

Agricultural Overview

Led by a surge in the dairy sector, California agriculture saw a 15 percent gain in the sales value of its products in 2007. The state's 75,000 farms and ranches received a record \$36.6 billion for their output in 2007, up from \$31.8 billion in receipts a year earlier. The previous high was reached in 2005 when sales totaled \$32.4 billion.

California's largest-in-the-nation dairy industry saw a major recovery in 2007 from the depressed milk prices that plagued it a year earlier. Dairy producers received \$7.33 billion for their milk production during the year, compared with \$4.49 billion during 2006. The state's dairy farms increased milk output 4.8 percent in 2007, while the price producers received rose from \$11.58 to \$18.03 per hundred pounds of milk sold. The Golden State produced 22 percent of the milk in the U.S., with most of it used to make cheese and butter.

California remained the number one state in cash farm receipts in 2007, with its \$36.6 billion in revenue representing 12.8 percent of the U.S. total. The state accounted for 17.6 percent of national receipts for crops, and 7.8 percent of the U.S. revenue for livestock and livestock products.

California's agricultural abundance includes more than 400 commodities. The state produces about half of U.S.-grown fruits, nuts, and vegetables. Many crops are produced solely in California.

Top 5 Agricultural States in Cash Receipts, 2007

State	Rank	Total Value
		<i>Billion Dollars</i>
California	1	36.6
Texas	2	19.1
Iowa	3	19.0
Nebraska	4	14.6
Minnesota	5	12.5

Notable Increases in Cash Receipts:

Apricots	51%
Corn for Grain	98%
Eggs	52%
Garlic	47%
Milk	63%
Oats.....	276%
Olives.....	378%
Onions	67%
Peaches, Clingstone.....	46%
Plums, Dried.....	54%

Notable Decreases in Cash Receipts:

Avocados	25%
Cantaloupes	21%
Grapefruit	48%
Honey	28%
Nectarines	21%
Oranges, Navel and Miscellaneous.....	35%
Oranges, Valencia.....	54%
Tomatoes, Fresh	22%

Crop and Livestock Commodities in which California Leads the Nation

Almonds	Eggplant	Lettuce, Romaine	Pistachios
Apricots	Escarole/Endive	Melons, Cantaloupe	Plums
Artichokes	Figs	Melons, Honeydew	Plums, Dried
Asparagus	Flowers, Bulbs	Milk	Pomegranates
Avocados	Flowers, Cut	Milk Goats	Raspberries
Beans, Dry Baby Lima	Flowers, Potted Plants	Nectarines	Rice, Sweet
Beans, Dry Large Lima	Garlic	Nursery, Bedding Plants	Safflower
Beans, Green Lima	Grapes, Raisins	Nursery Crops	Seed, Alfalfa
Bedding/Garden Plants	Grapes, Table	Olives	Seed, Bermuda Grass
Broccoli	Grapes, Wine	Onions, Dry	Seed, Ladino Clover
Brussels Sprouts	Greens, Mustard	Onions, Green	Seed, Sudan Grass
Cabbage, Chinese	Hay, Alfalfa	Parsley	Seed, Vegetable and Flower
Cabbage, Fresh Market	Herbs	Passion Fruit	Spinach
Carrots	Jojoba	Peaches, Clingstone	Strawberries
Cauliflower	Kale	Peaches, Freestone	Tomatoes, Processing
Celery	Kiwifruit	Pears, Bartlett	Turnips
Chicory	Kumquats	Peas, Chinese	Vegetables, Greenhouse
Cotton, American Pima	Lemons	Peppers, Bell	Vegetables, Oriental
Daikon	Lettuce, Head	Persimmons	Walnuts
Dates	Lettuce, Leaf	Pigeons and Squabs	

California is the sole producer (99 percent or more) of the commodities in bold.

Farm Facts

The number of farms operating in California during 2007 fell to an estimated 75,000 units, less than 4 percent of the national total. However, California was home to 1 in 10 U.S. farms with sales of \$500,000 or more. The average farm or ranch operation in the Golden State produced nearly \$488,000 in commodity sales during the year, about 3 ½ time higher than the U.S. average of \$137,000 per farm. During 2007, California lands devoted to farming and ranching totaled 26.2 million acres, down less than 0.5 percent from the 2006 acreage. The average farm size was 349 acres, compared with the U.S. average of 449 acres.

Top Commodities

California's top 20 crop and livestock commodities accounted for more than \$30.0 billion in value for 2007. Ten commodities exceeded \$1.00 billion in value for 2007. A combination of stronger prices and higher production resulted in nine of the ten registering an increase in value from the previous year. The only exception was the almond crop, which, based on preliminary grower prices,

was down 6 percent in value despite a record large crop. Final grower returns could change the sales value for almonds or other commodities, resulting in an updated dollar amount in next year's report.

Leading Counties

California is home to the most productive agricultural counties in the nation. According to the 2002 Census of Agriculture's ranking of market value of agricultural products sold, nine of the Nation's top 10, and 12 of the top 20, producing counties are in California

California's County Agricultural Commissioner reports showed a 15 percent increase in the value of their agricultural production for 2007. Fourteen counties reported a value of production in excess of \$1.10 billion. Fresno continued as the leading county with an agricultural production value of \$5.35 billion, an increase of 10.4 percent from the 2006 value. Tulare County was second in value of production with \$4.87 billion, up 25.9 percent. Kern showed an increase of 22.7 percent to \$4.09 billion, enough to replace Monterey as the number three county.

Top 20 Commodities for 2005-2007

Commodity	Value and Rank						
	2005		2006		2007		
	\$1,000						
Milk and Cream	5,223,062	(1)	4,492,229	(1)	7,328,474	(1)	
Grapes, All	3,197,820	(2)	2,999,958	(2)	3,077,769	(2)	
Nursery and Greenhouse Products	2,686,090	(3)	2,890,497	(3)	3,065,995	(3)	
Lettuce, All	1,416,117	(6)	2,054,302	(5)	2,178,041	(4)	
Almonds	2,525,909	(4)	2,258,790	(4)	2,127,375	(5)	
Cattle and Calves	1,744,403	(5)	1,676,354	(6)	1,784,101	(6)	
Hay, All	1,177,921	(7)	1,059,920	(9)	1,434,850	(7)	
Strawberries, All	1,122,834	(8)	1,199,341	(7)	1,338,585	(8)	
Tomatoes, All	919,360	(10)	1,165,922	(8)	1,241,735	(9)	
Floriculture	1,020,351	(9)	999,420	(10)	1,002,571	(10)	
Walnuts	557,350	(15)	563,980	(14)	754,000	(11)	
Chickens, All	714,788	(11)	584,650	(13)	713,200	(12)	
Broccoli	519,788	(16)	620,400	(12)	669,405	(13)	
Cotton, All	646,243	(12)	531,223	(15)	599,352	(14)	
Rice	392,244	(18)	520,520	(16)	582,833	(15)	
Pistachios	580,150	(14)	449,820	(18)	561,600	(16)	
Oranges, All	603,594	(13)	633,345	(11)	518,496	(17)	
Lemons	271,991	(21)	374,737	(19)	512,550	(18)	
Carrots, All	462,476	(17)	451,165	(17)	494,916	(19)	
Celery	248,816	(23)	330,534	(21)	401,206	(20)	

