		1992	50	47	72.5	77.0	3,619	3.00	10,857
		1993	35	33	75.5	80.0	2,640	2.83	7,471
		1994	45	42	72.0	77.0	3,234	3.28	10,608
		1995	40	38	66.5	70.0	2,660	4.30	11,438
		1996	70	68	73.0	75.0	5,100	3.97	20,247
		1997	53	50	70.0	74.0	3,700	3.16	11,692
		1998	62	60	65.0	67.0	4,020	2.36	9,487
		1999	53	50	75.5	80.0	4,000	2.05	8,200
		2000	48	46	67.0	70.0	3,220	2.48	7,986
		2001	47	44	67.5	72.0	3,168	2.63	8,332
	2002	25	24	86.5	90.0	2,160	3.66	7,906	
	2003	30	29	38.5	40.0	1,160	4.00	4,640	

Field Crops: Acreage and production by cropping practice, Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Irrigated				Non-Irrigated			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
All Wheat								
	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu		1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu	
1987	272.3	242.0	57.5	13,963	2,887.7	2,313.0	36.0	83,417
1988	221.5	205.0	59.5	12,150	2,332.5	2,147.0	31.5	67,390
1989	201.0	188.7	54.0	10,196	2,574.0	2,081.3	25.0	51,904
1990	187.6	181.5	61.0	11,040	2,554.4	2,408.5	31.5	75,910
1991	158.5	147.0	61.5	9,048	2,479.5	2,189.0	29.5	64,952
1992	183.0	172.0	65.0	11,181	2,517.0	2,225.0	28.5	62,938
1993	183.7	173.0	59.5	10,296	2,651.3	2,410.0	36.0	86,694
1994	181.9	169.5	63.5	10,803	2,763.1	2,422.5	28.5	68,931
1995	200.5	189.5	60.5	11,475	2,739.5	2,548.5	37.0	93,785
1996	234.5	213.0	65.5	13,900	2,635.5	2,055.0	30.0	61,600
1997	243.5	232.0	65.5	15,172	2,809.5	2,518.0	30.0	74,928
1998	208.8	198.0	74.0	14,630	2,603.2	2,412.0	37.0	88,840
1999	211.0	199.5	74.0	14,760	2,442.0	2,250.5	41.0	92,440
2000	229.0	218.5	58.0	12,650	2,319.0	2,177.5	27.0	58,720
2001	202.0	186.5	60.5	11,300	2,195.0	1,857.5	31.0	57,868
2002	180.0	150.0	52.5	7,900	2,195.0	1,524.0	20.0	30,560
2003	213.4	193.0	69.0	13,310	2,416.6	2,036.0	32.0	64,850
Winter Wheat								
	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu		1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu	
1987	228.0	200.0	53.0	10,600	2,872.0	2,300.0	36.0	83,150
1988	175.0	160.0	54.0	8,640	2,325.0	2,140.0	31.5	67,260
1989	140.0	130.0	42.0	5,460	2,560.0	2,070.0	25.0	51,740
1990	155.0	150.0	56.0	8,400	2,545.0	2,400.0	31.5	75,750
1991	130.0	120.0	55.0	6,600	2,470.0	2,180.0	29.5	64,700
1992	145.0	135.0	58.5	7,885	2,505.0	2,215.0	28.5	62,615
1993	155.0	145.0	53.5	7,760	2,645.0	2,405.0	36.0	86,590
1994	145.0	135.0	57.0	7,700	2,755.0	2,415.0	28.5	68,800
1995	170.0	160.0	56.5	9,000	2,730.0	2,540.0	37.0	93,600
1996	180.0	160.0	57.0	9,100	2,620.0	2,040.0	30.0	61,300
1997	200.0	190.0	61.0	11,600	2,800.0	2,510.0	30.0	74,800
1998	170.0	160.0	69.0	11,050	2,580.0	2,390.0	37.0	88,400
1999	170.0	160.0	69.0	11,000	2,430.0	2,240.0	41.0	92,200
2000	190.0	180.0	53.0	9,550	2,310.0	2,170.0	27.0	58,600
2001	170.0	155.0	54.0	8,400	2,180.0	1,845.0	31.0	57,600
2002	160.0	130.0	44.5	5,800	2,190.0	1,520.0	20.0	30,500
2003	200.0	180.0	69.0	12,400	2,400.0	2,020.0	32.0	64,600
Spring Wheat								
	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu		1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu	
1987	44.3	42.0	80.0	3,363	15.7	13.0	20.5	267
1988	46.5	45.0	78.0	3,510	7.5	7.0	18.5	130
1989	61.0	58.7	80.5	4,736	14.0	11.3	14.5	164
1990	32.6	31.5	84.0	2,640	9.4	8.5	19.0	160
1991	28.5	27.0	90.5	2,448	9.5	9.0	28.0	252
1992	38.0	37.0	89.0	3,296	12.0	10.0	32.5	323
1993	28.7	28.0	90.5	2,536	6.3	5.0	21.0	104
1994	36.9	34.5	90.0	3,103	8.1	7.5	17.5	131
1995	30.5	29.5	84.0	2,475	9.5	8.5	22.0	185
1996	54.5	53.0	90.5	4,800	15.5	15.0	20.0	300
1997	43.5	42.0	85.0	3,572	9.5	8.0	16.0	128
1998	38.8	38.0	94.0	3,580	23.2	22.0	20.0	440
1999	41.0	39.5	95.0	3,760	12.0	10.5	23.0	240
2000	39.0	38.5	80.5	3,100	9.0	7.5	16.0	120
2001	32.0	31.5	92.0	2,900	15.0	12.5	21.5	268
2002	20.0	20.0	105.0	2,100	5.0	4.0	15.0	60
2003	13.4	13.0	70.0	910	16.6	16.0	15.5	250

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Acreage		Yield per acre		Production	Value per unit	Total value		
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harvested					
Field Crops: Acreage, Production and Value, Colorado, 1987-2003	Barley								
	1,000 Acres		Bushels		1,000 Bushels	Dollars Per Bu	1,000 Dollars		
	1987	230	220	61.0	64.0	14,080	2.56	36,045	
	1988	185	175	63.5	67.0	11,725	3.01	35,292	
	1989	190	160	64.0	76.0	12,160	3.28	39,885	
	1990	155	150	77.5	80.0	12,000	3.06	36,720	
	1991	140	130	74.5	80.0	10,400	3.14	32,656	
	1992	130	120	75.0	81.0	9,720	2.57	24,980	
	1993	100	90	76.5	85.0	7,650	2.93	22,415	
	1994	90	83	83.0	90.0	7,470	2.64	19,721	
	1995	110	100	91.0	100.0	10,000	2.95	29,500	
	1996	100	92	95.5	104.0	9,568	3.05	29,182	
	1997	95	89	101.0	108.0	9,612	2.98	28,644	
	1998	90	82	105.0	115.0	9,430	2.84	26,781	
	1999	95	86	95.0	105.0	9,030	2.54	22,936	
	2000	110	105	110.0	115.0	12,075	3.08	37,191	
	2001	90	80	95.0	107.0	8,560	2.73	23,369	
	2002	85	72	84.5	100.0	7,200	3.04	21,888	
	2003	85	82	105.0	109.0	8,938	3.05	27,261	
	Field Crops: Acreage, Production and Value, Colorado, 1987-2003	Oats							
		1,000 Acres		Bushels		1,000 Bushels	Dollars Per Bu	1,000 Dollars	
		1987	100	50	27.0	54.0	2,700	1.60	4,320
		1988	110	60	27.5	50.0	3,000	2.45	7,350
		1989	95	55	32.0	55.0	3,025	1.45	4,386
		1990	90	45	25.0	50.0	2,250	1.70	3,825
		1991	88	30	20.5	60.0	1,800	1.60	2,880
		1992	80	26	19.5	60.0	1,560	1.70	2,652
		1993	80	23	18.0	62.0	1,426	1.82	2,595
		1994	75	24	19.0	60.0	1,440	1.80	2,592
		1995	95	33	21.5	62.0	2,046	2.17	4,440
		1996	80	35	23.0	52.0	1,820	2.24	4,077
		1997	70	25	24.5	68.0	1,700	2.05	3,485
		1998	90	25	19.5	70.0	1,750	1.70	2,975
		1999	50	20	26.0	65.0	1,300	1.60	2,080
		2000	80	35	27.5	63.0	2,205	1.90	4,190
		2001	80	32	24.0	60.0	1,920	2.20	4,224
		2002	65	8	6.0	50.0	400	2.90	1,160
2003		100	15	10.0	65.0	975	2.10	2,048	
Field Crops: Acreage, Production and Value, Colorado, 1987-2003		Dry Beans ^{1/}							
		1,000 Acres		Cwt		1,000 Cwt	Dollars Per Cwt	1,000 Dollars	
		1987	185	180	14.50	14.90	2,682	14.60	39,157
		1988	160	155	16.00	16.50	2,558	31.20	79,810
		1989	195	185	15.90	16.80	3,108	30.40	94,483
		1990	245	225	17.40	19.00	4,275	15.90	67,973
		1991	190	180	17.50	18.50	3,330	13.70	45,621
		1992	164	159	15.90	16.40	2,608	19.00	49,552
		1993	205	185	12.70	14.10	2,609	27.00	70,443
		1994	205	195	15.30	16.10	3,140	16.60	52,124
		1995	190	165	13.50	15.50	2,558	18.50	47,323
		1996	145	125	15.50	18.00	2,250	22.50	50,625
		1997	135	120	16.90	19.00	2,280	18.70	42,636
		1998	170	155	16.90	18.50	2,868	15.60	44,741
		1999	155	145	17.80	19.00	2,755	15.10	41,601
		2000	120	110	16.50	18.00	1,980	15.60	30,888
		2001	115	105	15.50	17.00	1,785	23.60	42,126
		2002	92	70	16.50	21.70	1,519	17.70	26,886
	2003	80	73	14.60	16.00	1,168	17.50	20,440	

^{1/} Yield and production on clean basis.

Field Crops: Acreage and production by cropping practice, Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Irrigated				Non-Irrigated			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
Barley								
	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu		1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu	
1987	135.0	129.0	81.5	10,531	95.0	91.0	39.0	3,549
1988	114.0	111.0	87.2	9,680	71.0	64.0	32.0	2,045
1989	127.0	117.0	92.5	10,827	63.0	43.0	31.0	1,333
1990	128.0	126.0	90.0	11,350	27.0	24.0	27.0	650
1991	117.5	112.0	88.5	9,890	22.5	18.0	28.5	510
1992	108.0	103.0	89.0	9,160	22.0	17.0	33.0	560
1993	86.5	80.0	91.5	7,325	13.5	10.0	32.5	325
1994	78.0	73.0	99.0	7,210	12.0	10.0	26.0	260
1995	94.5	86.5	110.5	9,549	15.5	13.5	33.5	451
1996	80.0	78.0	117.0	9,130	20.0	14.0	31.5	438
1997	81.5	79.0	117.5	9,267	13.5	10.0	34.5	345
1998	77.5	73.0	125.0	9,140	12.5	9.0	32.0	290
1999	82.0	75.0	116.5	8,750	13.0	11.0	25.5	280
2000	98.0	97.0	122.5	11,890	12.0	8.0	23.0	185
2001	77.0	73.0	115.0	8,390	13.0	7.0	24.5	170
2002	78.5	70.5	102.0	7,178	6.5	1.5	14.5	22
2003	79.0	77.5	114.0	8,820	6.0	4.5	26.0	118
Oats								
	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu		1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu	
1987	53.0	20.0	65.5	1,310	47.0	30.0	46.5	1,390
1988	52.5	26.0	68.2	1,774	57.5	34.0	36.1	1,226
1989	45.0	33.0	75.0	2,475	50.0	22.0	25.0	550
1990	47.0	27.0	64.5	1,742	43.0	18.0	28.0	508
1991	44.0	17.0	76.5	1,298	44.0	13.0	38.5	502
1992	41.0	16.0	73.0	1,168	39.0	10.0	39.0	392
1993	42.0	14.0	76.5	1,073	38.0	9.0	39.0	353
1994	43.0	15.0	79.5	1,190	32.0	9.0	28.0	250
1995	66.0	20.0	81.5	1,630	29.0	13.0	32.0	416
1996	57.0	22.0	68.5	1,510	23.0	13.0	24.0	310
1997	54.0	15.0	91.5	1,370	16.0	10.0	33.0	330
1998	70.0	16.0	91.0	1,456	20.0	9.0	32.5	294
1999	40.0	12.0	82.5	990	10.0	8.0	39.0	310
2000	65.0	22.0	84.0	1,850	15.0	13.0	27.5	355
2001	55.0	18.0	81.5	1,470	25.0	14.0	32.0	450
2002	45.0	6.0	60.0	360	20.0	2.0	20.0	40
2003	72.0	11.0	78.5	865	28.0	4.0	27.5	110
Dry Beans ^{1/}								
	1,000 Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt		1,000 Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt	
1987	135.0	131.0	18.70	2,450	50.0	49.0	4.70	232
1988	128.6	124.0	19.50	2,418	31.4	31.0	4.50	140
1989	156.0	150.0	20.00	3,003	39.0	35.0	3.00	105
1990	192.5	190.0	21.90	4,155	52.5	35.0	3.40	120
1991	151.0	148.0	21.50	3,188	39.0	32.0	4.40	142
1992	124.4	121.0	20.00	2,414	39.6	38.0	5.10	194
1993	158.3	142.5	17.30	2,471	46.7	42.5	3.20	138
1994	162.0	155.0	19.30	2,995	43.0	40.0	3.60	145
1995	152.0	135.0	18.30	2,465	38.0	30.0	3.10	93
1996	131.0	120.0	18.50	2,218	14.0	5.0	6.40	32
1997	111.0	100.0	21.20	2,120	24.0	20.0	8.00	160
1998	136.0	123.5	22.10	2,730	34.0	31.5	4.40	138
1999	122.5	116.0	22.10	2,560	32.5	29.0	6.70	195
2000	87.8	84.0	22.10	1,860	32.2	26.0	4.60	120
2001	80.5	75.0	22.50	1,685	34.5	30.0	3.30	100
2002	75.0	70.0	21.70	1,519	17.0	0.0	0.00	0.0
2003	53.0	50.0	22.00	1,099	27.0	23.0	3.00	69

^{1/} Yield and production on clean basis.

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1978-2003

Year	Acreage		Yield per acre		Production	Value per unit	Total value
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harvested			
	Corn for Grain 1/						
	1,000 Acres		Bushels		1,000 Bushels	Dollars Per Bu	1,000 Dollars
1978	1,015	730	2/	110.0	80,300	2.26	181,478
1979	1,015	760	2/	127.0	96,520	2.53	244,196
1980	970	760	2/	118.0	89,680	3.05	273,524
1981	960	770	2/	135.0	103,950	2.50	259,875
1982	980	790	2/	129.0	101,910	2.75	280,253
1983	780	610	2/	122.0	74,420	3.17	235,911
1984	840	680	2/	134.0	91,120	2.66	242,379
1985	875	745	2/	139.0	103,555	2.37	245,425
1986	820	710	2/	145.0	102,950	1.60	164,720
1987	800	690	2/	155.0	106,950	1.95	208,553
1988	910	800	2/	160.0	128,000	2.54	325,120
1989	1,050	930	2/	145.0	134,850	2.32	312,852
1990	950	830	2/	155.0	128,650	2.36	303,614
1991	995	870	2/	153.0	133,110	2.43	323,457
1992	990	880	2/	148.0	130,240	2.23	290,435
1993	1,005	890	2/	120.0	106,800	2.65	283,020
1994	950	840	2/	150.0	126,000	2.38	299,880
1995	950	830	2/	111.0	92,130	3.33	306,793
1996	1,000	890	2/	142.0	126,380	2.76	348,809
1997	1,090	980	2/	146.0	143,080	2.59	370,577
1998	1,180	1,070	2/	145.0	155,150	1.96	304,094
1999	1,230	1,120	2/	142.0	159,040	1.84	292,634
2000	1,350	1,150	2/	126.0	144,900	2.08	301,392
2001	1,220	1,070	2/	140.0	149,800	2.13	319,074
2002	1,200	720	2/	156.0	112,320	2.53	284,170
2003	1,080	890	2/	135.0	120,150	2.55	306,383
	Sorghum for Grain 3/						
	1,000 Acres		Bushels		1,000 Bushels	Dollars Per Bu	1,000 Dollars
1978	500	340	2/	31.0	10,540	1.76	18,550
1979	490	340	2/	38.0	12,920	2.14	27,649
1980	490	350	2/	35.0	12,250	3.00	36,750
1981	455	365	2/	33.0	12,045	2.23	26,860
1982	385	310	2/	33.0	10,230	2.58	26,393
1983	295	240	2/	29.0	6,960	2.79	19,418
1984	500	430	2/	37.0	15,910	2.36	37,548
1985	370	320	2/	35.0	11,200	2.03	22,736
1986	380	300	2/	39.0	11,700	1.42	16,614
1987	400	210	2/	43.0	9,030	1.84	16,615
1988	270	180	2/	46.0	8,280	2.25	18,630
1989	400	325	2/	35.0	11,375	2.20	25,025
1990	270	220	2/	47.0	10,340	2.09	21,611
1991	320	270	2/	40.0	10,800	2.25	24,300
1992	230	180	2/	37.0	6,660	1.92	12,787
1993	210	170	2/	42.0	7,140	2.50	17,850
1994	200	170	2/	42.0	7,140	2.14	15,280
1995	200	165	2/	28.0	4,620	3.14	14,507
1996	290	260	2/	51.0	13,260	2.27	30,100
1997	190	150	2/	40.0	6,000	2.19	13,140
1998	200	185	2/	57.0	10,545	1.65	17,399
1999	230	205	2/	42.0	8,610	1.46	12,571
2000	280	210	2/	32.0	6,720	1.83	12,298
2001	310	220	2/	43.0	9,460	1.83	17,323
2002	350	90	2/	20.0	1,800	2.30	4,133
2003	270	160	2/	27.0	4,320	2.30	9,919

1/ "Planted acres" for corn pertains to acreage planted for all purposes.

2/ Not available.

3/ "Planted acres" for sorghum pertains to acreage planted for all purposes.

Field Crops: Acreage and production by cropping practice, Colorado, 1978-2003

Year	Irrigated				Non-Irrigated			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
Corn for Grain <u>1/</u>								
	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu		1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu	
1978	...	705.0	113.5	79,850	...	25.0	18.0	450
1979	...	740.0	129.0	95,640	...	20.0	44.0	880
1980	941.0	735.0	121.0	88,935	29.0	25.0	30.0	745
1981	934.0	747.0	138.0	103,099	26.0	23.0	37.0	851
1982	958.0	770.0	131.0	100,950	22.0	20.0	48.0	960
1983	758.0	590.0	125.0	73,650	22.0	20.0	38.5	770
1984	819.5	660.0	137.0	90,420	20.5	20.0	35.0	700
1985	850.8	721.0	142.5	102,691	24.2	24.0	36.0	864
1986	789.0	682.0	149.0	101,774	31.0	28.0	42.0	1,176
1987	777.0	670.0	158.0	105,950	23.0	20.0	50.0	1,000
1988	888.0	778.0	162.9	126,793	22.0	22.0	54.9	1,207
1989	1,020.0	902.0	148.0	133,310	30.0	28.0	55.0	1,540
1990	923.5	804.0	158.0	127,150	26.5	26.0	57.5	1,500
1991	944.0	820.0	159.0	130,390	51.0	50.0	54.5	2,720
1992	909.0	800.0	156.5	125,000	81.0	80.0	65.5	5,240
1993	911.5	800.0	128.0	102,220	93.5	90.0	51.0	4,580
1994	855.0	750.0	163.0	122,200	95.0	90.0	42.0	3,800
1995	843.0	730.0	121.5	88,680	107.0	100.0	34.5	3,450
1996	885.0	780.0	153.0	119,200	115.0	110.0	65.5	7,180
1997	936.0	830.0	161.0	133,700	154.0	150.0	62.5	9,380
1998	939.0	830.0	167.5	139,000	241.0	240.0	67.5	16,150
1999	937.0	830.0	167.5	139,200	293.0	290.0	68.5	19,840
2000	950.0	810.0	166.0	134,500	400.0	340.0	30.5	10,400
2001	880.0	765.0	175.0	134,000	340.0	305.0	52.0	15,800
2002	800.0	665.0	167.0	109,000	400.0	55.0	26.0	1,420
2003	775.0	685.0	167.0	114,500	305.0	205.0	27.5	5,650
Sorghum for Grain <u>2/</u>								
	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu		1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bu	
1978	...	95.0	58.5	5,577	...	245.0	20.5	4,963
1979	...	95.0	65.5	6,242	...	245.0	27.5	6,678
1980	...	115.0	59.0	6,775	...	235.0	23.5	5,475
1981	...	96.0	55.0	5,280	...	269.0	25.0	6,765
1982	...	83.0	66.5	5,500	...	227.0	21.0	4,730
1983	...	62.0	56.0	3,472	...	178.0	19.5	3,488
1984	...	90.0	75.5	6,817	...	340.0	26.5	9,093
1985	...	66.0	72.0	4,752	...	254.0	25.5	6,448
1986	78.0	65.0	85.0	5,534	302.0	235.0	26.0	6,166
1987	60.0	50.0	82.5	4,125	340.0	160.0	30.5	4,905
1988	70.0	55.0	77.0	4,235	200.0	125.0	32.5	4,045
1989	85.0	75.0	60.0	4,500	315.0	250.0	27.5	6,875
1990	81.5	64.0	76.0	4,850	188.5	156.0	35.0	5,490
1991	82.0	65.0	60.0	3,900	238.0	205.0	33.5	6,900
1992	64.0	45.0	50.5	2,272	166.0	135.0	32.5	4,388
1993	59.0	43.0	64.5	2,780	151.0	127.0	34.5	4,360
1994	47.0	35.0	74.0	2,582	153.0	135.0	34.0	4,558
1995	44.0	32.0	53.5	1,704	156.0	133.0	22.0	2,916
1996	35.0	30.0	79.5	2,387	255.0	230.0	47.5	10,873
1997	43.0	30.0	60.5	1,820	147.0	120.0	35.0	4,180
1998	34.0	26.5	75.5	2,000	166.0	158.5	54.0	8,545
1999	30.0	21.0	68.0	1,428	200.0	184.0	39.0	7,182
2000	47.0	33.0	77.5	2,550	233.0	177.0	23.5	4,170
2001	42.0	33.0	74.0	2,440	268.0	187.0	37.5	7,020
2002	47.0	18.0	52.0	935	303.0	72.0	12.0	865
2003	36.0	29.0	63.5	1,840	234.0	131.0	19.0	2,480

1/ "Planted acres" for corn pertains to acreage planted for all purposes.

2/ "Planted acres" for sorghum pertains to acreage planted for all purposes.

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1978-2003

Corn for Silage

Year	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total				
	Harvested	Yld/Ac	Production	Harvested	Yld/Ac	Production	Harvested	Yld/ Ac	Production	Value/Unit	Total value
	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	Dollars Per Ton	\$ 1,000
1978 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	254	19.0	4,826	15.50	74,803
1979 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	240	20.0	4,800	18.00	86,400
1980 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	193	18.5	3,571	21.00	74,991
1981 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	176	20.5	3,608	19.60	70,717
1982 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	178	21.5	3,827	19.10	73,096
1983 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	160	21.0	3,360	21.60	72,576
1984 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	157	22.0	3,454	21.70	74,952
1985 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	128	23.0	2,944	20.00	58,880
1986 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	95	22.0	2,090	16.40	34,276
1987 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	105	22.0	2,310	15.30	35,343
1988 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	105	23.0	2,415	22.20	53,613
1989 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	115	22.0	2,530	21.30	53,889
1990 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	117	22.5	2,633	21.60	56,873
1991 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	120	22.0	2,640	20.00	52,800
1992 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	100	22.5	2,250	19.10	42,975
1993 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	100	21.0	2,100	19.90	41,790
1994 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	97	21.0	2,037	22.00	44,814
1995 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	105	20.0	2,100	22.00	46,200
1996 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	90	21.5	1,935	24.00	46,440
1997 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	100	22.5	2,250	24.00	54,000
1998 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	100	24.0	2,400	22.00	52,800
1999 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	100	24.0	2,400	20.00	48,000
2000 ..	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	110	22.0	2,420	20.50	49,610
2001 ..	110	24.0	2,615	5	6.0	30	115	23.0	2,645	22.00	58,190
2002 ..	130	24.0	3,110	70	7.0	490	200	18.0	3,600	23.00	82,800
2003 ..	80	22.5	1,810	10	8.0	80	90	21.0	1,890	22.00	41,580

1/ Irrigated and non-irrigated not estimated separately prior to 2001.

Sorghum for Silage

Year	Area Harvested	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production	Value per unit	Total value
	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	Dollars Per Ton	1,000 Dollars
1978 ..	23	11.0	253	15.00	3,795
1979 ..	25	13.0	325	16.50	5,363
1980 ..	22	15.0	330	19.00	6,270
1981 ..	28	13.0	364	18.00	6,552
1982 ..	28	11.0	308	18.70	5,760
1983 ..	20	13.0	260	21.80	5,668
1984 ..	22	11.0	242	19.30	4,671
1985 ..	18	16.0	288	13.70	3,946
1986 ..	19	13.0	247	12.20	3,013
1987 ..	18	15.0	270	12.60	3,402
1988 ..	22	13.0	286	17.00	4,862
1989 ..	25	14.0	350	18.00	6,300
1990 ..	20	13.0	260	19.50	5,070
1991 ..	22	15.0	330	17.70	5,841
1992 ..	20	18.0	360	18.00	6,480
1993 ..	22	16.0	352	20.00	7,040
1994 ..	18	15.0	270	20.00	5,400
1995 ..	13	13.0	169	20.00	3,380
1996 ..	12	13.0	156	19.00	2,964
1997 ..	18	13.0	234	21.50	5,031
1998 ..	11	13.0	143	21.00	3,003
1999 ..	10	17.0	170	19.50	3,315
2000 ..	12	16.0	192	18.00	3,456
2001 ..	12	20.0	240	17.00	4,080
2002 ..	15	9.0	135	19.50	2,633
2003 ..	15	14.0	210	17.50	3,675

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1987-2003 1/

Year	Acreage		Yield per acre		Production	Value per unit	Total value
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harvested			
1987 1988 1989 1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001 2002 2003	Sunflower, All						
	1,000 Acres		Pounds		1,000 Pounds	Dollars Per Cwt	1,000 Dollars
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	63	60	925	971	58,250	9.60	5,585
	70	67	1,309	1,367	91,600	10.20	9,384
	85	77	1,047	1,156	89,000	13.20	11,717
	100	95	963	1,014	96,300	11.30	10,860
	115	110	897	938	103,160	12.70	13,173
	110	107	1,153	1,185	126,800	13.30	16,844
	85	80	1,013	1,076	86,100	12.30	10,395
	160	150	1,245	1,328	199,250	11.50	22,903
	270	265	1,291	1,315	348,450	8.80	30,668
	220	180	785	959	172,650	8.50	14,327
	195	182	1,067	1,143	208,100	9.50	19,708
	130	80	462	750	60,000	12.90	7,752
	130	118	910	1,003	118,330	11.50	13,610
	Sunflower, Oil						
	1,000 Acres		Pounds		1,000 Pounds	Dollars Per Cwt	1,000 Dollars
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	37	35	900	950	33,250	8.00	2,660
	46	44	1,290	1,350	59,400	8.75	5,198
	60	54	1,010	1,120	60,480	12.30	7,439
	72	69	960	1,000	69,000	10.20	7,038
	65	62	780	820	50,840	11.40	5,796
	45	44	1,420	1,450	63,800	10.80	6,890
	50	47	1,130	1,200	56,400	10.90	6,148
	115	107	1,300	1,400	149,800	10.70	16,029
	175	172	1,330	1,350	232,200	7.40	17,183
	150	125	790	950	118,750	6.80	8,075
	130	120	1,052	1,140	136,800	8.10	11,081
	95	60	410	650	39,000	12.50	4,875
95	85	895	1,000	85,000	10.60	9,010	
Sunflower, Non-Oil							
1,000 Acres		Pounds		1,000 Pounds	Dollars Per Cwt	1,000 Dollars	
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26	25	960	1,000	25,000	11.70	2,925	
24	23	1,340	1,400	32,200	13.00	4,186	
25	23	1,140	1,240	28,520	15.00	4,278	
28	26	980	1,050	27,300	14.00	3,822	
50	48	1,050	1,090	52,320	14.10	7,377	
65	63	970	1,000	63,000	15.80	9,954	
35	33	850	900	29,700	14.30	4,247	
45	43	1,100	1,150	49,450	13.90	6,874	
95	93	1,220	1,250	116,250	11.60	13,485	
70	55	770	980	53,900	11.60	6,252	
65	62	1,100	1,150	71,300	12.10	8,627	
35	20	600	1,050	21,000	13.70	2,877	
35	33	952	1,010	33,330	13.80	4,600	

1/ Estimates began 1991.

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Acreage		Yield per acre		Production	Value per unit	Total value
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harvested			
	All Hay						
	1,000 Acres		Tons		1,000 Tons	Dollars Per Ton	1,000 Dollars
1987	1/	1,500	1/	2.70	4,044	62.00	250,728
1988	1/	1,650	1/	2.40	3,957	82.00	324,474
1989	1/	1,500	1/	2.30	3,450	91.50	315,450
1990	1/	1,550	1/	2.45	3,805	80.50	303,953
1991	1/	1,500	1/	2.71	4,062	70.50	287,076
1992	1/	1,480	1/	2.83	4,189	64.50	267,741
1993	1/	1,400	1/	3.00	4,193	77.00	319,491
1994	1/	1,330	1/	3.05	4,060	91.00	368,284
1995	1/	1,400	1/	2.89	4,050	87.50	354,960
1996	1/	1,510	1/	2.77	4,180	96.00	402,120
1997	1/	1,590	1/	2.98	4,739	101.00	485,954
1998	1/	1,410	1/	3.26	4,602	92.00	430,782
1999	1/	1,520	1/	3.03	4,598	69.00	310,194
2000	1/	1,400	1/	2.91	4,080	85.50	347,880
2001	1/	1,600	1/	2.99	4,780	101.00	480,440
2002	1/	1,350	1/	2.22	3,003	116.00	358,644
2003	1/	1,500	1/	2.41	3,610	92.50	352,200
	Alfalfa Hay						
	1,000 Acres		Tons		1,000 Tons	Dollars Per Ton	1,000 Dollars
1987	1/	830	1/	3.50	2,905	62.40	181,249
1988	1/	780	1/	3.40	2,652	85.70	227,252
1989	1/	750	1/	3.20	2,400	92.60	222,225
1990	1/	740	1/	3.50	2,590	81.00	209,790
1991	1/	720	1/	3.80	2,736	71.00	194,256
1992	1/	780	1/	3.80	2,964	64.50	191,178
1993	1/	850	1/	3.80	3,230	77.00	248,710
1994	1/	840	1/	3.90	3,276	91.00	298,116
1995	1/	850	1/	3.60	3,060	88.50	270,810
1996	1/	860	1/	3.50	3,010	99.00	297,990
1997	1/	840	1/	3.90	3,276	101.00	330,876
1998	1/	810	1/	4.20	3,402	91.00	309,582
1999	1/	900	1/	3.80	3,420	69.00	235,980
2000	1/	900	1/	3.70	3,330	86.00	286,380
2001	1/	950	1/	3.80	3,610	101.00	364,610
2002	1/	780	1/	2.90	2,262	114.00	257,868
2003	1/	800	1/	3.20	2,560	90.00	230,400
	Other Hay 2/						
	1,000 Acres		Tons		1,000 Tons	Dollars Per Ton	1,000 Dollars
1987	1/	670	1/	1.70	1,139	61.00	69,479
1988	1/	870	1/	1.50	1,305	74.50	97,222
1989	1/	750	1/	1.40	1,050	89.00	93,450
1990	1/	810	1/	1.50	1,215	77.50	94,163
1991	1/	780	1/	1.70	1,326	70.00	92,820
1992	1/	700	1/	1.75	1,225	62.50	76,563
1993	1/	550	1/	1.75	963	73.50	70,781
1994	1/	490	1/	1.60	784	89.50	70,168
1995	1/	550	1/	1.80	990	85.00	84,150
1996	1/	650	1/	1.80	1,170	89.00	104,130
1997	1/	750	1/	1.95	1,463	106.00	155,078
1998	1/	600	1/	2.00	1,200	101.00	121,200
1999	1/	620	1/	1.90	1,178	63.00	74,214
2000	1/	500	1/	1.50	750	82.00	61,500
2001	1/	650	1/	1.80	1,170	99.00	115,830
2002	1/	570	1/	1.30	741	136.00	100,776
2003	1/	700	1/	1.50	1,050	116.00	121,800

1/ Not estimated.

2/ Includes wild, millet, sudan, clover & timothy, grain, and other miscellaneous tame hays.

Field Crops: Acreage and production by cropping practice, Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Irrigated				Non-Irrigated			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
All Hay								
	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons		
1987	1/	1,175	3.10	3,637	1/	325	1.25	407
1988	1/	1,286	2.75	3,526	1/	364	1.20	431
1989	1/	1,155	2.65	3,060	1/	345	1.15	390
1990	1/	1,200	2.80	3,365	1/	350	1.25	440
1991	1/	1,170	3.05	3,557	1/	330	1.55	505
1992	1/	1,189	3.15	3,737	1/	291	1.55	452
1993	1/	1,160	3.30	3,829	1/	240	1.50	364
1994	1/	1,121	3.35	3,777	1/	209	1.35	283
1995	1/	1,174	3.20	3,735	1/	226	1.40	315
1996	1/	1,250	3.05	3,823	1/	260	1.35	357
1997	1/	1,285	3.30	4,236	1/	305	1.65	503
1998	1/	1,150	3.65	4,180	1/	260	1.60	422
1999	1/	1,250	3.35	4,180	1/	270	1.55	418
2000	1/	1,980	3.25	3,878	1/	202	1.00	202
2001	1/	1,315	3.35	4,415	1/	285	1.30	365
2002	1/	1,140	2.50	2,842	1/	210	0.75	161
2003	1/	1,185	2.80	3,290	1/	315	1.00	320
Alfalfa Hay								
	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons		
1987	1/	700	3.90	2,740	1/	130	1.25	165
1988	1/	670	3.75	2,526	1/	110	1.15	126
1989	1/	650	3.50	2,290	1/	100	1.10	110
1990	1/	650	3.80	2,485	1/	90	1.15	105
1991	1/	635	4.10	2,601	1/	85	1.60	135
1992	1/	694	4.05	2,817	1/	86	1.70	147
1993	1/	765	4.05	3,094	1/	85	1.60	136
1994	1/	756	4.15	3,153	1/	84	1.45	123
1995	1/	774	3.80	2,940	1/	76	1.60	120
1996	1/	790	3.70	2,923	1/	70	1.25	87
1997	1/	755	4.15	3,140	1/	85	1.60	136
1998	1/	730	4.50	3,280	1/	80	1.55	122
1999	1/	800	4.10	3,280	1/	100	1.40	140
2000	1/	820	3.95	3,258	1/	80	.90	72
2001	1/	850	4.10	3,505	1/	100	1.05	105
2002	1/	720	3.10	2,227	1/	60	0.60	35
2003	1/	715	3.45	2,470	1/	85	1.05	90
Other Hay 2/								
	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons		
1987	1/	475	1.85	897	1/	195	1.25	242
1988	1/	616	1.60	1,000	1/	254	1.20	305
1989	1/	505	1.50	770	1/	245	1.15	280
1990	1/	550	1.60	880	1/	260	1.30	335
1991	1/	535	1.80	956	1/	245	1.50	370
1992	1/	495	1.85	920	1/	205	1.50	305
1993	1/	395	1.85	735	1/	155	1.45	228
1994	1/	365	1.70	624	1/	125	1.30	160
1995	1/	400	2.00	795	1/	150	1.30	195
1996	1/	460	1.95	900	1/	190	1.40	270
1997	1/	530	2.05	1,096	1/	220	1.65	367
1998	1/	420	2.15	900	1/	180	1.65	300
1999	1/	450	2.00	900	1/	170	1.65	278
2000	1/	378	1.65	620	1/	122	1.05	130
2001	1/	465	1.95	910	1/	185	1.40	260
2002	1/	420	1.45	615	1/	150	0.85	126
2003	1/	470	1.75	820	1/	230	1.00	230

1/ Not estimated.

2/ Includes wild, millet, sudan, clover & timothy, grain and other miscellaneous tame hays.

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Acreage		Yield per acre		Production	Value per unit	Total value		
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harvested					
Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1987-2003	All Potatoes								
	1,000 Acres		Cwt		1,000 Cwt	Dollars Per Cwt	1,000 Dollars		
	1987	67.5	66.3	316	322	21,359	2.10	44,164	
	1988	66.2	65.6	316	319	20,901	7.15	149,993	
	1989	68.8	68.2	331	334	22,747	8.10	184,899	
	1990	72.8	72.2	342	345	24,874	4.65	115,681	
	1991	78.0	74.9	331	345	25,836	2.25	57,576	
	1992	73.4	72.7	329	332	24,120	4.20	100,702	
	1993	80.8	80.4	344	346	27,812	6.05	167,747	
	1994	83.5	83.0	346	348	28,864	3.75	107,377	
	1995	86.3	85.9	308	309	26,584	6.25	166,705	
	1996	88.0	87.6	370	372	32,556	1.90	60,542	
	1997	84.8	84.5	325	326	27,577	4.60	126,164	
	1998	83.5	83.2	335	336	27,985	4.70	130,700	
	1999	84.9	84.4	333	335	28,237	4.35	122,926	
	2000	84.3	83.9	367	369	30,960	3.20	97,756	
	2001	73.9	73.4	316	318	23,373	9.35	219,602	
	2002	78.0	77.8	387	388	30,153	6.40	192,198	
	2003	73.1	72.4	358	362	26,198	4.85	126,769	
	Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1987-2003	Fall Potatoes							
		1,000 Acres		Cwt		1,000 Cwt	Dollars Per Cwt	1,000 Dollars	
		1987	61.0	60.0	320	325	19,500	1.75	34,125
		1988	60.0	59.5	317	320	19,040	7.35	139,944
		1989	62.0	61.5	332	335	20,603	8.35	172,035
		1990	65.5	65.0	347	350	22,750	4.45	101,238
		1991	71.0	68.0	335	350	23,800	2.00	47,600
		1992	66.5	66.0	332	335	22,110	4.05	89,546
		1993	72.5	72.2	349	350	25,270	6.10	154,147
		1994	74.0	73.7	349	350	25,795	3.55	91,572
		1995	77.0	76.8	309	310	23,808	6.25	148,800
		1996	78.0	77.8	374	375	29,175	1.60	46,680
		1997	77.0	76.9	325	325	24,993	4.50	112,469
		1998	75.8	75.7	335	335	25,360	4.60	116,656
		1999	77.2	76.9	334	335	25,762	4.20	108,200
		2000	75.8	75.6	369	370	27,972	2.95	82,517
		2001	68.1	67.8	313	315	21,357	9.65	206,095
2002		71.6	71.5	389	390	27,885	6.25	174,281	
2003		66.3	65.7	357	360	23,652	4.80	113,530	
Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1987-2003		Summer Potatoes							
		1,000 Acres		Cwt		1,000 Cwt	Dollars Per Cwt	1,000 Dollars	
		1987	6.5	6.3	286	295	1,859	5.40	10,039
		1988	6.2	6.1	300	305	1,861	5.40	10,049
		1989	6.8	6.7	315	320	2,144	6.00	12,864
		1990	7.3	7.2	291	295	2,124	6.80	14,443
		1991	7.0	6.9	291	295	2,036	4.90	9,976
		1992	6.9	6.7	291	300	2,010	5.55	11,156
		1993	8.3	8.2	306	310	2,542	5.35	13,600
		1994	9.5	9.3	323	330	3,069	5.15	15,805
		1995	9.3	9.1	298	305	2,776	6.45	17,905
		1996	10.0	9.8	338	345	3,381	4.10	13,862
		1997	7.8	7.6	331	340	2,584	5.30	13,695
		1998	7.7	7.5	341	350	2,625	5.35	14,044
		1999	7.7	7.5	321	330	2,475	5.95	14,726
		2000	8.5	8.3	352	360	2,988	5.10	15,239
		2001	5.8	5.6	348	360	2,016	6.70	13,507
	2002	6.4	6.3	354	360	2,268	7.90	17,917	
	2003	6.8	6.7	374	380	2,546	5.20	13,239	

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1978-2003

Year	Acreage		Yield per acre		Production	Value per unit	Total value		
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harvested					
	Millet								
	1,000 Acres		Cwt		1,000 Cwt	Dollars Per Cwt	1,000 Dollars		
	1978	160	85	7.0	13.0	1,105	4.25	4,696	
	1979	200	125	8.0	13.0	1,625	4.35	7,069	
	1980	90	40	5.0	11.0	440	8.00	3,520	
	1981	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1982	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1983	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1984	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1985	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1986	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1987	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1988	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1989	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1990	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1991	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1992	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1993	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1994	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1995	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1996	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1997	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
	1998	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	
		1,000 Acres		Bushels		1,000 Bushels	Dollars Per Bu	1,000 Dollars	
		1999	250	240	32.5	34.0	8,160	2.00	16,320
		2000	190	150	15.0	19.0	2,850	4.80	13,680
		2001	240	230	33.5	35.0	8,050	2.00	16,100
		2002	220	95	4.5	10.0	950	7.40	7,030
		2003	320	285	17.0	19.0	5,415	2.70	14,621
		Sugar Beets							
		1,000 Acres		Tons		1,000 Tons	Dollars Per Ton	1,000 Dollars	
		1978	89.0	84.0	17.3	18.3	1,538	27.60	42,449
		1979	76.0	73.0	17.9	18.6	1,358	34.10	46,308
	1980	94.0	91.0	18.4	19.0	1,729	47.50	82,128	
	1981	80.0	77.0	21.7	22.5	1,733	33.80	58,575	
	1982	50.0	46.0	18.4	20.0	920	35.00	32,200	
	1983	42.0	37.2	14.4	16.2	603	33.40	20,140	
	1984	48.3	44.2	20.0	21.8	964	22.40	21,594	
	1985	2.9	2.5	15.9	18.4	46	27.40	1,260	
	1986	37.8	37.2	23.5	23.9	889	32.90	29,248	
	1987	37.4	37.0	21.5	21.7	803	35.40	28,426	
	1988	39.1	38.6	22.5	22.8	880	42.10	37,048	
1989	40.6	40.0	22.5	22.8	912	43.70	39,854		
1990	40.8	40.0	23.1	23.6	944	39.80	37,571		
1991	40.7	40.2	23.7	24.0	965	39.80	38,407		
1992	40.2	39.9	23.7	23.9	954	39.50	37,683		
1993	40.3	40.0	23.0	23.1	924	38.40	35,482		
1994	44.3	43.2	21.4	21.9	946	35.70	33,772		
1995	42.8	41.1	16.7	17.4	715	35.40	25,311		
1996	54.8	51.1	18.8	20.2	1,032	41.20	42,518		
1997	67.9	66.4	19.3	19.7	1,308	34.10	44,603		
1998	62.5	57.3	20.8	22.7	1,301	35.40	46,055		
1999	72.1	68.5	20.2	21.3	1,459	31.40	45,813		
2000	71.5	53.6	16.9	22.5	1,206	28.70	34,612		
2001	41.5	36.8	19.9	22.4	824	34.20	28,181		
2002	43.9	39.5	18.1	20.1	794	36.80	29,219		
2003	28.6	27.4	22.5	23.5	644	2/	2/		

1/ Estimates discontinued 1981; resumed 1999.

2/ Not available.

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The estimated value of production for Colorado's principal field crops (excluding sugar beets) totaled just over \$1.18 billion in 2003, up 5 percent from the comparable value of \$1.13 billion in 2002. The value of production from the state's four leading crops (hay, corn, wheat and potatoes) totaled \$1.09 billion for the 2003 crops and accounted for 92.2 percent of the total value from all crops (excluding sugar beets). The severe drought conditions during 2002 improved somewhat in 2003 and resulted in higher production than the previous year for each crop except corn silage, spring wheat, sugar beets, dry beans and fall potatoes. The hot dry weather and water shortages continued into 2003, especially along the South Platt River, the southeast and in the San Luis Valley where potato growers voluntarily reduced plantings of that crop by 7 percent.

Hay continued to be Colorado's leading crop in value of production. The value of all hay production dropped 2 percent from the previous year to \$352.2 million but still accounted for 29.8 percent of the total value from all crops produced excluding sugarbeets. Value of the 2003 alfalfa hay crop, at \$230.4 million, was down 11 percent from the previous year as a 21 percent drop in the average price per ton more than offset a 13 percent increase in the total production. The value of production for all other hay increased 21 percent to \$121.8 million as a 42 percent increase in production to 1.05 million tons more than offset a 15 percent drop in the average price per ton.

Corn was the state's second leading crop produced in the state in terms of total value of production. The combined value of corn for grain and corn for silage was estimated at just under \$348.0 million for the 2003 crop, down 5 percent from the comparable value of \$367.0 million for the 2002 crop. Corn for grain production increased 7 percent from a year earlier as lower yields nearly offset a 24 percent increase in acres harvested. The 2003 corn for grain crop was valued at \$306.4 million, representing 25.9 percent of the total value from all crops excluding sugar beets. A 47 percent decline in production and slightly lower prices for corn silage in 2003 resulted in a total value of production of \$41.6 million, down 50 percent from the value of the 2002 crop.

Wheat moved up to a third place ranking in value of production for 2003 with a total value of \$262.6 million, nearly double the \$139.7 million received for the drought reduced 2002 crop. The value of the winter wheat crop, at just under \$258.0 million, was up 96 percent while the value of the spring wheat crop declined 41 percent to \$4.6 million. The 2003 winter wheat crop of 77.0 million bushels was more than double the 36.3 million bushel crop produced in 2002 which was the smallest crop since 1967.

Potatoes ranked fourth in terms of value of production with the 2003 crop value estimated at just under \$126.8 million, down 34 percent from \$192.2 million received for the 2002 crop. The summer potato crop was 12 percent larger than the 2002 crop but the fall potato crop declined 15 percent from the previous year. Total value of the 2003 fall crop is estimated at \$113.5 million, down 35 percent from the \$174.3 million received from the 2002 crop. The 2003 summer crop was valued at \$13.2 million, down 26 percent from the previous year.

The 2003 **barley** crop has an estimated value of \$27.3 million, up 25 percent from the 2002 crop value of \$21.9 million. Producers harvested 14 percent more acres than a year earlier, experienced a 9.0 bushel increase in the average yield from the previous year and received slightly higher prices for the latest crop. **Sugarbeet** production totaled just 644,000 tons in 2003, down 19 percent from the 2002 crop of 794,000 tons to the smallest crop since 1985. The 27,400 acres harvested represented a decline of 31 percent from the previous year as potential water shortages at planting time caused many producers to shift to lower water use crops. The 2002 crop was valued at \$29.2 million but no value has yet been determined for the 2003 crop.

The **dry edible bean** crop produced in 2003 was valued at \$20.4 million, down 24 percent from the previous year. Harvested acreage was up 3,000 acres (4 percent) from the previous year to 73,000 acres in 2003. Total production of 1.17 million cwt was down 23 percent from the 2002 crop. In addition, prices received for the latest crop are expected to average \$17.50 per cwt, down \$0.20 per cwt from the average of \$17.70 per cwt received for the previous year's crop.

Proso millet production in 2003 had an estimated value of \$14.6 million, more than double the value of the 2002 crop. Producers harvested 285,000 acres of proso millet in 2003, three times more acres than they did in 2002. Total production, at 5.4 million bushels, was nearly six times larger than the 2002 crop. However, prices for the 2003 crop averaged just \$2.70 per bushel, well below the \$7.40 per bushel average received for the 2002 crop.

The 2003 crop of **sunflowers** was valued at \$13.6 million, up 76 percent from the 2002 crop value of \$7.8 million. A 48 percent increase in acres harvested and higher yields resulted in a 97 percent increase in production. Production of oil varieties, at 85.0 million pounds, more than doubled that of a year earlier. Non-oil production increased 59 percent to 33.3 million pounds. Value of the oil crop is estimated at \$9.0 million and the non-oil crop has an estimated value of \$4.6 million.

The combined production of **grain and silage sorghum** had an estimated value of just under \$13.6 million for the 2003 crop compared with \$6.8 million the previous year. Sorghum for grain production in 2003 totaled 4.3 million bushels, up sharply from year earlier as producers harvested 78 percent more acres and realized a 7.0 bushel increase in the average yield. Total value of production of grain sorghum totaled \$9.9 million compared with \$4.1 million the previous year. Sorghum silage production, at 210,000 tons, increased 56 percent from 2002. Total value of the 2003 crop was estimated at \$3.7 million, up 40 percent from the \$2.6 million crop produced in 2002.

The value of **oat** production in Colorado for the 2003 crop totaled \$2.0 million, up 77 percent from \$1.2 million for the 2002 crop. The harvested acreage increased from 8,000 acres in 2002 to 15,000 acres in 2003. Per acre yields averaged 65.0 bushels per acre for the 2003 crop compared with 50.0 bushels the previous year. Total production, at 975,000 bushels was more than double the 400,000 bushel crop produced in 2002.

Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 2002-2003

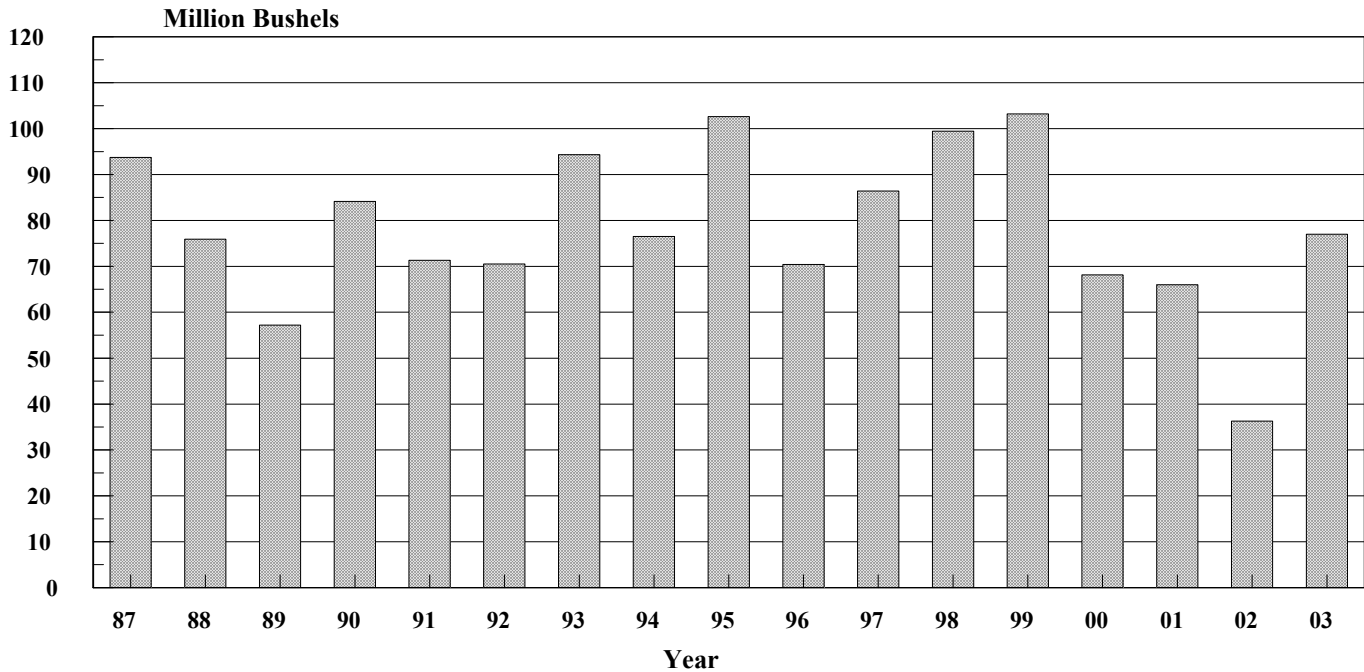
Year and Crop	Acreage planted	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Total production	Unit	Value per unit	Total value
2002	1,000 Acres		Unit	1,000 Units		Dollars	1,000 Dollars
All wheat	2,375	1,674	23.0	38,460	Bu	3.63	139,675
Winter wheat	2,350	1,650	22.0	36,300	Bu	3.63	131,769
Spring wheat	25	24	90.0	2,160	Bu	3.66	7,906
Corn, all purposes	1,200	---	---	---	---	---	---
Corn for grain	---	720	156.0	112,320	Bu	2.53	284,170
Corn for silage	---	200	18.0	3,600	Tons	23.00	82,800
Sorghum, all purposes	350	---	---	---	---	---	---
Sorghum for grain	---	90	20.0	1,800	Bu	2.30	4,133
Sorghum for silage	---	15	9.0	135	Tons	19.50	2,633
Barley	85	72	100.0	7,200	Bu	3.04	21,888
Oats	65	8	50.0	400	Bu	2.90	1,160
Proso Millet	220	95	10.0	950	Bu	7.40	7,030
Dry Beans <u>1/</u>	92	70	21.70	1,519	Cwt	17.70	26,886
Sugar beets	43.9	39.5	20.1	794	Tons	36.80	29,219
Sunflower	130	80	750	60,000	Lbs	12.90 <u>2/</u>	7,752
Oil varieties	95	60	650	39,000	Lbs	12.50 <u>2/</u>	4,875
Non-Oil varieties	35	20	1,050	21,000	Lbs	13.70 <u>2/</u>	2,877
All hay	---	1,350	2.22	3,003	Tons	116.00	358,644
Alfalfa hay	---	780	2.90	2,262	Tons	114.00	257,868
All other hay	---	570	1.30	741	Tons	136.00	100,776
All potatoes	78.0	77.8	388	30,153	Cwt	6.40	192,198
Summer potatoes	6.4	6.3	360	2,268	Cwt	7.90	17,917
Fall potatoes	71.6	71.5	390	27,885	Cwt	6.25	174,281
Total field crops	---	4,491.3	---	---	---	---	1,158,188
2003	1,000 Acres		Unit	1,000 Units		Dollars	1,000 Dollars
All wheat	2,630	2,229	35.1	78,160	Bu	3.35	262,590
Winter wheat	2,600	2,200	35.0	77,000	Bu	3.35	257,950
Spring wheat	30	29	40.0	1,160	Bu	4.00	4,640
Corn, all purposes	1,080	---	---	---	---	---	---
Corn for grain	---	890	135.0	120,150	Bu	2.55	306,383
Corn for silage	---	90	21.0	1,890	Tons	22.00	41,580
Sorghum, all purposes	270	---	---	---	---	---	---
Sorghum for grain	---	160	27.0	4,320	Bu	2.30	9,919
Sorghum for silage	---	15	14.0	210	Tons	17.50	3,675
Barley	85	82	109.0	8,938	Bu	3.05	27,261
Oats	100	15	65.0	975	Bu	2.10	2,048
Proso Millet	320	285	19.0	5,415	Bu	2.70	14,621
Dry Beans <u>1/</u>	80	73	16.00	1,168	Cwt	17.50	20,440
Sugar beets	28.6	27.4	23.5	644	Tons	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>
Sunflower	130	118	1,003	118,330	Lbs	11.50 <u>2/</u>	13,610
Oil varieties	95	85	1,000	85,000	Lbs	10.60 <u>2/</u>	9,010
Non-Oil varieties	35	33	1,010	33,330	Lbs	13.80 <u>2/</u>	4,600
All hay	---	1,500	2.41	3,610	Tons	92.50	352,200
Alfalfa hay	---	800	3.20	2,560	Tons	90.00	230,400
All other hay	---	700	1.50	1,050	Tons	116.00	121,800
All potatoes	73.1	72.4	362	26,198	Cwt	4.85	126,769
Summer potatoes	6.8	6.7	380	2,546	Cwt	5.20	13,239
Fall potatoes	66.3	65.7	360	23,652	Cwt	4.80	113,530
Total field crops	---	5,556.8	---	---	---	---	1,181,096 <u>4/</u>

1/ Yield, production, price, and value on clean basis. 2/ Dollars per hundredweight.

