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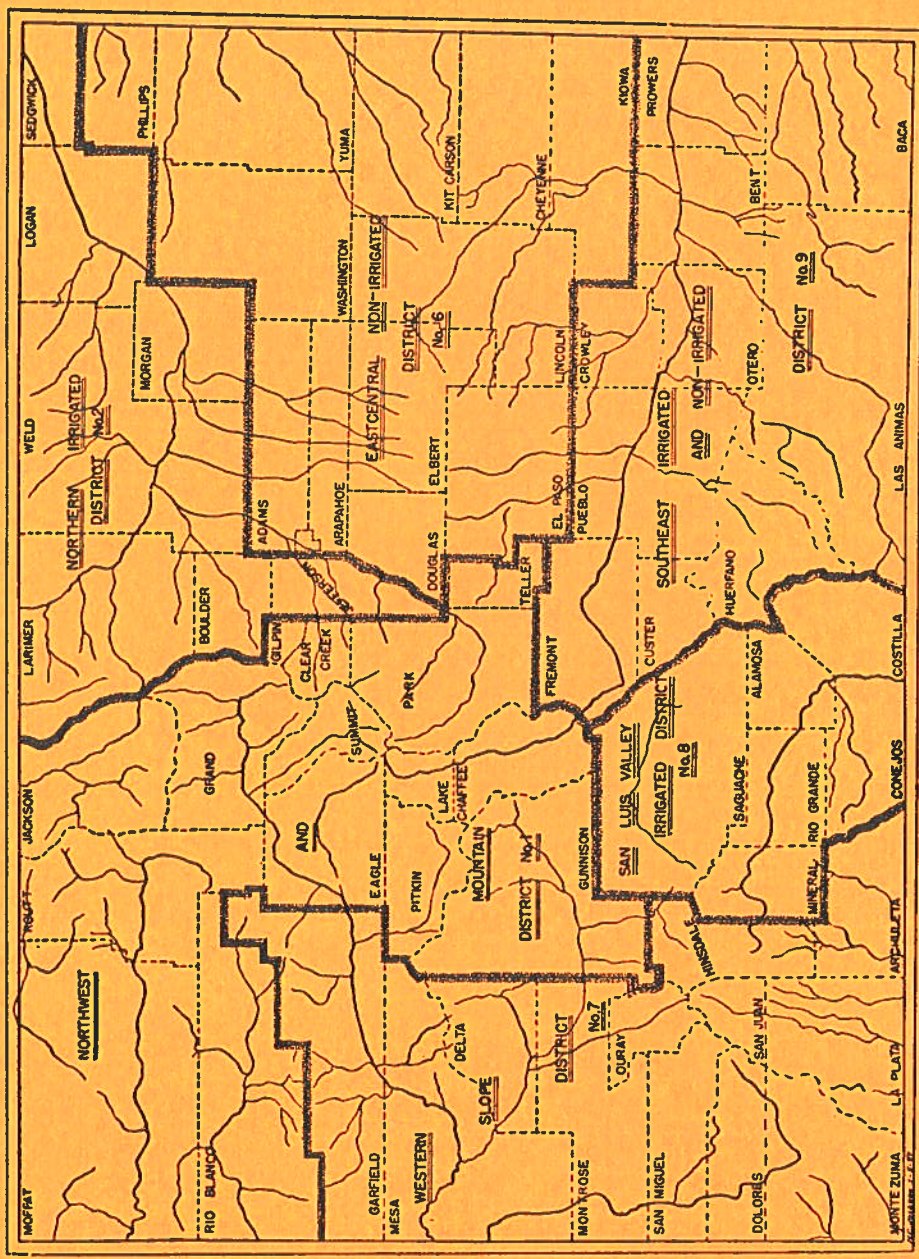
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REVIEW OF THE 1956 CROP SEASON

Production of principal field and fruit crops in Colorado aggregated about 4% above the low harvest of 1955, but was 12 percent below the 10-year (1945-54) average. The 1956 harvest of corn, sugar beets and potatoes—three important irrigated crops—exceeded the respective 1955 crops and compared favorably in size with average harvests for the 10-year period. In less plentiful supply was the 1956 harvest of dry beans, oats and barley all of them being far short of average. Combined 1956 production of feed grains totalled only 22.6 million bushels. Production in 1955 was 24.7 million and the 10-year average 30.1 million bushels. Hay production at slightly over 2.3 million tons was almost the same as the 1955 harvest and the 10-year average. The 1956 sorghum grain crop of 2.6 million bushels was sharply below the near 5 million bushel harvest of 1955. As was the case in 1955, livestock carrying capacity of pastures and ranges was much below normal in eastern Colorado, particularly in the east central and southeastern parts of the state. Pastures were also very short in the southwest. Winter wheat was mostly concentrated in the north and extreme northeastern counties in 1956. Harvest amounted to 16.9 million bushels, the same as the 1955 crop but less than one-half the average harvest of 40.9 million bushels. The critical drouth conditions centering in east central Colorado and extending over much of the eastern plains country also limited production of forage feeds, broomcorn, and other non-irrigated crops. Farmers and stockmen in the area faced the winter with limited feed supplies and experienced another year of severe financial loss due to extensive abandonment of 1956 crop acreages. Indicated receipts from the sale of all farm products during 1956 totalled \$422 million. This compares with \$404 million in 1955, \$443 million in 1954, and the high of \$602.5 million in 1952. Continued drouth conditions with generally comparable prices of most farm products combined to maintain farm-ranch income near the low 1955 level. Cash receipts from sale of livestock were partly maintained by a nominal reduction in breeding herds. The acreage of principal crops abandoned in 1956 was placed at 41.9 percent compared with 43.4 percent in 1955 and 19.2 percent, the 10-year (1945-54) average. The extended severe drought resulted in little production from planted acreage in east central counties near the Kansas border. Crops were dependent to a large degree on pump water in the San Luis Valley. "Ditch" water in most other areas was more plentiful than in 1955 but below normal. Crop production in the northeastern corner of the state again fared best as the growing season was near normal. Fruit harvest in the important western producing area was generally good with production average or above.

WHEAT—Production of winter wheat at 16,896,000 bushels was almost identical to the 16,862,000 bushels in 1955, but was less than one-half the 10-year (1945-54) average of 40,929,000 bushels. The 1956 crop was plagued by drouth conditions over much of the eastern plains. Loss of wheat acreage approximated one-half of the total plantings. As in other recent years, the bulk of the 1956 production came from the northeastern corner of the state. In Cheyenne and Kiowa counties, where drouth conditions were most severe, the crop was practically a total failure. Spring wheat production totalled 756,000 bushels against 850,000 bushels in 1955 and 2,055,000 bushels the average. As in 1955, most of the crop came from irrigated land generally and western non-irrigated areas.

POTATOES—The 1956 potato crop was estimated at 10,197,000 (100-lb.) sacks. This crop was 12 percent larger than the short crop of 9,120,000 sacks harvested in 1955 but was 6 percent smaller than the 10-year (1945-54) average of 10,844,000 sacks. The 1956 production was harvested from 53,000 acres with a 2,000 acre abandonment which occurred due to the continued drought. Weather was mostly favorable during harvest and a good quality crop went into storage. Recorded shipments of potatoes to December 1 of nearly 3-2/3 million sacks exceeded the shipments to that date in 1955 by 13 percent. A government assistance program for diverting potatoes to livestock feed and starch was in operation again in 1956. The 1956 yield per acre was 192 sacks against 175 in 1955 and the 1945-54 average of 176. Production of late summer potatoes at 2,650,000 compared with 2,025,000 sacks harvested in 1955 and 2,218,000 the 6-year (1949-54) average late summer harvest. Total production of fall potatoes (usually for market after October 1) reached 7,547,000 sacks in 1956 compared to the 1955 fall crop of 7,095,000 sacks and the 6-year (1949-54) average production of 8,334,000 sacks.

SUGAR BEETS—Production of sugar beets was estimated at 1,893,000 tons, about 2 percent less than average, and up 17 percent from the 1,621,000 tons harvested in 1955. The growing season was favorable with the season extending well into the fall. This gave high tonnage as well as an unusually high sugar content. The tonnage in 1956 was harvested from 120,700 acres with an average yield of 15.7 tons. In 1955, harvest from 102,000 acres averaged 15.9 tons of beets per acre.

DRY BEANS—Production of dry beans in 1956 reached 1,408,000 bags (100-lb.—clean basis). This production, mostly Pintos, compared with 1,640,000 bags produced in 1955 and the average crop of 1,887,000. The 1956 crop was the smallest since 1937. Late summer drought conditions in southwestern Colorado reduced the size of the non-irrigated crop and less than normal acreage of beans was planted in northern Colorado irrigated areas. The acreage harvested totalled 204,000 in 1956 against 200,000 acres in 1955. The 1956 yield per acre at 690 pounds was 130 pounds below 1955.

CORN—Production of all corn in 1956 was 17,340,000 bushels, the largest harvest since 1942. Production in 1955 was 17,064,000 bushels and the average crop 13,328,000 bushels. The extremely high irrigated yield in northern Colorado resulted in a record high average yield of 42.5 bushels per acre for the state. The 1955 yield was 36 bushels and the 10-year (1945-54) average yield was 25.5 bushels. Irrigated corn averaged 58.0 bushels in 1956 and 54.9 bushels in 1955. (The yield in Iowa in 1956 was only 53.0 bushels.) Corn for grain production at 8,568,000 bushels compared with 7,584,000 bushels harvested in 1955 and the average 8,326,000 bushels. Corn cut for silage was a record tonnage of 1,796,000 tons in 1956 against 1,577,000 tons in 1955.

OATS AND BARLEY—Production of oats was 3,496,000 bushels in 1956. This, with the exception of 1954, was the smallest crop since 1934 and compared to 3,906,000 bushels in 1955 and the 10-year average of 5,563,000 bushels. The non-irrigated crop was very small in 1956. Barley production totalled 7,975,000 bushels against 8,294,000 bushels in 1955 and remained far below the average of 13,368,000 bushels. As in the case of oats, very little barley was produced on non-irrigated land in eastern Colorado.

SORGHUMS—The 1956 sorghum crop was produced under generally adverse conditions. Grain harvest estimated at 2,562,000 bushels compared unfavorably with the 1955 harvest of 4,950,000 bushels, and was close to the 10-year average production of 2,816,000 bushels. Production for grain from non-irrigated land was restricted to northeastern Colorado. The crop produced on irrigated land in the Arkansas Valley was a larger percentage of the total than usual. Silage production of 120,000 and forage production of 261,000 tons was far short of respective tonnages produced in 1955. Total plantings in 1956 at 1,229,000 acres were about one-third less than those planted in 1955, and the 1956 acreage harvested for all purposes was about one-half the acreage harvested in 1955.

BROOMCORN—Production of broomcorn at 4,300 tons in 1956 was about one-half the tonnage harvested in 1955 and the smallest harvest since 1939. Production in 1955 amounted to 8,500 tons and the 10-year average was 9,010 tons. Plantings were near average in 1956, however, because of critical drought conditions only 62,000 acres reached harvest with a low average yield of 140 pounds of brush per acre.

SEED CROPS—Alfalfa seed was estimated at 2,850,000 pounds against 3,640,000 pounds in 1955 and the average of 2,696,000. Sweetclover seed in 1956 at 1,620,000 pounds compared with 1,125,000 pounds in 1955 and the average of 2,192,000. Sudangrass seed production totalled 9,200,000 pounds in 1956. Production in 1955 was 14,250,000 pounds.

HAY CROPS—Production of all hay was estimated at 2,303,000 tons against 2,322,000 tons cut in 1955 and the average of 2,245,000. Alfalfa hay production was 1,686,000 tons in 1956 compared with the 1955 harvest 1,692,000 tons and the average of 1,467,000. Alfalfa hay production in 1956 was the fourth largest since 1929, being exceeded only by the crops of 1952, 1953, and 1955. Wild hay production in 1956 at 229,000 tons was higher than the 209,000 produced in 1955, but only about one-half the average harvest of 399,000 tons. Although total hay production approached average, hay was in short supply in local mountain areas, and in eastern Colorado where drought conditions were most severe during the summer.

FRUIT CROPS

The 1956 commercial **apple** crop estimated at 1,505,000 bushels, was considerably above the 1955 harvest of 1,210,000 bushels and the average of 1,273,000. The 1956 crop was the largest since 1949, with fruit well colored and of good quality. The **peach** crop of 1,697,000 bushels was considerably below the 1955 harvest of 2,110,000 bushels, but near the average of 1,762,000. Early season frost in parts of Mesa County caused a light set of fruit in some orchards. The peak for maturity of the peach crop was about August 22, much earlier than the preceding year. The 1956 crop of **pears** totalled 225,000 bushels compared to 150,000 bushels in 1955 and the average of 194,000. Production of **sour cherries** was 1,900 tons against 1,200 tons harvested in 1955 and the average harvest of 2,350. The **sweet cherry** crop of 550 tons was about 5 percent smaller than that produced in 1955 and the average production of 578 tons.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

(1956 Season)

The characteristics and influencing factors pertaining to the 1956 season were reviewed on pages five to seven of the 1955-56 edition of Colorado Agricultural Statistics published in May, 1957. Further discussions of the 1956 Commercial vegetable industry in this section would amount to unnecessary repetition. However, statistics relating to acreage, production and value of individual crops grown that year are shown as comparable data in the Review of the 1957 Season found elsewhere in this text.

REVIEW OF THE 1957 CROP SEASON

(Preliminary Estimates)

Abundant crop production and very difficult harvest conditions characterized the 1957 season in Colorado. Crop production was by far the largest volume ever produced in the state. The production of feed grains, hay, roughage, and range feeds was particularly large. It was also an excellent year for range livestock. In contrast to the abundant production, adverse weather interfered with most harvest operations beginning with winter wheat and hay harvest and extending through sugar beet, sorghum, and corn harvest. While harvest was difficult, actual loss in production as a result of adverse harvest weather was confined mainly to dry beans in western areas. With the exception of this loss of dry bean acreage and abandonment of 33 percent of the seeded winter wheat acreage, the abandonment of crops was unusually light. Quality of hay was damaged considerably and some other crops also suffered quality damage but to a lesser degree.

The record output of crops was obtained from 5,890,300 acres (excluding fruits, truck crops, and seeds), an increase of 20 percent over the previous year's harvested acreage. Yields per harvested acre of most crops were well above 1956 and average and record highs were obtained for several crops including corn for grain, silage corn, spring wheat, barley, rye, sorghum grains, dry beans, sugar beets and grain hay, with winter wheat, oats and alfalfa hay yields close to the all-time record highs. The 1957 season was promising from the start with an unusually wet April and May. There was an abundance of irrigation water and snowpack at high elevations was heavier than usual. Early indications are that **receipts from sale of all farm products** will total about \$476 million in 1957. This compares with 1956 receipts from sale of crops and livestock of \$422 million, the 1955 total of \$404 million and the record high of \$602 million in 1952.

WHEAT—Production of winter wheat amounted to 32,732,000 bushels in comparison with a 1956 crop of 16,896,000 bushels and the 10-year average (1946-55) of 39,404,000 bushels. The yield per harvested acre at 24.5 bushels was more than twice that of 1956 and was 8.1 bushels above average. The bulk of the production was in the northeast quarter of the state as plantings in east central and southeast areas lacked sufficient moisture at planting time to become established and much acreage was "soil banked". Frequent rains in July delayed harvest, which resulted in some loss of production from lodging and light test weights. The **spring** wheat crop amounted to 1,122,000 bushels. This was well above the light 1956 crop of 756,000 bushels but was only 60 percent of the 10-year average production. The larger production in 1957 resulted from the high yield per acre, as the area harvested was small.

POTATOES—The 1957 fall potato crop (for market after October 1)

totalled 8,580,000 cwt. Compared with the 1956 production of 7,547,000 cwt. and the 1949-55 average of 8,157,000 cwt. The 44,000 acres harvested was above the 42,400 in 1956 and the 7-year average of 43,800. Yield per harvested acre at 195 sacks was above the 1956 average of 178 sacks and the 7-year average of 186 sacks per acre. Irrigation water supplies were adequate to plentiful in contrast to shortages the previous year. There was some delay in harvesting although much of the acreage had been harvested prior to the October rains. The government program was again in effect for diverting potatoes to livestock feed and starch. The **late summer** potato crop estimate at 2,280,000 sacks was well below the 1956 production of 2,650,000 sacks with a reduction in yield from 250 to 190 sacks more than offsetting an acreage increase.

SUGAR BEETS—The largest production of sugar beets in the state since 1947 was estimated for 1957 with the average yield per acre at a record high of 17.3 tons per acre. The total tonnage at 2,361,000 tons was well above the 1956 crop of 1,893,000 tons and the 10-year average of 1,898,000 tons. General rains which started about October 10 and extended through most of November slowed harvest operations and made them very difficult. Many beet tops were pressed into the mud and had relatively little feeding value.

DRY BEANS—Dry bean production was estimated at 1,955,000 bags (100 pounds clean basis), 39 percent above the short 1956 crop of 1,408,000 bags and 3 percent above average. Irrigated beans averaged 1650 pounds per acre although restricted somewhat by blight, white mold and rust in Northern Colorado. Harvest weather was favorable in that area. The non-irrigated yield was a record high at 780 pounds primarily due to the exceptional yields secured from the acreage harvested in Southwestern Colorado. Partially offsetting the state record high all bean yield was a decline in harvested acreage to the lowest level since 1923. At 173,000 acres this area was 31,000 acres less than in 1956 and 74,000 acres less than average. The southwestern non-irrigated crop made excellent progress after a late start. A late fall allowed the entire acreage to reach maturity. These beans were cut and in the windrow or piled with about 60 percent threshed when the fall rains started in early October which resulted in very little harvesting being done after that time. Fields were snow covered through late November. The estimate of 1,955,000 bags included about 130,000 bags which cleaners in the area expected to be salvaged. The balance of the unthreshed acreage was considered to be lost and was excluded from the production estimate.

CORN—Production of all corn at 25,029,000 bushels in 1957 compared with 17,340,000 bushels in 1956 and 13,531,000 bushels average. This was the largest corn crop since 1930 and the third largest of record. Record yields were reached with irrigated corn averaging 65.0 bu. (The Iowa average in 1957 was 60.5) and non-irrigated 23.0 bu. A late October frost date in the main grain corn areas allowed late planted acreages to mature. Some corn mainly in Boulder, Larimer and Weld counties was frosted in late September but was salvaged for silage with no appreciable loss. **Grain** corn production at 13,550,000 bushels compared with 8,568,000 bushels in 1956 and 7,971,000 bushels the average. **Silage** production totalled 2,403,000 tons and was by far the largest quantity ever harvested in Colorado. The 1957 crop was one-third larger than the 1956 crop of 1,796,000 tons and 2½ times average.

OATS AND BARLEY—Production of **oats** amounted to 6,070,000 bushels, 74 percent above 1956, 16 percent above the 10-year average and was the largest crop since 1949. The yield per acre in 1957 at 35.5 bushels was the largest since 1912. **Barley** production increased sharply with 18,208,000 bushels harvested, more than double the 1956 crop of 7,975,000 bushels and more than 50 percent above average. Irrigated barley averaged 43.5 bushels per acre and non-irrigated 24.0 bushels.

SORGHUMS—A bumper crop of sorghums was produced in the state. The crop started late as rains delayed planting and necessitated considerable replanting, but growing weather through most of October allowed nearly all the acreage to mature. **Grain** harvest estimated at 12,711,000 bushels was about five times the 1956 production and more than four times the 10-year average. Both yield per acre and acreage harvested for grain were at record highs. Of the total 1,221,000 acres of sorghums harvested, 669,000 were for grain, 488,000 were for forage (including pasture) and 64,000 were for silage. **Forage** production amounted to 683,000 tons and **silage** production was 480,000 tons.

BROOMCORN—Broomcorn production at 11,200 tons was the largest since 1949, an increase of 160 percent or 6,900 tons over the small 1956 output and 35 percent over the 10-year average. Acreage harvested at 80,000 acres compared with 62,000 in 1956 and 74,000 average. While much of the acreage was planted late, practically all made brush prior to killing frost in late October. Harvest progressed slowly as a result of frequent rains and shortage of labor, however, practically all the acreage was cut by November 1.

SEED CROPS—**Alfalfa** seed estimated at 2,295,000 pounds compared with 2,850,000 pounds in 1956 and the average of 2,890,000 pounds. **Sweetclover** seed at 1,620,000 pounds was the same as the 1956 production but well below the 10-year average of 2,075,000 pounds. **Sudangrass** seed production rose sharply to an all-time record high of 43,200,000 pounds in comparison to the 1956 crop of 9,200,000 pounds. Both average yield per acre and acres of sudangrass seed harvested were a record.

HAY CROPS—Production of all hay in 1957 was 2,935,000 tons, 27 percent above the 1956 tonnage of 2,303,000 and 30 percent over the average of 2,255,000 tons. **Alfalfa** hay production accounted for most of the increase, totalling 2,033,000 tons in 1957 against 1,686,000 tons for 1956 and the average of 1,501,000 tons. The 1957 alfalfa hay production was the largest since 1920 when 2,176,000 tons were harvested. **Wild** hay production in 1957 was 344,000 tons, 50 percent greater than the 229,000 tons cut in 1956 but still 8 percent under the average of 375,000 tons. Abundant early spring moisture and the plentiful supply of irrigation water throughout the summer promoted rank growth of all hays. All yields were at relatively high levels, however, rains damaged much of the hay during harvest.

FRUIT CROPS

The 1957 **peach** crop was relatively large at 1,950,000 bushels, well above both 1956 when 1,697,000 bushels were harvested and the 10-year average of 1,736,000 bushels. Harvest was delayed by rain just as the fruit was ripe which resulted in some loss of quality, however, most of the crop was saved. Marketing Agreement size restrictions were in effect. **Commercial apple** production estimated at 1,120,000 bushels compared to 1,505,000 bushels in 1956 and the average of 1,266,000 bushels. Apple harvest was also interrupted by rain and harvest was very late in western areas. **Pear** production at 165,000 bushels was below the 1956 crop of 225,000 and the average of 181,000. **Sour cherry** production at 1,400 tons was also less than 1956 and average by 500 tons and 870 tons respectively. The **sweet cherry** crop totalled 420 tons against 550 tons in 1956 and the average of 598 tons.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

(1957 Season)

Colorado vegetable growers continued to maintain a high level of production through another year despite a slow beginning. Early backwardness caused by a late, cold spring was mostly offset by favorable growing conditions during the latter part of the season which resulted in most crops showing above-average yields per acre. Comparisons on a National scope reveal the Colorado vegetable output to be a commendable achievement. In 1957, Colorado ranked 15th among the states in the acreage harvested for fresh market but moved up into 9th place in the total tonnage produced. A similar showing was observed in vegetables grown for processing, with the State ranking 25th in acreage and 21st in production. Such production achievements appear even more noteworthy when considered in light of the fact that Colorado vegetables are grown under widely diversified conditions at altitudes ranging from 3,500 feet to more than 8,000 feet above sea level.

The combined total of 38,040 acres of vegetables harvested for fresh market and for processing in 1957 yielded an aggregate production of 288,600 tons valued at \$14,581,000. In 1956, 37,910 acres produced 288,200 tons worth \$13,684,000. The 1955 area harvested was 34,590 acres, production was 240,000 tons and the farm value of these crops was \$12,793,000. The area harvested and total production in 1957 were about the same as a year earlier but the value of these crops was 7 percent greater, thus compensating somewhat for the set-back experienced in 1956 when production was increased 20 percent over 1955 but total value was up only 7 percent. The aggregate production in 1957 as in 1956 was the largest output since 1950, but in that year, one-third more acreage was necessary to produce 8 percent more tonnage than in 1957. Fresh market crops were responsible for holding the production level in 1957

comparable to 1956. The area harvested for fresh market in 1957 was 4 percent larger and production was 6 percent greater than in 1956. On the other hand, the acreage grown for processing was down 9 percent and production was off 19 percent in 1957. Tomatoes for processing were mostly responsible for this decline, with 24 percent less acreage and 37 percent less tomatoes.

The 1957 season was generally favorable and generous in production output despite the late spring and several damaging local weather hazards. Of the 16 fresh market and processing vegetable crops for which estimates are made, the yield per acre was higher than a year earlier for 8 and above the average of recent years for 13. Growing and maturing conditions were generally more uniform over all truck crop areas of the state than are usually experienced. The San Luis Valley suffered more extreme effect of the late spring with 2 freezes in June that damaged lettuce and green peas considerably. The most damaging hail losses occurred in Bent County which reduced the production of cantaloups and onions. Harvest of the late onion crop was made quite difficult by a prolonged rainy spell which delayed harvest and soaked the onions reducing keeping quality. The urgency to get the crop under cover before freezing caused many lots to be stored while still wet, resulting in exceptionally heavy decay loss prior to January 1. In contrast to the dry cycle of recent years, water for irrigation was ample in 1957, with excessive rainfall causing some losses from mildew.

ONIONS—The 1957 onion crop of 2,044,000 cwt. amounted to more than one-third of the total volume of all commercial vegetables grown in the state. Colorado's onion crop also holds a high rating in the Nation, ranking 4th among the 19 states in the late summer group by producing 12 percent of the Country's fall and winter onion supply. Prices dropped sharply and despite a nine-percent larger production than a year earlier, the value of the current crop dropped 21 percent. The December preliminary estimate of this year's crop was placed at \$3,475,000. In 1956, production of 1,876,000 cwt. was appraised at \$4,409,000 and the 1949-55 average was 1,804,000 cwt. worth \$3,975,000. An area of 7,300 acres was harvested in 1957 compared with 6,700 acres in 1956 and 7,770 acres the 7-year average. Compared with 1956, the 1957 area harvested was up 6 percent in Northern Colorado and 15 percent in the Arkansas Valley but was 7 percent smaller on the Western Slope. All of the increase in the Arkansas Valley came from a new area opened up in Baca County. As late as September first, the average yield per acre was not expected to equal the second highest of record obtained in 1956. The crop had been retarded by cool nights, mildew and pink root disease and bulbs were unusually small for that date. However, onions made excellent growth through the extended late-fall growing weather and high yields on late fields offset the relatively light yields obtained on early harvestings. A costly factor of the 1957 onion deal was the extremely heavy losses due to shrink, decay and lack of demand for small onions. These losses were among the heaviest of record, amounting to 30 percent of the crop prior to January 1, and were double the 15 percent losses on the 1956 crop.

LETTUCE—Lettuce moved into second place of importance in the state's vegetable industry in 1957. A harvested area of 6,000 acres yielded 720,000 cwt. valued at \$2,916,000 compared with 5,000 acres, 575,000 cwt. and \$1,179,000 in 1956 and 3,800 acres, 494,000 cwt. and \$2,050,000 in 1955. The 1949-55 average was 4,290 acres, 468,000 cwt. and \$1,208,000. Comparisons of the last two years against 1955 and earlier years reveals the sharp expansion of the lettuce deal, prompted by the revolutionary technique of shipping vacuum-cooled lettuce in cartons of two-dozen heads. Installation of another vacuum cooling chamber in the San Luis Valley increased the total number operating in that district to six. Also, one cooling chamber was placed in operation in Adams County and another in Routt county in Northern Colorado. However, much of the lettuce in the North was lost in 1957 because of weather conditions unfavorable to lettuce at critical times.

CABBAGE—This third ranking Colorado vegetable crop led the Nation's Late Summer group of 10 states in volume of production. This year's 2,600 acres yielded 650,000 cwt. valued at \$845,000 against 2,800 acres, 644,000 cwt. and \$934,000 in 1956. The 7-year average was 3,240 acres, 778,000 cwt. and \$979,000.

TOMATOES—Tomatoes grown for fresh market and for processing dropped from second to fourth place in 1957 with a combined production of 612,000 cwt. appraised at \$1,074,000. The bulk of this crop is grown for processing which in 1957 totalled 468,000 cwt. from 2,600 acres and valued at

\$548,000 compared with 742,000 cwt. from 3,400 acres and worth \$876,000 in 1956 and 488,000 cwt. from 3,300 acres worth \$591,000 the 1946-55 average. The 1957 fresh market crop amounted to 144,000 cwt. valued at \$526,000 against 153,000 cwt. and \$497,000 a year earlier and 172,000 cwt. and \$621,000 average. The sharp decline in production in 1957 was due to a substantial reduction in the acreage harvested and the failure to match the record-high yields obtained in 1956.

CUCUMBERS—Ranking in fifth place in 1957, cucumbers produced for pickles on 1,920 acres totalled 341,000 cwt. valued at \$1,030,000 compared with 2,200 acres, 348,000 cwt. and \$1,125,000 in 1956 and 2,620 acres, 268,000 cwt. and \$790,000 average.

CARROTS—The bulk of Colorado carrots are now marketed in cellophane bags. In 1957 a total of 1,800 acres produced 270,000 cwt. worth \$1,350,000 against 2,000 acres, 270,000 cwt. and \$904,000 a year earlier and 1,600 acres, 202,000 cwt. and \$592,000 average.

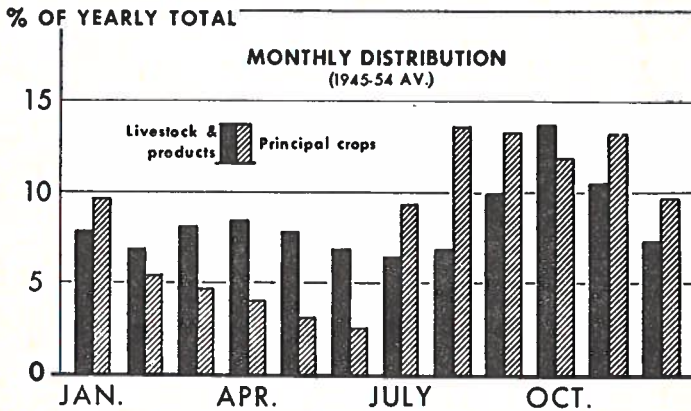
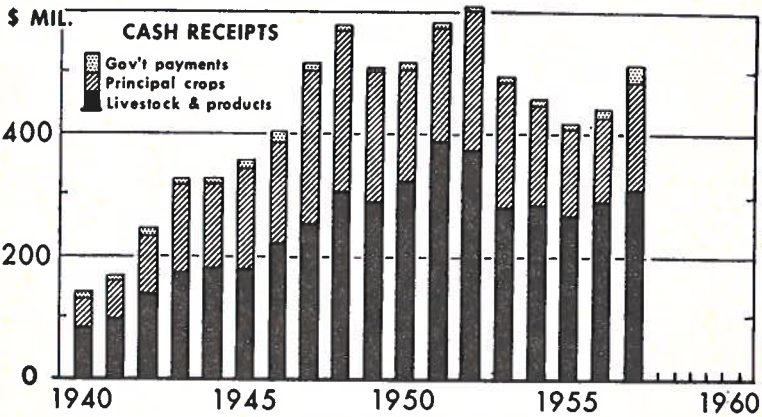
CANTALOUPS—A harvested area of 2,500 acres in 1957 yielded 212,000 cwt. with a farm value of \$456,000. In 1956, 2,500 acres produced 225,000 cwt. worth \$439,000 and the 1949-55 average was 2,140 acres, 192,000 cwt. and \$375,000.

SNAP BEANS—Production of snap beans grown for processing in 1957 amounted to 104,000 cwt. with a farm value of \$502,000 while the fresh market crop totalled 34,000 cwt. bearing a cash value of \$299,000. In 1956, the canning crop of 112,000 cwt. brought \$525,000 to growers and the fresh market output of 34,000 cwt. was worth \$282,000.

OTHER VEGETABLE CROPS—Acreage harvested and production respectively for 1957 compared with 1956 are as follows: **Cauliflower:** 900 acres and 135,000 cwt in 1957 compared with 1,000 acres and 150,000 cwt. in 1956. **Celery:** 500 acres and 150,000 cwt. against 600 acres and 186,000 cwt. **Sweet Corn** for fresh market: 2,800 acres and 179,000 cwt. compared with 2,700 acres and 162,000 cwt. **Green Peas** for fresh market: 1,600 acres and 40,000 cwt. against 1,800 acres and 45,000 cwt.; for processing: 2,000 acres and 60,000 cwt. (shelled) compared with 1,800 acres and 35,000 cwt. **Spinach:** 1,300 acres and 52,000 cwt. against 1,100 acres and 42,000 cwt.

CASH FARM INCOME, COLORADO

Receipts from Farm and Ranch Marketings, by Years and Monthly Distribution



CASH FARM INCOME, GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS, AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS CONSUMED ON FARMS WHERE PRODUCED—1946-1957

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				
COLORADO							
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)							
1946	163,400	223,400	386,800	17,000	403,800	16,700	420,500
1947	249,000	253,300	502,300	11,300	513,600	19,600	533,200
1948	262,200	306,000	568,200	9,500	577,700	19,700	597,400
1949	214,700	286,800	501,500	3,500	505,000	14,600	519,600
1950	181,800	320,800	502,400	11,900	514,300	12,900	527,200
1951	185,400	387,100	572,500	8,700	581,200	15,500	596,700
1952	226,800	375,700	602,500	7,700	610,200	14,600	624,800
1953	201,000	280,800	481,800	10,300	492,100	13,400	505,500
1954	160,000	283,400	443,400	11,200	454,600	11,600	466,200
1955	138,200	265,700	403,900	10,200	414,100	11,300	425,400
1956	142,200	280,100	422,300	17,000	439,300	11,000	450,300
1957 ⁴	173,100	302,800	475,900	36,100	512,000	10,500	522,500

UNITED STATES							
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)							
1946	10,986,000	13,784,000	24,770,000	772,000	25,542,000	2,539,000	28,081,000
1947	13,141,000	15,523,000	29,664,000	314,000	29,978,000	2,675,000	32,653,000
1948	13,126,000	17,127,000	30,253,000	257,000	30,510,000	2,650,000	33,160,000
1949	12,460,000	15,404,000	27,864,000	186,000	28,050,000	2,195,000	30,245,000
1950	12,360,000	16,045,000	28,405,000	283,000	28,688,000	2,051,000	30,739,000
1951	13,239,000	19,689,000	32,928,000	286,000	33,214,000	2,328,000	35,542,000
1952	14,257,000	18,299,000	32,556,000	275,000	32,831,000	2,266,000	35,097,000
1953	14,035,000	17,148,000	31,183,000	213,000	31,396,000	2,061,000	33,457,000
1954	13,660,000	16,284,000	29,944,000	257,000	30,201,000	1,826,000	32,027,000
1955	13,663,000	15,879,000	29,542,000	229,000	29,771,000	1,704,000	31,475,000
1956	14,122,000	16,250,000	30,372,000	554,000	30,926,000	1,716,000	32,642,000
1957 ⁴	12,885,000	17,134,000	30,019,000	1,016,000	31,035,000	1,614,000	32,649,000

CASH FARM INCOME FROM SALES, BY CROPS AND BY GROUPS OF LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, COLORADO, CALENDAR YEARS 1946-1956

Year	Corn	All Wheat	Rye	Oats	Barley	Hay	Potatoes	Beans	Sugar Beets	Fruit Crops
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)										
1946	5,457	49,180	531	1,108	8,675	14,881	17,351	9,935	19,566	9,140
1947	6,388	96,617	689	1,640	9,269	9,907	20,387	22,062	28,220	10,189
1948	7,856	117,195	307	1,385	6,452	11,516	29,491	22,366	13,314	8,393
1949	5,650	92,458	126	1,287	9,821	13,321	21,782	8,680	19,286	6,945
1950	6,764	70,066	190	1,412	5,391	11,766	16,840	10,565	23,367	6,414
1951	5,568	69,320	140	1,286	3,157	17,171	17,477	9,574	23,756	4,996
1952	5,878	93,114	214	1,579	4,077	17,632	27,143	12,302	23,211	8,110
1953	3,429	88,152	129	1,287	4,089	13,594	15,438	14,578	23,400	7,458
1954	5,244	53,062	173	939	4,719	14,355	12,299	14,328	18,591	10,295
1955	4,731	33,243	136	1,014	3,802	13,178	16,013	10,474	17,415	8,969
1956	5,501	33,510	90	941	3,897	13,444	15,785	7,799	22,304	9,260

Year	Cattle and Calves	Hogs	Sheep and Lambs	Wool	Chickens and Broilers	Eggs	Turkeys	Dairy Products	Commercial Vegetables
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)									
1946	127,102	12,771	29,566	5,141	5,267	10,852	6,264	26,218	17,666
1947	149,803	17,830	29,347	4,589	4,636	10,582	4,661	30,767	26,421
1948	197,458	19,383	34,033	4,391	4,463	11,448	4,620	31,112	15,272
1949	182,932	16,895	29,763	5,269	4,831	11,881	5,030	27,740	19,952
1950	214,915	16,791	34,262	6,335	4,136	10,050	4,562	27,605	10,089
1951	259,064	18,953	39,906	12,795	5,054	12,550	5,278	31,094	15,720
1952	263,827	15,438	36,244	4,357	3,846	10,773	4,568	33,205	19,176
1953	178,325	10,294	25,911	7,299	3,676	11,600	4,393	32,969	15,762
1954	191,583	9,610	24,101	6,313	3,343	8,863	5,055	31,908	10,933
1955	179,771	7,165	22,974	3,661	2,741	9,032	4,783	32,582	13,891
1956	191,351	7,109	23,434	5,270	2,327	9,224	5,859	32,171	14,647

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

²Total of columns 3 and 4.

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

⁴Preliminary.

**RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF PRINCIPAL FARM PRODUCTS
1947-1957 (Thousand Dollars)**

MONTH	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957 ¹
PRINCIPAL CROPS											
Jan.	\$ 15,763	\$ 30,343	\$ 16,547	\$ 24,604	\$ 20,053	\$ 18,967	\$ 23,754	\$ 17,265	\$ 18,201	\$ 14,867	\$ 18,118
Feb.	14,352	14,254	11,535	10,485	11,259	11,106	8,281	11,117	9,599	8,308	8,173
Mar.	12,466	15,318	10,666	11,895	8,624	9,603	8,446	5,820	6,368	6,456	5,928
Apr.	7,646	15,727	7,657	11,369	11,603	6,870	7,775	6,280	8,071	5,310	4,677
May	4,967	11,390	11,340	4,034	2,765	5,668	9,984	4,502	4,669	3,016	2,277
June	3,983	6,627	10,001	1,927	—317	4,245	9,618	6,636	3,288	3,572	3,499
July	21,703	33,333	16,154	12,064	12,230	23,153	16,340	17,290	11,759	12,074	18,016
Aug.	35,231	26,245	26,358	21,112	27,311	37,239	22,660	20,865	12,412	19,045	24,453
Sept.	35,065	26,352	30,680	23,503	22,052	35,267	28,406	21,439	19,905	16,730	21,731
Oct.	30,653	34,030	27,046	16,234	22,534	29,306	25,447	15,537	14,801	14,996	20,109
Nov.	39,071	24,590	28,501	24,139	27,277	27,167	23,644	19,261	19,414	22,499	28,466
Dec.	28,118	23,952	18,215	20,434	20,009	19,209	16,645	13,944	13,377	15,314	17,679
Total	\$249,018	\$262,161	\$214,700	\$181,800	\$185,400	\$226,800	\$201,000	\$159,956	\$138,224	\$142,187	\$173,126

LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS											
Jan.	\$ 20,908	\$ 22,074	\$ 26,098	\$ 22,418	\$ 33,251	\$ 30,721	\$ 24,330	\$ 21,061	\$ 25,976	\$ 22,158	\$ 24,615
Feb.	16,427	18,103	18,323	20,054	27,057	29,683	18,956	18,363	17,743	18,449	18,142
Mar.	20,302	22,862	24,512	23,330	32,296	32,847	23,794	23,790	22,919	20,528	21,903
Apr.	19,009	24,259	24,244	23,813	34,286	33,982	25,790	23,594	22,084	22,715	24,430
May	16,248	24,589	21,189	27,943	32,364	30,299	23,562	23,473	22,247	23,419	26,790
June	15,236	23,169	17,710	24,632	24,624	25,544	21,605	24,063	17,545	19,157	19,744
July	14,280	19,032	15,973	23,815	26,108	24,593	17,676	17,292	17,243	20,278	22,548
Aug.	13,775	20,506	21,075	23,502	23,271	26,438	21,308	20,428	19,703	23,813	24,125
Sept.	26,069	34,476	30,107	36,430	37,025	33,370	26,950	27,369	23,883	27,007	27,780
Oct.	42,463	41,688	40,746	40,953	57,175	44,120	31,999	32,416	33,296	39,439	42,019
Nov.	28,263	33,815	26,661	31,283	35,336	34,972	28,554	30,092	25,035	25,236	27,569
Dec.	20,338	21,520	20,162	22,427	24,307	29,131	16,276	21,458	18,053	17,928	23,089
Total	\$253,318	\$306,093	\$286,800	\$320,600	\$387,100	\$375,700	\$280,800	\$283,399	\$265,731	\$280,127	\$302,754

CROPS, LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS											
Jan.	\$ 36,671	\$ 52,417	\$ 42,645	\$ 47,022	\$ 53,304	\$ 49,688	\$ 48,084	\$ 38,326	\$ 44,177	\$ 37,025	\$ 42,733
Feb.	30,779	32,357	29,858	30,539	38,316	40,789	27,237	29,480	23,702	26,757	26,315
Mar.	32,768	38,180	35,178	35,225	40,920	42,450	32,240	29,610	29,287	26,984	27,631
Apr.	26,655	39,986	31,901	35,182	45,889	40,852	33,565	29,674	30,155	28,025	29,107
May	21,215	35,979	32,529	31,977	35,129	35,967	33,546	27,975	26,916	26,435	29,067
June	19,219	29,796	27,711	26,559	24,307	29,789	31,223	30,699	20,833	22,729	23,243
July	35,983	52,365	32,127	35,879	39,338	47,746	34,016	34,582	29,002	32,352	40,564
Aug.	49,006	46,751	47,433	44,614	50,582	63,677	43,968	41,293	32,119	42,858	48,578
Sept.	61,134	60,828	60,787	59,933	59,077	68,637	55,356	48,808	43,788	43,737	49,511
Oct.	73,116	75,718	67,792	57,187	79,709	73,426	57,446	47,953	48,697	54,435	62,128
Nov.	67,334	58,405	55,162	55,422	62,613	62,139	52,198	49,353	44,449	47,735	56,035
Dec.	48,456	45,472	38,377	42,861	44,316	47,340	32,921	35,402	31,430	33,242	40,768
Total	\$502,336	\$568,294	\$501,500	\$502,400	\$572,500	\$602,500	\$481,800	\$443,355	\$403,955	\$422,314	\$475,880

PERCENT OF YEARLY RECEIPTS RECEIVED EACH MONTH (COMPUTED FROM ABOVE TABLES)											
Jan.	7.3	9.2	8.5	9.4	9.3	8.2	10.0	8.6	10.9	8.8	9.0
Feb.	6.1	5.7	6.0	6.1	6.7	6.8	5.7	6.6	5.9	6.3	5.5
Mar.	6.5	6.7	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.0	6.7	6.7	7.3	6.4	5.8
Apr.	5.3	7.1	6.4	7.0	8.0	6.8	7.0	6.7	7.5	6.6	6.1
May	4.2	6.3	6.5	6.4	6.1	6.0	7.0	6.3	6.7	6.3	6.1
June	3.8	5.3	5.5	5.3	4.2	4.9	6.5	6.9	5.2	5.4	4.9
July	7.2	9.2	6.4	7.1	6.7	7.9	7.1	7.8	7.2	7.7	8.5
Aug.	9.8	8.2	9.5	8.9	8.8	10.6	9.1	9.3	8.0	10.1	10.2
Sept.	12.2	10.7	12.1	11.9	10.4	11.4	11.5	11.1	10.8	10.4	10.4
Oct.	14.6	13.3	13.4	11.4	13.9	12.2	11.8	10.8	11.8	12.8	13.1
Nov.	13.4	10.3	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.3	10.8	11.2	11.0	11.3	11.8
Dec.	9.6	8.0	7.7	8.5	7.8	7.9	6.8	8.0	7.7	7.9	8.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹Preliminary.

PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION OF FOOD PRODUCTS IN THE UNITED STATES,¹ 1937-1957²

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
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	6.5	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	76.5	9.4	4.6	62.6	153.1	10.7	21.6	4.7	374	11.2
1954	80.1	10.0	4.6	60.0	154.7	10.9	22.8	5.3	376	10.2
1955	82.0	9.4	4.6	66.8	162.8	10.2	21.4	5.0	371	10.1
1956	85.0	9.5	4.4	67.5	166.4	10.2	24.7	5.2	369	9.9
1957 ⁶	83.8	9.0	4.2	62.0	159.0	10.1	25.3	5.8	360	9.8

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA									
	Fluid Milk and Cream	Cheese	Ice Cream	Butter	Margarine	Total Fresh Fruit	Total Canned Fruit	Total Fruit Including Juices ⁹	Total Commercial Fresh Vegetables ⁹	Total Canned Vegetables ⁷
1937	331	5.5	10.5	15.5	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	13.7	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	347	7.3	17.7	8.4	7.9	107.8	20.6	153.1	147.0	41.8
1954	348	7.9	17.4	8.9	8.5	106.1	21.1	151.7	136.2	41.9
1955	352	7.9	18.0	9.0	8.1	101.9	22.6	149.6	133.8	43.5
1956	355	8.1	18.3	8.7	8.2	99.7	21.6	146.7	131.4	43.9
1957 ⁶	356	8.0	18.0	8.7	8.2	94.7	22.6	143.0	122.7	44.0

Year	POUNDS PER CAPITA										
	Wheat		Corn		Potatoes ⁹	Sweet Potatoes ⁹	Dry Beans ⁸	Oats	Barley	Rice	Syrups and Sugars
	Flour	Cereal	Flour & Meal	Cereal							
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	2.9	11.1	1.6	103	8.0	7.7	3.4	1.2	5.3	109
1954	126	2.9	9.3	1.7	106	8.0	8.2	3.2	1.1	5.3	109
1955	123	2.9	8.8	1.7	106	8.2	7.3	3.2	1.1	5.5	110
1956	121	2.8	8.6	1.7	100	8.0	7.5	3.2	1.1	5.8	111
1957 ⁶	119	2.8	8.5	1.7	103	7.1	7.2	3.2	1.1	5.9	109

¹Primary distribution weight. Approximately wholesale or processing level of distribution. Excludes quantities used in alcoholic beverages. ²Civilian consumption only beginning 1941. ³Carcass weight. ⁴Edible weight equivalent. ⁵Equivalent eviscerated weight. ⁶Farm weight equivalent. ⁷Net canned weight. ⁸Cleaned basis. ⁹Preliminary.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS
COLORADO CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1955

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Corn, All	438,000 ²	408,000	42.5	17,340,000	Bu.	1.43	24,796,000
Corn, for Grain		204,000	42.0	8,568,000	Bu.		
Corn, for Silage		171,000	10.5	1,796,000	Ton		
Oats, for Grain	196,000 ³	111,000	31.5	3,496,000	Bu.	.80	2,797,000
Barley, for Grain	530,000 ²	319,000	25.0	7,975,000	Bu.	1.07	8,533,000
Winter Wheat	3,088,000	1,536,000	11.0	16,896,000	Bu.	1.90	32,102,000
Spring Wheat	51,000 ²	42,000	18.0	756,000	Bu.	1.82	1,376,000
Rye, for Grain	88,000 ²	28,000	7.0	196,000	Bu.	1.09	214,000
Dry Beans ⁴	218,000	204,000	690 ⁵	1,408,000	Cwt.	6.40	9,011,000
Field Peas ⁴	18,000	9,000	860 ⁵	77,000	Cwt.	4.00	308,000
Potatoes	55,000	53,000	192	10,197,000	Cwt.	1.51	15,082,000
Sugar Beets	131,300	120,700	15.7	1,893,000	Ton	12.30	23,284,000
All Sorghums, for Grain		205,000	12.5	2,562,000	Bu.	1.26	3,228,000
All Sorghums, for Forage		435,000	.60	261,000	Ton	18.50	4,828,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	1,229,000	660,000					
Alfalfa Hay		784,000	2.15	1,686,000	Ton		
Wild Hay		241,000	.95	229,000	Ton		
All Hay		1,370,000	1.68	2,303,000	Ton	25.20 ⁶	58,036,000
Broomcorn		62,000	140 ⁵	4,300	Ton	435.00	1,870,000
Alfalfa Seed		19,000	150 ⁵	28,500	Cwt.	24.80	707,000
Sweet Clover Seed		6,000	270 ⁵	16,200	Cwt.	9.60	156,000
Sudangrass Seed		40,000	230 ⁵	92,000	Cwt.	6.10	561,000
Apples, Commercial Crop				1,505,000	Bu.	2.20	3,311,000
Peaches				1,697,000	Bu.	2.75	4,494,000
Pears				225,000	Bu.	2.35	529,000
Cherries, Sour				1,900	Ton	160.00	304,000
Cherries, Sweet				550	Ton	335.00	184,000
Total Field and Fruit Crops		4,968,700 ⁴					195,711,000
COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES							
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.		1,400	4.0	5,600	Ton	93.80	525,000
Beans, Snap for Market		750	45	34,000	Cwt.	8.30	282,000
Cabbage, for Market		2,800	230	644,000	Cwt.	1.45	934,000
Cantaloup		2,500	90	225,000	Cwt.	1.95	439,000
Carrots		2,000	135	270,000	Cwt.	3.35	904,000
Cauliflower		1,000	150	150,000	Cwt.	3.00	450,000
Celery		600	310	186,000	Cwt.	3.50	651,000
Sweet Corn		2,700	60	162,000	Cwt.	3.60	583,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles		2,200	330	726,000	Bu.	1.55	1,125,000
Lettuce		5,000	115	575,000	Cwt.	2.05	1,179,000
Onions		6,700	280	1,876,000	Cwt.	2.35	4,409,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.		1,800	1,960 ⁵	1,760	Ton	78.10	137,000
Peas, Green, for Market		1,800	25	45,000	Cwt.	7.40	333,000
Spinach		1,100	38	42,000	Cwt.	4.90	206,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.		3,400	10.9	37,100	Ton	23.60	876,000
Tomatoes, for Market		900	170	153,000	Cwt.	3.25	497,000
Total Commercial Vegetables		37,910 ⁷					13,684,000 ⁷
Total All Principal Crops		5,006,610 ⁷					209,395,000 ⁷

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

²Planted for all uses.

³Pounds.

⁴Production, price and value on clean basis.

⁵Price of hay sold baled.

⁶Excludes minor crops and duplicated acreages.

⁷Some minor crops included in totals are not listed individually.

COLORADO CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1957

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Corn, All	499,000 ²	486,000	51.5	25,029,000	Bu.	1.25	31,286,000
Corn, for Grain		271,000	50.0	13,550,000	Bu.		
Corn, for Silage		178,000	13.5	2,403,000	Ton		
Oats, for Grain	223,000 ²	171,000	35.5	6,070,000	Bu.	.68	4,128,000
Barley, for Grain	673,002 ²	597,000	30.5	18,208,000	Bu.	.76	13,838,000
Winter Wheat	2,007,000	1,336,000	24.5	32,732,000	Bu.	1.85	60,554,000
Spring Wheat	47,000 ²	44,000	25.5	1,122,000	Bu.	1.80	2,020,000
Rye, for Grain	89,000 ²	34,000	13.0	442,000	Bu.	.90	398,000
Dry Beans ¹	209,000	173,000	1,130 ³	1,955,000	Cwt.	5.70	11,144,000
Field Peas ¹	20,000	12,000	900 ³	108,000	Cwt.	2.00	216,000
Potatoes	57,000	56,000	194	10,860,000	Cwt.	1.79	19,544,000
Sugar Beets	139,900	136,500	17.3	2,361,000	Ton		
All Sorghums, for Grain		669,000	19.0	12,711,000	Bu.	.85	10,804,000
All Sorghums, for Forage		488,000	1.40	683,000	Ton	10.00	6,830,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	1,413,000	1,221,000					
Alfalfa Hay		847,000	2.40	2,033,000	Ton		
Wild Hay		299,000	1.15	344,000	Ton		
All Hay		1,542,000	1.90	2,935,000	Ton	19.00 ⁴	55,765,000
Broomcorn		80,000	280 ³	11,200	Ton	230.00	2,576,000
Alfalfa Seed		17,000	135 ³	22,950	Cwt.	22.00	505,000
Sweet Clover Seed		6,000	270 ³	16,200	Cwt.	9.00	146,000
Sudangrass Seed		96,000	450 ³	432,000	Cwt.	2.25	972,000
Apples, Commercial Crop				1,120,000	Bu.	2.05	2,296,000
Peaches				1,950,000	Bu.	3.05	5,948,000
Pears				165,000	Bu.	2.70	446,000
Cherries, Sour				1,400	Ton	170.00	238,000
Cherries, Sweet				420	Ton	355.00	149,000
Total Field & Fruit Crops		5,990,500 ⁷					229,803,000
COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES							
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.		1,400	3.7	5,200	Ton	96.60	502,000
Beans, Snap, for Market		700	48	34,000	Cwt.	8.80	299,000
Cabbage, for Market		2,600	250	650,000	Cwt.	1.30	845,000
Cantaloup		2,500	85	212,000	Cwt.	2.15	456,000
Carrots		1,800	150	270,000	Cwt.	5.00	1,350,000
Cauliflower		900	150	135,000	Cwt.	3.00	405,000
Celery		500	300	150,000	Cwt.	4.30	645,000
Sweet Corn		2,800	64	179,000	Cwt.	3.35	600,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles		1,920	370	710,000	Bu.	1.45	1,030,000
Lettuce		6,000	120	720,000	Cwt.	4.05	2,916,000
Onions		7,300	280	2,044,000	Cwt.	1.70	3,475,000
Peas, Green for Mfg.		2,000	2,990 ³	2,990	Ton	92.10	275,000
Peas, Green for Market		1,600	25	40,000	Cwt.	9.30	372,000
Spinach		1,300	40	52,000	Cwt.	3.55	185,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.		2,600	9.0	23,400	Ton	23.40	548,000
Tomatoes, for Market		900	160	144,000	Cwt.	3.65	526,000
Total Commercial Vegetables		38,040 ⁸					14,581,000 ⁸
Total All Principal Crops		6,028,540 ⁸					244,384,000 ⁸

¹Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.²Planted for all uses.³Pounds.⁴Production price and value on clean basis.⁵Not available.⁶Price of hay sold baled.⁷Excludes minor crops and duplicated acreages.⁸Some minor crops included in totals are not listed individually.

**CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS COMPARED WITH VALUE OF MINERALS
AND TOTAL INCOME PAYMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS—1946-1957**

Year	Total Income ¹ Payments (000,000)	Gold ² and Silver (000)	Zinc ² (000)	Copper and ² Lead (000)	Coal ² (000)	Crude ² Petroleum (000)	Total ² Mineral Products (000) ³	Receipts From Farm Marketings (000)
1946.....	1,429	6,801	8,820	4,282	23,915	15,650	77,573	386,759
1947.....	1,654	8,204	9,376	6,287	28,772	29,680	102,449	502,336
1948.....	1,700	8,143	12,014	9,999	27,826	45,730	128,861	568,254
1949.....	1,794	6,212	11,830	9,433	23,735	61,030	141,165	501,500
1950.....	1,935	7,724	13,000	8,599	19,500	59,420	145,995	502,400
1951.....	2,289	6,601	20,280	12,051	21,170	70,670	178,689	572,500
1952.....	2,473	6,907	17,663	11,426	19,202	74,340	183,612	602,500
1953.....	2,515	6,164	8,696	7,388	19,330	98,644	211,670	481,800
1954.....	2,536	6,458	7,592	7,552	16,079	127,990	255,852	443,355
1955.....	2,756	5,609	8,696	7,935	20,100	144,800	286,104	403,955
1956.....	3,003	5,486	11,027	9,829	19,832	162,674	309,505	422,314
1957.....		5,652	10,626	9,168	(4)	171,000	325,189	475,880

¹Data for 1954-56 are taken from the August, 1957 issue "Survey of Current Business" published by the U. S. Dept. of Commerce, under the heading "Personal Income by States and Regions." For detailed explanation of these estimates, see text in August, 1957 issue "Survey of Current Business," pp. 11-21.

²Compiled from Mineral 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.

³In 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.

⁴Unavailable.

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

1957—CROP PRODUCTION IN STATES WHICH PRODUCE IN COMPETITION WITH COLORADO

	Winter Wheat 1,000 Bushels	Sugar Beets 1,000 Tons	All Potatoes 1,000 Cwt.	Dry Beans 1,000 Cwt.	All Hay 1,000 Tons	All Corn 1,000 Bu.	Barley 1,000 Bu.
Maine.....			38,640	46	595	440	34
N. Y.....	8,085		16,735	1,163	5,447	35,139	1,911
Pa.....	14,248		6,772		3,167	53,449	8,284
Ohio.....	32,890	294	2,835		3,708	180,522	3,472
Ind.....	32,360		1,708		2,587	262,550	3,078
Ill.....	37,149		156		5,008	529,664	3,450
Mich.....	28,739	904	6,660	3,754	3,542	91,278	2,848
Wis.....	742	824	8,137		7,387	327,192	20,475
Minn.....	612	79	5,780		8,945	157,072	1,820
Iowa.....	3,456		480		7,938	615,164	868
Mo.....	37,789		520		4,605	151,052	7,898
N. Dak.....		502	9,576		4,355	34,528	75,207
S. Dak.....	10,488	63	720		6,897	129,855	12,167
Nebr.....	78,597	894	2,315	969	7,999	222,300	7,409
Kans.....	100,111	139	170		4,400	44,283	15,136
Okla.....	43,025		220		1,790	4,914	6,938
Texas.....	33,669		1,630		2,316	40,020	5,481
Mont.....	46,200	894	1,245	240	2,992	3,843	45,606
Idaho.....	19,904	1,760	35,624	2,128	3,256	4,080	20,195
Wyo.....	5,456	559	781	868	1,683	1,755	4,144
Colo.....	32,732	2,361	10,860	1,955	2,935	25,029	18,208
N. Mex.....	1,732		432	114	603	1,482	672
Ariz.....	2,142		1,722	10	766	1,500	10,620
Utah.....	3,895	481	1,628	88	1,483	2,688	8,550
Nev.....	135		396		666	216	738
Wash.....	62,271	826	9,938		1,802	3,564	32,021
Oreg.....	23,458	472	8,738		1,975	2,520	21,686
Calif.....	6,226	4,234	30,918	3,596	6,768	16,835	78,680

**LAND AREA, FARM AND RANCH NUMBERS, ACREAGE AND VALUE
FEDERAL CENSUS, 1954**

COUNTY	All Farms and Ranches Number	Approximate Land (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	Per Acre Dollars
Chaffee	199	665	151,085	22.7	759	42,375	52.61
Clear Creek	14	252	10,658	4.2	761	29,514	36.76
Eagle	179	1,078	242,969	22.5	1,357	53,781	39.16
Gilpin	17	95	11,644	12.2	685	16,393	21.25
Grand	191	1,187	307,710	25.9	1,611	46,932	31.23
Gunnison	221	2,072	309,753	14.9	1,402	81,017	44.68
Jackson	112	1,039	390,446	37.6	3,486	90,709	26.39
Lake	17	243	9,769	4.0	575	55,900	42.70
Moffat	329	3,043	1,246,439	41.0	3,789	54,011	14.74
Park	159	1,386	626,303	45.2	3,939	76,268	19.83
Pitkin	82	623	118,189	19.0	1,441	67,659	40.38
Rio Blanco	228	2,088	535,279	25.6	2,348	67,804	26.59
Routt	531	1,491	531,194	35.6	1,000	34,283	36.98
Summit	36	392	44,446	11.3	2,325	71,456	57.12
Teller	95	355	143,419	40.4	1,510	24,314	17.71
Total N.W. District	2,410	16,009	4,679,303	29.2	1,942		
Boulder	990	482	231,784	48.1	234	34,021	150.19
Jefferson	1,171	503	267,786	53.2	229	31,407	168.66
Larimer	1,521	1,673	727,150	43.5	478	35,544	75.73
Logan	1,327	1,169	1,079,567	92.3	828	40,922	50.69
Morgan	1,370	820	823,464	100.4	601	40,129	68.81
Sedgwick	417	348	293,727	84.4	704	62,099	79.17
Weld	4,007	2,563	2,094,158	81.7	512	38,141	74.73
Total N. Central & N. E. District	10,883	7,558	5,517,636	73.0	507		
Adams	1,286	797	735,002	92.2	572	43,061	74.91
Arapahoe	674	525	512,463	97.6	760	54,870	74.54
Cheyenne	434	1,134	961,506	84.8	2,216	55,555	24.02
Denver	107	42	4,229	10.0	40	46,265	2,295.68
Douglas	350	539	364,234	67.5	1,041	54,880	46.26
Elbert	733	1,193	1,110,203	93.1	1,515	36,276	26.74
El Paso	897	1,381	1,264,569	91.6	1,410	42,988	32.64
Kiowa	443	1,147	980,899	85.5	2,214	59,039	24.39
Kit Carson	1,085	1,389	1,374,159	98.9	1,266	44,869	34.60
Lincoln	656	1,660	1,611,825	97.1	2,457	54,270	23.22
Phillips	560	435	515,597	118.5	921	60,685	66.23
Washington	1,162	1,616	1,384,642	85.7	1,192	50,113	42.01
Yuma	1,307	1,525	1,476,580	96.8	1,130	43,157	38.59
Total East Central District	9,694	13,383	12,295,908	91.9	1,268		
Archuleta	225	873	268,851	30.8	1,195	28,490	21.85
Delta	1,416	740	292,282	39.5	206	16,225	71.61
Dolores	203	656	148,700	22.6	732	41,149	52.90
Garfield	677	1,916	470,608	24.6	695	26,982	42.22
Hinsdale	40	676	37,803	5.6	945	25,183	32.09
La Plata	833	1,078	541,979	50.3	651	24,884	27.55
Mesa	2,443	2,120	612,785	28.9	251	18,476	78.94
Montezuma	941	1,341	912,743	68.1	970	21,020	60.75
Montrose	1,316	1,433	595,016	41.5	452	19,382	43.98
Juray	118	346	130,194	37.7	1,103	45,250	31.68
San Juan							
San Miguel	112	821	171,054	20.9	1,527	50,577	24.33
Total West Central & S. W. District	8,324	12,000	4,182,015	34.9	502		
Alamosa	398	461	395,715	85.9	994	30,933	40.83
Conchos	732	813	506,116	62.2	691	23,650	37.47
Costilla	380	778	546,562	70.3	1,438	24,341	17.75
Mineral	20	589	22,418	3.8	1,121	98,231	102.14
Rio Grande	534	586	211,856	36.1	397	46,525	122.31
Saguache	302	2,012	503,488	25.0	1,667	57,995	47.12
Total South Central District	2,366	5,239	2,186,155	41.7	924		
Brewer	934	1,642	1,344,444	81.9	1,439	43,763	29.28
Comstock	575	981	844,229	86.0	1,468	31,774	20.51
Conrowley	442	514	403,692	78.6	913	27,216	28.24
DeWitt	171	472	232,080	49.2	1,357	37,046	24.74
Emery	883	1,000	394,614	39.5	447	13,369	35.94
Frederick	353	1,009	786,449	77.9	2,228	30,505	13.34
Las Animas	818	3,068	2,620,900	85.4	3,204	34,430	11.18
LeFlore	955	611	752,378	92.8	788	26,670	33.00
McPherson	904	1,041	967,647	93.0	1,070	40,424	39.27
Webb	1,037	1,537	1,177,784	76.6	1,736	23,845	22.03
Total S. E. District	7,072	12,075	9,524,217	78.9	1,347		
State Total	40,749	66,264	38,385,234	57.9	942		

LAND IN FARMS AND RANCHES ACCORDING TO USE—FEDERAL CENSUS, 1954
(Acres of Crop Land According to Use in 1954)

COUNTY	Crop Land Harvested		Crop Land in Cultivated Summer Fallow		Crop Land Used for Pasture Only		Other Crop Land (Failure, Idle, etc.) Acres	Indicated Total Crop Land Acres
	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres		
Chaffee	164	11,733	14	210	100	7,345	1,555	20,843
Clear Creek	6	322	.....	.....	3	19	.....	341
Eagle	156	19,291	10	113	90	8,727	411	28,542
Gilpin	4	140	1	15	4	140	409	704
Grand	161	34,308	20	1,539	84	13,922	5,325	55,094
Gunnison	176	39,741	12	590	105	21,841	556	62,728
Jackson	102	71,268	4	750	59	30,930	579	103,527
Lake	14	1,615	.....	.....	7	3,670	52	5,337
Moffat	298	60,348	166	32,967	91	10,003	4,629	107,947
Park	110	22,566	2	38	68	9,301	840	32,745
Pitkin	73	8,720	2	200	58	6,177	1,466	16,563
Rio Blanco	203	34,706	54	6,054	75	7,318	3,159	51,237
Routt	473	85,981	168	21,529	168	15,712	4,377	127,599
Summit	33	6,757	1	160	10	1,464	308	8,689
Teller	49	2,160	7	265	40	2,371	402	5,198
Total Northwest District	2,022	399,656	461	64,430	942	138,940	24,068	627,094
Boulder	724	49,797	277	22,799	253	11,217	32,407	116,220
Jefferson	683	22,812	133	10,664	238	15,853	12,233	61,562
Larimer	1,205	94,337	454	40,661	449	22,442	35,072	192,512
Logan	1,210	279,367	813	165,609	319	20,006	40,572	505,554
Morgan	1,192	195,034	361	71,615	309	22,562	49,703	338,914
Sedgwick	392	110,216	265	65,312	98	6,789	5,833	188,150
Weld	3,636	488,916	1,405	251,058	914	61,630	166,173	967,777
Total North Central and N. E. District	9,042	1,240,479	3,708	627,718	2,580	160,499	341,993	2,370,689
Adams	1,062	166,642	587	179,117	328	21,531	81,696	448,986
Arapahoe	401	58,929	270	14,632	162	14,832	46,701	205,180
Cheyenne	332	120,683	291	155,914	79	18,541	111,493	406,631
Denver	91	1,814	3	1,395	4	71	645	3,925
Douglas	263	23,916	151	13,287	124	10,794	8,908	56,905
Elbert	549	83,036	491	76,312	312	38,187	36,324	233,859
El Paso	634	86,776	182	16,536	210	28,564	28,244	160,120
Kiowa	346	164,369	281	218,410	70	19,605	149,406	551,790
Kit Carson	884	264,599	903	314,812	179	22,404	176,422	778,327
Lincoln	540	180,176	410	164,414	107	23,255	73,593	441,438
Phillips	541	202,209	493	122,451	213	13,387	10,055	348,102
Washington	1,055	339,169	904	264,400	270	25,547	61,677	690,801
Yuma	1,200	343,747	782	164,292	318	20,371	51,034	579,444
Total East Central District	7,898	2,036,065	5,748	1,774,275	2,376	256,889	838,198	4,905,418
Archuleta	194	16,009	12	632	92	4,413	876	21,930
Delta	1,268	47,740	80	1,045	646	24,260	7,423	80,468
Dolores	188	66,722	61	9,093	29	2,377	797	78,989
Garfield	609	44,162	67	4,102	407	22,161	5,784	76,209
Hinsdale	24	3,150	.....	.....	15	1,460	40	4,650
La Plata	700	51,032	162	10,695	354	25,750	6,257	93,734
Mesa	2,209	74,293	90	1,697	779	30,751	5,679	112,420
Montezuma	798	94,678	112	4,676	418	19,191	4,204	122,745
Montrose	1,091	61,102	79	1,922	916	30,063	2,696	95,783
Ouray	104	11,200	10	393	55	3,796	640	16,025
San Juan .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Miguel	88	9,139	35	1,807	61	8,338	763	20,047
Total West Central and S. W. District	7,273	479,227	708	36,062	3,772	172,560	35,159	723,006
Alamosa	324	49,396	43	3,211	194	28,203	4,896	85,706
Conejos	611	76,263	85	5,307	313	34,607	7,314	123,491
Costilla	352	27,643	27	1,279	161	10,142	13,338	52,402
Mineral	11	2,370	.....	.....	7	1,340	1,368	5,076
Rio Grande	495	73,925	45	3,652	347	33,944	11,478	122,996
Saguache	268	79,768	22	1,266	174	28,105	7,794	116,936
Total South Central District	2,061	309,365	222	14,715	1,196	136,341	46,188	506,606
Baca	678	246,024	673	323,324	166	30,495	217,481	817,324
Bent	455	70,680	95	14,686	143	10,897	32,837	129,101
Crowley	384	38,963	133	17,185	68	13,374	35,641	105,161
Custer	111	12,788	10	178	69	6,983	2,416	22,361
Fremont	654	11,493	28	1,349	180	9,639	6,521	29,001
Huerfano	255	19,379	39	4,114	127	10,380	2,859	36,731
Las Animas	480	37,822	91	11,659	222	19,031	34,806	103,311
Otero	784	60,102	80	2,786	215	6,339	15,837	85,066
Prowers	749	191,985	339	141,170	221	23,705	113,261	470,112
Pueblo	753	65,661	126	25,773	195	11,768	28,765	131,961
Total Southeast District	5,303	754,897	1,614	542,224	1,606	142,611	490,424	1,930,151
State Total	33,589	5,219,689	12,461	3,059,424	12,472	1,007,840	1,776,030	11,062,977

**NUMBER OF IRRIGATED FARMS AND IRRIGATED LAND IN FARMS ACCORDING TO USE
FEDERAL CENSUS, 1954**

COUNTY	Irrigated Farms Number	All Land in Irrigated Farms Acres	Irrigated Farms as Per Cent of all Farms (Per Cent)	Irrigated Crop Land Harvested		Irrigated Pasture		Irrigated Land in Farms Acres
				Farms Reporting	Acres	Farms Reporting	Acres	
Chaffee	164	142,977	82.4	151	10,306	84	5,868	16,174
Clear Creek	5	7,635	35.7	4	240	2	24	264
Eagle	166	229,791	92.7	148	18,311	118	12,510	30,821
Gilpin	2	900	11.8	1	70	1	200	270
Grand	162	295,206	84.8	150	30,380	52	7,317	37,697
Gunnison	197	299,476	89.1	169	38,417	127	20,445	58,862
Jackson	102	377,265	91.1	96	69,950	69	46,724	116,674
Lake	12	8,976	70.6	9	1,238	7	3,003	4,241
Moffat	145	862,000	44.1	136	16,549	54	6,951	23,500
Park	58	391,134	36.5	51	8,570	13	1,632	10,202
Pitkin	76	115,166	92.7	70	8,352	60	5,631	13,983
Rio Blanco	165	408,411	72.4	156	23,745	84	5,516	29,261
Routt	311	397,308	58.6	290	33,218	127	10,062	43,280
Summit	34	43,568	94.4	33	6,537	16	4,350	10,887
Teller	5	9,347	5.3	5	42	1	10	52
Total Northwest District	1,604	3,589,160	66.6	1,469	265,925	815	130,243	396,168
Boulder	687	148,038	69.4	598	32,251	324	9,918	42,169
Jefferson	621	114,833	53.0	512	10,831	241	3,029	13,860
Larimer	1,234	537,213	81.1	1,098	75,353	538	11,561	86,914
Logan	574	307,184	43.3	563	66,620	156	4,723	71,343
Morgan	966	386,021	70.5	950	106,949	238	4,165	111,114
Sedgwick	132	78,985	31.7	132	17,660	19	485	18,145
Weld	3,047	895,921	74.6	3,001	279,480	638	23,185	302,665
Total N. Central and N. E. District	7,261	2,468,195	66.7	6,854	589,144	2,154	57,066	646,210
Adams	693	237,424	53.9	664	29,440	153	3,211	32,651
Arapahoe	193	170,744	28.6	164	6,801	66	955	7,756
Cheyenne	8	28,640	1.8	8	340	1	15	355
Denver	28	327	26.2	27	235	1	11	246
Douglas	69	114,456	19.7	68	3,630	9	410	4,040
Elbert	48	117,211	6.5	43	2,157	8	271	2,428
El Paso	139	269,394	15.5	127	9,650	41	4,545	14,195
Lincoln	4	35,936	0.9	4	2,330	1	15	2,345
Kit Carson	47	132,998	4.3	46	4,221	3	175	4,396
Windsor	41	300,758	6.3	39	3,377	11	11,200	14,577
Phillips	14	54,676	2.5	14	1,747	8	193	1,940
Washington	105	175,284	9.0	105	10,252	27	498	10,750
Yuma	64	94,296	4.9	61	4,575	18	542	5,117
Total East Central District	1,453	1,732,144	15.0	1,370	78,755	347	22,041	100,796
Archuleta	152	218,408	67.6	143	11,500	91	5,813	17,313
Delta	1,335	280,075	94.3	1,242	47,114	818	21,390	68,504
Dolores	9	10,583	4.4	8	475	5	186	661
Garfield	621	410,239	91.7	576	37,192	418	15,365	52,557
Hinsdale	32	35,213	80.0	24	3,150	11	830	3,980
La Plata	648	457,307	77.8	577	31,883	462	21,016	52,899
Monte Vista	2,332	569,768	96.2	2,204	73,434	1,128	40,703	114,137
Montezuma	683	792,429	72.6	597	31,947	520	23,047	54,994
Montrose	1,231	560,879	93.5	1,071	59,288	940	32,327	91,615
Nunn	108	125,527	89.8	99	10,792	77	4,450	15,242
San Juan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Miguel	66	151,204	58.9	58	4,046	51	7,472	11,518
Total W. Central and S. W. District	7,217	3,611,632	86.7	6,599	310,821	4,521	172,599	483,420
Alamosa	309	364,569	77.6	295	43,279	149	18,618	61,897
Conejos	598	490,014	81.7	565	68,046	254	20,203	88,249
Costilla	349	484,600	91.8	346	26,951	50	4,724	31,675
Chippewa	12	20,161	60.0	11	1,665	5	941	2,606
San Grande	497	205,895	91.1	491	72,862	335	32,756	105,618
Agua Fria	245	293,713	81.1	235	50,826	106	17,813	68,639
Total South Central District	2,010	1,858,958	85.0	1,943	263,629	899	95,055	358,684
Baca	53	170,618	5.7	52	4,891	5	182	5,073
Comanche	397	310,488	69.0	391	44,591	55	1,373	45,964
Rowley	351	187,625	79.4	350	21,845	24	867	22,712
Hester	82	132,319	48.0	77	7,202	33	3,450	10,652
Comstock	660	248,923	74.7	621	8,761	134	1,575	10,336
Huerfano	152	370,615	43.1	150	7,553	12	667	8,220
Las Animas	276	727,529	33.7	269	13,097	40	2,446	15,543
Terrell	731	420,114	76.5	711	50,629	141	1,595	52,224
Wheeler	537	317,807	59.4	531	73,472	86	2,564	76,036
Wheeler	571	446,770	55.1	562	29,934	56	949	30,883
Total Southeast District	3,810	3,332,808	53.9	3,714	261,975	586	15,668	277,643
State Total	23,355	16,592,897	57.3	21,949	1,770,249	9,322	492,672	2,262,921

CORN—ALL PURPOSES—1956

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Pro-duction Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Pro-duction Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Pro-duction Bushels	Value Dollars
Craffee	60	34	2,040				60	2,040	2,978
Clear Creek									
Eagle	80	34	2,720				80	2,720	4,026
Gipin									
Grand									
Gunnison	100	34	3,400				100	3,400	4,964
Jackson									
Lake									
Moffat	60	34	2,040	60	12	720	120	2,760	4,085
Park									
Pitkin	60	34	2,040				60	2,040	2,999
Rio Blanco	40	34	1,360	40	12	480	80	1,840	2,705
Routt									
Teller									
Summit									
Total Northwest District	400	34.0	13,600	100	12.0	1,200	500	14,800	21,757
Boulder	15,030	61	919,470	1,080	12	12,960	16,110	932,430	1,352,024
Jefferson	3,180	47	149,460	330	10	3,300	3,510	152,760	224,557
Larimer	23,130	62	1,434,060	430	17	7,310	23,560	1,441,370	2,104,400
Logan	22,230	55	1,222,650	3,660	16	58,560	25,890	1,281,210	1,793,694
Morgan	41,880	62	2,596,560	2,240	10	22,400	44,120	2,618,960	3,692,734
Sedgwick	6,520	57	371,640	2,280	11	25,080	8,800	396,720	555,408
Weld	65,040	65	4,227,600	5,970	13	77,610	71,010	4,305,210	6,199,503
Total N. Central & N. E. District	177,010	61.7	10,921,440	15,990	13.0	207,220	193,000	11,128,660	15,922,320
Adams	10,840	54	585,360	880	9	7,920	11,720	593,280	830,592
Arapahoe	840	57	47,880	1,010	6	6,060	1,850	53,910	75,516
Cheyenne	160	45	7,200	340	4	1,360	500	8,560	11,898
Denver									
Douglas	780	50	39,000	2,640	10	26,400	3,420	65,400	92,868
Elbert	930	47	43,710	9,680	5	48,400	10,610	92,110	128,954
El Paso	2,010	50	100,500	20,620	5	103,100	22,630	203,600	289,112
Kiowa	170	45	7,650	600	5	3,000	770	10,650	15,016
Kit Carson	3,620	56	202,720	3,200	6	19,200	6,820	221,920	306,250
Lincoln	820	50	41,000	6,630	7	46,410	7,450	87,410	120,626
Phillips	2,440	53	129,320	10,980	14	153,720	13,420	283,040	393,426
Washington	4,660	65	302,900	5,830	9	52,470	10,490	355,370	486,857
Yuma	4,750	65	308,750	46,570	11	512,270	51,320	821,020	1,133,008
Total East Central District	32,020	56.7	1,815,990	108,980	9.0	980,310	141,000	2,796,300	3,884,123
Archuleta	140	43	6,020	200	15	3,000	340	9,020	13,259
Delta	7,620	56	426,720	180	15	2,700	7,800	429,420	626,953
Dolores				250	12	3,000	250	3,000	4,470
Garfield	2,060	42	86,520	50	15	750	2,110	87,270	130,032
Hinsdale									
La Plata	770	41	31,570	220	15	3,300	990	34,870	51,956
Mesa	11,260	59	664,340	100	14	1,400	11,360	665,740	978,638
Montezuma	1,040	45	46,800	70	18	1,260	1,110	48,060	71,609
Montrose	6,620	54	357,480	100	16	1,600	6,720	359,080	531,438
Ouray	50	54	2,700				50	2,700	3,969
San Juan									
San Miguel	180	54	9,720	90	16	1,440	270	11,160	16,517
Total West Central & S. W. District	29,740	54.9	1,631,870	1,260	14.6	18,450	31,000	1,650,320	2,428,841
Alamosa	960	49	47,040				960	47,040	69,149
Conejos	1,160	50	58,000				1,160	58,000	86,420
Costilla	320	49	15,680				320	15,680	23,363
Mineral									
Rio Grande	3,220	51	164,220				3,220	164,220	241,403
Saguache	840	48	40,320				840	40,320	59,270
Total South Central District	6,500	50.0	325,260				6,500	325,260	479,605
Baca	990	37	36,630	170	10	1,700	1,160	38,330	55,195
Bent	2,460	37	91,020	310	7	2,170	2,770	93,190	134,194
Crowley	5,710	32	182,720	200	8	1,600	5,910	184,320	265,421
Custer	70	60	4,200	50	8	400	120	4,600	6,716
Fremont	1,150	65	74,750	210	8	1,680	1,360	76,430	112,352
Huerfano	330	54	17,820	190	7	1,330	520	19,150	27,768
Las Animas	350	40	14,000	260	8	2,080	610	16,080	23,316
Otero	13,210	46	607,660	100	8	800	13,310	608,460	876,182
Prowers	2,720	45	122,400	800	8	6,400	3,520	128,800	185,472
Pueblo	5,340	46	245,640	1,380	7	9,660	6,720	255,300	372,738
Total Southeast District	32,330	43.2	1,396,840	3,670	7.6	27,820	36,000	1,424,660	2,059,354
State Total	278,000	58.0	16,105,000	130,000	9.5	1,235,000	408,000	17,340,000	24,796,000

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

WINTER WHEAT—1956

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Pro-duction Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Pro-duction Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Pro-duction Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	290	30	8,700				290	8,700	15,486
Clear Creek									
Eagle	50	30	1,500				50	1,500	2,640
Gilpin									
Grand	180	25	4,500	1,670	9	15,030	1,850	19,530	34,959
Gunnison									
Jackson				1,080	9	9,720	1,080	9,720	17,107
Lake									
Moffat	150	32	4,800	29,940	16	479,040	30,090	483,840	861,235
Park									
Pitkin				430	9	3,870	430	3,870	6,811
Rio Blanco	140	32	4,480	6,250	17	106,250	6,390	110,730	195,992
Routt	90	28	2,520	14,730	24	353,520	14,820	356,040	633,751
Summit									
Teller									
Total Northwest District	900	29.4	26,500	54,100	17.9	967,430	55,000	993,930	1,767,981
Boulder	1,740	24	41,760	7,980	11	87,780	9,720	129,540	246,126
Jefferson	850	22	18,700	10,910	16	174,560	11,760	193,260	371,059
Larimer	2,120	30	63,600	25,980	12	311,760	28,100	375,360	713,184
Logan	1,550	25	38,750	148,230	15	2,223,450	149,780	2,262,200	4,320,802
Morgan	4,470	29	129,630	52,320	9	470,880	56,790	600,510	1,146,974
Sedgwick	150	28	4,200	70,710	23	1,626,330	70,860	1,630,530	3,114,312
Weid	4,320	23	99,360	148,670	11	1,635,370	152,990	1,734,730	3,295,987
Total N. Central & N. E. District	15,200	26.1	396,000	464,800	14.0	6,530,130	480,000	6,926,130	13,208,444
Adams	1,740	23	40,020	143,650	7	1,005,550	145,390	1,045,570	2,007,494
Arapahoe	760	22	16,720	57,360	7	401,520	58,120	418,240	803,021
Cheyenne	110	20	2,200	7,890	3	23,670	8,000	25,870	49,153
Denver									
Douglas	310	22	6,820	9,120	14	127,680	9,430	134,500	256,895
Elbert				40,200	7	281,400	40,200	281,400	537,474
El Paso	70	20	1,400	6,490	8	51,920	6,560	53,320	102,374
Kiowa	90	20	1,800	10,930	5	54,650	11,020	56,450	108,384
Kit Carson	1,030	24	24,720	46,540	4	186,160	47,570	210,880	404,890
Lincoln	140	20	2,800	73,770	6	442,620	73,910	445,420	850,752
Phillips				111,470	18	2,006,460	111,470	2,006,460	3,852,403
Washington	1,060	24	25,440	183,030	7	1,333,720	184,090	1,359,160	2,595,996
Yuma	890	23	20,470	113,350	8	906,800	114,240	927,270	1,780,350
Total East Central District	6,200	23.0	142,390	803,800	8.5	6,822,150	810,000	6,964,540	13,349,194
Archuletn	440	28	12,320	340	12	4,080	780	16,400	29,684
Delta	480	31	14,880	100	11	1,100	580	15,980	29,084
Dolores				16,230	9	146,070	16,230	146,070	262,926
Garfield	870	28	24,360	2,990	10	29,900	3,860	54,260	97,668
Hinsdale									
La Plata	3,720	27	100,440	14,580	11	160,380	18,300	260,820	472,084
Mesa	890	37	32,930	850	10	8,500	1,740	41,430	75,817
Montezuma	580	21	12,180	15,310	13	199,030	15,890	211,210	382,290
Montrose	650	35	22,750	90	12	1,080	740	23,830	42,894
Ouray	30	33	990	460	15	6,900	490	7,890	14,281
San Juan									
San Miguel	440	32	14,080	1,950	11	21,450	2,390	35,530	63,954
Total West Central S. W. District	8,100	29.0	234,930	52,900	11.0	578,490	61,000	813,420	1,470,682
Alamosa									
Conejos									
Costilla									
Mineral									
Rio Grande									
Saguache									
Total South Central District									
Eaca	970	24	23,280	58,670	8	444,990	59,640	468,270	903,761
Bent	3,490	27	94,230	3,680	4	14,720	7,170	108,950	209,184
Crowley	190	33	6,270	1,470	3	4,480	1,860	10,750	20,748
Custer	40	28	1,120	2,130	10	21,190	2,170	22,310	42,166
Fremont	180	29	5,220	1,330	8	10,790	1,510	16,010	30,899
Huerfano	90	26	2,340	4,530	6	28,240	4,620	30,580	58,102
Las Animas	110	28	3,080	7,510	8	60,080	7,620	63,160	121,899
Otero	1,590	35	55,650	200	7	1,400	1,790	57,050	110,106
Prowers	6,050	28	169,400	29,270	5	146,350	35,320	315,570	606,240
Pueblo	890	31	27,590	7,610	10	77,560	8,500	105,150	202,594
Total Southeast District	13,600	28.5	388,180	116,400	7.0	809,800	130,000	1,197,980	2,305,699
State Total	44,000	27.0	1,188,000	1,492,000	10.5	15,708,000	1,536,000	16,896,000	32,102,000

STATE OF COLORADO
 SPRING WHEAT—1956

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	80	21	1,680				80	1,680	3,108
Clear Creek									
Eagle	400	41	16,400				400	16,400	30,176
Gilpin									
Grand									
Gunnison				80	9	720	80	720	1,318
Jackson				40	9	360	40	360	648
Lake									
Moffat	140	39	5,460	7,070	12	84,840	7,210	90,300	160,734
Park									
Pitkin	120	45	5,400				120	5,400	9,936
Rio Blanco	100	39	3,900	880	14	12,320	980	16,220	29,034
Routt	260	42	10,920	7,130	17	119,120	7,390	130,040	234,072
Summit									
Teller									
Total Northwest District	1,100	39.8	43,760	15,200	14.3	217,360	16,300	261,120	469,026
Boulder	390	27	10,530	300	7	2,100	690	12,630	23,997
Jefferson	30	25	750	180	8	1,440	210	2,190	4,205
Larimer	610	28	17,080	650	10	6,500	1,260	23,580	44,802
Logan	40	24	960	220	9	1,980	260	2,940	5,615
Morgan	130	28	3,640	350	8	2,800	480	6,440	12,172
Sedgwick	30	30	900	120	10	1,200	150	2,100	4,011
Weid	470	32	15,040	880	7	6,160	1,350	21,200	40,280
Total N. Central & N. E. District	1,700	28.8	48,900	2,700	8.2	22,180	4,400	71,080	135,082
Adams	100	30	3,000	40	4	160	140	3,160	6,099
Arapahoe	30	32	960	10	3	30	40	990	1,911
Cheyenne									
Denver									
Douglas	60	30	1,800	100	4	400	160	2,200	4,246
Elbert	50	28	1,400	410	4	1,640	460	3,040	5,837
El Paso	40	26	1,040	220	4	880	260	1,920	3,706
Kiowa									
Kit Carson	20	26	520	20	4	80	40	600	1,152
Lincoln									
Phillips				30	9	270	30	270	518
Washington	90	26	2,340	20	7	140	110	2,480	4,762
Yuma	40	26	1,040	60	8	480	100	1,520	2,918
Total East Central District	430	28.1	12,100	910	4.5	4,080	1,340	16,180	31,149
Archuleta	440	30	13,200	740	9	6,660	1,180	19,860	36,145
Delta	910	35	31,850	30	7	210	940	32,060	58,670
Dolores				210	5	1,050	210	1,050	1,901
Garfield	510	37	18,870	1,010	7	7,070	1,520	25,940	47,211
Hinsdale									
La Plata	880	22	19,360	740	8	5,920	1,620	25,280	46,010
Mesa	290	30	8,700	70	9	630	360	9,330	17,167
Montezuma	450	19	8,550	1,190	8	9,520	1,640	18,070	32,887
Montrose	3,340	32	106,880	370	9	3,330	3,710	110,210	198,378
Ouray	180	26	4,680	10	8	80	190	4,760	8,616
San Juan									
San Miguel	180	30	5,400				180	5,400	9,720
Total West Central & S. W. District	7,180	30.3	217,490	4,370	7.9	34,470	11,550	251,960	456,705
Alamosa	970	20	19,400				970	19,400	34,920
Conejos	1,410	22	31,020				1,410	31,020	55,836
Costilla	880	24	21,120				880	21,120	38,227
Mineral									
Rio Grande	2,490	22	54,780				2,490	54,780	99,151
Saguache	290	20	5,800				290	5,800	10,498
Total South Central District	6,040	21.9	132,120				6,040	132,120	238,632
Baca	220	24	5,280	180	4	720	400	6,000	11,520
Bent	30	29	870	130	4	520	160	1,390	2,589
Crowley	20	25	500	90	4	360	110	860	1,660
Custer	20	25	500	80	7	560	100	1,060	2,046
Fremont	30	23	690				30	690	1,339
Huerfano	10	23	230	30	8	240	40	470	902
Las Animas	40	23	920	400	6	2,400	440	3,320	6,408
Otero	140	26	3,640				140	3,640	7,025
Prowers	30	25	750	630	5	3,150	660	3,900	7,527
Pueblo	10	25	250	280	7	1,960	290	2,210	4,310
Total Southeast District	550	24.8	13,630	1,820	5.4	9,910	2,370	23,540	45,406
State Total	17,000	27.5	468,000	25,000	11.5	288,000	42,000	756,000	1,376,000