Top 10 Agricultural Counties

County	Total Value and Rank				Leading Commodities
	2006		2007		
	\$1,000				
Fresno	4,843,392	(1)	5,345,352	(1)	Grapes, Almonds, Milk, Poultry, Tomatoes
Tulare	3,870,843	(2)	4,873,743	(2)	Milk, Oranges, Cattle and Calves, Grapes, Alfalfa Hay & Silage
Kern	3,335,910	(4)	4,092,107	(3)	Milk, Grapes, Citrus, Almonds and By-Products, Carrots
Monterey	3,490,076	(3)	3,823,287	(4)	Lettuce, Strawberries, Nursery, Broccoli, Grapes
Merced	2,284,457	(5)	3,001,667	(5)	Milk, Chickens, Almonds, Cattle and Calves, Tomatoes
Stanislaus	2,148,152	(6)	2,412,339	(6)	Milk, Almonds, Chickens, Cattle and Calves, Walnuts
San Joaquin	1,684,275	(7)	2,005,185	(7)	Milk, Grapes, Cherries, Almonds, Walnuts
Kings	1,289,186	(11)	1,761,852	(8)	Milk, Cotton, Cattle and Calves, Alfalfa, Pistachios
Ventura	1,505,588	(8)	1,547,263	(9)	Strawberries, Nursery Stock, Lemons, Celery, Tomatoes
San Diego	1,461,476	(9)	1,536,260	(10)	Foliage Plants, Trees and Shrubs, Bedding Plants, Avocados, Tomatoes

Weather Highlights for 2007

January began with a string of cold fronts that passed through northern California and pushed southward, bringing heavy rains. High pressure behind the last cold front resulted in a Santa Ana pattern and fire danger in southern California. Nighttime freezing temperatures affected citrus and vegetable crops.

Dry conditions persisted into February, with unseasonably warm temperatures in the south. Small grain fields and pastures showed signs of drought stress. A dynamic low-pressure system brought widespread rain and snow mid month. Rain and warm weather alternated throughout the rest of February and into March.

As March continued, weak systems dominated the weather, leaving the State dry with above normal temperatures. Stone fruit reaped the benefit of the unseasonably warm weather. March ended with a cold front that brought widespread rain, improving crop conditions.

April started out with light precipitation and cool weather, until a succession of cold fronts spread rain and snow across the state. April ended with a significant warming trend that brought temperatures in the Central Valley up to the 90s; southern California reported highs in the 100's.

A cold front pushed through northern California as May began, resulting in cooler temperatures and precipitation. A surface level high-pressure system followed, bringing windy, dry and warm weather. Temperatures climbed and the gusty offshore winds created fire hazards in the south. Warm and dry conditions persisted throughout May and into June, with no significant rainfall recorded. Warm weather improved growth in many crops; dryland grains, pastures, and rangelands suffered due to drought and wind damage.

A series of cold fronts mid June resulted in below normal temperatures and scattered showers. A strong high-pressure system then built over the central California coast. Temperatures across the interior valleys warmed to the triple digit levels and southeastern desert highs of 120 degrees were reported. There were several fires in southern California and the Sierras.

As July began, a strong high pressure brought above normal temperatures. Heat stressed crops and pastures; cool nights slowed rice development and increased grape sugar content. A series of weather systems brought cool temperatures, cloudiness, and some unusual July rain across the northern half of the state. High pressure over the Southwestern U.S. ended July with dry and warm temperatures across California.

The warm and dry weather persisted into August, until a monsoonal air mass from the south scattered rain across California. The rest of August alternated between hot and dry weather and unseasonably cool temperatures and showers. Rangelands were in poor condition, hot weather stressed livestock, and white wash was applied in orchards to prevent sunburn.

September started hot, until dense areas of smoke from Plumas County pushed into the Central Valley, dropping temperatures significantly. A series of weather systems brought below normal temperatures and widespread showers. The cool weather reduced stress on livestock, but the light rain was not enough to start new grass in pastures.

October started out warm, until a series of cold fronts hit the state, cooling temperatures and bringing widespread precipitation. A strong high-pressure system brought dry and mild conditions across the state. This pattern persisted through the end of the month, when an upper level low pressure brought cool temperatures and light shower activity. Some rangelands and crops were fire damaged.

Cool weather continued into November, until a high-pressure system warmed most of the state. Later a frontal passage significantly dropped temperatures and developed precipitation over the north. An upper level high pressure moved over southern California, while a cold front in the north brought rain. Freezing overnight low temperatures prompted the issuance of frost advisories.

December began with a low-pressure system that brought widespread showers to the south. Wild fire scarred areas reported debris flows and mudslides. A series of Pacific storm systems and cold fronts followed, bringing widespread precipitation. Overnight temperatures in the Central Valley fell to the freezing point. Air dried in southern California and temperatures warmed.

Global Marketplace

The nearly \$9.8 billion in California agricultural exports in 2006 (the latest year for which information is available) represented a 5 percent increase from 2005. The top 10 export commodities were almonds, wine, dairy and products, cotton, table grapes, walnuts, oranges, pistachios, processed tomatoes and strawberries. Almonds have been the top export commodity for several years.

California ships agricultural products to more than 150 countries. Accurate export destination data are available for only 48 commodities. The top 10 export destinations accounted for 85 percent of the 2006 export value of the 48 commodities. The top three destinations – the European Union, Canada and Japan – accounted for nearly 60 percent of the 48-commodity total.

The primary market for California agricultural production is the rest of the United States. However, foreign markets have become relatively more important in recent years. In 1999, 16 percent of the state's production was shipped to overseas markets, whereas in 2006 this figure was 24 percent.

Agricultural export data for California are developed by the Agricultural Issues Center at the University of California – Davis, in consultation with the California Department of Food and Agriculture.