3/ Available February 2005. 4/ Total excluding sugar beets.

COUNTY ESTIMATES

Winter Wheat: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Million Bushels)



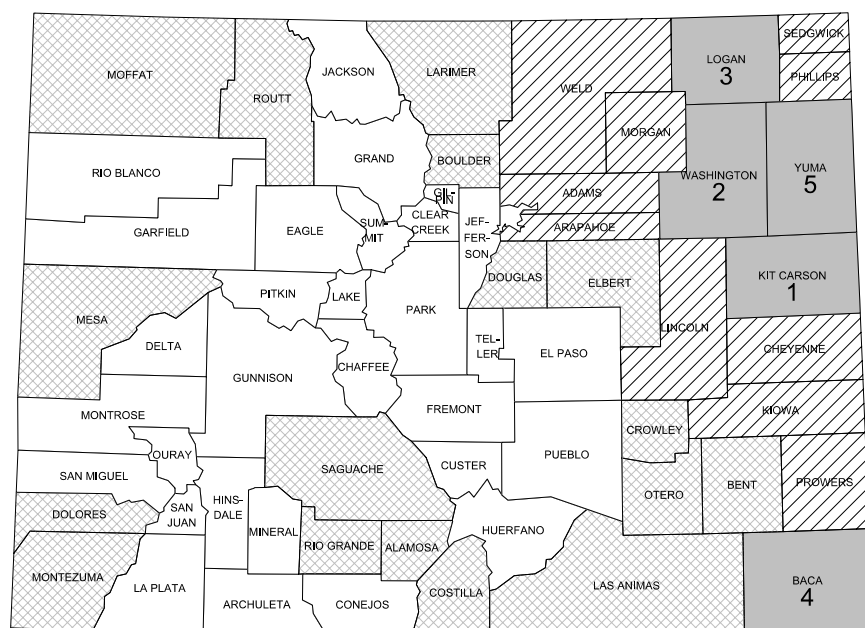
Winter Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	12,900	...	...	...	12,000	14.5	176,000	12,000	14.5	176,000
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	600	...	...	...	500	16.0	8,000	500	16.0	8,000
Routt	6,000	...	...	...	5,500	17.5	96,000	5,500	17.5	96,000
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	19,500	...	...	...	18,000	15.5	280,000	18,000	15.5	280,000
Boulder	7,000	1,000	35.0	35,000	2,000	20.0	40,000	3,000	25.0	75,000
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	7,500	1,200	62.5	75,000	3,800	19.5	75,000	5,000	30.0	150,000
Logan	158,000	4,000	45.0	180,000	136,000	18.5	2,500,000	140,000	19.0	2,680,000
Morgan	65,500	11,300	56.0	635,000	48,700	22.0	1,060,000	60,000	28.5	1,695,000
Sedgwick . . .	85,500	3,000	70.0	210,000	79,000	26.5	2,100,000	82,000	28.0	2,310,000
Weld	167,000	11,500	41.5	475,000	118,500	22.0	2,590,000	130,000	23.5	3,065,000
Northeast	490,500	32,000	50.5	1,610,000	388,000	21.5	8,365,000	420,000	24.0	9,975,000

Winter Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	155,000	2,500	48.0	120,000	131,500	24.0	3,150,000	134,000	24.5	3,270,000
Arapahoe . . .	96,200	...	...	...	85,000	21.0	1,770,000	85,000	21.0	1,770,000
Cheyenne . . .	148,000	3,000	34.0	102,000	57,000	12.0	680,000	60,000	13.0	782,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	2,200	...	...	...	2,000	17.5	35,000	2,000	17.5	35,000
Elbert	27,500	...	...	...	24,500	19.0	460,000	24,500	19.0	460,000
El Paso	2,100	...	...	...	500	10.0	5,000	500	10.0	5,000
Kiowa	207,000	1,000	20.0	20,000	41,000	8.0	330,000	42,000	8.5	350,000
Kit Carson . .	240,000	25,000	30.0	750,000	170,000	18.0	3,060,000	195,000	19.5	3,810,000
Lincoln	108,000	500	26.0	13,000	93,500	22.0	2,040,000	94,000	22.0	2,053,000
Phillips	108,000	2,600	67.5	175,000	87,400	20.0	1,730,000	90,000	21.0	1,905,000
Washington . .	238,000	3,000	60.0	180,000	224,000	21.5	4,860,000	227,000	22.0	5,040,000
Yuma	133,000	11,400	53.5	610,000	108,600	24.0	2,620,000	120,000	27.0	3,230,000
East Central	1,465,000	49,000	40.0	1,970,000	1,025,000	20.0	20,740,000	1,074,000	21.0	22,710,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	200	200	85.0	17,000	...	...	...	200	85.0	17,000
Dolores	15,500	...	...	...	10,800	14.0	150,000	10,800	14.0	150,000
Garfield	2,000	...	...	...	800	14.0	11,000	800	14.0	11,000
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	1,500	...	...	...	300	6.5	2,000	300	6.5	2,000
Mesa	2,800	2,500	88.0	220,000	...	...	...	2,500	88.0	220,000
Montezuma . .	7,000	800	69.0	55,000	1,000	9.0	9,000	1,800	35.5	64,000
Montrose	900	500	76.0	38,000	...	...	...	500	76.0	38,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	1,100	...	...	...	1,100	30.0	33,000	1,100	30.0	33,000
Southwest	31,000	4,000	82.5	330,000	14,000	14.5	205,000	18,000	29.5	535,000
Alamosa	1,800	1,200	70.0	84,000	...	...	...	1,200	70.0	84,000
Conejos	300	300	86.5	26,000	...	...	...	300	86.5	26,000
Costilla	700	500	66.0	33,000	...	...	...	500	66.0	33,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	600	500	68.0	34,000	...	...	...	500	68.0	34,000
Saguache	600	500	66.0	33,000	...	...	...	500	66.0	33,000
San Luis Valley	4,000	3,000	70.0	210,000	...	...	...	3,000	70.0	210,000
Baca	192,000	24,000	33.0	790,000	26,000	11.0	281,000	50,000	21.5	1,071,000
Bent	6,800	2,400	37.5	90,000	2,100	8.0	17,000	4,500	24.0	107,000
Crowley	4,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . .	2,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	4,000	2,500	50.0	125,000	...	...	...	2,500	50.0	125,000
Prowers	128,000	12,600	51.5	650,000	46,900	13.0	612,000	59,500	21.0	1,262,000
Pueblo	3,200	500	50.0	25,000	...	...	...	500	50.0	25,000
Southeast	340,000	42,000	40.0	1,680,000	75,000	12.0	910,000	117,000	22.0	2,590,000
State Total	2,350,000	130,000	44.5	5,800,000	1,520,000	20.0	30,500,000	1,650,000	22.0	36,300,000

Winter Wheat: Production by County, Colorado, 2003 with Ranking of First Five Counties



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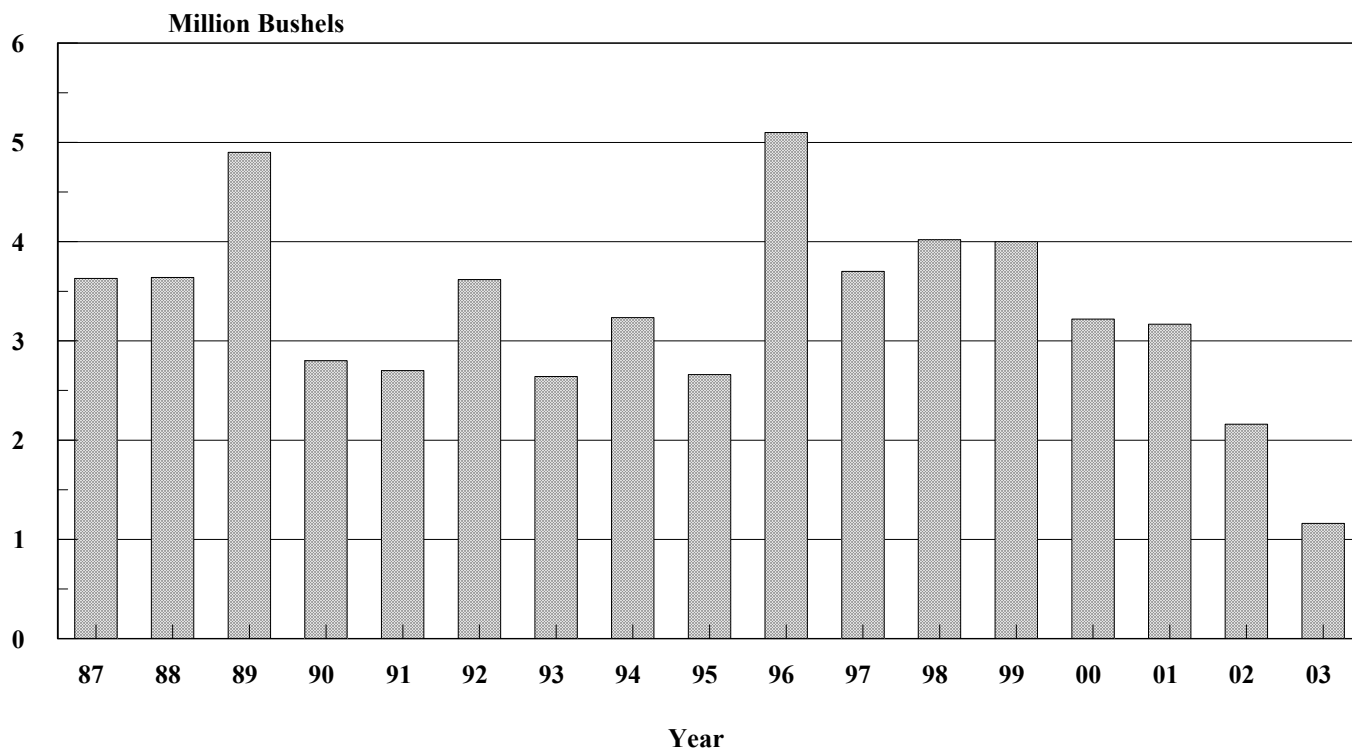
Winter Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003

County and District	Acreage planted Acres	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro-duction Bu.	Acreage har-vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro-duction Bu.	Acreage har-vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro-duction Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	13,400	...	...	...	13,000	24.5	320,000	13,000	24.5	320,000
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	600	...	...	...	500	36.0	18,000	500	36.0	18,000
Routt	8,000	...	...	...	7,500	24.5	182,000	7,500	24.5	182,000
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	22,000	...	...	...	21,000	25.0	520,000	21,000	25.0	520,000
Boulder	4,700	1,400	71.5	100,000	2,600	38.5	100,000	4,000	50.0	200,000
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	7,000	1,300	77.0	100,000	4,700	42.5	200,000	6,000	50.0	300,000
Logan	175,000	9,300	69.0	640,000	150,700	34.5	5,200,000	160,000	36.5	5,840,000
Morgan	77,700	14,000	63.5	890,000	51,000	29.5	1,500,000	65,000	37.0	2,390,000
Sedgwick . . .	87,000	4,000	75.0	300,000	81,000	49.5	4,000,000	85,000	50.5	4,300,000
Weld	168,600	20,000	73.5	1,470,000	120,000	28.5	3,400,000	140,000	35.0	4,870,000
Northeast	520,000	50,000	70.0	3,500,000	410,000	35.0	14,400,000	460,000	39.0	17,900,000

Winter Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	160,100	3,000	73.5	220,000	117,000	29.0	3,420,000	120,000	30.5	3,640,000
Arapahoe . . .	70,600	500	60.0	30,000	57,500	22.5	1,280,000	58,000	22.5	1,310,000
Cheyenne . . .	161,500	4,500	42.0	190,000	115,500	29.0	3,370,000	120,000	29.5	3,560,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	2,300	...	...	...	2,000	30.0	60,000	2,000	30.0	60,000
Elbert	23,700	...	...	...	20,000	24.0	480,000	20,000	24.0	480,000
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	224,500	2,500	40.0	100,000	167,500	25.0	4,150,000	170,000	25.0	4,250,000
Kit Carson . .	342,700	42,000	71.5	3,000,000	258,000	33.0	8,470,000	300,000	38.0	11,470,000
Lincoln	122,100	1,000	50.0	50,000	99,000	32.0	3,190,000	100,000	32.5	3,240,000
Phillips	105,600	3,500	74.5	260,000	96,500	46.5	4,490,000	100,000	47.5	4,750,000
Washington . .	253,900	5,000	72.0	360,000	215,000	38.5	8,240,000	220,000	39.0	8,600,000
Yuma	153,000	18,000	83.0	1,490,000	112,000	38.0	4,250,000	130,000	44.0	5,740,000
East Central	1,620,000	80,000	71.5	5,700,000	1,260,000	33.0	41,400,000	1,340,000	35.0	47,100,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	300	300	100.0	30,000	...	...	...	300	100.0	30,000
Dolores	20,000	...	...	...	17,600	17.0	295,000	17,600	17.0	295,000
Garfield	700	...	...	...	500	16.0	8,000	500	16.0	8,000
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	2,300	...	...	...	1,000	10.0	10,000	1,000	10.0	10,000
Mesa	2,400	2,200	113.5	250,000	...	...	...	2,200	113.5	250,000
Montezuma . .	6,600	...	...	...	3,100	17.0	53,000	3,100	17.0	53,000
Montrose	800	500	80.0	40,000	...	...	...	500	80.0	40,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	900	...	...	...	800	17.5	14,000	800	17.5	14,000
Southwest	34,000	3,000	106.5	320,000	23,000	16.5	380,000	26,000	27.0	700,000
Alamosa	1,600	1,200	121.0	145,000	...	...	...	1,200	121.0	145,000
Conejos	400	300	116.5	35,000	...	...	...	300	116.5	35,000
Costilla	600	500	120.0	60,000	...	...	...	500	120.0	60,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	700	500	120.0	60,000	...	...	...	500	120.0	60,000
Saguache	700	500	120.0	60,000	...	...	...	500	120.0	60,000
San Luis Valley	4,000	3,000	120.0	360,000	...	...	...	3,000	120.0	360,000
Baca	240,000	21,500	59.5	1,280,000	188,500	24.0	4,530,000	210,000	27.5	5,810,000
Bent	8,100	4,000	45.0	180,000	3,000	30.0	90,000	7,000	38.5	270,000
Crowley	4,500	...	...	...	4,000	20.0	80,000	4,000	20.0	80,000
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . .	2,300	...	...	...	2,000	27.5	55,000	2,000	27.5	55,000
Otero	4,800	2,800	75.0	210,000	700	20.0	14,000	3,500	64.0	224,000
Prowers	138,800	15,500	53.5	830,000	107,500	29.0	3,120,000	123,000	32.0	3,950,000
Pueblo	1,500	200	100.0	20,000	300	36.5	11,000	500	62.0	31,000
Southeast	400,000	44,000	57.5	2,520,000	306,000	26.0	7,900,000	350,000	30.0	10,420,000
State Total	2,600,000	180,000	69.0	12,400,000	2,020,000	32.0	64,600,000	2,200,000	35.0	77,000,000

Spring Wheat: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Million Bushels)



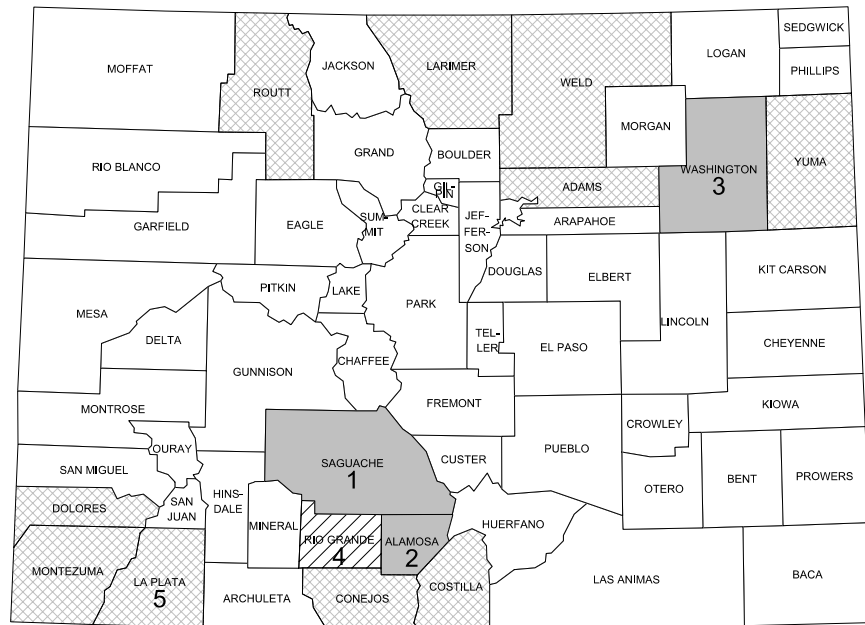
Spring Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	200	...	...	...	200	10.0	2,000	200	10.0	2,000
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	200	...	...	...	200	10.0	2,000	200	10.0	2,000
Routt	1,600	...	...	...	1,600	16.5	26,000	1,600	16.5	26,000
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	2,000	...	...	...	2,000	15.0	30,000	2,000	15.0	30,000
Boulder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	800	800	51.5	41,000	...	...	...	800	51.5	41,000
Logan	200	200	50.0	10,000	...	...	...	200	50.0	10,000
Morgan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sedgwick . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Weld	1,000	1,000	49.0	49,000	...	...	...	1,000	49.0	49,000
Northeast	2,000	2,000	50.0	100,000	...	...	...	2,000	50.0	100,000

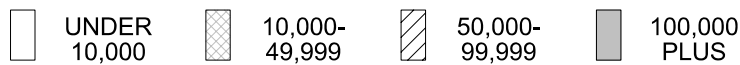
Spring Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	1,800	...	...	...	800	20.0	16,000	800	20.0	16,000
Arapahoe . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Washington . .	200	...	...	...	200	20.0	4,000	200	20.0	4,000
Yuma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Central	2,000	...	...	...	1,000	20.0	20,000	1,000	20.0	20,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	300	...	...	...	300	11.5	3,500	300	11.5	3,500
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	700	...	...	...	700	9.5	6,500	700	9.5	6,500
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	10.0	10,000	1,000	10.0	10,000
Alamosa	4,500	4,500	120.0	540,000	...	...	...	4,500	120.0	540,000
Conejos	500	500	80.0	40,000	...	...	...	500	80.0	40,000
Costilla	2,500	2,500	96.0	240,000	...	...	...	2,500	96.0	240,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . . .	2,500	2,500	112.0	280,000	...	...	...	2,500	112.0	280,000
Saguache	8,000	8,000	112.5	900,000	...	...	...	8,000	112.5	900,000
San Luis Valley	18,000	18,000	111.0	2,000,000	...	...	...	18,000	111.0	2,000,000
Baca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pueblo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
State Total	25,000	20,000	105.0	2,100,000	4,000	15.0	60,000	24,000	90.0	2,160,000

Spring Wheat: Production by County, Colorado, 2003 with Ranking of First Five Counties



Bushels



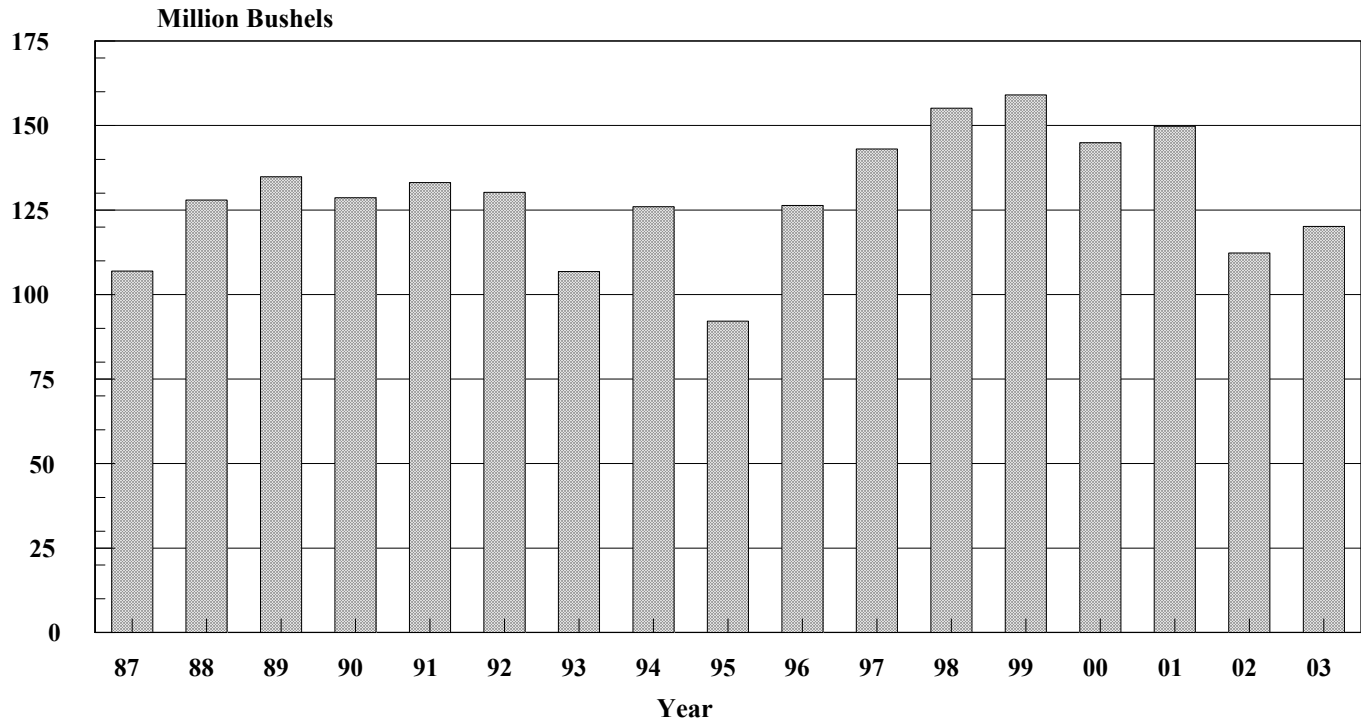
Spring Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	300	...	...	...	300	16.5	5,000	300	16.5	5,000
Routt	1,400	...	...	...	1,300	18.5	24,000	1,300	18.5	24,000
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	1,700	...	...	...	1,600	18.0	29,000	1,600	18.0	29,000
Boulder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	1,100	500	46.0	23,000	500	14.0	7,000	1,000	30.0	30,000
Logan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Morgan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sedgwick . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Weld	1,600	700	38.5	27,000	600	16.5	10,000	1,300	28.5	37,000
Northeast	2,700	1,200	41.5	50,000	1,100	15.5	17,000	2,300	29.0	67,000

Spring Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District		Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage planted	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	20.0	20,000	1,000	20.0	20,000
Arapahoe . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Washington . .	4,600	...	...	...	4,600	25.5	117,000	4,600	25.5	117,000
Yuma	500	...	...	...	500	26.0	13,000	500	26.0	13,000
East Central	6,100	...	...	...	6,100	24.5	150,000	6,100	24.5	150,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	2,600	200	60.0	12,000	2,300	6.0	14,000	2,500	10.5	26,000
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	4,400	400	52.5	21,000	3,600	8.0	28,000	4,000	12.5	49,000
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma . .	1,500	200	60.0	12,000	1,300	9.0	12,000	1,500	16.0	24,000
Montrose . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	8,500	800	56.5	45,000	7,200	7.5	54,000	8,000	12.5	99,000
Alamosa	3,000	3,000	70.0	210,000	...	...	...	3,000	70.0	210,000
Conejos	500	500	60.0	30,000	...	...	...	500	60.0	30,000
Costilla	500	500	60.0	30,000	...	...	...	500	60.0	30,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	1,000	1,000	75.0	75,000	...	...	...	1,000	75.0	75,000
Saguache . . .	6,000	6,000	78.5	470,000	...	...	...	6,000	78.5	470,000
San Luis Valley	11,000	11,000	74.0	815,000	...	...	...	11,000	74.0	815,000
Baca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pueblo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
State Total	30,000	13,000	70.0	910,000	16,000	15.5	250,000	29,000	40.0	1,160,000

Corn for Grain: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Million Bushels)



Corn for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Acreage planted 1/	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	3,200	1,000	110.0	110,000	...	...	...	1,000	110.0	110,000
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	14,000	6,000	111.5	670,000	...	...	...	6,000	111.5	670,000
Logan	78,500	35,000	134.0	4,690,000	10,000	15.0	150,000	45,000	107.5	4,840,000
Morgan	80,800	65,000	167.5	10,890,000	...	...	...	65,000	167.5	10,890,000
Sedgwick . . .	55,500	35,000	151.5	5,300,000	11,500	42.5	490,000	46,500	124.5	5,790,000
Weld	109,500	61,000	163.5	9,960,000	1,000	30.0	30,000	62,000	161.0	9,990,000
Northeast	341,500	203,000	156.0	31,620,000	22,500	30.0	670,000	225,500	143.0	32,290,000

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Corn for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District	Acreage planted 1/ Acres	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har- vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro- duc- tion Bu.	Acreage har- vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro- duc- tion Bu.	Acreage har- vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro- duc- tion Bu.
Adams	9,400	3,600	119.5	430,000	400	15.0	6,000	4,000	109.0	436,000
Arapahoe ...	800	400	150.0	60,000	...	...	...	400	150.0	60,000
Cheyenne ...	87,000	14,000	115.0	1,610,000	500	16.0	8,000	14,500	111.5	1,618,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	3,100	...	...	...	900	15.5	14,000	900	15.5	14,000
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	18,100	400	125.0	50,000	...	...	...	400	125.0	50,000
Kit Carson ..	202,500	91,500	117.0	10,700,000	1,500	26.5	40,000	93,000	115.5	10,740,000
Lincoln	25,600	1,600	162.5	260,000	2,100	19.0	40,000	3,700	81.0	300,000
Phillips	116,000	62,500	181.5	11,330,000	18,000	23.0	412,000	80,500	146.0	11,742,000
Washington ..	65,000	23,500	159.5	3,750,000	1,400	21.5	30,000	24,900	152.0	3,780,000
Yuma	232,500	200,500	207.5	41,610,000	7,200	26.5	190,000	207,700	201.5	41,800,000
East Central	760,000	398,000	175.5	69,800,000	32,000	23.0	740,000	430,000	164.0	70,540,000
Archuleta ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	3,700	2,400	189.5	455,000	...	...	...	2,400	189.5	455,000
Dolores	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	3,500	1,900	179.0	340,000	...	...	...	1,900	179.0	340,000
Montezuma ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose ...	7,800	4,200	144.0	605,000	...	...	...	4,200	144.0	605,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	15,500	8,500	164.5	1,400,000	...	...	...	8,500	164.5	1,400,000
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	32,700	29,000	167.0	4,850,000	...	...	...	29,000	167.0	4,850,000
Bent	9,400	4,000	100.0	400,000	...	...	...	4,000	100.0	400,000
Crowley	1,100	400	100.0	40,000	...	...	...	400	100.0	40,000
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas ..	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	14,500	9,700	112.5	1,090,000	...	...	...	9,700	112.5	1,090,000
Prowers	19,300	8,200	149.0	1,220,000	500	20.0	10,000	8,700	141.5	1,230,000
Pueblo	5,500	4,200	114.5	480,000	...	...	...	4,200	114.5	480,000
Southeast	83,000	55,500	145.5	8,080,000	500	20.0	10,000	56,000	144.5	8,090,000
State Total	1,200,000	665,000	167.0	110,900,000	55,000	26.0	1,420,000	720,000	156.0	112,320,000

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 UNDER 100,000
 100,000-999,999
 1,000,000-7,499,999
 7,500,000 PLUS

Corn for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2000										
County and District	Acreage planted <u>1/</u> Acres	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har- vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro- duc- tion Bu.	Acreage har- vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro- duc- tion Bu.	Acreage har- vested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro- duc- tion Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	1,900	1,000	140.0	140,000	...	...	...	1,000	140.0	140,000
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	8,400	2,000	155.0	310,000	...	...	...	2,000	155.0	310,000
Logan	68,200	40,000	156.0	6,230,000	25,000	38.5	965,000	65,000	110.5	7,195,000
Morgan	61,100	53,500	162.5	8,700,000	1,500	26.5	40,000	55,000	159.0	8,740,000
Sedgwick . . .	47,200	32,000	159.5	5,100,000	10,000	37.5	373,000	42,000	130.5	5,473,000
Weld	98,200	53,500	134.5	7,200,000	1,500	28.0	42,000	55,000	131.5	7,242,000
Northeast	285,000	182,000	152.0	27,680,000	38,000	37.5	1,420,000	220,000	132.5	29,100,000

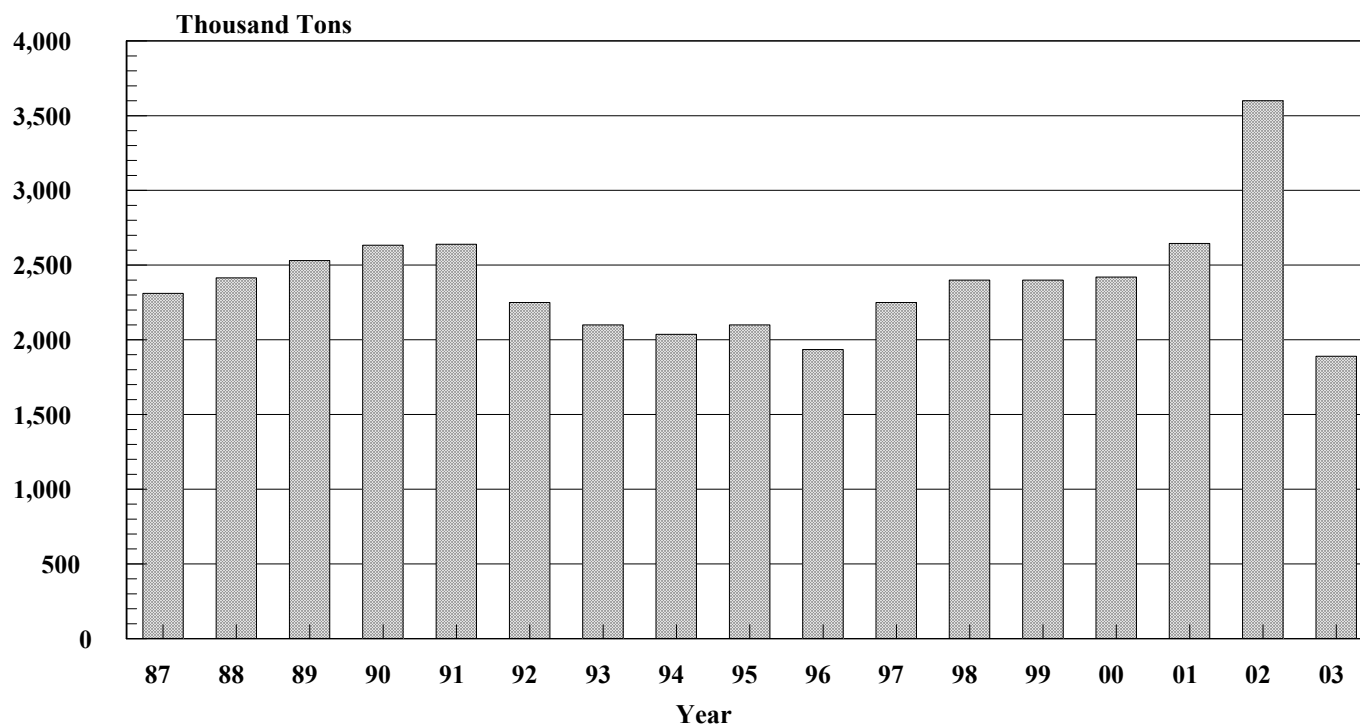
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Corn for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District	Acreage planted 1/	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	13,000	2,300	145.5	335,000	8,200	20.0	165,000	10,500	47.5	500,000
Arapahoe ...	2,000	800	119.0	95,000	700	43.0	30,000	1,500	83.5	125,000
Cheyenne ...	84,000	24,000	162.5	3,900,000	25,000	11.0	280,000	49,000	85.5	4,180,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	4,200	400	175.0	70,000	3,600	21.0	75,000	4,000	36.5	145,000
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	11,800	1,800	147.0	265,000	3,200	15.5	50,000	5,000	63.0	315,000
Kit Carson ..	179,300	120,000	157.0	18,815,000	25,000	17.5	435,000	145,000	133.0	19,250,000
Lincoln	24,900	1,700	164.5	280,000	18,300	27.5	500,000	20,000	39.0	780,000
Phillips	116,900	70,000	181.0	12,670,000	45,000	36.0	1,630,000	115,000	124.5	14,300,000
Washington ..	64,900	22,000	159.0	3,500,000	33,000	29.5	970,000	55,000	81.5	4,470,000
Yuma	242,000	227,000	185.0	42,000,000	3,000	25.0	75,000	230,000	183.0	42,075,000
East Central	743,000	470,000	174.5	81,930,000	165,000	25.5	4,210,000	635,000	135.5	86,140,000
Archuleta ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	4,400	2,200	159.0	350,000	...	...	...	2,200	159.0	350,000
Dolores	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	5,700	2,500	138.0	345,000	...	...	...	2,500	138.0	345,000
Montezuma ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose ...	9,200	5,300	154.5	820,000	...	...	...	5,300	154.5	820,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	19,500	10,000	151.5	1,515,000	...	...	...	10,000	151.5	1,515,000
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	17,500	15,300	144.5	2,210,000	1,700	9.5	16,000	17,000	131.0	2,226,000
Bent	1,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	300	300	100.0	30,000	...	...	...	300	100.0	30,000
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	600	200	100.0	20,000	...	...	...	200	100.0	20,000
Las Animas ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	300	300	183.5	55,000	...	...	...	300	183.5	55,000
Prowers	7,400	4,100	173.0	710,000	300	13.5	4,000	4,400	162.5	714,000
Pueblo	4,200	2,800	125.0	350,000	...	...	...	2,800	125.0	350,000
Southeast	32,500	23,000	146.5	3,375,000	2,000	10.0	20,000	25,000	136.0	3,395,000
State Total	1,080,000	685,000	167.0	114,500,000	205,000	27.5	5,650,000	890,000	135.0	120,150,000

1/ Planted for all purposes.

Corn for Silage: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Thousand Tons)



Corn for Silage: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Acreage planted 1/	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	3,200	1,100	18.0	20,000	...	...	...	1,100	18.0	20,000
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	14,000	8,000	22.0	175,000	...	...	...	8,000	22.0	175,000
Logan	78,500	12,000	26.0	310,000	3,000	10.0	30,000	15,000	22.5	340,000
Morgan	80,800	11,000	24.5	270,000	1,400	6.5	9,000	12,400	22.5	279,000
Sedgwick ...	55,500	900	28.0	25,000	5,800	11.0	63,000	6,700	13.0	88,000
Weld	109,500	45,000	27.5	1,240,000	800	10.0	8,000	45,800	27.0	1,248,000
Northeast	341,500	78,000	26.0	2,040,000	11,000	10.0	110,000	89,000	24.0	2,150,000

1/ Planted for all purposes.

Corn for Silage: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District	Acreage planted 1/	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Adams	9,400	1,300	13.0	17,000	...	...	...	1,300	13.0	17,000
Arapahoe . . .	800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne . . .	87,000	1,500	16.0	24,000	3,500	4.0	14,000	5,000	7.5	38,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	3,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	18,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson . .	202,500	8,700	18.5	160,000	9,500	6.5	60,000	18,200	12.0	220,000
Lincoln	25,600	...	...	...	11,500	6.0	67,000	11,500	6.0	67,000
Phillips	116,000	1,500	24.5	37,000	4,000	6.0	24,000	5,500	11.0	61,000
Washington . .	65,000	500	24.0	12,000	25,000	6.5	165,000	25,500	7.0	177,000
Yuma	232,500	9,500	29.5	280,000	5,500	9.0	50,000	15,000	22.0	330,000
East Central	760,000	23,000	23.0	530,000	59,000	6.5	380,000	82,000	11.0	910,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	3,700	1,200	22.5	27,000	...	...	...	1,200	22.5	27,000
Dolores	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	3,500	1,600	22.0	35,000	...	...	...	1,600	22.0	35,000
Montezuma . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	7,800	2,700	21.5	58,000	...	...	...	2,700	21.5	58,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	15,500	5,500	22.0	120,000	...	...	...	5,500	22.0	120,000
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	32,700	2,000	14.5	29,000	...	...	...	2,000	14.5	29,000
Bent	9,400	5,400	13.5	73,000	...	...	...	5,400	13.5	73,000
Crowley	1,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	300	300	26.5	8,000	...	...	...	300	26.5	8,000
Las Animas . .	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	14,500	4,800	15.0	73,000	...	...	...	4,800	15.0	73,000
Prowers	19,300	9,700	22.0	212,000	...	...	...	9,700	22.0	212,000
Pueblo	5,500	1,300	19.0	25,000	...	...	...	1,300	19.0	25,000
Southeast	83,000	23,500	18.0	420,000	...	...	...	23,500	18.0	420,000
State Total	1,200,000	130,000	24.0	3,110,000	70,000	7.0	490,000	200,000	18.0	3,600,000

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A map of Colorado showing its 64 counties. Five regions are highlighted with different patterns and numbers:

- Region 1:** Shaded gray, includes Weld and Morgan counties.
- Region 2:** Shaded gray, includes Yuma county.
- Region 3:** Shaded gray, includes Larimer county.
- Region 4:** Diagonal lines, includes Mesa, Delta, and Montrose counties.
- Region 5:** Cross-hatch pattern, includes Morgan county.

The following table lists the counties in each region:

Region	Counties
1	Weld, Morgan
2	Yuma
3	Larimer
4	Mesa, Delta, Montrose
5	Morgan

 UNDER 10,000
 10,000-24,999
 25,000-99,999
 100,000 PLUS

County and District	Acreage planted 1/ Acres	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
		Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	1,900	800	19.0	15,000	...	...	...	800	19.0	15,000
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	8,400	6,000	23.5	140,000	...	...	...	6,000	23.5	140,000
Logan	68,200	1,700	23.5	40,000	...	...	...	1,700	23.5	40,000
Morgan	61,100	3,500	21.5	75,000	1,000	8.0	8,000	4,500	18.5	83,000
Sedgwick . . .	47,200	1,000	25.0	25,000	3,000	12.5	37,000	4,000	15.5	62,000
Weld	98,200	42,000	23.5	990,000	...	...	...	42,000	23.5	990,000
Northeast	285,000	55,000	23.5	1,285,000	4,000	11.5	45,000	59,000	22.5	1,330,000

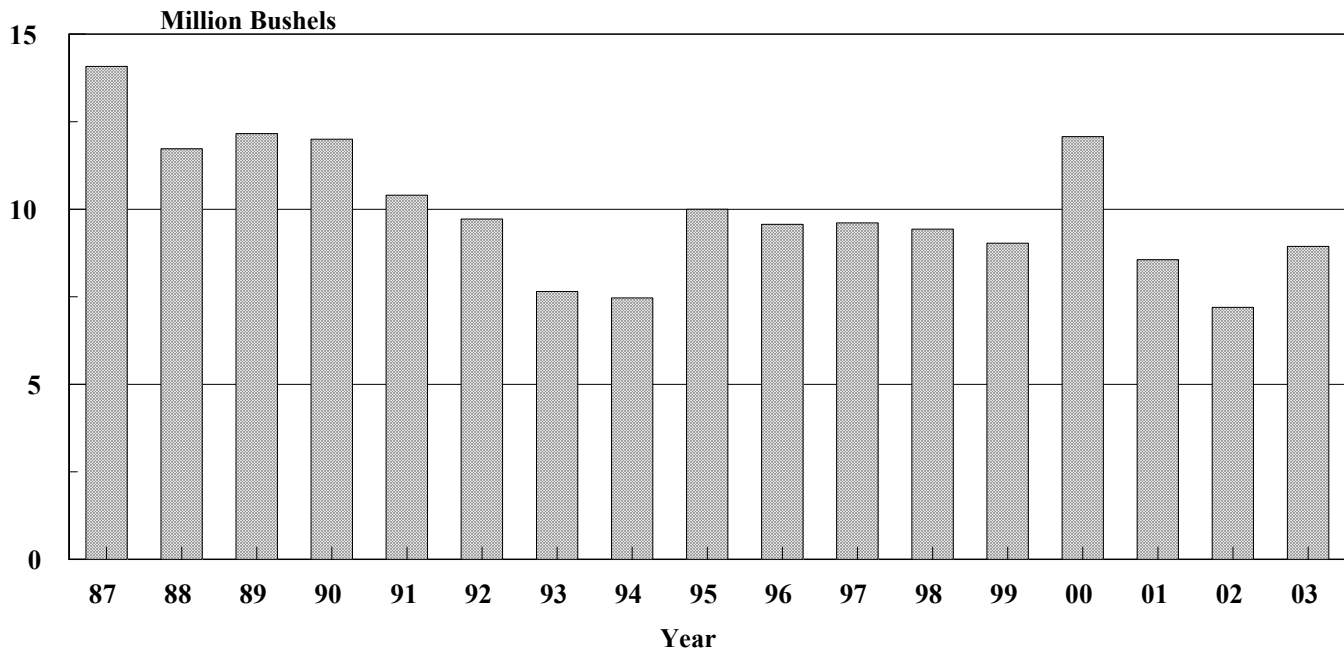
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Corn for Silage: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District	Acreage planted 1/	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Adams	13,000	900	21.0	19,000	500	4.0	2,000	1,400	15.0	21,000
Arapahoe . . .	2,000	...	...	...	500	6.0	3,000	500	6.0	3,000
Cheyenne . . .	84,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	4,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	11,800	...	...	...	2,000	4.0	8,000	2,000	4.0	8,000
Kit Carson . .	179,300	1,300	19.0	25,000	2,000	8.5	17,000	3,300	12.5	42,000
Lincoln	24,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	116,900	900	28.0	25,000	...	...	...	900	28.0	25,000
Washington . .	64,900	400	27.5	11,000	1,000	5.0	5,000	1,400	11.5	16,000
Yuma	242,000	7,500	22.5	170,000	...	...	...	7,500	22.5	170,000
East Central	743,000	11,000	22.5	250,000	6,000	6.0	35,000	17,000	17.0	285,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	4,400	2,100	24.0	50,000	...	...	...	2,100	24.0	50,000
Dolores	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	5,700	2,300	21.0	48,000	...	...	...	2,300	21.0	48,000
Montezuma . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	9,200	3,600	24.0	87,000	...	...	...	3,600	24.0	87,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	19,500	8,000	23.0	185,000	...	...	...	8,000	23.0	185,000
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	17,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bent	1,500	1,300	11.0	14,000	...	...	...	1,300	11.0	14,000
Crowley	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	700	700	20.0	14,000	...	...	...	700	20.0	14,000
Huerfano	600	400	20.0	8,000	...	...	...	400	20.0	8,000
Las Animas . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	7,400	2,300	13.5	31,000	...	...	...	2,300	13.5	31,000
Pueblo	4,200	1,300	17.5	23,000	...	...	...	1,300	17.5	23,000
Southeast	32,500	6,000	15.0	90,000	...	...	...	6,000	15.0	90,000
State Total	1,080,000	80,000	22.5	1,810,000	10,000	8.0	80,000	90,000	21.0	1,890,000

1/ Planted for all purposes.

Barley: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Million Bushels)



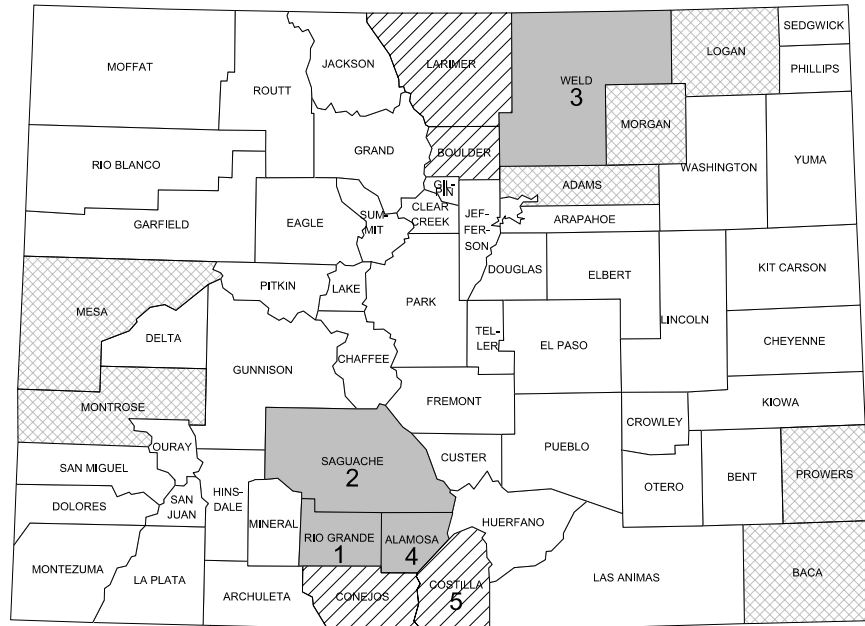
Barley: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	1,300	...	...	...	1,000	16.0	16,000	1,000	16.0	16,000
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	1,900	...	...	...	1,000	16.0	16,000	1,000	16.0	16,000
Boulder	3,100	2,000	38.5	77,000	...	...	...	2,000	38.5	77,000
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	4,100	3,000	50.0	150,000	...	...	...	3,000	50.0	150,000
Logan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Morgan	600	300	83.5	25,000	...	...	...	300	83.5	25,000
Sedgwick . . .	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Weld	19,900	13,900	79.0	1,095,000	300	13.5	4,000	14,200	77.5	1,099,000
Northeast	28,000	19,200	70.0	1,347,000	300	13.5	4,000	19,500	69.5	1,351,000

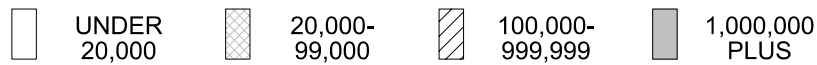
Barley: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District	Irrigated				Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage planted	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	2,700	1,100	52.5	58,000	200	10.0	2,000	1,300	46.0	60,000
Arapahoe . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson . .	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Washington . .	800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yuma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Central	3,700	1,100	52.5	58,000	200	10.0	2,000	1,300	46.0	60,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	200	200	100.0	20,000	...	...	...	200	100.0	20,000
Dolores	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	1,100	1,000	43.0	43,000	...	...	...	1,000	43.0	43,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . . .	300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	1,900	1,200	52.5	63,000	...	...	...	1,200	52.5	63,000
Alamosa	9,300	9,000	116.5	1,050,000	...	...	...	9,000	116.5	1,050,000
Conejos	6,200	6,000	106.5	640,000	...	...	...	6,000	106.5	640,000
Costilla	4,000	4,000	125.0	500,000	...	...	...	4,000	125.0	500,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . . .	16,500	16,500	115.0	1,895,000	...	...	...	16,500	115.0	1,895,000
Saguache	13,000	13,000	123.0	1,600,000	...	...	...	13,000	123.0	1,600,000
San Luis Valley	49,000	48,500	117.0	5,685,000	...	...	...	48,500	117.0	5,685,000
Baca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	500	500	50.0	25,000	...	...	...	500	50.0	25,000
Pueblo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	500	500	50.0	25,000	...	...	...	500	50.0	25,000
State Total	85,000	70,500	102.0	7,178,000	1,500	14.5	22,000	72,000	100.0	7,200,000

Barley: Production by County, Colorado, 2003 with Ranking of First Five Counties



Bushels



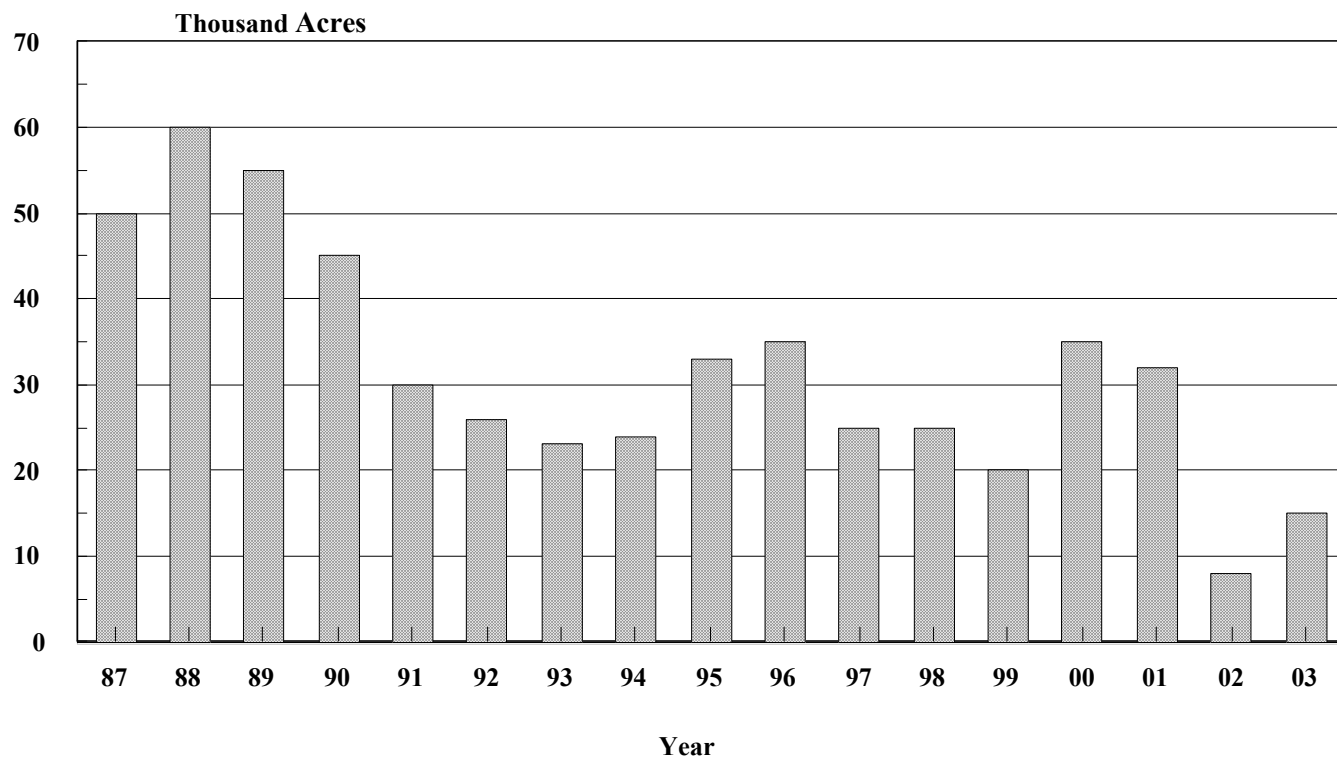
Barley: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003

County and District	Acreage planted Acres	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage harvested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro-duction Bu.	Acreage harvested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro-duction Bu.	Acreage harvested Acres	Yield per acre Bu.	Pro-duction Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	300	...	...	...	300	23.5	7,000	300	23.5	7,000
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	200	...	...	...	200	35.0	7,000	200	35.0	7,000
Routt	700	...	...	...	600	25.0	15,000	600	25.0	15,000
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	1,200	...	...	...	1,100	26.5	29,000	1,100	26.5	29,000
Boulder	3,100	2,500	84.0	210,000	500	22.0	11,000	3,000	73.5	221,000
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	2,800	2,500	100.0	250,000	200	45.0	9,000	2,700	96.0	259,000
Logan	200	200	125.0	25,000	...	...	...	200	125.0	25,000
Morgan	1,200	700	93.0	65,000	500	34.0	17,000	1,200	68.5	82,000
Sedgwick . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Weld	18,700	15,600	99.5	1,550,000	1,800	23.0	41,000	17,400	91.5	1,591,000
Northeast	26,000	21,500	97.5	2,100,000	3,000	26.0	78,000	24,500	89.0	2,178,000

Barley: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District	Irrigated				Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage planted	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	1,900	900	70.0	63,000	400	27.5	11,000	1,300	57.0	74,000
Arapahoe . . .	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson . .	300	300	60.0	18,000	...	...	...	300	60.0	18,000
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Washington . .	200	200	60.0	12,000	...	...	...	200	60.0	12,000
Yuma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Central	2,600	1,400	66.5	93,000	400	27.5	11,000	1,800	58.0	104,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	400	300	90.0	27,000	...	...	...	300	90.0	27,000
Montezuma . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	1,000	1,000	85.0	85,000	...	...	...	1,000	85.0	85,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	1,400	1,300	86.0	112,000	...	...	...	1,300	86.0	112,000
Alamosa	10,000	10,000	124.0	1,240,000	...	...	...	10,000	124.0	1,240,000
Conejos	5,700	5,500	122.0	670,000	...	...	...	5,500	122.0	670,000
Costilla	7,000	7,000	107.0	750,000	...	...	...	7,000	107.0	750,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	15,800	15,500	126.5	1,960,000	...	...	...	15,500	126.5	1,960,000
Saguache	14,500	14,500	127.0	1,840,000	...	...	...	14,500	127.0	1,840,000
San Luis Valley	53,000	52,500	123.0	6,460,000	...	...	...	52,500	123.0	6,460,000
Baca	500	500	68.0	34,000	...	...	...	500	68.0	34,000
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	300	300	70.0	21,000	...	...	...	300	70.0	21,000
Pueblo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	800	800	69.0	55,000	...	...	...	800	69.0	55,000
State Total	85,000	77,500	114.0	8,820,000	4,500	26.0	118,000	82,000	109.0	8,938,000

Oats: Harvested, Colorado, 1987-2003 (000 Acres)



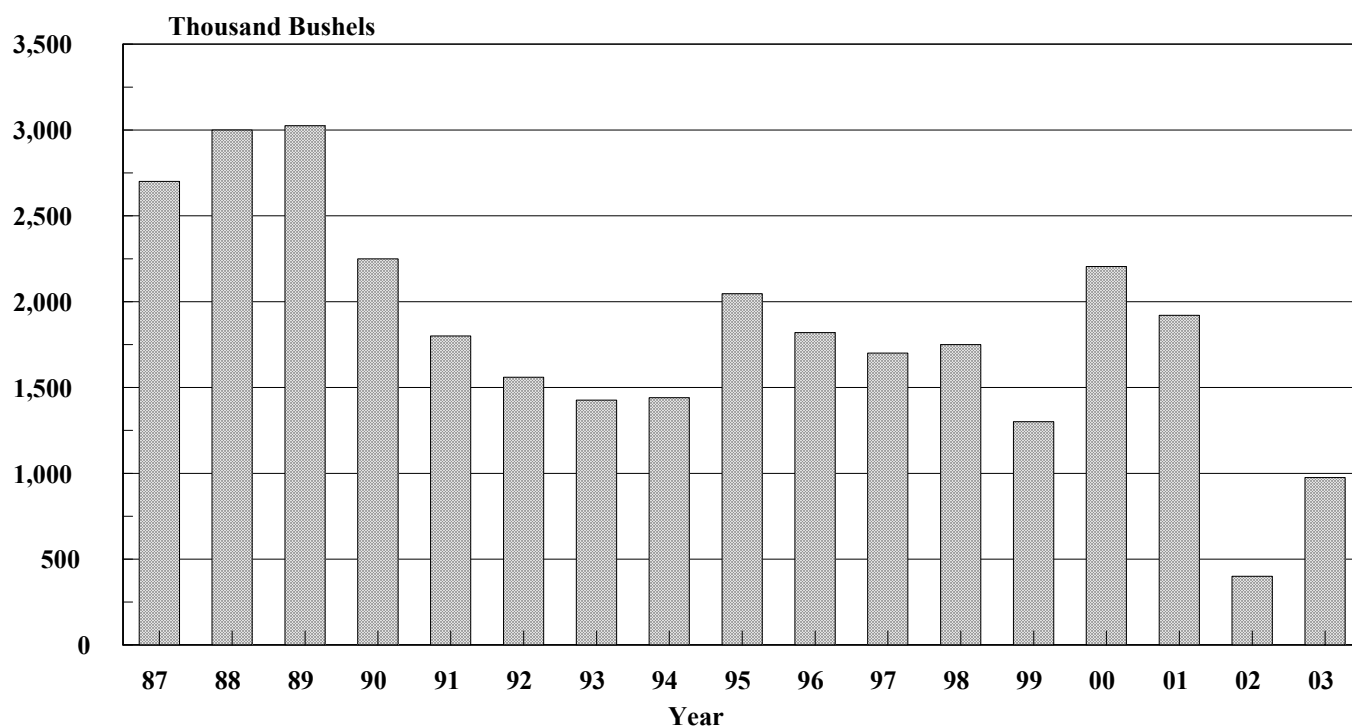
Oats: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	1,800	300	30.0	9,000	600	15.0	9,000	900	20.0	18,000
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	2,200	300	30.0	9,000	600	15.0	9,000	900	20.0	18,000
Boulder	800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	2,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Logan	2,300	...	...	...	300	33.5	10,000	300	33.5	10,000
Morgan	3,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sedgwick . . .	1,600	...	...	...	400	27.5	11,000	400	27.5	11,000
Weld	3,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northeast	14,300	...	...	...	700	30.0	21,000	700	30.0	21,000

