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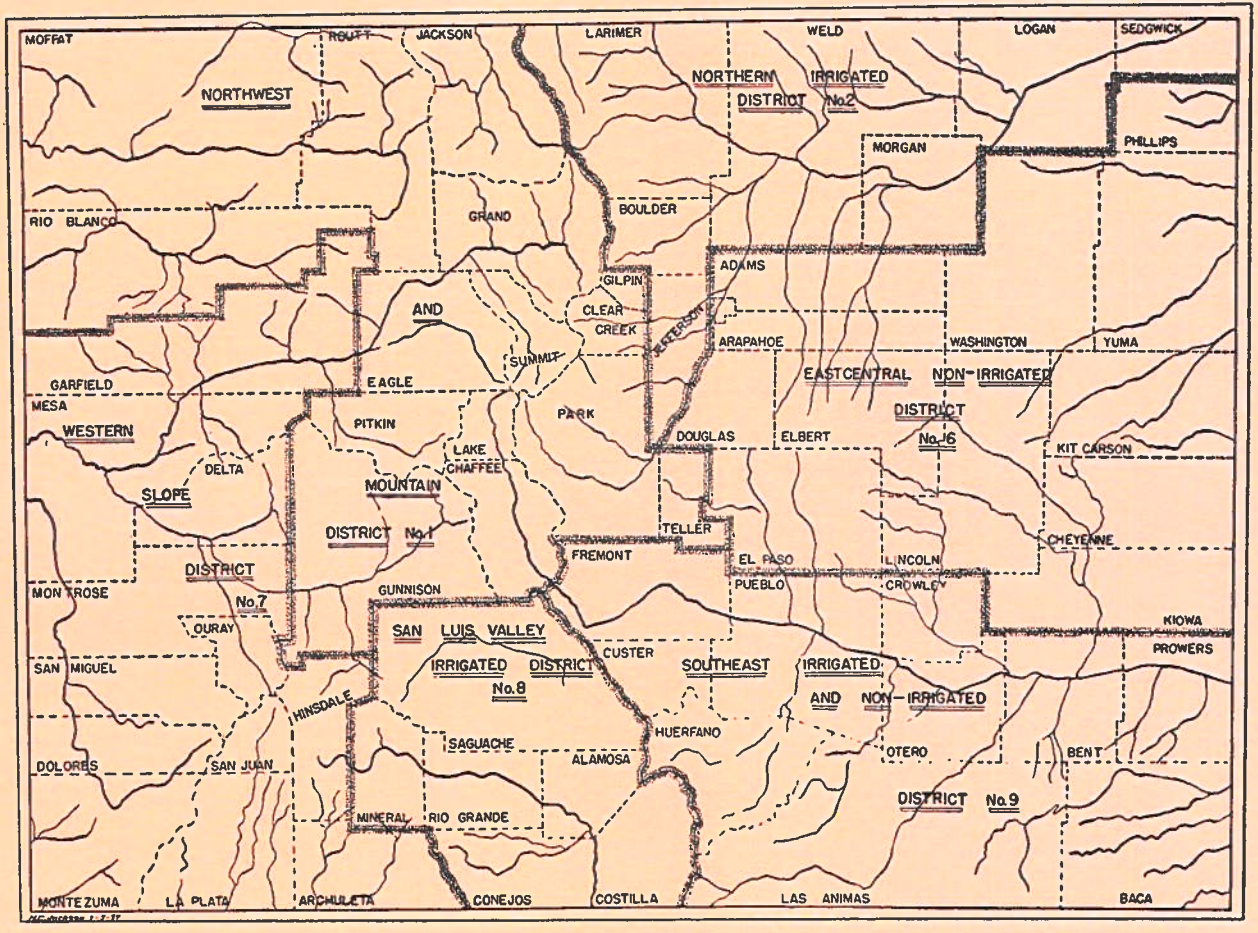

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REVIEW OF THE 1953 CROP SEASON

The aggregate production of principal field and fruit crops harvested in Colorado during the 1953 season was slightly below 1952 and average. The decline from 1952 resulted primarily from smaller crops of wheat, oats, and fruit. Despite this decline, the gross output attained from crops in 1953 remained at a comparatively high level. On the whole, when considering the many production hazards experienced during the growing season, the volume of the 1953 crops produced was a revelation of the production potential of Colorado agriculture. Snow pack was subnormal all along the Divide and many mountain ranges were bare very early in the season. Mountain soils were abnormally dry as a result of extreme deficiency in precipitation during the late summer and fall months of 1952. This further reduced early season runoff and resultant supplies of irrigation water. However, the very mild and open winter of 1952-53 permitted early and rapid progress with farm work east of the Continental Divide and seeding of small grains was completed early. Timely moisture in the form of late March snow enabled crops to get a favorable start. Despite the below normal snow pack in the mountains, summer precipitation and prudent use of the limited water supply resulted in bumper or near bumper yields per acre for some crops. Late spring frosts and freezing temperatures materially curtailed the volume of fruit produced. Severe drought conditions developed for the fourth successive year in a number of southeastern counties, limiting vegetative growth and causing heavy abandonment of acreage sown to wheat and other crops. The total acreage of principal crops harvested in 1953 at 6,260,000 acres was about 2 percent smaller than the 6,375,000 acres harvested in 1952. Yields per acre attained for corn harvested for grain set a new record high while yields of the principal cash crops of sugar beets, dry beans, and potatoes were second only to the record yields attained in 1952. Over-all volume of feed grains, hays and other roughages exceeded that produced in 1952.

Estimated receipts from the sale of farm products during 1953 totalled $483,000,000. This is below the record high income of $603,000,000 in 1952 and the second highest level of $572,000,000 in 1951. The smaller production of crops and lower prices received for several agricultural commodities, particularly cattle, sheep, dairy products, and potatoes, were factors lowering the cash income level in 1953. Farm wage rates eased downward about the middle of 1953 and late in the year were slightly lower than the record high wages paid a year earlier. Other farm operating costs continued relatively high, lowering profit margins and resulting net income.

Wheat—The production of winter wheat from the 1953 crop was placed at 42,191,000 bushels, about 23 percent smaller than the 1952 crop of 54,442,000 bushels but 17 percent above the 10-year (1942-51) average. Again in 1953, as in 1951 and 1952, an unusually large proportion of the wheat crop was produced in the northeastern quarter of the State. Loss of acreage was large in the southeastern quarter, especially in the counties bordering on Kansas. Most of the acreage was lost in Baca County. Although some difficulty was experienced with disease and pests which thinned some already poor stands, loss was primarily due to the absence of sufficient moisture at planting time, wind erosion and inadequate moisture during much of the growing season. Thin stands in the southeastern quarter, which did survive, filled well and generally yielded better than expected.

In the northeastern quarter of the State, hot dry June weather caused some premature ripening but the grain came through with generally good test weight and quality. Hail loss was extensive in Phillips County, the southwestern part of Sedgwick County and eastern Logan County. Most severe losses resulted from a fine, driving hail which struck just as harvest was beginning. Loss of acreage was considerable in Boulder, Larimer and western Weld Counties where wheat got off to a very poor start in the fall of 1952 because of moisture shortage. Even some of the irrigated fields in this area were abandoned because of poor stands, poor start and inability to supply water when needed.

Spring wheat production totalled 1,684,000 bushels compared with the 1952 crop of 1,462,000 bushels. Over one-half of the spring seeded wheat was produced on irrigated land. The yield per acre of spring wheat harvested from irrigated land was above average at 30 bushels. The relatively small harvested acreage

of non-irrigated spring wheat yielded 13.0 bushels per acre and was taken mostly from higher elevation areas. Value of the 1953 wheat crop was placed at $89,371.000, 22 percent under the 1952 crop which was valued at $114,530,000.

Potatoes—Potato production totalling 19,095,000 bushels in 1953 was only 1 percent smaller than the 1952 crop of 19,250,000 bushels but nearly 1½ million bushels larger than the average production of 17,598,000 bushels.

The crop was planted late and was behind usual early season development over most of the State, especially the early crop in northern Colorado and the acreage in the San Luis Valley. Cold weather which prevailed after planting time contributed to somewhat spotted stands. Although the crop got off to a slow start, growing conditions were generally favorable throughout July and most of August. Early September frost in the San Luis Valley hastened maturity and caused an undue percentage of small potatoes. As a result, total shipments from the Valley were smaller than the total available supply indicated due to the large proportion of these small "seed" potatoes. Digging of the late crop did not reach volume until late September and early October. Volume digging normally begins about mid-September.

The estimated 57,000 acres harvested in 1953 represented a 14 percent increase over the 50,000 acres harvested one year earlier. However, the yield for the State averaged 335 bushels, considerably below the record 1952 yield of 385 bushels. Yields were below those obtained in 1952 in all principal producing areas. The northern Colorado early crop was much smaller in 1953 than in 1952, but this was offset by a larger late crop. Nearly all of the net acreage increase in 1953 occurred in the San Luis Valley. A considerable increase in acreage was reported in the lower western valleys of the State, but even so, the acreage here was of minor importance in the State's total. Prices prevailing for sale of the 1953 crop were very unfavorable, primarily as the result of national over production. Season average price for the 1953 crop was only 73 cents per bushel, less than half the average price of $1.71 per bushel for the 1952 season and was by a big margin the lowest season average price in the past 11 years. Value of the 1953 potato crop was placed at only $13,939,000 compared with $32,918,000 for the 1952 crop.

Sugar Beets—The beet crop for 1953, estimated at 1,956,000 tons compared favorably with the crop of 1,941,000 tons produced in 1952 and the 10-year average of 1,887,000 tons. The fall season was extremely favorable for developing added tonnage and for harvest operations. Harvest of the beet crop was unusually rapid during the fall of 1953. The above average tonnage harvested during 1953 came from an estimated 115,500 acres with an average yield of 16.9 tons. This compared with a harvest of 112,900 acres in 1952 with a record yield of 17.2 tons per acre. Value of the 1953 sugar beet crop was estimated at $22,885,000, only slightly below the 1952 crop value of $23,098,000.

Dry Beans—The 1953 crop of dry beans totalled 2,307,000 bags (100 pound field run beans). This production, mostly pintos, exceeded both the 1,820,000 bags harvested in 1952 and the 10-year average output of 2,006,000 bags. (The Colorado crop of 2,192,000 bags (cleaned basis) of pintos in 1953 approached one-half of the U. S. record high total of 4,868,000 bags.)

The acreage devoted to the bean crop in 1953 was increased significantly over the previous year. Both the northern Colorado irrigated and the southwestern non-irrigated areas reported large increases with only the east-central non-irrigated area recording a slight reduction. As was the case in 1952, a larger than normal proportion of the 1953 bean crop was harvested in northern Colorado. Only minor adverse influences affected the crop in this area. Prospects for production on non-irrigated land were doubtful in early August but timely rains in the southwest revived the crop and yields were good. The average yield from irrigated land was 1,750 pounds, only 10 pounds under the record high yield obtained in 1952. The 1953 harvest was completed under generally favorable conditions and quality was good. The crop was a little later in 1953 than in 1952, but in the northern irrigated area, much of it was harvested and some beans were marketed by September 1. Prices for 1953 crop beans were below 1952. Total value of the 1953 crop was $15,563,000 compared with $14,325,000 received for the 1952 crop.

Corn—Production of all corn in 1953 was estimated at 12,832,000 bushels. The 1952 crop was 12,854,000 bushels and average production amounted to

14,568,000 bushels. Production of grain corn at 7,110,000 bushels in 1953 was 29 percent larger than the 1952 total. Above normal temperatures and warm nights which prevailed through much of July and August favored growth and maturity of some of the best quality corn ever produced in the state. Irrigated corn harvested for all purposes averaged approximately 54.5 bushels per acre, the highest of record. Production of corn silage of 1,200,000 tons in 1953 was considerably less than the 1,406,000 tons of corn ensilage placed in silos during the fall of 1952. Value of all corn for 1953 was placed at $20,018,000, compared with $20,952,000 for the 1952 crop.

Oats—The 1953 oats crop totalled only 5,458,000 bushels, considerably below the 1952 production of 5,826,000 bushels and the average of 6,070,000 bushels. The smaller production than that of a year earlier stemmed primarily from a 3 percent net drop in the harvested acreage, with the decrease occurring in irrigated areas. Total acreage harvested, both irrigated and non-irrigated, was only 185,000 acres. Planted acreage held up quite well however, and was near average. Considerable acreage was abandoned or diverted to hay. Total value of the 1953 crop was $4,476,000 compared with $5,418,000 for 1952.

Barley—Production of barley in 1953 amounted to 9,288,000 bushels against 8,612,000 in 1952 and 15,768,000 bushels the average. In the eastern non-irrigated areas, the 1953 season proved to be another poor barley year. However, in most irrigated sections the crop was quite good. Yields on irrigated land averaged 38 bushels while non-irrigated yields averaged 14.5 bushels. Total acreage harvested was 344,000 acres, 19,000 acres more than in 1952 but otherwise the lowest since 1935. Acreage planted was also much below average at 457,000 acres. Value of the 1953 barley crop was $10,403,000, 10 percent less than the corresponding total for 1952.

Sorghums—Production of sorghums for grain in 1953 totalled an estimated 1,890,000 bushels, over twice the short 1952 production of 896,000 bushels. The bulk of the crop was planted late but killing frosts held off longer than usual, permitting some of this late sorghum to mature grain. Sorghum forage cut in 1953 totalled 429,000 tons compared with 309,000 tons harvested during the 1952 season. Acreage harvested for grain totalled 180,000 acres with an average yield of 10.5 bushels. Sorghums averaging 6 tons of silage per acre were harvested from 12,000 acres. Forage yielding 1.05 tons per acre was harvested from 409,000 acres. A total of 601,000 acres were harvested for all purposes. However, approximately 25 percent of the 799,000 acres planted were abandoned.

Growing conditions were very spotted throughout the principal sorghum producing areas. Severe drought conditions existed within a few miles of other areas where bumper crops were being produced. Grain sorghums which received sufficient water, either from natural means or irrigation made excellent growth and produced bumper tonnage. This was especially true in the Arkansas Valley where an increased sorghum acreage was planted in anticipation of limited 1953 water supplies for the less drought resistant crops.

Hay Crops—The tonnage of all hay cut in 1953 estimated at 2,506,000 tons was slightly more than was harvested in 1952 and about 15 percent above the average of 2,178,000 tons. Alfalfa hay at 1,695,000 tons exceeded slightly the 1952 output of 1,654,000 tons and was the largest crop of this hay harvested during the past twenty-five years. A recent swing to more alfalfa brought the acreage cut to 737,000 in 1953 compared with 689,000 acres in 1952 and 610,000 acres in 1951. Dehydrating activities in the Arkansas Valley were less extensive in 1953 than in 1952, resulting in more loose and baled hay being available for feeding and sale in other areas. Production of wild hay during 1953 at 446,000 tons was near that of 1952 and average production. Wild hay was cut from 425,000 acres, slightly less than in 1952 and average. Yields, however, averaged 1.05 tons in 1953 compared with 1.00 tons in 1952 and .97 tons the 1942-51 average. Yields of all hays were generally good in most irrigated areas. Prices were lower for the 1953 crop than in any of the preceeding 3 years, averaging only $20.90 per ton (baled basis). Value of the 1953 crop was estimated at only $52,375,000, substantially under the $73,567,000 value of the 1952 production of all hay.

Broomcorn—The second smallest crop of broomcorn since 1939 was produced in 1953, being only 5,400 tons. This was 50 percent larger than the short 1952 crop of 3,600 tons but materially below the 10-year (1942-51) average production of 12,130 tons.

Although a limited acreage of broomcorn had been planted by the usual date, dry weather and resultant unfavorable soil moisture conditions delayed most seeding operations. Early July rains provided sufficient moisture to germinate the late planted crop with generally fair stands obtained. Moisture reserves provided by these rains, however, were depleted by late August and September with the resulting drought adversely affecting the crop. Fortunately, killing frost held off until much of the late planted corn matured brush.

Colorado, ordinarily a close second to Oklahoma in the production of broomcorn, barely maintained its place in 1953, producing considerably less than half the Oklahoma total. In the years 1942-51, Colorado produced an average of approximately 30 percent of the national broomcorn supply. In 1953 production amounted to only 17 percent. Value of the 1953 crop at an estimated average price of $300 per ton was $1,620,000, 23 percent above the 1952 crop value of $1,314,000. Prices were lower in 1953 ($300 compared with $365 in 1952), but increased production brought the total value above 1952. In most recent years, Colorado's broomcorn crop has exceeded a total value of 2½ million dollars.

Seed Crops—Production of **alfalfa seed** during 1953 was estimated at 2,070,000 pounds of clean seed. This was much below the 2,990,000 pounds of clean seed produced in 1952 and with the exception of 1951 when 2,000,000 pounds were produced, was the smallest crop since 1948. During the period 1942-51, alfalfa seed production averaged 2,100,000 pounds.

The smaller production in 1953 as compared with 1952 was the direct result of a sharp reduction in acreage harvested, as yields remained the same in both 1953 and 1952 at 115 pounds of clean seed per harvested acre. The 1953 crop was harvested from 18,000 acres. In 1952, 26,000 acres were cut.

In addition to the curtailed production, the price for the 1953 crop fell sharply to average only $21.80 per 100 pounds of clean seed compared with $29.90 in 1952 and $36.89 the 1942-51 average. The combination of low price and short production reduced the value of the 1953 alfalfa seed crop to only $451,000, only about half the $894,000 value of the 1952 crop and the lowest since 1942.

Sweetclover seed production in 1953 totalled 1,480,000 pounds of clean seed. Production in 1952 was 2,500,000 pounds and the average production during the years 1942-51 was 2,224,000 pounds. Both area cut at 8,000 acres and yield at 185 pounds were less than 1952 and average. Value of the 1953 sweetclover seed crop was estimated at $126,000, more than 40 percent below the value of $218,000 for the 1952 crop and less than half the average value of this crop.

The production of **sudan grass seed** in Colorado during 1953, at 17,160,000 pounds, was the largest of record dating back to 1929, and was over 4 times larger than the 1952 crop of 4,250,000 pounds and over 3 times the average production of 5,026,000 pounds. Timely summer rains in the important producing area of Kit Carson, Cheyenne, Lincoln and Kiowa counties stimulated crop growth and seed development. Thus, in this area, average to above average yields per acre were obtained from an expanded acreage. Colorado growers harvested an estimated 52,000 acres of sudan grass for seed in 1953 compared with 17,000 acres in 1952. Average yield obtained was 330 pounds in 1953 compared with 250 pounds in 1952.

FRUIT CROPS

Late frost and spring freezes cut the 1953 **commercial apple** crop to only 840,000 bushels, the smallest crop of record dating back to 1909. The 1953 crop was about ⅓ smaller than the 1,320,000 bushels harvested in 1952 and the average of 1,373,000 bushels. Production in 1953 was concentrated mainly in the principal carlot shipping area of Delta county. Thus, shipments of apples were larger than the size of the crop indicated. Only a moderate reduction in the amount of apples used for canning or freezing occurred. Fresh market sales reflected most of the big reduction in total crop. Nearly all of the apples in 1953 were of the Rome or Winesap variety. Size, color, and quality were good. Production of Delicious and Jonathans was very light. Very few apples were produced on the Eastern Slope.

Peach production during the 1953 season totalled 1,312,000 bushels, 36 percent under the 1952 production of 2,053,000 bushels and 26 percent less than the 1942-51 average of 1,761,000 bushels. Freezing temperatures and late spring frosts materially reduced production. However, the resultant light set permitted the development of a peach crop of good size and quality. The Palisade area suffered some damage, but escaped the severe temperatures which significantly reduced production in other Mesa County areas. The Delta county area, which had a comparatively large crop in 1952 was less than ⅓ as large in 1953.

The average price received for the 1953 crop of peaches was $2.95 per bushel, 65 cents above the 1952 price and above average. Marketing restrictions were not as stringent in 1953 and no fruit was abandoned on trees as in 1952. Volume shipments of the 1953 crop ran from August 26 through September 5 with the peak day August 31.

Pear production in 1953 totalled 150,000 bushels, the smallest crop since 1946. The 1952 crop totalled 208,000 bushels and the average for 1942-51 was 188,000 bushels. The average price for the short 1953 crop, however, was above 1952 and average at $2.60 per bushel. Total value of the 1953 crop was $390,000 compared with $468,000 in 1952.

Sweet Cherry production in 1953 totalled only 130 tons, far short of the 1,020 tons harvested the year before and the smallest production of record dating back to 1938. The 1953 season average price of $400 per ton returned a crop value of $52,000. The average price in 1952 was only $220.

Sour Cherry production was 750 tons in 1953, compared with 1,050 tons in 1952 and an average production of 3,243 tons. Prices were much better in 1953 however, and the value of the 1953 crop was virtually the same as that of the much larger 1952 crop, $146,000 and $147,000 respectively. Much of the 1953 crop was produced in the western counties, reflecting the decline of the industry in Larimer county.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

(1953 Crop)

A discussion of the 1953 vegetable deal in this section would amount to unnecessary repetition. Data covering acreage, production, and value of individual crops are shown as comparable data in the Review of the 1954 Season, found elsewhere in this text. Discussion of the characteristics and influencing factors pertaining to the 1953 season were given in the text of the 1952-53 edition of Colorado Agricultural Statistics published in 1954.

REVIEW OF THE 1954 CROP SEASON

(Preliminary Estimates)

Combined production of principal field and fruit crops harvested in Colorado during 1954 was sharply below both 1953 and average. Contributing greatly to the low aggregate production of all crops was the smallest winter wheat output since 1944. The eastern plains section experienced the most severe crop and pasture shortages since 1934, but production in eastern irrigated sections and in a goodly portion of western Colorado made a fair to good showing. For three important cash crops—potatoes, dry beans and sugar beets —production was 10 to 15 percent below 1953 and was also below average. Production of feed grains totalled only 16.7 million bushels against 23.7 million bushels in 1953 and 33.1 million bushels the 10-year average. Harvest of oats, barley and corn for grain were the smallest since the short crops of the mid-1930's. Total hay production at approximately 2 million tons was ½ million tons below 1953 and ¼ million tons below average. Above average fruit production in the lower western valleys provided the principal bright spot in the 1954 picture. In the west, apple production was the largest since 1949. The peach crop was the largest since 1945. However, fruit was near failure in eastern areas.

During 1954, farmers and ranchers in eastern Colorado were plagued with the most adverse weather conditions experienced in many years. At the outset of 1954, a major portion of that region was in the grip of drought

conditions that continued from 1953. Dry soil and lack of vegetative cover in this area enabled high winds early in the spring to start soil erosion and create large scale dust storms. The combined effect of dry soil and wind action caused extensive abandonment of fall sown wheat, barley and rye. To further aggravate this situation, spring and early summer moisture was extremely short and temperatures were considerably above normal. This inhibited normal seeding operations and contributed to excessive abandonment of spring planted crops. In some areas, range and pasture grasses did not green all season and others developed little vegetative growth. Irrigated crops felt the pinch of the shortage of ditch water due to the below normal snow pack. This contributed to uneven stands and more than usual abandonment of irrigated crops, particularly in northern Colorado. Due to the adverse weather during the growing season, about one-third of all crop acreage, or one of each three acres planted was abandoned. During the 1934 drought year, abandonment reached 44 percent of the total plantings. Abandonment during the past 10 years averaged about 15 percent. Indications are that receipts from sale of farm products during 1954 totalled $427 million. This compares with $483 million in 1953 and $603 million in 1952. The decline in cash receipts in 1954 is particularly significant when it is noted that a portion of the total resulted from sales of carryover 1953 production and cash realized from close selling and some liquidation of breeding stock.

Wheat—Production of winter wheat at 15,790,000 bushels was less than half the 1953 crop of 42,191,000 bushels and the 10-year (1943-52) average of 38,977,000 bushels. The 1954 winter wheat crop was the smallest since the 1944 output of 15,736,000 bushels. The extremely small crop stemmed from reduced plantings due to acreage allotments, abandonment of nearly one-half the seeded acreage, and a low average yield of only 10.0 bushels per harvested acre. The entire growing season was extremely unfavorable for the wheat crop and prospects deteriorated as the season progressed. As in the three preceding years, most of the 1954 winter wheat crop was harvested in the northeastern quarter of the state. Spring wheat at 710,000 bushels was the smallest crop in 46 years of record.

Potatoes—Potato production during 1954 at 17,280,000 bushels was 10 percent smaller than the 1953 crop of 19,095,000 bushels. Average production during the 10-year (1943-52) period was 17,939,000 bushels.

The area harvested in 1954 was indicated at 54,000 acres compared with 57,000 acres harvested in 1953. The 1954 crop yield per harvested acre was 320 bushels against a 335-bushel yield attained in 1953. Most of the 1954 acreage reduction occurred in northern Colorado as plantings in the San Luis Valley were nearly the same both years.

The crop had a poor start due to the spring drought and shortage of ditch water for irrigation. The influence of the latter was partially overcome during the growing season by heavier than usual application of pump water, particularly in the San Luis Valley. The adverse effect of irregular stands on production was offset in part by more uniform sizing of tubers. Also, the open fall and late frosts prolonged the growing season, adding bushelage to the crop. Weather was ideal for harvest in the San Luis Valley and in northern Colorado, but frequent showers caused difficulties in the western valleys.

Sugar Beets—The 1954 beet crop was 1,660,000 tons against 1,956,000 tons in 1953 and 1,864,000 tons the 10-year average. Plantings at 151,300 acres were 25 percent larger than in 1953 but extensive abandonment and lower yields per harvested acre resulted in the smaller production. Fall weather was favorable for late development and harvest in eastern areas. The estimated tonnage harvested in 1954 came from 115,300 acres with a yield of 14.4 tons. The 1953 crop was harvested from 115,500 acres with an average yield of 16.9 tons.

Dry Beans—The 1954 crop of dry beans totalled 1,991,000 bags (100 pound field run). This production, mostly pintos, was nearly 14 percent smaller than the 1953 crop of 2,307,000 bags and about one percent below the average production of 2,007,000 bags. The Colorado crop of 1,881,000 bags (clean basis) of pintos was 41 percent of the U. S. total of 4,567,000 bags. In 1953 Colorado produced 2,192,000 bags of clean pinto beans or 45 percent of the U. S. total pinto production of 4,868,000 bags.

The crop in northern Colorado was curtailed by the spring and summer drought and some acreage was planted the second time before satisfactory stands were obtained. The southwest non-irrigated crop looked promising early in the season but did not measure up to earlier expectations due to adverse weather during August and at harvest. An extended rainy period at harvest time caused considerable loss in fields of southwestern Colorado and in the Montrose-Olathe area due to beans shattering from pods.

During 1954, 262,000 acres of beans were harvested compared with 224,000 acres a year earlier. The yield per acre was 760 pounds against the 1953 yield of 1,030 pounds. Yields on the non-irrigated crop averaged about 325 pounds while the average yield from irrigated land was 1,500 pounds during 1954. A year earlier, the non-irrigated land produced an average of 430 pounds per acre and irrigated land returned 1,750 pounds per harvested acre.

Corn—Production of all corn is placed at 9,325,000 bushels, the smallest crop in 15 years. The 1954 crop was not quite three-fourths as large as the 1953 crop of 12,832,000 bushels and about two-thirds the average crop of 14,030,000 bushels. Production of corn for grain amounted to 3,843,000 bushels compared with 7,110,000 bushels harvested the preceding year and 9,342,000 bushels the average. Although a larger proportion of the acreage was harvested for silage in 1954, the 1,105,000 tons of ensilage placed in silos in the fall was 8 percent less than utilized for this purpose in 1953 because of lower yields per acre.

Oats and Barley—The 1954 season was extremely unfavorable for the production of oats and barley. Much of the expanded acreage of barley seeded in eastern Colorado on lands diverted from wheat was abandoned due to drought conditions. The 1954 oats crop totalled only 3,614,000 bushels compared with the 1953 crop of 5,458,000 bushels and the average of 6,088,000 bushels. The harvest in 1954 gave the smallest volume since 1934 for oats and since 1935 for barley.

Sorghums—The production of sorghums for grain was placed at 2,210,000 bushels compared with a 1,890,000-bushel harvest in 1953 and an average of 2,660,000 bushels. Growing conditions were extremely spotted but later than usual frosts permitted harvest of grain from some late planted sorghums. A larger than usual acreage of sorghums was harvested in northeastern Colorado. Sorghums harvested for forage totalled 453,000 tons compared with 429,000 tons in 1953 and 398,000 tons, the average.

Broomcorn—A short broomcorn crop of only 4,000 tons was produced in 1954, compared with 5,400 tons harvested in 1953 and an average production of 11,470 tons. With the exception of 1952, the 1954 broomcorn crop was the smallest since 1939.

The 1954 crop season in the principal producing areas was very erratic. Soil moisture conditions were unfavorable for planting and germination of the crop in Baca County during the normal planting season. This early planted broomcorn encountered adverse conditions from planting until mid-July when local rains relieved the situation. Much of the early planted acreage was abandoned because of thin stands and poor quality which resulted from the intermittent growth pattern. Plantings continued into late July. Rains at that time encouraged planting with the primary interest of many farmers being to establish cover on the land. An unusually late frost date in the fall of 1954 enabled more of this corn to reach maturity than was anticipated. Most of the tonnage produced came from the late planted crop.

During the period 1943-52, Colorado produced 29 percent of the Nation's broomcorn. The short 1954 crop was only 15 percent of the National total. Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico all produced more broomcorn than Colorado in 1954. Ordinarily, Colorado is a close second to Oklahoma.

An average price of $330.00 per ton was indicated for the 1954 broomcorn crop.

Seed Crops—Alfalfa seed production during 1954 was estimated at 1,955,000 pounds against 2,070,000 pounds in 1953 and 2,269,000 pounds the 10-year average. **Sweetclover seed** production totalled 600,000 pounds. This compares with a harvest of 1,480,000 pounds of seed in 1953 and the average of 2,324,000

pounds. **Sudangrass seed** harvested was 7,750,000 pounds against the record 17,160,000-pound harvest in 1953.

Hay Crops—Spring and summer drouth over much of the state plus a short flow of irrigation water curtailed 1954 hay production. Production of **all hay** totalled 1.986,000 tons against 2,506,000 tons harvested in 1953 and 2,194,000 tons the 10-year average. Fairly heavy fall cuttings of **alfalfa hay** contributed much to the 1,424,000 ton harvest of this crop as spring and mid-summer cuttings were extremely light. Production was 1,695,000 tons in 1953 and the average was 1,386,000 tons. **Wild hay** harvested amounted to only 248,000 tons, the smallest since 1934. This compared with a 446,000-ton harvest in 1953 and an average of 431,000 tons. A rather mild, open fall over much of the state tended to limit early season hay feeding requirements.

FRUIT CROPS

The 1954 commercial **apple** crop was 1,540,000 bushels compared with 840,000 bushels harvested in 1953 and the average of 1,346,000 bushels. September rains favored the late crop in the important western Colorado shipping area. **Peaches** totalled 2,230,000 bushels against 1,312,000 bushels harvested in 1953 and 1,817,000 bushels, the 10-year average. The 1954 crop season was extremely favorable for peaches in Mesa County and adjacent areas resulting in the second largest harvest on record. **Pears** produced in 1954 amounted to 230,000 bushels. This compares with 150,000 bushels harvested a year earlier and the average of 192,000 bushels. A large **sweet cherry** crop of 1,050 tons was harvested in 1954 compared with only 130 and 535 tons, respectively, for 1953 and the average. **Sour Cherry** production was only 1,700 tons against 750 tons in 1953 and 3,065 tons, the average.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES
(1954 Crop)

Colorado vegetable growers maintained a commendable level of production in 1954 despite adverse growing conditions. A noteworthy observation is that, while the acreage harvested for fresh market and processing was down 11 percent from 1953 and 26 percent from the average of recent years, production was off only 8 and 18 percent respectively. This high level of production is made further obvious by comparison with other states. In 1954, Colorado ranked 15th among the states in acres harvested for fresh market but moved up to 9th place in total production. An equally favorable showing was recorded for vegetables grown for processing. A critical shortage of reservoir water for irrigation was only partly alleviated by July rains and water from an increasing number of wells. This resulted in a sizeable reduction in the acreage planted to vegetables. The weather was most unfavorable in June with a severe freeze on the 7th, followed by abnormally high temperatures later in the month. Hundreds of acres of tender vegetation were destroyed and hardy plants suffered definite setbacks. However, the weather was generally favorable from July through a late fall, which permitted recovery of the June setback for most crops and maturity of the late replanted acreage. Losses from hail and diseases were smaller than usual.

The combined total of 36,920 acres of vegetables grown for fresh market and for processing in 1954 yielded an aggregate production of 255,100 tons valued at $11,875,000. In 1953, 41,600 acres produced 277,900 tons of vegetables worth $12,320,000. For the average of recent years, the area grown for harvest was 50,000 acres, production was 312,700 tons and the farm value of these crops was $14,179,000.

Onions—Although Colorado's 1954 dry onion crop was the smallest since 1938 and amounted to only one-third the peak output of 1944, it continued to hold top spot in the state's vegetable industry with a production of 2,470,000 sacks (50 lbs.) valued at $2,717,000. The 1953 crop of 2,950,000 sacks was evaluated at $1,475,000 and the 1949-52 average was 4,032,000 sacks worth $5,131,000. A total of 5,200 acres were harvested in 1954 against 5,900 a year earlier and 9,150 acres the 4-year average. The most significant departure in 1954 from a normal condition was the unusually large abandonment of 1,100 acres early in the season, caused mostly by insufficient water for irrigation. On a National scope, Colorado accounted for almost 8 percent of the Nation's fall and winter onion supplies and ranked 5th among the states in the late summer group.

Cabbage—Cabbage is the second most important vegetable grown in Colorado and production in 1954 amounted to almost 10 percent of the country's summer and fall cabbage. This year's 4,950 acres produced 59,100 tons valued at $1,395,000 compared with 4,400 acres, 55,700 tons and $2,000,000 in 1953. Although production in 1954 was 6 percent larger, the value of the crop was 30 percent below the 1953 evaluation. The average for recent years was 4,740 acres, 61,400 tons and $1,392,000.

Tomatoes—Tomatoes were the third ranking vegetable in 1954 with a combined production of 35,040 tons. Production for processing totalled 25,500 tons worth $609,000, against 27,300 tons and $710,000 in 1953 while the crop grown for fresh market in 1954 amounted to 360,000 bushels valued at $666,000, compared with 480,000 bushels and $816,000 a year earlier.

Lettuce—The area devoted to lettuce has held fairly constant in recent years while many other crops have declined more or less sharply. In 1954, lettuce ranked second in acreage, third in value and fourth in production. A total of 5,000 acres produced 600,000 crates with a farm value of $1,320,000. In 1953, 4,600 acres yielded 552,000 crates worth $1,628,000. The average of recent years was 5,300 acres, 651,000 crates and $929,000.

Carrots—This crop has increased in importance steadily since 1949, largely because of the rapid expansion of the "prepackage" marketing technique. In 1954, 2,400 acres yielded 588,000 bushels against 1,800 acres and 450,000 bushels in 1953 and 1,450 acres and 370,000 bushels the 1949-52 average.

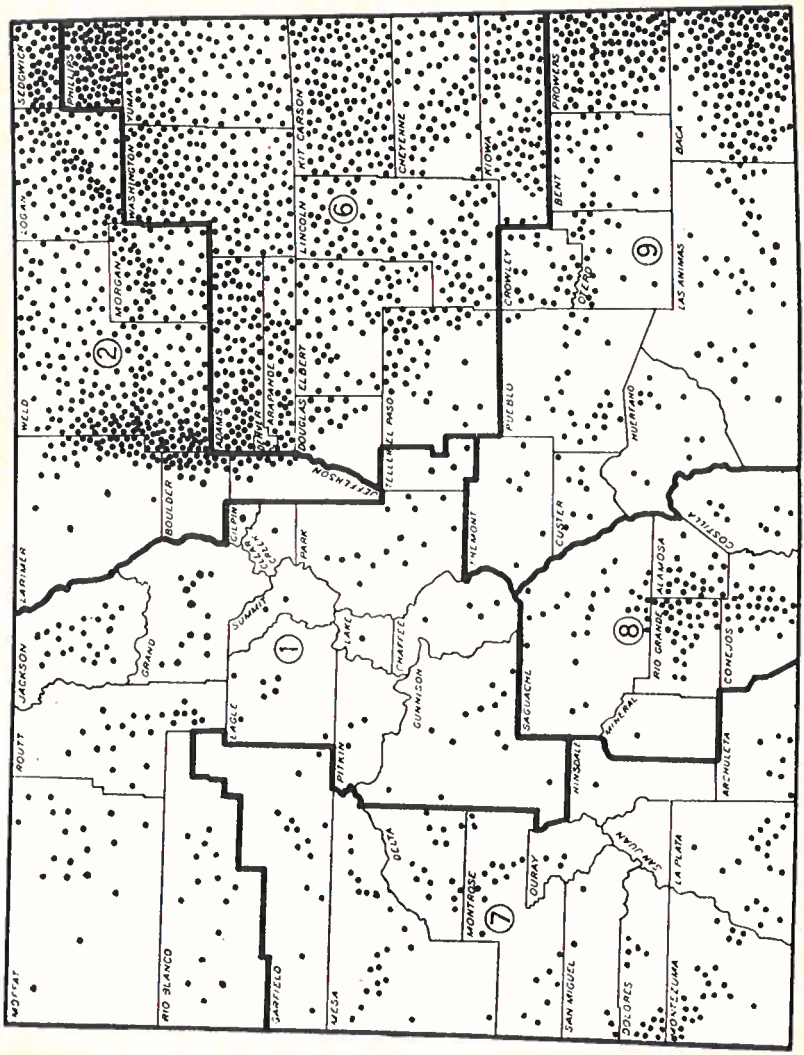
Cantaloups—Cantaloups have been making a moderate but consistent comeback since dropping to the lowest level of record in 1951, but are still far short of the six to nine thousand-acre deals recorded for the early years, 1928-33. In 1954, 1,900 acres produced 238,000 crates against 1,700 acres and 204,000 crates a year earlier.

Cauliflower—In 1949, the area devoted to cauliflower dropped below 3,000 acres for the first time since 1937 and declined each year thereafter to a low of 800 acres in 1954, the smallest acreage harvested in 30 years. This was 47 percent smaller than the acreage harvested in 1953. Part of this sharp drop from a year earlier was due to smaller plantings but the crop was further reduced by one of the heaviest abandonments of record following the severe freeze in June. Production in 1954 totalled 300,000 crates—the smallest since 1926—and compares with 525,000 crates in 1953 and 680,000 crates the 1949-52 average.

Snap Beans—Production for processing in 1954 amounted to 6,300 tons valued at $581,000 while the fresh market crop was estimated at 116,000 bushels bearing a cash value of $307,000. In 1953, the canning crop of 5,400 tons brought $519,000 to growers and the fresh market output of 112,000 bushels was worth $291,000. The area devoted to processing has held fairly constant since 1949 but the acreage harvested for fresh consumption in recent years has amounted to little more than a third of earlier years.

Other Crops—Acreage and production respectively in 1954 compared with 1953 are shown as follows: **Celery:** 900 acres and 450,000 crates in 1954 compared with 1,000 acres and 475,000 crates in 1953. **Cucumbers** for pickles: 2,300 acres and 485,000 bushels against 2,950 acres and 690,000 bushels. **Sweet corn** for fresh market: 3,100 acres and 310,000 5-doz. ears compared with 3,500 acres and 385,000 5-doz. ears. **Green peas:** for processing, 700 acres and 460 tons (shelled) against 3,600 acres and 2,660 tons; for fresh market, 1,600 acres and 128,000 bushels compared with 1,800 acres and 153,000 bushels. **Spinach:** 700 acres and 140,000 bushels against 800 acres and 160,000 bushels.

TOTAL CROP LAND (1950 FEDERAL CENSUS — ACRES HARVESTED, FAILURE, IDLE AND FALLOW IN 1949)



WHY CROP AND LIVESTOCK REPORTS

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

They aid farmers in planning their production and marketing.

They are essential in enacting wise legislation affecting Agriculture.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

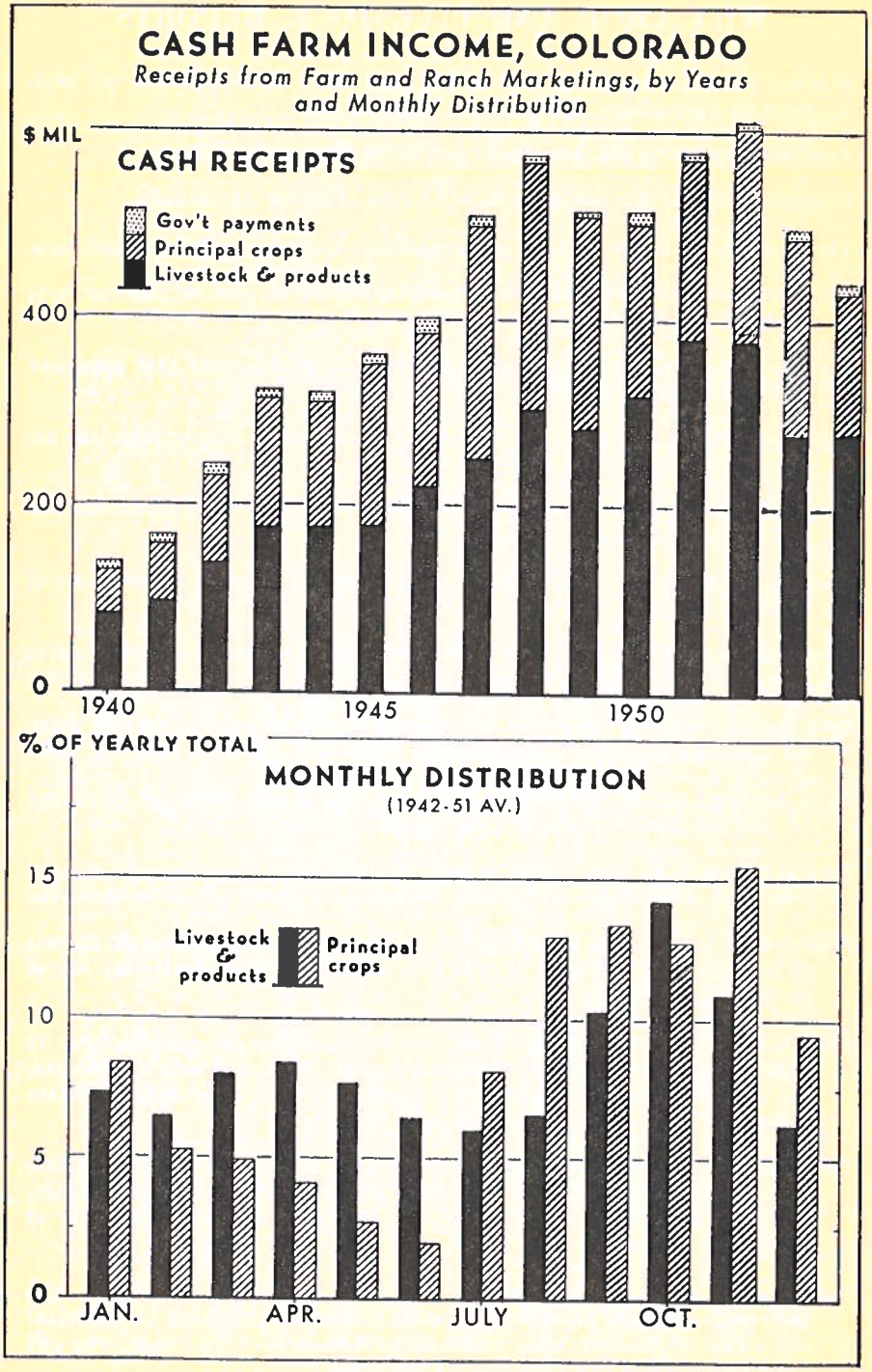
They are a guide to farm resources and for developing new resources such as irrigation, electric power, location of food processing and other factories.

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

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

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

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


CASH FARM INCOME, COLORADO
Receipts from Farm and Ranch Marketings, by Years and Monthly Distribution
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CASH FARM INCOME, GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS, AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS CONSUMED ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED

COLORADO—1945-1954

Year	Cash Income from Farm Marketings			Government Payments [1]	Cash Farm Income and Government Payments [2]	Value of Products Consumed on Farms Where Produced [3]	Cash Income, Government Payments and Value of Products Consumed on Farms Where Produced
	Crops	Livestock and Livestock Products	Total				
	In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)						
1945	161,223	180,729	341,952	13,953	355,905	14,566	370,471
1946	163,449	223,310	386,759	117,042	403,801	16,679	420,480
1947	249,018	253,318	502,336	11,321	513,657	19,607	533,264
1948	262,161	306,093	568,254	9,456	577,710	19,692	597,402
1949	230,115	281,492	511,607	3,472	515,079	16,835	531,914
1950	184,020	319,421	503,441	11,856	515,297	12,916	528,213
1951	185,097	386,660	571,757	8,659	580,416	15,332	595,748
1952	226,709	376,291	603,000	7,740	610,740	14,616	625,356
1953	205,942	277,365	483,307	10,344	493,651	13,673	507,324
1954[1]	148,507	278,359	426,866	11,215	438,081	------	------
UNITED STATES—1945-54							
	In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)						
1945	9,418,705	11,964,006	21,382,711	742,153	22,124,864	2,218,045	24,342,909
1946	10,834,370	13,730,206	24,564,576	771,680	25,336,256	2,527,930	27,864,186
1947	13,229,353	16,475,858	29,705,211	313,813	30,019,024	2,665,719	32,684,743
1948	13,134,685	17,071,360	30,206,045	256,505	30,462,550	2,634,953	33,097,503
1949	12,584,848	15,358,612	27,943,460	185,453	28,128,913	2,189,301	30,318,214
1950	12,382,224	15,975,585	28,357,809	283,458	28,641,267	2,006,797	30,648,064
1951	13,187,365	19,611,404	32,798,769	285,565	33,084,334	2,242,950	35,327,284
1952	14,248,583	18,444,642	32,693,225	274,530	32,967,755	2,159,408	35,127,163
1953	14,149,492	17,263,399	31,412,891	213,089	31,625,980	2,052,667	33,678,647
1954[1]	13,270,410	16,683,463	29,953,873	257,301	30,211,174	------	------

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

[2]Total of columns 3 and 4.

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

[1]Preliminary.

CASH FARM INCOME FROM SALES, BY CROPS AND BY GROUPS OF LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, CALENDAR YEARS 1945-54

Year	Corn	All Wheat	Rye	Oats	Barley	Hay	Potatoes	Beans	Sugar Beets	Fruit Crops
	In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)									
1945	5,085	40,607	866	1,188	9,838	7,581	18,136	7,797	20,226	11,128
1946	5,705	48,416	645	930	8,675	11,114	17,513	9,927	19,566	9,140
1947	7,676	96,814	734	1,579	9,269	10,279	21,118	22,062	28,220	10,189
1948	9,333	127,336	304	1,472	6,682	12,097	30,525	22,345	13,262	8,393
1949	5,727	101,209	157	1,460	10,589	13,627	21,627	15,041	19,279	6,945
1950	5,609	72,537	216	1,540	5,899	11,766	18,465	10,896	23,367	6,842
1951	5,568	69,320	140	1,286	3,160	17,171	17,477	9,574	23,756	4,996
1952	5,878	93,114	201	1,579	4,077	17,832	27,143	12,302	23,211	8,110
1953	3,359	85,167	---	1,236	4,387	13,629	15,512	17,540	27,938	7,179

Year	Cattle and Calves	Hogs	Sheep and Lambs	Wool	Chickens	Eggs	Turkeys	Dairy Products	Commercial Vegetables
	In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)								
1945	95,437	13,373	24,064	5,154	6,546	10,770	5,218	22,452	23,656
1946	127,102	12,771	29,566	4,847	5,267	10,852	6,264	26,218	17,666
1947	149,803	17,830	29,347	4,465	4,636	10,582	4,661	30,767	26,421
1948	197,438	19,383	34,033	4,590	4,463	11,448	4,620	31,112	15,272
1949	182,932	16,895	29,763	4,489	4,831	11,881	5,030	27,740	19,694
1950	214,915	16,791	34,262	6,215	4,259	9,743	4,555	27,605	10,089
1951	259,351	18,989	39,910	13,706	5,524	11,716	5,263	30,393	15,951
1952	264,493	16,563	36,493	4,450	4,413	10,673	4,556	32,206	58,785
1953	178,327	11,332	25,775	6,798	4,652	11,948	4,366	30,773	49,568
1954	192,250	12,922	23,353	----	----	9,589	----	----	----

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS COMPARED WITH VALUE OF MINERALS AND TOTAL INCOME PAYMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS—1929-1954

Year	Total Income[1] Payments (000,000)	Gold[2] and Silver (000)	Zinc[2] (000)	Copper[2] and Lead (000)	Coal[2] (000)	Crude[2] Petroleum (000)	Total[2] Mineral Products (000)[3]	Receipts From Farm Marketings (000)
1929	$ 633	$ 6,761	$ 3,885	$ 4,647	$26,254	$ 2,380	$ 55,332	$201,116
1930	580	6,205	3,481	3,580	21,485	1,480	46,271	172,715
1931	478	5,460	1,230	1,252	15,944	825	32,970	177,452
1932	362	7,097	7	595	12,237	880	25,800	75,141
1933	358	6,972	108	796	11,350	540	27,259	79,206
1934	404	13,603	66	1,216	12,063	1,060	39,473	92,668
1935	446	15,600	106	1,670	13,675	1,420	44,414	103,428
1936	538	17,403	117	2,300	16,277	1,660	56,215	131,905
1937	584	17,754	552	3,801	18,327	1,800	67,339	147,143
1938	526	17,989	437	3,647	14,828	1,540	60,369	114,015
1939	563	18,607	190	3,522	14,621	1,330	64,145	125,222
1940	589	19,762	638	3,894	16,644	1,480	63,188	128,911
1941	695	18,493	2,358	3,026	19,654	2,300	73,961	159,157
1942	990	11,604	5,992	2,301	23,163	2,440	95,279	232,819
1943	1,144	6,709	5,924	2,972	27,512	2,620	88,534	314,630
1944	1,157	5,500	9,110	3,115	29,261	3,530	80,202	310,913
1945	1,274	5,136	8,228	3,333	28,085	5,780	77,236	341,952
1946	1,380	6,801	8,820	4,282	23,915	15,650	77,573	386,759
1947	1,626	8,204	9,376	6,287	28,772	29,680	102,449	502,336
1948	1,732	8,143	12,014	9,999	27,826	45,730	128,861	568,254
1949	1,698	6,212	11,830	9,433	23,735	61,030	141,165	511,607
1950	1,840	7,724	13,000	8,599	19,500	59,420	145,995	503,441
1951	2,139	6,601	20,280	12,051	21,170	70,670	178,680	571,757
1952	2,315	6,907	17,663	11,426	19,202	74,340	183,612	603,000
1953	2,367	6,164	8,696	7,388	19,330	98,644	211,670	483,307
1954	----	6,402	7,714	7,428	16,107	120,000	241,800	426,866

[1] Data for 1929-52 are taken from the August 1953 issue—"Survey of Current Business" published by the U. S. Dep't. of Commerce, under the heading "Total Income Payments to Individuals." Subsequent years from subsequent issues. Included in the total are many agencies public and private which pay cash to individuals and investors. For complete detail see "Technical Notes" in August 1950 issue—"Survey of Current Business."

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

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

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

RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF PRINCIPAL FARM PRODUCTS

1944-1954 (Thousand Dollars)

MONTH	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954[1]
PRINCIPAL CROPS											
Jan.	$ 9,095	$ 11,273	$ 14,995	$ 15,763	$ 30,343	$ 17,735	$ 24,904	$ 20,020	$ 18,959	$ 23,769	$ 17,133
Feb.	7,634	6,537	7,716	14,352	14,254	12,363	10,613	11,241	11,102	8,289	11,070
Mar.	7,324	6,822	3,451	12,466	15,318	11,432	12,040	8,610	9,599	8,452	5,828
Apr.	6,395	4,259	2,871	7,646	15,727	8,207	11,508	11,584	6,867	7,775	6,019
May	4,139	3,150	2,920	4,967	11,390	12,154	4,083	2,760	5,666	9,984	4,607
June	3,480	1,861	5,007	3,983	6,627	10,719	1,951	—316	4,243	9,917	7,066
July	6,848	14,614	19,498	21,703	33,333	17,314	12,211	12,210	23,144	16,183	12,958
Aug.	18,559	29,543	25,576	35,231	26,245	28,250	21,370	27,266	37,224	21,430	16,684
Sept.	16,393	25,084	17,993	35,065	26,352	32,883	23,790	22,016	35,253	28,457	18,380
Oct.	23,274	20,477	16,720	30,653	34,030	28,988	16,432	22,497	29,294	26,881	17,470
Nov.	20,778	23,897	27,042	39,071	24,590	30,547	24,434	27,233	27,156	27,206	18,994
Dec.	7,171	13,706	19,660	28,118	23,952	19,523	20,684	19,976	18,202	17,599	12,298
Total	$131,090	$161,223	$163,449	$249,018	$262,161	$230,115	$184,020	$185,097	$226,709	$205,942	$148,507
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS											
Jan.	$ 11,546	$ 12,527	$ 13,597	$ 20,908	$ 22,074	$ 25,615	$ 22,336	$ 33,213	$ 30,769	$ 24,008	$ 23,757
Feb.	14,658	12,895	16,654	16,427	18,103	17,984	19,980	27,026	29,730	18,686	17,790
Mar.	18,091	14,983	17,187	20,302	22,862	24,058	23,244	32,259	32,899	23,558	24,740
Apr.	17,247	15,524	17,643	19,009	24,259	23,795	23,725	34,247	34,035	25,400	25,582
May	17,314	13,864	10,724	16,248	24,589	20,797	27,840	32,327	30,347	23,100	23,509
June	10,952	11,528	8,496	15,236	23,169	17,382	24,541	24,596	25,584	21,269	21,905
July	9,805	10,638	13,972	14,280	19,032	15,677	23,727	26,078	24,632	17,491	15,298
Aug.	12,537	11,100	14,424	13,775	20,506	20,685	23,416	23,245	26,480	21,066	21,459
Sept.	20,275	14,787	19,699	26,069	34,476	29,550	36,296	36,983	33,423	26,718	27,294
Oct.	22,583	28,101	38,338	42,463	41,688	39,992	40,803	57,110	44,189	31,782	31,228
Nov.	18,847	22,418	33,293	28,263	33,815	26,168	31,168	35,296	35,026	28,212	29,817
Dec.	13,157	12,364	19,283	20,338	21,520	19,789	22,345	24,280	29,177	16,075	15,980
Total	$187,012	$180,729	$223,310	$253,318	$306,093	$281,492	$319,421	$386,660	$376,291	$277,365	$278,359
CROPS, LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS											
Jan.	$ 20,641	$ 23,800	$ 28,592	$ 36,671	$ 52,417	$ 43,350	$ 47,240	$ 53,233	$ 49,728	$ 47,777	$ 40,890
Feb.	22,292	19,432	24,370	30,779	32,357	30,347	30,593	38,267	40,832	26,975	28,860
Mar.	25,415	21,805	20,638	32,768	38,180	35,490	35,284	40,869	42,498	32,010	30,568
April	23,642	19,783	20,514	26,655	39,986	32,002	35,238	45,831	40,902	33,175	31,601
May	21,453	17,014	13,644	21,215	35,979	32,951	31,923	35,087	36,013	33,084	28,11
June	14,432	13,389	13,503	19,219	29,796	28,101	26,492	24,280	29,827	31,186	28,97
July	16,653	25,252	33,470	35,983	52,365	32,991	35,938	38,288	47,776	33,674	28,25
Aug.	31,096	40,643	40,000	49,006	46,751	48,935	44,786	50,511	63,704	42,496	38,14
Sept.	36,668	39,871	37,692	61,134	60,828	62,433	60,086	58,999	68,676	55,175	45,67
Oct.	45,857	48,578	55,058	73,116	75,718	68,980	57,235	79,607	73,483	58,663	48,69
Nov.	39,625	46,315	60,335	67,334	58,405	56,715	55,602	62,529	62,182	55,418	48,81
Dec.	20,328	26,070	38,943	48,456	45,472	39,312	43,029	44,256	47,379	33,674	28,27
Total	$318,102	$341,952	$386,759	$502,336	$568,254	$511,607	$503,441	$571,757	$603,000	$483,307	$426,86
PERCENT OF YEARLY RECEIPTS RECEIVED EACH MONTH (COMPUTED FROM ABOVE TABLES											
Jan.	6.5	7.0	7.4	7.3	9.2	8.5	9.4	9.3	8.2	9.9	9.
Feb.	7.0	5.7	6.3	6.1	5.7	5.9	6.1	6.7	6.8	5.6	6.
Mar.	8.0	6.4	5.3	6.5	6.7	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.0	6.6	7.
Apr.	7.4	5.8	5.3	5.3	7.1	6.3	7.0	8.0	6.8	6.9	7.
May	6.8	5.0	3.5	4.2	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.0	6.8	6.
June	4.5	3.9	3.5	3.8	5.3	5.5	5.3	4.3	4.9	6.4	6.
July	5.2	7.4	8.7	7.2	9.2	6.4	7.1	6.7	7.9	7.0	6
Aug.	9.8	11.9	10.4	9.8	8.2	9.6	8.9	8.8	10.6	8.8	8
Sept.	11.5	11.6	9.7	12.2	10.7	12.2	11.9	10.3	11.4	11.4	10
Oct.	14.4	14.2	14.2	14.6	13.3	13.5	11.4	13.9	12.2	12.1	11
Nov.	12.5	13.5	15.6	13.4	10.3	11.1	11.1	10.9	10.3	11.5	11
Dec.	6.4	7.6	10.1	9.6	8.0	7.7	8.5	7.8	7.9	7.0	6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100

[1]Preliminary.

COLORADO CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1953

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total[1]		Per Unit	Total
Corn, All	422,000[2]	401,000	32.0	12,832,000	Bu.	$ 1.56	$ 20,018,000
Corn, for Grain	------	237,000	30.0	7,110,000	Bu.	---	------
Oats, for Grain	237,000[2]	185,000	29.5	5,458,000	Bu.	.82	4,476,000
Barley, for Grain	457,000[2]	344,000	27.0	9,288,000	Bu.	1.12	10,403,000
Winter Wheat	3,902,000	2,722,000	15.5	42,191,000	Bu.	2.04	86,070,000
Spring Wheat	101,000[2]	91,000	18.5	1,684,000	Bu.	1.96	3,301,000
Rye, for Grain	58,000[2]	23,000	8.0	184,000	Bu.	1.12	206,000
Dry Beans	234,000	224,000	1030[3]	2,307,000	100-lb. Bag	7.10[4]	15,563,000[4]
Field Peas	14,000	6,000	1100[3]	66,000	100-lb. Bag	3.05[4]	186,000[4]
Potatoes	58,000	57,000	335	19,095,000	Bu.	.73	13,939,000
Sugar Beets	121,300	115,500	16.9	1,956,000	Ton	11.70	22,885,000
All Sorghums, for Grain	------	180,000	10.5	1,890,000	Bu.	1.25	2,362,000
All Sorghums, for Forage	------	409,000	1.05	429,000	Ton	14.00	6,006,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	799,000	601,000	--	------	---	---	------
Alfalfa Hay	------	737,000	2.30	1,695,000	Ton	---	------
Wild Hay	------	425,000	1.05	446,000	Ton	---	------
All Hay	------	1,456,000	1.72	2,506,000	Ton	20.90[5]	52,375,000
Broomcorn	73,000	58,000	185[3]	5,400	Ton	300.00	1,620,000
Alfalfa Seed	------	18,000	115[3]	20,700	100 Lbs.	21.80	451,000
Sweet Clover Seed	------	8,000	185[3]	14,800	100 Lbs.	8.50	126,000
Apples, Commercial Crop	------	------	--	840,000	Bu.	2.65	2,226,000
Peaches	------	------	--	1,312,000	Bu.	2.95	3,714,000
Pears	------	------	--	150,000	Bu.	2.60	390,000
Cherries, Sour	------	------	--	750	Ton	195.00	146,000
Cherries, Sweet	------	------	--	130	Ton	400.00	52,000
Commercial Vegetables							
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.	------	1,500	3.6	5,400	Ton	96.10	519,000
Beans, Snap, for Market	------	750	150	112,000	Bu.	2.60	291,000
Cabbage, Early (Domestic)	------	1,400	11.5	16,100	Ton	35.80	576,000
Cabbage, Late (Danish)	------	3,000	13.2	39,600	Ton	35.96	1,424,000
Cantaloup	------	1,700	120	204,000	J. Crate	2.15	439,000
Carrots	------	1,800	250	450,000	Bu.	1.55	698,000
Cauliflower	------	1,500	350	525,000	Crate	.80	420,000
Celery	------	1,000	475	475,000	½ Crate	2.20	1,045,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles	------	2,950	234	690,000	Bu.	1.35	932,000
Sweet Corn	------	3,500	110	385,000	5 doz. Ears	1.40	539,000
Lettuce	------	4,600	120	552,000	Crate	2.95	1,628,000
Onions	------	5,900	500	2,950,000	50-lb. Sack	.50	1,475,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.	------	3,600	1480[3]	2,660	Ton	86.20	229,000
Peas, Green, for Market	------	1,800	85	153,000	Bu.	1.95	298,000
Spinach	------	800	200	160,000	Bu.	1.05	168,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.	------	3,000	9.1	27,300	Ton	26.00	710,000
Tomatoes, for Market	------	1,600	300	480,000	Bu.	1.70	816,000
Total Commercial Vegetables		41,600[6]					$ 12,320,000[6]
Total All Principal Crops		6,351,100[6]					$258,835,000[6]

[1]Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.
[2]Planted for all uses.
[3]Pounds.
[4]Price and value apply to cleaned production.
[5]Price of hay sold baled.
[6]Some minor crops included in totals are not listed individually.

COLORADO CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1954

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total[1]		Per Unit	Total
Corn, All	464,000[2]	373,000	25.0	9,325,000	Bu.	$ 1.70	$15,852,000
Corn, for Grain	------	183,000	21.0	3,843,000	Bu.	---	------
Oats, for Grain	242,000[2]	139,000	26.0	3,614,000	Bu.	.88	3,180,000
Barley, for Grain	640,000[2]	351,000	20.0	7,020,000	Bu.	1.22	8,564,000
Winter Wheat	3,005,000	1,579,000	10.0	15,790,000	Bu.	2.15	33,948,000
Spring Wheat	71,000[2]	43,000	16.5	710,000	Bu.	2.05	1,456,000
Rye, for Grain	122,000[2]	46,000	6.0	276,000	Bu.	1.10	304,000
Dry Beans	292,000	262,000	760[3]	1,991,000	100-lb. Bag	6.40[4]	12,038,000[4]
Field Peas	11,000	5,000	850[3]	42,000	100-lb. Bag	3.50[4]	133,000[4]
Potatoes	56,000	54,000	320	17,280,000	Bu.	1.10	19,008,000
Sugar Beets	151,300	115,300	14.4	1,660,000	Ton	([5])	([5])
All Sorghums, for Grain	------	221,000	10.0	2,210,000	Bu.	1.25	2,762,000
All Sorghums, for Forage	------	453,000	1.00	453,000	Ton	17.00	7,701,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	983,000	691,000	--	------	---	---	------
Alfalfa Hay	------	678,000	2.10	1,424,000	Ton	---	------
Wild Hay	------	310,000	.80	248,000	Ton	---	------
All Hay	------	1,269,000	1.57	1,986,000	Ton	26.50[6]	52,629,000
Broomcorn	69,000	52,000	155[3]	4,000	Ton	330.00	1,320,000
Alfalfa Seed	------	17,000	115[3]	19,550	100 Lbs.	30.00	586,000
Sweet Clover Seed	------	4,000	150[3]	6,000	100 Lbs.	11.00	66,000
Apples, Commercial Crop	------	------	--	1,540,000	Bu.	2.40	3,696,000
Peaches	------	------	--	2,230,000	Bu.	2.70	5,751,000
Pears	------	------	--	230,000	Bu.	2.50	575,000
Cherries, Sour	------	------	--	1,700	Ton	175.00	298,000
Cherries, Sweet	------	------	--	1,050	Ton	270.00	284,000
Commercial Vegetables							
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.	------	1,500	4.2	6,300	Ton	92.30	581,000
Beans, Snap, for Market	------	750	155	116,000	Bu.	2.65	307,000
Cabbage, Early (Domestic)	------	1,500	11.0	16,500	Ton	27.30	450,000
Cabbage, Late (Danish)	------	3,450	12.3	42,600	Ton	22.18	945,000
Cantaloup	------	1,900	125	238,000	J. Crate	1.95	464,000
Carrots	------	2,400	245	588,000	Bu.	1.30	764,000
Cauliflower	------	800	375	300,000	Crate	1.35	405,000
Celery	------	900	500	450,000	½ Crate	2.20	990,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles	------	2,300	211	485,000	Bu.	1.25	606,000
Sweet Corn	------	3,100	100	310,000	5 doz. Ears	1.70	527,000
Lettuce	------	5,000	120	600,000	Crate	2.20	1,320,000
Onions	------	5,200	475	2,470,000	50-lb. Sack	1.10	2,717,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.	------	700	1310[3]	460	Ton	86.90	40,000
Peas, Green, for Market	------	1,600	80	128,000	Bu.	2.10	269,000
Spinach	------	700	200	140,000	Bu.	1.00	140,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.	------	2,800	9.1	25,500	Ton	23.90	609,000
Tomatoes, for Market	------	1,500	240	360,000	Bu.	1.85	666,000
Total Commercial Vegetables		36,920[7]					$ 11,877,000[7]
Total All Principal Crops		50,372.20[7]					$182,028,000[7]

[1]Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.
[2]Planted for all uses.
[3]Pounds.
[4]Price and value apply to cleaned production.
[5]Not available.
[6]Price of hay sold baled.
[7]Some minor crops included in totals are not listed individually.