Cash Income by Commodity Groups, 2005-2007 1/

Source of Income	2005	2006	2007
	\$1,000		
FIELD CROPS			
Alfalfa Seed	21,910	30,495	26,290
Barley	11,128	8,908	8,007
Beans, Dry	50,336	57,708	53,260
Corn for Grain	41,568	37,829	74,927
Cotton Lint	696,907	522,036	615,306
Cottonseed	73,109	77,471	84,908
Grain, Sorghum	2,413	3,022	3,746
Hay, All	703,783	635,658	836,653
Oats	520	430	1,615
Oil Crops	18,673	20,708	23,869
Potatoes (Excl. Sweet)	191,869	176,838	144,065
Potatoes, Sweet	84,376	74,792	80,864
Rice	367,060	371,270	461,457
Sugar Beets	68,385	68,775	64,797
Wheat	82,610	114,110	132,374
Other Seed Crops	117,790	149,782	141,710
Other Field Crops	358,768	377,040	500,235
TOTAL	2,891,205	2,726,872	3,254,083
Percent of			
Gross Cash Income	8.9	8.6	8.9
FRUIT AND NUT CROPS			
Almonds	2,525,909	2,258,790	2,127,375
Apples	54,699	81,210	79,666
Apricots	33,930	23,128	34,878
Avocados	279,745	337,258	253,853
Berries, Other	257,840	293,344	332,463
Berries, Strawberries	1,122,834	1,199,341	1,338,586
Cherries	84,751	124,391	155,016
Dates	24,101	34,690	37,459
Figs	25,919	25,815	24,921
Grapefruit	101,794	81,515	42,702
Grapes	3,194,805	2,998,434	3,082,014
Kiwifruit	22,461	23,148	22,517
Lemons	292,163	322,489	292,196
Nectarines	120,456	112,706	89,039
Olives	80,102	18,119	86,693
Oranges, Navel and Miscellaneous	639,980	344,673	224,230
Oranges, Valencia	171,707	130,369	59,553
Peaches, Clingstone	122,939	104,846	152,665
Peaches, Freestone	157,048	165,562	179,175
Pears	79,790	68,269	82,691
Pecans	7,110	5,848	7,832
Pistachios	580,150	449,820	561,600
Plums	92,463	108,648	101,077
Plums, Dried	81,927	156,860	240,921
Tangerines	45,288	53,501	54,751
Walnuts	557,350	563,980	754,000
Other Fruits and Nuts	126,796	146,530	117,400
TOTAL	10,884,057	10,233,284	10,535,273
Percent of			
Gross Cash Income	33.7	32.2	28.8
CHRISTMAS TREES			
TOTAL	9,026	8,785	8,700
Percent of			
Gross Cash Income	---	---	---
NURSERY, GREENHOUSE, AND FLORICULTURE			
TOTAL	3,706,441	3,889,917	4,068,566
Percent of			
Gross Cash Income	11.5	12.2	11.1

Source of Income	2005	2006	2007
	\$1,000		
VEGETABLE CROPS			
Artichokes	39,453	44,814	49,339
Asparagus	80,850	61,124	70,180
Beans, Snap, Fresh	46,728	38,100	48,338
Broccoli, All	519,788	620,400	669,405
Cabbage	70,291	77,213	85,944
Carrots, All	462,476	451,165	494,916
Cauliflower	178,804	177,992	198,300
Celery	248,816	330,534	401,206
Corn, Sweet	103,918	82,598	107,827
Cucumbers, Fresh	23,637	22,750	20,535
Garlic	194,388	138,029	203,260
Lettuce	1,416,117	2,054,302	2,178,041
Melons, Cantaloupe	167,688	189,540	149,301
Melons, Honeydew	66,534	55,143	56,112
Melons, Watermelon	76,146	74,343	77,224
Mushrooms, Agaricus	172,301	174,215	181,603
Onions	194,539	207,182	345,042
Peppers, Chili	40,184	44,049	61,884
Peppers, Green	239,715	212,548	178,618
Pumpkins	14,355	15,105	13,356
Spinach, All	129,559	148,691	175,981
Squash	38,756	31,427	36,902
Tomatoes, Fresh	347,200	505,120	392,370
Tomatoes, Processing	572,160	660,802	849,365
Other Vegetable Crops	991,682	993,007	928,266
TOTAL	6,436,085	7,410,194	7,973,315
Percent of			
Gross Cash Income	19.9	23.3	21.8
LIVESTOCK, POULTRY, AND PRODUCTS			
Aquaculture	13,385	12,891	14,291
Cattle and Calves	1,744,403	1,676,354	1,784,101
Chickens, All	714,788	584,650	713,200
Eggs	181,655	212,889	323,708
Hogs	35,736	30,906	31,549
Honey	25,200	19,562	14,144
Milk and Cream	5,223,062	4,492,229	7,328,474
Sheep and Lambs	56,135	46,788	42,610
Turkeys	170,216	196,963	195,712
Wool and Mohair	2,519	2,630	2,810
Other Livestock and Poultry	258,531	271,409	284,315
TOTAL	8,425,628	7,547,271	10,734,914
Percent of			
Gross Cash Income	26	23.7	29.4
TOTAL CASH INCOME FROM MARKETINGS			
TOTAL	32,352,441	31,816,324	36,574,850
FARM RELATED INCOME 2/			
TOTAL	2,382,123	2,799,247	2,519,230
Percent of			
Gross Cash Income	6.4	8.0	6.4
GROSS CASH INCOME FROM FARMING			
TOTAL	34,734,564	34,615,571	39,094,080

1/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

2/ Includes value of home consumption, value of inventory adjustments, machine hire and custom work, forest products sold, rental value of farm dwelling, government payments, and other miscellaneous farm income.