Oats: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District		Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage planted	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arapahoe . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne . . .	700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	2,600	...	...	...	500	14.0	7,000	500	14.0	7,000
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson . .	4,100	200	40.0	8,000	...	...	...	200	40.0	8,000
Lincoln	800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	1,700	...	...	...	200	15.0	3,000	200	15.0	3,000
Washington . .	3,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yuma	3,600	900	48.0	43,000	...	...	...	900	48.0	43,000
East Central	18,000	1,100	46.5	51,000	700	14.5	10,000	1,800	34.0	61,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	600	300	63.5	19,000	...	...	...	300	63.5	19,000
Dolores	1,000	300	66.5	20,000	...	...	...	300	66.5	20,000
Garfield	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	1,500	200	40.0	8,000	...	...	...	200	40.0	8,000
Mesa	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma . .	2,300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	1,500	300	66.5	20,000	...	...	...	300	66.5	20,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	8,500	1,100	61.0	67,000	...	...	...	1,100	61.0	67,000
Alamosa	2,200	800	81.5	65,000	...	...	...	800	81.5	65,000
Conejos	8,000	500	62.0	31,000	...	...	...	500	62.0	31,000
Costilla	2,200	1,100	72.0	79,000	...	...	...	1,100	72.0	79,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	1,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	3,500	400	62.5	25,000	...	...	...	400	62.5	25,000
San Luis Valley	17,000	2,800	71.5	200,000	...	...	...	2,800	71.5	200,000
Baca	2,400	700	47.0	33,000	...	...	...	700	47.0	33,000
Bent	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	1,300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pueblo	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	5,000	700	47.0	33,000	...	...	...	700	47.0	33,000
State Total	65,000	6,000	60.0	360,000	2,000	20.0	40,000	8,000	50.0	400,000

Oats: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Thousand Bushels)



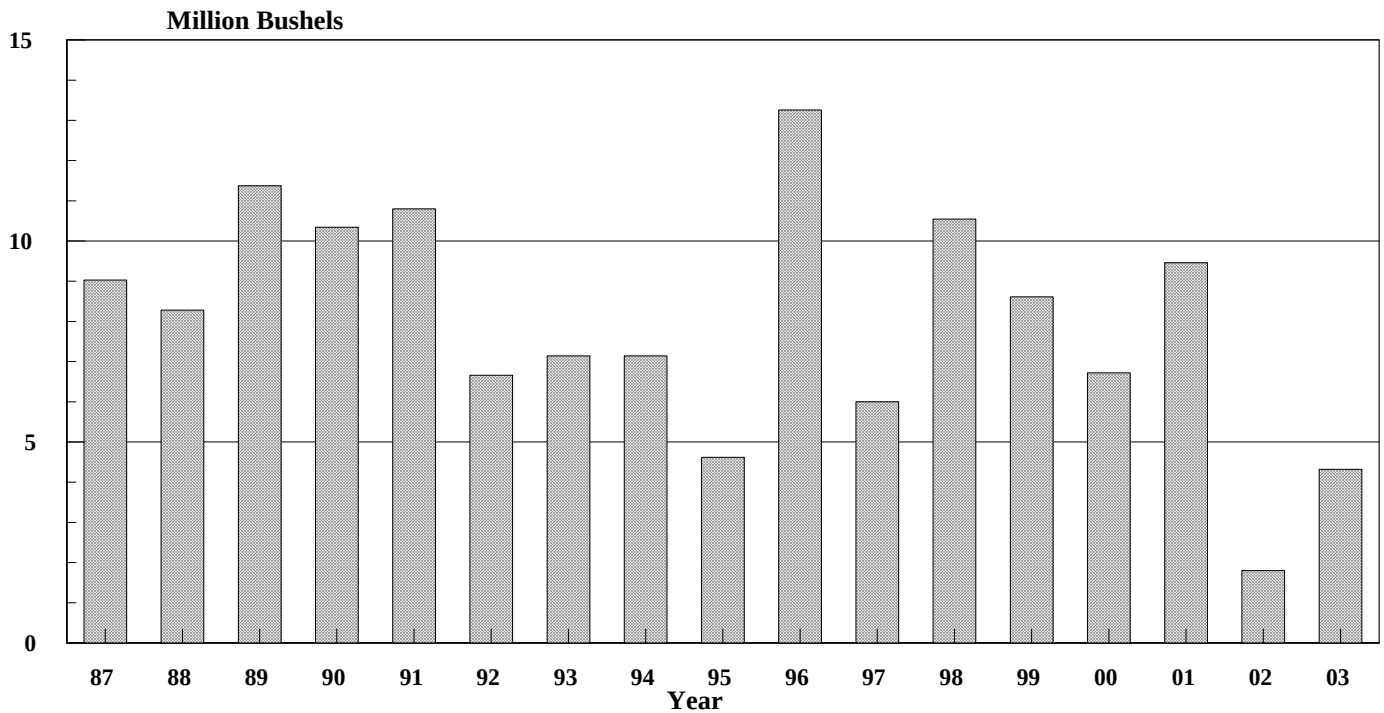
Oats: Acreage and production by district, Colorado, 2003

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	1,900	500	60.0	30,000	...	...	...	500	60.0	30,000
Boulder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Logan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Morgan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sedgwick . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Weld	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northeast	20,900	1,000	85.0	85,000	900	32.0	29,000	1,900	60.0	114,000

Oats: Acreage and production by district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arapahoe . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Washington . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yuma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Central	26,800	2,700	74.0	200,000	2,800	28.0	78,000	5,500	50.5	278,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	12,800	2,400	79.0	190,000	300	10.0	3,000	2,700	71.5	193,000
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	29,000	4,400	82.0	360,000	...	...	...	4,400	82.0	360,000
Baca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pueblo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	8,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
State Total	100,000	11,000	78.5	865,000	4,000	27.5	110,000	15,000	65.0	975,000

Sorghum: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Million Bushels)



Sorghum for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Acreage planted <u>1/</u>	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Logan	2,900	...	...	...	2,100	6.0	13,000	2,100	6.0	13,000
Morgan	700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sedgwick . . .	600	...	...	...	300	11.5	3,500	300	11.5	3,500
Weld	8,600	...	...	...	2,100	8.0	16,500	2,100	8.0	16,500
Northeast	13,000	...	...	...	4,500	7.5	33,000	4,500	7.5	33,000

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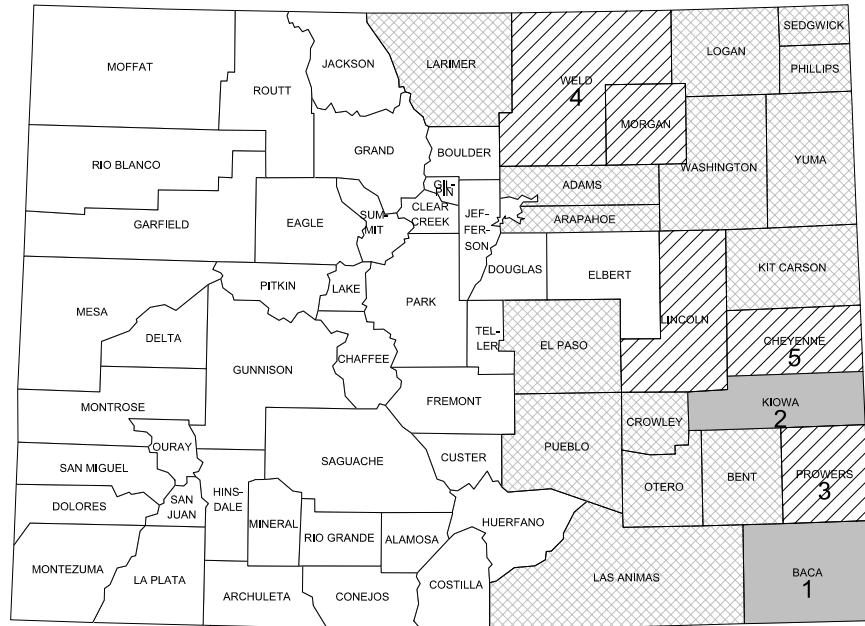
Sorghum for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District	Acreage planted 1/	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	2,900	...	...	...	500	15.0	7,500	500	15.0	7,500
Arapahoe ...	2,700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne ...	38,900	...	...	...	2,000	10.0	20,000	2,000	10.0	20,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	3,000	...	...	...	500	7.0	3,500	500	7.0	3,500
El Paso	2,800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	21,500	1,000	63.0	63,000	8,000	10.0	80,000	9,000	16.0	143,000
Kit Carson ..	9,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lincoln	18,000	...	...	...	3,400	8.0	27,000	3,400	8.0	27,000
Phillips	1,700	...	...	...	600	6.5	4,000	600	6.5	4,000
Washington ..	5,400	...	...	...	2,500	13.0	32,000	2,500	13.0	32,000
Yuma	3,600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
East Central	110,000	1,000	63.0	63,000	17,500	10.0	174,000	18,500	13.0	237,000
Archuleta ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	156,500	9,000	42.0	380,000	44,800	13.0	585,000	53,800	18.0	965,000
Bent	5,900	1,000	73.0	73,000	...	...	...	1,000	73.0	73,000
Crowley	4,500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas ..	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	5,300	1,000	41.0	41,000	...	...	...	1,000	41.0	41,000
Prowers	47,300	5,500	60.5	333,000	5,200	14.0	73,000	10,700	38.0	406,000
Pueblo	6,300	500	90.0	45,000	...	...	...	500	90.0	45,000
Southeast	227,000	17,000	51.5	872,000	50,000	13.0	658,000	67,000	23.0	1,530,000
State Total	350,000	18,000	52.0	935,000	72,000	12.0	865,000	90,000	20.0	1,800,000

1/ Planted for all purposes.

Sorghum for Grain: Production by County, Colorado, 2003

with Ranking of First Five Counties



Bushels



Sorghum for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003

County and District	Acreage planted 1/	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	1,400	500	64.0	32,000	900	20.0	18,000	1,400	35.5	50,000
Logan	3,500	500	52.0	26,000	2,000	32.5	65,000	2,500	36.5	91,000
Morgan	4,300	1,600	54.5	87,000	900	22.0	20,000	2,500	43.0	107,000
Sedgwick . . .	1,500	300	50.0	15,000	1,100	27.5	30,000	1,400	32.0	45,000
Weld	7,000	3,100	55.0	170,000	1,800	23.5	42,000	4,900	43.5	212,000
Northeast	17,700	6,000	55.0	330,000	6,700	26.0	175,000	12,700	40.0	505,000

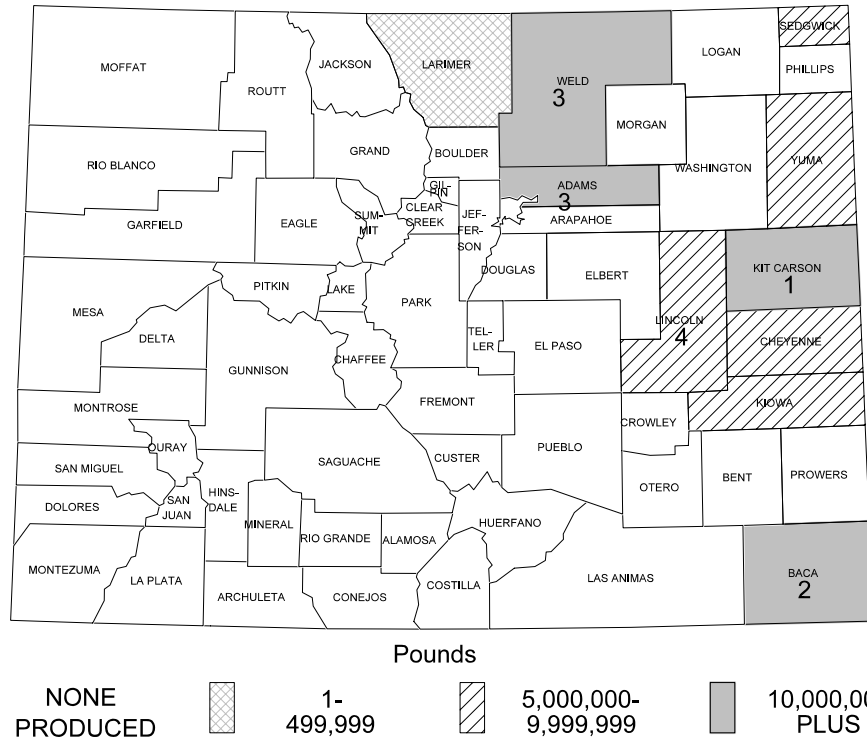
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Sorghum for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District	Acreage planted 1/	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction	Acreage har-vested	Yield per acre	Pro-duction
	Acres	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.	Acres	Bu.	Bu.
Adams	5,800	...	...	...	5,300	14.5	76,000	5,300	14.5	76,000
Arapahoe ...	8,000	300	56.5	17,000	4,700	17.0	80,000	5,000	19.5	97,000
Cheyenne ...	20,500	400	77.5	31,000	6,600	18.0	120,000	7,000	21.5	151,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	1,400	...	...	...	800	17.5	14,000	800	17.5	14,000
El Paso	2,500	500	58.0	29,000	1,200	19.0	23,000	1,700	30.5	52,000
Kiowa	62,400	200	70.0	14,000	30,000	18.5	560,000	30,200	19.0	574,000
Kit Carson ..	5,600	1,000	64.0	64,000	1,300	15.5	20,000	2,300	36.5	84,000
Lincoln	15,900	500	56.0	28,000	5,200	17.5	92,000	5,700	21.0	120,000
Phillips	2,000	...	...	...	1,600	22.0	35,000	1,600	22.0	35,000
Washington ..	1,400	400	57.5	23,000	800	20.0	16,000	1,200	32.5	39,000
Yuma	1,200	300	63.5	19,000	800	17.5	14,000	1,100	30.0	33,000
East Central	126,700	3,600	62.5	225,000	58,300	18.0	1,050,000	61,900	20.5	1,275,000
Archuleta ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	92,000	12,000	61.5	740,000	55,000	19.0	1,047,000	67,000	26.5	1,787,000
Bent	2,700	600	75.0	45,000	...	...	...	600	75.0	45,000
Crowley	3,900	800	65.0	52,000	1,600	18.0	29,000	2,400	34.0	81,000
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas ..	1,000	200	65.0	13,000	700	37.0	26,000	900	43.5	39,000
Otero	1,700	1,000	95.0	95,000	...	...	...	1,000	95.0	95,000
Prowers	21,000	4,200	71.5	300,000	8,100	17.5	140,000	12,300	36.0	440,000
Pueblo	3,300	600	66.5	40,000	600	21.5	13,000	1,200	44.0	53,000
Southeast	125,600	19,400	66.0	1,285,000	66,000	19.0	1,255,000	85,400	29.5	2,540,000
State Total	270,000	29,000	63.5	1,840,000	131,000	19.0	2,480,000	160,000	27.0	4,320,000

1/ Planted for all purposes.

Sunflower, All: Production by County, Colorado, 2003 with Ranking of First Five Counties



Sunflowers, All: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002-2003

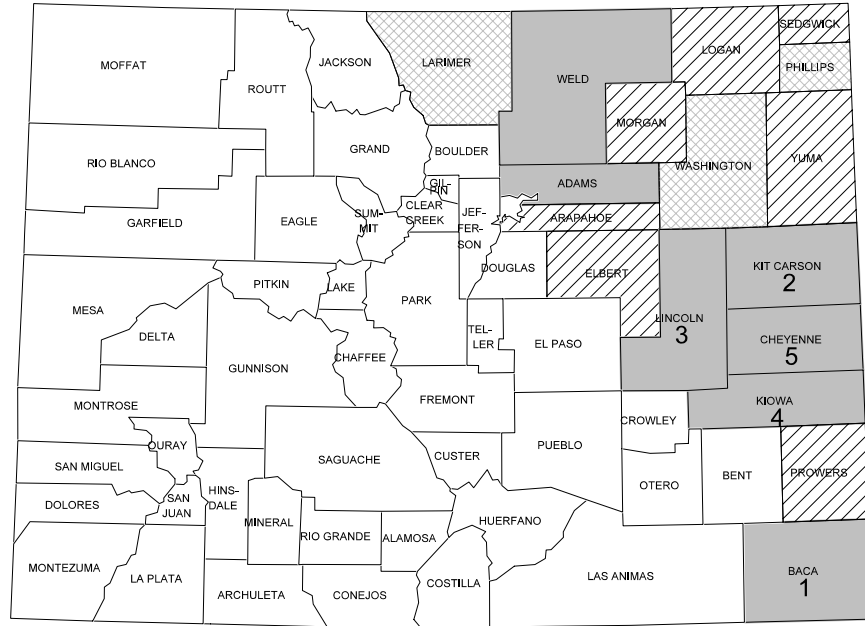
County and District	2002				2003			
	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	300	200	800	160,000	...	...	...	...
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	...	...	...	...	200	200	900	180,000
Logan	8,700	4,800	990	4,750,000	6,000	6,000	810	4,850,000
Morgan	2,700	2,200	840	1,850,000	4,000	3,900	895	3,500,000
Sedgwick	7,600	6,600	1,040	6,850,000	7,500	7,400	825	6,100,000
Weld	9,700	6,200	1,015	6,290,000	11,800	9,500	1,230	11,700,000
Northeast	29,000	20,000	995	19,900,000	29,500	27,000	975	26,330,000

Sunflowers, All: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002-2003, continued

County and District	2002				2003			
	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds
Adams	9,600	8,500	495	4,210,000	15,800	15,300	765	11,700,000
Arapahoe	3,000	1,300	470	610,000	3,300	3,300	1,260	4,160,000
Cheyenne	17,100	3,500	1,205	4,210,000	10,000	8,500	1,095	9,300,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	5,800	4,800	740	3,540,000	6,100	6,100	695	4,240,000
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	7,800	4,000	275	1,100,000	7,000	7,000	1,100	7,700,000
Kit Carson	18,200	6,100	770	4,700,000	18,900	17,400	1,100	19,100,000
Lincoln	17,400	13,500	520	7,010,000	12,500	11,500	850	9,800,000
Phillips	2,000	1,600	700	1,120,000	2,100	2,100	635	1,330,000
Washington	9,000	6,600	460	3,050,000	4,300	4,300	1,110	4,770,000
Yuma	5,100	5,100	795	4,050,000	6,500	5,500	1,165	6,400,000
East Central	95,000	55,000	610	33,600,000	86,500	81,000	970	78,500,000
Archuleta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	6,000	5,000	1,300	6,500,000	12,000	9,000	1,355	12,200,000
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	...	...	...	...	2,000	1,000	1,300	1,300,000
Pueblo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	6,000	5,000	1,300	6,500,000	14,000	10,000	1,350	13,500,000
State Total	130,000	80,000	750	60,000,000	130,000	118,000	1,005	118,330,000

Sunflower, Oil: Production by County, Colorado, 2003

with Ranking of First Five Counties



Pounds



Sunflowers, Oil: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002-2003

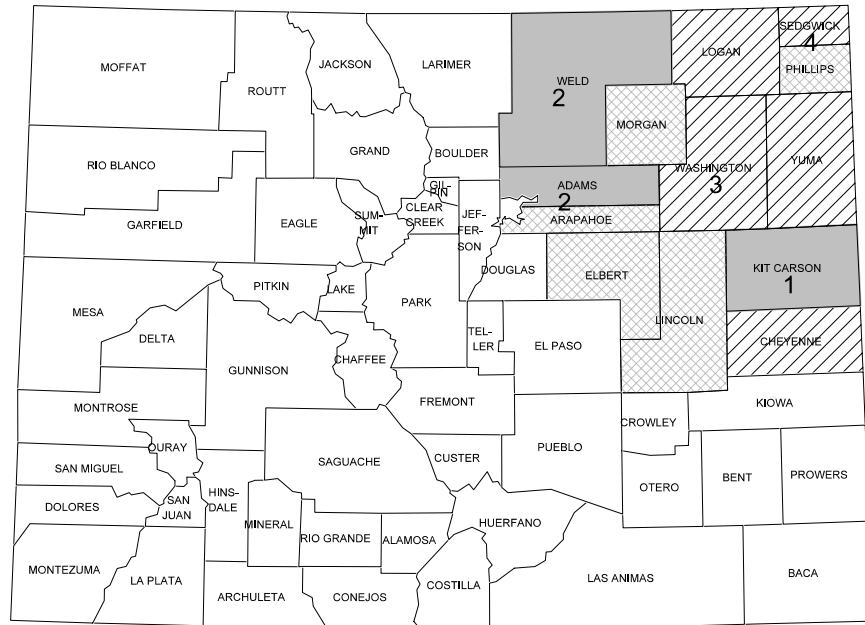
County and District	2002				2003			
	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	300	200	800	160,000	...	...	...	...
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	...	...	...	...	200	200	900	180,000
Logan	3,000	1,400	430	600,000	3,000	3,000	865	2,600,000
Morgan	2,400	2,000	800	1,600,000	3,000	2,900	870	2,520,000
Sedgwick	3,800	3,700	825	3,050,000	5,000	4,900	735	3,600,000
Weld	5,500	3,700	835	3,090,000	6,800	6,000	1,100	6,600,000
Northeast	15,000	11,000	775	8,500,000	18,000	17,000	910	15,500,000

Sunflowers, Oil: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002-2003, continued

County and District	2002				2003			
	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds
Adams	7,100	6,000	500	3,000,000	7,500	7,000	945	6,600,000
Arapahoe	2,700	1,000	350	350,000	3,000	3,000	1,300	3,900,000
Cheyenne	13,700	2,000	755	1,510,000	8,500	7,000	1,070	7,500,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	5,000	4,000	775	3,100,000	5,000	5,000	680	3,400,000
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	7,800	4,000	275	1,100,000	7,000	7,000	1,100	7,700,000
Kit Carson	11,500	5,000	705	3,530,000	13,000	12,000	985	11,800,000
Lincoln	16,800	13,000	520	6,760,000	12,000	11,000	845	9,300,000
Phillips	1,300	1,000	760	760,000	1,000	1,000	730	730,000
Washington	3,800	3,700	405	1,500,000	1,000	1,000	970	970,000
Yuma	4,300	4,300	555	2,390,000	5,000	4,000	1,025	4,100,000
East Central	74,000	44,000	545	24,000,000	63,000	58,000	965	56,000,000
Archuleta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	6,000	5,000	1,300	6,500,000	12,000	9,000	1,355	12,200,000
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	...	...	...	...	2,000	1,000	1,300	1,300,000
Pueblo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	6,000	5,000	1,300	6,500,000	14,000	10,000	1,350	13,500,000
State Total	95,000	60,000	650	39,000,000	95,000	85,000	1,000	85,000,000

Sunflower, Non Oil: Production by County, Colorado, 2003

with Ranking of First Five Counties



Pounds



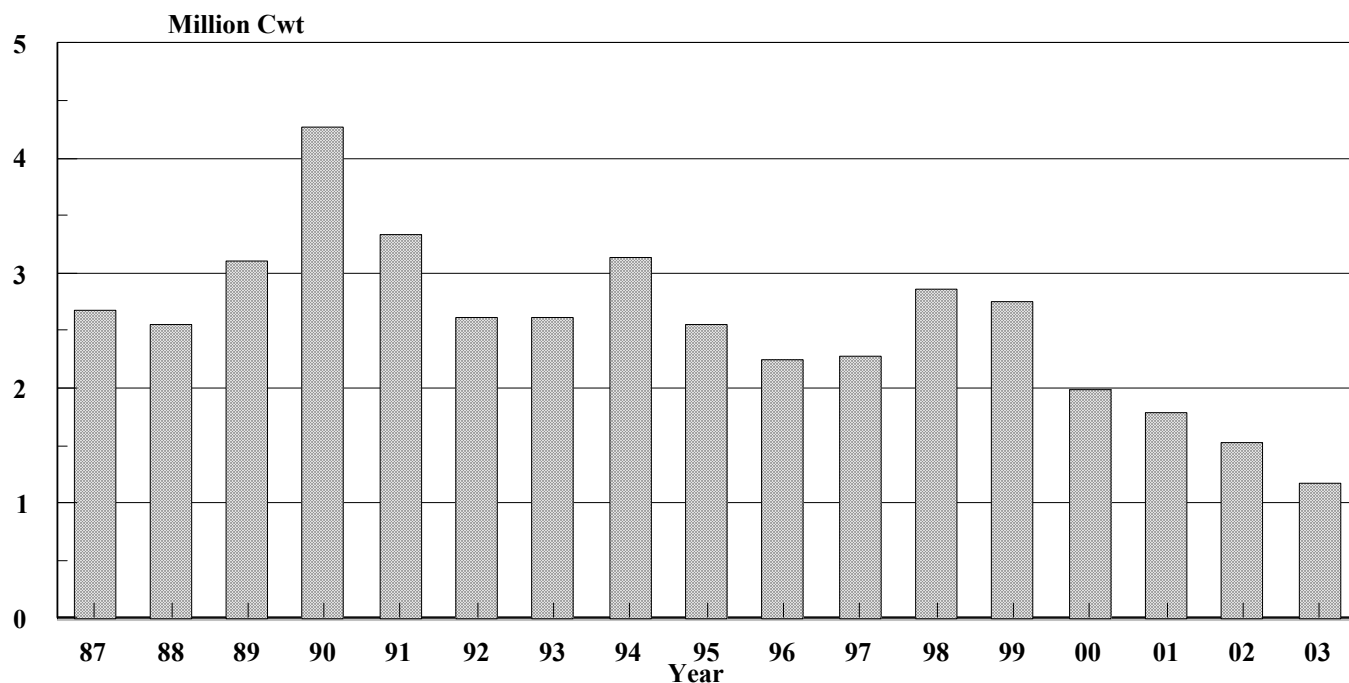
Sunflowers, Non-Oil: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002-2003

County and District	2002				2003			
	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Logan	5,700	3,400	1,220	4,150,000	3,000	3,000	750	2,250,000
Morgan	300	200	1,250	250,000	1,000	1,000	980	980,000
Sedgwick	3,800	2,900	1,310	3,800,000	2,500	2,500	1,000	2,500,000
Weld	4,200	2,500	1,280	3,200,000	5,000	3,500	1,455	5,100,000
Northeast	14,000	9,000	1,265	11,400,000	11,500	10,000	1,085	10,830,000

Sunflowers, Non-Oil: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002-2003, continued

County and District	2002				2003			
	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds	Acres	Acres	Pounds	Pounds
Adams	2,500	2,500	485	1,210,000	8,300	8,300	615.0	5,100,000
Arapahoe	300	300	865	260,000	300	300	865.0	260,000
Cheyenne	3,400	1,500	1,800	2,700,000	1,500	1,500	1,200.0	1,800,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	800	800	550	440,000	1,100	1,100	765.0	840,000
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson	6,700	1,100	1,065	1,170,000	5,900	5,400	1,350.0	7,300,000
Lincoln	600	500	500	250,000	500	500	1,000.0	500,000
Phillips	700	600	600	360,000	1,100	1,100	545.0	600,000
Washington	5,200	2,900	535	1,550,000	3,300	3,300	1,150.0	3,800,000
Yuma	800	800	2,075	1,660,000	1,500	1,500	1,535.0	2,300,000
East Central	21,000	11,000	875	9,600,000	23,500	23,000	980.0	22,500,000
Archuleta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dolores	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Prowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pueblo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southeast	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
State Total	35,000	20,000	1,050	21,000,000	35,000	33,000	1,010.0	33,330,000

Dry Beans: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Million Cwt)



Dry Beans: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002 ^{1/}

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	Cwt	Acres	Cwt	Cwt	Acres	Cwt	Cwt
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	700	600	20.00	12,000	...	...	...	600	20.00	12,000
Jefferson . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	1,800	1,600	20.00	32,000	...	...	...	1,600	20.00	32,000
Logan	4,300	3,600	16.10	58,000	...	...	...	3,600	16.10	58,000
Morgan	3,600	3,300	21.50	71,000	...	...	...	3,300	21.50	71,000
Sedgwick . . .	5,400	4,900	26.10	128,000	...	...	...	4,900	26.10	128,000
Weld	20,700	19,500	19.20	374,000	...	...	...	19,500	19.20	374,000
Northeast	36,500	33,500	20.10	675,000	...	...	...	33,500	20.10	675,000

^{1/} Yield and production on clean basis.

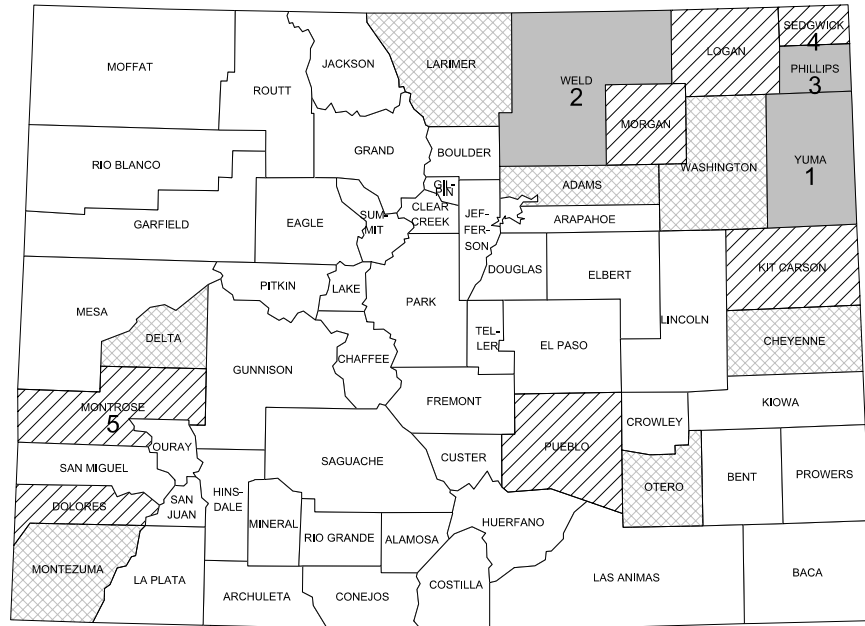
Dry Beans: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002 1/, continued

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	Cwt	Acres	Cwt	Cwt	Acres	Cwt	Cwt
Adams	500	500	12.00	6,000	...	...	...	500	12.00	6,000
Arapahoe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne ...	700	600	15.00	9,000	...	...	...	600	15.00	9,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson ..	7,600	6,400	15.50	99,000	...	...	...	6,400	15.50	99,000
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	3,500	3,500	31.40	110,000	...	...	...	3,500	31.40	110,000
Washington ..	500	500	26.00	13,000	...	...	...	500	26.00	13,000
Yuma	13,200	13,000	29.50	383,000	...	...	...	13,000	29.50	383,000
East Central	26,000	24,500	25.30	620,000	...	...	...	24,500	25.30	620,000
Archuleta ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	1,700	1,600	16.30	26,000	...	...	...	1,600	16.30	26,000
Dolores	12,900	400	7.50	3,000	...	...	...	400	7.50	3,000
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	600	600	20.00	12,000	...	...	...	600	20.00	12,000
Montezuma ..	4,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montrose	6,500	6,400	20.20	129,000	...	...	...	6,400	20.20	129,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southwest	26,200	9,000	18.90	170,000	...	...	...	9,000	18.90	170,000
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	1,100	900	12.20	11,000	...	...	...	900	12.20	11,000
Prowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pueblo	2,200	2,100	20.50	43,000	...	...	...	2,100	20.50	43,000
Southeast	3,300	3,000	18.00	54,000	...	...	...	3,000	18.00	54,000
State Total	92,000	70,000	21.70	1,519,000	...	...	...	70,000	21.70	1,519,000

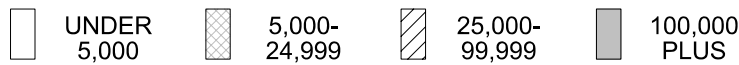
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Dry Beans: Production by County, Colorado, 2003

with Ranking of First Five Counties



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Dry Beans: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003

County and District	Acreage planted	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
		Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	Cwt	Acres	Cwt	Cwt	Acres	Cwt	Cwt
Chaffee	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clear Creek	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gunnison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Blanco	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Routt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boulder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	1,000	1,000	24.00	24,000	...	...	...	1,000	24.00	24,000
Logan	2,500	2,500	22.80	57,000	...	...	...	2,500	22.80	57,000
Morgan	1,500	1,500	21.30	32,000	...	...	...	1,500	21.30	32,000
Sedgwick	4,600	4,000	23.30	93,000	500	4.00	2,000	4,500	21.10	95,000
Weld	12,900	10,500	19.40	204,000	...	...	...	10,500	19.40	204,000
Northeast	22,500	19,500	21.00	410,000	500	4.00	2,000	20,000	20.60	412,000

Dry Beans: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District		Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage planted	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion	Acreage har- vested	Yield per acre	Pro- duc- tion
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	Cwt	Acres	Cwt	Cwt	Acres	Cwt	Cwt
Adams	300	300	23.30	7,000	...	...	...	300	23.30	7,000
Arapahoe . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne . . .	300	300	23.30	7,000	...	...	...	300	23.30	7,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	900	...	...	...	800	3.80	3,000	800	3.80	3,000
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson . .	3,200	3,200	20.60	66,000	...	...	...	3,200	20.60	66,000
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	5,600	5,600	22.70	127,000	...	...	...	5,600	22.70	127,000
Washington . .	800	800	22.50	18,000	...	...	...	800	22.50	18,000
Yuma	13,500	13,000	25.00	325,000	...	...	...	13,000	25.00	325,000
East Central	24,600	23,200	23.70	550,000	800	3.80	3,000	24,000	23.00	553,000
Archuleta . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Delta	600	600	16.70	10,000	...	...	...	600	16.70	10,000
Dolores	18,200	400	15.00	6,000	14,300	2.90	41,000	14,700	3.20	47,000
Garfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mesa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montezuma . .	7,200	300	10.00	3,000	6,700	3.10	20,700	7,000	3.40	23,700
Montrose	4,100	4,000	19.00	76,000	...	...	...	4,000	19.00	76,000
Ouray	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel . .	800	...	...	...	700	3.30	2,300	700	3.30	2,300
Southwest	30,900	5,300	17.90	95,000	21,700	2.90	64,000	27,000	5.90	159,000
Alamosa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conejos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saguache	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Luis Valley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Baca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crowley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Custer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fremont	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Huerfano	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Las Animas . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otero	300	300	26.70	8,000	...	...	...	300	26.70	8,000
Prowers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pueblo	1,700	1,700	21.20	36,000	...	...	...	1,700	21.20	36,000
Southeast	2,000	2,000	22.00	44,000	...	...	...	2,000	22.00	44,000
State Total	80,000	50,000	22.00	1,099,000	23,000	3.00	69,000	73,000	16.00	1,168,000

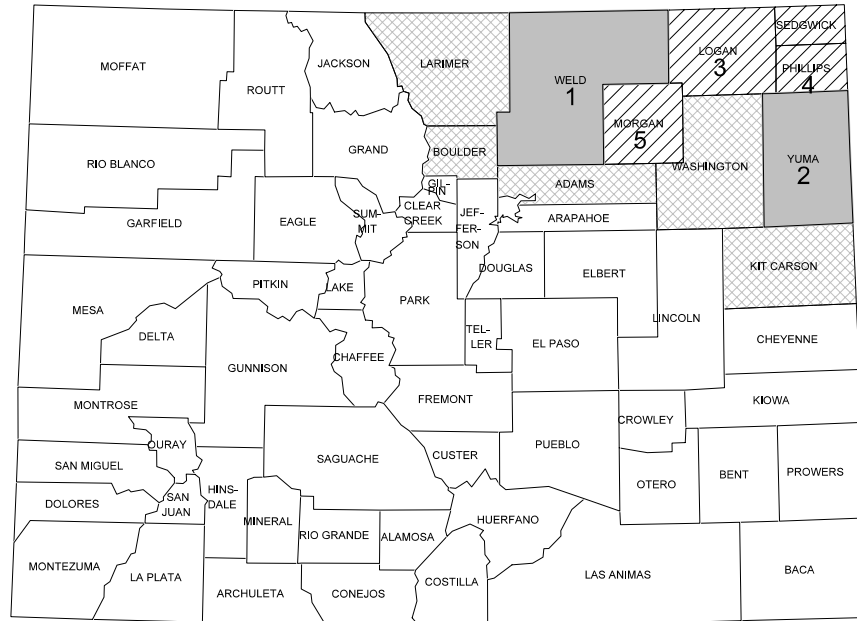
Dry Beans: Acreage, yield and production by class, Colorado, 1994-2003

Year	Acreage planted	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Pounds <u>1/</u>	Hundredweight <u>1/</u>
Light Red Kidney				
1994	8,700	8,500	1,810	154,000
1995	14,500	13,500	1,950	263,000
1996	8,700	8,200	1,390	114,000
1997	12,200	11,200	2,210	248,000
1998	10,000	9,400	1,810	170,000
1999	15,000	12,500	1,760	220,000
2000	12,000	11,000	1,750	193,000
2001	9,000	8,400	1,610	135,000
2002	10,000	8,000	2,030	162,000
2003	8,000	7,000	1,460	102,000
Pinto				
1994	191,200	181,500	1,600	2,912,000
1995	164,500	140,700	1,530	2,158,000
1996	134,700	115,200	1,830	2,112,000
1997	119,000	105,500	1,890	1,991,000
1998	152,000	138,000	1,900	2,617,000
1999	125,000	118,500	1,890	2,235,000
2000	100,000	92,000	1,820	1,675,000
2001	98,000	89,000	1,720	1,530,000
2002	76,000	57,000	2,250	1,282,000
2003	68,000	63,000	1,610	1,015,000
Other				
1994	1,600	1,500	930	14,000
1995	5,200	5,000	800	40,000
1996	300	300	1,000	3,000
1997	1,300	1,200	2,080	25,000
1998	6,500	6,300	950	60,000
1999	15,000	14,000	2,140	300,000
2000	8,000	7,000	1,600	112,000
2001	8,000	7,600	1,580	120,000
2002	6,000	5,000	1,500	75,000
2003	4,000	3,000	1,700	51,000
Total				
1994	205,000	195,000	1,610	3,140,000
1995	190,000	165,000	1,550	2,558,000
1996	145,000	125,000	1,800	2,250,000
1997	135,000	120,000	1,900	2,280,000
1998	170,000	155,000	1,850	2,868,000
1999	155,000	145,000	1,900	2,755,000
2000	120,000	110,000	1,800	1,980,000
2001	115,000	105,000	1,700	1,785,000
2002	92,000	70,000	2,170	1,519,000
2003	80,000	73,000	1,600	1,168,000

1/ Clean basis.

Sugarbeets: Production by County, Colorado, 2003

with Ranking of First Five Counties



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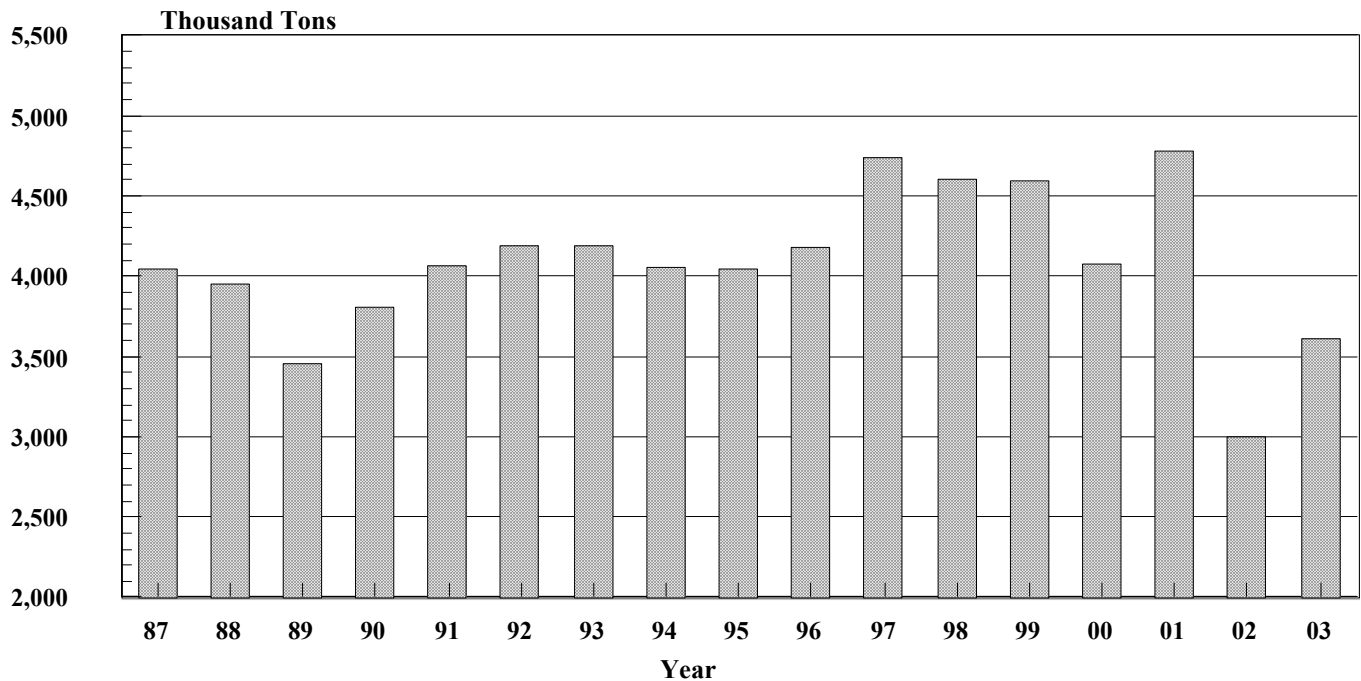


Sugarbeets: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002-2003 ^{1/}

County and District	2002				2003			
	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	Acres	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Acres	Tons	Tons
Boulder	1,040	1,030	12.2	12,600	435	435	22.8	9,900
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Larimer	3,210	2,850	16.2	46,100	1,220	1,050	24.0	25,200
Logan	5,920	5,020	19.0	95,500	3,635	3,635	22.3	81,200
Morgan	2,940	2,680	19.5	52,300	1,765	1,720	24.4	42,000
Sedgwick	1,370	1,170	20.8	24,300	1,430	1,430	21.0	30,000
Weld	18,020	15,900	19.0	302,600	9,925	9,020	24.0	216,500
Northeast	32,500	28,650	18.6	533,400	18,410	17,290	23.4	404,800
Adams	760	720	16.1	11,600	505	435	19.8	8,600
Arapahoe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheyenne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Elbert	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Paso	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kiowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kit Carson	130	130	31.5	4,100	495	495	21.6	10,700
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phillips	3,510	3,360	22.5	75,500	3,505	3,505	22.6	79,200
Washington	2,030	1,980	22.6	44,700	905	895	24.0	21,500
Yuma	4,970	4,660	26.8	124,700	4,780	4,780	24.9	119,200
East Central	11,400	10,850	24.0	260,600	10,190	10,110	23.7	239,200
State Total	43,900	39,500	20.1	794,000	28,600	27,400	23.5	644,000

^{1/} Data shown only for producing districts.

All Hay: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Thousand Tons)



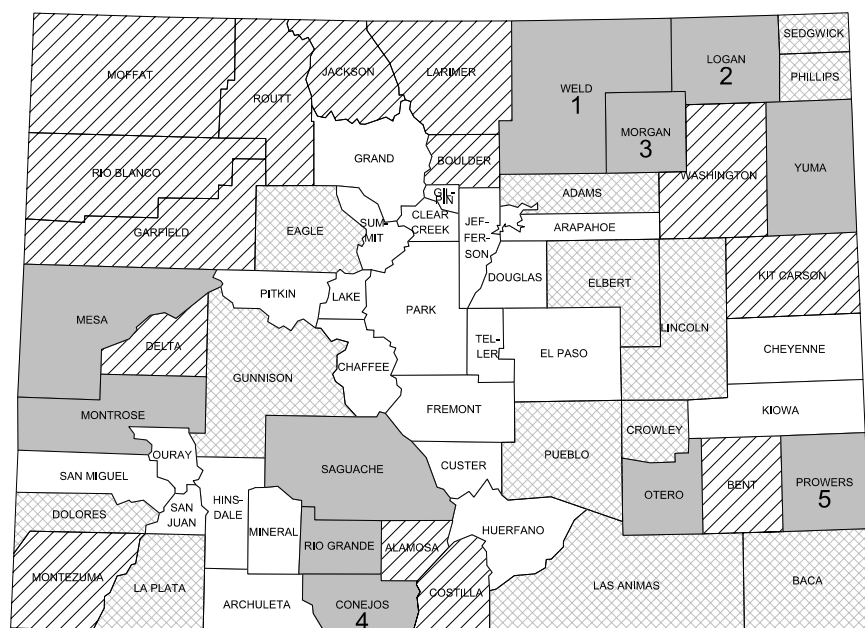
All Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Chaffee	11,300	1.05	11,900	...	...	...	11,300	1.05	11,900
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	12,200	0.95	11,500	500	0.60	300	12,700	0.95	11,800
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	16,000	0.80	13,000	1,000	1.00	1,000	17,000	0.80	14,000
Gunnison . . .	22,500	1.00	22,000	...	...	...	22,500	1.00	22,000
Jackson	59,000	0.95	57,000	...	...	...	59,000	0.95	57,000
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	28,300	1.55	44,500	9,700	0.65	6,200	38,000	1.35	50,700
Park	3,000	0.55	1,700	6,000	0.45	2,600	9,000	0.50	4,300
Pitkin	7,700	1.50	11,600	...	...	...	7,700	1.50	11,600
Rio Blanco . .	26,500	1.65	43,600	1,000	0.70	700	27,500	1.60	44,300
Routt	34,700	1.50	51,900	10,800	0.55	6,200	45,500	1.30	58,100
Summit	3,800	0.70	2,600	...	...	...	3,800	0.70	2,600
Teller	1,000	0.70	700	...	...	...	1,000	0.70	700
NW & Mountain	226,000	1.20	272,000	29,000	0.60	17,000	255,000	1.15	289,000
Boulder	14,600	2.25	33,000	1,900	0.95	1,800	16,500	2.10	34,800
Jefferson . . .	5,200	1.85	9,500	1,800	1.15	2,100	7,000	1.65	11,600
Larimer	28,500	2.40	69,000	4,500	0.90	4,000	33,000	2.20	73,000
Logan	42,000	4.15	175,000	11,000	0.95	10,400	53,000	3.50	185,400
Morgan	33,500	4.35	145,000	5,000	1.00	4,900	38,500	3.90	149,900
Sedgwick . . .	6,000	3.40	20,500	4,000	1.70	6,700	10,000	2.70	27,200
Weld	91,200	3.85	350,000	10,800	1.05	11,100	102,000	3.55	361,100
Northeast	221,000	3.65	802,000	39,000	1.05	41,000	260,000	3.25	843,000

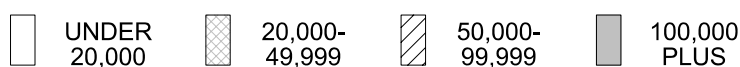
All Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Adams	13,500	3.05	41,300	8,500	1.15	9,700	22,000	2.30	51,000
Arapahoe ...	2,200	2.50	5,500	1,300	0.60	800	3,500	1.80	6,300
Cheyenne ...	2,000	2.10	4,200	2,500	0.75	1,900	4,500	1.35	6,100
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	2,300	1.15	2,700	8,700	1.10	9,500	11,000	1.10	12,200
Elbert	4,100	1.20	4,900	14,900	0.40	5,800	19,000	0.55	10,700
El Paso	5,600	1.75	9,700	4,400	0.40	1,700	10,000	1.15	11,400
Kiowa	2,000	2.10	4,200	2,500	0.40	1,000	4,500	1.15	5,200
Kit Carson ..	12,400	4.50	56,100	4,100	1.00	4,100	16,500	3.65	60,200
Lincoln	800	2.65	2,100	16,200	0.60	9,900	17,000	0.70	12,000
Phillips	3,400	5.10	17,300	2,600	1.15	3,000	6,000	3.40	20,300
Washington ..	7,700	3.90	30,000	17,800	0.85	14,900	25,500	1.75	44,900
Yuma	23,000	4.70	108,000	2,500	1.10	2,700	25,500	4.35	110,700
East Central	79,000	3.60	286,000	86,000	0.75	65,000	165,000	2.15	351,000
Archuleta ...	2,200	1.55	3,400	800	0.75	600	3,000	1.35	4,000
Delta	23,900	2.25	54,000	1,100	1.20	1,300	25,000	2.20	55,300
Dolores	6,300	1.15	7,200	8,700	0.60	5,200	15,000	0.85	12,400
Garfield	29,500	1.55	45,800	500	0.60	300	30,000	1.55	46,100
Hinsdale	1,000	1.00	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	1.00	1,000
La Plata	31,200	1.40	43,700	2,300	0.55	1,300	33,500	1.35	45,000
Mesa	38,400	2.65	102,000	600	1.15	700	39,000	2.65	102,700
Montezuma ..	28,800	1.25	36,200	9,700	0.40	4,000	38,500	1.05	40,200
Montrose ...	32,200	2.90	93,000	1,300	1.25	1,600	33,500	2.80	94,600
Ouray	11,500	1.50	17,500	...	...	...	11,500	1.50	17,500
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	5,000	1.25	6,200	...	...	...	5,000	1.25	6,200
Southwest	210,000	1.95	410,000	25,000	0.60	15,000	235,000	1.80	425,000
Alamosa	35,000	3.35	117,000	...	...	...	35,000	3.35	117,000
Conejos	44,000	2.50	109,000	2,500	0.60	1,500	46,500	2.40	110,500
Costilla	20,000	3.45	69,000	...	...	...	20,000	3.45	69,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	40,000	2.95	118,000	3,000	1.05	3,100	43,000	2.80	121,100
Saguache ...	64,000	3.20	204,000	1,500	0.60	900	65,500	3.15	204,900
San Luis Valley	203,000	3.05	617,000	7,000	0.80	5,500	210,000	2.95	622,500
Baca	10,500	3.10	32,500	7,500	0.95	7,100	18,000	2.20	39,600
Bent	34,400	1.90	65,500	600	0.65	400	35,000	1.90	65,900
Crowley	10,500	2.00	20,800	...	...	...	10,500	2.00	20,800
Custer	6,500	0.95	6,200	2,000	0.70	1,400	8,500	0.90	7,600
Fremont	6,500	1.40	9,200	500	1.00	500	7,000	1.40	9,700
Huerfano	3,500	1.15	4,100	...	...	...	3,500	1.15	4,100
Las Animas ..	4,000	2.00	8,000	4,000	0.65	2,500	8,000	1.30	10,500
Otero	27,500	2.65	72,700	...	...	...	27,500	2.65	72,700
Prowers	74,100	2.55	187,300	7,900	0.60	4,600	82,000	2.35	191,900
Pueblo	23,500	2.05	48,700	1,500	0.65	1,000	25,000	2.00	49,700
Southeast	201,000	2.25	455,000	24,000	0.75	17,500	225,000	2.10	472,500
State Total	1,140,000	2.50	2,842,000	210,000	0.75	161,000	1,350,000	2.22	3,003,000

All, Hay: Production by County, Colorado, 2003 with Ranking of First Five Counties



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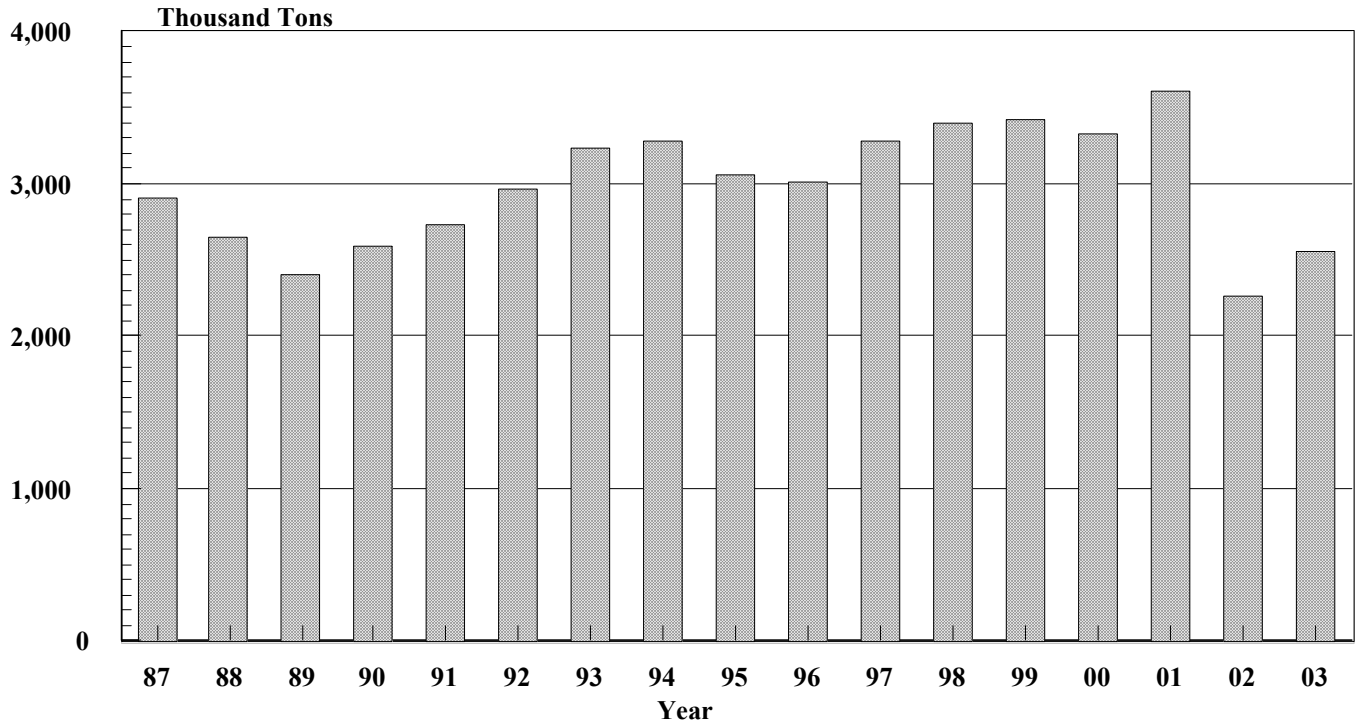
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	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Chaffee	10,000	1.30	13,200	...	...	...	10,000	1.30	13,200
Clear Creek ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	12,500	1.70	21,400	500	0.80	400	13,000	1.70	21,800
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	12,000	1.30	15,800	500	0.40	200	12,500	1.30	16,000
Gunnison ...	16,000	1.45	23,000	...	...	...	16,000	1.45	23,000
Jackson	61,500	1.30	80,400	500	0.60	300	62,000	1.30	80,700
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	26,000	1.95	50,700	17,000	0.95	15,900	43,000	1.55	66,600
Park	4,000	1.15	4,600	2,000	0.45	900	6,000	0.90	5,500
Pitkin	5,000	1.60	8,000	...	...	...	5,000	1.60	8,000
Rio Blanco ..	29,000	2.15	62,300	7,000	0.95	6,700	36,000	1.90	69,000
Routt	26,000	1.70	44,400	8,500	1.40	11,900	34,500	1.65	56,300
Summit	4,500	0.85	3,900	500	0.60	300	5,000	0.85	4,200
Teller	1,500	0.85	1,300	500	0.80	400	2,000	0.85	1,700
NW & Mountain	208,000	1.60	329,000	37,000	1.00	37,000	245,000	1.50	366,000
Boulder	21,000	2.95	61,500	2,000	0.95	1,900	23,000	2.75	63,400
Jefferson	4,000	2.25	9,000	5,000	0.60	2,900	9,000	1.30	11,900
Larimer	33,500	2.60	87,500	5,500	1.30	7,100	39,000	2.45	94,600
Logan	50,000	4.25	213,000	18,000	1.30	23,500	68,000	3.50	236,500
Morgan	38,500	4.85	186,500	13,500	1.10	15,100	52,000	3.90	201,600
Sedgwick ...	11,000	3.25	35,500	4,000	1.15	4,500	15,000	2.65	40,000
Weld	116,000	3.85	445,000	13,000	1.40	18,000	129,000	3.60	463,000
Northeast	274,000	3.80	1,038,000	61,000	1.20	73,000	335,000	3.30	1,111,000

All, Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

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	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Adams	10,000	3.25	32,500	12,000	1.15	13,500	22,000	2.10	46,000
Arapahoe ...	1,000	3.50	3,500	3,500	1.05	3,700	4,500	1.60	7,200
Cheyenne ...	1,000	3.40	3,400	9,500	0.80	7,700	10,500	1.05	11,100
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	5,000	1.00	5,000	10,000	0.70	7,200	15,000	0.80	12,200
Elbert	2,500	2.45	6,100	27,000	0.85	22,500	29,500	0.95	28,600
El Paso	3,500	1.85	6,500	11,000	0.50	5,600	14,500	0.85	12,100
Kiowa	3,500	1.30	4,500	4,500	1.15	5,100	8,000	1.20	9,600
Kit Carson ..	23,000	3.45	79,000	6,000	1.30	7,700	29,000	3.00	86,700
Lincoln	500	2.00	1,000	25,000	0.95	23,400	25,500	0.95	24,400
Phillips	4,000	5.10	20,400	4,500	1.50	6,700	8,500	3.20	27,100
Washington ..	13,000	3.40	44,100	29,000	1.15	34,000	42,000	1.85	78,100
Yuma	32,000	4.45	143,000	4,000	1.00	3,900	36,000	4.10	146,900
East Central	99,000	3.55	349,000	146,000	0.95	141,000	245,000	2.00	490,000
Archuleta ...	4,100	1.90	7,800	400	1.00	400	4,500	1.80	8,200
Delta	24,000	2.60	61,900	500	1.20	600	24,500	2.55	62,500
Dolores	7,500	2.20	16,500	6,000	0.70	4,100	13,500	1.55	20,600
Garfield	30,900	2.35	72,000	1,100	1.35	1,500	32,000	2.30	73,500
Hinsdale	1,000	1.00	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	1.00	1,000
La Plata	24,200	1.85	44,900	1,800	1.15	2,100	26,000	1.80	47,000
Mesa	34,000	2.95	100,200	...	...	...	34,000	2.95	100,200
Montezuma ..	23,300	2.55	59,500	10,700	0.75	7,800	34,000	2.00	67,300
Montrose ...	32,500	3.20	104,500	500	1.00	500	33,000	3.20	105,000
Ouray	7,000	1.55	10,700	...	...	...	7,000	1.55	10,700
San Juan	500	2.00	1,000	...	...	...	500	2.00	1,000
San Miguel ..	5,000	1.00	5,000	...	...	...	5,000	1.00	5,000
Southwest	194,000	2.50	485,000	21,000	0.80	17,000	215,000	2.35	502,000
Alamosa	28,500	3.25	93,300	3,500	0.75	2,600	32,000	3.00	95,900
Conejos	62,000	2.75	169,000	5,000	0.55	2,800	67,000	2.55	171,800
Costilla	20,000	3.10	61,700	500	0.40	200	20,500	3.00	61,900
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	34,800	3.60	125,000	5,700	1.10	6,200	40,500	3.25	131,200
Saguache ...	67,700	2.40	162,000	2,300	0.50	1,200	70,000	2.35	163,200
San Luis Valley	213,000	2.85	611,000	17,000	0.75	13,000	230,000	2.70	624,000
Baca	7,000	3.70	25,900	9,500	1.25	11,700	16,500	2.30	37,600
Bent	37,500	1.95	73,600	1,500	1.65	2,500	39,000	1.95	76,100
Crowley	8,500	2.35	20,000	2,500	1.05	2,600	11,000	2.05	22,600
Custer	8,500	1.45	12,300	1,000	1.00	1,000	9,500	1.40	13,300
Fremont	7,000	1.80	12,700	1,000	0.70	700	8,000	1.70	13,400
Huerfano	5,000	1.85	9,300	1,500	0.85	1,300	6,500	1.65	10,600
Las Animas ..	11,500	2.00	22,800	4,500	1.05	4,700	16,000	1.70	27,500
Otero	30,000	3.30	99,000	1,000	1.20	1,200	31,000	3.25	100,200
Prowers	67,000	2.40	160,300	6,000	1.60	9,500	73,000	2.35	169,800
Pueblo	15,000	2.80	42,100	4,500	0.85	3,800	19,500	2.35	45,900
Southeast	197,000	2.45	478,000	33,000	1.20	39,000	230,000	2.25	517,000
State Total	1,185,000	2.80	3,290,000	315,000	1.00	320,000	1,500,000	2.40	3,610,000

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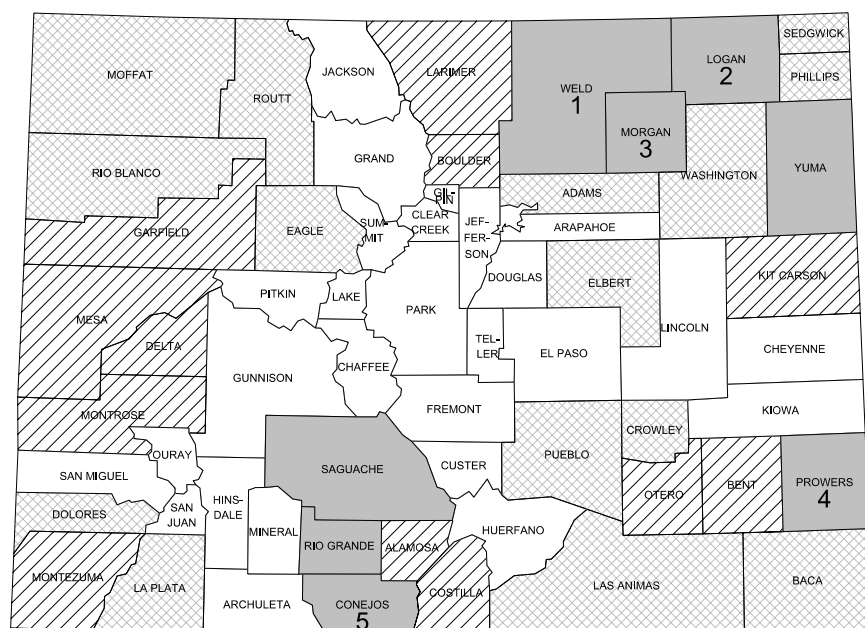
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Chaffee	3,500	1.45	5,000	...	...	...	3,500	1.45	5,000
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	4,500	1.40	6,200	...	...	...	4,500	1.40	6,200
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	1,000	1.00	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	1.00	1,000
Gunnison . . .	2,500	0.80	2,000	...	...	...	2,500	0.80	2,000
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	10,300	1.60	16,500	5,700	0.35	1,900	16,000	1.15	18,400
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	6,500	1.50	9,800	...	...	...	6,500	1.50	9,800
Rio Blanco . .	4,500	1.80	8,100	1,000	0.70	700	5,500	1.60	8,800
Routt	3,200	1.05	3,400	7,300	0.45	3,400	10,500	0.65	6,800
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	36,000	1.45	52,000	14,000	0.45	6,000	50,000	1.15	58,000
Boulder	8,000	2.90	23,000	500	1.00	500	8,500	2.75	23,500
Jefferson . . .	1,000	2.50	2,500	...	...	...	1,000	2.50	2,500
Larimer	17,000	3.05	52,000	1,000	1.20	1,200	18,000	2.95	53,200
Logan	38,000	4.30	164,000	2,000	0.60	1,200	40,000	4.15	165,200
Morgan	30,000	4.60	138,000	1,500	1.35	2,000	31,500	4.45	140,000
Sedgwick . . .	5,000	3.70	18,500	...	...	...	5,000	3.70	18,500
Weld	82,000	4.00	328,000	4,000	1.55	6,100	86,000	3.90	334,100
Northeast	181,000	4.00	726,000	9,000	1.20	11,000	190,000	3.90	737,000

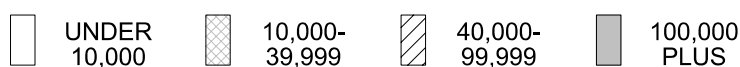
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Adams	8,000	4.25	34,000	1,500	0.65	1,000	9,500	3.70	35,000
Arapahoe ...	1,500	3.20	4,800	500	0.80	400	2,000	2.60	5,200
Cheyenne ...	500	2.40	1,200	500	1.00	500	1,000	1.70	1,700
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	1,500	1.00	1,500	500	0.40	200	2,000	0.85	1,700
Elbert	1,500	2.00	3,000	5,500	0.30	1,600	7,000	0.65	4,600
El Paso	4,000	1.80	7,200	1,000	0.30	300	5,000	1.50	7,500
Kiowa	2,000	2.10	4,200	...	...	...	2,000	2.10	4,200
Kit Carson ..	10,000	5.00	50,000	500	0.40	200	10,500	4.80	50,200
Lincoln	800	2.65	2,100	2,200	0.30	700	3,000	0.95	2,800
Phillips	3,000	5.50	16,500	...	...	...	3,000	5.50	16,500
Washington ..	6,200	4.25	26,500	1,300	0.70	900	7,500	3.65	27,400
Yuma	17,000	5.65	96,000	500	0.40	200	17,500	5.50	96,200
East Central	56,000	4.40	247,000	14,000	0.45	6,000	70,000	3.60	253,000
Archuleta ...	1,000	1.70	1,700	...	...	...	1,000	1.70	1,700
Delta	17,500	2.45	43,000	500	1.00	500	18,000	2.40	43,500
Dolores	5,500	1.00	5,600	6,500	0.45	3,000	12,000	0.70	8,600
Garfield	19,500	1.55	30,400	500	0.60	300	20,000	1.55	30,700
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	14,200	1.00	14,200	1,300	0.45	600	15,500	0.95	14,800
Mesa	27,000	3.15	85,000	...	...	...	27,000	3.15	85,000
Montezuma ..	23,800	1.30	31,200	9,700	0.40	4,000	33,500	1.05	35,200
Montrose ...	22,000	3.20	70,000	500	1.20	600	22,500	3.15	70,600
Ouray	3,500	2.25	7,900	...	...	...	3,500	2.25	7,900
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	2,000	1.00	2,000	...	...	...	2,000	1.00	2,000
Southwest	136,000	2.15	291,000	19,000	0.45	9,000	155,000	1.95	300,000
Alamosa	25,000	3.65	91,000	...	...	...	25,000	3.65	91,000
Conejos	30,500	2.60	80,000	1,000	0.50	500	31,500	2.55	80,500
Costilla	16,000	3.80	61,000	...	...	...	16,000	3.80	61,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	26,000	3.50	91,000	...	...	...	26,000	3.50	91,000
Saguache ...	36,500	4.65	169,000	...	...	...	36,500	4.65	169,000
San Luis Valley	134,000	3.65	492,000	1,000	0.50	500	135,000	3.65	492,500
Baca	9,500	3.25	31,000	500	1.00	500	10,000	3.15	31,500
Bent	32,000	1.90	61,000	...	...	...	32,000	1.90	61,000
Crowley	8,500	2.00	17,000	...	...	...	8,500	2.00	17,000
Custer	500	1.00	500	...	...	...	500	1.00	500
Fremont	4,500	1.55	7,000	...	...	...	4,500	1.55	7,000
Huerfano	1,500	1.65	2,500	...	...	...	1,500	1.65	2,500
Las Animas ..	3,000	2.00	6,000	1,000	0.70	700	4,000	1.70	6,700
Otero	26,000	2.70	70,000	...	...	...	26,000	2.70	70,000
Prowers	72,000	2.55	182,000	1,000	0.80	800	73,000	2.50	182,800
Pueblo	19,500	2.15	42,000	500	1.00	500	20,000	2.15	42,500
Southeast	177,000	2.35	419,000	3,000	0.85	2,500	180,000	2.35	421,500
State Total	720,000	3.10	2,227,000	60,000	0.60	35,000	780,000	2.90	2,262,000

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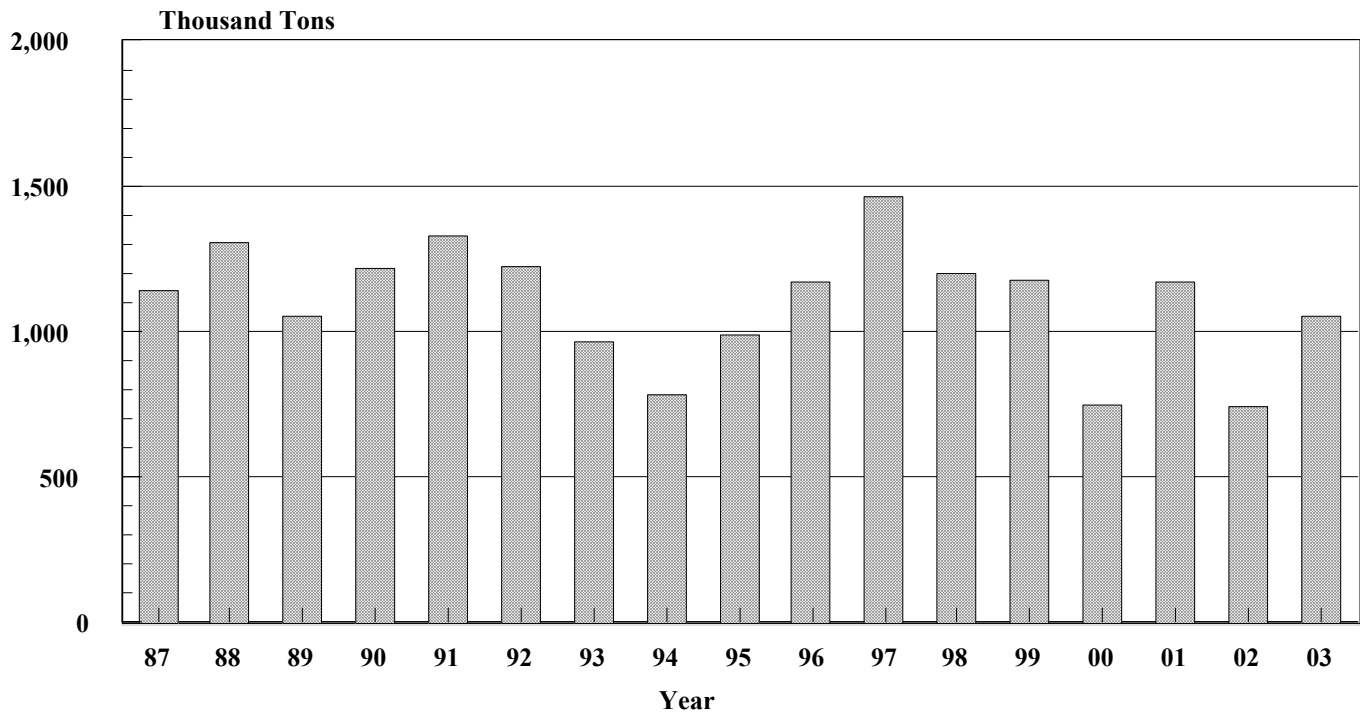
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Chaffee	3,000	2.00	6,000	...	...	...	3,000	2.00	6,000
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	4,000	2.55	10,200	...	...	...	4,000	2.55	10,200
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	500	0.80	400	...	...	...	500	0.80	400
Gunnison . . .	1,000	1.80	1,800	...	...	...	1,000	1.80	1,800
Jackson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	10,500	2.05	21,600	12,500	0.95	11,900	23,000	1.45	33,500
Park	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pitkin	4,000	1.75	7,000	...	...	...	4,000	1.75	7,000
Rio Blanco . .	7,500	2.55	19,000	4,500	0.90	4,100	12,000	1.95	23,100
Routt	1,500	2.00	3,000	6,000	1.50	9,000	7,500	1.60	12,000
Summit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Teller	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NW & Mountain	32,000	2.15	69,000	23,000	1.10	25,000	55,000	1.70	94,000
Boulder	12,000	3.45	41,500	1,000	1.30	1,300	13,000	3.30	42,800
Jefferson . . .	1,000	4.00	4,000	...	...	...	1,000	4.00	4,000
Larimer	19,000	3.20	61,000	2,000	1.05	2,100	21,000	3.00	63,100
Logan	41,000	4.75	194,000	2,000	1.25	2,500	43,000	4.55	196,500
Morgan	32,000	5.25	168,000	2,000	2.05	4,100	34,000	5.05	172,100
Sedgwick . . .	7,000	4.05	28,500	...	...	...	7,000	4.05	28,500
Weld	92,000	4.25	391,000	4,000	1.75	7,000	96,000	4.15	398,000
Northeast	204,000	4.35	888,000	11,000	1.55	17,000	215,000	4.20	905,000

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Adams	7,000	4.05	28,500	2,000	1.50	3,000	9,000	3.50	31,500
Arapahoe . . .	1,000	3.50	3,500	500	1.00	500	1,500	2.65	4,000
Cheyenne . . .	500	4.00	2,000	...	...	...	500	4.00	2,000
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	2,000	1.00	2,000	1,000	0.80	800	3,000	0.95	2,800
Elbert	1,500	3.35	5,000	15,000	0.95	14,400	16,500	1.20	19,400
El Paso	2,500	2.20	5,500	1,500	0.80	1,200	4,000	1.70	6,700
Kiowa	500	3.00	1,500	500	2.40	1,200	1,000	2.70	2,700
Kit Carson . .	10,000	4.40	44,000	1,000	1.80	1,800	11,000	4.15	45,800
Lincoln	500	2.00	1,000	2,000	0.45	900	2,500	0.75	1,900
Phillips	3,500	5.45	19,000	500	0.40	200	4,000	4.80	19,200
Washington . .	7,000	4.30	30,000	2,000	1.50	3,000	9,000	3.65	33,000
Yuma	23,000	5.30	122,000	...	...	...	23,000	5.30	122,000
East Central	59,000	4.45	264,000	26,000	1.05	27,000	85,000	3.40	291,000
Archuleta . . .	2,000	2.60	5,200	...	...	...	2,000	2.60	5,200
Delta	16,000	2.75	44,000	...	...	...	16,000	2.75	44,000
Dolores	6,500	2.30	15,000	4,000	0.65	2,500	10,500	1.65	17,500
Garfield	20,000	2.65	53,000	...	...	...	20,000	2.65	53,000
Hinsdale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
La Plata	14,000	2.20	30,600	1,000	1.10	1,100	15,000	2.10	31,700
Mesa	25,000	3.30	82,200	...	...	...	25,000	3.30	82,200
Montezuma . .	19,000	2.60	49,000	10,000	0.75	7,400	29,000	1.95	56,400
Montrose . . .	23,000	3.70	85,500	...	...	...	23,000	3.70	85,500
Ouray	1,000	1.50	1,500	...	...	...	1,000	1.50	1,500
San Juan	500	2.00	1,000	...	...	...	500	2.00	1,000
San Miguel . .	3,000	1.00	3,000	...	...	...	3,000	1.00	3,000
Southwest	130,000	2.85	370,000	15,000	0.75	11,000	145,000	2.65	381,000
Alamosa	20,500	3.65	75,000	500	0.80	400	21,000	3.60	75,400
Conejos	41,000	3.20	131,000	1,000	0.40	400	42,000	3.15	131,400
Costilla	13,000	3.70	48,000	500	0.40	200	13,500	3.55	48,200
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande . .	26,500	3.95	105,000	...	...	...	26,500	3.95	105,000
Saguache . . .	27,000	3.95	107,000	...	...	...	27,000	3.95	107,000
San Luis Valley	128,000	3.65	466,000	2,000	0.50	1,000	130,000	3.60	467,000
Baca	6,000	4.00	24,000	500	0.80	400	6,500	3.75	24,400
Bent	32,000	2.00	64,500	1,000	1.90	1,900	33,000	2.00	66,400
Crowley	6,000	2.65	16,000	1,000	1.10	1,100	7,000	2.45	17,100
Custer	500	2.00	1,000	...	...	...	500	2.00	1,000
Fremont	4,500	2.00	9,000	500	0.40	200	5,000	1.85	9,200
Huerfano	3,000	2.15	6,500	500	1.20	600	3,500	2.05	7,100
Las Animas . .	9,000	2.15	19,500	1,000	1.00	1,000	10,000	2.05	20,500
Otero	25,500	3.35	86,000	500	0.80	400	26,000	3.30	86,400
Prowers	63,000	2.40	152,000	2,000	1.25	2,500	65,000	2.40	154,500
Pueblo	12,500	2.75	34,500	1,000	0.90	900	13,500	2.60	35,400
Southeast	162,000	2.55	413,000	8,000	1.15	9,000	170,000	2.50	422,000
State Total	715,000	3.45	2,470,000	85,000	1.05	90,000	800,000	3.20	2,560,000

Other Hay: Production, Colorado, 1987-2003 (Thousand Tons)



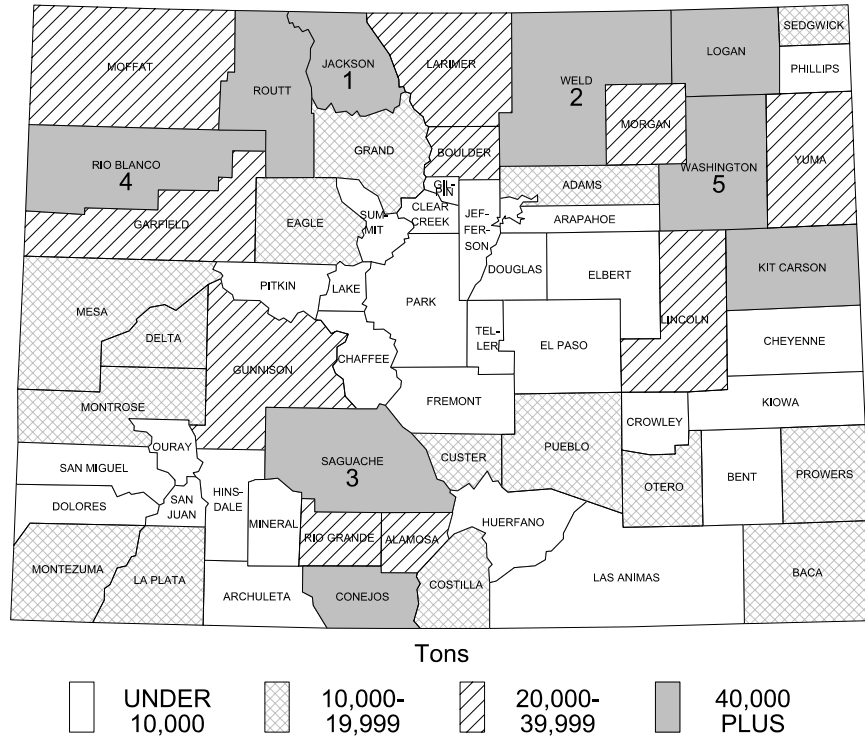
Other Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

County and District	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Chaffee	7,800	0.90	6,900	...	...	...	7,800	0.90	6,900
Clear Creek ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	7,700	0.70	5,300	500	0.60	300	8,200	0.70	5,600
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	15,000	0.80	12,000	1,000	1.00	1,000	16,000	0.80	13,000
Gunnison ...	20,000	1.00	20,000	...	...	...	20,000	1.00	20,000
Jackson	59,000	0.95	57,000	...	...	...	59,000	0.95	57,000
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	18,000	1.55	28,000	4,000	1.10	4,300	22,000	1.45	32,300
Park	3,000	0.55	1,700	6,000	0.45	2,600	9,000	0.50	4,300
Pitkin	1,200	1.50	1,800	...	...	...	1,200	1.50	1,800
Rio Blanco ..	22,000	1.60	35,500	...	...	...	22,000	1.60	35,500
Routt	31,500	1.55	48,500	3,500	0.80	2,800	35,000	1.45	51,300
Summit	3,800	0.70	2,600	...	...	...	3,800	0.70	2,600
Teller	1,000	0.70	700	...	...	...	1,000	0.70	700
NW & Mountain	190,000	1.15	220,000	15,000	0.75	11,000	205,000	1.15	231,000
Boulder	6,600	1.50	10,000	1,400	0.95	1,300	8,000	1.40	11,300
Jefferson	4,200	1.65	7,000	1,800	1.15	2,100	6,000	1.50	9,100
Larimer	11,500	1.50	17,000	3,500	0.80	2,800	15,000	1.30	19,800
Logan	4,000	2.75	11,000	9,000	1.00	9,200	13,000	1.55	20,200
Morgan	3,500	2.00	7,000	3,500	0.85	2,900	7,000	1.40	9,900
Sedgwick ...	1,000	2.00	2,000	4,000	1.70	6,700	5,000	1.75	8,700
Weld	9,200	2.40	22,000	6,800	0.75	5,000	16,000	1.70	27,000
Northeast	40,000	1.90	76,000	30,000	1.00	30,000	70,000	1.50	106,000

Other Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued

County and District	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Adams	5,500	1.35	7,300	7,000	1.25	8,700	12,500	1.30	16,000
Arapahoe ...	700	1.00	700	800	0.50	400	1,500	0.75	1,100
Cheyenne ...	1,500	2.00	3,000	2,000	0.70	1,400	3,500	1.25	4,400
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	800	1.50	1,200	8,200	1.15	9,300	9,000	1.15	10,500
Elbert	2,600	0.75	1,900	9,400	0.45	4,200	12,000	0.50	6,100
El Paso	1,600	1.55	2,500	3,400	0.40	1,400	5,000	0.80	3,900
Kiowa	...	...	...	2,500	0.40	1,000	2,500	0.40	1,000
Kit Carson ..	2,400	2.55	6,100	3,600	1.10	3,900	6,000	1.65	10,000
Lincoln	...	...	...	14,000	0.65	9,200	14,000	0.65	9,200
Phillips	400	2.00	800	2,600	1.15	3,000	3,000	1.25	3,800
Washington ..	1,500	2.35	3,500	16,500	0.85	14,000	18,000	0.95	17,500
Yuma	6,000	2.00	12,000	2,000	1.25	2,500	8,000	1.80	14,500
East Central	23,000	1.70	39,000	72,000	0.80	59,000	95,000	1.05	98,000
Archuleta ...	1,200	1.40	1,700	800	0.75	600	2,000	1.15	2,300
Delta	6,400	1.70	11,000	600	1.35	800	7,000	1.70	11,800
Dolores	800	2.00	1,600	2,200	1.00	2,200	3,000	1.25	3,800
Garfield	10,000	1.55	15,400	...	...	...	10,000	1.55	15,400
Hinsdale	1,000	1.00	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	1.00	1,000
La Plata	17,000	1.75	29,500	1,000	0.70	700	18,000	1.70	30,200
Mesa	11,400	1.50	17,000	600	1.15	700	12,000	1.50	17,700
Montezuma ..	5,000	1.00	5,000	...	...	...	5,000	1.00	5,000
Montrose ...	10,200	2.25	23,000	800	1.25	1,000	11,000	2.20	24,000
Ouray	8,000	1.20	9,600	...	...	...	8,000	1.20	9,600
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	3,000	1.40	4,200	...	...	...	3,000	1.40	4,200
Southwest	74,000	1.60	119,000	6,000	1.00	6,000	80,000	1.55	125,000
Alamosa	10,000	2.60	26,000	...	...	...	10,000	2.60	26,000
Conejos	13,500	2.15	29,000	1,500	0.65	1,000	15,000	2.00	30,000
Costilla	4,000	2.00	8,000	...	...	...	4,000	2.00	8,000
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	14,000	1.95	27,000	3,000	1.05	3,100	17,000	1.75	30,100
Saguache ...	27,500	1.25	35,000	1,500	0.60	900	29,000	1.25	35,900
San Luis Valley	69,000	1.80	125,000	6,000	0.85	5,000	75,000	1.75	130,000
Baca	1,000	1.50	1,500	7,000	0.95	6,600	8,000	1.00	8,100
Bent	2,400	1.90	4,500	600	0.65	400	3,000	1.65	4,900
Crowley	2,000	1.90	3,800	...	...	...	2,000	1.90	3,800
Custer	6,000	0.95	5,700	2,000	0.70	1,400	8,000	0.90	7,100
Fremont	2,000	1.10	2,200	500	1.00	500	2,500	1.10	2,700
Huerfano	2,000	0.80	1,600	...	...	...	2,000	0.80	1,600
Las Animas ..	1,000	2.00	2,000	3,000	0.60	1,800	4,000	0.95	3,800
Otero	1,500	1.80	2,700	...	...	...	1,500	1.80	2,700
Prowers	2,100	2.50	5,300	6,900	0.55	3,800	9,000	1.00	9,100
Pueblo	4,000	1.70	6,700	1,000	0.50	500	5,000	1.45	7,200
Southeast	24,000	1.50	36,000	21,000	0.70	15,000	45,000	1.15	51,000
State Total	420,000	1.45	615,000	150,000	0.85	126,000	570,000	1.30	741,000

Other, Hay: Production by County, Colorado, 2003 with Ranking of First Five Counties



Other, Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003

County and District	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Chaffee	7,000	1.05	7,200	...	...	...	7,000	1.05	7,200
Clear Creek . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	8,500	1.30	11,200	500	0.80	400	9,000	1.30	11,600
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	11,500	1.35	15,400	500	0.40	200	12,000	1.30	15,600
Gunnison . . .	15,000	1.40	21,200	...	...	...	15,000	1.40	21,200
Jackson	61,500	1.30	80,400	500	0.60	300	62,000	1.30	80,700
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	15,500	1.90	29,100	4,500	0.90	4,000	20,000	1.65	33,100
Park	4,000	1.15	4,600	2,000	0.45	900	6,000	0.90	5,500
Pitkin	1,000	1.00	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	1.00	1,000
Rio Blanco . .	21,500	2.00	43,300	2,500	1.05	2,600	24,000	1.90	45,900
Routt	24,500	1.70	41,400	2,500	1.15	2,900	27,000	1.65	44,300
Summit	4,500	0.85	3,900	500	0.60	300	5,000	0.85	4,200
Teller	1,500	0.85	1,300	500	0.80	400	2,000	0.85	1,700
NW & Mountain	176,000	1.50	260,000	14,000	0.85	12,000	190,000	1.45	272,000
Boulder	9,000	2.20	20,000	1,000	0.60	600	10,000	2.05	20,600
Jefferson	3,000	1.65	5,000	5,000	0.60	2,900	8,000	1.00	7,900
Larimer	14,500	1.85	26,500	3,500	1.45	5,000	18,000	1.75	31,500
Logan	9,000	2.10	19,000	16,000	1.30	21,000	25,000	1.60	40,000
Morgan	6,500	2.85	18,500	11,500	0.95	11,000	18,000	1.65	29,500
Sedgwick	4,000	1.75	7,000	4,000	1.15	4,500	8,000	1.45	11,500
Weld	24,000	2.25	54,000	9,000	1.20	11,000	33,000	1.95	65,000
Northeast	70,000	2.15	150,000	50,000	1.10	56,000	120,000	1.70	206,000

Other, Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2003, continued

County and District	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total		
	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield per acre	Production
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons
Adams	3,000	1.35	4,000	10,000	1.05	10,500	13,000	1.10	14,500
Arapahoe ...	...	...	...	3,000	1.05	3,200	3,000	1.05	3,200
Cheyenne ...	500	2.80	1,400	9,500	0.80	7,700	10,000	0.90	9,100
Denver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	3,000	1.00	3,000	9,000	0.70	6,400	12,000	0.80	9,400
Elbert	1,000	1.10	1,100	12,000	0.70	8,100	13,000	0.70	9,200
El Paso	1,000	1.00	1,000	9,500	0.45	4,400	10,500	0.50	5,400
Kiowa	3,000	1.00	3,000	4,000	1.00	3,900	7,000	1.00	6,900
Kit Carson ..	13,000	2.70	35,000	5,000	1.20	5,900	18,000	2.25	40,900
Lincoln	...	...	...	23,000	1.00	22,500	23,000	1.00	22,500
Phillips	500	2.80	1,400	4,000	1.65	6,500	4,500	1.75	7,900
Washington ..	6,000	2.35	14,100	27,000	1.15	31,000	33,000	1.35	45,100
Yuma	9,000	2.35	21,000	4,000	1.00	3,900	13,000	1.90	24,900
East Central	40,000	2.15	85,000	120,000	0.95	114,000	160,000	1.25	199,000
Archuleta ...	2,100	1.25	2,600	400	1.00	400	2,500	1.20	3,000
Delta	8,000	2.25	17,900	500	1.20	600	8,500	2.20	18,500
Dolores	1,000	1.50	1,500	2,000	0.80	1,600	3,000	1.05	3,100
Garfield	10,900	1.75	19,000	1,100	1.35	1,500	12,000	1.70	20,500
Hinsdale	1,000	1.00	1,000	...	...	...	1,000	1.00	1,000
La Plata	10,200	1.40	14,300	800	1.25	1,000	11,000	1.40	15,300
Mesa	9,000	2.00	18,000	...	...	...	9,000	2.00	18,000
Montezuma ..	4,300	2.45	10,500	700	0.55	400	5,000	2.20	10,900
Montrose ...	9,500	2.00	19,000	500	1.00	500	10,000	1.95	19,500
Ouray	6,000	1.55	9,200	...	...	...	6,000	1.55	9,200
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel ..	2,000	1.00	2,000	...	...	...	2,000	1.00	2,000
Southwest	64,000	1.80	115,000	6,000	1.00	6,000	70,000	1.75	121,000
Alamosa	8,000	2.30	18,300	3,000	0.75	2,200	11,000	1.85	20,500
Conejos	21,000	1.80	38,000	4,000	0.60	2,400	25,000	1.60	40,400
Costilla	7,000	1.95	13,700	...	...	...	7,000	1.95	13,700
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rio Grande ..	8,300	2.40	20,000	5,700	1.10	6,200	14,000	1.85	26,200
Saguache ...	40,700	1.35	55,000	2,300	0.50	1,200	43,000	1.30	56,200
San Luis Valley	85,000	1.70	145,000	15,000	0.80	12,000	100,000	1.55	157,000
Baca	1,000	1.90	1,900	9,000	1.25	11,300	10,000	1.30	13,200
Bent	5,500	1.65	9,100	500	1.20	600	6,000	1.60	9,700
Crowley	2,500	1.60	4,000	1,500	1.00	1,500	4,000	1.40	5,500
Custer	8,000	1.40	11,300	1,000	1.00	1,000	9,000	1.35	12,300
Fremont	2,500	1.50	3,700	500	1.00	500	3,000	1.40	4,200
Huerfano	2,000	1.40	2,800	1,000	0.70	700	3,000	1.15	3,500
Las Animas ..	2,500	1.30	3,300	3,500	1.05	3,700	6,000	1.15	7,000
Otero	4,500	2.90	13,000	500	1.60	800	5,000	2.75	13,800
Prowers	4,000	2.10	8,300	4,000	1.75	7,000	8,000	1.90	15,300
Pueblo	2,500	3.05	7,600	3,500	0.85	2,900	6,000	1.75	10,500
Southeast	35,000	1.85	65,000	25,000	1.20	30,000	60,000	1.60	95,000
State Total	470,000	1.75	820,000	230,000	1.00	230,000	700,000	1.50	1,050,000

Potatoes: Acreage and production by county, Colorado, 2002-2003

County	2002				2003			
	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production	Acreage		Yield per acre	Production
	Planted	Harvested			Planted	Harvested		
	Acres		Cwt	1,000 Cwt	Acres		Cwt	1,000 Cwt
Fall Crop:								
Alamosa	24,700	24,700	395	9,715,000	21,700	21,500	350	7,530,000
Conejos	1,000	1,000	345	345,000	1,100	1,100	345	382,000
Costilla	5,100	5,100	385	1,960,000	4,600	4,600	375	1,730,000
Rio Grande	22,700	22,700	400	9,045,000	21,500	21,100	370	7,820,000
Saguache	18,100	18,000	380	6,820,000	17,400	17,400	355	6,190,000
Total Fall	71,600	71,500	390	27,885,000	66,300	65,700	360	23,652,000
Summer Crop:								
Yuma	2,800	2,800	420	1,175,000	3,500	3,500	405	1,425,000
Other counties ..	3,600	3,500	310	1,093,000	3,300	3,200	350	1,121,000
Total Summer ..	6,400	6,300	360	2,268,000	6,800	6,700	380	2,546,000
State Total	78,000	77,800	390	30,153,000	73,100	72,400	362	26,198,000

Potatoes: Production and disposition by seasonal group, Colorado, 1993-2002

Year	Summer Crop					Fall Crop				
	Production	Farm Disposition				Production	Farm Disposition			
		Seed feed & home use	Shrinkage & loss	Sold			Seed feed & home use	Shrinkage & loss	Sold	
				Quantity	% of Production				Quantity	% of Production
	1,000 Cwt		1,000 Cwt		Percent	1,000 Cwt		1,000 Cwt		Percent
1993	2,542	5	100	2,437	96	25,270	1,200	2,040	22,030	87
1994	3,069	6	174	2,889	94	25,795	1,210	2,040	22,545	87
1995	2,776	5	129	2,642	95	23,808	1,285	2,048	20,475	86
1996	3,381	5	206	3,170	94	29,175	1,485	3,975	23,715	81
1997	2,584	5	143	2,436	94	24,993	1,340	2,773	20,880	84
1998	2,625	8	125	2,492	95	25,360	1,615	2,615	21,130	83
1999	2,475	5	145	2,325	94	25,762	1,705	2,967	21,090	82
2000	2,988	5	163	2,820	94	27,972	1,485	3,847	22,640	81
2001	2,016	5	111	1,900	94	21,357	1,465	1,887	18,005	84
2002	2,268	5	113	2,150	95	27,885	1,460	2,845	23,580	85

Fall Potatoes: Production and stocks, Colorado, 1994-2004

Year	Production	Stocks and percent of production held by growers and commercial storages													
		December 1		January 1		February 1		March 1		April 1		May 1		June 1	
		Stocks	Pct.	Stocks	Pct.	Stocks	Pct.	Stocks	Pct.	Stocks	Pct.	Stocks	Pct.	Stocks	Pct.
	1,000 Cwt	1,000 Cwt	%	1,000 Cwt	%	1,000 Cwt	%	1,000 Cwt	%	1,000 Cwt	%	1,000 Cwt	%	1,000 Cwt	%
1994-95	25,795	18,900	73	16,300	63	13,700	53	11,300	44	8,500	33	6,100	24	...	...
1995-96	23,808	18,200	76	16,100	68	13,400	56	11,200	47	9,100	38	6,200	26	...	...
1996-97	29,175	23,100	79	20,700	71	18,100	62	15,500	53	12,900	44	9,900	34	...	...
1997-98	24,993	19,400	78	17,000	68	14,700	59	12,800	51	10,500	42	7,700	31	...	...
1998-99	25,360	19,000	75	16,500	65	14,200	56	12,000	47	9,300	37	6,600	26	2,900	11
1999-2000 ..	25,762	19,700	76	17,300	67	15,100	59	12,900	50	10,100	39	7,400	29	3,700	14
2000-2001 ..	27,972	20,300	73	17,700	63	15,100	54	13,000	46	10,300	37	7,400	26	3,500	13
2001-2002 ..	21,357	15,600	73	13,300	62	11,000	52	9,400	44	7,300	34	5,100	23	1,700	8
2002-2003 ..	27,885	20,500	74	18,100	65	15,300	55	13,100	47	9,900	36	5,800	21	3,800	14
2003-2004 ..	23,652	17,800	75	15,500	66	12,200	52	10,300	44	7,000	30	3,600	15	NA	

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Grain/Hay Stocks

Wheat, Barley and Oats: On-farm, off-farm and total stocks, Colorado, 1992-2004

Year/Month		All Wheat			Barley			Oats <u>1/</u>
		On-farm	Off-farm	Total	On-farm	Off-farm	Total	Off-farm
1,000 Bushels								
1992	March 1	10,500	21,380	31,880	1,500	7,875	9,375	169
	June 1	5,000	11,250	16,250	350	6,535	6,885	124
	September 1	30,000	41,000	71,000	4,800	6,845	11,645	210
	December 1	18,500	29,690	48,190	2,000	7,485	9,485	235
1993	March 1	9,500	21,855	31,355	1,050	6,090	7,140	167
	June 1	5,500	9,690	15,190	650	5,930	6,580	155
	September 1	34,000	45,000	79,000	5,000	5,850	10,850	185
	December 1	30,000	31,500	61,500	2,600	6,255	8,855	136
1994	March 1	13,000	23,440	36,440	925	5,060	5,985	133
	June 1	5,000	11,500	16,500	250	4,530	4,780	88
	September 1	36,000	32,500	68,500	3,000	5,820	8,820	110
	December 1	20,000	27,400	47,400	2,200	6,180	8,380	145
1995	March 1	9,000	21,350	30,350	800	5,285	6,085	198
	June 1	5,000	10,950	15,950	325	3,380	3,705	125
	September 1	30,000	46,150	76,150	6,000	4,420	10,420	125
	December 1	17,000	30,090	47,090	1,300	4,365	5,665	155
1996	March 1	6,500	21,550	28,050	325	5,920	6,245	135
	June 1	2,500	11,700	14,200	50	4,420	4,470	100
	September 1	33,000	30,935	63,935	5,200	5,025	10,225	120
	December 1	19,000	21,140	40,140	1,700	8,145	9,845	90
1997	March 1	8,000	16,800	24,800	510	6,470	6,980	82
	June 1	3,500	8,970	12,470	215	4,920	5,135	75
	September 1	36,000	40,890	76,890	4,500	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	90
	December 1	26,500	32,500	59,000	2,000	7,035	9,035	140
1998	March 1	19,000	25,160	44,160	<u>3/</u>	6,075	<u>3/</u>	112
	June 1	8,500	16,740	25,240	<u>3/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>3/</u>	84
	September 1	37,000	45,470	82,470	<u>3/</u>	4,915	<u>3/</u>	80
	December 1	32,000	35,644	67,644	<u>3/</u>	7,038	<u>3/</u>	<u>2/</u>
1999	March 1	22,000	26,210	48,210	<u>3/</u>	7,080	<u>3/</u>	87
	June 1	14,500	19,760	34,260	<u>3/</u>	4,170	<u>3/</u>	88
	September 1	51,000	51,430	102,430	<u>3/</u>	5,085	<u>3/</u>	94
	December 1	31,000	39,200	70,200	<u>3/</u>	4,905	<u>3/</u>	105
2000	March 1	20,500	33,990	54,490	<u>3/</u>	3,980	<u>3/</u>	90
	June 1	12,500	22,715	35,215	<u>3/</u>	2,800	<u>3/</u>	85
	September 1	31,000	41,680	72,680	<u>3/</u>	6,990	<u>3/</u>	74
	December 1	20,000	34,580	54,580	<u>3/</u>	7,190	<u>3/</u>	58
2001	March 1	16,000	30,010	46,010	<u>3/</u>	6,095	<u>3/</u>	79
	June 1	6,500	21,440	27,940	<u>3/</u>	4,375	<u>3/</u>	82
	September 1	29,000	42,260	71,260	<u>3/</u>	3,730	<u>3/</u>	75
	December 1	19,000	33,520	52,520	<u>3/</u>	7,955	<u>3/</u>	77
2002	March 1	15,000	25,340	40,340	<u>3/</u>	7,180	<u>3/</u>	91
	June 1	8,000	20,830	28,830	<u>3/</u>	4,995	<u>3/</u>	71
	September 1	16,000	33,250	49,250	<u>3/</u>	5,901	<u>3/</u>	90
	December 1	11,000	28,200	39,200	<u>3/</u>	6,875	<u>3/</u>	86
2003	March 1	8,000	23,450	31,450	<u>3/</u>	7,490	<u>3/</u>	82
	June 1	3,000	11,532	14,532	<u>3/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>3/</u>	60
	September 1	22,000	42,115	64,115	<u>3/</u>	5,071	<u>3/</u>	78
	December 1	15,000	32,130	47,130	<u>3/</u>	8,630	<u>3/</u>	107
2004	March 1	7,000	24,845	31,845	<u>3/</u>	8,565	<u>3/</u>	72

1/ Only off-farm stocks estimated. 2/ Data not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations. 3/ Not estimated.

Corn and Sorghum: On-farm, off-farm and total stocks, Colorado, 1992-2004

Year/Month		Corn			Sorghum		
		On-farm	Off-farm	Total	On-farm	Off-farm	Total
1,000 Bushels							
1992	March 1	38,000	18,670	56,670	1,100	1,028	2,128
	June 1	15,000	11,575	26,575	500	993	1,493
	September 1	6,500	2,835	9,335	150	260	410
	December 1	54,000	24,685	78,685	1,400	1,840	3,240
1993	March 1	40,000	18,970	58,970	900	1,260	2,160
	June 1	20,000	12,375	32,375	550	757	1,307
	September 1	9,000	4,670	13,670	300	735	1,035
	December 1	40,000	18,640	58,640	1,600	2,450	4,050
1994	March 1	32,000	14,500	46,500	1,400	2,150	3,550
	June 1	15,000	7,275	22,275	900	1,030	1,930
	September 1	3,700	2,260	5,960	170	180	350
	December 1	50,000	30,600	80,600	1,700	2,750	4,450
1995	March 1	33,000	20,880	53,880	1,100	2,170	3,270
	June 1	13,000	10,930	23,930	350	1,370	1,720
	September 1	7,500	2,980	10,480	100	850	950
	December 1	38,000	21,355	59,355	900	1,590	2,490
1996	March 1	19,000	13,850	32,850	600	750	1,350
	June 1	6,000	5,700	11,700	600	345	945
	September 1	2,500	1,360	3,860	60	65	125
	December 1	50,000	28,445	78,445	3,500	3,415	6,915
1997	March 1	32,000	18,500	50,500	1,300	1,400	2,700
	June 1	16,000	10,200	26,200	600	600	1,200
	September 1	5,000	2,070	7,070	270	225	495
	December 1	60,000	32,600	92,600	1,800	2,050	3,850
1998	March 1	38,000	21,480	59,480	<u>1/</u>	1,390	<u>1/</u>
	June 1	22,000	11,155	33,155	<u>1/</u>	730	<u>1/</u>
	September 1	7,000	4,690	11,690	<u>1/</u>	290	<u>1/</u>
	December 1	65,000	39,432	104,432	<u>1/</u>	2,900	<u>1/</u>
1999	March 1	40,000	27,635	67,635	<u>1/</u>	2,605	<u>1/</u>
	June 1	25,000	15,740	40,740	<u>1/</u>	440	<u>1/</u>
	September 1	8,400	5,990	14,390	<u>1/</u>	420	<u>1/</u>
	December 1	73,000	39,850	112,850	<u>1/</u>	3,800	<u>1/</u>
2000	March 1	35,000	27,760	62,760	<u>1/</u>	2,280	<u>1/</u>
	June 1	18,000	13,025	31,025	<u>1/</u>	855	<u>1/</u>
	September 1	5,700	4,410	10,110	<u>1/</u>	385	<u>1/</u>
	December 1	55,000	34,230	89,230	<u>1/</u>	1,685	<u>1/</u>
2001	March 1	34,000	25,905	59,905	<u>1/</u>	1,040	<u>1/</u>
	June 1	20,000	11,900	31,900	<u>1/</u>	835	<u>1/</u>
	September 1	6,000	5,010	11,010	<u>1/</u>	485	<u>1/</u>
	December 1	65,000	31,800	96,800	<u>1/</u>	3,880	<u>1/</u>
2002	March 1	34,000	21,790	55,790	<u>1/</u>	2,175	<u>1/</u>
	June 1	26,000	13,945	39,945	<u>1/</u>	1,130	<u>1/</u>
	September 1	5,000	5,965	10,965	<u>1/</u>	835	<u>1/</u>
	December 1	53,000	28,480	81,480	<u>1/</u>	1,175	<u>1/</u>
2003	March 1	29,000	23,970	52,970	<u>1/</u>	1,105	<u>1/</u>
	June 1	16,000	14,870	30,870	<u>1/</u>	421	<u>1/</u>
	September 1	6,500	6,820	13,320	<u>1/</u>	180	<u>1/</u>
	December 1	47,000	27,470	74,470	<u>1/</u>	1,685	<u>1/</u>
2004	March 1	22,000	22,540	44,540	<u>1/</u>	1,540	<u>1/</u>

1/ Estimates discontinued.

All Hay: Production and stocks on farms, Colorado, 1977-2003

Year	Production	January 1 <u>1/</u> <u>2/</u>		May 1 <u>1/</u>	
		Stocks	% of Prod.	Stocks	% of Prod.
	1,000 Tons	1,000 Tons	Percent	1,000 Tons	Percent
1977	2,890	1,850	64	578	20
1978	3,228	2,034	63	484	15
1979	3,574	2,359	66	715	20
1980	3,276	2,129	65	590	18
1981	3,105	2,018	65	652	21
1982	3,176	2,001	63	508	16
1983	3,357	2,048	61	436	13
1984	3,311	1,953	59	563	17
1985	3,644	2,186	60	765	21
1986	3,642	2,659	73	728	20
1987	4,044	3,033	75	809	20
1988	3,957	2,374	60	435	11
1989	3,450	1,898	55	587	17
1990	3,805	2,207	58	457	12
1991	4,062	2,437	60	528	13
1992	4,189	2,575	61	396	9
1993	4,193	2,430	58	294	7
1994	4,060	2,030	50	447	11
1995	4,050	2,430	60	648	16
1996	4,180	2,006	48	209	5
1997	4,739	2,133	45	616	13
1998	4,602	2,807	61	966	21
1999	4,598	2,900	63	690	15
2000	4,080	1,770	43	286	7
2001	4,780	1,990	42	535	11
2002	3,003	1,560	52	535	18
2003	3,610	1,841	51	360	10

1/ Following year of production.

2/ Data as of December 1 beginning 1986.

On-farm and off-farm grain storage capacity, Colorado and United States, December 1, 1989-2003

Year	Colorado			United States		
	On-farm storage capacity	Off-farm storage		On-farm storage capacity	Off-farm storage	
		Number of facilities	Capacity		Number of facilities	Capacity
	Million Bushels	Number	1,000 Bushels	Million Bushels	Number	1,000 Bushels
1989	220	174	132,390	12,800	13,517	9,384,430
1990	210	167	131,030	12,400	13,214	9,089,300
1991	220	165	114,930	12,170	12,825	8,911,220
1992	190	159	115,370	12,090	12,428	8,664,970
1993	190	161	115,650	11,675	11,866	8,486,500
1994	170	139	114,700	11,500	11,592	8,374,110
1995	170	136	114,060	11,165	11,285	8,301,060
1996	160	132	112,120	10,970	10,884	8,072,330
1997	170	126	110,930	10,950	10,605	7,961,340
1998	190	131	109,100	11,130	10,272	8,003,190
1999	195	125	114,000	11,160	10,005	8,090,320
2000	175	130	126,180	11,195	9,830	8,348,996
2001	180	126	120,950	11,145	9,697	8,424,395
2002	180	123	113,500	11,070	9,516	8,506,104
2003	170	126	117,100	10,970	9,796	8,498,523

Barley and Wheat Varieties

Barley: Acreage planted by variety, by district, Colorado, 2002-2003 Crops 1/

Variety	Northwest		Northeast		East Central		Southwest		San Luis Valley		Southeast		State	
	% of Total	Acres	% of Total	Acres	% of Total	Acres	% of Total	Acres	% of Total	Acres	% of Total	Acres	% of Total	Acres
2002														
Moravian 14 *	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	87.8	43,000	---	---	50.6	43,000
Moravian 37 *	---	---	94.6	26,500	29.7	1,100	63.2	1,200	0.8	400	---	---	34.4	29,200
Alexis *	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	9.6	4,700	---	---	5.5	4,700
Otis	100.0	1,900	1.4	400	35.1	1,300	---	---	---	---	---	---	4.2	3,600
Steptoe	---	---	1.8	500	10.8	400	31.6	600	0.2	100	60.0	300	2.2	1,900
Schuyler	---	---	---	---	24.3	900	5.3	100	---	---	40.0	200	1.4	1,200
Camarque *	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1.4	700	---	---	0.8	700
Baroness	---	---	0.7	200	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.2	200
Other Malting * <u>2/</u>	---	---	1.4	400	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.5	400
Others <u>2/</u>	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.2	100	---	---	0.1	100
All Barley	100.0	1,900	100.0	28,000	100.0	3,700	100.0	1,900	100.0	49,000	100.0	500	100.0	85,000
2003														
Moravian 14 *	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	86.8	46,000	---	---	57.5	46,000
Moravian 37 *	---	---	90.4	23,500	26.9	700	57.1	800	0.9	500	---	---	31.9	25,500
Alexis *	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	9.4	5,000	---	---	6.3	5,000
Steptoe	100.0	1,200	---	---	11.5	300	14.3	200	---	---	37.5	300	2.5	2,000
Otis	---	---	3.1	800	34.6	900	---	---	---	---	---	---	2.1	1,700
Baroness	---	---	3.8	1,000	---	---	---	---	0.8	400	---	---	1.8	1,400
Schuyler	---	---	---	---	26.9	700	7.1	100	---	---	62.5	500	1.6	1,300
Will	---	---	2.7	700	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.9	700
Other Malting * <u>2/</u>	---	---	---	---	---	---	21.4	300	2.1	1,100	---	---	1.8	1,400
All Barley	100.0	1,200	100.0	26,000	100.0	2,600	100.0	1,400	100.0	53,000	100.0	800	100.0	85,000

* Indicates malt variety. 1/ Percent totals may not add due to rounding. 2/ Includes unknown varieties.

Winter Wheat: Percent Planted by Variety, Colorado, 1996-2004 Crops 1/

Variety	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
	Percent								
Akron	0.3	3.1	11.9	19.1	24.3	24.4	25.3	22.3	19.8
Praire Red	---	---	---	---	3.1	11.5	13.9	16.0	14.8
Tam 107	56.9	55.1	43.3	39.7	33.6	24.9	13.6	13.0	10.7
Jagger	---	---	---	1.2	2.1	2.9	6.7	7.7	8.9
Above	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3.8	5.8
Trego	---	---	---	---	---	0.3	2.4	3.3	5.7
Yumar	---	---	---	1.0	3.0	4.6	4.8	3.6	3.6
Halt	---	0.8	3.7	3.9	6.6	5.1	2.6	2.4	2.6
Lamar	7.4	8.0	9.4	7.5	5.1	4.4	3.6	3.3	2.6
Alliance	---	0.2	0.7	0.5	1.2	1.0	2.3	1.8	2.1
Prowers 99	---	---	---	---	---	1.1	2.4	2.6	2.1
Yuma	5.3	6.0	5.5	7.3	3.9	3.2	2.1	1.3	2.1
Prowers	---	---	---	0.7	2.3	2.9	3.5	1.3	1.9
Platte	---	---	---	---	0.5	0.4	0.8	1.5	1.8
Fairview	---	1.0	1.3	0.6	1.1	0.5	1.5	0.9	1.3
Other <u>2/</u>	30.1	25.8	24.2	18.5	13.2	12.8	14.5	15.2	14.2
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

1/ Dashes indicate either none or minor amount reported. 2/ Includes unknown, minor, and older varieties that have become less popular.