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

OATS—1956
(Threshed or Combined)

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Bushels Per Acre	Prod. Bushels	Acres Har-vested	Prod. Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	680	30	20,400				680	20,400	17,136
Clear Creek									
Eagle	1,420	59	83,780				1,420	83,780	67,024
Gilpin									
Grand	890	28	24,920	480	16	7,680	1,370	32,600	26,406
Gunnison	80	34	2,720	60	14	840	140	3,560	2,919
Jackson				100	12	1,200	100	1,200	948
Lake									
Moffat	370	37	13,690	1,350	19	25,650	1,720	39,340	31,079
Park									
Pitkin	710	68	48,280				710	48,280	39,107
Rio Blanco	940	40	37,600	930	24	22,320	1,870	59,920	47,936
Routt	340	43	14,620	7,290	34	247,860	7,630	262,480	207,359
Summit				180	18	3,240	180	3,240	2,624
Teller				80	12	960	80	960	797
Total Northwest District	5,430	45.3	246,010	10,470	29.6	309,750	15,900	555,760	443,335
Boulder	2,710	41	111,110	410	15	6,150	3,120	117,260	93,808
Jefferson	460	36	16,560	630	17	10,710	1,090	27,270	22,089
Larimer	4,430	46	203,780	410	16	6,560	4,840	210,340	166,169
Logan	2,080	38	79,040	1,410	12	17,260	3,490	96,300	73,188
Morgan	2,690	47	126,420	320	15	4,800	3,010	131,220	103,664
Sedgwick	90	33	2,970	310	15	4,650	400	7,620	5,944
Weld	6,450	35	225,750	2,280	12	27,360	8,730	253,110	199,957
Total N. Central & N. E. District	18,910	40.5	765,630	5,770	13.4	77,490	24,680	843,120	664,819
Adams	1,090	39	42,510	350	11	3,850	1,440	46,360	38,015
Arapahoe	90	36	3,240	70	11	770	160	4,010	3,288
Cheyenne									
Denver									
Douglas	320	32	10,240	1,170	9	10,530	1,490	20,770	17,447
Elbert	40	30	1,200	1,400	10	14,000	1,440	15,200	12,464
El Paso	60	36	2,160	2,290	10	22,900	2,350	25,060	21,301
Kiowa				130	6	780	130	780	632
Kit Carson	80	31	2,480	30	5	150	110	2,630	2,157
Lincoln	50	31	1,550	440	5	2,200	490	3,750	3,000
Phillips	110	39	4,290	510	12	6,120	620	10,410	8,120
Washington	210	36	7,560	630	7	4,410	840	11,970	9,337
Yuma	40	34	1,360	480	8	3,840	520	5,200	4,212
Total East Central District	2,090	36.6	76,590	7,500	9.3	69,550	9,590	146,140	119,973
Archuleta	610	40	24,400	580	23	13,340	1,190	37,740	31,702
Delta	3,270	49	160,230	120	18	2,160	3,390	162,390	129,912
Dolores				190	12	2,280	190	2,280	1,870
Garfield	1,820	50	91,000	530	16	8,480	2,350	99,480	81,574
Hinsdale									
La Plata	2,760	30	82,800	1,320	17	22,440	4,080	105,240	86,297
Mesa	4,360	44	191,840	530	19	10,070	4,890	201,910	165,521
Montezuma	1,500	39	58,500	1,020	13	13,260	2,520	71,760	59,561
Montrose	4,790	43	205,970	480	22	10,560	5,270	216,530	175,389
Ouray	420	39	16,380	60	22	1,320	480	17,700	14,337
San Juan									
San Miguel	120	40	4,800				120	4,800	3,888
Total West Central & S. W. District	19,650	42.5	835,920	4,830	17.4	83,910	24,480	919,830	750,051
Alamosa	4,180	22	91,960				4,180	91,960	72,648
Conejos	9,050	28	253,400				9,050	253,400	195,118
Costilla	1,720	37	63,640				1,720	63,640	49,003
Mineral									
Rio Grande	6,030	35	211,050				6,030	211,050	164,619
Saguache	6,520	25	163,000				6,520	163,000	128,770
Total South Central District	27,500	28.5	783,050				27,500	783,050	610,158
Baca	80	42	3,360				80	3,360	2,788
Bent	800	41	32,800	30	9	270	830	33,070	27,448
Crowley	110	38	4,180				110	4,180	3,511
Custer	770	23	17,710	470	9	4,230	1,240	21,940	17,991
Fremont	470	26	12,220	70	10	700	540	12,920	11,240
Huerfano	760	24	18,240	280	10	2,800	1,040	21,040	17,884
Las Animas	300	34	10,200	120	11	1,320	420	11,520	9,907
Otero	1,850	33	61,050				1,850	61,050	51,282
Prowers	1,440	31	44,640	20	7	140	1,460	44,780	37,167
Pueblo	840	35	29,400	440	11	4,840	1,280	34,240	29,446
Total Southeast District	7,420	31.5	233,800	1,430	10.0	14,300	8,850	248,100	208,664
State Total	81,009	36.3	2,941,000	30,000	18.5	555,000	111,000	3,496,000	2,797,000

BARLEY—1956

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	450	35	15,750				450	15,750	16,222
Clear Creek									
Eagle	290	47	13,630				290	13,630	14,175
Gilpin									
Grand	160	40	6,400	200	21	4,200	360	10,600	10,918
Gunnison	20	40	800	10	14	140	30	940	978
Jackson									
Lake									
Moffat	350	38	13,300	2,990	18	53,820	3,340	67,120	69,805
Park									
Pitkin	60	53	3,180				60	3,180	3,307
Rio Blanco	320	44	14,080	660	20	13,200	980	27,280	28,371
Routt	220	40	8,800	12,300	29	356,700	12,520	365,500	372,810
Summit	40	34	1,360	40	22	880	80	2,240	2,330
Teller				90	15	1,350	90	1,350	1,418
Total Northwest District	1,910	40.5	77,300	16,290	26.4	430,290	18,200	507,590	520,334
Boulder	12,480	38	474,240	3,070	9	27,630	15,550	501,870	537,001
Jefferson	980	31	30,380	5,990	9	53,910	6,970	84,290	91,876
Larimer	17,570	41	720,370	10,140	14	141,960	27,710	862,330	922,093
Logan	8,120	27	219,240	10,220	10	102,200	18,340	321,440	337,512
Morgan	8,890	39	346,710	6,000	9	54,000	14,890	400,710	432,767
Sedgwick	1,200	27	32,400	4,750	15	71,250	5,950	103,650	107,796
Weld	45,350	39	1,765,550	29,540	11	316,030	74,890	2,081,580	2,227,288
Total N. Central & N. E. District	94,590	37.9	3,588,890	69,710	11.0	766,980	164,300	4,355,870	4,656,933
Adams	4,590	32	146,880	4,970	9	44,730	9,560	191,610	203,107
Arapahoe	350	33	11,550	2,980	9	26,820	3,330	38,370	41,056
Cheyenne									
Denver									
Douglas	110	30	3,300	1,800	8	14,400	1,910	17,700	19,293
Elbert	40	25	1,000	1,260	8	10,080	1,300	11,080	11,966
El Paso	260	26	6,760	370	6	2,220	630	8,980	9,968
Kiowa	20	28	560	100	6	600	120	1,160	1,206
Kit Carson	290	29	8,410	1,440	7	10,080	1,730	18,490	18,860
Lincoln				2,250	5	11,250	2,250	11,250	11,700
Phillips				13,450	12	161,400	13,450	161,400	164,628
Washington	540	27	14,580	5,960	6	35,760	6,500	50,340	51,347
Yuma	200	26	5,200	2,520	7	17,640	2,720	22,840	23,068
Total East Central District	6,400	31.0	198,240	37,100	9.0	334,980	43,500	533,220	556,199
Archuleta	470	28	13,160	280	16	4,480	750	17,640	19,580
Delta	4,000	44	176,000	20	21	420	4,020	176,420	194,062
Dolores				260	8	2,080	260	2,080	2,309
Garfield	2,940	41	120,540	300	21	6,300	3,240	126,840	140,792
Hinsdale									
La Plata	2,530	28	70,840	1,430	12	17,160	3,960	88,000	98,560
Mesa	2,180	38	82,840	50	19	950	2,230	83,790	94,683
Montezuma	3,890	31	120,590	700	11	7,700	4,590	128,290	144,968
Montrose	4,080	44	179,520	260	23	5,980	4,340	185,500	202,195
Ouray	150	29	4,350	300	13	3,900	450	8,250	9,075
San Juan									
San Miguel	760	30	22,800				760	22,800	25,308
Total West Central & S. W. District	21,000	37.6	790,640	3,600	13.6	48,970	24,600	839,610	931,532
Alamosa	5,620	19	106,780				5,620	106,780	115,322
Conejos	14,760	25	369,000				14,760	369,000	391,140
Costilla	5,800	24	139,200				5,800	139,200	148,944
Mineral									
Rio Grande	9,820	29	284,780				9,820	284,780	310,410
Saguache	6,200	24	148,800				6,200	148,800	160,704
Total South Central District	42,200	24.8	1,048,560				42,200	1,048,560	1,126,520
Baca	300	25	7,500	40	8	320	340	7,820	8,367
Bent	4,150	27	112,050				4,150	112,050	116,532
Crowley	2,740	29	79,460				2,740	79,460	85,022
Custer	170	26	4,420	470	13	6,110	640	10,530	11,688
Fremont	540	31	16,740	150	13	1,950	690	18,690	20,746
Huerfano	580	33	19,140	1,180	13	15,340	1,760	34,480	36,894
Las Animas	370	28	10,360	1,230	14	17,220	1,600	27,580	29,786
Otero	4,820	34	163,880	150	10	1,500	4,970	165,380	178,610
Prowers	4,750	26	123,500	140	8	1,120	4,890	124,620	133,343
Pueblo	2,480	34	84,320	1,940	13	25,220	4,420	109,540	120,494
Total Southeast District	20,900	29.7	621,370	5,300	13.0	68,780	26,200	690,150	741,482
State Total	187,000	33.8	6,325,000	132,000	12.5	1,650,000	319,000	7,975,000	8,533,000

POTATOES—1956

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Harvested	Cwt. Per Acre	Prod. Cwt.	Acres Harvested	Cwt. Per Acre	Prod. Cwt.	Acres Harvested	Prod. Cwt.	Value Dollars
Chaffee	60	145	8,700	.....	.....	.....	60	8,700	16,617
Clear Creek .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Eagle	520	185	96,200	.....	.....	.....	520	96,200	175,084
Gilpin .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand	10	90	900	.....	.....	.....	10	900	1,719
Gunnison	20	120	2,400	.....	.....	.....	20	2,400	4,560
Jackson .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lake .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Moffat	10	90	900	30	25	750	40	1,650	3,102
Park .....	.....	.....	.....	10	24	240	10	240	454
Pitkin	130	175	22,750	.....	.....	.....	130	22,750	42,770
Rio Blanco	30	90	2,700	.....	.....	.....	30	2,700	5,049
Routt	20	90	1,800	130	32	4,160	150	5,960	11,145
Summit .....	.....	.....	.....	10	26	260	10	260	491
Teller .....	.....	.....	.....	20	26	520	20	520	983
Total Northwest District	800	170	136,350	200	30	5,930	1,000	142,280	261,977
Eouler .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jefferson .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Larimer	240	190	45,600	.....	.....	.....	240	45,600	65,208
Logan	50	180	9,000	10	45	450	60	9,450	13,702
Morgan	1,570	220	345,400	50	45	2,250	1,620	347,650	504,092
Sedgwick	890	200	178,000	250	56	13,920	1,140	191,920	284,042
Weld	11,650	230	2,679,500	180	50	9,000	11,830	2,689,000	3,765,436
Total N. Central & N. E. District	14,400	226	3,257,500	500	52	26,120	14,900	3,283,620	4,632,480
Adams	70	190	13,300	.....	.....	.....	70	13,300	19,817
Arapahoe .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cheyenne .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Denver .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Douglas .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elbert .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
El Paso .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kiowa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kit Carson .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lincoln .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Phillips .....	.....	.....	.....	10	55	550	10	550	781
Washington	10	150	1,500	.....	.....	.....	10	1,500	2,161
Yuma	20	195	3,900	.....	.....	.....	20	3,900	5,577
Total East Central District	100	187	18,700	10	53	550	110	19,250	28,336
Archuleta .....	.....	.....	.....	10	35	350	10	350	606
Delta	60	160	9,600	10	35	350	70	9,950	16,318
Dolores .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Garfield	270	160	43,200	10	45	450	280	43,650	72,022
Hinsdale .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
La Plata	100	130	13,000	20	40	800	120	13,800	23,874
Mesa	100	170	17,000	10	45	450	110	17,450	29,142
Montezuma	160	165	26,400	20	30	600	180	27,000	45,900
Montrose	610	170	103,700	.....	.....	.....	610	103,700	167,994
Ouray .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Juan .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
San Miguel	10	140	1,400	.....	.....	.....	10	1,400	2,436
Total West Central & S. W. District	1,310	164	214,300	80	38	3,000	1,390	217,300	358,292
Alamosa	4,850	170	824,500	.....	.....	.....	4,850	824,500	1,228,505
Conejos	4,230	180	761,400	.....	.....	.....	4,230	761,400	1,126,872
Cestilla	3,940	180	709,200	.....	.....	.....	3,940	709,200	1,042,524
Mineral .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rio Grande	15,690	195	3,057,970	.....	.....	.....	15,690	3,057,970	4,617,535
Saguache	6,590	172	1,133,480	.....	.....	.....	6,590	1,133,480	1,711,555
Total South Central District	35,300	184	6,486,550	.....	.....	.....	35,300	6,486,550	9,726,991
Baca .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bent	40	150	6,000	.....	.....	.....	40	6,000	9,240
Crowley .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Custer .....	.....	.....	.....	10	40	400	10	400	620
Fremont .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Huerfano	40	110	4,400	.....	.....	.....	40	4,400	6,776
Las Animas .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Otero	190	180	34,200	.....	.....	.....	190	34,200	52,668
Prowers	20	150	3,000	.....	.....	.....	20	3,000	4,620
Pueblo .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Southeast District	290	158	47,600	10	40	400	300	48,000	73,924
State Total	52,200	195	10,161,000	800	45	36,000	53,000	10,197,000	15,082,000

BEANS (DRY)—1956

COUNTY	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			TOTAL		
	Acres Har-vested	Pounds Per Acre ¹	Prod. 100-Lb. Bags ¹	Acres Har-vested	Pounds Per Acre ¹	Prod. 100-Lb. Bags ¹	Acres Har-vested	Prod. 100-Lb. Bags ¹	Value Dollars
Chaffee									
Clear Creek									
Eagle									
Gilpin									
Grand									
Gunnison									
Jackson									
Lake									
Moffat									
Park									
Pitkin									
Rio Blanco									
Routt									
Summit									
Teller									
Total Northwest District									
Boulder	110	1,500	1,650	20	280	56	130	1,706	10,953
Jefferson				40	280	112	40	112	718
Larimer	2,010	1,570	31,557	60	320	192	2,070	31,749	203,194
Logan	2,150	1,470	31,605	80	280	224	2,230	31,829	204,024
Morgan	8,920	1,620	144,504	400	300	1,200	9,320	145,704	932,506
Sedgwick	2,090	1,410	29,469	100	330	330	2,190	29,799	191,012
Weld	39,420	1,675	660,378	1,700	310	5,270	41,120	665,648	4,261,625
Total N. Central & N. E. District	54,700	1,644	899,163	2,400	308	7,384	57,100	906,547	5,804,032
Adams	760	1,330	10,108	80	210	168	840	10,276	65,766
Arapahoe	40	1,050	420	130	210	273	170	693	4,435
Cheyenne									
Denver									
Douglas									
Elbert				1,200	120	1,440	1,200	1,440	9,245
El Paso	310	620	1,922	9,670	170	16,439	9,980	18,361	118,245
Kiowa	30	620	186				30	186	1,196
Kit Carson	30	620	186				30	186	1,196
Lincoln	90	620	558	2,510	110	2,761	2,600	3,319	21,208
Phillips				40	300	120	40	120	769
Washington	350	840	2,940	60	290	174	410	3,114	19,992
Yuma	190	780	1,482				190	1,482	9,455
Total East Central District	1,800	989	17,802	13,690	156	21,375	15,490	39,177	251,507
Archuleta				190	190	361	190	361	2,336
Delta	1,430	1,340	19,162	350	150	525	1,780	19,687	126,194
Dolores				40,020	160	64,032	40,020	64,032	409,805
Garfield				110	180	198	110	198	1,275
Hinsdale									
La Plata	80	940	752	7,480	230	17,204	7,560	17,956	115,996
Mesa	2,200	1,250	27,500	790	140	1,106	2,990	28,606	182,220
Montezuma	1,820	800	14,560	34,560	304	165,902	56,380	180,462	1,149,543
Montrose	5,790	1,540	89,166	140	180	252	5,930	89,418	569,593
Ouray									
San Juan									
San Miguel	350	950	3,325	2,150	180	3,870	2,500	7,195	46,408
Total West Central & S. W. District	11,670	1,324	154,465	105,790	240	253,450	117,460	407,915	2,603,370
Alamosa	40	480	192				40	192	1,290
Conejos	520	520	2,704				520	2,704	17,955
Costilla	660	500	3,300				660	3,300	21,879
Mineral									
Rio Grande	30	420	126				30	126	847
Saguache	50	490	245				50	245	1,646
Total South Central District	1,300	505	6,567				1,300	6,567	43,617
Baca				420	160	672	420	672	4,308
Bent	40	570	228	100	170	170	140	398	2,547
Crowley	90	520	468	320	180	576	410	1,044	6,723
Custer									
Fremont	30	570	171				30	171	1,105
Huerfano	20	540	108	90	180	162	110	270	1,741
Las Animas	420	520	2,184	440	220	968	860	3,152	20,330
Otero	960	770	7,392	50	170	85	1,010	7,477	48,152
Prowers	30	720	216	30	170	51	60	267	1,709
Pueblo	1,940	940	18,236	7,670	210	16,107	9,610	34,343	221,856
Total Southeast District	3,530	622	29,003	9,120	206	18,791	12,650	47,794	308,474
State Total	73,000	1,516	1,107,000	131,000	230	301,000	204,000	1,408,000	9,011,000

¹Cleaned basis—prior years in preceding bulletins were uncleaned.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS
SUGAR BEETS AND BROOMCORN, 1956
 SUGAR BEETS—IRRIGATED

County	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Value Dollars
Boulder	2,481	93	2,315	14.2	32,821	407,309
Jefferson						
Larimer	8,498	93	7,908	15.3	120,926	1,500,692
Logan	8,797	87	7,620	14.8	112,776	1,399,550
Morgan	18,653	86	16,023	15.2	244,302	3,031,788
Sedgwick	3,685	95	3,500	17.4	60,900	755,769
Weld	62,888	94	58,839	16.4	967,624	12,006,044
Total N. Central & N. E. District	105,002	92	96,205	16.0	1,539,349	19,101,152
Adams	2,611	88	2,286	14.0	31,947	396,462
Arapahoe	12	100	12	10.8	129	1,601
Cheyenne						
Denver						
Douglas						
Elbert						
El Paso						
Kiowa						
Kit Carson						
Lincoln						
Phillips						
Washington	632	91	575	13.0	7,457	92,541
Yuma						
Total East Central District	3,255	88	2,873	13.8	39,533	490,604
Archuleta						
Delta	1,013	89	902	17.4	15,735	186,302
Dolores						
Garfield	147	95	140	14.0	1,966	23,277
Hinsdale						
La Plata						
Mesa	2,806	98	2,740	20.5	56,135	664,638
Montezuma						
Montrose	1,027	97	969	17.0	16,457	191,851
Ourray	28	97	27	16.0	432	5,115
San Juan						
San Miguel						
Total West Central & S. W. District	5,021	95	4,778	19.0	90,725	1,074,183
Alamosa	274	76	207	6.3	1,299	15,887
Conejos	170	62	105	4.4	465	5,687
Cestilla						
Mineral						
Rio Grande	14	100	14	4.1	58	709
Saguache						
Total S. Central District	458	71	326	5.6	1,822	22,283
Baca						
Bent	1,538	93	1,431	14.4	20,558	251,219
Crowley	2,446	87	2,137	7.1	15,248	159,185
Custer						
Fremont						
Huerfano						
Las Animas	482	99	479	8.4	4,033	45,976
Otero	6,110	96	5,865	15.3	89,472	1,070,980
Prowers	3,175	91	2,881	14.5	41,734	487,870
Pueblo	3,813	98	3,725	13.6	50,526	580,544
Total Southeast District	17,564	94	16,518	13.4	221,571	2,595,778
State Total	131,300	92	120,700	15.7	1,893,000	23,284,000

BROOMCORN—IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED

County	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Pounds Per Acre	Production Tons	Value Dollars
Baca	86,360	68	58,840	139	4,078	1,773,430
Bent	1,370	65	890	150	67	29,140
Crowley	1,020	65	660	145	48	20,880
Las Animas	1,290	70	900	155	70	30,450
Prowers	960	74	710	105	37	16,100
State Total	91,000	68	62,000	140	4,300	1,870,000

RYE—1956

County	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Value Dollars
Chaffee	50	40	20	10	200	214
Clear Creek						
Eagle						
Gilpin						
Grand	50	38	20	10	200	220
Gunnison	80	38	30	12	360	385
Jackson	440	36	160	10	1,600	1,728
Lake						
Moffatt	1,290	35	450	13	5,850	6,376
Park						
Pitkin	50	40	20	11	220	240
Rio Blanco	220	40	90	12	1,080	1,199
Routt	420	36	150	12	1,800	1,944
Summit						
Teller						
Total North West District	2,600	36	940	12.0	11,310	12,306
Boulder	140	58	80	5	400	448
Jefferson	200	59	120	7	840	924
Larimer	100	58	60	10	600	666
Logan	2,260	57	1,290	8	10,320	11,146
Morgan	2,840	58	1,650	10	16,500	17,655
Sedgwick	620	71	440	10	4,400	4,796
Weld	6,340	61	3,870	7	27,090	29,242
Total N. Central & N. E. District	12,500	60	7,510	8.0	60,150	64,877
Adams	250	16	40	5	200	212
Arapahoe	1,800	15	270	5	1,350	1,431
Cheyenne	690	16	110	4	440	471
Denver						
Douglas	250	28	70	6	420	458
Elbert	5,740	23	1,320	4	5,280	5,702
El Paso	2,000	26	520	5	2,600	2,886
Kiowa	830	12	100	3	300	321
Kit Carson	5,130	16	820	3	2,460	2,755
Lincoln	4,570	21	960	4	3,840	4,186
Phillips	2,520	71	1,790	6	10,740	11,384
Washington	9,360	25	2,340	4	9,360	9,828
Yuma	13,060	34	4,440	5	22,200	23,532
Total East Central District	46,200	36	12,780	4.6	59,190	63,166
Archuleta	360	36	130	18	2,340	2,527
Delta	150	39	60	20	1,200	1,296
Dolores	50	38	20	14	280	300
Garfield	700	37	260	10	2,600	2,808
Hinsdale						
La Plata	670	36	240	14	3,360	3,629
Mesa	140	37	50	14	700	756
Montezuma	50	37	20	16	320	342
Montrose	210	38	80	16	1,280	1,382
Duray						
San Juan						
San Miguel	270	37	100	14	1,400	1,540
Total W. Central & S. W. District	2,600	37	960	14.0	13,480	14,580
Alamosa	50	40	20	20	400	420
Conejos						
Castilla	100	40	40	20	800	840
Mineral						
Rio Grande	230	40	90	19	1,710	1,796
Saguache	120	40	50	22	1,100	1,155
Total S. Central District	500	40	200	20.0	4,010	4,211
Baca	5,170	18	930	3	2,790	3,153
Bent	450	20	90	6	540	616
Crowley	9,800	30	2,940	11	32,750	37,662
Custer	1,300	27	350	6	2,100	2,415
Fremont	300	27	80	7	560	644
Huerfano	500	14	70	12	840	958
Las Animas	4,400	15	660	6	3,960	4,475
Otero	110	27	30	12	360	414
Prowers	1,390	28	390	8	3,120	3,557
Pueblo	180	40	70	12	840	966
Total Southeast District	23,600	24	5,610	8.5	47,860	54,860
State Total	88,000	32	28,000	7.0	196,000	214,000

ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN AND ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE AND SILAGE—1956

COUNTY	ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED				ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE & SILAGE IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED			
	Acres Har- vested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Value Dollars	Acres Har- vested	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 North West District								
Boulder	290	12	3,480	4,602	30	.7	21	399
Jefferson	180	9	1,620	2,106	470	.8	376	7,152
Larimer	70	9	630	825	130	.9	117	2,235
Lagan	11,000	12	132,000	172,920	11,060	.6	6,636	123,430
Morgan	4,160	14	58,240	76,291	9,690	1.2	11,628	213,955
Sedgwick	7,360	10	73,600	95,680	6,350	.8	5,080	92,456
Weld	5,700	11	62,700	81,510	13,510	1.0	13,510	251,962
Total N. Central & N. E. District	28,760	11.6	332,270	433,937	41,240	.90	37,368	691,589
Adams	780	14	10,920	14,087	620	.6	372	7,217
Arapahoe	830	8	6,640	8,499	2,470	.5	1,235	24,144
Cheyenne	2,950	5	14,750	18,290	13,470	.3	4,041	75,567
Denver								
Douglas	60	9	540	691	1,030	.6	618	12,175
Elbert	210	8	1,680	2,167	15,240	.3	4,572	86,639
El Paso	2,000	8	16,000	20,640	31,350	.4	12,540	244,530
Kiowa	13,900	6	83,400	104,250	13,900	.3	4,170	76,936
Kit Carson	9,450	8	75,600	96,012	55,170	1.4	79,422	1,477,249
Lincoln	14,100	7	98,700	126,336	56,390	.3	16,917	336,340
Phillips	20,700	13	269,100	341,757	12,050	.5	6,025	110,860
Washington	5,950	8	47,600	60,928	39,730	.5	19,865	369,886
Yuma	31,750	9	291,600	373,248	58,400	.6	35,040	659,645
Total East Central District	102,680	8.9	916,530	1,166,905	299,820	.62	184,817	3,483,188
Archuleta								
Delta								
Dolores								
Garfield								
Hinsdale								
La Plata								
Mesa	550	40	22,000	27,280	20	2.0	40	696
Montezuma	90	30	2,700	3,348				
Montrose	20	40	800	992	20	2.0	40	699
Ouray								
San Juan								
San Miguel								
Total W. Central & S. W. District	660	38.6	25,500	31,620	40	2.00	80	1,395
Alamosa								
Concejos					950	1.2	1,140	20,520
Castilla					60	1.2	72	1,296
Mineral								
Rio Grande					90	1.2	108	1,944
Saguache								
Total S. Central District					1,100	1.20	1,320	23,760
Baca	33,520	8	268,160	329,837	52,050	.8	41,640	745,356
Bent	15,180	19	288,420	354,757	13,210	2.3	30,383	543,856
Crowley	1,940	27	52,380	66,523	6,530	3.3	21,549	396,502
Custer	20	19	380	471	160	.9	144	2,707
Fremont	140	18	2,520	3,200	540	1.0	540	10,314
Huerfano	70	17	1,190	1,476	660	.9	594	11,286
Las Animas	520	11	5,720	6,978	3,860	.7	2,702	50,933
Otero	1,650	20	33,000	41,250	1,290	3.3	4,257	76,626
Prowers	13,630	43	586,090	726,752	26,890	1.7	45,713	820,548
Pueblo	6,230	8	49,840	64,294	7,610	1.3	9,893	190,441
Total Southeast District	72,900	17.7	1,287,700	1,595,538	112,800	1.40	157,415	2,848,568
State Total	205,006	12.5	2,562,000	3,228,000	455,000	.90	381,000	7,048,500

HAY—1956

COUNTY	ALFALFA (Including Mixtures)			WILD HAY			ALL HAY ¹		
	Acres Har- vested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Har- vested	Tons Per Acre	Production Tons	Acres Har- vested	Production Tons	Total Value Dollars
Chaffee	4,930	1.9	9,367	650	1.4	910	10,900	18,257	489,288
Clear Creek				160	.8	128	470	531	14,284
Eagle	10,310	1.9	19,589	2,500	1.5	3,750	20,650	34,848	857,261
Gilpin				220	1.0	220	370	370	9,472
Grand	1,150	1.8	2,070	4,830	1.4	6,762	40,700	53,968	1,338,406
Gunnison	650	1.8	1,170	11,730	1.5	17,595	45,710	58,761	1,451,397
Jackson				73,600	1.0	73,941	81,410	82,532	1,980,768
Lake	320	1.0	320	2,250	.9	2,025	2,790	2,543	63,117
Moffat	10,410	1.5	15,615	3,620	1.0	3,620	21,560	26,765	653,066
Park	50	1.5	75	12,040	.7	8,428	14,100	10,312	276,362
Pitkin	4,810	2.3	11,063	200	1.7	340	13,130	25,207	630,175
Rio Blanco	9,110	1.3	11,843	3,540	1.2	4,248	25,270	29,973	728,344
Routt	9,190	1.3	11,947	2,420	1.2	2,904	50,010	68,611	1,578,053
Summit				420	1.4	588	7,830	8,739	224,592
Teller	70	1.0	70	820	.9	738	1,900	1,616	44,602
Total North West District	51,000	1.63	83,129	119,000	1.06	126,197	336,800	423,033	10,339,187
Boulder	25,390	2.2	55,858	1,540	1.3	2,002	28,450	59,380	1,543,880
Jefferson	10,120	1.6	16,192	910	.8	728	12,280	17,920	477,568
Larimer	41,760	2.6	108,576	6,120	1.6	9,792	52,770	124,236	3,194,108
Logan	28,230	2.9	81,867	5,210	1.3	6,773	43,260	98,460	2,431,962
Morgan	33,990	3.2	108,768	720	1.3	936	37,440	112,707	2,781,609
Sedgwick	3,910	3.1	12,121	5,040	.9	4,536	11,970	19,375	468,675
Weld	106,670	2.7	287,901	5,460	.8	4,368	119,840	297,666	7,533,926
Total N. Central & N. E. District	250,070	2.68	671,283	25,000	1.17	29,135	306,010	729,744	18,431,928
Adams	20,140	2.6	52,354	410	.8	328	21,360	53,502	1,385,702
Arapahoe	5,590	1.9	10,621	1,120	1.0	1,120	7,430	12,317	333,791
Cheyenne	1,060	1.0	1,060	340	.4	136	1,810	1,360	35,768
Denver									
Douglas	6,270	1.8	11,286	890	.5	445	8,840	12,907	354,942
Elbert	7,490	1.5	11,235	1,730	.4	692	12,880	13,391	360,218
El Paso	7,810	1.8	14,058	2,630	.4	1,052	18,600	18,374	519,984
Kiowa	1,960	1.1	2,156	70	.4	28	4,020	3,179	84,561
Kit Carson	1,750	2.8	4,900	640	.5	320	6,450	7,250	185,600
Lincoln	3,140	2.3	7,222	2,320	.8	1,856	12,350	11,834	300,584
Phillips	3,480	3.0	10,440	700	.9	630	10,690	18,882	462,609
Washington	6,590	2.2	14,498	2,040	.6	1,224	22,340	26,690	661,912
Yuma	14,820	1.8	26,676	3,820	1.0	3,820	24,960	36,184	893,745
Total East Central District	80,100	2.08	166,516	16,710	.70	11,651	151,730	215,870	5,579,416
Archuleta	4,240	1.2	5,088	360	.9	324	11,580	14,486	359,253
Delta	20,780	2.6	54,028	710	2.0	1,420	23,870	59,494	1,451,654
Dolores	420	1.0	420	60	1.0	60	860	898	22,989
Garfield	31,120	1.9	59,128	520	1.5	780	33,600	62,652	1,534,974
Hinsdale	210	2.2	462	2,090	1.0	2,090	5,120	6,218	161,046
La Plata	17,900	1.5	26,850	780	.9	702	22,770	32,869	825,012
Mesa	33,980	2.4	81,552	170	1.6	272	35,560	83,939	2,106,869
Montezuma	15,160	2.0	30,320	360	1.7	612	16,610	32,240	828,568
Montrose	22,960	2.8	64,288	860	1.6	1,376	26,530	69,187	1,691,622
Ouray	1,890	1.8	3,402	640	1.8	1,152	9,850	13,338	334,784
San Juan									
San Miguel	2,340	1.6	3,744	390	1.6	624	4,740	6,780	172,212
Total W. Central & S. W. District	151,000	2.18	329,282	6,940	1.36	9,412	191,090	382,101	9,488,983
Alamosa	17,890	1.4	25,046	11,290	.6	6,774	32,220	34,556	856,989
Conejos	21,720	1.3	28,236	8,720	1.0	8,720	37,470	43,986	1,073,702
Costilla	4,720	1.8	8,496	930	.9	837	8,940	13,610	336,167
Mineral	520	1.0	520	2,100	.7	1,470	3,860	3,230	83,657
Rio Grande	32,520	1.7	55,284	5,820	.9	5,238	48,220	73,366	1,848,823
Saguache	23,310	1.3	30,303	34,520	.6	20,712	66,950	60,135	1,539,456
Total S. Central District	100,680	1.47	147,885	63,380	.69	43,751	197,660	228,883	5,738,794
Baca	2,420	2.3	5,566	110	1.0	110	3,050	5,988	154,490
Bent	23,280	1.3	30,264	160	.9	144	23,840	31,088	795,853
Crowley	15,910	1.6	25,456				16,980	26,312	686,743
Custer	1,940	.9	1,746	5,270	.8	4,216	12,830	11,020	299,744
Fremont	6,250	2.0	12,500	220	.8	176	10,410	17,404	478,610
Huerfano	9,060	1.0	9,060	2,140	1.0	2,140	15,460	15,034	385,622
Las Animas	9,420	1.9	17,898	660	1.1	726	15,750	23,727	640,629
Otero	28,900	2.0	57,800	180	1.0	180	29,900	59,456	1,536,938
Prowers	39,350	2.5	98,375	890	1.0	890	41,420	101,507	2,603,655
Pueblo	14,620	2.0	29,240	340	.8	272	17,070	31,833	875,408
Total Southeast District	151,150	1.90	287,905	9,970	.89	8,854	186,710	323,369	8,457,692
State Total	784,000	2.15	1,686,000	241,000	.95	229,000	1,370,000	2,303,000	58,036,000

¹Includes Other Tame Hay (Millet & Sudan, Small Grains for Hay, Clo.-Tim. & Misc.)

CORN, BARLEY, WHEAT—ACRES PLANTED AND PERCENT HARVESTED, 1956

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	60	98	470	95	410	70	80	98
Clear Creek								
Eagle	80	100	310	95	60	85	410	98
Gilpin								
Grand			420	86	2,060	90		
Gunnison	100	97	30	90			80	97
Jackson					1,140	95	40	97
Lake								
Moffat	120	100	3,670	91	32,710	92	7,360	98
Park			60	95	480	90	120	98
Pitkin	60	100	1,030	95	6,520	98	1,040	94
Rio Blanco	80	100	13,180	95	15,440	96	7,540	98
Routt			80	95				
Summit			110	85				
Teller								
Total Northwest District	500	100	19,360	94	58,820	94	16,670	98
Boulder	16,440	98	17,470	89	13,890	70	870	79
Jefferson	3,860	91	10,400	67	15,470	76	280	74
Larimer	23,560	100	29,800	93	33,060	85	1,400	90
Logan	27,840	93	32,750	56	166,420	90	430	60
Morgan	47,960	92	27,070	55	78,880	72	700	69
Sedgwick	8,890	99	12,400	48	74,590	95	190	80
Weld	75,540	94	111,780	67	212,490	72	2,460	55
Total N. Central & N. E. District	204,090	95	241,670	68	594,800	81	6,330	70
Adams	12,210	96	20,340	47	175,170	83	200	70
Arapahoe	2,060	89	20,810	16	83,030	70	110	35
Cheyenne	640	78	1,200	0	160,000	5		
Denver								
Douglas	3,600	95	5,160	37	10,840	87	270	60
Elbert	11,530	92	2,890	45	69,310	58	1,310	35
El Paso	26,620	85	2,250	28	9,370	70	650	40
Kiowa	1,280	60	1,200	10	220,400	5		
Kit Carson	8,220	83	8,820	20	318,630	15	130	30
Lincoln	9,310	80	9,030	25	184,780	40		
Phillips	13,980	96	27,450	49	116,110	96	40	75
Washington	11,160	94	34,210	19	317,400	58	220	50
Yuma	54,600	94	10,880	25	181,330	63	120	80
Total East Central District	155,230	91	144,240	30	1,846,370	44	3,050	44
Archuleta	360	94	930	81	870	90	1,220	97
Delta	8,040	97	4,570	88	610	95	1,040	90
Dolores	500	50	740	35	36,790	44	270	78
Garfield	2,130	99	3,680	88	7,020	55	1,550	98
Hinsdale								
La Plata	1,100	90	4,930	82	19,260	95	1,840	88
Mesa	11,360	100	2,530	86	1,830	95	380	95
Montezuma	1,170	95	6,650	69	18,690	85	2,050	80
Montrose	7,000	96	5,560	78	990	75	4,030	92
Ouray	50	95	580	78	650	75	200	96
San Juan								
San Miguel	280	95	900	84	3,410	70	190	95
Total W. Central & S. W. District	31,990	97	30,970	79	90,120	68	12,770	90
Alamosa	960	100	8,140	69			1,090	89
Conejos	1,200	97	18,680	79			1,550	91
Costilla	320	100	6,590	88			910	97
Mineral								
Rio Grande	3,390	95	10,560	93			3,400	72
Saguache	840	100	6,530	95			360	77
Total S. Central District	6,710	97	50,500	84			7,390	82
Baca	1,290	90	1,700	20	271,090	22	930	43
Bent	3,080	90	8,470	49	14,340	50	360	45
Crowley	7,630	77	5,270	52	4,740	35	240	45
Custer	120	96	800	80	3,620	60	120	80
Fremont	1,360	100	1,030	67	2,010	75	40	78
Huerfano	570	92	3,140	56	6,400	55	60	70
Las Animas	1,020	60	4,100	39	19,050	40	940	47
Otero	13,580	98	5,340	93	1,950	92	200	70
Prowers	3,830	92	8,020	61	160,550	22	1,470	45
Pueblo	7,000	96	5,390	82	12,140	70	430	67
Total Southeast District	39,480	91	43,260	61	497,890	26	4,790	49
State Total	438,000	93	530,000	60	3,088,000	50	51,000	82

¹Planted fall of preceding year.

BEANS, POTATOES, OATS, ALL SORGHUMS—ACRES PLANTED AND PERCENT HARVESTED, 1956

COUNTY	BEANS (DRY)		POTATOES		OATS		ALL SORGHUMS	
	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested	Acres Planted	Percent Harvested
Chaffee			60	100	760	89		
Clear Creek								
Eagle			540	96	1,870	76		
Gilpin								
Grand			10	100	1,650	83		
Gunnison			20	100	150	92		
Jackson					100	100		
Lake								
Moffat			40	100	2,050	84		
Park			10	100				
Pitkin			130	100	740	96		
Rio Blanco			30	100	2,100	89		
Routt			160	94	8,290	92		
Summit			10	100	190	95		
Teller			20	100	100	80		
Total North West District			1,030	97	18,000	88		
Boulder	140	95			3,320	94	530	60
Jefferson	40	95			2,480	44	1,050	62
Larimer	2,130	97	250	97	6,050	80	330	60
Logan	2,320	96	60	98	11,630	30	30,220	73
Morgan	9,810	95	1,710	95	11,150	27	23,080	60
Sedgwick	2,260	97	1,160	98	1,600	25	19,040	72
Weld	44,220	93	12,210	97	19,840	44	30,980	62
Total N. Central & N. E. District	60,920	94	15,390	97	56,070	44	105,230	67
Adams	880	96	70	100	3,790	38	2,000	70
Arapahoe	200	84			400	40	8,250	40
Cheyenne							52,970	31
Denver								
Douglas					3,110	48	1,220	89
Elbert	1,460	82			2,720	53	23,330	61
El Paso	11,880	84			8,660	27	51,310	65
Iowa	40	84			1,300	10	106,920	26
Kit Carson	30	86			850	13	191,590	34
Lincoln	2,990	87			3,770	13	125,870	56
Phillips	50	84	10	100	1,550	40	37,640	87
Washington	470	87	10	100	4,670	18	60,110	76
Yuma	220	86	20	100	2,500	21	130,650	69
Total East Central District	18,220	85	110	100	33,320	29	793,860	51
Archuleta	200	95	10	100	1,920	62		
Delta	1,840	97	70	98	4,520	75		
Dolores	43,410	92			270	70		
Garfield	120	93	290	98	2,700	87		
Hinsdale								
La Plata	7,960	95	130	90	6,280	65		
Mesa	3,150	95	110	98	5,890	83	580	98
Montezuma	58,120	97	180	95	2,930	86	90	95
Montrose	6,110	97	630	98	6,510	81	40	100
Ouray					760	63		
San Juan								
San Miguel	2,690	93	10	100	190	64		
Total W. Central & S. W. District	123,600	95	1,430	97	31,970	77	710	99
Alamosa	50	88	5,270	92	8,530	49		
Conejos	620	84	4,340	98	11,170	81	1,060	90
Costilla	790	84	4,060	97	2,070	83	70	90
Mineral								
Rio Grande	30	87	16,090	97	7,730	78	100	90
Saguache	60	85	6,970	94	10,870	60		
Total S. Central District	1,550	84	36,730	96	40,370	68	1,230	90
Baca	480	87			800	10	186,020	46
Bent	160	89	40	100	980	85	32,260	88
Crowley	430	95			160	70	23,530	36
Custer			10	100	2,340	53	260	70
Fremont	30	86			830	65	758	91
Huerfano	140	80	40	100	3,470	30	1,040	70
Las Animas	1,130	76			950	44	5,840	75
Otero	1,050	96	200	95	2,500	74	4,820	61
Prowers	70	88	20	100	1,820	80	57,890	70
Pueblo	10,220	94			2,420	53	15,560	89
Total Southeast District	13,710	92	310	97	16,270	54	327,970	57
State Total	218,000	94	55,000	96	196,000	57	1,229,000	54

WINTER WHEAT, IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—1957 (Preliminary)

COUNTY	Acres Planted ¹	Percent Harvested	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels
Chaffee	410	78	320	35.0	11,200
Clear Creek					
Eagle	60	78	50	32.0	1,600
Gilpin					
Grand	2,060	83	1,710	25.7	44,030
Gunnison					
Jackson	1,140	88	1,000	27.0	27,000
Lake					
Moffat	28,440	85	24,170	26.0	627,370
Park					
Pitkin	480	78	370	25.0	9,250
Rio Blanco	6,520	94	6,130	30.1	184,800
Routt	17,210	95	16,350	28.3	462,380
Summit					
Teller					
Total North West District	56,320	89	50,100	27.3	1,367,630
Boulder	11,640	86	10,010	28.4	284,680
Jefferson	10,380	88	9,130	29.3	267,270
Larimer	22,100	88	19,450	31.4	611,350
Logan	172,190	86	147,850	24.3	3,590,550
Morgan	69,940	73	51,060	27.7	1,413,440
Sedgwick	77,830	88	68,490	30.6	2,096,810
Weid	162,370	77	125,020	24.3	3,042,000
Total N. Central & N. E. District	526,450	82	431,010	26.2	11,306,100
Adams	110,360	57	62,910	22.5	1,415,100
Arapahoe	58,700	55	32,280	18.6	599,840
Cheyenne	24,000	16	3,840	18.8	72,160
Denver					
Douglas	8,130	68	5,530	24.6	136,230
Elbert	60,990	65	39,640	23.1	914,800
El Paso	8,900	68	6,050	16.3	98,840
Kiowa	35,260	14	4,940	17.6	86,700
Kit Carson	40,350	33	13,320	28.4	377,740
Lincoln	137,500	52	71,500	17.7	1,262,500
Phillips	126,590	94	118,990	28.3	3,372,300
Washington	263,440	81	213,360	26.1	5,570,460
Yuma	183,140	84	153,840	24.1	3,703,460
Total East Central District	1,057,360	69	726,200	24.2	17,610,130
Archuleta	220	91	200	29.2	5,840
Delta	480	75	360	32.7	11,760
Dolores	24,070	75	18,050	19.3	347,550
Garfield	5,320	67	3,560	25.1	89,410
Hinsdale					
La Plata	12,130	85	10,310	26.6	274,500
Mesa	1,580	85	1,340	23.7	31,780
Montezuma	14,950	91	13,600	20.7	281,490
Montrose	840	88	740	40.9	30,280
Ouray	520	88	460	25.8	11,860
San Juan					
San Miguel	2,030	83	1,680	25.4	42,730
Total W. Central & S. W. District	62,140	81	50,300	22.4	1,127,200
Alamosa					
Conejos					
Costilla					
Mineral					
Rio Grande					
Sagauche					
Total S. Central District					
Baca	192,470	14	26,490	16.2	429,330
Bent	6,170	40	2,570	19.6	50,310
Crowley	3,740	83	3,100	21.5	66,510
Custer	2,900	70	2,030	16.5	33,500
Fremont	1,610	70	1,130	19.2	21,690
Huerfano	6,720	72	4,840	15.4	74,360
Las Animas	18,570	66	14,900	10.4	155,630
Otero	2,440	83	2,030	39.4	79,940
Prowers	59,010	24	13,200	21.4	282,500
Pueblo	11,100	73	8,100	15.7	127,170
Total Southeast District	304,730	26	78,390	16.9	1,320,940
State Total	2,007,000	67	1,336,000	24.5	32,732,000

¹Printed fall of preceding year.