LAND AREA, FARM AND RANCH NUMBERS, ACREAGE AND VALUE FEDERAL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1950

COUNTY	All Farms and Ranches Number	Approximate Land Area (000) Acres	All Land in Farms and Ranches Acres	Percent in Farms and Ranches	Average Size of Farms and Ranches Acres	Average Value of Land and Buildings: Per Farm Dollars	Average Value of Land and Buildings: Per Acre Dollars
Chaffee	207	665	139,795	21.0	675	16,557	28.90
Clear Creek	26	252	17,241	6.8	663	39,875	31.68
Eagle	235	1,078	242,594	22.5	1,032	32,075	35.62
Gilpin	24	95	11,940	12.5	498	8,583	39.65
Grand	187	1,187	334,894	28.2	1,791	40,322	26.34
Gunnison	207	2,072	274,091	13.2	1,324	53,879	44.57
Jackson	139	1,039	412,642	39.7	2,969	55,580	21.63
Lake	19	243	15,058	6.2	792	3,500	9.21
Moffat	340	3,043	1,269,366	41.7	3,733	37,788	10.39
Park	190	1,386	594,057	42.9	3,127	37,643	11.60
Pitkin	97	623	52,588	8.4	542	39,573	69.29
Rio Blanco	243	2,088	642,963	30.8	2,646	37,915	15.21
Routt	532	1,491	493,590	33.1	928	25,160	30.23
Summit	42	392	38,153	9.7	908	46,029	48.23
Teller	117	355	132,908	37.5	1,136	24,906	20.08
Total N. W. District	**2,605**	**16,009**	**4,671,880**	**29.2**	**1,793**	----	----
Boulder	1,320	482	265,619	55.1	201	21,364	136.52
Jefferson	1,528	503	294,920	58.6	193	24,204	120.60
Larimer	1,741	1,673	748,589	44.7	430	25,583	56.50
Logan	1,482	1,169	1,098,768	94.0	741	30,147	37.73
Morgan	1,361	820	746,442	91.0	548	24,793	43.54
Sedgwick	474	348	313,196	90.0	661	39,584	55.93
Weld	4,418	2,563	2,180,463	85.1	494	27,070	59.30
Total N. Central & N. E. District	**12,324**	**7,558**	**5,647,997**	**74.7**	**458**	----	----
Adams	1,589	797	687,048	86.2	432	27,033	47.70
Arapahoe	910	525	538,572	102.6	592	27,842	49.73
Cheyenne	402	1,134	845,867	74.6	2,104	56,817	23.99
Denver	157	42	1,077	2.5	7	18,183	6,061.11
Douglas	410	540	356,949	66.2	871	22,195	32.04
Elbert	811	1,193	1,088,800	91.3	1,342	29,052	21.74
El Paso	1,187	1,381	1,239,132	89.7	1,044	21,079	22.85
Kiowa	493	1,147	814,843	71.0	1,653	45,013	25.83
Kit Carson	1,067	1,389	1,253,327	90.2	1,175	36,619	31.88
Lincoln	723	1,660	1,547,818	93.3	2,141	39,801	18.91
Phillips	593	435	485,035	111.5	818	41,658	53.22
Washington	1,263	1,616	1,402,362	86.8	1,110	27,439	24.58
Yuma	1,436	1,525	1,449,140	95.0	1,009	28,316	29.16
Total East Central District	**11,041**	**13,384**	**11,709,970**	**87.5**	**1,061**	----	----
Archuleta	240	873	219,655	25.2	915	22,684	20.13
Delta	1,657	740	335,421	45.3	202	12,418	60.98
Dolores	246	658	146,422	22.3	595	22,825	39.59
Garfield	787	1,916	459,429	24.0	584	22,066	38.58
Hinsdale	27	676	35,138	5.2	1,301	19,742	20.16
La Plata	902	1,078	933,277	86.5	1,035	14,863	34.60
Mesa	2,525	2,120	546,078	25.8	216	13,221	69.49
Montezuma	978	1,341	604,511	45.1	618	29,375	47.52
Montrose	1,402	1,433	606,810	42.3	433	15,913	37.37
Ouray	131	346	141,568	41.0	1,081	29,224	27.50
San Juan	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
San Miguel	125	821	154,405	18.8	1,235	26,183	22.67
Total West Central & S. W. District	**9,020**	**12,002**	**4,182,714**	**34.9**	**464**	----	----
Alamosa	450	461	337,993	73.3	751	21,039	26.48
Conejos	872	813	439,069	54.0	504	24,837	51.54
Costilla	468	778	558,782	71.9	1,194	21,606	17.87
Mineral	9	589	18,150	3.1	2,017	----	----
Rio Grande	593	586	240,782	41.1	406	40,993	106.77
Saguache	335	2,012	509,090	25.3	1,520	41,113	25.81
Total South Central District	**2,727**	**5,239**	**2,103,866**	**40.2**	**772**	----	----
Baca	999	1,642	1,295,340	78.9	1,297	39,645	30.83
Bent	638	971	889,278	91.6	1,394	27,392	22.18
Crowley	490	514	420,673	81.9	858	21,009	22.76
Custer	222	472	252,293	53.5	1,136	28,294	24.04
Fremont	846	1,000	467,965	46.8	553	14,146	27.59
Huerfano	459	1,010	763,051	75.6	1,662	19,639	11.86
Las Animas	926	3,068	2,621,031	85.4	2,830	28,693	10.43
Otero	1,030	811	757,593	93.4	736	21,610	27.50
Prowers	1,126	1,041	999,702	96.1	888	36,392	40.62
Pueblo	1,125	1,537	1,169,386	76.1	1,040	21,300	23.00
Total S. E. District	**7,861**	**12,066**	**9,636,312**	**79.9**	**1,226**	----	----
State Total	**45,578**	**66,258**	**37,952,739**	**57.3**	**833**	**26,164**	**32.54**

LAND IN FARMS AND RANCHES ACCORDING TO USE—FEDERAL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1950

(Acres of Crop Land According to Use in 1949)

COUNTY	Crop Land Harvested		Crop Land in Cultivated Summer Fallow		Crop Land Used for Pasture Only		Other Crop Land (Failure, Idle, etc.)	Indicated Total Crop Land
	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	Acres	Acres
Chaffee	183	12,633	16	670	86	4,863	1,992	20,158
Clear Creek	11	415	1	15	1	618	12	1,060
Eagle	217	23,586	15	523	93	7,832	600	32,541
Gilpin	19	897	3	170	11	2,167	---	3,234
Grand	181	41,137	17	1,367	60	18,729	2,912	64,145
Gunnison	190	43,809	6	974	88	16,769	1,817	63,369
Jackson	127	95,459	3	426	33	11,790	1,135	108,810
Lake	15	2,735	---	---	7	925	---	3,660
Moffat	316	60,653	140	17,227	47	13,619	2,973	94,472
Park	161	47,509	8	659	39	14,362	5,123	67,653
Pitkin	89	9,431	3	15	44	4,250	181	13,877
Rio Blanco	211	38,356	41	2,876	76	31,191	836	73,259
Routt	502	84,568	177	13,755	112	10,737	3,524	112,584
Summit	40	7,238	1	100	8	1,819	---	9,157
Teller	92	5,939	11	557	15	594	1,520	8,610
Total Northwest District	**2,354**	**474,365**	**442**	**39,334**	**720**	**140,265**	**22,625**	**676,589**
Boulder	1,021	87,295	270	15,527	292	6,241	2,152	111,215
Jefferson	1,111	44,002	168	10,294	361	7,780	4,245	66,321
Larimer	1,484	145,869	390	32,758	447	12,698	5,069	196,394
Logan	1,342	320,945	790	142,698	250	13,408	24,552	501,593
Morgan	1,273	213,810	294	49,128	275	16,011	18,806	297,755
Sedgwick	436	113,154	302	66,378	89	5,989	11,487	197,008
Weld	4,173	679,853	1,366	226,270	838	44,373	44,228	994,724
Total North Central and N. E. District	**10,840**	**1,604,928**	**3,580**	**543,053**	**2,552**	**106,500**	**110,539**	**2,365,010**
Adams	1,379	252,823	572	161,889	243	10,820	16,850	442,382
Arapahoe	698	114,615	297	65,493	154	17,304	13,755	211,167
Cheyenne	371	176,474	235	105,208	21	11,105	18,308	311,095
Denver	68	547	---	---	3	98	21	666
Douglas	345	42,371	142	11,631	77	7,821	2,685	64,508
Elbert	770	154,209	497	60,476	102	9,763	14,302	238,750
El Paso	919	145,471	191	14,201	217	75,642	17,937	253,251
Kiowa	417	223,482	271	142,240	77	30,031	27,795	423,548
Kit Carson	1,020	355,500	876	251,592	117	15,423	28,356	650,871
Lincoln	640	219,114	443	159,036	76	17,130	24,835	420,115
Phillips	561	208,654	487	119,314	197	32,087	13,352	373,407
Washington	1,186	397,856	845	214,026	166	26,889	49,157	687,928
Yuma	1,346	358,667	755	162,506	195	11,107	45,974	578,254
Total East Central District	**9,720**	**2,649,783**	**5,611**	**1,467,612**	**1,645**	**265,220**	**273,327**	**4,655,942**
Archuleta	221	18,074	19	581	79	14,385	883	33,923
Delta	1,541	55,662	85	965	611	14,464	5,085	76,176
Dolores	236	61,442	54	5,550	52	1,664	1,945	70,601
Garfield	727	51,937	62	2,011	336	13,943	2,581	70,472
Hinsdale	24	3,220	1	19	7	1,695	---	4,934
La Plata	821	63,261	155	7,102	356	28,731	5,918	105,012
Mesa	2,359	78,954	132	1,860	784	23,369	7,923	112,106
Montezuma	908	90,485	81	3,052	259	14,204	6,818	114,559
Montrose	1,235	70,248	108	1,675	574	18,657	3,210	93,790
Ouray	121	12,218	9	413	46	1,562	216	14,409
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	117	15,020	33	1,444	42	5,459	594	22,517
Total West Central and S. W. District	**8,310**	**520,521**	**739**	**24,672**	**3,146**	**138,133**	**35,173**	**718,49[illegible]**
Alamosa	393	67,127	37	1,454	222	22,549	6,877	98,007
Conejos	806	103,260	111	4,301	344	22,128	6,100	135,78[illegible]
Costilla	439	31,494	43	2,501	111	5,699	6,830	46,52[illegible]
Mineral	9	1,635	---	---	---	---	---	1,63[illegible]
Rio Grande	556	89,805	35	1,336	360	44,907	5,771	141,81[illegible]
Saguache	296	94,194	17	800	163	34,230	5,813	135,03[illegible]
Total South Central District	**2,499**	**387,515**	**243**	**10,392**	**1,200**	**129,513**	**31,391**	**558,81[illegible]**
Baca	951	470,216	664	245,634	158	20,335	31,009	767,19[illegible]
Bent	564	100,336	122	21,497	169	10,022	8,647	140,50[illegible]
Crowley	428	58,600	64	20,584	108	6,910	11,253	97,34[illegible]
Custer	196	25,594	11	616	68	5,682	892	32,78[illegible]
Fremont	748	20,948	36	1,514	149	5,721	2,152	30,33[illegible]
Huerfano	382	30,983	56	5,470	101	12,436	5,744	54,63[illegible]
Las Animas	717	82,442	116	14,350	181	91,882	10,132	198,80[illegible]
Otero	871	69,404	61	1,682	231	13,508	4,557	89,15[illegible]
Prowers	1,036	306,915	420	161,167	235	15,009	25,601	508,69[illegible]
Pueblo	882	90,804	162	20,945	167	8,954	13,014	133,71[illegible]
Total Southeast District	**6,775**	**1,256,242**	**1,712**	**493,459**	**1,567**	**190,459**	**113,001**	**2,053,16[illegible]**
State Total	**40,498**	**6,893,354**	**12,327**	**2,578,522**	**10,830**	**970,090**	**586,056**	**11,028,01[illegible]**

NUMBER, ACREAGE AND VALUE OF IRRIGATED FARMS—FEDERAL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1950

COUNTY	Irrigated Farms Number	All Land in Irrigated Farms Acres	Irrigated Farms as Percent of All Farms Percent	Irrigated Land in Farms[1] Acres	Land Irrigated by Sprinklers Acres	Average Value of Land and Buildings on Irrigated Farms	
						Per Farm Dollars	Per Acre Dollars
Chaffee	184	135,387	88.9	16,734	26	17,559	28.38
Clear Creek	3	470	11.5	100	---	-----	----
Eagle	222	232,953	94.5	33,072	---	32,713	36.24
Gilpin	2	774	8.3	150	---	-----	----
Grand	172	329,093	92.0	41,833	250	41,529	25.55
Gunnison	195	271,287	94.2	60,202	---	56,454	44.10
Jackson	122	404,517	87.8	142,619	690	55,733	20.87
Lake	16	14,796	84.2	5,374	---	3,500	9.21
Moffat	136	960,635	40.0	18,240	36	75,026	10.22
Park	85	464,288	44.7	44,079	18	52,317	13.11
Pitkin	91	48,620	93.8	12,819	---	33,739	53.72
Rio Blanco	171	530,883	70.4	30,405	1	42,478	15.17
Routt	328	373,458	61.7	41,741	85	35,715	30.11
Summit	41	37,595	97.6	8,813	---	44,788	40.86
Teller	12	35,309	10.3	825	---	26,231	9.59
Total Northwest District	1,780	3,840,065	68.3	457,006	1,106	-----	----
Boulder	1,047	195,963	79.3	73,307	24	23,879	152.60
Jefferson	1,001	139,782	65.5	26,767	119	27,292	158.21
Larimer	1,392	612,856	80.0	113,423	210	27,834	63.26
Logan	608	338,649	41.0	74,817	66	27,534	53.43
Morgan	995	352,230	73.1	113,570	335	26,561	70.92
Sedgwick	160	95,180	33.8	19,753	1	26,799	45.61
Weld	3,361	879,062	76.1	367,067	554	28,620	112.39
Total N. Central & N. E. District	8,564	2,613,722	69.5	788,704	1,309	-----	----
Adams	939	307,615	59.1	49,677	412	22,437	73.61
Arapahoe	279	154,810	30.7	9,592	180	33,167	61.85
Cheyenne	----	------	---	-----	---	-----	----
Denver	49	406	31.2	293	---	5,000	1,250.00
Douglas	65	93,399	15.9	4,836	158	35,756	31.95
Elbert	17	73,357	2.1	1,211	---	67,878	24.60
El Paso	150	219,495	12.6	14,380	209	44,534	29.24
Kiowa	1	5,660	.2	20	---	144,700	25.75
Kit Carson	8	22,409	.7	1,530	---	133,839	25.73
Lincoln	15	123,073	2.1	1,293	270	126,666	13.31
Phillips	7	32,508	1.2	2,089	---	-----	----
Washington	82	121,746	6.5	8,505	578	31,922	35.23
Yuma	33	62,828	2.3	1,586	5	27,453	29.51
Total East Central District	1,645	1,217,306	14.9	95,012	1,812	-----	----
Archuleta	154	138,102	64.2	16,683	---	25,565	22.14
Delta	1,616	329,255	97.5	84,577	323	12,492	61.43
Dolores	10	14,513	4.1	884	---	25,582	27.48
Garfield	737	420,585	93.6	64,400	83	20,896	38.66
Hinsdale	24	35,038	88.9	3,992	---	19,742	20.16
La Plata	725	862,825	80.4	64,212	10	15,720	37.88
Mesa	2,448	486,954	97.0	116,197	1,257	13,228	75.15
Montezuma	736	514,281	75.3	53,141	24	33,034	41.13
Montrose	1,330	544,398	94.9	100,646	---	16,129	39.89
Ouray	126	140,239	96.2	16,368	---	30,573	27.43
San Juan	----	------	---	-----	---	-----	----
San Miguel	70	98,567	56.0	10,544	---	26,745	22.23
Total W. Central & S. W. District	7,976	3,584,757	88.4	531,644	1,697	-----	----
Alamosa	401	333,301	89.1	99,332	5	21,609	26.17
Conejos	825	435,192	94.6	143,268	---	24,945	52.00
Costilla	441	556,411	94.2	40,353	---	22,937	17.74
Mineral	3	11,400	33.3	560	---	-----	----
Rio Grande	562	232,051	94.8	140,529	223	43,293	107.67
Saguache	305	496,505	91.0	164,541	50	30,768	45.73
Total South Central District	2,537	2,064,860	93.0	588,583	278	-----	----
Baca	22	39,102	2.2	1,371	---	40,857	23.11
Bent	454	480,048	71.2	61,652	20	24,098	23.46
Crowley	390	129,296	79.6	41,247	---	16,587	60.74
Custer	130	168,373	58.6	25,285	---	38,733	28.89
Fremont	731	374,368	86.4	18,536	---	14,541	32.12
Huerfano	285	459,316	62.1	19,578	---	22,559	14.52
Las Animas	373	867,047	40.3	26,620	---	31,050	13.23
Otero	873	321,377	84.8	73,612	85	20,874	50.92
Prowers	647	263,826	57.5	94,450	345	30,980	65.48
Pueblo	714	659,737	63.5	49,048	116	24,879	34.51
Total Southeast District	4,619	3,762,490	58.8	411,399	566	-----	----
State Total	27,121	17,083,200	59.5	2,872,348[1]	6,768	24,538	43.09

[1]Includes 320,537 acres of irrigated wild grass pasture.

IRRIGATED LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE—FEDERAL CENSUS, APRIL 1, 1950

(Acres of Crop Land According to Use in 1949)

COUNTY	Irrigated Crop Land Harvested		Irrigated Tame Grass Pasture		Irrigated Crop Land Not Harvested and Not Pastured		Indicated Irrigated Crop Land[1]
	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	Acres
Chaffee	176	12,125	51	1,764	19	204	14,093
Clear Creek	3	100	--	----	--	----	100
Eagle	214	23,136	100	6,344	12	111	29,591
Gilpin	1	40	--	----	--	----	40
Grand	170	37,459	15	1,050	5	95	38,604
Gunnison	185	42,237	38	6,187	4	293	48,717
Jackson	120	94,371	1	20	1	60	94,451
Lake	15	2,735	1	60	--	----	2,795
Moffat	127	14,762	16	1,229	2	11	16,002
Park	81	40,861	5	206	--	----	41,067
Pitkin	88	9,198	41	1,247	4	23	10,468
Rio Blanco	159	24,312	27	1,639	7	302	26,253
Routt	310	34,157	74	3,096	7	395	37,648
Summit	40	7,028	7	845	--	----	7,873
Teller	11	735	--	----	--	----	735
Total Northwest District	1,700	343,256	376	23,687	61	1,494	368,437
Boulder	903	62,885	303	3,899	149	1,003	67,787
Jefferson	889	21,614	233	2,789	102	769	25,172
Larimer	1,268	99,932	427	5,918	121	1,868	107,718
Logan	597	71,406	52	612	82	1,820	73,838
Morgan	976	108,868	181	2,008	84	2,201	113,077
Sedgwick	158	18,478	13	164	13	335	18,977
Weld	3,321	352,527	461	5,476	265	6,332	364,335
Total N. Central & N. E. District	8,112	735,710	1,670	20,866	816	14,328	770,904
Adams	899	45,902	143	1,828	106	1,448	49,178
Arapahoe	250	7,991	61	770	19	341	9,102
Cheyenne	---	-----	--	----	--	----	-----
Denver	46	283	1	3	2	7	293
Douglas	62	4,397	6	192	1	22	4,611
Elbert	17	760	1	50	2	401	1,211
El Paso	145	11,024	34	1,388	20	400	12,812
Kiowa	1	20	--	----	--	----	20
Kit Carson	8	1,290	1	70	1	170	1,530
Lincoln	12	898	2	265	3	90	1,253
Phillips	7	2,079	1	10	--	----	2,089
Washington	76	7,946	14	218	13	219	8,383
Yuma	30	1,501	2	27	4	38	1,566
Total East Central District	1,553	84,091	266	4,821	171	3,136	92,048
Archuleta	148	11,557	53	2,334	11	229	14,120
Delta	1,540	54,735	849	20,706	155	1,553	76,994
Dolores	9	534	3	80	--	----	614
Garfield	700	48,005	362	10,615	49	177	58,797
Hinsdale	21	2,730	5	585	--	----	3,315
La Plata	672	39,800	316	11,990	47	917	52,707
Mesa	2,331	76,251	1,006	26,332	309	2,236	104,819
Montezuma	672	31,094	323	10,839	82	1,230	43,163
Montrose	1,223	68,742	825	22,535	95	1,368	92,645
Ouray	119	11,715	51	1,907	3	12	13,634
San Juan	---	-----	--	----	--	----	-----
San Miguel	68	5,581	37	2,586	2	66	8,233
Total W. Central & S. W. District	7,503	350,744	3,830	110,509	753	7,788	469,041
Alamosa	382	64,288	115	6,884	89	10,229	81,401
Conejos	796	100,542	214	12,583	109	3,555	116,680
Costilla	436	30,403	54	4,095	59	1,951	36,449
Mineral	3	560	--	----	--	----	560
Rio Grande	544	87,137	323	28,019	82	3,118	118,274
Saguache	285	92,249	119	10,342	37	1,955	104,546
Total South Central District	2,446	375,179	825	61,923	376	20,808	457,910
Baca	18	962	2	15	8	394	1,371
Bent	434	56,139	144	2,733	71	1,707	60,579
Crowley	382	37,940	80	960	89	2,217	41,117
Custer	129	17,537	15	834	2	40	18,411
Fremont	704	15,454	103	1,545	94	453	17,452
Huerfano	280	16,057	27	1,344	14	399	17,800
Las Animas	361	23,448	27	462	29	399	24,309
Otero	856	68,701	169	1,895	147	2,199	72,795
Prowers	635	86,583	145	3,840	103	3,278	93,701
Pueblo	677	42,067	71	1,693	163	2,176	45,936
Total Southeast District	4,476	364,888	783	15,321	720	13,262	393,471
State Total	25,790	2,253,868	7,750	237,127	2,897	60,816	2,551,811

[1]Excludes 320,537 acres of irrigated wild grass pasture.

CORN — ALL PURPOSES — 1953

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Clear Creek	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Eagle	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Gilpin	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Grand	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Gunnison	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Jackson	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Lake	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Moffat	60	33	1,980	120	14	1,680	180	3,660	$ 6,039
Park	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Pitkin	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Rio Blanco	50	33	1,650	50	14	700	100	2,350	3,878
Routt	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Summit	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Teller	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Total Northwest District	**110**	**33.0**	**3,630**	**170**	**14.0**	**2,380**	**280**	**6,010**	**$ 9,917**
Boulder	7,820	66	516,120	740	23	17,020	8,560	533,140	$ 847,693
Jefferson	1,400	54	75,600	270	16	4,320	1,670	79,920	128,671
Larimer	13,000	58	754,000	730	17	12,410	13,730	766,410	1,218,592
Logan	14,510	49	710,990	12,940	20	258,800	27,450	969,790	1,474,081
Morgan	24,140	68	1,641,520	6,040	15	90,600	30,180	1,732,120	2,684,786
Sedgwick	4,710	61	287,310	5,610	24	134,640	10,320	421,950	641,364
Weld	42,330	56	2,370,480	8,230	16	131,680	50,560	2,502,160	3,953,413
Total N. Central & N. E. District	**107,910**	**58.9**	**6,356,020**	**34,560**	**18.8**	**649,470**	**142,470**	**7,005,490**	**$10,948,600**
Adams	7,070	58	410,060	2,990	17	50,830	10,060	460,890	$ 718,988
Arapahoe	560	49	27,440	4,850	16	77,600	5,410	105,040	161,762
Cheyenne	----	--	----	3,700	13	48,100	3,700	48,100	73,593
Denver	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Douglas	190	44	8,360	3,710	19	70,490	3,900	78,850	126,160
Elbert	----	--	----	17,120	11	188,320	17,120	188,320	293,779
El Paso	1,300	42	54,600	24,200	9	217,800	25,500	272,400	438,564
Kiowa	----	--	----	3,000	16	48,000	3,000	48,000	74,880
Kit Carson	200	32	6,400	7,750	9	69,750	7,950	76,150	114,986
Lincoln	----	--	----	9,430	13	122,590	9,430	122,590	186,337
Phillips	70	59	4,130	13,880	19	263,720	13,950	267,850	401,775
Washington	2,110	66	139,260	18,140	14	253,960	20,250	393,220	589,830
Yuma	530	62	32,860	68,390	12	820,680	68,920	853,540	1,271,775
Total East Central District	**12,030**	**56.8**	**683,110**	**177,160**	**12.6**	**2,231,840**	**189,190**	**2,914,950**	**$ 4,452,429**
Archuleta	70	45	3,150	90	14	1,260	160	4,410	$ 7,100
Delta	6,330	53	335,490	70	18	1,260	6,400	336,750	542,168
Dolores	----	--	----	60	14	840	60	840	1,369
Garfield	980	48	47,040	50	15	750	1,030	47,790	78,376
Hinsdale	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
La Plata	790	46	36,340	230	15	3,450	1,020	39,790	64,460
Mesa	6,970	57	397,290	170	13	2,210	7,140	399,500	643,195
Montezuma	990	53	52,470	350	14	4,900	1,340	57,370	93,513
Montrose	6,030	52	313,560	70	15	1,050	6,100	314,610	509,668
Ouray	60	48	2,880	----	---	-----	60	2,880	4,666
San Juan	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
San Miguel	100	47	4,700	80	15	1,200	180	5,900	9,558
Total West Central & S. W. District	**22,320**	**53.4**	**1,192,920**	**1,170**	**14.5**	**16,920**	**23,490**	**1,209,840**	**$ 1,954,073**
Alamosa	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Conejos	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Costilla	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Mineral	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Rio Grande	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Saguache	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Total South Central District	----	--	----	----	---	-----	----	------	------
Baca	350	37	12,950	280	10	2,800	630	15,750	$ 24,885
Bent	5,240	37	193,880	800	10	8,000	6,040	201,880	320,989
Crowley	4,090	35	143,150	2,700	12	32,400	6,790	175,550	277,369
Custer	250	49	12,250	330	14	4,620	580	16,870	27,667
Fremont	800	49	39,200	140	14	1,960	940	41,160	68,326
Huerfano	170	39	6,630	310	9	2,790	480	9,420	15,449
Las Animas	420	37	15,540	580	8	4,640	1,000	20,180	32,692
Otero	11,700	45	526,500	190	8	1,520	11,890	528,020	850,112
Prowers	10,130	37	374,810	420	14	5,880	10,550	380,690	601,490
Pueblo	4,540	55	249,700	2,300	8	18,400	6,840	268,100	434,322
Total Southeast District	**37,690**	**41.8**	**1,574,610**	**8,050**	**10.3**	**83,010**	**45,740**	**1,657,620**	**$ 2,653,301**
State Total	**180,060**	**54.5**	**9,810,290**	**221,110**	**13.5**	**2,983,620**	**401,170**	**12,793,910**	**$20,018,320**

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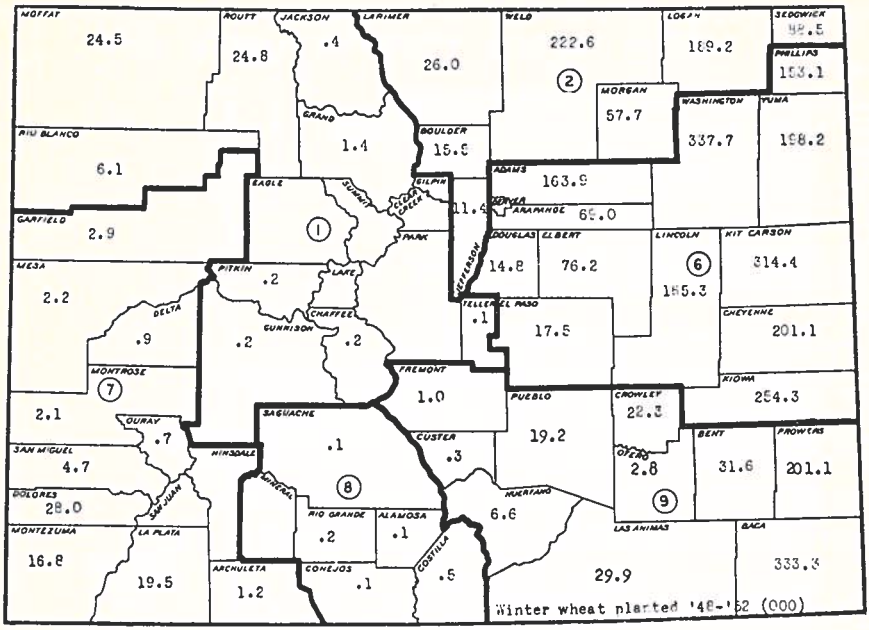
(Thousand Acres)



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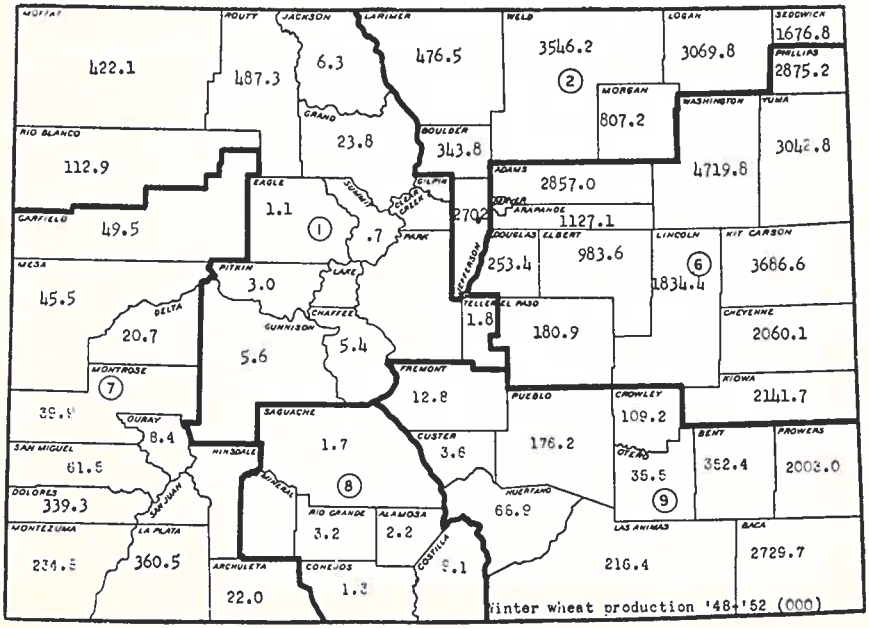

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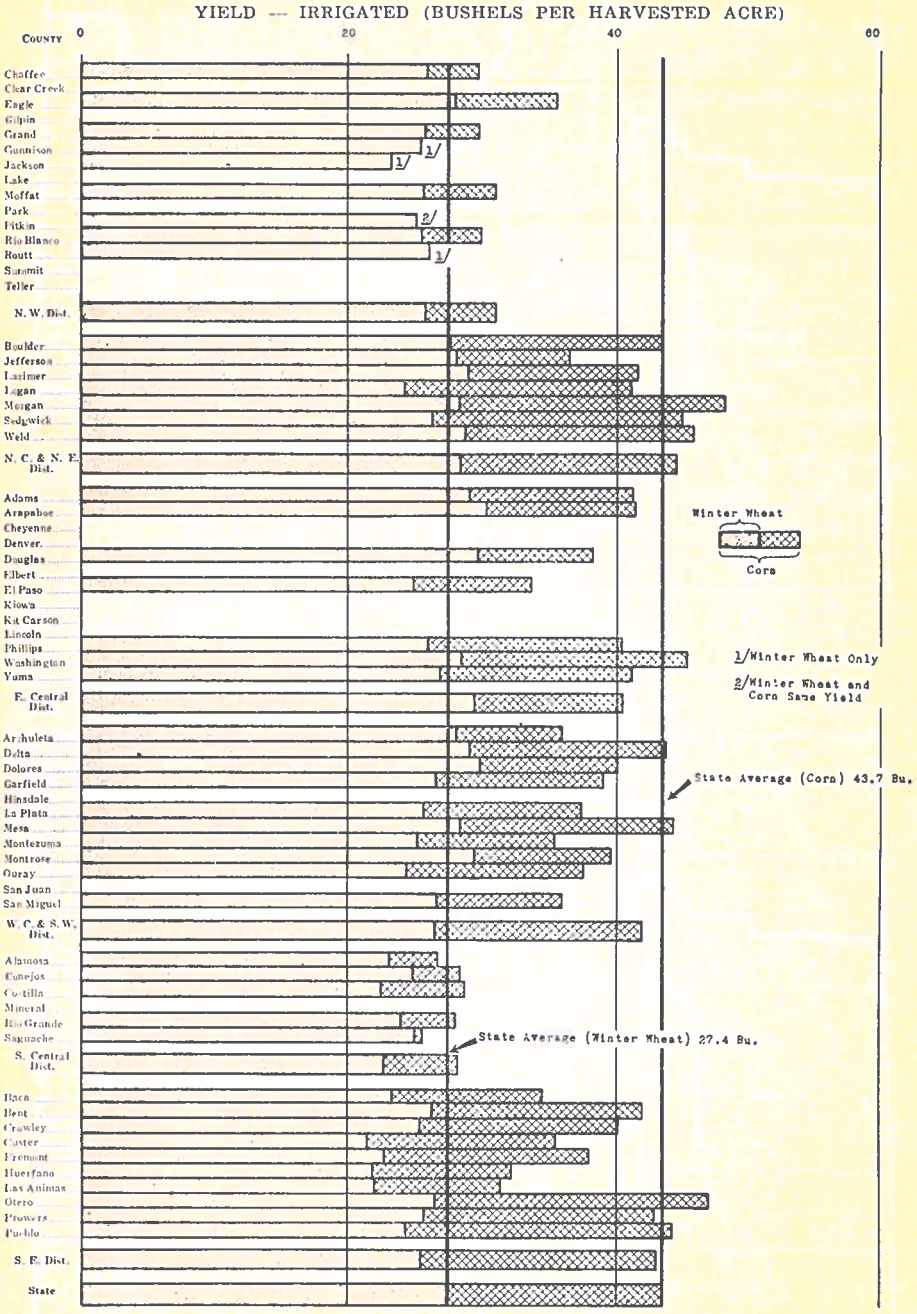

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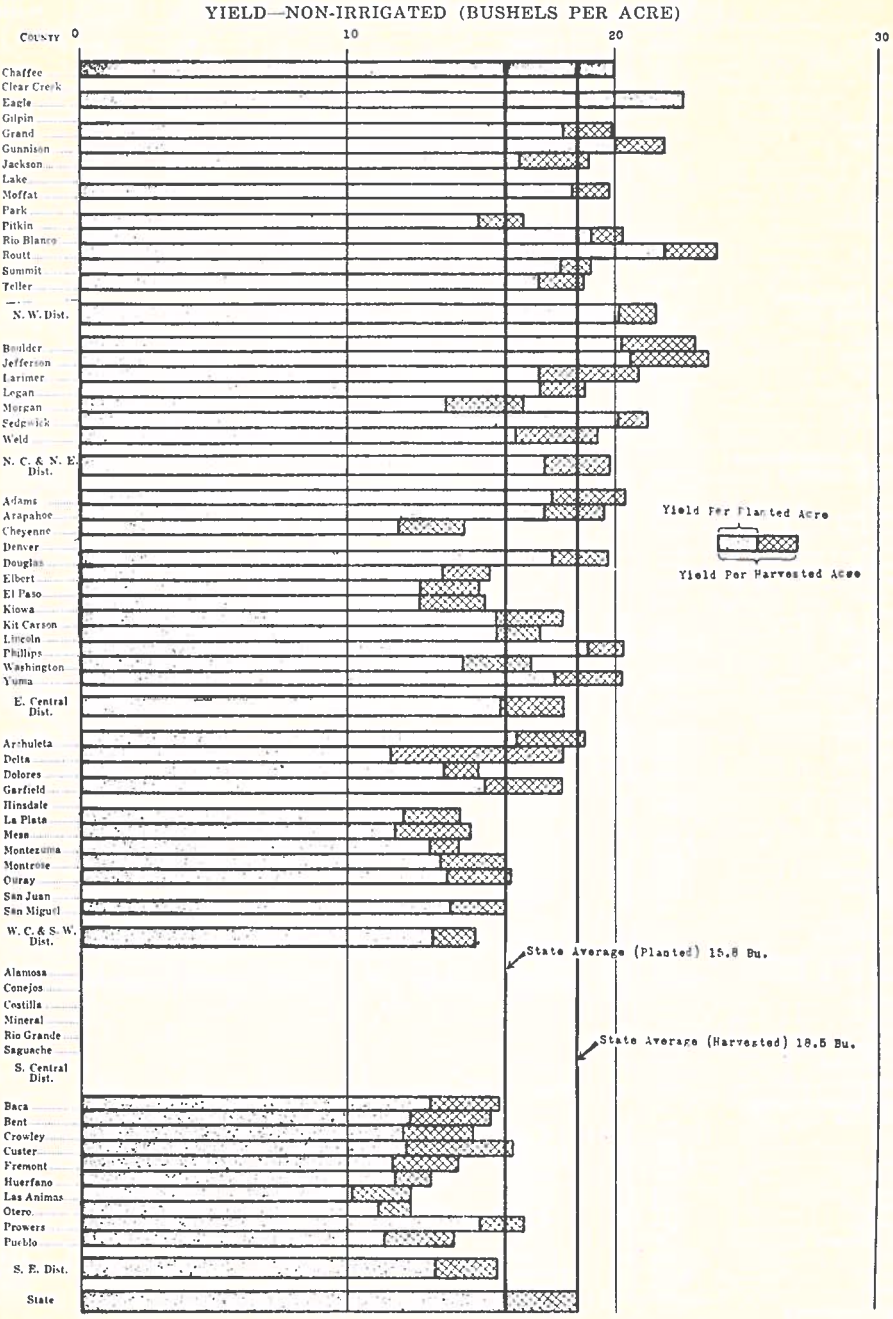


WINTER WHEAT—1953

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	230	26	5,980	----	--	----	230	5,980	$ 11,661
Clear Creek	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Eagle	40	28	1,120	----	--	----	40	1,120	2,162
Gilpin	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Grand	90	28	2,520	1,160	15	17,400	1,250	19,920	38,446
Gunnison	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Jackson	20	28	560	1,150	15	17,250	1,170	17,810	34,017
Lake	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Moffat	110	26	2,860	34,530	16	552,480	34,640	555,340	1,049,593
Park	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Pitkin	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Rio Blanco	100	28	2,800	6,880	19	130,720	6,980	133,520	252,353
Routt	100	24	2,400	28,540	19	542,260	28,640	544,660	1,040,301
Summit	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Teller	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Total Northwest District	**690**	**26.4**	**18,240**	**72,260**	**17.4**	**1,260,110**	**72,950**	**1,278,350**	**$ 2,428,533**
Boulder	1,700	27	45,900	11,130	16	178,080	12,830	223,980	$ 450,200
Jefferson	1,560	26	40,560	8,040	17	136,680	9,600	177,240	361,570
Larimer	1,720	28	48,160	18,880	14	264,320	20,600	312,480	628,085
Logan	1,990	30	59,700	182,290	20	3,645,800	184,280	3,705,500	7,522,165
Morgan	4,480	39	174,720	58,410	15	876,150	62,890	1,050,870	2,122,757
Sedgwick	240	29	6,960	91,610	25	2,290,250	91,850	2,297,210	4,663,336
Weld	5,560	29	161,240	209,260	18	3,766,680	214,820	3,927,920	7,934,398
Total N. Central and N. E. District	**17,250**	**31.1**	**537,240**	**579,620**	**19.3**	**11,157,960**	**596,870**	**11,695,200**	**$ 23,682,511**
Adams	2,700	29	78,300	175,400	22	3,858,800	178,100	3,937,100	$ 7,992,313
Arapahoe	100	30	3,000	79,670	17	1,354,390	79,770	1,357,390	2,741,928
Cheyenne	---	--	----	128,130	8	1,025,040	128,130	1,025,040	2,060,330
Denver	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Douglas	---	--	----	15,530	18	279,540	15,530	279,540	564,671
Elbert	---	--	----	79,630	14	1,114,820	79,630	1,114,820	2,251,936
El Paso	---	--	----	13,800	13	179,400	13,800	179,400	362,388
Kiowa	---	--	----	111,210	6	667,260	111,210	667,260	1,361,210
Kit Carson	40	28	1,120	277,190	12	3,326,280	277,230	3,327,400	6,754,622
Lincoln	150	29	4,350	180,670	14	2,529,380	180,820	2,533,730	5,092,797
Phillips	---	--	----	116,930	20	2,338,600	116,930	2,338,600	4,747,358
Washington	540	36	19,440	319,980	20	6,399,600	320,520	6,419,040	13,030,651
Yuma	---	--	----	180,630	20	3,612,600	180,630	3,612,600	7,369,704
Total East Central District	**3,530**	**30.1**	**106,210**	**1,678,770**	**15.9**	**26,685,710**	**1,682,300**	**26,791,920**	**$ 54,329,908**
Archuleta	160	25	4,000	700	11	7,700	860	11,700	$ 22,581
Delta	200	33	6,600	60	10	600	260	7,200	13,968
Dolores	---	--	----	36,140	11	397,540	36,140	397,540	759,301
Garfield	1,600	26	41,600	4,430	17	75,310	6,030	116,910	227,974
Hinsdale	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
La Plata	6,110	23	140,530	17,340	10	173,400	23,450	313,930	602,746
Mesa	890	35	31,150	500	10	5,000	1,390	36,150	70,492
Montezuma	1,000	25	25,000	26,900	10	269,000	27,900	294,000	567,420
Montrose	1,510	31	46,810	160	10	1,600	1,670	48,410	93,431
Ouray	40	28	1,120	570	13	7,410	610	8,530	16,122
San Juan	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
San Miguel	540	29	15,660	4,160	10	41,600	4,700	57,260	109,367
Total West Central and S. W. District	**12,050**	**25.9**	**312,470**	**90,960**	**10.8**	**979,160**	**103,010**	**1,291,630**	**$ 2,483,402**
Alamosa	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Conejos	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Costilla	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Mineral	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Rio Grande	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Saguache	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Total South Central District	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Baca	360	23	8,280	81,000	4	324,000	81,360	332,280	$ 677,851
Bent	6,100	29	176,900	20,050	4	80,200	26,150	257,100	524,484
Crowley	330	25	8,250	5,860	5	29,300	6,190	37,550	76,602
Custer	90	24	2,160	20	9	180	110	2,340	4,727
Fremont	60	26	1,560	390	8	3,120	450	4,680	9,547
Huerfano	160	23	3,680	3,210	9	28,890	3,370	32,570	66,117
Las Animas	90	28	2,520	4,260	4	17,040	4,350	19,560	39,902
Otero	2,000	32	64,000	280	4	1,120	2,280	65,120	132,845
Prowers	6,570	28	183,960	120,850	4	483,400	127,420	667,360	1,361,414
Pueblo	740	33	24,420	14,170	7	99,190	14,910	123,610	252,164
Total Southeast District	**16,500**	**28.8**	**475,730**	**250,090**	**4.3**	**1,066,440**	**266,590**	**1,542,170**	**$ 3,145,653**
State Total	**50,020**	**29.0**	**1,449,890**	**2,671,700**	**15.4**	**41,149,380**	**2,721,720**	**42,599,270**	**$ 86,070,007**

SPRING WHEAT—1953

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	250	25	6,250	----	--	----	250	6,250	$ 12,312
Clear Creek	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Eagle	840	41	34,440	380	19	7,220	1,220	41,660	81,237
Gilpin	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Grand	50	32	1,600	300	12	3,600	350	5,200	10,088
Gunnison	110	33	3,630	20	15	300	130	3,930	7,703
Jackson	70	33	2,310	----	--	----	70	2,310	4,458
Lake	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Moffat	720	30	21,600	12,110	17	205,870	12,830	227,470	427,644
Park	---	--	----	30	14	420	30	420	848
Pitkin	350	40	14,000	110	16	1,760	460	15,760	30,732
Rio Blanco	250	37	9,250	1,950	19	37,050	2,200	46,300	87,507
Routt	500	32	16,000	9,660	18	173,880	10,160	189,880	362,671
Summit	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Teller	---	--	----	30	16	480	30	480	970
Total Northwest District	**3,140**	**34.7**	**109,080**	**24,590**	**17.5**	**430,580**	**27,730**	**539,660**	**$ 1,026,170**
Boulder	220	29	6,380	710	12	8,520	930	14,900	$ 30,247
Jefferson	490	25	12,250	800	10	8,000	1,290	20,250	41,512
Larimer	700	32	22,400	2,830	11	31,130	3,530	53,530	108,666
Logan	60	33	1,980	1,410	10	14,100	1,470	16,080	32,964
Morgan	100	33	3,300	3,140	9	28,260	3,240	31,560	64,382
Sedgwick	60	31	1,860	250	10	2,500	310	4,360	8,938
Weld	1,600	31	49,600	6,590	10	65,900	8,190	115,500	236,775
Total N. Central and N. E. District	**3,230**	**30.3**	**97,770**	**15,730**	**10.1**	**158,410**	**18,960**	**256,180**	**$ 523,484**
Adams	680	27	18,360	4,450	11	48,950	5,130	67,310	$ 136,639
Arapahoe	100	30	3,000	440	12	5,280	540	8,280	16,726
Cheyenne	---	--	----	100	5	500	100	500	1,020
Denver	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Douglas	---	--	----	170	13	2,210	170	2,210	4,464
Elbert	---	--	----	1,290	8	10,320	1,290	10,320	20,846
El Paso	---	--	----	1,580	6	9,480	1,580	9,480	19,244
Kiowa	---	--	----	100	4	400	100	400	820
Kit Carson	---	--	----	100	5	500	100	500	1,015
Lincoln	---	--	----	700	5	3,500	700	3,500	7,105
Phillips	---	--	----	40	10	400	40	400	812
Washington	20	29	580	550	9	4,950	570	5,530	11,226
Yuma	---	--	----	170	9	1,530	170	1,530	3,106
Total East Central District	**800**	**27.4**	**21,940**	**9,690**	**9.1**	**88,020**	**10,490**	**109,960**	**$ 223,023**
Archuleta	600	23	13,800	1,460	12	17,520	2,060	31,320	$ 60,134
Delta	1,400	36	50,400	----	--	----	1,400	50,400	98,280
Dolores	---	--	----	250	11	2,750	250	2,750	5,280
Garfield	540	39	21,060	1,490	19	28,310	2,030	49,370	95,778
Hinsdale	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
La Plata	1,210	23	27,830	990	13	12,870	2,200	40,700	78,958
Mesa	660	33	21,780	270	13	3,510	930	25,290	49,821
Montezuma	400	21	8,400	880	15	13,200	1,280	21,600	41,904
Montrose	4,690	33	154,770	1,090	12	13,080	5,780	167,850	322,272
Ouray	310	29	8,990	60	12	720	370	9,710	18,546
San Juan	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
San Miguel	150	31	4,650	60	11	660	210	5,310	10,142
Total West Central and S. W. District	**9,960**	**31.3**	**311,680**	**6,550**	**14.1**	**92,620**	**16,510**	**404,300**	**$ 781,115**
Alamosa	1,810	25	45,250	----	--	----	1,810	45,250	$ 87,332
Conejos	3,040	27	82,080	----	--	----	3,040	82,080	159,235
Costilla	880	22	19,360	----	--	----	880	19,360	37,558
Mineral	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Rio Grande	4,380	31	135,780	----	--	----	4,380	135,780	263,413
Saguache	1,540	31	47,740	----	--	----	1,540	47,740	92,138
Total South Central District	**11,650**	**28.3**	**330,210**	----	--	----	**11,650**	**330,210**	**$ 639,676**
Baca	---	--	----	340	4	1,360	340	1,360	$ 2,788
Bent	100	25	2,500	310	5	1,550	410	4,050	8,262
Crowley	100	22	2,200	100	5	500	200	2,700	5,535
Custer	80	18	1,440	380	10	3,800	460	5,240	10,637
Fremont	30	19	570	10	8	80	40	650	1,326
Huerfano	160	18	2,880	1,080	5	5,400	1,240	8,280	16,891
Las Animas	160	18	2,880	1,530	5	7,650	1,690	10,530	21,586
Otero	300	30	9,000	20	4	80	320	9,080	18,523
Prowers	150	25	3,750	20	5	100	170	3,850	7,892
Pueblo	140	29	4,060	450	6	2,700	590	6,760	13,858
Total Southeast District	**1,220**	**24.0**	**29,280**	**4,240**	**5.5**	**23,220**	**5,460**	**52,500**	**$ 107,298**
State Total	**30,000**	**30.0**	**899,960**	**60,800**	**13.0**	**792,850**	**90,800**	**1,692,810**	**$ 3,300,766**

OATS—1953

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	730	36	26,280	----	--	----	730	26,280	$ 22,601
Clear Creek	40	37	1,480	----	--	----	40	1,480	1,243
Eagle	1,750	56	98,000	----	--	----	1,750	98,000	81,340
Gilpin	---	--	----	20	21	420	20	420	357
Grand	700	32	22,400	1,010	27	27,270	1,710	49,670	41,723
Gunnison	70	29	2,030	----	--	----	70	2,030	1,726
Jackson	---	--	----	200	28	5,600	200	5,600	4,424
Lake	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Moffat	450	41	18,450	860	27	23,220	1,310	41,670	33,336
Park	50	38	1,900	180	21	3,780	230	5,680	4,771
Pitkin	780	56	43,680	20	28	560	800	44,240	37,162
Rio Blanco	860	52	44,720	1,130	28	31,640	1,990	76,360	62,615
Routt	410	36	14,760	10,700	32	342,400	11,110	357,160	282,156
Summit	30	35	1,050	130	27	3,510	160	4,560	3,830
Teller	---	--	----	220	27	5,940	220	5,940	5,108
Total Northwest District	**5,870**	**46.8**	**274,750**	**14,470**	**30.7**	**444,340**	**20,340**	**719,090**	**$ 582,392**
Boulder	2,090	43	89,870	550	18	9,900	2,640	99,770	$ 83,807
Jefferson	800	37	29,600	690	17	11,730	1,490	41,330	35,131
Larimer	4,130	43	177,590	720	18	12,960	4,850	190,550	160,062
Logan	2,490	35	87,150	4,600	17	78,200	7,090	165,350	130,626
Morgan	4,900	45	220,500	2,820	12	33,840	7,720	254,340	208,559
Sedgwick	1,000	43	43,000	1,510	17	25,670	2,510	68,670	54,249
Weld	8,610	41	353,010	7,500	16	120,000	16,110	473,010	387,868
Total North Central and N. E. District	**24,020**	**41.7**	**1,000,720**	**18,390**	**15.9**	**292,300**	**42,410**	**1,293,020**	**$1,060,302**
Adams	1,280	37	47,360	610	17	10,370	1,890	57,730	$ 48,493
Arapahoe	100	35	3,500	1,070	16	17,120	1,170	20,620	17,321
Cheyenne	---	--	----	360	5	1,800	360	1,800	1,476
Denver	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Douglas	50	35	1,750	2,930	15	43,950	2,980	45,700	39,759
Elbert	---	--	----	5,620	15	84,300	5,620	84,300	70,812
El Paso	30	35	1,050	5,200	14	72,800	5,230	73,850	64,988
Kiowa	---	--	----	100	5	500	100	500	405
Kit Carson	100	37	3,700	2,400	5	12,000	2,500	15,700	13,031
Lincoln	90	37	3,330	1,510	5	7,550	1,600	10,880	8,922
Phillips	---	--	----	1,440	10	14,400	1,440	14,400	11,520
Washington	430	38	16,340	8,490	8	67,920	8,920	84,260	67,408
Yuma	80	38	3,040	4,260	12	51,120	4,340	54,160	43,870
Total East Central District	**2,160**	**37.1**	**80,070**	**33,990**	**11.3**	**383,830**	**36,150**	**463,900**	**$ 388,005**
Archuleta	500	33	16,500	1,070	27	28,890	1,570	45,390	$ 38,582
Delta	8,950	48	429,600	50	23	1,150	9,000	430,750	344,600
Dolores	180	40	7,200	20	23	460	200	7,660	6,434
Garfield	2,260	49	110,740	1,320	23	30,360	3,580	141,100	115,702
Hinsdale	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
La Plata	3,700	32	118,400	1,540	26	40,040	5,240	158,440	131,505
Mesa	4,870	46	224,020	50	21	1,050	4,920	225,070	186,808
Montezuma	1,130	34	38,420	2,140	20	42,800	3,270	81,220	69,849
Montrose	5,050	44	222,200	280	20	5,600	5,330	227,800	184,518
Ouray	510	41	20,910	130	25	3,250	640	24,160	19,570
San Juan	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
San Miguel	330	40	13,200	50	24	1,200	380	14,400	11,808
Total West Central and S. W. District	**27,480**	**43.7**	**1,201,190**	**6,650**	**23.3**	**154,800**	**34,130**	**1,355,990**	**$1,109,376**
Alamosa	6,960	30	208,800	----	--	----	6,960	208,800	$ 167,040
Conejos	9,060	41	371,460	----	--	----	9,060	371,460	297,168
Costilla	2,840	31	88,040	----	--	----	2,840	88,040	70,432
Mineral	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Rio Grande	9,160	37	338,920	----	--	----	9,160	338,920	271,136
Saguache	8,920	30	267,600	----	--	----	8,920	267,600	214,080
Total South Central District	**36,940**	**34.5**	**1,274,820**	----	--	----	**36,940**	**1,274,820**	**$1,019,856**
Baca	140	32	4,480	----	--	----	140	4,480	$ 3,674
Bent	1,960	30	58,800	100	5	500	2,060	59,300	49,812
Crowley	600	29	17,400	160	5	800	760	18,200	15,288
Custer	1,010	28	28,280	1,730	18	31,140	2,740	59,420	51,101
Fremont	680	33	22,440	1,180	17	20,060	1,860	42,500	37,400
Huerfano	170	31	5,270	1,130	6	6,780	1,300	12,050	10,363
Las Animas	320	31	9,920	120	8	960	440	10,880	9,357
Otero	2,290	33	75,570	30	6	180	2,320	75,750	65,145
Prowers	1,580	33	52,140	590	6	3,540	2,170	55,680	46,214
Pueblo	700	40	28,000	430	8	3,440	1,130	31,440	27,667
Total Southeast District	**9,450**	**32.0**	**302,300**	**5,470**	**12.3**	**67,400**	**14,920**	**369,700**	**$ 316,021**
State Total	**105,920**	**39.0**	**4,133,850**	**78,970**	**17.0**	**1,342,670**	**184,890**	**5,476,520**	**$4,475,952**

BARLEY—1953

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	350	36	12,600	----	--	----	350	12,600	$ 14,994
Clear Creek	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Eagle	290	51	14,790	40	21	840	330	15,630	18,600
Gilpin	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Grand	260	34	8,840	590	16	9,440	850	18,280	21,388
Gunnison	90	33	2,970	160	20	3,200	250	6,170	7,404
Jackson	20	32	640	170	21	3,570	190	4,210	4,842
Lake	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Moffat	240	41	9,840	670	20	13,400	910	23,240	27,656
Park	---	--	----	240	14	3,360	240	3,360	3,931
Pitkin	220	41	9,020	30	16	480	250	9,500	11,400
Rio Blanco	300	41	12,300	380	23	8,740	680	21,040	25,248
Routt	80	35	2,800	5,500	28	154,000	5,580	156,800	180,320
Summit	50	36	1,800	90	17	1,530	140	3,330	3,963
Teller	---	--	----	70	19	1,330	70	1,330	1,556
Total Northwest District	**1,900**	**39.8**	**75,600**	**7,940**	**25.2**	**199,890**	**9,840**	**275,490**	**$ 321,302**
Boulder	7,840	42	329,280	5,420	20	108,400	13,260	437,680	$ 490,202
Jefferson	2,650	37	98,050	670	19	12,730	3,320	110,780	128,505
Larimer	15,990	43	687,570	7,910	17	134,470	23,900	822,040	912,464
Logan	12,300	33	405,900	7,440	15	111,600	19,740	517,500	564,075
Morgan	11,000	40	440,000	9,300	14	130,200	20,300	570,200	644,326
Sedgwick	2,350	36	84,600	1,870	20	37,400	4,220	122,000	130,540
Weld	53,510	43	2,300,930	34,290	17	582,930	87,800	2,883,860	3,201,085
Total North Central and N. E. District	**105,640**	**41.1**	**4,346,330**	**66,900**	**16.7**	**1,117,730**	**172,540**	**5,464,060**	**$ 6,071,197**
Adams	5,280	38	200,640	9,280	19	176,320	14,560	376,960	$ 418,426
Arapahoe	610	38	23,180	7,670	17	130,390	8,280	153,570	171,998
Cheyenne	---	--	----	1,420	6	8,520	1,420	8,520	9,031
Denver	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Douglas	180	30	5,400	2,750	15	41,250	2,930	46,650	54,580
Elbert	---	--	----	9,170	12	110,040	9,170	110,040	125,446
El Paso	170	31	5,270	1,780	8	14,240	1,950	19,510	23,022
Kiowa	---	--	----	390	7	2,730	390	2,730	2,866
Kit Carson	40	31	1,240	5,300	8	42,400	5,340	43,640	45,386
Lincoln	20	30	600	8,270	9	74,430	8,290	75,030	78,782
Phillips	---	--	----	2,160	13	28,080	2,160	28,080	29,203
Washington	1,000	36	36,000	18,250	8	146,000	19,250	182,000	191,100
Yuma	300	31	9,300	3,880	13	50,440	4,180	59,740	61,532
Total East Central District	**7,600**	**37.1**	**281,630**	**70,320**	**11.7**	**824,840**	**77,920**	**1,106,470**	**$ 1,211,372**
Archuleta	160	24	3,840	360	21	7,560	520	11,400	$ 13,110
Delta	3,230	45	145,350	50	18	900	3,280	146,250	171,112
Dolores	50	35	1,750	520	17	8,840	570	10,590	12,602
Garfield	2,010	44	88,440	700	20	14,000	2,710	102,440	120,879
Hinsdale	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
La Plata	1,960	27	52,920	570	24	13,680	2,530	66,600	79,254
Mesa	1,340	36	48,240	600	19	11,400	1,940	59,640	71,568
Montezuma	1,460	35	51,100	980	17	16,660	2,440	67,760	82,667
Montrose	4,070	40	162,800	580	13	7,540	4,650	170,340	197,594
Ouray	260	33	8,580	200	14	2,800	460	11,380	13,201
San Juan	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
San Miguel	200	37	7,400	430	16	6,880	630	14,280	16,850
Total West Central and S. W. District	**14,740**	**38.7**	**570,420**	**4,990**	**18.1**	**90,260**	**19,730**	**660,680**	**$ 778,837**
Alamosa	8,330	26	216,580	----	--	----	8,330	216,580	$ 236,072
Conejos	13,500	34	459,000	----	--	----	13,500	459,000	495,720
Costilla	3,910	27	105,570	----	--	----	3,910	105,570	115,071
Mineral	---	--	----	----	--	----	----	----	------
Rio Grande	10,500	34	357,000	----	--	----	10,500	357,000	396,270
Saguache	5,980	31	185,380	----	--	----	5,980	185,380	205,772
Total South Central District	**42,220**	**31.3**	**1,323,530**	**----**	**--**	**----**	**42,220**	**1,323,530**	**$ 1,448,905**
Baca	130	31	4,030	530	5	2,650	660	6,680	$ 7,415
Bent	1,970	32	63,040	300	6	1,800	2,270	64,840	71,972
Crowley	690	29	20,010	200	7	1,400	890	21,410	23,765
Custer	450	31	13,950	1,130	16	18,080	1,580	32,030	37,795
Fremont	210	32	6,720	600	10	6,000	810	12,720	15,010
Huerfano	800	32	25,600	2,100	6	12,600	2,900	38,200	42,784
Las Animas	900	26	23,400	940	5	4,700	1,840	28,100	31,472
Otero	4,370	34	148,580	200	5	1,000	4,570	149,580	167,530
Prowers	2,100	31	65,100	1,200	8	9,600	3,300	74,700	82,917
Pueblo	1,510	41	61,910	1,320	12	15,840	2,830	77,750	90,968
Total Southeast District	**13,130**	**32.9**	**432,340**	**8,520**	**8.6**	**73,670**	**21,650**	**506,010**	**$ 571,628**
State Total	**185,230**	**38.0**	**7,029,850**	**158,670**	**14.5**	**2,306,390**	**343,900**	**9,336,240**	**$10,403,241**

