

# **AGRICULTURAL CROP REPORT**



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TO: THE HONORABLE W. C. JACOBSEN, DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE  
THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF LASSEN COUNTY

Section 65.5 of the California Agriculture Code requires that the Agricultural Commissioner compile a report covering the conditions, acreage, production, and value of the agricultural products of his county.

This fifteenth annual crop report is the average gross prices received by the farmers of this county for their commodities.

With the help of the State Bureau of Agricultural Statistics we have changed this report in form, so that progress toward county uniformity could be achieved within reason.

Lumber and some of the other commodities will not be included in the grand total, but shown separately. Cattle showed a marked increase of two million which was due to an increase in cattle prices, and more cattle being moved to market. A considerable number of wild horses were rounded up, and shipped for chicken feed.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to those who helped to make the compilation of this report possible.

Respectfully submitted,

*Ernest E. Fix*

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Agricultural Commissioner

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE

Crop	Harvested acreage	Production (in tons)		Value	
		Per acre	Total	Per ton	Total
Hay, alfalfa	12,113	3	36,339	\$19.00	\$ 690,441.00
Hay, grain	7,272	1.33	9,682	15.00	145,230.00
Hay, other tame	1,625	3	4,875	15.00	73,125.00
Hay, wild	29,000	1.26	37,650	15.00	564,750.00
Barley	7,795	.59	4,657	43.00	200,251.00
Oats	1,130	1	1,130	54.00	61,020.00
Rye	725	.3	217.5	42.50	9,243.75
Wheat	4,955	.70	3,469	58.00	201,202.00
Corn, for silage	80	27	2,160	6.80	14,688.00
Pasture, irrigated	34,000		a/	11.75	399,500.00
Pasture, other	24,000		a/	5.75	138,000.00
Grazing land (privately owned)	559,300		a/	.16	89,488.00
a/ Per acre			Total		\$ 2,586,938.75

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE

Crop	Harvested acreage	Production (in pounds, cleaned basis)		Value	
		Per acre	Total	Per pound	Total
Intermediate Wheat Grass	102	119.11	12,150	.48	\$ 5,832.00

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Item	Production (in pounds)	Value	
		Per pound	Total
Cattle and calves	23,748,960	\$ .23	\$ 5,462,260.80
Sheep and lambs	1,489,582	.175	260,676.85
Hogs and pigs	161,500	.18	29,070.00
Horses and mules	340,000	.0675	22,950.00
Chickens	47,830	.15	7,174.50
	Total		\$ 5,782,132.15

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

Item	Production		Per unit	Value	
	Unit	Total		Total	
Milk, market	lb	85,000	\$ 1.12	\$ 95,200.00	
Milk, manufacturing	lb	43,900	.80	35,120.00	
Wool	lb	180,522	.45	81,234.90	
Eggs	each	1,513,716	a/ .55	69,378.65	
a/ Per dozen					
		Total		\$ 280,933.55	

PRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

Item	Production		Per unit	Value	
	Unit	Total		Total	
Honey	lb	54,975	\$ .12	\$ 6,597.00	
Beeswax	lb	1,100	.51	561.00	
		Total		\$ 7,158.00	

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE

Crop	Harvested acreage	Production (in tons)		Value	
		Per acre	Total	Per ton	Total
Potatoes	17	8.25	140.25	\$35.00	\$ 4,908.75

GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

Agricultural Conservation Payments	\$ 22,302.00
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LUMBER

Lumber Milled	76,857,000 Bd. Ft.	Per M Bd. Ft.	\$75.00	\$ 5,764,275.00
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SUMMARY

Field Crops	\$ 2,586,938.75
Seed Crops	5,832.00
Production of Livestock and Poultry	5,782,132.15
Production of Livestock and Poultry Products	280,933.55
Production of Miscellaneous Agricultural Commodities	7,158.00
Vegetable Crops	4,908.75
Government Payments	22,302.00
Grand Total	\$ 8,690,205.20