SUGAR BEETS—IRRIGATED—1957 (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 North West District					
Boulder	2,440	98	2,390	17.7	42,303
Jefferson	9	100	9	14.9	134
Larimer	9,345	97	9,080	16.6	150,771
Logan	9,699	99	9,622	16.9	162,612
Morgan	18,671	100	18,608	16.8	312,614
Sedgwick	4,260	100	4,256	16.3	69,373
Weld	65,870	98	64,545	18.1	1,168,264
Total N. Central & N. E. District	110,294	98	108,510	17.6	1,906,071
Adams	2,711	97	2,617	15.1	39,517
Arapahoe	29	100	29	14.8	429
Cheyenne					
Denver					
Douglas					
Elbert					
El Paso					
Kiowa					
Kit Carson	560	74	412	10.4	4,285
Lincoln					
Phillips					
Washington	780	99	773	16.7	12,909
Yuma					
Total East Central District	4,080	94	3,831	14.9	57,140
Archuleta					
Delta	838	90	753	17.5	13,178
Dolores					
Garfield	186	54	100	17.8	1,780
Hinsdale					
La Plata					
Mesa	3,252	84	2,732	18.7	51,088
Montezuma					
Montrose	1,329	87	1,159	17.2	19,935
Ouray					
San Juan					
San Miguel					
Total W. Central & S. W. District	5,605	85	4,744	18.1	85,981
Alamosa	252	80	201	9.2	1,849
Conejos	108	52	56	7.1	398
Costilla					
Mineral					
Rio Grande	27	70	19	9.8	186
Saguache					
Total Southeast District	387	71	276	8.8	2,433
Baca	2,278	93	2,110	12.3	25,953
Bent	1,836	100	1,829	14.3	26,155
Crowley	1,158	99	1,142	15.0	17,130
Custer					
Fremont					
Huerfano					
Las Animas	412	100	410	18.1	6,601
Otero	6,614	99	6,544	17.2	112,557
Prowers	3,587	98	3,504	14.8	51,859
Pueblo	3,649	99	3,600	19.2	69,120
Total Southeast District	19,534	98	19,139	16.2	309,375
State Total	139,900	98	136,500	17.3	2,361,000

10 YEAR (1947-1956) AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE HARVESTED (PRINCIPAL CROPS)

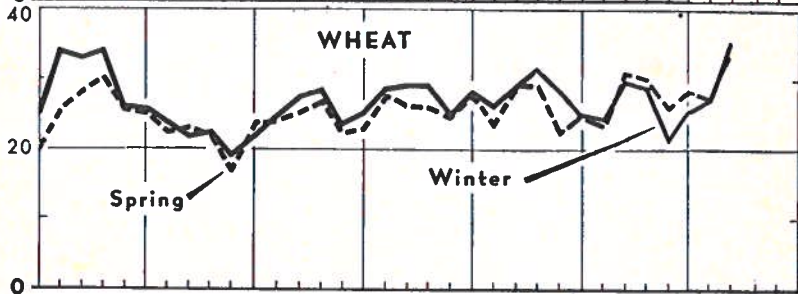
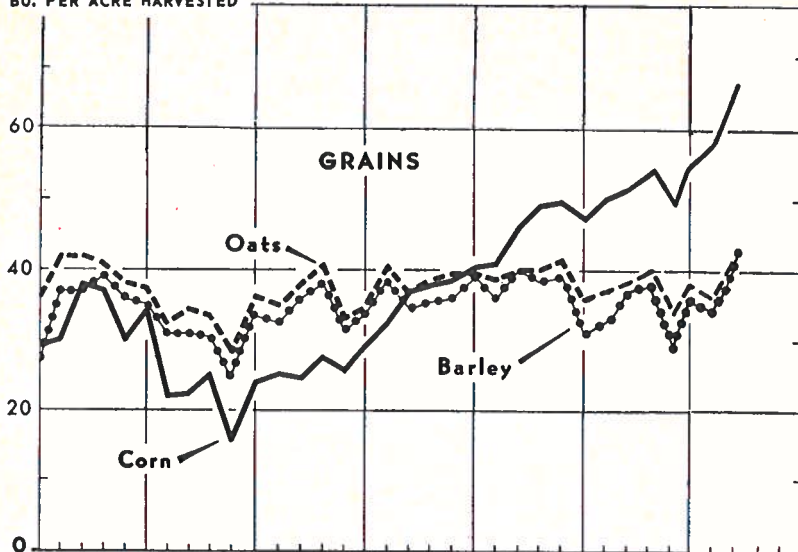
County	CORN		OATS		BARLEY		ALL SOR- GHUMS	ALFALFA HAY	WILD HAY
	Irrig- ated (Bu.)	Non- Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrig- ated (Bu.)	Non- Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrig- ated (Bu.)	Non- Irrig. (Bu.)	for Grain Irrig. & Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrig. & Non- Irrig. (Tons)	Irrig. & Non- Irrig. (Tons)
Chaffee			32.2		34.6			1.9	1.0
Clear Creek									.9
Eagle			56.3		46.7			2.0	1.3
Gilpin									.7
Grand			30.0	26.6	34.6	19.4		1.4	1.2
Gunnison			29.4	18.6	34.2	19.5		1.8	1.2
Jackson									1.0
Lake									.8
Moffat	33.6	13.8	40.0	27.1	38.3	20.0		1.4	1.2
Park			33.8	22.1				1.4	.8
Pitkin			53.8		41.4			2.0	1.4
Rio Blanco	32.7	13.3	49.6	29.9	41.0	24.9		1.5	1.5
Routt			37.9	31.8	36.3	25.8		1.3	1.2
Summit				26.6	34.2	18.4			1.2
Teller				24.7		19.8		1.4	.9
Total Northwest District	33.5	13.7	44.9	30.3	38.4	24.0		1.63	1.00
Boulder	52.2	17.6	39.8	21.1	37.2	19.5	11.8	2.3	1.2
Jefferson	44.1	15.5	36.2	20.0	33.9	20.2		1.8	1.0
Larimer	50.9	17.9	41.5	20.3	39.1	18.7	9.3	2.5	1.1
Logan	47.8	13.9	37.2	20.1	31.2	15.9	10.7	2.7	1.0
Morgan	57.8	11.4	42.0	14.6	37.2	12.1	9.9	3.0	1.0
Sedgwick	51.3	17.8	41.0	22.8	31.0	20.4	12.3	2.5	1.0
Weld	55.3	13.4	40.5	17.2	39.1	14.8	10.5	2.8	.9
Total N. Central & N. E. Districts	53.8	14.1	40.4	19.0	37.6	15.9	10.5	2.65	1.01
Adams	48.4	12.3	41.7	17.1	33.6	14.4	8.6	2.6	.9
Arapahoe	46.3	12.3	40.1	17.4	33.2	13.7	10.3	2.0	1.0
Cheyenne		11.6		13.2		9.6	8.0	1.1	.7
Denver									
Douglas	44.1	11.1	35.7	17.6	30.2	14.9		1.6	.9
Elbert		9.4		14.0		10.8	7.5	1.4	.8
El Paso	42.7	8.1	37.0	13.2	31.3	9.4	7.9	1.7	.7
Kiowa		13.1		12.6		9.0	8.2	1.1	.6
Kit Carson	41.9	9.3	37.1	12.6	29.8	10.3	9.0	1.8	.8
Lincoln		10.4		9.9		29.4	9.4	7.9	2.0
Phillips	49.1	14.5	39.4	18.5		18.2	11.8	1.8	.9
Washington	55.5	11.0	40.8	14.9	33.4	10.5	8.5	2.3	.8
Yuma	31.8	12.4	38.8	16.3	30.5	13.9	9.5	1.6	.9
Total East Central District	48.9	11.4	40.4	15.2	33.4	12.6	9.0	1.92	.85
Archuleta	42.4	13.7	35.5	26.5	32.8	20.9		1.6	1.1
Delta	51.7	15.5	44.2	25.4	42.9	19.2		2.7	1.5
Dolores		14.3		22.5		14.4		1.4	1.1
Garfield	43.7	14.8	47.9	24.3	42.8	20.3		2.0	1.4
Hinsdale								2.0	1.2
La Plata	43.6	14.7	35.8	24.3	32.5	18.8		1.8	1.3
Mesa	54.2	13.5	43.6	23.3	36.8	18.7	21.5	2.7	1.3
Montezuma	43.2	15.8	40.2	26.4	34.2	17.3		2.0	1.4
Montrose	46.2	14.8	40.5	25.4	40.4	17.7		2.3	1.3
Ouray	45.7		38.8	26.7	34.3	15.7		1.8	1.3
San Juan									
San Miguel	45.7	15.2	39.7		34.2			1.8	1.3
Total W. Central & S. W. Districts	50.2	14.6	41.6	25.2	38.8	18.1	20.5	2.28	1.28
Alamosa			29.3		26.6			1.6	.8
Conejos			35.0		33.4			1.5	.9
Costilla			30.9		29.8			1.6	.9
Mineral								1.2	1.0
Rio Grande			36.0		33.1			1.5	1.0
Saguache			30.2		28.6			1.4	.7
Total South Central District			32.6		31.0			1.49	.83
Baca	35.4	12.1	32.5		26.1	13.6	11.2	1.6	.9
Bent	40.0	10.8	35.0	14.2	27.3	10.8	20.6	2.0	1.0
Crowley	37.9	10.2	29.4		24.4		16.2	2.2	.9
Custer	44.1	12.6	27.9	17.9	26.0	14.5	13.6	1.8	1.0
Fremont	45.8	12.5	30.2	17.8	28.3	15.1	13.6	2.2	1.0
Huerfano	39.7	9.7	30.7	15.2	29.1	14.8	9.1	1.4	1.1
Las Animas	35.0	8.7	28.4	14.6	25.4	11.8	9.3	1.5	.9
Otero	48.2	8.6	37.6		30.7	10.4	24.6	2.5	.8
Prowers	40.3	11.8	31.9	14.7	24.0	13.4	21.1	2.5	1.1
Pueblo	47.9	10.8	40.5	16.3	35.3	13.3	11.0	2.4	1.0
Total Southeast District	43.6	10.9	33.1	16.4	28.4	13.5	15.3	2.22	.99
State Total	51.0	11.8	37.9	19.9	35.5	14.9	12.2	2.21	.95

10 YEAR (1947-1956) AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE HARVESTED (PRINCIPAL CROPS)

County	WINTER WHEAT		SPRING WHEAT		POTA-TOES	DRY BEANS		SUGAR BEETS
	Irrig-ated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrig-ated (Bu.)	Non-Irrig. (Bu.)	Irrig-ated (Cwt.)	Irrig-ated (Lbs.)	Non-Irrig. (Lbs.)	Irrig-ated (Tons)
Chaffee	24.2		23.9		115			
Clear Creek								
Eagle	27.4		38.0	19.5	178			
Gilpin								
Grand	25.1	15.6	32.4	14.7	85			
Gunnison			31.1		85			
Jackson		14.6	32.0					
Lake								
Moffat	25.2	17.9	33.3	15.0	76			
Park				16.4				
Pitkin			37.0	17.1	167			
Rio Blanco	25.9	19.1	35.8	17.7	109			
Routt	24.4	21.2	33.9	17.9	102			
Summit								
Teller				16.4				
Total Northwest District	25.0	19.1	34.8	16.6	158			
Boulder	25.2	18.3	26.1	12.1		1,366	383	15.0
Jefferson	26.2	19.9	26.6	12.0				10.4
Larimer	28.0	16.4	28.9	11.6	187	1,485	425	14.6
Logan	24.5	18.0	24.4	9.5	157	1,212	372	13.7
Morgan	31.5	13.7	25.6	8.0	210	1,515	387	16.0
Sedgwick	27.4	21.6	26.8	10.4	187	1,435	427	15.7
Weld	26.5	16.2	27.8	9.8	203	1,675	401	16.7
Total N. Central & N.E. Districts	27.7	17.9	27.5	9.8	202	1,606	395	16.0
Adams	27.5	17.1	27.3	9.9	173	1,015	304	15.3
Arapahoe	27.9	15.4	27.0	9.1		905	234	11.8
Cheyenne		10.7						
Denver		17.3		10.1				
Douglas		12.5		7.4			231	
Elbert		12.5		6.5		980	227	
El Paso		10.5						
Kiowa	20.0	11.9		7.4				
Kit Carson		12.2				833	240	
Lincoln		21.0		9.6				
Phillips		15.4	23.5	8.4	158	1,253	292	15.2
Washington	30.0	16.5	26.0	8.6	130			
Yuma								
Total East Central District	27.9	14.8	27.0	8.4	162	1,117	232	15.1
Archuleta	27.6	15.5	28.1	13.1	121			
Delta	30.6	13.6	31.5		154	1,355	352	14.3
Dolores		13.1		10.1			381	
Garfield	28.3	14.7	33.7	15.2	166			13.4
Hinsdale								
La Plata	25.8	13.7	27.2	13.3	137	893	335	
Mesa	32.2	12.2	29.4	12.5	158	1,346	346	16.6
Montezuma	25.1	13.7	24.9	13.2	146	968	396	
Montrose	29.8	14.4	34.6	13.3	191	1,425	323	14.1
Ouray	27.0	14.6	30.7	13.0	108			
San Juan								
San Miguel	28.4	13.6	27.4	11.4	118	1,058	313	
Total W. Central & S. W. Districts	27.4	13.6	31.5	13.2	171	1,260	382	15.3
Alamosa			23.8		180			7.6
Conejos			24.6		200	840		6.3
Costilla			21.2		186	688		
Mineral								
Rio Grande			27.2		198			6.2
Saguache			23.4		164			6.2
Total South Central District			25.0		189	736		6.6
Baca	21.8	10.7		7.0			220	
Bent	25.3	10.0	24.4	7.1	129	734	225	13.8
Crowley	25.7	10.1	22.9			679	231	10.6
Custer	22.1	13.4	20.0	9.3				
Fremont	24.2	12.6	21.6			637		
Huerfano	22.8	11.7	19.9	7.9		755	208	
Las Animas	23.9	8.8	19.7	7.9		613	216	10.8
Otero	29.9	8.8	26.3		180	981	214	13.7
Prowers	24.1	10.7	23.6	7.8	155	776	238	11.7
Pueblo	28.0	11.9	25.1	8.2		1,005	232	13.7
Total Southeast District	25.5	10.7	22.7	7.5	161	909	228	12.8
State Total	27.0	15.2	28.4	12.4	191	1,465	332	15.5

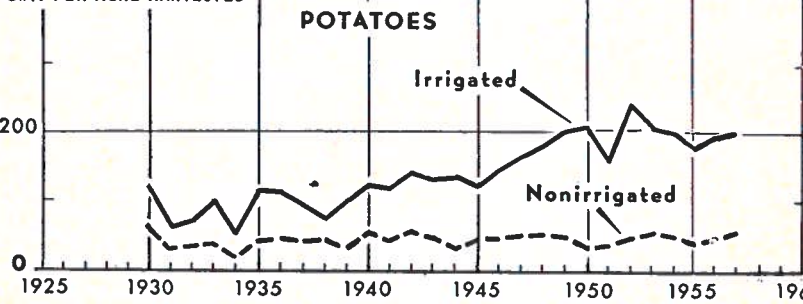
YIELD TRENDS OF GRAINS (IRRIGATED) AND POTATOES, COLORADO

BU. PER ACRE HARVESTED



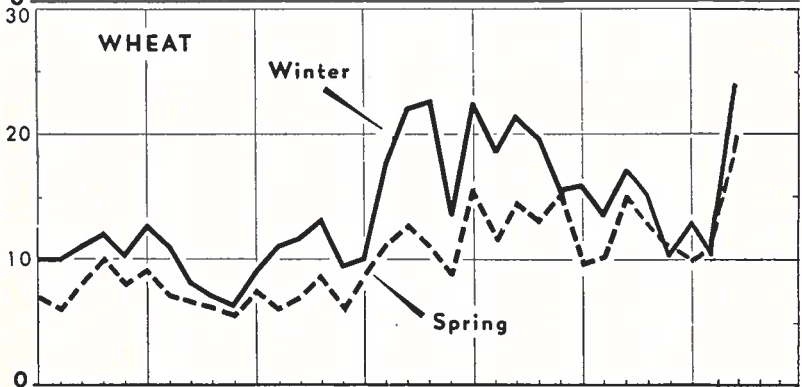
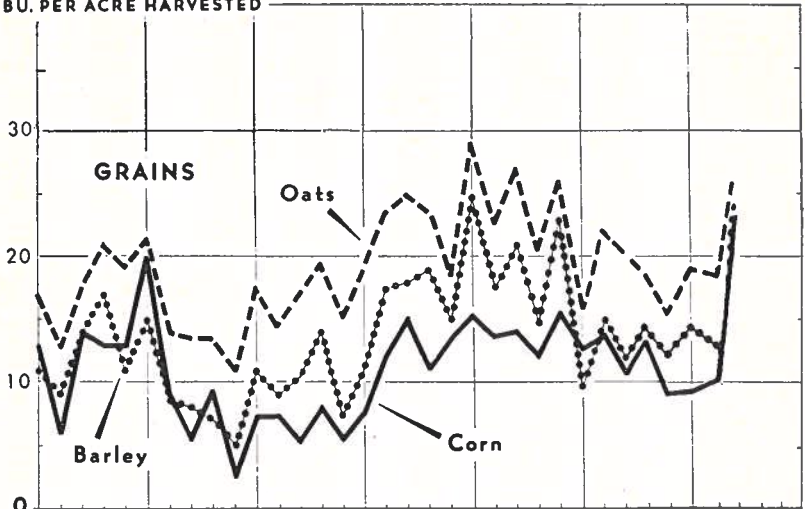
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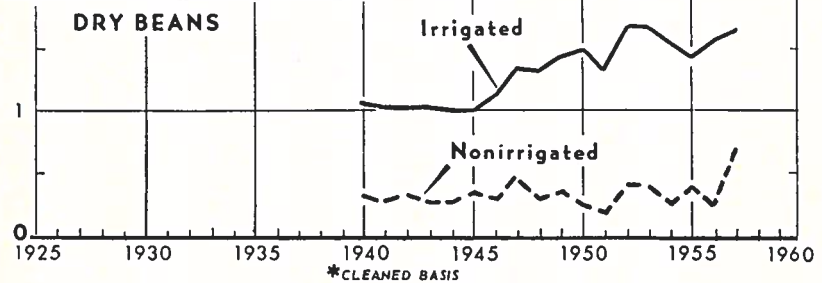


YIELD TRENDS OF GRAINS (NONIRRIGATED) AND DRY BEANS, COLORADO

BU. PER ACRE HARVESTED



THOUS. LBS. PER ACRE HARVESTED*



*CLEANED BASIS

IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1941-1957

Year	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
CORN								
941	171,000	32.9	5,626,000	780,000	12.1	9,438,000	951,000	15,064,000
942	162,000	37.0	5,994,000	818,000	15.0	12,270,000	980,000	18,264,000
943	190,000	38.0	7,220,000	712,000	11.0	7,832,000	902,000	15,052,000
944	190,000	38.5	7,315,000	694,000	13.3	9,230,000	884,000	16,545,000
945	160,000	40.4	6,464,000	556,000	15.3	8,507,000	716,000	14,971,000
946	160,000	41.0	6,560,000	413,000	13.5	5,576,000	573,000	12,136,000
947	149,000	46.0	6,854,000	373,000	14.0	5,222,000	522,000	12,076,000
948	175,000	49.0	8,575,000	347,000	12.0	4,164,000	522,000	12,739,000
949	200,000	49.5	9,900,000	426,000	15.5	6,603,000	626,000	16,503,000
950	185,000	47.1	8,714,000	372,000	12.5	4,650,000	557,000	13,364,000
951	190,000	50.0	9,500,000	367,000	13.5	4,954,000	557,000	14,454,000
952	198,000	51.5	10,197,000	253,000	10.5	2,656,000	451,000	12,853,000
953	180,000	54.5	9,810,000	221,000	13.5	2,984,000	401,000	12,794,000
954	198,000	49.5	9,801,000	207,000	9.0	1,863,000	405,000	11,664,000
955	278,000	54.9	15,263,000	196,000	9.2	1,801,000	474,000	17,064,000
956	278,000	58.0	16,105,000	130,000	9.5	1,235,000	408,000	17,340,000
957 ¹	330,000	65.0	21,441,000	156,000	23.0	3,588,000	486,000	25,029,000
WINTER WHEAT								
941	111,000	28.5	3,164,000	1,053,000	17.5	18,428,000	1,164,000	21,592,000
942	95,000	29.0	2,755,000	1,011,000	22.0	22,242,000	1,106,000	24,997,000
943	80,000	29.0	2,320,000	1,203,000	22.5	27,066,000	1,283,000	29,388,000
944	70,000	25.0	1,750,000	1,046,000	13.4	14,016,000	1,116,000	15,766,000
945	65,000	28.0	1,820,000	1,362,000	22.2	30,236,000	1,427,000	32,056,000
946	90,000	26.0	2,340,000	1,794,000	18.6	33,368,000	1,884,000	35,708,000
947	90,000	29.0	2,610,000	2,529,000	21.2	53,615,000	2,619,000	56,225,000
948	90,000	31.5	2,835,000	2,669,000	19.6	52,312,000	2,759,000	55,147,000
949	85,000	28.5	2,422,000	2,564,000	15.5	39,742,000	2,649,000	42,164,000
950	63,000	25.0	1,575,000	2,136,000	15.7	33,535,000	2,199,000	35,110,000
951	58,000	24.0	1,392,000	2,493,000	13.8	34,403,000	2,551,000	35,795,000
952	68,000	30.0	2,040,000	3,172,000	17.2	54,558,000	3,240,000	56,598,000
953	50,000	29.0	1,450,000	2,672,000	15.2	40,614,000	2,722,000	42,064,000
954	34,000	21.0	714,000	1,654,000	10.3	17,010,000	1,688,000	17,724,000
955	37,000	25.5	944,000	1,212,000	13.1	15,918,000	1,249,000	16,862,000
956	44,000	27.0	1,188,000	1,492,000	10.5	15,708,000	1,536,000	16,896,000
957 ¹	51,000	36.0	1,836,000	1,285,000	24.0	30,896,000	1,336,000	32,732,000
SPRING WHEAT								
941	68,000	27.7	1,884,000	136,000	11.0	1,496,000	204,000	3,380,000
942	57,000	26.0	1,482,000	74,000	12.5	925,000	131,000	2,407,000
943	56,000	26.0	1,456,000	71,000	11.0	781,000	127,000	2,237,000
944	49,000	24.5	1,200,000	91,000	8.7	792,000	140,000	1,992,000
945	48,000	27.5	1,320,000	85,000	15.5	1,318,000	133,000	2,638,000
946	52,000	23.5	1,222,000	68,000	11.5	782,000	120,000	2,004,000
947	51,000	29.0	1,479,000	68,000	14.5	986,000	119,000	2,465,000
948	55,000	29.0	1,595,000	47,000	13.0	611,000	102,000	2,206,000
949	49,000	32.5	1,592,000	140,000	15.0	2,100,000	189,000	3,692,000
950	38,000	25.0	950,000	77,000	9.5	732,000	115,000	1,682,000
951	40,000	23.5	940,000	69,000	10.0	680,000	108,000	1,620,000
952	30,000	31.0	930,000	35,000	15.0	525,000	65,000	1,455,000
953	30,000	30.0	900,000	61,000	13.0	793,000	91,000	1,693,000
954	20,000	26.0	520,000	32,000	11.4	364,000	52,000	884,000
955	19,000	28.4	539,000	31,000	10.0	311,000	50,000	850,000
956	17,000	27.5	468,000	25,000	11.5	288,000	42,000	756,000
957 ¹	16,000	35.0	560,000	28,000	20.1	562,000	44,000	1,122,000
OATS ²								
941	100,000	40.5	4,050,000	77,000	23.5	1,809,000	177,000	5,859,000
942	94,000	37.0	3,478,000	87,000	25.0	2,175,000	181,000	5,653,000
943	94,000	38.5	3,619,000	94,000	23.5	2,209,000	188,000	5,828,000
944	100,000	39.5	3,950,000	124,000	18.5	2,294,000	224,000	6,244,000
945	90,000	39.5	3,555,000	130,000	29.0	3,770,000	220,000	7,325,000
946	85,000	38.7	3,290,000	102,000	22.7	2,315,000	187,000	5,605,000
947	88,000	40.0	3,520,000	112,000	27.0	3,024,000	200,000	6,544,000
948	95,000	40.0	3,800,000	99,000	20.5	2,030,000	194,000	5,830,000
949	100,000	41.5	4,150,000	117,000	26.5	3,100,000	217,000	7,250,000
950	95,000	36.0	3,420,000	74,000	16.5	1,221,000	169,000	4,641,000
951	87,000	37.0	3,219,000	68,000	22.0	1,496,000	155,000	4,715,000
952	109,000	38.5	4,196,000	66,000	20.0	1,320,000	175,000	5,516,000
953	96,000	40.0	3,840,000	63,000	18.5	1,166,000	159,000	5,006,000
954	72,000	34.0	2,448,000	54,000	15.5	837,000	126,000	3,285,000
955	79,000	38.0	3,001,000	47,000	19.3	905,000	126,000	3,906,000
956	81,000	36.3	2,941,000	30,000	18.5	555,000	111,000	3,496,000
957 ¹	96,000	42.9	4,120,000	75,000	26.0	1,950,000	171,000	6,070,000

¹Preliminary.²Beginning in 1949, excludes oats cut ripe and fed unthreshed.

IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED—ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION, 1941-1957

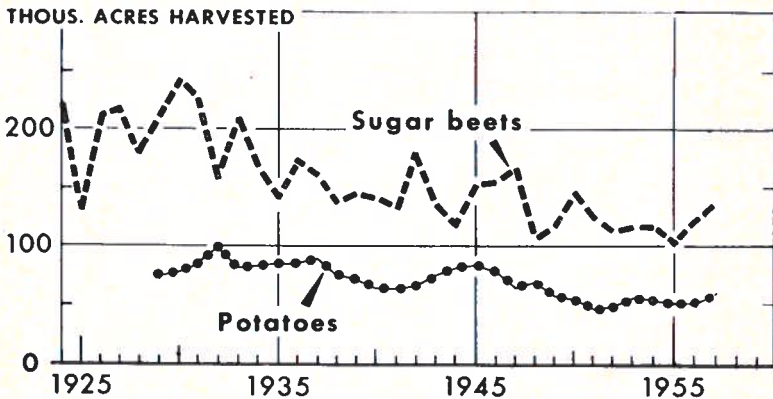
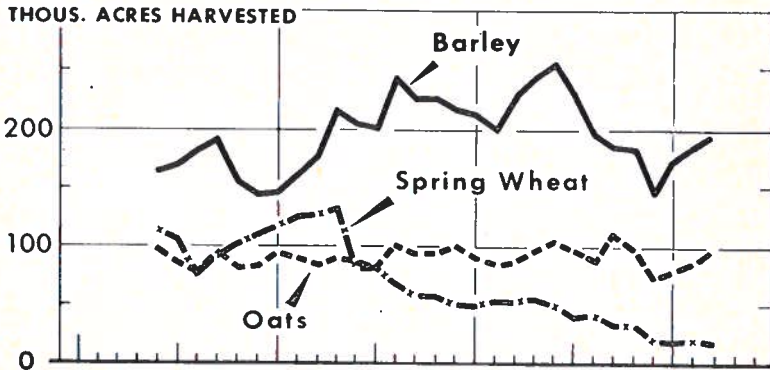
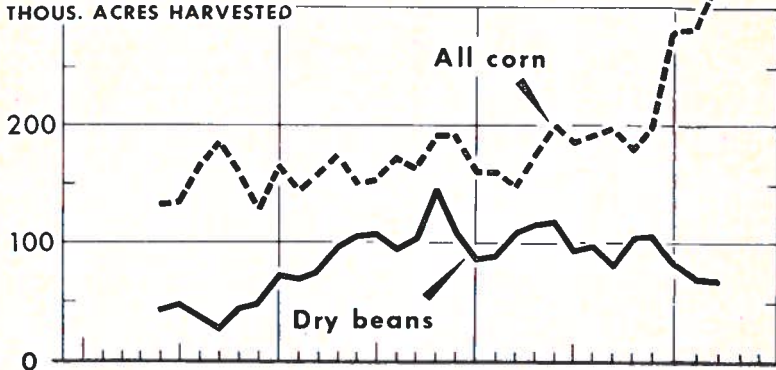
Year	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Bushels Per Acre	Production Bushels	Acres Harvested	Production Bushels
BARLEY								
1941	243,000	38.5	9,355,000	417,000	17.5	7,297,000	660,000	16,652,000
1942	225,000	34.5	7,762,000	448,000	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	145,000	29.0	4,205,000	237,000	12.0	2,844,000	382,000	7,049,000
1955	175,000	36.0	6,293,000	138,000	14.5	2,001,000	313,000	8,294,000
1956	187,000	33.8	6,325,000	132,000	12.5	1,650,000	319,000	7,975,000
1957 ¹	196,000	43.5	8,526,000	401,000	24.1	9,682,000	597,000	18,208,000

Year	IRRIGATED			NON-IRRIGATED			Total	
	Acres Harvested	Cwt. Per Acre	Production Cwt.	Acres Harvested	Cwt. Per Acre	Production Cwt.	Acres Harvested	Production Cwt.
POTATOES								
1941	63,000	116	7,308,000	4,000	42	168,000	67,000	7,476,000
1942	67,000	140	9,380,000	5,000	57	285,000	72,000	9,665,000
1943	77,000	131	10,087,000	7,000	48	336,000	84,000	10,423,000
1944	81,000	133	10,773,000	4,000	30	120,000	85,000	10,893,000
1945	84,000	121	10,164,000	5,000	48	240,000	89,000	10,404,000
1946	79,000	146	11,534,000	4,000	48	192,000	83,000	11,726,000
1947	63,000	164	10,332,000	3,000	51	153,000	66,000	10,485,000
1948	70,000	178	12,460,000	2,000	54	108,000	72,000	12,568,000
1949	57,000	199	11,343,000	2,000	50	100,000	59,000	11,443,000
1950	54,000	201	10,854,000	2,000	33	66,000	56,000	10,920,000
1951	47,000	155	7,285,000	1,000	36	36,000	48,000	7,321,000
1952	49,000	235	11,515,000	1,000	48	48,000	50,000	11,563,000
1953	56,000	204	11,424,000	1,000	54	54,000	57,000	11,478,000
1954	53,200	199	10,587,000	800	50	40,000	54,000	10,627,000
1955	51,300	177	9,088,000	800	40	32,000	52,100	9,120,000
1956	52,200	195	10,161,000	800	45	36,000	53,000	10,197,000
1957 ¹	55,200	196	10,817,000	800	54	43,000	56,000	10,860,000

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
DRY BEANS (Cleaned)								
1941	94,000	1,023	962,000	185,000	286	529,000	279,000	1,491,000
1942	102,000	1,022	1,042,000	205,000	322	660,000	307,000	1,702,000
1943	146,000	1,025	1,496,000	314,000	293	921,000	460,000	2,417,000
1944	108,000	990	1,069,000	219,000	270	591,000	327,000	1,660,000
1945	86,000	992	853,000	185,000	346	640,000	271,000	1,493,000
1946	89,000	1,111	989,000	160,000	287	459,000	249,000	1,448,000
1947	107,000	1,332	1,423,000	214,000	455	973,000	321,000	2,396,000
1948	114,000	1,306	1,489,000	210,000	313	657,000	324,000	2,146,000
1949	118,000	1,408	1,662,000	177,000	346	612,000	295,000	2,274,000
1950	91,000	1,474	1,341,000	148,000	270	400,000	239,000	1,741,000
1951	96,000	1,316	1,263,000	107,000	193	206,000	203,000	1,469,000
1952	80,000	1,692	1,354,000	95,000	414	393,000	175,000	1,747,000
1953	102,000	1,661	1,694,000	122,000	408	498,000	224,000	2,192,000
1954	104,000	1,517	1,578,000	140,000	273	382,000	244,000	1,960,000
1955	83,000	1,420	1,179,000	117,000	395	462,000	200,000	1,641,000
1956	73,000	1,516	1,107,000	131,000	230	301,000	204,000	1,408,000
1957 ¹	70,000	1,650	1,155,000	103,000	777	800,000	173,000	1,955,000

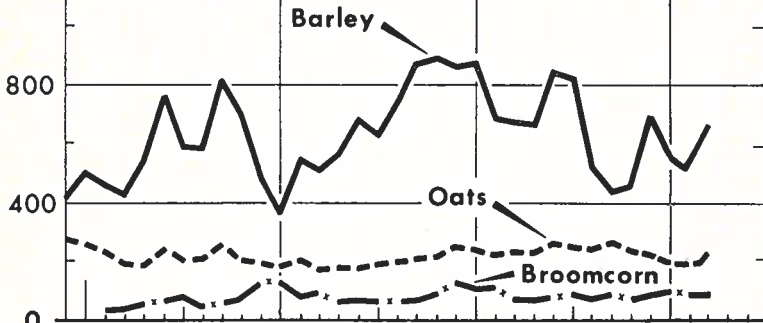
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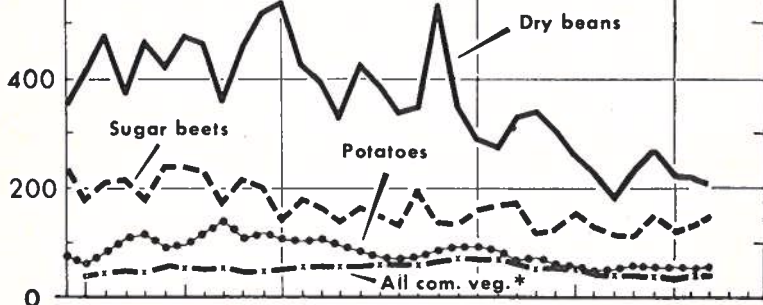


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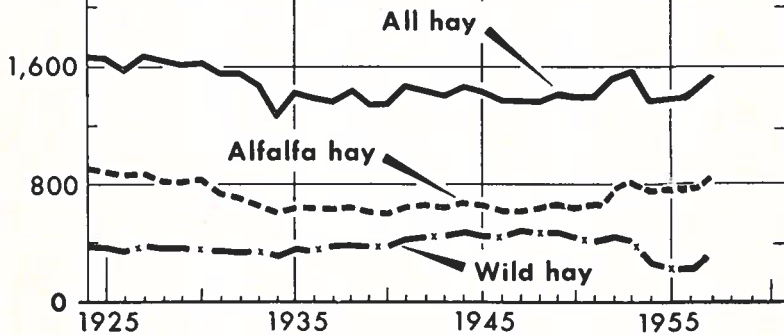
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AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

PLANTED AND HARVESTED ACREAGES OF PRINCIPAL CROPS, 1947-1957

Year	All Corn	Oats ¹	Barley	All Wheat ²	Rye	All Sorghums	Dry Beans	Potatoes	Sugar Beets	Broom Corn	All Hay ³	Commercial Truck Crops		Total Principal Crops
												Processing ³	Market ³	
PLANTED ACREAGE														
THOUSAND ACRES (000 OMITTED)														
1947	546	234	669	2,903	78	490	331	67	176.0	73	1,356	13	46	6,982
1948	541	229	662	3,186	58	500	341	73	123.0	71	1,351	12	44	7,191
1949	649	261	847	3,552	38	645	307	60	126.0	84	1,419	13	43	8,044
1950	597	248	822	3,226	51	645	261	57	154.0	93	1,398	12	38	7,602
1951	591	246	518	3,953	59	819	230	50	132.4	79	1,394	13	31	8,115
1952	485	263	435	3,989	55	639	184	51	117.8	91	1,529	12	26	7,877
1953	422	237	457	4,003	58	799	234	58	121.3	78	1,565	12	26	8,070
1954	498	225	699	3,204	122	1,159	271	56	151.4	88	1,349	8	24	7,854
1955	528	194	552	3,266	112	1,808	220	56	123.2	101	1,368	9	26	8,363
1956	438	196	530	3,139	88	1,229	218	55	131.3	91	1,370	10	28	7,523
1957	499	223	673	2,054	89	1,413	209	57	139.9	93	1,542	9	29	7,030
HARVESTED ACREAGE														
Thousand Acres (000 omitted)														
1947	522	200	605	2,738	47	470	321	66	168.0	69	1,356	13	46	6,621
1948	522	194	563	2,861	35	479	324	72	103.0	67	1,351	12	44	6,627
1949	626	217	788	2,838	23	618	295	59	117.0	82	1,419	13	43	7,138
1950	557	169	489	2,314	28	457	239	56	146.0	76	1,398	12	38	5,979
1951	557	155	406	2,659	27	704	203	48	124.3	74	1,394	13	31	6,395
1952	451	175	325	3,305	28	429	175	50	112.9	58	1,529	12	26	6,676
1953	401	159	344	2,813	23	601	224	57	115.5	62	1,565	12	26	6,403
1954	405	126	382	1,740	46	823	244	54	115.1	66	1,349	8	24	5,382
1955	474	126	313	1,299	28	1,270	200	52	102.0	81	1,368	9	26	5,348
1956	408	111	319	1,578	28	650	204	53	120.7	62	1,370	10	28	4,952
1957	486	171	597	1,380	34	1,221	173	56	136.5	80	1,542	9	29	5,914

¹Harvested acreage of oats includes acreage cut ripe and fed unthreshed prior to 1949. Beginning in 1949 estimates include only acreage threshed or combined.

²Planted for harvest in year shown. Winter wheat sown fall of preceding year.

³Only harvested acreage estimates are made for these crops.

ALL WHEAT—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1947-1957

Year	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
	Planted ¹ 1,000 Acres	Harvested 1,000 Acres	Planted Bushels	Harvested Bushels			
COLORADO ²							
1947	2,903	2,738	20.3	21.5	58,866	2.23	131,220
1948	3,186	2,861	18.0	20.1	57,373	1.90	108,943
1949	3,552	2,838	13.0	16.3	46,164	1.87	86,100
1950	3,226	2,314	11.4	16.0	36,909	2.00	73,732
1951	3,953	2,659	9.4	14.0	37,334	2.11	78,710
1952	3,989	3,305	14.5	17.6	58,162	2.05	119,159
1953	4,003	2,813	11.0	15.6	43,875	2.04	89,371
1954	3,204	1,740	5.8	10.7	18,608	2.14	39,884
1955	3,266	1,299	5.4	13.6	17,712	1.95	34,505
1956	3,139	1,578	5.6	11.2	17,652	1.90	33,478
1957	2,054	1,380	16.5	24.5	33,854	1.85	62,574
UNITED STATES ²							
1947	78,314	74,519	17.4	18.2	1,358,911	2.29	3,109,445
1948	78,345	72,418	16.5	17.9	1,294,911	1.98	2,577,191
1949	83,905	75,910	13.1	14.5	1,098,415	1.88	2,061,897
1950	71,287	61,607	14.3	16.5	1,019,344	2.00	2,042,296
1951	78,524	61,873	12.6	16.0	988,161	2.11	2,088,739
1952	78,645	71,130	16.6	18.4	1,306,440	2.09	2,729,402
1953	78,931	67,840	14.9	17.3	1,173,071	2.04	2,390,936
1954	62,539	54,356	15.7	18.1	983,900	2.12	2,082,485
1955	58,241	47,285	16.0	19.8	934,731	1.98	1,854,189
1956	60,658	49,784	16.6	20.2	1,004,272	1.97	1,974,174
1957	49,919	43,664	19.0	21.7	947,102	1.94	1,839,440

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

²Revised 1949-54.

