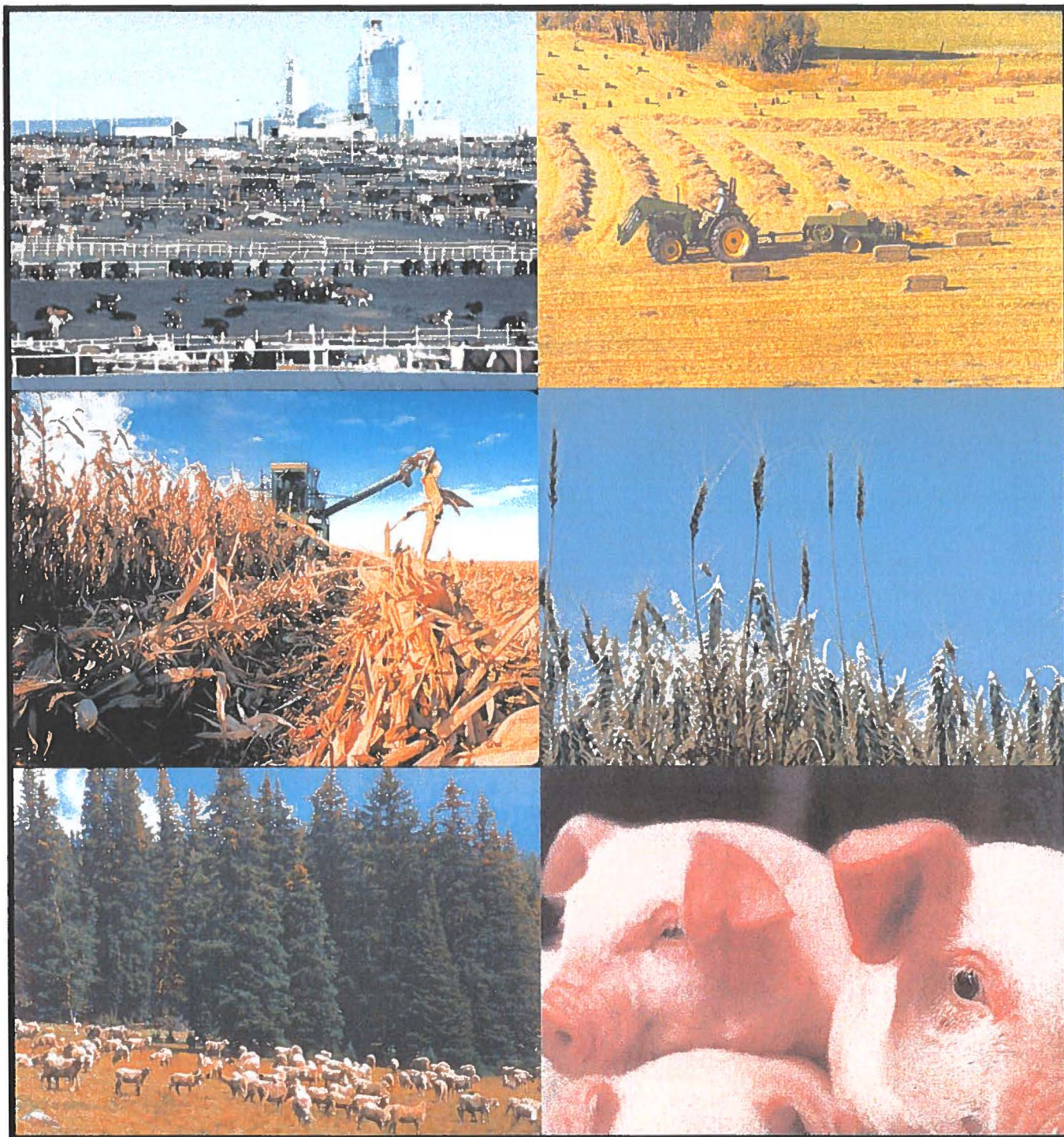
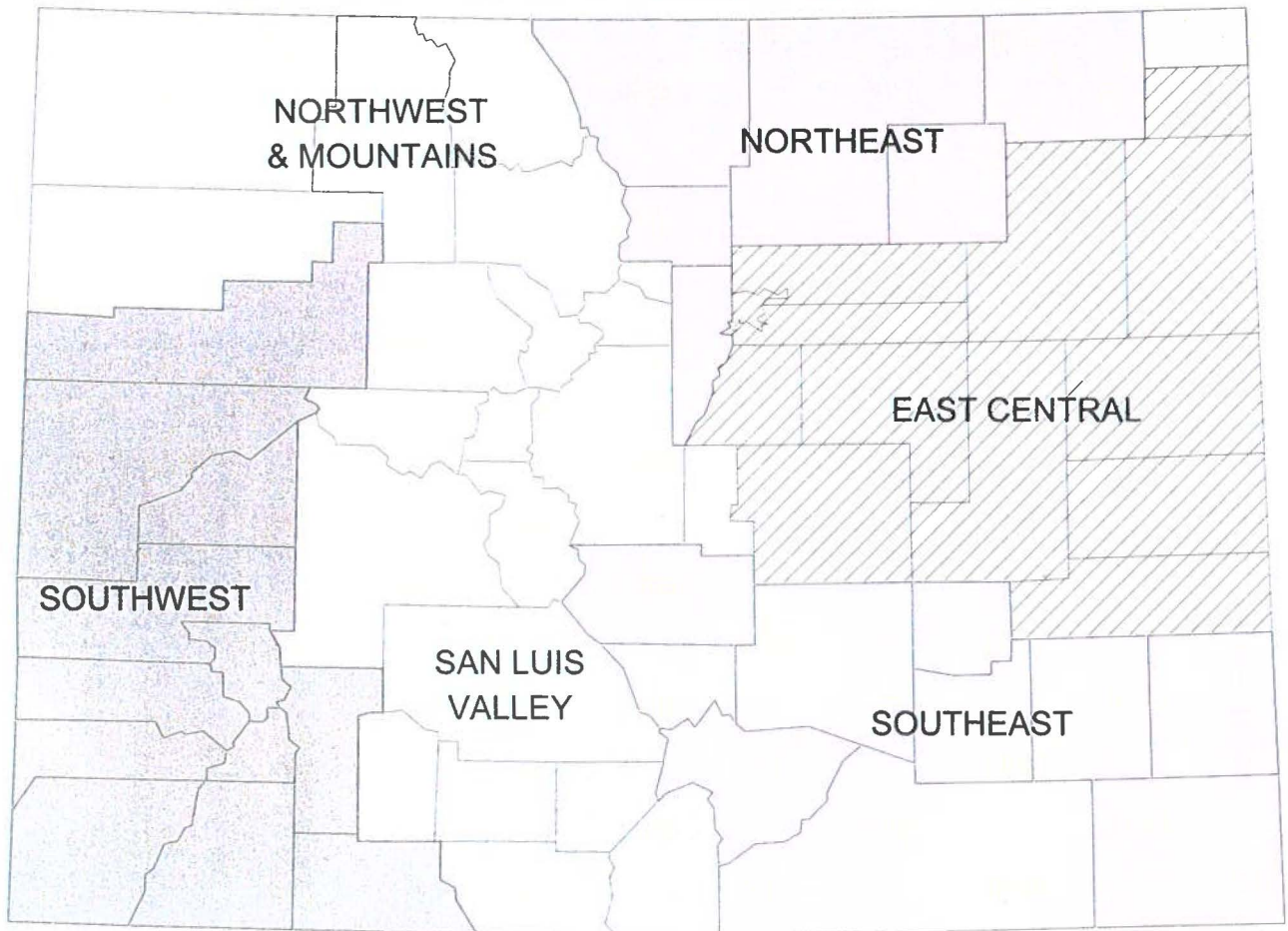


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San Luis Valley = 80; Southeast = 90

## COLORADO

The Centennial State, admitted to the Union in 1876, is the eighth largest state in area and has the highest average elevation. The highest point is at Mount Elbert, 14,433 feet above sea level, one of the 53 "fourteeners" rising above 14,000 feet. The lowest elevation is 3,350 feet in extreme eastern Prowers County.

Approximate Land Area: 66.3 Million Acres \*  
 Approximate Cropland Area: 10.5 Million Acres \*  
 Approximate Irrigated Area: 3.4 Million Acres \*  
 Number of Farms and Ranches (2002): 30,000  
 Land in Farms and Ranches (2002): 31.3 Million Acres  
 Average Size of Farm and Ranch (2002): 1,043 Acres

### Farms by Type \*

82% Individual  
 10% Partnership  
 7% Corporate  
 1% Other

### Farms By Tenure \*

58% Full Owners  
 30% Part Owners  
 12% Tenants

### Farms By Class \*

57% Livestock & Poultry  
 43% Crops

\* 1997 Federal Census of Agriculture

|                                  |            |                              |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------------------------|
| Farm Marketing Receipts (2001):  | \$ 4,729.0 | Million                      |
| Livestock & Livestock Products:  | \$ 3,374.5 | Million (71.4% of the total) |
| Field, Fruit, & Vegetable Crops: | \$ 1,354.5 | Million (28.6% of the total) |



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Dear Friends:

Once again it is my pleasure to present to you your 2003 Colorado Agricultural Statistics publication. This book contains valuable information that is put to work in many ways to benefit the state's farming and ranching community. In it you will find concise and reliable information compiled and developed by the Colorado Agricultural Statistics Service, an agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, in cooperation with the Colorado Department of Agriculture.

The Colorado Department of Agriculture has experienced budget reductions like all other agencies of state government. These reductions were necessary to meet a balanced budget. In spite of those reductions, we will continue to provide the highest level of service possible. I am pleased to report that the Colorado Department of Agriculture will continue to partner with CASS to provide county-level crop data.

We've all heard the saying, "You never appreciate the water 'till the well runs dry." The same could be said of solid, reliable statistics on Colorado's agricultural productive capacity. We need to continue gathering statistics because the need for them never diminishes.

The data in this book is used in countless ways from marketing to rural development investment. You can use the facts in this book with full confidence that they accurately characterize the productivity of this state's wide and diversified agricultural industry.

Sincerely,

Don Ament  
Commissioner



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**Rank in Agriculture: Colorado's rank among states, 2002**

| Commodity                              | Unit        | Colorado |            | Leading State  |            | United States |
|--|-------------|----------|------------|----------------|------------|---------------|
|  |             | Rank     | Production | State          | Production |               |
| <b>FIELD CROPS:</b>                    |             |          |            |                |            |               |
| Barley . . . . .                       | 1,000 bu.   | 5        | 7,200      | North Dakota   | 57,040     | 226,873       |
| Beans, dry edible . . . . .            | 1,000 cwt.  | 7        | 1,519      | North Dakota   | 10,626     | 29,974        |
| Corn, grain . . . . .                  | 1,000 bu.   | 14       | 112,320    | Iowa           | 1,963,500  | 9,007,659     |
| Corn, silage . . . . .                 | 1,000 tons  | 9        | 3,600      | Wisconsin      | 11,680     | 104,979       |
| Hay, all . . . . .                     | 1,000 tons  | 23       | 3,003      | Texas          | 13,850     | 150,962       |
| Hay, alfalfa . . . . .                 | 1,000 tons  | 12       | 2,262      | California     | 8,094      | 73,824        |
| Hay, other . . . . .                   | 1,000 tons  | 28       | 741        | Texas          | 13,200     | 77,138        |
| Oats . . . . .                         | 1,000 bu.   | 27       | 464        | Minnesota      | 15,960     | 119,132       |
| Potatoes, all . . . . .                | 1,000 cwt.  | 4        | 30,189     | Idaho          | 133,385    | 463,214       |
| Potatoes, fall . . . . .               | 1,000 cwt.  | 5        | 27,885     | Idaho          | 133,385    | 417,228       |
| Potatoes, summer . . . . .             | 1,000 cwt.  | 3        | 2,304      | Texas          | 3,320      | 18,486        |
| Proso Millet . . . . .                 | 1,000 bu.   | 2        | 950        | South Dakota   | 960        | 2,755         |
| Sorghum, grain . . . . .               | 1,000 bu.   | 13       | 1,800      | Kansas         | 135,000    | 369,758       |
| Sorghum, silage . . . . .              | 1,000 tons  | 9        | 135        | Texas          | 1,080      | 3,360         |
| Sugar beets . . . . .                  | 1,000 tons  | 7        | 794        | Minnesota      | 8,854      | 27,550        |
| Sunflower, all . . . . .               | 1,000 lbs.  | 5        | 63,000     | North Dakota   | 1,710,050  | 2,497,236     |
| Sunflower, oil varieties . . . . .     | 1,000 lbs.  | 5        | 40,000     | North Dakota   | 1,447,550  | 2,072,410     |
| Sunflower, non-oil varieties . . . . . | 1,000 lbs.  | 4        | 23,000     | North Dakota   | 262,500    | 424,826       |
| Wheat, all <u>1/</u> . . . . .         | 1,000 bu.   | 12       | 38,700     | Kansas         | 267,300    | 1,616,441     |
| Wheat, spring <u>2/</u> . . . . .      | 1,000 bu.   | 8        | 2,400      | North Dakota   | 165,200    | 394,189       |
| Wheat, winter . . . . .                | 1,000 bu.   | 9        | 36,300     | Kansas         | 267,300    | 1,142,802     |
| <b>VEGETABLES: <u>3/</u></b>           |             |          |            |                |            |               |
| Cabbage . . . . .                      | 1,000 cwt.  | 7        | 1,144      | California     | 4,750      | 24,415        |
| Cantaloupe . . . . .                   | 1,000 cwt.  | 6        | 400        | California     | 13,451     | 23,046        |
| Carrots . . . . .                      | 1,000 cwt.  | 4        | 1,400      | California     | 22,330     | 29,027        |
| Corn, sweet . . . . .                  | 1,000 cwt.  | 6        | 1,020      | Florida        | 5,641      | 26,430        |
| Lettuce . . . . .                      | 1,000 cwt.  | 3        | 810        | California     | 48,375     | 67,726        |
| Onions (storage only) . . . . .        | 1,000 cwt.  | 5        | 4,400      | California     | 12,312     | 46,652        |
| Spinach . . . . .                      | 1,000 cwt.  | 4        | 216        | California     | 3,200      | 4,810         |
| <b>FRUITS:</b>                         |             |          |            |                |            |               |
| Apples . . . . .                       | Mil lbs.    | 24       | 21.0       | Washington     | 5,300.0    | 8,592.1       |
| Cherries, tart . . . . .               | Mil lbs.    | 8        | 0.3        | Washington     | 20.5       | 62.5          |
| Peaches . . . . .                      | Mil lbs.    | 8        | 19.0       | California     | 1,920.0    | 2,575.4       |
| Pears . . . . .                        | Tons        | 6        | 2,400.0    | Washington     | 401,000.0  | 911,450.0     |
| <b>LIVESTOCK: <u>4/</u></b>            |             |          |            |                |            |               |
| All cattle & calves . . . . .          | 1,000 head  | 10       | 2,650      | Texas          | 14,000     | 96,106        |
| All cows <u>5/</u> . . . . .           | 1,000 head  | 18       | 800        | Texas          | 5,800      | 42,099        |
| All chickens . . . . .                 | 1,000 head  | 24       | 4,777      | Iowa           | 46,240     | 438,948       |
| All hogs & pigs . . . . .              | 1,000 head  | 15       | 790        | Iowa           | 15,300     | 58,943        |
| All layers . . . . .                   | 1,000 head  | 23       | 4,137      | Iowa           | 37,749     | 337,213       |
| All sheep & lambs . . . . .            | 1,000 head  | 5        | 370        | Texas          | 1,050      | 6,350         |
| Beef cows <u>5/</u> . . . . .          | 1,000 head  | 17       | 702        | Texas          | 5,489      | 32,947        |
| Breeding hogs & pigs . . . . .         | 1,000 head  | 9        | 160        | Iowa           | 1,050      | 6,012         |
| Breeding sheep & lambs . . . . .       | 1,000 head  | 8        | 185        | Texas          | 850        | 4,682         |
| Calf crop, 2002 . . . . .              | 1,000 head  | 18       | 820        | Texas          | 5,000      | 38,193        |
| Cattle on feed <u>6/</u> . . . . .     | 1,000 head  | 4        | 1,040      | Texas          | 2,640      | 12,916        |
| Egg production, 2002 . . . . .         | Million     | 22       | 1,008      | Iowa           | 9,910      | 86,698        |
| Fed cattle marketings . . . . .        | 1,000 head  | 4        | 2,515      | Texas          | 5,980      | 27,389        |
| Lamb crop, 2002 . . . . .              | 1,000 head  | 9        | 200        | Texas          | 540        | 4,360         |
| Market hogs & pigs . . . . .           | 1,000 head  | 15       | 630        | Iowa           | 14,250     | 52,931        |
| Milk cows <u>5/</u> . . . . .          | 1,000 head  | 23       | 98         | California     | 1,680      | 9,152         |
| Milk production, 2002 . . . . .        | Mil lbs.    | 17       | 2,159      | California     | 34,884     | 169,758       |
| Market sheep & lambs . . . . .         | 1,000 head  | 3        | 185        | California     | 435        | 1,668         |
| Pig crop, 2002 . . . . .               | 1,000 head  | 11       | 2,581      | North Carolina | 19,649     | 101,344       |
| Wool production, 2002 . . . . .        | 1,000 lbs.  | 5        | 3,070      | Texas          | 5,530      | 41,150        |
| <b>MISCELLANEOUS:</b>                  |             |          |            |                |            |               |
| Farms, 2002 . . . . .                  | Number      | 28       | 30,000     | Texas          | 230,000    | 2,158,090     |
| Land in farms 2002 . . . . .           | 1,000 acres | 11       | 31,300     | Texas          | 131,000    | 941,480       |
| Average size of farm 2002 . . . . .    | Acres       | 9        | 1,043      | Wyoming        | 3,761      | 436           |

1/ Includes Durum wheat. 2/ Excludes Durum wheat. 3/ Fresh market.