POTATOES—1953

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Harvested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	40	260	10,400	--	--	----	40	10,400	$ 7,904
Clear Creek	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Eagle	550	325	178,750	--	--	----	550	178,750	125,125
Gilpin	10	165	1,650	--	--	----	10	1,650	1,204
Grand	10	270	2,700	--	--	----	10	2,700	2,052
Gunnison	20	140	2,800	--	--	----	20	2,800	2,100
Jackson	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Lake	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Moffat	40	157	6,280	50	80	4,000	90	10,280	7,504
Park	----	--	----	30	60	1,800	30	1,800	1,350
Pitkin	220	338	74,360	--	--	----	220	74,360	53,539
Rio Blanco	30	270	8,100	--	--	----	30	8,100	5,832
Routt	50	235	11,750	160	100	16,000	210	27,750	19,702
Summit	10	140	1,400	--	--	----	10	1,400	1,050
Teller	----	--	----	50	70	3,500	50	3,500	2,555
Total Northwest District	**980**	**304**	**298,190**	**290**	**87**	**25,300**	**1,270**	**323,490**	**$ 229,917**
Boulder	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Jefferson	----	--	----	10	90	900	10	900	$ 558
Larimer	180	349	62,820	20	85	1,700	200	64,520	44,519
Logan	60	302	18,120	10	93	930	70	19,050	13,335
Morgan	1,870	360	673,200	30	95	2,850	1,900	676,050	479,996
Sedgwick	1,350	360	486,000	250	99	24,750	1,600	510,750	367,740
Weld	13,240	370	4,898,800	200	97	19,400	13,440	4,918,200	3,688,650
Total North Central and N. E. District	**16,700**	**368**	**6,138,940**	**520**	**97**	**50,530**	**17,220**	**6,189,470**	**$ 4,594,798**
Adams	70	340	23,800	--	--	----	70	23,800	$ 16,422
Arapahoe	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Cheyenne	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Denver	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Douglas	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Elbert	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
El Paso	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Kiowa	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Kit Carson	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Lincoln	----	--	----	30	60	1,800	30	1,800	1,206
Phillips	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Washington	20	313	6,260	10	60	600	30	6,860	4,596
Yuma	20	221	4,420	--	--	----	20	4,420	2,961
Total East Central District	**110**	**313**	**34,480**	**40**	**60**	**2,400**	**150**	**36,880**	**$ 25,185**
Archuleta	10	240	2,400	--	--	----	10	2,400	$ 2,040
Delta	70	281	19,670	--	--	----	70	19,670	13,572
Dolores	40	240	9,600	30	86	2,580	70	12,180	8,891
Garfield	290	277	80,330	30	83	2,490	320	82,820	56,318
Hinsdale	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
La Plata	70	245	17,150	10	85	850	80	18,000	13,500
Mesa	270	300	81,000	30	85	2,550	300	83,550	59,320
Montezuma	330	300	99,000	--	--	----	330	99,000	69,300
Montrose	900	348	313,200	10	80	800	910	314,000	213,520
Ouray	20	205	4,100	--	--	----	20	4,100	2,952
San Juan	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
San Miguel	20	200	4,000	--	--	----	20	4,000	3,000
Total West Central and S. W. District	**2,020**	**312**	**630,450**	**110**	**84**	**9,270**	**2,130**	**639,720**	**$ 442,413**
Alamosa	4,630	315	1,458,450	--	--	----	4,630	1,458,450	$ 1,050,084
Conejos	2,920	346	1,010,320	--	--	----	2,920	1,010,320	727,430
Costilla	1,730	300	519,000	--	--	----	1,730	519,000	368,490
Mineral	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Rio Grande	17,770	352	6,255,040	--	--	----	17,770	6,255,040	4,566,179
Saguache	8,290	291	2,412,390	--	--	----	8,290	2,412,390	1,736,921
Total South Central District	**35,340**	**330**	**11,655,200**	--	--	----	**35,340**	**11,655,200**	**$ 8,449,104**
Baca	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Bent	340	215	73,100	--	--	----	340	73,100	$ 50,439
Crowley	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Custer	10	300	3,000	20	90	1,800	30	4,800	3,648
Fremont	----	--	----	10	60	600	10	600	456
Huerfano	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Las Animas	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Otero	240	365	87,600	--	--	----	240	87,600	60,444
Prowers	340	350	119,000	--	--	----	340	119,000	82,110
Pueblo	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Total Southeast District	**930**	**304**	**282,700**	**30**	**80**	**2,400**	**960**	**285,100**	**$ 197,097**
State Total	**56,080**	**340**	**19,039,960**	**990**	**91**	**89,900**	**57,070**	**19,129,860**	**$13,938,514**

BEANS (DRY) — 1953

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Prod. 100 Lb. Bags	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Prod. 100 Lb. Bags	Acres Harvested	Prod. 100 Lb. Bags	Value Dollars
Chaffee	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Clear Creek	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Eagle	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Gilpin	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Grand	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Gunnison	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Jackson	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Lake	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Moffat	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Park	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Pitkin	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Rio Blanco	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Routt	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Summit	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Teller	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Total Northwest District	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Boulder	30	1,620	486	50	420	210	80	696	$ 4,643
Jefferson	----	--	----	20	420	84	20	84	561
Larimer	2,390	1,620	38,718	50	440	220	2,440	38,938	255,295
Logan	2,510	1,650	41,415	130	450	585	2,640	42,000	281,295
Morgan	12,800	1,900	243,200	330	450	1,485	13,130	244,685	1,627,033
Sedgwick	2,650	1,720	45,580	70	460	322	2,720	45,902	304,193
Weld	49,920	1,970	983,424	1,910	460	8,786	51,830	992,210	6,762,906
Total North Central and N. E. District	**70,300**	**1,924**	**1,352,823**	**2,560**	**457**	**11,692**	**72,860**	**1,364,515**	**$ 9,235,926**
Adams	600	960	5,760	120	350	420	720	6,180	$ 42,564
Arapahoe	20	960	192	340	350	1,190	360	1,382	9,422
Cheyenne	----	--	----	60	290	174	60	174	1,147
Denver	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Douglas	----	--	----	70	400	280	70	280	1,889
Elbert	----	--	----	4,100	320	13,120	4,100	13,120	86,634
El Paso	600	1,260	7,560	15,800	310	48,980	16,400	56,540	377,351
Kiowa	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Kit Carson	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Lincoln	----	--	----	2,240	290	6,496	2,240	6,496	42,287
Phillips	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Washington	1,000	1,800	18,000	1,010	390	3,939	2,010	21,939	149,533
Yuma									
Total East Central District	**2,220**	**1,419**	**31,512**	**23,740**	**314**	**74,599**	**25,960**	**106,111**	**$ 710,827**
Archuleta	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Delta	1,980	1,620	32,076	20	500	100	2,000	32,176	$ 205,602
Dolores	----	--	----	39,640	530	210,092	39,640	210,092	1,431,985
Garfield	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Hinsdale	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
La Plata	640	1,030	6,592	3,620	490	17,738	4,260	24,330	171,100
Mesa	3,900	1,540	60,060	100	370	370	4,000	60,430	397,628
Montezuma	5,700	1,260	71,820	33,670	480	161,616	39,370	233,436	1,557,953
Montrose	7,600	1,600	121,600	70	430	301	7,670	121,901	802,109
Ouray	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
San Juan	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
San Miguel	150	1,250	1,875	4,190	330	13,827	4,340	15,702	105,911
Total West Central and S. W. District	**19,970**	**1,472**	**294,023**	**81,310**	**497**	**404,044**	**101,280**	**698,067**	**$ 4,672,288**
Alamosa	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Conejos	390	700	2,730	--	--	----	390	2,730	$ 18,347
Costilla	390	630	2,457	--	--	----	390	2,457	16,054
Mineral	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Rio Grande	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Saguache	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Total South Central District	**780**	**665**	**5,187**	--	--	----	**780**	**5,187**	**$ 34,401**
Baca	----	--	----	190	160	304	190	304	$ 1,995
Bent	110	650	715	30	160	48	140	763	5,005
Crowley	640	820	5,248	1,990	260	5,174	2,630	10,422	69,298
Custer	----	--	----	--	--	----	----	------	------
Fremont	30	500	150	--	--	----	30	150	1,037
Huerfano	70	800	560	50	170	85	120	645	4,414
Las Animas	1,100	630	6,930	3,070	180	5,526	4,170	12,456	84,606
Otero	3,280	1,250	41,000	40	160	64	3,320	41,064	271,149
Prowers	160	800	1,280	30	200	60	190	1,340	8,784
Pueblo	3,500	1,300	45,500	9,100	260	23,660	12,600	69,160	463,097
Total Southeast District	**8,890**	**1,140**	**101,383**	**14,500**	**241**	**34,921**	**23,390**	**136,304**	**$ 909,385**
State Total	**102,160**	**1,747**	**1,784,928**	**122,110**	**430**	**525,256**	**224,270**	**2,310,184**	**$15,562,827**

SUGAR BEETS AND BROOMCORN—1953

SUGAR BEETS—IRRIGATED

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Value Dollars
Boulder	2,401	94	2,265	15.9	36,014	$ 422,444
Jefferson	48	92	44	11.0	484	5,677
Larimer	8,179	95	7,769	15.2	118,089	1,386,365
Logan	8,395	94	7,882	15.4	121,383	1,416,540
Morgan	19,600	92	18,023	17.3	311,798	3,657,390
Sedgwick	2,916	99	2,883	18.0	51,894	605,603
Weld	57,700	97	56,076	18.2	1,020,583	11,971,440
Total N. Central & N. E. Districts	**99,239**	**96**	**94,942**	**17.5**	**1,660,245**	**$19,465,459**
Adams	2,575	96	2,461	15.8	38,884	$ 456,109
Arapahoe	10	100	10	13.7	137	1,607
Cheyenne	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Denver	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Douglas	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Elbert	----	--	----	----	-----	------
El Paso	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Kiowa	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Kit Carson	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Lincoln	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Phillips	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Washington	633	91	578	14.9	8,612	100,502
Yuma	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Total East Central District	**3,218**	**95**	**3,049**	**15.6**	**47,633**	**$ 558,218**
Archuleta	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Delta	590	97	573	16.1	9,225	$ 106,088
Dolores	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Garfield	104	90	94	13.7	1,288	14,812
Hinsdale	----	--	----	----	-----	------
La Plata	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Mesa	2,518	97	2,443	18.4	44,951	519,184
Montezuma	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Montrose	1,101	94	1,038	15.6	16,193	187,029
Ouray	23	100	23	15.6	359	4,146
San Juan	----	--	----	----	-----	------
San Miguel	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Total West Central and S. W. District	**4,336**	**96**	**4,171**	**17.3**	**72,016**	**$ 831,259**
Alamosa	704	54	378	8.4	3,175	$ 35,878
Conejos	65	18	12	6.5	78	881
Costilla	235	0	0	0	-----	------
Mineral	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Rio Grande	146	58	84	5.1	428	4,836
Saguache	111	82	91	9.3	846	9,518
Total South Central District	**1,261**	**45**	**565**	**8.0**	**4,527**	**$ 51,113**
Baca	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Bent	738	99	728	16.8	12,230	139,422
Crowley	2,740	95	2,604	12.6	32,810	377,315
Custer	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Fremont	30	100	30	12.4	372	4,204
Huerfano	----	--	----	----	-----	------
Las Animas	459	76	348	10.8	3,758	43,405
Otero	4,055	97	3,917	14.2	55,621	640,198
Prowers	2,198	92	2,018	12.4	25,023	289,016
Pueblo	3,054	97	2,953	14.3	42,228	485,622
Total Southeast District	**13,274**	**95**	**12,598**	**13.6**	**172,042**	**$ 1,979,182**
State Total	**121,328**	**95**	**115,325**	**17.0**	**1,956,463**	**$22,885,231**

BROOMCORN—IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Per cent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production Tons	Value Dollars
Baca	68,500	79	54,220	185	5,015	$1,510,540
Bent	270	80	220	185	20	6,110
Crowley	200	81	160	175	14	4,200
Las Animas	1,000	80	800	185	74	22,200
Prowers	3,410	79	2,700	190	256	76,950
State Total	**73,380**	**79**	**58,100**	**185**	**5,379**	**$1,620,000**

RYE — 1953

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	80	40	30	14	420	$ 483
Clear Creek	---	--	----	--	----	----
Eagle	---	--	----	--	----	----
Gilpin	---	--	----	--	----	----
Grand	250	40	100	14	1,400	1,652
Gunnison	250	40	100	13	1,300	1,495
Jackson	400	40	160	13	2,080	2,434
Lake	---	--	----	--	----	----
Moffat	920	40	370	9	3,330	3,929
Park	---	--	----	--	----	----
Pitkin	---	--	----	--	----	----
Rio Blanco	250	40	100	16	1,600	1,888
Routt	530	38	200	15	3,000	3,510
Summit	---	--	----	--	----	----
Teller	280	40	110	13	1,430	1,644
Total Northwest District	**2,960**	**55**	**1,170**	**12.4**	**14,560**	**$ 17,035**
Boulder	280	40	110	13	1,430	$ 1,687
Jefferson	280	40	110	14	1,540	1,771
Larimer	250	40	100	13	1,300	1,521
Logan	2,860	50	1,430	11	15,730	17,618
Morgan	2,020	50	1,010	8	8,080	9,050
Sedgwick	1,320	47	620	10	6,200	6,882
Weld	4,320	40	1,730	10	17,300	18,857
Total N. Central & N.E. District	**11,330**	**45**	**5,110**	**10.1**	**51,580**	**$ 57,386**
Adams	420	50	210	10	2,100	$ 2,289
Arapahoe	440	39	170	10	1,700	1,870
Cheyenne	890	37	330	5	1,650	1,832
Denver	---	--	----	--	----	----
Douglas	380	34	130	9	1,170	1,346
Elbert	2,600	30	780	8	6,240	7,051
El Paso	1,850	20	370	5	1,850	2,128
Kiowa	4,210	24	1,010	5	5,050	5,606
Kit Carson	4,150	40	1,660	5	8,300	9,296
Lincoln	3,660	41	1,500	7	10,500	11,970
Phillips	1,880	48	900	8	7,200	7,920
Washington	5,500	48	2,640	7	18,480	20,143
Yuma	9,480	42	3,980	7	27,860	31,203
Total East Central District	**35,160**	**39**	**13,680**	**6.7**	**92,100**	**$102,654**
Archuleta	120	40	50	15	750	$ 862
Delta	180	40	70	20	1,400	1,610
Dolores	---	--	----	--	----	----
Garfield	180	40	70	16	1,120	1,310
Hinsdale	---	--	----	--	----	----
La Plata	410	37	150	14	2,100	2,394
Mesa	80	40	30	15	450	526
Montezuma	120	40	50	10	500	575
Montrose	120	40	50	17	850	978
Ouray	---	--	----	--	----	----
San Juan	---	--	----	--	----	----
San Miguel	120	40	50	10	500	565
Total W. Central & S.W. District	**1,330**	**39**	**520**	**14.8**	**7,670**	**$ 8,820**
Alamosa	40	50	20	10	200	$ 222
Conejos	---	--	----	--	----	----
Costilla	120	50	60	10	600	666
Mineral	---	--	----	--	----	----
Rio Grande	120	50	60	10	600	666
Saguache	---	--	----	--	----	----
Total South Central District	**280**	**50**	**140**	**10.0**	**1,400**	**$ 1,554**
Baca	3,650	40	1,460	5	7,300	$ 8,103
Bent	320	31	100	9	900	1,008
Crowley	240	33	80	7	560	633
Custer	460	41	190	10	1,900	2,147
Fremont	240	37	90	10	900	1,017
Huerfano	50	40	20	8	160	179
Las Animas	650	37	240	5	1,200	1,332
Otero	120	42	50	10	500	565
Prowers	450	42	190	10	1,900	2,128
Pueblo	560	36	200	8	1,600	1,808
Total Southeast District	**6,740**	**39**	**2,620**	**6.5**	**16,920**	**$ 18,920**
State Total	**58,100**	**40**	**23,240**	**7.9**	**184,230**	**$206,369**

ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN AND ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE—1953

COUNTY	ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED				ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE & SILAGE IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED			
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Value Dollars	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Value Dollars
Chaffee	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Clear Creek	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Eagle	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Gilpin	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Grand	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Gunnison	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Jackson	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Lake	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Moffat	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Park	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Pitkin	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Rio Blanco	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Routt	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Summit	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Teller	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Total Northwest District	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Boulder	10	10	100	$ 130	340	1.7	578	$ 8,294
Jefferson	20	10	200	258	450	1.7	765	10,978
Larimer	60	10	600	780	350	1.7	595	8,628
Logan	1,620	12	19,440	25,078	9,940	1.5	14,910	208,740
Morgan	2,110	14	29,540	38,107	9,020	2.1	18,942	264,241
Sedgwick	----	--	------	------	6,730	1.6	10,768	149,675
Weld	2,090	12	25,080	32,353	12,870	1.6	20,592	290,347
Total North Central and N. E. District	**5,910**	**12.7**	**74,960**	**$ 96,706**	**39,700**	**1.69**	**67,150**	**$ 940,903**
Adams	380	10	3,800	$ 4,902	3,830	1.2	4,596	$ 67,331
Arapahoe	760	10	7,600	9,804	7,720	2.2	16,984	250,514
Cheyenne	14,830	8	118,640	145,927	30,100	.9	27,090	381,969
Denver	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Douglas	----	--	------	------	500	2.2	1,100	16,335
Elbert	570	9	5,130	6,618	13,730	1.1	15,103	214,463
El Paso	520	7	3,640	4,768	12,600	.7	8,820	129,654
Kiowa	47,800	9	430,200	533,448	36,060	1.0	36,060	498,349
Kit Carson	12,490	9	112,410	140,512	53,250	.8	42,600	596,400
Lincoln	7,270	11	79,970	102,362	30,980	1.1	34,078	483,908
Phillips	2,910	19	55,290	70,218	9,730	1.5	14,595	202,870
Washington	3,000	9	27,000	34,830	34,510	1.0	34,510	483,140
Yuma	7,290	12	87,480	11,974	44,770	1.0	44,770	631,257
Total East Central District	**97,820**	**9.5**	**931,160**	**$1,165,363**	**277,780**	**1.01**	**280,306**	**$3,956,190**
Archuleta	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Delta	----	--	------	------	30	1.3	39	$ 515
Dolores	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Garfield	----	--	------	------	10	1.4	14	186
Hinsdale	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
La Plata	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Mesa	----	--	------	------	140	1.4	196	2,587
Montezuma	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Montrose	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Ouray	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
San Juan	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
San Miguel	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Total West Central and S. W. District	----	--	------	------	**180**	**1.38**	**249**	**$ 3,288**
Alamosa	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Conejos	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Costilla	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Mineral	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Rio Grande	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Saguache	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Total South Central District	----	--	------	------	----	--	------	------
Baca	31,900	6	191,400	$ 233,508	37,440	.5	18,720	$ 256,464
Bent	10,390	20	207,800	259,750	7,840	2.6	20,384	279,261
Crowley	1,840	15	27,600	34,776	8,370	1.8	15,066	208,664
Custer	30	9	270	338	210	1.7	357	4,998
Fremont	50	9	450	576	310	1.7	527	7,562
Huerfano	110	8	880	1,118	750	1.7	1,275	18,232
Las Animas	1,230	5	6,150	7,442	14,160	1.4	19,824	282,492
Otero	740	26	19,240	24,050	1,060	2.9	3,074	42,114
Prowers	27,140	15	407,100	508,875	29,400	2.4	70,560	966,672
Pueblo	2,840	8	22,720	29,536	4,090	.8	3,272	47,444
Total Southeast District	**76,270**	**11.6**	**883,610**	**$1,099,969**	**103,630**	**1.48**	**153,059**	**$2,113,903**
State Total	**180,000**	**10.5**	**1,889,730**	**$2,362,038**	**421,290**	**1.19**	**500,764**	**$7,014,284**

HAY — 1953

COUNTY	ALFALFA			WILD HAY			ALL HAY		
	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Harvested	Production Tons	Total Value Dollars
Chaffee	5,000	1.8	9,000	4,100	1.2	4,920	12,690	18,587	$ 301,109
Clear Creek	-----	--	-----	300	1.2	360	600	630	10,174
Eagle	9,920	2.3	22,816	2,580	1.4	3,612	23,860	49,148	688,072
Gilpin	-----	--	-----	810	.9	729	910	819	12,613
Grand	560	1.5	840	9,440	1.1	10,384	37,830	50,186	757,809
Gunnison	640	1.6	1,024	25,070	1.4	35,098	43,410	64,442	934,409
Jackson	-----	--	-----	92,050	1.1	101,255	93,190	102,281	1,426,820
Lake	-----	--	-----	3,850	.7	2,695	5,050	3,895	58,036
Moffat	13,040	1.1	14,344	5,230	1.2	6,276	25,680	30,994	440,115
Park	50	1.5	75	40,300	1.0	40,300	46,360	45,784	730,255
Pitkin	3,870	2.1	8,127	1,400	1.4	1,960	13,970	25,747	386,205
Rio Blanco	9,100	1.5	13,650	8,530	1.5	12,795	26,830	37,485	530,413
Routt	9,980	1.0	9,980	4,020	1.2	4,824	49,720	64,812	845,797
Summit	-----	--	-----	1,110	1.2	1,332	8,130	13,266	201,643
Teller	140	1.5	210	1,850	1.2	2,220	4,990	5,130	85,928
Total Northwest District	**52,300**	**1.53**	**80,066**	**200,640**	**1.14**	**228,760**	**393,220**	**513,206**	**$ 7,409,398**
Boulder	19,660	2.5	49,150	4,390	1.0	4,390	25,160	54,761	$ 840,581
Jefferson	10,980	1.9	20,862	4,100	.9	3,690	16,380	25,722	416,696
Larimer	33,890	2.5	84,725	11,000	1.0	11,000	47,330	98,653	1,464,997
Logan	23,900	2.8	66,920	11,320	1.0	11,320	42,190	85,210	1,231,284
Morgan	24,600	3.0	73,800	5,650	.9	5,085	34,250	82,885	1,193,544
Sedgwick	4,690	2.5	11,725	4,630	.9	4,167	11,020	17,592	248,047
Weld	99,570	2.9	288,753	17,400	1.0	17,400	130,040	319,223	4,724,500
Total North Central and N. E. District	**217,290**	**2.74**	**595,935**	**58,490**	**.98**	**57,052**	**306,370**	**684,046**	**$10,119,649**
Adams	19,500	2.8	54,600	1,930	1.0	1,930	22,080	57,310	$ 853,919
Arapahoe	7,410	2.1	15,561	3,410	1.0	3,410	11,820	20,171	336,856
Cheyenne	690	1.0	690	530	.4	212	5,620	3,542	56,141
Denver	-----	--	-----	-----	--	-----	-----	-----	-----
Douglas	8,760	1.2	10,512	2,700	.8	2,160	13,990	15,202	258,434
Elbert	9,010	1.0	9,010	4,960	.8	3,968	20,000	17,802	293,733
El Paso	7,540	1.3	9,802	3,200	.8	2,560	22,150	19,208	336,140
Kiowa	1,650	.8	1,320	200	.4	80	3,350	2,300	36,800
Kit Carson	1,650	1.4	2,310	1,000	.7	700	4,950	4,390	66,948
Lincoln	1,480	2.0	2,960	3,360	.8	2,688	13,840	11,048	169,587
Phillips	2,890	1.5	4,335	500	.9	450	6,180	8,133	114,675
Washington	6,000	2.3	13,800	6,270	.6	3,762	21,070	26,362	390,158
Yuma	17,080	1.8	30,744	5,600	.8	4,480	28,680	40,024	572,343
Total East Central District	**83,660**	**1.86**	**155,644**	**33,660**	**.78**	**26,400**	**173,730**	**225,492**	**$ 3,485,734**
Archuleta	4,610	1.4	6,454	500	1.0	500	12,210	15,474	$ 225,920
Delta	16,060	3.3	52,998	370	1.4	518	20,990	63,092	908,525
Dolores	440	2.1	924	70	1.2	84	770	1,398	21,459
Garfield	25,630	2.5	64,075	1,000	1.6	1,600	26,930	66,275	951,046
Hinsdale	260	1.8	468	2,080	1.4	2,912	3,240	4,640	71,920
La Plata	18,170	1.8	32,706	970	1.6	1,552	24,250	41,412	604,615
Mesa	39,970	3.3	131,901	880	1.3	1,144	41,860	134,762	2,014,692
Montezuma	9,500	2.4	22,800	700	1.5	1,050	10,800	24,570	369,778
Montrose	24,040	2.2	52,888	3,100	1.4	4,340	31,200	62,506	887,585
Ouray	1,930	1.8	3,474	1,270	1.4	1,778	10,340	14,534	218,010
San Juan	-----	--	-----	-----	--	-----	-----	-----	-----
San Miguel	1,600	2.0	3,200	300	1.2	360	4,900	7,160	108,474
Total West Central and S. W. District	**142,210**	**2.62**	**371,888**	**11,240**	**1.41**	**15,838**	**187,490**	**435,823**	**$ 6,382,024**
Alamosa	16,820	1.5	25,230	16,890	1.0	16,890	39,840	51,315	$ 754,330
Conejos	16,000	1.6	25,600	25,000	1.0	25,000	43,400	52,760	767,658
Costilla	5,930	1.9	11,267	2,080	1.0	2,080	9,010	14,247	207,294
Mineral	-----	--	-----	1,700	1.0	1,700	2,150	2,150	33,970
Rio Grande	33,410	1.5	50,115	13,270	1.0	13,270	53,040	72,289	1,087,949
Saguache	17,500	1.6	28,000	41,320	.9	37,188	62,820	69,988	1,067,317
Total S. Central District	**89,660**	**1.56**	**140,212**	**100,260**	**.96**	**96,128**	**210,260**	**262,749**	**$ 3,918,518**
Baca	2,100	2.0	4,200	200	.4	80	2,600	4,520	$ 71,868
Bent	27,000	2.1	56,700	200	1.0	200	27,580	57,470	882,164
Crowley	14,660	2.4	35,184	40	.7	28	15,150	35,617	560,968
Custer	3,160	2.0	6,320	13,630	1.1	14,993	18,210	23,301	389,127
Fremont	7,020	2.4	16,848	1,150	1.1	1,265	11,180	21,725	370,411
Huerfano	8,800	1.7	14,960	1,100	.9	990	10,500	16,490	244,052
Las Animas	8,000	1.3	10,400	3,500	.8	2,800	12,000	13,950	230,178
Otero	28,240	2.5	70,600	60	.9	54	28,700	71,214	1,068,210
Prowers	37,980	2.6	98,748	200	1.2	240	38,720	99,366	1,520,300
Pueblo	14,900	2.5	37,250	900	.9	810	20,690	40,994	686,656
Total Southeast District	**151,860**	**2.31**	**351,210**	**20,980**	**1.02**	**21,460**	**185,330**	**384,647**	**$ 6,023,928**
State Total	**736,980**	**2.30**	**1,694,955**	**425,270**	**1.05**	**445,638**	**1,456,400**	**2,505,963**	**$37,339,248**

CORN, BARLEY, WHEAT—ACRES PLANTED AND PERCENT HARVESTED 1953

COUNTY	CORN		BARLEY		WINTER WHEAT		SPRING WHEAT	
	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted [1]	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested
Chaffee	----	--	380	93	240	97	260	96
Clear Creek	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
Eagle	----	--	360	92	40	97	1,260	97
Gilpin	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
Grand	----	--	920	92	1,280	98	360	97
Gunnison	----	--	270	92	----	--	130	97
Jackson	----	--	210	92	1,260	93	70	97
Lake	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
Moffat	180	98	990	92	37,250	93	13,230	97
Park	----	--	260	92	----	--	30	97
Pitkin	----	--	270	92	----	--	470	98
Rio Blanco	100	98	740	92	7,510	93	2,270	97
Routt	----	--	6,070	92	29,220	98	10,470	97
Summit	----	--	150	92	----	--	----	--
Teller	----	--	80	92	----	--	30	97
Total Northwest District	**280**	**98**	**10,700**	**92**	**76,800**	**95**	**28,580**	**97**
Boulder	8,730	98	14,110	94	14,920	86	960	97
Jefferson	1,700	98	3,530	94	11,040	87	1,320	98
Larimer	14,010	98	26,560	90	26,410	78	3,640	97
Logan	28,300	97	25,640	77	202,500	91	1,550	95
Morgan	31,110	97	29,000	70	77,640	81	3,860	84
Sedgwick	10,530	98	8,440	50	95,680	96	340	91
Weld	52,120	97	103,290	85	261,970	82	9,410	87
Total North Central and N. E. District	**146,500**	**97**	**210,570**	**82**	**690,160**	**86**	**21,080**	**90**
Adams	10,370	97	18,670	78	191,510	93	6,410	80
Arapahoe	5,520	98	9,740	85	87,660	91	770	70
Cheyenne	4,200	88	3,380	42	200,210	64	180	56
Denver	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
Douglas	4,060	96	3,180	92	15,850	98	220	78
Elbert	17,650	97	13,690	67	94,800	84	1,840	70
El Paso	26,840	95	3,310	59	23,000	60	2,470	64
Kiowa	3,300	91	1,770	22	347,540	32	230	43
Kit Carson	8,930	89	9,370	57	330,030	84	150	65
Lincoln	10,030	94	21,820	38	210,260	86	1,090	64
Phillips	14,230	98	5,400	40	155,910	75	50	80
Washington	21,540	94	28,310	68	330,430	97	710	80
Yuma	72,550	95	5,880	71	190,140	95	210	80
Total East Central District	**199,220**	**95**	**124,520**	**63**	**2,177,340**	**77**	**14,330**	**73**
Archuleta	160	98	610	85	940	92	2,150	96
Delta	6,460	99	3,490	94	300	88	1,440	97
Dolores	60	98	620	92	38,040	95	260	96
Garfield	1,040	99	3,010	90	6,850	88	2,160	94
Hinsdale	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
La Plata	1,030	99	4,080	62	25,770	91	2,590	85
Mesa	7,210	99	2,110	92	1,530	91	1,080	86
Montezuma	1,350	99	2,650	92	30,000	93	1,350	95
Montrose	6,290	97	4,840	95	1,800	93	6,020	96
Ouray	60	97	480	95	670	91	390	95
San Juan	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
San Miguel	180	98	680	93	5,000	94	220	96
Total West Central and S. W. District	**23,840**	**98**	**22,570**	**87**	**110,900**	**93**	**17,660**	**93**
Alamosa	----	--	8,590	97	----	--	1,930	94
Conejos	----	--	15,340	88	----	--	3,300	92
Costilla	----	--	3,910	100	----	--	920	96
Mineral	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
Rio Grande	----	--	12,800	82	----	--	4,520	97
Saguache	----	--	7,040	85	----	--	1,600	96
Total South Central District	----	--	**47,680**	**89**	----	--	**12,270**	**95**
Baca	810	78	2,640	25	451,980	18	720	47
Bent	6,640	91	2,610	87	55,640	47	690	59
Crowley	7,380	92	1,020	87	22,910	27	280	71
Custer	660	88	2,550	62	210	52	510	90
Fremont	1,070	88	1,620	50	870	52	50	87
Huerfano	540	89	4,680	62	8,020	42	1,430	87
Las Animas	1,180	85	8,000	23	25,600	17	1,940	87
Otero	13,670	87	5,860	78	3,160	72	400	81
Prowers	12,130	87	7,860	42	254,840	50	280	61
Pueblo	7,950	86	4,220	67	23,660	63	710	83
Total Southeast District	**52,030**	**88**	**41,060**	**53**	**846,890**	**32**	**7,010**	**78**
State Total	**421,870**	**95**	**457,100**	**75**	**3,902,090**	**70**	**100,930**	**90**

[1] Planted fall of preceding year.

BEANS, POTATOES, OATS, ALL SORGHUMS—ACRES PLANTED AND PERCENT HARVESTED 1953

COUNTY	BEANS (DRY)		POTATOES		OATS		ALL SORGHUMS	
	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested
Chaffee	----	--	40	100	810	90	----	--
Clear Creek	----	--	----	--	40	93	----	--
Eagle	----	--	560	99	1,820	96	----	--
Gilpin	----	--	10	100	20	91	----	--
Grand	----	--	10	100	1,990	86	----	--
Gunnison	----	--	20	100	80	88	----	--
Jackson	----	--	----	--	230	86	----	--
Lake	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
Moffat	----	--	90	100	1,520	86	----	--
Park	----	--	30	100	270	86	----	--
Pitkin	----	--	220	99	820	97	----	--
Rio Blanco	----	--	30	100	2,550	78	----	--
Routt	----	--	210	99	12,920	86	----	--
Summit	----	--	10	100	170	93	----	--
Teller	----	--	50	100	260	86	----	--
Total Northwest District	----	--	**1,280**	**99**	**23,500**	**87**	----	--
Boulder	80	97	----	--	2,970	89	380	92
Jefferson	20	97	10	100	1,690	88	490	94
Larimer	2,520	97	200	98	6,220	78	440	94
Logan	3,180	83	70	99	10,910	65	12,300	94
Morgan	13,680	96	2,040	93	10,870	71	11,840	94
Sedgwick	2,800	97	1,620	99	4,050	62	7,320	92
Weld	53,990	96	12,690	93	18,310	88	15,750	95
Total North Central and N. E. District	**76,270**	**96**	**16,630**	**98**	**55,020**	**77**	**48,520**	**94**
Adams	740	97	70	100	2,490	76	4,300	98
Arapahoe	370	97	----	--	1,460	80	8,930	95
Cheyenne	60	96	----	--	880	41	61,550	73
Denver	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
Douglas	70	97	----	--	3,820	78	520	97
Elbert	4,230	97	----	--	7,210	78	14,740	97
El Paso	16,910	97	----	--	6,710	78	15,080	87
Kiowa	----	--	----	--	240	41	131,030	64
Kit Carson	----	--	----	--	5,210	48	74,700	88
Lincoln	2,310	97	30	100	2,030	79	46,650	82
Phillips	----	--	----	--	2,570	56	13,450	94
Washington	2,070	97	30	100	12,930	69	38,280	98
Yuma	----	--	20	100	5,230	83	61,250	85
Total East Central District	**26,760**	**97**	**150**	**100**	**50,780**	**71**	**470,480**	**80**
Archuleta	----	--	10	100	1,960	80	----	--
Delta	2,060	97	70	98	9,890	91	30	100
Dolores	41,290	96	70	98	200	98	----	--
Garfield	----	--	320	99	4,590	78	10	100
Hinsdale	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
La Plata	4,440	96	80	98	6,990	75	----	--
Mesa	4,120	97	310	97	5,180	95	150	96
Montezuma	41,010	96	340	98	3,340	98	----	--
Montrose	7,910	97	930	98	6,130	87	----	--
Ouray	----	--	20	100	730	88	----	--
San Juan	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
San Miguel	4,520	96	20	100	400	96	----	--
Total West Central and S. W. District	**105,350**	**96**	**2,170**	**98**	**39,410**	**87**	**190**	**96**
Alamosa	----	--	4,680	99	10,090	69	----	--
Conejos	400	97	2,980	98	12,760	71	----	--
Costilla	400	97	1,770	98	4,000	71	----	--
Mineral	----	--	----	--	----	--	----	--
Rio Grande	----	--	18,640	98	12,550	73	----	--
Saguache	----	--	8,970	98	10,490	85	----	--
Total South Central District	**800**	**98**	**37,040**	**98**	**49,890**	**74**	----	--
Baca	210	92	----	--	340	41	111,840	62
Bent	150	92	350	98	2,820	73	26,420	69
Crowley	2,740	96	----	--	970	78	13,990	73
Custer	----	--	30	100	2,950	93	320	74
Fremont	30	95	10	100	2,210	84	490	74
Huerfano	130	94	----	--	1,650	79	1,160	74
Las Animas	4,340	96	----	--	660	67	24,820	62
Otero	3,610	92	240	98	2,550	91	2,250	80
Prowers	210	92	350	98	2,710	80	91,190	62
Pueblo	13,700	92	----	--	1,770	64	7,700	90
Total Southeast District	**25,120**	**93**	**980**	**98**	**18,630**	**80**	**280,180**	**64**
State Total	**234,300**	**96**	**58,250**	**98**	**237,230**	**78**	**799,370**	**75**

CORN AND BARLEY, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1954 (Preliminary)
(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
CORN					
Boulder	10,480	65	6,810	41	279,210
Jefferson	1,700	41	700	43	30,100
Larimer	15,130	81	12,260	44	539,440
Logan	42,450	91	38,630	22	849,860
Morgan	33,290	91	30,290	44	1,332,760
Sedgwick	14,740	90	13,270	30	398,100
Weld	59,940	80	47,950	39	1,870,050
Adams	15,560	59	9,180	37	339,660
Arapahoe	5,520	50	2,760	13	35,880
Cheyenne	2,770	69	1,910	11	21,010
Douglas	2,440	90	2,200	7	15,400
Elbert	12,880	75	9,660	5	48,300
El Paso	23,350	92	21,480	8	171,840
Kiowa	2,280	80	1,820	8	14,560
Kit Carson	9,380	40	3,750	5	18,750
Lincoln	15,040	89	13,390	7	93,730
Phillips	21,340	80	17,070	16	273,120
Washington	32,310	79	25,520	10	255,200
Yuma	72,550	76	55,140	8	441,120
Delta	8,720	97	8,460	53	448,380
La Plata	930	93	860	40	34,400
Mesa	7,930	97	7,690	57	438,330
Montezuma	1,350	99	1,340	36	48,240
Montrose	5,030	99	4,980	43	214,140
Rio Grande	1,800	80	1,440	43	61,920
Saguache	1,420	93	1,320	42	55,440
Baca	1,620	61	990	13	12,870
Bent	4,250	74	3,140	22	69,080
Crowley	5,540	60	3,320	14	46,480
Las Animas	1,300	60	780	11	8,580
Otero	10,530	84	8,850	52	460,200
Prowers	8,490	70	5,940	20	118,800
Pueblo	7,550	76	5,740	24	137,760
State Total	464,440	80	372,840	25.0	9,324,700
BARLEY					
Moffat	2,970	90	2,670	23	61,410
Routt	18,210	90	16,390	18	295,020
Boulder	18,480	26	4,800	17	81,600
Jefferson	5,440	29	1,580	21	33,180
Larimer	24,970	34	8,490	19	161,310
Logan	64,100	83	53,200	22	1,170,400
Morgan	22,620	65	14,700	22	323,400
Sedgwick	23,040	84	19,350	24	464,400
Weld	113,620	41	46,580	17	791,860
Adams	44,060	39	17,180	13	223,340
Arapahoe	24,160	23	5,560	7	38,920
Cheyenne	3,310	5	170	6	1,020
Douglas	2,480	42	1,040	9	9,360
Elbert	10,680	19	2,030	6	12,180
El Paso	3,380	5	170	10	1,700
Kiowa	2,090	47	980	5	4,900
Kit Carson	12,930	21	2,720	3	8,160
Lincoln	18,770	33	6,190	4	24,760
Phillips	14,740	73	10,760	19	204,440
Washington	56,900	65	36,980	9	332,820
Yuma	13,170	61	8,030	11	88,330
Delta	3,460	86	2,980	44	131,120
Garfield	2,980	62	1,850	37	68,450
La Plata	6,410	71	4,550	35	159,250
Montezuma	2,570	93	2,390	27	64,530
Montrose	6,530	90	5,880	41	241,080
Alamosa	7,220	92	6,640	23	152,720
Conejos	16,870	75	12,650	31	392,150
Costilla	5,750	75	4,310	30	129,300
Rio Grande	13,060	90	11,750	33	387,750
Saguache	14,080	90	12,670	29	367,430
Baca	3,480	0	------	--	------
Bent	7,100	36	2,560	25	64,000
Custer	2,470	20	490	18	8,820
Fremont	1,650	30	500	17	8,500
Huerfano	4,540	36	1,630	11	17,930
Las Animas	7,760	1	80	12	960
Otero	8,030	65	5,220	31	161,820
Prowers	7,620	35	2,670	15	40,050
Pueblo	8,310	51	4,240	19	80,560
State Total	639,990	55	351,170	20.0	7,020,100

SPRING WHEAT AND OATS, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1954 (Preliminary)

(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
SPRING WHEAT					
Moffat	6,610	93	6,150	14	86,100
Rio Blanco	910	94	860	18	15,480
Routt	5,130	98	5,030	14	70,420
Boulder	1,060	22	230	9	2,070
Jefferson	810	20	160	10	1,600
Larimer	3,820	27	1,030	8	8,240
Logan	780	72	560	7	3,920
Morgan	2,510	59	1,480	7	10,360
Weld	9,600	25	2,400	8	19,200
Adams	5,130	39	2,000	6	12,000
Arapahoe	690	36	250	6	1,500
Elbert	1,560	20	310	4	1,240
El Paso	2,470	20	490	5	2,450
Lincoln	760	20	150	3	450
Washington	710	60	430	4	1,720
Garfield	650	73	470	16	7,520
La Plata	780	96	750	20	15,000
Montrose	3,910	96	3,750	27	101,250
Alamosa	1,930	95	1,830	21	38,430
Conejos	2,810	90	2,530	21	53,130
Costilla	920	92	850	23	19,550
Rio Grande	4,520	95	4,290	23	98,670
Saguache	1,280	95	1,220	20	24,400
Baca	720	15	110	3	330
Bent	690	15	100	19	1,900
Huerfano	1,430	20	290	6	1,740
Las Animas	1,940	20	390	5	1,950
Pueblo	720	70	500	8	4,000
State Total	**71,390**	**61**	**43,280**	**16.5**	**709,860**
OATS					
Eagle	1,090	70	760	56	42,560
Grand	1,190	80	950	26	24,700
Moffat	910	70	640	27	17,280
Rio Blanco	2,370	85	2,010	26	52,260
Routt	15,250	87	13,270	25	331,750
Boulder	1,990	27	540	25	13,500
Jefferson	1,130	12	140	17	2,380
Larimer	5,850	27	1,580	21	33,180
Logan	19,310	46	8,880	20	177,600
Morgan	7,720	49	3,780	31	117,180
Sedgwick	6,560	70	4,590	28	128,520
Weld	23,070	17	3,920	19	74,480
Adams	4,010	40	1,600	24	38,400
Arapahoe	2,190	32	700	12	8,400
Douglas	2,710	40	1,080	9	9,720
Elbert	4,400	40	1,760	10	17,600
El Paso	6,510	10	650	13	8,450
Kit Carson	4,270	7	300	5	1,500
Lincoln	1,340	--	----	--	----
Phillips	4,290	87	3,730	21	78,330
Washington	16,940	51	8,640	8	69,120
Yuma	6,750	55	3,710	11	40,810
Archuleta	1,800	87	1,570	30	47,100
Delta	9,690	82	7,950	42	333,900
Garfield	4,040	80	3,230	40	129,200
La Plata	6,640	87	5,780	25	144,500
Mesa	5,700	87	4,960	46	228,160
Montezuma	4,180	93	3,890	26	101,140
Montrose	7,000	83	5,810	39	226,590
Ouray	840	82	690	37	25,530
Alamosa	8,370	79	6,610	20	132,200
Conejos	14,040	75	10,530	27	284,310
Costilla	4,400	81	3,560	28	99,680
Rio Grande	8,780	77	6,760	34	229,840
Saguache	8,390	75	6,290	20	125,800
Bent	1,470	37	540	21	11,340
Custer	2,360	45	1,060	22	23,320
Fremont	2,100	50	1,050	20	21,000
Huerfano	1,400	25	350	20	7,000
Otero	1,330	72	960	30	28,800
Prowers	2,710	48	1,300	20	26,000
Pueblo	1,450	47	680	22	14,960
State Total	**241,800**	**58**	**139,250**	**26.0**	**3,613,840**

WINTER WHEAT, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1954 (Preliminary)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
Chaffee	140	95	130	25	3,250
Clear Creek	----	--	----	--	----
Eagle	----	--	----	--	----
Gilpin	----	--	----	--	----
Grand	1,280	90	1,150	15	17,250
Gunnison	----	--	----	--	----
Jackson	1,130	92	1,040	14	14,560
Lake	----	--	----	--	----
Moffat	25,960	87	22,590	12	271,080
Park	----	--	----	--	----
Pitkin	----	--	----	--	----
Rio Blanco	6,760	90	6,080	15	91,200
Routt	18,920	96	18,160	17	308,720
Summit	----	--	----	--	----
Teller	----	--	----	--	----
Total Northwest District	**54,190**	**91**	**49,150**	**14.4**	**706,060**
Boulder	11,190	47	5,260	9	47,340
Jefferson	7,730	76	5,870	10	58,700
Larimer	21,130	40	8,450	7	59,150
Logan	159,980	76	121,580	15	1,823,700
Morgan	71,430	76	54,290	10	542,900
Sedgwick	66,980	88	58,940	21	1,237,740
Weld	209,580	57	119,460	8	955,680
Total North Central and N. E. Districts	**548,020**	**68**	**373,850**	**12.6**	**4,725,210**
Adams	137,890	61	84,110	7	588,770
Arapahoe	70,130	58	40,680	6	244,080
Cheyenne	178,190	36	64,150	4	256,600
Denver	----	--	----	--	----
Douglas	12,680	75	9,510	9	85,590
Elbert	75,840	61	46,260	7	323,820
El Paso	14,700	43	6,320	6	37,920
Kiowa	260,660	20	52,130	5	260,650
Kit Carson	264,020	66	174,250	5	871,250
Lincoln	154,570	57	88,100	6	528,600
Phillips	112,260	94	105,520	18	1,899,360
Washington	255,210	82	209,270	12	2,511,240
Yuma	152,110	81	123,210	11	1,355,310
Total East Central District	**1,688,260**	**59**	**1,003,510**	**8.9**	**8,963,190**
Archuleta	1,250	90	1,120	13	14,560
Delta	220	79	170	26	4,420
Dolores	32,330	91	29,420	10	294,200
Garfield	6,160	75	4,620	15	69,300
Hinsdale	----	--	----	--	----
La Plata	20,620	92	18,970	14	265,580
Mesa	1,240	81	1,000	26	26,000
Montezuma	16,200	93	15,070	15	226,050
Montrose	1,550	80	1,240	28	34,720
Ouray	670	90	600	16	9,600
San Juan	----	--	----	--	----
San Miguel	4,000	90	3,600	12	43,200
Total West Central and S. W. Districts	**84,240**	**90**	**75,810**	**13.0**	**987,630**
Alamosa	----	--	----	--	----
Conejos	----	--	----	--	----
Costilla	----	--	----	--	----
Mineral	----	--	----	--	----
Rio Grande	----	--	----	--	----
Saguache	----	--	----	--	----
Total South Central District	----	--	----	--	----
Baca	329,470	7	23,060	3	69,180
Bent	42,840	29	12,420	7	86,940
Crowley	16,040	25	4,010	5	20,050
Custer	150	33	50	14	700
Fremont	690	33	230	8	1,840
Huerfano	5,610	30	1,680	7	11,760
Las Animas	19,940	32	6,380	4	25,520
Otero	2,340	50	1,170	27	31,590
Prowers	197,320	12	23,680	5	118,400
Pueblo	15,620	27	4,220	10	42,200
Total Southeast District	**630,020**	**12**	**76,900**	**5.3**	**408,180**
State Total	**3,004,730**	**53**	**1,579,220**	**10.0**	**15,790,270**

WINTER WHEAT BY VARIETIES—PRINCIPAL COUNTIES—1954 CROP

COUNTY	Acres Planted Fall, 1953	Production, 1954 Bushels	Percentage Distribution of Acreage Planted Fall—1953								
			Wichita	Comanche	Cheyenne	Tenmarq	Turkey[1]	All Blackhull	Red Chief[2]	Kiowa	All Others
Boulder	11,190	47,340	9	23	18		9	1			40
Jefferson	7,730	58,700	15	10	15		20				40
Larimer	21,130	59,150	10	22	12		15				41
Logan	159,980	1,823,700	59	10	19	8				2	2
Morgan	71,430	542,900	54	32	10	2					2
Sedgwick	66,980	1,237,740	32	5	50	6			1		6
Weld	209,580	955,680	37	21	22	2	8	3			7
Total N. Central and N.E. District	548,020	4,725,210	43.1	17.2	22.4	4.1	4.1	1.2	.1	.6	7.2
Adams	137,890	588,770	63	9	8		5	12			3
Arapahoe	70,130	244,080	55	6	13		11	13			2
Cheyenne	178,190	256,600	71	9	6	1	1		3	2	7
Douglas	12,680	85,590	20	32	8	1	11	2	4		22
Elbert	75,840	323,820	48	6	14	3	4	10	8		7
El Paso	14,700	37,920	19	39	10	1	8	8	5		10
Kiowa	260,660	260,650	52	12	7	1	1	2	7	8	10
Kit Carson	264,020	871,250	57	5	11	2	1		11	6	7
Lincoln	154,570	528,600	34	6	22	3			11	9	15
Phillips	112,260	1,899,360	58	5	21	7			1	1	7
Washington	255,210	2,511,240	83	3	6	2	1			1	4
Yuma	152,110	1,355,310	63	6	5	20	1			1	4
Total E. Central District	1,688,260	8,963,190	59.4	7.3	10.2	3.6	1.9	2.4	4.6	3.5	7.1
Baca	329,470	69,180	31	25	1	9	2	1	15	3	13
Bent	42,840	86,940	57	23	1	1	2		2	2	12
Prowers	197,320	118,400	56	14	4	1	4		3	8	10
Total Southeast District	630,020	408,180	40.6	21.9	2.5	5.4	2.8	6	9.7	4.5	12.0

[1] Including Kanred.
[2] Including Chiefkan.

ALL WHEAT BY VARIETIES—ACRES AND PERCENT PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY FIVE YEAR PERIODS, 1934 to 1954 (Preliminary)

Name of Variety	Crop of 1934[1]		Crop of 1939[1]		Crop of 1944[1]		Crop of 1949[1]		Crop of 1954[1]	
	%	Indicated Acres Planted	%	Indicated Acres Planted	%	Indicated Acres Planted	%	Indicated Acres Planted	%	Indicated Acres Planted
Hard Red Winter:										
Comanche							19.2	681,990	12.2	375,270
Tenmarq			2.8	41,050	22.6	374,710	14.0	497,280	4.4	135,340
Wichita							12.8	454,660	44.9	1,381,120
Blackhull	5.8	96,630	9.1	133,410	17.2	285,180	10.6	376,510	3.3	101,510
Turkey	53.5	891,310	44.2	647,970	26.8	444,310	9.0	319,680	3.4	104,580
Cheyenne			2.7	39,580	4.4	72,950	8.3	294,820	10.3	316,830
Kiowa									3.0	92,280
Early Blackhull					.1	1,660	5.1	181,150	1.2	36,910
Pawnee							4.1	145,630	1.8	55,370
Triumph							2.3	81,700	.5	15,380
Red Chief					.2	3,320	1.7	60,380	3.0	92,280
Kanred	14.4	239,900	19.4	284,410	13.7	227,150	1.5	53,280	1.0	30,760
Chiefkan			*		3.1	51,400	1.2	42,620	2.1	64,600
Nebred					.2	3,320	.3	10,660	.3	9,230
Nebraska No. 60	1.0	16,660	.9	13,190	.1	1,660			.5	15,380
Hard Red Spring:										
Thatcher			.7	10,260	2.8	46,420	4.3	152,740	.8	24,610
Ceres	3.0	49,980	5.1	74,770	3.1	51,400	3.6	127,870	.5	15,380
Reward					.1	1,660	.7	24,860		
Marquis	12.7	211,580	7.5	109,950	4.3	71,290	.5	17,760	*	
Komar	.1	1,670	4.2	61,570	.7	11,610	.1	3,550		
White:										
Dicklow	.2	3,330	.1	1,470	.2	3,320	.2	7,100		
Baart	.2	3,330	.7	10,260	.2	3,320	.1	3,550		
Defiance	1.8	29,990	.4	5,860	.2	3,320	.1	3,550		
All Others	7.3	121,620	2.2	32,250			.3	10,660	6.8	209,170
Total All Varieties	100.0	1,666,000	100.0	1,466,000	100.0	1,658,000	100.0	3,552,000	100.0	3,076,000

* Indicates less than 1/10 of 1%.
[1] Winter varieties were planted in the fall of preceding year.

POTATOES AND DRY BEANS, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1954 (Preliminary)

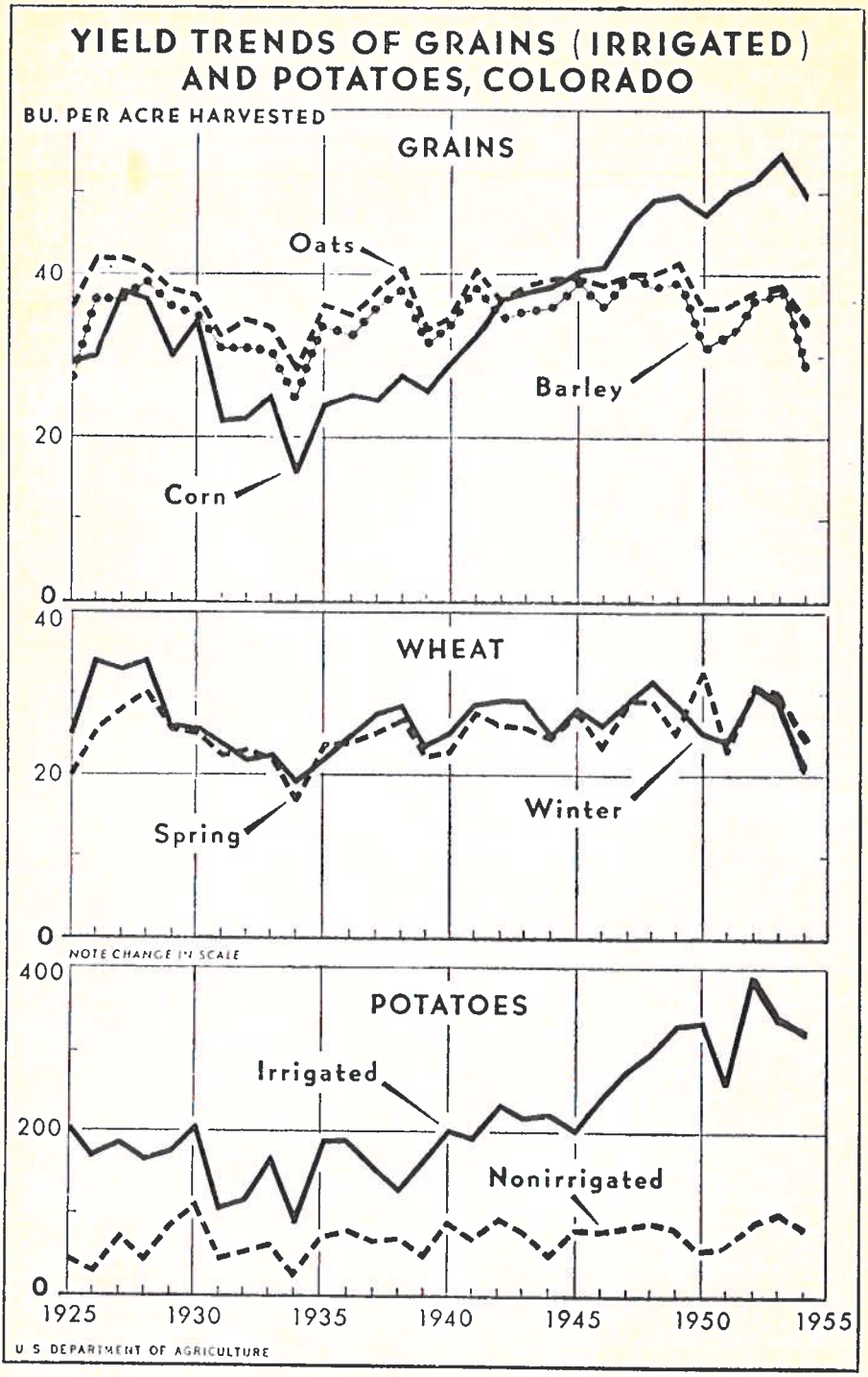
(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
POTATOES					
Chaffee	40	93	40	240	9,600
Eagle	560	97	540	300	162,000
Grand	10	92	10	200	2,000
Gunnison	20	94	20	200	4,000
Moffat	90	97	90	106	9,540
Park	30	90	30	55	1,650
Pitkin	220	97	210	300	63,000
Rio Blanco	30	96	30	210	6,300
Routt	210	92	190	117	22,230
Summit	10	95	10	140	1,400
Teller	50	92	50	65	3,250
Jefferson	10	90	10	85	850
Larimer	190	95	180	287	51,660
Logan	70	96	70	260	18,200
Morgan	2,080	97	2,020	361	729,220
Sedgwick	1,570	95	1,490	332	494,680
Weld	12,820	96	12,310	342	4,210,020
Adams	70	93	70	340	23,800
Lincoln	30	90	30	50	1,500
Washington	30	94	30	243	7,290
Archuleta	10	96	10	260	2,600
Delta	70	97	70	330	23,100
Dolores	70	96	70	171	11,970
Garfield	280	96	270	312	84,240
La Plata	80	94	80	221	17,680
Mesa	300	97	290	251	72,790
Montezuma	390	97	380	273	103,740
Montrose	860	97	830	340	282,200
Ouray	20	96	20	205	4,100
San Miguel	20	96	20	200	4,000
Alamosa	4,450	96	4,270	300	1,281,000
Conejos	2,680	95	2,550	330	841,500
Costilla	1,680	95	1,600	299	478,400
Rio Grande	17,710	97	17,180	330	5,669,400
Saguache	8,700	97	8,440	293	2,472,920
Bent	300	60	180	170	30,600
Custer	30	90	30	120	3,600
Fremont	10	90	10	200	2,000
Otero	180	94	170	353	60,010
Prowers	50	80	40	300	12,000
State Total	**56,030**	**96**	**53,940**	**320**	**17,280,040**

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production 100-lb. Bags (uncleaned)
DRY BEANS					
Boulder	100	89	90	670	603
Larimer	3,400	88	2,990	1,400	41,860
Logan	4,930	88	4,340	1,060	46,004
Morgan	17,370	90	15,630	1,460	228,198
Sedgwick	2,380	77	1,830	1,600	29,280
Weld	62,630	91	56,990	1,570	894,743
Adams	740	90	670	700	4,690
Arapahoe	370	80	300	330	990
Douglas	70	78	50	300	150
Elbert	4,230	60	2,540	210	5,334
El Paso	16,060	84	13,490	230	31,027
Lincoln	2,310	75	1,730	270	4,671
Washington	1,780	65	1,160	820	9,512
Delta	2,270	96	2,180	1,420	30,956
Dolores	55,740	93	51,840	290	150,336
La Plata	6,660	91	6,060	410	24,846
Mesa	5,560	96	5,340	1,150	61,410
Montezuma	57,410	94	53,970	360	194,292
Montrose	8,540	94	8,030	1,400	112,420
San Miguel	5,200	93	4,840	240	11,616
Conejos	400	88	350	500	1,750
Costilla	400	88	350	500	1,750
Baca	210	70	150	160	240
Bent	180	72	130	310	403
Crowley	3,010	65	1,960	170	3,332
Huerfano	140	72	100	290	290
Las Animas	4,770	70	3,340	220	7,348
Otero	4,510	79	3,560	960	34,176
Prowers	260	72	190	510	969
Pueblo	20,550	88	18,080	320	57,856
State Total	**292,180**	**90**	**262,280**	**759**	**1,991,052**

SUGAR BEETS — IRRIGATED — 1954 (Preliminary)

COUNTY	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons
Chaffee	----	--	----	--	----
Clear Creek	----	--	----	--	----
Eagle	----	--	----	--	----
Gilpin	----	--	----	--	----
Grand	----	--	----	--	----
Gunnison	----	--	----	--	----
Jackson	----	--	----	--	----
Lake	----	--	----	--	----
Moffat	----	--	----	--	----
Park	----	--	----	--	----
Pitkin	----	--	----	--	----
Rio Blanco	----	--	----	--	----
Routt	----	--	----	--	----
Summit	----	--	----	--	----
Teller	----	--	----	--	----
Total Northwest District	----	--	----	--	----
Boulder	2,857	48	1,375	12.8	17,547
Jefferson	91	52	47	7.3	343
Larimer	9,533	63	5,978	13.4	80,236
Logan	11,409	85	9,667	12.9	124,528
Morgan	23,424	80	18,842	14.8	278,191
Sedgwick	3,891	95	3,701	13.7	50,846
Weld	69,329	71	48,931	16.0	783,233
Total N. Central & N.E.	**120,534**	**73**	**88,541**	**15.1**	**1,334,924**
Adams	3,576	75	2,692	15.2	41,037
Arapahoe	14	100	14	6.9	97
Cheyenne	----	--	----	--	----
Denver	----	--	----	--	----
Douglas	----	--	----	--	----
Elbert	----	--	----	--	----
El Paso	----	--	----	--	----
Kiowa	----	--	----	--	----
Kit Carson	----	--	----	--	----
Lincoln	----	--	----	--	----
Phillips	----	--	----	--	----
Washington	794	95	755	13.2	9,952
Yuma	----	--	----	--	----
Total East Central District	**4,384**	**79**	**3,461**	**14.8**	**51,086**
Archuleta	----	--	----	--	----
Delta	1,051	96	1,008	13.6	13,664
Dolores	----	--	----	--	----
Garfield	158	100	158	13.8	2,182
Hinsdale	----	--	----	--	----
La Plata	----	--	----	--	----
Mesa	3,580	98	3,511	16.0	56,220
Montezuma	----	--	----	--	----
Montrose	1,521	97	1,478	14.8	21,886
Ouray	----	--	----	--	----
San Juan	----	--	----	--	----
San Miguel	----	--	----	--	----
West Central & S.W.	**6,310**	**98**	**6,155**	**15.3**	**93,952**
Alamosa	677	100	677	8.5	5,722
Conejos	116	94	109	8.7	953
Costilla	69	100	69	6.9	476
Mineral	----	--	----	--	----
Rio Grande	83	84	70	7.1	495
Saguache	664	99	657	5.3	3,499
Total South Central District	**1,609**	**98**	**1,582**	**7.0**	**11,145**
Baca	----	--	----	--	----
Bent	1,493	83	1,239	14.6	18,141
Crowley	3,502	54	1,889	3.7	6,935
Custer	----	--	----	--	----
Fremont	----	--	----	--	----
Huerfano	----	--	----	--	----
Las Animas	480	96	463	11.9	5,531
Otero	5,375	91	4,889	13.2	64,328
Prowers	3,209	91	2,925	7.5	22,023
Pueblo	4,239	93	3,947	11.6	45,605
Total Southeast District	**18,298**	**84**	**15,352**	**10.6**	**162,563**
Total State	**151,135**	**76**	**115,091**	**14.4**	**1,653,670**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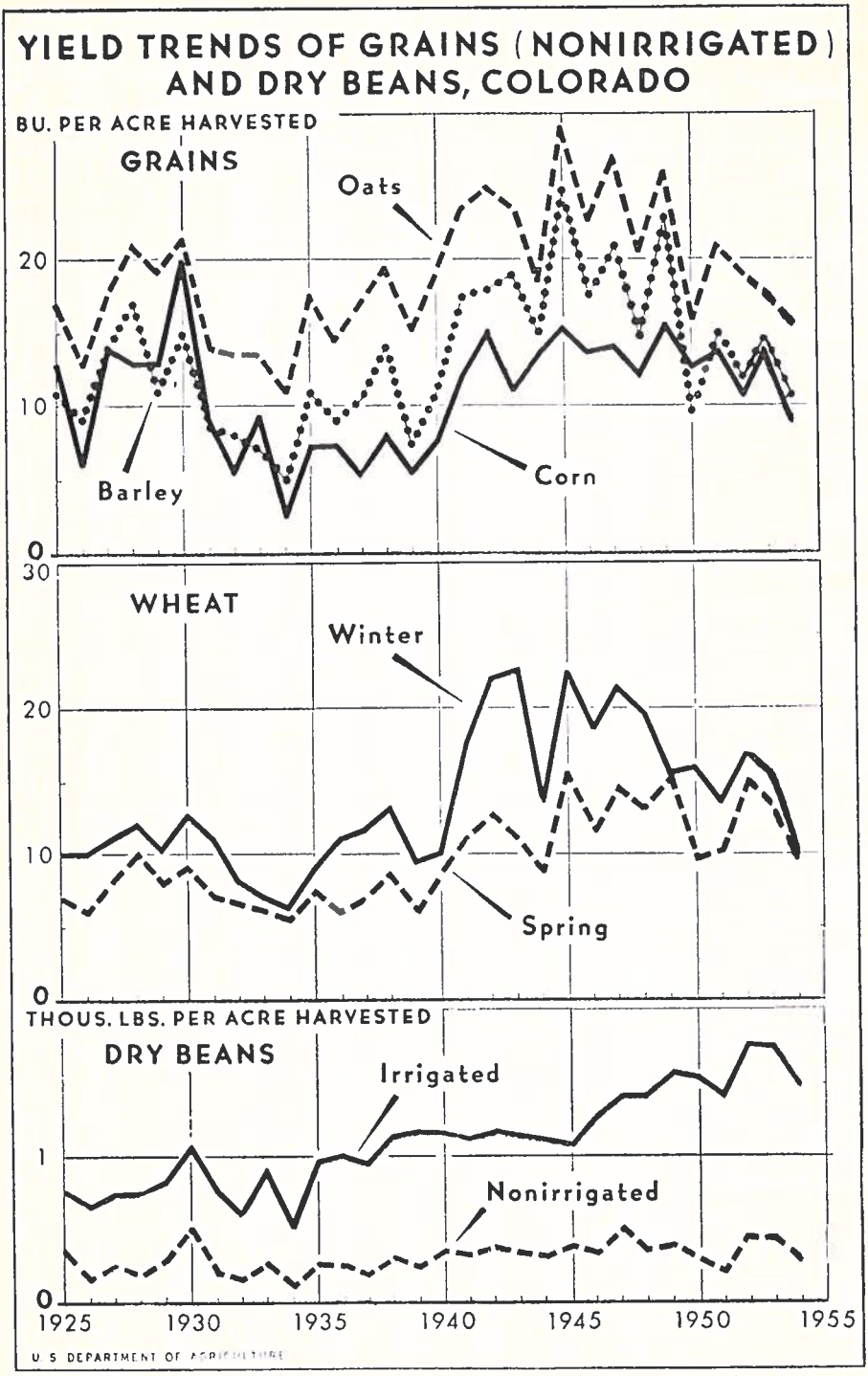
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10 YEAR (1943-1952) AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE HARVESTED (PRINCIPAL CROPS)