Source: USDA's Economic Research Service

Farm Income Indicators, 2003-2007 1/

Item	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	<i>\$/,000</i>				
Value of Crop Production	21,054,438	22,742,144	23,818,476	24,258,224	25,818,190
Food grains	420,190	481,815	449,669	485,381	593,831
Feed crops	607,824	677,774	759,412	685,848	924,949
Cotton	914,064	564,394	770,016	599,507	700,214
Oil crops	27,799	23,142	18,673	20,708	23,869
Fruits and tree nuts	7,952,278	9,488,749	10,884,056	10,233,283	10,535,272
Vegetables	7,116,282	6,613,246	6,581,754	7,537,051	8,061,717
All other crops	4,286,101	4,439,837	4,463,231	4,707,275	5,000,084
Home consumption	6,843	5,566	6,008	19,027	17,271
Value of inventory adjustment 2/	(276,943)	447,621	(114,343)	(29,856)	(39,017)
Value of Livestock Production	6,942,670	8,768,050	8,492,366	7,626,757	10,699,450
Meat animals	1,652,372	1,731,207	1,836,274	1,754,048	1,858,260
Dairy products	4,027,837	5,365,992	5,223,062	4,492,229	7,328,474
Poultry and eggs	1,025,816	1,233,697	1,139,889	1,072,062	1,303,270
Miscellaneous livestock	293,286	227,545	226,405	228,932	244,910
Home consumption	2,146	3,441	8,388	25,453	24,726
Value of inventory adjustment 2/	(58,787)	206,168	58,348	54,033	(60,190)
Revenues from Services and Forestry	1,822,290	2,455,310	2,423,722	2,730,590	2,576,440
Machine hire and custom work	338,896	584,518	465,008	631,292	318,970
Forest products sold	7,851	7,438	8,012	9,380	8,200
Other farm income	505,809	597,020	679,327	722,871	706,617
Gross imputed rental value of farm dwellings	969,734	1,266,334	1,271,375	1,367,047	1,542,653
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL SECTOR PRODUCTION	29,819,398	33,965,503	34,734,564	34,615,571	39,094,080
less: Purchased Inputs	14,239,453	14,535,548	16,091,345	17,607,143	17,622,930
Farm Origin	3,730,412	4,342,720	4,559,723	4,829,725	5,339,154
Feed purchased	2,239,997	2,780,002	2,860,003	3,050,004	3,740,002
Livestock and poultry purchased	620,417	712,716	709,720	709,720	679,153
Seed purchased	869,998	850,002	990,000	1,070,001	919,999
Manufactured Inputs	2,912,697	2,973,002	3,656,077	4,067,744	4,028,339
Fertilizers and lime	800,001	830,000	1,030,000	1,169,999	1,080,001
Pesticides	980,003	950,000	1,159,997	1,240,001	1,149,999
Petroleum fuel and oils	543,343	639,511	923,162	1,017,252	1,158,175
Electricity	589,350	553,491	542,918	640,492	640,164
Other Purchased Inputs	7,596,344	7,219,826	7,875,545	8,709,674	8,255,437
Repair and maintenance of capital items	861,889	1,032,382	966,917	1,034,311	1,124,210
Machine hire and custom work	848,335	692,464	700,322	663,928	608,743
Marketing, storage, and transportation expenses	1,497,500	1,431,972	2,190,880	2,223,179	2,112,847
Contract labor	1,630,664	1,495,038	1,564,551	1,407,973	1,730,664
Miscellaneous expenses	2,757,955	2,567,969	2,452,875	3,380,283	2,678,973
plus: Net Government Transactions	112,926	(176,417)	(32,520)	(295,815)	(426,302)
+ Direct Government payments	735,305	478,375	703,629	530,178	477,775
- Motor vehicle registration and licensing fees	62,381	64,791	56,097	65,992	54,076
- Property taxes	559,998	590,001	680,052	760,001	850,001
Gross Value Added	15,692,872	19,253,539	18,610,700	16,712,612	21,044,848
less: Capital Consumption	1,112,949	1,214,219	1,325,392	1,376,507	1,423,586
Net Value Added	14,579,923	18,039,320	17,285,308	15,336,105	19,621,262
less: Payments to Stakeholders	6,745,647	6,873,344	7,380,750	7,416,103	6,956,003
Employee compensation (total hired labor)	4,719,336	5,098,377	5,529,970	5,461,927	4,978,740
Net rent received by non-operator landlords	838,505	592,325	514,745	434,939	366,603
Real estate and non-real estate interest	1,187,806	1,182,642	1,336,035	1,519,237	1,610,660
NET FARM INCOME	7,834,276	11,165,976	9,904,558	7,920,002	12,665,259

1/ Value of agricultural sector production is the gross value of commodities and services produced within a year. Net value-added is the sector's contribution to the National economy and is the sum of the income from production earned by all factors-of-production, regardless of ownership. Net farm income is the farm operators' share of income from the sector's production activities. The concept presented is consistent with that employed by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development.

2/ A positive value of inventory change represents current-year production not sold by December 31. A negative value is an offset to production from prior years included in current-year sales.