4/ Inventory January 1, 2003 for cattle and sheep; December 1, 2002 for hogs and chickens.

5/ Cows and heifers that have calved. 6/ As of 1/1/2003.

**Farms: Number of farms, land in farms and average size, Colorado and U. S. , 1993-2002**

| Year | Colorado        |               |              | United States   |               |              |
|------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|
|      | Farms <u>1/</u> | Land in farms | Average size | Farms <u>1/</u> | Land in farms | Average size |
|      | Number          | 1,000 Acres   | Acres        | Number          | 1,000 Acres   | Acres        |
| 1993 | 29,500          | 32,800        | 1,112        | 2,201,590       | 968,845       | 440          |
| 1994 | 29,500          | 32,700        | 1,108        | 2,197,690       | 965,935       | 440          |
| 1995 | 29,500          | 32,700        | 1,108        | 2,196,400       | 962,515       | 438          |
| 1996 | 29,500          | 32,500        | 1,102        | 2,190,500       | 958,675       | 438          |
| 1997 | 29,500          | 32,500        | 1,102        | 2,190,510       | 956,010       | 436          |
| 1998 | 29,500          | 32,200        | 1,092        | 2,191,360       | 953,500       | 435          |
| 1999 | 29,000          | 31,800        | 1,097        | 2,192,070       | 947,440       | 432          |
| 2000 | 29,500          | 31,600        | 1,071        | 2,172,280       | 943,090       | 434          |
| 2001 | 30,000          | 31,300        | 1,043        | 2,155,680       | 941,310       | 437          |
| 2002 | 30,000          | 31,300        | 1,043        | 2,158,090       | 941,480       | 436          |

1/ Places with annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more.

**Number of Farms: Economic sales class, Colorado and United States, 1993 - 2002**

| Year | Colorado             |                   |                                  |                     |                  | United States        |                   |                                  |                     |                  |
|------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
|      | Economic Sales Class |                   |                                  |                     |                  | Economic Sales Class |                   |                                  |                     |                  |
|      | \$1,000-\$9,999      | \$10,000-\$99,999 | \$100,000-\$249,999<br><u>1/</u> | \$250,000-\$499,999 | \$500,000 & Over | \$1,000-\$9,999      | \$10,000-\$99,999 | \$100,000-\$249,999<br><u>1/</u> | \$250,000-\$499,999 | \$500,000 & Over |
|      | <b>Number</b>        |                   |                                  |                     |                  | <b>Number</b>        |                   |                                  |                     |                  |
| 1993 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 1,135,390            | 720,400           | 345,800                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1994 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 1,141,390            | 709,500           | 346,800                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1995 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 1,157,400            | 692,100           | 346,900                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1996 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 1,167,800            | 673,600           | 349,100                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1997 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 1,191,050            | 645,960           | 353,500                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1998 | 13,900               | 10,800            | 4,800                            | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        | 1,180,950            | 652,310           | 358,100                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1999 | 13,700               | 10,400            | 4,900                            | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        | 1,194,340            | 648,850           | 348,880                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 2000 | 14,200               | 10,300            | 5,000                            | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        | 1,173,550            | 649,550           | 349,180                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 2001 | 14,600               | 10,500            | 4,900                            | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        | 1,166,590            | 642,010           | 349,180                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 2002 | 14,800               | 10,000            | 2,800                            | 1,300               | 1,100            | 1,172,770            | 637,160           | 189,870                          | 89,244              | 69,046           |

1/ \$100,000 & Over prior to 2002. 2/ Not estimated separately prior to 1998. 3/ Not estimated separately prior to 2002.

**Land In Farms: Economic sales class, Colorado and United States, 1993 - 2002**

| Year | Colorado             |                   |                                  |                     |                  | United States        |                   |                                  |                     |                  |
|------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
|      | Economic Sales Class |                   |                                  |                     |                  | Economic Sales Class |                   |                                  |                     |                  |
|      | \$1,000-\$9,999      | \$10,000-\$99,999 | \$100,000-\$249,999<br><u>1/</u> | \$250,000-\$499,999 | \$500,000 & Over | \$1,000-\$9,999      | \$10,000-\$99,999 | \$100,000-\$249,999<br><u>1/</u> | \$250,000-\$499,999 | \$500,000 & Over |
|      | <b>Acres</b>         |                   |                                  |                     |                  | <b>Acres</b>         |                   |                                  |                     |                  |
| 1993 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 131,890              | 314,950           | 522,005                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1994 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 132,910              | 310,460           | 522,565                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1995 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 133,515              | 303,200           | 525,800                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1996 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 133,790              | 297,200           | 527,685                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1997 | <u>2/</u>            | <u>2/</u>         | <u>2/</u>                        | <u>2/</u>           | <u>2/</u>        | 135,375              | 288,485           | 532,150                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1998 | 4,100                | 10,600            | 17,500                           | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        | 133,788              | 287,017           | 532,695                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 1999 | 3,800                | 10,300            | 17,700                           | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        | 133,028              | 288,492           | 525,920                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 2000 | 3,800                | 10,200            | 17,600                           | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        | 127,683              | 286,192           | 529,215                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 2001 | 3,900                | 9,400             | 18,000                           | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        | 126,045              | 273,780           | 541,385                          | <u>3/</u>           | <u>3/</u>        |
| 2002 | 4,000                | 9,500             | 10,300                           | 4,500               | 3,000            | 124,735              | 274,100           | 220,885                          | 151,495             | 170,265          |

1/ \$100,000 & Over prior to 2002. 2/ Not estimated separately prior to 1998. 3/ Not estimated separately prior to 2002.



**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year                | Acreage            |           | Yield per acre |           | Production           | Value per unit        | Total value          |
|---------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
|                     | Planted            | Harvested | Planted        | Harvested |                      |                       |                      |
| <b>All Wheat</b>    |                    |           |                |           |                      |                       |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Bushels</b> |           | <b>1,000 Bushels</b> | <b>Dollars Per Bu</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 3,360              | 2,955     | 28.7           | 32.6      | 96,430               | 2.26                  | 217,730              |
| 1987 .....          | 3,160              | 2,555     | 30.8           | 38.1      | 97,380               | 2.51                  | 244,751              |
| 1988 .....          | 2,554              | 2,352     | 31.1           | 33.8      | 79,540               | 3.69                  | 293,248              |
| 1989 .....          | 2,775              | 2,270     | 22.4           | 27.4      | 62,100               | 3.66                  | 227,401              |
| 1990 .....          | 2,742              | 2,590     | 31.7           | 33.6      | 86,950               | 2.46                  | 214,235              |
| 1991 .....          | 2,638              | 2,336     | 28.1           | 31.7      | 74,000               | 3.07                  | 227,126              |
| 1992 .....          | 2,700              | 2,397     | 27.5           | 30.9      | 74,119               | 3.15                  | 232,932              |
| 1993 .....          | 2,835              | 2,583     | 34.2           | 37.5      | 96,990               | 3.21                  | 310,335              |
| 1994 .....          | 2,945              | 2,592     | 27.1           | 30.8      | 79,734               | 3.48                  | 276,828              |
| 1995 .....          | 2,940              | 2,738     | 35.8           | 38.4      | 105,260              | 4.64                  | 488,528              |
| 1996 .....          | 2,870              | 2,268     | 26.3           | 33.3      | 75,500               | 4.26                  | 320,855              |
| 1997 .....          | 3,053              | 2,750     | 29.5           | 32.8      | 90,100               | 3.17                  | 285,580              |
| 1998 .....          | 2,812              | 2,610     | 36.8           | 39.6      | 103,470              | 2.49                  | 257,118              |
| 1999 .....          | 2,653              | 2,450     | 40.4           | 43.8      | 107,200              | 2.22                  | 238,336              |
| 2000 .....          | 2,548              | 2,396     | 28.0           | 29.8      | 71,370               | 2.70                  | 191,991              |
| 2001 .....          | 2,397              | 2,044     | 28.9           | 33.8      | 69,168               | 2.72                  | 187,852              |
| 2002 .....          | 2,375              | 1,674     | 16.3           | 23.1      | 38,700               | 3.85                  | 148,875              |
| <b>Winter Wheat</b> |                    |           |                |           |                      |                       |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Bushels</b> |           | <b>1,000 Bushels</b> | <b>Dollars Per Bu</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 3,300              | 2,900     | 28.0           | 32.0      | 92,800               | 2.25                  | 208,800              |
| 1987 .....          | 3,100              | 2,500     | 30.0           | 37.5      | 93,750               | 2.51                  | 235,313              |
| 1988 .....          | 2,500              | 2,300     | 30.5           | 33.0      | 75,900               | 3.69                  | 280,071              |
| 1989 .....          | 2,700              | 2,200     | 21.0           | 26.0      | 57,200               | 3.68                  | 210,496              |
| 1990 .....          | 2,700              | 2,550     | 31.0           | 33.0      | 84,150               | 2.47                  | 207,851              |
| 1991 .....          | 2,600              | 2,300     | 27.5           | 31.0      | 71,300               | 3.07                  | 218,891              |
| 1992 .....          | 2,650              | 2,350     | 26.5           | 30.0      | 70,500               | 3.15                  | 222,075              |
| 1993 .....          | 2,800              | 2,550     | 33.5           | 37.0      | 94,350               | 3.21                  | 302,864              |
| 1994 .....          | 2,900              | 2,550     | 26.5           | 30.0      | 76,500               | 3.48                  | 266,220              |
| 1995 .....          | 2,900              | 2,700     | 35.5           | 38.0      | 102,600              | 4.65                  | 477,090              |
| 1996 .....          | 2,800              | 2,200     | 25.0           | 32.0      | 70,400               | 4.27                  | 300,608              |
| 1997 .....          | 3,000              | 2,700     | 29.0           | 32.0      | 86,400               | 3.17                  | 273,888              |
| 1998 .....          | 2,750              | 2,550     | 36.0           | 39.0      | 99,450               | 2.49                  | 247,631              |
| 1999 .....          | 2,600              | 2,400     | 39.5           | 43.0      | 103,200              | 2.23                  | 230,136              |
| 2000 .....          | 2,500              | 2,350     | 27.5           | 29.0      | 68,150               | 2.70                  | 184,005              |
| 2001 .....          | 2,350              | 2,000     | 28.0           | 33.0      | 66,000               | 2.72                  | 179,520              |
| 2002 .....          | 2,350              | 1,650     | 15.4           | 22.0      | 36,300               | 3.85                  | 139,755              |
| <b>Spring Wheat</b> |                    |           |                |           |                      |                       |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Bushels</b> |           | <b>1,000 Bushels</b> | <b>Dollars Per Bu</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 60                 | 55        | 60.5           | 66.0      | 3,630                | 2.46                  | 8,930                |
| 1987 .....          | 60                 | 55        | 60.5           | 66.0      | 3,630                | 2.60                  | 9,438                |
| 1988 .....          | 54                 | 52        | 67.5           | 70.0      | 3,640                | 3.62                  | 13,177               |
| 1989 .....          | 75                 | 70        | 65.5           | 70.0      | 4,900                | 3.45                  | 16,905               |
| 1990 .....          | 42                 | 40        | 66.5           | 70.0      | 2,800                | 2.28                  | 6,384                |
| 1991 .....          | 38                 | 36        | 71.0           | 75.0      | 2,700                | 3.05                  | 8,235                |
| 1992 .....          | 50                 | 47        | 72.5           | 77.0      | 3,619                | 3.00                  | 10,857               |
| 1993 .....          | 35                 | 33        | 75.5           | 80.0      | 2,640                | 2.83                  | 7,471                |
| 1994 .....          | 45                 | 42        | 72.0           | 77.0      | 3,234                | 3.28                  | 10,608               |
| 1995 .....          | 40                 | 38        | 66.5           | 70.0      | 2,660                | 4.30                  | 11,438               |
| 1996 .....          | 70                 | 68        | 73.0           | 75.0      | 5,100                | 3.97                  | 20,247               |
| 1997 .....          | 53                 | 50        | 70.0           | 74.0      | 3,700                | 3.16                  | 11,692               |
| 1998 .....          | 62                 | 60        | 65.0           | 67.0      | 4,020                | 2.36                  | 9,487                |
| 1999 .....          | 53                 | 50        | 75.5           | 80.0      | 4,000                | 2.05                  | 8,200                |
| 2000 .....          | 48                 | 46        | 67.0           | 70.0      | 3,220                | 2.48                  | 7,986                |
| 2001 .....          | 47                 | 44        | 67.5           | 72.0      | 3,168                | 2.63                  | 8,332                |
| 2002 .....          | 25                 | 24        | 96.0           | 100.0     | 2,400                | 3.80                  | 9,120                |

**Field Crops: Acreage and production by cropping practice, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year                | Irrigated          |                |                 |            | Non-Irrigated      |                |                 |            |
|---------------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|
|                     | Planted            | Harvested      | Yield Per Acre  | Production | Planted            | Harvested      | Yield Per Acre  | Production |
| <b>All Wheat</b>    |                    |                |                 |            |                    |                |                 |            |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            |
| 1986 .....          | 248.8              | 229.0          | 58.0            | 13,335     | 3,111.2            | 2,726.0        | 30.5            | 83,095     |
| 1987 .....          | 272.3              | 242.0          | 57.5            | 13,963     | 2,887.7            | 2,313.0        | 36.0            | 83,417     |
| 1988 .....          | 221.5              | 205.0          | 59.5            | 12,150     | 2,332.5            | 2,147.0        | 31.5            | 67,390     |
| 1989 .....          | 201.0              | 188.7          | 54.0            | 10,196     | 2,574.0            | 2,081.3        | 25.0            | 51,904     |
| 1990 .....          | 187.6              | 181.5          | 61.0            | 11,040     | 2,554.4            | 2,408.5        | 31.5            | 75,910     |
| 1991 .....          | 158.5              | 147.0          | 61.5            | 9,048      | 2,479.5            | 2,189.0        | 29.5            | 64,952     |
| 1992 .....          | 183.0              | 172.0          | 65.0            | 11,181     | 2,517.0            | 2,225.0        | 28.5            | 62,938     |
| 1993 .....          | 183.7              | 173.0          | 59.5            | 10,296     | 2,651.3            | 2,410.0        | 36.0            | 86,694     |
| 1994 .....          | 181.9              | 169.5          | 63.5            | 10,803     | 2,763.1            | 2,422.5        | 28.5            | 68,931     |
| 1995 .....          | 200.5              | 189.5          | 60.5            | 11,475     | 2,739.5            | 2,548.5        | 37.0            | 93,785     |
| 1996 .....          | 234.5              | 213.0          | 65.5            | 13,900     | 2,635.5            | 2,055.0        | 30.0            | 61,600     |
| 1997 .....          | 243.5              | 232.0          | 65.5            | 15,172     | 2,809.5            | 2,518.0        | 30.0            | 74,928     |
| 1998 .....          | 208.8              | 198.0          | 74.0            | 14,630     | 2,603.2            | 2,412.0        | 37.0            | 88,840     |
| 1999 .....          | 211.0              | 199.5          | 74.0            | 14,760     | 2,442.0            | 2,250.5        | 41.0            | 92,440     |
| 2000 .....          | 229.0              | 218.5          | 58.0            | 12,650     | 2,319.0            | 2,177.5        | 27.0            | 58,720     |
| 2001 .....          | 202.0              | 186.5          | 60.5            | 11,300     | 2,195.0            | 1,857.5        | 31.0            | 57,868     |
| 2002 .....          | 180.0              | 150.0          | 54.5            | 8,140      | 2,195.0            | 1,524.0        | 20.0            | 30,560     |
| <b>Winter Wheat</b> |                    |                |                 |            |                    |                |                 |            |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            |
| 1986 .....          | 204.0              | 188.0          | 53.0            | 9,983      | 3,096.0            | 2,712.0        | 30.5            | 82,817     |
| 1987 .....          | 228.0              | 200.0          | 53.0            | 10,600     | 2,872.0            | 2,300.0        | 36.0            | 83,150     |
| 1988 .....          | 175.0              | 160.0          | 54.0            | 8,640      | 2,325.0            | 2,140.0        | 31.5            | 67,260     |
| 1989 .....          | 140.0              | 130.0          | 42.0            | 5,460      | 2,560.0            | 2,070.0        | 25.0            | 51,740     |
| 1990 .....          | 155.0              | 150.0          | 56.0            | 8,400      | 2,545.0            | 2,400.0        | 31.5            | 75,750     |
| 1991 .....          | 130.0              | 120.0          | 55.0            | 6,600      | 2,470.0            | 2,180.0        | 29.5            | 64,700     |
| 1992 .....          | 145.0              | 135.0          | 58.5            | 7,885      | 2,505.0            | 2,215.0        | 28.5            | 62,615     |
| 1993 .....          | 155.0              | 145.0          | 53.5            | 7,760      | 2,645.0            | 2,405.0        | 36.0            | 86,590     |
| 1994 .....          | 145.0              | 135.0          | 57.0            | 7,700      | 2,755.0            | 2,415.0        | 28.5            | 68,800     |
| 1995 .....          | 170.0              | 160.0          | 56.5            | 9,000      | 2,730.0            | 2,540.0        | 37.0            | 93,600     |
| 1996 .....          | 180.0              | 160.0          | 57.0            | 9,100      | 2,620.0            | 2,040.0        | 30.0            | 61,300     |
| 1997 .....          | 200.0              | 190.0          | 61.0            | 11,600     | 2,800.0            | 2,510.0        | 30.0            | 74,800     |
| 1998 .....          | 170.0              | 160.0          | 69.0            | 11,050     | 2,580.0            | 2,390.0        | 37.0            | 88,400     |
| 1999 .....          | 170.0              | 160.0          | 69.0            | 11,000     | 2,430.0            | 2,240.0        | 41.0            | 92,200     |
| 2000 .....          | 190.0              | 180.0          | 53.0            | 9,550      | 2,310.0            | 2,170.0        | 27.0            | 58,600     |
| 2001 .....          | 170.0              | 155.0          | 54.0            | 8,400      | 2,180.0            | 1,845.0        | 31.0            | 57,600     |
| 2002 .....          | 160.0              | 130.0          | 44.5            | 5,800      | 2,190.0            | 1,520.0        | 20.0            | 30,500     |
| <b>Spring Wheat</b> |                    |                |                 |            |                    |                |                 |            |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            |
| 1986 .....          | 44.8               | 41.0           | 82.0            | 3,352      | 15.2               | 14.0           | 20.0            | 278        |
| 1987 .....          | 44.3               | 42.0           | 80.0            | 3,363      | 15.7               | 13.0           | 20.5            | 267        |
| 1988 .....          | 46.5               | 45.0           | 78.0            | 3,510      | 7.5                | 7.0            | 18.5            | 130        |
| 1989 .....          | 61.0               | 58.7           | 80.5            | 4,736      | 14.0               | 11.3           | 14.5            | 164        |
| 1990 .....          | 32.6               | 31.5           | 84.0            | 2,640      | 9.4                | 8.5            | 19.0            | 160        |
| 1991 .....          | 28.5               | 27.0           | 90.5            | 2,448      | 9.5                | 9.0            | 28.0            | 252        |
| 1992 .....          | 38.0               | 37.0           | 89.0            | 3,296      | 12.0               | 10.0           | 32.5            | 323        |
| 1993 .....          | 28.7               | 28.0           | 90.5            | 2,536      | 6.3                | 5.0            | 21.0            | 104        |
| 1994 .....          | 36.9               | 34.5           | 90.0            | 3,103      | 8.1                | 7.5            | 17.5            | 131        |
| 1995 .....          | 30.5               | 29.5           | 84.0            | 2,475      | 9.5                | 8.5            | 22.0            | 185        |
| 1996 .....          | 54.5               | 53.0           | 90.5            | 4,800      | 15.5               | 15.0           | 20.0            | 300        |
| 1997 .....          | 43.5               | 42.0           | 85.0            | 3,572      | 9.5                | 8.0            | 16.0            | 128        |
| 1998 .....          | 38.8               | 38.0           | 94.0            | 3,580      | 23.2               | 22.0           | 20.0            | 440        |
| 1999 .....          | 41.0               | 39.5           | 95.0            | 3,760      | 12.0               | 10.5           | 23.0            | 240        |
| 2000 .....          | 39.0               | 38.5           | 80.5            | 3,100      | 9.0                | 7.5            | 16.0            | 120        |
| 2001 .....          | 32.0               | 31.5           | 92.0            | 2,900      | 15.0               | 12.5           | 21.5            | 268        |
| 2002 .....          | 20.0               | 20.0           | 117.0           | 2,340      | 5.0                | 4.0            | 15.0            | 60         |