COUNTY	CORN		OATS		BARLEY		ALL SORGHUMS for Grain Irrig. & Non-Irrig.	ALFALFA HAY Irrig. & Non-Irrig.	WILD HAY Irrig. & Non-Irrig.
	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	(Bu.)	(Tons)	(Ton)
Chaffee	35.5	---	35.5	---	35.1	28.0	---	1.8	.9
Clear Creek	---	---	36.3	25.7	---	---	---	1.7	.9
Eagle	35.8	---	54.0	39.0	44.7	24.5	---	2.0	1.4
Gilpin	---	---	---	27.0	---	20.0	---	---	.8
Grand	30.0	---	34.1	29.4	35.0	21.6	---	1.3	1.1
Gunnison	---	15.0	31.2	23.5	34.8	23.1	---	1.9	1.2
Jackson	---	---	20.0	26.8	33.8	25.3	---	1.2	.9
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	.7
Moffat	31.9	13.9	43.3	28.2	39.3	21.7	---	1.4	1.2
Park	---	---	32.4	24.1	---	17.9	---	1.4	.8
Pitkin	---	16.0	47.1	28.1	36.0	20.5	---	1.9	1.1
Rio Blanco	31.2	13.7	49.1	30.7	41.9	26.6	---	1.6	1.6
Rout	---	13.8	39.3	31.7	38.2	25.9	---	1.4	1.2
Summit	---	---	37.3	28.8	36.0	19.3	---	1.1	1.1
Teller	---	---	34.7	27.6	34.3	23.8	---	1.4	.9
Total Northwest District	**32.0**	**13.9**	**43.8**	**30.6**	**37.8**	**24.5**	---	**1.64**	**.98**
Boulder	44.9	18.3	39.7	26.8	40.0	24.2	17.1	2.3	1.2
Jefferson	37.6	16.5	37.2	25.7	35.8	24.1	9.0	2.1	1.1
Larimer	43.4	18.2	44.0	23.8	41.0	22.3	9.6	2.2	1.0
Logan	42.2	13.0	39.1	23.0	33.4	17.1	9.9	2.6	1.0
Morgan	50.7	12.2	42.2	17.7	38.6	14.1	9.0	2.8	1.0
Sedgwick	46.0	17.2	41.2	27.7	30.6	22.8	11.9	2.4	1.1
Weld	48.2	13.6	42.8	20.5	41.0	18.0	10.0	2.6	1.0
Total N. Central & N.E.	**46.8**	**13.9**	**41.8**	**22.5**	**39.4**	**18.3**	**9.7**	**2.49**	**1.03**
Adams	42.8	13.5	43.9	21.6	37.4	19.4	8.9	2.4	1.0
Arapahoe	42.8	13.4	45.1	21.8	38.5	17.4	10.5	2.2	1.0
Cheyenne	---	13.4	---	18.2	---	12.0	10.4	1.4	.8
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	39.6	12.7	37.4	21.8	33.5	19.0	8.8	1.7	1.0
Elbert	---	10.3	45.0	17.3	---	13.1	7.4	1.5	.9
El Paso	35.5	9.0	36.9	16.4	32.7	11.4	8.3	1.8	.9
Kiowa	---	15.5	47.5	18.7	---	12.4	10.5	1.3	.7
Kit Carson	40.0	12.9	40.2	19.4	32.2	15.6	11.8	1.7	1.0
Lincoln	---	11.5	41.5	14.6	31.6	13.4	8.0	1.9	.8
Phillips	41.6	15.2	39.4	23.3	30.6	22.2	10.4	2.2	.9
Washington	48.7	12.1	43.0	20.1	36.3	14.4	9.7	2.4	1.0
Yuma	44.1	13.9	40.4	21.8	32.2	18.3	10.7	1.9	1.0
Total East Central	**42.3**	**12.8**	**42.8**	**19.6**	**36.8**	**15.8**	**10.7**	**2.02**	**.93**
Archuleta	36.8	14.3	38.1	28.1	35.3	23.0	---	1.8	1.0
Delta	45.2	16.3	42.4	28.9	41.7	20.4	15.9	2.6	1.2
Dolores	41.0	15.5	41.0	28.7	34.0	17.2	---	1.4	1.0
Garfield	39.6	15.2	46.1	27.3	40.9	22.2	---	2.0	1.3
Hinsdale	---	---	---	32.0	---	18.5	---	1.7	1.2
La Plata	38.2	15.5	37.1	26.7	34.0	19.8	12.5	1.8	1.2
Mesa	46.4	14.0	41.5	26.8	35.1	20.2	16.4	2.6	1.3
Montezuma	36.5	16.0	40.1	28.7	34.0	18.4	13.5	1.8	1.3
Montrose	40.7	15.1	37.9	28.7	37.4	20.1	8.0	2.1	1.2
Ouray	38.8	15.0	38.5	28.4	35.0	19.2	---	1.8	1.2
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	37.6	16.0	37.4	27.7	33.5	19.8	---	1.7	1.3
Total West Central & S. W.	**43.5**	**15.2**	**40.2**	**27.8**	**38.0**	**19.9**	**15.6**	**2.17**	**1.20**
Alamosa	27.0	---	30.8	---	25.9	---	---	1.6	.8
Conejos	28.0	---	37.2	---	34.0	---	---	1.5	1.0
Costilla	28.0	---	29.7	---	27.3	---	---	1.4	.9
Mineral	---	---	32.0	---	30.3	---	---	1.4	1.0
Rio Grande	27.2	---	38.0	---	32.4	---	---	1.6	1.1
Saguache	25.2	---	32.6	---	27.8	---	---	1.4	.8
Total South Central	**27.5**	---	**34.4**	---	**30.4**	---	---	**1.52**	**.87**
Baca	35.1	14.2	30.0	21.1	24.6	17.8	13.1	1.2	.8
Bent	42.2	13.3	36.0	20.1	28.6	15.6	24.1	2.3	1.0
Crowley	40.4	13.1	29.8	17.9	22.4	14.2	14.3	2.4	1.0
Custer	36.2	14.1	30.6	21.6	25.1	16.4	11.3	1.9	1.1
Fremont	38.7	13.4	31.3	19.7	27.7	15.7	13.6	2.3	1.1
Huerfano	32.6	12.4	33.1	20.3	30.2	18.5	9.6	1.5	1.1
Las Animas	32.2	11.0	31.0	17.4	26.5	14.9	10.6	1.6	.9
Otero	47.4	10.5	38.9	21.0	29.5	13.8	26.2	2.6	.8
Prowers	42.8	14.9	34.5	20.5	26.7	16.6	21.2	2.6	1.1
Pueblo	45.9	12.9	40.1	20.9	33.5	17.9	10.8	2.5	1.0
Total Southeast District	**43.4**	**13.1**	**34.2**	**20.3**	**28.4**	**16.4**	**16.9**	**2.34**	**1.05**
State Total	**45.1**	**13.0**	**38.8**	**22.3**	**36.5**	**17.1**	**13.8**	**2.18**	**.96**

10 YEAR (1943-1952) AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE HARVESTED (PRINCIPAL CROPS)

COUNTY	WINTER WHEAT		SPRING WHEAT		POTATOES	DRY BEANS		SUGAR BEETS
	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrigated (Bu.)	Irrigated (Lbs.)	Non-Irrig. (Lbs.)	Irrig. (Tons)
Chaffee	25.5	20.0	22.4	---	133.7	900	---	---
Clear Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Eagle	27.4	23.0	36.7	19.3	253.6	---	---	---
Gilpin	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Grand	26.1	19.9	30.6	14.4	108.7	---	250	---
Gunnison	25.7	22.0	30.8	24.0	123.1	---	---	---
Jackson	24.2	18.8	30.0	---	147.5	---	---	---
Lake	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Moffat	25.9	19.5	31.5	14.7	107.3	---	225	---
Park	---	---	---	14.4	81.1	---	---	---
Pitkin	25.4	16.5	33.5	15.5	239.7	---	---	---
Rio Blanco	25.8	20.6	32.8	19.6	153.9	---	200	---
Routt	25.8	23.6	28.2	19.3	140.5	---	180	---
Summit	---	19.0	---	16.7	94.4	---	---	---
Teller	---	18.9	---	14.9	157.5	---	---	---
Total Northwest District	**25.8**	**21.4**	**32.0**	**17.7**	**220.7**	**900**	**222**	---
Boulder	27.6	22.5	26.8	15.6	146.2	1154	352	14.1
Jefferson	28.0	23.1	26.8	14.9	158.0	897	248	10.0
Larimer	29.3	20.2	29.0	13.9	265.2	1266	398	13.4
Logan	24.0	18.5	23.2	10.8	204.2	1064	357	12.5
Morgan	29.3	16.1	23.4	9.4	300.9	1404	386	14.9
Sedgwick	27.2	21.6	23.6	11.4	264.3	1253	394	13.8
Weld	28.8	18.5	27.1	11.7	276.8	1588	377	15.4
Total N. Central & N.E. Districts	**28.5**	**19.2**	**27.3**	**11.5**	**277.3**	**1502**	**378**	**14.7**
Adams	30.1	20.5	28.9	12.4	213.1	1026	291	14.1
Arapahoe	30.6	18.9	28.7	11.9	170.0	953	262	11.1
Cheyenne	---	14.6	---	8.6	---	---	282	---
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	28.3	19.5	26.7	13.0	100.0	1091	292	13.0
Elbert	---	15.1	---	9.3	171.8	---	284	---
El Paso	25.0	14.3	22.5	8.2	143.0	1057	258	9.7
Kiowa	---	14.7	---	8.5	---	---	288	---
Kit Carson	---	18.1	---	9.6	138.3	983	288	---
Lincoln	---	16.4	---	8.9	---	946	270	---
Phillips	26.0	21.3	---	10.8	---	---	314	8.4
Washington	29.1	16.8	25.3	9.4	234.2	1243	297	14.6
Yuma	27.0	20.0	---	9.9	172.2	1040	268	11.6
Total East Central District	**30.0**	**17.7**	**28.5**	**10.3**	**213.6**	**1128**	**264**	**13.8**
Archuleta	28.5	18.5	27.3	14.6	161.8	1074	417	---
Delta	29.8	18.8	30.0	14.7	211.4	1280	404	13.1
Dolores	30.0	15.5	26.7	11.9	169.7	---	451	---
Garfield	27.2	18.5	31.9	16.2	262.4	999	364	13.0
Hinsdale	---	---	26.0	23.0	119.0	---	---	---
La Plata	26.2	15.0	26.5	14.8	191.8	989	348	---
Mesa	28.6	14.9	27.3	13.3	223.2	1200	389	14.5
Montezuma	25.1	15.1	26.7	13.1	204.2	1023	450	---
Montrose	29.5	16.4	32.7	13.9	274.8	1361	336	12.7
Ouray	25.3	16.4	29.5	13.7	173.5	1130	385	14.0
San Juan	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	27.0	16.1	26.0	12.3	171.7	1056	358	---
Total W. Central & S.W. Districts	**22.0**	**15.4**	**30.1**	**14.2**	**247.3**	**1184**	**442**	**13.5**
Alamosa	23.2	---	23.1	---	276.9	496	---	6.9
Conejos	24.4	---	24.5	---	293.1	709	---	6.6
Costilla	21.8	---	18.7	---	270.8	646	---	4.9
Mineral	---	---	---	---	210.0	---	---	---
Rio Grande	23.3	---	26.4	---	308.4	655	---	6.2
Saguache	24.2	---	23.0	---	221.0	583	---	5.8
Total South Central District	**21.9**	---	**24.2**	---	**286.4**	**669**	---	**6.3**
Baca	22.8	14.0	---	9.4	---	687	276	---
Bent	26.5	14.5	23.2	10.7	169.1	825	293	11.5
Crowley	25.2	13.7	21.3	7.0	118.9	784	299	11.4
Custer	21.3	14.9	19.4	10.7	147.1	---	330	---
Fremont	22.7	13.3	21.7	11.8	109.0	775	310	11.7
Huerfano	21.4	12.2	19.0	9.5	115.7	758	269	8.3
Las Animas	22.1	11.2	18.4	9.5	130.2	732	278	9.4
Otero	26.5	11.3	23.0	9.7	235.9	971	278	12.0
Prowers	25.7	15.7	22.7	9.7	212.3	824	303	10.9
Pueblo	24.6	13.2	23.3	10.3	172.2	972	275	12.6
Total Southeast District	**25.6**	**14.2**	**21.0**	**9.7**	**206.9**	**897**	**279**	**11.6**
State Total	**27.5**	**18.0**	**27.3**	**12.5**	**277.6**	**1358**	**344**	**14.1**

IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1939-1954 [1]

Year	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
CORN								
1939	150,000	25.5	3,825,000	596,000	5.5	3,278,000	746,000	7,103,000
1940	153,000	29.2	4,468,000	712,000	7.5	5,340,000	865,000	9,808,000
1941	171,000	32.9	5,626,000	780,000	12.1	9,438,000	951,000	15,064,000
1942	162,000	37.0	5,994,000	818,000	15.0	12,270,000	980,000	18,264,000
1943	190,000	38.0	7,220,000	712,000	11.0	7,832,000	902,000	15,052,000
1944	190,000	38.5	7,315,000	694,000	13.3	9,230,000	884,000	16,545,000
1945	160,000	40.4	6,464,000	556,000	15.3	8,507,000	716,000	14,971,000
1946	160,000	41.0	6,560,000	413,000	13.5	5,576,000	573,000	12,136,000
1947	149,000	46.0	6,854,000	373,000	14.0	5,222,000	522,000	12,076,000
1948	175,000	49.0	8,575,000	347,000	12.0	4,164,000	522,000	12,739,000
1949	200,000	49.5	9,900,000	426,000	15.5	6,603,000	626,000	16,503,000
1950	185,000	47.1	8,714,000	372,000	12.5	4,650,000	557,000	13,364,000
1951	190,000	50.0	9,500,000	367,000	13.5	4,954,000	557,000	14,454,000
1952	198,000	51.5	10,197,000	253,000	10.5	2,656,000	451,000	12,853,000
1953	180,000	54.5	9,810,000	221,000	13.5	2,984,000	401,000	12,794,000
1954[1]	149,000	49.0	7,301,000	224,000	9.0	2,016,000	373,000	9,317,000
WINTER WHEAT								
1939	100,000	23.5	2,350,000	790,000	9.3	7,347,000	890,000	9,697,000
1940	84,000	25.0	2,100,000	672,000	10.0	6,720,000	756,000	8,820,000
1941	111,000	28.5	3,164,000	1,053,000	17.5	18,428,000	1,164,000	21,592,000
1942	95,000	29.0	2,755,000	1,011,000	22.0	22,242,000	1,106,000	24,997,000
1943	80,000	29.0	2,320,000	1,203,000	22.5	27,068,000	1,283,000	29,388,000
1944	70,000	25.0	1,750,000	1,046,000	13.4	14,016,000	1,116,000	15,766,000
1945	65,000	28.0	1,820,000	1,362,000	22.2	30,236,000	1,427,000	32,056,000
1946	90,000	26.0	2,340,000	1,794,000	18.6	33,368,000	1,884,000	35,708,000
1947	90,000	29.0	2,610,000	2,529,000	21.2	53,615,000	2,619,000	56,225,000
1948	90,000	31.5	2,835,000	2,669,000	19.6	52,312,000	2,759,000	55,147,000
1949	85,000	28.5	2,422,000	2,564,000	15.5	39,742,000	2,649,000	42,164,000
1950	63,000	25.0	1,575,000	2,136,000	15.7	33,535,000	2,199,000	35,110,000
1951	58,000	24.0	1,392,000	2,317,000	13.7	31,743,000	2,375,000	33,135,000
1952	68,000	30.0	2,040,000	3,043,000	17.0	51,731,000	3,111,000	53,771,000
1953	50,000	29.0	1,450,000	2,672,000	15.4	41,149,000	2,722,000	42,599,000
1954[1]	32,000	21.0	672,000	1,547,000	10.0	15,470,000	1,579,000	16,142,000
SPRING WHEAT								
1939	82,000	22.3	1,829,000	88,000	6.1	537,000	170,000	2,366,000
1940	83,000	22.9	1,901,000	189,000	8.5	1,606,000	272,000	3,507,000
1941	68,000	27.7	1,884,000	136,000	11.0	1,496,000	204,000	3,380,000
1942	57,000	26.0	1,482,000	74,000	12.5	925,000	131,000	2,407,000
1943	56,000	26.0	1,456,000	71,000	11.0	781,000	127,000	2,237,000
1944	49,000	24.5	1,200,000	91,000	8.7	792,000	140,000	1,992,000
1945	48,000	27.5	1,320,000	85,000	15.5	1,318,000	133,000	2,638,000
1946	52,000	23.5	1,222,000	68,000	11.5	782,000	120,000	2,004,000
1947	51,000	29.0	1,479,000	68,000	14.5	986,000	119,000	2,465,000
1948	55,000	29.0	1,595,000	47,000	13.0	611,000	102,000	2,206,000
1949	49,000	32.5	1,592,000	140,000	15.0	2,100,000	189,000	3,692,000
1950	38,000	25.0	950,000	77,000	9.5	732,000	115,000	1,682,000
1951	40,000	23.0	920,000	68,000	10.0	680,000	108,000	1,600,000
1952	30,000	31.0	930,000	35,000	15.0	525,000	65,000	1,455,000
1953	30,000	30.0	900,000	61,000	13.0	793,000	91,000	1,693,000
1954[1]	19,000	25.0	475,000	24,000	9.5	228,000	43,000	703,000
OATS								
1939	88,000	33.2	2,922,000	60,000	15.2	912,000	148,000	3,834,000
1940	82,000	34.8	2,854,000	69,000	19.2	1,325,000	151,000	4,179,000
1941	100,000	40.5	4,050,000	77,000	23.5	1,809,000	177,000	5,859,000
1942	94,000	37.0	3,478,000	87,000	25.0	2,175,000	181,000	5,653,000
1943	94,000	38.5	3,619,000	94,000	23.5	2,209,000	188,000	5,828,000
1944	100,000	39.5	3,950,000	124,000	18.5	2,294,000	224,000	6,244,000
1945	90,000	39.5	3,555,000	130,000	29.0	3,770,000	220,000	7,325,000
1946	85,000	38.7	3,290,000	102,000	22.7	2,315,000	187,000	5,605,000
1947	88,000	40.0	3,520,000	112,000	27.0	3,024,000	200,000	6,544,000
1948	95,000	40.0	3,800,000	99,000	20.5	2,030,000	194,000	5,830,000
1949	103,000	41.5	4,274,000	132,000	26.0	3,432,000	235,000	7,706,000
1950	96,000	35.9	3,446,000	94,000	15.8	1,485,000	190,000	4,931,000
1951	90,000	36.0	3,240,000	92,000	21.0	1,932,000	182,000	5,172,000
1952	115,000	38.0	4,370,000	76,000	19.0	1,444,000	191,000	5,814,000
1953	106,000	39.0	4,134,000	79,000	17.0	1,343,000	185,000	5,477,000
1954[1]	76,000	34.0	2,584,000	63,000	16.0	1,008,000	139,000	3,592,000

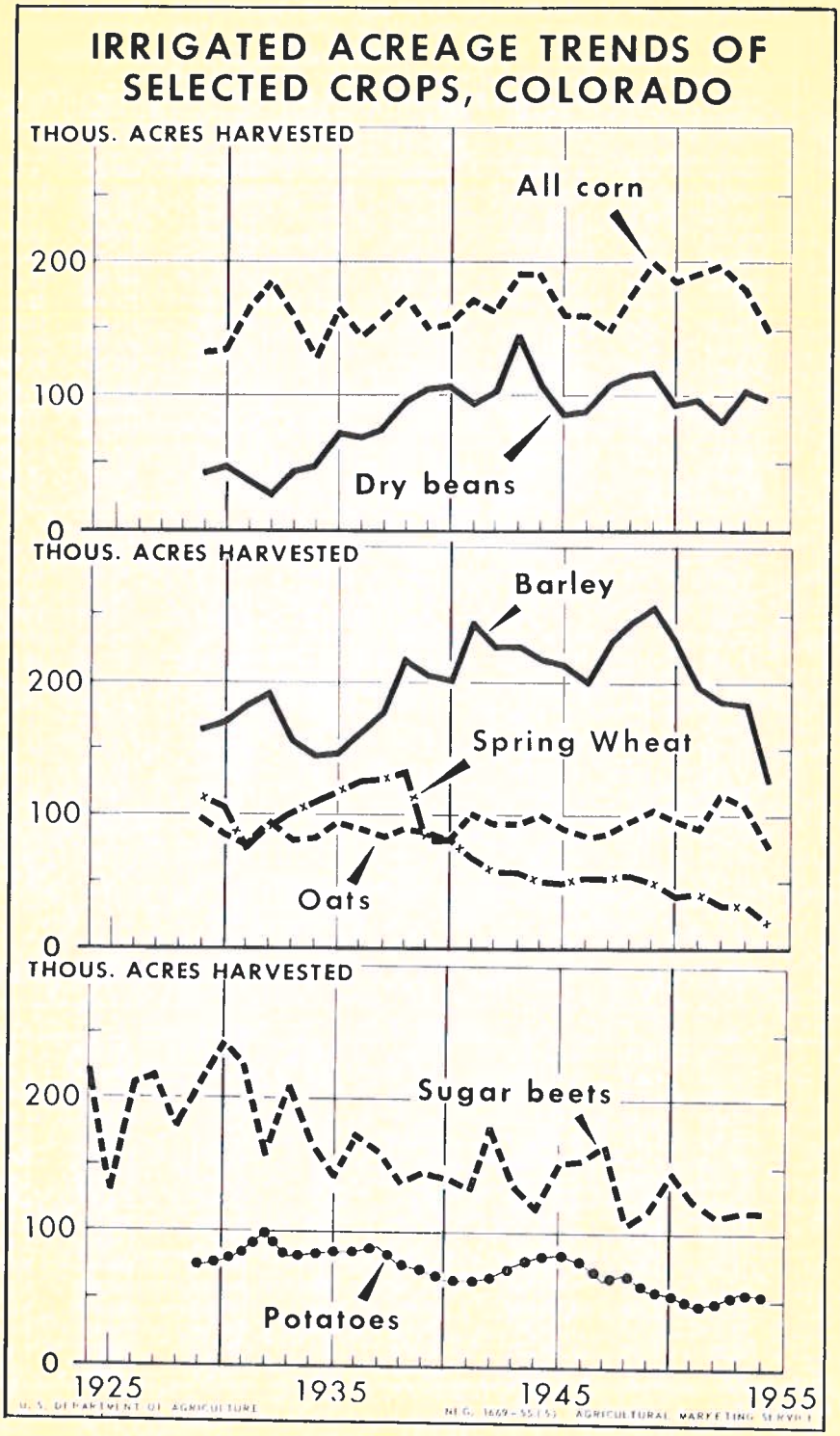
[1] Preliminary.

IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1939-1954 [1]

Year	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
BARLEY								
1939	204,000	31.5	6,426,000	216,000	7.3	1,577,000	420,000	8,003,000
1940	202,000	33.8	6,828,000	298,000	11.0	3,278,000	500,000	10,106,000
1941	243,000	38.5	9,355,000	417,000	17.5	7,297,000	660,000	16,652,000
1942	225,000	34.5	7,762,000	448,000	18.0	8,064,000	673,000	15,826,000
1943	225,000	35.5	7,988,000	509,000	19.0	9,671,000	734,000	17,659,000
1944	216,000	36.0	7,776,000	510,000	15.0	7,650,000	726,000	15,426,000
1945	210,000	39.0	8,190,000	581,000	24.7	14,351,000	791,000	22,541,000
1946	200,000	36.0	7,200,000	393,000	17.5	6,878,000	593,000	14,078,000
1947	230,000	40.0	9,200,000	375,000	21.0	7,875,000	605,000	17,075,000
1948	244,000	38.5	9,394,000	319,000	14.7	4,689,000	563,000	14,083,000
1949	255,000	39.0	9,945,000	533,000	22.9	12,206,000	788,000	22,151,000
1950	228,000	31.0	7,068,000	261,000	9.5	2,480,000	489,000	9,548,000
1951	195,000	33.0	6,435,000	211,000	15.0	3,165,000	406,000	9,600,000
1952	188,000	37.0	6,956,000	137,000	12.0	1,644,000	325,000	8,600,000
1953	185,000	38.0	7,030,000	159,000	14.5	2,306,000	344,000	9,336,000
1954 [1]	123,000	32.0	3,936,000	228,000	13.5	3,078,000	351,000	7,014,000
POTATOES								
1939	71,000	163	11,573,000	6,000	52	312,000	77,000	11,885,000
1940	63,000	202	12,726,000	4,000	90	360,000	67,000	13,086,000
1941	63,000	194	12,222,000	4,000	70	280,000	67,000	12,502,000
1942	67,000	233	15,611,000	5,000	95	475,000	72,000	16,086,000
1943	77,000	218	16,786,000	7,000	80	560,000	84,000	17,346,000
1944	81,000	222	17,982,000	4,000	50	200,000	85,000	18,182,000
1945	84,000	202	16,968,000	5,000	80	400,000	89,000	17,368,000
1946	79,000	243	19,197,000	4,000	80	320,000	83,000	19,517,000
1947	63,000	274	17,262,000	3,000	85	255,000	66,000	17,517,000
1948	70,000	296	20,720,000	2,000	90	180,000	72,000	20,900,000
1949	57,000	331	18,867,000	2,000	83	166,000	59,000	19,033,000
1950	54,000	335	18,090,000	2,000	55	110,000	56,000	18,200,000
1951	47,000	259	12,173,000	1,000	60	60,000	48,000	12,233,000
1952	49,000	390	19,159,000	1,000	80	80,000	50,000	19,239,000
1953	56,000	340	19,040,000	1,000	90	90,000	57,000	19,130,000
1954 [1]	53,000	325	17,225,000	1,000	85	85,000	54,000	17,310,000

Year	Irrigated			Non-Irrigated			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production 100-lb. Bags	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production 100-lb. Bags	Acres Harvested	Production 100-lb. Bags
BEANS (Dry)								
1939	104,000	1,155	1,201,000	180,000	215	387,000	284,000	1,588,000
1940	106,000	1,150	1,219,000	226,000	330	746,000	332,000	1,965,000
1941	94,000	1,110	1,043,000	185,000	310	574,000	279,000	1,617,000
1942	102,000	1,140	1,163,000	205,000	360	738,000	307,000	1,901,000
1943	146,000	1,120	1,635,000	314,000	320	1,005,000	460,000	2,640,000
1944	108,000	1,100	1,188,000	219,000	300	657,000	327,000	1,845,000
1945	86,000	1,060	912,000	185,000	370	684,000	271,000	1,596,000
1946	89,000	1,240	1,104,000	160,000	320	512,000	249,000	1,616,000
1947	107,000	1,400	1,500,000	214,000	480	1,027,000	321,000	2,527,000
1948	114,000	1,400	1,600,000	210,000	336	706,000	324,000	2,306,000
1949	118,000	1,550	1,829,000	177,000	380	673,000	295,000	2,502,000
1950	91,000	1,520	1,383,000	148,000	280	414,000	239,000	1,797,000
1951	96,000	1,400	1,344,000	107,000	205	219,000	203,000	1,563,000
1952	80,000	1,760	1,408,000	95,000	430	408,000	175,000	1,816,000
1953	102,000	1,750	1,785,000	122,000	430	525,000	224,000	2,310,000
1954 [1]	97,000	1,500	1,455,000	165,000	325	536,000	262,000	1,991,000

[1] Preliminary.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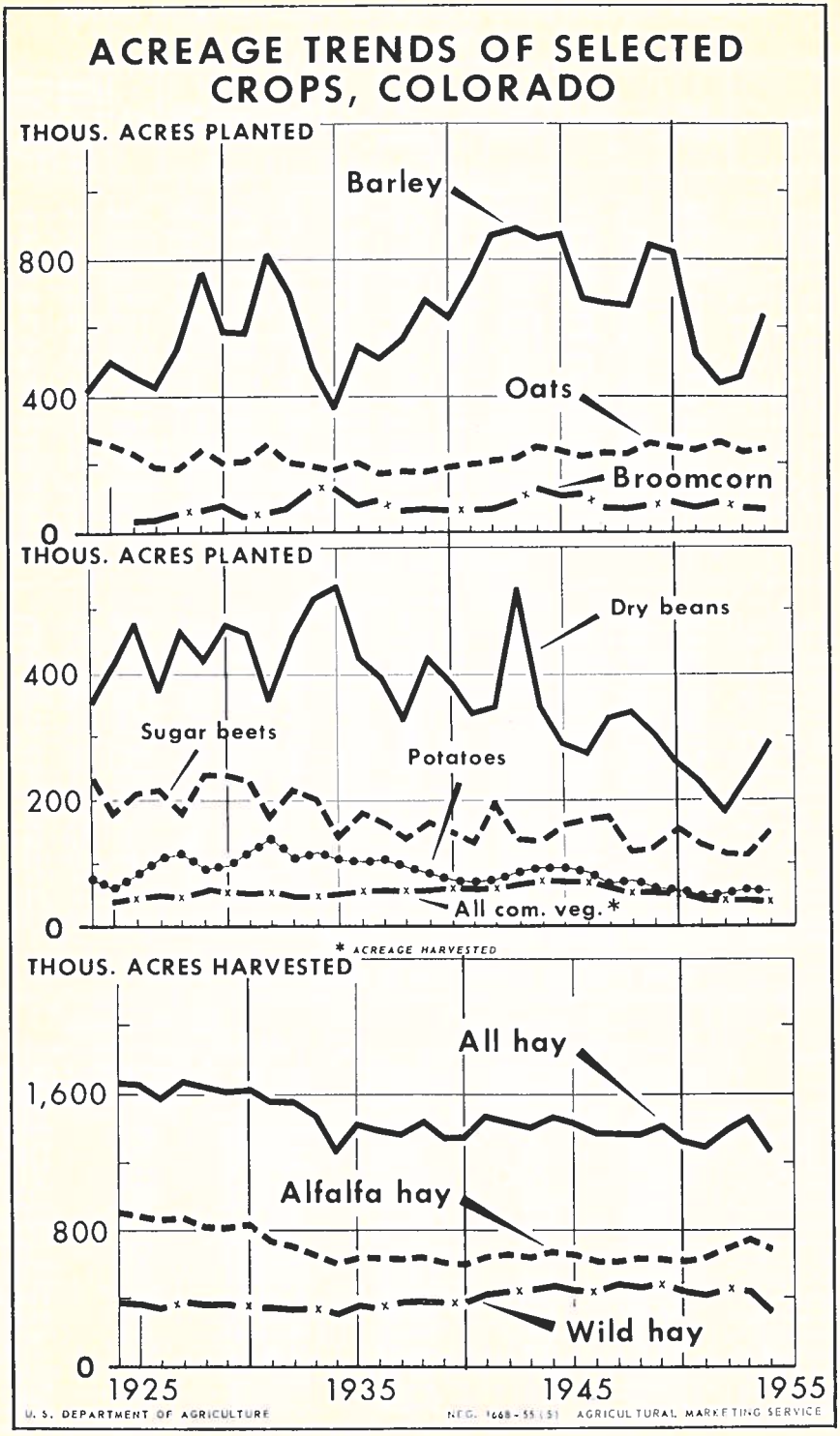
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PLANTED AND HARVESTED ACREAGES OF PRINCIPAL CROPS, 1939-1954

PLANTED ACREAGE

Year	All Corn	Oats	Barley	All Wheat	Rye	All Sorghums	Beans	Potatoes	Sugar Beets	Wild Hay[1]	All Hay[1]	Commercial Truck Crops: Processing[1]	Commercial Truck Crops: Market[1]	Total Principal Crops
	Thousand Acres (000 omitted)													
1939	1,039	184	676	1,466	108	872	430	85	167	371	1,346	9	47	6,429
1940	1,018	191	629	1,401	94	1,071	391	74	152	367	1,349	10	48	6,428
1941	1,008	201	742	1,551	146	1,009	340	70	135	418	1,475	12	45	6,734
1942	1,028	207	876	1,374	200	720	350	74	195	435	1,434	14	46	6,518
1943	956	221	894	1,493	220	630	539	87	139	444	1,409	15	49	6,652
1944	937	254	867	1,658	125	766	350	89	136	466	1,467	14	57	6,720
1945	750	244	876	1,850	121	705	290	92	162	443	1,425	15	54	6,584
1946	600	227	683	2,244	100	613	276	87	173	439	1,359	15	52	6,429
1947	546	234	669	2,903	78	490	331	67	176	470	1,356	13	46	6,909
1948	541	229	662	3,186	58	500	341	73	123	451	1,351	12	44	7,120
1949	649	261	847	3,552	38	645	307	60	126	474	1,401	13	43	7,942
1950	597	248	822	3,226	51	645	261	57	154	427	1,316	12	40	7,429
1951	591	246	518	3,676	59	819	230	50	132	406	1,291	13	33	7,658
1952	485	263	435	3,836	55	639	184	51	118	438	1,396	12	29	7,503
1953	422	237	457	4,003	58	799	234	58	121.3	425	1,456	12	29	7,886
1954	464	242	640	3,076	122	983	292	56	151.3	310	1,269	8	29	7,330

HARVESTED ACREAGE

Year	All Corn	Oats	Barley	All Wheat	Rye	All Sorghums	Beans	Potatoes	Sugar Beets	Wild Hay[1]	All Hay[1]	Commercial Truck Crops: Processing[1]	Commercial Truck Crops: Market[1]	Total Principal Crops
	Thousand Acres (000 omitted)													
1939	746	148	420	1,060	43	547	284	77	145	371	1,346	9	47	4,872
1940	865	151	500	1,028	43	881	332	67	140	367	1,349	10	48	5,414
1941	951	177	660	1,368	94	917	279	67	132	418	1,475	12	45	6,177
1942	980	181	673	1,237	110	619	307	72	180	435	1,434	14	46	5,853
1943	902	188	734	1,410	126	556	460	84	133	444	1,409	15	49	6,066
1944	884	224	726	1,256	76	723	327	85	117	466	1,467	14	57	5,956
1945	716	220	791	1,560	80	658	271	89	152	443	1,425	15	54	6,031
1946	573	187	593	2,004	68	546	249	83	153	439	1,359	15	52	5,882
1947	522	200	605	2,738	47	470	321	66	168	470	1,356	13	46	6,552
1948	522	194	563	2,861	35	479	324	72	103	451	1,351	12	44	6,560
1949	626	235	788	2,838	23	618	295	59	117	474	1,401	13	43	7,056
1950	557	190	489	2,314	28	457	239	56	146	427	1,316	12	40	5,844
1951	557	182	406	2,483	27	704	203	48	124	406	1,291	13	33	6,071
1952	451	191	325	3,176	28	429	175	50	113	438	1,396	12	29	6,375
1953	401	185	344	2,813	23	601	224	57	115.5	425	1,456	12	29	6,260
1954	373	139	351	1,622	46	691	262	54	115.3	310	1,269	12	29	5,003

[1] Only harvested acreage estimates are made for these crops.

CORN ACREAGE PLANTED WITH HYBRID SEED, 1939-1954

Year	COLORADO: All Corn Acreage	COLORADO: Percentage Planted With Hybrid Seed	COLORADO: Indicated Hybrid Corn Acreage	UNITED STATES: All Corn Acreage	UNITED STATES: Percentage Planted With Hybrid Seed	UNITED STATES: Indicated Hybrid Corn Acreage
1939	1,039,000	.9	9,000	91,639,000	22.5	20,618,000
1940	1,018,000	1.9	20,000	88,692,000	30.5	27,011,000
1941	1,008,000	5.2	52,000	86,837,000	39.3	34,134,000
1942	1,028,000	8.9	91,000	88,818,000	46.4	41,199,000
1943	956,000	15.4	147,000	94,341,000	52.4	49,428,000
1944	937,000	21.0	197,000	95,475,000	59.2	56,475,000
1945	750,000	25.6	192,000	89,261,000	64.4	57,484,000
1946	600,000	30.0	180,000	88,898,000	68.6	60,984,000
1947	546,000	34.0	186,000	85,038,000	72.1	61,312,000
1948	541,000	53.0	287,000	85,522,000	75.5	64,569,000
1949	649,000	64.0	415,000	86,745,000	77.7	67,401,000
1950	597,000	56.0	334,000	82,858,000	77.4	64,132,000
1951	591,000	53.0	313,000	82,283,000	81.6	67,994,000
1952	485,000	58.5	284,000	82,409,000	84.6	69,697,000
1953	422,000	74.5	314,000	81,403,000	86.6	70,457,000
1954	464,000	71.5	332,000	81,893,000	87.1	71,329,000

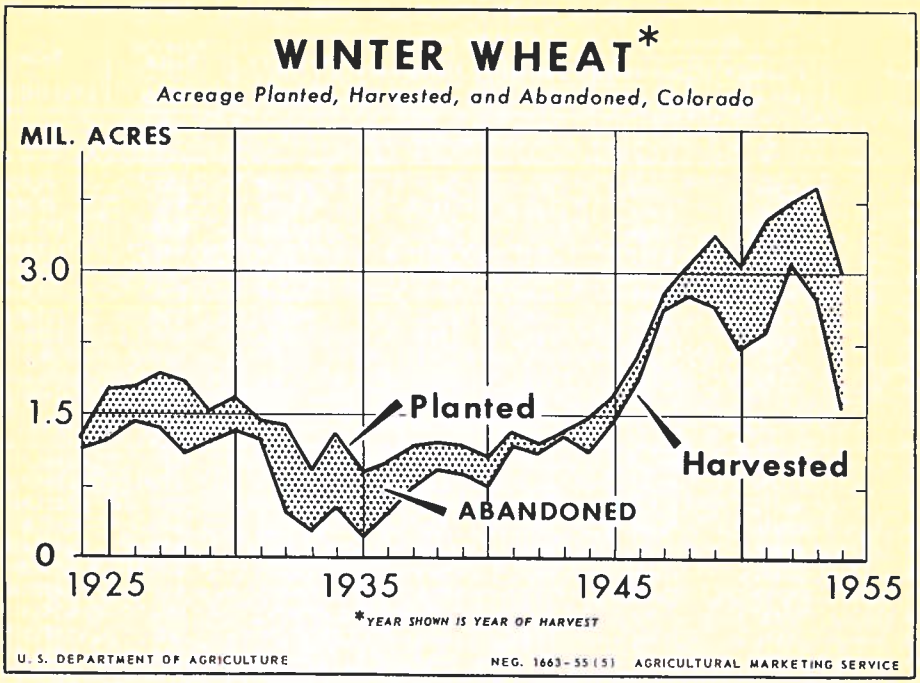
ALL WHEAT—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1954

Year	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production	Price Per Bushel	Value
	Planted [1]	Harvested	Planted	Harvested			
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bushels	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
COLORADO							
1945	1,850	1,560	18.8	22.3	34,768	1.41	49,023
1946	2,244	2,004	16.8	18.9	37,776	1.85	69,886
1947	2,903	2,738	20.3	21.5	58,866	2.23	131,271
1948	3,186	2,861	18.0	20.1	57,373	1.91	109,582
1949	3,552	2,838	13.0	16.3	46,164	1.87	86,327
1950	3,226	2,314	11.4	16.0	36,909	2.00	73,818
1951	3,676	2,483	9.5	14.0	34,870	2.11	73,511
1952	3,836	3,176	14.6	17.6	55,904	2.05	114,530
1953	4,003	2,813	11.0	15.6	43,875	2.04	89,371
1954	3,076	1,622	5.4	10.2	16,500	2.15	35,404
UNITED STATES							
1945	69,192	65,167	16.0	17.0	1,107,623	1.50	1,661,434
1946	71,578	67,105	16.1	17.2	1,152,118	1.91	2,200,545
1947	78,314	74,519	17.4	18.2	1,358,911	2.29	3,111,906
1948	78,345	72,418	16.5	17.9	1,294,911	1.99	2,576,873
1949	83,905	75,910	13.1	14.5	1,098,415	1.88	2,065,020
1950	71,287	61,610	14.3	16.5	1,019,389	2.00	2,043,082
1951	78,048	61,492	12.6	16.0	980,810	2.11	2,073,645
1952	78,337	70,926	16.6	18.3	1,298,957	2.09	2,714,404
1953	78,789	67,661	14.8	17.3	1,169,484	2.04	2,385,167
1954	61,971	53,712	15.6	18.1	969,781	2.13	2,063,379

[1] Planted for harvest in year shown. Winter wheat sown fall preceding year.

CORN—UTILIZATION FOR GRAIN, SILAGE, HOGGING DOWN, GRAZING AND FORAGE, 1945-1954

Year	FOR GRAIN			FOR SILAGE			Hogging Down, Grazing, and Forage Acreage
	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	
	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	1,000 Acres
COLORADO							
1945	530	21.0	11,130	54	6.3	340	132
1946	372	20.0	7,440	60	6.7	402	141
1947	397	22.0	8,734	57	8.0	456	68
1948	355	22.0	7,810	73	7.5	548	94
1949	482	24.6	11,857	83	8.6	714	61
1950	343	24.5	8,404	117	8.0	936	97
1951	340	27.5	9,350	139	8.0	1,112	78
1952	212	26.0	5,512	148	9.5	1,406	91
1953	237	30.0	7,110	120	10.0	1,200	44
1954	183	21.0	3,843	130	8.5	1,105	60
UNITED STATES							
1945	77,928	33.1	2,577,449	4,495	7.83	35,214	5,202
1946	78,410	37.2	2,916,089	4,577	7.87	36,031	4,598
1947	73,802	28.6	2,108,320	4,637	7.39	34,290	4,449
1948	76,840	43.0	3,307,038	4,317	8.71	37,592	3,621
1949	77,163	38.2	2,949,293	4,462	9.01	40,221	3,977
1950	72,625	38.0	2,760,374	4,878	8.34	40,685	4,314
1951	71,397	36.7	2,617,319	4,757	8.08	38,447	4,582
1952	71,821	41.5	2,977,243	5,221	8.10	42,297	4,057
1953	71,220	40.4	2,876,394	5,917	7.97	47,159	3,471
1954	69,084	38.4	2,652,426	6,778	7.49	50,776	4,913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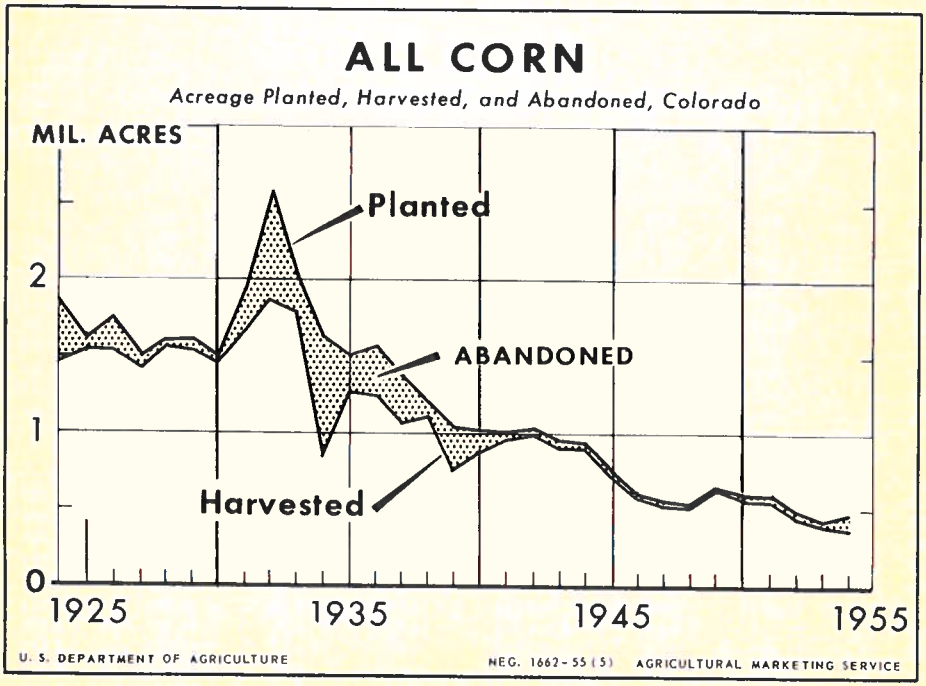
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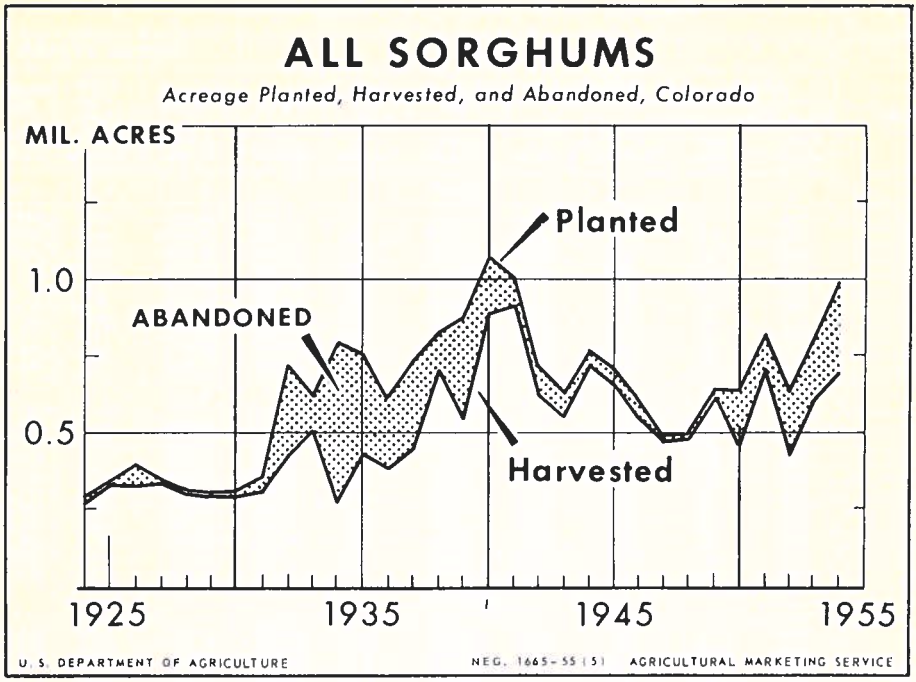
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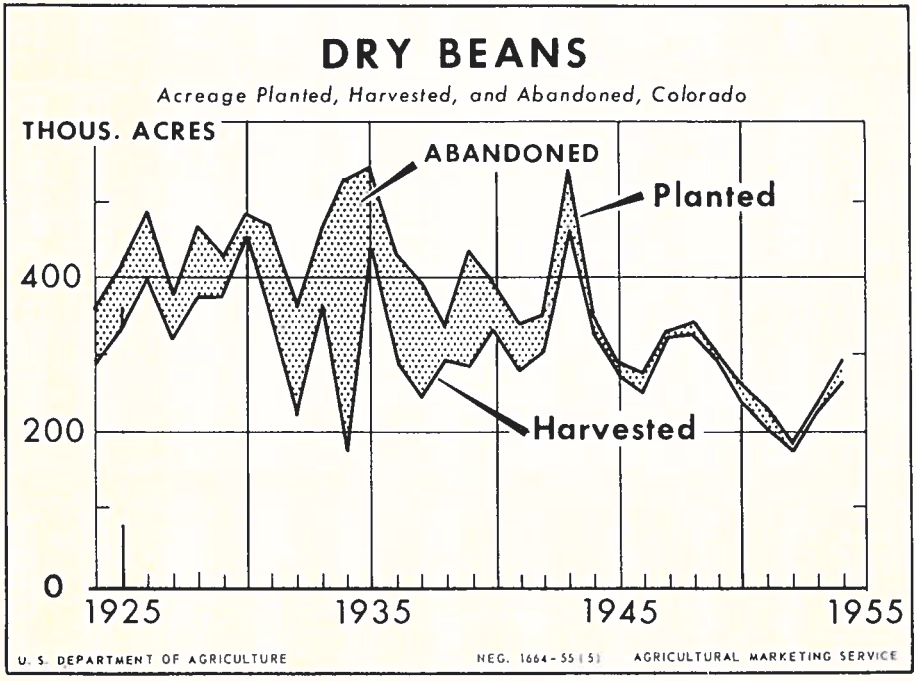
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CORN, OATS, BARLEY, WINTER WHEAT, SPRING WHEAT, AND RYE ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1954

Year	COLORADO							UNITED STATES		
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Acreage Planted	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production
	Planted 1,000 Acres	Harvested 1,000 Acres	Planted Bushels	Harv. Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels
CORN										
1945	750	716	20.0	21.0	15,036	1.19	17,893	89,261	32.7	2,868,795
1946	600	573	20.1	21.0	12,033	1.46	17,568	88,898	36.7	3,217,076
1947	546	522	22.0	23.0	12,006	2.17	26,053	85,038	28.4	2,354,739
1948	541	522	23.2	24.0	12,528	1.33	16,662	85,522	42.5	3,605,078
1949	649	626	25.3	26.2	16,401	1.27	20,829	86,745	37.8	3,238,618
1950	597	557	22.4	24.0	13,368	1.60	21,389	82,858	37.4	3,057,803
1951	591	557	24.5	26.0	14,482	1.84	26,647	83,283	35.9	2,899,169
1952	485	451	26.5	28.5	12,854	1.63	20,952	82,409	40.4	3,279,403
1953	422	401	30.4	32.0	12,832	1.56	20,018	81,730	39.6	3,192,491
1954	464	373	20.1	25.0	9,325	1.70	15,852	81,893	37.1	2,964,639
OATS										
1945	244	220	29.8	33.0	7,260	.66	4,792	46,025	36.5	1,523,851
1946	227	187	24.7	30.0	5,610	.83	4,656	46,515	34.5	1,477,573
1947	234	200	27.8	32.5	6,500	1.04	6,760	42,058	31.1	1,176,142
1948	229	194	25.4	30.0	5,820	.76	4,423	43,838	36.9	1,450,186
1949	261	235	29.4	32.7	7,684	.70	5,379	43,318	32.0	1,254,885
1950	248	190	19.9	26.0	4,940	.91	4,495	45,464	34.6	1,410,464
1951	246	182	21.1	28.5	5,187	.99	5,135	41,682	36.2	1,321,288
1952	263	191	22.2	30.5	5,826	.93	5,418	42,766	32.8	1,260,127
1953	237	185	23.0	29.5	5,458	.82	4,476	43,875	30.8	1,209,458
1954	242	139	14.9	26.0	3,614	.88	3,180	47,284	35.6	1,499,579
BARLEY										
1945	876	791	25.7	28.5	22,544	.93	20,966	11,745	25.5	266,994
1946	683	593	20.4	23.5	13,936	1.23	17,141	11,467	25.5	265,059
1947	669	605	25.3	28.0	16,940	1.49	25,241	11,981	25.7	281,868
1948	662	563	21.3	25.0	14,075	1.02	14,356	13,063	26.5	315,537
1949	847	788	26.1	28.1	22,143	.90	19,929	11,132	24.0	237,071
1950	822	489	11.6	19.5	9,536	1.14	10,871	13,100	27.2	303,533
1951	518	406	18.4	23.5	9,541	1.29	12,308	10,869	26.9	254,287
1952	435	325	19.8	26.5	8,612	1.34	11,540	9,359	27.4	226,014
1953	457	344	20.3	27.0	9,288	1.12	10,403	9,659	28.2	242,544
1954	640	351	11.0	20.0	7,020	1.22	8,564	14,517	28.5	370,126
WINTER WHEAT[1]										
1945	1,710	1,427	18.8	22.5	32,108	1.41	45,272	50,463	17.4	816,989
1946	2,103	1,884	17.0	19.0	35,796	1.85	66,223	52,227	18.0	869,592
1947	2,776	2,619	20.3	21.5	56,308	2.23	125,567	58,248	19.3	1,058,976
1948	3,076	2,759	17.9	20.0	55,180	1.90	104,842	58,332	18.7	990,141
1949	3,353	2,649	12.6	16.0	42,384	1.87	79,258	61,177	15.8	858,127
1950	3,085	2,199	11.4	16.0	35,184	2.00	70,368	52,399	17.1	740,682
1951	3,548	2,375	9.4	14.0	33,250	2.11	70,158	55,784	16.2	646,325
1952	3,749	3,111	14.5	17.5	54,442	2.05	111,606	56,730	20.9	1,059,558
1953	3,902	2,722	10.8	15.5	42,191	2.04	86,070	56,998	18.8	881,608
1954	3,005	1,579	5.3	10.0	15,790	2.15	33,948	46,084	20.5	790,737
SPRING WHEAT, ALL										
1945	140	133	19.0	20.0	2,660	1.41	3,751	16,703	16.0	257,794
1946	141	120	14.0	16.5	1,980	1.83	3,623	16,858	15.2	246,690
1947	127	119	20.1	21.5	2,558	2.21	5,653	17,091	15.4	255,607
1948	110	102	19.9	21.5	2,193	1.87	4,101	16,735	16.0	259,628
1949	199	189	19.0	20.0	3,780	1.81	6,842	18,961	11.2	201,216
1950	141	115	12.2	15.0	1,725	1.95	3,364	18,888	15.6	241,495
1951	128	108	12.7	15.0	1,620	2.07	3,353	22,264	15.7	299,723
1952	87	65	16.8	22.5	1,462	2.00	2,924	21,607	12.0	216,906
1953	101	91	16.7	18.5	1,684	1.96	3,301	21,791	13.8	287,876
1954	71	43	10.0	16.5	710	2.05	1,456	15,887	11.9	179,044
RYE[1]										
1945	121	80	6.6	10.0	800	1.19	952	4,157	12.8	23,708
1946	100	68	5.4	8.0	544	1.74	947	3,396	11.6	18,487
1947	78	47	6.0	10.0	470	2.17	1,020	3,678	12.8	25,497
1948	58	35	4.8	8.0	280	1.25	350	3,725	12.6	25,886
1949	38	23	5.4	9.0	207	1.00	207	3,293	11.6	18,102
1950	51	28	4.1	7.5	210	1.13	237	3,632	12.2	21,257
1951	59	27	3.7	8.0	216	1.52	328	3,579	12.5	21,301
1952	55	28	4.1	8.0	224	1.59	356	3,127	11.6	16,046
1953	58	23	3.2	8.0	184	1.12	206	3,323	13.1	18,163
1954	122	46	2.3	6.0	276	1.10	304	4,023	13.8	23,688

[1] Acreage planted fall of preceding year.

SORGHUMS, SWEETCLOVER SEED AND FIELD PEAS ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1954

Year	COLORADO						UNITED STATES		
	Acreage (All Uses) Planted	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre Harvested	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre Harvested	Production
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels
ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN									
1945	705	180	14.9	2,682	1.14	3,057	6,324	15.2	96,063
1946	613	191	13.0	2,483	1.26	3,129	6,669	15.9	106,025
1947	490	160	15.0	2,400	1.82	4,368	5,480	17.0	93,217
1948	500	192	17.0	3,264	1.22	3,982	7,317	18.0	131,384
1949	645	308	17.2	5,298	1.14	6,040	6,592	22.5	148,299
1950	645	103	12.0	1,236	1.20	1,483	10,335	22.6	233,278
1951	819	229	12.0	2,748	1.38	3,792	8,487	18.9	160,195
1952	639	112	8.0	896	1.47	1,317	5,061	16.4	83,024
1953	799	180	10.5	1,890	1.25	2,362	6,150	17.8	109,353
1954	983	221	10.0	2,210	1.25	2,762	10,764	19.0	204,087

ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE

Year	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	Per Ton Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons
1945	460	1.10	506	9.80	4,959	7,357	1.30	9,543
1946	350	1.05	368	13.00	4,784	5,957	1.37	8,181
1947	304	1.15	350	14.00	4,900	4,590	1.23	5,666
1948	280	1.05	294	14.10	4,145	4,680	1.42	6,659
1949	301	1.07	322	11.50	3,703	3,633	1.58	5,729
1950	350	1.00	350	15.00	5,250	4,361	1.51	6,592
1951	467	1.05	490	18.00	8,820	4,660	1.39	6,455
1952	309	1.00	309	25.50	7,880	4,925	.88	4,358
1953	409	1.05	429	14.00	6,006	5,266	1.18	6,191
1954	453	1.00	453	17.00	7,701	5,831	1.10	6,431

SWEETCLOVER SEED [1]

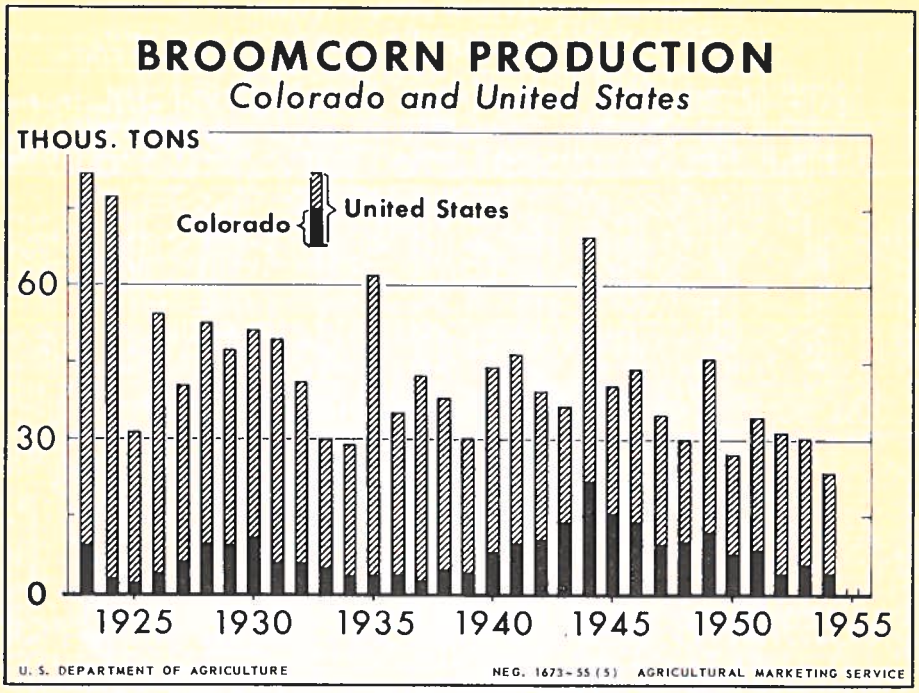
Year	1,000 Acres	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Per 100 Lbs Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Pounds	1,000 Pounds
1945	12	190	2,300	10.00	230	248	129	32,120
1946	12	225	2,700	10.20	275	245	148	36,260
1947	10	220	2,200	10.50	231	229	145	33,260
1948	15	235	3,500	13.00	455	209	165	34,370
1949	10	255	2,500	13.80	345	361	155	55,790
1950	14	215	3,000	13.20	396	547	156	85,400
1951	7	200	1,400	10.70	150	309	159	48,990
1952	10	250	2,500	8.70	218	272	161	43,760
1953	8	185	1,480	8.50	126	227	151	34,341
1954	4	150	600	11.00	66	248	152	37,810

[1] Yield, production and value, cleaned basis.

FIELD PEAS

Year	COLORADO								UNITED STATES			
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production[1]		Price Per 100-Lb. Bag	Value	Acreage Planted	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production[1]	
	Planted for All Uses	Harvested for Grain	Planted	Harvested	Uncl'n'd	Cleaned					Uncl'n'd	Cleaned
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Lbs.	Lbs.	1,000 Bags	1,000 Bags	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Lbs.	1,000 Bags	1,000 Bags
1945	33	23	627	900	207	186	3.55	660	549	1,142	5,915	5,365
1946	23	16	522	750	120	101	5.20	525	515	1,358	6,679	6,074
1947	35	21	540	900	189	165	4.65	767	544	1,232	6,322	5,795
1948	24	19	792	1,000	190	169	4.00	676	315	1,221	3,640	3,298
1949	19	16	1,026	1,220	195	176	2.35	414	383	907	3,212	2,920
1950	15	5	320	950	48	43	3.45	148	256	1,376	3,206	2,951
1951	18	4	167	750	30	27	5.00	135	327	1,296	3,810	3,521
1952	15	8	533	1,000	80	74	4.50	333	228	1,237	2,610	2,377
1953	14	6	550	1,100	66	61	3.05	186	282	1,279	3,350	2,974
1954	11	5	345	850	42	38	3.50	133	287	1,300	3,484	3,077

[1] Bags of 100 pounds each.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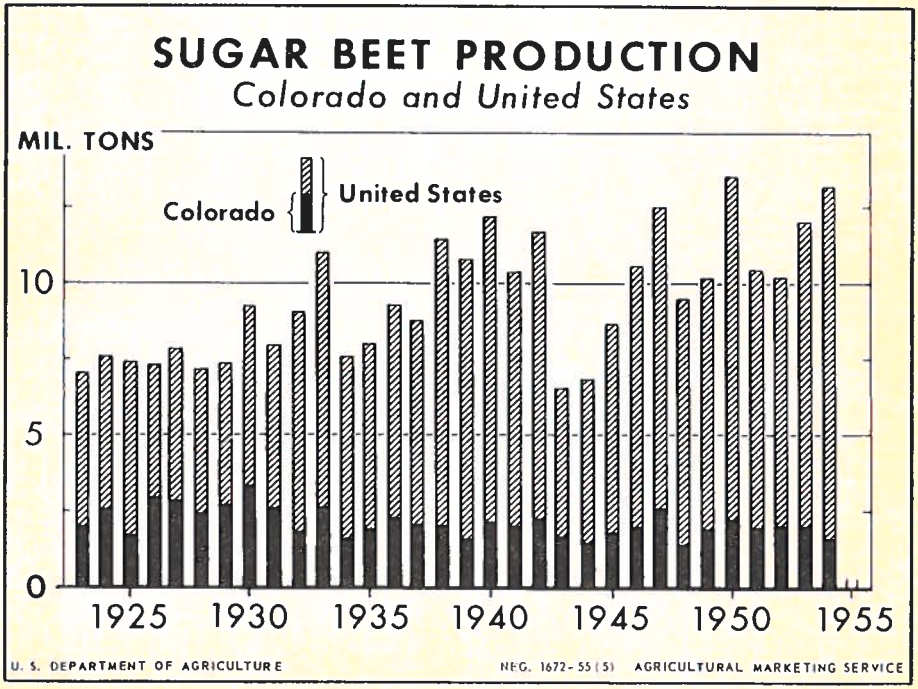
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POTATOES, SUGAR BEETS, BROOMCORN, ALFALFA SEED AND DRY BEANS ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1946-1954

Year	COLORADO							UNITED STATES		
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Acreage Planted	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harv.						
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Bushels	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels
POTATOES										
1946	87	83	224	235	19,505	1.12	21,846	2,571	192.9	487,315
1947	67	66	261	265	17,490	1.69	29,558	2,034	194.4	388,985
1948	73	72	286	290	20,880	1.59	33,199	2,007	227.1	449,895
1949	60	59	318	323	19,057	1.38	26,299	1,778	228.8	402,353
1950	57	56	319	325	18,200	1.04	18,928	1,712	283.2	313,369
1951	50	48	245	255	12,240	1.81	22,154	1,359	240.3	320,519
1952	51	50	377	385	19,250	1.71	32,918	1,421	249.0	349,098
1953	58	57	329	335	19,095	.73	13,939	1,549	249.3	380,075
1954	56	54	309	320	17,280	1.10	19,008	1,423	252.8	355,099
SUGAR BEETS										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Tons	Tons	1,000 Tons	(Ton)[1] Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons
1946	173	153	11.1	12.5	1,920	10.10	19,392	905	13.2	10,560
1947	176	168	14.5	15.2	2,548	11.50	29,302	968	14.2	12,503
1948	123	103	11.2	13.4	1,376	9.80	13,485	800	13.6	9,424
1949	126	117	14.9	16.1	1,878	10.90	20,470	768	14.8	10,196
1950	154	146	14.2	15.0	2,183	12.00	26,196	1,014	14.6	13,535
1951	132	124	14.4	15.4	1,906	11.90	22,681	757	15.2	10,485
1952	118	113	16.4	17.2	1,941	11.90	23,098	719	15.3	10,169
1953	121.3	115.5	16.1	16.9	1,956	11.70	22,885	794.6	16.2	12,084
1954	151.3	115.3	11.0	14.4	1,660	(2)	(2)	963.4	16.0	14,027

[1] Price support payments are included. Government payments under the Sugar Act are not included.
[2] Not available.