Source: USDA's Economic Research Service

Commodity Rank, Acreage, Production, Value and Leading Producing Counties, 2007

Commodity	U.S. Rank 1/	CA Share of U.S. Prod.	Area Harvested	Short Tons (2,000 Lbs.)	Total Value 2/	California Rank		Harvest Season	Leading Counties 3/
	Number	Percent	1,000 Acres	1,000 Tons	\$1,000	2006	2007		
						Number			
VEGETABLE AND MELON CROPS TOTAL VALUE -- \$7,845,778,000									
Artichokes 4/	1	99	8.2	45.1	49,339	54	54	Continuous	Monterey, Santa Barbara, Riverside, Imperial, San Benito
Asparagus	1	52	20.0	29.0	70,180	48	49	Jan. 1-Nov. 30	San Joaquin, Monterey, Fresno, San Benito, Merced
Beans, Fresh Market Snap	2	11	6.8	35.7	48,338	55	55	June 1-Dec. 31	San Diego, Santa Clara, Tulare, San Mateo
Broccoli	1	93	126.0	945.0	669,405	12	13	Continuous	Monterey, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Imperial, Fresno
Cabbage, Fresh Market	1	22	14.7	290.4	85,944	43	44	Continuous	Monterey, Ventura, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Imperial
Carrots	1	66	72.9	1,127.7	494,916	17	18	Continuous	Kern, Imperial, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Fresno
Cauliflower	1	86	33.5	301.5	198,300	31	28	Jan. 20-Dec. 15	Monterey, Santa Barbara, Imperial, San Luis Obispo, Riverside
Celery	1	95	26.5	967.2	401,206	21	19	Continuous	Ventura, Monterey, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, San Benito
Corn, Fresh Market Sweet	2	16	25.6	230.4	107,827	41	39	May 1-Dec. 1	Fresno, Imperial, San Joaquin, Contra Costa, Riverside
Cucumbers, Fresh Market	3	10	5.0	46.2	20,535	63	65	Apr. 1-Nov. 30	San Diego, Ventura, San Joaquin, Tulare, Orange
Garlic 4/	1	86	24.7	210.0	203,260	34	27	Apr. 1-Sept. 15	Fresno, Kern, Kings, Santa Clara, San Benito
Lettuce, Head	1	76	135.0	2,396.2	1,068,728	---	---	Jan. 1-Nov. 30	Monterey, Fresno, Santa Barbara, Imperial, San Luis Obispo
Lettuce, Leaf	1	90	86.0	989.0	569,664	---	---	Continuous	Monterey, Imperial, Fresno, Santa Barbara, San Benito
Lettuce, Romaine	1	83	69.0	1,138.5	539,649	---	---	Continuous	Monterey, Riverside, San Benito, Santa Clara, Ventura
Lettuce, All	---	---	290.0	4,523.7	2,178,041	5	4	---	Monterey, Fresno, Imperial, Santa Barbara, San Benito
Melons, Cantaloupe	1	55	46.1	587.8	149,301	29	36	June 1-Dec. 15	Fresno, Imperial, Merced, Stanislaus, Riverside
Melons, Honeydew	1	72	16.0	168.0	56,112	52	53	June 1-Dec. 15	Fresno, Imperial, Sutter, Riverside, Yolo
Melons, Watermelon	3	16	13.4	341.7	77,224	45	47	June 1-Oct. 25	Fresno, Kern, San Joaquin, Imperial, Riverside
Mushrooms, Agaricus	2	20	0.5	58.9	187,473	32	30	Continuous	Monterey, Santa Clara, Ventura, San Diego, San Mateo
Onions, All	1	38	47.2	1,510.2	211,635	22	26	May 1-Oct. 31	Fresno, Imperial, Kern, Los Angeles, Monterey
Peppers, Bell	1	48	21.0	351.8	178,618	---	---	Apr. 1-Oct. 31	Riverside, Kern, Ventura, San Benito, Fresno
Peppers, Chili	2	43	5.8	89.9	61,884	---	---	May 1-Nov. 30	Santa Clara
Peppers, All	---	---	26.8	441.7	240,502	25	25	---	---
Pumpkins	3	11	5.3	63.6	13,356	67	68	Sept. 1-Oct. 31	San Joaquin, San Mateo, Sacramento, Ventura, Stanislaus
Spinach, Fresh Market	1	83	33.0	264.0	168,960	---	---	Continuous	Monterey
Spinach, Processing	1	63	8.5	59.5	7,021	---	---	Continuous	---
Spinach, All	---	---	41.5	323.5	175,981	33	31	---	Monterey, Imperial, San Benito, Ventura, Riverside
Squash	2	19	7.0	73.5	36,902	57	58	June 1-Aug. 31	Santa Barbara, Fresno, San Diego, Monterey, Tulare
Tomatoes, Fresh Market	2	33	41.0	615.0	392,370	---	---	May 15-Jan. 31	Fresno, Merced, San Diego, San Joaquin, Stanislaus
Tomatoes, Processing	1	95	296.0	12,082.0	849,365	---	---	June 20-Nov. 10	Fresno, Yolo, San Joaquin, Kings, Merced
Tomatoes, All	---	---	337.0	12,697.0	1,241,735	8	9	---	---
Other Vegetables and Melons	---	---	---	---	928,266	---	---	---	---
FRUIT AND NUT CROPS TOTAL VALUE -- \$10,784,549,000									
Almonds (Shelled) 4/	1	99	615.0	695.0	2,127,375	4	5	Aug. 1-Oct. 31	Fresno, Stanislaus, Kern, Merced, Madera
Apples	5	4	20.5	172.5	90,769	40	41	July 15-Oct. 30	San Joaquin, Kern, Fresno, El Dorado, Santa Cruz
Apricots	1	92	13.8	81.0	34,878	62	59	May 1-July 15	Stanislaus, Fresno, Kern, San Joaquin, Merced
Avocados	1	90	65.0	132.0	250,800	20	24	Continuous	San Diego, Ventura, Riverside, Santa Barbara, Orange
Berries, Blueberries	5	6	2.7	8.2	30,215	60	61	---	Tulare, San Joaquin
Berries, Boysenberries	2	3	0.3	1.7	2,428	73	75	June 1-July 15	---
Berries, Raspberries	1	61	4.4	44.5	285,120	26	23	June 1-Oct. 31	Santa Cruz, Ventura, Monterey
Berries, Fresh Market	---	86	---	858.0	1,226,869	---	---	---	Monterey, Ventura, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Sacramento
Berries, Proc. Strawberries	---	93	---	219.0	111,716	---	---	---	Ventura, Santa Barbara, Monterey, San Diego
Berries, All Strawberries	1	86	35.5	1,077.0	1,338,585	7	8	Feb. 20-Nov. 15	Monterey, Ventura, Santa Barbara, Santa Cruz, San Luis Obispo