Winter Wheat: Percent planted by variety, by district and selected counties, Colorado, 2003-04 crops 1/

Northwest and Southwest Districts, Colorado 2003-2004 Crops

District/County	Blizzard	Fairview	Jeff	Stephens	Weston	Yumar	Other	Total
	Percent							
Northwest 2003	---	---	---	---	73.5	---	26.5	100.0
Northwest 2004	19.7	---	---	---	68.1	---	12.2	100.0
								100.0
Southwest 2003	---	72.3	2.8	10.0	1.1	---	13.8	100.0
Southwest 2004	---	66.2	4.2	7.1	---	7.5	15.0	100.0
Dolores	---	70.0	4.7	---	---	15.6	9.7	100.0
La Plata	---	97.7	---	0.9	---	---	1.4	100.0
Mesa	---	---	---	69.2	---	---	30.8	100.0
Montezuma	---	92.5	0.5	---	---	---	7.0	100.0
San Miguel	---	42.8	14.5	---	---	---	42.7	100.0

Northeast District, Colorado 2003-04 Crops

District/County	Above	Akron	Jagger	Lamar	Prairie Red	Tam 107	Other	Total
	Percent							
Northeast 2003	4.1	20.9	10.2	7.2	7.9	5.8	43.9	100.0
Northeast 2004	9.4	16.7	13.5	6.6	8.8	6.2	38.8	100.0
Larimer	39.4	---	---	---	9.3	---	51.3	100.0
Logan	7.4	21.3	13.8	7.9	6.4	4.4	38.8	100.0
Morgan	3.3	33.1	1.0	6.8	8.8	15.1	31.9	100.0
Sedgwick	13.8	10.9	39.0	3.9	0.4	1.4	30.6	100.0
Weld	9.9	6.8	2.0	7.4	17.9	7.7	48.3	100.0

East Central District, Colorado 2003-04 Crops

District/County	Above	Akron	Jagger	Prairie Red	Tam 107	Trego	Other	Total
	Percent							
East Central 2003	4.1	25.9	8.4	17.2	16.1	4.1	24.2	100.0
East Central 2004	5.2	19.8	8.6	17.4	12.0	7.6	29.4	100.0
Adams	13.5	9.7	---	16.2	0.2	1.3	59.1	100.0
Arapahoe	---	22.1	---	34.1	1.5	---	42.3	100.0
Cheyenne	---	19.9	---	7.8	30.5	32.1	9.7	100.0
Elbert	19.0	11.3	---	31.1	1.0	---	37.6	100.0
Kiowa	1.1	29.0	---	18.2	6.4	28.6	16.7	100.0
Kit Carson	3.0	4.5	7.3	22.6	23.8	6.6	32.2	100.0
Lincoln	0.8	25.3	1.2	24.2	14.2	8.1	26.2	100.0
Phillips	8.8	16.5	22.0	6.2	11.1	1.3	34.1	100.0
Washington	6.9	31.3	15.7	19.3	11.1	2.1	13.6	100.0
Yuma	2.5	21.9	28.2	5.7	16.5	1.7	23.5	100.0

Southeast District, Colorado 2003-04 Crops

District/County	Akron	Halt	Prairie Red	Tam 107	Tam 110	Trego	Other	Total
	Percent							
Southeast 2003	13.6	4.8	23.6	12.1	8.5	4.6	32.8	100.0
Southeast 2004	29.4	4.7	14.1	13.6	5.2	5.5	27.5	100.0
Baca	3.9	9.6	23.0	19.5	3.7	6.0	34.3	100.0
Bent	30.8	---	---	---	---	57.1	12.1	100.0
Otero	---	---	15.5	40.7	7.4	---	36.4	100.0
Prowers	54.5	0.7	6.7	7.9	7.0	3.8	19.4	100.0
Pueblo	2.9	4.5	25.2	36.8	---	---	30.6	100.0

1/ Dashes indicate either none or minor amount reported.

Field Crops: Monthly marketing percents, selected crops, Colorado, 1995-2002 crops 1/

Crop Year	All Wheat												
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	
1995-96	15	18	11	8	5	11	14	8	4	3	2	1	
1996-97	12	9	7	6	6	11	16	11	11	8	2	1	
1997-98	9	8	5	3	2	7	29	7	10	8	6	6	
1998-99	16	10	8	9	3	5	9	4	9	10	11	6	
1999-00	15	8	7	5	6	19	12	7	5	6	6	4	
2000-01	20	15	8	5	5	11	10	3	6	7	6	4	
2001-02	26	13	14	5	6	6	7	6	3	6	6	2	
2002-03	17	8	4	8	7	11	10	5	7	8	6	9	
	Barley												
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	
1995-96	---	16	19	9	23	27	4	1	---	1	---	---	
1996-97	9	39	15	8	4	16	5	---	2	1	---	1	
1997-98	11	27	33	17	4	1	2	1	1	2	---	1	
1998-99	9	25	27	25	3	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	
1999-00	20	36	6	11	3	7	5	1	5	2	2	2	
2000-01	44	34	10	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	---	1	
2001-02	1	27	20	22	2	2	23	3	---	---	---	---	
2002-03	1	51	16	20	6	---	1	3	1	---	---	1	
	Corn for Grain												
	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	
1995-96	11	28	20	15	7	5	5	3	1	1	2	2	
1996-97	16	13	10	15	10	7	6	5	5	5	4	4	
1997-98	11	10	11	13	6	7	4	4	13	13	4	4	
1998-99	11	11	15	16	8	11	5	6	5	4	4	4	
1999-00	9	18	18	14	6	7	4	4	7	5	4	4	
2000-01	14	15	14	16	8	8	5	5	5	4	3	3	
2001-02	12	17	12	13	6	7	5	7	7	7	4	3	
2002-03	6	21	22	13	7	5	6	6	3	4	4	3	
	Dry Beans												
	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	
1995-96	24	15	9	8	8	6	6	5	4	5	6	4	
1996-97	27	17	4	6	8	4	4	3	4	9	7	7	
1997-98	15	23	9	7	8	5	3	5	6	7	6	6	
1998-99	19	12	11	9	10	4	5	8	5	4	6	7	
1999-00	21	15	6	12	10	5	5	4	6	6	6	4	
2000-01	21	13	9	9	9	5	7	5	7	5	5	5	
2001-02	22	9	8	8	14	10	9	4	6	6	2	2	
2002-03	20	13	6	9	10	6	5	4	5	7	8	7	
	All Hay 2/												
	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
1995-96		12	9	10	8	9	9	10	11	6	6	6	4
1996-97		9	10	10	12	13	10	8	12	5	5	4	2
1997-98		6	6	14	10	11	10	8	8	7	9	5	6
1998-99		11	8	11	11	13	10	10	8	5	6	4	3
1999-00		10	9	11	11	10	10	10	9	6	6	4	4
2000-01		8	10	10	11	12	10	11	9	7	7	2	3
2001-02	2	5	9	12	7	12	16	13	9	5	6	4	
2002-03	4	8	7	12	11	13	10	10	9	6	7	3	

1/ Dashes indicate only minor amount sold.

2/ Marketing year changed from June - May to May - April beginning with 2001 crop.

Precipitation: Monthly and annual averages by district, Colorado, 1997-2003 ^{1/}

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total
Northwest and Mountain District													
Inches													
1941-70	1.13	1.02	1.29	1.50	1.37	1.28	1.64	1.76	1.19	1.16	.99	1.13	15.46
1997	2.19	.82	.52	2.62	2.20	1.28	1.23	2.75	2.94	1.56	1.11	.80	20.02
1998	1.21	1.01	1.55	1.45	.50	1.50	2.76	1.47	.84	1.99	1.13	.68	16.09
1999	1.73	1.00	.61	2.68	2.01	1.30	2.33	2.48	1.30	.65	.51	.97	17.57
2000	1.69	1.48	1.46	1.36	1.28	.95	1.34	2.37	1.65	.62	1.00	1.15	16.35
2001	.62	.95	1.30	1.27	1.49	.79	1.83	2.45	1.13	.78	1.30	.72	14.63
2002	.77	.55	1.10	.73	.45	.33	1.19	1.34	2.06	1.39	1.43	.68	12.02
2003	.57	1.58	1.89	1.58	1.16	1.44	.97	1.99	1.70	.38	1.65	1.06	15.97
Northeast District													
Inches													
1941-70	.47	.44	1.00	1.69	2.81	2.41	1.95	1.54	1.10	1.09	.60	.40	15.50
1997	.54	.77	.50	2.43	2.00	3.75	2.51	3.14	1.58	2.19	.81	.39	20.61
1998	.30	.44	1.64	1.97	1.98	2.05	3.60	1.28	.62	1.96	1.03	.46	17.33
1999	.28	.21	.53	4.72	2.33	2.07	2.05	3.67	2.43	.54	.49	.36	19.68
2000	.29	.38	1.79	1.35	1.58	.84	1.08	1.58	1.96	1.08	.56	.27	12.76
2001	.60	.50	.95	2.26	3.32	.89	2.50	1.36	1.47	.50	.98	.12	15.45
2002	.72	.22	.91	.28	1.69	1.40	.87	1.35	1.21	1.51	.50	.02	10.68
2003	.12	.83	3.54	2.33	2.10	2.35	.73	2.30	.78	.24	.39	.43	16.14
East Central District													
Inches													
1941-70	.41	.39	.87	1.53	2.56	2.29	2.53	2.15	1.26	1.04	.58	.34	15.95
1997	.19	.61	.19	1.29	1.65	3.14	3.86	4.03	.84	2.55	.55	.50	19.40
1998	.10	.54	.63	1.49	2.35	1.43	5.62	2.71	.50	1.34	.84	.31	17.86
1999	.31	.24	.40	4.29	2.99	2.81	2.26	4.17	1.17	.36	.37	.27	19.64
2000	.31	.35	2.56	1.36	1.42	1.25	2.64	2.03	1.27	1.82	.35	.24	15.60
2001	.76	.39	.85	1.27	3.67	1.31	3.84	1.25	1.64	.41	.79	.15	16.33
2002	.27	.18	.45	.42	.73	2.09	.73	2.19	1.40	1.31	.23	.07	10.07
2003	.16	.52	2.37	2.11	2.29	3.70	1.12	1.56	.49	.09	.14	.16	14.71
West Central and Southwest District													
Inches													
1941-70	1.25	1.05	1.25	1.35	1.04	.90	1.39	1.88	1.37	1.61	1.00	1.27	15.36
1997	2.37	1.01	.39	2.12	1.89	1.08	1.35	2.16	3.20	1.78	1.04	.61	19.00
1998	.92	1.18	1.96	1.28	.35	.59	1.82	1.06	1.07	2.50	1.40	.52	14.65
1999	.92	.60	.36	3.11	1.49	1.02	2.58	3.20	1.29	.21	.22	.59	15.59
2000	1.47	1.03	2.12	.46	.72	.64	.67	2.07	1.20	1.90	.81	.67	13.76
2001	.94	1.09	1.20	1.12	1.14	.42	1.67	2.54	.69	.91	1.26	.66	13.64
2002	.36	.21	.66	.60	.22	.04	.83	1.27	2.96	1.81	1.29	.50	10.75
2003	.35	1.71	1.12	.50	1.32	.37	.64	1.75	2.06	.50	1.61	.98	12.91
South Central District													
Inches													
1941-70	.42	.32	.53	.77	.76	.69	1.45	1.59	.86	.97	.38	.48	9.22
1997	.48	.71	.17	.59	1.10	1.31	1.14	1.97	2.22	.74	.90	.33	11.66
1998	.13	.23	.71	.81	.11	.11	2.28	1.26	.75	2.18	.67	.12	9.36
1999	.29	.18	.32	1.35	1.44	.92	1.94	2.56	1.02	.26	.06	.17	10.51
2000	.34	.19	1.40	.61	.34	.53	.91	1.72	.51	1.42	.17	.14	8.28
2001	.57	.61	1.00	.50	1.36	.40	1.88	1.94	.27	.22	.44	.17	9.36
2002	.29	.22	.13	.17	.04	.20	.78	.74	1.81	.60	.32	.28	5.58
2003	.14	.36	.82	.36	.42	.54	.88	1.23	1.57	.44	.64	.24	7.64
Southeast District													
Inches													
1941-70	.56	.54	.95	1.51	1.96	1.61	2.24	2.05	1.05	1.02	.62	.55	14.66
1997	.38	.91	.26	1.96	.74	1.70	1.85	5.21	1.58	2.66	1.41	.92	19.58
1998	.14	.57	2.04	1.83	.91	.67	5.42	2.49	.70	2.07	1.27	.34	18.45
1999	.63	.12	1.28	5.07	2.75	1.57	2.95	2.69	.89	.81	.20	.54	19.50
2000	.37	.18	2.73	1.39	.84	1.12	1.92	1.16	.66	1.88	.26	.26	12.77
2001	.88	.32	.95	.56	3.81	1.38	2.73	1.08	.70	.21	.67	.29	13.58
2002	.56	.27	.22	.28	.42	.92	.93	1.04	1.71	1.14	.15	.53	8.17
2003	.15	1.01	1.87	1.21	1.63	2.77	.77	1.26	.88	.15	.26	.37	12.33

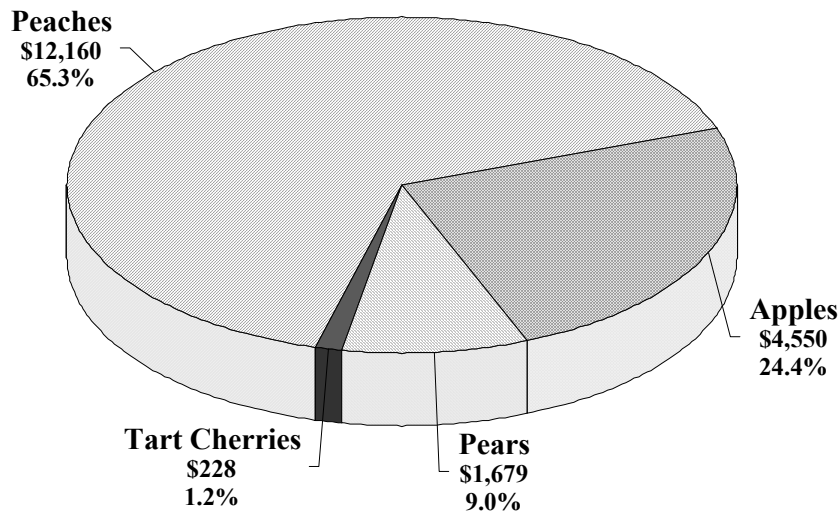
^{1/} Compiled from reports issued by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

FRUIT, VEGETABLES AND MISCELLANEOUS

Colorado Fruit Crops – 2003

Value of Production and Percent of Total

(Value in \$1,000)



FRUIT CROPS - 2003

Fruit production in Colorado during 2003 totaled 49.2 million pounds, up 9 percent from the 45.1 million pounds produced a year earlier. Larger crops than a year earlier were produced for each of the four crops for which production estimates are prepared. Fruit producers were able to make efficient use of limited water supplies to meet most needs and did not experience any major adverse weather problems during the season. Utilized production of Colorado's four fruit crops had a combined value of \$18.6 million for 2003, up 19 percent from \$15.7 million a year earlier. Producers received higher prices per unit for each 2003 fruit except for tart cherries.

Peaches was the leading fruit crop produced in the state for the 2003 season in terms of value of production. The 21.0 million pounds produced was up 11 percent from the previous year. In addition, the value of the 20.0 million pounds of product utilized increased 16 percent from the previous year to \$12.16 million. Producers received an average price of 60.8 cents per pound for the latest crop compared with 56.7 cents per pound for the 18.5 million pounds of utilized production from the 2002 crop. The 2003 peach crop ranked second in terms of total production.

Apples ranked first in terms of total production but second in terms of value for the 2003 crop. The total production of 22.0 million pounds in 2003 was up 5 percent from the 21.0 million pounds produced in 2002. Higher per acre yields than the previous year were more than offset by a reduction in the bearing acreage. The utilized production of 21.0 million pounds was valued at \$4.55 million, up 23 percent from the \$3.69 million received for the 21.0 million pounds of utilized production from the 2002 crop. Grower prices averaged 21.7 cents per pound for the 2003 crop compared with 18.4 cents in 2002.

The 2003 **pear** crop totaled 2,800 tons, up 17 percent from 2,400 tons produced in 2002. Producers received \$600 per ton for their 2003 crop compared with \$576 per ton in 2002, pushing the total value to \$1.68 million, up 21 percent from the previous year.

Tart cherry production in 2003 totaled 600,000 pounds, twice as much as the 300,000 pounds produced in 2002. The 2003 crop was valued at \$228,000, up 90 percent as producers received an average of 38.0 cents per pound in 2003 compared with 40.0 cents per pound for the 2002 crop.

Fruits: Production, price and value, Colorado, 1993-2003

Fruits: Production, price and value, Colorado, 1993-2003						
Year	Bearing acres	Yield per bearing acre	Production		Price per pound	Value of utilized production
			Total <u>1/</u>	Utilized		
Apples	Acres	Pounds	Million Pounds		Cents	1,000 Dollars
1993	3,600	25,600	92.0	90.0	14.70	13,229
1994	3,400	25,000	85.0	83.0	15.70	13,007
1995	3,400	16,200	55.0	51.0	14.50	7,375
1996	3,400	7,350	25.0	24.0	20.20	4,837
1997	3,200	10,900	35.0	34.0	15.10	5,138
1998	3,000	21,700	65.0	59.0	11.90	7,031
1999	2,800	2,860	8.0	8.0	21.80	1,740
2000	2,700	11,100	30.0	27.0	13.90	3,765
2001	2,200	10,500	23.0	23.0	20.80	4,784
2002	1,800	11,700	21.0	20.0	18.40	3,686
2003	1,700	12,900	22.0	21.0	21.70	4,550
Peaches	Bearing acres	Yield per bearing acre	Production		Price per pound	Value of utilized production
			Total <u>1/</u>	Utilized		
	Acres	Pounds	Million Pounds		Cents	1,000 Dollars
1993	1,700	10,600	18.0	17.0	31.10	5,287
1994	1,900	10,500	20.0	18.0	31.90	5,742
1995	1,900	8,950	17.0	16.0	49.60	7,932
1996	1,900	8,950	17.0	16.0	49.60	7,934
1997	1,900	3,680	7.0	6.5	66.10	4,297
1998	1,900	10,500	20.0	18.5	48.80	9,036
1999	1,900	1,580	3.0	2.9	64.00	1,855
2000	1,900	10,000	19.0	17.0	47.00	7,990
2001	1,900	9,470	18.0	17.5	54.00	9,450
2002	1,900	10,000	19.0	18.5	56.70	10,490
2003	1,900	11,100	21.0	20.0	60.80	12,160
Pears	Production		Price Per Ton		Value of Utilized Production	
	Total <u>1/</u>					
	Tons		Dollars		1,000 Dollars	
1993	5,000	4,800	348.00		1,670	
1994	4,200	4,100	268.00		1,097	
1995	2,900	2,800	357.00		1,000	
1996	1,200	1,100	436.00		480	
1997	2,600	2,580	295.00		762	
1998	3,500	3,325	449.00		1,494	
1999	500	490	657.00		322	
2000	3,000	2,960	375.00		1,111	
2001	1,900	1,900	500.00		950	
2002	2,400	2,400	576.00		1,383	
2003	2,800	2,800	600.00		1,679	
Tart Cherries	Production		Price Per Pound		Value of Utilized Production	
	Total <u>1/</u>					
	Million Pounds		Cents <u>2/</u>		1,000 Dollars	
1993	1.6	0.9	24.90		224	
1994	1.5	1.1	35.50		390	
1995	1.2	1.0	41.40		414	
1996	1.0	0.9	47.30		426	
1997	0.7	0.6	56.00		336	
1998	1.3	1.2	30.70		368	
1999	0.6	0.6	30.30		182	
2000	0.9	0.8	26.50		212	
2001	0.6	0.6	33.30		200	
2002	0.3	0.3	40.00		120	
2003	0.6	0.6	38.00		228	

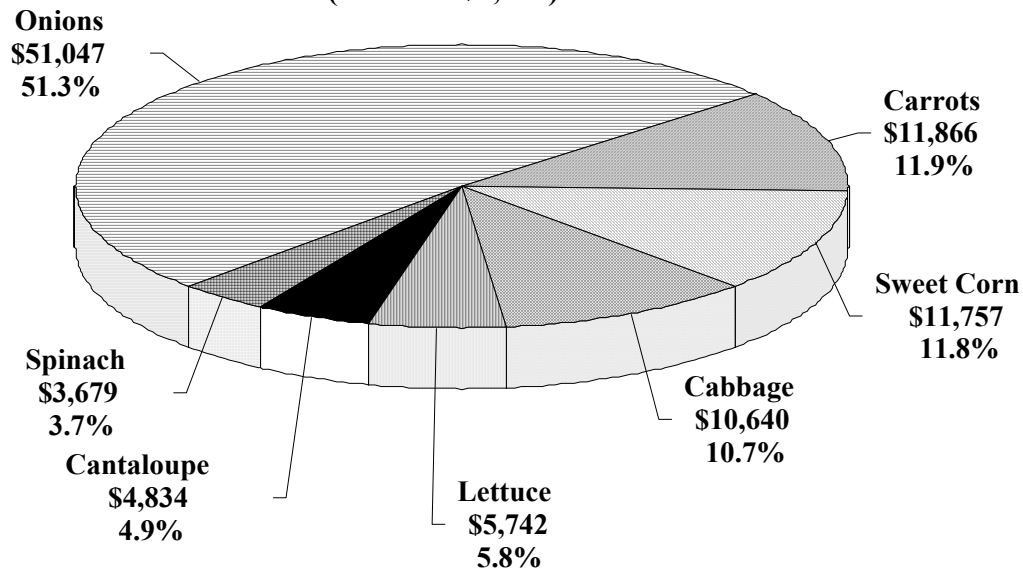
1/ In certain years, production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions which are excluded in computing values.

2/ Beginning in 1998, price excludes any value added ingredients, processing or alteration of the raw product.

Colorado Vegetable Crops – 2003

Value of Production and Percent of Total

(Value in \$1,000)



VEGETABLE CROPS - 2003

Vegetable growers in Colorado harvested 8.45 million cwt of produce from seven fresh market crops during 2003 which had a total value of \$99.6 million. This was down 9 percent from the \$109.9 million received for the 9.27 million cwt of vegetables produced from the same crops in 2002. Production for all crops except sweet corn decreased from 2002. Declines from a year earlier ranged from a 2 percent decrease for cabbage to a 42 percent drop for spinach. Acreage and production estimates are prepared for only seven vegetable crops. Numerous other vegetable crops are produced in the state but are not surveyed for acreage and production data.

Dry storage onions continue to be the leading vegetable crop produced in the state. The total output from the 2003 crop totaled 3.9 million cwt, down 11 percent from the previous year. The harvested area declined 13 percent to 9,600 acres but the average yield of 410 cwt per acre was 10 cwt above the 2002 average. The quantity of onions expected to be marketed had an estimated value of \$51.0 million compared with \$53.3 million received for the 2002 crop. Onions represented 47 percent of the total production and 51 percent of the total value from the seven crops.

Carrots were the second leading vegetable crop, accounting for 14 percent of the total production and 12 percent of the total value. Harvested acreage was down 14 percent to 2,400 acres; average yields declined 20 cwt per acre to 480 cwt per acre; and production declined 18 percent to 1.15 million cwt. The total value of the crop was down 17 percent to \$11.87 million.

Sweet corn, the third largest vegetable crop produced in the state, accounted for 15 percent of the total production and 12 percent of the total value. Production increased 44 percent from 2002 to 1.3 million cwt. The 7,600 acres harvested was up 1 percent and the average yield of 170 cwt per acre increased 50 cwt per acre from the previous year. Value of the 2003 crop, at \$11.8 million, was 28 percent above a year earlier.

Cabbage ranked 4th in production and 4th in value. Production declined 2 percent from 2002 to 1.12 million cwt as a 200 acre increase in acreage harvested was more than offset by lower per acre yields. The value of production, at \$10.6 million, was also down 2 percent from a year earlier.

Lettuce had the fifth highest production and ranked fifth in value of production. Production declined 36 percent from a year earlier to 522,000 cwt. In addition, the value of production, at \$5.74 million, was 42 percent below the previous year as growers received lower prices in 2003.

Cantaloupe ranked sixth in both production and value. Harvested area was unchanged from the previous year; per acre yields declined 24 percent; production was down 24 percent to 304,000 cwt; and value was down 26 percent to \$4.83 million. **Spinach** placed seventh with total production dropping to 126,000 cwt. Both the acreage harvested and per acre yields were lower than a year earlier. Prices averaged \$2.00 per cwt above 2002 but the total value of the crop, at \$3.68 million, was still 37 percent below the value of the 2002 production.

Vegetables: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1993-2003

Year	Acreage planted	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Value per unit	Total value
Cabbage						
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1993	1,600	1,400	390	546	8.90	4,859
1994	1,800	1,700	480	816	7.80	6,365
1995	2,100	1,900	300	570	6.20	3,534
1996	2,300	2,200	390	858	8.50	7,293
1997	2,300	2,100	390	819	7.20	5,897
1998	2,400	2,300	400	920	8.20	7,544
1999	2,200	1,900	360	684	8.40	5,746
2000	2,300	2,000	470	940	8.10	7,614
2001	2,400	2,200	450	990	8.70	8,613
2002	2,800	2,600	440	1,144	9.50	10,868
2003	2,900	2,800	400	1,120	9.50	10,640
Cantaloupe						
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1993	1,700	1,600	150	240	9.70	2,328
1994	2,000	1,800	180	324	12.80	4,147
1995	2,000	1,800	120	216	12.30	2,657
1996	2,000	1,700	200	340	10.80	3,672
1997	2,000	1,600	220	352	15.00	5,280
1998	2,200	1,900	160	304	13.40	4,074
1999	2,100	1,900	180	342	13.60	4,651
2000	1,800	1,500	240	360	13.30	4,788
2001	1,800	1,700	230	391	15.30	5,982
2002	1,700	1,600	250	400	16.40	6,560
2003	1,700	1,600	190	304	15.90	4,834
Carrots						
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1993	3,300	2,800	380	1,064	8.60	9,150
1994	3,500	3,100	380	1,178	10.00	11,780
1995	4,000	3,600	475	1,710	13.50	23,085
1996	4,300	4,100	350	1,435	7.10	10,189
1997	5,400	4,800	500	2,400	10.00	24,000
1998	4,400	4,000	400	1,600	10.60	16,960
1999	3,900	3,700	500	1,850	9.70	17,945
2000	4,300	4,100	550	2,255	9.60	21,648
2001	3,700	3,200	660	2,112	10.00	21,120
2002	3,300	2,800	500	1,400	10.20	14,280
2003	2,700	2,400	480	1,152	10.30	11,866
Lettuce						
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1993	3,700	3,600	290	1,044	10.80	11,275
1994	3,600	2,800	280	784	8.89	6,970
1995	4,100	3,300	260	858	7.65	6,564
1996	2,900	2,700	220	594	7.00	4,158
1997	2,500	2,300	330	759	14.60	11,081
1998	2,800	2,700	320	864	10.80	9,331
1999	2,100	2,000	340	680	9.80	6,664
2000	2,000	2,000	340	680	16.00	10,880
2001	2,100	2,000	350	700	12.00	8,400
2002	2,800	2,700	300	810	12.20	9,882
2003	2,000	1,800	290	522	11.00	5,742

Vegetables: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1993-2003

Year	Acreage planted	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Value per unit	Total value
Spinach						
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1993	3,600	3,500	100	350	29.10	10,185
1994	3,600	3,400	85	289	30.00	8,670
1995	3,000	2,700	75	203	25.00	5,075
1996	2,800	2,500	60	150	28.60	4,290
1997	2,900	2,000	52	104	32.00	3,328
1998	2,000	1,900	50	95	40.00	3,800
1999	2,000	1,800	80	144	26.40	3,802
2000	1,600	1,400	70	98	32.00	3,136
2001	1,600	1,200	70	84	30.00	2,520
2002	1,900	1,800	120	216	27.20	5,875
2003	1,700	1,400	90	126	29.20	3,679
Sweet Corn for Fresh Market						
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1993	4,500	4,300	160	688	10.50	7,224
1994	5,000	4,800	140	672	10.80	7,258
1995	5,000	4,500	150	675	8.60	5,805
1996	5,700	5,600	165	924	9.20	8,501
1997	6,500	6,300	165	1,040	8.70	9,048
1998	7,300	6,900	160	1,104	11.00	12,144
1999	7,400	6,700	160	1,072	7.30	7,826
2000	7,800	7,700	130	1,001	12.20	12,212
2001	8,300	7,900	140	1,106	7.70	8,516
2002	7,800	7,500	120	900	10.20	9,180
2003	8,600	7,600	170	1,292	9.10	11,757

Onions: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1986-2003

Year	Acreage planted	Acreage harvested	Yield per acre	Production	Loss	Sales	Value per cwt	Total value
	Acres	Acres	Cwt	1,000 Cwt	1,000 Cwt	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	
1986	11,800	10,800	425	4,590	840	3,750	13.00	48,750
1987	13,300	12,500	375	4,688	775	3,913	11.50	45,000
1988	13,800	13,500	410	5,535	996	4,539	12.30	55,830
1989	14,000	13,800	400	5,520	994	4,526	12.90	58,385
1990	13,800	13,500	380	5,130	1,280	3,850	11.10	42,735
1991	13,500	12,700	390	4,953	743	4,210	12.40	52,204
1992	14,500	14,000	390	5,460	1,530	3,930	14.70	57,771
1993	16,000	15,500	370	5,735	1,035	4,700	21.70	101,990
1994	18,000	17,500	350	6,125	1,040	5,085	13.20	67,122
1995	19,000	17,800	345	6,141	1,290	4,851	11.20	54,331
1996	18,000	16,000	325	5,200	1,404	3,796	13.60	51,626
1997	18,000	15,300	350	5,355	1,178	3,963	12.50	49,538
1998	16,500	16,000	380	6,080	1,090	4,990	16.20	80,838
1999	15,500	14,500	375	5,438	1,767	3,671	11.20	41,115
2000	12,000	11,500	355	4,083	700	3,383	13.40	45,332
2001	14,000	12,000	345	4,140	660	3,480	12.40	43,152
2002	12,500	11,000	400	4,400	700	3,700	14.40	53,280
2003	10,500	9,600	410	3,936	510	3,426	14.90	51,047

Planting and Harvesting Dates

Field Crops: Usual planting and harvesting dates, Colorado

Crop	Usual planting dates	Usual harvesting dates			Principal producing districts <u>1/</u>
		Begin	Most active	End	
Barley:					
Fall sown	Sept. 1 - Oct. 15	June 20	July 1 - July 20	Aug. 5	20, 60, 90
Spring sown	Mar. 15 - Apr. 30	June 20	July 5 - Sept. 10	Sept. 20	10, 20, 70, 80
Beans, dry	May 20 - July 1	Aug. 25	Sept. 5 - Sept. 15	Oct. 10	20, 60, 70, 90
Corn:					
Grain	Apr. 15 - June 1	Oct. 1	Oct. 10 - Nov. 20	Dec. 1	20, 60, 70, 90
Silage	Apr. 15 - June 1	Aug. 25	Sept. 1 - Sept. 25	Oct. 10	20, 60, 70, 90
Hay:					
Alfalfa	...	May 15	June 5 - Sept. 25	Oct. 10	Statewide
Other	...	July 1	July 5 - Aug. 10	Sept. 25	Statewide
Oats	Mar. 20 - May 5	July 15	July 25 - Aug. 30	Sept. 20	Statewide
Potatoes:					
Fall	Apr. 25 - May 25	Sept. 15	Oct. 1 - Oct. 10	Oct. 20	80
Summer	Apr. 5 - May 10	July 25	Aug. 15 - Sept. 25	Oct. 20	20
Sorghum:					
Grain	May 5 - June 20	Oct. 1	Oct. 10 - Nov. 15	Nov. 25	60, 90
Silage	May 5 - June 20	Sept. 1	Sept. 5 - Sept. 20	Oct. 1	60, 90
Sugar beets	Apr. 1 - May 25	Oct. 1	Oct. 15 - Nov. 5	Nov. 20	20
Sunflower	May 20 - June 10	Sept. 10	Sept. 20 - Oct. 10	Oct. 30	20, 60
Wheat:					
Winter	Aug. 20 - Oct. 10	June 25	July 10 - July 20	Sept. 5	20, 60, 90
Spring	Mar. 25 - May 20	July 15	Aug. 5 - Sept. 25	Oct. 1	10, 80

1/ See footnotes at bottom of page.

Fruit Crops: Usual bloom and harvest dates, Colorado

Crop	Usual blooming dates	Usual harvesting dates			Principal producing counties
		Begin	Most active	End	
Apples	Apr. 20 - May 10	Aug. 5	Sept. 10 - Oct. 10	Nov. 5	Delta, Mesa
Peaches	Apr. 5 - Apr. 25	Aug. 5	Aug. 20 - Sept. 5	Sept. 20	Mesa, Delta
Pears	Apr. 20 - May 5	Aug. 10	Aug. 15 - Sept. 10	Sept. 20	Mesa, Delta
Cherries, Tart	Apr. 30	July 5	July 20 - July 30	Aug. 5	Delta, Mesa

Vegetable Crops: Usual planting and harvesting dates, Colorado

Crop	Usual planting dates	Usual harvesting dates			Principal producing districts <u>1/</u>
		Begin	Most active	End	
Cabbage	Apr. 5 - June 1	July 15	Aug. 1 - Sept. 30	Nov. 1	20, 60, 90
Cantaloupe	May 1 - May 20	Aug. 1	Aug. 10 - Aug. 30	Sept. 30	90
Carrots	Apr. 1 - July 5	Aug. 1	Aug. 15 - Nov. 30	Dec. 5	20, 60, 80
Lettuce	Mar. 20 - July 10	June 10	June 15 - Sept. 15	Oct. 1	20, 60, 70, 80
Onions	Mar. 10 - Apr. 30	July 10	Aug. 1 - Sept. 30	Oct. 31	20, 70, 90
Spinach	Apr. 1 - Aug. 1	June 20	July 20 - Sept. 1	Sept. 30	20, 60, 80
Sweet corn	Apr. 1 - June 30	July 10	July 20 - Sept. 20	Oct. 5	20, 60, 70, 90

1/ For Districts, see map on inside of front cover as follows:

10-Northwest and Mountains; 20-Northeast; 60-East Central; 70-Southwest; 80-San Luis Valley; 90-Southeast.

Floriculture: Production, sales, and value for operations with \$100,000 + sales, Colorado, 2002 ^{1/}

Kind	Number of producers	Sales			Wholesale price ^{3/}	Value of sales at wholesale ^{4/}
		Unit	Number sold	Percent of sales at wholesale		
	Number	1,000	1,000	Percent	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
Cut Flowers	...	...	...	...	...	5,015
Alstroemeria	7	Stems	1,427	97	.382	545
Carnations, Standard	4	Stems	1,608	98	.271	436
Lilies, All	5	Stems	949	96	.820	778
Roses, All	6	Stems	3,214	99	.345	1,109
Snapdragons	5	Spikes	529	99	.370	196
Tulips	3	Stems	15	34	.378	6
Others	10	...	...	95	...	1,589
Potted Flowering Plants	...	...	...	...	...	9,380
African Violets	7	Pots	49	99	1.63	80
Azaleas, Finished Florist	7	Pots	20	98	8.54	171
Chrysanthemums, Florist	4	Pots	56	100	4.33	242
Easter Lilies	9	Pots	133	100	4.44	591
Poinsettias	28	Pots	1,785	98	4.17	7,444
Spring Flowering Bulbs	9	Pots	62	99	3.92	243
Others	15	Pots	157	91	3.77	592
Foliage Plants	...	...	...	...	...	520
Hanging Baskets	14	Baskets	36	92	6.27	226
Potted Foliage	7	...	...	87	...	294
Total Bedding/Garden Plants	...	...	...	...	...	56,264
Herbaceous Perennials	...	...	...	...	...	10,075
Chrysanthemums, Hardy/Garden ..	28	Pots	1,204	99	1.47	1,766
Potted Hosta	22	Pots	81	93	3.77	305
Others	27	Pots	4,315	87	1.85	8,004
Annual Bedding/Garden Plants	...	...	...	...	...	46,189
Flats:						
Begonias	19	Flats	23	95	10.08	232
Geraniums (From Seed)	9	Flats	81	98	11.70	948
Geraniums (Vegetative Cuttings)	6	Flats	45	100	11.60	522
Impatiens	32	Flats	112	95	10.77	1,206
Marigolds	31	Flats	117	94	10.07	1,178
New Guinea Impatiens	7	Flats	13	99	11.30	147
Pansy/Viola	34	Flats	278	94	10.29	2,861
Petunias	39	Flats	438	92	9.98	4,371
Other (Incl. Foliar)	38	Flats	1,288	94	9.59	12,352
Vegetable Type	34	Flats	123	84	10.31	1,268
Potted:						
Begonias	15	Pots	110	93	1.85	203
Geraniums (Cutting)	46	Pots	1,832	87	2.66	4,882
Impatiens	8	Pots	72	98	1.07	77
New Guinea Impatiens	23	Pots	176	87	2.75	484
Other (Incl. Foliar)	26	Pots	2,524	94	1.96	4,935
Vegetable Type	26	Pots	1,213	79	1.24	1,506
Flowering Hanging Baskets:						
Begonia	15	Baskets	8	75	9.83	79
Geraniums (Cuttings)	28	Baskets	130	94	7.62	991
Impatiens	22	Baskets	23	91	7.58	174
Petunias	25	Baskets	82	90	7.11	583
Other	31	Baskets	488	96	9.09	4,436
Total All Plants ^{3/}	65	...	...	...	...	71,179

^{1/} The data in the table represent production and sales only from operations with sales of \$100,000 or more. During 2002, there were 147 operations that had sales of \$10,000 or more. The **total covered growing area** for all 147 operations of 10,917,000 square feet consisted of the following: 732,000 square feet of glass; 6,942,000 square feet of fiberglass and other rigid greenhouses; 3,068,000 square feet of film plastic (single/multiple) greenhouses; 175,000 square feet of shade and temporary cover. In addition, plants were produced on 78 acres of **open ground**. The estimated value of sales at wholesale from all 147 operations totaled \$91,803,000 in 2002.

^{2/} For potted plants, price represents a weighted average for plants sold in pots less than 5 inches and in pots 5 inches or more.

^{3/} Value based on equivalent wholesale value of all sales for all crops except potted foliage plants which are based on net value of sales.

^{4/} The sum of the values for individual items may not add to the group total because some data is not published separately to avoid disclosure.

Floriculture: Production, sales, and value for operations with \$100,000 + sales, Colorado, 2003 1/

Kind	Number of producers	Sales			Wholesale price <u>3/</u>	Value of sales at wholesale <u>4/</u>
		Unit	Number sold	Percent of sales at wholesale		
	Number	1,000	1,000	Percent	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
Cut Flowers	...	...	...	...	...	2,832
Alstroemeria	4	Stems	386	85	.436	168
Carnations, Standard	3	Stems	960	83	.268	257
Lilies, All	4	Stems	794	62	.801	636
Roses, All	3	Stems	1,230	100	.397	488
Snapdragons	5	Spikes	301	50	.409	123
Tulips	4	Stems	37	42	.409	15
Others	7	...	...	98	...	973
Potted Flowering Plants	...	...	...	...	...	10,554
African Violets	6	Pots	38	100	1.87	71
Azaleas, Finished Florist	6	Pots	16	99	8.56	137
Chrysanthemums, Florist	4	Pots	61	100	4.66	284
Easter Lilies	7	Pots	129	100	4.57	590
Poinsettias	27	Pots	1,821	98	4.81	8,754
Spring Flowering Bulbs	7	Pots	49	100	3.65	179
Others	11	Pots	141	90	3.73	526
Foliage Plants	...	...	...	...	...	351
Hanging Baskets	12	Baskets	27	94	6.45	174
Potted Foliage	7	...	...	80	...	177
Total Bedding/Garden Plants	...	...	...	...	...	57,266
Herbaceous Perennials	...	...	...	...	...	12,244
Chrysanthemums, Hardy/Garden ..	29	Pots	1,029	98	1.75	1,805
Potted Hosta	22	Pots	37	84	3.51	130
Others	29	Pots	4,786	89	2.15	10,309
Annual Bedding/Garden Plants	...	...	...	...	...	45,022
Flats:	...	...	...	...	...	...
Begonias	16	Flats	7	89	12.84	90
Geraniums (From Seed)	9	Flats	60	97	12.07	724
Geraniums (Vegetative Cuttings) ..	4	Flats	22	100	12.59	277
Impatiens	26	Flats	87	95	11.06	962
Marigolds	29	Flats	97	93	10.04	974
New Guinea Impatiens	7	Flats	9	94	11.18	101
Pansy/Viola	31	Flats	255	94	10.46	2,667
Petunias	35	Flats	396	91	9.10	3,604
Other (Incl. Foliar)	35	Flats	1,113	95	9.63	10,718
Vegetable Type	31	Flats	101	81	9.88	998
Potted:	...	...	...	...	...	...
Begonias	15	Pots	109	93	1.99	217
Geraniums (Cutting)	37	Pots	1,826	90	2.41	4,405
Impatiens	9	Pots	66	100	1.06	70
Marigolds	8	Pots	54	100	1.41	76
New Guinea Impatiens	23	Pots	204	90	2.80	571
Petunias	12	Pots	605	98	1.49	900
Other (Incl. Foliar)	25	Pots	3,133	96	2.06	6,457
Vegetable Type	31	Pots	1,594	87	1.06	1,693
Flowering Hanging Baskets:	...	...	...	...	...	...
Begonia	15	Baskets	12	84	10.04	120
Geraniums (Cuttings)	26	Baskets	97	95	7.32	710
Impatiens	17	Baskets	26	95	7.65	199
New Guinea Impatiens	18	Baskets	71	97	7.70	547
Petunias	22	Baskets	84	92	7.19	604
Other	34	Baskets	679	97	8.67	5,887
Total All Plants <u>3/</u>	57	...	...	...	...	71,003

1/ The data in the table represents production and sales only from operations with sales of \$100,000 or more. During 2003 there were 131 operations that had sales of \$10,000 or more. The **total covered growing area** for all 131 operations of 10,611,000 square feet consisted of the following: 673,000 square feet of glass; 6,186,000 square feet of fiberglass and other rigid greenhouses; 2,593,000 square feet of film plastic (single/multiple) greenhouses; 156,000 square feet of shade and temporary cover. In addition, plants were produced on 33 acres of **open ground**. The estimated value of sales at wholesale from all 131 operations totaled \$93,838,000 in 2003.

2/ For potted plants, price represents a weighted average for plants sold in pots less than 5 inches and in pots 5 inches or more.

3/ Value based on equivalent wholesale value of all sales for all crops except potted foliage plants which are based on net value of sales.

4/ The sum of the values for individual items may not add to the group total because some data is not published separately to avoid disclosure.

FARM INCOME AND PRICES

Farm income indicators, Colorado, 1997-2002 1/

Item	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Thousand Dollars						
Total Agricultural Sector Output	5,010,336	5,060,417	5,206,703	5,300,230	5,487,805	5,148,361
Final Crop Output	1,527,769	1,541,639	1,367,243	1,227,102	1,413,092	1,206,522
Final Animal Output	2,959,708	2,810,214	2,993,017	3,329,920	3,301,860	3,217,794
Services and Forestry	456,167	558,851	578,737	504,479	562,898	645,153
Net Government Transactions	66,692	149,713	267,706	238,729	209,955	78,892
Total Production Expenses	4,306,311	4,222,896	4,255,460	4,656,340	4,380,869	4,437,211
Intermediate Consumption Outlays	3,272,240	3,197,377	3,206,627	3,570,511	3,296,145	3,349,325
Farm Origin	1,929,226	1,826,014	1,835,991	2,120,948	1,930,210	1,928,701
Feed Purchased	761,754	730,362	648,458	724,694	651,360	631,729
Livestock and Poultry Purchased	1,064,875	998,601	1,080,777	1,290,885	1,176,253	1,183,284
Seed Purchased	102,597	97,051	106,756	105,369	102,597	113,688
Manufactured Inputs	404,964	396,522	392,976	434,923	415,547	407,737
Fertilizers & Lime	131,382	128,184	127,149	121,188	110,736	108,859
Pesticides	82,318	86,237	81,338	84,277	80,358	80,358
Petroleum Fuel and Oils	123,211	111,049	112,519	160,097	147,594	138,262
Electricity	68,053	71,052	71,970	69,361	76,859	80,258
Other Intermediate Expenses	938,050	974,841	977,660	1,014,640	950,388	1,012,887
Repair & Maintenance	165,924	173,839	174,652	181,934	178,677	181,300
Machine Hire & Custom Work	79,440	93,404	91,574	95,744	92,874	78,657
Marketing, Storage, & Transportation ..	156,247	145,248	135,519	155,930	121,072	156,900
Contract Labor	26,099	23,618	23,899	30,816	24,866	23,228
Miscellaneous Other	510,340	538,732	552,016	550,216	532,899	572,802
Factor Payments	688,069	676,163	701,232	732,440	711,506	701,702
Employee Compensation (Hired Labor) ...	308,640	312,108	320,352	349,514	351,355	364,431
Net Rent to Non-Operator Landlords	120,587	104,081	117,306	98,983	102,995	66,954
Real Estate/Non-Real Estate Interest	258,842	259,974	263,574	283,943	257,156	270,317
Capital Consumption	346,002	349,356	347,601	353,389	373,218	386,184
Net Farm Income	704,025	837,521	951,243	643,890	1,106,936	711,150
Number of Farms	29,500	29,500	30,000	30,000	30,900	31,400

1/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Farm balance sheet, Colorado, December 31, 1997-2002 1/

Item	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Thousand Dollars						
Total Farm Assets	23,018,394	22,871,540	24,287,562	25,108,003	25,307,001	25,687,276
Real Estate	17,571,573	17,690,249	18,695,116	19,392,695	19,623,161	20,175,926
Livestock & Poultry <u>2/</u>	2,220,055	1,949,713	2,357,823	2,424,168	2,248,049	2,143,930
Machinery & Motor Vehicles <u>3/</u>	1,491,821	1,510,095	1,485,220	1,529,756	1,614,276	1,630,630
Crops <u>4/</u>	471,312	404,469	456,311	410,276	433,800	259,782
Purchased Inputs	88,553	91,012	72,747	88,469	76,121	101,774
Financial	1,175,080	1,226,002	1,220,345	1,262,639	1,311,594	1,375,233
Total Farm Debt <u>5/</u>	3,371,058	3,456,259	3,500,458	3,686,063	3,859,146	4,039,197
Real Estate	1,556,505	1,591,919	1,671,292	1,728,233	1,838,583	2,005,601
Non-Real Estate	1,814,553	1,864,339	1,829,165	1,957,831	2,020,563	2,033,596
Equity	19,647,336	19,415,281	20,787,104	21,421,940	21,447,855	21,648,079
Ratio						
Debt/Equity	17.2	17.8	16.8	17.2	18.0	18.7
Debt/Assets	14.7	15.1	14.4	14.7	15.3	15.7

1/ Includes operator dwellings. 2/ Excludes horses, mules, and broilers. 3/ Includes only farm share value for autos and trucks.

4/ All non-CCC crops held on farms plus the value above loan rates for crops held under CCC. 5/ Excludes debt for non-farm purposes.

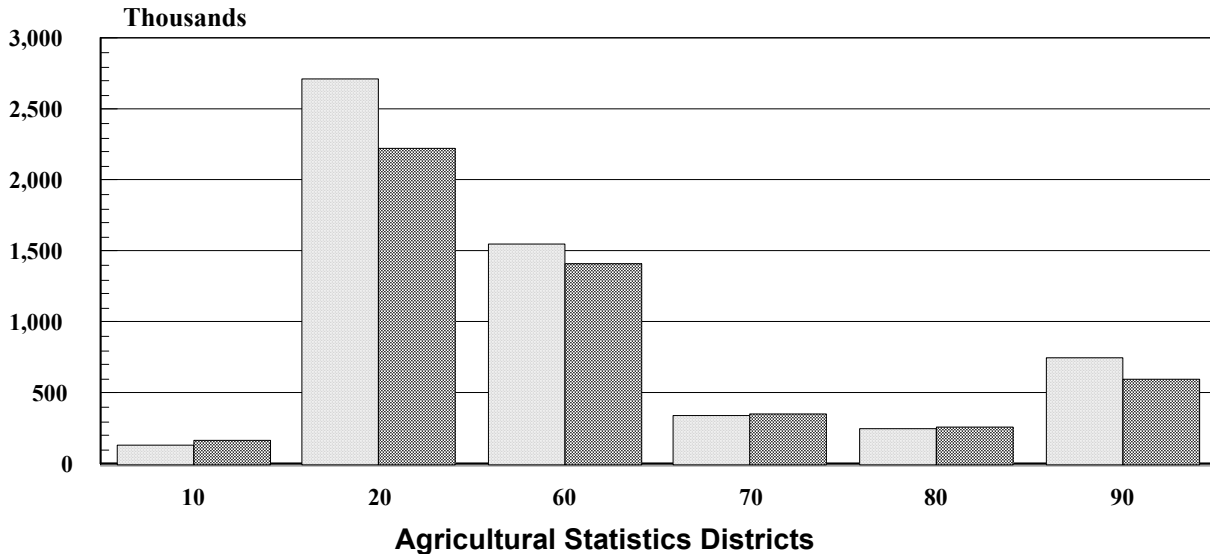
Farm Income: Cash receipts by commodity, Colorado, 1999-2002 1/

Commodity	1999		2000		2001		2002	
	Cash receipts	Percent of total	Cash receipts	Percent of total	Cash receipts	Percent of total	Cash receipts	Percent of total
	\$ 1,000	%	\$ 1,000	%	\$ 1,000	%	\$ 1,000	%
All commodities	4,357,533	100.0	4,615,590	100.0	4,719,216	100.0	4,880,517	100.0
Livestock and products	3,015,783	69.2	3,330,425	72.2	3,373,145	71.5	3,501,589	71.7
Meat animals	2,612,368	60.0	2,946,871	63.8	2,932,905	62.1	3,094,949	63.4
Cattle and calves	2,319,612	53.2	2,551,218	55.3	2,589,204	54.9	2,805,021	57.5
Hogs	188,114	4.3	288,665	6.3	262,302	5.6	194,234	4.0
Sheep and lambs	104,642	2.4	106,988	2.3	81,399	1.7	95,694	2.0
Dairy (Milk)	256,576	5.9	223,256	4.8	287,712	6.1	250,986	5.1
Poultry/eggs	105,611	2.4	115,550	2.5	109,346	2.3	109,644	2.2
Miscellaneous livestock	41,228	0.9	44,748	1.0	43,182	0.9	46,010	0.9
Honey	1,395	...	1,079	...	1,015	...	1,757	...
Trout	2,642	0.1	2,289	...	2,794	0.1	2,503	0.1
Wool	1,291	...	1,026	...	1,016	...	1,750	...
Other livestock	35,900	0.8	40,354	0.9	38,357	0.8	40,000	0.8
Crops	1,341,750	30.8	1,285,165	27.8	1,346,071	28.5	1,378,928	28.3
Food grains	257,610	5.9	217,732	4.7	187,652	4.0	172,664	3.5
Millet, proso	8,160	0.2	15,000	0.3	14,890	0.3	11,565	0.2
Wheat	249,371	5.7	202,663	4.4	172,762	3.7	161,099	3.3
Feed crops	497,310	11.4	495,975	10.7	549,463	11.6	513,334	10.5
Barley	18,632	0.4	33,197	0.7	33,621	0.7	21,031	0.4
Corn, grain	292,077	6.7	279,690	6.1	274,373	5.8	271,779	5.6
Hay	171,738	3.9	170,032	3.7	236,671	5.0	210,375	4.3
Oats	873	...	1,502	...	1,630	...	848	...
Sorghum grain	13,990	0.3	11,555	0.3	14,168	0.3	9,301	0.2
Oilcrops	26,954	0.6	23,033	0.5	17,407	0.4	14,170	0.3
Sunflower	26,706	0.6	22,829	0.5	17,171	0.4	14,003	0.3
Vegetables	261,338	6.0	249,807	5.4	271,182	5.7	346,112	7.1
Beans, dry	44,443	1.0	35,319	0.8	32,002	0.7	38,153	0.8
Cabbage	5,746	0.1	7,614	0.2	8,613	0.2	10,868	0.2
Cantaloupe	4,651	0.1	4,788	0.1	5,982	0.1	6,560	0.1
Carrots	17,945	0.4	21,648	0.5	21,120	0.4	14,280	0.3
Corn, sweet	7,826	0.2	12,212	0.3	8,516	0.2	10,404	0.2
Lettuce	6,664	0.2	10,880	0.2	8,400	0.2	9,882	0.2
Onions	50,818	1.2	44,669	1.0	43,431	0.9	46,905	1.0
Potatoes	105,444	2.4	97,541	2.1	127,598	2.7	192,185	3.9
Fall	91,610	2.1	83,159	1.8	114,868	2.4	163,377	3.3
Summer	13,834	0.3	14,382	0.3	12,730	0.3	28,808	0.6
Spinach	3,802	0.1	3,136	0.1	2,520	0.1	5,875	0.1
Miscellaneous vegetables	13,999	0.3	12,000	0.3	13,000	0.3	11,000	0.2
Fruits/nuts	7,853	0.2	15,731	0.3	18,679	0.4	20,694	0.4
Apples	2,424	0.1	2,853	0.1	4,324	0.1	4,151	0.1
Cherries, tart	182	...	212	...	200	...	120	...
Peaches	1,855	...	7,990	0.2	9,450	0.2	10,490	0.2
Pears	322	...	1,111	...	950	...	1,383	...
Miscellaneous fruits & berries	3,070	0.1	3,565	0.1	3,755	0.1	4,550	0.1
All other crops	290,685	6.7	282,887	6.1	301,688	6.4	311,954	6.4
Silage, corn	33,600	0.8	34,730	0.8	40,730	0.9	57,960	1.2
Sugar beets	45,813	1.1	34,612	0.7	28,181	0.6	27,155	0.6
Other seeds	900	...	900	...	850	...	840	...
Miscellaneous other crops	24,116	0.6	24,070	0.5	24,687	0.5	13,363	0.3
Greenhouse/nursery	186,256	4.3	188,575	4.1	207,240	4.4	212,636	4.4
Floriculture	74,756	1.7	87,375	1.9	86,240	1.8	89,636	1.8
Christmas trees/forest products	1,500	...	1,200	...	1,000	...	1,000	...
Other Greenhouse/nursery	110,000	2.5	100,000	2.2	120,000	2.5	122,000	2.5

1/ Totals may not add due to rounding. ... Less than 0.05 percent.

Data Source: USDA Economic Research Service. <http://www.usda.ers.gov/data/farmincome/> Cash receipt data reflect income derived from the sale of agricultural commodities during a calendar year for only that portion of the commodity that is sold.