BROOMCORN

Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Tons	(Ton) Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Harvested	Pounds	1,000 Tons
1946	119	108	227	250	13.5	270.00	3,645	331	291	43.5
1947	73	69	255	270	9.3	280.00	2,604	254	292	34.4
1948	71	67	279	295	9.9	300.00	2,970	227	291	30.0
1949	84	82	279	285	11.7	220.00	2,574	307	314	45.7
1950	93	76	155	190	7.2	371.00	2,671	212	256	27.1
1951	79	74	210	225	8.3	425.00	3,528	262	257	33.8
1952	91	58	79	125	3.6	365.00	1,314	258	239	30.8
1953	73	58	148	185	5.4	300.00	1,620	260	238	31.0
1954	69	52	116	155	4.0	330.00	1,320	237	226	26.9

ALFALFA SEED[1]

Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Per 100 Lbs. Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Harvested	Pounds	1,000 Pounds
1946	--	25	--	88	2,200	35.70	785	1,182	89	104,850
1947	--	21	--	96	2,000	25.70	514	1,015	94	94,900
1948	--	10	--	130	1,300	43.70	568	645	88	56,790
1949	--	35	--	100	3,500	38.50	1,348	1,102	106	116,890
1950	--	27	--	85	2,300	47.00	1,081	927	113	104,950
1951	--	23	--	85	2,000	50.00	1,000	884	118	104,620
1952	--	26	--	115	2,990	29.90	894	1,340	135	180,326
1953	--	18	--	115	2,070	21.80	451	947	143	135,570
1954	--	17	--	115	1,955	30.00	586	950	165	156,738

[1] Yield, production and value, cleaned basis.

DRY BEANS

Year	COLORADO								UNITED STATES			
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production[1]		Price Per 100-Lb. Bag	Value	Acreage Planted	Yield Per Harv. Acre	Production[1]	
	Pl'nt'd	Harv.	Pl'nt'd	Harv.	Uncl'n'd	Cleaned					Uncl'n'd	Cleaned
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Bags	1,000 Bags	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Lbs.	1,000 Bags	1,000 Bags
1946	276	249	586	650	1,618	1,448	11.90	17,231	1,704	977	15,840	14,702
1947	331	321	776	800	2,568	2,396	10.10	24,200	1,856	971	17,268	15,829
1948	341	324	684	720	2,333	2,146	7.10	15,237	1,996	1,074	20,816	19,384
1949	307	295	788	820	2,419	2,274	6.50	14,781	1,936	1,134	21,379	19,863
1950	261	239	696	760	1,816	1,741	6.50	11,316	1,656	1,117	16,866	15,128
1951	230	203	680	770	1,563	1,469	6.70	9,842	1,519	1,232	17,341	15,879
1952	184	175	989	1,040	1,820	1,747	8.20	14,325	1,307	1,287	16,235	15,010
1953	234	224		1,030	2,307	2,192	7.10	15,563	1,436	1,301	18,171	16,818
1954	292	262		760	1,991	1,881	6.40	12,038	1,714	1,199	18,899	17,003

[1] Bags of 100 pounds each.

HAY—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1947-1954

Year	COLORADO					UNITED STATES		
	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Price Per Ton	Value	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons
ALL HAY								
1947	1,356	1.64	2,219	16.60	36,835	74,666	1.35	100,576
1948	1,351	1.67	2,251	22.40 [1]	50,422	71,817	1.34	96,172
1949	1,401	1.64	2,293	20.30 [1]	46,548	71,464	1.33	95,055
1950	1,316	1.50	1,977	27.30 [1]	53,972	74,368	1.38	102,476
1951	1,291	1.57	2,026	32.60 [1]	66,048	74,442	1.45	107,991
1952	1,396	1.74	2,436	30.20 [1]	73,567	74,454	1.40	104,345
1953	1,456	1.72	2,506	20.90 [1]	52,375	73,996	1.43	105,530
1954	1,269	1.57	1,986	26.50 [1]	52,629	72,770	1.43	104,380
ALFALFA HAY								
1947	606	2.20	1,333	18.90	25,194	14,555	2.23	32,489
1948	624	2.25	1,404	16.30 [2]	22,885	14,669	2.23	32,710
1949	636	2.24	1,425	14.40 [2]	20,520	16,973	2.16	36,619
1950	604	2.10	1,268	19.30 [2]	24,472	17,970	2.18	39,219
1951	610	2.20	1,342	22.70 [2]	30,463	18,830	2.26	42,607
1952	689	2.40	1,654	29.80 [1]	49,289	18,913	2.23	42,230
1953	737	2.30	1,695	20.20 [1]	33,330	20,400	2.19	44,755
1954	678	2.10	1,424	25.60 [1]	36,454	22,996	2.15	49,328
WILD HAY								
1947	470	1.05	494	14.00	6,916	14,864	.90	13,389
1948	451	1.05	474	16.00 [2]	7,584	14,535	.85	12,384
1949	474	1.02	483	14.50 [2]	7,004	14,792	.82	12,091
1950	427	.90	384	19.30 [2]	7,411	14,942	.80	12,015
1951	406	.85	345	22.70 [2]	8,058	14,382	.84	12,145
1952	438	1.00	438	32.00 [1]	14,016	14,416	.75	10,827
1953	425	1.05	446	22.70 [1]	10,124	14,670	.81	11,943
1954	310	.80	248	29.10 [1]	7,217	13,501	.75	10,184

[1] Price of hay sold baled.
[2] Price of hay sold loose.

APPLES, PEACHES, PEARS AND CHERRIES — PRODUCTION [1] AND VALUE, 1947-1954

Year	APPLES (Commercial Crop) [2]			PEACHES		
	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value
	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1947	1,568	1.95	2,605	2,106	2.60	5,476
1948	1,380	2.20	3,036	1,922	1.75	3,364
1949	1,570	1.60	2,264	2,109	1.70	3,245
1950	882	2.40	2,030	1,219	2.70	3,291
1951	1,292	1.75	1,843	316	3.85	1,217
1952	1,320	2.05	2,706	2,053	2.30	4,014
1953	840	2.65	2,226	1,312	2.95	3,714
1954	1,540	2.40	3,696	2,230	2.70	5,751

Year	PEARS			CHERRIES (All Varieties)		
	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Production	Price Per Ton	Value
	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1947	232	2.00	464	4,080	213.00	870
1948	155	2.75	426	5,120	177.00	907
1949	204	1.70	347	3,440	180.00	619
1950	160	2.55	408	1,830	171.00	313
1951	193	2.35	454	3,580	150.00	538
1952	208	2.25	468	2,070	179.00	371
1953	150	2.60	390	880	225.00	198
1954	230	2.50	575	2,750	212.00	582

Year	CHERRIES (Sweet Varieties)			CHERRIES (Sour Varieties)		
	Production	Price Per Ton	Value	Production	Price Per Ton	Value
	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1947	680	380.00	258	3,400	180.00	612
1948	820	320.00	262	4,300	150.00	645
1949	640	250.00	160	2,800	164.00	459
1950	230	388.00	89	1,600	140.00	224
1951	380	390.00	148	3,200	130.00	390
1952	1,020	220.00	224	1,050	140.00	147
1953	130	400.00	52	750	195.00	146
1954	1,050	270.00	284	1,700	175.00	298

[1] In certain years, production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions and, excluded in computing value.
[2] Estimates of commercial apples relate to production in 7 commercial counties (Larimer, Delta, Garfield, Mesa, Montezuma, Montrose and Fremont), which produce about 95 percent of the total apples produced in the state.

DRY EDIBLE BEANS—PRODUCTION BY COMMERCIAL CLASSES, 1945-1954

(Thousand bags of 100 pounds each, cleaned basis)

Year	Pea (Navy)	Great Northern	Other White	Pinto	Red Kidney	Pink	Small Red	Cranberry	Yellow-eye	Standard Lima	Baby Lima	Other Classes	Total All Varieties
COLORADO													
1945	--	18	--	1,436	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	1,493
1946	--	--	--	1,419	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	29	1,448
1947	--	--	--	2,315	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	81	2,396
1948	--	--	--	2,060	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	86	2,146
1949	--	--	--	2,202	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	72	2,274
1950	--	--	--	1,687	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	54	1,741
1951	--	--	--	1,430	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	39	1,469
1952	--	--	--	1,747	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,747
1953	--	--	--	2,192	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,192
1954	--	--	--	1,881	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,881
UNITED STATES													
1945	2,687	2,481	441	2,063	555	269	229	102	70	910	1,007	1,136	11,950
1946	3,814	3,440	414	2,105	1,231	333	307	76	87	782	1,055	1,058	14,702
1947	3,074	3,554	579	3,278	1,111	453	473	72	89	855	1,058	1,233	15,829
1948	4,476	4,039	891	3,091	1,742	556	496	135	128	1,144	984	1,702	19,384
1949	5,334	3,204	709	3,853	1,392	634	654	371	166	1,376	1,272	898	19,863
1950	3,356	1,724	578	3,623	1,123	356	486	133	124	1,225	1,132	1,288	15,128
1951	4,072	1,484	854	3,002	1,344	534	768	85	146	1,168	798	1,624	15,879
1952	3,412	1,927	695	3,168	1,421	393	605	108	180	1,360	430	1,311	15,010
1953	3,607	1,819	685	4,868	1,287	450	666	163	200	1,137	639	1,297	16,818
1954	3,131	2,009	822	4,567	1,210	656	1,219	94	61	1,259	758	1,217	17,003

POTATOES, ACRES HARVESTED AND PRODUCTION, 1945-1954
LATE AND EARLY STATES

Year	Colorado		29 Late States [1]		13 Early States [2]	
	Acres Harvested 1000, Acres	Production 1,000 Bushels	Acres Harvested 1000, Acres	Production 1,000 Bushels	Acres Harvested 1000, Acres	Production 1,000 Bushels
1945	89	17,355	1,958	325,746	472	63,023
1946	83	19,505	1,808	369,966	496	81,653
1947	66	17,490	1,438	298,555	375	59,456
1948	72	20,880	1,437	352,974	366	65,018
1949	59	19,057	1,283	320,215	324	59,543
1950	56	18,200	1,225	338,659	330	63,797
1951	48	12,240	966	250,925	252	49,170
1952	50	19,250	1,042	282,591	254	52,448
1953	57	19,095	1,112	296,879	304	65,555
1954	54	17,280	1,066	287,453	239	51,931

[1] Includes Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, COLORADO, New Mexico, Utah, Nevada, Washington, Oregon, and California. (Early and late crops estimated separately for California; combined for all other states.)

[2] Includes North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas, Arizona, and California. (Early and late crops estimated separately for California; combined for all other states.) Prior to 1951, Arizona was carried in the Intermediate States group. For purposes of this table, acreage and production totals for Arizona in the years 1939-50 have been added into the Early States group to make data comparable.

GRAIN STOCKS ON FARMS

WHEAT

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	% [1]	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]
1939-40	7,238	60	5,067	42	3,016	25	1,930	16
1940-41	6,671	54	4,942	40	4,077	33	1,853	15
1941-42	15,022	60	9,013	36	7,511	30	5,508	22
1942-43	18,362	67	15,073	55	9,318	34	4,659	17
1943-44	18,337	58	13,595	43	6,956	22	3,794	12
1944-45	9,253	52	6,940	39	4,626	26	1,246	7
1945-46	18,427	53	11,126	32	3,824	11	1,565	4
1946-47	21,155	56	13,222	35	4,155	11	944	2
1947-48	31,788	54	21,192	36	8,241	14	2,943	5
1948-49	26,392	46	21,802	38	13,770	24	1,721	3
1949-50	22,620	49	12,926	28	9,694	21	2,308	5
1950-51	15,502	42	12,180	33	9,965	27	2,953	8
1951-52	21,271	61	14,645	42	4,882	14	1,046	3
1952-53	23,480	42	19,566	35	13,417	24	2,516	4
1953-54	28,519	65	17,711	39	11,846	27	6,581	15
1954-55	9,570	58	6,765	41	----	--	----	--

BARLEY

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	% [1]	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]
1942-43	----	--	9,964	63	----	--	2,372	15
1943-44	----	--	10,570	60	5,461	31	2,466	14
1944-45	12,429	80	10,254	66	6,214	40	2,796	18
1945-46	16,908	75	13,752	61	4,960	22	2,705	12
1946-47	9,755	70	7,665	55	3,902	28	1,812	13
1947-48	12,536	74	8,809	59	4,913	29	2,202	13
1948-49	11,682	83	7,741	63	4,363	31	2,111	15
1949-50	17,493	79	13,064	66	9,300	42	5,093	23
1950-51	6,675	70	4,959	52	3,338	35	1,621	17
1951-52	7,633	80	6,011	63	3,149	33	1,431	15
1952-53	6,631	77	4,737	55	2,497	29	1,033	12
1953-54	7,549	77	5,387	58	2,647	27	1,176	12
1954-55	5,054	72	4,352	62	----	--	----	--

OATS

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	% [1]	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]
1939-40	3,143	82	1,916	50	1,265	33	613	16
1940-41	3,626	87	2,584	62	1,709	41	709	17
1941-42	4,687	80	3,984	68	2,402	41	996	17
1942-43	4,969	88	4,292	76	2,259	40	847	15
1943-44	4,779	82	4,196	72	2,273	39	932	16
1944-45	5,044	81	4,483	72	3,363	54	1,370	22
1945-46	5,953	82	5,082	70	2,831	39	1,525	21
1946-47	4,937	88	3,871	69	2,132	38	842	15
1947-48	5,525	85	4,680	72	2,665	41	1,235	19
1948-49	5,180	89	4,074	70	2,444	42	873	15
1949-50	6,378	83	5,302	69	3,304	43	1,614	21
1950-51	4,199	85	3,557	72	2,174	44	988	20
1951-52	4,409	85	3,838	74	1,919	37	830	16
1952-53	4,719	81	3,903	67	2,447	42	1,107	19
1953-54	4,803	88	3,548	65	2,019	37	982	18
1954-55	3,108	86	2,602	72	----	--	----	--

CORN [3]

CROP YEAR	Jan. 1		April 1		July 1		Oct. 1	
	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]	Bu. (000)	% [2]
1939	3,026	59	1,282	25	410	8	282	6
1940	5,208	73	3,139	44	1,213	17	678	10
1941	10,484	87	5,182	43	2,290	19	1,145	10
1942	11,041	76	4,213	29	2,034	14	1,453	10
1943	7,030	65	3,461	32	1,622	15	865	8
1944	9,155	74	4,082	33	2,474	20	1,175	10
1945	8,125	73	2,671	24	1,336	12	890	8
1946	5,431	73	2,009	27	744	10	446	6
1947	6,813	78	2,708	31	1,485	17	786	9
1948	5,936	76	1,718	22	937	12	469	6
1949	9,367	79	3,913	33	1,304	11	711	6
1950	5,295	63	2,437	29	1,345	16	462	6
1951	6,919	74	3,086	33	1,169	12	654	7
1952	3,803	69	1,488	27	551	10	165	3
1953	5,048	71	2,133	30	675	10	462	6
1954	3,074	80	----	--	----	--	----	--

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

OFF FARM GRAIN STOCKS
(Thousand Bushels)

CORN—ALL COMMERCIAL STOCKS [1]

CROP YEAR [2]	January 1	April 1	July 1	October 1
	In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)			
1943	116	492	180	116
1944	335	335	285	125
1945	487	1,189	254	162
1946	563	451	128	126
1947	513	498	272	224
1948	499	542	270	149
1949	691	265	341	201
1950	1,690	1,510	1,164	927
1951	2,347	2,298	1,441	880
1952	1,738	1,644	784	482
1953	1,763	892	420	238
1954	942	682	315	837
1955	1,732	---	---	---

WHEAT

CROP YEAR	In Elevators [3]				In Merchant Mills			
	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1
	In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)							
1934-35	1,750	1,600	1,700	490	----	----	----	----
1935-36	2,000	1,850	900	295	----	----	----	----
1936-37	3,250	2,300	630	100	----	----	----	----
1937-38	3,700	3,200	2,200	875	----	----	----	----
1938-39	3,700	3,200	2,600	1,020	----	----	----	----
1939-40	3,100	2,500	1,500	520	----	----	----	----
1940-41	2,700	2,500	1,580	450	----	----	----	----
1941-42	3,700	3,500	2,680	1,620	----	----	----	----
1942-43	4,200	3,700	2,800	1,600	----	----	----	----
1943-44	4,300	2,700	1,200	300	----	----	----	----
1944-45	3,130	1,780	1,290	163	----	----	----	----
1945-46	3,520	2,355	930	77	2,057	1,783	1,268	144
1946-47	3,200	2,010	740	124	2,427	2,450	1,465	457
1947-48	5,676	3,599	2,946	1,192	2,389	2,400	1,559	923
1948-49	4,531	5,388	4,807	1,861	2,885	2,975	1,995	835
1949-50	8,397	8,393	6,854	4,848	2,694	2,381	1,790	772
1950-51	11,933	10,299	6,838	1,327	2,639	2,612	2,145	2,372
1951-52	8,634	6,834	2,964	702	3,398	2,833	1,958	566
1952-53	14,764	14,532	11,941	11,309	3,574	2,640	2,560	1,821
1953-54	17,947	15,919	15,741	16,536	3,296	2,729	2,297	1,366
1954-55	21,424	18,188	----	----	3,476	2,632	----	----

BARLEY AND OATS—ALL COMMERCIAL STOCKS [1]

CROP YEAR	Barley				Oats			
	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1
	In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)							
1943-44	840	500	443	360	155	175	130	76
1944-45	845	656	554	318	230	176	198	98
1945-46	1,182	875	423	153	202	310	226	103
1946-47	686	655	533	257	150	206	144	98
1947-48	1,381	934	675	234	306	365	233	80
1948-49	1,119	834	554	396	160	256	175	134
1949-50	1,685	1,501	1,458	1,167	345	427	356	153
1950-51	2,349	2,532	1,911	1,113	226	386	312	235
1951-52	2,121	1,932	1,231	805	517	403	349	190
1952-53	1,656	1,156	892	482	557	337	492	211
1953-54	2,365	1,574	948	464	342	346	268	175
1954-55	2,187	1,484	----	----	579	438	----	----

[1] Includes stocks in country mills, elevators, warehouses, merchant mills and small allowances for stocks in other storages.

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

[3] Does not include stocks in merchant mills or bins owned by Commodity Credit Corporation.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES — ACRES HARVESTED FOR PROCESSING IN 1953

(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cucumbers	Green Peas	Tomatoes	Total
Adams	210	50	330	50	200	840
Boulder	40	--	80	600	110	830
Larimer	200	--	500	900	--	1,600
Logan	--	--	70	--	--	70
Morgan	--	--	70	--	60	130
Weld	950	50	820	1,950	410	4,180
Bent	--	--	40	--	100	140
Crowley	--	--	30	--	320	350
Otero	--	--	760	100	720	1,580
Pueblo	--	--	150	--	80	230
Delta	30	--	--	--	130	160
Mesa	--	--	100	--	840	940
Montrose	70	--	--	--	30	100
State Total	1,500	100	2,950	3,600	3,000	11,150

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES — ACRES HARVESTED FOR MARKET IN 1953

(Principal Commercial Counties)

County	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cantaloups	Carrots	Cauliflower	Celery	Sweet Corn	Lettuce	Onions	Green Peas	Spinach	Tomatoes	Total
Adams	150	850	150	840	280	590	1,040	600	630	40	50	110	5,330
Arapahoe	--	80	--	20	10	20	70	40	30	--	10	--	280
Boulder	20	120	10	30	10	20	60	80	140	10	--	30	530
Jefferson	40	80	10	100	40	150	650	60	20	30	20	60	1,260
Larimer	10	20	--	10	--	10	--	--	20	--	--	20	90
Logan	10	20	--	10	10	--	20	10	60	--	--	20	160
Morgan	20	20	10	10	10	--	20	--	200	--	--	20	310
Sedgwick	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	--	100
Weld	170	700	120	70	20	50	100	130	910	20	20	320	2,630
Total Denver and Northern Area	**420**	**1,890**	**310**	**1,090**	**380**	**840**	**1,960**	**920**	**2,100**	**100**	**100**	**580**	**10,690**
Chaffee	--	10	--	--	--	--	10	50	--	--	--	--	70
Bent	--	--	150	--	--	--	20	20	350	--	--	100	640
Crowley	--	--	200	--	--	--	10	--	130	--	--	180	520
Custer	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	20
El Paso	--	40	--	30	--	--	350	10	--	--	--	--	430
Fremont	30	50	10	20	90	50	100	150	20	--	20	20	560
Las Animas	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10
Otero	20	10	420	10	10	10	50	30	1,350	20	--	270	2,200
Prowers	--	--	30	--	10	--	20	40	200	--	--	10	310
Pueblo	250	120	470	180	90	70	860	180	750	80	60	190	3,300
Total Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Area	**300**	**240**	**1,280**	**250**	**200**	**130**	**1,420**	**490**	**2,800**	**100**	**80**	**770**	**8,060**
Alamosa	--	850	--	100	450	--	--	950	--	150	--	--	2,500
Conejos	--	550	--	100	180	--	--	900	--	900	10	--	2,640
Costilla	--	600	--	150	250	--	--	730	--	50	180	--	1,960
Mineral	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	20
Rio Grande	--	150	--	50	40	--	--	200	--	450	10	--	900
Saguache	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	50
Total San Luis Valley Area	**--**	**2,150**	**--**	**400**	**920**	**--**	**--**	**2,800**	**--**	**1,600**	**200**	**--**	**8,070**
Eagle	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	10
Garfield	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	10	--	--	--	20	50
Grand	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	70	--	260
Routt	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	130	--	--	350	--	480
Teller	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	20
Delta	10	10	10	10	--	10	20	10	260	--	--	50	390
Mesa	10	10	100	40	--	20	60	10	140	--	--	150	540
Montrose	10	--	--	10	--	--	20	10	600	--	--	30	680
Total Mountain and Western Slope Area	**30**	**20**	**110**	**60**	**--**	**30**	**120**	**390**	**1,000**	**--**	**420**	**250**	**2,430**
State Total	**750**	**4,300**	**1,700**	**1,800**	**1,500**	**1,000**	**3,500**	**4,600**	**5,900**	**1,800**	**800**	**1,600**	**29,250**

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES—ACRES HARVESTED FOR PROCESSING IN 1954

(Principal Producing Counties)

COUNTY	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cucumbers	Green Peas	Tomatoes	Total
Adams	110	70	250	20	180	630
Boulder	30	--	50	40	80	200
Larimer	160	--	400	40	--	600
Logan	--	--	30	--	--	30
Morgan	--	--	30	--	40	70
Weld	840	80	660	480	410	2,470
Bent	--	--	80	--	170	250
Crowley	--	--	--	--	200	200
Otero	--	--	630	120	860	1,610
Pueblo	270	--	100	--	130	500
Delta	30	--	--	--	100	130
Mesa	--	--	70	--	600	670
Montrose	60	--	--	--	30	90
State Total	1,500	150	2,300	700	2,800	7,450

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES—ACRES HARVESTED FOR MARKET IN 1954

(Principal Commercial Counties—Preliminary)

County	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cantaloups	Carrots	Cauliflower	Celery	Sweet Corn	Lettuce	Onions	Green Peas	Spinach	Tomatoes	Total
Adams	100	950	150	1,070	280	540	930	500	650	50	50	120	5,390
Arapahoe	10	90	--	40	10	20	60	40	30	--	10	--	310
Boulder	20	150	--	50	10	20	50	80	140	10	--	20	550
Jefferson	40	90	10	150	40	130	560	60	20	--	20	60	1,180
Larimer	20	20	--	10	--	10	--	--	20	--	--	20	100
Logan	10	20	--	10	10	--	20	10	50	--	--	20	150
Morgan	20	20	--	10	10	--	20	--	100	--	--	20	200
Sedgwick	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	50
Weld	130	770	120	150	20	40	90	120	840	20	20	320	2,640
Total Denver and Northern Area	**350**	**2,110**	**280**	**1,490**	**380**	**760**	**1,730**	**810**	**1,900**	**80**	**100**	**580**	**10,570**
Chaffee	--	20	--	--	--	--	10	50	--	--	--	--	80
Bent	10	--	400	20	--	--	20	20	500	--	--	100	1,070
Crowley	--	--	50	--	--	--	10	--	80	--	--	150	290
Custer	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	20
El Paso	20	--	--	30	--	--	300	10	--	--	--	--	360
Fremont	30	50	--	20	60	40	100	150	20	--	20	20	510
Las Animas	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10
Otero	40	50	650	10	10	10	40	50	1,000	20	--	290	2,170
Prowers	--	--	100	--	10	--	20	40	200	--	--	10	380
Pueblo	250	140	400	180	90	60	750	180	700	50	80	200	3,080
Total Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Area	**350**	**270**	**1,600**	**270**	**170**	**110**	**1,250**	**510**	**2,500**	**70**	**100**	**770**	**7,970**
Alamosa	--	950	--	150	100	--	--	1,060	--	150	10	--	2,420
Conejos	--	600	--	100	40	--	--	1,020	--	920	10	--	2,690
Costilla	--	670	--	250	100	--	--	950	--	30	140	--	2,140
Mineral	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	30	--	--	--	--	30
Rio Grande	--	180	--	70	10	--	--	300	--	300	20	--	880
Saguache	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50	--	--	50
Total San Luis Valley Area	--	**2,400**	--	**570**	**250**	--	--	**3,360**	--	**1,450**	**180**	--	**8,210**
Eagle	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	10
Garfield	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	10	--	--	--	20	50
Grand	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	160	--	--	70	--	230
Routt	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	90	--	--	250	--	340
Teller	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	--	--	--	--	20
Delta	10	10	10	10	--	10	20	10	200	--	--	30	310
Mesa	20	10	10	50	--	20	60	10	110	--	--	80	370
Montrose	20	--	--	10	--	--	20	10	490	--	--	20	570
Total Mountain and Western Slope Area	**50**	**20**	**20**	**70**	--	**30**	**120**	**320**	**800**	--	**320**	**150**	**1,900**
State Total	**750**	**4,800**	**1,900**	**2,400**	**800**	**900**	**3,100**	**5,000**	**5,200**	**1,600**	**700**	**1,500**	**28,650**

ONIONS—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1954

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production[1] 1,000 50-lb. Sacks	Price Per Unit Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
1945	13,500	420	5,670	1.40	7,938
1946	13,500	540	7,290	.60	3,240
1947	11,000	440	4,840	2.10	10,164
1948	11,000	500	5,500	.80	4,160
1949	11,300	500	5,650	1.35	7,628
1950	11,000	410	4,510	.70	2,520
1951	8,800	350	3,080	1.40	4,312
1952	5,500	525	2,888	2.10	6,065
1953	5,900	500	2,950	.50	1,475
1954	5,200	475	2,470	1.10	2,717

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

ONIONS—ACRES AND PRODUCTION BY AREAS, 1945-1954

Year	Northern Colorado				Western Slope			
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production 50-lb. Sacks (000)	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production 50-lb. Sacks (000)
1945	2,500	2,400	450	1,080	1,700	1,600	430	688
1946	2,200	1,900	500	950	1,500	1,300	520	676
1947	1,900	1,800	500	900	1,400	1,300	540	702
1948	2,400	2,000	430	860	1,400	1,300	550	715
1949	3,300	3,000	550	1,650	1,400	1,300	460	600
1950	3,200	3,000	400	1,200	1,400	1,300	485	630
1951	2,800	2,500	500	1,245	1,500	1,300	450	585
1952	2,200	2,000	560	1,120	1,100	1,000	550	550
1953	2,300	2,100	500	1,050	1,100	1,000	555	555
1954	2,200	1,900	510	969	900	800	565	452

Year	Arkansas Valley				State			
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production 50-lb. Sacks (000)	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre 50-lb. Sacks	Production 50-lb. Sacks (000)
1945	9,800	9,500	410	3,902	14,000	13,500	420	5,670
1946	10,800	10,300	550	5,664	14,500	13,500	540	7,290
1947	8,300	7,900	410	3,238	11,600	11,000	440	4,840
1948	8,200	7,700	510	3,925	12,000	11,000	500	5,500
1949	7,500	7,000	485	3,400	12,200	11,300	500	5,650
1950	7,800	6,700	400	2,680	12,400	11,000	410	4,510
1951	6,300	5,000	250	1,250	10,600	8,800	350	3,080
1952	2,700	2,500	485	1,218	6,000	5,500	525	2,888
1953	3,200	2,800	480	1,345	6,600	5,900	500	2,950
1954	3,200	2,500	420	1,050	6,300	5,200	475	2,470

ONIONS—PER CENT OF ACRES PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY, 1945-1954

Year	Northern Colorado			Western Slope			Arkansas Valley		
	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers
	Percent			Percent			Percent		
1945	92	7	1	53	7	40	89	6	5
1946	89	11	--	68	5	27	88	12	--
1947	90	4	6	79	3	18	92	8	--
1948	81	16	3	31	6	63	93	6	1
1949	75	25	--	28	17	55	78	22	--
1950	63	36	1	19	21	60	81	18	1
1951	71	26	3	20	13	67	85	15	--
1952	60	22	18	10	15	75	80	20	--
1953	69	17	14	20	13	67	75	25	--
1954	69	22	9	14	12	74	74	26	--

BEANS, CABBAGE, CANTALOUPS, AND CARROTS—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1954

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production[1]	Price Per Unit	Value
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
BEANS, SNAP FOR MANUFACTURE					
1945	1,200	3.0	3,600	79.50	286
1946	1,100	3.0	3,300	80.60	266
1947	1,200	2.8	3,400	96.30	327
1948	1,400	3.1	4,300	94.90	408
1949	1,500	4.0	6,000	94.40	566
1950	1,300	3.9	5,100	84.70	432
1951	1,300	3.0	3,900	76.00	296
1952	1,400	3.6	5,000	90.50	452
1953	1,500	3.6	5,400	96.10	519
1954	1,500	4.2	6,300	92.30	581

BEANS, SNAP FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	1,200	110	132	2.60	343
1946	1,100	160	176	2.05	361
1947	1,000	130	130	2.40	312
1948	1,000	150	150	2.30	345
1949	1,000	120	120	2.20	264
1950	1,000	160	160	2.00	256
1951	750	150	112	2.40	269
1952	850	150	128	2.65	339
1953	750	150	112	2.60	291
1954	750	155	116	2.65	307

CABBAGE—ALL

Year	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	5,680	12.0	68,000	15.50	1,054
1946	5,040	12.4	62,300	20.60	1,283
1947	4,770	14.1	67,100	32.90	2,206
1948	5,300	11.7	61,800	12.30	758
1949	4,930	14.0	68,800	20.90	1,437
1950	5,050	12.9	65,200	5.80	379
1951	4,580	12.1	55,200	30.60	1,690
1952	4,360	13.0	56,500	36.20	2,048
1953	4,400	12.7	55,700	35.90	2,000
1954	4,950	11.9	59,100	23.60	1,395

CANTALOUPS

Year	Acres	Crates	1,000 J. Crates	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	3,800	100	380	2.55	969
1946	4,100	80	328	1.85	607
1947	3,900	110	429	1.95	837
1948	4,100	100	410	1.40	406
1949	3,500	95	332	1.40	378
1950	2,400	100	240	1.45	261
1951	1,500	100	150	2.05	308
1952	1,800	120	216	1.90	410
1953	1,700	120	204	2.15	439
1954	1,900	125	238	1.95	464

CARROTS

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	1,800	250	450	1.30	585
1946	1,500	250	375	1.00	275
1947	1,400	275	385	1.50	578
1948	1,600	275	440	1.00	392
1949	1,300	250	325	1.20	390
1950	1,400	250	350	1.05	368
1951	1,500	250	375	1.80	675
1952	1,600	270	432	1.40	605
1953	1,800	250	450	1.55	698
1954	2,400	245	588	1.30	764

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

CAULIFLOWER, CELERY, SWEET CORN, CUCUMBERS AND LETTUCE ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-54

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production[1]	Price Per Unit	Value
	Acres	Crates	1,000 Crates	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
CAULIFLOWER					
1945	3,650	260	949	.90	854
1946	3,200	280	896	.95	851
1947	3,400	300	1,020	1.05	1,071
1948	3,200	275	880	.85	703
1949	2,800	300	840	.95	798
1950	2,700	275	742	.75	482
1951	2,100	275	578	1.30	751
1952	1,600	350	560	1.10	616
1953	1,500	350	525	.80	420
1954	800	375	300	1.35	405

Year	Acres	½ Crates	1,000 ½ Crates	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
CELERY					
1945	1,300	485	630	3.70	2,331
1946	1,500	500	750	2.20	1,368
1947	1,200	500	600	3.30	1,980
1948	1,200	485	582	1.80	1,048
1949	1,300	520	676	1.85	986
1950	1,000	520	520	1.75	910
1951	1,000	500	500	1.85	925
1952	1,100	500	550	2.10	1,155
1953	1,000	475	475	2.20	1,045
1954	900	500	450	2.20	990

Year	Acres	5 doz. Ears	1,000 Units (5 doz. Ears)	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
SWEET CORN					
1945	----	----	----	----	----
1946	----	----	----	----	----
1947	----	----	----	----	----
1948	----	----	----	----	----
1949	3,300	115	380	.90	342
1950	3,400	90	306	.95	291
1951	3,000	115	345	1.30	448
1952	3,200	90	288	1.70	490
1953	3,500	110	385	1.40	539
1954	3,100	100	310	1.70	527

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
CUCUMBERS, FOR PICKLES					
1945	1,600	142	227	.94	213
1946	2,500	173	432	1.55	670
1947	2,300	187	430	1.20	516
1948	2,700	192	518	1.45	751
1949	2,700	225	608	1.85	1,125
1950	2,500	224	560	1.45	812
1951	2,600	200	520	1.40	728
1952	3,400	240	816	1.30	1,061
1953	2,950	234	690	1.35	932
1954	2,300	211	485	1.25	606

Year	Acres	Crates	1,000 Crates	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
LETTUCE					
1945	4,200	130	546	2.20	1,201
1946	4,300	115	494	1.80	889
1947	4,600	130	598	2.75	1,644
1948	6,400	120	768	2.00	840
1949	5,200	125	650	2.55	1,275
1950	6,000	130	780	1.30	422
1951	5,000	115	575	2.00	1,000
1952	5,000	120	600	1.70	1,020
1953	4,600	120	552	2.95	1,628
1954	5,000	120	600	2.20	1,320

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

PEAS, SPINACH, AND TOMATOES—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1945-1954

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production[1]	Price Per Unit	Value
	Acres	Pounds	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
PEAS, GREEN FOR MANUFACTURE					
1945	4,770	1,700	4,050	72.40	293
1946	4,100	1,420	2,910	73.10	213
1947	3,900	2,100	4,100	77.00	316
1948	3,500	1,670	2,920	76.90	225
1949	4,100	1,970	4,040	73.80	298
1950	3,800	1,950	3,700	69.50	257
1951	3,500	2,480	4,340	75.50	328
1952	3,200	1,970	3,150	84.20	265
1953	3,600	1,480	2,660	86.20	229
1954	700	1,310	460	86.90	40

PEAS, GREEN FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	12,500	100	1,250	2.00	2,500
1946	12,000	75	900	1.55	1,395
1947	10,000	90	900	1.50	1,350
1948	6,400	100	640	1.75	1,120
1949	5,500	105	578	1.35	780
1950	3,700	80	296	1.80	533
1951	2,500	55	138	2.20	304
1952	2,000	90	180	1.75	315
1953	1,800	85	153	1.95	298
1954	1,600	80	128	2.10	269

SPINACH

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	3,200	200	640	.85	544
1946	2,300	160	368	.75	264
1947	1,900	185	352	.85	252
1948	1,700	160	272	1.10	220
1949	1,500	160	240	1.00	210
1950	1,500	160	240	1.20	180
1951	1,200	210	252	1.10	182
1952	700	180	126	1.10	139
1953	800	200	160	1.05	168
1954	700	200	140	1.00	140

TOMATOES FOR MANUFACTURE

Year	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	4,900	6.2	30,400	24.10	733
1946	4,800	6.0	28,800	25.00	720
1947	4,300	8.4	36,100	24.00	866
1948	3,100	7.4	22,900	23.60	540
1949	2,900	6.8	19,700	21.70	427
1950	3,000	6.7	20,100	20.90	420
1951	3,400	7.2	24,500	26.80	657
1952	2,600	9.8	25,500	25.60	653
1953	3,000	9.1	27,300	26.00	710
1954	2,800	9.1	25,500	23.90	609

TOMATOES FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	2,700	250	675	1.95	1,316
1946	2,700	280	756	2.00	1,512
1947	2,700	300	810	1.80	1,458
1948	2,000	240	480	1.55	620
1949	1,700	240	408	1.60	653
1950	1,500	270	405	1.75	709
1951	1,500	225	338	2.35	794
1952	1,600	300	480	2.30	1,104
1953	1,600	300	480	1.70	816
1954	1,500	240	360	1.85	666

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

CARLOT SHIPMENTS OF COLORADO FRUITS AND VEGETABLES[1]

(Crop Season Shipments)

CROP	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
FRUITS													
Apples	717	710	1,240	961	630	657	747	618	424	408	570	253	570
Peaches	2,011	2,609	2,760	3,141	2,455	2,720	2,510	2,650	1,615	456	2,343	1,704	2,570
Pears	135	264	63	328	43	200	126	111	168	193	163	130	184
Mixed Fruits	17	44	33	38	22	22	36	8	2	1	15	30	51
VEGETABLES													
Potatoes	12,593	13,283	15,527	15,081	15,228	14,271	19,742	14,267	10,337	8,048	13,228	8,370	([2])
Cabbage	787	1,122	1,209	901	844	1,015	588	988	324	302	377	251	168
Celery	59	130	136	163	134	116	118	95	58	33	54	25	18
Onions	3,914	6,055	7,252	5,682	3,886	4,240	3,791	3,477	1,581	1,352	1,079	527	([2])
Lettuce	371	503	441	621	523	632	460	464	291	323	485	424	501
Mixed Vegetables	3,328	5,227	5,495	5,012	4,134	4,090	2,952	3,194	2,203	2,147	1,639	944	1,004
Cauliflower	1,001	949	1,322	1,091	1,014	1,159	972	956	669	336	389	375	113
Cantaloups	512	567	761	759	498	797	450	329	114	45	56	74	185
Honeydews	36	80	129	33	61	69	3	1	--	--	--	--	--
Peas, Green	1,395	1,237	1,016	1,116	839	772	586	570	273	123	195	156	127
Carrots	67	232	48	89	23	46	61	36	47	49	81	48	114
Spinach	196	341	336	423	233	243	125	122	87	47	14	34	5
Tomatoes	111	180	171	187	229	213	69	56	39	50	20	4	--
Beans, String	6	3	11	--	11	1	2	3	4	4	7	--	1

[1] Compiled from reports of the Fruit and Vegetable Division of the Market News Service, A. M. S.
[2] Season total not yet available.

POTATOES—MONTHLY CARLOT SHIPMENTS, BY CROP YEARS[1]

SEASON	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
1944-45	297	2,692	3,599	2,413	1,520	1,542	1,198	937	1,050	243	30	6	15,527
1945-46	815	2,289	3,043	2,117	1,233	856	1,486	1,318	1,020	679	212	17	15,085
1946-47	726	2,902	2,451	1,936	1,239	1,115	1,393	1,466	1,345	575	78	2	15,228
1947-48	483	2,960	2,858	1,850	1,204	997	1,336	940	818	744	78	3	14,271
1948-49	853	3,583	3,354	3,463	1,212	1,465	1,776	1,738	1,879	379	22	--	19,724
1949-50	173	1,847	1,379	1,918	1,382	1,367	2,117	1,470	1,449	1,008	156	1	14,267
1950-51	99	1,211	1,714	1,250	907	860	1,076	929	1,011	841	414	25	10,337
1951-52	29	996	949	1,059	880	909	868	998	1,091	253	16	--	8,048
1952-53	335	1,490	1,762	2,308	1,171	1,374	1,433	1,050	1,140	904	260	1	13,228
1953-54	14	720	1,272	1,332	738	727	623	542	--	--	--	--	--

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

PEACH SHIPMENTS, 1945-1954

(Principally Mesa and Delta Counties)

Year	Shipments by Rail Only[1]								Total Truck Shipments[1] (Thousand Pounds)	Estimated Total Production (Thousand Bushels)
	Shipments Began — 25 or More Cars Per Day		Volume Shipments— 50 or More Cars Per Day	Shipments End— Fewer Than 10 Cars Per Day	Peak Day			Total Cars Shipped		
	Date	Number of Cars	From-Through	Date	Number of Days After First 25-Car Day	Date	Number of Cars			
1945	Aug. 27	44	Aug. 28 thru Sept. 9	Sept. 25	7	Sept. 3	274	3,141	16,126	2,372
1946	Aug. 19	39	Aug. 20 thru Aug. 31	Sept. 15	7	Aug. 26	266	2,455	18,603	1,985
1947	Aug. 21	25	Aug. 23 thru Sept. 13	Sept. 18	7	Aug. 28	276	2,720	14,924	2,106
1948	Aug. 24	56	Aug. 24 thru Sept. 4	Sept. 10	7	Aug. 31	299	2,510	13,882	1,922
1949	Aug. 25	40	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 4	Sept. 25	6	Aug. 31	350	2,650	15,416	2,109
1950	Aug. 21	44	Aug. 22 thru Aug. 31	Sept. 8	4	Aug. 25	232	1,615	11,314	1,219
1951	Aug. 27	34	Aug. 31 thru Sept. 1	Sept. 6	5	Sept. 1	64	456	2,020	316
1952	Aug. 24	25	Aug. 25 thru Sept. 10	Sept. 17	5	Aug. 29	208	2,343	15,787	2,053
1953	Aug. 25	40	Aug. 26 thru Sept. 5	Sept. 18	6-8	Aug.31-Sept.2	177	1,704	14,788	1,312
1954	Aug. 16	40	Aug. 17 thru Aug. 28	Sept. 12	7	Aug. 23	268	2,570	24,522	2,230

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

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES—INSPECTED FOR SHIPMENT BY MOTOR TRUCKS[1]

CROP	1952-53 District[2]					1953-54 District[2]				
	Western Colorado	Denver and Platte Valley	Arkansas Valley	San Luis Valley	State	Western Colorado	Denver and Platte Valley	Arkansas Valley	San Luis Valley	State
	Thousand Pounds (000 Omitted)									
Apples	12,195	----	----	1,133	13,328	8,422	----	----	1,295	9,717
Peaches	14,685	6	194	902	15,787	14,712	----	58	18	14,788
Pears	2,324	----	----	----	2,324	1,890	----	----	6	1,896
Mixed Fruit	1,473	----	----	----	1,473	1,733	----	----	----	1,733
Cabbage	----	6,415	----	6,504	12,919	----	9,462	----	4,765	14,227
Cantaloups	78	----	5,211	----	5,289	45	81	5,546	----	5,672
Cauliflower	----	----	----	378	378	----	----	4	681	685
Lettuce	----	33	----	3,390	3,423	----	89	----	4,263	4,352
Mixed Vegetables	199	6,180	1,726	2,748	10,853	371	8,592	1,279	3,660	13,902
Onions	762	14,073	44,454	----	59,289	4,833	17,740	48,689	----	71,262
Potatoes	1,433	178,739	3,299	200,722	384,193	3,363	214,715	2,859	280,062	500,999
Tomatoes	----	----	74	----	74	49	----	1,099	----	1,148

[1] Compiled from reports of the Fruit and Vegetable Inspection Service, A. M. S.
[2] For some crops the inspection district does not indicate the area of production.

POTATOES — PRODUCTION, FARM DISPOSITION AND JANUARY 1 MERCHANTABLE STOCKS, 1939-1954

CROP YEAR	COLORADO							29 LATE STATES[1]			
	Production	Farm Disposition					Merchantable Stocks on Hand Jan. 1	Production	Sold		Merchantable Stks on Hand Jan. 1
		Fed to Livestock, Shrinkage and Loss After Harvest	Used in Farm Household	Used for Seed on Farm Where Grown	Sold						
					Quantity	Per cent of Crop			Quantity	Per cent of Crop	
	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	1,000 Bu.	Per cent	1,000 Bu.	1,000,000 Bushels	1 Million Bu.	%	Million Bu.
1939-40	11,858	1,423	197	1,006	9,232	78	4,620	268	178	66	92
1940-41	13,065	1,372	205	985	10,503	80	5,250	295	199	67	108
1941-42	12,529	1,629	186	1,021	9,693	77	4,750	279	193	69	100
1942-43	15,840	1,030	198	1,096	13,516	85	6,620	284	202	71	97
1943-44	17,220	1,550	222	1,351	14,097	82	6,200	359	262	73	130
1944-45	18,190	1,364	196	1,206	15,424	85	5,550	303	234	77	103
1945-46	17,355	1,475	220	1,401	14,259	82	6,270	326	254	78	120
1946-47	19,505	2,926	211	965	15,403	79	6,320	370	302	82	154
1947-48	17,490	1,399	146	1,058	14,887	85	5,950	299	245	82	121
1948-49	20,880	1,983	162	825	17,910	86	6,260	353	298	84	136
1949-50	19,057	2,001	149	1,000	15,907	83	8,110	320	266	83	150
1950-51	18,200	1,911	138	774	15,377	84	7,410	339	285	84	161
1951-52	12,240	1,102	98	1,039	10,001	82	4,000	251	210	84	94
1952-53	19,250	1,540	116	1,078	16,516	86	7,700	283	238	84	113
1953-54	19,095	2,864	122	1,043	15,066	79	7,200	297	249	84	128
1954-55	17,280	2,678	116	976	13,510	78	5,800	287	237	83	118

[1] Includes Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, COLORADO, New Mexico, Utah, Nevada, Washington, Oregon and California. (Early and late crops estimated separately for California; combined for all other states.)

PRODUCTION OF CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES, 1945-1954

(By Varieties)

Variety	Bushels of Certified Seed									
	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
Red McClure	536,658	568,241	851,705	1,029,900	1,014,263	738,805	751,471	210,810	238,027	128,780
Russet Burbank	27,454	30,416	13,830	20,070	33,810	112,703	147,329	78,155	95,091	80,755
Triumph	242,179	322,129	364,645	452,045	452,150	365,219	106,680	83,285	81,518	49,650
Russet Rural	15,563	11,311	12,690	6,790	13,000	27,652	7,986	17,795	23,389	33,970
Katahdin	46,265	45,462	59,965	57,260	44,610	86,510	54,596	39,100	30,761	25,920
Cobbler	211,932	242,409	127,845	135,530	113,800	93,136	32,899	26,215	25,528	11,960
Rural New Yorker	13,643	18,754	10,755	10,850	23,555	23,263	9,921	14,200	3,876	9,440
White Rose	10,915	32,196	22,180	27,100	15,290	8,386	3,576	18,430	2,732	1,500
Pontiac	4,733	23,031	25,720	27,340	27,025	25,328	98,467	0	0	0
Red Pontiac	----	----	----	----	----	0	0	104,120	60,552	159,440
Red Warba	3,053	0	24,550	40,330	0	0	7,515	8,100	6,948	4,500
De Soto	----	----	----	0	0	0	22,354	12,725	11,413	15,900
Kennebeck	----	----	----	0	0	0	8,415	8,350	200	0
Progress	----	----	----	0	0	0	6,030	14,900	697	900
La Soda	----	----	----	----	0	0	0	0	425	2,480
White Cloud	----	----	----	----	0	0	0	0	338	1,350
Yampa	----	----	----	----	0	0	6,766	3,250	0	0
Pawnee	0	375	4,200	15,975	5,210	0	0	0	0	0
Brown Beauty	1,120	2,350	5,160	20,070	3,960	0	0	0	0	0
Sebago	0	4,958	0	0	0	0	0	0	----	----
Chippewa	2,329	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	----	----

SEASON AVERAGE PRICES

Principal Commodities for Recent and Selected Earlier Years

(Dollars per Unit)

Crop	Unit	1910	1914	1919	1924	1929	1931	1933	1935	1937	1939	1941
Corn	Bushel	.60	.60	1.42	.88	.71	.36	.40	.66	.63	.62	.71
Oats	Bushel	.46	.45	.90	.58	.47	.27	.29	.34	.38	.36	.37
Barley	Bushel	.60	.55	1.20	.72	.55	.27	.31	.44	.51	.46	.44
Wheat, All	Bushel	.82	.87	2.02	1.18	.97	.33	.65	.90	.91	.64	.89
Rye	Bushel	.67	.65	1.30	.85	.73	.23	.49	.52	.62	.41	.47
Dry Beans[1]	100-lb. Bag	3.75	3.15	4.85	4.60	4.90	1.40	2.90	2.75	3.80	3.40	3.40
Field Peas[1]	100-lb. Bag	----	----	4.20	2.60	2.40	1.50	1.30	1.50	2.00	2.10	3.00
Potatoes	Bushel	.67	.67	1.74	.66	1.15	.33	.61	.51	.42	.60	.79
Sugar Beets[2]	Ton	----	5.68	10.85	7.59	6.93	5.44	4.62	5.81	4.80	4.64	6.20
Grain Sorghum	Bushel	----	----	1.27	.98	.81	.24	.48	.66	.47	.56	.47
Hay, All, Baled	Ton	----	----	----	----	----	11.50	9.10	13.90	11.00	11.70	10.20
Broomcorn	Ton	----	----	100.00	60.00	106.00	36.00	93.00	47.00	54.00	97.00	94.00
Alfalfa Seed	Bushel	----	----	----	10.90	9.80	6.30	5.90	8.30	14.50	11.40	11.90
Sweet Clover Seed	Bushel	----	----	----	7.50	3.90	3.10	2.55	3.00	4.60	3.00	4.15
Apples, Commercial	Bushel	1.10	.66	1.78	1.18	1.11	.61	.58	.69	.73	.66	.74
Peaches	Bushel	1.59	.75	1.80	1.45	1.35	.50	1.35	.80	.90	.80	1.10
Pears	Bushel	----	----	2.20	1.40	1.50	.60	.65	.50	.85	.75	1.00
Cherries, All	Ton	----	----	----	115.00	120.00	70.00	54.00	50.00	80.00	53.30	73.90
Commercial Vegetables for Market												
Cabbage[3]	Ton	----	----	20.00	11.38	20.43	14.84	16.41	7.31	10.60	13.50	19.00
Cauliflower	Crate	----	----	----	1.80	.70	.70	.40	.55	.60	.30	.40
Celery	½ Crate	----	----	----	----	.82	.90	1.05	.76	1.42	2.32	1.76
Lettuce	Crate	----	----	3.00	2.16	1.25	1.30	1.00	.70	1.00	1.00	1.20
Onions	50-lb. Sack	----	----	----	----	.54	1.14	.55	.58	.65	.20	.60
Tomatoes	Bushel	----	----	1.29	1.13	.95	.60	.45	.60	.60	.55	.70
Livestock[4]												
Cattle and Calves	Head	25.10	42.70	58.50	27.70	55.30	37.80	16.10	16.30	32.20	34.90	42.10
Stock Sheep	Head	3.80	3.70	10.90	8.00	11.50	6.00	2.90	4.95	6.40	6.00	7.60
Hogs	Head	9.50	10.50	22.00	9.40	12.10	11.10	3.10	5.20	11.30	10.40	6.90
Turkeys	Head	----	----	----	----	3.05	2.55	1.25	2.00	1.85	2.40	2.10
Chickens	Head	----	----	----	----	.75	.63	.34	.42	.56	.60	.55
Eggs	Dozen	.26	.21	.41	.26	.28	.16	.12	.23	.20	.16	.21
Milk, Wholesale	100 lb.	1.60	1.65	3.20	2.05	2.15	1.45	1.10	1.60	1.85	1.40	1.85
Wool	Pound	----	----	----	.38	.29	.13	.19	.17	.32	.22	.33

Crop	Unit	1942	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954[5]
Corn	Bushel	.89	1.19	1.46	2.17	1.33	1.27	1.60	1.84	1.63	1.56	1.55
Oats	Bushel	.48	.66	.83	1.04	.76	.70	.91	.99	.93	.82	.89
Barley	Bushel	.63	.93	1.23	1.49	1.02	.90	1.14	1.29	1.34	1.12	1.21
Wheat, All	Bushel	1.04	1.41	1.85	2.23	1.91	1.87	2.00	2.11	2.05	2.04	2.14
Rye	Bushel	.56	1.19	1.74	2.17	1.25	1.00	1.13	1.52	1.59	1.12	1.13
Dry Beans[1]	100-lb. Bag	4.65	5.50	11.90	10.10	7.10	6.50	6.50	6.70	8.20	7.10	6.30
Field Peas[1]	100-lb. Bag	3.85	3.55	5.20	4.65	4.00	2.35	3.45	5.00	4.50	3.05	3.50
Potatoes	Bushel	1.15	1.21	1.12	1.69	1.59	1.38	1.04	1.81	1.71	.73	1.20
Sugar Beets[2]	Ton	6.46	9.90	10.10	11.50	9.80	10.90	12.00	11.90	11.90	11.70	(6)
Grain Sorghum	Bushel	.77	1.14	1.26	1.82	1.22	1.14	1.20	1.38	1.47	1.27	1.23
Hay, All, Baled	Ton	13.70	21.30	25.50	22.50	22.40	20.30	27.30	32.60	30.20	20.90	26.50
Broomcorn	Ton	179.00	249.00	270.00	280.00	300.00	220.00	371.00	425.00	365.00	300.00	330.00
Alfalfa Seed	Bushel	16.60	20.20	21.40	15.40	26.20	23.10	28.20	30.00	17.90	13.08	17.64
Sweet Clover Seed	Bushel	4.35	6.00	6.10	6.30	7.80	8.30	7.90	6.25	5.20	5.10	6.48
Apples, Commercial	Bushel	1.12	2.99	2.30	1.95	2.20	1.60	2.40	1.75	2.05	2.65	2.40
Peaches	Bushel	2.15	2.30	2.20	2.60	1.75	1.70	2.70	3.85	2.30	2.95	2.70
Pears	Bushel	1.90	2.00	2.50	2.00	2.75	1.70	2.55	2.35	2.25	2.60	2.50
Cherries, All	Ton	96.70	217.00	270.00	213.00	177.00	180.00	171.00	159.00	179.00	225.00	212.00
Commercial Vegetables for Market												
Cabbage[3]	Ton	16.70	15.50	20.60	32.90	12.30	20.90	5.80	30.60	36.20	35.91	23.60
Cauliflower	Crate	.65	.90	.95	1.05	.85	.95	.75	1.30	1.10	.80	1.35
Celery	½ Crate	2.75	3.70	2.20	3.30	1.80	1.85	1.75	1.85	2.10	2.20	2.20
Lettuce	Crate	2.10	2.20	1.80	2.75	2.00	2.55	1.30	2.00	1.70	2.95	2.20
Onions	50-lb. Sack	.80	1.40	.60	2.10	.80	1.35	.70	1.40	2.10	.50	1.10
Tomatoes	Bushel	.95	1.95	2.00	1.80	1.55	1.60	1.75	2.35	2.30	1.70	1.85
Livestock[4]												
Cattle and Calves	Head	54.00	61.30	72.30	90.20	118.00	134.00	125.00	168.00	177.00	117.00	88.00
Stock Sheep	Head	9.70	11.20	12.20	13.70	16.70	20.60	21.30	32.40	34.10	18.20	15.30
Hogs	Head	15.60	18.10	22.10	35.40	43.60	34.80	24.60	31.20	25.60	20.40	32.00
Turkeys	Head	3.10	5.10	5.30	6.40	6.90	9.00	6.10	7.00	7.80	6.20	6.80
Chickens	Head	.74	1.04	1.13	1.25	1.40	1.50	1.24	1.25	1.25	1.20	1.20
Eggs	Dozen	.27	.36	.35	.42	.43	.44	.34	.46	.40	.46	.36
Milk, Wholesale	100 lb.	2.25	3.05	3.70	4.58	4.89	4.38	4.22	4.88	5.24	4.74	4.37
Wool	Pound	.39	.40	.40	.41	.48	.47	.56	1.00	.52	.52	.50

[1]Price applies to cleaned beans and peas.
[2]Price support payments are included. Government payments under the Sugar Act are not included.
[3]Includes small quantity used for kraut.
[4]January 1, inventory value, except eggs, milk and wool which are calendar year averages.
[5]Preliminary.
[6]Not available.

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Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
CORN (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39	77	77	77	79	80	79	81	82	83	76	67	66
1948	251	187	205	209	206	206	203	188	177	141	134	136
1949	137	128	130	133	129	132	138	130	131	126	119	112
1950	114	118	121	131	141	144	151	149	149	146	149	151
1951	156	160	160	162	169	169	170	172	172	176	182	188
1952	188	180	178	179	179	183	184	187	189	175	165	165
1953	164	152	159	159	162	162	163	165	168	157	152	154
1954	153	153	153	158	159	162	163	164	169	165	158	157
OATS (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39	41	41	42	43	43	42	40	35	35	34	35	36
1948	122	104	108	111	107	101	88	71	72	72	77	79
1949	78	78	80	80	76	79	71	66	66	65	66	68
1950	70	70	72	73	76	79	82	79	84	85	89	92
1951	96	97	100	102	103	101	101	89	90	95	102	106
1952	110	105	105	105	100	97	94	95	98	96	96	96
1953	95	87	87	85	85	80	80	80	77	78	82	82
1954	85	85	90	91	92	92	91	84	84	85	87	90
BARLEY (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39	55	57	57	57	57	54	47	44	48	48	47	49
1948	182	144	166	160	159	143	116	99	96	98	102	106
1949	104	100	104	100	95	92	85	80	86	86	87	89
1950	90	89	92	94	98	98	100	102	111	113	114	118
1951	123	127	127	126	130	124	123	114	121	127	136	140
1952	148	140	140	140	139	133	128	137	142	142	140	140
1953	138	126	126	122	122	121	111	108	107	108	111	111
1954	116	117	118	119	122	124	120	118	121	123	122	127
WHEAT (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39	88	86	85	83	81	78	77	74	79	79	78	80
1948	271	201	205	216	208	194	188	186	188	189	195	196
1949	193	185	190	192	193	177	175	175	182	186	185	188
1950	188	187	194	196	199	185	192	189	189	188	191	200
1951	208	218	208	211	205	205	205	202	207	210	221	222
1952	218	216	217	216	207	195	189	198	205	204	210	207
1953	204	197	204	203	201	181	179	179	193	197	201	201
1954	201	202	207	206	201	192	206	207	215	216	217	220
RYE (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39	61	60	60	60	59	56	52	50	54	52	52	53
1948	232	180	203	204	201	175	157	130	122	122	132	124
1949	124	117	111	105	107	100	100	102	102	100	97	97
1950	98	98	100	100	105	101	103	102	105	105	109	111
1951	130	138	139	144	150	150	155	145	143	150	155	160
1952	160	157	159	155	157	160	160	166	165	166	164	164
1953	155	150	147	138	137	124	117	113	116	112	114	110
1954	110	110	109	110	98	94	102	109	119	114	111	111
GRAIN SORGHUMS (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39	1.25	1.35	1.47	1.48	1.59	1.55	1.42	1.22	1.26	1.09	.98	1.02
1948	3.80	2.70	3.15	3.30	3.20	3.00	2.50	2.25	2.25	1.75	1.90	1.95
1949	1.95	1.85	1.95	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.95	1.85	1.85	1.60	1.40	1.55
1950	1.65	1.60	1.70	1.85	1.95	1.85	2.05	2.05	2.00	2.00	1.90	2.00
1951	2.15	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.40	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.30	2.45	2.50
1952	2.50	2.45	2.50	2.50	2.55	2.70	2.75	2.95	2.95	2.75	2.70	2.70
1953	2.70	2.65	2.60	2.50	2.50	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.35	2.15	2.10	2.15
1954	2.20	2.25	2.25	2.35	2.35	2.45	2.45	2.50	2.45	2.20	2.15	2.20
POTATOES (Cents per bushel)												
Average 1935-39	69	68	68	74	76	91	99	63	59	54	64	62
1948	195	205	210	215	230	230	190	135	145	145	160	165
1949	170	175	180	195	195	200	200	130	145	130	145	135
1950	130	135	130	150	155	160	160	130	100	85	90	90
1951	100	115	115	110	120	135	130	135	135	150	185	205
1952	205	210	220	240	240	260	250	255	205	215	175	155
1953	165	125	100	95	140	140	140	75	70	90	85	70
1954	70	65	55	70	75	115	135	135	125	90	90	85

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BEANS, DRY (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39	4.09	4.19	4.21	4.18	4.27	4.27	4.20	3.74	3.56	3.52	3.32	3.31
1948	9.70	7.80	8.10	8.50	8.60	8.30	8.00	7.00	6.70	7.00	7.00	7.20
1949	7.30	7.40	7.30	7.50	7.60	7.60	7.60	7.40	6.30	6.30	6.40	6.40
1950	6.50	6.70	6.70	6.60	6.60	6.70	6.80	6.80	6.20	6.30	6.30	6.40
1951	6.70	6.80	6.70	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.40	6.40	6.50	6.70	7.00
1952	6.80	6.60	6.50	6.50	6.80	7.10	7.30	7.60	7.20	7.40	7.70	7.90
1953	7.90	8.20	9.00	9.70	9.70	9.90	13.80	9.20	7.70	7.90	7.70	7.30
1954	7.20	7.10	7.10	6.80	6.80	6.60	6.50	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.30
APPLES (Dollars per bushel)												
Average 1935-39	.87	.91	.86	.93	1.09	1.16	1.15	.80	.76	.71	.74	.79
1948	1.80	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	2.00	2.25	2.25	2.25
1949	2.50	2.75	2.75	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.95	1.60	1.50	1.50
1950	1.60	1.75	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	2.25	2.00	2.50	2.50	2.50
1951	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	2.00
1952	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.10	1.75	2.00	2.00	2.50
1953	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.85	3.00	2.90
1954	2.80	2.80	2.80	2.80	2.80	2.80	---	---	2.40	2.30	2.55	2.65
CHICKENS (Cents per pound)												
Average 1935-39	12.7	12.8	13.4	14.5	14.5	14.3	14.0	13.9	13.4	13.1	12.7	12.4
1948	28.2	28.6	30.8	32.0	28.1	28.5	33.2	33.5	32.8	29.4	28.2	29.6
1949	30.3	29.7	30.4	29.9	28.4	31.6	31.4	29.7	28.1	27.5	24.8	24.3
1950	23.2	24.3	25.7	27.2	23.7	22.1	21.7	22.5	22.1	21.0	21.9	22.8
1951	23.9	25.6	28.1	30.2	29.4	27.1	26.4	25.2	24.3	24.2	22.2	24.2
1952	22.2	26.7	25.5	26.5	23.1	24.3	23.0	23.9	22.8	22.2	20.9	23.0
1953	23.8	25.9	27.3	26.4	26.3	25.3	24.2	24.3	23.4	22.6	22.8	22.6
1954	21.7	24.9	25.6	23.6	22.1	23.8	19.6	20.5	18.2	18.2	17.8	18.0
EGGS (Cents per dozen)												
Average 1935-39	22.1	19.8	16.3	16.1	16.7	17.1	18.7	20.6	23.0	26.8	30.7	28.4
1948	45.0	43.0	41.0	39.0	36.5	37.9	41.6	44.0	49.0	49.6	54.5	52.5
1949	48.0	45.0	39.0	38.0	39.0	39.8	42.5	45.9	49.0	53.5	52.8	42.5
1950	32.5	28.1	28.1	27.4	27.0	27.3	32.0	37.0	39.0	41.0	46.0	58.7
1951	38.7	38.6	40.0	39.0	41.2	41.2	46.0	49.0	55.0	58.0	60.0	54.0
1952	41.0	32.0	30.0	31.0	30.0	33.0	43.0	51.0	51.0	52.0	54.0	54.0
1953	47.0	39.0	40.0	40.0	41.0	44.0	47.0	50.0	53.0	55.0	54.0	53.0
1954	48.0	43.0	37.0	31.0	29.0	31.0	33.0	38.0	39.0	38.0	37.0	36.0
TURKEYS (Cents per pound—live weight)												
Average 1935-39	16.2	15.6	15.3[1]	16.0[1]	16.0[1]	15.0[1]	15.3[1]	14.2	14.8	15.8	17.0	16.5[2]
1948	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	38.0	38.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	46.0	48.0
1949	47.0	45.0	43.0	43.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	38.0	35.0	35.0	36.0	37.0
1950	36.0	33.0	33.0	31.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	31.0	31.0	34.0	35.0
1951	38.0	36.0	36.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
1952	40.0	40.0	38.0	38.0	38.0	38.0	38.0	40.0	40.0	37.0	35.0	35.0
1953	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	35.0	37.0
1954	33.0	33.0	32.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	30.0

[1] Three-year average (1935-37).
[2] Four-year average (1935-38).

