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Number of Colonies, Yield, Production, Stocks, Price, and Value – States and United States: 2019 and 2020

[Colonies which produced honey in more than one State were counted in each State.]

State	Honey producing colonies ¹	Yield per colony	Production	Stocks December 15 ²	Average price per pound ³	Value of production ⁴
	<i>1,000</i>	<i>pounds</i>	<i>1,000 pounds</i>	<i>1,000 pounds</i>	<i>dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
2019						
California	335	48	16,080	3,216	1.60	25,728
Hawaii	16	80	1,280	51	1.30	1,664
United States ^{5 6}	2,812	55.8	156,922	40,861	1.99	312,275
2020						
California	320	43	13,760	2,752	1.78	24,493
Hawaii	15	105	1,575	79	1.61	2,536
United States ^{5 6}	2,706	54.5	147,594	39,715	2.03	299,616

¹ Honey producing colonies are the maximum number of colonies from which honey was harvested during the year. It is possible to harvest honey from colonies which did not survive the entire year.

² Stocks held by producers.

³ Average price per pound based on expanded sales.

⁴ Value of production is equal to production multiplied by average price per pound.

⁵ Due to rounding, total colonies multiplied by total yield may not exactly equal production.

⁶ United States value of production will not equal summation of States.

Honey Price by Color Class – United States: 2019 and 2020

Color class	Price					
	Co-op and private		Retail		All	
	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020
	<i>dollars per pound</i>	<i>dollars per pound</i>	<i>dollars per pound</i>	<i>dollars per pound</i>	<i>dollars per pound</i>	<i>dollars per pound</i>
Water white, extra white, white	1.63	1.69	4.70	4.94	1.70	1.77
Extra light amber	1.70	1.76	3.63	4.64	1.90	1.88
Light amber, amber, dark amber	1.95	1.87	5.30	5.26	2.57	2.35
All other honey, area specialties	3.16	2.36	6.62	7.62	3.99	2.87
All honey	1.73	1.78	4.82	5.22	1.99	2.03

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