**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year                | Acreage            |           | Yield per acre |           | Production           | Value per unit         | Total value          |
|---------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|----------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
|                     | Planted            | Harvested | Planted        | Harvested |                      |                        |                      |
| <b>Barley</b>       |                    |           |                |           |                      |                        |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Bushels</b> |           | <b>1,000 Bushels</b> | <b>Dollars Per Bu</b>  | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 390                | 350       | 55.5           | 62.0      | 21,700               | 2.15                   | 46,655               |
| 1987 .....          | 230                | 220       | 61.0           | 64.0      | 14,080               | 2.56                   | 36,045               |
| 1988 .....          | 185                | 175       | 63.5           | 67.0      | 11,725               | 3.01                   | 35,292               |
| 1989 .....          | 190                | 160       | 64.0           | 76.0      | 12,160               | 3.28                   | 39,885               |
| 1990 .....          | 155                | 150       | 77.5           | 80.0      | 12,000               | 3.06                   | 36,720               |
| 1991 .....          | 140                | 130       | 74.5           | 80.0      | 10,400               | 3.14                   | 32,656               |
| 1992 .....          | 130                | 120       | 75.0           | 81.0      | 9,720                | 2.57                   | 24,980               |
| 1993 .....          | 100                | 90        | 76.5           | 85.0      | 7,650                | 2.93                   | 22,415               |
| 1994 .....          | 90                 | 83        | 83.0           | 90.0      | 7,470                | 2.64                   | 19,721               |
| 1995 .....          | 110                | 100       | 91.0           | 100.0     | 10,000               | 2.95                   | 29,500               |
| 1996 .....          | 100                | 92        | 95.5           | 104.0     | 9,568                | 3.05                   | 29,182               |
| 1997 .....          | 95                 | 89        | 101.0          | 108.0     | 9,612                | 2.98                   | 28,644               |
| 1998 .....          | 90                 | 82        | 105.0          | 115.0     | 9,430                | 2.84                   | 26,781               |
| 1999 .....          | 95                 | 86        | 95.0           | 105.0     | 9,030                | 2.54                   | 22,936               |
| 2000 .....          | 110                | 105       | 110.0          | 115.0     | 12,075               | 3.08                   | 37,191               |
| 2001 .....          | 90                 | 80        | 95.0           | 107.0     | 8,560                | 2.73                   | 23,369               |
| 2002 .....          | 85                 | 72        | 84.5           | 100.0     | 7,200                | 3.10                   | 22,320               |
| <b>Oats</b>         |                    |           |                |           |                      |                        |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Bushels</b> |           | <b>1,000 Bushels</b> | <b>Dollars Per Bu</b>  | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 90                 | 40        | 24.5           | 55.0      | 2,200                | 1.40                   | 3,080                |
| 1987 .....          | 100                | 50        | 27.0           | 54.0      | 2,700                | 1.60                   | 4,320                |
| 1988 .....          | 110                | 60        | 27.5           | 50.0      | 3,000                | 2.45                   | 7,350                |
| 1989 .....          | 95                 | 55        | 32.0           | 55.0      | 3,025                | 1.45                   | 4,386                |
| 1990 .....          | 90                 | 45        | 25.0           | 50.0      | 2,250                | 1.70                   | 3,825                |
| 1991 .....          | 88                 | 30        | 20.5           | 60.0      | 1,800                | 1.60                   | 2,880                |
| 1992 .....          | 80                 | 26        | 19.5           | 60.0      | 1,560                | 1.70                   | 2,652                |
| 1993 .....          | 80                 | 23        | 18.0           | 62.0      | 1,426                | 1.82                   | 2,595                |
| 1994 .....          | 75                 | 24        | 19.0           | 60.0      | 1,440                | 1.80                   | 2,592                |
| 1995 .....          | 95                 | 33        | 21.5           | 62.0      | 2,046                | 2.17                   | 4,440                |
| 1996 .....          | 80                 | 35        | 23.0           | 52.0      | 1,820                | 2.24                   | 4,077                |
| 1997 .....          | 70                 | 25        | 24.5           | 68.0      | 1,700                | 2.05                   | 3,485                |
| 1998 .....          | 90                 | 25        | 19.5           | 70.0      | 1,750                | 1.70                   | 2,975                |
| 1999 .....          | 50                 | 20        | 26.0           | 65.0      | 1,300                | 1.60                   | 2,080                |
| 2000 .....          | 80                 | 35        | 27.5           | 63.0      | 2,205                | 1.90                   | 4,190                |
| 2001 .....          | 80                 | 32        | 24.0           | 60.0      | 1,920                | 2.20                   | 4,224                |
| 2002 .....          | 65                 | 8         | 7.0            | 58.0      | 464                  | 2.85                   | 1,322                |
| <b>Dry Beans 1/</b> |                    |           |                |           |                      |                        |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Cwt</b>     |           | <b>1,000 Cwt</b>     | <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 191                | 185       | 14.50          | 15.00     | 2,775                | 15.20                  | 42,180               |
| 1987 .....          | 185                | 180       | 14.50          | 14.90     | 2,682                | 14.60                  | 39,157               |
| 1988 .....          | 160                | 155       | 16.00          | 16.50     | 2,558                | 31.20                  | 79,810               |
| 1989 .....          | 195                | 185       | 15.90          | 16.80     | 3,108                | 30.40                  | 94,483               |
| 1990 .....          | 245                | 225       | 17.40          | 19.00     | 4,275                | 15.90                  | 67,973               |
| 1991 .....          | 190                | 180       | 17.50          | 18.50     | 3,330                | 13.70                  | 45,621               |
| 1992 .....          | 164                | 159       | 15.90          | 16.40     | 2,608                | 19.00                  | 49,552               |
| 1993 .....          | 205                | 185       | 12.70          | 14.10     | 2,609                | 27.00                  | 70,443               |
| 1994 .....          | 205                | 195       | 15.30          | 16.10     | 3,140                | 16.60                  | 52,124               |
| 1995 .....          | 190                | 165       | 13.50          | 15.50     | 2,558                | 18.50                  | 47,323               |
| 1996 .....          | 145                | 125       | 15.50          | 18.00     | 2,250                | 22.50                  | 50,625               |
| 1997 .....          | 135                | 120       | 16.90          | 19.00     | 2,280                | 18.70                  | 42,636               |
| 1998 .....          | 170                | 155       | 16.90          | 18.50     | 2,868                | 15.60                  | 44,741               |
| 1999 .....          | 155                | 145       | 17.80          | 19.00     | 2,755                | 15.10                  | 41,601               |
| 2000 .....          | 120                | 110       | 16.50          | 18.00     | 1,980                | 15.60                  | 30,888               |
| 2001 .....          | 115                | 105       | 15.50          | 17.00     | 1,785                | 23.60                  | 42,126               |
| 2002 .....          | 92                 | 70        | 16.50          | 21.70     | 1,519                | 18.20                  | 27,646               |

1/ Yield and production on clean basis.

**Field Crops: Acreage and production by cropping practice, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year                           | Irrigated          |                |                  |            | Non-Irrigated      |                |                  |            |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|------------|
|                                | Planted            | Harvested      | Yield Per Acre   | Production | Planted            | Harvested      | Yield Per Acre   | Production |
| <b>Barley</b>                  |                    |                |                  |            |                    |                |                  |            |
|                                | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b>  |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b>  |            |
| 1986 .....                     | 188.0              | 175.0          | 88.5             | 15,485     | 202.0              | 175.0          | 35.5             | 6,215      |
| 1987 .....                     | 135.0              | 129.0          | 81.5             | 10,531     | 95.0               | 91.0           | 39.0             | 3,549      |
| 1988 .....                     | 114.0              | 111.0          | 87.2             | 9,680      | 71.0               | 64.0           | 32.0             | 2,045      |
| 1989 .....                     | 127.0              | 117.0          | 92.5             | 10,827     | 63.0               | 43.0           | 31.0             | 1,333      |
| 1990 .....                     | 128.0              | 126.0          | 90.0             | 11,350     | 27.0               | 24.0           | 27.0             | 650        |
| 1991 .....                     | 117.5              | 112.0          | 88.5             | 9,890      | 22.5               | 18.0           | 28.5             | 510        |
| 1992 .....                     | 108.0              | 103.0          | 89.0             | 9,160      | 22.0               | 17.0           | 33.0             | 560        |
| 1993 .....                     | 86.5               | 80.0           | 91.5             | 7,325      | 13.5               | 10.0           | 32.5             | 325        |
| 1994 .....                     | 78.0               | 73.0           | 99.0             | 7,210      | 12.0               | 10.0           | 26.0             | 260        |
| 1995 .....                     | 94.5               | 86.5           | 110.5            | 9,549      | 15.5               | 13.5           | 33.5             | 451        |
| 1996 .....                     | 80.0               | 78.0           | 117.0            | 9,130      | 20.0               | 14.0           | 31.5             | 438        |
| 1997 .....                     | 81.5               | 79.0           | 117.5            | 9,267      | 13.5               | 10.0           | 34.5             | 345        |
| 1998 .....                     | 77.5               | 73.0           | 125.0            | 9,140      | 12.5               | 9.0            | 32.0             | 290        |
| 1999 .....                     | 82.0               | 75.0           | 116.5            | 8,750      | 13.0               | 11.0           | 25.5             | 280        |
| 2000 .....                     | 98.0               | 97.0           | 122.5            | 11,890     | 12.0               | 8.0            | 23.0             | 185        |
| 2001 .....                     | 77.0               | 73.0           | 115.0            | 8,390      | 13.0               | 7.0            | 24.5             | 170        |
| 2002 .....                     | 78.5               | 70.5           | 102.0            | 7,178      | 6.5                | 1.5            | 14.5             | 22         |
| <b>Oats</b>                    |                    |                |                  |            |                    |                |                  |            |
|                                | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b>  |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b>  |            |
| 1986 .....                     | 54.0               | 23.0           | 68.5             | 1,572      | 36.0               | 17.0           | 37.0             | 628        |
| 1987 .....                     | 53.0               | 20.0           | 65.5             | 1,310      | 47.0               | 30.0           | 46.5             | 1,390      |
| 1988 .....                     | 52.5               | 26.0           | 68.2             | 1,774      | 57.5               | 34.0           | 36.1             | 1,226      |
| 1989 .....                     | 45.0               | 33.0           | 75.0             | 2,475      | 50.0               | 22.0           | 25.0             | 550        |
| 1990 .....                     | 47.0               | 27.0           | 64.5             | 1,742      | 43.0               | 18.0           | 28.0             | 508        |
| 1991 .....                     | 44.0               | 17.0           | 76.5             | 1,298      | 44.0               | 13.0           | 38.5             | 502        |
| 1992 .....                     | 41.0               | 16.0           | 73.0             | 1,168      | 39.0               | 10.0           | 39.0             | 392        |
| 1993 .....                     | 42.0               | 14.0           | 76.5             | 1,073      | 38.0               | 9.0            | 39.0             | 353        |
| 1994 .....                     | 43.0               | 15.0           | 79.5             | 1,190      | 32.0               | 9.0            | 28.0             | 250        |
| 1995 .....                     | 66.0               | 20.0           | 81.5             | 1,630      | 29.0               | 13.0           | 32.0             | 416        |
| 1996 .....                     | 57.0               | 22.0           | 68.5             | 1,510      | 23.0               | 13.0           | 24.0             | 310        |
| 1997 .....                     | 54.0               | 15.0           | 91.5             | 1,370      | 16.0               | 10.0           | 33.0             | 330        |
| 1998 .....                     | 70.0               | 16.0           | 91.0             | 1,456      | 20.0               | 9.0            | 32.5             | 294        |
| 1999 .....                     | 40.0               | 12.0           | 82.5             | 990        | 10.0               | 8.0            | 39.0             | 310        |
| 2000 .....                     | 65.0               | 22.0           | 84.0             | 1,850      | 15.0               | 13.0           | 27.5             | 355        |
| 2001 .....                     | 55.0               | 18.0           | 81.5             | 1,470      | 25.0               | 14.0           | 32.0             | 450        |
| 2002 .....                     | 44.0               | 8.0            | 58.0             | 464        | 21.0               | 0.0            | 0.0              | 0.0        |
| <b>Dry Beans <sup>1/</sup></b> |                    |                |                  |            |                    |                |                  |            |
|                                | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> |            |
| 1986 .....                     | 129.0              | 124.0          | 20.50            | 2,543      | 62.0               | 61.0           | 3.80             | 232        |
| 1987 .....                     | 135.0              | 131.0          | 18.70            | 2,450      | 50.0               | 49.0           | 4.70             | 232        |
| 1988 .....                     | 128.6              | 124.0          | 19.50            | 2,418      | 31.4               | 31.0           | 4.50             | 140        |
| 1989 .....                     | 156.0              | 150.0          | 20.00            | 3,003      | 39.0               | 35.0           | 3.00             | 105        |
| 1990 .....                     | 192.5              | 190.0          | 21.90            | 4,155      | 52.5               | 35.0           | 3.40             | 120        |
| 1991 .....                     | 151.0              | 148.0          | 21.50            | 3,188      | 39.0               | 32.0           | 4.40             | 142        |
| 1992 .....                     | 124.4              | 121.0          | 20.00            | 2,414      | 39.6               | 38.0           | 5.10             | 194        |
| 1993 .....                     | 158.3              | 142.5          | 17.30            | 2,471      | 46.7               | 42.5           | 3.20             | 138        |
| 1994 .....                     | 162.0              | 155.0          | 19.30            | 2,995      | 43.0               | 40.0           | 3.60             | 145        |
| 1995 .....                     | 152.0              | 135.0          | 18.30            | 2,465      | 38.0               | 30.0           | 3.10             | 93         |
| 1996 .....                     | 131.0              | 120.0          | 18.50            | 2,218      | 14.0               | 5.0            | 6.40             | 32         |
| 1997 .....                     | 111.0              | 100.0          | 21.20            | 2,120      | 24.0               | 20.0           | 8.00             | 160        |
| 1998 .....                     | 136.0              | 123.5          | 22.10            | 2,730      | 34.0               | 31.5           | 4.40             | 138        |
| 1999 .....                     | 122.5              | 116.0          | 22.10            | 2,560      | 32.5               | 29.0           | 6.70             | 195        |
| 2000 .....                     | 87.8               | 84.0           | 22.10            | 1,860      | 32.2               | 26.0           | 4.60             | 120        |
| 2001 .....                     | 80.5               | 75.0           | 22.50            | 1,685      | 34.5               | 30.0           | 3.30             | 100        |
| 2002 .....                     | 75.0               | 70.0           | 21.70            | 1,519      | 17.0               | 0.0            | 0.00             | 0.0        |

<sup>1/</sup> Yield and production on clean basis.