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HOGS (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39	8.08	8.12	8.56	8.32	8.04	8.54	8.84	9.14	9.28	8.54	7.80	7.45
1948	26.50	21.30	22.30	20.50	19.80	23.80	26.00	27.50	28.00	25.00	22.50	21.00
1949	20.00	20.00	20.50	19.00	18.50	19.50	20.50	19.50	20.50	18.50	16.00	15.00
1950	15.50	16.50	16.50	16.00	19.00	19.00	22.00	23.00	22.00	20.00	18.00	17.90
1951	19.90	22.20	21.60	21.00	20.50	21.40	21.30	21.30	20.40	20.80	18.30	17.30
1952	17.00	17.10	17.10	16.80	19.60	19.60	20.00	21.30	19.80	18.50	17.00	16.50
1953	18.10	19.60	20.30	21.50	23.30	23.50	24.50	24.00	24.50	21.80	20.50	22.50
1954	24.50	25.00	24.60	26.20	25.60	24.50	23.20	23.40	20.40	19.30	18.70	17.50

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BEEF CATTLE (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39	6.42	6.60	6.94	7.16	7.34	7.32	7.16	6.98	6.94	6.72	6.54	6.64
1948	23.00	21.70	22.60	23.00	25.00	26.70	27.70	25.50	25.00	23.00	22.00	22.00
1949	21.00	19.50	22.00	22.30	22.90	22.50	22.00	20.50	21.50	20.00	20.50	20.50
1950	22.00	23.00	23.50	24.50	25.50	26.00	26.50	26.00	26.00	25.50	26.00	26.00
1951	27.80	29.80	31.00	32.20	32.20	32.00	31.60	31.00	31.20	30.30	29.50	30.00
1952	28.70	28.60	29.00	29.20	29.50	28.80	29.00	27.50	25.00	22.60	21.50	19.50
1953	20.90	19.90	19.00	18.50	19.20	17.80	19.40	17.60	17.10	16.40	16.10	16.10
1954	17.90	17.50	17.60	18.30	18.90	18.20	16.30	17.20	17.20	16.70	17.10	17.70
CALVES (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39	7.50	7.98	8.20	8.26	8.28	8.18	8.08	7.90	7.98	7.82	7.76	7.72
1948	22.50	22.50	23.30	23.30	25.00	27.00	27.00	25.60	25.40	23.20	22.50	22.80
1949	23.00	23.00	24.50	25.50	26.00	24.50	22.50	21.50	22.00	20.50	20.50	21.70
1950	22.70	24.70	24.40	25.20	26.60	26.50	27.00	27.30	28.00	28.00	28.00	29.00
1951	30.50	32.00	33.00	33.50	33.50	34.00	33.50	33.00	34.00	32.50	31.50	31.00
1952	31.00	31.00	30.00	30.00	31.00	30.00	27.50	24.50	23.50	20.50	21.50	20.00
1953	21.00	21.50	20.50	18.50	19.50	18.00	18.50	15.00	14.00	13.50	15.50	16.00
1954	17.10	17.80	17.80	17.70	17.90	16.60	15.50	16.20	17.00	17.00	17.40	17.60
SHEEP (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39	3.87	4.13	4.30	4.61	4.49	4.23	4.17	3.59	3.64	3.45	3.44	3.57
1948	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.50	9.70	9.80	10.00	9.50	8.20	8.40	8.80
1949	9.00	10.00	11.50	11.80	11.00	9.50	8.30	8.00	8.00	8.70	9.00	9.50
1950	9.90	10.20	11.80	11.80	10.50	9.00	9.50	11.50	12.50	13.00	14.00	14.00
1951	15.00	18.50	19.50	18.50	15.00	15.00	15.00	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.00	13.00
1952	12.00	12.00	11.70	12.00	11.00	9.00	8.50	7.70	7.00	6.00	7.00	6.50
1953	8.00	8.00	8.20	8.40	7.00	6.00	5.60	5.50	5.00	5.00	5.50	6.10
1954	6.80	7.00	7.40	7.50	6.00	5.80	5.00	4.70	4.90	5.10	5.90	6.00
LAMBS (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39	8.16	8.14	8.62	8.94	9.02	8.36	7.94	7.94	8.16	8.06	8.00	7.98
1948	23.40	21.00	20.80	22.00	25.50	26.50	28.90	26.00	24.50	23.10	22.50	21.80
1949	22.60	22.60	26.00	26.20	26.50	24.50	23.50	22.00	22.30	22.30	22.20	21.00
1950	22.00	23.70	25.00	24.50	25.70	25.70	26.00	26.50	27.00	27.00	27.30	28.00
1951	30.00	34.40	36.00	35.00	32.50	32.50	31.50	31.20	31.50	31.80	30.40	29.60
1952	28.60	26.50	25.80	27.00	26.00	26.00	27.00	27.00	24.00	22.00	21.00	19.00
1953	21.60	21.50	21.50	22.00	23.00	22.40	21.00	20.50	18.30	17.20	17.40	16.60
1954	19.20	19.80	22.00	22.60	21.90	21.50	19.80	19.40	18.70	18.40	18.80	18.00
MILK COWS (Dollars per head)												
Average 1935-39	46	48	49	50	52	50	49	50	51	51	51	51
1948	170	160	170	167	175	175	180	185	195	190	195	190
1949	192	189	191	191	191	189	188	188	186	190	185	181
1950	184	190	195	200	200	197	203	203	205	210	220	230
1951	235	255	260	260	260	262	265	265	270	270	270	260
1952	260	260	260	255	255	255	255	255	245	235	235	225
1953	225	215	210	200	200	185	185	180	175	175	170	175
1954	175	175	180	180	170	165	160	170	165	160	160	155
BUTTERFAT (Cents per pound)												
Average 1935-39	29	29	27	26	24	23	24	25	26	27	29	30
1948	86	82	76	82	80	82	84	78	70	61	61	64
1949	64	64	62	60	58	58	56	60	60	61	64	66
1950	64	64	63	60	59	59	57	58	60	62	65	66
1951	72	72	70	67	70	70	68	68	68	71	73	76
1952	78	83	75	72	71	69	72	72	72	71	71	68
1953	65	64	64	64	64	64	63	63	63	64	65	65
1954	65	64	60	54	54	55	55	55	55	57	57	58
WHOLE MILK (Wholesale) (Dollars per 100 pounds)												
Average 1935-39	1.74	1.69	1.60	1.53	1.44	1.42	1.49	1.55	1.65	1.72	1.79	1.77
1948	5.10	5.05	5.00	4.75	4.35	4.45	4.75	4.80	5.25	5.35	5.15	5.15
1949	5.00	4.75	4.45	4.25	3.90	3.75	4.00	4.15	4.70	4.85	4.70	4.65
1950	4.50	4.30	4.25	3.90	3.70	3.65	3.90	4.10	4.60	4.90	4.70	4.85
1951	5.00	4.95	4.75	4.60	4.30	4.30	4.50	4.80	5.30	5.50	5.60	5.70
1952	5.60	5.50	5.30	5.05	4.65	4.60	4.85	5.10	5.50	5.90	5.95	5.70
1953	5.45	5.25	4.95	4.65	4.25	4.15	4.35	4.55	4.90	4.95	5.10	4.95
1954	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.35	4.20	4.10	4.10	4.30	4.45	4.55	4.60	4.55

ESTIMATED PRICE OF FARM PRODUCTS RECEIVED BY COLORADO FARMERS AS OF THE 15TH OF THE MONTH

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ALL HAY—BALED (Dollars per Ton)												
Average 1935-39	11.52	11.28	11.54	11.90	11.86	11.34	10.64	10.48	10.56	10.78	11.02	10.84
1947	27.30	27.30	27.30	27.00	26.00	20.20	18.00	20.00	22.00	23.50	24.50	25.30
1948	23.30	23.00	21.50	22.00	21.80	21.80	19.70	18.30	20.00	20.40	21.40	21.90
1949	22.90	26.70	26.50	24.50	24.00	20.00	19.00	18.00	18.77	20.80	21.00	21.50
1950	21.60	20.80	20.40	20.70	20.70	20.40	23.40	24.50	27.50	27.50	29.00	29.00
1951	28.50	29.50	29.50	29.50	32.00	30.00	26.90	26.00	30.50	30.60	33.60	34.80
1952	38.00	38.50	37.20	38.20	36.80	26.10	26.70	32.60	34.40	34.20	32.70	32.70
1953	31.80	29.10	25.30	24.40	24.20	21.00	20.50	21.00	21.00	20.20	20.40	21.00
1954	21.00	20.80	20.70	21.40	23.50	23.00	26.00	27.50	26.70	26.20	25.70	26.90
ALFALFA HAY—BALED (Dollars per Ton)												
Average 1935-39 [1]	9.00	8.80	8.72	9.28	9.26	8.40	7.76	7.90	8.18	8.50	8.42	8.18
1947	29.00	28.50	28.50	28.00	27.50	21.00	18.40	20.00	22.20	23.50	24.50	25.80
1948	24.00	23.70	23.70	23.50	23.00	23.00	20.50	18.50	20.00	20.50	21.50	22.00
1949	23.00	27.00	26.50	24.50	24.00	20.00	18.50	17.50	18.50	20.50	21.00	21.50
1950	22.00	21.00	20.50	21.00	21.00	21.00	24.00	25.00	28.00	28.00	29.50	29.50
1951	28.50	30.00	30.00	30.00	33.00	30.00	25.00	25.00	30.00	31.00	35.00	36.50
1952	39.50	39.50	37.50	38.50	37.00	25.80	24.60	32.40	35.00	34.50	32.50	32.50
1953	32.00	30.00	25.50	24.50	24.00	19.50	19.50	20.00	19.50	18.60	20.00	20.70
1954	20.80	20.80	20.70	21.50	23.60	23.00	26.00	27.00	26.00	25.60	25.10	26.60

[1] Prices received for these years, loose basis.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
WILD HAY—BALED (Dollars per Ton)												
Average 1935-39 [1]	7.90	7.74	7.98	8.44	8.62	8.08	7.72	7.54	7.28	7.52	7.40	7.04
1947 [1]	15.60	14.70	15.20	15.00	14.00	12.00	11.00	12.50	13.00	14.50	15.50	16.00
1948	15.00 [1]	20.70	20.20	20.00	20.00	20.00	18.50	18.00	20.00	20.50	21.50	22.00
1949	23.00	26.50	26.00	24.50	24.00	21.00	19.50	18.00	19.50	21.50	21.00	21.50
1950	21.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	19.00	22.00	23.00	26.00	26.00	27.50	27.50
1951	27.50	27.50	27.50	28.50	30.00	29.00	30.00	28.00	32.00	30.00	31.00	32.00
1952	35.50	36.00	36.00	37.00	35.00	25.00	30.00	32.30	33.50	33.00	33.00	33.00
1953	31.00	27.00	25.00	24.50	25.00	24.00	23.50	24.00	24.50	23.00	21.50	22.00
1954	21.60	21.00	21.00	21.70	24.00	24.00	27.00	32.00	31.00	30.40	29.50	29.80

[1] Prices received for these years, loose basis.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
WOOL (Cents per Pound)												
Average 1935-39	22	21	22	22	22	22	22	23	23	24	25	25
1947	44	42	41	41	40	39	39	42	42	41	41	42
1948	39	39	45	45	46	48	48	50	45	48	50	50
1949	48	52	50	49	49	45	42	45	45	46	48	48
1950	50	52	53	53	54	54	57	57	64	65	70	85
1951	100	105	115	110	107	95	85	70	65	65	65	60
1952	57	55	53	51	50	51	50	50	55	56	53	53
1953	52	54	54	51	53	51	50	52	53	53	54	51
1954	51	51	51	51	52	52	50	50	50	48	49	49
ALFALFA SEED (ALL) (Dollars per 100 Pounds, Cleaned)												
Average 1935-39	18.00	19.20	20.80	21.70	21.60	21.70	21.90	20.10	18.20	17.00	17.60	17.80
1947	35.80	36.30	37.50	41.70	41.70	40.30	40.30	36.70	31.70	25.00	24.20	24.20
1948	25.00	25.80	25.80	30.00	30.50	30.80	30.30	31.30	39.00	43.30	44.30	45.30
1949	46.70	47.50	50.00	50.00	49.20	49.20	49.20	49.20	40.30	36.30	36.30	38.30
1950	40.00	40.80	40.80	43.30	43.30	45.80	45.30	44.20	42.00	45.20	46.00	49.40
1951	51.00	53.30	56.40	54.80	54.80	54.80	54.80	53.30	46.30	48.10	50.30	51.10
1952	51.20	51.30	52.60	53.30	54.70	54.70	51.80	47.70	34.00	31.50	30.80	30.50
1953	30.80	29.20	29.20	28.40	27.60	25.80	25.60	24.60	22.40	20.40	19.20	19.80
1954	20.40	23.00	23.00	23.90	24.00	23.00	23.00	23.00	24.00	29.80	30.40	30.50
SWEET CLOVER SEED (ALL) (Dollars per 100 Pounds, Cleaned)												
Average 1937-41	5.40	6.10	7.10	8.00	7.80	8.00	7.70	6.80	4.60	5.00	5.40	5.30
1947	10.00	10.00	10.80	12.50	12.50	11.70	11.70	10.00	9.00	10.50	10.50	10.50
1948	10.80	10.80	10.80	13.30	13.80	13.30	11.70	11.80	12.80	12.70	13.30	13.30
1949	13.70	14.20	14.20	14.70	15.00	15.00	14.20	13.30	13.30	12.70	13.30	15.00
1950	15.80	15.80	17.50	18.30	18.30	20.00	18.30	15.00	13.30	12.50	11.70	13.30
1951	13.80	14.50	15.30	14.50	13.30	12.50	10.80	10.70	10.20	9.70	10.50	10.50
1952	10.80	11.20	12.00	12.50	12.80	12.00	10.80	10.00	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.50
1953	8.50	8.50	9.00	9.30	9.50	9.50	9.00	8.90	7.80	8.20	8.20	8.50
1954	8.80	8.80	8.80	9.50	9.50	10.00	10.00	9.00	9.00	10.50	11.50	11.90

FARM WAGE RATES—1940-1955

YEAR and MONTH		Per Month		Per Day		Per Hour	Index [1]
		With Board	Without Board [2]	With Board	Without Board		
1940	January	$ 28.00	$ 44.00	$1.40	$1.95	--	122
	April	30.00	45.50	1.40	1.95	--	122
	July	32.00	47.50	1.55	2.15	--	123
	October	32.00	47.50	1.60	2.15	--	121
1941	January	30.00	45.50	1.50	2.05	--	130
	April	33.50	49.00	1.55	2.10	--	135
	July	38.50	54.00	1.95	2.55	--	149
	October	40.00	57.00	2.25	2.90	--	160
1942	January	40.00	56.00	2.05	2.65	--	168
	April	44.50	65.00	2.20	2.90	--	185
	July	51.00	72.00	2.60	3.40	--	200
	October	57.00	81.00	3.35	4.30	--	236
1943	January	60.00	83.00	3.30	4.10	--	252
	April	65.00	92.00	3.30	4.10	--	268
	July	71.00	96.00	3.50	4.40	--	270
	October	74.00	104.00	4.20	5.20	--	293
1944	January	72.00	103.00	3.70	4.60	--	298
	April	76.00	106.00	3.70	4.80	--	308
	July	88.00	117.00	4.15	5.30	--	332
	October	88.00	121.00	4.80	5.90	--	338
1945	January	88.00	119.00	4.40	5.40	--	354
	April	91.00	124.00	4.45	5.30	--	356
	July	100.00	131.00	4.70	5.70	--	365
	October	100.00	131.00	5.40	6.40	--	368
1946	January	91.00	124.00	4.60	5.70	--	364
	April	97.00	133.00	4.80	5.90	--	388
	July	100.00	137.00	4.80	5.90	$ .69	375
	October	104.00	141.00	5.50	6.30	.73	375
1947	January	100.00	137.00	5.10	6.20	.76	394
	April	105.00	144.00	4.95	6.00	.71	404
	July	109.00	146.00	5.20	6.40	.74	408
	October	109.00	150.00	5.60	7.00	--	412
1948	January	114.00	140.00	5.70	6.40	.90	430
	April	112.00	145.00	5.20	6.10	.80	428
	July	124.00	152.00	5.90	6.70	.80	451
	October	125.00	163.00	6.20	7.30	.84	447
1949	January	114.00	151.00	---	6.40	.80	445
	April	112.00	150.00	---	6.30	.80	433
	July	112.00	154.00	---	6.50	.77	428
	October	110.00	151.00	---	6.70	.79	417
1950	January	104.00	144.00	---	6.00	.77	420
	April	109.00	149.00	---	6.30	.75	422
	July	110.00	150.00	---	6.50	.76	423
	October	123.00	160.00	---	6.90	.81	434
1951	January	118.00	154.00	---	6.40	.83	458
	April	125.00	164.00	---	6.50	.80	456
	July	129.00	165.00	---	7.00	.84	467
	October	136.00	171.00	---	7.60	.89	476
1952	January	131.00	171.00	---	7.20	.89	504
	April	131.00	177.00	---	7.30	.89	498
	July	150.00	189.00	---	7.80	.91	524
	October	146.00	192.00	---	8.20	.99	526
1953	January	134.00	180.00	---	7.40	.93	512
	April	137.00	184.00	---	7.50	.93	525
	July	142.00	190.00	---	7.90	.94	525
	October	134.00	186.00	---	7.90	.94	505
1954	January	133.00	178.00	---	7.30	.92	508
	April	130.00	180.00	---	7.20	.91	506
	July	133.00	179.00	---	7.30	.90	494
	October	134.00	182.00	---	7.70	.92	495
1955	January	128.00	176.00	---	7.40	.91	500

[1] Based on average rate, 1910-14 = 100. Adjusted for seasonal variation.
[2] Beginning in 1948 wages are without board but include house.

FARM POPULATION—Federal Census, 1925-1950

COUNTY	Number of Persons Living on Farms					
	Jan. 1 1925	April 1 1930	Jan. 1 1935	April 1 1940	Jan. 1 1945	April 1 1950
Chaffee	1,098	1,446	1,325	1,299	1,130	880
Clear Creek	48	96	144	148	61	115
Eagle	1,251	1,575	1,684	1,646	1,018	1,150
Gilpin	115	122	171	169	59	70
Grand	824	860	1,057	1,139	875	621
Gunnison	1,259	1,299	1,694	1,397	1,045	1,019
Jackson	580	781	743	786	631	602
Lake	115	116	163	70	72	61
Moffat	2,642	2,835	2,644	1,921	1,341	1,252
Park	861	1,155	1,510	1,179	631	667
Pitkin	698	696	746	714	543	458
Rio Blanco	1,604	1,739	1,545	1,411	1,006	1,086
Routt	2,997	3,211	3,569	3,139	2,009	2,082
Summit	268	220	230	251	174	127
Teller	681	592	913	769	488	375
Total Northwest District	**15,041**	**16,743**	**18,138**	**16,038**	**11,083**	**10,565**
Boulder	6,852	7,031	6,705	7,514	5,391	4,751
Jefferson	7,510	8,081	8,299	8,159	7,182	5,948
Larimer	8,289	10,245	9,590	9,906	6,939	7,331
Logan	9,011	9,520	9,186	8,242	6,377	6,605
Morgan	8,179	9,523	8,518	8,045	6,258	7,735
Sedgwick	2,882	2,833	3,194	2,679	1,868	2,062
Weld	27,051	34,034	29,752	28,865	21,294	26,013
Total N. Central and N. E. District	**69,774**	**81,267**	**75,244**	**73,410**	**55,309**	**60,445**
Adams	8,138	9,206	9,131	8,953	6,322	7,617
Arapahoe	4,780	4,853	5,965	5,264	4,003	3,990
Cheyenne	2,632	2,582	2,655	1,719	1,525	1,464
Denver	----	----	----	----	----	----
Douglas	1,752	2,023	2,035	1,909	1,591	1,664
Elbert	5,286	5,198	4,952	3,958	3,189	3,047
El Paso	6,408	6,139	5,627	5,292	5,227	4,692
Kiowa	2,804	2,584	2,434	1,560	1,400	1,236
Kit Carson	6,273	6,749	7,009	4,439	3,851	3,984
Lincoln	5,381	5,140	4,761	3,214	2,705	2,561
Phillips	3,481	3,197	3,452	2,602	2,192	2,067
Washington	8,401	7,696	7,756	5,996	4,738	4,755
Yuma	9,781	9,426	9,111	7,396	5,767	5,367
Total East Central District	**65,117**	**64,793**	**64,888**	**52,302**	**42,510**	**41,544**
Archuleta	1,538	1,824	1,673	1,869	1,233	1,126
Delta	6,978	8,131	8,037	8,324	6,790	7,484
Dolores	542	748	947	1,003	817	796
Garfield	3,852	4,738	4,432	4,567	3,203	3,541
Hinsdale	116	113	152	104	96	79
La Plata	4,261	5,070	5,367	5,100	3,621	3,673
Mesa	8,924	10,700	11,499	13,273	9,866	10,018
Montezuma	3,290	4,431	4,493	5,015	3,671	3,859
Montrose	6,444	6,836	6,359	7,327	5,657	6,343
Ouray	560	674	635	666	464	455
San Juan	----	----	----	----	13	----
San Miguel	1,170	976	1,048	858	941	546
Total West Central and S. W. District	**37,675**	**44,241**	**44,642**	**48,106**	**36,372**	**37,920**
Alamosa	1,379	2,413	2,390	2,787	1,953	2,325
Conejos	3,855	5,898	5,856	5,727	3,819	4,548
Costilla	1,777	2,885	3,083	3,423	2,768	2,448
Mineral	105	114	128	149	55	54
Rio Grande	2,709	4,331	3,848	4,611	3,905	4,270
Saguache	1,575	2,690	2,620	2,525	1,533	1,868
Total South Central District	**11,400**	**18,331**	**17,925**	**19,222**	**14,033**	**15,313**
Baca	6,765	7,626	7,014	3,282	3,018	3,156
Bent	3,680	4,276	3,784	3,473	2,565	2,821
Crowley	2,647	3,423	2,838	2,944	2,206	2,060
Custer	1,358	1,360	1,536	1,275	792	894
Fremont	4,349	4,633	5,240	4,173	3,293	3,177
Huerfano	4,622	4,156	4,502	3,507	2,397	2,070
Las Animas	8,044	9,215	9,069	6,309	4,077	3,920
Otero	6,672	7,606	6,852	6,730	5,292	4,288
Prowers	5,341	6,980	6,331	4,673	3,804	3,831
Pueblo	6,704	7,123	7,030	6,248	4,872	6,267
Total Southeast District	**50,182**	**56,398**	**54,196**	**42,614**	**32,316**	**32,394**
State Total	**249,189**	**281,773**	**275,033**	**251,692**	**191,623**	**198,181**

TOTAL AND FARM POPULATION: NUMBER OF FARMS AND AVERAGE SIZE: COLORADO AND UNITED STATES, 1910-1954

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES			COLORADO		UNITED STATES	
	Total [1] Population [2] Thousands	Farm Population: Number of Persons [3] Thousands	Farm Population: Percentage of Total Population Percent	Total [1] Population [3] Thousands	Farm Population: Number of Persons [3] Thousands	Farm Population: Percentage of Total Population Percent	Number of Farms Thousands	Average Size of Farm [5] Acres	Number of Farms Thousands	Average Size of Farm [6] Acres
1910	804	---	---	91,885	32,077	34.9	47.5	293 [6]	6,406	---
1911	821	---	---	93,502	32,110	34.3	49.0	---	6,425	---
1912	832	---	---	94,965	32,210	33.9	50.5	---	6,430	---
1913	835	---	---	96,753	32,270	33.4	52.0	---	6,437	---
1914	846	---	---	98,645	32,320	32.8	53.0	---	6,447	---
1915	868	---	---	100,191	32,440	32.4	54.8	---	6,458	---
1916	892	---	---	101,612	32,530	32.0	56.2	---	6,463	---
1917	910	---	---	103,052	32,430	31.5	57.5	---	6,478	---
1918	906	---	---	104,266	31,950	30.6	58.5	---	6,488	---
1919	938	---	---	104,935	31,200	29.7	59.5	---	6,506	---
1920	937	268	28.6	106,089	31,974	30.1	60.0	409 [6]	6,518	148
1921	961	268	27.9	108,023	32,123	29.7	60.0	---	6,511	---
1922	965	271	28.1	109,676	32,109	29.3	59.8	---	6,500	---
1923	985	266	27.0	111,476	31,490	28.2	59.5	---	6,492	---
1924	1,014	265	26.1	113,573	31,177	27.5	59.4	---	6,480	---
1925	1,019	267	26.2	115,402	31,190	27.0	59.5	416 [6]	6,471	145
1926	1,016	268	26.4	117,007	30,979	26.5	59.5	---	6,462	---
1927	1,028	272	26.5	118,628	30,530	25.7	59.8	---	6,458	---
1928	1,014	275	27.1	120,135	30,548	25.4	60.0	---	6,470	---
1929	1,008	282	28.0	121,453	30,580	25.2	61.5	434	6,512	---
1930	1,038	284	27.4	122,775	30,529	24.9	62.0	441	6,546	157
1931	1,046	285	27.2	123,841	30,845	24.9	61.5	444	6,608	---
1932	1,051	292	27.8	124,658	31,388	25.2	62.0	456	6,687	---
1933	1,052	292	27.8	125,401	32,393	25.8	62.5	448	6,741	---
1934	1,053	286	27.2	126,192	32,305	25.6	63.0	452	6,776	---
1935	1,055	278	26.4	127,057	32,161	25.3	63.0	476	6,814	155
1936	1,067	268	25.1	127,886	31,737	24.8	60.5	496	6,739	---
1937	1,084	260	24.0	128,649	31,266	24.3	58.0	534	6,636	---
1938	1,097	253	23.1	129,589	30,980	23.9	56.4	550	6,527	---
1939	1,113	252	22.6	130,642	30,840	23.6	55.2	580	6,441	---
1940	1,123	253	22.5	131,820	30,574	23.2	52.4	630	6,350	174
1941	1,138	251	22.1	133,098	30,273	22.7	52.2	651	6,293	---
1942	1,136	243	21.4	134,498	29,234	21.7	51.4	671	6,202	---
1943	1,171	222	19.0	136,297	26,681	19.6	50.8	689	6,089	---
1944	1,148	212	18.5	138,027	25,495	18.5	50.4	704	6,003	---
1945	1,118	214	19.1	139,583	25,295	18.1	49.8	733	5,967	195
1946	1,186	224	18.9	141,039	26,483	18.8	49.5	748	5,927	---
1947	1,201	229	19.1	143,480	27,124	18.9	48.5	769	5,873	---
1948	1,201	218	18.2	146,051	25,903	17.7	48.0	781	5,804	---
1949	1,249	219	17.5	148,595	25,954	17.5	47.5	800	5,723	---
1950	1,333	211	15.8	151,132	25,058	16.6	47.0	819	5,648	215
1951	1,381	---	---	153,383	24,160	15.8	46.5	839	5,596	---
1952	1,427	---	---	155,767	24,283	15.6	46.0	852	5,535	---
1953	1,456	---	---	158,375	22,679	14.3	45.5	868	5,482	217
1954	1,456	---	---	161,195	21,890	13.8	45.3	876	5,425	219

[1] As of July 1.

[2] Data compiled from "Vital Statistics Rates in the United States, 1900-1940" and "Statistical Abstract of the United States," both sources United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

[3] As of April 1.

[4] Includes armed forces overseas except in 1910-1916 and 1930-1939.

[5] United States Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Marketing Service estimates except where noted.

[6] United States Census—Obtained by dividing total land in farms by number of farms.

TRUCKS AND TRACTORS ON FARMS—FEDERAL CENSUS 1925-1950

COUNTY	Number of Tractors					Number of Trucks			
	1925	1930	1940	1945	1950	1930	1940	1945	1950
Chaffee	29	40	80	117	164	92	91	153	167
Clear Creek	1	1	3	6	5	10	14	16	20
Eagle	40	39	80	127	155	97	115	179	193
Gilpin	--	1	6	3	--	8	12	11	30
Grand	21	17	56	146	260	53	94	176	141
Gunnison	5	13	42	116	311	56	98	182	184
Jackson	2	10	73	99	186	32	79	115	153
Lake	--	--	--	8	--	21	11	21	10
Moffat	52	101	166	254	442	120	116	269	451
Park	7	18	55	81	322	105	135	158	223
Pitkin	11	14	25	50	80	21	44	78	75
Rio Blanco	38	35	90	140	276	60	44	149	235
Routt	56	100	238	374	611	111	189	385	508
Summit	1	5	14	30	49	7	18	40	42
Teller	12	16	47	59	72	72	76	106	97
Total Northwest District	**275**	**410**	**975**	**1,610**	**2,933**	**865**	**1,136**	**2,038**	**2,529**
Boulder	155	307	579	865	1,386	498	614	903	1,076
Jefferson	96	240	461	642	970	774	767	895	1,023
Larimer	221	510	868	1,278	2,079	713	954	1,279	1,766
Logan	387	741	1,107	1,484	2,226	652	736	1,062	1,663
Morgan	85	460	717	1,231	2,250	570	550	882	1,520
Sedgwick	166	363	465	621	643	272	299	413	517
Weld	780	1,851	2,990	4,770	7,639	2,338	2,840	4,125	5,476
Total N. Central and N. E. District	**1,890**	**4,472**	**7,187**	**10,891**	**17,193**	**5,817**	**6,760**	**9,559**	**13,041**
Adams	257	602	913	1,122	2,267	956	1,003	1,200	1,984
Arapahoe	174	372	477	622	921	389	376	611	968
Cheyenne	165	204	236	358	464	149	94	213	366
Denver	4	13	17	59	29	113	109	195	69
Douglas	95	180	278	369	465	119	128	264	289
Elbert	234	443	600	801	995	178	169	417	699
El Paso	159	324	522	752	1,248	392	284	610	945
Kiowa	123	133	202	280	549	101	85	193	465
Kit Carson	376	548	584	978	1,472	407	151	504	1,107
Lincoln	304	495	441	624	860	318	102	405	724
Phillips	363	500	547	677	850	309	224	432	710
Washington	495	619	829	1,169	1,706	539	250	565	1,285
Yuma	345	569	1,050	1,277	1,622	606	401	721	1,186
Total East Central District	**3,094**	**5,002**	**6,696**	**9,088**	**13,448**	**4,576**	**3,376**	**6,330**	**10,797**
Archuleta	5	15	53	84	163	32	63	139	164
Delta	38	80	296	609	1,312	397	495	677	1,085
Dolores	1	33	160	242	472	36	15	144	287
Garfield	63	56	170	350	605	193	211	553	589
Hinsdale	1	--	4	7	11	10	11	25	31
La Plata	35	93	202	385	738	158	219	427	615
Mesa	69	167	537	928	1,623	500	561	1,428	1,854
Montezuma	25	119	352	546	944	134	139	449	658
Montrose	73	77	290	532	1,108	309	443	611	1,049
Ouray	6	10	25	29	68	22	15	83	97
San Juan	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	2	--
San Miguel	16	18	35	83	103	47	31	129	94
Total W. Central & S. W. District	**332**	**668**	**2,124**	**3,795**	**7,147**	**1,838**	**2,207**	**4,667**	**6,523**
Alamosa	38	125	255	403	543	196	206	265	407
Conejos	42	143	307	462	1,038	219	233	493	745
Costilla	50	80	170	229	419	96	123	238	381
Mineral	3	4	7	9	10	13	21	12	7
Rio Grande	103	245	498	739	971	405	424	647	726
Saguache	49	114	180	318	432	217	189	247	378
Total South Central District	**285**	**711**	**1,417**	**2,160**	**3,413**	**1,146**	**1,196**	**1,902**	**2,644**
Baca	119	725	699	1,024	1,624	447	122	574	1,215
Bent	100	141	250	491	858	107	101	272	511
Crowley	32	85	228	402	671	118	177	291	452
Custer	21	57	68	101	223	148	98	144	218
Fremont	14	41	133	258	503	385	276	511	679
Huerfano	84	100	97	179	287	168	155	253	357
Las Animas	70	168	211	379	679	333	331	532	723
Otero	88	180	413	790	1,239	273	356	591	903
Prowers	164	282	465	916	1,775	171	129	420	1,104
Pueblo	125	292	457	682	1,194	526	430	710	967
Total Southeast District	**817**	**2,071**	**3,021**	**5,222**	**9,053**	**2,676**	**2,175**	**4,298**	**7,129**
State Total	**6,693**	**13,334**	**21,423**	**32,766**	**53,187**	**16,918**	**16,850**	**28,794**	**42,663**

PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION OF FOOD PRODUCTS IN THE UNITED STATES,[1] 1935-1954[2]

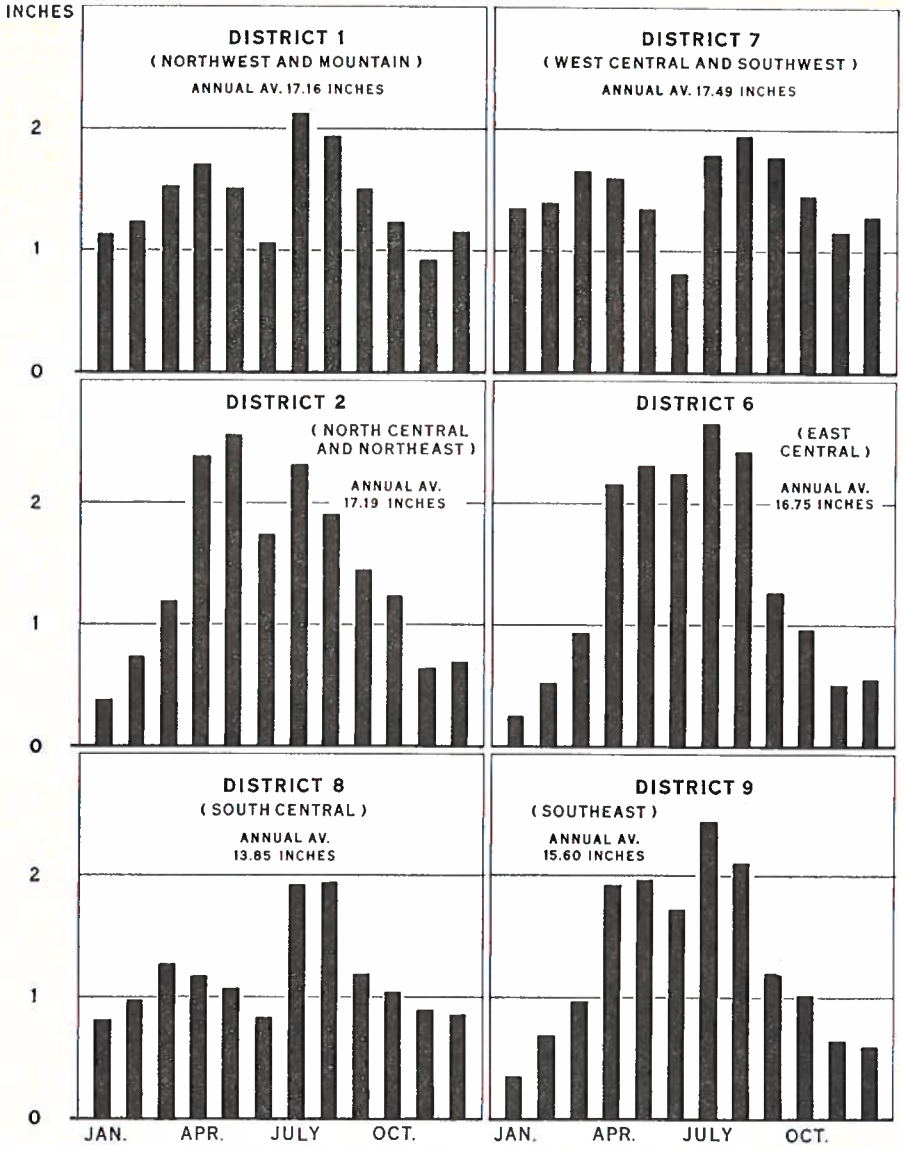
Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA									
	Beef [3]	Veal [3]	Lamb and Mutton [3]	Pork [3]	Total Meat [3]	Total Fish [4]	Chicken [5]	Turkey [5]	Eggs (Number not pounds)	Lard
1935	52.5	8.4	7.2	47.7	115.8	10.5	12.9	1.7	276	9.5
1936	59.7	8.3	6.5	54.4	128.9	11.7	13.5	2.2	285	11.1
1937	54.4	8.5	6.6	55.0	124.5	10.6	13.4	2.2	304	10.4
1938	53.6	7.6	6.8	57.4	125.4	10.9	12.5	2.2	306	10.9
1939	53.9	7.5	6.5	63.9	131.8	10.7	13.9	2.4	309	12.5
1940	54.2	7.3	6.5	72.4	140.4	10.5	13.9	2.9	314	14.2
1941	60.0	7.5	6.7	67.4	141.6	11.1	15.2	2.9	307	13.6
1942	60.4	8.1	7.1	62.8	138.4	8.7	17.4	3.0	314	12.7
1943	52.5	8.1	6.4	77.9	144.9	7.9	22.7	2.7	342	12.9
1944	54.9	12.2	6.6	78.5	152.2	8.7	20.1	2.7	350	12.1
1945	58.6	11.7	7.2	65.7	143.2	9.8	21.3	3.4	397	11.5
1946	60.8	9.8	6.6	74.9	152.1	10.4	19.1	3.7	374	11.7
1947	68.6	10.7	5.2	68.6	153.1	10.0	17.9	3.5	378	12.4
1948	62.2	9.4	5.0	66.8	143.4	10.4	18.1	3.0	384	12.6
1949	63.0	8.8	4.0	66.8	142.6	10.5	19.4	3.2	378	11.7
1950	62.5	7.9	3.9	68.1	142.4	11.5	20.3	4.0	383	12.4
1951	55.2	6.6	3.4	70.6	135.8	10.9	22.2	4.3	396	12.1
1952	61.2	7.1	4.1	71.6	144.0	11.0	23.1	4.5	405	11.7
1953	76.6	9.5	4.6	62.9	153.6	10.8	23.1	4.4	400	11.2
1954	79.3	9.9	4.5	60.0	153.7	10.9	23.7	4.6	410	10.3

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA									
	Fluid Milk and Cream	Cheese	Ice Cream	Butter	Margarine	Total Fresh Fruit	Total Canned Fruit	Total Fruit Including Juices [6]	Total Commercial Fresh Vegetables [6]	Total Canned Vegetables [7]
1935	326	5.2	8.0	17.3	2.9	134.7	13.2	174.8	137.0	25.8
1936	330	5.4	9.4	16.6	3.0	127.3	16.5	171.7	138.2	27.3
1937	331	5.5	10.5	16.5	3.0	140.4	13.3	188.5	138.3	29.0
1938	329	5.8	10.2	16.4	2.9	133.4	15.2	181.5	139.6	30.6
1939	332	5.8	10.8	17.2	2.3	149.3	15.7	203.9	140.8	31.4
1940	331	5.9	11.2	16.7	2.4	140.0	18.7	198.1	142.1	33.9
1941	334	5.8	13.4	15.8	2.7	146.7	17.5	206.2	136.8	36.3
1942	354	6.3	15.6	15.7	2.7	129.4	17.0	183.0	138.9	39.2
1943	371	4.9	12.9	11.7	3.8	118.0	12.4	167.2	134.7	36.5
1944	381	4.8	14.1	11.8	3.8	139.7	9.1	198.7	151.8	33.9
1945	399	6.6	15.4	10.8	4.0	139.9	14.2	204.7	164.3	42.6
1946	389	6.6	22.8	10.4	3.8	134.4	21.9	224.7	163.7	46.1
1947	369	6.8	19.8	11.1	4.9	140.1	17.9	216.4	150.8	39.9
1948	355	6.8	18.2	9.9	6.0	128.9	17.8	210.1	152.0	37.3
1949	352	7.2	17.4	10.4	5.7	121.9	18.6	200.3	146.3	38.2
1950	349	7.6	17.0	10.6	6.0	106.4	20.9	187.2	145.7	41.5
1951	352	7.1	17.1	9.5	6.5	114.4	18.6	196.2	143.1	41.2
1952	352	7.5	17.6	8.6	7.8	110.5	20.6	202.9	145.0	40.9
1953	350	7.4	17.7	8.6	7.9	106.9	20.6	----	146.0	41.8
1954	352	7.7	17.0	9.0	8.3	102.5	19.5	----	146.0	41.2

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA										
	Wheat		Corn		Potatoes [6]	Sweet Potatoes [6]	Dry Beans [8]	Oats	Barley	Rice	Sugars and Sirups
	Flour	Cereal	Flour & Meal	Cereal							
1935	156	3.1	24.3	1.4	140	25.3	8.3	4.0	1.5	5.7	109
1936	161	3.3	23.8	1.5	128	19.5	8.9	3.9	1.5	5.3	112
1937	156	3.4	22.5	1.6	124	21.2	7.7	3.7	1.4	6.0	108
1938	158	3.4	21.8	1.7	127	21.0	9.5	3.8	1.3	6.0	108
1939	156	3.4	21.4	1.9	121	19.4	9.2	3.8	1.1	5.6	115
1940	153	3.3	21.5	1.8	121	16.1	8.2	3.9	1.1	5.8	107
1941	153	3.3	20.3	2.3	126	18.1	8.7	4.0	1.3	5.8	116
1942	154	3.3	19.5	2.5	125	20.2	11.0	4.8	1.5	5.2	106
1943	161	3.3	20.2	2.5	124	21.2	8.8	4.1	1.8	5.6	98
1944	147	3.2	18.9	2.5	135	19.5	8.0	3.2	1.4	5.3	107
1945	159	3.2	17.4	2.1	120	18.0	7.7	3.4	1.5	4.8	91
1946	154	3.2	15.7	1.9	122	17.0	8.6	3.1	2.0	4.0	92
1947	137	3.2	13.7	1.4	124	14.3	6.4	3.3	1.9	4.6	108
1948	135	3.1	13.5	1.5	104	11.2	6.7	3.4	1.5	4.8	108
1949	134	3.1	13.0	1.5	109	11.5	6.8	3.4	1.5	4.9	107
1950	133	3.1	12.7	1.5	101	12.3	8.5	3.4	1.4	5.0	107
1951	131	3.1	12.6	1.5	108	7.2	7.9	3.4	1.4	5.7	108
1952	130	3.1	12.3	1.5	99	7.0	8.0	3.4	1.3	5.2	107
1953	126	3.1	12.0	1.5	102	8.3	7.7	3.4	1.3	5.3	108
1954	125	3.1	12.0	1.5	104	7.2	8.4	3.4	1.3	5.3	105

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

PRECIPITATION* (IN INCHES), BY CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS
(BY MONTHS — LONG TIME AVERAGE)



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SUMMARY OF MONTHLY AND ANNUAL PRECIPITATION FOR COLORADO [1]

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 1 (Northwest and Mountain Counties) [2]

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1946	.65	.45	.82	1.54	1.64	.64	1.89	1.95	.61	2.18	1.74	.45	14.56
1947	1.00	1.30	1.43	1.84	1.56	2.60	1.51	2.23	1.37	2.19	.86	.86	18.75
1948	1.21	1.43	1.79	1.68	.72	1.46	1.29	1.20	.63	.66	1.26	2.03	15.36
1949	1.16	.80	1.63	1.23	2.21	2.94	2.37	1.06	1.13	1.64	.26	.68	17.11
1950	1.75	.79	.87	1.88	1.24	.47	1.55	.70	1.39	.32	1.37	1.31	13.64
1951	1.49	1.10	.84	1.77	1.33	1.28	1.37	2.04	.57	1.54	1.29	3.69	18.31
1952	1.68	.80	1.84	1.22	1.52	.87	1.96	2.24	.60	.03	1.13	.92	14.81
1953	1.23	.73	1.41	1.70	1.90	.95	2.46	1.57	.18	1.07	1.18	.87	15.25
1954	.76	.55	1.70	.70	1.28	.61	1.99	1.29	2.39	1.16	1.06	.91	14.40
Average 1900-45	1.15	1.28	1.52	1.70	1.48	1.09	2.03	1.91	1.46	1.22	.92	1.12	16.88

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 2 (Northeast Counties) [2]

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1946	.46	.24	1.14	1.10	3.00	1.35	2.10	2.20	1.50	1.72	2.75	.10	17.66
1947	.43	.79	1.13	1.67	3.53	4.32	1.94	1.34	.74	2.50	.95	.45	19.79
1948	1.16	.57	1.40	1.24	1.84	2.61	1.36	1.05	.56	.64	.74	.81	13.98
1949	1.07	.27	1.90	1.24	3.65	4.96	1.75	1.16	.50	1.24	.06	.20	18.00
1950	.62	.44	.44	2.19	2.51	1.24	1.96	.86	1.48	.20	.94	.30	13.18
1951	.68	.57	.77	1.81	2.43	2.65	1.84	2.93	1.49	2.14	.50	1.07	18.88
1952	.13	.49	1.44	2.22	3.94	1.06	.89	1.87	.43	.23	1.18	.29	14.17
1953	.34	.80	1.05	2.24	1.83	1.82	2.21	1.83	.14	.54	.92	.60	14.32
1954	.28	.15	1.04	.45	1.51	.92	1.75	1.34	1.27	.51	.52	.46	10.20
Average 1900-45	.44	.70	1.20	2.41	2.51	1.81	2.22	1.83	1.48	1.20	.61	.67	17.03

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 6 (East Central Counties) [2]

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1946	.35	.19	1.51	1.09	2.89	1.56	3.41	2.74	1.00	1.37	3.21	.08	19.40
1947	.34	.56	.73	1.81	4.60	3.50	2.42	2.55	.66	1.51	.44	.48	19.60
1948	.76	.48	1.38	1.04	2.57	3.56	2.08	2.19	.37	.21	.51	.25	15.40
1949	.83	.18	1.62	.98	3.24	4.20	2.73	2.26	.49	1.15	.09	.15	17.92
1950	.27	.36	.42	1.10	1.48	1.18	3.58	2.13	2.06	.82	.26	.15	13.81
1951	.53	.47	.44	1.60	2.52	3.35	2.27	2.01	1.36	1.38	.79	.52	17.24
1952	.30	.56	1.24	2.19	2.26	.32	.90	3.06	.85	.10	.80	.37	12.95
1953	2.01	.35	.52	2.34	1.79	1.29	2.22	2.29	.13	.80	.85	.58	15.17
1954	.23	.06	.56	.25	1.77	.93	1.96	2.22	.61	.85	.20	.36	10.00
Average 1900-45	.31	.49	.95	2.15	2.32	2.20	2.59	2.35	1.38	.96	.49	.52	16.65

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 7 (West Central and Southwest Counties) [2]

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1946	.52	.30	1.36	1.78	1.59	.24	1.61	2.56	.95	2.07	1.65	.86	15.49
1947	.67	.93	.92	1.04	1.81	1.85	1.03	3.24	1.24	2.70	.84	1.37	17.64
1948	.74	1.97	2.10	1.21	.67	1.87	.95	1.88	.89	1.31	.72	1.61	15.92
1949	2.90	1.03	1.60	1.25	1.55	2.18	1.65	.87	1.27	1.53	.48	1.14	17.45
1950	1.86	1.13	.99	.95	.51	.56	1.60	.46	1.71	.18	.79	1.03	11.77
1951	1.44	.90	.55	1.40	.98	.37	.85	2.04	.73	1.36	1.21	3.51	15.34
1952	2.26	.85	1.58	1.71	.91	.76	1.63	1.93	1.23	0	1.32	.91	15.09
1953	1.06	.42	1.43	1.75	1.19	.52	2.17	1.99	.14	2.71	1.44	.62	15.44
1954	.77	.36	1.39	.66	1.31	.57	2.12	1.32	2.71	1.27	1.12	.82	14.42
Average 1900-45	1.39	1.47	1.75	1.61	1.26	.88	1.69	1.94	1.79	1.54	1.07	1.31	17.61

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 8 (South Central Counties) [2]

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1946	.59	.39	1.68	1.63	.89	.08	2.41	2.21	.83	1.97	1.63	.75	15.06
1947	.94	.57	.50	1.51	1.48	1.40	1.27	2.92	1.67	1.52	.78	1.35	15.91
1948	1.45	2.13	1.88	.89	1.50	1.42	.98	1.30	.50	1.18	.54	1.03	14.80
1949	1.88	.99	1.29	1.06	1.59	1.74	2.23	1.03	1.16	.82	.29	.98	15.06
1950	1.27	.79	.77	.62	.55	1.17	1.54	.71	1.24	.48	.84	.77	10.75
1951	1.45	.81	1.06	1.59	.64	.16	.97	2.14	.16	.69	1.28	2.37	13.32
1952	2.21	.71	1.48	1.43	.90	.36	1.81	2.35	1.44	.02	1.37	.43	14.51
1953	.45	.46	.90	1.27	1.66	.79	2.27	1.07	.05	1.42	1.04	.65	12.03
1954	.60	.17	.75	.32	1.40	.18	2.40	1.64	1.46	.44	.32	.49	10.17
Average 1900-45	.87	1.03	1.33	1.24	1.04	.83	1.77	1.92	1.24	1.09	.82	.88	13.96

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 9 (Southeast Counties) [2]

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
1946	.37	.39	1.66	1.26	2.45	1.00	1.88	3.21	.74	1.60	3.28	.07	17.91
1947	.33	.52	1.06	1.67	3.51	2.02	2.33	1.86	.60	.58	.28	.95	15.71
1948	1.16	1.04	1.88	.52	2.61	2.70	1.30	2.18	.62	.22	.45	.18	14.86
1949	.77	.22	1.04	1.45	2.74	3.99	2.73	1.58	.58	.84	.15	.09	16.18
1950	.17	.28	.22	.58	.85	1.52	3.47	1.92	1.65	.31	.16	.13	11.26
1951	.73	.27	.73	1.00	2.62	2.13	1.40	2.41	.39	.73	.86	.36	13.63
1952	.21	.51	.81	2.18	1.64	.27	1.03	1.81	1.12	.01	.77	.35	10.71
1953	2.05	.26	.89	1.22	2.15	.55	2.56	2.53	.11	.68	1.07	.77	14.84
1954	.28	.22	.45	.30	1.83	.61	2.31	1.79	.39	1.25	.19	.33	9.95
Average 1900-45	.40	.68	.98	1.97	2.00	1.68	2.33	2.09	1.27	1.04	.61	.59	15.60

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

SUMMARY OF NORMAL PRECIPITATION BY STATIONS [1]

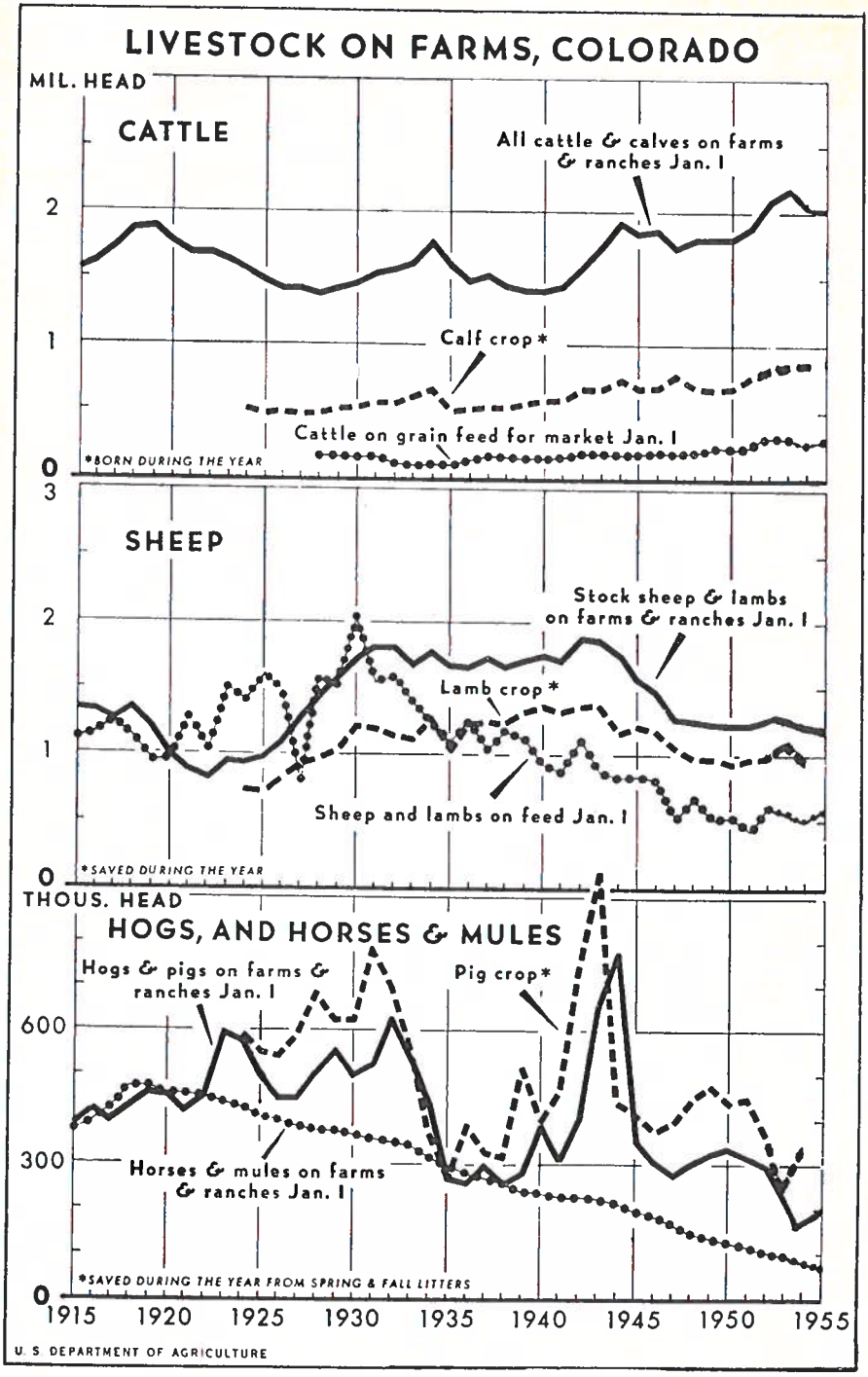
STATION	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
Northwest and Mountain District													
Buena Vista	.36	.58	.72	.89	.83	.56	1.81	1.33	.72	.64	.45	.39	9.28
Craig	.93	.79	1.16	1.41	1.25	1.36	1.07	1.04	1.37	1.42	.76	.96	13.52
Cripple Creek	.49	.57	1.10	1.50	1.86	1.56	4.14	3.04	1.29	.84	.48	.54	17.41
Gunnison	.78	.80	.70	.73	.82	.73	1.49	1.37	.86	.70	.52	.65	10.15
Hayden	1.28	1.18	1.35	1.49	1.57	1.15	1.32	1.38	1.59	1.56	.98	1.33	16.18
Meeker	1.10	.95	1.48	1.57	1.37	1.06	1.46	1.75	1.46	1.50	1.09	1.07	15.86
Salida	.51	.71	.79	1.44	1.03	1.00	1.68	1.49	.97	.91	.61	.59	11.73
Spicer	.84	.85	1.07	1.16	1.07	.89	1.16	1.24	1.17	1.12	.91	.91	12.39
Steamboat Springs	2.25	2.40	2.21	2.21	2.11	1.47	1.46	1.50	1.65	1.90	1.69	2.35	23.20
North Central and Northeast District													
Boulder	.51	.76	1.61	2.69	2.99	1.74	1.87	1.53	1.42	1.58	.84	.75	18.29
Ft. Collins	.42	.56	1.00	2.02	2.81	1.67	1.60	1.32	1.27	1.14	.48	.45	14.74
Ft. Morgan	.26	.30	.67	1.74	2.29	1.81	2.14	1.57	1.12	.84	.35	.34	13.43
Greeley	.31	.40	.76	1.59	2.35	1.58	1.60	1.06	.92	.95	.38	.40	12.30
Grover	.28	.49	.61	1.47	2.32	1.82	2.13	1.58	1.17	.69	.33	.47	13.36
Julesburg	.33	.39	.85	1.98	2.74	2.66	2.40	2.21	1.17	.92	.45	.41	16.51
LeRoy	.41	.52	1.14	2.42	2.65	2.56	2.25	2.16	1.27	1.08	.55	.68	17.69
Longmont	.34	.49	.84	1.84	2.55	1.73	1.57	1.10	1.07	1.15	.53	.45	13.66
Sedgwick	.30	.34	.84	2.07	2.61	2.77	2.50	2.29	1.45	1.00	.43	.49	17.09
Sterling	.32	.34	.80	1.79	2.52	2.39	1.65	1.84	1.26	.96	.45	.46	14.78
East Central District													
Akron	.39	.42	1.03	1.97	2.83	2.49	2.72	1.98	1.57	1.04	.55	.56	17.55
Arriba	.28	.47	.89	1.74	2.50	2.16	2.52	2.23	1.52	.97	.52	.50	16.30
Burlington	.28	.44	.82	1.81	2.40	2.79	2.68	2.58	1.37	.94	.75	.49	17.35
Byers	.41	.42	.81	1.81	2.30	1.57	1.67	1.29	1.05	.60	.50	.41	12.84
Cheyenne Wells	.31	.47	.80	1.65	2.23	2.58	2.59	2.53	1.27	.93	.44	.45	16.25
Colorado Springs	.22	.33	.69	1.40	2.06	1.79	2.72	2.69	1.07	.63	.35	.31	14.26
Denver	.50	.56	1.24	1.90	2.06	1.45	1.22	1.35	.93	1.00	.72	.50	13.43
Eads	.27	.39	.70	1.30	2.38	2.11	2.47	1.84	1.15	1.02	.42	.26	14.31
Haswell	.23	.29	.53	1.08	2.40	2.02	2.36	1.76	.97	.88	.58	.25	13.35
Holyoke	.25	.39	.93	2.10	2.81	3.16	2.55	2.25	1.37	.88	.40	.47	17.56
Limon	.33	.40	.81	1.60	2.14	2.00	2.43	2.09	1.26	.81	.55	.59	15.01
Monument	.52	.75	1.40	2.59	2.56	1.78	2.93	2.84	1.34	1.12	.85	.67	19.35
Parker	.39	.44	.99	1.86	2.24	1.80	2.04	1.75	1.01	.95	.70	.48	14.65
Rush	.16	.30	.52	1.41	2.13	1.76	2.27	2.37	1.12	.45	.29	.25	13.03
Wray	.32	.49	.88	2.39	2.87	2.87	2.77	2.37	1.39	1.00	.46	.44	18.25
Yuma	.37	.48	1.04	2.00	2.52	2.79	2.66	2.36	1.08	.97	.45	.48	17.20
West Central and Southwest District													
Cedaredge	.88	.99	1.13	1.06	1.07	.72	.92	1.17	1.27	1.15	.65	.80	11.81
Collbran	1.16	1.19	1.58	1.61	1.37	.79	1.19	1.50	1.54	1.44	1.02	1.08	15.47
Cortez	1.10	1.39	1.57	1.36	.90	.66	1.52	1.68	1.65	1.52	.96	1.53	15.84
Delta	.60	.51	.64	.65	.79	.44	.75	1.05	.97	.84	.50	.54	8.28
Dolores	1.44	1.58	1.89	1.52	1.16	1.06	1.70	1.62	1.60	1.75	1.18	2.07	18.57
Durango	1.54	1.64	1.75	1.45	1.13	.87	1.95	2.14	1.95	1.87	1.18	1.69	19.16
Ft. Lewis	1.39	1.77	1.59	1.38	1.08	.86	2.13	2.22	1.91	1.75	1.02	1.59	18.69
Fruita	.85	.73	.93	.76	.74	.49	.79	1.00	1.11	.99	.67	.71	9.77
Glenwood Springs	.47	1.43	1.56	1.55	1.31	1.01	1.40	1.64	1.41	1.27	1.07	1.29	16.41
Grand Junction	.60	.63	.87	.75	.68	.45	.79	1.20	1.02	.84	.55	.68	9.06
Ignacio	1.13	1.21	1.34	1.16	1.01	.88	1.81	2.06	1.61	1.37	.87	1.17	15.62
Mancos	1.38	1.44	1.99	1.64	1.27	.95	1.82	1.86	1.50	1.56	1.06	1.18	17.65
Montrose	.62	.58	.78	.96	.87	.47	.83	1.30	1.03	.98	.55	.68	9.65
Northdale	1.10	1.16	1.31	1.08	.83	.63	1.15	1.45	1.91	1.52	.87	1.19	14.20
Norwood	1.00	1.27	1.45	1.56	1.10	.96	1.78	1.97	1.52	1.32	.82	1.11	15.86
Palisade	.60	.50	.82	1.05	.83	.58	.86	1.00	1.24	1.21	.71	.54	9.94
Paonia	1.37	1.36	1.51	1.53	1.32	.72	1.01	1.33	1.39	1.56	1.11	1.31	15.52
Rifle	.89	.67	.98	1.05	.94	.56	1.11	1.06	1.08	1.18	.76	.83	11.11
South Central District													
Alamosa	.23	.18	.43	.54	.57	.49	.87	1.10	.69	.58	.38	.17	6.23
Blanca	.34	.49	.46	.93	.80	.67	1.77	1.80	.93	.76	.57	.45	9.97
Del Norte	.36	.30	.52	.74	.69	.59	1.29	1.50	.89	.64	.44	.31	8.27
Manassa	.22	.26	.37	.57	.67	.47	.99	1.35	.72	.69	.26	.26	6.83
Monte Vista	.37	.35	.47	.86	.67	.52	1.13	1.00	.72	.51	.21	.35	7.16
Saguache	.25	.34	.39	.62	.76	.82	1.55	1.55	.83	.71	.29	.29	8.40
Southeast District													
Bloom	.27	.41	.78	1.59	2.17	1.15	1.71	1.31	.91	.64	.77	.40	12.11
Canon City	.40	.53	.84	1.56	1.72	1.13	1.85	1.88	.95	.77	.56	.68	12.87
Holly	.30	.50	.58	1.66	2.11	2.29	2.39	2.16	1.26	.92	.47	.44	15.08
Lamar	.31	.51	.83	1.59	2.24	2.21	2.51	2.03	1.21	.96	.49	.55	15.44
Las Animas	.26	.40	.63	1.44	2.01	1.56	2.06	1.62	.90	.74	.39	.45	12.46
Pueblo	.38	.48	.70	1.24	1.73	1.40	1.81	1.78	.75	.70	.47	.43	11.87
Rocky Ford	.30	.32	.63	1.45	1.98	1.45	2.25	1.56	.83	.83	.44	.39	12.43
Springfield	.48	.62	1.14	1.76	2.56	2.13	2.33	1.94	1.46	.98	.68	.59	16.67
Troy	.33	.28	1.08	1.92	2.49	2.41	2.47	2.37	1.59	1.05	.54	.36	16.89
Two Buttes	.34	.55	.80	1.69	2.18	2.19	2.34	1.84	1.35	.85	.45	.54	15.12
Utleyville	.34	.30	.78	1.51	2.34	2.09	2.36	1.95	1.41	1.04	.56	.31	14.99
Walsenburg	.65	.69	1.41	2.22	1.96	1.09	1.60	1.43	1.25	.96	.66	.54	14.46
Westcliffe	.65	.77	1.31	2.30	1.68	1.43	2.55	2.16	1.26	1.18	.83	.74	16.86
State	.93	1.01	1.36	1.73	1.75	1.45	2.02	1.90	1.39	1.23	.83	.94	16.54

[1] Compiled from records of the United States Weather Bureau. Official normals effective January 1, 1953. Based on or adjusted to 30 year period, 1921-1950.