Farm Income and Expenses by Agricultural Statistics District Colorado, 2001



See inside front cover for areas covered by Agricultural Statistics Districts

Income
 Expenses

Data source: Bureau of Economic Analysis <http://www.bea.doc.gov/bea/regional/reis/>

Farm income and expenses by county and district, Colorado, 2001

County and District	Cash Receipts		Government Payments	Other Farm Income	Gross Farm Income	Farm Production Expenses	Realized Net Farm Income
	Livestock & Products	Crops					
1,000 Dollars							
Chaffee	2,503	2,353	...	2,572	7,428	9,672	(2,244)
Clear Creek	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eagle	3,959	856	179	3,075	8,069	11,684	(3,615)
Gilpin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand	3,304	1,931	...	2,604	7,839	12,343	(4,504)
Gunnison	5,830	1,140	...	3,795	10,765	15,987	(5,222)
Jackson	9,282	3,338	80	3,820	16,520	21,340	(4,820)
Lake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moffat	11,813	2,074	3,858	9,266	27,011	30,224	(3,213)
Park	1,898	846	...	3,068	5,812	7,060	(1,248)
Pitkin	810	735	...	923	2,468	3,858	(1,390)
Rio Blanco	8,861	1,337	1,661	3,852	15,711	21,085	(5,374)
Routt	12,875	3,636	1,665	5,500	23,676	31,981	(8,305)
Summit	610	845	...	554	2,009	3,086	(1,077)
Teller	927	295	...	903	2,125	2,490	(365)
NW & Mountain	62,672	19,386	7,443	39,932	129,433	170,810	(41,377)
Boulder	13,956	27,693	537	8,575	50,761	54,104	(3,343)
Jefferson	2,031	17,842	...	3,641	23,514	21,549	1,965
Larimer	68,468	36,625	2,765	17,683	125,541	117,592	7,949
Logan	323,781	48,519	17,227	14,248	403,775	315,396	88,379
Morgan	370,275	82,902	16,200	12,376	481,753	395,137	86,616
Sedgwick	37,062	24,678	9,104	6,869	77,713	61,520	16,193
Weld	1,260,675	207,902	29,655	50,461	1,548,693	1,257,933	290,760
Northeast	2,076,248	446,161	75,488	113,853	2,711,750	2,223,231	488,519

Farm income and expenses by county and district, Colorado, 2001 (Continued)

County and District	Cash Receipts		Government Payments	Other Farm Income	Gross Farm Income	Farm Production Expenses	Realized Net Farm Income
	Livestock & Products	Crops					
1,000 Dollars							
Adams	22,602	62,103	8,205	8,495	101,405	101,858	(453)
Arapahoe	7,588	14,203	3,513	3,139	28,443	29,479	(1,036)
Cheyenne	13,969	17,218	13,164	8,281	52,632	46,539	6,093
Denver	...	2,215	...	38	2,253	2,045	208
Douglas	4,351	9,931	115	6,386	20,783	28,259	(7,476)
Elbert	22,595	5,141	3,336	6,748	37,820	44,959	(7,139)
El Paso	15,911	12,801	678	4,776	34,166	43,355	(9,189)
Kiowa	63,446	12,786	16,319	6,027	98,578	80,166	18,412
Kit Carson	113,831	60,283	35,344	16,647	226,105	193,826	32,279
Lincoln	23,791	18,200	10,853	7,628	60,472	64,775	(4,303)
Phillips	85,377	50,615	17,625	8,441	162,058	133,607	28,451
Washington	40,168	44,874	25,954	22,217	133,213	114,774	18,439
Yuma	426,111	109,630	33,338	25,790	594,869	528,788	66,081
East Central	839,740	420,000	168,444	124,613	1,552,797	1,412,430	140,367
Archuleta	3,873	463	52	1,787	6,175	9,071	(2,896)
Delta	28,327	19,076	2,440	7,233	57,076	54,363	2,713
Dolores	2,290	4,502	2,202	2,319	11,313	10,063	1,250
Garfield	9,247	9,516	707	8,425	27,895	32,315	(4,420)
Hinsdale	324	...	...	125	449	811	(362)
La Plata	8,743	5,420	1,556	8,165	23,884	27,010	(3,126)
Mesa	25,775	23,407	1,054	15,445	65,681	66,852	(1,171)
Montezuma	7,475	14,956	1,831	7,336	31,598	31,474	124
Montrose	75,012	21,154	1,670	7,096	104,932	110,536	(5,604)
Ouray	2,783	688	...	1,713	5,184	5,592	(408)
San Juan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
San Miguel	1,261	301	286	1,421	3,269	4,841	(1,572)
Southwest	165,110	99,483	11,798	61,065	337,456	352,928	(15,472)
Alamosa	4,857	50,187	1,316	4,914	61,274	68,167	(6,893)
Conejos	9,748	14,774	2,710	4,741	31,973	31,278	695
Costilla	1,945	14,458	691	3,535	20,629	19,855	774
Mineral	122	...	...	56	178	295	(117)
Rio Grande	5,325	65,116	2,108	12,568	85,117	82,606	2,511
Saguache	7,950	38,294	2,046	7,517	55,807	58,405	(2,598)
San Luis Valley ..	29,947	182,829	8,871	33,331	254,978	260,606	(5,628)
Baca	46,553	33,050	20,450	15,754	115,807	89,379	26,428
Bent	37,089	13,267	3,291	4,239	57,886	56,914	972
Crowley	76,040	4,173	2,107	20,953	103,273	61,590	41,683
Custer	2,700	2,418	...	1,436	6,554	8,356	(1,802)
Fremont	11,173	3,765	124	5,488	20,550	19,205	1,345
Huerfano	7,409	1,014	418	4,094	12,935	15,436	(2,501)
Las Animas	14,393	2,206	1,464	4,650	22,713	30,564	(7,851)
Otero	100,352	21,791	3,901	5,360	131,404	106,978	24,426
Prowers	121,516	43,780	12,645	57,855	235,796	167,611	68,185
Pueblo	19,643	14,619	2,990	4,742	41,994	48,587	(6,593)
Southeast	436,868	140,083	47,390	124,571	748,912	604,620	144,292
State Total	3,610,585	1,307,942	319,434	497,365	5,735,326	5,024,625	710,701

Agricultural Exports: Estimated value, Colorado and United States by commodity group, 1999 - 2002

Commodity	Colorado				United States			
	1999	2000	2001	2002	1999	2000	2001	2002
	Million Dollars							
Wheat and products	164.9	174.6	121.4	147.8	4,846.4	4,586.0	4,508.8	4,787.1
Rice	...	...	...	...	1,118.3	1,004.4	841.9	829.3
Feed grains and products	119.1	116.9	102.6	114.5	6,984.2	6,605.7	6,533.7	6,779.2
Soybeans and products	...	...	...	...	6,519.1	6,648.0	6,809.9	7,325.7
Sunflower seed and oil	12.4	19.6	10.0	13.3	327.9	244.2	205.2	218.3
Peanuts and products	...	...	...	...	222.3	273.9	170.2	258.3
Cotton and linters	...	...	...	...	1,305.9	1,829.2	2,092.5	2,052.1
Cottonseed and products	...	...	...	...	61.2	90.8	86.9	97.6
Tobacco (unmfd)	...	...	...	...	1,376.4	1,226.8	1,181.3	1,147.4
Fruits and preps <u>1/</u>	3.7	0.6	2.1	1.8	3,285.5	3,380.2	3,501.7	3,433.5
Tree nuts	...	...	...	...	1,077.7	977.7	1,131.4	1,231.9
Vegetables and preps	87.1	80.4	78.6	75.3	4,253.3	4,440.4	4,511.2	4,551.0
Live animals and meat (excl poultry) .	255.7	329.7	302.7	285.6	5,256.5	6,406.6	6,293.5	6,097.4
Hides and skins	70.3	101.5	138.9	134.5	1,110.1	1,428.4	1,932.9	1,776.0
Poultry and products	3.4	3.1	3.2	2.7	2,061.5	2,235.4	2,518.6	2,279.3
Fats, oils and greases	34.3	26.9	20.8	31.5	543.9	421.5	320.0	454.4
Dairy products	...	...	...	...	914.9	998.5	1,120.9	1,030.7
Feeds and fodders	50.7	56.7	68.1	61.2	1,657.6	1,859.8	2,143.7	1,951.2
Seeds	16.9	16.1	12.0	15.7	794.2	771.8	727.1	839.2
Other <u>2/</u>	20.7	19.8	21.1	20.2	5,326.5	5,314.6	6,067.0	6,154.1
TOTAL	839.3	945.7	881.4	904.0	49,043.3	50,743.8	52,698.5	53,293.6

1/ Apples, apple juice and apple products, as well as other miscellaneous fruits assumed to equal the previous year; current year production data has not been released.

2/ Includes minor oilseeds, sugar, confectionary, and tropical products, nursery and greenhouse, essential oils, beverages, excluding juice, and other miscellaneous vegetable products.

Data Source: Economic Research Service <http://www.ers.usda.gov.briefing/agtrade>

Farm Real Estate: Average value per acre by type of land, Colorado and United States, 1997-2003

Year	Colorado					United States		
	All Land	All Cropland	Irrigated Cropland	Non-Irrigated Cropland	Pasture	All Land	All Cropland	Pasture
	Dollars per Acre					Dollars per Acre		
1997	590	772	1,500	380	320	926	1,270	466
1998	618	809	1,580	395	335	974	1,340	489
1999	630	833	1,600	420	340	1,020	1,410	503
2000	670	887	1,700	450	360	1,080	1,490	524
2001	695	911	1,750	460	360	1,150	1,580	558
2002	710	928	1,800	460	360	1,210	1,650	588
2003	730	976	1,900	480	400	1,270	1,720	618

Farm Real Estate: Average cash rent per acre by type of land, Colorado and United States, 1997-2003

Year	Colorado			United States	
	Irrigated Cropland	Non-Irrigated Cropland	Pasture	All Cropland	Pasture
	Dollars per Acre			Dollars per Acre	
1997	<u>1</u> /	<u>1</u> /	<u>1</u> /	<u>1</u> /	<u>1</u> /
1998	90.00	18.50	5.00	66.50	8.80
1999	95.00	18.00	4.80	67.50	8.90
2000	90.00	18.00	5.20	70.00	8.50
2001	100.00	22.00	4.80	71.00	9.20
2002	95.00	22.50	4.00	71.60	9.20
2003	93.00	23.00	3.50	73.00	9.00

1/ Not available prior to 1998.

Grazing Fees: Rates for cattle, Colorado and seventeen States, 1992-2003

Year	Colorado			Seventeen States <u>1</u> /		
	Per Animal Unit	Per Cow-Calf	Per Head	Per Animal Unit	Per Cow-Calf	Per Head
	Dollars per Month			Dollars per Month		
1992	10.11	12.35	9.54	10.22	12.17	9.46
1993	9.70	12.00	9.74	10.30	12.80	9.40
1994	10.20	12.10	10.20	11.00	13.10	9.70
1995	10.30	12.00	10.50	10.60	12.40	10.50
1996	11.40	13.20	10.70	10.50	12.20	10.80
1997	11.30	13.60	10.60	11.00	12.70	10.80
1998	11.80	13.90	11.50	11.40	13.00	11.60
1999	12.00	14.20	10.90	11.10	12.80	11.50
2000	11.80	14.40	12.20	11.50	13.70	11.90
2001	11.90	14.20	12.30	11.90	13.90	12.40
2002	12.60	14.90	12.80	12.30	14.20	12.70
2003	13.00	14.60	13.50	12.30	14.40	13.10

1/ The seventeen states include: AZ, CA, CO, ID, KS, MT, NE, NV, NM, ND, OK, OR, SD, TX, UT, WA, and WY.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS

Prices received by farmers and ranchers provide a basis for calculating the income from the Agricultural Sector as part of the National Income Accounts. These data are also extensively used to analyze past and current marketing patterns and to make current and future marketing decisions. Prices received for major farm commodities are used in computing the Index of Prices Received by Farmers, an important indicator of the economic environment of the nation's agricultural producers.

Marketing year average prices, by commodity, Colorado, 1995-2003

Commodity	Price per unit ^{1/}									
	Unit	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
		Dollars								
Wheat, all	Bu.	4.64	4.26	3.17	2.49	2.22	2.70	2.72	3.63	3.35
Wheat, winter	Bu.	4.65	4.27	3.17	2.49	2.23	2.70	2.72	3.63	3.35
Wheat, spring	Bu.	4.30	3.97	3.16	2.36	2.05	2.48	2.63	3.66	4.00
Corn, grain	Bu.	3.33	2.76	2.59	1.96	1.84	2.08	2.13	2.53	2.55
Corn, silage	Ton	22.00	24.00	24.00	22.00	20.00	20.50	22.00	19.50	22.00
Barley, all	Bu.	2.95	3.05	2.98	2.84	2.54	3.08	2.73	3.04	3.05
Sorghum, grain	Bu.	3.14	2.27	2.24	1.65	1.46	1.83	1.83	2.30	2.30
Sorghum, silage	Ton	20.00	19.00	21.50	21.00	19.50	18.00	17.00	19.50	17.50
Dry beans ^{2/}	Cwt.	18.50	22.50	18.70	15.70	15.10	15.60	23.60	17.70	17.50
Sunflower, all	Cwt.	12.70	13.30	12.30	11.50	8.80	8.50	9.50	12.90	11.50
Oil varieties	Cwt.	11.40	10.80	10.90	10.70	7.40	6.80	8.10	12.50	10.60
Non-oil varieties	Cwt.	14.10	15.80	14.30	13.90	11.60	11.60	12.10	13.70	13.80
Sugar beets	Ton	35.40	41.20	34.10	35.40	31.40	28.70	34.20	36.80	^{4/}
Oats	Bu.	2.17	2.24	2.05	1.70	1.60	1.90	2.20	2.90	2.10
Hay, all (baled)	Ton	88.50	98.00	101.00	92.00	69.00	85.50	101.00	116.00	92.50
Alfalfa Hay	Ton	88.50	99.00	101.00	91.00	69.00	86.00	101.00	114.00	90.00
Other Hay	Ton	85.00	89.00	106.00	101.00	63.00	82.00	99.00	136.00	116.00
Potatoes, all	Cwt.	6.25	1.90	4.60	4.65	4.35	3.20	9.35	6.40	4.85
Potatoes, summer	Cwt.	6.45	4.10	5.30	5.35	5.95	5.10	6.70	7.90	5.20
Potatoes, fall	Cwt.	6.25	1.60	4.50	4.60	4.20	2.95	9.65	6.25	4.80
Proso Millet ^{3/}	Bu.	...	...	...	...	2.00	4.80	2.00	7.40	2.70
Apples, commercial	Lb.	.145	.202	.151	.119	.218	.139	.208	.184	.217
Cherries, tart	Lb.	.414	.473	.560	.307	.303	.265	.333	.400	.380
Peaches	Lb.	.496	.496	.661	.488	.640	.470	.540	.567	.608
Pears	Ton	357.00	436.00	295.00	449.00	657.00	375.00	500.00	576.00	600.00
Cabbage	Cwt.	6.20	8.50	7.20	8.20	8.40	8.10	8.70	9.50	9.50
Cantaloupe	Cwt.	12.30	10.80	15.00	13.40	13.60	13.30	15.30	16.40	15.90
Carrots	Cwt.	13.50	7.10	10.00	10.60	9.70	9.60	10.00	10.20	10.30
Lettuce	Cwt.	7.65	7.00	14.60	10.80	9.80	16.00	12.00	12.20	11.00
Onions	Cwt.	11.20	13.60	11.80	16.20	11.20	13.40	12.40	14.40	14.90
Spinach	Cwt.	25.00	28.60	32.00	40.00	26.40	32.00	30.00	27.20	29.20
Sweet Corn	Cwt.	8.60	9.20	8.70	11.00	7.30	12.20	7.70	10.20	9.10
Beef cattle	Cwt.	64.70	61.80	65.20	61.30	65.30	69.70	72.70	77.40	88.10
Milk cows	Hd.	1,170.00	1,160.00	1,180.00	1,210.00	1,360.00	1,410.00	1,660.00	1,740.00	1,460.00
Calves	Cwt.	75.20	60.70	86.20	84.10	89.40	105.00	102.00	91.80	104.00
Steers & heifers	Cwt.	66.60	63.80	67.10	63.00	67.40	71.70	74.70	77.70	88.40
Cows	Cwt.	36.90	32.60	37.80	34.80	36.30	39.20	43.10	38.00	45.60
Sheep	Cwt.	27.30	30.40	36.10	30.00	29.90	32.60	31.90	25.60	33.00
Lambs	Cwt.	79.60	88.40	89.80	72.20	74.30	78.30	65.30	73.30	96.10
Hogs	Cwt.	42.00	54.70	55.60	36.40	31.80	44.90	47.10	36.20	40.30
Barrows & Gilts	Cwt.	43.10	55.50	56.20	37.20	32.30	45.50	47.60	37.20	40.70
Sows	Cwt.	31.40	44.20	47.20	26.30	24.90	36.40	37.30	24.80	30.90
Chickens	Lb.	.040	.030	.030	.030	.040	.030	.002	.002	.035
Eggs	Doz.	.706	.756	.720	.671	.636	.697	.612	.591	.670
Milk sold to plants	Cwt.	13.00	14.60	13.00	15.70	15.20	11.80	14.80	11.80	12.30
Wool	Lb.	1.09	.73	.89	.53	.40	.31	.33	.57	.74

^{1/} Does not include government payments. ^{2/} Price applies to clean basis.

^{3/} Estimates began in 1999. ^{4/} Available February 2005.

Prices Received: Monthly averages selected commodities, Colorado, 1992-2003

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
All Barley												
Dollars Per Bushel												
1992	3.21	3.32	2.24	2.20	2.57	2.89	2.52	3.25	2.44	2.32	2.26	2.11
1993	2.36	2.31	2.31	3.01	2.05	1.94	3.16	3.17	2.40	2.55	3.26	2.22
1994	2.50	2.50	2.19	2.55	2.35	2.29	2.78	3.08	2.51	2.11	2.80	2.12
1995	2.07	2.06	2.15	2.18	2.30	2.38	2.18	2.90	2.73	2.84	3.09	3.03
1996	2.91	3.26	2.71	3.05	3.19	3.54	3.18	3.15	3.04	3.03	2.99	3.10
1997	2.64	2.41	2.40	2.61	3.03	2.56	3.24	3.14	2.92	3.02	2.74	2.14
1998	2.15	2.50	2.40	2.49	2.16	2.04	3.04	2.93	2.78	3.13	2.64	2.16
1999	2.13	1.74	1.77	1.73	1.81	1.71	3.02	2.97	1.77	2.44	1.78	2.24
2000	1.98	1.79	1.58	1.88	1.85	1.84	3.31	3.17	2.54	3.05	2.02	1.84
2001	1.58	1.84	1.97	2.07	1.80	1.92	1.78	2.99	2.69	2.47	2.39	2.05
2002	2.12	2.16	1.97	1.92	1.96	1/	2.67	3.00	3.00	3.20	3.14	3.06
2003	2.99	2.81	2.16	2.73	2.62	2.21	2.22	3.08	3.09	2.98	3.07	2.87
Feed Barley												
Dollars Per Bushel												
1992	2.19	2.40	2.24	2.20	2.29	2.17	2.07	1.84	1.87	1.90	1.95	2.00
1993	2.10	2.05	1.98	2.02	2.05	1.94	1.93	2.03	2.07	1.94	2.12	2.22
1994	2.30	2.50	2.19	2.55	2.35	2.29	2.12	1.96	1.99	2.07	2.09	2.05
1995	2.04	2.06	2.15	2.18	2.30	2.38	2.18	2.37	2.38	2.82	2.99	3.07
1996	2.91	3.33	2.71	3.46	3.19	3.54	3.16	3.06	2.80	2.62	2.57	2.51
1997	2.61	2.41	2.40	2.61	3.03	2.56	2.20	2.09	2.08	2.02	2.30	2.14
1998	2.15	2.21	2.32	2.02	2.16	2.04	1.89	1.70	1.50	1.67	1.54	1.71
1999	1.74	1.74	1.69	1.68	1.81	1.70	1.61	1.53	1.67	1.64	1.64	1.56
2000	1.59	1.63	1.58	1.69	1.73	1.70	1.74	1.46	1.47	1.80	1.67	1.82
2001	1.58	1.80	1.97	2.07	1.80	1.92	1.78	1.69	1.75	1.95	1.91	2.05
2002	2.07	1.95	1.97	1.92	1.92	1.89	2.28	2.22	2.21	2.46	2.45	2.39
2003	2.30	2.58	2.16	2.16	2.62	2.21	2.22	2.07	2.13	2.12	2.20	2.17
All Wheat												
Dollars Per Bushel												
1992	3.47	3.88	3.77	3.67	3.44	3.48	3.06	2.79	3.07	3.18	3.22	3.26
1993	3.36	3.29	3.24	3.02	2.99	2.97	2.70	2.83	2.83	3.01	3.19	3.54
1994	3.58	3.35	3.28	3.33	3.15	3.03	3.02	3.12	3.48	3.67	3.68	3.64
1995	3.71	3.65	3.51	3.46	3.53	3.92	4.20	4.22	4.40	4.60	4.79	4.87
1996	4.87	5.08	5.24	5.67	5.59	5.50	4.78	4.60	4.19	4.17	4.16	4.09
1997	4.20	4.06	4.07	4.25	4.17	3.67	3.20	3.33	3.31	3.21	3.16	3.25
1998	3.17	3.18	3.25	3.08	2.92	2.87	2.52	2.25	2.24	2.68	2.67	2.69
1999	2.76	2.66	2.58	2.42	2.29	2.36	2.12	2.28	2.29	2.30	2.22	2.26
2000	2.17	2.22	2.20	2.19	2.21	2.37	2.47	2.39	2.46	2.71	2.77	2.96
2001	2.94	2.79	2.95	2.93	2.96	2.86	2.67	2.58	2.60	2.75	2.73	2.73
2002	2.77	2.75	2.69	2.75	2.67	2.89	3.23	3.67	4.23	4.46	4.12	3.90
2003	3.81	3.51	3.24	3.22	3.19	3.02	2.80	3.14	3.23	3.30	3.47	3.62
Corn for Grain												
Dollars Per Bushel												
1992	2.40	2.49	2.53	2.53	2.54	2.57	2.51	2.27	2.34	2.25	2.19	2.16
1993	2.17	2.14	2.21	2.23	2.26	2.24	2.29	2.34	2.47	2.43	2.49	2.68
1994	2.80	2.77	2.82	2.81	2.79	2.80	2.44	2.45	2.35	2.25	2.22	2.32
1995	2.25	2.29	2.34	2.40	2.50	2.61	2.87	2.85	3.02	2.92	2.95	3.20
1996	3.22	3.60	3.63	4.11	4.61	4.72	4.83	4.49	4.00	2.94	2.91	2.70
1997	2.66	2.67	2.83	2.78	2.75	2.59	2.61	2.60	2.68	2.65	2.57	2.55
1998	2.65	2.57	2.61	2.42	2.41	2.81	2.77	2.05	1.87	2.02	1.97	1.96
1999	1.92	1.98	1.99	1.96	1.91	2.00	1.95	1.86	1.88	1.79	1.75	1.74
2000	1.77	1.93	1.94	2.03	2.10	2.03	2.02	1.81	1.89	2.00	2.07	2.10
2001	2.16	2.09	2.12	2.11	1.98	2.00	2.10	2.17	2.08	2.12	1.98	2.05
2002	2.09	2.03	2.07	2.04	2.02	2.13	2.49	2.50	2.77	2.61	2.54	2.55
2003	2.52	2.53	2.54	2.54	2.62	2.53	2.39	2.33	2.36	2.27	2.30	2.34

1/ Price not published to avoid disclosure.

Prices Received: Monthly averages selected commodities, Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
All Hay, Baled												
Dollars Per Ton												
1987	60.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	58.00	57.00	57.00	58.00	58.00	62.00	64.00	68.00
1988	65.00	62.00	64.00	66.00	70.00	72.00	79.00	81.00	78.00	80.00	84.00	86.00
1989	84.00	82.00	87.00	87.00	87.00	89.00	91.00	88.00	89.00	92.00	92.00	95.00
1990	95.00	95.00	93.00	90.00	87.00	84.00	85.00	83.00	79.00	79.00	78.00	80.00
1991	79.00	79.00	81.00	78.00	77.00	75.00	75.00	74.00	74.00	72.00	71.00	71.00
1992	67.00	68.00	66.00	67.00	65.00	65.00	61.00	63.00	61.00	62.00	62.00	63.00
1993	65.00	68.00	72.00	74.00	72.00	71.00	76.00	73.00	73.00	72.00	75.00	77.00
1994	83.00	86.00	94.00	91.00	89.00	90.00	88.00	90.00	93.00	91.00	91.00	94.00
1995	92.00	89.00	93.00	91.00	90.00	91.00	89.00	90.00	90.00	90.00	87.00	87.00
1996	89.00	88.00	82.00	84.00	88.00	86.00	85.00	93.00	95.00	98.00	98.00	98.00
1997	106.00	109.00	111.00	115.00	125.00	120.00	100.00	100.00	101.00	100.00	101.00	101.00
1998	105.00	100.00	102.00	97.00	91.00	85.00	92.00	91.00	95.00	98.00	100.00	89.00
1999	103.00	93.00	82.00	81.00	78.00	75.00	74.00	74.00	70.00	67.00	65.00	66.00
2000	65.00	65.00	65.00	66.00	67.00	67.00	70.00	73.00	76.00	85.00	86.00	91.00
2001	99.00	104.00	106.00	109.00	107.00	90.00	94.00	98.00	98.00	100.00	105.00	107.00
2002	107.00	106.00	106.00	96.00	98.00	107.00	117.00	122.00	121.00	119.00	116.00	116.00
2003	116.00	116.00	112.00	108.00	103.00	90.00	86.00	84.00	86.00	86.00	88.00	85.00
Alfalfa Hay, Baled												
Dollars Per Ton												
1987	61.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	58.00	57.00	57.00	58.00	58.00	63.00	64.00	68.00
1988	65.00	62.00	65.00	66.00	70.00	73.00	80.00	84.00	80.00	83.00	86.00	88.00
1989	86.00	84.00	88.00	88.00	87.00	89.00	91.00	89.00	90.00	92.00	93.00	95.00
1990	95.00	95.00	93.00	90.00	87.00	84.00	85.00	83.00	81.00	80.00	79.00	80.00
1991	80.00	79.00	81.00	79.00	77.00	75.00	75.00	72.00	74.00	73.00	72.00	72.00
1992	68.00	68.00	66.00	67.00	65.00	65.00	61.00	63.00	61.00	62.00	63.00	63.00
1993	65.00	68.00	72.00	74.00	72.00	71.00	76.00	73.00	73.00	72.00	75.00	77.00
1994	83.00	86.00	94.00	91.00	89.00	90.00	88.00	90.00	93.00	91.00	91.00	94.00
1995	92.00	89.00	93.00	91.00	90.00	91.00	89.00	89.00	90.00	90.00	87.00	87.00
1996	90.00	89.00	83.00	85.00	89.00	87.00	85.00	94.00	96.00	99.00	99.00	99.00
1997	107.00	111.00	111.00	115.00	125.00	120.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
1998	105.00	100.00	102.00	97.00	90.00	85.00	92.00	90.00	93.00	97.00	98.00	88.00
1999	102.00	92.00	81.00	80.00	78.00	75.00	74.00	74.00	71.00	67.00	66.00	66.00
2000	65.00	65.00	65.00	66.00	67.00	67.00	70.00	73.00	76.00	84.00	86.00	91.00
2001	99.00	104.00	106.00	109.00	109.00	90.00	94.00	99.00	99.00	100.00	105.00	107.00
2002	108.00	106.00	105.00	94.00	95.00	100.00	115.00	121.00	120.00	117.00	114.00	114.00
2003	114.00	113.00	109.00	104.00	100.00	88.00	87.00	85.00	86.00	85.00	87.00	85.00
All Other Hay, Baled												
Dollars Per Ton												
1987	53.00	56.00	54.00	56.00	56.00	60.00	60.00	58.00	60.00	59.00	61.00	65.00
1988	62.00	60.00	60.00	63.00	65.00	67.00	72.00	76.00	72.00	70.00	72.00	73.00
1989	72.00	73.00	76.00	80.00	83.00	85.00	85.00	86.00	88.00	88.00	89.00	92.00
1990	94.00	94.00	90.00	87.00	84.00	81.00	82.00	80.00	76.00	75.00	76.00	78.00
1991	77.00	75.00	76.00	75.00	74.00	73.00	74.00	77.00	76.00	70.00	67.00	67.00
1992	66.00	63.00	67.00	66.00	67.00	65.00	65.00	67.00	59.00	60.00	60.00	61.00
1993	63.00	64.00	66.00	68.00	67.00	69.00	74.00	72.00	69.00	69.00	71.00	78.00
1994	79.00	81.00	87.00	88.00	86.00	88.00	85.00	84.00	87.00	89.00	89.00	93.00
1995	94.00	91.00	95.00	93.00	93.00	92.00	90.00	92.00	89.00	85.00	85.00	85.00
1996	80.00	82.00	73.00	74.00	75.00	76.00	75.00	81.00	87.00	85.00	87.00	88.00
1997	98.00	95.00	100.00	110.00	115.00	110.00	105.00	105.00	105.00	105.00	110.00	110.00
1998	110.00	105.00	106.00	105.00	98.00	93.00	100.00	98.00	101.00	105.00	106.00	96.00
1999	110.00	100.00	89.00	86.00	80.00	65.00	70.00	70.00	65.00	61.00	60.00	60.00
2000	60.00	63.00	63.00	64.00	65.00	67.00	69.00	73.00	78.00	93.00	89.00	86.00
2001	91.00	93.00	93.00	100.00	85.00	85.00	94.00	90.00	95.00	100.00	102.00	103.00
2002	102.00	107.00	114.00	114.00	122.00	134.00	113.00	133.00	131.00	134.00	145.00	133.00
2003	138.00	138.00	145.00	145.00	145.00	130.00	81.00	78.00	102.00	96.00	95.00	90.00

Prices Received: Monthly averages selected commodities, Colorado, 1992-2003

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Dry Beans												
Dollars Per Cwt												
1992	11.80	13.40	13.60	13.80	14.10	14.30	15.20	16.00	18.40	19.20	20.30	20.40
1993	20.40	20.10	18.80	17.90	17.10	17.10	17.30	19.60	22.90	29.30	29.90	29.30
1994	29.70	30.20	28.40	28.10	27.70	24.70	21.30	27.30	16.80	17.20	17.20	16.20
1995	15.40	15.30	16.00	16.30	16.70	17.20	17.00	16.30	16.50	16.90	15.40	15.30
1996	15.50	16.70	18.10	21.80	26.80	27.00	26.10	25.00	26.00	23.60	23.20	22.20
1997	21.30	21.10	19.90	19.70	19.90	20.40	19.40	18.30	15.50	15.70	17.80	19.20
1998	22.10	22.90	19.90	21.50	21.00	21.60	21.50	20.20	16.70	16.30	17.80	16.40
1999	15.30	14.60	14.00	13.90	13.90	13.90	14.60	14.40	17.70	16.20	15.50	14.20
2000	13.70	13.70	13.40	13.60	13.60	13.60	13.60	14.30	15.20	15.60	15.50	15.60
2001	15.10	15.10	15.10	15.50	15.60	16.20	17.00	17.70	20.50	19.90	19.20	21.00
2002	24.50	26.10	27.30	28.70	28.70	28.60	26.40	23.10	21.30	16.60	15.00	15.00
2003	17.80	18.50	17.00	16.50	16.10	16.90	18.10	16.50	18.00	18.00	17.90	16.10
All Potatoes												
Dollars Per Cwt												
1992	2.05	2.05	1.60	1.45	1.35	2.75	5.35	5.40	5.50	4.90	4.10	3.65
1993	3.65	3.60	3.75	4.00	4.50	4.15	4.15	4.60	4.50	5.10	5.90	5.70
1994	5.60	5.90	7.90	7.35	6.85	5.80	6.15	5.75	3.50	3.00	2.95	3.15
1995	2.85	2.70	3.30	2.95	4.15	6.85	8.95	6.75	7.50	6.20	6.00	5.50
1996	6.25	6.60	6.90	6.45	6.25	6.00	4.95	4.55	3.40	2.95	2.20	1.60
1997	1.55	1.65	1.70	1.25	.85	.75	2.85	5.50	5.70	5.10	4.75	4.45
1998	4.50	4.45	4.75	4.30	4.05	3.90	4.60	5.95	5.60	4.55	3.90	3.65
1999	3.75	4.00	4.30	4.65	5.70	5.90	7.35	7.25	5.90	4.80	4.50	4.45
2000	4.20	4.40	4.65	4.50	3.80	3.35	3.10	5.25	4.45	3.20	2.60	2.30
2001	2.40	2.50	2.55	2.75	2.95	5.00	6.35	8.75	8.45	7.35	7.55	8.10
2002	9.15	9.95	10.50	9.60	11.50	13.30	15.00	10.80	7.50	6.50	7.25	7.15
2003	7.00	6.55	6.80	6.05	5.10	4.15	3.40	2.85	4.55	5.00	5.05	4.75
Sheep												
Dollars Per Cwt												
1992	24.50	27.90	35.70	30.40	24.70	22.80	25.30	27.30	25.90	24.00	24.90	28.10
1993	29.70	35.70	33.90	27.40	29.30	30.20	29.40	29.90	26.30	23.30	27.00	31.10
1994	30.20	34.40	34.50	29.60	26.90	31.00	27.60	28.80	27.30	25.20	26.20	35.40
1995	30.50	32.00	30.20	29.20	25.40	27.10	29.00	28.10	25.30	24.20	23.20	26.40
1996	35.60	33.80	33.50	29.80	26.30	25.90	33.70	30.60	31.60	29.40	31.60	28.70
1997	40.50	39.90	40.20	36.30	28.00	33.70	42.90	39.00	32.70	35.80	36.80	36.80
1998	41.50	40.60	39.90	33.90	30.00	31.20	31.70	29.30	25.70	24.60	26.70	31.40
1999	34.60	30.90	31.30	30.10	27.80	31.10	31.70	29.40	26.00	26.00	31.90	39.90
2000	36.10	40.00	33.10	33.70	27.90	32.20	37.50	30.40	31.11	30.40	33.90	38.10
2001	38.40	43.60	42.40	32.50	33.50	30.10	31.50	29.30	31.80	23.10	30.00	32.00
2002	30.90	29.70	31.50	22.60	24.90	21.90	24.10	21.70	22.30	21.20	29.10	31.20
2003	37.00	42.00	35.70	30.30	29.20	31.40	30.40	28.80	30.00	34.60	39.40	41.00
Lambs												
Dollars Per Cwt												
1992	53.20	53.60	62.20	68.30	69.60	67.50	64.60	58.30	58.40	56.30	58.20	65.10
1993	66.10	72.20	78.60	70.60	60.40	51.30	51.10	55.70	65.40	65.10	67.10	68.40
1994	61.20	58.50	60.10	55.40	50.10	58.30	75.40	81.90	79.20	76.60	75.80	73.80
1995	70.30	70.30	75.10	75.30	79.50	88.10	89.90	90.30	86.60	81.80	79.80	78.50
1996	76.20	83.00	85.90	85.70	88.80	104.00	103.00	92.50	91.20	88.00	84.20	86.10
1997	91.20	101.00	98.20	94.60	90.00	82.80	77.00	90.90	91.40	84.30	81.60	81.60
1998	81.60	76.10	69.90	62.80	59.60	89.60	84.70	85.50	77.90	71.70	62.60	63.50
1999	67.10	67.40	67.60	66.10	83.80	82.90	78.00	83.50	79.10	72.80	74.70	74.70
2000	66.60	68.80	77.60	78.90	98.10	95.70	90.70	85.90	80.80	73.20	68.60	68.00
2001	69.10	75.10	79.90	80.50	68.20	68.10	65.30	51.90	53.20	51.70	52.10	58.00
2002	65.50	64.20	64.50	62.60	61.00	70.00	75.00	77.20	81.00	82.60	86.60	89.50
2003	93.90	93.10	98.90	97.40	102.00	98.90	93.20	88.60	96.30	96.30	97.80	98.60

Prices Received: Monthly averages selected commodities, Colorado, 1992-2003

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1992	Beef Cattle											
	Dollars Per Cwt											
	71.10	74.70	76.50	76.20	74.50	71.60	72.00	73.00	75.30	75.20	73.90	74.60
	79.50	79.30	81.70	82.50	79.40	76.20	73.50	75.50	74.80	73.10	73.80	71.50
	73.80	72.60	75.60	75.40	67.90	63.70	63.90	67.40	66.30	67.30	68.60	67.40
	71.30	72.10	69.90	66.00	64.30	62.70	60.50	61.60	62.20	61.80	64.00	62.80
	60.70	60.40	59.50	56.90	59.00	59.00	63.10	64.80	66.40	64.70	65.80	63.10
	62.60	64.30	67.00	67.10	66.20	62.80	62.20	65.10	66.80	67.50	66.30	65.30
	64.40	60.40	63.10	64.80	64.00	63.40	58.90	57.90	57.90	61.30	61.60	58.40
	61.80	62.50	64.80	64.90	63.50	64.30	62.80	64.00	66.10	70.20	69.50	70.90
	70.30	68.40	72.50	73.10	69.90	68.20	65.80	64.80	67.80	70.10	72.80	74.40
	79.00	77.20	79.40	77.30	74.70	76.40	72.20	70.90	69.70	67.00	64.00	66.60
	72.90	74.70	80.00	75.90	74.50	76.50	76.70	76.20	77.60	80.40	80.60	82.70
2003	81.50	78.50	76.50	79.50	84.70	83.00	88.70	92.30	96.30	99.50	101.00	101.00
1992	Cows											
	Dollars Per Cwt											
	52.10	56.30	56.30	56.70	55.40	54.20	56.20	52.60	53.60	49.50	48.10	50.60
	53.00	54.50	54.00	56.50	55.70	56.10	55.40	54.60	53.90	49.80	47.50	47.40
	49.50	51.30	52.30	52.60	51.70	48.70	49.00	49.00	45.30	38.80	36.00	37.20
	40.10	44.30	42.20	39.00	37.90	39.40	36.80	37.50	35.30	33.20	31.10	31.60
	33.50	34.70	33.70	30.30	32.30	33.00	34.00	34.80	33.80	32.00	29.90	29.90
	30.80	35.30	40.10	41.90	40.50	40.80	41.40	42.30	41.10	37.10	32.40	33.30
	35.60	36.90	36.80	37.00	36.60	36.50	35.50	35.10	33.10	30.30	30.40	30.60
	34.00	36.60	35.80	35.90	35.70	36.40	38.80	37.20	37.10	36.40	34.60	36.90
	37.80	39.00	41.00	40.70	41.50	41.10	42.10	41.50	37.90	36.90	37.30	39.10
	39.90	44.80	43.70	45.20	47.10	47.10	46.80	47.40	45.10	40.60	38.20	38.00
	39.60	41.90	43.50	40.90	40.00	40.00	35.90	37.70	36.30	32.40	33.10	34.40
2003	39.40	41.10	40.50	41.00	43.70	44.90	47.50	47.80	49.10	48.50	51.70	51.80
1992	Steers and Heifers											
	Dollars Per Cwt											
	73.10	77.10	78.50	78.00	76.60	73.30	73.50	74.50	76.70	77.80	77.40	77.90
	81.80	81.20	83.50	84.50	81.70	77.30	74.30	76.10	75.90	76.00	76.10	73.60
	75.60	74.00	77.10	77.10	68.70	64.50	64.70	68.00	67.40	68.80	71.40	70.00
	73.70	73.90	71.70	68.00	65.70	63.90	61.70	62.60	63.00	65.30	66.90	65.50
	63.10	62.00	61.10	58.90	64.40	60.40	64.30	65.70	68.10	68.70	68.90	66.00
	65.40	66.50	68.70	68.70	68.10	64.00	63.30	66.10	67.60	69.10	70.50	68.10
	66.90	62.20	64.40	66.60	66.10	64.80	60.10	58.80	58.90	62.90	65.50	60.80
	64.00	64.50	66.60	66.80	65.60	66.40	64.10	65.10	67.00	72.00	73.80	73.90
	73.10	70.60	74.50	75.20	72.00	69.60	67.00	65.80	68.70	71.90	76.80	77.50
	82.40	79.60	81.70	79.30	76.80	77.90	73.30	71.90	70.50	68.40	66.90	69.10
	73.20	75.00	80.40	76.20	74.80	76.90	77.00	76.60	78.00	80.90	81.10	83.20
2003	81.90	78.90	76.90	79.90	85.10	83.40	89.10	92.80	96.80	100.00	101.00	101.00
1992	Calves											
	Dollars Per Cwt											
	95.40	101.00	105.00	99.10	97.10	99.70	98.00	102.00	97.30	92.50	94.00	97.70
	103.00	104.00	107.00	107.00	107.00	106.00	108.00	100.00	101.00	99.50	98.50	98.30
	103.00	103.00	104.00	101.00	98.50	92.90	92.50	90.00	82.10	81.20	84.40	85.50
	89.30	88.20	85.90	81.10	79.20	79.20	70.50	70.70	68.50	64.90	64.50	65.40
	63.00	62.80	61.80	56.50	58.40	56.70	57.10	59.40	61.70	61.90	63.50	67.30
	73.80	78.40	82.80	85.80	86.60	88.70	90.00	94.60	89.00	89.10	86.70	88.70
	91.80	91.10	94.50	95.00	93.00	81.80	71.90	75.20	74.40	77.10	79.50	82.70
	86.90	84.20	88.50	90.80	88.20	91.00	87.60	83.90	89.90	91.30	92.80	101.00
	106.00	106.00	114.00	111.00	107.00	98.00	106.00	106.00	101.00	100.00	103.00	106.00
	109.00	110.00	112.00	111.00	111.00	107.00	104.00	103.00	94.70	88.20	86.30	92.00
	94.40	98.40	95.70	93.30	89.00	90.00	91.80	91.90	90.10	87.90	87.30	92.30
2003	92.00	90.30	91.60	96.80	101.00	104.00	107.00	109.00	112.00	114.00	113.00	118.00

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

LIVESTOCK REVIEW 2003

SUMMARY: Colorado farmers and ranchers had 2.40 million head of all cattle and calves on hand as of January 1, 2004, down 9 percent from the 2.65 million on hand one year earlier to the lowest inventory since 1962. The total inventory of all sheep and lambs as of January 1, 2004 was down 5 percent from the previous year to 360,000 head. The December 1, 2003 inventory of all hogs and pigs declined 3 percent from a year earlier to 770,000 head. The December 1, 2003 inventory of all chickens was up 7 percent to 5.10 million birds.

Colorado ranks 10th in the number of all cattle and calves, 5th in the number of all sheep and lambs, 15th in the number of all hogs and pigs, and 24th in the number of all chickens. The state also ranks as the 4th largest cattle feeder with annual marketings of more than two million head of fed cattle. Colorado ranks 3rd in the number of market sheep and lambs. More than one million head of sheep and lambs have been slaughtered in the state annually for more than two decades, making Colorado the Nation's largest producer of lamb.

The state's dairy cow numbers remain steady while the number of operations with milk cows continues to decline. The number of bee colonies and honey production continue to decline towards record or near record lows. The state's trout producers have sold more than \$2 million of fish of various sizes each year since estimates were begun in 1989.

The total inventory value of the cattle, sheep, hogs, and chickens on hand at the beginning of the year (using the January 1 and December 1 reference dates) was \$2.31 billion, up 7 percent from the comparable value of \$2.15 billion one year earlier. The value per head averaged higher than the previous year for cattle and sheep but lower for hogs and chickens.

The extreme drought conditions that impacted most of the state during 2002 continued into the start of 2003. Pasture and range feed conditions were rated as mostly very poor to poor at the start of the season in mid-March. Condition showed some slight improvement following the major late March snowstorm that blanketed much of the Front Range and pushed rain out to the Eastern Plains. While range forage was slow to recover in some areas, overall feed condition improved into the fair to good ratings during May and June. Hot and dry conditions during July and August pushed condition ratings back into the mostly fair to poor categories and ratings continued to erode for the balance of the season. With a somewhat dry winter, early season grazing prospects for the 2004 season will be similar to the start of the 2003 season except in the western areas that have had good winter moisture.

CATTLE AND CALVES: Colorado farm and ranch operators had 2.40 million head of all cattle and calves on hand as of January 1, 2004, down 9 percent from the 2.65 million head on hand one year earlier to the lowest all cattle inventory since 1962. The total inventory included 1,060,000 head of cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market as of January 1, 2004, up 2 percent from the previous year. The number of cattle and calves on feed at the beginning of this year represented 44.2 percent of

the total inventory compared with 39.2 percent one year earlier. More than 98 percent of the total number on feed (1,040,000 head) were in 165 feedlots that have a capacity of 1,000 head or more. In addition, there were 20,000 head of cattle and calves on feed on 110 operations having a feedlot with a capacity of less than 1,000 head. Total marketings of fed cattle from all feedlots in the state for 2003 totaled 2,305,000 head, down 8 percent from the previous year and 15 percent below the record high of 2,725,000 head marketed during 2000.

The total number of all cows and heifers that have calved, at 710,000 head, declined 11 percent from 800,000 head a year earlier. The number of beef cows declined 13 percent from the previous year to 612,000 head, the lowest level since 1949. The number of milk cows was unchanged at 98,000 head.

The state's dairy herd produced 2.18 billion pounds of milk during the year, making Colorado the 16th largest milk producing state in the nation. The average production per cow, at 21,770 pounds, was exceeded only by Washington and Arizona which averaged 22,780 pounds and 22,284 pounds, respectively.

There were 720,000 heifers weighing 500 pounds and over on hand at the beginning of this year, down 9 percent from a year earlier. Of that total, 95,000 were being kept for beef cow replacement (down 7 percent), and 45,000 were for milk cow replacement (up 18 percent). The remaining 580,000 were other heifers (down 11 percent) of which 410,000 were on feed for the slaughter market.

The January 1, 2004 inventory also included 820,000 head of steers weighing 500 pounds or more (down 6 percent) and 625,000 of those were on feed for the slaughter market. The number of bulls weighing 500 pounds or more declined 12 percent from a year earlier to 35,000 head. The number of calves (steers, heifers, and bulls under 500 pounds) on hand January 1, 2004, at 115,000 head, was down 23 percent from the 150,000 on hand the previous year.

The 2003 calf crop in Colorado, at 730,000 head, was down 11 percent from the 2002 calf crop and was 13 percent below the 840,000 calves born in the state in 2001. The smaller calf crops are a direct result of the drought which resulted in a significant reduction in the size of the state's beef cow herd.

The total inventory value of all cattle and calves in Colorado as of January 1, 2004 was \$2.21 billion, 8 percent above the \$2.04 billion for January 1, 2003. The average value of \$920 per head represented an increase of \$150 per head from the previous year and was more than enough to offset a smaller inventory.

The number of operations with cattle at any time during 2003 was down 3 percent from the previous year to 13,800. The number of beef cow operations was down 5 percent to 10,400 and the number of milk cow operations in 2003 declined 7 percent to 700, down 50 operations from the previous year.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: The January 1, 2004 inventory of all sheep and lambs in Colorado totaled 360,000 head, down 5 percent from the number on hand as of January 1, 2003. The number of breeding sheep and lambs was down 8 percent to 170,000 head and the number of market sheep and lambs declined 3 percent to 190,000. The number of replacement lambs increased 8 percent to 26,000 head. The number of ewes one year old and older declined 10 percent to 139,000 head and the number of rams one year old and older declined 1,000 head from last year to 5,000.

Of the 190,000 head of market sheep and lambs, 1,000 head were market sheep and 189,000 head were market lambs. There were 2,000 lambs weighing less than 65 pounds this year, the same number as a year earlier; 4,000 were in the 65-84 pound weight group, down 1,000 from the previous year; 18,000 weighed 85-105 pounds compared with 32,000 last year; and 165,000 weighed over 105 pounds compared with the 155,000 head in this weight group on January 1, 2003.

The 2003 lamb crop, at 180,000 head, was down 10 percent from the 2002 lamb crop of 200,000. The number of operations with sheep in Colorado during 2003, at 1,700, declined 11 percent (200 operations) from the previous year.

The January 1, 2004 inventory value of all sheep and lambs in Colorado was estimated at \$41.76 million, up 16 percent from a year earlier. The overall average for all sheep and lambs, at \$116.00 per head, was \$21.00 per head higher than a year earlier.

Wool production in Colorado during 2003 totaled 2.58 million pounds, down 16 percent from 3.07 million pounds produced in 2002. The number of all sheep and lambs shorn, at 360,000 head, was down 22 percent from 460,000 head shorn a year earlier. The value of wool production for 2003 totaled \$1.91 million, up 9 percent from a year earlier as producers received 74 cents per pound of wool sold compared with 57 cents per pound the previous year.

HOGS AND PIGS: Colorado's inventory of all hogs and pigs as of December 1, 2003 totaled 770,000 head, down 3 percent from a year earlier. This is the fourth December to December decline following fourteen consecutive years in which inventory numbers were unchanged or higher than the previous year. The latest inventory consisted of 110,000 breeding hogs and pigs, down 31 percent from the 160,000 on hand one year earlier. The number of market hogs and pigs, at 660,000, increased 5 percent from the previous year.

The 2003 pig crop in Colorado totaled 2.29 million head, down 11 percent from 2002. There were 270,000 sows farrowed during the year, also down 11 percent from last year. The average litter size of 8.49 pigs in 2003 was up slightly from 8.46 a year earlier.

There were 800 operations with hogs in Colorado during 2003, down from 900 the previous year. The major portion of the Colorado hogs and pigs are under the control of a small number of large operations, following the trend in the United States.

The December 1, 2003 inventory value of all hogs and pigs was \$46.20 million, down 22 percent from the comparable value as of December 1, 2002. The average value of \$60.00 per head was \$15.00 per head below the previous year.

CHICKENS AND EGGS: The all chicken inventory in Colorado as of December 1, 2003 totaled 5.10 million birds, up 7 percent from the 4.78 million on hand one year earlier. The number of layers increased 4 percent from the previous year to 4.30 million. Of that total, 2.27 million were one year old and older (up 23 percent) and 2.03 million were less than one year of age (down 11 percent).

The total inventory also included 800,000 pullets (up 40 percent from 568,000 as of December 1, 2002) that were less than 20 weeks of age. Of that total, there were 508,000 pullets less than 13 weeks of age (up 23 percent) and 240,000 pullets between 13 and 20 weeks of age (up 54 percent). The remaining inventory of 52,000 other chickens represented a decline of 31 percent from the previous year.

During the period December 1, 2002 through November 30, 2003, Colorado laying flocks produced 1.073 billion eggs. This was up 6 percent from the 1.008 billion eggs produced during the comparable period a year earlier. The number of layers averaged 3.85 million for the year, up 3 percent from 3.74 million layers during the same period a year earlier. The annual average laying rate for the latest year was 278 eggs per layer compared with 270 eggs per layer one year earlier.

The December 1, 2003 inventory value of all chickens was estimated at \$9.69 million, up 1 percent from \$9.56 million a year earlier. The average value per bird, at \$1.90, was 10 cents per bird lower than the December 1, 2002 value per bird.

BEES AND HONEY: The number of colonies in Colorado during 2003 was unchanged from a year earlier at 24,000. However, the total honey production of 2.06 million pounds for 2003 was 43 percent higher than the 1.44 million pounds a year earlier. The yield per colony increased from 60 pounds per colony in 2002 to 86 pounds per colony in 2003.

The total value of the 2003 honey crop was \$2.85 million, up 53 percent from \$1.86 million the previous year. The average price received for the 2003 crop was \$1.38 per pound, compared with \$1.29 per pound received for the 2002 crop. December 15, 2003 honey stocks of 722,000 pounds were up 25 percent from 576,000 pounds a year earlier.

TROUT: There were 9 operations in Colorado during 2003 which had trout sales totaling \$2.13 million and 17 operations that distributed trout valued at \$5.79 million. The total value of the trout sold and distributed during 2003 totaled \$7.92 million, down 1 percent from the comparable value of \$7.98 million a year earlier. There were just under 1.36 million pounds of fish of all sizes distributed which had an average value of \$4.28 per pound compared with 1.38 million pounds distributed during 2002 at an average of \$3.96 per pound.

Livestock: Inventory by class Colorado, January 1, 1997-2004

Class	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
	Thousands							
All cattle and calves	3,250	3,250	3,200	3,150	3,150	3,050	2,650	2,400
All cows & heifers that have calved	930	940	920	920	930	890	800	710
Beef cows & heifers	846	856	837	835	840	797	702	612
Milk cows & heifers	84	84	83	85	90	93	98	98
Heifers 500 lbs & over	930	940	910	935	915	910	790	720
For beef cow replacement	160	150	145	150	140	120	102	95
For milk cow replacement	45	45	45	45	45	40	38	45
Other heifers	725	745	720	740	730	750	650	580
Steers 500 lbs & over	1,070	1,060	1,040	990	1,000	1,010	870	820
Bulls 500 lbs & over	50	50	50	50	50	45	40	35
Steers, heifers, & bulls under 500 lbs	270	260	280	255	255	195	150	115
Cattle on feed <u>1/</u>	1,130	1,140	1,160	1,200	1,230	1,210	1,040	1,060
Calf crop, annual	870	870	870	880	840	820	730	-
All sheep and lambs	575	575	440	440	420	370	380	360
Breeding sheep & lambs	250	240	220	210	195	205	185	170
Ewes one year old & older	210	200	185	175	165	170	155	139
Rams one year old & older	7	7	6	6	6	6	6	5
Replacement lambs	33	33	29	29	24	29	24	26
Market sheep & lambs	325	335	220	230	225	165	195	190
Sheep	3	2	1	1	3	1	1	1
Lambs	322	333	219	229	222	164	194	189
Under 65 Pounds	4	2	7	4	3	2	2	2
65-84 Pounds	43	2	5	6	7	5	5	4
85-105 Pounds	100	115	52	47	37	17	32	18
Over 105 Pounds	175	214	155	172	175	140	155	165
Lamb crop, annual	225	220	210	200	210	200	180	-
All hogs & pigs <u>2/</u>	630	790	870	910	840	800	790	770
Breeding	135	160	180	210	190	175	160	110
Market	495	630	690	700	650	625	630	660
Under 60 lbs	220	300	335	350	370	350	350	325
60-119 lbs	95	115	120	115	80	90	90	105
120-179 lbs	90	105	120	110	85	75	80	95
180 lbs & over	90	110	115	125	115	110	110	135
Sows farrowed, annual	200	286	332	350	316	305	269	-
Pig crop, annual	1,700	2,452	2,800	2,957	2,667	2,581	2,283	-
All chickens <u>2/</u>	4,080	4,718	4,597	4,479	4,170	4,210	4,780	5,100
Total layers	3,343	3,670	3,737	3,800	3,410	3,557	4,137	4,300
One year old & older	1,813	1,910	2,250	1,052	1,440	1,560	1,852	2,270
Less than one year	1,530	1,760	1,487	2,748	1,970	1,997	2,285	2,030
Total pullets	600	872	730	510	601	598	568	748
Pullets 13 to 20 weeks of age	320	229	180	210	206	142	156	240
Pullets less than 13 weeks of age	280	643	550	300	395	456	412	508
Other chickens	137	176	130	169	159	55	75	52

1/ Included in other classes. 2/ December 1 preceding year.

Livestock Operations: Number by type, Colorado, 1999-2003

Year	All cattle operations	Beef cow operations <u>1/</u>	Milk cow operations <u>1/</u>	Cattle feedlots <u>1/</u>	Sheep operations	Hog operations
	Number					
1999	15,000	11,200	900	280	1,700	900
2000	15,100	11,400	860	280	1,900	900
2001	14,600	11,000	800	285	2,000	750
2002	14,300	10,900	750	275	1,900	900
2003	13,800	10,400	700	275	1,700	800

1/ Included in all cattle operations.

Cattle: Percent of operations and inventory by size group, by class, Colorado, 1999-2003

Year/Class	Operations having					Inventory on operations having				
	1-49 Head	50-99 Head	100-499 Head	500-999 Head <u>1/</u>	1,000 + Head	1-49 Head	50-99 Head	100-499 Head	500-999 Head <u>1/</u>	1,000 + Head
	Percent					Percent				
1999										
All Cattle & Calves	54.7	15.3	22.7	4.3	3.0	4.0	5.0	22.0	14.0	55.0
Beef Cows	63.4	15.2	19.2	2.2	...	14.0	14.0	48.0	24.0	...
2000										
All Cattle & Calves	54.3	15.2	23.2	4.3	3.0	4.0	5.0	23.0	14.0	54.0
Beef Cows	62.3	15.3	20.2	2.2	...	14.0	14.0	51.0	21.0	...
2001										
All Cattle & Calves	53.4	14.8	24.0	4.7	3.1	3.8	4.7	23.0	14.5	54.0
Beef Cows	60.9	15.8	20.9	2.4	...	12.0	14.0	50.0	24.0	...
2002										
All Cattle & Calves	53.9	14.0	24.5	4.5	3.1	4.0	4.5	24.0	14.5	53.0
Beef Cows	60.0	16.2	21.4	2.4	...	13.0	15.0	49.0	23.0	...
2003										
All Cattle & Calves	57.5	13.8	21.7	4.4	2.9	4.9	4.9	23.0	15.2	52.0
Beef Cows	64.4	16.1	17.3	2.2	...	13.0	17.0	46.0	24.0	...

1/ Beef cows represent 500 plus.