**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1977-2002**

| Year                        | Acreage            |           | Yield per acre |           | Production           | Value per unit        | Total value          |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
|                             | Planted            | Harvested | Planted        | Harvested |                      |                       |                      |
| <b>Corn for Grain 1/</b>    |                    |           |                |           |                      |                       |                      |
|                             | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Bushels</b> |           | <b>1,000 Bushels</b> | <b>Dollars Per Bu</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1977 .....                  | 970                | 695       | 2/             | 116.0     | 80,620               | 1.94                  | 156,403              |
| 1978 .....                  | 1,015              | 730       | 2/             | 110.0     | 80,300               | 2.26                  | 181,478              |
| 1979 .....                  | 1,015              | 760       | 2/             | 127.0     | 96,520               | 2.53                  | 244,196              |
| 1980 .....                  | 970                | 760       | 2/             | 118.0     | 89,680               | 3.05                  | 273,524              |
| 1981 .....                  | 960                | 770       | 2/             | 135.0     | 103,950              | 2.50                  | 259,875              |
| 1982 .....                  | 980                | 790       | 2/             | 129.0     | 101,910              | 2.75                  | 280,253              |
| 1983 .....                  | 780                | 610       | 2/             | 122.0     | 74,420               | 3.17                  | 235,911              |
| 1984 .....                  | 840                | 680       | 2/             | 134.0     | 91,120               | 2.66                  | 242,379              |
| 1985 .....                  | 875                | 745       | 2/             | 139.0     | 103,555              | 2.37                  | 245,425              |
| 1986 .....                  | 820                | 710       | 2/             | 145.0     | 102,950              | 1.60                  | 164,720              |
| 1987 .....                  | 800                | 690       | 2/             | 155.0     | 106,950              | 1.95                  | 208,553              |
| 1988 .....                  | 910                | 800       | 2/             | 160.0     | 128,000              | 2.54                  | 325,120              |
| 1989 .....                  | 1,050              | 930       | 2/             | 145.0     | 134,850              | 2.32                  | 312,852              |
| 1990 .....                  | 950                | 830       | 2/             | 155.0     | 128,650              | 2.36                  | 303,614              |
| 1991 .....                  | 995                | 870       | 2/             | 153.0     | 133,110              | 2.43                  | 323,457              |
| 1992 .....                  | 990                | 880       | 2/             | 148.0     | 130,240              | 2.23                  | 290,435              |
| 1993 .....                  | 1,005              | 890       | 2/             | 120.0     | 106,800              | 2.65                  | 283,020              |
| 1994 .....                  | 950                | 840       | 2/             | 150.0     | 126,000              | 2.38                  | 299,880              |
| 1995 .....                  | 950                | 830       | 2/             | 111.0     | 92,130               | 3.33                  | 306,793              |
| 1996 .....                  | 1,000              | 890       | 2/             | 142.0     | 126,380              | 2.76                  | 348,809              |
| 1997 .....                  | 1,090              | 980       | 2/             | 146.0     | 143,080              | 2.59                  | 370,577              |
| 1998 .....                  | 1,180              | 1,070     | 2/             | 145.0     | 155,150              | 1.96                  | 304,094              |
| 1999 .....                  | 1,230              | 1,120     | 2/             | 142.0     | 159,040              | 1.84                  | 292,634              |
| 2000 .....                  | 1,350              | 1,150     | 2/             | 126.0     | 144,900              | 2.08                  | 301,392              |
| 2001 .....                  | 1,220              | 1,070     | 2/             | 140.0     | 149,800              | 2.13                  | 319,074              |
| 2002 .....                  | 1,200              | 720       | 2/             | 156.0     | 112,320              | 2.55                  | 286,416              |
| <b>Sorghum for Grain 3/</b> |                    |           |                |           |                      |                       |                      |
|                             | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Bushels</b> |           | <b>1,000 Bushels</b> | <b>Dollars Per Bu</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1977 .....                  | 475                | 285       | 2/             | 31.0      | 8,835                | 1.82                  | 16,080               |
| 1978 .....                  | 500                | 340       | 2/             | 31.0      | 10,540               | 1.76                  | 18,550               |
| 1979 .....                  | 490                | 340       | 2/             | 38.0      | 12,920               | 2.14                  | 27,649               |
| 1980 .....                  | 490                | 350       | 2/             | 35.0      | 12,250               | 3.00                  | 36,750               |
| 1981 .....                  | 455                | 365       | 2/             | 33.0      | 12,045               | 2.23                  | 26,860               |
| 1982 .....                  | 385                | 310       | 2/             | 33.0      | 10,230               | 2.58                  | 26,393               |
| 1983 .....                  | 295                | 240       | 2/             | 29.0      | 6,960                | 2.79                  | 19,418               |
| 1984 .....                  | 500                | 430       | 2/             | 37.0      | 15,910               | 2.36                  | 37,548               |
| 1985 .....                  | 370                | 320       | 2/             | 35.0      | 11,200               | 2.03                  | 22,736               |
| 1986 .....                  | 380                | 300       | 2/             | 39.0      | 11,700               | 1.42                  | 16,614               |
| 1987 .....                  | 400                | 210       | 2/             | 43.0      | 9,030                | 1.84                  | 16,615               |
| 1988 .....                  | 270                | 180       | 2/             | 46.0      | 8,280                | 2.25                  | 18,630               |
| 1989 .....                  | 400                | 325       | 2/             | 35.0      | 11,375               | 2.20                  | 25,025               |
| 1990 .....                  | 270                | 220       | 2/             | 47.0      | 10,340               | 2.09                  | 21,611               |
| 1991 .....                  | 320                | 270       | 2/             | 40.0      | 10,800               | 2.25                  | 24,300               |
| 1992 .....                  | 230                | 180       | 2/             | 37.0      | 6,660                | 1.92                  | 12,787               |
| 1993 .....                  | 210                | 170       | 2/             | 42.0      | 7,140                | 2.50                  | 17,850               |
| 1994 .....                  | 200                | 170       | 2/             | 42.0      | 7,140                | 2.14                  | 15,280               |
| 1995 .....                  | 200                | 165       | 2/             | 28.0      | 4,620                | 3.14                  | 14,507               |
| 1996 .....                  | 290                | 260       | 2/             | 51.0      | 13,260               | 2.27                  | 30,100               |
| 1997 .....                  | 190                | 150       | 2/             | 40.0      | 6,000                | 2.19                  | 13,140               |
| 1998 .....                  | 200                | 185       | 2/             | 57.0      | 10,545               | 1.65                  | 17,399               |
| 1999 .....                  | 230                | 205       | 2/             | 42.0      | 8,610                | 1.46                  | 12,571               |
| 2000 .....                  | 280                | 210       | 2/             | 32.0      | 6,720                | 1.83                  | 12,298               |
| 2001 .....                  | 310                | 220       | 2/             | 43.0      | 9,460                | 1.83                  | 17,323               |
| 2002 .....                  | 350                | 90        | 2/             | 20.0      | 1,800                | 2.30                  | 4,133                |

1/ "Planted acres" for corn pertains to acreage planted for all purposes.

2/ Not available.

3/ "Planted acres" for sorghum pertains to acreage planted for all purposes.

**Field Crops: Acreage and production by cropping practice, Colorado, 1977-2002**

| Year                        | Irrigated          |                |                 |            | Non-Irrigated      |                |                 |            |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|
|                             | Planted            | Harvested      | Yield Per Acre  | Production | Planted            | Harvested      | Yield Per Acre  | Production |
| <b>Corn for Grain 1/</b>    |                    |                |                 |            |                    |                |                 |            |
|                             | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            |
| 1977 .....                  | ...                | 675.0          | 118.5           | 80,020     | ...                | 20.0           | 30.0            | 600        |
| 1978 .....                  | ...                | 705.0          | 113.5           | 79,850     | ...                | 25.0           | 18.0            | 450        |
| 1979 .....                  | ...                | 740.0          | 129.0           | 95,640     | ...                | 20.0           | 44.0            | 880        |
| 1980 .....                  | 941.0              | 735.0          | 121.0           | 88,935     | 29.0               | 25.0           | 30.0            | 745        |
| 1981 .....                  | 934.0              | 747.0          | 138.0           | 103,099    | 26.0               | 23.0           | 37.0            | 851        |
| 1982 .....                  | 958.0              | 770.0          | 131.0           | 100,950    | 22.0               | 20.0           | 48.0            | 960        |
| 1983 .....                  | 758.0              | 590.0          | 125.0           | 73,650     | 22.0               | 20.0           | 38.5            | 770        |
| 1984 .....                  | 819.5              | 660.0          | 137.0           | 90,420     | 20.5               | 20.0           | 35.0            | 700        |
| 1985 .....                  | 850.8              | 721.0          | 142.5           | 102,691    | 24.2               | 24.0           | 36.0            | 864        |
| 1986 .....                  | 789.0              | 682.0          | 149.0           | 101,774    | 31.0               | 28.0           | 42.0            | 1,176      |
| 1987 .....                  | 777.0              | 670.0          | 158.0           | 105,950    | 23.0               | 20.0           | 50.0            | 1,000      |
| 1988 .....                  | 888.0              | 778.0          | 162.9           | 126,793    | 22.0               | 22.0           | 54.9            | 1,207      |
| 1989 .....                  | 1,020.0            | 902.0          | 148.0           | 133,310    | 30.0               | 28.0           | 55.0            | 1,540      |
| 1990 .....                  | 923.5              | 804.0          | 158.0           | 127,150    | 26.5               | 26.0           | 57.5            | 1,500      |
| 1991 .....                  | 944.0              | 820.0          | 159.0           | 130,390    | 51.0               | 50.0           | 54.5            | 2,720      |
| 1992 .....                  | 909.0              | 800.0          | 156.5           | 125,000    | 81.0               | 80.0           | 65.5            | 5,240      |
| 1993 .....                  | 911.5              | 800.0          | 128.0           | 102,220    | 93.5               | 90.0           | 51.0            | 4,580      |
| 1994 .....                  | 855.0              | 750.0          | 163.0           | 122,200    | 95.0               | 90.0           | 42.0            | 3,800      |
| 1995 .....                  | 843.0              | 730.0          | 121.5           | 88,680     | 107.0              | 100.0          | 34.5            | 3,450      |
| 1996 .....                  | 885.0              | 780.0          | 153.0           | 119,200    | 115.0              | 110.0          | 65.5            | 7,180      |
| 1997 .....                  | 936.0              | 830.0          | 161.0           | 133,700    | 154.0              | 150.0          | 62.5            | 9,380      |
| 1998 .....                  | 939.0              | 830.0          | 167.5           | 139,000    | 241.0              | 240.0          | 67.5            | 16,150     |
| 1999 .....                  | 937.0              | 830.0          | 167.5           | 139,200    | 293.0              | 290.0          | 68.5            | 19,840     |
| 2000 .....                  | 950.0              | 810.0          | 166.0           | 134,500    | 400.0              | 340.0          | 30.5            | 10,400     |
| 2001 .....                  | 880.0              | 765.0          | 175.0           | 134,000    | 340.0              | 305.0          | 52.0            | 15,800     |
| 2002 .....                  | 800.0              | 665.0          | 167.0           | 110,900    | 400.0              | 55.0           | 26.0            | 1,420      |
| <b>Sorghum for Grain 2/</b> |                    |                |                 |            |                    |                |                 |            |
|                             | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Bushels</b> | <b>1,000 Bu</b> |            |
| 1977 .....                  | ...                | 78.0           | 50.0            | 3,917      | ...                | 207.0          | 24.0            | 4,918      |
| 1978 .....                  | ...                | 95.0           | 58.5            | 5,577      | ...                | 245.0          | 20.5            | 4,963      |
| 1979 .....                  | ...                | 95.0           | 65.5            | 6,242      | ...                | 245.0          | 27.5            | 6,678      |
| 1980 .....                  | ...                | 115.0          | 59.0            | 6,775      | ...                | 235.0          | 23.5            | 5,475      |
| 1981 .....                  | ...                | 96.0           | 55.0            | 5,280      | ...                | 269.0          | 25.0            | 6,765      |
| 1982 .....                  | ...                | 83.0           | 66.5            | 5,500      | ...                | 227.0          | 21.0            | 4,730      |
| 1983 .....                  | ...                | 62.0           | 56.0            | 3,472      | ...                | 178.0          | 19.5            | 3,488      |
| 1984 .....                  | ...                | 90.0           | 75.5            | 6,817      | ...                | 340.0          | 26.5            | 9,093      |
| 1985 .....                  | ...                | 66.0           | 72.0            | 4,752      | ...                | 254.0          | 25.5            | 6,448      |
| 1986 .....                  | 78.0               | 65.0           | 85.0            | 5,534      | 302.0              | 235.0          | 26.0            | 6,166      |
| 1987 .....                  | 60.0               | 50.0           | 82.5            | 4,125      | 340.0              | 160.0          | 30.5            | 4,905      |
| 1988 .....                  | 70.0               | 55.0           | 77.0            | 4,235      | 200.0              | 125.0          | 32.5            | 4,045      |
| 1989 .....                  | 85.0               | 75.0           | 60.0            | 4,500      | 315.0              | 250.0          | 27.5            | 6,875      |
| 1990 .....                  | 81.5               | 64.0           | 76.0            | 4,850      | 188.5              | 156.0          | 35.0            | 5,490      |
| 1991 .....                  | 82.0               | 65.0           | 60.0            | 3,900      | 238.0              | 205.0          | 33.5            | 6,900      |
| 1992 .....                  | 64.0               | 45.0           | 50.5            | 2,272      | 166.0              | 135.0          | 32.5            | 4,388      |
| 1993 .....                  | 59.0               | 43.0           | 64.5            | 2,780      | 151.0              | 127.0          | 34.5            | 4,360      |
| 1994 .....                  | 47.0               | 35.0           | 74.0            | 2,582      | 153.0              | 135.0          | 34.0            | 4,558      |
| 1995 .....                  | 44.0               | 32.0           | 53.5            | 1,704      | 156.0              | 133.0          | 22.0            | 2,916      |
| 1996 .....                  | 35.0               | 30.0           | 79.5            | 2,387      | 255.0              | 230.0          | 47.5            | 10,873     |
| 1997 .....                  | 43.0               | 30.0           | 60.5            | 1,820      | 147.0              | 120.0          | 35.0            | 4,180      |
| 1998 .....                  | 34.0               | 26.5           | 75.5            | 2,000      | 166.0              | 158.5          | 54.0            | 8,545      |
| 1999 .....                  | 30.0               | 21.0           | 68.0            | 1,428      | 200.0              | 184.0          | 39.0            | 7,182      |
| 2000 .....                  | 47.0               | 33.0           | 77.5            | 2,550      | 233.0              | 177.0          | 23.5            | 4,170      |
| 2001 .....                  | 42.0               | 33.0           | 74.0            | 2,440      | 268.0              | 187.0          | 37.5            | 7,020      |
| 2002 .....                  | 47.0               | 18.0           | 52.0            | 935        | 303.0              | 72.0           | 12.0            | 865        |

1/ "Planted acres" for corn pertains to acreage planted for all purposes.

2/ "Planted acres" for sorghum pertains to acreage planted for all purposes.



**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1977-2002**

**Corn for Silage**

| Year    | Irrigated   |        |            | Non-Irrigated |        |            | Total       |         |            |                 |             |
|---------|-------------|--------|------------|---------------|--------|------------|-------------|---------|------------|-----------------|-------------|
|         | Harvested   | Yld/Ac | Production | Harvested     | Yld/Ac | Production | Harvested   | Yld/ Ac | Production | Value/Unit      | Total value |
|         | 1,000 Acres | Tons   | 1,000 Tons | 1,000 Acres   | Tons   | 1,000 Tons | 1,000 Acres | Tons    | 1,000 Tons | Dollars Per Ton | \$ 1,000    |
| 1977 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 248         | 18.0    | 4,464      | 15.00           | 66,960      |
| 1978 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 254         | 19.0    | 4,826      | 15.50           | 74,803      |
| 1979 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 240         | 20.0    | 4,800      | 18.00           | 86,400      |
| 1980 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 193         | 18.5    | 3,571      | 21.00           | 74,991      |
| 1981 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 176         | 20.5    | 3,608      | 19.60           | 70,717      |
| 1982 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 178         | 21.5    | 3,827      | 19.10           | 73,096      |
| 1983 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 160         | 21.0    | 3,360      | 21.60           | 72,576      |
| 1984 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 157         | 22.0    | 3,454      | 21.70           | 74,952      |
| 1985 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 128         | 23.0    | 2,944      | 20.00           | 58,880      |
| 1986 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 95          | 22.0    | 2,090      | 16.40           | 34,276      |
| 1987 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 105         | 22.0    | 2,310      | 15.30           | 35,343      |
| 1988 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 105         | 23.0    | 2,415      | 22.20           | 53,613      |
| 1989 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 115         | 22.0    | 2,530      | 21.30           | 53,889      |
| 1990 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 117         | 22.5    | 2,633      | 21.60           | 56,873      |
| 1991 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 120         | 22.0    | 2,640      | 20.00           | 52,800      |
| 1992 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 100         | 22.5    | 2,250      | 19.10           | 42,975      |
| 1993 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 100         | 21.0    | 2,100      | 19.90           | 41,790      |
| 1994 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 97          | 21.0    | 2,037      | 22.00           | 44,814      |
| 1995 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 105         | 20.0    | 2,100      | 22.00           | 46,200      |
| 1996 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 90          | 21.5    | 1,935      | 24.00           | 46,440      |
| 1997 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 100         | 22.5    | 2,250      | 24.00           | 54,000      |
| 1998 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 100         | 24.0    | 2,400      | 22.00           | 52,800      |
| 1999 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 100         | 24.0    | 2,400      | 20.00           | 48,000      |
| 2000 .. | 1/          | 1/     | 1/         | 1/            | 1/     | 1/         | 110         | 22.0    | 2,420      | 20.50           | 49,610      |
| 2001 .. | 110         | 24.0   | 2,615      | 5             | 6.0    | 30         | 115         | 23.0    | 2,645      | 22.00           | 58,190      |
| 2002 .. | 130         | 24.0   | 3,110      | 70            | 7.0    | 490        | 200         | 18.0    | 3,600      | 23.00           | 82,800      |

1/ Irrigated and non-irrigated not estimated separately prior to 2001.