LENGTH OF GROWING SEASON IN COLORADO [1]

COUNTY	STATION	Length of Record (Years)	No. of Days Between Killing Frosts: Average	Shortest	Longest	Range of Dates of Last Killing Frost in Spring and First in Fall: Spring	Fall
Northwest and Mountain District							
Chaffee	Buena Vista	35	109	78	150	April 19 to June 28	Aug. 29 to Oct. 23
Chaffee	Salida	40	113	68	177	April 28 to June 30	Sept. 3 to Nov. 1
Gunnison	Gunnison	12	77	35	130	May 13 to July 11	July 31 to Oct. 2
Jackson	Spicer	7	60	11	92	June 4 to July 12	July 11 to Sept. 11
Moffat	Craig	11	81	47	137	May 19 to July 12	Aug. 15 to Oct. 4
Moffat	Lay	41	80	30	168	April 7 to July 7	Aug. 11 to Sept. 26
Rio Blanco	Meeker	54	91	47	120	May 17 to July 13	Aug. 12 to Oct. 10
Routt	Hayden	31	95	52	154	May 1 to July 4	July 31 to Oct. 9
Routt	Steamboat Springs	8	55	4	121	June 10 to July 12	July 2 to Sept. 30
Teller	Victor	26	99	46	134	May 22 to July 8	July 13 to Oct. 6
North Central and Northeast District							
Boulder	Boulder	54	161	125	207	April 13 to June 13	Sept. 15 to Nov. 10
Boulder	Longmont	45	147	89	181	April 10 to June 16	Sept. 13 to Oct. 29
Larimer	Ft. Collins	56	144	94	181	April 10 to June 13	Sept. 7 to Oct. 18
Logan	Le Roy	44	155	100	184	April 13 to May 27	Aug. 25 to Oct. 27
Logan	Sterling	41	145	95	188	April 10 to June 12	Sept. 9 to Oct. 28
Morgan	Ft. Morgan	53	146	87	193	April 12 to June 30	Aug. 25 to Oct. 30
Sedgwick	Julesburg	36	145	94	187	April 15 to June 19	Sept. 15 to Oct. 29
Sedgwick	Sedgwick	36	147	126	175	April 10 to May 27	Sept. 9 to Oct. 24
Weld	Greeley	56	148	94	180	April 9 to June 13	Sept. 7 to Oct. 18
Weld	Grover	41	127	82	169	April 10 to June 30	Aug. 25 to Oct. 18
East Central District							
Cheyenne	Cheyenne Wells	55	154	120	182	April 5 to June 4	Sept. 9 to Oct. 26
Denver	Denver	70	164	110	204	Mar. 30 to June 6	Sept. 9 to Nov. 6
Douglas	Castle Rock	31	152	99	154	April 19 to June 10	Sept. 10 to Oct. 15
Elbert	Hamps	27	134	98	164	April 25 to June 10	Sept. 6 to Oct. 23
El Paso	Calhan	35	138	108	174	April 19 to June 6	Sept. 2 to Oct. 27
El Paso	Colorado Springs	56	149	112	194	April 16 to June 3	Sept. 4 to Oct. 29
El Paso	Monument	39	121	85	159	April 21 to June 19	Sept. 3 to Oct. 13
Kiowa	Eads	32	156	129	194	April 5 to June 5	Sept. 9 to Nov. 2
Kit Carson	Burlington	44	157	111	193	April 7 to June 4	Sept. 23 to Nov. 3
Lincoln	Arriba	29	141	94	172	April 21 to June 7	Sept. 6 to Oct. 20
Lincoln	Limon	41	143	105	172	April 19 to June 13	Sept. 9 to Oct. 28
Phillips	Holyoke	42	147	108	194	April 15 to June 6	Sept. 12 to Oct. 29
Washington	Akron	23	146	121	188	April 21 to June 5	Sept. 9 to Oct. 28
Yuma	Wray	52	129	114	179	April 11 to May 29	Sept. 12 to Oct. 26
West Central and Southwest District							
Archuleta	Pagosa Springs	19	75	37	138	May 20 to July 29	Aug. 4 to Oct. 4
Delta	Cedaredge	49	142	95	199	April 12 to June 13	Sept. 10 to Oct. 28
Delta	Crawford	14	137	111	171	May 3 to June 12	Sept. 14 to Oct. 26
Delta	Delta	55	147	94	199	April 7 to June 18	Sept. 11 to Oct. 29
Delta	Paonia	47	154	92	228	April 5 to June 17	Sept. 16 to Nov. 11
Dolores	Northdale	12	109	84	150	May 7 to July 12	Sept. 9 to Oct. 23
Garfield	Glenwood Springs	47	131	58	171	April 4 to June 13	Aug. 9 to Oct. 25
Garfield	Rifle	36	142	91	195	Mar. 5 to June 17	Sept. 9 to Oct. 25
La Plata	Durango	55	117	79	172	April 22 to June 26	Sept. 9 to Oct. 23
La Plata	Ft. Lewis	12	101	73	149	May 5 to June 29	Aug. 30 to Oct. 8
La Plata	Ignacio	36	108	69	150	April 24 to June 22	Aug. 28 to Oct. 15
Mesa	Collbran	50	124	78	165	April 23 to July 3	Sept. 8 to Oct. 24
Mesa	Fruita	49	154	115	201	April 3 to July 1	Sept. 9 to Oct. 31
Mesa	Grand Junction	59	190	136	235	Mar. 15 to May 19	Sept. 9 to Nov. 11
Mesa	Palisade	35	183	142	222	Mar. 19 to May 26	Sept. 9 to Nov. 13
Montezuma	Cortez	12	136	101	189	April 23 to June 18	Sept. 9 to Oct. 30
Montezuma	Dolores	14	129	109	151	May 4 to June 5	Sept. 19 to Oct. 28
Montezuma	Mancos	20	110	70	143	May 14 to July 6	Aug. 27 to Oct. 24
Montrose	Montrose	58	150	112	200	April 7 to June 13	Sept. 14 to Nov. 2
Montrose	Redvale	11	129	90	163	April 27 to June 13	Sept. 9 to Oct. 26
San Miguel	Norwood	12	102	80	144	May 20 to June 29	Sept. 9 to Oct. 12
South Central District							
Alamosa	Alamosa	12	103	73	144	May 9 to June 29	Aug. 30 to Oct. 1
Alamosa	Garnet	43	98	65	140	May 3 to July 7	Aug. 13 to Oct. 10
Conejos	Manassa	42	99	45	127	May 7 to June 20	Aug. 2 to Sept. 30
Costilla	San Luis	30	108	68	128	May 16 to July 6	Sept. 5 to Oct. 11
Rio Grande	Del Norte	11	112	83	163	May 1 to June 28	Sept. 9 to Oct. 11
Rio Grande	Monte Vista	12	106	85	152	May 2 to June 23	Sept. 9 to Oct. 1
Saguache	Saguache	48	118	77	178	April 21 to June 26	Aug. 28 to Oct. 16
Southeast District							
Baca	Two Buttes	47	168	124	205	April 8 to June 2	Sept. 17 to Nov. 4
Bent	Las Animas	58	161	123	224	Mar. 23 to June 1	Sept. 7 to Nov. 2
Custer	Westcliffe	43	95	3	131	May 5 to July 29	Aug. 1 to Oct. 10
Fremont	Canon City	58	166	124	207	Mar. 7 to June 2	Sept. 17 to Nov. 11
Huerfano	Huerfano	16	131	110	150	Mar. 7 to June 6	Sept. 21 to Oct. 12
Las Animas	Hoehne	34	147	73	201	April 18 to July 4	Sept. 10 to Nov. 16
Otero	Rocky Ford	58	164	113	221	Mar. 5 to June 2	Sept. 17 to Oct. 27
Prowers	Holly	46	167	134	202	April 2 to June 2	Sept. 17 to Oct. 31
Prowers	Lamar	55	167	135	193	April 3 to May 29	Sept. 17 to Oct. 31
Pueblo	Pueblo	62	172	131	218	Mar. 21 to June 2	Sept. 12 to Oct. 31

[1] Compiled from records of the United States Weather Bureau, including data through 1950.


LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, COLORADO
MIL. HEAD
CATTLE
All cattle & calves on farms & ranches Jan. 1
Calf crop*
Cattle on grain feed for market Jan. 1
*BORN DURING THE YEAR
SHEEP
Stock sheep & lambs on farms & ranches Jan. 1
Lamb crop*
Sheep and lambs on feed Jan. 1
*SAVED DURING THE YEAR
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HOGS, AND HORSES & MULES
Hogs & pigs on farms & ranches Jan. 1
Pig crop*
Horses & mules on farms & ranches Jan. 1
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Summary of livestock numbers and value on farms January 1.

	Number on Farms January 1			Value Per Head January 1			Total Value January 1		
	1953	1954	1955	1953	1954	1955	1953	1954	1955
	Thousands			Dollars			Thousand Dollars		
All Cattle and Calves	2,161	2,096	2,054	117.00	88.00	88.00	252,837	184,448	180,752
Cows 2 Years Old for Milk	182	187	183	199.00	155.00	140.00	36,218	28,985	25,620
Hogs and Pigs	209	161	190	20.40	32.00	25.20	4,264	5,152	4,788
Sheep and Lambs on Feed	545	505	542	17.00	15.00	15.00	9,265	7,575	8,130
Stock Sheep	1,299	1,221	1,160	18.20	15.30	16.20	23,642	18,681	18,792
Horses	87	79	74	34.00	36.00	42.00	2,958	2,844	3,108
Mules	4	3	2	50.00	45.00	45.00	200	135	90
Chickens	2,502	2,549	2,546	1.20	1.20	1.00	3,002	3,059	2,546
Turkeys	48	36	40	6.20	6.80	5.50	298	245	220
TOTAL VALUE							296,466	222,139	218,426
Cattle on Grain Feed Jan. 1[1]	296	245	275						
Calf Crop, Annual	838	860							
Lamb Crop, Annual	1,047	995							
Pig Crop, Annual	234	329							
Chickens Raised, Annual	5,043	5,194							
Turkeys Raised, Annual	636	795	755						

[1] These figures included in all cattle and calves.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY AND VALUE—January 1, 1955 and 1954

The January 1, 1955 farm and ranch inventory of beef cattle, stock sheep, horses and chickens was smaller than a year earlier, but there were more hogs and turkeys. The number of beef cows retained in breeding herds was nearly a tenth smaller than a year previous and breeding ewe numbers were down about 4 percent from January 1, 1954. Values per head January 1, 1955 for hogs, milk cows, chickens and turkeys were lower than on January 1, 1954. The average value of all cattle was the same on January 1, 1955, while prices per head for stock sheep and horses were higher than at the beginning of 1954. Cattle prices stabilized somewhat following two years of pronounced price drops. The aggregate value of all species of livestock and poultry combined, placed at $218,426,000 on January 1, 1955 was about 2 percent less than the gross inventory value of $222,139,000 for January 1, 1954. In general, drought conditions during 1954 limited supplies of grain and range feed. This resulted in curtailment of livestock numbers on farms and ranches, particularly in eastern Colorado. Declines in numbers of livestock during 1954 were as follows: Cattle 42,000 head, stock sheep 61,000 head; horses 5,000 head; and milk cows 4,000 head. Higher market prices for hogs during the earlier part of 1954 stimulated hog production and January 1, 1955 hog numbers were 29,000 above the extremely low inventory reported January 1, 1954.

Cattle and Calves—The number of all cattle and calves on Colorado ranches and farms January 1, 1955 was estimated at 2,054,000 head, down 2 percent from the January 1, 1954 inventory of 2,096,000 head. The record high number of 2,161,000 head was on hand January 1, 1953 and the 1944-53 average was 1,890,000 head.

Many stockmen in drought areas of the state were forced to cull their breeding herds below the normal carrying capacity of their ranges. The short feed and hay crops produced in 1954 were supplemented to some extent with grain and hay shipped in under the drought relief program. Open weather during the early winter months aided in conservation of the below normal supplies of hay and roughage on hand for wintering livestock. Continued low market prices also contributed to inventory reduction.

The major portion of the over-all inventory reduction took place in the beef cow classification. Beef cows on hand January 1, 1955 totalled 709,000 head compared with 779,000 head a year earlier. In other beef cattle classi-

fications, numbers January 1, 1955 compared with January 1, 1954 were as follows: heifers 1 to 2 years old 236,000 compared with 208,000; calves, 511,000 compared with 515,000; steers one year old and over 267,000 and 255,000 and bulls, 47,000 and 50,000.

Average value per head of all cattle at $88.00 on January 1, 1955 was the same as the preceding year but $25.00 below average. A record high value of $177.00 per head was recorded on January 1, 1952. Total value of cattle and calves January 1, 1955 was placed at $180,752,000, the lowest since 1947. Inventory value January 1, 1954 was $184,448,000 and the 1944-53 average inventory was worth $214,576,000.

Cows and heifers 2 years old and over on farms January 1, 1955 which were kept for milk, numbered 183,000 head, 4,000 under the corresponding number at the beginning of 1954 and 13 percent below average. Milk production per cow, however, has increased in recent years with production tending to center in specialized dairy operations. Heifers being kept for milk cows totalled 43,000 on January 1, 1955 compared with 48,000 a year earlier. Total milk stock (including heifer calves) declined 2 percent during 1953. The average farm value of cows kept for milk at the beginning of 1955 was $140.00 compared with $155.00 on January 1, 1954 and the lowest recorded average inventory value since 1947.

There were 275,000 head of cattle and calves in Colorado feed lots on January 1, 1955. This was a 30,000-head or 12 percent increase from the 245,000 head on feed January 1, 1954. Cattle and calf feeding reached a peak in Colorado January 1, 1952, with 300,000 head, and was off slightly a year later. In the mid-1940's the number of cattle in Colorado feed lots about January 1 was at approximately the 160,000 level and gradually increased to a total exceeding 200,000 head at the beginning of 1949. The number has remained above this level each year thereafter. In addition, with increased demands for well-finished beef on the Pacific Coast and locally, the industry of fattening cattle and calves came more and more to be a year-round enterprise. This was particularly true in the northern Colorado area where the bulk of cattle finishing is accomplished on an efficient basis by experienced feeders who turn out a quality product.

Feeding was on a larger scale in all areas in the state in January, 1955 than on January 1, 1954 with the bulk of the increase, however, being in the northern Colorado and South Platte Valley sections. In northern Colorado the number on feed January 1, 1955 totalled approximately 238,000 head against 213,000 head a year earlier. In the Arkansas Valley the comparison was about 30,000 against 26,000. Miscellaneous sections including the lower western valleys totalled about 7,000 head against 6,000.

Calf Crop—The 1954 calf crop of 860,000 head set a new record for the fourth consecutive year. In 1953, 838,000 calves were produced. The average calf crop during the period 1943-52 was 710,000 head. The bumper 1954 crop resulted from a record high number of cows for breeding coupled with a number of calves per 100 cows equalled or exceeded only twice in 31 years of comparable data. Cows of breeding age on farms January 1, 1954 numbered 966,000, 4 percent greater than the 931,000 on hand the same date in 1953. On January 1, 1955, however, a decline of 8 percent from the record high January 1, 1954 number was noted indicating a smaller 1955 calf crop and at least a temporary reversal in the up-trend of recent years.

Sheep and Lambs—Stock sheep numbers continued the decline of recent years to total only 1,160,000 head on January 1, 1955. This was 5 percent fewer than the 1,221,000 head on hand the same date a year earlier, 15 percent below the 1944-53 average, and the smallest inventory at the beginning of any year since 1926. Short feed supplies in some localities, high labor costs and low market prices were the principal causes of the reduction. A further decline seems likely since breeding ewe numbers totaled only 995,000 head January 1, 1955 compared with 1,036,000 head a year previous.

Ewe lamb numbers show an even greater decrease, 122,000 head estimated January 1, 1955 compared with 138,000 head on January 1, 1954. Other classes of stock sheep showed only minor decreases.

The average value per head of all stock sheep on January 1, 1955 was $16.20, 90 cents higher than the year before but still below the 10-year average of $19.10. Values of stock sheep in the past 15 years have ranged from $7.60 per head to $34.10. Aggregate value of the stock sheep inventory at the beginning of 1955 was $18,792,000, virtually unchanged from that of a year earlier.

The number of sheep and lambs in feed lots January 1, 1955, totalled 542,000 head, an increase of 37,000 head or 7 percent from the number on feed January 1, 1954. Most of the increase was in the northern Colorado area tributary to Fort Collins and Greeley. This industry, which was once quite important in the Sterling-Fort Morgan area has been of little importance in that section in recent years. Fewer lambs were on feed in the Arkansas Valley in 1955, the number being 95,000 head against 120,000 January 1, 1954.

The number of sheep and lambs on feed in Colorado January 1, 1955 at 542,000 head is far removed from the heyday of lamb feeding in the late 1920's and early 1930's when 1.5 to 2.0 million lambs were in feed lots the first of each year. In recent years the number has been only at the ½ million mark or a little better. It is noteworthy, however, that even with this sharp decrease, compared with 25 years ago, Colorado, on January 1, 1955, had more lambs in feed lots than any other state in the Nation. Nearest approach to the Colorado number was Nebraska with an even ½ million head, followed by Iowa with 371,000 head on January 1, 1955.

Lamb Crop—Colorado sheepmen docked and branded an estimated 995,000 head of lambs during 1954. This was a decrease of 5 percent or 52,000 lambs from a year earlier, but was still the second largest lamb crop since 1947. A reduction in size of the breeding herds retained by ranchers and farmers in 1954 was the primary reason for the smaller lamb crop since death losses of lambs were relatively light. The decline during 1954 follows a three-year period of successively larger lamb crops, during which time numbers of lambs saved increased from 944,000 head in 1950 to 1,047,000 head in 1953. The number of lambs saved over the ten-year (1943-52) period has averaged 1,083,000 head annually.

The lambing percentage was high again in 1954, being exceeded only in 1951 and equalled only in 1952 and 1953. The indicated survival for 1954 was 96 lambs per 100 ewes. The survival in 1951 was 97 lambs per 100 ewes while the average survival for the 10-year period was only 91 lambs per 100 ewes. Generally mild weather prevailed throughout the lambing season and was, in large part, responsible for the relatively high livability of lambs.

Wool—The 1954 wool clip totalled 11,296,000 pounds, slightly less than the 11,636,000 pounds of wool shorn in 1953. Wool production for the ten-year (1943-52) period averaged 11,986,000 pounds. The decline in wool production in 1954 was due wholly to a decrease in shearings compared with 1953. The decrease in number of sheep shorn was offset to some extent by a slightly higher average weight per fleece. Wool production in Colorado declined from a record large clip of 15½ million pounds in 1943 to a low of about 10 million pounds in 1949. The 1954 clip was 12 percent larger than the small wool crop of 1949.

The 1954 average weight per fleece at 9.3 pounds compared with a 9.0 pound fleece weight in 1953 and a ten-year average of 8.9 pounds. The 1954 fleece weight was heavier than usual, being exceeded only by an average of 9.6 pounds per fleece attained in 1951. The number of sheep shorn in 1954, 1,221,000 head, was 5 percent less than the 1,286,000 head shorn a year earlier and 10 percent smaller than average.

Total value of the 1954 wool clip was placed at $5,648,000 compared with $6,051,000 received for the 1953 crop and an average of $5,969,000. The season average price received by wool growers for their 1954 crop was 50 cents per pound, the lowest since 1949 but above the 1943-52 average. The high point in wool prices was reached in 1951 when an average price of $1.00 per pound prevailed. In 1932 Colorado sheepmen received 7 cents per pound for wool.

Hogs and Pigs—After several years of downtrend in numbers, a favorable hog-corn price relationship stimulated production in Colorado and the hog inventory rose to 190,000 head on January 1, 1955. This was an increase of 18 percent over the 161,000 head a year earlier but only 54 percent of the 1944-53 average number. The major portion of the increase was recorded in pigs under six months, 117,000 January 1, 1955 compared with 92,000 January 1, 1954. Sows and gilts over six months old showed a decrease from 30,000 to 26,000.

Even with increased numbers, the total inventory value was less on January 1, 1955 than the same date a year earlier due to lower average prices, $25.20 compared with $32.00 January 1, 1954. Value of all hogs and pigs on farms at the beginning of 1955 was estimated at $4,788,000, 7 percent less than the corresponding value of $5,152,000 for 1954 and 46 percent below average.

Colorado hog production showed some tendency in 1954 to reverse the downtrend which has been under way since 1949. Hog raisers saved a total of 329,000 pigs during 1954. This was 41 percent more than the 30-year low of only 234,000 pigs saved in 1953. Despite the increase over 1953, the 1954 pig crop was still the second smallest since 1938 and only about one-third as large as the record high of 961,000 pigs saved in 1943. The average annual pig crop for the 10-year (1943-52) period was 475,000 head.

The 1954 **spring** pig crop, estimated at 188,000 head, represented a 42 percent increase over the 132,000 head of spring pigs saved a year earlier. This increase was reflected in increased marketings of hogs from Colorado early in the fall of 1954 and continuing into the first few months of 1955. Although larger than a year earlier, the 1954 spring pig crop was about a third smaller than the 10-year (1943-52) average of 278,000 head.

The number of sows farrowed in the spring of 1954 totalled 29,000 head compared with 21,000 sows farrowing in the spring of 1953 and the average of 47,000 spring farrowed sows. Pigs saved per litter in the spring of 1954 were at the new record high level of 6.5 pigs per litter. This compared with the previous record average of 6.3 pigs per litter the spring of 1953 and the 10-year average of 6.0 pigs per litter. Open weather with relatively few severe storms favored high livability of pigs born the first half of 1954.

An estimated 21,000 sows farrowed in the **fall** of 1954. This represented an increase of 31 percent from the 16,000 sows farrowed in the fall of 1953, but was 34 percent less than the average fall farrowings of 32,000 head. The 6.7 pigs saved per litter in the fall of 1954 was a record high and compared with 6.4 pigs saved a year earlier and a previous high of 6.5 pigs per litter. Generally dry weather during the six-month period and the relatively mild fall months favored survival of pigs born. The fall 1954 pig crop totalled 141,000 head contrasted with a 102,000 head fall pig crop in 1953 and the average crop of 196,000 pigs.

Horses and Mules—The downtrend in numbers of horses and mules continued during 1954. Only 74,000 head of horses, most of which were saddle and cow ponies, were on farms and ranches January 1, 1955. Only 2,000 mules are left in Colorado.

Chickens and Eggs—The number of chickens on farms January 1, 1955, totalled 2,546,000 birds, nearly the same as a year earlier when chickens numbered 2,549,000. Value of the January 1 inventory, however, declined from $3,059,000 in 1954 to $2,546,000 in 1955 due to a lower average price. The number of chickens raised showed a slight increase during 1954. A total of 5,194,000 birds was raised during 1954 while 5,043,000 were raised in each of the two preceding years.

Farm consumption of chickens during 1954 totalled 1,542,000 birds, 12 percent more than the 1,377,000 birds consumed during 1953. Value of chickens for home consumption was placed at $927,000 for 1954 compared with $1,061,000 for 1953. Colorado farmers sold 3,145,000 chickens for $1,-996,000 during 1954. In 1953, 3,119,000 birds were sold for a cash return of $2,670,000. Gross income from farm chickens in 1954 was estimated at $2,-923,000 compared with a gross income of $3,731,000 in 1953.

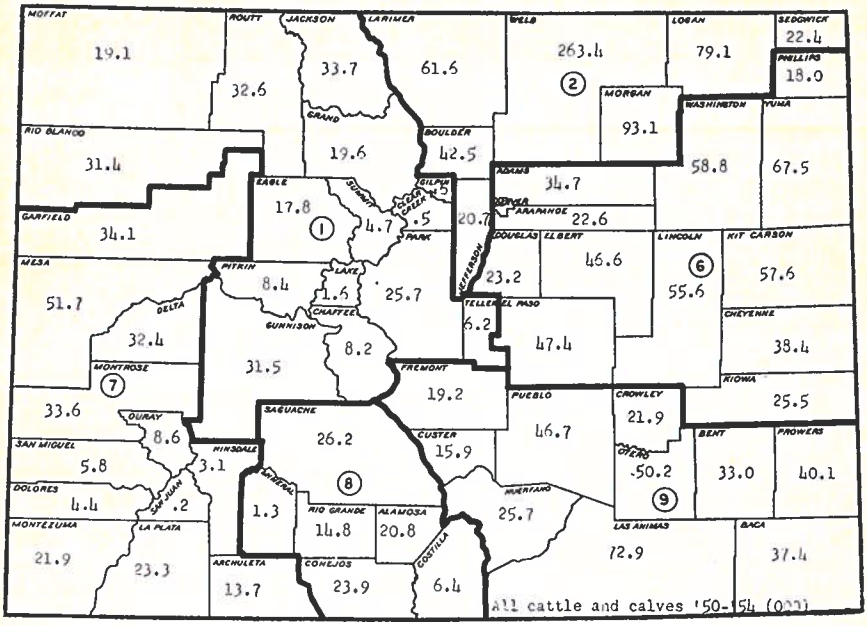
During 1954 another record high number of eggs per layer was established, 180 compared with a previous high of 179 set in 1953. The average number of layers increased from 2,108,000 in 1953 to 2,148,000 in 1954. Production of eggs over the same period increased from 377,000,000 to 387,000,000. Cash receipts from eggs sold declined, however, from $11,948,000 to $9,589,000 due to significantly lower prices.

The number of **commercial broilers** produced (not included in farm chickens raised) declined for the first time in 8 years during 1954. A total of 2,210,000 birds were produced in 1954 compared with 2,278,000 produced a year earlier. Gross income from broilers was estimated at $1,903,000 in 1954 compared with $1,982,000 in 1953.

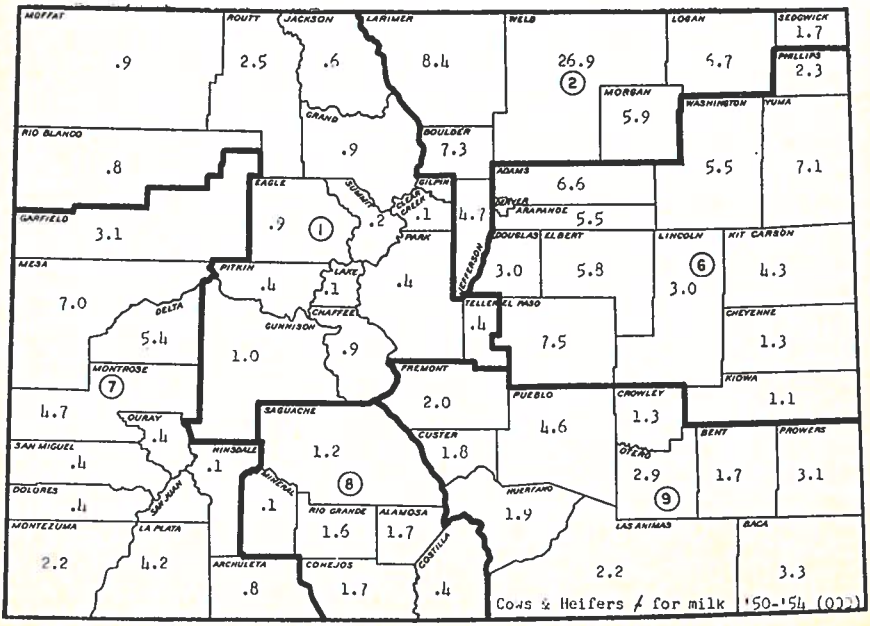
Turkeys—The number of turkeys raised during 1954 was estimated at 795,000 birds, the largest number since 1946 and an increase of 25 percent over the number raised during 1953. The 1953 number was 636,000. Average price per pound received for 1954 turkeys was only 28.8 cents per pound compared with an average price of 35.3 cents per pound received for sales of 1953 birds. Even with a 25 percent greater production, the much lower price resulted in an increase of only 2 percent in cash receipts, $4,442,000 in 1954 compared with $4,366,000 in 1953. Gross income (cash receipts from sales plus value of turkeys consumed on farms where produced) totalled $4,528,000 in 1954 compared with $4,477,000 in 1953.

Turkeys on farms January 1, 1955 numbered 40,000 birds, 4,000 more than on the same date a year earlier. The January 1, 1954 inventory of only 36,000 birds was the smallest of record dating back to 1929. Turkey breeder hens on hand at the beginning of 1955 numbered 12,000 compared with 9,000 a year earlier. This would indicate another year of increased turkey production in Colorado.

ALL CATTLE AND CALVES ON FARMS JANUARY 1
Average Number 1950-1954
(Thousand Head)



COWS AND HEIFERS OVER TWO YEARS OLD KEPT FOR MILK
Average Number on Farms January 1, 1950-1954
(Thousand Head)



ESTIMATED NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1, 1950-1954

COUNTY	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES					COWS AND HEIFERS Over 2 Yrs. Old (Kept for Milk)				
	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
Chaffee	6,880	7,140	8,120	9,250	9,660	930	940	950	920	920
Clear Creek	420	490	400	520	520	70	60	60	60	80
Eagle	17,170	16,030	17,360	18,920	19,270	970	910	940	890	930
Gilpin	710	610	700	630	580	50	30	30	30	30
Grand	17,670	18,030	19,450	22,030	20,840	950	860	890	810	790
Gunnison	30,900	30,090	29,950	32,470	34,040	1,090	1,060	970	960	1,060
Jackson	33,140	33,340	35,070	32,000	35,090	600	630	660	560	540
Lake	1,690	1,500	1,410	1,670	1,740	120	100	140	120	150
Moffat	17,470	18,040	18,600	20,110	21,100	980	920	930	880	910
Park	22,320	20,580	26,330	30,990	28,490	570	410	540	400	310
Pitkin	7,690	7,850	8,460	9,360	8,740	450	450	480	390	420
Rio Blanco	26,360	29,810	32,300	33,560	35,120	790	890	840	770	740
Routt	28,820	30,980	38,200	33,120	31,800	2,640	2,790	2,440	2,280	2,380
Summit	3,420	4,220	4,690	5,230	5,790	160	170	140	140	160
Teller	5,520	5,590	5,790	6,950	6,980	390	290	380	350	380
Total Northwest District	**220,180**	**224,300**	**246,830**	**256,810**	**259,760**	**10,760**	**10,510**	**10,390**	**9,560**	**9,800**
Boulder	37,090	37,680	45,360	44,610	47,700	7,890	7,190	7,630	7,500	6,410
Jefferson	19,240	19,660	21,140	22,310	21,260	5,010	4,790	4,740	4,470	4,650
Larimer	56,140	59,450	67,540	63,540	61,580	8,270	8,220	7,720	8,370	9,590
Logan	66,960	76,680	87,740	86,270	77,950	7,000	6,750	6,720	6,450	6,460
Morgan	66,840	82,900	99,300	111,900	104,740	6,130	6,130	5,930	5,800	5,660
Sedgwick	19,130	21,720	24,270	23,900	23,190	1,670	1,830	1,750	1,720	1,690
Weld	230,100	261,120	276,350	278,820	270,380	25,960	26,300	23,270	28,190	30,820
Total N. Central & N. E. District	**495,500**	**559,210**	**621,700**	**631,350**	**606,800**	**61,930**	**61,210**	**57,760**	**62,500**	**65,280**
Adams	31,600	34,000	34,800	36,840	36,320	7,200	6,380	6,350	6,310	6,750
Arapahoe	21,120	20,520	22,740	24,220	24,290	5,410	5,450	5,640	5,770	5,250
Cheyenne	29,730	35,630	43,470	42,900	40,480	1,470	1,270	1,280	1,210	1,260
Denver	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Douglas	21,990	21,170	22,470	26,270	23,920	3,440	3,000	2,840	2,810	2,850
Elbert	44,000	43,050	48,320	51,830	45,670	6,220	5,900	5,390	5,620	5,880
El Paso	44,580	43,470	47,760	51,580	49,400	8,290	7,070	6,800	8,080	7,180
Kiowa	23,790	25,870	29,760	24,940	23,100	1,180	1,280	1,250	960	810
Kit Carson	52,510	51,900	63,200	61,830	58,340	4,310	5,060	3,990	3,730	4,370
Lincoln	49,460	49,730	59,990	60,720	57,920	3,040	2,940	3,040	2,860	2,990
Phillips	14,600	15,680	20,650	19,490	19,630	2,310	2,370	2,410	2,160	2,460
Washington	52,590	55,520	64,450	61,680	59,670	6,240	6,700	4,940	4,300	5,560
Yuma	63,240	65,870	72,810	71,630	63,890	7,070	7,690	7,000	6,630	7,070
Total East Central District	**449,210**	**462,410**	**530,420**	**533,930**	**502,630**	**56,180**	**55,110**	**50,930**	**50,440**	**52,430**
Archuleta	13,050	12,820	12,400	14,940	15,090	920	780	760	580	740
Delta	30,590	31,160	31,550	34,250	34,350	5,700	5,280	5,500	5,120	5,260
Dolores	3,810	4,130	4,350	4,650	4,970	340	500	580	300	360
Garfield	32,770	31,970	33,910	35,760	36,020	3,100	3,060	3,150	3,050	3,070
Hinsdale	2,870	2,880	2,990	3,450	3,430	100	100	90	60	80
La Plata	21,000	21,700	21,770	25,690	26,240	4,340	3,920	4,190	4,300	4,470
Mesa	49,290	47,820	51,000	54,400	55,800	7,090	6,910	7,000	7,010	7,130
Montezuma	19,410	18,990	19,760	25,690	25,580	2,000	2,200	2,640	1,490	1,840
Montrose	30,800	31,590	32,590	35,320	37,710	4,580	4,480	4,560	4,790	4,900
Ouray	8,840	8,170	8,180	8,750	9,140	500	420	410	430	480
San Juan	110	200	150	190	200	30	20	10	10	10
San Miguel	5,850	5,080	5,650	6,010	6,180	370	440	450	400	350
Total West Central & S. W. District	**218,390**	**216,510**	**224,300**	**249,100**	**254,710**	**30,070**	**28,110**	**29,340**	**27,540**	**28,690**
Alamosa	19,440	19,070	18,790	22,040	24,510	1,950	1,950	1,550	1,560	1,580
Conejos	23,280	23,780	23,250	24,330	24,760	1,980	1,800	1,810	1,550	1,470
Costilla	5,860	5,500	6,880	6,860	6,880	500	410	480	380	400
Mineral	2,180	1,100	860	1,200	1,100	70	60	50	60	70
Rio Grande	14,760	14,430	13,850	15,310	15,900	1,840	1,700	1,810	1,550	1,320
Saguache	25,850	24,720	23,820	27,040	29,330	1,330	1,350	1,300	1,070	1,100
Total South Central District	**91,370**	**88,600**	**87,450**	**96,780**	**102,480**	**7,670**	**7,270**	**7,000**	**6,170**	**5,940**
Baca	34,880	41,880	45,690	33,210	31,380	3,020	3,540	3,200	3,620	3,230
Bent	30,530	32,000	32,920	36,970	32,350	1,890	1,590	1,830	1,740	1,680
Crowley	17,650	19,220	23,990	25,640	22,850	1,400	1,210	1,190	1,360	1,480
Custer	13,830	14,340	15,700	17,450	18,270	1,500	1,740	1,950	2,000	1,920
Fremont	17,700	18,490	18,080	21,630	19,940	1,970	1,830	1,980	2,000	2,250
Huerfano	23,780	23,820	25,450	27,920	27,500	1,900	1,690	1,920	2,040	2,030
Las Animas	69,490	68,530	75,650	75,510	75,110	2,630	2,150	2,390	2,010	1,720
Otero	42,300	39,940	56,540	60,700	51,460	3,060	2,850	3,030	2,930	2,820
Prowers	32,230	40,200	44,630	41,300	41,960	2,990	3,080	2,770	3,300	3,520
Pueblo	42,960	40,380	48,640	52,620	48,950	5,080	4,170	4,350	4,850	4,550
Total Southeast District	**325,350**	**338,800**	**387,290**	**392,950**	**369,770**	**25,440**	**23,850**	**24,610**	**25,850**	**25,200**
State Total	**1,800,000**	**1,889,830**	**2,097,990**	**2,160,920**	**2,096,150**	**192,050**	**186,060**	**180,030**	**182,060**	**187,340**

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, 1946-1955
(Estimated Number and Value January 1)

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES		
	Number	Farm Value		Number	Farm Value	
		Per Head	Total		Per Head	Total
	Thousands	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Thousands	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
HORSES AND COLTS						
1946	175	33.00	5,775	8,081	57.50	464,453
1947	161	35.00	5,635	7,340	59.30	435,405
1948	140	35.00	4,900	6,704	55.70	373,663
1949	129	30.00	3,870	6,096	52.50	320,184
1950	121	30.00	3,630	5,548	46.00	255,385
1951	111	27.00	2,997	4,993	43.50	217,116
1952	97	31.00	3,007	4,330	45.80	198,193
1953	87	34.00	2,958	3,798	47.20	179,395
1954	79	36.00	2,844	3,401	48.90	166,196
1955	74	42.00	3,108	3,106	53.00	164,732
MULES AND MULE COLTS						
1946	8	58.00	464	3,027	133.00	403,000
1947	7	64.00	448	2,789	141.00	392,197
1948	6	62.00	372	2,575	133.00	341,764
1949	5	54.00	270	2,402	116.00	279,635
1950	4	44.00	176	2,233	99.10	221,298
1951	4	35.00	140	2,074	81.60	169,270
1952	4	45.00	180	1,913	72.40	138,578
1953	4	50.00	200	1,753	65.30	114,426
1954	3	45.00	135	1,599	61.10	97,756
1955	2	45.00	90	1,445	62.30	90,090
ALL CATTLE AND CALVES						
1946	1,861	72.30	134,550	82,235	76.20	6,263,047
1947	1,731	90.20	156,136	80,554	97.50	7,857,732
1948	1,800	118.00	212,400	77,171	117.00	8,998,663
1949	1,800	134.00	241,200	76,830	135.00	10,382,090
1950	1,800	125.00	225,000	77,963	124.00	9,629,964
1951	1,800	168.00	317,520	82,025	160.00	13,160,665
1952	2,098	177.00	371,346	87,844	179.00	15,722,846
1953	2,161	117.00	252,837	93,637	128.00	11,998,139
1954	2,096	88.00	184,448	94,787	92.40	8,755,786
1955	2,054	88.00	180,752	95,433	88.80	8,478,697
COWS AND HEIFERS, TWO YEARS OLD AND OLDER, KEPT FOR MILK						
1946	236	105.00	24,780	26,521	112.00	2,977,083
1947	224	130.00	29,120	25,842	145.00	3,754,436
1948	206	167.00	34,402	24,615	164.00	4,038,230
1949	196	200.00	39,200	23,862	193.00	4,615,403
1950	192	195.00	37,440	23,853	177.00	4,218,617
1951	186	240.00	44,640	23,722	218.00	5,183,235
1952	180	264.00	47,520	23,369	251.00	5,870,630
1953	182	199.00	36,218	24,094	202.00	4,862,803
1954	187	155.00	28,985	24,675	146.10	3,605,737
1955	183	140.00	25,620	24,408	133.30	3,252,510
HOGS AND PIGS						
1946	303	22.10	6,696	61,306	24.00	1,468,450
1947	276	35.40	9,770	56,810	36.00	2,046,471
1948	304	43.60	13,254	54,590	42.90	2,339,776
1949	325	34.80	11,310	56,257	38.30	2,154,480
1950	338	24.60	8,315	58,852	27.20	1,597,900
1951	318	31.20	9,922	62,852	33.30	2,094,238
1952	299	25.60	7,654	63,582	30.00	1,905,390
1953	209	20.40	4,264	54,294	26.00	1,409,988
1954	161	32.00	5,152	48,560	36.70	1,780,835
1955	190	25.20	4,788	55,002	30.60	1,684,116
STOCK SHEEP AND LAMBS						
1946	1,465	12.20	17,873	35,525	9.57	340,125
1947	1,275	13.70	17,468	31,805	12.20	389,375
1948	1,262	16.70	21,075	29,486	15.00	441,562
1949	1,249	20.60	25,729	26,940	17.00	459,091
1950	1,237	21.30	26,348	26,182	17.80	466,228
1951	1,237	32.40	40,079	27,253	26.50	721,484
1952	1,299	34.10	44,296	28,050	28.00	786,415
1953	1,299	18.20	23,642	27,700	15.80	437,002
1954	1,221	15.30	18,681	27,101	13.90	375,805
1955	1,160	16.20	18,792	26,979	14.90	401,963

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS JANUARY 1, BY CLASSES

CATTLE

Year	Total	Kept for Milk			Other Cattle				
		Cows 2 Years and Over	Heifers 1 to 2 Years	Heifer Calves	Cows 2 Years and Over	Heifers 1 to 2 Years	Calves	Steers 1 Year and Over	Bulls 1 Year and Over
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
1947	1,731	224	43	60	636	179	383	166	40
1948	1,800	206	45	56	637	185	423	208	40
1949	1,800	196	41	57	595	212	423	236	40
1950	1,800	192	45	61	615	211	421	212	43
1951	1,890	186	51	64	675	215	448	208	43
1952	2,098	180	55	59	730	222	493	313	46
1953	2,161	182	48	58	749	238	514	324	48
1954	2,096	187	48	60	779	208	509	255	50
1954	2,096	187	48	54	779	208	515	255	50
1955	2,054	183	43	58	709	236	511	267	47

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Year	All Sheep	On Feed	Stock Sheep					
			Total	Lambs		1 Year and Over		
				Ewes	Wethers and Rams	Ewes	Rams	Wethers
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
1947	1,795	520	1,275	115	12	1,112	33	3
1948	1,937	675	1,262	135	13	1,079	32	3
1949	1,769	520	1,249	154	15	1,043	34	3
1950	1,782	545	1,237	168	16	1,015	35	3
1951	1,672	435	1,237	179	15	1,005	35	3
1952	1,924	625	1,299	220	15	1,025	36	3
1953	1,844	545	1,299	159	10	1,091	36	3
1954	1,726	505	1,221	138	10	1,036	34	3
1955	1,702	542	1,160	122	9	995	31	3

HOGS

Year	Total	Under 6 Months	6 Months and Over	
			Sows and Gilts	Other
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
1947	276	119	44	113
1948	304	155	46	103
1949	325	179	48	98
1950	338	183	47	108
1951	318	168	46	104
1952	299	165	38	96
1954	161	92	30	39
1955	190	117	26	47

SHEEP AND LAMBS ON FEED (ESTIMATED NUMBER JANUARY 1)

(By Sections of the State)

Year	Northern Colorado	Arkansas Valley	San Luis Valley	Western Slope	Miscellaneous Sections	State Total	U. S. Total
	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head
1948	445	140	--	25	65	675	4,851
1949	350	130	--	30	10	520	4,003
1950	420	80	--	25	20	545	3,644
1951	325	75	--	20	15	435	3,382
1952	445	140	--	15	25	625	4,038
1953	400	90	--	15	40	545	4,161
1954	300	110	--	30	25	465	3,997
1954	320	120	--	30	35	505	4,117
1955	397	95	--	35	15	542	3,952

CATTLE ON GRAIN FEED FOR MARKET (ESTIMATED NUMBER JANUARY 1)

(By Sections of the State)

Year	Northern Colorado	Arkansas Valley	Western Slope	Other Sections	State Total	U. S. Total
	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head	Thousand Head
1948	157	17	2	4	180	3,821
1949	175	22	2	3	202	4,540
1950	180	19	3	4	206	4,463
1951	200	22	3	4	229	4,598
1952	260	33	3	4	300	5,024
1953	260	30	3	3	296	5,838
1954	213	26	3	3	245	5,394
1955	238	30	3	4	275	5,816

SHEEP AND LAMBS FED IN TRANSIT (EXCLUDING ANIMALS GRAZED IN TRANSIT),[1] 1939-54

(Compiled from Reports of the Colorado Tax Commission)

COUNTY	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
	(In Thousands of Head)														
Adams	4	14	25	6	19	18	11	8	3	2	2	7	20	6	11
Boulder	9	9	9	7	5	10	6	5	2	4	3	3	2	2	1
Larimer	179	123	155	163	146	132	116	102	110	92	76	63	83	80	93
Logan	24	32	41	25	29	41	31	8	12	7	9	4	10	4	1
Morgan	117	150	157	127	108	91	78	45	47	34	33	25	47	38	14
Sedgwick	3	2	5	6	4	3	10	4	5	3	3	3	2	1	--
Washington	7	4	7	3	1	2	2	1	1	2	--	--	1	1	1
Weld	327	285	354	327	330	347	244	192	228	171	210	158	229	216	160
Total Northern Colorado Area	**673**	**623**	**756**	**678**	**645**	**656**	**508**	**372**	**410**	**315**	**338**	**262**	**395**	**352**	**282**
Baca	--	1	--	--	--	8	18	19	--	--	3	3	4	--	2
Bent	41	39	79	41	20	9	--	--	--	6	10	14	16	13	13
Crowley	1	2	1	--	3	1	4	3	--	--	--	5	14	3	3
Otero	37	42	35	27	23	10	26	8	20	12	12	15	19	20	13
Prowers	22	41	45	36	25	34	62	14	41	26	29	42	94	18	49
Pueblo	6	8	14	15	7	4	4	14	27	11	10	5	13	13	5
Total Arkansas Valley Area	**107**	**133**	**175**	**120**	**78**	**66**	**114**	**57**	**88**	**55**	**64**	**84**	**160**	**69**	**86**
STATE TOTAL	**801**	**775**	**957**	**823**	**735**	**734**	**641**	**453**	**521**	**385**	**410**	**353**	**569**	**426**	**379**

CATTLE FED IN TRANSIT (EXCLUDING ANIMALS GRAZED IN TRANSIT),[1] 1939-54

(Compiled from Reports of the Colorado Tax Commission)

COUNTY	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
	(In Thousands of Head)														
Adams	2	4	6	6	3	3	6	4	4	5	5	8	5	6	6
Boulder	12	13	16	12	9	13	12	10	12	15	14	14	20	16	21
Larimer	18	16	19	19	15	16	18	16	18	18	18	18	23	16	18
Logan	12	16	18	15	13	17	15	13	15	22	17	18	23	21	15
Morgan	12	17	19	20	18	16	19	18	23	25	32	37	48	61	59
Sedgwick	4	4	6	5	5	5	5	6	8	6	5	5	5	5	5
Washington	2	1	2	1	1	1	3	--	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Weld	70	72	80	87	92	83	83	82	108	117	139	158	165	162	153
Total Northern Colorado Area	**133**	**147**	**167**	**169**	**159**	**157**	**163**	**152**	**191**	**210**	**232**	**263**	**295**	**291**	**282**
Bent	--	1	1	1	1	1	--	--	--	5	4	2	3	9	6
Crowley	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	2	2	1	3	4	5	6	4
Otero	6	6	7	9	13	7	9	8	14	13	13	8	17	16	9
Prowers	--	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	3	2	2	5	4	3	5
Pueblo	--	1	1	--	1	1	2	3	3	4	4	3	5	5	5
Total Arkansas Valley Area	**9**	**10**	**11**	**14**	**20**	**15**	**27**	**16**	**22**	**26**	**27**	**25**	**37**	**41**	**32**
STATE TOTAL	**145**	**158**	**182**	**191**	**184**	**174**	**196**	**174**	**221**	**244**	**265**	**294**	**338**	**338**	**318**

[1] These totals do not include all animals fattened for market. The purpose of this table is to show the principal counties in which feeding is done. For data on total numbers fed see page 95. The state and district totals here shown include animals fed in a few counties in some areas of the state for which county totals are not given in this table.

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN COLORADO [1]
(Calendar Year Totals)

Year	CATTLE		CALVES		SHEEP AND LAMBS		HOGS	
	Number Slaughtered	Total Live-weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live-weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live-weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live-weight
	Head	1,000 Pounds	Head	1,000 Pounds	Head	1,000 Pounds	Head	1,000 Pounds
1949	442,000	428,630	44,500	14,566	638,000	62,586	682,000	169,558
1950	490,000	488,023	40,600	13,795	668,000	68,070	743,000	184,184
1951	493,000	493,326	24,000	8,689	452,000	47,463	811,000	201,003
1952	579,000	568,791	38,600	13,730	581,000	60,505	782,000	190,139
1953	760,000	717,812	63,600	20,919	740,000	73,937	640,400	149,932
1954	824,000	786,488	63,400	21,346	750,000	74,811	588,000	142,422

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN UNITED STATES
(Calendar Year Totals)

Year	CATTLE		CALVES		SHEEP AND LAMBS		HOGS	
	Federally Inspected	Total [2]	Federally Inspected	Total [2]	Federally Inspected	Total [2]	Federally Inspected	Total [2]
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
1948	12,994	19,177	6,907	12,378	15,343	17,371	47,615	70,869
1949	13,222	18,765	6,449	11,398	12,136	13,780	53,032	74,997
1950	13,103	18,624	5,850	10,504	11,739	13,244	56,964	79,263
1951	11,879	16,376	4,985	8,418	10,056	11,075	62,054	76,061
1952	13,165	17,856	5,294	8,894	12,694	13,962	62,451	77,690
1953	17,630	23,606	7,013	11,668	14,283	15,967	53,813	66,913
1954	18,476	25,042	7,573	12,776	14,146	15,921	52,894	64,902

[1] Excludes farm slaughter. [2] Includes animals slaughtered on farms.

MEAT ANIMALS—FARM PRODUCTION, VALUE AND INCOME, 1948-1954

CATTLE AND CALVES

Calendar Year	Calf Crop (calves born)		In-shipments[1]	Marketings[2]		Farm Slaughter Cattle and Calves	Net Production (cattle & calves)		Marketings[3]	Cash Receipts	Value of Home Consumption
	% of Cows 2 Yrs. Plus	Number		Cattle	Calves		Amount	Value			
		1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	81	683	410	850	154	22	536,360	127,173	824,620	197,438	1,625
1949	84	664	438	875	131	20	552,810	117,078	857,180	182,932	1,384
1950	86	694	461	844	136	20	588,600	148,697	844,555	214,915	1,699
1951	88	758	513	816	155	20	651,925	200,362	836,700	259,351	2,083
1952	86	783	553	1,020	157	21	680,045	175,672	1,013,255	264,493	1,772
1953	90	838	405	996	218	25	666,455	118,776	987,275	178,327	1,450
1954	89	860	557	1,123	238	24	674,535	117,787	1,090,630	192,250	1,362

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Calendar Year	Lambs Saved		In-shipments[1]	Marketings[2]		Farm Slaughter Sheep and Lambs	Net Production (sheep & lambs)		Marketings[3]	Cash Receipts	Value of Home Consumption
	% of Ewes 1 Yr. Plus	Number		Sheep	Lambs		Amount	Value			
		1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	90	971	861	121	1,629	21	86,006	19,669	155,044	34,033	279
1949	93	970	785	138	1,400	15	87,428	19,281	138,298	29,763	209
1950	93	944	670	126	1,397	17	88,958	21,812	139,618	34,262	266
1951	97	975	890	107	1,305	13	91,961	27,792	130,546	39,910	263
1952	96	984	830	96	1,594	14	99,490	22,386	155,630	36,493	208
1953	96	1,047	620	164	1,434	13	94,418	17,353	144,268	25,775	158
1954	96	995	650	135	1,348	13	84,744	15,752	129,478	23,353	157

HOGS AND PIGS

Calendar Year	Pig Crop (Pigs Saved)			In-shipments[1]	Marketings[2]	Farm Slaughter	Net Production	Marketings[3] Pounds	Cash Receipts	Value of Home Consumption
	Spring	Fall	Annual Total							
	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	245	198	443	1	311	64	96,500	79,420	19,383	3,132
1949	273	202	475	--	351	56	102,315	86,715	16,895	2,204
1950	256	182	438	1	359	55	99,128	88,188	16,791	2,076
1951	260	188	448	2	368	57	100,296	90,416	18,989	2,372
1952	216	150	366	1	369	55	88,613	88,988	16,563	1,988
1953	132	102	234	--	214	42	55,417	50,577	11,332	1,774
1954	188	141	329	--	228	40	66,562	54,882	12,922	1,783

[1] Shipped in from points outside the State and purchased at the Denver Stockyards.
[2] Shipped to points outside the State and to the Denver Stockyards, plus animals slaughtered by local butchers and at small killing plants within the State.
[3] Live weight.

MILK—FARM PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION, AND INCOME, 1945-1954

PRODUCTION OF MILK ON FARMS

Year	Number of Milk Cows on Farms[1]	Production Per Milk Cow[2]		Percentage of Butterfat in Milk	Total Production on Farms		Butter Churned on Farms	
		Milk	Butterfat		Milk	Butterfat in Milk	Milk Used	Butter Made
	Thousands	Pounds	Pounds	Per Cent	1,000,000 Pounds	1,000,000 Pounds	1,000,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds
1945	220	4,750	180	3.8	1,045	40	56	2,500
1946	209	4,760	181	3.8	995	38	47	2,100
1947	195	5,000	190	3.8	975	37	47	2,100
1948	184	4,980	189	3.8	916	35	43	1,900
1949	176	5,150	196	3.8	906	34	35	1,550
1950	174	5,300	201	3.8	922	35	34	1,500
1951	166	5,350	203	3.8	888	34	33	1,450
1952	160	5,400	205	3.8	864	33	29	1,270
1953	164	5,430	204	3.8	891	33	27	1,200
1954	165	5,550	208	3.8	916	34	29	1,270

[1] Average number on farms during year, heifers that have not freshened excluded.
[2] Excludes milk sucked by calves and milk produced by cows not on farms.

DISPOSITION OF MILK PRODUCED ON FARMS

Year	Milk Fed or Consumed on Farms Where Produced				Milk Sold or Utilized for Producing Dairy Products Sold from Farms				
	Fed to Calves	Consumed in the Farm Household		Total Used on Farms	For Farm-Churned Butter Sold	For Wholesale Deliveries to Plants, Dealers, Etc.		For Retail Sales of Milk and Cream by Farmers[1]	Total Utilized for Products Sold
		As Milk or Cream	As Farm Butter			As Cream	As Milk		
	(1,000,000 pounds)								
1945	42	112	50	204	6	380	390	65	841
1946	41	118	43	202	4	341	385	63	793
1947	39	111	43	193	4	331	389	58	782
1948	39	107	39	185	4	300	374	53	731
1949	38	98	32	168	3	288	400	47	738
1950	39	89	31	159	3	317	400	43	763
1951	39	89	33	161	2	296	390	41	727
1952	36	84	29	149	--	277	400	38	715
1953	36	79	27	142	--	274	440	35	749
1954	37	81	29	147	--	275	460	34	769

[1] Approximations based chiefly on population in small town and rural areas where most families purchase their milk from local farmers.