Milk Cows: Percent of operations and inventory by size group, Colorado, 1999-2003

Year	Operations having						Inventory on operations having					
	1 - 29 Head	30 - 49 Head	50 - 99 Head	100 - 199 Head	200 - 499 Head	500 + Head	1 - 29 Head	30 - 49 Head	50 - 99 Head	100 - 199 Head	200 - 499 Head	500 + Head
	Percent						Percent					
1999	70.0	2.2	5.0	7.8	8.9	6.1	1.4	0.8	2.8	9.0	25.0	61.0
2009	70.9	1.7	4.7	7.6	9.3	5.8	1.5	0.6	2.5	8.4	28.0	59.0
2001	72.5	1.2	3.8	6.9	9.4	6.2	1.1	0.4	2.0	7.5	26.7	62.3
2002	75.3	1.3	4.0	5.3	7.3	6.7	1.1	0.4	2.0	5.0	18.5	73.0
2003	75.7	1.4	3.6	4.3	7.1	7.9	1.3	0.4	1.8	4.0	17.0	75.5

Hogs and Pigs: Percent of operations and inventory by size group, Colorado, 1999-2003

Year	Operations having						Inventory on operations having					
	1-99 Head	100-499 Head	500-999 Head	1,000-1,999 Head	2,000-4,999 Head	5,000 + Head	1-99 Head	100-499 Head	500-999 Head	1000-1,999 Head	2,000-4,999 Head	5,000 + Head
	Percent						Percent					
1999	88.8	4.4	1.9	2.2	0.6	2.0	0.5	1.0	1.5	3.0	1.5	92.5
2000	90.5	3.9	1.6	1.6	0.6	1.9	0.5	0.5	1.0	2.0	2.0	94.0
2001	89.3	4.6	1.9	1.6	0.5	1.9	0.6	1.0	1.1	1.8	1.8	93.7
2002	91.7	3.9	1.4	0.9	0.7	1.4	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.5	2.9	93.0
2003	91.3	3.8	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.4	4.2	92.0

Wool: Production and value, Colorado, 1988-2003 ^{1/}

Year	All sheep shorn	Weight per fleece	Production	Price per pound	Total value
	1,000 Head	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1988	960	6.6	6,330	1.40	8,862
1989	824	7.7	6,344	1.34	8,501
1990	770	7.4	5,698	.71	4,046
1991	769	7.4	5,724	.52	2,976
1992	758	7.9	5,954	.74	4,406
1993	725	7.2	5,199	.50	2,600
1994	635	7.3	4,607	.72	3,317
1995	540	7.3	3,960	1.09	4,316
1996	605	7.1	4,318	.73	3,152
1997	600	6.6	3,936	.89	3,503
1998	490	6.9	3,370	.53	1,786
1999	420	7.1	3,000	.40	1,200
2000	410	7.5	3,060	.31	1,949
2001	400	7.3	2,910	.33	1,960
2002	420	6.9	2,880	.57	1,642
2003	360	7.2	2,580	.74	1,909

^{1/} Includes wool shorn from stock sheep and from sheep and lambs on feed.

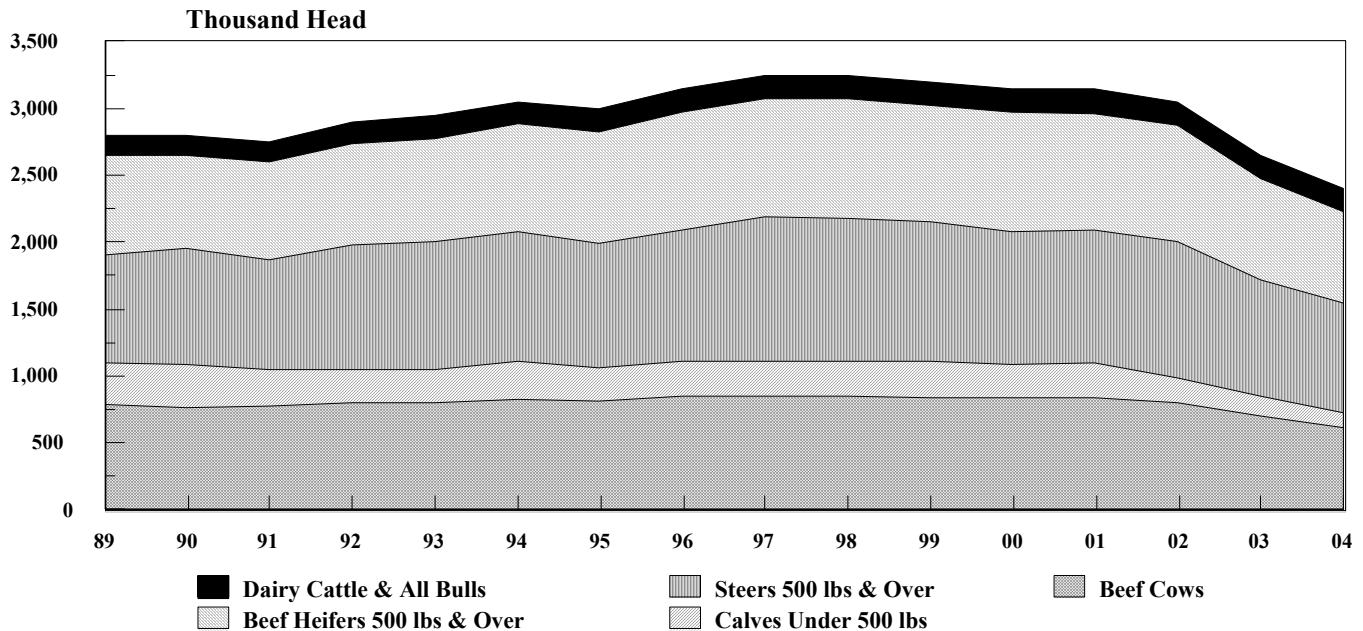
Feedlots: Number by size of feedlot, Colorado, 1993-2003

Feedlot capacity	Number of Feedlots										
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
	Number										
Under 1,000 head	118	118	123	119	121	112	118	119	120	117	110
1,000-1,999	62	61	51	48	54	47	43	48	47	43	42
2,000-3,999	51	47	45	44	46	44	42	35	39	36	40
4,000-7,999	28	27	29	32	32	36	34	34	34	33	37
8,000-15,999	18	19	23	24	23	18	19	16	20	20	21
16,000-31,999	11	11	11	10	11	12	13	16	13	14	15
32,000 and over	7	7	8	8	8	11	11	12	12	12	10
Total all feedlots	295	290	290	285	295	280	280	280	285	275	275

Fed Cattle Marketings: Number marketed by size of feedlot, Colorado, 1993-2003

Feedlot capacity	Marketed for Slaughter										
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
	1,000 Head										
Under 1,000 head	40	44	30	45	40	40	30	45	40	45	35
1,000-1,999	80	71	60	55	60	55	40	55	45	45	35
2,000-3,999	140	130	125	85	100	90	90	90	80	70	60
4,000-7,999	280	250	200	175	210	215	210	255	190	195	165
8,000-15,999	260	270	320	360	345	310	330	260	250	245	235
16,000-31,999	400	475	510	440	480	430	470	540	490	500	445
32,000 and over	1,140	1,130	1,210	1,160	1,360	1,420	1,470	1,480	1,440	1,415	1,330
Total all feedlots	2,340	2,370	2,464	2,320	2,595	2,560	2,640	2,725	2,535	2,515	2,305

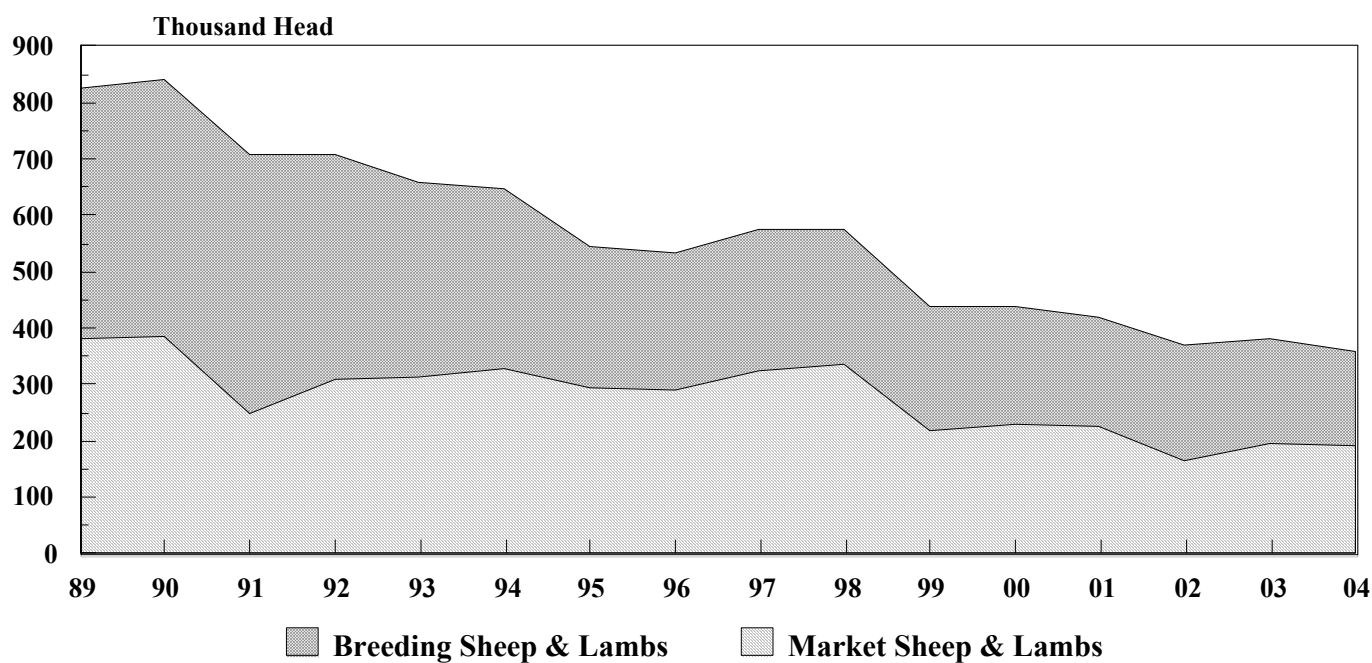
Cattle and Calf Inventory Colorado, January 1, 1989-2004



Cattle and Calves: Total inventory and value and inventory by class, Colorado, January 1, 1984-2004

Year	Total Inventory	Inventory Value		Inventory by class							
				Cows and heifers that have calved		Heifers 500 lbs. and over			Steers 500 lbs. and over	Bulls 500 lbs. and over	Steers heifers, and bulls under 500 lbs.
		Per Head	Total Value	Beef Cows	Milk Cows	Beef cow replacements	Milk cow replacements	Other			
	1,000 Head	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Head		1,000 Head			1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head
1984	3,120	420	1,310,400	946	77	150	31	602	655	66	593
1985	3,000	445	1,335,000	825	75	140	30	680	670	60	520
1986	2,850	435	1,239,750	773	82	100	35	645	740	45	430
1987	2,600	430	1,118,000	752	78	109	26	530	665	45	395
1988	2,800	565	1,582,000	812	73	130	35	635	760	45	310
1989	2,800	600	1,680,000	785	75	140	30	605	810	45	310
1990	2,800	620	1,736,000	764	76	130	30	570	865	45	320
1991	2,750	710	1,952,500	773	77	140	30	590	812	48	280
1992	2,900	640	1,856,000	803	77	160	35	595	930	50	250
1993	2,950	685	2,020,750	800	80	160	40	610	960	50	250
1994	3,050	680	2,074,000	830	80	160	40	640	970	50	280
1995	3,000	650	1,950,000	817	83	155	45	670	940	50	240
1996	3,150	520	1,638,000	848	82	160	45	725	980	50	260
1997	3,250	570	1,852,500	846	84	160	45	725	1,070	50	270
1998	3,250	640	2,080,000	856	84	150	45	745	1,060	50	260
1999	3,200	580	1,856,000	837	83	145	45	720	1,040	50	280
2000	3,150	710	2,236,500	835	85	150	45	740	990	50	255
2001	3,150	730	2,299,500	840	90	140	45	730	1,000	50	255
2002	3,050	700	2,135,000	797	93	120	40	750	1,010	45	195
2003	2,650	770	2,040,500	702	98	102	38	650	870	40	150
2004	2,400	920	2,208,000	612	98	95	45	580	820	35	115

Sheep and Lamb Inventory Colorado, January 1, 1989-2004

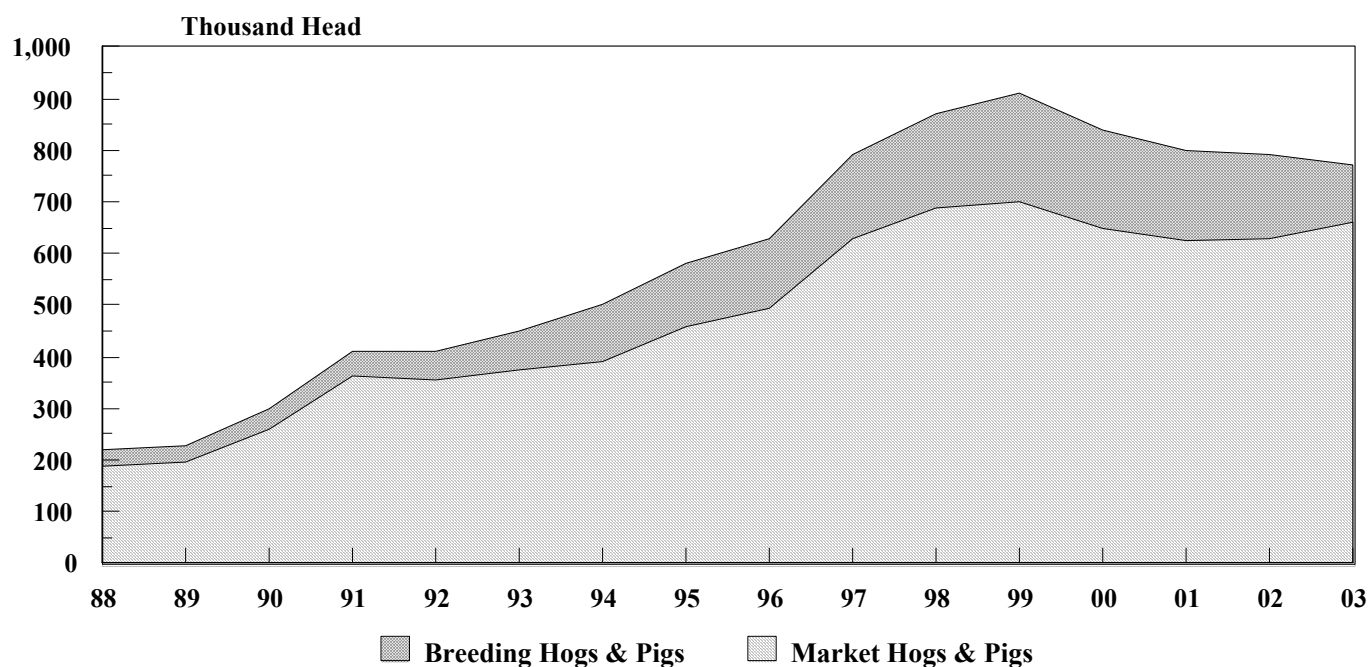


Sheep and Lambs: Total inventory and value and inventory by class, Colorado, January 1, 1984-2004

Year	Total	Inventory Value		Inventory by class				
	All sheep and lambs	Per Head	Total Value	Market sheep and lambs	Breeding sheep and lambs			
					Total	Replacement lambs	Ewes 1 year old & older	Rams 1 year old & older
	1,000 Head	Dollars	\$ 1,000	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head
1984	690	49.50	34,155	260	430	70	350	10
1985	675	59.50	40,163	300	375	55	310	10
1986	600	69.50	41,700	240	360	55	295	10
1987	690	77.50	53,475	310	380	70	300	10
1988	755	99.50	75,123	360	395	64	320	11
1989	825	90.00	74,250	380	445	77	355	13
1990	840	84.00	70,560	385	455	67	375	13
1991	710	80.00	56,800	250	460	84	363	13
1992	710	66.00	46,860	310	400	68	320	12
1993	660	72.00	47,520	315	345	56	280	9
1994	647	77.00	49,819	327	320	41	270	9
1995	545	74.00	40,330	295	250	33	210	7
1996	535	88.00	47,080	290	245	28	210	7
1997	575	105.00	60,375	325	250	33	210	7
1998	575	105.00	60,375	335	240	33	200	7
1999	440	93.00	40,920	220	220	29	185	6
2000	440	89.00	39,160	230	210	29	175	6
2001	420	101.00	42,420	225	195	24	165	6
2002	370	85.00	31,450	165	205	29	170	6
2003	380	95.00	36,100	195	185	24	155	6
2004	360	116.00	41,760	190	170	26	139	5

Hog and Pig Inventory

Colorado, December 1, 1988-2003



Hogs and Pigs: Inventory by class, Colorado, December 1, 1982-2003

Year	Total Inventory all hogs and pigs	Inventory Value		Inventory by class					
		Per Head	Total Value	Breeding	Market				
					Total Market	Under 60 pounds	60-119 pounds	120-179 pounds	180 lbs & over
	1,000 Head	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head
1982	290	88.00	25,520	40	250	95	70	50	35
1983	260	71.50	18,590	30	230	75	55	60	40
1984	210	83.00	17,430	20	190	60	50	40	40
1985	225	79.00	17,775	28	197	75	45	47	30
1986	190	92.00	17,480	26	164	57	47	34	26
1987	205	85.00	17,425	34	171	64	37	38	32
1988	220	74.50	16,390	32	188	70	48	42	28
1989	230	86.50	19,895	35	195	70	50	40	35
1990	300	93.00	27,900	42	258	100	63	52	43
1991	410	75.00	30,750	45	365	125	85	80	75
1992	410	83.00	34,030	55	355	122	83	78	72
1993	450	85.00	38,250	75	375	145	85	75	70
1994	500	60.00	30,000	110	390	170	80	70	70
1995	580	79.00	45,820	120	460	205	85	85	85
1996	630	100.00	63,000	135	495	220	95	90	90
1997	790	88.00	69,520	160	630	300	115	105	110
1998	870	48.00	41,760	180	690	335	120	120	115
1999	910	77.00	70,070	210	700	350	115	110	125
2000	840	86.00	72,240	190	650	370	80	85	115
2001	800	92.00	73,600	175	625	350	90	75	110
2002	790	75.00	59,250	160	630	350	90	80	110
2003	770	60.00	46,200	110	660	325	105	95	135

Bees and Honey: Colorado, 1987-2003

Year	Number of Colonies	Yield per Colony	Production	Producer Stocks	Avg. Price Per Pound	Value of Production
	1,000	Pounds	1,000 Pounds		Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1987	44	73	3,212	96	0.680	2,184
1988	48	83	3,984	837	0.550	2,191
1989	50	66	3,300	495	0.540	1,782
1990	55	64	3,520	845	0.660	2,323
1991	50	79	3,950	514	0.630	2,489
1992	52	74	3,848	847	0.590	2,270
1993	53	73	3,869	1,161	0.580	2,244
1994	45	76	3,420	1,813	0.560	1,915
1995	45	60	2,700	1,404	0.730	1,971
1996	30	74	2,220	1,132	0.850	1,887
1997	35	55	1,925	982	0.820	1,579
1998	27	72	1,944	1,594	0.700	1,361
1999	27	76	2,052	1,436	0.680	1,395
2000	29	60	1,740	957	0.620	1,079
2001	26	55	1,430	529	0.710	1,015
2002	24	60	1,440	576	1.290	1,858
2003	24	86	2,064	722	1.380	2,848

Trout: Operations, sales and value, Colorado, 2001-2003

Item	Unit	2001		2002		2003	
		Trout Sales	Distributed Trout	Trout Sales	Distributed Trout	Trout Sales	Distributed Trout
Number of Operations	Number	15	19	15	19	9	17
Value of Sales/Distributed Trout ...	1,000 Dollars	2,794	7,643	2,503	5,477	2,125	5,794
Foodsize: <u>1/</u>							
Number Sold	Thousands	660	105	420	77	520	80
Pounds Sold	Thousands	665	120	475	72	470	75
Value Per Pound	Dollars	3.00	2.85	2.80	2.80	3.00	2.75
Total Value of Sales	1,000 Dollars	1,995	342	1,330	202	1,410	206
Stockers: <u>2/</u>							
Number Sold	Thousands	550	4,850	1,060	3,400	<u>4/</u>	2,960
Pounds Sold	Thousands	225	2,110	450	1,110	<u>4/</u>	1,150
Value Per Pound	Dollars	3.20	2.85	2.50	2.50	<u>4/</u>	3.80
Total Value of Sales	1,000 Dollars	720	6,014	1,125	2,775	<u>4/</u>	4,370
Fingerlings: <u>3/</u>							
Number Sold	Thousands	235	7,570	190	10,000	<u>4/</u>	6,410
Pounds Sold	Thousands	10	185	5	200	<u>4/</u>	130
Value Per 1,000 Fish	Dollars	335.00	170.00	250.00	250.00	<u>4/</u>	190.00
Total Value of Sales	1,000 Dollars	79	1,287	48	2,500	<u>4/</u>	1,218

1/ Defined as fish being 12 inches or longer.

2/ Defined as fish being from 6-12 inches in length.

3/ Defined as fish being from 1-6 inches in length.

4/ Not published separately to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Cattle and Calves: Number on feed placements, marketings and other disappearance, 1,000 + capacity feedlots, by month, Colorado, 1994-2004 ^{1/}

Month	Year										
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
	1,000 Head										
January											
Number on feed, January 1	981	966	1,050	1,110	1,120	1,140	1,180	1,210	1,180	1,020	1,040
Placed on feed during January	169	218	180	260	230	260	290	305	225	225	165
Marketed during January	220	226	225	310	230	250	260	275	215	205	160
Other disappearance during January	5	10	5	10	20	10	10	10	10	10	5
February											
Number on feed, February 1	925	948	1,000	1,050	1,100	1,140	1,200	1,230	1,180	1,030	1,040
Placed on feed during February	164	239	215	260	205	235	250	195	190	160	155
Marketed during February	186	221	220	245	265	240	265	225	210	190	165
Other disappearance during February	5	5	5	5	10	5	5	10	10	10	10
March											
Number on feed, March 1	898	961	990	1,060	1,030	1,130	1,180	1,190	1,150	990	1,020
Placed on feed during March	234	248	240	210	190	240	270	220	200	160	150
Marketed during March	200	213	195	165	210	240	250	210	215	175	190
Other disappearance during March	10	10	5	15	10	10	10	10	15	5	10
April											
Number on feed, April 1	922	986	1,030	1,090	1,000	1,120	1,190	1,190	1,120	970	970
Placed on feed during April	164	178	130	165	160	200	195	160	165	200	155
Marketed during April	165	161	155	190	170	190	170	170	190	165	175
Other disappearance during April	5	5	5	15	20	10	5	10	15	5	10
May											
Number on feed, May 1	916	998	1,000	1,050	970	1,120	1,210	1,170	1,080	1,000	940
Placed on feed during May	139	194	85	185	195	180	195	190	210	205	...
Marketed during May	154	180	185	210	175	200	180	190	190	205	...
Other disappearance during May	10	10	10	15	10	10	15	10	10	10	...
June											
Number on feed, June 1	891	1,002	890	1,010	980	1,090	1,210	1,160	1,090	990	...
Placed on feed during June	139	149	80	125	140	160	150	160	155	125	...
Marketed during June	169	230	215	210	230	225	250	205	210	220	...
Other disappearance during June	5	5	5	5	10	5	10	5	5	5	...
July											
Number on feed, July 1	856	916	750	920	880	1,020	1,100	1,110	1,030	890	...
Placed on feed during July	209	169	145	235	225	175	185	195	190	175	...
Marketed during July	212	223	230	250	260	230	230	240	225	200	...
Other disappearance during July	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	...
August											
Number on feed, August 1	848	857	660	900	840	960	1,050	1,060	990	860	...
Placed on feed during August	254	213	275	235	220	255	300	210	245	240	...
Marketed during August	229	239	220	210	215	250	275	255	230	195	...
Other disappearance during August	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	...
September											
Number on feed, September 1	868	826	710	920	840	960	1,070	1,010	1,000	900	...
Placed on feed during September	311	312	405	320	370	330	335	265	255	255	...
Marketed during September	219	199	150	185	205	210	225	210	220	200	...
Other disappearance during September	5	5	5	5	5	10	10	5	5	5	...
October											
Number on feed, October 1	955	934	960	1,050	1,000	1,070	1,170	1,060	1,030	950	...
Placed on feed during October	272	273	275	300	345	360	290	315	250	270	...
Marketed during October	203	184	150	200	170	205	205	200	210	160	...
Other disappearance during October	5	5	5	10	5	5	5	5	10	10	...
November											
Number on feed, November 1	1,019	1,018	1,080	1,140	1,170	1,220	1,250	1,170	1,060	1,050	...
Placed on feed during November	178	212	195	210	210	190	180	175	190	185	...
Marketed during November	188	194	160	185	180	180	190	180	170	165	...
Other disappearance during November	5	5	5	5	10	10	10	5	10	10	...
December											
Number on feed, December 1	1,004	1,031	1,110	1,160	1,190	1,220	1,230	1,160	1,070	1,060	...
Placed on feed during December	153	179	175	165	170	160	170	165	145	180	...
Marketed during December	181	155	170	195	210	190	180	135	185	190	...
Other disappearance during December	10	5	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	...

^{1/} "Other disappearance" includes death losses, movement from feedlots to pastures, and shipments to other feedlots for further feeding.

Cattle: Number Placed On Feed By Weight Group, By Month, 1,000+ Feedlots, Colorado, 2001-2004

Year and Weight Group	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct	Nov.	Dec.
2001	1,000 Head											
< 600 Pounds	45	36	28	19	24	22	30	29	28	66	57	36
600-699 Pounds	91	40	38	40	45	27	46	38	40	77	49	52
700-799 Pounds	120	74	85	57	69	66	67	73	81	94	43	50
800 Pounds Plus	49	45	69	44	52	45	52	70	116	78	26	27
Total	305	195	220	160	190	160	195	210	265	315	175	165
2002	1,000 Head											
< 600 Pounds	30	21	21	9	14	23	28	35	51	94	58	33
600-699 Pounds	74	55	41	33	41	43	37	46	53	49	60	41
700-799 Pounds	84	72	72	65	73	48	65	87	78	56	43	46
800 Pounds Plus	37	42	66	58	82	41	60	77	73	51	29	25
Total	225	190	200	165	210	155	190	245	255	250	190	145
2003	1,000 Head											
< 600 Pounds	43	15	15	17	25	24	24	43	41	88	72	45
600-699 Pounds	49	37	26	36	32	36	41	55	46	69	45	50
700-799 Pounds	95	67	61	72	78	35	53	63	78	54	40	60
800 Pounds Plus	38	41	58	75	70	30	57	79	90	59	28	25
Total	225	160	160	200	205	125	175	240	255	270	185	180
2004	1,000 Head											
< 600 Pounds	25	13	15	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
600-699 Pounds	45	38	30	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
700-799 Pounds	61	58	60	62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
800 Pounds Plus	34	46	45	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	165	155	150	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Cattle and Calves: Number on feed by class, by quarter, 1,000 + capacity feedlots, Colorado, 2000-2004

Cattle and Calves: Number on feed by class, by quarter, 1,000 + capacity feedlots, Colorado, 2000-2004							
Year/Month	Number on feed	Classes of cattle on feed			Placements during past 3 months	Marketings during past 3 months	Other disappearance during past 3 months
		Steers and steer calves	Heifers and heifer calves	Cows and others			
	1,000 Head						
2000 January 1	1,180	650	520	10	710	575	25
April 1	1,190	690	495	5	810	775	25
July 1	1,090	620	465	5	540	600	30
October 1	1,170	670	495	5	820	730	20
2001 January 1	1,210	670	530	10	640	575	25
April 1	1,190	650	535	5	720	710	30
July 1	1,110	615	490	5	510	565	25
October 1	1,060	570	485	5	670	705	15
2002 January 1	1,180	675	500	5	655	515	20
April 1	1,120	645	470	5	615	640	35
July 1	1,030	560	465	5	530	590	30
October 1	1,030	585	440	5	690	675	15
2003 January 1	1,020	585	425	10	585	565	30
April 1	970	590	375	5	545	570	25
July 1	890	510	375	5	530	590	20
October 1	950	580	365	5	670	595	15
2004 January 1	1,040	625	410	5	635	515	30
April 1	970	575	390	5	470	515	25

Livestock: Production, Disposition and Value

Cattle and Calves: Production, disposition and value, Colorado, 1995-2003

Year	Calf crop	Inship-ments	Marketings <u>1/</u>		Farm slaughter	Deaths		Production	Marketings <u>2/</u>	Cash receipts	Value of home consumption
			Cattle	Calves		Cattle	Calves				
	1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head			1,000 Pounds		1,000 Dollars	
1995	860	2,245	2,745	103	2	45	60	1,882,019	3,211,360	2,081,211	4,858
1996	870	2,290	2,835	108	2	45	70	1,956,336	3,354,300	2,072,482	4,534
1997	870	2,190	2,818	120	2	50	70	1,871,820	3,279,500	2,148,314	6,833
1998	870	2,210	2,908	110	2	45	65	1,986,424	3,466,000	2,134,690	6,451
1999	870	2,220	2,918	110	2	50	60	2,071,721	3,536,000	2,319,612	7,001
2000	880	2,350	3,003	110	2	55	60	2,121,338	3,638,000	2,551,218	7,554
2001	840	2,180	2,905	100	2	55	58	2,108,813	3,545,370	2,589,204	8,065
2002	820	1,965	2,958	115	2	50	60	2,015,416	3,615,500	2,805,021	8,604
2003	730	1,960	2,728	106	2	54	50	1,865,281	3,333,600	2,943,643	9,719

1/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

2/ Live weight. Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the state.

Sheep and Lambs: Production, disposition and value, Colorado, 1995-2003

Year	Lamb crop	Inship-ments	Marketings <u>1/</u>		Farm slaughter	Deaths		Production	Marketings <u>2/</u>	Cash receipts	Value of home consumption
			Sheep	Lambs		Sheep	Lambs				
	1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head			1,000 Pounds		1,000 Dollars	
1995	240	957	68	1,072	2	10	55	68,453	137,700	104,808	265
1996	240	968	48	1,063	2	10	45	69,299	133,920	114,627	295
1997	225	980	61	1,088	1	10	45	95,737	165,545	144,401	204
1998	220	780	70	1,014	1	10	40	86,924	156,130	108,886	82
1999	210	845	56	950	1	8	40	85,059	145,422	104,642	83
2000	200	779	59	900	1	9	30	83,642	141,460	106,988	92
2001	210	694	40	870	1	13	30	82,035	136,170	87,316	78
2002	200	789	65	870	1	13	30	78,519	134,600	94,631	84
2003	180	560	56	675	1	7	21	62,611	105,155	96,460	112

1/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

2/ Live weight. Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the state.

Hogs and Pigs: Production, disposition and value, Colorado, 1995-2003

Year	Pig crop (pigs saved)			Inship-ments	Market-ings <u>1/</u>	Farm slaughter	Deaths	Production	Market-ings <u>2/</u>	Cash receipts	Value of home consumption
	Spring	Fall	Total								
	1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head			1,000 Pounds		1,000 Dollars	
1995	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	1,123	40	1,012	1	70	237,273	232,520	106,100	715
1996	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	1,434	50	1,378	1	55	305,920	308,240	177,753	788
1997	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	1,700	80	1,544	1	75	347,895	345,910	201,696	1,108
1998	1,156	1,296	2,452	70	2,351	1	90	470,637	473,760	186,661	731
1999	1,278	1,522	2,800	70	2,724	1	105	541,034	547,230	188,114	162
2000	1,470	1,487	2,957	66	2,999	1	93	584,403	612,330	288,665	228
2001	1,302	1,365	2,667	56	2,674	1	88	516,271	534,645	262,302	242
2002	1,310	1,271	2,581	58	2,537	1	111	511,324	527,070	197,828	187
2003	1,196	1,096	2,292	60	2,336	1	115	488,105	514,425	211,942	206

1/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

2/ Live weight. Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the state.

3/ Estimates discontinued in 1995; resumed in 1998.

Livestock slaughter by species, Colorado, 1996-2003 ^{1/}

Year	Cattle			Calves		
	Number slaughtered	Total live weight	Average live weight	Number slaughtered	Total live weight	Average live weight
	Head	1,000 Pounds	Pounds	Head	1,000 Pounds	Pounds
1996	2,571,100	3,106,488	1,208	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
1997	2,594,700	3,089,754	1,191	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
1998	2,417,200	2,940,725	1,217	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
1999	2,652,600	3,235,214	1,220	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
2000	2,635,900	3,264,681	1,239	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
2001	2,605,200	3,242,971	1,245	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
2002	2,596,100	3,309,943	1,275	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
2003	2,480,400	3,063,228	1,235	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
	Sheep and Lambs			Hogs		
1996	1,546,900	208,947	135	48,400	10,895	225
1997	1,438,300	206,252	143	42,900	9,091	212
1998	1,288,900	185,907	144	41,200	8,929	217
1999	1,283,600	185,099	144	22,800	5,901	258
2000	1,196,600	176,516	148	18,400	4,881	265
2001	1,073,600	167,630	156	16,200	3,700	229
2002	1,148,100	168,222	147	15,800	3,739	236
2003	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	15,200	3,978	262

^{1/} Excludes farm slaughter.

^{2/} Less than 50 head.

^{3/} Data not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

Livestock slaughter by species, by month, Colorado, 1996-2003 ^{1/}

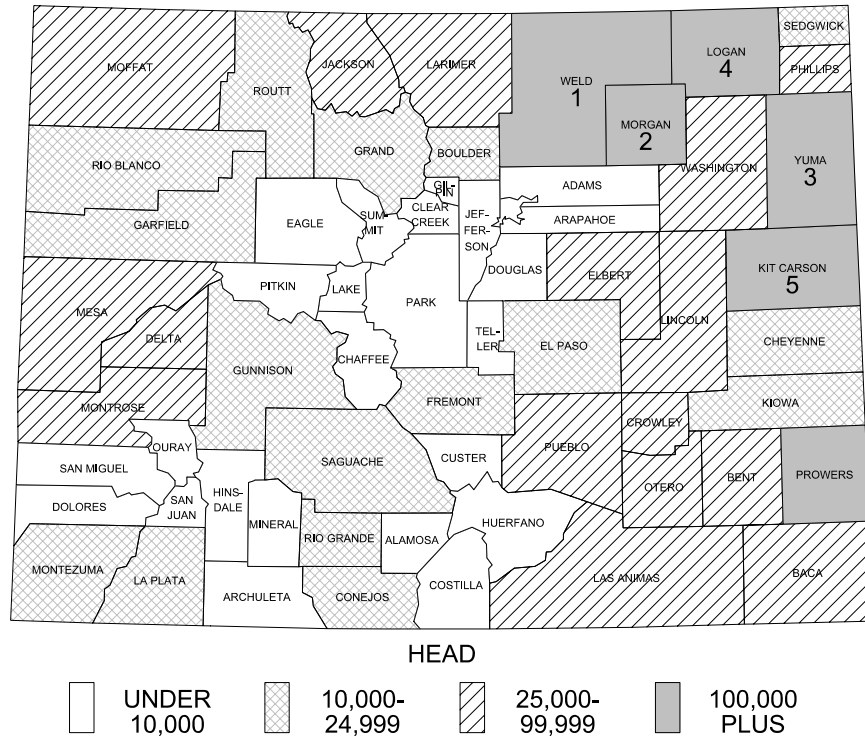
Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	1,000 Head											
	Cattle											
1996	224.4	206.0	201.7	219.6	230.8	229.2	220.6	225.0	190.3	209.9	199.2	214.4
1997	251.0	205.6	191.4	217.0	241.5	223.0	241.6	214.4	215.6	220.3	179.0	194.3
1998	214.9	185.0	188.6	191.3	192.6	216.8	210.3	212.2	209.0	203.6	189.9	202.9
1999	230.8	207.8	217.3	210.8	234.7	252.5	230.4	235.0	218.2	202.8	207.4	204.9
2000	221.8	231.0	230.6	195.3	225.8	238.7	225.4	232.5	224.6	224.7	198.8	186.6
2001	232.0	184.9	203.0	192.3	248.7	244.2	219.4	246.8	215.9	228.4	202.9	186.6
2002	219.7	203.6	193.5	213.6	228.1	246.2	243.3	239.2	212.7	227.7	181.0	187.5
2003	206.3	184.9	194.4	200.0	247.8	256.3	247.1	216.0	206.2	193.8	155.3	172.3
	Sheep and Lambs											
1996	136.8	138.1	157.1	140.5	119.2	103.3	120.4	112.8	114.8	138.9	129.3	135.7
1997	115.7	131.8	161.4	126.5	127.3	112.7	114.3	96.4	118.4	114.7	103.0	116.2
1998	103.4	104.5	133.7	124.9	100.8	100.8	89.0	79.3	101.6	109.4	108.1	133.6
1999	107.9	107.8	151.8	106.9	81.6	71.1	88.5	96.7	103.5	108.9	126.8	131.9
2000	98.3	107.3	120.3	123.7	83.1	83.8	83.6	90.8	93.6	91.8	110.2	110.2
2001	102.7	98.0	122.6	96.2	74.3	68.1	76.6	78.5	75.7	86.3	96.0	98.6
2002	89.0	87.7	118.7	98.0	96.7	77.6	87.9	85.5	101.1	114.8	97.4	93.7
2003	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
	Hogs											
1996	4.3	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.6	4.3	5.9	4.3	4.2	3.3	3.9
1997	3.4	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.6	5.2	4.4	3.8	3.1	3.7
1998	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.7	3.8	5.8	4.4	2.6	2.1	1.9
1999	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	3.3	2.2	1.7	1.6	1.4
2000	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.4	3.9	1.7	1.6	1.4	0.9
2001	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.4	2.9	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.0
2002	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.1	0.9	1.5	2.7	1.8	1.6	1.1	1.1
2003	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.3	2.7	1.7	1.3	1.0	1.0

^{1/} Excludes farm slaughter.

^{2/} Data not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

All Cattle and Calves: Inventory by County Colorado, January 1, 2004

with Ranking of First Five Counties



All Cattle and Calves: Inventory by County and District, Colorado, 1992-2004

County and District	1992 <u>1/</u>	1997 <u>1/</u>	2001 <u>2/</u>	2002 <u>2/</u>	2003 <u>2/</u>	2004 <u>2/</u>
Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Chaffee	8,655	11,141	10,000	6,500	6,500	5,000
Clear Creek	54	88	...	...	...	...
Eagle	18,819	12,734	13,000	6,500	6,000	5,500
Gilpin	506	D	...	...	...	...
Grand	25,927	25,228	23,500	10,000	15,000	13,500
Gunnison	30,713	29,229	28,000	20,000	15,000	16,000
Jackson	45,005	47,683	44,000	30,000	24,500	25,000
Lake	974	1,858	1,500	1,000	300	200
Moffat	25,504	41,829	39,000	27,000	32,000	29,000
Park	12,741	13,045	12,000	7,500	8,500	7,800
Pitkin	4,175	3,192	3,500	3,000	1,400	1,500
Rio Blanco	16,480	33,910	29,000	18,000	22,000	19,500
Routt	37,042	45,718	40,000	25,000	29,500	24,000
Summit	2,849	2,795	2,500	2,000	2,500	1,500
Teller	4,275	4,002	4,000	3,500	1,800	1,500
NW & Mountain	233,719	D	250,000	160,000	165,000	150,000
Boulder	25,581	12,962	12,000	13,000	11,500	11,000
Jefferson	4,675	6,896	5,000	5,000	2,500	2,500
Larimer	75,155	66,358	65,000	57,000	52,000	42,000
Logan	190,524	201,846	200,000	250,000	212,000	179,000
Morgan	214,683	240,453	240,000	250,000	263,000	251,000
Sedgwick	27,973	22,763	23,000	25,000	23,000	14,500
Weld	568,055	634,690	645,000	750,000	546,000	520,000
Northeast	1,106,646	1,185,968	1,190,000	1,350,000	1,110,000	1,020,000

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All Cattle and Calves: Inventory by County and District, Colorado, 1992-2004, continued

County and District	1992 <u>1/</u>	1997 <u>1/</u>	2001 <u>2/</u>	2002 <u>2/</u>	2003 <u>2/</u>	2004 <u>2/</u>
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Adams	22,584	21,298	20,000	18,000	12,000	9,000
Arapahoe	15,440	10,011	10,000	6,000	8,500	5,000
Cheyenne	44,149	41,836	40,000	36,000	21,000	19,000
Denver	D	...	...	...	...	...
Douglas	10,523	10,367	10,000	5,000	6,000	3,500
Elbert	53,782	55,568	52,000	40,000	41,000	31,000
El Paso	48,270	47,172	45,000	35,000	25,000	24,000
Kiowa	28,766	26,549	25,000	15,000	16,000	14,000
Kit Carson	133,127	153,777	145,000	145,000	131,000	127,000
Lincoln	65,169	65,066	63,000	45,000	46,000	33,000
Phillips	29,660	32,800	55,000	50,000	32,000	31,500
Washington	71,339	68,780	65,000	45,000	64,500	58,000
Yuma	227,495	264,498	250,000	260,000	262,000	245,000
East Central	D	797,722	780,000	700,000	665,000	600,000
Archuleta	15,440	15,299	13,000	8,000	6,500	5,000
Delta	53,164	52,528	43,000	40,000	30,000	26,000
Dolores	6,707	8,587	6,800	4,000	3,000	2,500
Garfield	35,929	39,954	32,000	20,000	22,500	20,500
Hinsdale	2,192	1,471	1,200	1,000	1,000	1,000
La Plata	32,686	33,907	28,000	20,000	20,000	17,000
Mesa	54,406	71,672	54,000	40,000	45,000	37,000
Montezuma	26,572	30,370	24,000	19,000	19,000	16,500
Montrose	59,201	60,599	50,000	55,000	48,000	33,500
Ouray	9,378	11,297	9,000	9,000	7,000	5,000
San Juan	D	D	...	...	...	...
San Miguel	10,148	10,490	9,000	4,000	8,000	6,000
Southwest	D	D	270,000	220,000	210,000	170,000
Alamosa	11,219	17,341	11,000	9,000	11,000	8,500
Conejos	40,656	45,348	33,000	25,000	25,000	23,000
Costilla	10,143	12,099	8,500	6,000	9,000	7,000
Mineral	...	498	500	400	1,000	500
Rio Grande	16,480	22,698	15,500	14,600	12,000	11,000
Saguache	32,468	46,308	31,500	25,000	27,000	20,000
San Luis Valley	110,966	144,292	100,000	80,000	85,000	70,000
Baca	61,256	73,994	70,000	60,000	60,000	47,000
Bent	60,463	58,895	57,000	50,000	47,000	47,000
Crowley	81,787	69,137	67,000	70,000	31,000	31,000
Custer	11,323	11,530	11,000	10,000	5,000	5,000
Fremont	17,989	16,080	15,000	15,000	11,000	10,000
Huerfano	25,789	26,785	26,000	20,000	8,500	9,000
Las Animas	70,171	68,983	68,000	50,000	41,500	42,000
Otero	83,996	84,581	83,000	100,000	67,000	64,000
Prowers	99,834	109,101	113,000	120,000	111,500	105,000
Pueblo	52,266	51,278	50,000	45,000	32,500	30,000
Southeast	564,874	570,364	560,000	540,000	415,000	390,000
State Total	3,072,332	3,307,301	3,150,000	3,050,000	2,650,000	2,400,000

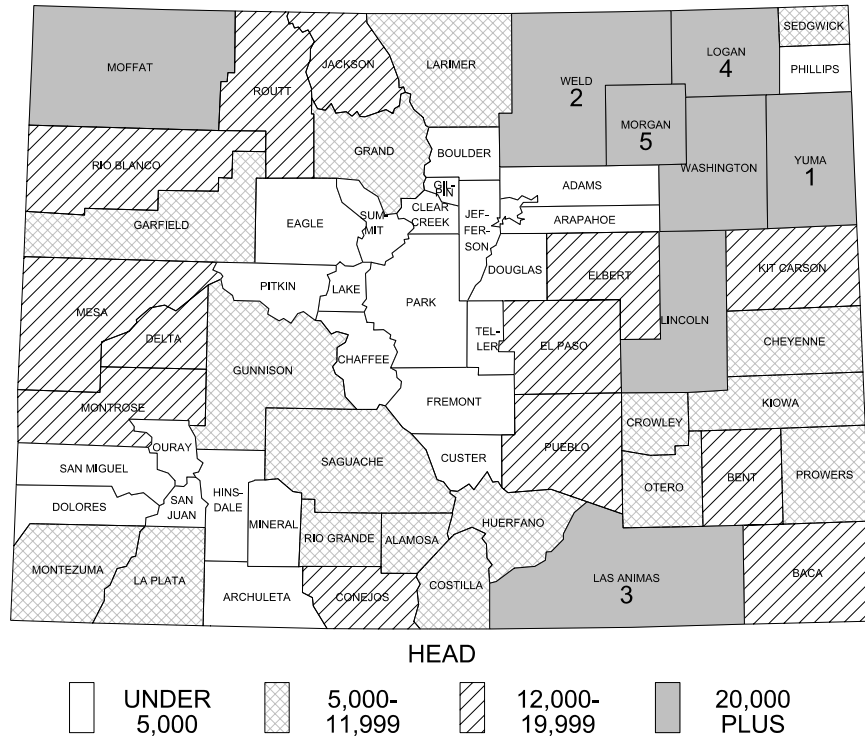
1/ Inventory from Census of Agriculture as of December 31 of Census year.

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All Beef Cows: Inventory by County Colorado, January 1, 2004

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Beef Cows: Inventory by County and District, Colorado, 1992-2004

County and District	1992 <u>1/</u>	1997 <u>1/</u>	2001 <u>1/</u>	2002 <u>2/</u>	2003 <u>2/</u>	2004 <u>2/</u>
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Chaffee	D	D	5,400	4,000	4,000	3,500
Clear Creek	39	56	...	...	...	...
Eagle	11,206	7,554	6,400	5,000	3,000	2,500
Gilpin	325	D	...	...	...	...
Grand	11,710	D	9,000	7,000	9,000	7,000
Gunnison	17,252	D	15,000	11,000	8,500	9,000
Jackson	23,572	D	24,000	18,000	15,500	16,000
Lake	582	732	700	700	...	...
Moffat	16,163	21,956	19,000	15,000	22,000	20,000
Park	6,860	5,822	5,400	4,800	5,000	4,500
Pitkin	1,891	D	1,300	1,300	1,000	1,000
Rio Blanco	21,447	20,550	18,000	13,000	14,500	12,500
Routt	15,463	20,477	18,000	13,000	15,000	12,000
Summit	D	1,567	1,400	1,000	1,000	1,000
Teller	D	D	1,400	1,200	1,300	1,000
NW & Mountain	D	D	125,000	95,000	100,000	90,000
Boulder	9,130	5,251	5,000	4,500	4,500	4,000
Jefferson	D	3,158	3,000	2,500	1,500	1,500
Larimer	16,984	16,723	15,000	13,000	12,000	8,000
Logan	34,852	31,724	29,000	30,000	25,500	25,000
Morgan	26,033	22,051	20,000	20,000	22,000	21,500
Sedgwick	D	5,142	5,000	5,000	4,500	5,000
Weld	59,478	62,408	58,000	65,000	50,000	45,000
Northeast	D	146,457	135,000	140,000	120,000	110,000

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Beef Cows: Inventory by County and District, Colorado, 1992-2004, continued

County and District	1992 <u>1/</u>	1997 <u>1/</u>	2001 <u>1/</u>	2002 <u>2/</u>	2003 <u>2/</u>	2004 <u>2/</u>
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Adams	6,773	6,926	6,500	6,500	4,500	3,000
Arapahoe	D	D	6,000	3,800	5,000	3,500
Cheyenne	14,952	D	14,500	16,000	10,000	10,000
Denver	D	D	...	...	...	...
Douglas	5,316	5,287	5,000	2,700	3,500	2,500
Elbert	25,959	27,416	26,000	27,000	24,000	17,000
El Paso	21,141	23,120	22,000	23,000	15,500	14,000
Kiowa	15,042	13,584	12,500	13,000	9,500	10,000
Kit Carson	27,444	26,624	25,000	27,000	25,000	19,000
Lincoln	28,520	28,894	27,000	29,000	29,000	21,000
Phillips	6,674	5,964	5,500	5,000	4,000	4,000
Washington	23,185	23,537	22,000	23,000	24,500	21,000
Yuma	41,781	39,995	38,000	39,000	45,500	50,000
East Central	D	D	210,000	215,000	200,000	175,000
Archuleta	3,551	4,414	4,000	3,500	3,000	2,500
Delta	23,274	24,813	21,000	20,000	13,500	12,000
Dolores	3,515	4,190	4,000	2,400	2,000	1,500
Garfield	18,855	21,760	18,000	14,000	13,000	11,000
Hinsdale	1,214	364	600	600	500	500
La Plata	16,710	16,764	14,000	12,000	11,000	9,000
Mesa	26,347	33,245	28,000	27,000	23,500	17,000
Montezuma	17,190	18,922	17,000	14,500	12,500	10,000
Montrose	23,921	26,055	23,000	27,000	21,000	15,000
Ouray	5,633	7,012	6,200	6,500	4,500	3,000
San Juan	D	D	...	...	...	...
San Miguel	5,544	D	4,200	2,500	5,500	3,500
Southwest	D	D	140,000	130,000	110,000	85,000
Alamosa	5,871	9,189	8,000	7,200	6,500	5,000
Conejos	25,043	25,118	20,000	18,000	16,500	15,000
Costilla	5,478	7,099	6,200	4,000	5,500	5,000
Mineral	D	359	300	300	500	...
Rio Grande	9,942	D	10,500	10,000	7,000	6,000
Saguache	18,032	18,662	15,000	14,500	16,000	11,000
San Luis Valley	D	D	60,000	54,000	52,000	42,000
Baca	20,593	21,610	22,000	21,000	17,000	14,000
Bent	17,993	19,837	20,000	19,000	15,000	15,500
Crowley	9,753	10,836	10,000	10,000	7,000	6,000
Custer	5,617	D	5,000	5,000	3,000	3,000
Fremont	8,453	7,827	8,000	8,000	5,000	4,500
Huerfano	D	D	15,000	13,000	6,000	6,000
Las Animas	39,942	35,572	35,000	32,000	25,000	26,000
Otero	17,684	15,650	16,000	17,000	11,000	9,000
Prowers	15,318	19,270	18,000	19,000	16,500	11,000
Pueblo	23,811	20,385	21,000	21,000	14,500	15,000
Southeast	D	D	170,000	165,000	120,000	110,000
State Total	900,347	918,891	840,000	799,000	702,000	612,000

1/ Inventory from Census of Agriculture as of December 31 of Census year.

2/ County estimates were discontinued after 1986 and resumed with the January 1, 2001 inventory.

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Milk cows and milk production by quarter, Colorado, 1991-2003 ^{1/}

Year	January-March	April-June	July-September	October-December	Annual
Number of Milk Cows					
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
1991	77,000	78,000	77,000	77,000	77,000
1992	79,000	80,000	79,000	80,000	80,000
1993	80,000	80,000	81,000	80,000	80,000
1994	80,000	81,000	82,000	82,000	81,000
1995	83,000	83,000	82,000	82,000	83,000
1996	83,000	84,000	83,000	84,000	84,000
1997	85,000	85,000	84,000	83,000	84,000
1998	83,000	83,000	83,000	83,000	83,000
1999	83,000	82,000	83,000	84,000	83,000
2000	87,000	89,000	89,000	90,000	89,000
2001	90,000	91,000	92,000	93,000	92,000
2002	97,000	102,000	102,000	99,000	100,000
2003	101,000	100,000	100,000	99,000	100,000
Milk Production Per Cow ^{1/}					
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
1991	4,220	4,420	4,320	4,310	17,338
1992	4,330	4,500	4,520	4,460	17,700
1993	4,430	4,640	4,610	4,450	18,175
1994	4,560	4,900	4,900	4,740	19,173
1995	4,650	4,710	4,700	4,740	18,687
1996	4,770	4,920	4,950	4,920	19,440
1997	5,010	5,150	5,000	4,760	19,988
1998	4,900	5,200	5,170	5,070	20,349
1999	5,220	5,120	5,230	5,250	20,819
2000	5,360	5,480	5,470	5,370	21,618
2001	5,370	5,460	5,320	5,390	21,413
2002	5,370	5,370	5,390	5,460	21,590
2003	5,420	5,450	5,450	5,460	21,770
Milk Production ^{2/}					
	Million Pounds	Million Pounds	Million Pounds	Million Pounds	Million Pounds
1991	325	345	333	332	1,335
1992	342	360	357	357	1,416
1993	354	371	373	356	1,454
1994	365	397	402	389	1,553
1995	386	391	385	389	1,551
1996	396	413	411	413	1,633
1997	426	438	420	395	1,679
1998	407	432	429	421	1,689
1999	433	420	434	441	1,728
2000	466	488	487	483	1,924
2001	483	497	489	501	1,970
2002	521	548	550	540	2,159
2003	547	545	545	540	2,177

^{1/} Quarterly estimates are as follows: Jan.-March; April-June; July-Sept.; Oct.-Dec. Milk cows are the average for the quarter; milk production is total for the quarter; production per cow for the quarter is derived by dividing total production by average number of cows for the quarter.

^{2/} Excludes milk sucked by calves.

Milk cows, milk and milkfat production, Colorado, 1984-2003

Year	Number of milk cows on farms 1/	Production per milk cow 2/			Total production on farms		Milk used on farms where produced		
		Milk	Milkfat						
			Production	Percentage of milkfat in milk	Milk	Milkfat	Fed to calves	Used in the farm household	Total
	Thousands	Pounds	Pounds	Percent	Million Pounds	Million Pounds			
1984	75	12,747	461	3.62	956	35.0	43	10	53
1985	78	14,167	517	3.65	1,105	40.0	42	10	52
1986	80	14,850	545	3.67	1,188	44.0	43	11	54
1987	77	15,481	568	3.67	1,192	44.0	39	8	47
1988	74	16,581	613	3.70	1,227	45.0	34	8	42
1989	76	16,803	620	3.69	1,277	47.0	39	19	58
1990	77	17,182	627	3.65	1,323	48.0	44	8	52
1991	77	17,338	635	3.66	1,335	48.9	50	15	65
1992	80	17,700	646	3.65	1,416	51.7	41	16	57
1993	80	18,175	660	3.63	1,454	52.8	46	15	61
1994	81	19,173	688	3.59	1,553	55.7	38	12	50
1995	83	18,687	676	3.62	1,551	56.1	30	10	40
1996	84	19,440	710	3.65	1,633	59.6	21	8	29
1997	84	19,988	720	3.60	1,679	60.5	38	8	46
1998	83	20,349	737	3.62	1,689	61.1	27	7	34
1999	83	20,819	747	3.59	1,728	62.0	32	8	40
2000	89	21,618	770	3.56	1,924	68.5	27	5	32
2001	92	21,413	760	3.55	1,970	69.9	22	4	26
2002	100	21,590	762	3.53	2,159	76.2	27	5	32
2003	100	21,770	764	3.51	2,177	76.4	27	5	32

1/ Average number on farms during year, excluding heifers not yet fresh.

2/ Excludes milk sucked by calves.

Milk sales, price and value, Colorado, 1984-2003

Year	Combined marketings of milk and cream sold to plants and dealers and directly to consumers <u>1/</u>					
	Milk utilized	Average returns <u>2/</u>		Cash receipts	Value of milk consumed on farms where produced <u>3/</u>	Gross income from dairy products <u>4/</u>
		Per 100 lbs. milk	Per lb. milkfat			
	Million Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1984	903	15.12	4.18	136,501	1,512	138,012
1985	1,053	14.27	3.91	150,272	1,427	151,699
1986	1,134	13.75	3.75	155,919	1,512	157,432
1987	1,145	13.73	3.74	157,224	1,099	158,322
1988	1,185	13.56	3.67	160,693	1,085	161,777
1989	1,219	15.05	4.08	183,434	2,859	186,293
1990	1,271	14.83	4.06	188,451	1,186	189,637
1991	1,270	13.08	3.57	166,156	1,962	168,119
1992	1,359	13.94	3.82	189,386	2,230	191,616
1993	1,393	13.59	3.74	189,286	2,038	191,324
1994	1,503	14.25	3.97	214,160	1,710	215,870
1995	1,511	13.65	3.77	206,240	1,365	207,605
1996	1,604	15.32	4.20	245,769	1,226	246,995
1997	1,633	13.66	3.79	223,100	1,093	224,193
1998	1,655	15.70	4.34	259,835	1,099	260,934
1999	1,688	15.20	4.23	256,576	1,216	257,792
2000	1,892	11.80	3.31	223,256	590	223,846
2001	1,944	14.80	4.17	287,712	592	288,304
2002	2,127	11.80	3.34	250,986	590	251,576
2003	2,145	12.30	3.50	263,835	615	264,450

1/ Also includes milk produced by institutional herds.