**Sorghum for Silage**

| Year    | Area Harvested | Yield Per Harvested Acre | Production | Value per unit  | Total value   |
|---------|----------------|--------------------------|------------|-----------------|---------------|
|         | 1,000 Acres    | Tons                     | 1,000 Tons | Dollars Per Ton | 1,000 Dollars |
| 1977 .. | 20             | 7.0                      | 140        | 14.30           | 2,002         |
| 1978 .. | 23             | 11.0                     | 253        | 15.00           | 3,795         |
| 1979 .. | 25             | 13.0                     | 325        | 16.50           | 5,363         |
| 1980 .. | 22             | 15.0                     | 330        | 19.00           | 6,270         |
| 1981 .. | 28             | 13.0                     | 364        | 18.00           | 6,552         |
| 1982 .. | 28             | 11.0                     | 308        | 18.70           | 5,760         |
| 1983 .. | 20             | 13.0                     | 260        | 21.80           | 5,668         |
| 1984 .. | 22             | 11.0                     | 242        | 19.30           | 4,671         |
| 1985 .. | 18             | 16.0                     | 288        | 13.70           | 3,946         |
| 1986 .. | 19             | 13.0                     | 247        | 12.20           | 3,013         |
| 1987 .. | 18             | 15.0                     | 270        | 12.60           | 3,402         |
| 1988 .. | 22             | 13.0                     | 286        | 17.00           | 4,862         |
| 1989 .. | 25             | 14.0                     | 350        | 18.00           | 6,300         |
| 1990 .. | 20             | 13.0                     | 260        | 19.50           | 5,070         |
| 1991 .. | 22             | 15.0                     | 330        | 17.70           | 5,841         |
| 1992 .. | 20             | 18.0                     | 360        | 18.00           | 6,480         |
| 1993 .. | 22             | 16.0                     | 352        | 20.00           | 7,040         |
| 1994 .. | 18             | 15.0                     | 270        | 20.00           | 5,400         |
| 1995 .. | 13             | 13.0                     | 169        | 20.00           | 3,380         |
| 1996 .. | 12             | 13.0                     | 156        | 19.00           | 2,964         |
| 1997 .. | 18             | 13.0                     | 234        | 21.50           | 5,031         |
| 1998 .. | 11             | 13.0                     | 143        | 21.00           | 3,003         |
| 1999 .. | 10             | 17.0                     | 170        | 19.50           | 3,315         |
| 2000 .. | 12             | 16.0                     | 192        | 18.00           | 3,456         |
| 2001 .. | 12             | 20.0                     | 240        | 17.00           | 4,080         |
| 2002 .. | 15             | 9.0                      | 135        | 19.50           | 2,633         |

**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1986-2002 1/**

| Year                      | Acreage            |           | Yield per acre |           | Production          | Value per unit         | Total value          |
|---------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|---------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
|                           | Planted            | Harvested | Planted        | Harvested |                     |                        |                      |
| <b>Sunflower, All</b>     |                    |           |                |           |                     |                        |                      |
|                           | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Pounds</b>  |           | <b>1,000 Pounds</b> | <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1987                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1988                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1989                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1990                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1991                      | 63                 | 60        | 925            | 971       | 58,250              | 9.60                   | 5,585                |
| 1992                      | 70                 | 67        | 1,309          | 1,367     | 91,600              | 10.20                  | 9,384                |
| 1993                      | 85                 | 77        | 1,047          | 1,156     | 89,000              | 13.20                  | 11,717               |
| 1994                      | 100                | 95        | 963            | 1,014     | 96,300              | 11.30                  | 10,860               |
| 1995                      | 115                | 110       | 897            | 938       | 103,160             | 12.70                  | 13,173               |
| 1996                      | 110                | 107       | 1,153          | 1,185     | 126,800             | 13.30                  | 16,844               |
| 1997                      | 85                 | 80        | 1,013          | 1,076     | 86,100              | 12.30                  | 10,395               |
| 1998                      | 160                | 150       | 1,245          | 1,328     | 199,250             | 11.50                  | 22,903               |
| 1999                      | 270                | 265       | 1,291          | 1,315     | 348,450             | 8.80                   | 30,668               |
| 2000                      | 220                | 180       | 785            | 959       | 172,650             | 8.50                   | 14,327               |
| 2001                      | 195                | 182       | 1,067          | 1,143     | 208,100             | 9.50                   | 19,708               |
| 2002                      | 130                | 100       | 485            | 630       | 63,000              | 12.70                  | 7,979                |
| <b>Sunflower, Oil</b>     |                    |           |                |           |                     |                        |                      |
|                           | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Pounds</b>  |           | <b>1,000 Pounds</b> | <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1987                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1988                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1989                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1990                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1991                      | 37                 | 35        | 900            | 950       | 33,250              | 8.00                   | 2,660                |
| 1992                      | 46                 | 44        | 1,290          | 1,350     | 59,400              | 8.75                   | 5,198                |
| 1993                      | 60                 | 54        | 1,010          | 1,120     | 60,480              | 12.30                  | 7,439                |
| 1994                      | 72                 | 69        | 960            | 1,000     | 69,000              | 10.20                  | 7,038                |
| 1995                      | 65                 | 62        | 780            | 820       | 50,840              | 11.40                  | 5,796                |
| 1996                      | 45                 | 44        | 1,420          | 1,450     | 63,800              | 10.80                  | 6,890                |
| 1997                      | 50                 | 47        | 1,130          | 1,200     | 56,400              | 10.90                  | 6,148                |
| 1998                      | 115                | 107       | 1,300          | 1,400     | 149,800             | 10.70                  | 16,029               |
| 1999                      | 175                | 172       | 1,330          | 1,350     | 232,200             | 7.40                   | 17,183               |
| 2000                      | 150                | 125       | 790            | 950       | 118,750             | 6.80                   | 8,075                |
| 2001                      | 130                | 120       | 1,052          | 1,140     | 136,800             | 8.10                   | 11,081               |
| 2002                      | 95                 | 80        | 420            | 500       | 40,000              | 12.30                  | 4,920                |
| <b>Sunflower, Non-Oil</b> |                    |           |                |           |                     |                        |                      |
|                           | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Pounds</b>  |           | <b>1,000 Pounds</b> | <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1987                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1988                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1989                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1990                      | ---                | ---       | ---            | ---       | ---                 | ---                    | ---                  |
| 1991                      | 26                 | 25        | 960            | 1,000     | 25,000              | 11.70                  | 2,925                |
| 1992                      | 24                 | 23        | 1,340          | 1,400     | 32,200              | 13.00                  | 4,186                |
| 1993                      | 25                 | 23        | 1,140          | 1,240     | 28,520              | 15.00                  | 4,278                |
| 1994                      | 28                 | 26        | 980            | 1,050     | 27,300              | 14.00                  | 3,822                |
| 1995                      | 50                 | 48        | 1,050          | 1,090     | 52,320              | 14.10                  | 7,377                |
| 1996                      | 65                 | 63        | 970            | 1,000     | 63,000              | 15.80                  | 9,954                |
| 1997                      | 35                 | 33        | 850            | 900       | 29,700              | 14.30                  | 4,247                |
| 1998                      | 45                 | 43        | 1,100          | 1,150     | 49,450              | 13.90                  | 6,874                |
| 1999                      | 95                 | 93        | 1,220          | 1,250     | 116,250             | 11.60                  | 13,485               |
| 2000                      | 70                 | 55        | 770            | 980       | 53,900              | 11.60                  | 6,252                |
| 2001                      | 65                 | 62        | 1,100          | 1,150     | 71,300              | 12.10                  | 8,627                |
| 2002                      | 35                 | 20        | 660            | 1,150     | 23,000              | 13.30                  | 3,059                |

1/ Estimates began 1991.

**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year                | Acreage            |           | Yield per acre |           | Production        | Value per unit         | Total value          |
|---------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
|                     | Planted            | Harvested | Planted        | Harvested |                   |                        |                      |
| <b>All Hay</b>      |                    |           |                |           |                   |                        |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Tons</b>    |           | <b>1,000 Tons</b> | <b>Dollars Per Ton</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 1/                 | 1,410     | 1/             | 2.58      | 3,642             | 58.00                  | 211,236              |
| 1987 .....          | 1/                 | 1,500     | 1/             | 2.70      | 4,044             | 62.00                  | 250,728              |
| 1988 .....          | 1/                 | 1,650     | 1/             | 2.40      | 3,957             | 82.00                  | 324,474              |
| 1989 .....          | 1/                 | 1,500     | 1/             | 2.30      | 3,450             | 91.50                  | 315,450              |
| 1990 .....          | 1/                 | 1,550     | 1/             | 2.45      | 3,805             | 80.50                  | 303,953              |
| 1991 .....          | 1/                 | 1,500     | 1/             | 2.71      | 4,062             | 70.50                  | 287,076              |
| 1992 .....          | 1/                 | 1,480     | 1/             | 2.83      | 4,189             | 64.50                  | 267,741              |
| 1993 .....          | 1/                 | 1,400     | 1/             | 3.00      | 4,193             | 77.00                  | 319,491              |
| 1994 .....          | 1/                 | 1,330     | 1/             | 3.05      | 4,060             | 91.00                  | 368,284              |
| 1995 .....          | 1/                 | 1,400     | 1/             | 2.89      | 4,050             | 87.50                  | 354,960              |
| 1996 .....          | 1/                 | 1,510     | 1/             | 2.77      | 4,180             | 96.00                  | 402,120              |
| 1997 .....          | 1/                 | 1,590     | 1/             | 2.98      | 4,739             | 101.00                 | 485,954              |
| 1998 .....          | 1/                 | 1,410     | 1/             | 3.26      | 4,602             | 92.00                  | 430,782              |
| 1999 .....          | 1/                 | 1,520     | 1/             | 3.03      | 4,598             | 69.00                  | 310,194              |
| 2000 .....          | 1/                 | 1,400     | 1/             | 2.91      | 4,080             | 85.50                  | 347,880              |
| 2001 .....          | 1/                 | 1,600     | 1/             | 2.99      | 4,780             | 101.00                 | 480,440              |
| 2002 .....          | 1/                 | 1,350     | 1/             | 2.22      | 3,003             | 117.00                 | 366,795              |
| <b>Alfalfa Hay</b>  |                    |           |                |           |                   |                        |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Tons</b>    |           | <b>1,000 Tons</b> | <b>Dollars Per Ton</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 1/                 | 770       | 1/             | 3.40      | 2,618             | 58.80                  | 153,892              |
| 1987 .....          | 1/                 | 830       | 1/             | 3.50      | 2,905             | 62.40                  | 181,249              |
| 1988 .....          | 1/                 | 780       | 1/             | 3.40      | 2,652             | 85.70                  | 227,252              |
| 1989 .....          | 1/                 | 750       | 1/             | 3.20      | 2,400             | 92.60                  | 222,225              |
| 1990 .....          | 1/                 | 740       | 1/             | 3.50      | 2,590             | 81.00                  | 209,790              |
| 1991 .....          | 1/                 | 720       | 1/             | 3.80      | 2,736             | 71.00                  | 194,256              |
| 1992 .....          | 1/                 | 780       | 1/             | 3.80      | 2,964             | 64.50                  | 191,178              |
| 1993 .....          | 1/                 | 850       | 1/             | 3.80      | 3,230             | 77.00                  | 248,710              |
| 1994 .....          | 1/                 | 840       | 1/             | 3.90      | 3,276             | 91.00                  | 298,116              |
| 1995 .....          | 1/                 | 850       | 1/             | 3.60      | 3,060             | 88.50                  | 270,810              |
| 1996 .....          | 1/                 | 860       | 1/             | 3.50      | 3,010             | 99.00                  | 297,990              |
| 1997 .....          | 1/                 | 840       | 1/             | 3.90      | 3,276             | 101.00                 | 330,876              |
| 1998 .....          | 1/                 | 810       | 1/             | 4.20      | 3,402             | 91.00                  | 309,582              |
| 1999 .....          | 1/                 | 900       | 1/             | 3.80      | 3,420             | 69.00                  | 235,980              |
| 2000 .....          | 1/                 | 900       | 1/             | 3.70      | 3,330             | 86.00                  | 286,380              |
| 2001 .....          | 1/                 | 950       | 1/             | 3.80      | 3,610             | 101.00                 | 364,610              |
| 2002 .....          | 1/                 | 780       | 1/             | 2.90      | 2,262             | 114.00                 | 257,868              |
| <b>Other Hay 2/</b> |                    |           |                |           |                   |                        |                      |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Tons</b>    |           | <b>1,000 Tons</b> | <b>Dollars Per Ton</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....          | 1/                 | 640       | 1/             | 1.60      | 1,024             | 56.00                  | 57,344               |
| 1987 .....          | 1/                 | 670       | 1/             | 1.70      | 1,139             | 61.00                  | 69,479               |
| 1988 .....          | 1/                 | 870       | 1/             | 1.50      | 1,305             | 74.50                  | 97,222               |
| 1989 .....          | 1/                 | 750       | 1/             | 1.40      | 1,050             | 89.00                  | 93,450               |
| 1990 .....          | 1/                 | 810       | 1/             | 1.50      | 1,215             | 77.50                  | 94,163               |
| 1991 .....          | 1/                 | 780       | 1/             | 1.70      | 1,326             | 70.00                  | 92,820               |
| 1992 .....          | 1/                 | 700       | 1/             | 1.75      | 1,225             | 62.50                  | 76,563               |
| 1993 .....          | 1/                 | 550       | 1/             | 1.75      | 963               | 73.50                  | 70,781               |
| 1994 .....          | 1/                 | 490       | 1/             | 1.60      | 784               | 89.50                  | 70,168               |
| 1995 .....          | 1/                 | 550       | 1/             | 1.80      | 990               | 85.00                  | 84,150               |
| 1996 .....          | 1/                 | 650       | 1/             | 1.80      | 1,170             | 89.00                  | 104,130              |
| 1997 .....          | 1/                 | 750       | 1/             | 1.95      | 1,463             | 106.00                 | 155,078              |
| 1998 .....          | 1/                 | 600       | 1/             | 2.00      | 1,200             | 101.00                 | 121,200              |
| 1999 .....          | 1/                 | 620       | 1/             | 1.90      | 1,178             | 63.00                  | 74,214               |
| 2000 .....          | 1/                 | 500       | 1/             | 1.50      | 750               | 82.00                  | 61,500               |
| 2001 .....          | 1/                 | 650       | 1/             | 1.80      | 1,170             | 99.00                  | 115,830              |
| 2002 .....          | 1/                 | 570       | 1/             | 1.30      | 741               | 147.00                 | 108,927              |

1/ Not estimated.

2/ Includes wild, millet, sudan, clover & timothy, grain, and other miscellaneous tame hays.