Commodity Rank, Acreage, Production, Value and Leading Producing Counties, 2007

Commodity	U.S.	CA Share	Area	Short Tons	Total Value	California		Harvest Season	Leading Counties 3/
	Rank 1/	of U.S. Prod.	Harvested	(2,000 Lbs.)	2/	Rank			
	Number	Percent	1,000 Acres	1,000 Tons	\$1,000	2006	2007		
Cherries, Sweet	2	27	30.0	85.0	155,016	35	35	May 20-June 25	San Joaquin, Fresno, Stanislaus, Tulare, Kern
Dates 4/	1	82	5.9	16.3	37,327	56	57	Oct. 1-Dec. 15	Riverside, Imperial, Tulare, Fresno, San Bernardino
Figs 4/	1	99	10.2	51.6	24,921	59	62	June 10-Sept. 15	Madera, Merced
Grapefruit, All	3	10	11.5	184.2	67,278	42	50	Nov. 1-July 31	Riverside, Tulare, San Diego, Kern, Imperial
Grapes, Raisin Type	---	---	227.0	2,133.0	600,440	---	---	May 15-Nov. 15	Fresno, Madera, Tulare, Kern, Kings
Grapes, Table Type	---	---	82.0	791.0	622,774	---	---	May 25-Dec. 15	Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Riverside, Madera
Grapes, Wine Type	---	---	480.0	3,287.0	1,854,555	---	---	Aug. 5-Dec. 15	Napa, Sonoma, Monterey, San Joaquin, Fresno
Grapes, All	1	89	789.0	6,211.0	3,077,769	2	2	---	Fresno, Kern, Tulare, Napa, Sonoma
Kiwifruit 4/	1	97	4.0	24.5	22,517	61	64	Oct. 1-May 31	Tulare, Butte, Yuba, Fresno, Sutter
Lemons	1	86	45.0	703.0	394,280	19	20	Aug. 1-July 31	Ventura, Kern, Tulare, Riverside, Fresno
Nectarines	1	95	35.5	269.0	89,039	36	42	June 10-Sept. 5	Fresno, Tulare, Kings, Kern, Los Angeles
Olives 4/	1	100	31.0	132.5	86,694	66	43	Sept. 25-Mar. 15	Tulare, Glenn, Tehama, Butte, Fresno
Oranges, Navel and Misc.	---	34	136.0	1,293.8	391,565	---	---	Nov. 1-Aug. 31	Tulare, Kern, Fresno, Riverside, San Bernardino
Oranges, Valencia	---	15	43.0	431.2	126,931	---	---	Nov. 1-June 15	Tulare, Kern, San Diego, Fresno, Ventura
Oranges, All	2	26	179.0	1,725.0	518,496	11	17	---	Tulare, Kern, Fresno, San Diego, Ventura
Peaches, Clingstone	1	100	26.5	503.0	152,665	---	---	July 15-Sept. 15	Stanislaus, Sutter, Yuba, Merced, Butte
Peaches, Freestone	1	71	36.0	446.0	179,175	---	---	May 10-Sept. 15	Fresno, Tulare, Kings, Stanislaus, Merced
Peaches, All	1	84	62.5	949.0	331,840	23	21	---	Fresno, Tulare, Stanislaus, Kings, Sutter
Pears, All	2	28	16.0	243.0	82,691	47	45	Aug. 5-Oct. 5	Sacramento, Mendocino, Lake, Fresno, Yuba
Pecans	8	1	3.1	22.0	7,832	71	71	Sept. 1-Nov. 30	Tulare
Pistachios 4/	1	96	114.0	208.0	561,600	18	16	Sept. 15-Dec. 10	Kern, Madera, Tulare, Kings, Fresno
Plums	1	95	37.0	152.0	101,077	37	38	May 25-Aug. 20	Fresno, Tulare, Kings, Kern, Madera
Plums, Dried 4/	1	99	65.0	83.0	117,450	24	40	Aug. 15-Oct. 10	Glenn, Tehama, Butte, Sutter, Tulare
Tangerines, Mandarins, Tangelos, and Tangors	2	37	16.0	131.2	77,152	50	48	Nov. 1-May 15	Kern, Tulare, Riverside, San Diego, Ventura
Walnuts 4/	1	99	218.0	325.0	754,000	14	11	Sept. 5-Nov. 10	San Joaquin, Tulare, Stanislaus, Butte, Sutter
Other Fruits and Nuts	---	---	---	---	117,400	---	---	---	---
FIELD AND SEED CROPS TOTAL VALUE -- \$4,141,159,000									
Barley	12	1	40.0	57.6	10,680	69	69	May 15-Oct. 1	Siskiyou, Fresno, Merced, Monterey, San Bernardino
Beans, Dry	6	5	58.0	60.6	57,328	51	52	Aug. 20-Nov. 15	Stanislaus, San Joaquin, Tulare, Colusa, Fresno
Cotton Lint, All	4	8	451.0	346.3	599,352	15	14	Oct. 1-Jan. 1	Fresno, Kings, Kern, Merced, Tulare
Cottonseed	3	8	---	546.0	131,040	38	37	---	Kern, Kings, Fresno, Merced, Tulare
Grain, Corn	27	---	200.0	1,008.0	158,400	49	33	Sept. 1-Dec. 1	San Joaquin, Sacramento, Tulare, Merced, Glenn
Grain, Sorghum	17	---	11.0	27.7	4,130	74	73	---	Tulare, Sutter
Hay, Alfalfa and Other	2	6	1,610.0	9,422.0	1,434,850	9	7	Mar. 1-Nov. 5	Kern, Tulare, Imperial, Merced, Fresno
Oats	14	2	20.0	29.8	5,115	72	72	June 15-Oct. 1	Siskiyou, Fresno, Sacramento, Sonoma, Modoc
Potatoes (Excl. Sweet)	9	3	41.9	745.4	163,527	30	32	Continuous	Kern, San Joaquin, Riverside, Siskiyou, Modoc
Potatoes, Sweet	2	23	13.3	212.8	80,864	44	46	July 15-Nov. 15	Merced, Stanislaus, Kern, San Bernardino, San Benito
Rice 5/ 6/	2	22	533.0	2,191.1	582,833	16	15	Sept. 1-Nov. 30	Colusa, Butte, Sutter, Glenn, Yuba
Sugar Beets 5/ 6/	5	5	39.1	1,466.0	64,797	46	51	Apr. 1-Dec. 10	Imperial, Fresno, Merced, Kern, Tulare
Wheat, All	18	1	315.0	789.8	156,139	39	34	May 20-Sept. 1	Kern, Imperial, Kings, Fresno, Yolo
Oil Crops 7/	---	---	---	---	23,869	64	63	---	---
Other Field Crops	---	---	---	---	668,235	---	---	---	---
NURSERY, GREENHOUSE AND FLORICULTURE CROPS TOTAL VALUE -- \$4,077,266,000									
Nursery Products 4/ 6/ 8/	1	---	---	---	3,065,995	3	3	Continuous	San Diego, Ventura, Monterey, Riverside, Orange
Flowers and Foliage 9/	1	---	---	---	1,002,571	10	10	Continuous	San Diego, Santa Barbara, Santa Cruz, Monterey, San Luis Obispo
Christmas Trees	---	---	---	---	8,700	70	70	Nov. 1-Dec. 24	El Dorado, San Bernardino, Santa Clara, Sonoma, Riverside

1/ Based on quantity produced for crops and on quantity marketed for livestock and poultry products

2/ Based on value of quantity harvested for crops, value of quantity marketed for livestock, and value of quantity produced for poultry products

3/ Based on values published in the county agricultural commissioners' annual crop reports

4/ Share of U.S. production based on 2007 Census of Agriculture.

5/ The 2007 price and value are based on the 2006 California average price.

6/ Extracted from county agricultural commissioners' annual crop reports

7/ Includes sunflower, safflower, and canola.

8/ Includes trees, shrubs, vines, bulbs, turf, etc., not included in flowers and foliage category

9/ Includes cut flowers, potted plants, foliage plants, bedding plants, and indoor decoratives