**CORN, OATS, BARLEY, WINTER WHEAT, SPRING WHEAT, AND RYE
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE 1948-1957**

Year	COLORADO							UNITED STATES		
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acreage Planted 1,000 Dollars	Yield Per Harv. Acres Bushels	Production 1,000 Bushels
	Planted 1,000 Acres	Harvested 1,000 Acres	Planted Bushels	Harv. Bushels						
CORN										
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	86,738	37.8	3,237,749
1950	597	557	22.4	24.0	13,368	1.60	21,389	82,859	37.6	3,074,914
1951	591	557	24.5	26.0	14,482	1.84	26,617	83,275	36.2	2,925,758
1952	485	451	26.5	28.5	12,854	1.63	20,952	82,230	40.7	3,291,994
1953	422	401	30.4	32.0	12,832	1.56	20,018	81,574	39.9	3,209,896
1954	498	405	23.6	29.0	11,745	1.58	18,374	82,185	38.1	3,057,891
1955	528	474	32.3	36.0	17,064	1.42	24,231	81,097	40.6	3,229,743
1956	438	408	39.6	42.5	17,340	1.43	24,796	76,219	45.7	3,455,283
1957	499	486	50.2	51.5	25,029	1.25	31,286	73,985	46.8	3,402,832
OATS										
1948	229	194	25.4	30.0	5,820	.76	4,423	43,838	36.9	1,450,186
1949	261	217	27.9	33.5	7,270	.70	5,089	43,132	32.3	1,220,118
1950	248	169	18.7	27.5	4,648	.91	4,230	45,044	34.8	1,369,199
1951	246	155	19.2	30.5	4,728	.99	4,681	41,015	36.3	1,277,647
1952	263	175	21.0	31.5	5,512	.93	5,126	42,341	32.9	1,217,433
1953	237	159	21.1	31.5	5,008	.82	4,107	43,220	30.7	1,153,205
1954	225	126	14.6	26.0	3,276	.90	2,948	46,898	34.8	1,409,601
1955	194	126	20.1	31.0	3,906	.75	2,930	47,523	38.3	1,503,074
1956	196	111	17.8	31.5	3,496	.80	2,797	44,691	34.5	1,163,160
1957	223	171	27.2	35.5	6,070	.68	4,128	43,020	37.4	1,308,360
BARLEY										
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	13,010	27.2	303,772
1951	518	406	18.4	23.5	9,541	1.29	12,308	10,790	27.3	257,213
1952	435	325	19.8	26.5	8,612	1.34	11,540	9,190	27.7	228,168
1953	457	344	20.3	27.0	9,288	1.12	10,403	9,615	28.4	246,723
1954	699	382	10.1	18.5	7,067	1.20	8,480	14,740	28.4	379,254
1955	552	313	15.0	26.5	8,294	1.02	8,460	16,335	27.5	401,225
1956	530	319	15.0	25.0	7,975	1.07	8,533	14,835	29.1	376,873
1957	673	597	27.1	30.5	18,208	.76	13,838	16,537	29.0	435,695
WINTER WHEAT¹										
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	740,637
1951	3,825	2,531	9.3	14.0	35,714	2.11	75,357	56,145	16.2	650,822
1952	3,902	3,240	14.5	17.5	56,700	2.05	116,235	56,997	20.9	1,065,220
1953	3,902	2,722	10.8	15.5	42,191	2.04	88,070	57,067	18.9	885,032
1954	3,122	1,688	5.7	10.5	17,724	2.15	38,107	46,617	20.4	801,369
1955	3,184	1,249	5.3	13.5	16,862	1.95	32,881	44,290	20.9	704,793
1956	3,088	1,536	5.5	11.0	18,896	1.90	32,102	44,427	20.8	740,928
1957	2,007	1,336	16.3	24.5	32,732	1.85	60,554	37,535	22.4	707,201
SPRING WHEAT²										
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	15,970	15.6	241,495
1951	128	108	12.7	15.0	1,620	2.07	3,353	19,793	15.7	302,577
1952	87	65	16.8	22.5	1,462	2.00	2,924	19,302	12.1	218,727
1953	101	91	16.7	18.5	1,684	1.96	3,301	19,741	14.4	275,072
1954	82	52	10.5	17.0	884	2.01	1,777	14,285	12.8	177,549
1955	82	50	10.4	17.0	850	1.91	1,624	12,566	17.2	210,358
1956	51	42	14.8	18.0	756	1.82	1,376	16,231	18.9	224,841
1957	47	44	23.9	25.5	1,122	1.80	2,020	12,384	20.5	200,221
RYE¹										
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	3,664	12.2	21,403
1951	59	27	3.7	8.0	216	1.52	328	3,616	12.5	21,517
1952	55	28	4.1	8.0	224	1.59	356	3,186	11.6	16,146
1953	58	23	3.2	8.0	184	1.12	206	3,456	13.2	18,894
1954	122	46	2.3	6.0	276	1.13	312	4,178	14.4	25,935
1955	112	28	1.8	7.0	196	1.01	198	5,125	14.2	29,055
1956	88	28	2.2	7.0	196	1.09	214	4,527	13.0	21,155
1957	89	34	5.0	13.0	442	.90	398	4,426	15.9	26,528

¹Acreage planted fall of preceding year.²United States figures exclude Durum wheat.

CORN—UTILIZATION FOR GRAIN, SILAGE, HOGGING DOWN, GRAZING AND FORAGE, 1946-1957

Year	FOR GRAIN			FOR SILAGE			Hogging Down, Grazing and Forage Acreage 1,000 Acres
	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Bushels	Production 1,000 Bushels	Acres Harvested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production 1,000 Tons	
COLORADO							
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.....	219	27.0	5,913	141	9.2	1,297	45
1955.....	237	32.0	7,584	166	9.5	1,577	71
1956.....	204	42.0	8,568	171	10.5	1,796	33
1957.....	271	50.0	13,550	178	13.5	2,403	37

UNITED STATES

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.....	77,106	38.2	2,946,206	4,513	8.95	40,386	3,976
1950.....	72,398	38.2	2,764,071	4,937	8.31	41,002	4,483
1951.....	71,191	36.9	2,628,937	4,809	8.19	38,949	4,729
1952.....	71,353	41.8	2,980,793	5,361	8.05	43,174	4,226
1953.....	70,738	40.7	2,881,801	6,102	7.84	47,855	3,619
1954.....	68,668	39.4	2,707,913	7,114	7.39	52,559	4,404
1955.....	68,670	42.0	2,883,682	6,970	7.61	53,024	3,890
1956.....	65,333	47.3	3,090,016	6,538	8.30	54,292	3,763
1957.....	64,031	47.8	3,060,485	6,092	8.76	53,391	2,533

CORN ACREAGE PLANTED WITH HYBRID SEED, 1940-1957

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES		
	All Corn Acreage Planted	Percentage Planted With Hybrid Seed	Indicated Hybrid Corn Acreage	All Corn Acreage Planted	Percentage Planted With Hybrid Seed	Indicated Hybrid Corn Acreage
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	64.7	57,778,000
1946.....	600,000	30.0	180,000	88,898,000	68.9	61,271,000
1947.....	546,000	34.0	186,000	85,038,000	72.5	61,676,000
1948.....	541,000	53.0	287,000	85,522,000	76.0	64,990,000
1949.....	649,000	64.0	415,000	86,738,000	78.3	67,901,000
1950.....	597,000	52.0	310,000	82,859,000	78.0	64,613,000
1951.....	591,000	45.0	266,000	83,275,000	81.5	67,889,000
1952.....	485,000	58.5	284,000	82,230,000	84.6	69,528,000
1953.....	422,000	74.5	314,000	81,574,000	86.5	70,546,000
1954.....	498,000	71.5	356,000	82,185,000	87.3	71,788,000
1955.....	528,000	73.0	385,000	81,097,000	89.4	72,466,000
1956.....	438,000	73.5	322,000	78,219,000	91.1	71,220,000
1957.....	499,000	75.5	377,000	73,985,000	92.5	68,400,000

SORGHUMS—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1948-1957

Year	COLORADO						UNITED STATES		
	Acreage Planted (All Uses)	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre Harvested	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre Harvested	Production
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres ¹	Bushels	1,000 Bushels	Dollars	Dollars	1,000 Acres	Bushels	1,000 Bushels
ALL SORGHUMS FOR GRAIN									
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	6,602	22.5	148,494
1950	645	103	12.0	1,236	1.20	1,483	10,346	22.6	233,536
1951	819	278	12.0	3,336	1.38	4,604	8,544	19.1	162,863
1952	639	129	8.0	1,032	1.47	1,517	5,326	17.0	90,741
1953	799	216	10.5	2,268	1.27	2,880	6,295	18.4	115,719
1954	1,159	396	10.5	4,158	1.23	5,114	11,702	20.1	235,295
1955	1,808	660	7.5	4,950	1.06	5,247	12,866	18.9	242,526
1956	1,229	205	12.5	2,562	1.26	3,228	9,342	22.1	206,205
1957	1,413	669	19.0	12,711	.85	10,804	19,475	28.9	561,977

Year	ALL SORGHUMS FOR FORAGE (EXCLUDES SILAGE)							
	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons	Per Ton Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons
1948	280	1.05	294	14.10	4,145	4,680	1.42	6,659
1949	301	1.07	322	11.50	3,703	3,621	1.56	5,632
1950	350	1.00	350	15.00	5,250	4,304	1.53	6,567
1951	415	.95	394	18.00	7,092	4,550	1.33	6,072
1952	287	.85	244	25.50	6,222	4,578	.89	4,069
1953	365	.95	347	14.00	4,858	4,814	1.15	5,535
1954	393	.70	275	17.00	4,675	5,072	1.03	5,203
1955	578	.70	405	14.00	5,670	6,254	1.10	6,877
1956	435	.60	261	18.50	4,828	6,349	.73	4,613
1957	488	1.40	683	10.00	6,830	4,380	1.70	7,458

¹Acreage harvested for grain.

HAY—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1950-1957

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								
1950	1,398	1.47	2,053	27.30	56,047	75,150	1.38	103,820
1951	1,394	1.51	2,111	32.60	68,819	75,063	1.46	109,502
1952	1,529	1.70	2,594	30.20	78,339	75,147	1.42	106,386
1953	1,565	1.68	2,631	20.90	54,988	74,997	1.44	108,245
1954	1,349	1.55	2,087	26.30	54,888	73,721	1.46	107,834
1955	1,368	1.70	2,322	22.40	52,013	75,360	1.50	112,737
1956	1,370	1.68	2,303	25.20	58,036	73,302	1.48	108,680
1957	1,542	1.90	2,935	19.00	55,765	73,776	1.65	121,402
ALFALFA HAY								
1950	640	2.05	1,312	19.30 ¹	25,322	19,901	2.14	42,673
1951	659	2.15	1,417	22.70 ¹	32,166	21,094	2.22	46,844
1952	758	2.35	1,781	29.80	53,074	21,569	2.20	47,348
1953	811	2.25	1,825	20.20	36,865	23,337	2.17	50,673
1954	754	2.05	1,546	26.00	40,196	26,576	2.12	56,364
1955	769	2.20	1,692	21.80	36,886	28,460	2.08	59,251
1956	784	2.15	1,686	25.40	42,824	29,508	2.08	61,414
1957	847	2.40	2,033	17.80	36,187	30,487	2.27	69,092
WILD HAY								
1950	427	.80	384	19.30 ¹	9,411	14,809	.80	11,903
1951	406	.80	325	22.70 ¹	7,378	14,138	.84	11,919
1952	438	.95	416	32.00	13,312	14,139	.75	10,558
1953	412	1.00	412	22.70	9,352	14,327	.81	11,621
1954	252	.75	189	29.30	5,538	12,880	.77	9,935
1955	232	.90	209	25.50	5,330	12,154	.75	9,062
1956	241	.95	229	26.20	6,000	11,843	.73	8,614
1957	299	1.15	344	19.00	6,536	12,358	.92	11,313

¹Price of hay sold loose. All other prices baled hay basis.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

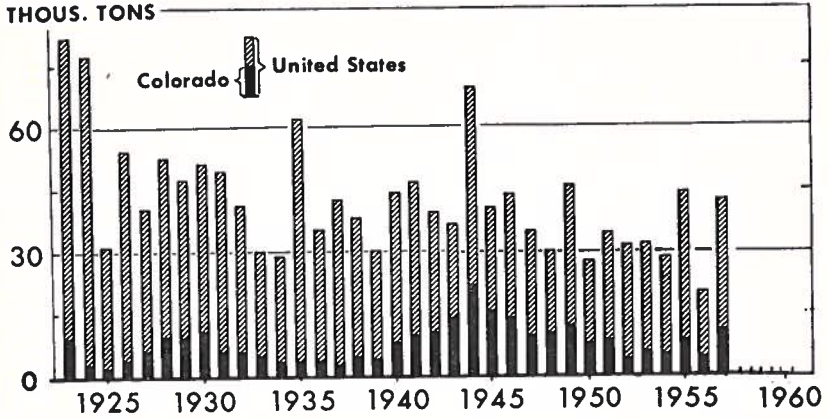
POTATOES, SUGAR BEETS, BROOMCORN, DRY BEANS AND FIELD PEAS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1948-1957

Year	COLORADO							UNITED STATES		
	Acreage		Yield Per Acre		Production	Price Per Cwt.	Value	Acreage Planted	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production
	Planted	Harvested	Planted	Harvested						
	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Cwt.	Cwt.						
POTATOES										
1948.....	73	72	172	174	12,528	2.65	33,199	2,007	134	269,937
1949.....	60	59	190	194	11,420	2.29	26,160	1,775	137	240,950
1950.....	57	56	191	195	10,909	1.73	18,819	1,713	153	259,112
1951.....	50	48	147	153	7,347	3.05	22,386	1,373	145	195,776
1952.....	51	50	226	231	11,530	2.81	32,380	1,417	151	211,095
1953.....	58	57	198	201	11,481	1.20	13,799	1,563	151	231,679
1954.....	56	54	190	197	10,620	2.02	21,498	1,431	155	219,547
1955.....	56	52	163	175	9,120	1.71	15,840	1,460	161	227,046
1956.....	55	53	185	192	10,197	1.51	15,082	1,408	176	243,716
1957.....	57	56	191	194	10,860	1.79	19,544	1,419	172	236,268
SUGAR BEETS										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Tons	Tons	1,000 Tons	Per Ton ¹ Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres	Tons	1,000 Tons
1948.....	123.0	103.0	11.2	13.4	1,376	9.80	13,485	800	13.6	9,424
1949.....	126.0	117.0	14.9	16.1	1,878	10.90	20,470	768	14.8	10,196
1950.....	154.0	146.0	14.2	15.0	2,183	12.00	26,196	1,014	14.6	13,535
1951.....	132.4	124.3	14.4	15.3	1,906	11.90	22,681	758	15.2	10,482
1952.....	117.8	112.9	16.5	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	16.2	12,084
1954.....	151.4	115.1	10.9	14.4	1,654	10.60	17,532	964	16.1	14,082
1955.....	123.2	102.0	13.2	15.9	1,621	11.30	18,317	798	16.5	12,228
1956.....	131.3	120.7	14.4	15.7	1,893	12.30	23,284	831	16.6	13,010
1957.....	139.9	136.5	16.9	17.3	2,361	(2)	(2)	918	17.4	15,379
BROOMCORN										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Tons	Per Ton Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Harvested	Pounds	1,000 Tons
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	291	314	45.7
1950.....	93	76	155	190	7.2	371.00	2,671	216	257	27.7
1951.....	79	74	210	225	8.3	425.00	3,528	267	258	34.5
1952.....	91	58	79	125	3.6	365.00	1,314	263	242	31.8
1953.....	78	62	148	185	5.7	300.00	1,710	268	239	32.0
1954.....	88	66	60	160	5.3	330.00	1,749	260	220	28.6
1955.....	101	81	168	210	8.5	215.00	1,828	317	278	44.0
1956.....	91	62	95	140	4.3	435.00	1,870	204	193	19.7
1957.....	93	80	241	280	11.2	230.00	2,576	283	303	42.8
DRY BEANS ²										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Cwt.	Per Cwt. Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Planted	Pounds	1,000 Cwt.
1948.....	341	321	629	660	2,146	7.10	15,237	1,996	1,000	19,384
1949.....	307	295	741	770	2,274	6.50	14,781	1,936	1,054	19,863
1950.....	261	239	667	730	1,741	6.50	11,316	1,655	1,001	15,123
1951.....	230	203	639	720	1,469	6.70	9,842	1,513	1,128	15,828
1952.....	184	175	949	1,000	1,747	8.20	14,325	1,299	1,191	14,917
1953.....	234	224	937	980	2,192	7.10	15,563	1,418	1,196	16,498
1954.....	271	244	723	800	1,960	6.50	12,740	1,668	1,105	16,939
1955.....	220	200	745	820	1,640	5.40	8,856	1,602	1,108	16,649
1956.....	218	204	646	690	1,408	6.40	9,011	1,476	1,210	17,218
1957.....	209	173	935	1,130	1,955	5.70	11,144	1,464	1,157	15,771
FIELD PEAS ³										
Year	1,000 Acres	1,000 Acres	Pounds	Pounds	1,000 Cwt.	Per Cwt. Dollars	1,000 Dollars	1,000 Acres Planted	Pounds	1,000 Cwt.
1948.....	24	19	700	890	169	4.00	676	315	1,221	3,298
1949.....	19	16	926	1,100	176	2.35	414	383	625	2,920
1950.....	15	5	287	860	43	3.45	148	261	1,291	3,072
1951.....	18	4	150	680	27	5.00	135	333	1,177	3,530
1952.....	15	8	493	920	74	4.50	333	224	1,184	2,463
1953.....	14	6	436	1,020	61	3.05	186	277	1,183	3,052
1954.....	14	6	314	730	44	3.40	150	279	1,200	3,107
1955.....	18	8	367	820	66	3.75	248	313	899	2,523
1956.....	18	9	428	860	77	4.00	308	360	1,360	4,639
1957.....	20	12	540	900	108	2.00	216	284	1,229	3,270

¹Government payments under the Sugar Act are not included.²Not available.³Yield, production and value, cleaned basis. Yields derived for years 1949-1954.

BROOMCORN PRODUCTION

Colorado and United States

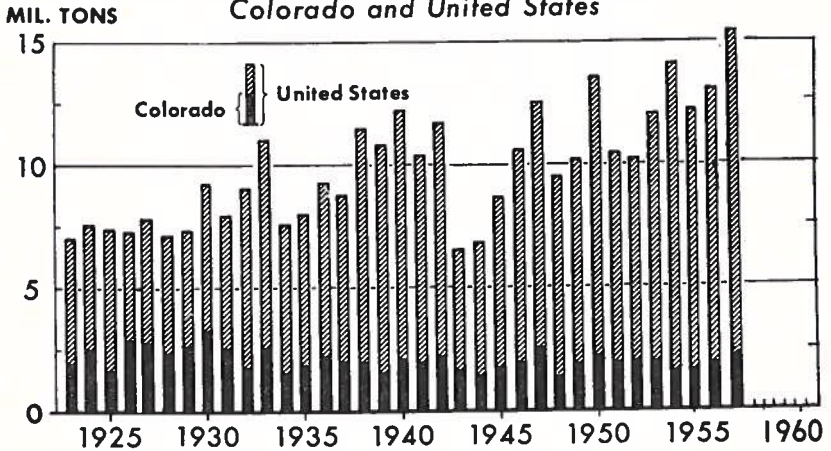


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AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

DRY EDIBLE BEANS—PRODUCTION BY COMMERCIAL CLASSES, 1947-1957
 (THOUSAND CWT.—CLEANED)

Year	Pea (Navy)	Great North- ern	Other White	Pinto	Red Kidney	Pink	Small Red	Cran- berry	Yellow Eye	Stand- ard Lima	Baby Lima	Other Classes	Total All Var.
COLORADO													
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				1,960									1,960
1955				1,640									1,640
1956				1,396			12						1,408
1957				1,955									1,955

UNITED STATES													
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	3,857	1,392	634	654	371	166	1,376	1,272	894	19,863
1950	3,356	1,720	578	3,630	1,123	336	486	133	119	1,225	1,132	1,285	15,123
1951	4,072	1,469	854	2,980	1,344	534	768	85	138	1,168	798	1,618	15,828
1952	3,412	1,872	695	3,143	1,421	393	605	108	171	1,360	430	1,307	14,917
1953	3,601	1,707	672	4,782	1,249	450	666	163	179	1,137	639	1,253	16,498
1954	3,191	1,956	813	4,537	1,155	656	1,217	131	59	1,259	758	1,207	16,939
1955	4,475	1,948	880	3,586	1,025	414	1,000	78	61	1,077	318	1,787	16,649
1956	5,108	1,808	740	3,349	1,862	400	746	169	143	1,024	559	1,310	17,218
1957	3,662	1,508	758	4,804	1,317	397	724	57	110	943	345	1,146	15,771

POTATOES, ACRES HARVESTED AND PRODUCTION—1950-1957

Year	COLORADO				UNITED STATES			
	Late Summer		Fall Crop		Late Summer		Fall Crop	
	Acres Har- vested 1,000 Acres	Production 1,000 Cwt.	Acres Har- vested 1,000 Acres	Production 1,000 Cwt.	Acres Har- vested 1,000 Acres	Production 1,000 Cwt.	Acres Har- vested 1,000 Cwt.	Production 1,000 Cwt.
1950	11	2,755	45	8,154	237	37,192	1,026	174,111
1951	10	1,717	38	5,630	212	31,394	790	125,761
1952	10	2,503	40	9,027	212	31,829	848	141,108
1953	12	2,738	45	8,743	212	32,945	929	151,278
1954	9	1,845	45	8,775	198	32,646	887	146,095
1955	9	2,025	43	7,095	190	31,682	879	148,383
1956	11	2,650	42	7,547	188	33,967	872	166,634
1957	12	2,280	44	8,580	183	31,667	842	154,228

**ESTIMATED PRICE OF POTATOES RECEIVED BY COLORADO FARMERS
AS OF THE 15TH OF THE MONTH**

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
POTATOES (Cents per Cwt.)												
Average												
1935-39	1.15	1.13	1.13	1.23	1.27	1.52	1.65	1.05	.98	.90	1.07	1.03
950	2.15	2.25	2.15	2.50	2.60	2.65	2.15	1.65	1.40	1.50	1.50	1.50
951	1.65	1.90	1.90	1.85	2.00	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.50	3.10	3.40	3.40
952	3.40	3.50	3.65	4.00	4.00	4.15	4.25	3.40	3.60	2.90	2.60	2.60
953	2.75	2.10	1.65	1.60	2.35	1.25	1.15	1.15	1.50	1.40	1.15	1.15
954	1.15	1.10	.90	1.15	1.25	2.25	2.25	2.10	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40
955	1.50	1.50	1.60	3.65	3.40	.85	.65	1.00	1.40	1.50	1.40	1.40
956	1.85	2.40	2.60	3.75	4.10	4.25	2.35	1.60	1.50	1.55	1.40	1.40
957	1.40	1.20	1.00	.75	.70	.60	1.55	1.65	1.60	1.75	1.60	1.60

¹Less than .5% was marketed during this month.

**SWEETCLOVER SEED, ALFALFA SEED AND SUDANGRASS SEED
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1949-1957**

Year	COLORADO					UNITED STATES		
	Acreage Har-vested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Pounds	Production 1,000 Pounds	Price Per Cwt. Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Acreage Har-vested 1,000 Acres	Yield Per Acre Pounds	Production 1,000 Pounds
			SWEETCLOVER SEED¹					
1949.....	9.8	255	2,500	13.80	345	358	156	55,735
1950.....	14.0	240	2,500	13.20	453	550	153	84,451
1951.....	5.0	240	1,200	10.40	125	304	157	47,578
1952.....	8.0	250	2,000	8.70	174	270	159	43,015
1953.....	6.5	230	1,495	8.50	127	221	162	36,024
1954.....	3.0	200	600	11.10	67	266	171	45,505
1955.....	4.5	250	1,125	9.00	101	254	190	48,292
1956.....	6.0	270	1,620	9.60	156	220	166	36,570
1957.....	6.0	270	1,620	9.00	146	198	163	32,353
			ALFALFA SEED¹					
1949.....	35	100	3,500	38.50	1,348	1,103	106	117,355
1950.....	30	95	2,850	47.00	1,340	937	116	108,339
1951.....	28	105	2,940	50.00	1,470	909	120	109,164
1952.....	32	145	4,640	29.90	1,387	1,361	137	185,928
1953.....	21	135	2,835	21.80	618	950	147	140,058
1954.....	23	130	2,990	29.10	870	1,048	156	163,949
1955.....	26	140	3,640	18.70	681	1,392	153	212,390
1956.....	19	150	2,850	24.80	707	914	181	165,280
1957.....	17	135	2,295	22.00	505	866	179	154,972
			SUDANGRASS SEED¹					
1949.....	27	365	9,900	5.00	495	101	506	50,900
1950.....	3	220	660	7.60	50	80	441	35,260
1951.....	26	250	6,500	6.90	448	86	455	39,380
1952.....	23	240	5,520	10.30	569	77	426	32,966
1953.....	52	330	17,190	4.70	870	134	479	64,298
1954.....	38	275	10,450	8.50	888	104	405	42,325
1955.....	57	250	14,250	4.05	577	166	534	88,970
1956.....	40	230	9,200	6.10	561	102	536	54,975
1957.....	96	450	43,200	2.25	972	180	570	102,675

¹Yield, production and value, cleaned basis.

APPLES, PEACHES, PEARS AND CHERRIES—PRODUCTION¹ AND VALUE, 1950-1957

Year	APPLES (Commercial Crop) ²			PEACHES		
	Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
1950.....	882	2.10	1,777	1,219	2.70	3,291
1951.....	1,292	1.75	1,843	316	3.85	1,217
1952.....	1,320	2.60	3,432	2,053	2.30	4,014
1953.....	840	2.75	2,310	1,312	2.95	3,714
1954.....	1,500	2.35	3,525	2,230	2.65	5,644
1955.....	1,210	2.25	2,554	2,110	2.70	5,265
1956.....	1,505	2.20	3,311	1,697	2.75	4,494
1957.....	1,120	2.05	2,296	1,950	3.05	5,948

Year	PEARS			CHERRIES (All Varieties)		
	Production 1,000 Bushels	Price Per Bushel Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Production Tons	Price Per Ton Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
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	1,970	181.00	357
1953.....	150	2.60	390	830	226.00	188
1954.....	270	2.50	675	2,750	219.00	603
1955.....	150	2.55	382	1,780	199.00	354
1956.....	225	2.35	529	2,450	199.00	488
1957.....	165	2.70	446	1,820	213.00	387

Year	CHERRIES (Sweet Varieties)			CHERRIES (Sour Varieties)		
	Production Tons	Price Per Ton Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars	Production Tons	Price Per Ton Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
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	950	140.00	133
1953.....	130	400.00	52	700	195.00	136
1954.....	1,200	270.00	324	1,550	180.00	279
1955.....	580	300.00	174	1,200	150.00	180
1956.....	550	335.00	184	1,900	160.00	304
1957.....	420	355.00	149	1,400	170.00	238

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

²Estimates 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.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

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
	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	7.0
1945-46	18,427	53	11,126	32	3,824	11	1,565	4.5
1946-47	21,155	56	13,222	35	4,155	11	944	2.3
1947-48	31,788	54	21,192	36	8,241	14	2,943	5.0
1948-49	26,392	46	21,802	38	13,770	24	1,721	3.0
1949-50	22,620	49	12,926	28	9,694	21	2,308	5.0
1950-51	15,502	42	12,180	33	9,965	27	2,953	8.0
1951-52	22,774	61	15,680	42	5,227	14	1,120	3.0
1952-53	24,428	42	20,357	35	13,959	24	2,908	5.0
1953-54	28,519	65	17,111	39	11,846	27	6,581	15
1954-55	10,793	58	7,629	41	3,722	20	2,047	11
1955-56	10,450	59	7,439	42	3,897	22	1,417	8.0
1956-57	10,062	57	6,884	39	4,590	26	1,059	6.0
1957-58	18,958	56	13,203	39	.....	.....	.....	.....

BARLEY

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	% ¹	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²
	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	52	4,913	29	2,202	13
1948-49	11,682	83	7,741	55	4,363	31	2,111	15
1949-50	17,493	79	13,064	59	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	7,152	77	5,387	58	2,508	27	1,115	12
1954-55	5,371	76	4,382	62	2,049	29	919	13
1955-56	6,055	73	4,230	51	2,488	30	995	12
1956-57	5,343	67	3,908	49	1,914	24	558	7.0
1957-58	13,838	76	11,471	63	.....	.....	.....	.....

OATS

CROP YEAR	Oct. 1		Jan. 1		April 1		July 1	
	Bu. (000)	% ¹	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²
	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	5,680	72	2,665	41	1,235	19
1948-49	5,180	89	4,074	70	2,444	42	873	15
1949-50	6,034	83	5,016	69	3,126	43	1,527	21
1950-51	3,951	85	3,347	72	2,045	44	930	20
1951-52	4,019	85	3,499	74	1,749	37	756	16
1952-53	4,465	81	3,693	67	2,315	42	1,047	19
1953-54	4,407	88	3,255	65	1,853	37	901	18
1954-55	2,817	86	2,359	72	1,441	44	819	25
1955-56	2,930	75	2,500	64	1,601	41	820	21
1956-57	2,832	81	2,342	67	1,503	43	874	25
1957-58	4,856	80	4,249	70	.....	.....	.....	.....

CORN³

YEAR	Jan. 1		April 1		July 1		Oct. 1	
	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²	Bu. (000)	% ²
	1944	7,030	65	3,461	32	1,622	15	865	8.0
1945	9,155	74	4,082	33	2,474	20	1,175	9.5
1946	8,125	73	2,671	24	1,336	12	890	8.0
1947	5,431	73	2,009	27	744	10	446	6.0
1948	6,813	78	2,708	31	1,485	17	786	9.0
1949	5,936	76	1,718	22	937	12	469	6.0
1950	9,367	79	3,913	33	1,304	11	711	6.0
1951	5,295	63	2,437	29	1,345	16	462	5.5
1952	6,919	74	3,086	33	1,169	12	654	7.0
1953	3,803	69	1,488	27	551	10	165	3.0
1954	5,048	71	2,133	30	675	10	462	6.5
1955	4,730	80	2,070	35	1,183	20	207	3.5
1956	5,385	71	1,820	24	834	11	228	3.0
1957	6,169	72	3,256	38	1,114	13	386	4.5
1958	10,569	78	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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

STATE OF COLORADO
OFF FARM GRAIN STOCKS
CORN—ALL COMMERCIAL STOCKS¹

Year ²	January 1	April 1	July 1	October 1
In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)				
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	1,614	784	482
1953	1,763	892	420	238
1954	942	682	315	820
1955	1,732	1,065	533	410
1956	983	715	466	305
1957	1,392	1,108	789	378
1958	673			

WHEAT

Crop Year	In Elevators ³				All Commercial Stocks ¹			
	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	April 1	July 1
In Thousands of Bushels (000 Omitted)								
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				1,198
1945-46	3,520	2,355	930	77	5,590	4,630	2,291	275
1946-47	3,200	2,010	740	124	6,271	4,622	2,268	599
1947-48	5,676	3,599	2,946	1,192	8,937	6,599	4,947	2,215
1948-49	4,531	3,388	4,807	1,861	8,647	9,194	7,593	3,085
1949-50	8,397	8,393	6,854	4,848	12,170	11,430	9,243	6,124
1950-51	11,933	10,299	6,838	3,327	15,364	13,493	9,359	3,935
1951-52	8,634	6,834	2,964	702	12,896	9,981	5,079	1,392
1952-53	14,764	14,532	11,941	11,309	19,386	17,981	15,319	15,802
1953-54	17,947	15,919	15,741	16,536	24,264	21,714	20,980	21,912
1954-55	18,924	18,188	17,484	16,503	27,390	25,387	23,897	22,040
1955-56	21,526	19,127	17,689	16,467	29,313	26,825	24,299	23,019
1956-57	22,054	20,249	19,228	18,063	30,541	27,538	24,718	22,695
1957-58					30,863	29,810		

BARLEY AND OATS—ALL COMMERCIAL STOCKS¹

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)								
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	1,665	1,501	1,458	1,167	315	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	2,077	1,484	1,103	751	544	438	302	191
1955-56	1,945	1,787	1,333	805	519	438	329	260
1956-57	2,312				334	288	287	171
1957-58	3,718	2,828			461	356		

¹Includes stocks in interior mills, elevators, warehouses, commercial stocks at terminals and those owned by Commodity Credit Corporation in storage under CCC control.

²Year 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.

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

⁴Unallocated—to avoid disclosing individual operations.

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES—ACRES HARVESTED FOR MARKET IN 1956

(Principal Commercial Counties)

COUNTY	Snap Beans	Cabbage	Cantaloups	Carrots	Cauliflower	Celery	Sweet Corn	Let-tuce	On-ions	Green Peas	Spin-ach	Toma-toes	Total
Adams	90	550	200	470	240	340	900	200	880	20	30	80	4,000
Arapahoe	10	20	.....	10	30	20	30	30	30	.....	10	.....	190
Boulder	30	130	.....	30	10	40	60	60	180	10	30	20	600
Jefferson	70	40	10	20	40	30	560	40	20	20	20	30	900
Larimer	20	10	20	30	.....	.....	30	10	30	.....	.....	10	160
Logan	10	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	50	.....	.....	10	110
Morgan	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	160	.....	.....	10	190
Sedgwick .....	.....	10	10	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	80
Weld	130	460	100	550	40	20	280	90	1,100	.....	40	240	3,050
Total Denver & Northern Area	370	1,220	350	1,110	360	450	1,910	430	2,500	50	130	400	9,280
Baca	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	80
Bent	10	10	570	.....	.....	.....	10	10	500	.....	.....	50	1,160
Chaffee .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	60
Crowley .....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	50	.....	.....	50	140
Custer .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	20
El Paso	20	20	.....	10	.....	.....	150	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	210
Fremont	30	50	10	10	80	30	100	100	20	.....	40	20	490
Las Animas .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Otero	40	20	800	10	.....	10	40	20	1,600	.....	.....	170	2,710
Prowers .....	.....	.....	170	.....	.....	.....	10	10	400	.....	.....	10	600
Pueblo	180	60	500	80	50	70	350	150	780	50	50	90	2,410
Total Pueblo & Arkansas Valley Area	310	160	2,080	110	130	110	680	370	3,400	50	90	390	7,880
Alamosa .....	.....	510	.....	50	250	.....	.....	1,100	.....	260	10	.....	2,180
Conejos .....	.....	120	.....	40	60	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,080	240	.....	2,540
Costilla .....	.....	700	.....	600	150	.....	.....	1,200	.....	40	350	.....	3,040
Mineral .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rio Grande .....	.....	70	.....	20	40	.....	.....	700	.....	300	40	.....	1,170
Saguache .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	20
Total San Luis Valley Area .....	.....	1,400	.....	710	500	.....	.....	4,000	.....	1,700	640	.....	8,950
Eagle .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	10
Garfield .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	10	.....	.....	.....	10	40
Grand .....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	100	.....	240
Routt .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	140	.....	170
Teller .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Delta	10	10	10	10	.....	10	20	10	160	.....	.....	10	250
Mesa	40	10	60	20	10	20	50	10	90	.....	.....	60	370
Montrose	20	.....	.....	20	.....	10	20	10	550	.....	.....	30	660
Total Mountain & Western Slope Area	70	20	70	70	10	40	110	200	800	.....	240	110	1,740
State Total	750	2,800	2,500	2,000	1,000	600	2,700	5,000	6,700	1,800	1,100	900	27,850

ONIONS—ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1947-1957

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production ¹ Cwt. (000)	Price Per Unit Dollars	Value 1,000 Dollars
1947	11,000	220	2,420	4.20	10,164
1948	11,000	250	2,750	1.60	4,160
1949	11,300	250	2,825	2.70	7,628
1950	11,000	205	2,255	1.40	2,520
1951	8,800	175	1,540	2.80	4,312
1952	5,500	262	1,441	4.20	6,052
1953	5,900	250	1,475	1.00	1,475
1954	5,900	250	1,475	2.00	2,950
1955	6,000	270	1,620	2.40	3,888
1956	6,700	280	1,876	2.35	4,409
1957 ²	7,300	280	2,044	1.70	3,475

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

ONIONS—ACRES AND PRODUCTION BY AREAS, 1947-1957

Year	Northern Colorado				Western Slope			
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production Cwt. (000)	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production Cwt. (000)
1947	1,900	1,800	250	450	1,400	1,300	270	351
1948	2,400	2,000	215	430	1,400	1,300	275	358
1949	3,300	3,000	275	825	1,400	1,300	230	300
1950	3,200	3,000	200	600	1,400	1,300	242	315
1951	2,800	2,500	250	622	1,500	1,300	225	292
1952	2,200	2,000	280	560	1,100	1,000	275	275
1953	2,300	2,100	250	525	1,100	1,000	278	278
1954	2,400	2,100	268	562	1,000	900	282	254
1955	2,600	2,250	262	590	900	850	308	261
1956	2,750	2,500	268	669	850	800	340	272
1957 ¹	3,000	2,650	279	739	800	750	310	232

Year	Arkansas Valley				State			
	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production Cwt. (000)	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre Cwt.	Production Cwt. (000)
1947	8,300	7,900	205	1,619	11,600	11,000	220	2,420
1948	8,200	7,700	255	1,962	12,000	11,000	250	2,750
1949	7,500	7,000	242	1,700	12,200	11,300	250	2,825
1950	7,800	6,700	200	1,340	12,400	11,000	205	2,255
1951	6,300	5,000	125	625	10,600	8,800	175	1,539
1952	2,700	2,500	242	609	6,000	5,500	262	1,444
1953	3,200	2,800	240	672	6,600	5,900	250	1,475
1954	3,200	2,900	228	660	6,600	5,900	250	1,475
1955	3,300	2,900	265	768	6,800	6,000	270	1,620
1956	3,700	3,400	275	935	7,300	6,700	280	1,876
1957 ¹	4,200	3,900	275	1,073	8,000	7,300	280	2,044

ONIONS—PER CENT OF ACRES PLANTED TO EACH VARIETY, 1947-1957

Year	Northern Colorado			Western Slope			Arkansas Valley		
	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers	Yellow Spanish	White Spanish	Danvers
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	.....
1955	61	37	2	10	10	80	66	34	.....
1956	64	32	4	18	30	52	61	39	.....
1957 ¹	52	36	12	10	25	65	52	48	.....

PER CENT

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	.....
1955	61	37	2	10	10	80	66	34	.....
1956	64	32	4	18	30	52	61	39	.....
1957 ¹	52	36	12	10	25	65	52	48	.....

¹Preliminary.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

BEANS, CABBAGE, CANTALOUPS, AND CARROTS—
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1948-1957

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production ¹	Price Per Unit	Value
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BEANS, SNAP FOR MANUFACTURE

Year	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
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	95.10	519
1954	1,500	4.0	6,000	91.30	548
1955	1,400	4.0	5,600	82.20	460
1956	1,400	4.0	5,600	93.80	525
1957	1,400	3.7	5,200	96.60	502

BEANS, SNAP FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	1,000	45	45	7.65	345
1949	1,000	36	36	7.35	265
1950	1,600	48	48	6.65	253
1951	750	45	34	8.00	272
1952	850	45	38	8.85	336
1953	750	45	34	8.65	294
1954	750	45	34	8.85	301
1955	750	45	34	7.00	238
1956	750	45	34	8.30	282
1957	700	48	34	8.80	299

CABBAGE FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	5,000	234	1,170	.61	711
1949	4,100	275	1,128	1.05	1,184
1950	3,600	265	954	.54	359
1951	3,200	230	736	1.50	1,104
1952	3,100	235	728	1.95	1,420
1953	2,900	220	638	1.85	1,180
1954	2,800	225	630	1.20	756
1955	3,000	210	630	1.35	850
1956	2,800	230	644	1.45	934
1957	2,600	250	650	1.30	845

CANTALOUPS

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	4,100	83	340	1.70	406
1949	3,500	79	276	1.70	382
1950	2,400	83	199	1.75	261
1951	1,500	83	124	2.45	304
1952	1,800	100	180	2.30	414
1953	1,700	100	170	2.60	442
1954	1,900	104	198	2.35	465
1955	2,200	90	198	1.80	356
1956	2,500	90	225	1.95	439
1957	2,500	85	212	2.15	456

CARROTS

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	1,600	140	220	2.00	392
1949	1,300	125	162	2.40	389
1950	1,400	125	175	2.10	368
1951	1,500	125	188	3.60	677
1952	1,600	135	216	2.80	605
1953	1,700	125	212	3.10	657
1954	1,800	120	216	2.70	583
1955	1,900	130	247	3.50	864
1956	2,000	135	270	3.35	904
1957	1,800	150	270	5.00	1,350

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

**CAULIFLOWER, CELERY, SWEET CORN, CUCUMBERS AND LETTUCE
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1948-1957**

	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production ¹	Price Per Unit	Value
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CAULIFLOWER

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	3,200	102	326	2.30	703
1949	2,800	111	311	2.55	793
1950	2,700	102	275	2.05	488
1951	2,100	102	214	3.50	749
1952	1,600	130	208	2.95	614
1953	1,500	130	195	2.15	419
1954	800	139	111	3.65	405
1955	1,000	148	148	4.05	599
1956	1,000	150	150	3.00	450
1957	900	150	135	3.00	405

CELERY

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	1,200	291	349	3.00	1,048
1949	1,300	312	406	3.10	892
1950	1,000	312	312	2.90	805
1951	900	300	270	3.10	837
1952	1,000	300	300	3.50	1,050
1953	800	285	228	3.65	832
1954	700	300	210	3.65	766
1955	600	300	180	4.65	837
1956	600	310	186	3.50	651
1957	500	300	150	4.30	645

SWEET CORN

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948 ²					
1949	3,300	58	191	1.80	344
1950	3,000	45	135	1.90	256
1951	2,800	58	162	2.60	421
1952	2,500	45	112	3.40	381
1953	2,800	55	154	2.80	431
1954	2,400	55	132	3.40	449
1955	2,700	55	148	3.10	372
1956	2,700	60	162	3.60	583
1957	2,800	64	179	3.35	600

CUCUMBERS, FOR PICKLES

Year	Acres	Bu.	1,000 Bu.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
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
1955	2,300	232	534	1.30	694
1956	2,200	330	726	1.55	1,125
1957	1,920	370	710	1.45	1,030

LETTUCE

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948	6,400	94	599	2.55	840
1949	5,200	98	510	3.25	1,277
1950	5,500	100	550	1.65	406
1951	4,600	115	460	2.55	1,025
1952	4,000	110	440	2.20	968
1953	3,800	110	418	3.80	1,588
1954	3,700	110	407	2.80	1,140
1955	3,800	130	494	4.15	2,050
1956	5,000	115	575	2.05	1,179
1957	6,000	120	720	4.05	2,916

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

²Not available.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS
PEAS, SPINACH, AND TOMATOES
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1948-1957

	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production ¹	Price Per Unit	Value
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PEAS, GREEN, FOR MANUFACTURE

Year	Acres	Pounds	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
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	89.40	41
1955.....	800	2,010	800	84.90	68
1956.....	1,800	1,960	1,760	78.10	137
1957.....	2,000	2,990	2,990	92.10	275

PEAS, GREEN, FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948.....	6,400	30	192	5.85	1,120
1949.....	5,500	32	176	4.50	792
1950.....	3,700	24	89	6.00	534
1951.....	2,500	16	40	7.35	294
1952.....	2,000	27	54	5.85	316
1953.....	1,800	26	47	6.50	306
1954.....	1,600	24	38	7.00	266
1955.....	2,200	27	59	6.35	375
1956.....	1,800	25	45	7.40	333
1957.....	1,600	25	40	9.30	372

SPINACH

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948.....	1,700	32	54	5.50	220
1949.....	1,500	32	48	5.00	210
1950.....	1,500	32	48	6.00	180
1951.....	1,200	42	50	5.50	182
1952.....	700	36	25	5.50	138
1953.....	800	40	32	5.25	168
1954.....	700	40	28	5.00	140
1955.....	900	40	36	5.50	198
1956.....	1,100	38	42	4.90	206
1957.....	1,300	40	52	3.55	185

TOMATOES FOR MANUFACTURE

Year	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
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.....	3,000	7.1	21,300	23.90	509
1955.....	2,900	6.1	17,700	23.10	409
1956.....	3,400	10.9	37,100	23.60	876
1957.....	2,600	9.0	23,400	23.40	548

TOMATOES FOR MARKET

Year	Acres	Cwt.	1,000 Cwt.	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1948.....	2,000	127	254	2.90	620
1949.....	1,700	127	216	3.00	648
1950.....	1,500	143	214	3.30	706
1951.....	1,500	119	178	4.45	792
1952.....	1,200	160	192	4.35	835
1953.....	1,100	160	176	3.20	563
1954.....	900	125	117	3.50	392
1955.....	900	130	117	3.50	410
1956.....	900	170	153	3.25	497
1957.....	900	160	144	3.65	526

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

CUT FLOWERS—COLORADO, 1956

	Carnation	Standard Chrysan- themum	Pompon Chrysan- themum	Gladiolus	Roses
Producers	114	32	38	11	18
Sales (1956)	Number	Number	Bunches	Doz. Spikes	Number
Blooms sold (000)	53,811	434	203	43	3,627
Wholesale, percent	99	93	95	96	96
Retail, percent	1	7	5	4	4
Value, wholesale (\$1,000)	4,735	96	234	24	392
Price	Per Bloom	Per Bloom	Per Bunch	Per Dozen	Per Bloom
Wholesale, cents	08.8	22.1	115.	056.	10.8
Retail, cents	No data	53.4	233.	291.	28.1
	Plants	Plants	Plants	Acres	Plants
Plants in prod. in 1956 (000)	5,875	328	746	25	217
Indicated for 1957	6,088	347	684	25	187
Producers classified by annual value of sales:					
\$0 to \$4,999					
Establishments, percent	8.7	90.6	89.5	100.0	100.0
Value of sales, percent .....	.4	37.2	36.7	100.0	100.0
\$5,000 to \$14,999					
Establishments, percent	20.2	1	1	1	1
Value of sales, percent	5.4	1	1	1	1
\$15,000 to \$49,999					
Establishments, percent	46.5	9.4	10.5		1
Value of sales, percent	34.2	62.8	63.3		1
\$50,000 and over					
Establishments, percent	24.6		2		2
Value of sales, percent	60.0		2		2

¹Included with sales from \$0 to \$4,999 to avoid disclosing individual operations.