**Field Crops: Acreage and production by cropping practice, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year                | Irrigated          |             |                   |            | Non-Irrigated      |             |                   |            |
|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------------|------------|
|                     | Planted            | Harvested   | Yield Per Acre    | Production | Planted            | Harvested   | Yield Per Acre    | Production |
| <b>All Hay</b>      |                    |             |                   |            |                    |             |                   |            |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Tons</b> | <b>1,000 Tons</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Tons</b> | <b>1,000 Tons</b> |            |
| 1986 .....          | 1/                 | 1,084       | 3.00              | 3,229      | 1/                 | 326         | 1.25              | 413        |
| 1987 .....          | 1/                 | 1,175       | 3.10              | 3,637      | 1/                 | 325         | 1.25              | 407        |
| 1988 .....          | 1/                 | 1,286       | 2.75              | 3,526      | 1/                 | 364         | 1.20              | 431        |
| 1989 .....          | 1/                 | 1,155       | 2.65              | 3,060      | 1/                 | 345         | 1.15              | 390        |
| 1990 .....          | 1/                 | 1,200       | 2.80              | 3,365      | 1/                 | 350         | 1.25              | 440        |
| 1991 .....          | 1/                 | 1,170       | 3.05              | 3,557      | 1/                 | 330         | 1.55              | 505        |
| 1992 .....          | 1/                 | 1,189       | 3.15              | 3,737      | 1/                 | 291         | 1.55              | 452        |
| 1993 .....          | 1/                 | 1,160       | 3.30              | 3,829      | 1/                 | 240         | 1.50              | 364        |
| 1994 .....          | 1/                 | 1,121       | 3.35              | 3,777      | 1/                 | 209         | 1.35              | 283        |
| 1995 .....          | 1/                 | 1,174       | 3.20              | 3,735      | 1/                 | 226         | 1.40              | 315        |
| 1996 .....          | 1/                 | 1,250       | 3.05              | 3,823      | 1/                 | 260         | 1.35              | 357        |
| 1997 .....          | 1/                 | 1,285       | 3.30              | 4,236      | 1/                 | 305         | 1.65              | 503        |
| 1998 .....          | 1/                 | 1,150       | 3.65              | 4,180      | 1/                 | 260         | 1.60              | 422        |
| 1999 .....          | 1/                 | 1,250       | 3.35              | 4,180      | 1/                 | 270         | 1.55              | 418        |
| 2000 .....          | 1/                 | 1,980       | 3.25              | 3,878      | 1/                 | 202         | 1.00              | 202        |
| 2001 .....          | 1/                 | 1,315       | 3.35              | 4,415      | 1/                 | 285         | 1.30              | 365        |
| 2002 .....          | 1/                 | 1,140       | 2.50              | 2,842      | 1/                 | 210         | 0.75              | 161        |
| <b>Alfalfa Hay</b>  |                    |             |                   |            |                    |             |                   |            |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Tons</b> | <b>1,000 Tons</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Tons</b> | <b>1,000 Tons</b> |            |
| 1986 .....          | 1/                 | 660         | 3.75              | 2,475      | 1/                 | 110         | 1.30              | 143        |
| 1987 .....          | 1/                 | 700         | 3.90              | 2,740      | 1/                 | 130         | 1.25              | 165        |
| 1988 .....          | 1/                 | 670         | 3.75              | 2,526      | 1/                 | 110         | 1.15              | 126        |
| 1989 .....          | 1/                 | 650         | 3.50              | 2,290      | 1/                 | 100         | 1.10              | 110        |
| 1990 .....          | 1/                 | 650         | 3.80              | 2,485      | 1/                 | 90          | 1.15              | 105        |
| 1991 .....          | 1/                 | 635         | 4.10              | 2,601      | 1/                 | 85          | 1.60              | 135        |
| 1992 .....          | 1/                 | 694         | 4.05              | 2,817      | 1/                 | 86          | 1.70              | 147        |
| 1993 .....          | 1/                 | 765         | 4.05              | 3,094      | 1/                 | 85          | 1.60              | 136        |
| 1994 .....          | 1/                 | 756         | 4.15              | 3,153      | 1/                 | 84          | 1.45              | 123        |
| 1995 .....          | 1/                 | 774         | 3.80              | 2,940      | 1/                 | 76          | 1.60              | 120        |
| 1996 .....          | 1/                 | 790         | 3.70              | 2,923      | 1/                 | 70          | 1.25              | 87         |
| 1997 .....          | 1/                 | 755         | 4.15              | 3,140      | 1/                 | 85          | 1.60              | 136        |
| 1998 .....          | 1/                 | 730         | 4.50              | 3,280      | 1/                 | 80          | 1.55              | 122        |
| 1999 .....          | 1/                 | 800         | 4.10              | 3,280      | 1/                 | 100         | 1.40              | 140        |
| 2000 .....          | 1/                 | 820         | 3.95              | 3,258      | 1/                 | 80          | .90               | 72         |
| 2001 .....          | 1/                 | 850         | 4.10              | 3,505      | 1/                 | 100         | 1.05              | 105        |
| 2002 .....          | 1/                 | 720         | 3.10              | 2,227      | 1/                 | 60          | 0.60              | 35         |
| <b>Other Hay 2/</b> |                    |             |                   |            |                    |             |                   |            |
|                     | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Tons</b> | <b>1,000 Tons</b> |            | <b>1,000 Acres</b> | <b>Tons</b> | <b>1,000 Tons</b> |            |
| 1986 .....          | 1/                 | 424         | 1.80              | 754        | 1/                 | 216         | 1.25              | 270        |
| 1987 .....          | 1/                 | 475         | 1.85              | 897        | 1/                 | 195         | 1.25              | 242        |
| 1988 .....          | 1/                 | 616         | 1.60              | 1,000      | 1/                 | 254         | 1.20              | 305        |
| 1989 .....          | 1/                 | 505         | 1.50              | 770        | 1/                 | 245         | 1.15              | 280        |
| 1990 .....          | 1/                 | 550         | 1.60              | 880        | 1/                 | 260         | 1.30              | 335        |
| 1991 .....          | 1/                 | 535         | 1.80              | 956        | 1/                 | 245         | 1.50              | 370        |
| 1992 .....          | 1/                 | 495         | 1.85              | 920        | 1/                 | 205         | 1.50              | 305        |
| 1993 .....          | 1/                 | 395         | 1.85              | 735        | 1/                 | 155         | 1.45              | 228        |
| 1994 .....          | 1/                 | 365         | 1.70              | 624        | 1/                 | 125         | 1.30              | 160        |
| 1995 .....          | 1/                 | 400         | 2.00              | 795        | 1/                 | 150         | 1.30              | 195        |
| 1996 .....          | 1/                 | 460         | 1.95              | 900        | 1/                 | 190         | 1.40              | 270        |
| 1997 .....          | 1/                 | 530         | 2.05              | 1,096      | 1/                 | 220         | 1.65              | 367        |
| 1998 .....          | 1/                 | 420         | 2.15              | 900        | 1/                 | 180         | 1.65              | 300        |
| 1999 .....          | 1/                 | 450         | 2.00              | 900        | 1/                 | 170         | 1.65              | 278        |
| 2000 .....          | 1/                 | 378         | 1.65              | 620        | 1/                 | 122         | 1.05              | 130        |
| 2001 .....          | 1/                 | 465         | 1.95              | 910        | 1/                 | 185         | 1.40              | 260        |
| 2002 .....          | 1/                 | 420         | 1.45              | 615        | 1/                 | 150         | 0.85              | 126        |

1/ Not estimated.

2/ Includes wild, millet, sudan, clover & timothy, grain and other miscellaneous tame hays.

**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year                   | Acreage            |           | Yield per acre |           | Production       | Value per unit         | Total value          |
|------------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
|                        | Planted            | Harvested | Planted        | Harvested |                  |                        |                      |
| <b>All Potatoes</b>    |                    |           |                |           |                  |                        |                      |
|                        | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Cwt</b>     |           | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....             | 63.9               | 63.9      | 327            | 327       | 20,880           | 4.40                   | 91,422               |
| 1987 .....             | 67.5               | 66.3      | 316            | 322       | 21,359           | 2.10                   | 44,164               |
| 1988 .....             | 66.2               | 65.6      | 316            | 319       | 20,901           | 7.15                   | 149,993              |
| 1989 .....             | 68.8               | 68.2      | 331            | 334       | 22,747           | 8.10                   | 184,899              |
| 1990 .....             | 72.8               | 72.2      | 342            | 345       | 24,874           | 4.65                   | 115,681              |
| 1991 .....             | 78.0               | 74.9      | 331            | 345       | 25,836           | 2.25                   | 57,576               |
| 1992 .....             | 73.4               | 72.7      | 329            | 332       | 24,120           | 4.20                   | 100,702              |
| 1993 .....             | 80.8               | 80.4      | 344            | 346       | 27,812           | 6.05                   | 167,747              |
| 1994 .....             | 83.5               | 83.0      | 346            | 348       | 28,864           | 3.75                   | 107,377              |
| 1995 .....             | 86.3               | 85.9      | 308            | 309       | 26,584           | 6.25                   | 166,705              |
| 1996 .....             | 88.0               | 87.6      | 370            | 372       | 32,556           | 1.90                   | 60,542               |
| 1997 .....             | 84.8               | 84.5      | 325            | 326       | 27,577           | 4.60                   | 126,164              |
| 1998 .....             | 83.5               | 83.2      | 335            | 336       | 27,985           | 4.70                   | 130,700              |
| 1999 .....             | 84.9               | 84.4      | 333            | 335       | 28,237           | 4.35                   | 122,926              |
| 2000 .....             | 84.3               | 83.9      | 367            | 369       | 30,960           | 3.20                   | 97,756               |
| 2001 .....             | 73.9               | 73.4      | 316            | 318       | 23,373           | 9.35                   | 219,602              |
| 2002 .....             | 78.1               | 77.9      | 387            | 388       | 30,189           | 7.15                   | 216,186              |
| <b>Fall Potatoes</b>   |                    |           |                |           |                  |                        |                      |
|                        | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Cwt</b>     |           | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....             | 57.0               | 57.0      | 330            | 330       | 18,810           | 4.20                   | 79,002               |
| 1987 .....             | 61.0               | 60.0      | 320            | 325       | 19,500           | 1.75                   | 34,125               |
| 1988 .....             | 60.0               | 59.5      | 317            | 320       | 19,040           | 7.35                   | 139,944              |
| 1989 .....             | 62.0               | 61.5      | 332            | 335       | 20,603           | 8.35                   | 172,035              |
| 1990 .....             | 65.5               | 65.0      | 347            | 350       | 22,750           | 4.45                   | 101,238              |
| 1991 .....             | 71.0               | 68.0      | 335            | 350       | 23,800           | 2.00                   | 47,600               |
| 1992 .....             | 66.5               | 66.0      | 332            | 335       | 22,110           | 4.05                   | 89,546               |
| 1993 .....             | 72.5               | 72.2      | 349            | 350       | 25,270           | 6.10                   | 154,147              |
| 1994 .....             | 74.0               | 73.7      | 349            | 350       | 25,795           | 3.55                   | 91,572               |
| 1995 .....             | 77.0               | 76.8      | 309            | 310       | 23,808           | 6.25                   | 148,800              |
| 1996 .....             | 78.0               | 77.8      | 374            | 375       | 29,175           | 1.60                   | 46,680               |
| 1997 .....             | 77.0               | 76.9      | 325            | 325       | 24,993           | 4.50                   | 112,469              |
| 1998 .....             | 75.8               | 75.7      | 335            | 335       | 25,360           | 4.60                   | 116,656              |
| 1999 .....             | 77.2               | 76.9      | 334            | 335       | 25,762           | 4.20                   | 108,200              |
| 2000 .....             | 75.8               | 75.6      | 369            | 370       | 27,972           | 2.95                   | 82,517               |
| 2001 .....             | 68.1               | 67.8      | 314            | 315       | 21,357           | 9.65                   | 206,095              |
| 2002 .....             | 71.6               | 71.5      | 389            | 390       | 27,885           | 7.10                   | 197,984              |
| <b>Summer Potatoes</b> |                    |           |                |           |                  |                        |                      |
|                        | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Cwt</b>     |           | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1986 .....             | 6.9                | 6.9       | 300            | 300       | 2,070            | 6.00                   | 12,420               |
| 1987 .....             | 6.5                | 6.3       | 286            | 295       | 1,859            | 5.40                   | 10,039               |
| 1988 .....             | 6.2                | 6.1       | 300            | 305       | 1,861            | 5.40                   | 10,049               |
| 1989 .....             | 6.8                | 6.7       | 315            | 320       | 2,144            | 6.00                   | 12,864               |
| 1990 .....             | 7.3                | 7.2       | 291            | 295       | 2,124            | 6.80                   | 14,443               |
| 1991 .....             | 7.0                | 6.9       | 291            | 295       | 2,036            | 4.90                   | 9,976                |
| 1992 .....             | 6.9                | 6.7       | 291            | 300       | 2,010            | 5.55                   | 11,156               |
| 1993 .....             | 8.3                | 8.2       | 306            | 310       | 2,542            | 5.35                   | 13,600               |
| 1994 .....             | 9.5                | 9.3       | 323            | 330       | 3,069            | 5.15                   | 15,805               |
| 1995 .....             | 9.3                | 9.1       | 298            | 305       | 2,776            | 6.45                   | 17,905               |
| 1996 .....             | 10.0               | 9.8       | 338            | 345       | 3,381            | 4.10                   | 13,862               |
| 1997 .....             | 7.8                | 7.6       | 331            | 340       | 2,584            | 5.30                   | 13,695               |
| 1998 .....             | 7.7                | 7.5       | 341            | 350       | 2,625            | 5.35                   | 14,044               |
| 1999 .....             | 7.7                | 7.5       | 321            | 330       | 2,475            | 5.95                   | 14,726               |
| 2000 .....             | 8.5                | 8.3       | 352            | 360       | 2,988            | 5.10                   | 15,239               |
| 2001 .....             | 5.8                | 5.6       | 348            | 360       | 2,016            | 6.70                   | 13,507               |
| 2002 .....             | 6.5                | 6.4       | 354            | 360       | 2,304            | 7.90                   | 18,202               |

**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1977-2002**

| Year               | Acreage            |           | Yield per acre |           | Production           | Value per unit         | Total value          |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|----------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
|                    | Planted            | Harvested | Planted        | Harvested |                      |                        |                      |
| <b>Millet</b>      |                    |           |                |           |                      |                        |                      |
|                    | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Cwt</b>     |           | <b>1,000 Cwt</b>     | <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1977 .....         | 130                | 100       | 8.5            | 11.0      | 1,100                | 3.30                   | 3,630                |
| 1978 .....         | 160                | 85        | 7.0            | 13.0      | 1,105                | 4.25                   | 4,696                |
| 1979 .....         | 200                | 125       | 8.0            | 13.0      | 1,625                | 4.35                   | 7,069                |
| 1980 .....         | 90                 | 40        | 5.0            | 11.0      | 440                  | 8.00                   | 3,520                |
| 1981 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1982 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1983 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1984 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1985 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1986 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1987 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1988 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1989 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1990 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1991 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1992 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1993 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1994 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1995 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1996 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1997 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
| 1998 .....         | 1/                 | 1/        | 1/             | 1/        | 1/                   | 1/                     | 1/                   |
|                    | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Bushels</b> |           | <b>1,000 Bushels</b> | <b>Dollars Per Bu</b>  | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1999 .....         | 250                | 240       | 32.5           | 34.0      | 8,160                | 2.00                   | 16,320               |
| 2000 .....         | 190                | 150       | 15.0           | 19.0      | 2,850                | 4.80                   | 13,680               |
| 2001 .....         | 240                | 230       | 33.5           | 35.0      | 8,050                | 2.00                   | 16,100               |
| 2002 .....         | 220                | 95        | 4.5            | 10.0      | 950                  | 7.40                   | 7,030                |
| <b>Sugar Beets</b> |                    |           |                |           |                      |                        |                      |
|                    | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |           | <b>Tons</b>    |           | <b>1,000 Tons</b>    | <b>Dollars Per Ton</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1977 .....         | 77.0               | 72.0      | 18.2           | 19.5      | 1,404                | 26.30                  | 36,925               |
| 1978 .....         | 89.0               | 84.0      | 17.3           | 18.3      | 1,538                | 27.60                  | 42,449               |
| 1979 .....         | 76.0               | 73.0      | 17.9           | 18.6      | 1,358                | 34.10                  | 46,308               |
| 1980 .....         | 94.0               | 91.0      | 18.4           | 19.0      | 1,729                | 47.50                  | 82,128               |
| 1981 .....         | 80.0               | 77.0      | 21.7           | 22.5      | 1,733                | 33.80                  | 58,575               |
| 1982 .....         | 50.0               | 46.0      | 18.4           | 20.0      | 920                  | 35.00                  | 32,200               |
| 1983 .....         | 42.0               | 37.2      | 14.4           | 16.2      | 603                  | 33.40                  | 20,140               |
| 1984 .....         | 48.3               | 44.2      | 20.0           | 21.8      | 964                  | 22.40                  | 21,594               |
| 1985 .....         | 2.9                | 2.5       | 15.9           | 18.4      | 46                   | 27.40                  | 1,260                |
| 1986 .....         | 37.8               | 37.2      | 23.5           | 23.9      | 889                  | 32.90                  | 29,248               |
| 1987 .....         | 37.4               | 37.0      | 21.5           | 21.7      | 803                  | 35.40                  | 28,426               |
| 1988 .....         | 39.1               | 38.6      | 22.5           | 22.8      | 880                  | 42.10                  | 37,048               |
| 1989 .....         | 40.6               | 40.0      | 22.5           | 22.8      | 912                  | 43.70                  | 39,854               |
| 1990 .....         | 40.8               | 40.0      | 23.1           | 23.6      | 944                  | 39.80                  | 37,571               |
| 1991 .....         | 40.7               | 40.2      | 23.7           | 24.0      | 965                  | 39.80                  | 38,407               |
| 1992 .....         | 40.2               | 39.9      | 23.7           | 23.9      | 954                  | 39.50                  | 37,683               |
| 1993 .....         | 40.3               | 40.0      | 23.0           | 23.1      | 924                  | 38.40                  | 35,482               |
| 1994 .....         | 44.3               | 43.2      | 21.4           | 21.9      | 946                  | 35.70                  | 33,772               |
| 1995 .....         | 42.8               | 41.1      | 16.7           | 17.4      | 715                  | 35.40                  | 25,311               |
| 1996 .....         | 54.8               | 51.1      | 18.8           | 20.2      | 1,032                | 41.20                  | 42,518               |
| 1997 .....         | 67.9               | 66.4      | 19.3           | 19.7      | 1,308                | 34.10                  | 44,603               |
| 1998 .....         | 62.5               | 57.3      | 20.8           | 22.7      | 1,301                | 35.40                  | 46,055               |
| 1999 .....         | 72.1               | 68.5      | 20.2           | 21.3      | 1,459                | 31.40                  | 45,813               |
| 2000 .....         | 71.5               | 53.6      | 16.9           | 22.5      | 1,206                | 28.70                  | 34,612               |
| 2001 .....         | 41.5               | 36.8      | 19.9           | 22.4      | 824                  | 34.20                  | 28,181               |
| 2002 .....         | 43.9               | 39.5      | 18.0           | 20.1      | 794                  | 2/                     | 2/                   |

1/ Estimates discontinued 1981; resumed 1999.

2/ Not available.



## 2002 CROP REVIEW

The estimated value of production for Colorado's principal field crops (excluding sugar beets) totaled just over \$1.17 billion in 2002, down 16 percent from the comparable value of \$1.39 billion in 2001. The value of production from the state's four leading crops (hay, corn, potatoes and wheat) totaled \$1.10 billion for the 2002 crops and accounted for 93.8 percent of the total value from all crops (excluding sugar beets). A continuation of drought conditions during 2002 resulted in a smaller output than the previous year for each crop except corn silage and potatoes. The hot dry weather and water shortages in many areas resulted in increased abandonment of planted acres and, with few exceptions, reduced yield potential on acres that were harvested.

**Hay** continued to be Colorado's leading crop in value of production. Although the value of all hay production dropped 24 percent from the previous year to \$366.8 million, it still accounted for 31 percent of the total value from all crops produced excluding sugarbeets. Value of the 2002 alfalfa hay crop, at \$257.9 million, was down 29 percent from the previous year and the value of production for all other hay declined 6 percent to \$108.9 million.

**Corn** was the second leading crop produced in the state in terms of total value of production. The combined value of corn for grain and corn for silage was estimated at \$369.2 million for the 2002 crop, down 2 percent from the comparable value of \$377.3 million for the 2001 crop. The 2002 corn for grain crop was valued at \$286.4 million, representing 24 percent of the total value from all crops excluding sugar beets. The total value of production of **corn for silage** in 2002 totaled \$82.8 million, up 42 percent from the value of the 2001 crop.

