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## Pennsylvania 2018 Vegetable Production Summary

**Cantaloupes** production is estimated at 108 thousand cwt, down 22 percent from the 2017 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 120 cwt, 25 cwt below the 2017 average yield of 145 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 900 acres, down 50 acres from last year. The value of production totaled 4.15 million dollars, down 7 percent from 2017.

**Sweet Corn** production is estimated at 604.2 thousand cwt, down 19 percent from the 2017 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 57 cwt, 7 cwt below the 2017 average yield of 64 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 10,600 acres, down 9 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 24.7 million dollars, down 13 percent from 2017.

**Pumpkins** production is estimated at 655.5 thousand cwt, down 42 percent from the 2017 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 115 cwt, 50 cwt below the 2017 average yield of 165 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 5,700 acres, down 17 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 13.9 million dollars, down 29 percent from 2017.

**Snap Beans** for production is estimated at 513.3 thousand cwt, up 6 percent from the 2017 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 59 cwt, 8 cwt below the 2017 average yield of 67 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 8,700 acres, up 21 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 9.47 million dollars, down 7 percent from 2017.

For the complete 2018 “Vegetable Annual Summary” go to:  
<https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/02870v86p>

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