²Producers with sales of \$50,000 and over included with sales from \$15,000 to \$49,999 to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

NURSERY PRODUCTS—COLORADO, 1956

	Broad- Leaved Ever- greens	Conifers	Deciduous Fruit and Nut Trees	Deciduous Shade Trees	Deciduous Shrubs (Not Roses)	Rose Plants	Grape Vines
Producers	7	33	16	23	22	10	7
Sales (1956)							
Plants sold (000)	0.9	73	12	54	37	26	1.6
Wholesale, percent	4	48	72	28	42	0	9
Retail, percent	96	52	28	72	58	100	91
Value, wholesale (\$1,000)	1.6	265	7.3	92	22	13	0.8
Price per plant							
Wholesale, dollars	1.78	3.63	0.61	1.70	0.59	0.50	0.50
Retail, dollars	4.00	6.44	2.62	4.43	1.44	1.76	0.77
Plants in production (000)							
Jan. 1, 1957 Inventory	1.7	229	24	120	60	32	1.1
Ind. for sale in 1957	4.5	108	15	69	50	32	2.4
Producers classified by annual value of sales							
\$0 to \$4,999							
Establishments, percent	1	63.7	100.0	69.6	81.8	1	100.0
Value of sales, percent	1	8.3	100.0	10.2	30.6	1	100.0
\$5,000 to \$14,999							
Establishments, percent	1	36.3	3	30.4	18.2	1	
Value of sales, percent	1	91.7	3	89.8	69.4	1	
\$15,000 and over							
Establishments, percent	1	2	3		2	1	
Value of sales, percent	1	2	3		2	1	

¹Not sufficient data.

²Producers with sales of \$15,000 and over included with sales of \$5,000 to \$14,999 to avoid disclosing individual operations.

³Producers with sales of over \$5,000 included with sales from \$0 to \$4,999 to avoid disclosing individual operations.

CARLOT RAIL SHIPMENTS OF COLORADO FRUITS AND VEGETABLES¹
(Crop Season Shipments)

Crop	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
FRUITS													
Apples	961	630	657	747	618	424	408	570	258	584	193	420	138
Peaches	3,141	2,455	2,720	2,510	2,650	1,615	456	2,343	1,704	2,528	2,155	1,550	1,400
Pears	328	43	200	126	111	168	193	163	130	208	80	157	91
Mixed Fruits	38	16	22	36	8	2	1	15	30	59	33	58	22
VEGETABLES													
Potatoes	15,081	15,228	14,271	19,742	14,267	10,337	8,048	13,228	8,370	6,031	4,336	2,958	(²)
Cabbage	901	844	1,015	588	988	324	302	377	251	169	239	96	69
Celery	163	134	116	118	95	58	33	54	25	18	7	5	
Onions	5,682	3,886	4,240	3,791	3,477	1,581	1,352	1,079	527	737	816	703	529
Lettuce	621	523	632	460	464	291	323	485	424	526	724	861	1,237
Mixed Vegetables	5,012	4,134	4,090	2,952	3,194	2,203	2,147	1,169	944	933	785	601	469
Cauliflower	1,091	1,014	1,159	972	956	669	336	389	375	113	233	223	199
Cantaloups	759	498	797	450	329	114	45	56	74	186	135	149	123
Honeydews	33	61	69	3	1						9	15	
Peas, Green	1,116	639	772	586	570	273	123	195	156	130	211	148	111
Carrots	89	23	46	61	36	47	49	81	48	107	115	134	79
Spinach	423	233	243	123	122	87	47	14	34	6	44	64	82
Tomatoes	187	229	213	69	56	39	50	20	4				
Beans, Snap	11		1	2	3	4	4	7		1	4		

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

²Season total not yet available.

POTATOES—MONTHLY CARLOT RAIL SHIPMENTS, BY CROP YEARS¹

Season	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
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	1,567	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	1,045	561	584	602	709	65	8,369
1954-55	46	557	594	828	608	531	669	550	629	588	395	36	6,031
1955-56	18	277	477	757	633	593	532	394	494	158	3		4,338
1956-57	48	369	222	342	314	429	429	223	260	208	112	2	2,958
1957-58	4	202	264	623	541	525	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)

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

²Data not yet available.

PEACH SHIPMENTS, 1947-1957
(Principally Mesa and Delta Counties)

Year	Shipments by Rail Only ¹										Total Truck Shipments ¹ 1,000 Pounds	Estimated Total Production 1,000 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		Date	Number of Cars					
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	266	2,528	24,522	2,230		
1955.....	Sept. 1	68	Sept. 1 thru Sept. 14	Sept. 23	7	Sept. 8	201	2,155	28,259	2,110		
1956.....	Aug. 17	33	Aug. 18 thru Aug. 26	Sept. 9	5	Aug. 22	205	1,550	21,511	1,697		
1957.....	Sept. 1	33	Sept. 3 thru Sept. 12	Sept. 15	5	Sept. 6	139	1,400	24,263	1,950		

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

SEASON AVERAGE PRICES

CROP	UNIT	Principal Commodities for Recent and Selected Earlier Years (Dollars per 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	Cwt.	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	Cwt.	....	....	4.20	2.60	2.40	1.50	1.30	1.50	2.00	2.10	3.00
Potatoes	Cwt.	1.12	1.12	2.90	1.10	1.92	.55	1.02	.85	.70	1.00	1.32
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	....	....	98.00	62.00	110.00	40.00	95.00	52.00	54.00	97.00	94.00
Alfalfa Seed	Cwt.	....	....	....	18.17	16.33	10.50	9.83	13.83	24.17	19.00	19.80
Sweet Clover Seed	Cwt.	....	....	....	12.50	6.50	5.17	4.25	5.00	7.67	5.00	6.92
Apples, Commercial	Bushel	1.10	.68	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	Cwt.	....	....	1.00	.57	1.02	.74	.82	.37	.53	.68	.95
Cauliflower	Cwt.	....	....	....	4.86	1.89	1.89	1.08	1.49	1.62	.81	1.08
Celery	Cwt.	....	....	....	....	.91	1.00	1.17	.84	1.58	2.58	1.96
Lettuce	Cwt.	....	....	3.85	2.77	1.60	1.67	1.28	.90	1.28	1.28	1.51
Onions	Cwt.	....	....	....	....	1.08	2.28	1.10	1.16	1.30	.58	1.20
Tomatoes	Cwt.	....	....	2.43	2.13	1.79	1.13	.85	1.13	1.13	1.04	1.32
Livestock⁴												
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	Cwt.	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	1945	1946	1947	1949	1950	1951	1952	1954	1955	1956	1957 ⁵
Corn	Bushel	1.19	1.46	2.17	1.27	1.60	1.84	1.63	1.58	1.42	1.43	1.25
Oats	Bushel	.66	.83	1.04	.70	.91	.99	.93	.90	.75	.80	.68
Barley	Bushel	.93	1.23	1.49	.90	1.14	1.29	1.34	1.20	1.02	1.07	.76
Wheat, All	Bushel	1.41	1.85	2.23	1.87	2.00	2.11	2.05	2.14	1.95	1.90	1.85
Rye	Bushel	1.19	1.74	2.17	1.00	1.13	1.52	1.59	1.13	1.01	1.09	.90
Dry Beans ¹	Cwt.	5.50	11.90	10.10	6.50	6.40	6.70	8.20	6.50	5.40	6.40	5.70
Field Peas ¹	Cwt.	3.55	5.20	4.65	2.35	3.45	5.00	4.50	3.40	3.75	4.00	2.00
Potatoes	Cwt.	2.02	1.87	2.82	2.29	1.73	3.01	2.84	2.03	1.71	1.51	1.79
Sugar Beets ²	Ton	9.90	10.10	11.50	10.90	12.00	11.90	11.90	10.60	11.30	12.30	(9)
Grain Sorghum	Bushel	1.14	1.26	1.82	1.14	1.20	1.38	1.47	1.23	1.06	1.26	.85
Hay, All Baled	Ton	21.30	25.50	22.50	20.30	27.30	32.60	30.20	26.30	22.40	25.20	19.00
Broomcorn	Ton	249.00	270.00	280.00	220.00	371.00	425.00	365.00	330.00	215.00	435.00	230.00
Alfalfa Seed	Cwt.	33.70	35.70	25.70	38.50	47.00	50.00	29.90	29.10	18.70	24.80	22.00
Sweet Clover Seed	Cwt.	10.00	10.20	10.50	13.80	13.20	10.40	8.70	11.10	9.00	9.60	9.00
Apples, Commercial	Bushel	2.99	2.30	1.95	1.40	2.10	1.75	2.60	2.35	2.25	2.20	2.05
Peaches	Bushel	2.30	2.20	2.60	1.70	2.70	3.85	2.30	2.65	2.70	2.75	3.05
Pears	Bushel	2.00	2.50	2.00	1.70	2.55	2.35	2.25	2.50	2.55	2.35	2.70
Cherries, All	Ton	217.00	270.00	213.00	180.00	171.00	159.00	181.00	219.00	199.00	199.00	213.00
Commercial Vegetables for Market												
Cabbage ³	Cwt.	.78	1.03	1.65	1.05	.54	1.50	1.95	1.20	1.35	1.45	1.30
Cauliflower	Cwt.	2.43	2.57	2.85	2.55	2.05	3.50	2.95	3.65	4.05	3.00	3.00
Celery	Cwt.	6.17	3.67	5.50	3.10	2.90	3.10	3.50	3.65	4.65	3.50	4.30
Lettuce	Cwt.	2.82	2.31	3.55	3.25	1.65	2.55	2.20	2.80	4.15	2.05	4.05
Onions	Cwt.	2.80	1.20	4.20	2.70	1.40	2.80	4.20	2.00	2.50	2.35	1.70
Tomatoes	Cwt.	3.68	3.77	3.40	3.00	3.30	4.45	4.35	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.65
Livestock⁴												
Cattle and Calves	Head	61.30	72.30	90.20	134.00	125.00	168.00	177.00	88.00	88.00	84.00	82.00
Stock Sheep	Head	11.20	12.20	13.70	20.60	21.30	32.40	34.10	15.30	16.20	14.50	15.50
Hogs	Head	18.10	22.10	35.40	34.80	24.60	31.20	25.60	32.00	26.00	15.50	20.40
Turkeys	Head	5.10	5.30	6.40	9.00	6.10	7.00	7.80	6.80	5.50	5.60	5.30
Chickens	Head	1.04	1.13	1.25	1.50	1.24	1.25	1.25	1.20	1.00	1.05	1.04
Eggs	Dozen	.36	.35	.42	.44	.34	.46	.40	.36	.38	.38	.34
Milk, Wholesale	Cwt.	3.05	3.70	4.58	4.38	4.22	4.88	5.28	4.49	4.64	4.69	4.83
Wool	Pound	.40	.40	.41	.47	.63	1.00	.52	.50	.41	.43	.53 ⁷

¹Price applies to cleaned beans and peas.

²Price support payments are included. Government payments under the Sugar Act are not included.

³Includes small quantity used for kraut.

⁴January 1, inventory value, except eggs and milk which are calendar year averages and wool which is a season average beginning in 1943.

⁵Preliminary.

⁶Not available.

⁷Average for 10-month period only (April 1957-January 1958).

**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.
CORN (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39.....	77	77	77	79	80	79	81	82	83	76	67	66
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
1955.....	155	154	152	154	159	165	165	161	159	152	140	138
1956.....	137	136	137	144	154	154	163	165	162	153	148	144
1957.....	146	140	139	140	142	141	143	141	126	124	121	111
OATS (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39.....	41	41	42	43	43	42	40	35	35	34	35	36
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
1955.....	92	95	96	96	96	91	85	80	72	72	73	74
1956.....	75	75	73	73	74	74	73	75	74	76	79	80
1957.....	84	87	89	89	87	82	75	69	63	66	66	66
BARLEY (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39.....	55	57	57	57	57	54	47	44	48	48	47	49
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
1955.....	122	121	124	122	125	115	110	101	100	101	100	102
1956.....	101	100	96	102	106	105	95	103	110	111	111	115
1957.....	114	118	120	119	117	107	77	77	72	72	74	74
WHEAT, ALL (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39.....	88	86	85	83	81	78	77	74	79	79	78	80
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
1955.....	219	214	215	212	217	207	196	193	190	190	188	190
1956.....	189	189	191	198	193	182	181	185	188	191	196	196
1957.....	196	194	196	196	187	188	181	176	175	175	179	181
RYE (Cents per bushel)												
Average												
1935-39.....	61	60	60	60	59	56	52	50	54	52	52	53
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
1955.....	109	114	108	107	108	109	103	96	99	105	100	100
1956.....	100	100	100	103	100	104	100	105	114	113	109	113
1957.....	115	113	110	113	106	105	89	86	89	83	79	82
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
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
1955.....	2.30	2.30	2.25	2.30	2.35	2.45	2.40	2.20	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.85
1956.....	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.95	2.05	2.20	2.30	2.40	2.30	2.30	2.35	2.35
1957.....	2.35	2.30	2.30	2.27	2.10	2.03	1.93	1.90	1.70	1.45	1.34	1.42

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Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
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
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
1955	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.60	6.50	5.80	5.40	5.40	5.30	5.20
1956	5.20	5.30	5.30	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.40	5.50	5.90	6.60	6.70
1957	6.80	6.50	6.50	6.50	7.30	7.80	7.20	6.00	5.50	5.20	5.80	5.70
APPLES (Dollars per bushel)												
Average 1935-39	.87	.91	.86	.93	1.09	1.16	1.15	.80	.76	.71	.74	.79
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	.....	2.55	2.40	2.30	2.55	2.65
1955	2.85	2.90	2.90	3.00	.....	.....	.....	2.00	2.95	2.50	2.20	2.40
1956	2.75	2.60	2.60	2.60	.....	.....	.....	2.60	2.25	2.50	2.60	2.80
1957	2.90	2.90	2.90	2.90	.....	.....	.....	2.50	2.05	2.20	2.20	2.40
CHICKENS (Cents per pound—live weight)												
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
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	23.2	22.1	23.8	19.6	20.5	18.2	18.2	17.8	18.0
1955	19.3	25.3	23.5	24.4	23.2	24.3	22.5	21.8	18.4	19.5	23.7	24.1
1956	20.8	24.2	22.6	22.4	21.5	20.0	19.5	19.7	17.4	18.1	18.5	18.5
1957	17.2	18.2	18.3	17.5	17.0	18.0	17.6	16.6	16.8	15.0	14.5	15.4
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
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
1955	32.0	36.0	37.0	35.0	32.0	32.0	35.0	39.0	45.0	45.0	47.0	50.0
1956	47.0	41.0	38.0	36.0	34.0	35.0	36.0	39.0	38.0	40.0	39.0	39.0
1957	34.0	33.0	30.0	29.0	28.0	29.0	29.0	36.0	42.0	44.0	43.0	45.0
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
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
1955	27.0	29.0	28.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	27.0	28.0	30.0	30.0
1956	29.0	29.0	30.0	30.0	30.0	29.0	29.0	29.0	28.0	26.0	25.0	26.0
1957	25.0	25.0	26.0	26.0	27.0	23.0	23.0	21.0	22.0	22.0	21.0	25.0
HOGS (Dollars per 100 pounds—live weight)												
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
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	25.00	25.80	25.60	27.00	26.20	24.20	22.50	22.80	20.20	19.30	18.70	17.50
1955	17.10	17.20	16.40	17.40	17.00	19.00	17.50	16.60	16.40	14.40	12.10	10.90
1956	11.00	12.40	13.10	15.00	16.30	17.20	16.40	16.80	16.00	15.90	14.70	16.00
1957	17.10	17.10	17.10	17.40	18.00	19.30	20.60	20.80	19.60	17.20	16.90	17.60

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

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Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
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
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
1955	18.10	17.30	18.30	19.20	18.50	18.50	18.10	17.80	16.90	16.10	15.30	15.40
1956	15.80	15.40	15.80	16.90	17.30	18.20	18.30	19.70	18.10	16.50	15.60	15.60
1957	17.10	15.80	18.10	19.30	20.00	20.50	21.40	21.20	19.70	19.30	19.80	21.60
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
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
1955	17.60	19.00	19.00	19.50	19.00	19.50	18.70	17.40	17.10	18.10	17.60	17.00
1956	17.00	17.00	17.30	17.00	17.50	17.30	16.50	16.50	16.00	16.50	17.00	16.50
1957	19.00	18.00	18.50	20.00	20.80	20.90	21.30	21.20	21.00	22.00	24.00	25.50
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
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	5.00	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
1955	6.50	6.50	7.20	5.90	5.60	4.60	5.00	5.60	4.90	4.60	5.50	5.60
1956	6.20	6.40	7.70	6.50	6.50	5.30	5.20	6.60	5.30	5.10	4.90	4.70
1957	6.80	6.00	5.70	5.50	5.00	5.40	5.80	6.50	6.80	6.00	6.30	6.80
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
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
1955	19.20	20.00	21.20	20.40	18.60	22.00	20.00	19.80	18.20	18.50	18.10	17.10
1956	17.60	18.40	19.00	19.00	25.00	22.00	21.10	20.80	19.60	18.60	18.00	18.00
1957	19.00	19.20	22.00	22.20	21.80	20.90	21.20	21.80	21.50	21.00	21.80	22.30
MILK COWS (Dollars per head)												
Average												
1935-39	46	48	49	50	52	50	49	50	51	51	51	51
1951	235	255	260	260	260	262	265	265	270	270	270	260
1952	260	260	260	255	255	255	255	255	245	230	225	215
1953	210	205	200	195	190	180	170	165	155	155	160	165
1954	165	165	165	165	160	160	155	165	165	160	160	155
1955	150	155	160	165	165	165	165	165	165	160	155	155
1956	155	160	160	160	155	160	165	160	155	155	155	155
1957	160	165	165	165	165	165	165	165	170	170	170	170
BUTTERFAT (Cents per pound)												
Average												
1935-39	29	29	27	26	24	23	24	25	26	27	29	30
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
1955	58	58	58	58	57	55	55	55	56	57	58	58
1956	57	58	58	58	59	59	59	58	58	60	61	61
1957	59	59	59	60	60	58	57	58	58	59	60	60
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
1951	5.00	4.95	4.75	4.60	4.30	4.30	4.50	4.60	5.30	5.50	5.60	5.70
1952	5.65	5.35	5.35	5.05	4.65	4.60	4.85	5.15	5.55	6.00	6.00	5.80
1953	5.35	5.35	5.00	4.70	4.30	4.20	4.40	4.65	5.00	5.05	5.25	5.10
1954	4.55	4.60	4.60	4.40	4.30	4.20	4.25	4.45	4.65	4.70	4.75	4.75
1955	4.75	4.75	4.65	4.55	4.45	4.35	4.35	4.50	4.65	4.85	5.00	5.00
1956	4.90	4.95	4.75	4.50	4.55	4.45	4.45	4.55	4.65	4.80	4.85	5.00
1957	5.00	4.90	4.95	4.80	4.95	4.55	4.45	4.60	4.90	4.95	5.00	5.00

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ALL HAY—BALED (Dollars per ton)												
Average												
1935-39 ¹	11.52	11.28	11.54	11.90	11.86	11.34	10.64	10.48	10.56	10.78	11.02	10.84
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
1955	26.70	27.10	26.50	27.60	29.20	25.90	25.40	22.40	21.80	22.00	21.10	21.50
1956	21.80	21.60	21.50	21.70	20.90	20.10	19.40	19.40	21.40	24.50	26.90	28.90
1957	29.40	29.10	26.60	27.40	26.20	21.70	19.50	17.60	17.40	17.70	18.00	17.20
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
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
1955	26.50	26.80	26.30	27.40	28.90	25.70	23.00	21.00	20.60	20.90	20.60	21.00
1956	21.30	21.50	21.30	21.50	20.40	19.40	19.30	19.30	21.20	24.40	27.50	29.60
1957	30.00	29.70	27.00	28.00	26.00	20.60	18.40	17.20	17.10	17.40	18.30	17.60
¹ Prices received for these years, loose basis.												
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
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
1955	29.00	30.10	28.50	30.00	32.80	28.00	28.00	27.50	25.50	25.50	23.50	25.00
1956	23.00	23.50	24.10	24.30	24.30	25.00	21.00	21.00	23.50	26.30	27.00	29.00
1957	30.00	29.00	26.00	26.50	26.50	26.00	23.80	18.50	19.00	19.50	18.00	17.00
¹ Prices received for these years, loose basis.												
ALFALFA SEED (ALL) (Dollars per 100 Pounds, Cleaned)												
Average												
1935-39 ¹	18.30	19.40	20.50	21.30	21.20	21.00	20.80	19.80	17.60	17.00	17.50	17.80
1950	40.00	40.80	40.80	43.30	43.30	45.80	45.50	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
1955	30.50	31.20	31.60	31.40	30.20	29.00	29.00	22.20	20.30	18.10	17.50	16.60
1956	17.80	19.00	18.50	18.80	18.90	18.50	19.00	19.40	22.90	23.80	24.80	26.00
1957	26.00	27.00	26.50	26.00	26.50	26.00	.....	.....	18.70	19.30	23.00	24.00
¹ Prices received for these years, loose basis.												
SWEET CLOVER SEED (ALL) (Dollars per 100 Pounds, Cleaned)												
Average												
1935-39 ¹	6.20	7.10	7.60	8.70	8.50	8.40	7.50	6.20	4.90	5.40	5.50	5.30
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
1955	12.20	14.00	13.50	13.90	13.50	13.00	12.00	8.50	8.50	9.00	8.70	8.90
1956	8.90	10.00	9.30	9.40	10.00	9.50	9.00	9.00	9.20	9.50	9.50	10.00
1957	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50	.....	8.50	8.00	8.00	8.00	9.00	8.50
¹ Prices received for these years, loose basis.												
WOOL (Cents per Pound)												
Average												
1935-39 ¹	22	21	22	22	22	22	23	23	24	25	25	25
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
1955	49	49	50	50	47	43	46	36	32	37	38	37
1956	34	37	38	40	40	38	39	34	37	41	44	46
1957	46	48	51	54	54	52	52	51	48	46	45	42

SUMMARY OF MONTHLY AND ANNUAL PRECIPITATION FOR COLORADO¹CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 1 (Northwest and Mountain Counties)²

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
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
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	.82	14.81
1953	1.23	.73	1.41	1.70	1.90	.95	2.46	1.57	.18	1.07	1.18	.97	15.25
1954	.76	.55	1.70	.70	1.28	.61	1.99	1.29	2.39	1.16	1.06	.91	14.40
1955	.88	1.39	1.28	.65	1.54	.89	1.55	3.09	.49	.96	1.91	1.00	15.63
1956	2.17	1.60	.71	1.99	.93	.47	1.64	1.47	.13	.90	1.01	1.31	14.33
1957	2.88	1.04	1.55	3.00	3.60	1.71	2.62	2.26	.58	1.50	1.37	1.14	23.25

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 2 (Northeast Counties)²

Average 1900-45	.44	.70	1.20	2.41	2.51	1.81	2.22	1.83	1.48	1.20	.61	.67	17.08
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	1.14	.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
1955	.36	.82	.94	.74	3.24	2.33	1.72	2.42	1.47	.39	1.05	.41	15.89
1956	.55	.82	.68	1.12	1.99	1.69	2.43	2.01	.07	.23	1.30	.59	13.48
1957	.61	.51	.82	3.61	5.62	2.15	2.09	1.83	.64	1.54	.60	1.69	21.71

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

Average 1900-45	.31	.49	.95	2.15	2.32	2.20	2.59	2.35	1.38	.96	.49	.52	16.71
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	1.98	2.22	.61	.85	.20	.36	10.00
1955	.19	.39	.41	.60	2.87	1.79	1.23	2.39	1.00	.28	.22	.10	11.47
1956	.50	.26	.56	.52	1.33	.95	2.98	1.64	.20	.31	1.12	.33	10.70
1957	.26	.24	.88	3.76	4.98	2.09	3.73	2.36	.78	1.23	.73	1.90	22.94

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

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	17.70
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
1955	1.12	1.68	.29	1.20	1.76	.48	1.45	2.48	.45	.22	1.29	1.49	13.91
1956	2.42	.92	.58	.92	.58	.47	1.33	.98	.09	1.13	.57	.78	10.77
1957	3.95	1.01	1.32	2.52	3.04	1.06	3.09	3.71	.12	3.35	2.34	1.07	26.59

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

Average 1900-45	.87	1.03	1.33	1.24	1.04	.83	1.77	1.92	1.24	1.09	.82	.88	14.06
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	.99	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
1955	.54	.74	.19	.88	1.75	.17	1.41	2.10	.35	.08	.68	.75	9.64
1956	1.54	.60	.52	1.13	.65	.36	.59	.86	.06	.74	.54	.48	8.07
1957	1.11	.24	.61	1.40	2.76	.58	3.31	2.39	.03	1.78	1.39	3.11	18.71

CROP REPORTING DISTRICT NO. 9 (Southeast Counties)²

Average 1900-45	.40	.68	.93	1.97	2.00	1.68	2.33	2.09	1.27	1.04	.61	.59	15.64
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
1955	.09	.42	.32	1.12	1.15	.72	.98	2.45	1.01	.13	.26	.20	12.85
1956	.53	.39	.63	1.23	1.29	.84	2.44	1.78	.03	.16	.62	.26	10.20
1957	.32	.14	1.01	3.66	3.68	1.97	2.52	1.94	.73	1.26	1.61	.24	19.08

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

SUMMARY OF NORMAL PRECIPITATION BY STATIONS¹

STATION	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	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	1.30	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	1.15	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	.64	1.84	2.35	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	2.32	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	1.69	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	1.47	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	.90	.87	.47	.83	1.30	1.03	.98	.55	.68	9.65
Norhtdale	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
Blanco	.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	1.15	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 Total	.93	1.01	1.36	1.73	1.75	1.45	2.02	1.90	1.39	1.23	.83	.94	16.54

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

**TOTAL AND FARM POPULATION: NUMBER OF FARMS AND AVERAGE SIZE:
COLORADO AND UNITED STATES, 1947-1958**

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES			COLORADO		UNITED STATES	
	Total ¹ Pop. ² (000)	Farm Population		Total ³ Pop. ⁴ (000)	Farm Population		Number of Farms (000)	Avg. Size of Farms ⁵ Acres	Number of Farms (000)	Avg. Size of Farms Acres
		Number of Persons ² (000)	Percent of Total Pop.		Number of Persons ³ (000)	Percent of Total Pop.				
1947	1,237	229	19.1	144,126	27,124	18.9	48.5	773	5,871	.....
1948	1,263	218	18.2	146,631	25,903	17.7	48.0	792	5,803	.....
1949	1,295	219	17.5	149,188	25,954	17.5	47.5	811	5,722	.....
1950	1,335	211	15.8	151,132	25,058	16.6	47.0	830	5,648	215 ⁶
1951	1,316	.....	.....	153,691	24,160	15.7	46.5	849	5,535	.....
1952	1,367	.....	.....	156,421	24,283	15.5	46.0	867	5,421	.....
1953	1,437	.....	.....	159,012	22,679	14.3	45.5	886	5,308	217 ⁵
1954	1,499	.....	.....	161,761	21,890	13.5	45.0	904	5,201	219 ⁵
1955	1,549	.....	.....	164,619	22,158	13.5	44.2	923	5,087	.....
1956	1,628	.....	.....	167,498	22,257	13.3	43.2	944	4,969	.....
1957	1,673	.....	.....	170,510	20,395	12.0	42.4	965	4,856	.....
1958	.....	.....	.....	172,700 ⁷	.....	.....	42.1	974	.....	.....

¹As of July 1.²Data compiled from "Statistical Abstract of the United States" United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.³As of April 1.⁴Includes armed forces overseas.⁵United States Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Marketing Service estimates.⁶United States Census—Obtained by dividing total land in farms by number of farms.⁷As of Jan. 1.

FARM WAGE RATES—1951-1958

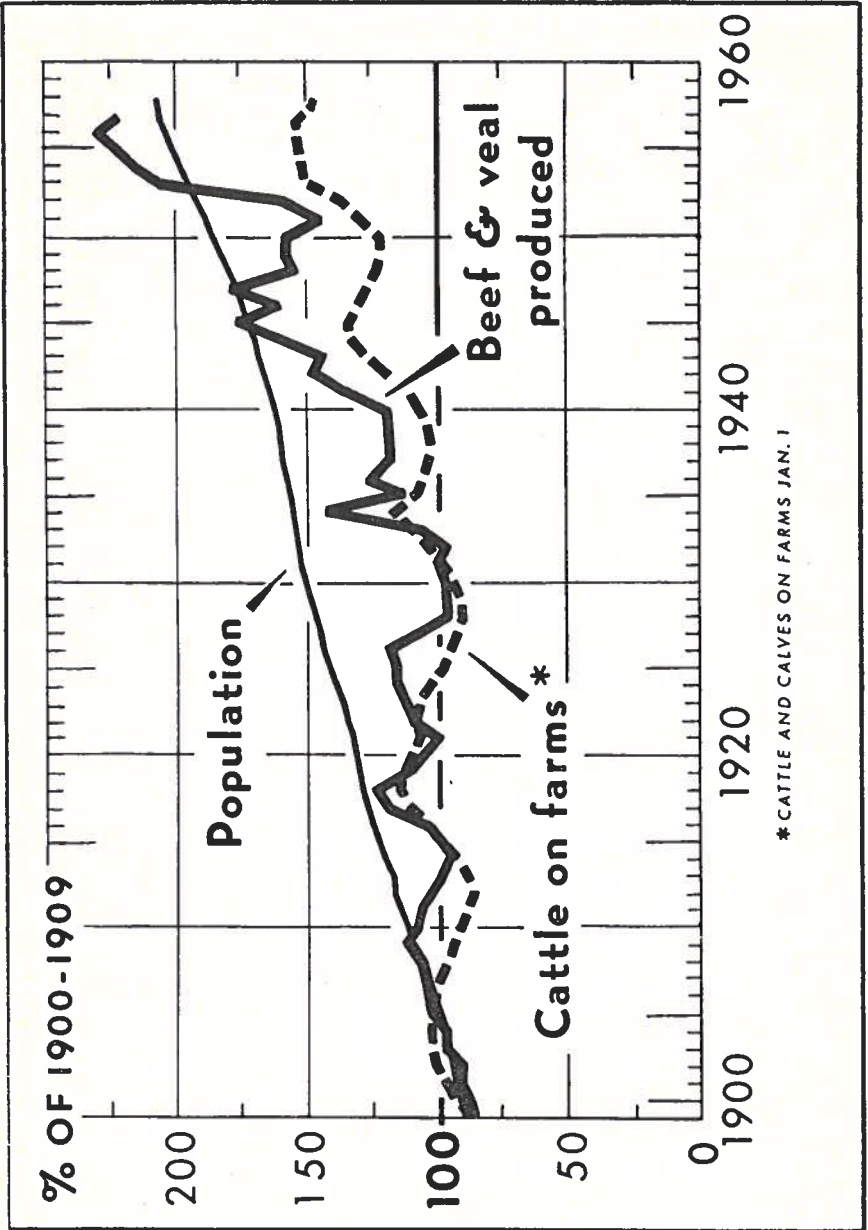
YEAR and MONTH	Per Month		Per Day	Per Hour	Index ³
	With Board ¹	Without Board ²	Without Board		
1951 January	118.00	154.00	6.40	.83	458
1951 April	123.00	161.00	6.50	.80	456
1951 July	129.00	165.00	7.00	.84	467
1951 October	136.00	171.00	7.60	.89	476
1952 January	131.00	171.00	7.20	.89	504
1952 April	131.00	177.00	7.30	.89	498
1952 July	150.00	189.00	7.80	.91	524
1952 October	146.00	192.00	8.20	.99	526
1953 January	134.00	180.00	7.40	.93	512
1953 April	137.00	184.00	7.50	.93	525
1953 July	142.00	190.00	7.90	.94	525
1953 October	134.00	186.00	7.90	.94	505
1954 January	133.00	178.00	7.30	.92	508
1954 April	130.00	180.00	7.20	.91	506
1954 July	133.00	179.00	7.30	.90	494
1954 October	134.00	182.00	7.70	.92	495
1955 January	128.00	176.00	7.40	.91	500
1955 April	134.00	182.00	7.40	.92	517
1955 July	140.00	184.00	7.60	.93	515
1955 October	141.00	191.00	7.80	.97	516
1956 January	136.00	185.00	7.30	.93	519
1956 April	136.00	188.00	7.70	.94	531
1956 July	147.00	195.00	8.00	.93	532
1956 October	145.00	193.00	8.00	.96	519
1957 January	139.00	191.00	7.90	.98	539
1957 April	140.00	194.00	8.20	1.00	559
1957 July	150.00	205.00	8.60	1.05	573
1957 October	151.00	201.00	8.80	1.03	556
1958 January	143.00	198.00	8.50	1.01	559

¹Wages are with board and room.²Wages are without board but include house.³Based on average rate, 1910-14=100. Adjusted for seasonal variation.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

FARM POPULATION—Federal Census, 1925-1950

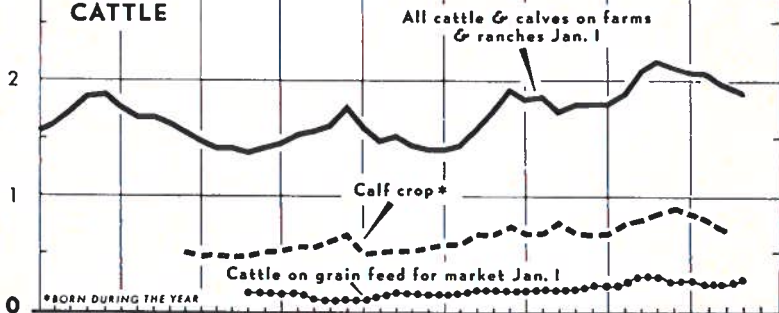
COUNTY	Number of Persons Living on Farms					
	Jan. 1 1925	April 1 1930	Jan. 1 1935	April 1 1940	Jan. 1 1945	April 1 1950
Chaffee	1,098	1,446	1,325	1,299	1,130	880
Clear Creek	48	96	144	148	61	115
Eagle	1,251	1,575	1,684	1,646	1,018	1,150
Gilpin	115	122	171	169	59	70
Grand	824	860	1,057	1,139	875	621
Gunnison	1,239	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	9,950	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	3,090
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	2,692	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	3,832	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
Duray	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	41,642	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	4,348
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	3,818	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	3,660	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	804
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



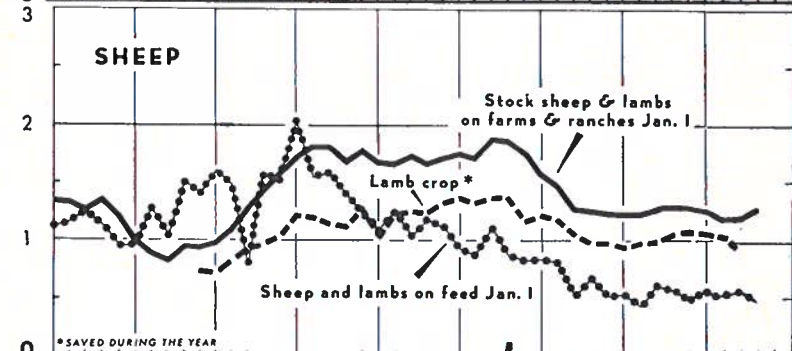
LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, COLORADO

MIL. HEAD

CATTLE

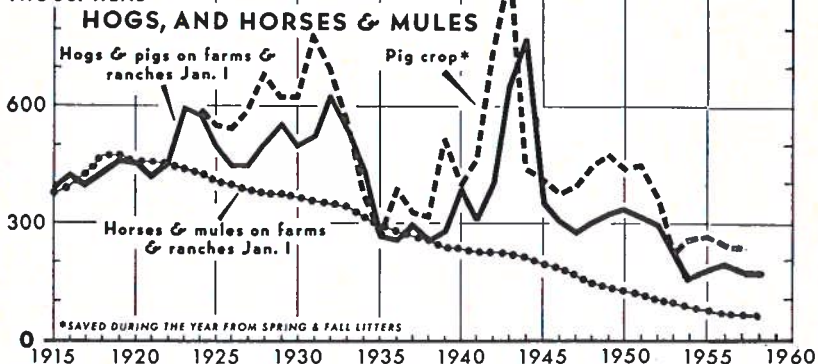


SHEEP



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HOGS, AND HORSES & MULES



LIVESTOCK

(Summary of livestock numbers and value on farms January 1)

	NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1			VALUE PER HEAD JANUARY 1			TOTAL VALUE JANUARY 1		
	1956	1957	1958	1956	1957	1958	1956	1957	1958
	Thousands			Dollars			Thousand Dollars		
All Cattle & Calves	2,054	1,974	1,910	84.00	82.00	123.00	172,536	161,868	234,930
Cows 2 Years Old for Milk ¹	163	161	156	138.00	137.00	183.00	22,494	22,057	28,548
Hogs & Pigs	195	177	177	15.50	20.40	27.40	3,022	3,611	4,850
Sheep & Lambs on Feed	510	550	504	15.00	16.00	21.00	7,650	8,800	10,584
Stock Sheep & Lambs	1,216	1,216	1,252	14.50	15.50	22.30	17,632	18,848	27,920
Horses & Mules	72	70	69	50.00	60.00	76.00	3,600	4,200	5,244
Chickens	2,061	2,000	1,829	1.05	1.05	1.05	2,164	2,100	1,920
Turkeys	20	27	24	5.60	5.30	5.20	112	143	125
TOTAL VALUE							216,716	199,570	285,573
Cattle on Grain Feed Jan. 1 ² ..	235	246	251						
Calf Crop, Annual	772	744	.....					
Lamb Crop, Annual	1,017	966	.....					
Pig Crop, Annual	249	245	.....					
Chickens Raised, Annual	3,148	2,298	.....					
Turkeys Raised, Annual	1,161	1,164	.....					

¹The figures for number on farms and total value are included in all cattle and calves.²These figures are included in all cattle and calves.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY AND VALUE JANUARY 1, 1958 AND 1957

Livestock and poultry inventory numbers in Colorado were lower on January 1, 1958 than on January 1, 1957 according to reports of farm and ranch operators. Range conditions and feed supplies in 1957 were much improved over preceding drought years and demand for stocker cattle, sheep and lambs was strong in the fall of 1957. Competition for feeders, however, prevented farmers and ranchers from increasing breeding stock—particularly cattle—as much as desired. All cattle number declined 3 percent with milk cows also down 3 percent and beef cows up about ½ percent. Hog numbers were unchanged. Stock sheep inventories increased 3 percent with a reduction in lambs on feed bringing all sheep numbers down 1 percent. All horses and mules were down 2 percent; all chickens, 9 percent; and turkeys, 10 percent. Due to above average production in 1957 there was an abundance of hay, roughage and feed grains for wintering the inventory. Open weather permitted more than average use of pasture and range feed. Values per head January 1, 1958 were higher than for the same date the year before for cattle, hogs, sheep, and horses. The aggregate value of all livestock (including cattle and sheep on feed) and poultry January 1, 1958 is calculated at \$285,573,000, 43 percent above the 1957 inventory value of \$199,570,000. For the 1947-56 period the average January 1 inventory valuation was \$283,078,000 and the record high occurred in 1952 with \$449,772,000.

ALL CATTLE AND CALVES—Cattle and calves in the state January 1, 1958 numbered 1,910,000 head (including animals in feed lots), the smallest January 1 inventory since 1951 but above all years except 1944 prior to that date. The number was 3 percent less than the 1,974,000 head on January 1, 1957 and 12 percent less than the record high reached in 1953 of 2,161,000 head. The 1947-56 average was 1,948,000. Beef cows increased from 685,000 to 688,000 head following the record number of yearling beef heifers on hand the year before. The number of such heifers 1-2 years old were down from 273,000 on January 1, 1957 to 270,000 January 1, 1958 which was still the second highest inventory of record for this class of cattle. Calves (other than milk stock) totalled 495,000 head in comparison to 507,000 the year before and the record high of 536,000 head on January 1, 1956. Beef heifers held for replacement were at near record levels while

beef cows were 14 percent below the 1954 peak of 804,000 head. There was some liquidation of mature stock during recent drought years while ranchers held their young foundation stock to re-establish herds. Numbers of steers over one year old dropped to the lowest level in 10 years with 174,000 on hand January 1, 1958 in comparison with 217,000 January 1, 1957. Average value per head for all cattle on hand January 1, 1958 at \$123.00 was 50 percent above the \$82.00 on January 1, 1957 but was still 53 percent below the all time record high of \$177.00 for January 1, 1952. Total value of cattle amounted to \$234,930,000 January 1, 1958 in comparison to \$161,868,000 a year earlier, an increase of 45. percent.

CATTLE IN FEED LOTS—An estimated 251,000 head of cattle and calves were being fattened in Colorado feed lots January 1, 1958. This feeding level was 5,000 head or 2 percent greater than January 1, 1957. Supplies of grain, hay and silage were abundant in Colorado at lower prices than the previous year. However, the relatively high prices of feeder cattle during the fall of 1957 caused reluctance among some farmers to feed cattle.

Reports from cattle feeders on January 1, 1958 on length of feeding time showed more animals on feed less than 3 months, fewer 3 to 6 months and over 6 months than the year before. The numbers on January 1, 1957 were 148,000 head on feed under 3 months, 99,000 on feed 3 to 6 months and 4,000 head on feed more than 6 months.

Cattle and calves on feed in northern Colorado and the South Platte River Valley January 1, 1958 were 208,000 against 210,000 on January 1, 1957. In the Arkansas Valley the number on feed increased to 32,000 head on January 1, 1958 from 29,000 the year before. Other sections of the state, including the lower western valleys, showed an increase—11,000 on January 1, 1958 against 7,000 on January 1, 1957.

Weight information for cattle on feed January 1, 1958 revealed 18,000 head of heavy cattle (weighing over 1100 pounds) compared with 21,000 head January 1, 1957. In the 900-1100 pound group there were also less cattle January 1, 1958—63,000 head compared with 67,000 head the year before. The number of cattle and calves weighing less than 900 pounds was up significantly—170,000 head January 1, 1958 against 158,000 head January 1, 1957.