**Potatoes** ranked third in terms of value of production with the 2002 crop value estimated at just under \$216.2 million, down 2 percent from the record high \$219.6 million received for the 2001 crop. Both the summer and fall crops produced in 2002 were larger than the previous year, but lower prices for fall potatoes are expected to hold the total value below the previous year. Total value of production for the 2002 fall crop, at just below \$198.0 million, is expected to be 4 percent smaller than the value of the 2001 crop. The 2002 summer potato crop was valued at \$18.2 million, up 35 percent from the previous year.

**Wheat** was kept to a fourth place ranking in value of production for 2002 with a total value of \$148.9 million, down 21 percent from the previous year. The value of the winter wheat crop, at \$139.8 million, was down 22 percent while the value of the spring wheat crop increased 9 percent to \$9.1 million. The 2002 winter wheat crop of 36.3 million bushels was down 45 percent from the 2001 crop and was the smallest crop since 1967. Overall wheat prices for the 2002 crop are expected to average \$3.85 per bushel, up \$1.13 per bushel from a year earlier.

The **dry edible bean** crop produced in 2002 was valued at \$27.6 million, down 34 percent from the previous year. Producers harvested the lowest acreage of that crop since 1921, dropping 33 percent from the previous year to just 70,000 acres in 2002. Prices for the latest crop are expected to average only \$18.20 per cwt, down \$5.40 per cwt from the previous year's crop.

The 2002 **barley** crop has an estimated value of \$22.3 million, down 4 percent from the previous year. Producers harvested 8,000 fewer acres in 2002 than a year earlier and experienced a 7.0 bushel decline in the average yield. However, a 16 percent decline in production was nearly offset by improved prices which are expected to average higher than the previous year.

**Sugarbeet** production totaled just 794,000 tons in 2002, down 4 percent from the 2001 crop of 824,000 tons to the smallest crop since 1995. Producers harvested more acres than a year earlier but realized lower per acre yields, mostly the result of water shortages. No value has yet been determined for the 2002 crop.

The 2002 crop of **sunflowers** was valued at just under \$8.0 million, down 60 percent from the 2001 crop value of \$19.7 million. Producers harvested 45 percent fewer acres of all sunflowers in 2002 than they did in 2001 and obtained lower per acre yields, resulting in a 70 percent decline in production. Production of oil varieties declined 71 percent to 40.0 million pounds and production of non-oil varieties declined 68 percent to 23.0 million pounds. **Proso millet** production in 2002 had an estimated value of \$7.03 million, down 56 percent from the value of the 2001 crop. Producers harvested 59 percent fewer acres in 2002 than they did the previous year and per acre yields averaged a meager 10.0 bushels per acre. Total production was down 88 percent from a year earlier. However, prices for the 2002 crop are expected to average well above the average received for the 2001 crop.

The combined production of **grain and silage sorghum** had an estimated value of nearly \$6.8 million for the 2002 crop, down 68 percent from the previous year. Sorghum for grain production in 2002 was down 81 percent from the 2001 crop to the lowest level since 1952. Producers harvested the lowest area since 1935. Total value of production of grain sorghum totaled \$4.1 million, down 76 percent from the previous year. Sorghum silage production in 2002 declined 44 percent from the previous year. Total value of the 2002 crop was estimated at \$2.6 million, down 35 percent from the value of the 2001 crop.

The value of **oats** production in Colorado for the 2002 crop totaled \$1.3 million, down 69 percent from \$4.2 million for the 2001 crop. Total production, at 464,000 bushels was 76 percent below the 2001 crop as the harvested area and total production were the smallest since records were begun for the crop in 1879.

**Colorado** producers seeded 2.6 million acres of winter wheat during the fall of 2002 for harvest in 2003, up 11 percent from the 2.35 million acres seeded for the 2002 crop. Planting began on schedule in some areas as producers took advantage of late summer moisture but planting was delayed in other areas due to dry topsoils. Mostly dry conditions prevailed from November through mid-March. Temperatures were also warmer than usual during most of the period. Since late March, moderate to heavy snow/rain has been received in many areas which has greatly improved topsoil moisture ratings. Subsoil moisture levels have also improved by varying amounts across the state. However, additional timely rains during the balance of the growing season will still be needed in most areas to sustain further growth and development of the 2003 crop.

**Field Crops: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 2001-2002**

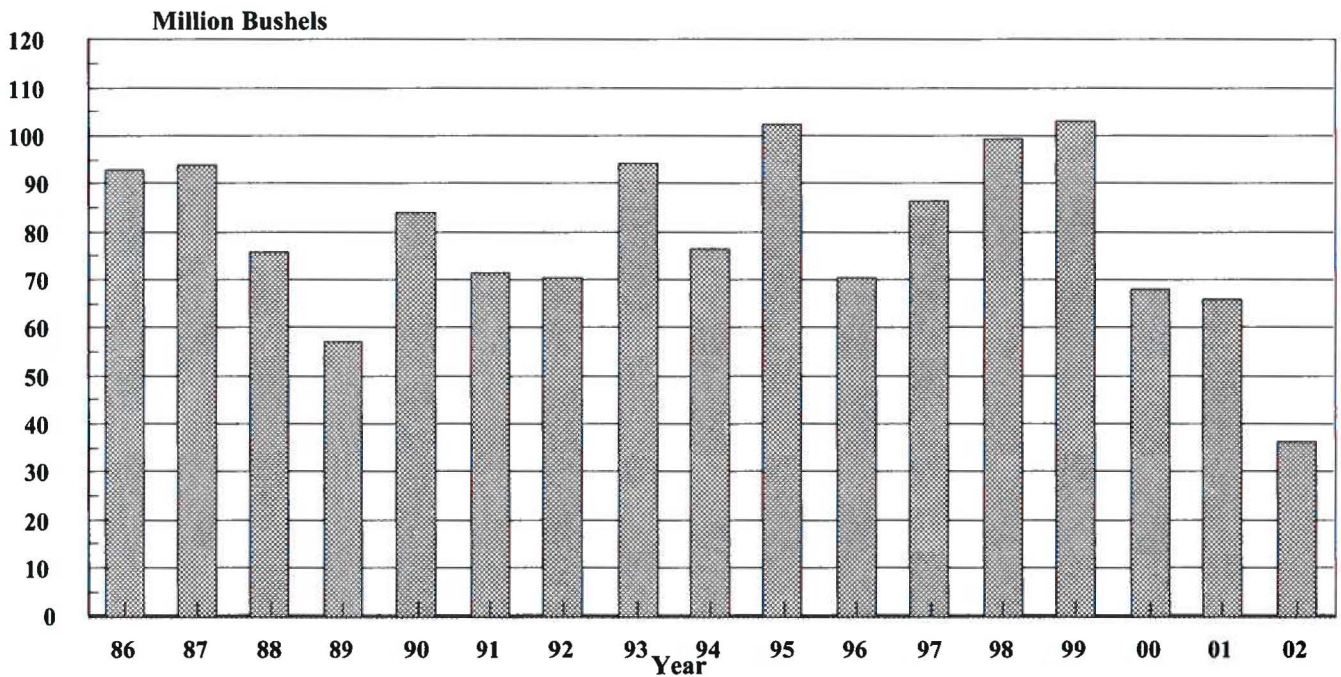
| Year and Crop                  | Acreage planted    | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Total production   | Unit       | Value per unit  | Total value                |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| <b>2001</b>                    | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |                   | <b>Unit</b>    | <b>1,000 Units</b> |            | <b>Dollars</b>  | <b>1,000 Dollars</b>       |
| All wheat .....                | 2,397              | 2,044             | 33.8           | 69,168             | Bu         | 2.72            | 187,852                    |
| Winter wheat .....             | 2,350              | 2,000             | 33.0           | 66,000             | Bu         | 2.72            | 179,520                    |
| Spring wheat .....             | 47                 | 44                | 72.0           | 3,168              | Bu         | 2.63            | 8,332                      |
| Corn, all purposes .....       | 1,220              | ---               | ---            | ---                | ---        | ---             | ---                        |
| Corn for grain .....           | ---                | 1,070             | 140.0          | 149,800            | Bu         | 2.13            | 319,074                    |
| Corn for silage .....          | ---                | 115               | 23.0           | 2,645              | Tons       | 22.00           | 58,190                     |
| Sorghum, all purposes .....    | 310                | ---               | ---            | ---                | ---        | ---             | ---                        |
| Sorghum for grain .....        | ---                | 220               | 43.0           | 9,460              | Bu         | 1.83            | 17,323                     |
| Sorghum for silage .....       | ---                | 12                | 20.0           | 240                | Tons       | 17.00           | 4,080                      |
| Barley .....                   | 90                 | 80                | 107.0          | 8,560              | Bu         | 2.73            | 23,369                     |
| Oats .....                     | 80                 | 32                | 60.0           | 1,920              | Bu         | 2.20            | 4,224                      |
| Proso Millet .....             | 240                | 230               | 35.0           | 8,050              | Bu         | 2.00            | 16,100                     |
| Dry Beans <u>1/</u> .....      | 115                | 105               | 17.00          | 1,785              | Cwt        | 23.60           | 42,126                     |
| Sugar beets .....              | 41.5               | 36.8              | 22.4           | 824                | Tons       | 34.20           | 28,181                     |
| Sunflower .....                | 195                | 182               | 1,143          | 208,100            | Lbs        | 9.50 <u>2/</u>  | 19,708                     |
| Oil varieties .....            | 130                | 120               | 1,140          | 136,800            | Lbs        | 8.10 <u>2/</u>  | 11,081                     |
| Non-Oil varieties .....        | 65                 | 62                | 1,150          | 71,300             | Lbs        | 12.10 <u>2/</u> | 8,627                      |
| All hay .....                  | ---                | 1,600             | 2.99           | 4,780              | Tons       | 101.00          | 480,440                    |
| Alfalfa hay .....              | ---                | 950               | 3.80           | 3,610              | Tons       | 101.00          | 364,610                    |
| All other hay .....            | ---                | 650               | 1.80           | 1,170              | Tons       | 99.00           | 115,830                    |
| All potatoes .....             | 73.9               | 73.4              | 318            | 23,373             | Cwt        | 9.35            | 219,602                    |
| Summer potatoes .....          | 5.8                | 5.6               | 360            | 2,016              | Cwt        | 6.70            | 13,507                     |
| Fall potatoes .....            | 68.1               | 67.8              | 315            | 21,357             | Cwt        | 9.65            | 206,095                    |
| <b>Total field crops .....</b> | <b>---</b>         | <b>5800.2</b>     | <b>---</b>     | <b>---</b>         | <b>---</b> | <b>---</b>      | <b>1,420,269</b>           |
| <b>2002</b>                    | <b>1,000 Acres</b> |                   | <b>Unit</b>    | <b>1,000 Units</b> |            | <b>Dollars</b>  | <b>1,000 Dollars</b>       |
| All wheat .....                | 2,375              | 1,674             | 23.1           | 38,700             | Bu         | 3.85            | 148,875                    |
| Winter wheat .....             | 2,350              | 1,650             | 22.0           | 36,300             | Bu         | 3.85            | 139,755                    |
| Spring wheat .....             | 25                 | 24                | 100.0          | 2,400              | Bu         | 3.80            | 9,120                      |
| Corn, all purposes .....       | 1,200              | ---               | ---            | ---                | ---        | ---             | ---                        |
| Corn for grain .....           | ---                | 720               | 156.0          | 112,320            | Bu         | 2.55            | 286,416                    |
| Corn for silage .....          | ---                | 200               | 18.0           | 3,600              | Tons       | 23.00           | 82,800                     |
| Sorghum, all purposes .....    | 350                | ---               | ---            | ---                | ---        | ---             | ---                        |
| Sorghum for grain .....        | ---                | 90                | 20.0           | 1,800              | Bu         | 2.30            | 4,133                      |
| Sorghum for silage .....       | ---                | 15                | 9.0            | 135                | Tons       | 19.50           | 2,633                      |
| Barley .....                   | 85                 | 72                | 100.0          | 7,200              | Bu         | 3.10            | 22,320                     |
| Oats .....                     | 65                 | 8                 | 58.0           | 464                | Bu         | 2.85            | 1,322                      |
| Proso Millet .....             | 220                | 95                | 10.0           | 950                | Bu         | 7.40            | 7,030                      |
| Dry Beans <u>1/</u> .....      | 92                 | 70                | 21.70          | 1,519              | Cwt        | 18.20           | 27,646                     |
| Sugar beets .....              | 43.9               | 39.5              | 20.1           | 794                | Tons       | <u>3/</u>       | <u>3/</u>                  |
| Sunflower .....                | 130                | 100               | 630            | 63,000             | Lbs        | 12.70 <u>2/</u> | 7,979                      |
| Oil varieties .....            | 95                 | 80                | 500            | 40,000             | Lbs        | 12.30 <u>2/</u> | 4,920                      |
| Non-Oil varieties .....        | 35                 | 20                | 1,150          | 23,000             | Lbs        | 13.30 <u>2/</u> | 3,059                      |
| All hay .....                  | ---                | 1,350             | 2.22           | 3,003              | Tons       | 117.00          | 366,795                    |
| Alfalfa hay .....              | ---                | 780               | 2.90           | 2,262              | Tons       | 114.00          | 257,868                    |
| All other hay .....            | ---                | 570               | 1.30           | 741                | Tons       | 147.00          | 108,927                    |
| All potatoes .....             | 78.1               | 77.9              | 388            | 30,189             | Cwt        | 7.15            | 216,186                    |
| Summer potatoes .....          | 6.5                | 6.4               | 360            | 2,304              | Cwt        | 7.90            | 18,202                     |
| Fall potatoes .....            | 71.6               | 71.5              | 390            | 27,885             | Cwt        | 7.10            | 197,984                    |
| <b>Total field crops .....</b> | <b>---</b>         | <b>4,511.4</b>    | <b>---</b>     | <b>---</b>         | <b>---</b> | <b>---</b>      | <b>1,174,135 <u>4/</u></b> |

1/ Yield, production, price, and value on clean basis. 2/ Dollars per hundredweight.

3/ Available February 2004. 4/ Total excluding sugar beets.



## Winter Wheat: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Million Bushels)



### Winter Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001

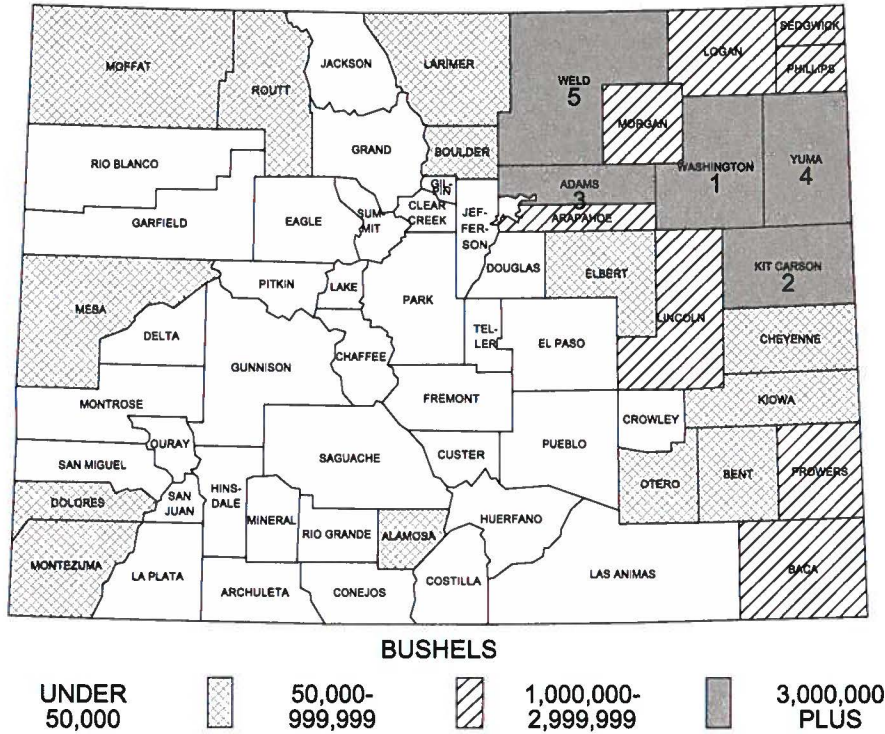
| County and District      | Acreage planted<br>Acres | Irrigated                  |                       |                   | Non-Irrigated              |                       |                   | Total                      |                       |                   |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
|                          |                          | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Bu. | Production<br>Bu. | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Bu. | Production<br>Bu. | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Bu. | Production<br>Bu. |
| Chaffee                  | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Clear Creek              | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Eagle                    | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Gilpin                   | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Grand                    | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Gunnison                 | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Jackson                  | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Lake                     | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Moffat                   | 13,300                   | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 12,600                     | 17.5                  | 222,000           | 12,600                     | 17.5                  | 222,000           |
| Park                     | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Pitkin                   | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Rio Blanco               | 700                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 700                        | 18.5                  | 13,000            | 700                        | 18.5                  | 13,000            |
| Routt                    | 6,000                    | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 5,700                      | 20.0                  | 115,000           | 5,700                      | 20.0                  | 115,000           |
| Summit                   | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Teller                   | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>20,000</b>            | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | <b>19,000</b>              | <b>18.5</b>           | <b>350,000</b>    | <b>19,000</b>              | <b>18.5</b>           | <b>350,000</b>    |
| Boulder                  | 6,000                    | 2,000                      | 37.5                  | 75,000            | 4,000                      | 31.5                  | 125,000           | 6,000                      | 33.5                  | 200,000           |
| Jefferson                | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Larimer                  | 10,000                   | 1,500                      | 60.0                  | 90,000            | 7,800                      | 35.5                  | 275,000           | 9,300                      | 39.0                  | 365,000           |
| Logan                    | 143,000                  | 7,900                      | 40.0                  | 315,000           | 129,000                    | 31.0                  | 3,980,000         | 136,900                    | 31.5                  | 4,295,000         |
| Morgan                   | 65,000                   | 14,200                     | 53.5                  | 760,000           | 47,000                     | 40.0                  | 1,875,000         | 61,200                     | 43.0                  | 2,635,000         |
| Sedgwick                 | 77,000                   | 3,100                      | 61.5                  | 190,000           | 65,200                     | 33.5                  | 2,190,000         | 68,300                     | 35.0                  | 2,380,000         |
| Weld                     | 124,000                  | 15,300                     | 53.0                  | 810,000           | 98,000                     | 30.0                  | 2,925,000         | 113,300                    | 33.0                  | 3,735,000         |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>425,000</b>           | <b>44,000</b>              | <b>51.0</b>           | <b>2,240,000</b>  | <b>351,000</b>             | <b>32.5</b>           | <b>11,370,000</b> | <b>395,000</b>             | <b>34.5</b>           | <b>13,610,000</b> |



