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2014 Washington Total Farm Production Expenditures up 14 Percent from Previous Year

Farm Production Expenditures in Washington are estimated at \$9.32 billion for 2014, up from \$8.18 billion in 2013. This is up 14 percent from 2013. All expenditure items except rent and miscellaneous capital expenditures increased from the previous year. The four largest expenditures at the State level account for 56 percent of total expenditures in 2014. These include Labor, 20 percent; Farm Services, 18 percent; Feed, 10 percent; and Fertilizer, lime and soil conditioners, 8 percent. In 2014, average total farm expenditure per farm in Washington was \$235,815, up from the previous year average of \$221,081. This is also higher than the United States farm expenditure average per farm which was \$191,500 in 2014, up 9 percent from the previous year.

Farm Production Expenses by Farms Reporting, Average per Farm and Total — Washington: 2013-2014

[Totals may not add due to rounding]

Expenditure	Farms reporting		Average per farm		Total expenditures	
	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014
	(percent)	(percent)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(million dollars)	(million dollars)
Livestock, poultry and related expenses	20.5	28.7	2,703	6,540	100	240
Feed	46.9	49.0	22,703	25,068	840	920
Farm services	89.1	82.5	40,000	46,594	1,480	1,710
Rent	22.5	26.2	16,757	16,621	620	610
Agricultural chemicals	38.6	39.7	11,892	13,351	440	490
Fertilizer, lime and soil conditioners	40.0	41.3	15,946	19,619	590	720
Interest	27.9	26.1	5,135	6,267	190	230
Taxes	98.9	100.0	6,486	7,902	240	290
Labor	27.8	32.6	48,919	50,954	1,810	1,870
Fuel	80.8	74.7	8,649	9,809	320	360
Farm supplies and repairs	80.4	74.0	14,054	15,804	520	580
Farm improvements and construction	40.9	45.6	8,108	13,079	300	480
Tractors and self-propelled farm machinery	11.0	10.1	5,676	6,540	210	240
Other farm machinery	8.7	16.5	1,892	2,725	70	100
Seeds and plants	26.4	28.4	9,459	10,082	350	370
Trucks and autos	8.0	8.2	1,622	2,180	60	80
Miscellaneous capital expenditures	2.4	1.6	1,081	681	40	25
Total farm production expenditures	100.0	100.0	221,081	253,815	8,180	9,315

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