MILK COWS AND HEIFERS—Milk cows totalled 156,000 head January 1, 1958 in comparison to 161,000 head a year earlier and the 10-year average of 186,000. Milk cow numbers have trended downward since January 1, 1934 when the peak of 300,000 head was reached. The number on January 1, 1958 was the lowest since 1913 when there were 141,000 head. Milk production per cow reached a new high of 6,140 pounds in 1957 which partially offset the decline in milk cow numbers. Heifers kept for milk cows totalled 40,000 head on January 1, 1958, no change from January 1, 1957. Total milk stock (including heifer calves) was 243,000 head January 1, 1958 compared to a 250,000 head total January 1, 1957. Average inventory value per head was placed at \$183.00 substantially above the 1957 average of \$137.00.

CALF CROP—Calves born in Colorado during 1957 totalled 744,000 head. This was 4 percent less than the 772,000 head born in 1956 and 2 percent below the 1946-55 average of 756,000 head. The state's calf crop reached a peak in 1954 with 873,000 calves. A decrease in the number of cows and heifers two years and older at the beginning of 1957 accounted for the smaller calf crop. On January 1, 1957 there were 846,000 total head of cows and heifers on Colorado farms and ranches in comparison to 908,000 a year earlier and the ten-year average of 876,000. Calves born during the year as a percentage of cows and heifers inventoried the first of the year were 88 in 1957, 85 in 1956 and averaged 86 for the 1946-55 period.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Stock sheep were estimated at 1,252,000 head January 1, 1958, 3 percent above the January 1, 1957 number of 1,216,000

head and 1 percent below the 1947-56 average of 1,261,000. Ewe lambs which increased from 144,000 to 181,000 head accounted for the above increase over January 1, 1957. Stock sheep numbers were reduced during the preceding drought years. Feed supplies improved greatly in 1957 and encouraged re-stocking by farmers and ranchers.

Average inventory value of stock sheep was \$22.30 per head and total value was \$27,920,000 January 1, 1958. A year earlier the average was \$15.50 and the total value \$18,848,000.

Weather during late winter and through the spring was quite stormy. Precipitation during this period was well above normal and temperatures averaged lower than normal which made caring for new lambs more difficult than usual. A severe blizzard the last of March followed by intermittent snow storms in April caused some loss of lambs. Growth of grass on ranges and pastures was delayed by the cool weather. Feeding of livestock in some areas continued into May and at higher elevations into June. With good soil moisture supplies, the warm weather in late May and early June pushed growth of range feed rapidly and lambs made good progress.

Fewer sheep and lambs were in Colorado feed lots January 1, 1958 than the previous year. The number was 504,000 head compared to 550,000 head January 1, 1957 and 510,000 head on January 1, 1956 which was the smallest since January 1951. Colorado led the nation in lamb feeding for the third successive year. The decrease in 1957 was mostly in northern Colorado where 340,000 head were on feed on January 1, 1958 compared to 377,000 January 1, 1957 and 350,000 head on January 1, 1956. In the Arkansas Valley there were 140,000 head January 1, 1958 compared with 145,000 head a year earlier. Combining the number of lambs on feed in northern Colorado with those fed in the North Platte River Valley of Nebraska and Wyoming, the decrease was very significant. On January 1, 1958 there were 525,000 head in these areas compared with 624,000 head January 1, 1957, a decrease of 16 percent. On January 1, 1956 there were 540,000 head of sheep and lambs on feed in these sections.

Lambs moved into the Colorado feeding areas much later in 1957 than in 1956 and at heavier weights. This was a reflection of the very favorable feed conditions which prevailed over the Western sheep range country during 1957 compared with the drought conditions of 1956 which forced an early movement of lambs to irrigated areas to clean up crop residue before moving into dry feed lots. Difficulty was experienced during the fall of 1957 in making full use of sugar beet tops as a result of delayed harvest and the wet fields, but in general the feeding season was favorable. Feeder lambs cost more in 1957 than in 1956 but feed costs were much lower.

LAMB CROP—Colorado's lamb crop in 1957 was estimated at 966,000 head, 5 percent less than in 1956 and 5 percent less than the 1946-55 average. This was the smallest lamb crop for the state since 1950 and was 30 percent less than the 1943 record high. The small lamb crop was largely the result of the decrease in the number of ewes in breeding flocks. At 1,028,000 head on January 1, 1957, breeding ewe numbers were 5 percent below the 1946-55 average of 1,079,000 head and 1 percent below the January 1, 1956 number at 1,038,000 head. Lambing percentages were lower than both the 10-year average and the 1956 average, which also contributed to the reduction in the lamb crop. In 1957, 94 lambs were saved per 100 breeding ewes one year old and older on hand January 1, 1957. In 1956 the lambing percentage was 98, a record high, and the 1946-55 average was 95.

WOOL—Production of wool in Colorado amounted to 11,155,000 pounds in 1957, slightly below the 1956 wool clip of 11,280,000 pounds. Average production during the 10-year (1946-55) period was 11,332,000 pounds. Value of the 1957 wool clip, excluding incentive payments, totalled \$5,912,000, 22 percent above the 1956 value of \$4,850,000. The 10-year average value was \$6,057,000.

Sheep and lambs shorn in 1957 (including feed lot lambs shorn) totaled 1,243,000 head, the same as in 1956 but 4,000 head below the 10-year average. Fleece weights in 1957 averaged 9.0 pounds compared with 9.1 pounds in 1956. The average price received for shorn wool during the 10-month period, April 1957 through January 1958, was 53 cents per pound. A smaller proportion of the wool clip was sold during this period in 1957-1958 than in previous years. The seasonal average price for wool (April through March) for 1956 Colorado wool was 43 cents per pound. The above prices for 1956 and 1957 wool do not include government incentive payments on wool made direct to sheep men after the close of the marketing year.

HOGS AND PIGS—Hogs on farms January 1, 1958 at 177,000 head were the same as on January 1, 1957. The 10-year (1947-56) average was 260,000 head. The record high number of hogs was in 1944 when 774,000 hogs were on Colorado's farms.

Inventory values were up from \$20.40 in 1957 to \$27.40 in 1958. Total inventory value at the beginning of 1958 was estimated at \$4,850,000, 34 percent more than the \$3,611,000 of January 1, 1957 but 37 percent below the 1947-56 average of \$7,724,000.

The 1957 pig crop of 245,000 head compared with 249,000 head in 1956 and the 1946-55 average of 364,000 head. The 245,000 pigs saved in 1957 was the lowest on record with the exception of 1953 when 209,000 head were saved. The high point in the state's pig production came in 1943 when 961,000 head were saved. However, numbers dropped sharply the following year to 439,000 head and stayed near that level or smaller in subsequent years.

The spring pig crop was estimated at 141,000 head, 3 percent less than the 1956 spring pig crop and, with the exception of 1953, the smallest since 1935. The total was 69,000 head below the 1946-55 average of 210,000. Pigs saved per litter at 6.7 equaled the 1955 high and exceeded all other years on record. Sows farrowed during the period totaled 21,000 head in comparison to 23,000 head in 1956 and the 1946-55 average of 34,000.

Of the total 1957 pig crop, 104,000 were accounted for by the fall crop which was the same as in 1956 and 50,000 less than average. There were 15,000 fall sows farrowed, 1,000 less than a year earlier and 9,000 less than average. Pigs saved per litter averaged a record high of 6.9 in comparison with 6.5 for both 1956 and the 10-year average. Fall farrowing in 1957 reached a peak in September with distribution between months as follows: June, 11 percent; July, 15 percent; August, 20 percent; September, 27 percent; October, 19 percent; and November, 8 percent.

HORSES AND MULES—Numbers continued to decline in 1957—from 70,000 head on January 1, 1957 to 69,000 head on January 1, 1958; however, the rate of decline was less than in immediately preceding years. More than half of those on hand on January 1, 1958 were saddle horses and cow ponies. On January 1, 1919 there were 472,000 horses and mules on Colorado farms and ranches.

CHICKENS AND EGGS—A further decline in chickens on farms during 1957 brought January 1, 1958 inventory numbers to the lowest level of record (starting in 1929). The estimated number at 1,829,000 birds compared to 2,000,000 birds on hand January 1, 1957. Value of the January 1, 1958 inventory was \$1,920,000 compared to the January 1, 1957 value of \$2,100,000. A total of 2,298,000 chickens was raised on Colorado farms and ranches in 1957, a 27 percent decrease from the 3,148,000 birds raised in 1956.

Home consumption of farm flock chickens during 1957 totaled 978,000 birds, a decline of 6 percent from the 1,040,000 consumed during 1956. Value of chickens consumed on the farm was placed at \$461,000 for 1957 com-

pared with \$582,000 for 1956. Colorado farmers sold 1,051,000 chickens from their flocks for \$564,000 during 1957. In 1956 1,736,000 birds were sold with a cash return of \$1,111,000.

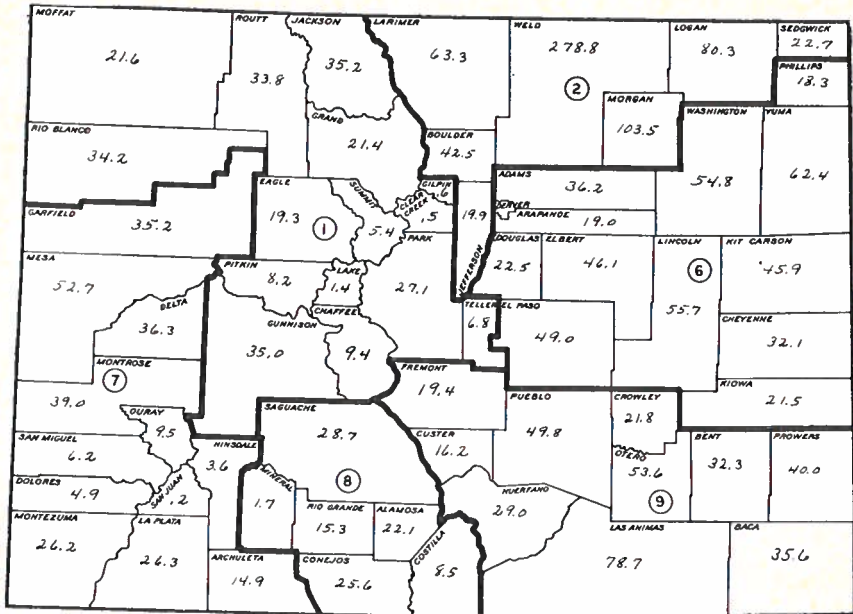
During 1957 the average number of eggs produced per layer was 190, almost equal to the record high of 191 for 1956. The average number of layers during 1957 was 1,629,000 compared to 1,757,000 in 1956. Annual production of eggs totalled 310,000,000 in 1957 compared with 335,000,000 in 1956. Cash received from sale of eggs totalled \$7,446,000 in 1957 against \$9,032,000 in 1956.

The number of commercial broilers produced in Colorado declined for the fourth consecutive year and in 1957 totalled only 1,240,000 birds compared with 1,459,000 one year earlier. Price per pound for broilers averaged only 20.7 cents in 1957 against 25.0 cents in 1956 and 29.0 cents in 1955. Gross income from broilers totalled \$821,000 in 1957 compared with \$1,131,000 in 1956 and \$1,749,000 in 1955.

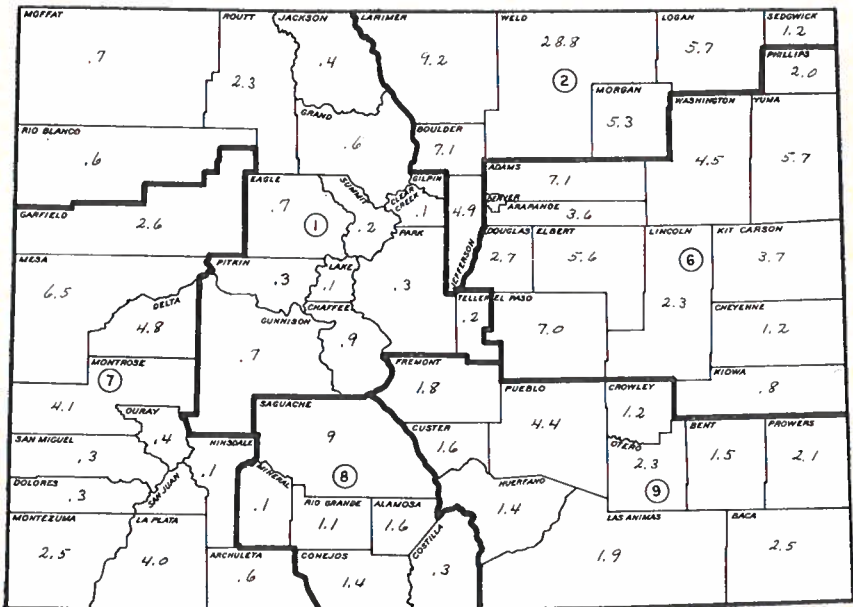
TURKEYS—A record crop of 1,184,000 turkeys was raised in Colorado in 1957, a 2 percent increase over the previous record turkey crop of 1,161,000 birds in 1956. In 1955, 860,000 turkeys were raised. The 10-year (1946-55) average number was 869,000 birds. The average price received for turkeys in 1957, a 2 percent increase over the previous record turkey crop of 1,161,000 of 26.4 cents per pound in 1956 and 28.7 cents per pound in 1955.

The increase in numbers raised failed to offset the decrease in price and cash receipts declined from \$5,859,000 in 1956 to \$5,160,000 in 1957. Gross income (cash receipts from sales plus value of turkeys consumed on farms where produced) totalled \$5,213,000 in 1957 compared to \$5,910,000 in 1956, a decrease of 12 percent. Turkeys on farms January 1, 1958 numbered 24,000 birds compared to 27,000 birds on hand January 1, 1957. Turkey breeder hens on hand January 1, 1958 numbered 8,000 birds, a decrease of 2,000 from the previous year.

ALL CATTLE AND CALVES ON FARMS JANUARY 1
Average Number 1953-1957
(Thousand Head)



COWS AND HEIFERS OVER TWO YEARS OLD KEPT FOR MILK
Average Number on Farms January 1, 1953-1957
(Thousand Head)



ESTIMATED NUMBER ON FARMS JANUARY 1, 1953-1957

COUNTY	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES					COWS AND HEIFERS Over 2 Yrs. Old (Kept for Milk)				
	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
Chaffee	9,250	9,660	9,800	9,465	8,954	920	920	900	923	794
Clear Creek	520	520	420	427	390	60	80	60	57	42
Eagle	18,920	19,270	19,800	19,732	19,016	890	730	710	659	566
Gilpin	630	580	660	587	574	30	30	30	30	30
Grand	22,030	20,840	19,950	22,773	21,335	810	790	640	524	457
Gunnison	32,470	34,040	35,310	36,731	36,672	960	960	690	582	546
Jackson	32,000	35,090	37,350	36,564	35,048	560	440	440	410	350
Lake	1,670	1,740	1,440	1,248	1,012	120	150	90	141	167
Moffat	29,110	21,100	23,760	22,273	20,508	880	810	690	609	596
Park	30,990	28,490	26,990	23,710	25,074	400	210	270	234	189
Pitkin	9,360	8,740	8,050	7,399	7,655	390	320	320	311	293
Rio Blanco	33,560	35,120	33,950	35,655	32,809	770	640	570	507	491
Routt	33,120	31,800	33,980	35,253	34,895	2,280	2,380	2,390	2,288	2,209
Summit	5,230	5,790	5,610	4,891	5,501	140	160	210	121	120
Teller	6,950	6,980	6,510	6,810	6,514	250	280	290	223	192
Total Northwest District	256,810	259,760	263,580	263,518	255,957	9,460	8,900	8,300	7,619	7,042
Boulder	44,610	47,700	39,490	40,983	39,483	7,500	6,410	7,670	7,258	6,909
Jefferson	22,310	21,260	21,290	18,169	16,563	4,470	4,650	4,990	5,387	4,917
Larimer	63,540	61,580	66,800	60,293	64,511	8,370	9,590	9,550	9,316	9,107
Logan	86,270	77,950	77,850	79,251	80,282	6,150	6,160	5,810	5,321	5,129
Morgan	111,900	104,740	105,280	102,643	92,942	5,800	5,660	5,300	4,744	4,987
Sedgwick	23,900	23,190	22,380	21,839	21,996	1,520	1,390	1,130	1,000	826
Weld	278,820	270,380	270,680	280,617	293,734	27,190	29,220	27,720	29,187	30,661
Total N. Central and N. E. District	631,350	606,800	603,770	603,795	609,511	61,000	63,080	62,170	62,213	62,536
Adams	36,840	36,320	32,770	37,085	37,982	6,310	6,750	7,050	7,281	8,335
Arapahoe	24,220	24,290	18,000	14,323	13,937	5,070	4,350	3,630	2,542	2,456
Cheyenne	42,900	40,480	32,050	24,103	20,976	1,210	1,260	1,220	1,128	1,245
Denver										
Douglas	26,270	23,920	19,920	21,345	20,942	2,810	2,750	2,620	2,635	2,467
Elbert	51,830	45,670	41,750	46,670	44,733	5,320	5,680	5,180	5,627	5,804
El Paso	51,580	49,400	51,440	47,221	45,532	7,580	7,180	7,160	6,512	6,782
Kiowa	24,940	23,100	25,280	19,943	14,152	960	810	820	695	565
Kit Carson	61,830	58,340	37,000	37,619	34,631	3,630	3,870	3,780	3,631	3,834
Lincoln	60,720	57,920	56,340	54,646	48,894	2,760	2,790	2,270	1,967	1,749
Phillips	19,490	19,630	20,540	17,473	14,305	2,160	2,260	1,910	1,834	1,603
Washington	61,680	59,670	50,670	49,489	52,665	4,200	4,560	3,890	4,635	5,452
Yuma	71,630	63,890	61,470	57,588	57,766	5,830	6,070	5,960	5,446	5,388
Total E. Central District	533,930	502,630	447,230	427,505	406,515	48,040	48,330	45,490	43,933	45,680
Archuleta	14,940	15,090	15,410	14,362	14,678	580	640	660	567	514
Delta	34,250	34,350	36,850	39,259	36,619	5,120	5,060	4,660	4,725	4,521
Dolores	4,650	4,970	5,210	4,914	4,683	300	360	240	279	224
Garfield	35,760	36,020	36,300	35,218	32,746	2,950	2,870	2,500	2,313	2,142
Hinsdale	3,450	3,430	3,760	3,817	3,690	60	80	80	78	61
La Plata	25,690	26,240	28,160	26,958	24,568	4,300	4,470	3,790	3,649	3,555
Mesa	54,400	55,800	55,910	50,444	47,100	6,910	6,830	6,630	6,183	5,762
Montezuma	25,690	25,850	27,250	26,824	25,465	1,990	2,840	2,850	2,992	1,800
Montrose	35,320	37,710	38,500	44,214	39,264	4,490	4,400	4,110	3,841	3,483
Ouray	8,750	9,140	9,640	10,076	9,732	430	380	340	358	322
San Juan	190	200	230	213	220	10	10	10	9	
San Miguel	6,010	6,180	6,550	6,676	5,533	400	350	280	392	308
Total W. Central and S. W. District	249,100	254,710	263,770	262,975	244,298	27,540	28,390	26,150	25,386	22,692
Alamosa	22,040	24,510	23,200	21,367	19,488	1,560	1,580	1,510	1,575	1,604
Conjoes	24,330	24,760	28,430	25,557	25,023	1,550	1,470	1,310	1,394	1,500
Castilla	6,860	6,880	7,870	13,296	7,689	380	400	290	257	187
Mineral	1,200	1,100	1,110	2,517	2,674	60	70	70	80	62
Rio Grande	15,310	15,900	15,840	14,214	14,991	1,350	1,220	1,150	984	877
Saguache	27,040	29,330	30,150	30,334	26,751	1,070	900	870	756	726
Total S. Central District	96,780	102,480	106,600	107,285	96,616	5,970	5,640	5,200	5,046	4,956
Baca	33,210	31,380	40,980	41,879	30,518	3,020	2,730	2,330	2,371	1,970
Bent	36,970	32,350	29,880	33,412	28,868	1,740	1,680	1,510	1,445	1,368
Crowley	25,640	22,850	20,467	21,367	18,923	1,360	1,380	1,300	1,059	864
Custer	17,450	18,270	15,750	15,207	14,235	1,900	1,820	1,400	1,473	1,471
Fremont	21,630	19,940	18,840	18,603	17,982	1,700	1,950	1,760	1,677	1,737
Huerfano	27,920	27,500	30,620	30,652	28,357	1,740	1,530	1,470	1,277	1,212
Las Animas	75,510	75,110	76,380	85,942	80,537	2,010	2,020	2,040	1,689	1,689
Otero	60,700	51,460	43,480	54,224	57,964	2,830	2,720	2,380	1,961	1,609
Prowers	41,300	41,960	42,970	37,807	36,116	2,500	2,520	2,150	1,875	1,633
Pueblo	52,620	48,950	49,890	49,829	47,603	4,550	4,450	4,410	3,836	4,541
Total Southeast District	392,950	369,770	369,250	388,922	361,103	23,350	22,800	20,750	18,803	18,094
State Total	2,160,920	2,086,150	2,054,200	2,054,000	1,974,000	175,360	177,140	168,060	163,000	161,000

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LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, 1949-1958
 (Estimated Number and Value January 1)

Year	COLORADO			UNITED STATES		
	Number Thousands	Farm Value		Number Thousands	Farm Value	
		Per Head Dollars	Total 1,000 Dollars		Per Head Dollars	Total 1,000 Dollars
HORSES AND MULES¹						
1949.....	134	31.00	4,140	8,498	70.60	599,819
1950.....	125	30.00	3,806	7,781	61.30	476,683
1951.....	115	27.00	3,105	7,036	54.60	384,081
1952.....	101	31.00	3,131	6,150	53.90	331,790
1953.....	91	35.00	3,185	5,403	53.00	286,434
1954.....	82	36.00	2,952	4,791	52.90	253,435
1955.....	75	42.00	3,150	4,309	56.20	242,104
1956.....	72	50.00	3,600	3,928	62.60	245,919
1957.....	70	60.00	4,200	3,574	71.60	256,020
1958.....	69	76.00	5,244	3,348	83.90	280,942
ALL CATTLE AND CALVES						
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.....	1,890	168.00	317,520	82,083	160.00	13,173,872
1952.....	2,098	177.00	371,346	88,072	179.00	15,751,726
1953.....	2,161	117.00	252,837	94,241	128.00	12,044,722
1954.....	2,096	88.00	184,448	95,679	92.00	8,804,396
1955.....	2,054	88.00	180,752	96,592	88.20	8,517,027
1956.....	2,054	84.00	172,536	96,804	88.00	8,523,592
1957.....	1,974	82.00	161,868	94,502	91.60	8,652,790
1958.....	1,910	123.00	234,930	93,967	120.00	11,234,712
COWS AND HEIFERS, TWO YEARS OLD AND OLDER, KEPT FOR MILK						
1949.....	196	200.00	39,200	23,862	193.00	4,615,403
1950.....	192	195.00	37,400	23,853	177.00	4,218,617
1951.....	186	240.00	44,640	23,568	219.00	5,152,069
1952.....	173	264.00	45,672	23,060	252.00	5,800,762
1953.....	175	199.00	34,825	23,549	203.00	4,769,389
1954.....	177	155.00	27,435	23,896	147.00	3,510,972
1955.....	168	140.00	23,520	23,462	134.00	3,148,392
1956.....	163	138.00	22,494	23,213	139.00	3,219,651
1957.....	161	137.00	22,057	22,916	147.00	3,365,591
1958.....	156	183.00	28,548	22,357	176.00	3,932,429
HOGS AND PIGS						
1949.....	325	34.80	11,310	58,257	38.30	2,154,480
1950.....	338	24.60	8,315	58,937	27.10	1,599,923
1951.....	318	31.20	9,922	62,269	33.30	2,073,425
1952.....	299	25.60	7,654	62,117	29.90	1,859,753
1953.....	209	20.40	4,264	51,755	26.10	1,350,424
1954.....	157	32.00	5,024	45,114	36.60	1,649,313
1955.....	181	26.00	4,705	50,474	30.60	1,542,285
1956.....	195	13.50	3,022	55,173	17.70	978,397
1957.....	177	20.40	3,611	51,703	24.70	1,275,029
1958.....	177	27.40	4,850	51,559	30.10	1,552,767
STOCK SHEEP AND LAMBS						
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	27,251	26.50	721,569
1952.....	1,299	34.10	44,296	27,944	28.00	783,253
1953.....	1,299	16.20	23,642	27,593	15.70	434,497
1954.....	1,293	13.30	19,783	27,079	13.80	375,018
1955.....	1,241	16.20	20,104	27,137	14.90	403,524
1956.....	1,216	14.50	17,632	27,012	14.30	384,984
1957.....	1,216	15.50	18,848	26,538	14.90	396,108
1958.....	1,252	22.30	27,920	27,390	19.40	530,056

¹Includes colts.

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS JANUARY 1, BY CLASSES

CATTLE AND CALVES									
Year	Total Thousands	Kept for Milk			Other Cattle				
		Cows 2 Years and Over Thousands	Heifers 1 to 2 Years Thousands	Heifer Calves Thousands	Cows 2 Years and Over Thousands	Heifers 1 to 2 Years Thousands	Calves Thousands	Steers 1 Year and Over Thousands	Bulls 1 Year and Over Thousands
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	173	55	59	737	222	493	313	46
1953.....	2,161	175	48	58	756	238	514	324	48
1954.....	2,096	177	48	54	804	208	515	240	50
1955.....	2,054	168	43	55	752	236	524	229	47
1956.....	2,054	163	46	53	745	228	536	238	45
1957.....	1,974	161	40	49	685	273	507	217	42
1958.....	1,910	156	40	47	688	270	495	174	40

SHEEP AND LAMBS									
Year	All Sheep Thousands	On Feed Thousands	Total Thousands	Stock Sheep					
				Lambs		1 Year and Over			
				Ewes Thousands	Wethers and Rams Thousands	Ewes Thousands	Rams Thousands	Wethers Thousands	
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.....	1,855	556	1,299	159	10	1,091	36	3	
1954.....	1,798	505	1,293	146	10	1,098	36	3	
1955.....	1,783	542	1,241	131	10	1,063	34	3	
1956.....	1,726	510	1,216	134	9	1,038	32	3	
1957.....	1,766	550	1,216	144	9	1,028	32	3	
1958.....	1,756	504	1,252	181	7	1,028	33	3	

HOGS				
Year	Total Thousands	Under 6 Months Thousands	6 Months and Over	
			Sows and Gilt Thousands	Other Thousands
1950.....	338	183	47	108
1951.....	318	168	46	104
1952.....	299	165	34	100
1953.....	209	126	20	63
1954.....	157	90	24	43
1955.....	181	103	25	53
1956.....	195	115	25	55
1957.....	177	106	24	47
1958.....	177	105	25	47

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN COLORADO^{1 2}

Year	CATTLE		CALVES		SHEEP AND LAMBS		HOGS	
	Number Slaugh- tered Head	Total Liveweight 1,000 Pounds	Number Slaugh- tered Head	Total Liveweight 1,000 Pounds	Number Slaugh- tered Head	Total Liveweight 1,000 Pounds	Number Slaugh- tered Head	Total Live- weight 1,000 Pounds
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	36,600	13,730	581,000	60,505	782,000	190,139
1953.....	743,000	717,812	61,600	20,919	740,000	73,937	627,000	149,932
1954.....	824,000	786,488	63,400	21,346	750,000	74,811	588,000	142,422
1955.....	899,000	851,552	60,900	21,809	880,000	87,955	661,000	157,989
1956.....	954,000	917,714	60,500	22,853	1,131,000	112,762	697,000	159,976
1957.....	857,000	825,886	39,900	15,490	1,132,000	113,647	589,000	140,564

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN UNITED STATES^{1 2}

Year	CATTLE		CALVES		SHEEP AND LAMBS		HOGS	
	Federally Inspected Thousands	Total Thousands	Federally Inspected Thousands	Total Thousands	Federally Inspected Thousands	Total Thousands	Federally Inspected Thousands	Total Thousands
1950.....	13,103	17,901	5,850	9,973	11,739	12,852	56,964	69,543
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.....	17,629	23,605	7,013	11,668	14,283	15,967	53,813	66,913
1954.....	18,476	25,017	7,573	12,746	14,148	15,920	52,894	64,827
1955.....	19,055	25,722	7,499	12,377	14,383	16,215	61,370	74,216
1956.....	20,186	26,862	7,843	12,512	14,228	15,993	65,748	78,513
1957.....	19,454	26,232	7,324	11,904	13,234	14,957	60,682	72,595

¹Excludes farm slaughter.²Calendar year totals.

WOOL PRODUCTION—1937-1957

Year	COLORADO					UNITED STATES		
	Sheep Shorn 1,000	Wt. per Fleece Pounds	Production 1,000 Pounds	Value		Shorn 1,000 Pounds	Pulled 1,000 Pounds	Wt. Per Fleece Pounds
				Per Pound Dollars	Total 1,000 Dollars			
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	216,944	32,400	8.2
1951	1,200	9.6	11,580	1.00	11,580	228,091	25,900	8.3
1952	1,286	9.1	11,688	.52	6,078	233,309	33,600	8.3
1953	1,286	9.0	11,636	.52	6,051	232,258	42,200	8.3
1954	1,283	9.3	11,879	.50	5,940	235,807	43,500	8.5
1955	1,217	9.5	11,518	.41	4,722	234,058	41,600	8.6
1956	1,243	9.1	11,280	.43	4,850	238,569	40,500	8.4
1957	1,243	9.0	11,155	.53 ¹	5,912 ²	235,366	33,600	8.3

¹Average for 10-month period only (April 1957-January 1958).²1957 production multiplied by 10 months (April 1957-January 1958) average price.

BEES, HONEY AND BEESWAX—1937-1957

Year	Colonies of Bees 1,000	Honey				Beeswax		
		Pounds per Colony	Production 1,000 Pounds	Value—Dollars		Pounds per Colony	Production 1,000 Pounds	Average Price per Pound Cents
				Per Pound	Total			
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	896,000	1.8	121	39.0
1954	68	56	3,808	.151	575,000	1.1	72	45.0
1955	65	85	5,525	.160	884,000	1.7	110	53.0
1956	66	62	4,092	.170	696,000	1.2	82	56.0
1957	67	62	4,154	.164	681,000	1.2	79	58.0

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

**CATTLE AND SHEEP AND LAMBS FED IN TRANSIT
(EXCLUDING ANIMALS GRAZED IN TRANSIT),¹ 1951-1957**
(Compiled from Reports of the Colorado Tax Commission)

COUNTY	CATTLE							SHEEP AND LAMBS						
	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
	(In Thousands of Head)							(In Thousands of Head)						
Adams	8	5	6	6	5	8	10	7	20	6	11	8	2	9
Boulder	14	20	16	21	16	19	16	3	2	2	1	.....	1	1
Larimer	18	23	16	18	23	23	26	63	83	80	93	79	76	88
Logan	18	23	21	15	17	18	20	4	10	4	1	2	3	2
Morgan	37	48	61	59	63	63	53	25	47	38	14	18	10	13
San Juan	5	5	5	5	6	5	6	3	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.....	1	1	1	1	.....	.....
Weld	158	165	162	153	144	154	169	158	229	216	160	180	162	194
Total Northern Colorado Area	263	295	291	282	278	295	301	262	395	352	282	290	251	307
Bent	2	3	9	6	4	6	4	14	16	13	13	16	22	24
Crowley	4	5	6	4	3	4	4	5	14	3	3	2	1	.....
Otero	8	17	16	9	4	11	16	15	19	20	13	2	2	16
Prowers	5	4	3	5	6	4	7	42	94	18	49	21	24	42
Pueblo	3	5	5	5	7	5	5	5	13	13	5	7	7	6
Total Arkansas Valley Area	25	37	41	32	28	34	36	84	160	69	86	48	56	88
State Total	294	338	338	318	313	340	348	353	569	426	379	347	324	403

¹These 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 number fed see below. 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.

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
1950	180	19	3	4	206	4,390
1951	200	22	3	4	229	4,534
1952	260	33	3	4	300	4,961
1953	260	30	3	3	296	5,754
1954	213	26	3	3	245	5,364
1955	238	30	4	3	275	5,786
1956	197	29	5	4	235	5,880
1957	210	29	3	4	246	6,067
1958	208	32	5	6	251	5,867

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
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	411	85	.....	20	40	556	4,307
1954	320	120	.....	30	35	505	4,277
1955	397	95	.....	35	15	542	4,445
1956	350	130	.....	20	10	510	4,261
1957	377	145	.....	18	10	550	4,302
1958	340	140	.....	12	12	504	3,938

**CATTLE ON GRAIN FEED FOR MARKET
COLORADO**

Year and Months	Number on Feed Thousand Head	Kinds of Cattle on Feed				Length of Time on Feed First of Month		
		Steers Thousand Head	Heifers Thousand Head	Calves Thousand Head	Cows and Others Thousand Head	Under 3 Months Thousand Head	3-6 Months Thousand Head	Over 6 Months Thousand Head
1956—Jan. 1	235	112	108	14	1	146	84	5
Apr. 1	193	99	81	13	1	82	98	13
July 1	162	55	102	5	1	99	46	17
Oct. 1	194	68	122	4	1	136	50	8
1957—Jan. 1	246	98	129	18	1	137	103	6
Apr. 1	222	102	97	23	1	89	124	9
July 1	179	69	107	3	1	94	56	29
Oct. 1	181	54	125	2	1	113	59	9
1958—Jan. 1	251	90	134	24	3	148	99	4
Apr. 1	231	104	112	14	1	112	110	9

Year and Months	Number on Feed by Weight Groups					Placements and Marketings		
	Under 600 lbs. Thousand Head	600-900 lbs. Thousand Head	900-1100 lbs. Thousand Head	1100-1300 lbs. Thousand Head	Over 1300 lbs. Thousand Head	Placed on Feed Past 3 Months Thousand Head	Marketed During Past 3 Months Thousand Head	Short Feds ¹ Thousand Head
1956—Jan. 1	14	130	70	20	1	154	85	8
Apr. 1	15	72	73	26	7	88	130	6
July 1	5	101	43	13	1	117	148	18
Oct. 1	7	122	55	10	1	142	110	6
1957—Jan. 1	21	137	67	20	1	143	91	6
Apr. 1	24	95	79	22	2	92	116	3
July 1	8	110	39	20	2	93	142	5
Oct. 1	7	127	41	6	1	119	117	6
1958—Jan. 1	30	140	63	16	2	153	83	5
Apr. 1	29	110	74	18	1	119	139	7

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Year and Months	Number on Feed Thousand Head	Kinds of Cattle on Feed				Length of time on Feed First of Month		
		Steers Thousand Head	Heifers Thousand Head	Calves Thousand Head	Cows and Others Thousand Head	Under 3 Months Thousand Head	3-6 Months Thousand Head	Over 6 Months Thousand Head
1956—Jan. 1	4,958	2,810	1,025	1,067	56	3,622	1,137	199
Apr. 1	4,222	2,619	856	721	26	1,619	2,378	225
July 1	3,397	2,311	942	133	11	1,407	1,087	903
Oct. 1	3,618	2,399	983	214	22	2,205	733	680
1957—Jan. 1	5,161	2,819	1,088	1,185	69	3,705	1,280	176
Apr. 1	4,375	2,719	949	683	24	1,614	2,515	246
July 1	3,678	2,469	1,082	109	18	1,456	1,178	1,044
Oct. 1	3,211	2,128	906	163	14	1,787	749	675
1958—Jan. 1	4,993	2,683	1,037	1,225	48	3,879	936	178
Apr. 1	4,896	2,997	1,048	821	30	2,066	2,647	183

Year and Months	Number on Feed by Weight Groups					Placements and Marketings		
	Under 600 lbs. Thousand Head	600-900 lbs. Thousand Head	900-1100 lbs. Thousand Head	1100-1300 lbs. Thousand Head	Over 1300 lbs. Thousand Head	Placed on Feed Past 3 Months Thousand Head	Marketed During the Past 3 Months Thousand Head	Short Feds ¹ Thousand Head
1956—Jan. 1	1,423	2,171	1,051	270	43	3,791	2,337	169
Apr. 1	905	1,980	1,092	210	35	1,728	2,464	109
July 1	215	2,093	810	261	18	1,538	2,363	131
Oct. 1	384	1,778	1,193	245	18	2,387	2,166	182
1957—Jan. 1	1,541	2,248	1,071	278	23	3,862	2,319	157
Apr. 1	916	2,156	1,060	221	22	1,723	2,509	109
July 1	224	2,267	864	301	22	1,583	2,280	127
Oct. 1	277	1,566	1,145	208	15	1,903	2,370	116
1958—Jan. 1	1,555	2,238	924	249	27	4,037	2,255	158
Apr. 1	1,081	2,486	1,117	206	6	2,213	2,310	147

¹Short fed cattle are defined as those placed on feed and marketed within 3 months.

²See page 82 for U. S. totals January 1.

DAIRY PRODUCTS, SALES PRICE AND VALUE; VALUE OF PRODUCTS CONSUMED IN THE FARM HOUSEHOLD; AND GROSS FARM INCOME FROM DAIRY PRODUCTS—1948-1957

Year	Farm Butter Sold			Cream Sold to Plants, Dealers, etc., (As Butterfat)			Milk Sold to Plants, Dealers, etc., at Wholesale		
	Quantity Sold Pounds (1000)	Price Per Pound Cents	Value of Sales Dollars (1000)	Quantity Butterfat Sold Pounds(1000)	Price Per Pound Butterfat Cents	Value of Sales Dollars (1000)	Quantity Sold Million Pounds	Price Per 100 Lbs. Dollars	Value of Sales Dollars (1000)
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	9,630	70	6,741	420	4.88	20,496
1952.....	.....	.....	.....	9,010	73	6,577	430	5.28	22,704
1953.....	.....	.....	.....	7,530	64	4,819	510	4.82	24,582
1954.....	.....	.....	.....	7,820	57	4,457	540	4.49	24,246
1955.....	.....	.....	.....	7,240	57	4,127	548	4.64	25,427
1956.....	.....	.....	.....	6,880	59	4,059	544	4.69	25,514
1957.....	.....	.....	.....	6,700	59	3,953	565	4.83	27,290

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 Dollars (1000)	Gross Farm Income from Dairy Products ³ Dollars (1000)	
	Quantity Sold, Milk Equiv. Million Quarts	Price Per Quart Cents	Value of Sales Dollars (1000)	Milk Utilized Million Pounds	Average Returns ¹				Value of Sales (Cash Income) Dollars (1000)
					Per 100 Lbs. Milk Dollars	Per Lb. Butterfat Cents			
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	4.28	113	31,094	5,179	36,273
1952.....	18	21.8	3,924	717	4.63	122	35,205	5,139	38,344
1953.....	16	22.3	3,568	753	4.38	117	32,969	4,468	37,437
1954.....	14	22.6	3,164	786	4.05	109	31,867	3,928	35,795
1955.....	13	23.0	2,990	775	4.20	114	32,544	4,032	36,576
1956.....	11	23.3	2,563	758	4.24	116	32,136	3,986	36,122
1957.....	10	23.7	2,370	772	4.35	119	33,613	3,828	37,441

¹Computed 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.

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

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

MILK—PRODUCTION OF MILK ON FARMS, 1948-1957

Year	Number of Milk Cows on Farms ¹ Thousands	Production Per Milk Cow ²		Percentage of Butterfat in Milk Per Cent	Total Production on Farms		Butter Churned on Farms	
		Milk Pounds	Butterfat Pounds		Milk Million Pounds	Butterfat in Milk Million Pounds	Milk Used Million Pounds	Butter Made Million Pounds
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.....	164	5,400	205	3.8	886	34	32	1,400
1952.....	157	5,500	209	3.8	864	33	27	1,200
1953.....	160	5,570	209	3.8	891	33	23	1,000
1954.....	160	5,750	213	3.7	920	34	23	1,000
1955.....	154	5,900	218	3.7	909	34	21	950
1956.....	148	6,000	219	3.6	888	32	20	900
1957.....	146	6,140	224	3.6	896	33	19	830

¹Average number on farms during year, heifers that have not freshened are excluded.

²Excludes milk sucked by calves and milk produced by cows not on farms.

MILK—DISPOSITION AND INCOME FROM MILK PRODUCED ON FARMS, 1948-1957

Year	Milk Fed or Consumed on Farms Where Produced			Total Used on Farms Million Pounds	Milk Sold or Utilized for Producing Dairy Products Sold from Farms				
	Fed to Calves	Consumed in the Farm Household			For Farm Churned Butter Sold ¹	For Wholesale Deliveries to Plants, Dealers, etc.		For Retail Sales of Milk and Cream by Farmers ²	Total Utilized for Products Sold
		As Milk or Cream	As Farm Butter			As Cream	As Milk		
1948.....	39	107	39	185	4	300	374	53	731
1949.....	38	98	32	168	3	288	400	47	738
1950.....	39	89	34	162	3	317	400	43	760
1951.....	38	89	32	159	2	266	420	41	727
1952.....	36	84	27	147	.....	249	430	38	717
1953.....	36	79	23	138	.....	208	510	35	753
1954.....	37	74	23	134	.....	216	540	30	786
1955.....	38	75	21	134	.....	200	548	27	775
1956.....	36	74	20	130	.....	190	544	24	758
1957.....	36	69	19	124	.....	185	565	22	772

¹Farm butter sold, not reported after 1951.

²Approximations based chiefly on population in small towns and rural areas where most families purchase.