Commodity Rank, Value and Leading Producing Counties, 2007

Commodity	U.S. Rank 1/	CA Share of U.S. Prod.	Marketings	Cash Receipts 2/	California Rank		Leading Counties 3/
	Number	Percent	1,000 Pounds	\$1,000	2006	2007	
					Number		
LIVESTOCK, DAIRY, POULTRY, AND APIARY TOTAL VALUE -- \$10,734,914,000							
Aquaculture	---	---	---	14,291	68	66	Imperial, Riverside, Merced
Cattle and Calves	7	4	2,427,080	1,784,101	6	6	Tulare Fresno, Imperial, Merced, Kern
Chickens, All	---	---	---	713,200	13	12	Fresno, Merced, Stanislaus, Tulare, San Joaquin
Hogs and Pigs 4/	30	---	64,250	31,549	58	60	Tulare, San Bernardino, Fresno, Stanislaus, Kern
Honey	2	9	13,600	14,144	65	67	Tulare, Kern, Fresno, Merced, San Diego
Milk and Cream	1	21	40,646,000	7,328,474	1	1	Tulare, Merced, Stanislaus, Kern, Kings
Sheep and Lambs	2	9	51,337	42,610	53	56	Fresno, Kern, Imperial, Solano, Merced
Turkeys	7	6	444,800	195,712	28	29	Fresno, Merced, Stanislaus, Kings, Tulare
Wool and Mohair	4	7	3,125	2,810	75	74	Kern, Imperial, Fresno, Solano, Sutter
			<i>(Millions)</i>				
Eggs, Chicken	6	5	4,938	323,708	27	22	San Diego, Santa Barbara, Santa Cruz, Monterey, San Luis Obispo
Other Livestock and Poultry	---	---	---	284,315	---	---	---

1/ Based on quantity produced for crops and on quantity marketed for livestock and poultry products.

2/ Based on value of quantity harvested for crops, value of quantity marketing for livestock, and value of quantity produced for poultry products.

3/ Based on values published in the county agricultural commissioners' annual crop reports.

4/ California share of U.S. production is less than one-half percent.

Number of Farms and Land in Farms; by Economic Sales Class, California, 1998-2007

Year	\$1,000- \$9,999	\$10,000- \$99,999	\$100,000+ a/			Total	Total	Average Size of Farms	
			\$100,000- \$249,999	\$250,000- \$499,999	\$500,000+				Total
			Number						\$100,000+
Number of Farms			<i>Number</i>						
1998	41,800	25,000	7,800	4,400	8,000	20,200	87,000	---	
1999	39,800	25,000	7,700	4,400	8,100	20,200	85,000	---	
2000	37,800	25,000	7,700	4,400	8,200	20,300	83,100	---	
2001	35,800	25,000	7,600	4,300	8,300	20,200	81,000	---	
2002	34,200	25,300	7,500	4,300	8,400	20,200	79,700	---	
2003	33,100	25,500	7,400	4,200	8,300	19,900	78,500	---	
2004	32,300	24,900	7,300	4,200	8,300	19,800	77,000	---	
2005	31,500	25,000	7,200	4,300	8,500	20,000	76,500	---	
2006	30,200	25,700	7,500	4,200	8,400	20,100	76,000	---	
2007	28,800	25,700	7,500	4,350	8,650	20,500	75,000	---	
Land in Farms			<i>1,000 Acres</i>					<i>Acres</i>	
1998	3,000	7,300	4,100	3,050	11,050	18,200	28,500	325	
1999	2,800	7,000	4,150	3,100	11,050	18,300	28,100	330	
2000	2,800	6,800	4,170	3,150	11,080	18,400	28,000	337	
2001	2,500	6,600	4,220	3,180	11,300	18,700	27,800	344	
2002	2,230	6,420	4,250	3,210	11,490	18,950	27,600	347	
2003	2,280	6,220	4,160	3,140	11,300	18,600	27,100	345	
2004	2,100	6,100	4,100	3,100	11,300	18,500	26,700	347	
2005	1,800	5,800	3,900	3,300	11,600	18,800	26,400	345	
2006	1,700	5,600	3,900	3,400	11,700	19,000	26,300	346	
2007	1,700	5,400	3,900	3,400	11,800	19,100	26,200	349	

a/ Estimates for \$100,000+ size groups began in 1998.