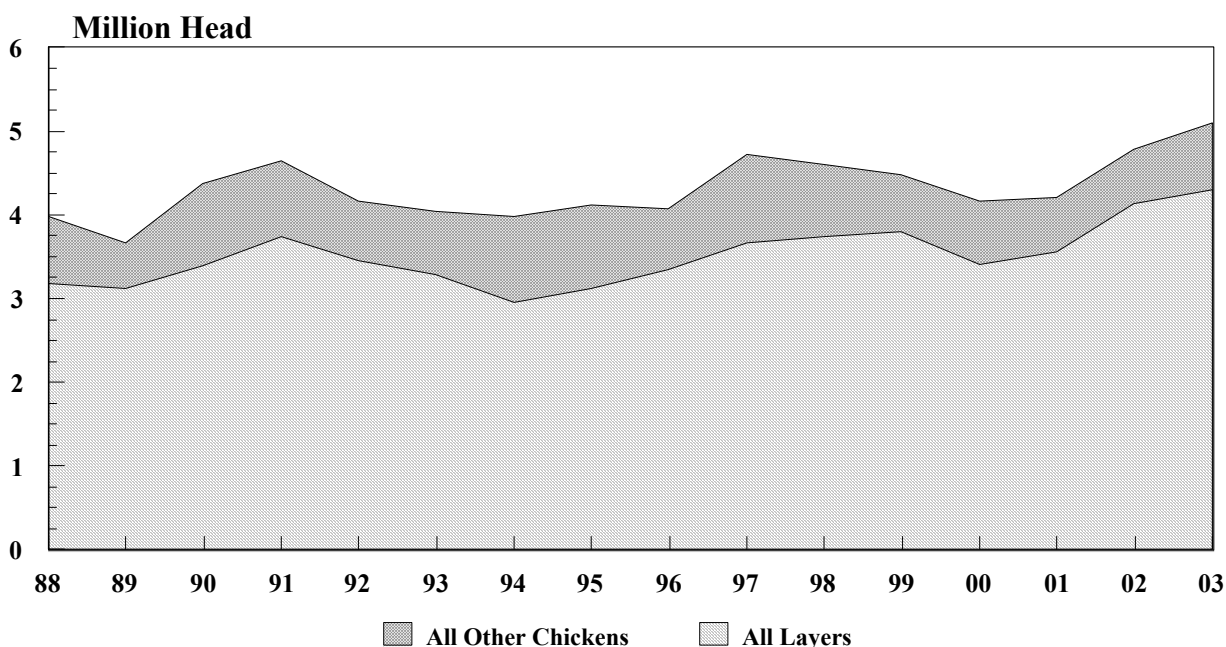
2/ Cash receipts divided by milk or milkfat represented in combined marketings.

3/ Valued at average returns per 100 pounds of milk listed under combined marketings of milk and cream.

4/ Cash receipts from marketings of milk and cream plus value of milk used for home consumption.

All Chickens Inventory

Colorado, December 1, 1988-2003



Chickens: Inventory by class and total value, Colorado, December 1, 1988-2003 ^{1/}

Year	Hens and pullets of laying age			Pullets not of laying age			Other chickens	All chickens		
	Hens	Pullets	Total	3 mo. old or older	Under 3 mo.	Total		Number	Value per head	Total value
	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1988	1,570	1,605	3,175	310	498	808	3	3,986	1.60	6,378
1989	1,100	2,026	3,126	193	297	490	43	3,659	2.25	8,233
1990	2,002	1,385	3,387	297	618	915	70	4,372	1.80	7,870
1991	2,360	1,376	3,736	384	480	864	40	4,640	1.90	8,816
1992	1,790	1,670	3,460	250	385	635	65	4,160	1.80	7,488
1993	1,678	1,605	3,283	353	337	690	67	4,040	2.00	8,080
Year	All layers			Pullets			Other chickens	All chickens		
	One year & older	Less than one year	Total	13-20 weeks of age	< 13 weeks of age	Total		Number	Value per head	Total value
1994	1,395	1,559	2,954	385	529	914	112	3,980	2.10	8,358
1995	1,479	1,635	3,114	380	465	845	166	4,125	1.90	7,838
1996	1,813	1,530	3,343	320	280	600	137	4,080	2.10	8,568
1997	1,910	1,760	3,670	229	643	872	176	4,718	2.20	10,380
1998	2,250	1,487	3,737	180	550	730	130	4,597	2.40	11,033
1999	1,052	2,748	3,800	210	300	510	169	4,479	2.70	12,093
2000	1,440	1,970	3,410	206	395	601	159	4,170	2.40	10,008
2001	1,560	1,997	3,557	142	456	598	55	4,210	1.90	7,999
2002	1,852	2,285	4,137	156	412	568	75	4,780	2.00	9,560
2003	2,270	2,030	4,300	240	508	800	52	5,100	1.90	9,690

^{1/} Change in class terminology beginning 1994.

Chickens: Number lost, number sold and value of sales, Colorado, 1995-2003

Year	Number lost	Number sold	Pounds sold	Price per lb.	Value
	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Pounds	Cents	1,000 Dollars
1995	686	1,734	6,936	4.0	277
1996	708	1,547	6,188	3.0	186
1997	600	2,300	8,050	3.0	242
1998	550	2,170	9,331	3.0	280
1999	467	2,494	11,223	4.0	449
2000	455	2,310	9,471	3.0	284
2001	960	1,457	6,119	.2	12
2002	1,104	1,337	5,348	.2	11
2003	1,096	1,931	8,690	3.5	304

Layers and egg production, Colorado, 1995-2003

Year	Dec. 1/	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
	Average number of layers											
	Thousand											
1995	3,089	3,206	3,173	3,224	3,217	3,083	3,114	3,200	3,099	3,099	3,164	3,123
1996	3,185	3,276	3,232	3,174	3,228	3,272	3,178	3,163	3,220	3,248	3,275	3,299
1997	3,367	3,292	3,222	3,232	3,139	3,096	3,156	3,268	3,402	3,435	3,560	3,688
1998	3,612	3,597	3,678	3,769	3,749	3,663	3,667	3,654	3,610	3,601	3,618	3,682
1999	3,556	3,478	3,536	3,485	3,458	3,413	3,412	3,448	3,568	3,643	3,678	3,773
2000	3,830	3,774	3,822	3,936	3,970	3,856	3,605	3,541	3,486	3,440	3,408	3,380
2001	3,418	3,625	3,811	3,743	3,462	3,252	3,463	3,544	3,611	3,749	3,625	3,550
2002	3,546	3,513	3,503	3,583	3,680	3,723	3,778	3,863	3,933	3,898	3,829	3,980
2003	3,990	3,894	3,911	3,838	3,850	3,848	3,790	3,721	3,753	3,856	3,790	4,010
	Number of eggs produced											
	Million											
1995	62	69	63	70	68	68	65	71	71	66	67	65
1996	69	71	67	71	67	69	66	69	70	68	71	69
1997	72	71	63	70	66	65	67	73	75	73	80	82
1998	83	81	72	81	80	79	72	80	80	76	82	79
1999	78	74	66	74	74	76	73	75	78	81	87	85
2000	88	88	81	88	86	86	81	83	80	75	77	75
2001	79	84	77	83	74	76	78	80	81	81	78	75
2002	80	75	68	81	82	88	84	90	92	88	90	90
2003	92	89	79	89	90	93	89	91	89	87	91	94

1/ December preceding year.

Eggs: Production and income, Colorado, 1995-2003

Year	Average number of layers	Eggs per layer	Total produced	Price per dozen	Gross income
	Thousands	Number	Millions	Cents	1,000 Dollars
1995	3,149	256	805	70.6	47,361
1996	3,229	256	827	75.6	52,101
1997	3,322	258	857	72.0	51,420
1998	3,658	258	945	67.1	52,841
1999	3,537	260	921	63.6	48,813
2000	3,671	269	988	69.7	57,386
2001	3,571	265	946	61.2	48,246
2002	3,736	270	1,008	59.1	49,644
2003	3,854	278	1,073	67.0	59,909

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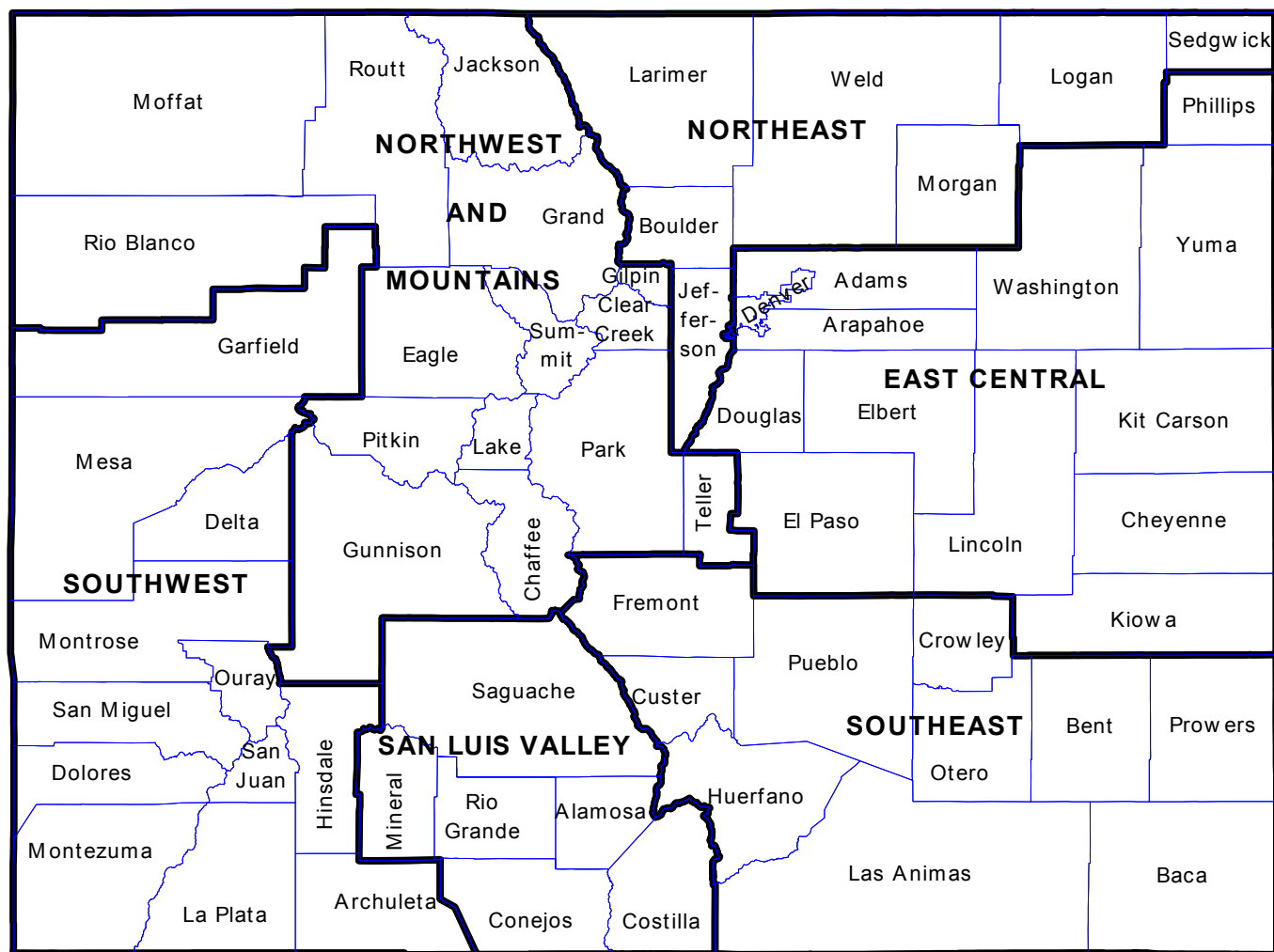
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The Census of Agriculture is taken every five years and provides the most comprehensive detailed information about the agricultural industry for each county. More details for a specific county are available on the Internet at: <http://www.nass.usda.gov/census> From that location, details can be obtained for every State and County in the Nation with options for viewing, printing and downloading of specific data. The 2002 Census was conducted in 2003 but final data was not available in time to be included in this bulletin.

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State Outline of Agricultural Statistics Districts and Counties



ASD by Number: **Northwest and Mountains = 10** **East Central = 60** **San Luis Valley = 80**
 Northeast = 20 **Southwest = 70** **Southeast = 90**

Counties by Agricultural Statistics District

ASD 10 Northwest & Mountain

County	
Code	Name
015	Chaffee
019	Clear Creek
037	Eagle
047	Gilpin
049	Grand
051	Gunnison
057	Jackson
065	Lake
081	Moffat
093	Park
097	Pitkin
103	Rio Blanco
107	Routt
117	Summit
119	Teller

ASD 60 East Central

County	
Code	Name
001	Adams
005	Arapahoe
014	Broomfield ^{1/}
017	Cheyenne
031	Denver
035	Douglas
039	Elbert
041	El Paso
061	Kiowa
063	Kit Carson
073	Lincoln
095	Phillips
121	Washington
125	Yuma

ASD 80 San Luis Valley

County	
Code	Name
003	Alamosa
021	Conejos
023	Costilla
079	Mineral
105	Rio Grande
109	Saguache

ASD 20 Northeast

County	
Code	Name
013	Boulder
059	Jefferson
069	Larimer
075	Logan
087	Morgan
115	Sedgwick
123	Weld

ASD 70 Southwest

County	
Code	Name
007	Archuleta
029	Delta
033	Dolores
045	Garfield
053	Hinsdale
067	La Plata
077	Mesa
083	Montezuma
085	Montrose
091	Ouray
111	San Juan
113	San Miguel

ASD 90 Southeast

County	
Code	Name
009	Baca
011	Bent
025	Crowley
027	Custer
043	Fremont
055	Huerfano
071	Las Animas
089	Otero
099	Prowers
101	Pueblo

^{1/} Broomfield County was established in November 2001 and was formed from portions of Adams County, Boulder County and Jefferson County. As with the City and County of Denver, the new area will be referenced as the City and County of Broomfield. No Census data is available for Broomfield County and no county data for specific commodities will be shown for either Denver County or Broomfield County. While there is known to be a few agricultural operations in each of the two counties, as with a few other counties in the state, the agricultural data in the minor counties is combined with an adjoining county to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

Colorado County Profiles 2003

Adams County		County 001 ASD 60						
			Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)	1,182	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Acres)	756,667	Barley	1,300	57.0	Bu.	74,000	11	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	10,500	47.5	Bu.	500,000	14
Number of farms and ranches (Number)	696	Dry beans	300	23.30	Cwt.	7,000	16	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)	673,713	Hay, alfalfa	9,000	3.50	Tons	31,500	25	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)	968	Hay, other	13,000	1.10	Tons	14,500	26	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)	160	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)	653,502	Sorghum, grain	5,300	14.5	Bu.	76,000	13	
Total cropland (Acres)	530,148	Sugarbeets	435	19.8	Tons	8,600	11	
Irrigated land (Acres)	27,140	Sunflower, all	15,300	765	Lbs.	1,170,000	3	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)	87,739	Wheat, spring	1,000	20.0	Bu.	20,000	13	
All crops sold (\$1,000)	68,516	Wheat, winter	120,000	30.5	Bu.	3,640,000	11	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)	19,223	January 1, 2004 Inventory						Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/	67,875	All cattle and calves						9,000 39
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)	18,416	Beef cows and heifers that have calved						3,000 46
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)	54.9							

Alamosa County		County 003 ASD 80						
			Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)	723	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Acres)	462,854	Barley	10,000	124.0	Bu.	1,240,000	4	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	Bu.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)	306	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)	189,987	Hay, alfalfa	21,000	3.60	Tons	75,400	12	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)	621	Hay, other	11,000	1.85	Tons	20,500	18	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)	320	Potatoes, all	21,500	350	Cwt.	7,530,000	2	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)	763,217	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)	102,521	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)	106,104	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)	57,195	Wheat, spring	3,000	70.0	Bu.	210,000	2	
All crops sold (\$1,000)	51,713	Wheat, winter	1,200	121.0	Bu.	145,000	25	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)	5,482	January 1, 2004 Inventory						Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/	43,041	All cattle and calves						8,500 41
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)	15,098	Beef cows and heifers that have calved						5,000 36
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)	50.9							

Arapahoe County		County 005 ASD 60						
			Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)	804	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Acres)	514,820	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	1,500	83.5	Bu.	125,000	22
Number of farms and ranches (Number)	258	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)	332,940	Hay, alfalfa	1,500	2.65	Tons	4,000	42	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)	1,290	Hay, other	3,000	1.05	Tons	3,200	51	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)	120	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)	1,181,113	Sorghum, grain	5,000	19.5	Bu.	97,000	8	
Total cropland (Acres)	168,813	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)	3,901	Sunflower, all	3,300	1,260	Lbs.	4,160,000	13	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)	23,612	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)	14,577	Wheat, winter	58,000	22.5	Bu.	1,310,000	15	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)	9,034	January 1, 2004 Inventory						Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/	17,578	All cattle and calves						5,000 46
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)	6,155	Beef cows and heifers that have calved						3,500 43
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)	52.9							

Colorado County Profiles, Continued

Archuleta County	County 007	ASD 70	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,355	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		866,899	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		206	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		112,670	Hay, alfalfa	2,000	2.60	Tons	5,200	41
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		547	Hay, other	2,500	1.20	Tons	3,000	53
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		161	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		855,487	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		17,636	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		16,764	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		6,149	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		393	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		5,756						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		6,441	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		(493)	All cattle and calves				5,000	46
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		55.3	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				2,500	49

Baca County	County 009	ASD 90	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,558	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		1,637,426	Barley	500	68.0	Bu.	34,000	12
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	17,000	131.0	Bu.	2,226,000	10
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		608	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,142,327	Hay, alfalfa	6,500	3.75	Tons	24,400	27
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,879	Hay, other	10,000	1.30	Tons	13,200	29
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,044	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		747,804	Sorghum, grain	67,000	26.5	Bu.	1,787,000	1
Total cropland (Acres)		632,572	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		65,068	Sunflower, all	9,000	1,355	Lbs.	12,200,000	2
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		77,369	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		27,921	Wheat, winter	210,000	27.5	Bu.	5,810,000	4
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		49,448						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		63,010	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		15,227	All cattle and calves				47,000	9
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		55.2	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				14,000	17

Bent County	County 011	ASD 90	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,541	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		986,287	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		270	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		784,273	Hay, alfalfa	33,000	2.00	Tons	66,400	13
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		2,905	Hay, other	6,000	1.60	Tons	9,700	35
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		480	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		899,874	Sorghum, grain	600	75.0	Bu.	45,000	17
Total cropland (Acres)		(D)	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		62,709	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		50,975	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		12,518	Wheat, winter	7,000	38.5	Bu.	270,000	20
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		38,457						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		46,163	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		5,248	All cattle and calves				47,000	9
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		52.1	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				15,500	13

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Boulder County		County 013	ASD 20	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			740	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			473,907	Barley	3,000	73.5	Bu.	221,000 8
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	1,000	140.0	Bu.	140,000 21
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			657	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	... ..
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			128,146	Hay, alfalfa	13,000	3.30	Tons	42,800 20
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			195	Hay, other	10,000	2.05	Tons	20,600 17
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			37	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	... ..
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			534,011	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	... ..
Total cropland (Acres)			58,603	Sugarbeets	435	22.8	Tons	9,900 10
Irrigated land (Acres)			39,464	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	... ..
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			43,671	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	... ..
All crops sold (\$1,000)			27,898	Wheat, winter	4,000	50.0	Bu.	200,000 23
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			15,773	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			31,299	All cattle and calves				11,000 36
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			12,714	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				4,000 41
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			55.1					

Broomfield County		County 014	ASD 60	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			34	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			21,482	Barley	...	...	Bu.	... ..
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	... ..
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			...	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	... ..
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			...	Hay, alfalfa	...	...	Tons	... ..
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			...	Hay, other	...	...	Tons	... ..
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			...	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	... ..
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			...	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	... ..
Total cropland (Acres)			...	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	... ..
Irrigated land (Acres)			..	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	... ..
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			...	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	... ..
All crops sold (\$1,000)			...	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	... ..
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			...	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			...	All cattle and calves				... ..
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			...	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				... ..
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			...					

Chaffee County		County 015	ASD 10	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			1,014	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			649,035	Barley	...	...	Bu.	... ..
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	... ..
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			189	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	... ..
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			85,608	Hay, alfalfa	3,000	2.00	Tons	6,000 40
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			453	Hay, other	7,000	1.05	Tons	7,200 42
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			160	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	... ..
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			849,738	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	... ..
Total cropland (Acres)			24,475	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	... ..
Irrigated land (Acres)			24,406	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	... ..
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			5,161	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	... ..
All crops sold (\$1,000)			2,081	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	... ..
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			3,081	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			4,357	All cattle and calves				5,000 46
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			558	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				3,500 43
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			51.4					

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Cheyenne County	County 017 ASD 60	Acres						
Total land area (Square Miles)	1,782	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Acres)	1,140,413	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture		Corn for grain	49,000	85.5	Bu.	4,180,000	9	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)	333	Dry beans	300	23.30	Cwt.	7,000	16	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)	795,815	Hay, alfalfa	500	4.00	Tons	2,000	47	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)	2,390	Hay, other	10,000	0.90	Tons	9,100	39	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)	1,440	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)	585,655	Sorghum, grain	7,000	21.5	Bu.	151,000	5	
Total cropland (Acres)	433,897	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)	20,632	Sunflower, all	8,500	1,095	Lbs.	9,300,000	6	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)	33,645	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)	19,180	Wheat, winter	120,000	29.5	Bu.	3,560,000	12	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)	14,465							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/	28,281	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank	
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)	4,591	All cattle and calves					19,000 29	
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)	54.1	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					10,000 25	

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Costilla County	County 023	ASD 80	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,229	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		786,801	Barley	7,000	107.0	Bu.	750,000	5
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		171	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		363,220	Hay, alfalfa	13,500	3.55	Tons	48,200	17
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		2,124	Hay, other	7,000	1.95	Tons	13,700	28
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		160	Potatoes, all	4,600	375	Cwt.	1,730,000	4
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		733,408	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		(D)	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		44,010	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		15,978	Wheat, spring	500	60.0	Bu.	30,000	7
All crops sold (\$1,000)		13,371	Wheat, winter	500	120.0	Bu.	60,000	27
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		2,607						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		13,090	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,555	All cattle and calves				7,000	43
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.9	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				5,000	36

Crowley County	County 025	ASD 90	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		800	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		512,170	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	300	100	Bu.	30,000	24
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		203	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		389,724	Hay, alfalfa	7,000	2.45	Tons	17,100	33
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,920	Hay, other	4,000	1.40	Tons	5,500	45
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		340	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		1,110,080	Sorghum, grain	2,400	34.0	Bu.	81,000	12
Total cropland (Acres)		53,707	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		21,647	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		73,487	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		4,691	Wheat, winter	4,000	20.0	Bu.	80,000	26
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		68,796						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		44,582	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		29,767	All cattle and calves				31,000	17
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		56.2	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				6,000	33

Custer County	County 027	ASD 90	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		739	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		473,112	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		152	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		144,247	Hay, alfalfa	500	2.00	Tons	1,000	51
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		949	Hay, other	9,000	1.35	Tons	12,300	30
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		295	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		613,306	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		24,019	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		19,633	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		4,816	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		1,954	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		2,861						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		3,909	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,057	All cattle and calves				5,000	46
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		57.2	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				3,000	46

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Delta County	County 029	ASD 70	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,149	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		735,644	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	2,200	159.0	Bu.	350,000	15
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		1,041	Dry beans	600	16.70	Cwt.	10,000	14
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		281,889	Hay, alfalfa	16,000	2.75	Tons	44,000	19
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		271	Hay, other	8,500	2.20	Tons	18,500	21
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		45	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		482,853	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		75,090	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		70,981	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		39,083	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		15,177	Wheat, winter	300	100.0	Bu.	30,000	36
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		23,906						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		32,925	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		8,365	All cattle and calves				26,000	21
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		55.1	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				12,000	20

Denver County	County 031	ASD 60	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		156	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		99,620	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		16	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		74	Hay, alfalfa	...	...	Tons	...	...
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		5	Hay, other	...	...	Tons	...	...
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		(D)	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		(D)	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		14	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		2,174	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		2,166	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		9						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		1,287	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		887	All cattle and calves				...	...
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		51.8	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				...	...

Dolores County	County 033	ASD 70	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,077	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		689,232	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		160	Dry beans	14,700	3.20	Cwt.	47,000	8
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		155,741	Hay, alfalfa	10,500	1.65	Tons	17,500	32
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		973	Hay, other	3,000	1.05	Tons	3,100	52
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		467	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		633,775	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		68,413	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		7,508	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		8,601	Wheat, spring	2,500	10.5	Bu.	26,000	10
All crops sold (\$1,000)		4,914	Wheat, winter	17,600	17.0	Bu.	295,000	19
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		3,686						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		6,101	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		2,397	All cattle and calves				2,500	52
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.1	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				1,500	52

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Douglas County		County 035 ASD 60	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		842	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		539,072	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		574	Hay, alfalfa	3,000	0.95	Tons	2,800	45	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		204,360	Hay, other	12,000	0.80	Tons	9,400	36	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		356	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		70	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		795,452	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		39,674	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		3,645	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		17,119	Wheat, winter	2,000	30.0	Bu.	60,000	27	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		9,678	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		7,441	All cattle and calves					3,500	51
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		17,021	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					2,500	49
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		2,935							
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.3							

Eagle County		County 037 ASD 10	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,701	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		1,088,485	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		124	Hay, alfalfa	4,000	2.55	Tons	10,200	35	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		185,032	Hay, other	9,000	1.30	Tons	11,600	31	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,492	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		160	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		1,901,323	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		19,192	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		16,637	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		7,413	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		711	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		6,703	All cattle and calves					5,500	45
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		7,065	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					2,500	49
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		897							
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		50.9							

Elbert County		County 039 ASD 60	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,849	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		1,183,409	Corn for grain	4,000	36.5	Bu.	145,000	20	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		822	Hay, alfalfa	16,500	1.20	Tons	19,400	30	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,095,248	Hay, other	13,000	0.70	Tons	9,200	37	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,332	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		240	Sorghum, grain	800	17.5	Bu.	14,000	23	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		700,457	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		178,723	Sunflower, all	6,100	695	Lbs.	4,240,000	12	
Irrigated land (Acres)		6,135	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		31,249	Wheat, winter	20,000	24.0	Bu.	480,000	16	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		4,420	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		26,830	All cattle and calves					31,000	17
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		29,359	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					17,000	10
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,440							
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		53.4							

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El Paso County		County 041 ASD 60	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,129	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		1,362,305	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	800	3.80	Cwt.	3,000	18	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		851	Hay, alfalfa	4,000	1.70	Tons	6,700	39	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		866,953	Hay, other	10,500	0.50	Tons	5,400	47	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,019	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		160	Sorghum, grain	1,700	30.5	Bu.	52,000	15	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		410,149	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		78,299	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		15,010	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		30,330	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		12,580	January 1, 2004 Inventory						
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		17,750							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		26,586							
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,673	All cattle and calves						24,000 23
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		53.5	Beef cows and heifers that have calved						14,000 17

Fremont County		County 043 ASD 90	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,533	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		981,175	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		561	Hay, alfalfa	5,000	1.85	Tons	9,200	36	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		283,490	Hay, other	3,000	1.40	Tons	4,200	48	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		505	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		18	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		729,805	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		19,065	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		19,272	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		12,126	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		3,479	January 1, 2004 Inventory						
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		8,647							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		10,119							
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,326	All cattle and calves						10,000 38
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.0	Beef cows and heifers that have calved						4,500 39

Garfield County		County 045 ASD 70	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,958	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		1,893,267	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		475	Hay, alfalfa	20,000	2.65	Tons	53,000	16	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		427,161	Hay, other	12,000	1.70	Tons	20,500	18	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		899	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		120	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		969,776	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		62,992	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		51,383	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		22,817	Wheat, winter	500	16.0	Bu.	8,000	40	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		9,144	January 1, 2004 Inventory						
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		13,673							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		18,748							
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		3,903	All cattle and calves						20,500 26
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.2	Beef cows and heifers that have calved						11,000 22

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Gilpin County		County 047 ASD 10	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		150	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		96,094	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		11	Hay, alfalfa	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		8,771	Hay, other	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		797	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		256	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		1,084,183	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		(D)	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		(D)	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		(D)	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		(D)							
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		87							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		119	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		8	All cattle and calves					...	...
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		56.1	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					...	...

Grand County		County 049 ASD 10	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,869	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		1,195,857	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		161	Hay, alfalfa	500	0.80	Tons	400	53	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		251,202	Hay, other	12,000	1.30	Tons	15,600	23	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,560	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		500	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		1,269,188	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		38,392	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		39,778	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		8,833	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		1,638							
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		7,195							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		6,975	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,816	All cattle and calves					13,500	35
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		55.8	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					7,000	32

Gunnison County		County 051 ASD 10	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		3,259	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		2,085,900	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		187	Hay, alfalfa	1,000	1.80	Tons	1,800	49	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		195,030	Hay, other	15,000	1.40	Tons	21,200	16	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,043	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		300	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		1,435,569	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		38,256	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		51,397	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		8,436	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		921							
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		7,515							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		8,396	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		50	All cattle and calves					16,000	32
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		55.1	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					9,000	28

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Hinsdale County		County 053	ASD 70	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			1,123	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			718,946	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			14	Dry beans	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			8,834	Hay, alfalfa	...	Tons	...	...
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			631	Hay, other	1,000	Tons	1,000	56
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			570	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			872,380	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			2,015	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			2,324	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			377	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			(D)	Wheat, winter	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			(D)					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			474	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			(97)	All cattle and calves				1,000 57
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			59.9	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				500 57

Huerfano County		County 055	ASD 90	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			1,592	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			1,019,116	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	200	Bu.	20,000	25
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			273	Dry beans	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			641,124	Hay, alfalfa	3,500	Tons	7,100	37
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			2,348	Hay, other	3,000	Tons	3,500	50
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			612	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			853,988	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			27,855	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			16,208	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			9,681	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			874	Wheat, winter	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			8,807					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			8,035	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			1,717	All cattle and calves				9,000 39
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			56.8	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				6,000 33

Jackson County		County 057	ASD 10	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			1,620	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			1,036,639	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			126	Dry beans	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			477,063	Hay, alfalfa	...	Tons	...	...
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			3,786	Hay, other	62,000	Tons	80,700	1
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			1,736	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			2,094,859	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			86,340	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			123,645	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			15,593	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			2,717	Wheat, winter	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			12,876					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			12,111	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			2,689	All cattle and calves				25,000 22
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			53.6	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				16,000 12

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Jefferson County		County 059 ASD 20	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		773	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		494,624	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture									
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		377	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		97,623	Hay, alfalfa	1,000	4.00	Tons	4,000	42	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		259	Hay, other	8,000	1.00	Tons	7,900	40	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		16	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		614,664	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		14,606	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		3,277	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		19,474	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		17,395	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		2,079							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		12,044	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		5,598	All cattle and calves					2,500	52
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.9	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					1,500	52

Kiowa County		County 061 ASD 60	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,786	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		1,142,976	Corn for grain	5,000	63.0	Bu.	315,000	18	
1997 Census of Agriculture									
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		339	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		913,801	Hay, alfalfa	1,000	2.70	Tons	2,700	46	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		2,696	Hay, other	7,000	1.00	Tons	6,900	44	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,280	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		657,478	Sorghum, grain	30,200	19.0	Bu.	574,000	2	
Total cropland (Acres)		493,589	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		5,922	Sunflower, all	7,000	1,100	Lbs.	7,700,000	7	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		61,724	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		17,144	Wheat, winter	170,000	25.0	Bu.	4,250,000	9	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		44,581							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		45,100	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		16,017	All cattle and calves					14,000	34
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		55.0	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					10,000	25

Kit Carson County		County 063 ASD 60	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,162	Barley	300	60.0	Bu.	18,000	16	
Total land area (Acres)		1,383,956	Corn for grain	145,000	133.0	Bu.	19,250,000	2	
1997 Census of Agriculture									
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		718	Dry beans	3,200	20.60	Cwt.	66,000	6	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,345,724	Hay, alfalfa	11,000	4.15	Tons	45,800	18	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,874	Hay, other	18,000	2.25	Tons	40,900	7	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,071	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		754,324	Sorghum, grain	2,300	36.5	Bu.	84,000	11	
Total cropland (Acres)		838,912	Sugarbeets	495	21.6	Tons	10,700	9	
Irrigated land (Acres)		145,730	Sunflower, all	17,400	1,100	Lbs.	19,100,000	1	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		177,051	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		70,150	Wheat, winter	300,000	38.0	Bu.	11,470,000	1	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		106,901							
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		151,045	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		24,348	All cattle and calves					127,000	5
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		53.9	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					19,000	9

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Lake County		County 065	ASD 10	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			384	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			245,475	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			20	Dry beans	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			17,188	Hay, alfalfa	...	Tons	...	...
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			859	Hay, other	...	Tons	...	...
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			179	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			838,884	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			(D)	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			3,917	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			513	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			21	Wheat, winter	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			492					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			610	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			(97)	All cattle and calves				200 59
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			60.3	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				... ..

La Plata County		County 067	ASD 70	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			1,700	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			1,088,284	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			781	Dry beans	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			580,135	Hay, alfalfa	15,000	2.10 Tons	31,700	24
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			743	Hay, other	11,000	1.40 Tons	15,300	24
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			89	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			684,685	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			91,129	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			71,855	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			15,797	Wheat, spring	4,000	12.5 Bu.	49,000	5
All crops sold (\$1,000)			4,948	Wheat, winter	1,000	10.0 Bu.	10,000	39
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			10,849					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			14,652	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			916	All cattle and calves				17,000 30
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			54.2	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				9,000 28

Larimer County		County 069	ASD 20	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			2,632	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			1,684,320	Barley	2,700	96.0 Bu.	259,000	7
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	2,000	155.0 Bu.	310,000	19
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			1,298	Dry beans	1,000	24.00 Cwt.	24,000	11
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			542,259	Hay, alfalfa	21,000	3.00 Tons	63,100	14
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			418	Hay, other	18,000	1.75 Tons	31,500	11
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			47	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			656,869	Sorghum, grain	1,400	35.5 Bu.	50,000	16
Total cropland (Acres)			127,348	Sugarbeets	1,050	24.0 Tons	25,200	7
Irrigated land (Acres)			77,695	Sunflower, all	200	900 Lbs.	180,000	17
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			100,483	Wheat, spring	1,000	30.0 Bu.	30,000	7
All crops sold (\$1,000)			38,285	Wheat, winter	6,000	50.0 Bu.	300,000	18
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			62,198					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			77,671	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			23,121	All cattle and calves				42,000 11
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			53.0	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				8,000 31

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Las Animas County		County 071 ASD 90	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		4,773	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		3,045,893	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture									
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		485	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		2,214,992	Hay, alfalfa	10,000	2.05	Tons	20,500	29	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		4,567	Hay, other	6,000	1.15	Tons	7,000	43	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		880	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		886,185	Sorghum, grain	900	43.5	Bu.	39,000	19	
Total cropland (Acres)		76,898	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		24,020	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		20,336	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		2,058	Wheat, winter	2,000	27.5	Bu.	55,000	31	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		18,278	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		18,029	All cattle and calves					42,000	11
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		4,624	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					26,000	3
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		57.6							

Lincoln County		County 073 ASD 60	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,585	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		1,654,532	Corn for grain	20,000	39.0	Bu.	780,000	12	
1997 Census of Agriculture									
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		467	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,648,323	Hay, alfalfa	2,500	0.75	Tons	1,900	48	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		3,530	Hay, other	23,000	1.00	Tons	22,500	15	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,500	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		616,694	Sorghum, grain	5,700	21.0	Bu.	120,000	6	
Total cropland (Acres)		(D)	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		4,509	Sunflower, all	11,500	850	Lbs.	9,800,000	5	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		44,773	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		14,963	Wheat, winter	100,000	32.5	Bu.	3,240,000	13	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		29,809	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		40,953	All cattle and calves					33,000	15
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		4,525	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					21,000	6
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.9							

Logan County		County 075 ASD 20	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,845	Barley	200	125.0	Bu.	25,000	14	
Total land area (Acres)		1,180,999	Corn for grain	65,000	110.5	Bu.	7,195,000	6	
1997 Census of Agriculture									
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		879	Dry beans	2,500	22.80	Cwt.	57,000	7	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,128,756	Hay, alfalfa	43,000	4.55	Tons	196,500	2	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,284	Hay, other	25,000	1.60	Tons	40,000	9	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		580	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		510,735	Sorghum, grain	2,500	36.5	Bu.	91,000	10	
Total cropland (Acres)		523,887	Sugarbeets	3,635	22.3	Tons	81,200	3	
Irrigated land (Acres)		109,198	Sunflower, all	6,000	810	Lbs.	4,850,000	10	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		292,740	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		49,206	Wheat, winter	160,000	36.5	Bu.	5,840,000	3	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		243,534	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		244,214	All cattle and calves					179,000	4
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		49,973	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					25,000	4
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		53.0							

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Mesa County		County 077 ASD 70	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		3,346	Barley	300	90.0	Bu.	27,000	13	
Total land area (Acres)		2,141,239	Corn for grain	2,500	138.0	Bu.	345,000	17	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		1,489	Hay, alfalfa	25,000	3.30	Tons	82,200	11	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		416,613	Hay, other	9,000	2.00	Tons	18,000	22	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		280	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		23	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		487,204	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		92,482	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		87,648	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		50,450	Wheat, winter	2,200	113.5	Bu.	250,000	21	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		20,146	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		30,304	All cattle and calves					37,000	13
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		41,524	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					17,000	10
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		7,056							
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.7							

Mineral County		County 079 ASD 80	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		878	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Total land area (Acres)		562,021	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		10	Hay, alfalfa	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		(D)	Hay, other	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		(D)	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		237	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		460,494	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		153	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		183	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		146	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		(D)	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		(D)	All cattle and calves					500	58
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		129	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					...	...
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		16							
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		60.4							

Moffat County		County 081 ASD 10	Acres						
			2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank	
Total land area (Square Miles)		4,756	Barley	300	23.5	Bu.	7,000	19	
Total land area (Acres)		3,043,751	Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		389	Hay, alfalfa	23,000	1.45	Tons	33,500	22	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,031,091	Hay, other	20,000	1.65	Tons	33,100	10	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		2,651	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		405	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		1,789,919	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...	
Total cropland (Acres)		104,144	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...	
Irrigated land (Acres)		29,576	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		18,938	Wheat, winter	13,000	24.5	Bu.	320,000	17	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		2,913	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number	Rank
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		16,024	All cattle and calves					29,000	20
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		16,515	Beef cows and heifers that have calved					20,000	8
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,520							
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		53.7							

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Montezuma County		County 083	ASD 70					
				Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			2,036	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			1,302,912	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			718	Dry beans	7,000	Cwt.	23,700	12
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			935,330	Hay, alfalfa	29,000	Tons	56,400	15
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			1,303	Hay, other	5,000	Tons	10,900	33
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			97	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			576,182	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			102,915	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			61,081	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			21,874	Wheat, spring	1,500	Bu.	24,000	11
All crops sold (\$1,000)			12,913	Wheat, winter	3,100	Bu.	53,000	32
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			8,961	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			17,706	All cattle and calves				16,500 31
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			4,845	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				10,000 25
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			54.9					

Montrose County		County 085	ASD 70					
				Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			2,246	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			1,437,712	Barley	1,000	Bu.	85,000	9
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	5,300	Bu.	820,000	11
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			866	Dry beans	4,000	Cwt.	76,000	5
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			371,881	Hay, alfalfa	23,000	Tons	85,500	10
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			429	Hay, other	10,000	Tons	19,500	20
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			83	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			507,508	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			89,191	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			85,040	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			88,274	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			19,654	Wheat, winter	500	Bu.	40,000	33
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			68,621	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			84,505	All cattle and calves				33,500 14
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			971	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				15,000 14
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			54.1					

Morgan County		County 087	ASD 20					
				Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			1,294	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			828,048	Barley	1,200	Bu.	82,000	10
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	55,000	Bu.	8,740,000	4
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			759	Dry beans	1,500	Cwt.	32,000	10
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			741,007	Hay, alfalfa	34,000	Tons	172,100	3
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			976	Hay, other	18,000	Tons	29,500	12
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			320	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			603,987	Sorghum, grain	2,500	Bu.	107,000	7
Total cropland (Acres)			342,160	Sugarbeets	1,720	Tons	42,000	5
Irrigated land (Acres)			142,212	Sunflower, all	3,900	Lbs.	3,500,000	14
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			405,945	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			76,710	Wheat, winter	65,000	Bu.	2,390,000	14
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			329,235	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			337,637	All cattle and calves				251,000 2
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			67,210	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				21,500 5
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			51.6					

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Otero County	County 089	ASD 90	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,268	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		811,305	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	300	183.5	Bu.	55,000	23
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		512	Dry beans	300	26.70	Cwt.	8,000	15
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		579,647	Hay, alfalfa	26,000	3.30	Tons	86,400	9
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,132	Hay, other	5,000	2.75	Tons	13,800	27
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		148	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		472,644	Sorghum, grain	1,000	95.0	Bu.	95,000	9
Total cropland (Acres)		65,069	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		63,001	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		100,214	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		21,288	Wheat, winter	3,500	64.0	Bu.	224,000	22
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		78,926						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		80,936	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		20,033	All cattle and calves				64,000	7
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		51.4	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				9,000	28

Ouray County	County 091	ASD 70	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		542	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		347,075	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		79	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		116,906	Hay, alfalfa	1,000	1.50	Tons	1,500	50
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,480	Hay, other	6,000	1.55	Tons	9,200	37
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		220	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		2,180,267	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		14,651	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		18,349	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		3,237	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		579	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		2,659						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		2,917	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		321	All cattle and calves				5,000	46
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		59.4	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				3,000	46

Park County	County 093	ASD 10	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,209	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		1,413,990	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		183	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		311,182	Hay, alfalfa	...	...	Tons	...	...
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,700	Hay, other	6,000	0.90	Tons	5,500	45
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		341	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		935,538	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		25,291	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		17,998	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		3,622	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		757	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		2,865						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		3,090	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		773	All cattle and calves				7,800	42
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		56.2	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				4,500	39

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Phillips County	County 095	ASD 60	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		688	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		440,517	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	115,000	124.5	Bu.	14,300,000	3
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		344	Dry beans	5,600	22.70	Cwt.	127,000	3
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		463,376	Hay, alfalfa	4,000	4.80	Tons	19,200	31
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,347	Hay, other	4,500	1.75	Tons	7,900	40
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		963	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		841,179	Sorghum, grain	1,600	22.0	Bu.	35,000	21
Total cropland (Acres)		388,555	Sugarbeets	3,505	22.6	Tons	79,200	4
Irrigated land (Acres)		87,816	Sunflower, all	2,100	635	Lbs.	1,330,000	15
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		117,064	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		53,647	Wheat, winter	100,000	47.5	Bu.	4,750,000	7
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		63,417						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		101,980	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		17,028	All cattle and calves				31,500	16
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.3	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				4,000	41

Pitkin County	County 097	ASD 10	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		970	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		621,036	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		70	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		25,209	Hay, alfalfa	4,000	1.75	Tons	7,000	38
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		360	Hay, other	1,000	1.00	Tons	1,000	56
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		194	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		838,651	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		10,227	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		9,650	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		1,527	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		603	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		924						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		1,933	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		(406)	All cattle and calves				1,500	54
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		55.7	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				1,000	54

Prowers County	County 099	ASD 90	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		1,645	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		1,053,037	Barley	300	70.0	Bu.	21,000	15
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	4,400	162.5	Bu.	714,000	13
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		522	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		862,953	Hay, alfalfa	65,000	2.40	Tons	154,500	4
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,653	Hay, other	8,000	1.90	Tons	15,300	24
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		560	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		678,535	Sorghum, grain	12,300	36.0	Bu.	440,000	3
Total cropland (Acres)		445,365	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		111,091	Sunflower, all	1,000	1,300	Lbs.	1,300,000	16
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		150,677	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		42,522	Wheat, winter	123,000	32.0	Bu.	3,950,000	10
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		108,154						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/		122,711	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		26,385	All cattle and calves				105,000	6
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		51.9	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				11,000	22

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Pueblo County	County 101	ASD 90	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,397	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		1,533,931	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	2,800	125.0	Bu.	350,000	15
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		664	Dry beans	1,700	21.20	Cwt.	36,000	9
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		822,584	Hay, alfalfa	13,500	2.60	Tons	35,400	21
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,239	Hay, other	6,000	1.75	Tons	10,500	34
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		184	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		533,308	Sorghum, grain	1,200	44.0	Bu.	53,000	14
Total cropland (Acres)		89,926	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		35,638	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		33,642	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		14,247	Wheat, winter	500	62.0	Bu.	31,000	35
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		19,395						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		30,388	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		6,039	All cattle and calves				30,000	19
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.7	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				15,000	14

Rio Blanco County	County 103	ASD 10	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		3,226	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		2,064,791	Barley	200	35.0	Bu.	7,000	19
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		255	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		466,272	Hay, alfalfa	12,000	1.95	Tons	23,100	28
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,829	Hay, other	24,000	1.90	Tons	45,900	4
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		350	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		885,164	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		55,991	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		35,905	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		14,086	Wheat, spring	300	16.5	Bu.	5,000	15
All crops sold (\$1,000)		1,220	Wheat, winter	500	36.0	Bu.	18,000	37
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		12,866						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		10,600	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,625	All cattle and calves				19,500	28
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		55.3	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				12,500	19

Rio Grande County	County 105	ASD 80	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		913	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		584,382	Barley	15,500	126.5	Bu.	1,960,000	1
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		348	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		231,734	Hay, alfalfa	26,500	3.95	Tons	105,000	8
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		666	Hay, other	14,000	1.85	Tons	26,200	13
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		307	Potatoes, all	21,100	370	Cwt.	7,820,000	1
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		908,090	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		134,491	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		136,141	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		72,818	Wheat, spring	1,000	75.0	Bu.	75,000	4
All crops sold (\$1,000)		67,537	Wheat, winter	500	120.0	Bu.	60,000	27
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		5,281						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		53,672	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		17,915	All cattle and calves				11,000	36
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		51.9	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				6,000	33

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Routt County	County 107	ASD 10	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,362	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		1,511,750	Barley	600	25.0	Bu.	15,000	17
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		494	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		520,618	Hay, alfalfa	7,500	1.60	Tons	12,000	34
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,054	Hay, other	27,000	1.65	Tons	44,300	6
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		205	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		935,112	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		102,315	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		49,920	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		22,858	Wheat, spring	1,300	18.5	Bu.	24,000	11
All crops sold (\$1,000)		3,510	Wheat, winter	7,500	24.5	Bu.	182,000	24
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		19,348						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		20,476	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		1,664	All cattle and calves				24,000	23
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		53.0	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				12,000	20

Saguache County	County 109	ASD 80	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		3,168	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		2,027,724	Barley	14,500	127.0	Bu.	1,840,000	2
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		248	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		481,541	Hay, alfalfa	27,000	3.95	Tons	107,000	7
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,942	Hay, other	43,000	1.30	Tons	56,200	3
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		657	Potatoes, all	17,400	355	Cwt.	6,190,000	3
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		1,241,792	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		140,268	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		207,200	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		50,305	Wheat, spring	6,000	78.5	Bu.	470,000	1
All crops sold (\$1,000)		40,889	Wheat, winter	500	120.0	Bu.	60,000	27
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		9,416						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		38,615	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		10,092	All cattle and calves				20,000	27
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		52.5	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				11,000	22

San Juan County	County 111	ASD 70	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		389	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		248,954	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		4	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		(D)	Hay, alfalfa	500	2.00	Tons	1,000	51
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		(D)	Hay, other	...	...	Tons	...	...
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		335	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		(D)	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		(D)	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		(D)	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		(D)	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		(D)	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		(D)						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		47	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		(21)	All cattle and calves				...	...
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		50.3	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				...	...

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San Miguel County		County 113	ASD 70	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			1,291	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			826,085	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			83	Dry beans	700	Cwt.	2,300	19
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			161,937	Hay, alfalfa	3,000	Tons	3,000	44
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			1,951	Hay, other	2,000	Tons	2,000	54
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			300	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			1,340,027	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			27,921	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			12,341	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			2,897	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			474	Wheat, winter	800	Bu.	14,000	38
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			2,423					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			2,917	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			(20)	All cattle and calves				6,000 44
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			54.4	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				3,500 43

Sedgwick County		County 115	ASD 20	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			549	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			351,253	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	42,000	Bu.	5,473,000	7
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			215	Dry beans	4,500	Cwt.	95,000	4
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			294,185	Hay, alfalfa	7,000	Tons	28,500	26
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			1,368	Hay, other	8,000	Tons	11,500	32
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			695	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			744,384	Sorghum, grain	1,400	Bu.	45,000	17
Total cropland (Acres)			197,365	Sugarbeets	1,430	Tons	30,000	6
Irrigated land (Acres)			51,698	Sunflower, all	7,400	Lbs.	6,100,000	9
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			54,751	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			24,746	Wheat, winter	85,000	Bu.	4,300,000	8
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			30,004					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			42,892	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			12,902	All cattle and calves				14,500 33
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			56.4	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				5,000 36

Summit County		County 117	ASD 10	Acres				
				Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Square Miles)			619	2003 crops				
Total land area (Acres)			396,106	Barley	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture				Corn for grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)			35	Dry beans	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)			34,541	Hay, alfalfa	...	Tons	...	...
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)			987	Hay, other	5,000	Tons	4,200	48
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)			204	Potatoes, all	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)			1,164,227	Sorghum, grain	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)			7,064	Sugarbeets	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)			10,939	Sunflower, all	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)			1,511	Wheat, spring	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)			794	Wheat, winter	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)			717					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>			1,280	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)			231	All cattle and calves				1,500 54
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)			55.6	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				1,000 54

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Teller County	County 119	ASD 10	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		559	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		357,489	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		84	Dry beans	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		83,443	Hay, alfalfa	...	...	Tons	...	...
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		993	Hay, other	2,000	0.85	Tons	1,700	55
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		130	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		1,005,585	Sorghum, grain	...	...	Bu.	...	...
Total cropland (Acres)		4,839	Sugarbeets	...	...	Tons	...	...
Irrigated land (Acres)		1,646	Sunflower, all	...	...	Lbs.	...	...
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		1,277	Wheat, spring	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All crops sold (\$1,000)		276	Wheat, winter	...	...	Bu.	...	...
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		1,001						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		1,207	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		71	All cattle and calves				1,500	54
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		54.9	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				1,000	54

Washington County	County 121	ASD 60	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,523	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		1,614,655	Barley	200	60.0	Bu.	12,000	18
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	55,000	81.5	Bu.	4,470,000	8
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		792	Dry beans	800	22.50	Cwt.	18,000	13
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,394,238	Hay, alfalfa	9,000	3.65	Tons	33,000	23
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,760	Hay, other	33,000	1.35	Tons	45,100	5
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		940	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		683,617	Sorghum, grain	1,200	32.5	Bu.	39,000	19
Total cropland (Acres)		852,506	Sugarbeets	895	24.0	Tons	21,500	8
Irrigated land (Acres)		55,568	Sunflower, all	4,300	1,110	Lbs.	4,770,000	11
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		97,898	Wheat, spring	4,600	25.5	Bu.	117,000	3
All crops sold (\$1,000)		51,117	Wheat, winter	220,000	39.0	Bu.	8,600,000	2
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		46,780						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		80,890	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		14,553	All cattle and calves				58,000	8
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		53.0	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				21,000	6

Weld County	County 123	ASD 20	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		4,014	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		2,568,855	Barley	17,400	91.5	Bu.	1,591,000	3
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	55,000	131.5	Bu.	7,242,000	5
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		2,959	Dry beans	10,500	19.40	Cwt.	204,000	2
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,913,603	Hay, alfalfa	96,000	4.15	Tons	398,000	1
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		647	Hay, other	33,000	1.95	Tons	65,000	2
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		153	Potatoes, all	...	...	Cwt.	...	...
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		566,604	Sorghum, grain	4,900	43.5	Bu.	212,000	4
Total cropland (Acres)		882,260	Sugarbeets	9,020	24.0	Tons	216,500	1
Irrigated land (Acres)		393,030	Sunflower, all	9,500	1,230	Lbs.	11,700,000	3
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		1,286,636	Wheat, spring	1,300	28.5	Bu.	37,000	6
All crops sold (\$1,000)		209,661	Wheat, winter	140,000	35.0	Bu.	4,870,000	6
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		1,076,975						
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>		1,002,474	January 1, 2004 Inventory				Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		284,738	All cattle and calves				520,000	1
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		52.3	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				45,000	2

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Yuma County		County 125 ASD 60	Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		2,370	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	Rank
Total land area (Acres)		1,516,549	Barley	...	...	Bu.	...	...
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	230,000	183.0	Bu.	42,075,000	1
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		896	Dry beans	13,000	25.00	Cwt.	325,000	1
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		1,365,183	Hay, alfalfa	23,000	5.30	Tons	122,000	6
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,524	Hay, other	13,000	1.90	Tons	24,900	14
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		843	Potatoes, all	3,500	405	Cwt.	1,425,000	5
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		891,222	Sorghum, grain	1,100	30.0	Bu.	33,000	22
Total cropland (Acres)		633,134	Sugarbeets	4,780	24.9	Tons	119,200	2
Irrigated land (Acres)		274,057	Sunflower, all	5,500	1,165	Lbs.	6,400,000	8
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		481,374	Wheat, spring	500	26.0	Bu.	13,000	14
All crops sold (\$1,000)		119,369	Wheat, winter	130,000	44.0	Bu.	5,740,000	5
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		362,004	January 1, 2004 Inventory					
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) ^{1/}		449,579					Number	Rank
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		33,578	All cattle and calves				245,000	3
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		51.6	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				50,000	1

Colorado State Total			Acres					
Total land area (Square Miles)		104,095	2003 crops	Harvested	Yield	Unit	Production	
Total land area (Acres)		66,621,375	Barley	82,000	109.0	Bu.	8,938,000	
1997 Census of Agriculture			Corn for grain	890,000	135.0	Bu.	120,150,000	
Number of farms and ranches (Number)		28,268	Dry beans	73,000	16.00	Cwt.	1,168,000	
Land in farms and ranches (Acres)		32,634,221	Hay, alfalfa	800,000	3.20	Tons	2,560,000	
Average size of farm/ranch (Acres)		1,154	Hay, other	700,000	1.50	Tons	1,050,000	
Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)		200	Potatoes, all	72,400	362	Cwt.	26,198,000	
Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)		707,165	Sorghum, grain	160,000	27.0	Bu.	4,320,000	
Total cropland (Acres)		10,509,384	Sugarbeets	27,400	23.5	Tons	644,000	
Irrigated land (Acres)		3,430,129	Sunflower, all	118,000	1,005	Lbs.	118,330,000	
Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)		4,534,213	Wheat, spring	29,000	40.0	Bu.	1,160,000	
All crops sold (\$1,000)		1,326,944	Wheat, winter	2,200,000	35.0	Bu.	77,000,000	
All livestock sold (\$1,000)		3,207,269	January 1, 2004 Inventory					Number
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) ^{1/}		3,725,343	All cattle and calves				2,400,000	
Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000)		803,321	Beef cows and heifers that have calved				612,000	
Average age of farm/ranch operator (Years)		53.8						

^{1/} Production expenses and net cash returns are based on a sample of farms. Therefore, the difference between the market value of agricultural products sold and farm production expenses may not equal the published net return value.

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