DAIRY PRODUCTS: QUANTITIES MANUFACTURED, 1949-1956

COLORADO

PRODUCT	1949 1,000 lbs.	1950 1,000 lbs.	1951 1,000 lbs.	1952 1,000 lbs.	1953 1,000 lbs.	1954 1,000 lbs.	1955 1,000 lbs.	1956 1,000 lbs.
Creamery Butter	13,662	16,283	15,591	13,405	16,347	16,770	14,431	13,622
American Cheese, all ¹	1,084	1,879	836	375	2,421	2,448	1,132	1,038
Italian Cheese, all	193							
Total Cheese ²	1,779	2,042	993	445	2,480	2,518	1,259	1,080
Cottage Cheese (Curd)	2,969	3,241	3,263	3,713	4,548	5,046	5,905	7,129
Condensed Milk (sweetened)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	2,317	1,898	810	921	2,373	1,487	1,096	1,310
Bulk Goods (unskimmed)								
Plain Condensed Milk (unsweetened)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	880	917			929	3,132	3,638	3,311
Bulk Goods (unskimmed)								
Evaporated Milk (unsweetened)								
Case Goods (unskimmed)								
Condensed or Evaporated								
Buttermilk								
Dry or Powdered Buttermilk	580							
Total Ice Cream								
(gallons not pounds)	5,275	5,471	5,597	5,846	5,544	5,837	5,969	6,213

UNITED STATES

PRODUCT	1949 1,000 lbs.	1950 1,000 lbs.	1951 1,000 lbs.	1952 1,000 lbs.	1953 1,000 lbs.	1954 1,000 lbs.	1955 1,000 lbs.	1956 1,000 lbs.
Creamery Butter	1,412,111	1,386,408	1,202,981	1,188,170	1,412,109	1,448,872	1,382,914	1,409,868
Renovated or Process Butter	1,419	1,306	903					
American Cheese:								
Whole Milk	935,206	892,706	873,458	849,817	1,021,056	1,042,345	1,004,269	991,193
Part Skim	769	2,319	888	1,309	1,417	2,378	1,105	2,395
Swiss Cheese (including block)	81,043	99,483	92,049	108,032	103,780	113,525	116,664	123,151
Brick and Munster Cheese	30,376	30,148	31,880	33,821	36,717	40,877	44,289	45,213
Limburger Cheese	7,180	6,003	6,539	6,091	5,752	5,018	4,943	4,642
Cream and Neufchatel Cheese	58,495	68,753	73,563	78,139	78,285	79,238	80,174	87,919
All Italian Varieties of Cheese	54,863	61,704	57,215	60,875	68,417	71,404	86,018	101,842
Blue Mold Cheese	8,141	7,657	5,451	10,883	9,554	9,519	10,047	10,663
All Other Varieties of Cheese	23,369	22,714	20,261	21,295	19,422	18,930	19,384	19,632
Total Cheese ²	1,199,442	1,191,487	1,161,304	1,170,262	1,344,400	1,383,234	1,366,893	1,386,550
Full Skim American Type Cheese	1,251	1,774	1,302	896	749	393	2,526	3,247
Cottage Cheese (curd)	283,938	322,803	359,671	374,869	403,822	433,034	458,616	526,296
Cottage Cheese (creamed)	287,067	352,428	404,997	445,704	500,790	534,338	569,298	653,599
Condensed Milk (sweetened)								
Case Goods (skimmed)		91	1,475					
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	100,902	61,973	58,933	54,438	41,464	25,229	33,681	69,725
Bulk Goods (unskimmed)	215,295	210,637	207,295	166,806	134,265	100,727	88,392	77,414
Bulk Goods (unskimmed)	47,179	39,210	42,705	47,719	49,457	37,280	42,124	48,437
Plain Condensed Milk (unsweetened)								
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	537,668	523,182	487,157	510,102	581,088	645,248	647,710	654,458
Bulk Goods (unskimmed)	202,851	221,724	230,143	222,607	231,149	248,209	266,495	290,487
Evaporated Milk (unsweetened)								
Case Goods (unskimmed)	2,755,780	2,882,475	2,896,386	2,840,036	2,553,339	2,534,115	2,579,831	2,540,141
Condensed or Evaporated								
Buttermilk	178,383	183,470	174,652	154,452	132,657	123,379	62,852	49,691
Dry Buttermilk	49,359	48,837	45,467	47,067	57,424	56,261	58,333	64,258
Dry Whole Milk	125,541	124,986	131,017	101,732	104,352	94,349	110,018	111,278
Nonfat Dry Milk for Human Food	934,934	881,492	702,476	863,220	1,213,774	1,402,449	1,403,773	1,544,581
Dry Cream	178	459	1,070	874	717	839	782	756
Dry Casein	18,348	18,531	21,620	7,482	5,532	5,175	3,147	2,533
Malted Milk Powder	25,369	30,710	33,391	29,811	32,482	31,415	33,536	31,223
Total Ice Cream (1,000 gal.)	558,054	554,351	568,849	592,705	605,051	596,821	628,525	640,884

¹Includes whole milk American but not part skim or full skim American Type.²Excludes full skim American and cottage cheese.

MONTHLY CREAMERY BUTTER AND ICE CREAM PRODUCTION, 1945-1957

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)														
1945	50	1,177	1,172	1,379	1,456	1,807	2,069	1,952	1,587	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	1,536	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
1954	29	1,319	1,306	1,493	1,521	1,734	1,802	1,626	1,485	1,214	1,032	971	1,267	16,770
1955	29	1,118	1,103	1,235	1,252	1,335	1,551	1,478	1,329	1,048	923	883	1,176	14,431
1956	29	971	1,010	1,149	1,186	1,424	1,462	1,328	1,240	975	904	874	1,099	13,622
1957 ¹	27	915	880	1,040	1,090	1,220	1,330	1,320	1,120	880	780	735	990	12,300
ICE CREAM PRODUCTION—1945-1956 (In thousands of gallons, 000 omitted)														
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	237	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
1954	214	360	418	423	456	508	590	663	628	521	470	417	383	5,837
1955	164	346	361	464	499	561	584	667	695	533	489	393	376	5,968
1956	137	435	399	492	510	605	658	623	640	507	526	433	385	6,213

¹Preliminary.COLORADO COMPARED TO PRINCIPAL MILK PRODUCING STATES—1956
MILK COWS, MILK PRODUCTION, AND MANUFACTURED DAIRY PRODUCTS

	Colo.	Calif.	Iowa	Minn.	N. Y.	Penn.	Wis.	U. S.
Milk Cows ¹ , 1,000 head	148	855	1,004	1,386	1,365	943	2,293	20,900
Total Milk Produced on Farms (mil. lbs.)	888	7,344	6,305	9,369	10,033	6,469	16,922	125,474
Manufactured Products								
Creamery Butter, 1,000 lbs.	13,622	22,713	191,908	306,108	28,403	12,578	246,927	1,409,868
Total Cheese ² , 1,000 lbs.	1,080	15,839	29,257	69,075	102,793	10,505	602,213	1,386,650
Cottage Cheese, 1,000 lbs.								
Curd	7,129	79,741	9,437	11,733	70,393	25,093	34,262	526,296
Creamed	9,123	104,691	10,840	15,738	72,558	29,681	39,258	653,599
Condensed Milk (sweetened) 1,000 lbs.								
Bulk Goods (unskimmed)	(³)	899			870	1,724	17,539	48,437
Bulk Goods (skimmed)	1,310	2,675	141	(³)	7,503	13,101	13,565	77,414
Frozen Products & Mix, 1,000 gal.								
Total Ice Cream	6,213	48,485	12,515	16,748	65,741	73,217	20,810	640,884
Ice Milk	2,400	20,428	2,472	1,422	(⁴)	1,615	1,718	102,273
Milk Sherbet	463	4,203	534	675	2,148	1,966	549	36,062
Water Ices	254	2,432	229	561	2,953	2,526	717	27,358
Ice Cream Mix	3,190	24,407	6,097	9,570	36,541	39,777	12,238	341,744
Ice Milk Mix	1,542	12,724	1,720	1,438		334	1,307	61,404
Milk Sherbet Mix	262	2,472	237	453	1,583	965	231	21,654

¹Average number on farms during year excluding heifers not yet fresh.²Excludes full-skim American and cottage cheese.³Production for state not shown when less than 3 plants reported.⁴Product not permitted by law in 1956.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS
STATE OF COLORADO
MONTHLY EGG PRODUCTION, 1949-1957

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
NUMBER OF LAYERS (Average Number on Hand During Month) Thousands												
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	2,714	2,438	2,542	2,556
1952	2,541	2,450	2,282	2,158	2,082	1,990	1,882	1,881	2,034	2,187	2,218	2,171
1953	2,126	2,012	1,882	1,826	1,824	1,768	1,683	1,726	1,911	2,068	2,125	2,097
1954	2,054	1,974	1,868	1,828	1,775	1,722	1,656	1,656	1,844	2,030	2,084	2,057
1955	2,004	1,954	1,877	1,800	1,711	1,608	1,596	1,648	1,777	1,944	1,982	1,930
1956	1,869	1,821	1,784	1,748	1,698	1,650	1,626	1,638	1,734	1,832	1,856	1,832
1957	1,820	1,796	1,725	1,617	1,569	1,557	1,486	1,474	1,557	1,628	1,652	1,663

EGGS PER 100 LAYERS Number												
1949	1,057	1,210	1,711	1,818	1,922	1,782	1,655	1,463	1,206	1,023	915	998
1950	1,159	1,361	1,773	1,779	1,829	1,633	1,575	1,451	1,218	1,070	960	1,104
1951	1,302	1,341	1,736	1,824	1,860	1,686	1,578	1,407	1,200	1,122	1,020	1,097
1952	1,352	1,560	1,820	1,836	1,910	1,737	1,606	1,401	1,188	1,166	1,116	1,224
1953	1,454	1,476	1,795	1,848	1,866	1,692	1,652	1,550	1,380	1,339	1,254	1,308
1954	1,445	1,512	1,823	1,821	1,891	1,740	1,628	1,451	1,266	1,265	1,311	1,414
1955	1,457	1,411	1,745	1,827	1,876	1,746	1,668	1,500	1,350	1,348	1,272	1,339
1956	1,469	1,520	1,829	1,899	1,944	1,770	1,733	1,637	1,446	1,364	1,218	1,302
1957	1,438	1,484	1,829	1,824	1,885	1,764	1,752	1,649	1,470	1,404	1,242	1,333

TOTAL EGGS PRODUCED Millions												
1949	28	31	43	44	45	39	33	29	28	27	25	28
1950	33	38	48	47	46	39	36	33	30	28	26	29
1951	34	34	43	43	40	34	30	27	33	27	26	28
1952	34	38	42	40	40	35	30	26	24	26	25	27
1953	31	30	34	34	34	30	28	27	26	28	27	27
1954	30	30	34	33	34	30	27	24	23	26	27	29
1955	29	28	33	33	32	28	27	25	24	26	25	26
1956	27	28	33	33	33	29	28	27	25	25	23	24
1957	26	27	32	29	30	27	26	24	23	23	21	22

EGGS—FARM PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND INCOME, 1950-1957

Year	Avg. No. of Layers During Year Thousands	Eggs Per Layer Number	Eggs				Price Per Dozen Cents	Value of Eggs Produced 1,000 Dollars	Cash Income From Sales 1,000 Dollars	Value of Eggs Consumed on Farms 1,000 Dollars	Gross Income 1,000 Dollars
			Total Produced Millions	Used for Farm Hatching Millions	Consumed on Farms Millions	Sold Millions					
COLORADO											
1950	2,572	168	433	1	72	360	33.5	12,088	10,050	2,010	12,060
1951	2,356	169	399	1	67	331	45.5	15,129	12,550	2,540	15,090
1952	2,156	179	387	1	62	324	39.9	12,868	10,773	2,062	12,835
1953	1,921	185	356	1	55	300	46.4	13,765	11,600	2,127	13,727
1954	1,879	185	347	0	54	293	36.3	10,497	8,863	1,634	10,497
1955	1,819	185	336	0	53	283	38.3	10,724	9,032	1,692	10,724
1956	1,757	191	335	0	52	283	38.3	10,692	9,032	1,660	10,692
1957	1,629	190	310	0	51	259	34.5	8,912	7,446	1,466	8,912

UNITED STATES											
1950	339,540	174	58,954	162	6,604	52,188	36.3	1,783,358	1,578,632	193,939	1,772,571
1951	327,831	177	58,063	140	6,065	51,857	47.7	2,308,004	2,062,411	235,342	2,297,753
1952	320,491	181	58,068	120	5,939	52,009	41.6	2,013,024	1,801,231	200,532	2,001,763
1953	312,086	185	57,891	104	5,578	52,209	47.7	2,301,167	2,073,381	215,698	2,289,079
1954	314,153	188	56,933	87	5,530	53,316	36.6	1,797,456	1,627,391	167,957	1,795,348
1955	309,104	192	59,496	75	5,534	53,876	38.9	1,928,662	1,745,927	175,810	1,921,737
1956	309,945	196	60,877	75	5,514	55,288	38.7	1,963,283	1,784,434	176,688	1,961,122
1957	304,826	198	60,448	59	5,468	54,921	35.2	1,773,141	1,609,367	158,646	1,768,013

COMMERCIAL HATCHERY AND BROILER PRODUCTION AND CASH RECEIPTS FROM POULTRY AND EGGS, 1942-1957
CHICKS HATCHED BY COMMERCIAL HATCHERIES

Year	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
In Thousands (000 Omitted)												
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	618	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
1955.....	260	575	1,220	1,200	780	280	165	60	46	44	51	40
1956.....	225	740	1,335	1,263	872	320	242	215	121	165	157	94
1957.....	290	625	1,053	946	553	348	212	135	174	155	149	144

COMMERCIAL BROILER PRODUCTION AND GROSS INCOME, 1947-1957¹

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)
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	631,458	1,944,524	27.4	532,652
1951.....	2,129	6,387	31.0	1,980	788,601	2,414,767	28.5	689,317
1952.....	2,129	6,174	31.0	1,914	860,891	2,623,934	28.8	756,182
1953.....	2,278	6,606	30.0	1,982	946,533	2,904,174	27.1	786,324
1954.....	2,210	6,409	29.7	1,903	1,047,798	3,236,248	23.1	746,891
1955.....	1,945	6,030	29.0	1,749	1,091,684	3,349,555	25.2	843,953
1956.....	1,459	4,523	25.0	1,131	1,343,660	4,269,502	19.6	838,450
1957.....	1,240	3,968	20.7	821	1,451,661	4,692,603	18.9	887,303

CASH RECEIPTS FROM POULTRY AND EGGS, 1942-1957

Year	Form Chickens	Commercial Broilers	All Chickens	Eggs	Turkeys	All Poultry and Eggs
In Thousands of Dollars (000 Omitted)						
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	4,463	11,881	5,030	21,742
1950.....	2,664	1,472	4,136	10,050	4,562	18,748
1951.....	3,074	1,980	5,054	12,550	5,278	22,882
1952.....	1,932	1,914	3,846	10,773	4,568	19,187
1953.....	1,694	1,982	3,676	11,600	4,393	19,669
1954.....	1,440	1,903	3,343	8,863	5,055	17,261
1955.....	992	1,749	2,741	9,032	4,783	16,556
1956.....	1,111	1,131	2,242	9,032	5,859	17,133
1957.....	564	821	1,385	7,446	5,160	13,991

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

CHICKENS ON FARMS JANUARY 1 AND CHICKENS PRODUCED ANNUALLY, 1938-1958

Year	Chickens on Farms—Jan. 1				Chickens Produced on Farms Annually ¹				Chickens Consumed Annually on Farms Where Produced				Chickens Sold From Farms Annually ²				Chickens Raised Number 1,000	Chickens Lost Number 1,000	Average Live Wt. Per Head Sold Pounds
	Hens & Pullets Number 1,000		All Chickens		Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Per Head Cents	Total 1,000 Dollars	Gross Income 1,000 Dollars					
	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Total 1,000 Dollars															
COLORADO																			
1938	2,785	3,050	60	1,830	4,882	2,685	1,914	1,089	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	1,843	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	53	1,825	4,670	3,401	1,796	992	3,673	57	2,106	3,058	6,667	597	3.9				
1942	3,583	3,918	74	2,899	5,070	4,886	1,761	1,091	4,326	73	3,139	4,230	7,734	744	4.1				
1943	4,421	4,821	84	4,339	8,945	8,004	1,690	1,387	6,862	91	6,222	7,609	9,668	723	4.0				
1944	4,782	5,254	104	4,564	9,910	5,374	1,606	1,283	8,554	95	6,279	8,522	9,961	1,051	4.4				
1945	3,744	4,164	104	4,164	7,940	7,549	1,549	1,442	6,289	96	6,009	7,451	8,701	761	3.9				
1946	3,423	4,106	113	4,640	5,572	5,622	1,643	1,598	6,612	102	6,223	8,321	6,352	780	4.0				
1947	3,215	3,423	125	4,279	5,384	5,416	1,630	1,578	3,853	102	3,480	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	3,180	5,189	5,189	635	3.9				
1949	4,163	4,297	150	4,774	5,174	5,174	1,569	1,519	3,515	104	3,593	5,112	5,812	668	3.8				
1950	3,052	3,243	121	4,021	4,240	4,324	1,380	1,421	3,171	84	2,664	3,685	4,824	584	4.2				
1951	2,770	2,932	125	3,665	4,431	4,091	1,329	1,414	3,232	90	3,074	4,215	5,017	566	4.1				
1952	2,680	2,802	125	3,502	3,303	2,498	1,328	942	2,452	70	1,932	2,874	3,863	560	4.0				
1953	2,240	2,325	120	2,790	2,973	2,526	1,135	874	1,885	90	1,694	2,568	3,438	465	4.2				
1954	2,175	2,278	120	2,734	3,291	2,118	1,203	723	2,156	67	1,440	2,163	3,747	456	4.0				
1955	2,129	2,210	118	2,534	3,254	2,118	1,063	621	1,600	62	992	1,613	2,998	464	4.0				
1956	1,987	2,061	105	2,164	2,713	1,654	1,040	582	1,736	64	1,111	1,693	3,148	433	4.0				
1957	1,933	2,000	105	2,100	1,858	934	978	461	1,051	54	564	1,025	2,298	440	4.1				
1958 ³	1,786	1,829	105	1,920	1,585	829	978	461	1,051	54	564	1,025	2,298	440	4.1				
UNITED STATES																			
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	75,502	3.9				
1940	438,288	483,288	60.5	265,000	555,563	283,740	201,164	90,301	369,846	53.9	199,435	291,736	633,705	78,142	4.1				
1941	381,135	422,841	65.4	276,460	664,115	404,835	197,699	102,303	412,322	64.0	263,772	372,075	744,956	80,841	4.1				
1942	476,935	512,843	83.3	397,509	751,843	569,089	393,668	129,116	493,043	78.8	388,729	517,845	844,275	92,433	4.2				
1943	488,959	542,047	104.0	563,986	913,707	904,605	590,620	166,614	682,937	101.9	696,214	862,828	1,001,392	87,685	4.2				
1944	523,580	582,197	118.0	685,901	724,871	685,901	478,670	178,670	619,291	103.8	634,918	790,392	1,001,392	107,192	4.3				
1945	473,880	516,497	121	626,259	799,102	861,592	631,101	175,354	609,271	111.0	676,593	851,947	890,443	91,341	4.3				
1946	523,227	523,227	127	662,734	646,490	748,094	473,063	175,124	529,437	120.7	639,173	814,297	737,632	91,142	4.4				
1947	431,446	467,217	144	672,690	635,729	708,119	61,851	159,271	491,451	115.5	567,839	727,110	719,418	83,689	4.4				
1948	417,570	449,644	144	648,293	536,107	688,372	55,262	168,122	401,613	135.1	542,654	710,776	615,099	78,969	4.5				
1949	399,360	430,876	166	622,904	622,633	633,682	56,216	146,792	400,944	112.6	496,562	643,354	705,099	82,266	4.4				
1950	423,773	456,549	136	622,904	535,266	512,777	52,091	124,436	408,736	101.1	447,384	537,818	619,803	84,537	4.3				
1951	399,338	430,988	136	622,904	539,549	577,907	146,040	132,918	397,942	112.4	447,384	537,818	619,803	84,537	4.3				
1952	397,234	426,555	153	602,940	473,381	447,415	138,266	110,792	363,482	99.6	361,986	472,658	562,943	83,393	4.3				
1953	373,013	398,158	144	581,667	463,691	432,259	128,649	102,361	336,624	103.9	349,783	452,364	547,524	83,663	4.7				
1954	370,970	396,770	143	569,425	454,648	327,193	129,339	79,747	331,677	76.3	252,922	332,669	539,900	85,060	4.5				
1955	366,385	390,708	105	410,741	377,710	303,876	121,366	81,229	284,208	86.4	228,900	309,527	461,868	84,158	4.7				
1956	360,288	382,646	126	481,265	392,924	265,240	123,995	72,799	261,236	72.4	189,164	261,963	478,570	86,046	4.5				
1957	368,602	390,177	117	457,073	308,122	180,780	115,376	57,181	212,408	64.5	136,916	194,097	394,918	86,796	4.8				
1958 ³	372,106	370,475	126	427,274	274,073	180,780	115,376	57,181	212,408	64.5	136,916	194,097	394,918	86,796	4.8				

¹Net production during the calendar year, i.e., chickens sold, consumed in household of farm producers, and the plus or minus change in inventory.
²Value of chickens sold and chickens consumed on farms.
³Preliminary.

TURKEYS ON FARMS JANUARY 1 AND TURKEYS PRODUCED ANNUALLY, 1939-1958

Year	Turkeys on Farms January 1			Turkeys Produced on Farms Annually ¹			Turkeys Consumed Annually on Farms Where Produced			Turkeys Sold from Farms Annually ²				Gross Income 1,000 Dollars	Turkeys Raised Number 1,000	Turkeys Lost Number 1,000	Average Live Weight Per Head Sold Pounds
	Value		Total 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Value 1,000 Dollars	Number 1,000	Per Head Dollars	Value Dollars	Number 1,000	Per Head Dollars	Total 1,000 Dollars				
	Number 1,000	Per Head Dollars															
COLORADO																	
1939	178	2.40	427	1,072	2,359	36	80	944	2.21	2,086	1,082	2,166	10	15.2			
1940	270	2.00	540	911	1,995	33	72	972	2.19	2,127	920	2,199	9	15.3			
1941	176	3.10	370	839	2,584	29	80	757	3.06	2,318	846	2,407	7	16.2			
1942	229	3.10	710	881	3,652	24	105	914	4.37	3,996	888	4,101	7	16.3			
1943	172	4.00	774	852	4,260	21	105	831	5.00	4,195	861	4,260	9	16.5			
1944	194	5.00	860	851	4,801	16	90	878	5.64	4,953	947	5,043	10	17.2			
1945	129	5.10	658	938	5,355	18	103	914	5.71	5,321	900	6,387	8	17.6			
1946	135	5.30	716	892	6,107	18	123	915	6.85	6,264	900	7,155	6	17.5			
1947	602	6.40	1,947	714	4,461	15	94	567	8.15	4,662	720	4,755	2	17.6			
1948	948	6.90	3,244	588	4,792	15	122	567	8.15	4,742	590	4,742	2	17.6			
1949	519	9.00	4,777	759	5,195	13	89	735	6.84	5,030	761	5,119	2	18.7			
1950	64	6.10	390	720	4,562	14	89	720	6.34	4,562	723	4,562	3	18.8			
1951	50	7.00	350	721	5,452	13	98	698	7.56	5,278	723	5,376	2	19.0			
1952	60	7.80	468	722	4,562	11	70	723	6.32	4,568	723	4,638	1	17.6			
1953	48	6.20	298	635	4,394	12	83	635	6.92	4,393	636	4,476	1	19.6			
1954	36	6.80	245	896	5,135	10	57	882	5.73	5,055	897	5,112	1	19.9			
1955	40	5.50	220	859	4,733	11	61	868	5.51	4,783	860	4,844	1	19.2			
1956	40	5.60	212	1,161	5,946	10	51	1,144	5.12	5,859	1,161	5,910	0	19.4			
1957	27	5.30	143	1,183	5,200	12	53	1,174	4.40	5,160	1,184	5,213	1	19.8			
1958 ³	24	5.20	125														
UNITED STATES																	
1939	6,489	2.56	16,615	33,201	78,510	1,297	2,909	29,821	2.37	70,715	33,587	73,024	386	14.9			
1940	8,569	2.14	18,312	33,572	77,738	1,170	2,598	33,778	2.32	78,245	34,047	80,843	475	15.1			
1941	7,183	2.20	16,279	32,497	102,645	996	3,021	31,209	3.15	98,387	32,902	101,408	405	15.9			
1942	7,485	3.08	23,236	32,359	144,332	824	3,497	32,420	4.47	144,760	32,805	148,257	446	16.3			
1943	6,600	4.47	31,854	31,854	168,982	747	3,811	30,278	5.29	160,044	32,309	163,855	455	16.8			
1944	7,429	5.33	39,623	35,170	201,165	647	3,564	34,749	5.72	198,731	35,616	202,295	446	16.8			
1945	7,862	5.79	41,014	42,470	250,028	691	3,952	40,999	5.89	241,395	42,900	245,347	430	17.4			
1946	5,829	6.54	45,228	39,746	260,106	699	4,423	41,030	6.54	268,508	40,142	272,931	396	18.0			
1947	3,959	6.87	27,606	33,693	223,136	675	4,315	34,938	6.63	231,508	33,975	235,623	351	18.3			
1948	4,622	8.80	40,682	41,019	270,762	676	4,345	39,941	6.60	263,032	44,363	267,397	247	18.8			
1950	3,124	6.34	32,477	44,134	268,952	641	3,907	43,580	6.10	269,652	44,393	269,652	259	18.5			
1951	5,037	6.48	36,638	53,055	386,199	629	4,188	51,738	6.71	347,132	53,298	351,320	243	17.9			
1952	5,725	6.99	39,999	62,117	352,537	688	3,963	62,066	5.68	324,479	62,327	336,442	210	16.9			
1953	5,086	6.15	31,303	59,626	339,694	682	3,985	59,074	5.70	336,458	59,822	340,443	196	16.9			
1954	4,936	6.32	31,313	67,507	334,237	679	3,996	66,567	4.95	330,808	67,693	334,404	186	17.2			
1955	4,917	5.33	26,185	65,410	329,096	653	3,428	64,751	5.02	325,338	65,598	328,766	188	16.7			
1956	4,923	5.05	27,100	76,527	346,450	671	3,310	74,980	4.52	338,995	76,741	342,305	214	16.5			
1957	5,802	5.50	29,316	80,945	316,150	789	3,505	80,481	3.90	333,913	81,164	317,418	219	16.7			
1958 ³	5,477	4.68	25,621														

¹Net production during the calendar year, i. e., turkeys sold, consumed in household of farm producers, and the plus or minus change in inventory.
²Value of turkeys sold and turkeys consumed on farms.
³Preliminary.

LIVESTOCK—NUMBERS ASSESSED MARCH 1, 1957¹
(ALL CATTLE 1953-1957)

County	Horses and Mules	Stock Sheep ²	All Cattle ³					Milk Cows	Hogs	Chickens (Dozens)
	1957	1957	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1957	1957	
	1957	1957	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1957	1957	
Chaffee	381	1,743	5,460	5,797	5,879	5,679	5,462	516	153	552
Clear Creek	85	859	277	280	275	286	187	21		19
Eagle	631	24,082	13,999	14,261	13,861	13,615	13,311	419	59	309
Gilpin	126		547	506	570	528	517			
Grand	1,023	6,110	16,960	16,045	13,965	15,941	15,148	361	7	154
Gunnison	1,177	23,455	25,650	26,888	26,821	27,548	27,504	355	2	73
Jackson	1,325	21,485	28,158	31,578	29,880	29,251	28,389	308	8	72
Lake	40	2,214		1,062	1,006	911	739	100		
Moffat	1,209	105,722	16,087	16,880	18,059	16,705	15,586	417	51	673
Park	651	15,032	21,075	19,371	18,081	16,123	17,301	108	30	116
Pitkin	400	12,798	6,738	6,293	6,438	5,919	6,124	205	58	135
P. Blanco	1,136	47,223	24,160	25,286	22,404	23,532	21,326	442	22	382
Routt	2,102	79,138	29,145	27,981	29,588	30,670	30,359	1,701	155	1,037
Summit	220	1,743	4,024	4,916	3,927	3,424	3,906	84	9	
Teller	542	80	5,351	5,446	4,554	4,767	4,560	96	30	120
Total Northwest										
District	11,018	341,684	198,635	202,190	195,308	194,899	190,419	5,133	584	3,642
Boulder	896	2,426	20,858	18,693	17,978	15,988	18,429	5,389	177	3,442
Jefferson	1,395	1,758	14,500	13,822	11,736	11,524	10,725	3,491	465	1,395
Larimer	1,262	15,045	37,111	32,631	36,537	30,142	31,526	6,830	2,013	4,667
Logan	772	876	46,282	43,782	39,310	39,798	38,786	3,693	2,042	4,289
Morgan	643	3,311	39,720	35,112	31,762	30,007	31,367	3,541	2,221	3,422
Sedgewick	219	863	13,354	12,754	10,666	11,614	11,031	603	607	1,242
Weld	2,518	13,800	100,116	96,056	86,495	87,505	86,400	25,631	2,747	7,486
Total N. Central & N. E. District										
Adams	619	5,488	22,829	22,265	17,677	17,904	17,775	5,251	13,782	2,968
Arapahoe	1,055	5,032	14,532	14,573	9,900	8,164	7,944	1,989	356	1,464
Cheyenne	237	1,930	31,317	29,551	23,077	17,354	15,103	498	223	1,093
Denver										
Douglas	568	754	19,174	17,462	15,138	16,222	15,916	1,924	71	1,051
Elbert	876	9,319	44,054	38,819	34,237	38,269	36,681	3,889	559	2,840
El Paso	1,160	3,173	37,136	35,068	34,464	32,110	30,962	5,154	588	3,731
Kiowa	186	2,394	18,708	17,325	17,699	13,960	9,765	113	133	778
Kit Carson	554	7,693	46,988	44,214	25,877	26,305	23,305	1,457	1,233	3,017
Lincoln	394	11,795	44,326	42,281	39,431	38,252	34,226	857	649	2,559
Phillips	193	2,163	10,660	10,891	11,615	9,797	7,962	1,026	1,224	2,580
Washington	613	12,799	48,261	46,596	36,989	35,813	38,516	1,581	1,219	4,280
Yuma	591	3,161	49,287	43,736	40,144	37,553	38,723	2,640	2,167	2,952
East Central										
District	7,016	65,701	387,272	363,261	306,248	291,703	276,878	26,379	23,114	29,313
Archuleta	720	14,608	10,460	10,714	11,095	10,484	10,715	329	146	411
Delta	1,245	27,341	22,535	21,880	21,265	22,094	20,816	3,255	1,434	2,538
Dolores	159	17,697	3,628	3,928	3,960	3,784	3,559	65	18	105
Garfield	1,750	45,755	32,183	32,780	30,857	29,935	27,506	1,649	567	1,124
Hinsdale	231	7,124	2,724	2,708	3,008	3,092	2,989	37		111
La Plata	1,340	17,596	17,984	18,369	18,815	18,062	16,706	2,311	530	2,224
Mesa	1,486	34,352	36,369	36,878	35,767	32,691	30,615	4,264	1,584	2,251
Montezuma	756	18,478	13,872	13,712	13,900	13,680	12,987	630	203	1,055
Montrose	1,565	53,532	23,820	25,725	24,173	25,901	22,942	2,438	1,883	2,753
Ouray	295	6,574	6,298	6,670	6,555	6,852	6,618	232	14	98
San Juan	59	4,925	133	142	159	151	154			
San Miguel	284	34,965	4,600	5,008	5,437	5,608	4,592	117	15	92
Total West Central & S. W. District										
Alamosa	507	16,811	11,239	12,502	11,601	10,897	9,939	850	330	692
Conjoes	706	43,251	12,411	11,636	15,216	13,545	13,262	765	531	829
Costilla	146	10,985	3,898	4,539	5,514	6,284	5,459	71	151	407
Mineral	140	5,585	970	898	843	1,888	2,032	31		10
Rio Grande	549	61,605	8,877	9,220	8,871	7,960	7,698	623	1,422	1,042
Saguache	228	41,180	22,985	24,928	24,119	24,267	21,133	225	298	101
Total South Central										
District	2,276	179,417	60,380	63,723	66,164	64,841	59,523	2,565	3,096	3,081
Baca	545	2,066	22,212	19,682	25,267	23,866	20,066	729	713	1,603
Bent	255	7,798	18,991	17,179	17,363	17,212	16,405	561	948	2,046
Crowley	262	3,910	15,236	14,157	13,308	12,970	11,382	596	1,172	2,027
Custer	365	5,920	11,168	11,878	11,027	10,797	10,249	750	80	322
Fremont	572	790	15,334	13,955	12,998	12,650	12,228	1,216		2,134
Huerfano	535	8,469	17,088	17,053	19,288	19,924	18,432	703	253	682
Las Animas	1,417	6,985	45,307	45,817	46,243	50,706	47,517	473	185	845
Otero	498	6,940	18,277	17,127	17,095	15,640	13,298	1,207	2,074	2,853
Prowers	437	9,322	26,412	24,716	24,271	23,074	19,136	1,029	2,255	2,619
Pueblo	1,077	1,214	25,087	23,258	22,431	24,068	23,016	2,452	1,029	1,995
Total Southeast										
District	5,963	48,558	215,112	204,822	209,291	210,907	191,729	9,716	8,709	17,126
State Total	43,948	957,386	1,307,946	1,265,410	1,186,686	1,161,262	1,107,012	108,298	52,169	91,767

¹Compiled from reports of the Colorado Tax Commission.

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

³Number assessed as "fed in transit" are not included.

Numbers shown under this heading in Volume I, No. 4 page 107 for each of the years 1952 and 1953 included "Cattle in transit" also Volume I, No. 5 page 107 for the year 1953. All totals here exclude the number fed in transit.

UNITED STATES CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1956

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Winter Wheat	44,427,000	35,554,000	20.8	740,928,000	Bu.	1.96	1,450,136,000
Spring Wheat, All	16,231,000 ²	14,230,000	18.5	263,344,000	Bu.	1.99	524,038,000
Rye, for Grain	4,527,000 ²	1,623,000	13.0	21,155,000	Bu.	1.16	24,640,000
Rice	1,602,500	1,569,400	3,151 ³	49,459,000	Cwt.	4.86	240,293,000
Dry Beans ⁴	7,476,000	1,423,000	1,210 ³	17,218,000	Cwt.	6.91	118,949,000
Corn, All	18,219,000 ²	75,634,000	45.7	3,455,283,000	Bu.	1.29	4,459,465,000
Corn for Grain		65,333,000	47.3	3,090,016,000	Bu.		
Oats, for Grain	41,691,000 ²	33,706,000	34.5	1,163,160,000	Eu.	.688	800,513,000
Barley, for Grain	14,835,000 ²	12,940,000	29.1	376,873,000	Bu.	.984	370,752,000
All Sorghums, for Grain		9,342,000	22.1	206,205,000	Bu.	1.15	237,392,000
All Sorghums, for Forage		6,349,000	.73	4,613,000	Ton	20.50	94,386,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	21,513,000	17,148,000					
Cotton, lint	16,833,000	15,615,000	40 ³	13,310,000	Bale	.318 ⁵	2,112,625,000
Sugar Beets	830,900	785,000	16.6	13,010,000	Ton	11.90	155,281,000
Sugarcane, for sugar and seed		253,200	25.6	6,483,000	Ton	8.03	52,052,000
Tobacco		1,364,900	1,597	2,179,003,000	Pound	.537	1,169,795,000
Cottonseed				5,407,000	Ton	53.40	288,864,000
Flaxseed	5,866,000	5,548,000	8.7	48,009,000	Bu.	2.99	143,723,000
Peanuts		1,385,000	1,160	1,607,210,000	Pound	1.12	179,887,000
Soybeans, for beans	21,960,000 ²	20,642,000	21.8	449,446,000	Eu.	2.18	980,747,000
Potatoes	1,406,300	1,385,500	175.9	243,716,000	Cwt.	2.01	488,894,000
Sweet Potatoes	290,100	283,700	59.6	16,920,000	Cwt.	4.04	68,283,000
Alfalfa Hay		29,508,000	2.08	61,414,000	Ton		
All Hay		73,302,000	1.48	108,680,000	Ton	21.20 ⁵	2,303,616,000
Alfalfa Seed		914,500	181 ³	165,280,000	Cwt.	30.80	50,826,000
Sweet Clover Seed		220,000	166 ³	36,570,000	Cwt.	9.40	3,436,000
Sudangrass Seed		102,500	536 ³	54,975,000	Cwt.	6.40	3,519,000
Field Peas ⁴	360,000	341,000	1,360 ³	4,639,000	Cwt.	4.57	21,215,000
Broomcorn	298,000	203,600	193 ³	19,700	Ton	445.00	8,762,000
Popcorn	183,700	176,400	1,887 ³	332,898,000	Cwt.	2.72	9,041,000
Apples, Commercial Crop				100,623,000	Bu.	2.35	236,870,000
Peaches				70,209,000	Bu.	2.12	141,513,000
Pears				32,322,000	Bu.	2.27	73,033,000
Cherries, Sour				99,940	Ton	157.00	15,679,000
Cherries, Sweet				68,270	Ton	303.00	20,708,000
Apricots				195,900	Ton	134.00	26,199,000
Cranberries		21,520	45.9	987,700	Bbl.	10.40	10,042,000
Grapes				2,912,250	Ton	51.40	149,126,000
Oranges and Tangerines				136,705,000	Box	2.06	280,038,000
Grapefruit				44,780,000	Box	1.20	53,950,000

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

Asparagus, for Mfg.	109,500		1.07	117,500	Ton	225.60	26,503,000
Asparagus, for Market	43,860		26.6	1,165,000	Cwt.	14.29	16,650,000
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.	137,810		2.46	338,600	Ton	119.00	40,282,000
Beans, Snap, for Market	135,950		34	4,690,000	Cwt.	9.16	42,272,000
Cabbage, for Mfg.	16,370		15.8	258,900	Ton	11.80	3,058,000
Cabbage, for Market	125,110		184	22,980,000	Cwt.	1.61	35,305,000
Cantaloup	130,300		94	12,287,000	Cwt.	4.20	51,538,000
Carrots	77,990		203	15,806,000	Cwt.	2.65	41,530,000
Cauliflower	32,430		157	5,097,000	Cwt.	3.27	16,689,000
Celery	36,010		441	15,898,000	Cwt.	3.32	49,937,000
Sweet Corn, for Mfg.	449,030		3.81	1,710,000	Ton	20.30	34,760,000
Sweet Corn, for Market	193,150		64	12,318,000	Cwt.	3.78	46,463,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles	115,960		2.79	323,200	Ton	55.10	17,793,000
Lettuce	228,130		150	34,121,000	Cwt.	4.00	134,734,000
Onions	123,700		198	24,439,000	Cwt.	2.74	64,563,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.	474,020		1.15	545,400	Ton	92.50	50,428,000
Peas, Green, for Market	9,850		34	333,000	Cwt.	8.89	2,959,000
Spinach, for Market	31,960		56	1,877,000	Cwt.	5.91	10,544,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.	354,880		13.1	4,638,300	Ton	25.70	119,022,000
Tomatoes, for Market	226,930		88	20,045,000	Cwt.	7.83	156,192,000
Watermelons	410,400		77	31,654,000	Cwt.	1.43	43,735,000
Total Commercial Vegetables		3,821,160⁶					1,125,154,000⁶
Total All Principal Crops		318,581,000⁶					18,781,124,000⁶

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

²Planted for all uses.

³Pounds.

⁴Production, price and value on clean basis.

⁵Price of hay sold baled.

⁶Includes some crops not shown separately.

UNITED STATES CROP ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE, 1957

CROP	Acreage		Production		Unit	Farm Value	
	Planted	Harvested	Per Acre	Total ¹		Per Unit	Total
Winter Wheat	37,535,000	31,613,000	22.4	707,201,000	Bu.	1.93	1,367,031,000
Spring Wheat, All	12,384,000 ²	12,051,000	19.9	239,901,000	Bu.	1.97	472,409,000
Rye, for Grain	4,426,000 ²	1,671,000	15.9	26,528,000	Bu.	1.10	29,187,000
Rice	1,370,200	1,340,000	3,219 ³	43,130,000	Cwt.	5.03	217,087,000
Dry Beans ⁴	1,464,000	1,363,000	1,157 ³	15,771,000	Cwt.	7.10	111,951,000
Corn, All	73,985,000 ²	72,656,000	46.8	3,402,832,000	Bu.	1.17	3,991,111,000
Corn, for Grain		64,031,000	47.8	3,060,485,000	Bu.		
Oats, for Grain	43,020,000 ²	34,984,000	37.4	1,308,360,000	Bu.	.614	803,493,000
Barley, for Grain	16,537,000 ²	15,000,000	29.0	435,695,000	Bu.	.871	379,529,000
All Sorghums, for Grain		19,475,000	28.9	561,977,000	Bu.	.868	488,009,000
All Sorghums, for Forage		4,380,000	1.70	7,458,000	Ton	13.10	98,036,000
All Sorghums, All Uses	26,958,000	25,659,000					
Cotton, lint	14,045,000	13,561,000	390.0 ³	11,010,000	Bale	.325 ³	1,786,899,000
Sugar Beets	917,900	883,000	17.4	15,379,000	Ton	11.00	169,169,000
Sugar Cane, for Sugar & Seed		288,800	26.5	7,666,000	Ton	7.01	53,727,000
Tobacco		1,123,000	1,496	1,680,108,000	Pound	.570	958,052,000
Cottonseed				4,527,000	Ton	50.90	230,244,000
Flaxseed	5,562,000	4,864,000	5.3	25,754,000	Bu.	3.02	77,845,000
Peanuts		1,554,000	968	1,504,850,000	Pound	.105	157,706,000
Soybeans, for Beans	22,041,000	20,738,000	23.1	479,841,000	Bu.	2.09	1,004,934,000
Potatoes	1,419,200	1,374,800	171.9	236,268,000	Cwt.	1.73	408,329,000
Sweet Potatoes	291,500	285,200	63.3	18,053,000	Cwt.	3.96	71,427,000
Alfalfa Hay		30,487,000	2.27	69,092,000	Ton		
All Hay		73,776,000	1.65	121,402,000	Ton	18.80 ⁵	2,286,350,000
Alfalfa Seed		866,300	179 ³	154,972,000	Cwt.	25.30	39,147,000
Sweet Clover Seed		198,000	163 ³	32,353,000	Cwt.	7.79	2,520,000
Sudangrass Seed		180,000	570 ³	102,675,000	Cwt.	3.06	3,140,000
Field Peas	284,800	266,000	1,229 ³	3,270,000	Cwt.	3.69	12,053,000
Broomcorn	330,800	282,700	303 ³	42,800	Ton	250.00	10,680,000
Popcorn	148,400	141,550	1,771 ³	250,716,000	Cwt.	2.46	6,169,000
Apples, Commercial Crop				117,308,000	Bu.	1.89	219,111,000
Peaches				63,058,000	Bu.	2.12	130,134,000
Pears				31,902,000	Bu.	2.01	62,589,000
Cherries, Sour				146,820	Ton	143.00	21,014,000
Cherries, Sweet				89,020	Ton	303.00	26,983,000
Apricots				208,400	Ton	101.00	20,482,000
Cranberries		21,240	49.2	1,045,600	Ebl.	9.84	10,292,000
Grapes				2,610,950	Ton	61.90	161,113,000
Oranges and Tangerines				136,190,000	Box	1.85	252,217,000
Grapefruit				44,700,000	Box	1.15	51,540,000

COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES

Asparagus, for Mfg.	104,890		1.09	114,500	Ton	186.60	21,363,000
Asparagus, for Market	50,150		26.7	1,338,000	Cwt.	12.98	17,372,000
Beans, Snap, for Mfg.	151,640		2.37	358,950	Ton	118.20	42,410,000
Beans, Snap, for Market	132,400		37	4,921,000	Cwt.	9.05	44,165,000
Cabbage, for Mfg.	11,610		14.6	169,500	Ton	15.00	2,544,000
Cabbage, for Market	112,790		169	19,086,000	Cwt.	2.16	40,862,000
Cantaloup	122,050		92	11,168,000	Cwt.	5.47	61,075,000
Carrots	71,440		196	13,999,000	Cwt.	3.20	44,844,000
Cauliflower	32,890		137	4,505,000	Cwt.	3.28	14,654,000
Colery	35,290		423	14,943,000	Cwt.	4.04	60,426,000
Sweet Corn, for Mfg.	438,960		3.40	1,491,500	Ton	20.10	30,035,000
Sweet Corn, for Market	194,150		61	11,807,000	Cwt.	4.24	50,008,000
Cucumbers, for Pickles	128,780		2.87	370,100	Ton	54.30	20,104,000
Lettuce	233,310		145	33,871,000	Cwt.	4.27	143,985,000
Onions	110,710		218	24,107,000	Cwt.	2.53	60,076,000
Peas, Green, for Mfg.	453,790		1.23	559,900	Ton	89.70	50,238,000
Peas, Green, for Market	8,000		36	288,000	Cwt.	9.66	2,781,000
Spinach, for Market	31,530		53	1,664,000	Cwt.	5.99	9,963,000
Tomatoes, for Mfg.	300,220		11.0	3,287,800	Ton	25.30	83,237,000
Tomatoes, for Market	220,950		89	19,651,000	Cwt.	7.64	150,202,000
Watermelons	433,350		69	30,015,000	Cwt.	1.67	50,256,000
Total Commercial Vegetables		3,721,720 ⁶					1,111,291,000 ⁶
Total All Principal Crops		319,062,000 ⁶					17,546,892,000 ⁶

¹Includes quantities of some crops not marketed and excluded in computing values.²Planted for all uses.³Pounds.⁴Production, price and value on clean basis.⁵of hay sold baled.⁶Some crops not shown separately.

LAND CLASSIFICATION OF COLORADO

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



WHY CROP AND LIVESTOCK REPORTS

A man's judgement 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.

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