BEES, HONEY AND BEESWAX—1935-1954

Year	Colonies of Bees	Honey				Beeswax		
		Pounds per Colony	Production	Value—Dollars		Pounds per Colony	Production	Average Price per Pound
				Per Pound	Total			
	Thousands		Thousand Pounds				Thousand Pounds	Cents
1935	62	50	3,100	---	------	--	--	---
1936	60	55	3,300	---	------	--	--	---
1937	59	50	2,950	---	------	--	--	---
1938	54	66	3,564	---	------	--	--	---
1939	59	71	4,189	---	------	--	--	---
1940	60	90	5,400	---	------	--	--	---
1941	64	75	4,800	---	------	1.5	96	35.1
1942	66	90	5,940	.114	677,000	1.5	101	41.1
1943	69	90	6,210	.143	888,000	1.5	106	41.6
1944	71	84	5,964	.142	847,000	1.8	131	42.0
1945	75	81	6,075	.145	881,000	1.5	109	42.0
1946	75	50	3,750	.215	806,000	1.2	90	45.0
1947	75	65	4,875	.216	1,053,000	1.3	98	44.0
1948	74	90	6,660	.148	986,000	1.7	123	43.0
1949	73	60	4,380	.126	552,000	1.1	83	34.0
1950	73	52	3,796	.130	493,000	1.2	91	42.0
1951	68	70	4,760	.132	628,000	1.3	90	51.0
1952	67	85	5,695	.146	831,000	1.6	108	41.0
1953	67	90	6,030	.149	898,000	1.8	121	39.0
1954	68	56	3,808	.151	575,000	1.1	72	45.0

SALES PRICE AND VALUE; VALUE OF PRODUCTS CONSUMED IN THE FARM HOUSEHOLD; AND GROSS FARM INCOME FROM DAIRY PRODUCTS—1945-1954

Year	Farm Butter Sold			Cream Sold to Plants, Dealers, Etc. (As Butterfat)			Milk Sold to Plants, Dealers, Etc., at Wholesale		
	Quantity Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales	Quantity Butterfat Sold	Price per Pound Butterfat	Value of Sales	Quantity Sold	Price per 100 Lbs.	Value of Sales
	1,000 Pounds	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Pounds	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000,000 Pounds	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	250	48	120	13,830	49	6,777	390	3.05	11,895
1946	190	65	124	12,410	63	7,818	385	3.70	14,245
1947	190	72	137	11,980	70	8,386	389	4.58	17,816
1948	170	80	136	10,860	77	8,362	374	4.89	18,289
1949	140	64	90	10,430	60	6,258	400	4.38	17,520
1950	130	63	82	11,480	61	7,003	400	4.22	16,880
1951	100	70	70	10,720	70	7,504	390	4.88	19,032
1952	--	--	--	10,030	73	7,322	400	5.24	20,960
1953	--	--	--	9,920	64	6,349	440	4.74	20,856
1954	--	--	--	9,960	57	5,677	460	4.37	20,102

Year	Milk and Cream Retailed by Farmers			Combined Sales of Butter, Cream and Milk				Value of Milk Products Consumed in Household on Farms Where Produced[2]	Gross Farm Income from Dairy Products[3]
					Average Returns[1]				
	Quantity Sold, Milk Equiv.	Price per Quart	Value of Sales	Milk Utilized	Per 100 Lbs. Milk	Per Lb. Butterfat	Value of Sales (Cash Income)		
	1,000,000 Quarts	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000,000 Pounds	Dollars	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1945	30	12.2	3,660	841	2.67	70	22,452	4,325	26,777
1946	29	13.9	4,031	793	3.31	87	26,218	5,329	31,547
1947	27	16.4	4,428	782	3.93	103	30,767	6,052	36,819
1948	25	17.3	4,325	731	4.26	112	31,112	6,220	37,332
1949	22	17.6	3,872	738	3.76	99	27,740	4,888	32,628
1950	20	18.2	3,640	763	3.62	95	27,605	4,344	31,949
1951	19	20.3	3,857	727	4.18	110	30,393	5,100	35,493
1952	18	21.8	3,924	715	4.50	118	32,206	5,085	37,291
1953	16	22.3	3,568	749	4.11	110	30,773	4,357	35,130
1954	16	22.6	3,616	769	3.82	102	29,395	4,202	33,597

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

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

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

WOOL PRODUCTION—1935-1954

Year	COLORADO					UNITED STATES		
	Sheep Shorn	Wt. per Fleece	Production	Value		Shorn	Pulled	Wt. per Fleece
				Per Pound	Total			
	Thousands	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Pounds
1935	1,527	8.1	12,369	.17	2,103	361,531	66,000	8.0
1936	1,555	8.4	13,062	.26	3,396	353,211	66,200	7.9
1937	1,615	8.3	13,404	.32	4,289	356,078	66,200	8.0
1938	1,588	8.1	12,862	.18	2,315	359,925	64,500	8.0
1939	1,635	8.2	13,406	.22	2,949	361,689	64,500	8.0
1940	1,667	8.5	14,170	.28	3,968	372,014	62,000	8.0
1941	1,634	8.3	13,561	.33	4,475	387,520	65,800	8.1
1942	1,797	8.3	14,896	.39	5,809	388,297	66,700	7.9
1943	1,805	8.6	15,458	.39	6,029	378,843	65,200	7.9
1944	1,594	8.3	13,229	.41	5,424	338,318	73,500	7.8
1945	1,481	8.7	12,885	.40	5,154	307,976	70,500	8.0
1946	1,377	9.0	12,378	.40	4,951	280,908	61,300	8.1
1947	1,224	9.1	11,138	.41	4,567	251,425	56,600	8.1
1948	1,199	8.6	10,311	.48	4,949	231,770	46,600	8.1
1949	1,187	8.5	10,090	.47	4,742	212,899	35,600	8.1
1950	1,215	9.1	11,098	.63	6,992	215,422	32,400	8.2
1951	1,200	9.6	11,580	1.00	11,580	225,545	25,900	8.2
1952	1,286	9.1	11,688	.52	6,078	232,373	33,600	8.2
1953	1,286	9.0	11,636	.52	6,051	230,395	42,200	8.3
1954	1,221	9.3	11,296	.50	5,648	232,629	43,500	8.5

MONTHLY CREAMERY BUTTER AND ICE CREAM PRODUCTION, 1943-1953

Year	Plants Number	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Total
CREAMERY BUTTER PRODUCTION (In thousands of pounds, 000 omitted)														
1943	62	1,681	1,724	1,987	2,196	2,841	2,996	2,648	2,261	1,820	1,435	1,370	1,338	24,297
1944	56	1,400	1,548	1,629	1,717	2,080	2,465	2,290	1,858	1,364	1,125	1,016	1,053	19,545
1945	50	1,177	1,172	1,379	1,456	1,807	2,069	1,952	1,578	1,167	1,008	901	876	16,542
1946	47	975	993	1,167	1,386	1,664	1,653	1,613	1,380	1,192	1,250	986	1,092	15,351
1947	49	998	975	1,215	1,431	1,898	2,117	1,928	1,582	1,206	993	838	967	16,148
1948	53	839	812	943	1,245	1,575	1,695	1,670	1,434	1,083	951	886	944	14,077
1949	48	870	890	993	1,079	1,385	1,597	1,533	1,326	1,044	953	886	1,106	13,662
1950	47	1,043	1,048	1,241	1,371	1,633	1,872	1,765	1,650	1,300	1,148	1,025	1,187	16,283
1951	44	1,080	1,124	1,282	1,327	1,565	1,748	1,702	1,472	1,151	1,070	954	1,116	15,591
1952	33	955	994	1,079	1,181	1,453	1,538	1,365	1,200	1,025	833	746	1,036	13,405
1953	33	1,008	1,035	1,291	1,409	1,622	1,834	1,647	1,482	1,239	1,142	1,094	1,544	16,347
ICE CREAM PRODUCTION (In thousands of gallons, 000 omitted)														
1943	164	228	225	191	304	374	338	516	511	447	378	258	258	4,028
1944	161	211	211	268	297	380	496	522	511	388	310	270	201	4,065
1945	160	185	194	235	263	348	383	498	497	503	476	370	303	4,255
1946	147	354	367	447	510	569	722	822	838	567	461	341	341	6,339
1947	150	361	353	419	438	550	586	723	754	554	457	309	327	5,831
1948	149	289	290	378	429	517	572	653	647	504	376	318	299	5,272
1949	183	257	314	410	435	499	557	641	679	462	375	348	298	5,275
1950	200	301	345	406	428	507	589	626	642	477	453	364	333	5,471
1951	180	338	346	415	427	525	577	679	660	503	433	361	333	5,597
1952	176	383	398	405	446	535	645	687	656	525	466	367	333	5,846
1953	161	399	378	450	445	482	602	640	568	471	432	356	321	5,544

MILK PRODUCTION IN HERDS KEPT BY GENERAL CROP CORRESPONDENTS, 1943-1954

(Approximately first day of each month)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Average
DAILY PRODUCTION OF MILK PER COW IN HERD (Pounds per cow)													
1943	13.9	15.0	14.1	16.0	18.2	19.4	18.6	17.5	14.7	14.6	12.3	13.0	15.6
1944	13.0	13.0	14.8	14.8	14.6	17.9	18.4	17.0	14.3	13.1	13.0	14.1	14.8
1945	13.4	14.2	14.8	15.2	17.8	19.3	18.2	17.3	15.1	14.1	12.6	14.0	15.5
1946	12.9	13.5	14.3	16.1	17.2	19.5	18.6	17.0	15.9	14.3	13.9	13.3	15.5
1947	14.5	14.7	15.4	16.9	18.7	19.9	19.9	18.4	16.4	14.1	13.0	14.3	16.4
1948	14.3	14.4	16.0	16.5	18.2	19.8	19.0	17.8	16.0	13.6	14.1	15.5	16.3
1949	13.4	14.0	16.8	17.6	17.8	20.0	22.0	17.7	16.4	15.5	14.6	15.2	16.8
1950	15.3	16.1	16.9	16.9	18.5	20.5	20.7	18.5	17.1	16.2	15.8	16.1	17.4
1951	15.2	16.0	17.5	20.0	18.5	21.4	20.8	19.3	16.5	14.7	14.2	15.3	17.4
1952	15.6	15.5	17.4	17.9	19.5	21.5	20.0	18.8	17.4	16.8	15.6	15.9	17.7
1953	15.9	18.7	16.9	19.7	18.5	20.4	20.2	19.3	18.0	15.7	15.8	16.8	18.0
1954	15.9	16.6	18.3	18.3	18.9	21.2	19.9	19.1	19.2	19.3	16.5	16.7	17.7
DAILY PRODUCTION OF MILK PER COW MILKED (Pounds per cow)													
943	21.6	23.0	21.7	23.7	25.0	25.7	24.6	23.1	21.3	21.1	19.1	20.2	22.5
944	20.4	21.3	22.6	23.0	21.3	24.5	25.0	23.8	21.3	20.6	19.9	21.2	22.1
945	21.4	23.1	22.6	24.0	25.4	26.5	24.5	24.3	22.1	21.0	19.3	21.2	23.0
946	20.9	22.2	23.3	24.2	24.3	26.4	24.8	24.1	21.9	21.6	21.4	20.6	23.0
947	23.7	23.6	23.5	25.0	25.1	26.3	25.9	24.2	22.5	21.1	19.4	21.9	23.5
948	21.2	24.2	24.7	24.6	25.9	26.7	25.0	22.7	23.1	20.4	21.6	22.9	23.6
949	23.1	22.6	25.5	25.8	24.4	26.1	28.7	23.8	22.2	22.5	21.8	22.7	24.1
950	23.9	23.9	24.5	24.4	25.1	26.9	27.7	24.6	23.6	23.4	23.2	24.1	24.6
951	23.6	24.7	25.1	27.1	25.8	27.8	27.2	25.6	23.9	22.3	22.3	23.0	24.9
952	23.4	25.1	26.2	25.4	26.9	29.3	26.9	25.5	26.2	24.3	23.5	23.4	25.5
953	24.0	26.4	25.1	27.5	26.6	28.1	27.7	26.2	25.3	23.8	23.5	24.2	25.7
954	23.9	24.6	25.8	25.6	26.0	29.2	26.5	26.5	27.0	27.5	24.1	24.8	26.0
PERCENT OF COWS IN HERD FRESH (Percent)													
943	64	65	65	68	73	75	75	76	69	69	65	64	69
944	63	61	65	64	69	73	74	72	67	64	66	66	67
945	62	61	65	63	70	73	74	71	68	67	65	66	67
946	63	61	62	67	71	74	75	70	73	66	65	65	68
947	61	62	66	68	75	76	77	76	73	67	67	66	69
948	67	60	65	67	70	74	76	78	70	67	66	68	69
949	58	62	66	68	73	77	77	74	74	69	67	67	69
950	64	68	69	69	74	76	75	75	73	69	68	67	71
951	64	64	70	74	72	77	76	75	69	66	64	66	70
952	67	62	67	70	73	73	74	74	66	69	66	68	69
953	66	71	67	72	70	72	73	74	71	66	67	69	70
954	67	67	71	71	73	73	75	72	71	70	68	67	71

DAIRY PRODUCTS: QUANTITIES MANUFACTURED, 1946-1953

COLORADO

PRODUCT	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953
	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs	1,000 lbs.
Creamery Butter	15,351	16,148	14,077	13,662	16,283	15,591	13,405	16,347
American Cheese, all [1]	806	1,331	444	1,084	1,879	836	375	2,421
Italian Cheese, all	755	724	512	193	----	----	----	----
Total Cheese [2]	1,674	2,195	1,259	1,779	2,042	993	445	2,480
Cottage, Pot and Bakers Cheese	3,011	3,384	4,099	4,736	5,445	6,804	7,840	9,700
Condensed Milk (sweetened)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	3,830	1,240	----	2,317	1,898	810	921	2,373
Bulk Goods (unskimmed)	84	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Plain Condensed Milk (unsw't'ned)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	133	127	----	880	917	----	----	929
Bulk Goods (unskimmed)	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Evaporated Milk (unsweetened)								
Case Goods (unskimmed)	18,845	20,427	----	----	----	----	----	----
Condensed or Evaporated Buttermilk	71	191	----	----	----	----	----	----
Dry or Powdered Buttermilk	376	358	428	580	----	----	----	----
Total Ice Cream (gallons not pounds)	6,339	5,831	5,272	5,275	5,171	5,597	5,846	5,544

UNITED STATES

PRODUCT	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953
	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.	1,000 lbs.
Creamery Butter	1,171,339	1,329,094	1,210,324	1,412,111	1,386,408	1,202,981	1,188,170	1,411,814
Renovated or Process Butter	1,441	1,219	1,090	1,419	1,306	903	----	----
American Cheese:								
Whole Milk	801,264	932,718	854,447	935,206	892,706	873,458	849,817	1,021,492
Part Skim	2,696	4,906	3,987	769	2,319	888	1,309	1,417
Swiss Cheese (including block)	55,695	71,612	70,665	81,043	99,483	92,049	108,032	103,780
Brick and Munster Cheese	17,678	26,533	26,506	30,376	30,148	31,880	33,821	36,717
Limburger Cheese	9,548	7,753	7,358	7,180	6,003	6,539	6,091	5,752
Cream and Neufchatel Cheese	78,803	66,503	56,816	58,495	68,753	73,563	78,139	78,285
All Italian Varieties of Cheese	75,388	38,100	43,579	54,863	61,704	57,215	60,875	68,417
Blue Mold Cheese	12,451	10,580	9,289	8,141	7,657	5,451	10,883	9,554
All Other Varieties of Cheese	52,824	24,241	25,719	23,369	22,714	20,261	21,295	19,422
Total Cheese [2]	1,106,347	1,182,946	1,098,366	1,199,442	1,191,487	1,161,304	1,170,262	1,344,836
Full Skim American Type Cheese	2,367	2,153	1,754	1,251	1,774	1,302	896	749
Cottage Cheese (curd)	246,303	215,302	255,639	283,938	322,803	359,671	374,869	406,714
Cottage Cheese (creamed)	209,893	230,597	249,236	287,067	352,428	404,997	445,704	495,736
Condensed Milk (sweetened)								
Case Goods (skimmed)	302	243	362	----	91	1,475	----	----
(unskimmed)	113,906	164,733	126,295	100,902	61,973	58,933	54,438	41,464
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	818,076	541,813	239,290	215,295	210,637	207,295	166,806	133,653
(unskimmed)	69,750	82,553	45,542	47,179	39,210	42,705	47,719	52,903
Plain Condensed Milk (unsw't'ned								
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	487,219	403,194	494,036	537,668	523,182	487,157	510,102	576,549
(unskimmed)	98,471	174,525	200,485	202,851	221,724	230,143	222,607	230,127
Evaporated Milk (unsweetened)								
Case Goods (unskimmed)	3,050,643	3,208,027	3,382,893	2,755,780	2,882,475	2,896,386	2,840,036	2,553,751
Condensed or Evaporated Buttermilk	226,708	189,135	170,954	178,383	183,470	174,652	154,452	132,454
Dry Buttermilk	38,627	45,437	41,839	49,359	48,837	45,467	47,067	57,147
Dry Whole Milk	188,406	164,888	170,087	125,541	124,986	131,017	101,732	104,352
Total Nonfat Dry Milk Solids	667,169	700,090	694,677	956,178	898,896	716,775	888,685	1,212,99[illegible]
Dry Cream	567	320	312	178	459	1,070	874	71[illegible]
Dry Casein	18,319	35,831	14,372	18,348	18,531	21,620	7,482	5,53[illegible]
Malted Milk Powder	45,029	37,354	31,361	25,369	30,710	33,391	29,811	32,48[illegible]
	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 g[illegible]
Total Ice Cream	713,769	631,023	576,484	558,054	554,351	568,849	592,705	602,72[illegible]

[1] Includes part skim American but not full skim American.

[2] Excludes full skim American and cottage cheese.

MONTHLY EGG PRODUCTION, 1946-1954
NUMBER OF LAYERS
(Average Number on Hand During Month)
Thousands

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1946	3,426	3,444	3,338	3,142	2,910	2,750	2,678	2,624	2,731	2,892	2,944	2,926
1947	2,860	2,754	2,632	2,510	2,402	2,296	2,144	2,054	2,205	2,478	2,662	2,783
1948	2,889	2,829	2,618	2,421	2,238	2,116	2,056	2,101	2,300	2,498	2,590	2,666
1949	2,636	2,590	2,530	2,424	2,348	2,194	2,012	1,996	2,316	2,650	2,771	2,832
1950	2,878	2,781	2,700	2,652	2,492	2,348	2,268	2,284	2,462	2,655	2,703	2,638
1951	2,573	2,558	2,498	2,348	2,169	2,034	1,900	1,944	2,214	2,438	2,542	2,556
1952	2,586	2,540	2,372	2,250	2,173	2,081	1,974	1,976	2,144	2,344	2,406	2,344
1953	2,284	2,161	2,022	1,960	1,898	1,867	1,867	1,958	2,172	2,340	2,402	2,371
1954	2,325	2,234	2,114	2,070	2,010	1,950	1,876	1,877	2,134	2,376	2,422	2,392

EGGS PER 100 LAYERS
Number

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1946	989	1,294	1,711	1,770	1,841	1,620	1,451	1,302	1,032	784	618	763
1947	1,066	1,224	1,637	1,770	1,829	1,638	1,516	1,364	1,131	989	753	753
1948	1,057	1,340	1,748	1,845	1,879	1,674	1,612	1,466	1,185	980	786	902
1949	1,057	1,210	1,711	1,818	1,922	1,782	1,655	1,463	1,206	1,023	915	998
1950	1,135	1,333	1,786	1,812	1,860	1,674	1,581	1,451	1,194	1,023	867	976
1951	1,209	1,288	1,724	1,839	1,869	1,686	1,575	1,420	1,143	1,014	954	1,014
1952	1,280	1,508	1,804	1,851	1,903	1,698	1,562	1,420	1,200	1,116	1,005	1,097
1953	1,376	1,434	1,786	1,866	1,891	1,713	1,668	1,500	1,287	1,252	1,146	1,203
1954	1,352	1,498	1,854	1,842	1,925	1,773	1,637	1,438	1,236	1,175	1,188	1,305

TOTAL EGGS PRODUCED
Millions

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1946	34	45	57	56	54	45	39	34	28	23	18	22
1947	30	34	43	44	44	38	33	28	25	25	20	21
1948	31	38	46	45	42	35	33	31	27	24	20	24
1949	28	31	43	44	45	39	33	29	28	27	25	28
1950	33	37	48	48	46	39	36	33	29	27	23	26
1951	31	33	43	43	41	34	30	28	25	25	24	26
1952	33	38	43	42	41	35	31	28	26	26	24	26
1953	31	31	36	37	36	32	31	29	28	29	28	29
1954	31	33	39	38	39	35	31	27	26	28	29	31

EGGS—FARM PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND INCOME, 1946-1954

Year	Hens and Pullets Jan. 1	Eggs Per Layer	Eggs: Total Produced	Eggs: Used for Farm Hatching	Eggs: Consumed on Farms	Eggs: Sold	Price Per Dozen	Value of Eggs Produced	Cash Income From Sales	Value of Eggs Consumed on Farms	Gross Income
	Thousands	Number	Millions	Millions	Millions	Millions	Cents	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars
COLORADO											
1946	3,781	120	455	2	82	371	35.1	13,309	10,852	2,398	13,250
1947	3,215	120	385	2	77	306	41.5	13,315	10,582	2,663	13,245
1948	3,167	125	396	1	77	318	43.2	14,256	11,448	2,772	14,220
1949	2,971	135	400	1	72	327	43.6	14,533	11,881	2,616	14,497
1950	3,052	139	425	1	75	349	33.5	11,865	9,743	2,094	11,837
1951	2,770	166	383	1	73	309	45.5	14,523	11,716	2,768	14,484
1952	2,680	173	393	1	71	321	39.9	13,067	10,673	2,361	13,034
1953	2,404	179	377	1	67	309	46.4	14,577	11,948	2,591	14,539
1954	2,431	180	387	1	69	317	36.3	11,707	9,589	2,087	11,676
UNITED STATES											
1946	472,820	118	55,962	263	7,551	48,148	37.6	1,751,339	1,507,948	235,068	1,743,016
1947	431,446	128	55,384	222	7,133	48,029	45.3	2,086,151	1,813,162	264,557	2,077,719
1948	417,570	131	54,899	196	6,800	47,903	47.2	2,152,819	1,883,766	261,275	2,145,041
1949	399,380	141	56,154	187	6,685	49,282	45.2	2,110,011	1,856,927	246,028	2,102,955
1950	423,773	139	58,734	165	6,864	51,705	36.3	1,770,874	1,564,040	201,753	1,765,793
1951	410,200	175	59,265	148	6,552	52,565	47.8	2,303,441	2,093,411	254,655	2,348,066
1952	419,861	178	60,985	135	6,686	54,164	41.6	2,108,592	1,877,359	226,482	2,103,841
1953	403,960	183	62,323	121	6,557	55,645	47.7	2,477,338	2,212,575	254,471	2,467,046
1954	413,593	184	65,375	102	6,791	58,482	36.8	2,004,835	1,793,103	207,477	2,000,580

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

CHICKS HATCHED BY COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES

Year	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	In Thousands (000 Omitted)											
1939	435	951	1,273	1,804	1,974	1,055	411	105	40	8	--	--
1940	363	740	1,191	1,739	1,894	1,029	333	59	37	15	--	--
1941	429	924	1,462	1,579	1,957	1,277	512	168	67	25	--	--
1942	414	936	1,773	1,989	2,295	1,089	432	36	18	18	--	--
1943	504	1,092	2,187	2,454	2,438	1,504	616	85	43	20	--	--
1944	610	688	1,500	1,980	1,320	270	200	100	--	--	--	--
1945	140	998	1,200	1,950	1,650	1,200	450	100	100	50	--	
1946	90	560	1,070	1,410	870	150	25	21	21	21	21	21
1947	183	844	1,620	1,670	1,404	315	170	19	25	25	25	--
1948	142	587	1,294	1,653	1,220	467	108	40	46	57	46	40
1949	210	678	1,638	2,184	1,794	584	242	125	101	70	78	105
1950	369	877	1,804	1,886	1,435	615	271	197	123	164	246	213
1951	378	966	1,570	1,859	1,336	572	322	201	161	201	242	242
1952	377	1,174	1,972	1,766	1,255	646	269	197	374	404	281	305
1953	387	968	1,467	1,736	1,073	484	201	201	149	186	261	335
1954	415	837	1,394	1,537	906	421	115	82	175	85	89	81

COMMERCIAL BROILER PRODUCTION AND GROSS INCOME

Year	Colorado				United States			
	Number Produced (000)	Pounds Produced (000)	Price Per Pound (Cents)	Gross Income (Thousand Dollars)	Number Produced (000)	Pounds Produced (000)	Price Per Pound (Cents)	Gross Income (Thousand Dollars)
1945	622	1,679	32.0	537	365,572	1,107,174	29.5	327,059
1946	560	1,512	36.0	544	292,527	883,855	32.7	288,603
1947	700	1,890	38.0	718	310,168	936,442	32.3	302,170
1948	910	2,457	40.0	983	370,515	1,126,643	36.0	405,171
1949	1,310	3,537	35.0	1,238	513,296	1,570,197	28.2	442,530
1950	1,638	4,750	31.0	1,472	630,816	1,938,000	27.4	530,147
1951	2,129	6,387	31.0	1,980	805,608	2,462,661	28.6	703,213
1952	2,129	6,174	31.0	1,914	886,813	2,698,574	28.8	777,864
1953	2,278	6,606	30.0	1,982	957,174	2,932,518	27.1	793,670
1954	2,210	6,409	29.7	1,903	1,059,784	3,267,323	23.1	753,191

CASH RECEIPTS FROM POULTRY AND EGGS

Year	Farm Chickens	Commercial Broilers	All Chickens	Eggs	Turkeys	All Poultry and Eggs
	In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)					
1939	1,483	(1)	1,483	3,074	2,086	6,643
1940	1,577	(1)	1,577	3,279	2,127	6,983
1941	2,106	(1)	2,106	4,331	2,318	8,755
1942	3,139	(1)	3,139	7,712	3,996	14,847
1943	6,222	(1)	6,222	11,367	4,155	21,744
1944	5,279	(1)	5,279	11,144	4,953	21,376
1945	6,009	537	6,546	10,770	5,218	22,534
1946	4,723	544	5,267	10,852	6,264	22,383
1947	3,918	718	4,636	10,582	4,661	19,879
1948	3,480	983	4,463	11,448	4,620	20,531
1949	3,593	1,238	4,831	11,881	5,030	21,742
1950	2,787	1,472	4,259	9,743	4,555	18,557
1951	3,544	1,980	5,524	11,716	5,263	22,503
1952	2,499	1,914	4,413	10,673	4,556	19,642
1953	2,670	1,982	4,652	11,948	4,366	20,966
1954	1,996	1,903	3,899	9,589	4,442	17,930

[1] Estimates not made for commercial broiler production in Colorado prior to 1945.

CHICKENS ON FARMS JANUARY 1 AND CHICKENS PRODUCED ANNUALLY, 1935-1955

Year	Chickens on Farms—Jan. 1: Hens & Pullets Number (Thousands)	Chickens on Farms—Jan. 1: All Chickens Number (Thousands)	Chickens on Farms—Jan. 1: All Chickens Value Per Head (Cents)	Chickens on Farms—Jan. 1: All Chickens Value Total (1,000 Dollars)	Chickens Produced on Farms Annually[1] Number (Thousands)	Chickens Produced on Farms Annually[1] Value (1,000 Dollars)	Chickens Eaten Annually on Farms Where Produced Number (Thousands)	Chickens Eaten Annually on Farms Where Produced Value (1,000 Dollars)	Chickens Sold From Farms Annually Number (Thousands)	Chickens Sold From Farms Annually Value Per Head (Cents)	Chickens Sold From Farms Annually Value Total (1,000 Dollars)	Gross[2] Income (1,000 Dollars)	Chickens Raised Number (Thousands)	Chickens Lost Number (Thousands)	Average Live Wt. Per Head Sold (Pounds)
COLORADO															
1935	3,210	3,527	42	1,481	4,446	2,401	1,399	755	3,474	54	1,876	2,631	5,010	564	4.0
1936	2,778	3,100	67	2,077	5,524	3,204	2,039	1,183	3,225	58	1,870	3,053	6,020	496	4.0
1937	2,980	3,360	56	1,882	4,549	2,638	1,999	1,159	2,860	58	1,659	2,818	5,120	571	4.2
1938	2,785	3,050	60	1,830	4,882	2,685	1,944	1,069	2,668	55	1,467	2,536	5,400	518	3.9
1939	3,011	3,320	60	1,992	5,654	2,431	1,917	824	3,448	43	1,483	2,307	6,252	598	3.7
1940	3,263	3,609	50	1,804	4,800	2,163	1,746	723	3,344	47	1,577	2,300	5,377	577	4.1
1941	3,059	3,319	55	1,825	6,070	3,401	1,798	952	3,673	57	2,106	3,058	6,667	597	3.9
1942	3,593	3,918	74	2,899	6,990	4,886	1,761	1,091	4,326	73	3,139	4,230	7,734	744	4.1
1943	4,421	4,821	90	4,339	8,945	8,004	1,690	1,387	6,822	91	6,222	7,609	9,668	723	4.0
1944	4,782	5,254	104	5,464	5,910	5,374	1,606	1,283	5,554	95	5,279	6,562	6,961	1,051	4.4
1945	3,744	4,004	104	4,164	7,940	7,549	1,549	1,442	6,289	96	6,009	7,451	8,701	761	3.9
1946	3,781	4,106	113	4,640	5,572	5,622	1,643	1,598	4,612	102	4,723	6,321	6,352	780	4.0
1947	3,215	3,423	125	4,279	5,384	5,416	1,630	1,578	3,833	102	3,918	5,496	6,034	650	3.8
1948	3,167	3,344	140	4,682	4,554	4,926	1,584	1,625	3,131	111	3,480	5,105	5,189	635	3.9
1949	2,971	3,183	150	4,774	5,144	5,174	1,569	1,519	3,515	102	3,593	5,112	5,812	668	3.8
1950	3,052	3,243	124	4,021	4,531	3,600	1,443	1,068	3,399	82	2,787	3,855	5,115	584	4.1
1951	2,770	2,932	125	3,665	5,347	4,680	1,457	1,251	4,020	88	3,544	4,795	5,933	586	3.8
1952	2,680	2,802	125	3,502	4,483	3,354	1,530	1,085	3,253	77	2,499	3,584	5,043	560	3.9
1953	2,404	2,502	120	3,002	4,543	3,771	1,377	1,061	3,119	86	2,670	3,731	5,043	500	4.0
1954	2,431	2,549	120	3,059	4,684	2,921	1,542	927	3,145	63	1,996	2,927	5,194	510	3.8
1955	2,452	2,546	100	2,546	----	----	----	---	----	--	----	----	----	---	--
UNITED STATES															
1935	350,407	389,958	54.4	212,071	597,769	331,399	218,796	116,429	365,485	56.7	207,361	323,790	658,344	60,575	3.9
1936	362,619	403,446	75.5	304,725	650,608	386,116	235,144	134,416	394,989	60.6	239,181	373,597	715,034	64,426	3.9
1937	379,754	423,921	65.6	278,120	532,580	332,299	215,067	129,145	351,810	63.9	224,826	353,971	601,147	68,567	4.0
1938	352,964	389,624	75.6	294,718	583,207	336,689	227,810	125,088	326,430	59.8	195,195	320,283	650,685	67,478	3.9
1939	376,141	418,591	70.0	292,852	621,063	319,252	224,783	110,490	376,583	52.7	198,597	309,087	696,655	75,592	3.9
1940	392,655	438,288	60.5	265,000	555,563	283,740	201,164	92,301	369,846	53.9	199,435	291,736	633,705	78,142	4.1
1941	381,315	422,841	65.4	276,460	664,115	404,835	197,699	108,303	412,322	64.0	263,772	372,075	744,956	80,841	4.1
1942	427,911	476,935	83.3	397,509	751,843	569,089	193,688	129,116	493,042	78.8	388,729	517,845	844,276	92,433	4.2
1943	488,959	542,047	104.0	563,986	913,707	904,605	190,620	166,614	682,937	101.9	696,214	862,828	1,001,392	87,685	4.2
1944	523,587	582,197	118.0	685,901	724,871	723,634	178,670	155,474	611,901	103.8	634,918	790,392	832,063	107,192	4.3
1945	473,880	516,497	121	626,259	799,102	861,592	183,101	175,354	609,271	111.0	676,593	851,947	890,443	91,341	4.3
1946	472,820	523,227	127	662,734	646,490	748,094	173,063	175,124	529,437	121.0	639,173	814,297	737,632	91,142	4.4
1947	431,446	467,217	144	672,690	635,729	708,119	161,851	159,271	491,451	117.0	567,839	727,110	719,418	83,689	4.4
1948	417,570	449,644	144	648,293	536,107	688,372	153,262	168,122	401,613	135.0	542,654	710,776	615,076	78,969	4.5
1949	399,380	430,876	166	716,344	622,833	673,682	156,216	146,792	440,944	112.0	496,562	643,354	705,099	82,266	4.4
1950	423,773	456,549	136	622,994	550,593	528,586	157,948	129,255	406,537	100.0	410,989	540,244	635,130	84,537	4.5
1951	410,200	422,657	146	644,951	577,827	625,626	157,716	143,603	412,843	114.3	471,886	615,489	663,481	85,654	4.5
1952	419,861	449,925	153	689,293	524,641	503,215	155,602	124,849	389,233	102.6	395,876	520,725	617,018	92,377	4.6
1953	403,960	429,731	141	606,935	518,410	508,778	151,017	120,592	354,311	105.0	372,167	492,759	608,510	90,100	4.7
1954	413,593	442,813	143	634,355	525,060	382,960	158,721	98,300	361,842	77.9	281,777	380,077	620,097	95,037	4.6
1955	421,926	447,310	105	471,522	------	------	------	-----	------	---	------	------	------	-----	--

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

TURKEYS ON FARMS JANUARY 1 AND TURKEYS PRODUCED ANNUALLY, 1936-1955

Year	Turkeys on Farms—January 1			Turkeys Produced on Farms Annually[1]		Turkeys Eaten Annually on Farms Where Produced		Turkeys Sold from Farms Annually			Gross Income[2]	Turkeys Raised	Turkeys Lost	Average Live Weight Per Head Sold
	Number	Value		Number	Value	Number	Value	Number	Value			Number	Number	
		Per Head	Total						Per Head	Total				
	Thousands	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Thousands	1,000 Dollars	Thousands	1,000 Dollars	Thousands	Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Dollars	Thousands	Thousands	Pounds
COLORADO														
1936	140	2.75	385	688	1,617	51	120	596	2.35	1,401	1,521	695	7	14.7
1937	181	1.85	335	721	1,774	48	118	686	2.46	1,688	1,806	730	9	15.0
1938	168	2.20	370	702	1,741	40	99	652	2.48	1,617	1,716	710	8	15.3
1939	178	2.40	427	1,072	2,369	36	80	944	2.21	2,086	2,166	1,082	10	15.2
1940	270	2.00	540	911	1,995	33	72	972	2.19	2,127	2,199	920	9	15.3
1941	176	2.10	370	839	2,584	29	89	757	3.06	2,318	2,407	846	7	16.2
1942	229	3.10	710	881	3,852	24	105	914	4.37	3,996	4,101	888	7	16.5
1943	172	4.50	774	852	4,260	21	105	831	5.00	4,155	4,260	861	9	16.5
1944	172	5.00	860	851	4,801	16	90	878	5.64	4,953	5,043	861	10	17.2
1945	129	5.10	658	938	5,355	18	103	914	5.71	5,218	5,321	947	9	17.3
1946	135	5.30	716	892	6,107	18	123	915	6.85	6,264	6,387	900	8	17.6
1947	94	6.40	602	714	4,461	15	94	746	6.25	4,661	4,755	720	6	17.5
1948	47	6.90	324	588	4,792	15	122	567	8.15	4,620	4,742	590	2	17.6
1949	53	9.00	477	759	5,195	13	89	735	6.84	5,030	5,119	761	2	18.7
1950	64	6.10	390	720	4,562	15	95	719	6.34	4,555	4,650	723	3	18.8
1951	50	7.00	350	721	5,452	15	113	696	7.56	5,263	5,376	723	2	19.0
1952	60	7.80	468	722	4,562	13	82	721	6.32	4,556	4,638	723	1	17.6
1953	48	6.20	298	635	4,394	16	111	631	6.92	4,366	4,477	636	1	19.6
1954	36	6.80	245	794	4,550	15	86	775	5.73	4,442	4,528	795	1	19.9
1955	40	5.50	220	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
UNITED STATES														
1936	5,731	2.82	16,170	27,642	66,663	1,485	3,437	25,530	2.41	61,533	64,970	27,981	339	14.7
1937	6,358	2.06	13,106	25,391	66,213	1,425	3,527	24,227	2.62	63,406	66,933	25,755	364	14.8
1938	6,096	2.49	15,154	26,547	70,477	1,291	3,261	24,861	2.66	66,192	69,453	26,887	340	14.9
1939	6,489	2.56	16,615	33,201	78,510	1,297	2,909	29,821	2.37	70,715	73,624	33,587	386	14.9
1940	8,569	2.14	18,312	33,572	77,738	1,170	2,598	33,778	2.32	78,245	80,843	34,047	475	15.1
1941	7,193	2.26	16,279	32,497	102,645	996	3,021	31,209	3.15	98,387	101,408	32,902	405	15.9
1942	7,485	3.08	23,036	32,359	144,332	824	3,497	32,420	4.47	144,760	148,257	32,805	446	16.3
1943	6,600	4.47	29,515	31,854	168,982	747	3,811	30,278	5.29	160,044	163,855	32,309	455	16.2
1944	7,429	5.33	39,623	35,170	201,165	647	3,564	34,749	5.72	198,731	202,295	35,616	446	16.8
1945	7,082	5.79	41,014	42,470	250,028	691	3,952	40,999	5.86	241,395	245,347	42,900	430	17.4
1946	7,862	5.75	45,228	39,746	260,106	699	4,423	41,030	6.53	268,508	272,931	40,142	396	18.0
1947	5,879	6.54	38,451	33,693	223,136	675	4,315	34,938	6.61	231,508	235,823	33,975	282	18.1
1948	3,959	6.97	27,606	31,346	268,709	666	5,302	30,017	8.56	257,391	262,693	31,541	195	18.3
1949	4,622	8.80	40,682	41,019	270,762	676	4,345	39,841	6.62	263,052	267,397	41,266	247	18.8
1950	5,124	6.34	32,477	43,533	265,434	648	3,944	42,918	6.10	261,605	265,549	43,792	259	18.6
1951	5,091	6.48	33,007	52,228	349,844	644	4,282	50,853	6.70	340,994	345,276	52,476	248	17.9
1952	5,822	6.99	40,720	60,650	343,429	715	4,108	60,452	5.68	342,104	346,212	60,868	218	16.9
1953	5,305	6.16	32,687	56,936	324,817	716	4,177	56,210	5.71	321,004	325,181	57,141	205	17.0
1954	5,315	6.31	33,544	63,435	314,175	724	3,802	62,578	4.95	310,052	313,854	63,636	201	17.2
1955	5,448	5.34	29,072	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----

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

[2] Value of turkeys sold and turkeys consumed on farms.

STOCK SHEEP,[1] 1945-1954
(Number Assessed March 1)

COUNTY	STOCK SHEEP[2] (Number)									
	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
Chaffee	3,475	3,457	3,916	4,126	2,227	3,245	3,416	3,027	2,878	2,816
Clear Creek	964	1,034	1,067	868	627	400	1,300	800	954	882
Eagle	28,183	29,057	21,710	26,230	26,963	25,770	26,579	27,081	22,680	22,830
Gilpin	100	100	100	100	200	133	133	133	133	----
Grand	10,993	7,818	8,354	8,522	7,221	7,689	7,569	9,641	8,274	6,545
Gunnison	42,334	36,605	32,384	30,501	29,650	26,135	24,328	22,659	22,934	25,317
Jackson	20,634	18,057	20,338	21,100	19,290	18,833	21,070	19,657	17,991	16,732
Lake	1,590	1,538	1,448	2,185	1,866	2,090	2,993	3,432	1,783	1,933
Moffat	118,255	119,485	108,070	110,319	98,517	99,897	107,001	109,215	106,584	103,320
Park	15,759	20,765	18,492	15,325	14,982	10,237	14,846	14,185	14,022	14,313
Pitkin	18,224	15,954	14,113	14,848	15,503	16,112	15,911	17,217	14,213	14,929
Rio Blanco	66,580	58,898	48,857	53,923	49,119	47,212	50,831	53,108	53,083	53,473
Routt	70,180	67,699	66,104	62,814	63,155	61,949	70,075	71,003	65,280	64,299
Summit	15,700	3,204	2,725	2,470	2,145	1,950	2,786	2,578	2,775	3,421
Teller	384	450	346	81	400	783	----	224	28	38
Total Northwest District	**413,355**	**384,121**	**348,024**	**353,512**	**331,865**	**322,435**	**348,838**	**353,960**	**333,612**	**330,848**
Boulder	2,172	1,839	1,360	1,547	1,255	655	1,133	1,145	1,134	994
Jefferson	1,408	1,372	1,954	1,965	1,574	2,379	2,183	2,168	1,884	2,287
Larimer	18,840	14,129	13,831	13,429	13,109	12,234	19,648	17,109	19,112	17,571
Logan	4,236	6,893	1,945	1,423	1,043	2,096	4,056	4,431	5,274	1,441
Morgan	4,590	3,735	2,981	2,001	1,737	2,526	3,446	4,177	3,033	4,157
Sedgwick	2,455	2,197	290	89	70	5	478	780	780	772
Weld	35,165	28,363	24,274	20,026	16,792	17,553	19,226	29,390	19,431	17,618
Total N. Central & N.E. District	**68,866**	**58,528**	**46,635**	**40,480**	**35,580**	**37,448**	**50,170**	**59,200**	**50,621**	**44,840**
Adams	10,698	12,483	9,413	9,737	9,475	11,346	14,389	14,376	11,828	11,007
Arapahoe	9,168	6,018	6,074	5,020	4,315	5,079	3,821	5,531	4,057	5,905
Cheyenne	20,479	16,594	6,350	8,387	3,770	6,475	5,640	6,478	5,628	4,311
Denver	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Douglas	148	217	464	461	205	214	212	330	473	774
Elbert	23,125	20,770	13,028	11,215	10,009	9,285	10,034	9,673	10,909	10,015
El Paso	10,221	7,857	3,913	4,454	5,666	4,141	4,159	3,482	3,701	4,452
Kiowa	10,885	7,522	2,245	3,615	830	603	2,791	701	366	386
Kit Carson	17,174	9,397	11,890	7,926	6,622	9,446	8,227	10,022	7,967	5,613
Lincoln	21,529	15,074	7,100	9,491	7,090	5,588	8,984	13,665	8,761	8,637
Phillips	2,466	3,377	2,286	4,082	1,408	1,061	932	1,785	810	2,247
Washington	22,011	19,551	12,810	10,070	9,375	11,052	11,180	11,853	8,963	10,084
Yuma	2,122	3,797	2,681	1,569	1,200	2,029	1,561	1,622	1,610	2,203
Total E. Central District	**150,026**	**122,657**	**78,254**	**76,027**	**59,965**	**66,319**	**71,930**	**79,518**	**65,073**	**65,634**
Archuleta	23,478	19,818	16,494	16,712	15,841	17,487	16,200	16,190	15,717	15,190
Delta	29,020	28,963	28,138	20,431	25,797	24,298	24,589	25,814	22,414	24,998
Dolores	23,525	23,315	21,522	20,409	19,276	18,786	18,960	20,177	20,576	20,424
Garfield	61,481	52,646	48,574	50,619	48,362	51,488	48,890	49,676	47,449	48,109
Hinsdale	11,098	11,135	8,799	14,261	14,224	12,281	11,921	11,615	11,585	11,338
La Plata	32,632	29,545	25,049	23,390	22,695	21,134	20,715	20,389	21,505	20,019
Mesa	31,765	31,371	29,175	27,889	29,238	29,183	34,196	35,196	35,009	33,594
Montezuma	26,404	24,527	21,608	19,454	17,975	14,415	16,658	16,490	17,181	17,057
Montrose	61,304	54,614	53,021	51,146	51,574	49,635	52,514	54,360	56,674	50,880
Ouray	11,990	9,370	10,829	9,799	7,826	8,755	7,356	5,988	6,327	7,225
San Juan	5,706	8,880	6,817	6,559	5,905	4,082	5,420	5,817	5,196	5,895
San Miguel	33,587	35,286	36,110	36,655	36,406	37,621	34,783	36,064	36,402	39,960
Total W. Central & S.W. District	**351,990**	**329,470**	**306,136**	**297,324**	**295,119**	**289,165**	**292,202**	**297,646**	**296,035**	**294,689**
Alamosa	22,551	21,471	17,178	16,501	21,153	25,192	19,144	17,052	22,791	25,027
Conejos	55,342	53,429	49,176	46,283	46,633	49,055	48,665	47,237	46,041	46,069
Costilla	20,128	11,712	9,806	8,618	9,234	11,514	10,904	12,759	9,766	13,738
Mineral	12,222	10,088	8,525	1,856	7,205	7,215	1,053	916	1,224	1,038
Rio Grande	80,086	77,539	55,972	62,914	76,276	88,785	61,974	63,149	75,284	78,429
Saguache	58,947	53,746	47,854	51,959	58,338	57,672	42,021	38,895	52,350	52,289
Total S. Central District	**249,276**	**227,985**	**188,511**	**188,131**	**218,839**	**239,433**	**183,761**	**180,008**	**207,456**	**216,590**
Baca	9,050	6,952	4,958	4,412	1,915	712	4,551	3,663	830	1,718
Bent	8,806	13,159	10,437	13,656	15,784	9,967	8,958	11,814	6,204	9,470
Crowley	6,269	1,390	1,826	2,752	3,456	1,288	2,048	3,066	3,481	1,143
Custer	6,948	5,636	2,746	2,904	2,599	2,455	2,785	2,660	2,377	2,476
Fremont	1,313	1,478	805	1,975	1,585	1,426	2,756	2,952	1,438	1,180
Huerfano	24,182	21,704	11,820	11,911	11,122	14,552	10,302	9,821	6,537	7,244
Las Animas	37,526	26,570	17,414	14,456	11,061	10,718	8,398	8,951	8,140	10,029
Otero	12,589	10,072	7,597	10,398	11,238	10,076	14,177	16,905	10,111	12,889
Prowers	13,456	11,381	9,725	12,271	20,655	18,753	17,438	30,006	11,150	11,583
Pueblo	12,370	10,471	6,019	1,956	1,939	2,258	1,795	2,302	884	601
Total Southeast District	**132,509**	**108,813**	**73,347**	**76,691**	**81,354**	**72,205**	**73,208**	**92,140**	**51,152**	**58,333**
State Total	**1,366,022**	**1,231,574**	**1,040,907**	**1,032,165**	**1,022,722**	**1,027,005**	**1,020,109**	**1,062,472**	**1,003,949**	**1,010,934**

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[2] Includes animals "grazed" in transit, but excludes animals "fed" in transit. Animals "grazed" in transit are primarily breeding stock, while animals "fed" in transit are primarily those being fattened for slaughter.

LIVESTOCK — NUMBER ASSESSED MARCH 1, 1953, 1954[1]

COUNTY	Horses & Mules		Milk Cows		All Cattle [2]		Hogs		Poultry (Dozens)	
	1953	1954	1953	1954	1953	1954	1953	1954	1953	1954
Chaffee	341	371	651	641	5,460	5,797	209	133	411	377
Clear Creek	125	84	45	59	277	280	---	---	60	75
Eagle	826	773	536	557	13,999	14,261	117	102	400	381
Gilpin	119	129	---	---	547	506	---	---	---	---
Grand	1,362	1,212	568	552	16,960	16,045	43	35	232	243
Gunnison	1,379	1,307	462	507	25,650	26,888	5	7	182	157
Jackson	1,619	1,403	395	377	28,158	31,578	26	19	128	85
Lake	57	52	54	67	1,001	1,062	---	---	---	---
Moffat	1,441	1,284	482	490	16,087	16,880	104	84	884	665
Park	919	758	170	135	21,075	19,371	14	28	136	175
Pitkin	543	531	197	209	6,738	6,293	132	91	166	140
Rio Blanco	1,539	1,290	522	501	24,160	25,286	115	82	407	328
Routt	2,562	2,383	1,663	1,738	29,145	27,981	231	339	1,446	1,565
Summit	291	302	81	95	4,024	4,516	8	18	31	38
Teller	695	528	170	188	5,354	5,446	7	8	150	154
Total Northwest District	**13,818**	**12,407**	**5,996**	**6,116**	**198,635**	**202,190**	**1,011**	**946**	**4,633**	**4,383**
Boulder	988	863	6,154	5,195	37,026	18,693	1,254	1,044	2,750	2,883
Jefferson	1,975	1,839	3,576	3,673	14,500	13,822	1,002	773	4,862	4,290
Larimer	1,471	1,129	6,191	7,287	52,737	32,631	6,350	6,010	4,212	4,040
Logan	1,210	1,105	4,579	4,586	67,288	43,782	1,650	1,470	5,610	5,426
Morgan	837	757	4,235	4,019	100,712	35,142	1,869	1,717	4,692	4,457
Sedgwick	309	255	1,031	1,000	17,924	12,754	617	461	1,899	1,816
Weld	1,918	1,654	22,552	24,660	262,094	96,056	3,173	2,964	11,198	10,267
Total N. Central & N.E.	**8,708**	**7,602**	**48,318**	**50,420**	**552,281**	**252,880**	**15,915**	**14,469**	**35,223**	**33,179**
Adams	484	522	4,104	4,388	29,105	22,265	16,400	14,817	3,120	2,801
Arapahoe	1,088	995	3,752	3,305	14,532	14,573	737	381	2,334	2,065
Cheyenne	310	303	607	629	31,317	29,551	241	306	1,219	1,177
Denver	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Douglas	648	521	1,942	1,938	19,171	17,462	132	93	968	915
Elbert	1,118	1,054	3,370	3,648	44,054	38,819	626	550	2,700	2,861
El Paso	1,488	1,254	6,461	5,598	37,136	35,568	784	656	3,981	3,698
Kiowa	342	296	191	162	18,708	17,325	276	143	1,110	926
Kit Carson	1,090	907	859	1,180	46,988	44,214	1,178	1,326	3,754	3,738
Lincoln	563	432	1,171	1,227	44,326	42,281	664	631	2,210	2,296
Phillips	170	181	1,207	1,380	12,472	10,891	796	433	2,712	2,731
Washington	842	786	688	1,112	49,340	46,596	2,117	1,511	5,602	5,760
Yuma	980	872	2,784	2,968	50,854	43,736	2,374	2,278	4,842	4,857
Total East Central District	**9,123**	**8,123**	**27,136**	**27,535**	**398,006**	**363,281**	**26,325**	**23,125**	**34,552**	**33,825**
Archuleta	831	735	288	377	10,460	10,714	212	133	437	478
Delta	1,534	1,375	3,431	3,525	25,688	21,880	900	1,875	2,576	2,731
Dolores	166	158	61	71	3,628	3,928	44	40	174	162
Garfield	2,381	2,171	2,135	2,118	32,183	32,780	1,117	783	1,598	1,530
Hinsdale	207	216	32	41	2,724	2,708	---	---	18	6
La Plata	1,652	1,456	2,624	2,680	17,984	18,369	620	584	2,078	2,178
Mesa	1,903	1,842	5,120	5,205	37,535	36,778	1,337	1,605	3,699	4,222
Montezuma	980	894	971	1,198	13,872	13,812	489	240	1,202	1,459
Montrose	2,901	1,721	2,972	3,039	24,727	25,725	1,416	1,675	3,213	3,258
Ouray	362	342	237	266	6,298	6,670	14	30	121	132
San Juan	105	63	---	3	133	142	---	---	---	---
San Miguel	349	262	151	126	4,808	5,008	25	39	136	139
Total West Central Dist.	**13,371**	**11,235**	**18,022**	**18,649**	**180,040**	**178,514**	**6,174**	**7,004**	**15,252**	**16,295**
Alamosa	629	543	887	899	11,239	12,502	708	392	823	811
Conejos	824	800	775	703	12,411	11,636	937	744	825	719
Costilla	237	175	135	144	4,598	4,539	328	376	298	335
Mineral	175	156	30	34	970	898	---	---	17	13
Rio Grande	857	781	1,020	806	8,877	9,220	2,954	1,898	1,138	1,121
Saguache	428	334	267	275	22,985	24,928	448	337	175	151
Total South Central Dist.	**3,150**	**2,789**	**3,114**	**2,861**	**61,030**	**63,723**	**5,375**	**3,747**	**3,276**	**3,150**
Baca	603	481	870	775	23,580	19,682	742	495	2,246	1,693
Bent	328	312	765	740	27,726	17,179	1,102	1,118	1,618	1,854
Crowley	349	310	872	944	21,024	14,157	1,074	1,190	1,883	1,939
Custer	461	431	1,001	962	11,168	11,878	135	88	414	387
Fremont	761	671	1,277	1,439	15,572	13,955	---	---	2,573	2,871
Huerfano	826	731	736	732	17,313	17,053	270	202	567	536
Las Animas	1,866	1,595	662	567	45,307	45,817	189	192	1,104	1,088
Otero	737	572	2,111	1,976	34,599	17,127	2,197	1,838	3,270	3,182
Prowers	523	539	1,388	1,548	29,739	24,716	2,572	2,301	3,110	3,109
Pueblo	948	866	2,617	2,365	29,992	23,258	1,840	1,531	2,020	2,151
Total Southeast District	**7,402**	**6,508**	**12,299**	**12,048**	**256,020**	**204,822**	**10,121**	**8,955**	**18,805**	**18,810**
State Total	**55,572**	**48,664**	**114,885**	**117,629**	**1,646,062**	**1,265,410**	**64,921**	**58,246**	**111,741**	**109,642**

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[2] Number assessed as "fed in transit" are not included.

UNITED STATES CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1954

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total[1]		Per Unit	Total
Winter Wheat	46,084,000	38,636,000	20.5	790,737,000	Bu.	$ 2.11	$ 1,670,179,000
Spring Wheat	15,887,000[2]	15,076,000	11.9	179,044,000	Bu.	2.20	393,200,000
Rye, for Grain	4,023,000[2]	1,718,000	13.8	23,688,000	Bu	1.13	26,728,000
Rice	2,462,000	2,405,000	2,447[3]	58,853,000	100-lb. bag	4.35	256,060,000
Dry Beans	1,714,000	1,576,000	1,199[3]	18,899,000	100-lb. bag	8.01[4]	136,143,000[4]
Corn, All	81,893,000[2]	79,875,000	37.1	2,964,639,000	Bu.	1.51	4,488,601,000
Corn, for Grain	----	69,084,000	38.4	2,652,426,000	Bu.	---	----
Oats, for Grain	47,284,000[2]	42,151,000	35.6	1,499,579,000	Bu.	.722	1,083,206,000
Barley, for Grain	14,517,000[2]	12,994,000	28.5	370,126,000	Bu.	1.05	389,047,000
All Sorghums, for Grain	----	10,764,000	19.0	204,087,000	Bu.	1.23	250,731,000
All Sorghums, for Forage	----	5,831,000	1.10	6,431,000	Ton	18.60	119,678,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	19,882,000	17,780,000	---	----	--	---	----
Cotton, lint	19,776,000	19,187,000	339[3]	13,569,000	Bale	.341[3]	2,311,964,000
Sugar Beets	963,400	878,000	16.0	14,027,000	Ton	11.10	155,700,000
Sugar Cane	----	314,000	22.1	6,940,000	Ton	6.68	46,369,000
Tobacco	----	1,645,000	1,337	2,200,134,000	Pound	.514	1,131,089,000
Cottonseed	----	----	---	5,568,000	Ton	60.30	356,946,000
Flaxseed	5,959,000	5,663,000	7.3	41,534,000	Bu.	3.08	127,940,000
Peanuts	----	1,368,000	763	1,043,560,000	Pound	.123	128,543,000
Soybeans	19,300,000	17,037,000	20.1	342,795,000	Bu.	2.63	900,957,000
Potatoes	1,423,400	1,405,000	252.8	355,099,000	Bu.	1.23	435,944,000
Sweet potatoes	354,000	346,000	86.5	29,880,000	Bu.	2.31	69,001,000
Alfalfa Hay	----	22,996,000	2.15	49,328,000	Ton	---	----
All Hay	----	72,770,000	1.43	104,380,000	Ton	22.60[5]	2,359,011,000
Alfalfa Seed	----	950,000	165[3]	1,567,380	100-lb. bag	35.10	54,942,000
Sweet Clover Seed	----	248,000	152[3]	378,100	100-lb. bag	11.40	4,301,000
Field Peas	287,000	268,000	1,300[3]	3,484,000	100-lb. bag	4.91[4]	15,114,000[4]
Broomcorn	292,000	237,000	226[2]	27,000	Ton	368.00	9,906,000
Popcorn	147,300	141,000	1,573[3]	2,219,450	100-lb. bag	2.87	6,376,000
Apples, Commercial Crop	----	----	---	103,773,000	Bu.	2.29	237,307,000
Peaches	----	----	---	60,794,000	Bu.	2.00	119,468,000
Pears	----	----	---	30,077,000	Bu.	2.12	63,871,000
Cherries, Sour	----	----	---	104,020	Ton	212.00	22,077,000
Cherries, Sweet	----	----	---	93,140	Ton	293.00	27,286,000
Apricots	----	----	---	145,000	Ton	127.00	18,448,000
Cranberries	----	26,000	39.0	1,012,000	Bbl.	12.40	12,548,000
Grapes	----	----	---	2,607,000	Ton	50.80	132,534,000
Oranges	----	----	---	141,475,000	Box	1.67	236,228,000
Grapefruit	----	----	---	46,120,000	Box	.90	41,660,000
COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES							
Asparagus, for Mfg.	----	100,850	1.01	101,630	Ton	226.10	22,976,000
Asparagus, for Market	----	42,850	81	3,455,000	Crate	4.03	13,935,000
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.	----	150,900	2.33	352,330	Ton	120.80	42,562,000
Beans, Snap, for Market	----	158,500	113	17,899,000	Bu.	2.42	43,215,000
Cabbage, for Mfg.	----	15,980	13.12	209,600	Ton	11.90	2,486,000
Cabbage, for Market	----	143,380	7.92	1,135,200	Ton	27.86	29,503,000
Cantaloup	----	153,520	104	15,932,000	J. Crate	3.35	53,298,000
Carrots	----	80,050	387	31,006,000	Bu.	1.61	49,043,000
Cauliflower	----	27,750	361	10,010,000	Crate	1.33	13,283,000
Celery	----	36,630	681	24,937,000	Crate	1.99	48,453,000
Sweet Corn, for Mfg.	----	453,210	3.28	1,487,600	Ton	20.80	30,875,000
Sweet Corn, for Market	----	225,100	110	24,856,000	5 dz. ears	1.77	44,067,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles	----	140,120	91	12,707,000	Bu.	1.45	18,365,000
Lettuce	----	206,150	196	40,492,000	Crate	3.10	124,427,000
Onions	----	115,720	364	42,099,000	50-lb. sack	1.16	48,994,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.	----	424,360	1,877[3]	398,220	Ton	91.50	36,440,000
Peas, Green, for Market	----	14,630	97	1,422,000	Bu.	2.43	3,451,000
Spinach, for Market	----	39,050	236	9,212,000	Bu.	1.15	10,556,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.	----	266,650	10.24	2,729,250	Ton	24.20	65,908,000
Tomatoes, for Market	----	250,000	146	36,435,000	Bu.	3.45	125,075,000
Watermelons	----	453,350	262[6]	118,909	1,000 melons	295.00	33,869,000
Total Commercial Vegetables		3,897,000[7]					$ 965,910,000[7]
Total All Principal Crops		336,954,000[7]					$19,150,945,000[7]

[1] Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.
[2] Planted for all uses.
[3] Pounds.
[4] Price and value apply to cleaned production.
[5] Price of hay sold baled.
[6] Melons.
[7] Includes some crops not shown separately.

UNITED STATES CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1953

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total[1]		Per Unit	Total
Winter Wheat	56,998,000	46,820,000	18.8	881,608,000	Bu.	$ 2.03	$ 1,786,881,000
Spring Wheat	21,791,000[2]	20,841,000	13.8	287,876,000	Bu.	2.08	598,286,000
Rye, for Grain	3,323,000[2]	1,384,000	13.1	18,163,000	Bu.	1.30	23,542,000
Rice	2,174,000	2,129,000	2,471[3]	52,607,000	100-lb. bag	5.19	272,926,000
Dry Beans	1,436,000	1,397,000	1,301[3]	18,171,000	100-lb. bag	8.15[4]	137,123,000[4]
Corn, All	81,730,000[2]	80,608,000	39.6	3,192,491,000	Bu.	1.48	4,717,593,000
Corn, for Grain	----	71,220,000	40.4	2,876,394,000	Bu.	---	----
Oats, for Grain	43,875,000[2]	39,217,000	30.3	1,209,458,000	Bu.	.743	899,063,000
Barley, for Grain	9,659,000[2]	8,586,000	28.2	242,544,000	Bu.	1.15	278,483,000
All Sorghums, for Grain	----	6,150,000	17.8	109,353,000	Bu.	1.28	139,756,000
All Sorghums, for Forage	----	5,266,000	1.18	6,191,000	Ton	16.30	100,831,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	14,651,000	12,395,000	---	----	--	---	----
Cotton, lint	25,244,000	24,341,000	324.2[3]	16,465,000	Bale	.3225[3]	2,654,683,000
Sugar Beets	794,600	745,000	16.2	12,084,000	Ton	11.60	140,364,000
Sugarcane	----	344,000	22.1	7,619,000	Ton	7.23	55,123,000
Tobacco	----	1,631,000	1,260	2,055,370,000	Pound	.523	1,075,326,000
Cottonseed	----	----	---	6,748,000	Ton	52.60	355,252,000
Flaxseed	4,640,000	4,456,000	8.2	36,668,000	Bu.	3.62	132,716,000
Peanuts	----	1,541,000	1,031	1,588,415,000	Pound	.111	176,337,000
Soybeans	16,500,000	14,679,000	18.3	268,528,000	Bu.	2.72	731,721,000
Potatoes	1,548,600	1,525,000	249.3	380,075,000	Bu.	.797	302,842,000
Sweet Potatoes	357,200	351,000	97.7	34,276,000	Bu.	2.51	86,167,000
Alfalfa Hay	----	20,400,000	2.19	44,755,000	Ton	---	----
All Hay	----	73,996,000	1.43	105,530,000	Ton	22.20[5]	2,338,139,000
Alfalfa Seed	----	947,000	143[3]	1,355,700	100-lb. bag	22.90	31,072,000
Sweet Clover Seed	----	227,000	151[3]	343,410	100-lb. bag	9.33	3,205,000
Field Peas	282,000	262,000	1,279[3]	3,350,000	100-lb. bag	5.11[4]	15,183,000[4]
Broomcorn	329,000	260,000	238[3]	31,000	Ton	334.00	10,358,000
Popcorn	214,400	199,000	1,621[3]	3,221,280	100-lb. bag	3.68	11,861,000
Apples, Commercial Crop	----	----	---	93,307,000	Bu.	2.65	247,667,000
Peaches	----	----	---	64,473,000	Bu.	1.90	120,089,000
Pears	----	----	---	29,081,000	Bu.	2.02	58,604,000
Cherries, Sour	----	----	---	132,010	Ton	182.00	24,090,000
Cherries, Sweet	----	----	---	92,000	Ton	274.00	25,199,000
Apricots	----	----	---	243,000	Ton	119.00	28,986,000
Cranberries	----	26,000	45.6	1,203,000	Bbl.	14.20	17,107,000
Grapes	----	----	---	2,700,000	Ton	47.90	129,274,000
Oranges	----	----	---	130,930,000	Box	1.96	254,846,000
Grapefruit	----	----	---	48,370,000	Box	.85	40,164,000
COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES							
Asparagus, for Mfg.	----	88,870	1.05	93,560	Ton	202.80	18,977,000
Asparagus, for Market	----	46,220	83	3,858,000	Crate	3.86	14,899,000
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.	----	142,940	2.17	310,690	Ton	125.50	38,980,000
Beans, Snap, for Market	----	157,220	110	17,342,000	Bu.	2.71	46,538,000
Cabbage, for Mfg.	----	17,830	12.70	226,400	Ton	13.40	3,038,000
Cabbage, for Market	----	151,510	8.13	1,232,000	Ton	31.20	34,505,000
Cantaloup	----	140,070	109	15,252,000	J. Crate	3.62	55,162,000
Carrots	----	82,150	382	31,381,000	Bu.	1.60	49,161,000
Cauliflower	----	29,700	402	11,931,000	Crate	1.19	14,205,000
Celery	----	36,620	655	24,003,000	Crate	2.18	51,770,000
Sweet Corn, for Mfg.	----	503,340	3.01	1,514,100	Ton	23.40	35,450,000
Sweet Corn, for Market	----	215,100	111	23,905,000	5 dz. ears	1.94	46,344,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles	----	148,560	93	13,752,000	Bu.	1.55	21,298,000
Lettuce	----	209,620	192	40,170,000	Crate	3.04	121,265,000
Onions	----	132,220	377	49,847,000	50-lb. sack	.68	31,994,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.	----	430,900	2,156[3]	464,550	Ton	93.60	43,495,000
Peas, Green, for Market	----	12,570	112	1,405,000	Bu.	2.48	3,480,000
Spinach, for Market	----	40,500	254	10,288,000	Bu.	1.09	11,094,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.	----	297,300	10.88	3,234,910	Ton	27.50	88,872,000
Tomatoes, for Market	----	234,760	148	34,638,000	Bu.	3.73	129,321,000
Watermelons	----	435,150	253[6]	109,916	1,000 melons	401.00	43,871,000
Total Commercial Vegetables		3,940,000[7]					$ 1,023,068,000[7]
Total All Principal Crops		341,164,000[7]					$19,390,671,000[7]

[1] Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.

[2] Planted for all uses.

[3] Pounds.

[4] Price and value apply to cleaned production.

[5] Price of hay sold baled.

[6] Melons.

[7] Includes some crops not shown separately.

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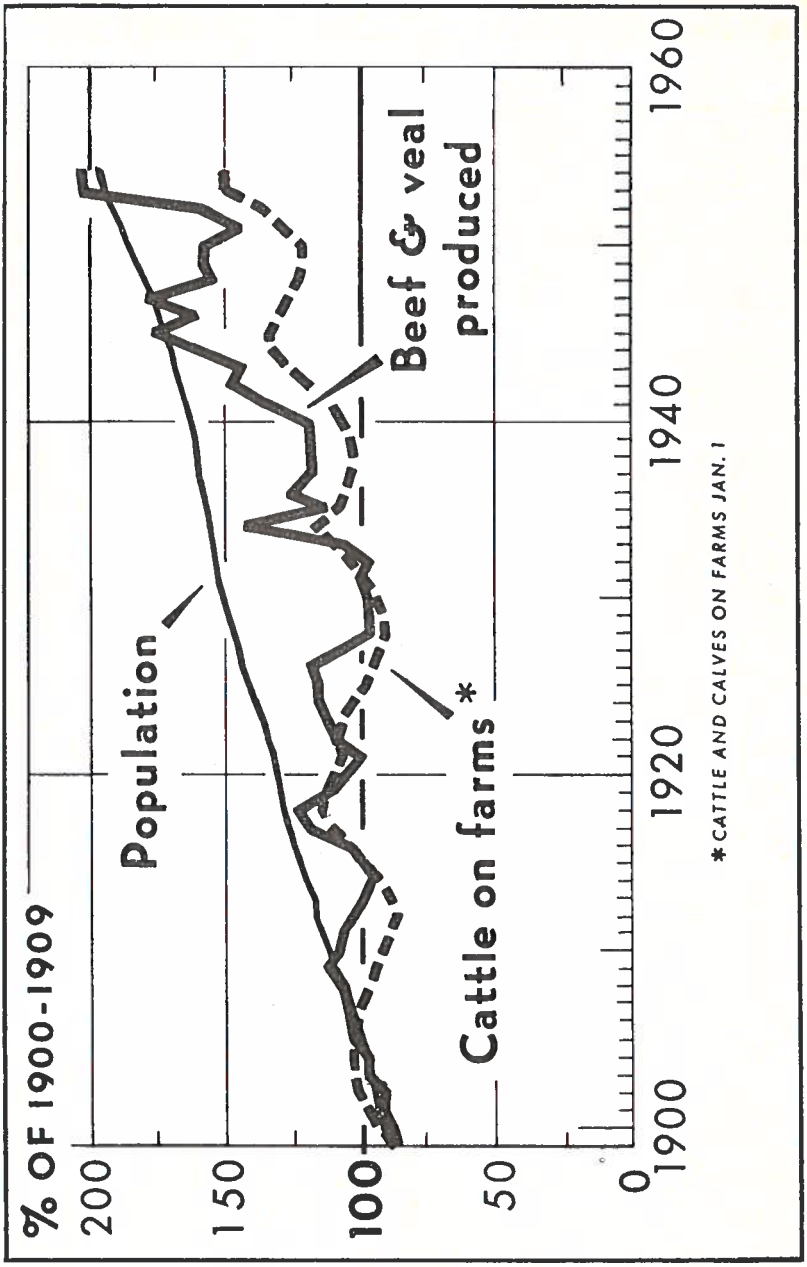

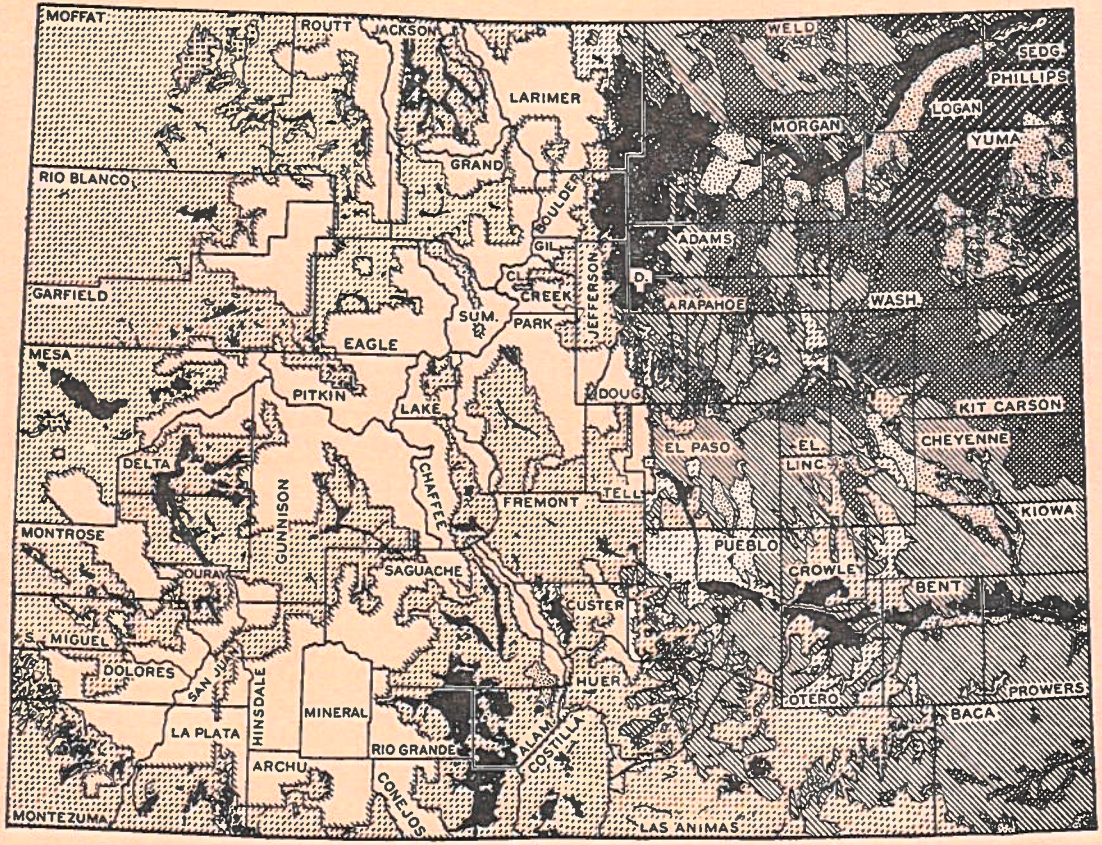

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- *First class dry farming*
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- *Third class dry farming*
- *Sand hills*
- *National forests*
- *National parks*
- *Grain crop land*
- *Grazing land*
- *Forage crop land*

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