County Rank, Total Value of Production and Leading Commodities, 2007 a/

Rank		County b/	Total Value	Leading Commodities
2006	2007		\$1,000	
1	1	Fresno	5,345,352	Grapes, Almonds, Milk, Poultry, Tomatoes
2	2	Tulare	4,873,743	Milk, Oranges, Cattle and Calves, Grapes, Alfalfa Hay and Silage
4	3	Kern	4,092,107	Milk, Grapes, Citrus, Almonds and By-Products, Carrots
3	4	Monterey	3,823,287	Lettuce, Strawberries, Nursery, Broccoli, Grapes
5	5	Merced	3,001,667	Milk, Chickens, Almonds, Cattle and Calves, Tomatoes
6	6	Stanislaus	2,412,339	Milk, Almonds, Chickens, Cattle and Calves, Walnuts
7	7	San Joaquin	2,005,185	Milk, Grapes, Cherries, Almonds, Walnuts
11	8	Kings	1,761,852	Milk, Cotton, Cattle and Calves, Alfalfa, Pistachios
8	9	Ventura	1,547,263	Strawberries, Nursery Stock, Lemons, Celery, Tomatoes
9	10	San Diego	1,536,260	Foliage Plants, Trees and Shrubs, Bedding Plants, Avocados, Tomatoes
10	11	Imperial	1,369,147	Cattle, Alfalfa, Lettuce, Broccoli, Vegetables
12	12	Riverside	1,257,520	Nursery Stock, Milk, Table Grapes, Eggs, Hay
13	13	Madera	1,219,297	Milk, Grapes, Almonds, Pistachios, Replacement Heifers
14	14	Santa Barbara	1,103,323	Strawberries, Broccoli, Wine Grapes, Lettuce, Cauliflower
15	15	San Luis Obispo	653,870	Wine Grapes, Broccoli, Strawberries, Cattle and Calves, Vegetable Transplants
16	16	Sonoma	639,056	Wine Grapes, Milk, Livestock and Poultry, Livestock and Poultry Products, Ornamental Nursery
18	17	San Bernardino	572,167	Milk, Eggs, Cattle and Calves, Trees and Shrubs, Replacement Heifers
22	18	Glenn	493,504	Almonds, Rice, Dairy, Walnuts, Dried Plums
19	19	Butte	490,784	Almonds, Rice, Walnuts, Dried Plums, Nursery Stock
21	20	Santa Cruz	485,127	Strawberries, Raspberries, Vegetables, Indoor Cut Flowers, Landscape Plants
17	21	Napa	484,729	Wine Grapes, Nursery Products, Cattle and Calves, Livestock Products, Olives
20	22	Colusa	484,525	Rice, Almond Meats, Tomatoes, English Walnuts, Rice Seed
23	23	Yolo	453,539	Tomatoes, Alfalfa Hay, Wine Grapes, Rice, Seed Crops
24	24	Sutter	377,941	Rice, Walnuts, Peaches, Tomatoes, Dried Plums
25	25	Sacramento	364,859	Wine Grapes, Milk, Nursery Stock, Vegetables, Poultry
27	26	San Benito	293,090	Nursery Stock, Vegetable and Row Crops, Wine Grapes, Bell Peppers, Lettuce
30	27	Solano	268,255	Nursery Products, Alfalfa, Tomatoes, Cattle and Calves, Walnuts
26	28	Orange	255,216	Woody Ornamentals, Strawberries, Flower Propagative Materials, Potted Plants, Fruits and Nuts
29	29	Santa Clara	254,482	Nursery Crops, Mushrooms, Bell Peppers, Tomatoes, Steers and Heifers
28	30	Los Angeles	253,388	Trees and Shrubs, Bedding Plants, Root Vegetables, Orchard Fruit, Alfalfa Hay
33	31	Tehama	190,737	Walnuts, Almonds, Dried Plums, Olives, Milk
31	32	Siskiyou	176,504	Alfalfa Hay, Strawberry Nursery Plants, Cattle, Potatoes, Field Crops
32	33	San Mateo	168,751	Potted Plants, Nursery Stock, Cut Flowers, Mushrooms, Brussels Sprouts
34	34	Yuba	148,350	Rice, Walnuts, Peaches, Milk, Cattle and Calves
35	35	Mendocino	128,206	Wine Grapes, Pears, Cattle and Calves, Milk, Pasture
36	36	Humboldt	123,155	Nursery Products, Milk, Cattle and Calves, Energy Biomass, Pasture
37	37	Shasta	98,000	Forest Products, Hay, Stockers and Feeders, Strawberry Nursery Plants, Wild Rice
38	38	Modoc	91,807	Alfalfa Hay, Cattle and Calves, Potatoes, Vegetables, Wheat
39	39	Contra Costa	76,641	Sweet Corn, Cattle and Calves, Bedding Plants, Grapes, Tomatoes
40	40	Lake	71,868	Wine Grapes, Pears, Nursery Products, Walnuts, Cattle and Calves
43	41	Marin	67,133	Milk, Cattle and Calves, Poultry, Rangeland Pasture, Aquaculture
41	42	Lassen	59,565	Hay, Livestock, Strawberry Plants, Pastureland, Mint
42	43	Placer	52,381	Rice, Nursery Products, Cattle and Calves, Livestock and Products, Walnuts
44	44	Del Norte	46,628	Cows, Milk, Lily Bulbs, Woody Ornamentals, Calves
45	45	Alameda	42,441	Woody Ornamentals, Cattle and Calves, Wine Grapes, Rangeland Pasture, Nursery Products
48	46	Mono	36,887	Alfalfa, Stockers and Feeders, Steers, Heifers, Other Hay
47	47	El Dorado	34,643	Cattle and Calves, Wine Grapes, Rangeland Pasture, Christmas Trees, Nursery Products
46	48	Amador	28,433	Wine Grapes, Cattle and Calves, Rangeland Pasture, Fruits and Nuts, Livestock
49	49	Mariposa	28,247	Cattle and Calves, Rangeland, Poultry, Livestock and Poultry Products, Forest Products
50	50	Tuolumne	26,380	Livestock, Cattle and Calves, Range Pasture, Firewood, Bees
51	51	Plumas	21,100	Stocker and Feeders, Hay, Pasture, Cull Beef Cows, Fruits and Nuts
52	52	Inyo	19,980	Steers, Turf, Alfalfa, Heifers, Cows
53	53	Calaveras	15,414	Cattle and Calves, Wine Grapes, Poultry, Walnuts, Nursery Products
54	54	Nevada	9,566	Fed Heifers and Steers, Wine Grapes, Pasture, Cull Cows, Fruit and Vegetables
55	55	Sierra	6,514	Stocker and Feeders, Pasture, Hay, Cull Beef Cows, Fruits and Nuts
56	56	Alpine	4,723	Cattle and Calves, Rangeland, Pasture, Hay
58	57	Trinity	2,320	Cattle and Calves, Pasture, Wine Grapes, Fruits and Nuts, Hay
57	58	San Francisco	1,589	Vegetables, Cut Flowers

a/ Totals vary slightly from totals published by counties due to classification differences between county and State reports.

b/ Three County Agricultural Commissioners' Reports were not available at publication so 2003 data (last available report) was used for Trinity County, while 2006 data was used for Humboldt and Tuolumne counties for this report.

Seasonal Rainfall with Comparisons to Normal, 2007-2008

Stations	2006-2007		2007-2008		Normal Rainfall 1/ <i>Inches</i>
	Precipitation 1/	Percent of Normal	Precipitation 1/	Percent of Normal	
	<i>Inches</i>		<i>Inches</i>		
NORTH COAST					
Eureka	35.80	95	35.21	94	37.53
Ukiah	23.43	62	27.83	73	37.96
Santa Rosa	20.63	68	24.30	80	30.30
CENTRAL COAST					
San Francisco Airport	11.63	59	15.81	80	19.70
San Jose	9.46	66	11.33	79	14.42
Salinas Airport	8.43	68	10.67	86	12.44
Monterey FAA	7.03	38	7.57	40	18.72
King City	5.26	46	9.29	81	11.44
Paso Robles Airport	3.92	28	8.62	62	13.95
SACRAMENTO VALLEY					
Redding	22.73	68	25.26	76	33.30
Red Bluff FSS	12.74	57	15.05	68	22.29
Chico AFS	12.86	49	19.44	74	26.32
Marysville	12.26	58	15.68	75	21.04
Sacramento Airport	10.88	62	13.71	78	17.52
SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY					
Stockton WSO	7.94	57	10.22	73	13.95
Fresno	6.03	60	8.94	89	10.00
Bakersfield	3.06	53	2.53	44	5.72
SOUTH COAST					
Santa Maria Airport	5.10	41	11.62	94	12.36
Santa Barbara	7.21	44	15.93	98	16.25
Oxnard	6.09	40	14.32	94	15.22
Los Angeles	3.21	22	13.52	92	14.77
Riverside	1.67	17	6.33	66	9.58
San Diego Airport	3.85	39	7.50	76	9.90
SOUTHEASTERN INTERIOR					
Bishop	1.51	28	7.39	138	5.37
Lancaster	1.37	20	8.87	114	6.92
Daggett Airport	0.58	15	2.58	66	3.93
Thermal Airport	0.19	6	3.62	115	3.16
Blythe	3.85	107	2.15	60	3.60
Imperial	0.27	10	2.37	86	2.75
CASCADE-SIERRA					
Alturas	7.35	61	12.38	103	12.01
Mt. Shasta	29.63	72	29.71	80	37.02
Blue Canyon	49.47	74	37.96	57	67.04
Yosemite Valley	15.39	42	15.97	43	37.05

1/ Rainfall year is July 1 - June 30.

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