**Winter Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated        |                   |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                   | Total             |                |                   |
|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted  | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production        | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production        |
|                        | Acres            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.               | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.               |
| Adams . . . . .        | 154,000          | 2,400             | 34.5           | 83,000           | 132,000           | 32.5           | 4,300,000         | 134,400           | 32.5           | 4,383,000         |
| Arapahoe . . .         | 65,500           | 2,500             | 28.5           | 71,000           | 59,200            | 26.0           | 1,530,000         | 61,700            | 26.0           | 1,601,000         |
| Cheyenne . . .         | 175,000          | 5,000             | 41.5           | 208,000          | 128,000           | 26.0           | 3,310,000         | 133,000           | 26.5           | 3,518,000         |
| Denver . . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Douglas . . . .        | 1,500            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,500             | 28.0           | 42,000            | 1,500             | 28.0           | 42,000            |
| Elbert . . . . .       | 31,000           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 28,000            | 33.5           | 931,000           | 28,000            | 33.5           | 931,000           |
| El Paso . . . . .      | 500              | ...               | ...            | ...              | 300               | 23.5           | 7,000             | 300               | 23.5           | 7,000             |
| Kiowa . . . . .        | 193,000          | 3,000             | 60.5           | 182,000          | 82,000            | 30.0           | 2,480,000         | 85,000            | 31.5           | 2,662,000         |
| Kit Carson . .         | 253,000          | 26,000            | 40.5           | 1,055,000        | 215,000           | 29.5           | 6,290,000         | 241,000           | 30.5           | 7,345,000         |
| Lincoln . . . . .      | 130,500          | 500               | 34.0           | 17,000           | 119,000           | 29.5           | 3,520,000         | 119,500           | 29.5           | 3,537,000         |
| Phillips . . . . .     | 117,500          | 2,500             | 63.5           | 159,000          | 113,000           | 36.5           | 4,130,000         | 115,500           | 37.0           | 4,289,000         |
| Washington . .         | 278,500          | 3,400             | 37.5           | 127,000          | 260,000           | 32.5           | 8,470,000         | 263,400           | 32.5           | 8,597,000         |
| Yuma . . . . .         | 140,000          | 12,700            | 60.5           | 768,000          | 124,000           | 37.0           | 4,600,000         | 136,700           | 39.5           | 5,368,000         |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>1,540,000</b> | <b>58,000</b>     | <b>46.0</b>    | <b>2,670,000</b> | <b>1,262,000</b>  | <b>31.5</b>    | <b>39,610,000</b> | <b>1,320,000</b>  | <b>32.0</b>    | <b>42,280,000</b> |
| Archuleta . . .        | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Delta . . . . .        | 300              | 300               | 106.5          | 32,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 300               | 106.5          | 32,000            |
| Dolores . . . . .      | 14,300           | 300               | 100.0          | 30,000           | 12,700            | 12.5           | 160,000           | 13,000            | 14.5           | 190,000           |
| Garfield . . . .       | 1,000            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,000             | 18.0           | 18,000            | 1,000             | 18.0           | 18,000            |
| Hinsdale . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| La Plata . . . .       | 2,000            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,200             | 10.0           | 12,000            | 1,200             | 10.0           | 12,000            |
| Mesa . . . . .         | 2,400            | 2,400             | 112.5          | 270,000          | ...               | ...            | ...               | 2,400             | 112.5          | 270,000           |
| Montezuma . .          | 7,500            | 1,000             | 90.0           | 90,000           | 4,700             | 11.5           | 53,000            | 5,700             | 25.0           | 143,000           |
| Montrose . . .         | 1,000            | 1,000             | 98.0           | 98,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 1,000             | 98.0           | 98,000            |
| Ouray . . . . .        | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Juan . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Miguel . .         | 1,500            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,400             | 12.0           | 17,000            | 1,400             | 12.0           | 17,000            |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>30,000</b>    | <b>5,000</b>      | <b>104.0</b>   | <b>520,000</b>   | <b>21,000</b>     | <b>12.5</b>    | <b>260,000</b>    | <b>26,000</b>     | <b>30.0</b>    | <b>780,000</b>    |
| Alamosa . . . .        | 2,600            | 1,200             | 79.0           | 95,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 1,200             | 79.0           | 95,000            |
| Conejos . . . . .      | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Costilla . . . . .     | 400              | 300               | 100.0          | 30,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 300               | 100.0          | 30,000            |
| Mineral . . . . .      | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Grande . .         | 1,000            | 800               | 100.0          | 80,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 800               | 100.0          | 80,000            |
| Saguache . . .         | 1,000            | 700               | 93.0           | 65,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 700               | 93.0           | 65,000            |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>5,000</b>     | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>90.0</b>    | <b>270,000</b>   | ...               | ...            | ...               | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>90.0</b>    | <b>270,000</b>    |
| Baca . . . . .         | 184,000          | 20,500            | 55.0           | 1,130,000        | 115,000           | 32.0           | 3,690,000         | 135,500           | 35.5           | 4,820,000         |
| Bent . . . . .         | 7,500            | 2,600             | 65.5           | 170,000          | 2,800             | 26.5           | 74,000            | 5,400             | 45.0           | 244,000           |
| Crowley . . . .        | 4,000            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 3,500             | 23.0           | 80,000            | 3,500             | 23.0           | 80,000            |
| Custer . . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Fremont . . . .        | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Huerfano . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Las Animas . .         | 2,000            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,800             | 30.5           | 55,000            | 1,800             | 30.5           | 55,000            |
| Otero . . . . .        | 5,000            | 4,700             | 70.0           | 330,000          | ...               | ...            | ...               | 4,700             | 70.0           | 330,000           |
| Prowers . . . . .      | 125,000          | 16,200            | 63.0           | 1,020,000        | 68,000            | 31.0           | 2,095,000         | 84,200            | 37.0           | 3,115,000         |
| Pueblo . . . . .       | 2,500            | 1,000             | 50.0           | 50,000           | 900               | 18.0           | 16,000            | 1,900             | 34.5           | 66,000            |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>330,000</b>   | <b>45,000</b>     | <b>60.0</b>    | <b>2,700,000</b> | <b>192,000</b>    | <b>31.5</b>    | <b>6,010,000</b>  | <b>237,000</b>    | <b>37.0</b>    | <b>8,710,000</b>  |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>2,350,000</b> | <b>155,000</b>    | <b>54.0</b>    | <b>8,400,000</b> | <b>1,845,000</b>  | <b>31.0</b>    | <b>57,600,000</b> | <b>2,000,000</b>  | <b>33.0</b>    | <b>66,000,000</b> |

## Winter Wheat: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



**Winter Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002**

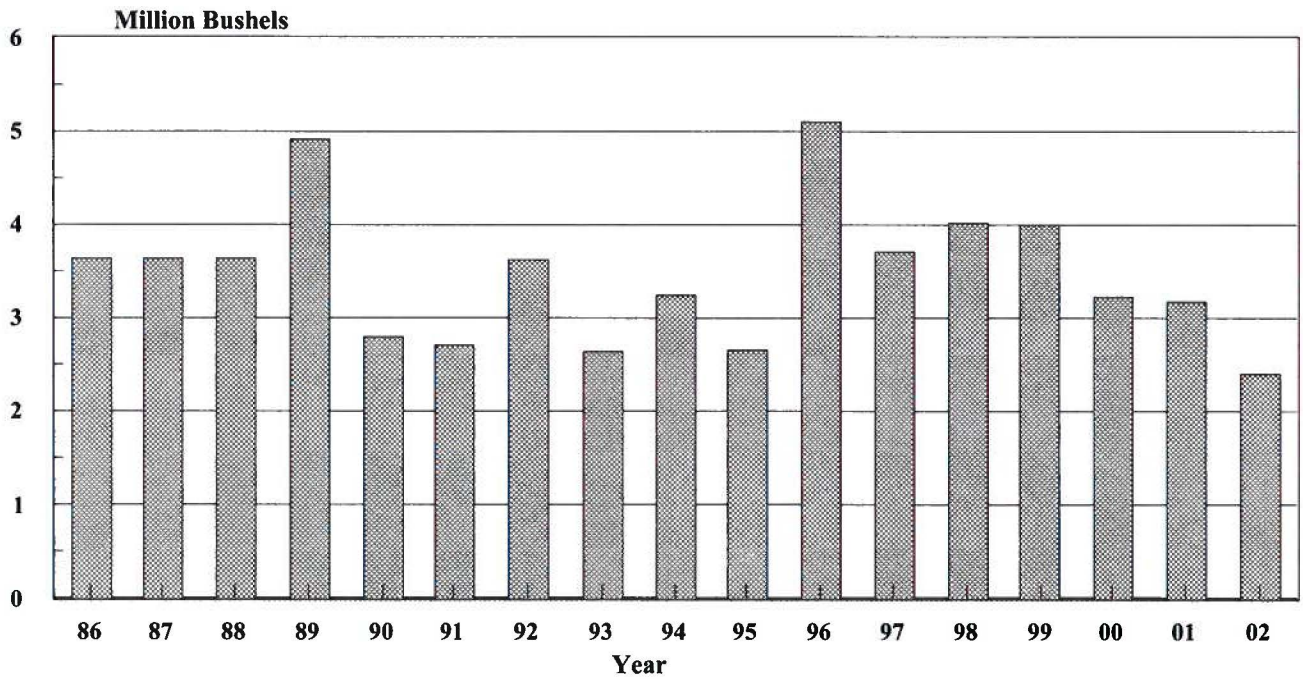
| County and District      | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                  | Total             |                |                  |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                          |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Eagle . . . . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Grand . . . . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gunnison . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Jackson . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 12,900          | ...               | ...            | ...              | 12,000            | 14.5           | 176,000          | 12,000            | 14.5           | 176,000          |
| Park . . . . .           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Blanco . . .         | 600             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 500               | 16.0           | 8,000            | 500               | 16.0           | 8,000            |
| Routt . . . . .          | 6,000           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 5,500             | 17.5           | 96,000           | 5,500             | 17.5           | 96,000           |
| Summit . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>19,500</b>   | ...               | ...            | ...              | <b>18,000</b>     | <b>15.5</b>    | <b>280,000</b>   | <b>18,000</b>     | <b>15.5</b>    | <b>280,000</b>   |
| Boulder . . . . .        | 7,000           | 1,000             | 35.0           | 35,000           | 2,000             | 20.0           | 40,000           | 3,000             | 25.0           | 75,000           |
| Jefferson . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Larimer . . . . .        | 7,500           | 1,200             | 62.5           | 75,000           | 3,800             | 19.5           | 75,000           | 5,000             | 30.0           | 150,000          |
| Logan . . . . .          | 158,000         | 4,000             | 45.0           | 180,000          | 136,000           | 18.5           | 2,500,000        | 140,000           | 19.0           | 2,680,000        |
| Morgan . . . . .         | 65,500          | 11,300            | 56.0           | 635,000          | 48,700            | 22.0           | 1,060,000        | 60,000            | 28.5           | 1,695,000        |
| Sedgwick . . . .         | 85,500          | 3,000             | 70.0           | 210,000          | 79,000            | 26.5           | 2,100,000        | 82,000            | 28.0           | 2,310,000        |
| Weld . . . . .           | 167,000         | 11,500            | 41.5           | 475,000          | 118,500           | 22.0           | 2,590,000        | 130,000           | 23.5           | 3,065,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>490,500</b>  | <b>32,000</b>     | <b>50.5</b>    | <b>1,610,000</b> | <b>388,000</b>    | <b>21.5</b>    | <b>8,365,000</b> | <b>420,000</b>    | <b>24.0</b>    | <b>9,975,000</b> |

**Winter Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated        |                   |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                   | Total             |                |                   |
|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted  | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production        | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production        |
|                        | Acres            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.               | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.               |
| Adams . . . . .        | 155,000          | 2,500             | 48.0           | 120,000          | 131,500           | 24.0           | 3,150,000         | 134,000           | 24.5           | 3,270,000         |
| Arapahoe . . .         | 96,200           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 85,000            | 21.0           | 1,770,000         | 85,000            | 21.0           | 1,770,000         |
| Cheyenne . . .         | 148,000          | 3,000             | 34.0           | 102,000          | 57,000            | 12.0           | 680,000           | 60,000            | 13.0           | 782,000           |
| Denver . . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Douglas . . . .        | 2,200            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 2,000             | 17.5           | 35,000            | 2,000             | 17.5           | 35,000            |
| Elbert . . . . .       | 27,500           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 24,500            | 19.0           | 460,000           | 24,500            | 19.0           | 460,000           |
| El Paso . . . . .      | 2,100            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 500               | 10.0           | 5,000             | 500               | 10.0           | 5,000             |
| Kiowa . . . . .        | 207,000          | 1,000             | 20.0           | 20,000           | 41,000            | 8.0            | 330,000           | 42,000            | 8.5            | 350,000           |
| Kit Carson . .         | 240,000          | 25,000            | 30.0           | 750,000          | 170,000           | 18.0           | 3,060,000         | 195,000           | 19.5           | 3,810,000         |
| Lincoln . . . . .      | 108,000          | 500               | 26.0           | 13,000           | 93,500            | 22.0           | 2,040,000         | 94,000            | 22.0           | 2,053,000         |
| Phillips . . . . .     | 108,000          | 2,600             | 67.5           | 175,000          | 87,400            | 20.0           | 1,730,000         | 90,000            | 21.0           | 1,905,000         |
| Washington . .         | 238,000          | 3,000             | 60.0           | 180,000          | 224,000           | 21.5           | 4,860,000         | 227,000           | 22.0           | 5,040,000         |
| Yuma . . . . .         | 133,000          | 11,400            | 53.5           | 610,000          | 108,600           | 24.0           | 2,620,000         | 120,000           | 27.0           | 3,230,000         |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>1,465,000</b> | <b>49,000</b>     | <b>40.0</b>    | <b>1,970,000</b> | <b>1,025,000</b>  | <b>20.0</b>    | <b>20,740,000</b> | <b>1,074,000</b>  | <b>21.0</b>    | <b>22,710,000</b> |
| Archuleta . . .        | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Delta . . . . .        | 200              | 200               | 85.0           | 17,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 200               | 85.0           | 17,000            |
| Dolores . . . . .      | 15,500           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 10,800            | 14.0           | 150,000           | 10,800            | 14.0           | 150,000           |
| Garfield . . . .       | 2,000            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 800               | 14.0           | 11,000            | 800               | 14.0           | 11,000            |
| Hinsdale . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| La Plata . . . .       | 1,500            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 300               | 6.5            | 2,000             | 300               | 6.5            | 2,000             |
| Mesa . . . . .         | 2,800            | 2,500             | 88.0           | 220,000          | ...               | ...            | ...               | 2,500             | 88.0           | 220,000           |
| Montezuma . . .        | 7,000            | 800               | 69.0           | 55,000           | 1,000             | 9.0            | 9,000             | 1,800             | 35.5           | 64,000            |
| Montrose . . . .       | 900              | 500               | 76.0           | 38,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 500               | 76.0           | 38,000            |
| Ouray . . . . .        | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Juan . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Miguel . . .       | 1,100            | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,100             | 30.0           | 33,000            | 1,100             | 30.0           | 33,000            |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>31,000</b>    | <b>4,000</b>      | <b>82.5</b>    | <b>330,000</b>   | <b>14,000</b>     | <b>14.5</b>    | <b>205,000</b>    | <b>18,000</b>     | <b>29.5</b>    | <b>535,000</b>    |
| Alamosa . . . .        | 1,800            | 1,200             | 70.0           | 84,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 1,200             | 70.0           | 84,000            |
| Conejos . . . . .      | 300              | 300               | 86.5           | 26,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 300               | 86.5           | 26,000            |
| Costilla . . . . .     | 700              | 500               | 66.0           | 33,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 500               | 66.0           | 33,000            |
| Mineral . . . . .      | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Grande . . .       | 600              | 500               | 68.0           | 34,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 500               | 68.0           | 34,000            |
| Saguache . . . .       | 600              | 500               | 66.0           | 33,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 500               | 66.0           | 33,000            |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>4,000</b>     | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>70.0</b>    | <b>210,000</b>   | ...               | ...            | ...               | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>70.0</b>    | <b>210,000</b>    |
| Baca . . . . .         | 192,000          | 24,000            | 33.0           | 790,000          | 26,000            | 11.0           | 281,000           | 50,000            | 21.5           | 1,071,000         |
| Bent . . . . .         | 6,800            | 2,400             | 37.5           | 90,000           | 2,100             | 8.0            | 17,000            | 4,500             | 24.0           | 107,000           |
| Crowley . . . . .      | 4,000            | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Custer . . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Fremont . . . . .      | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Huerfano . . . .       | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Las Animas . . .       | 2,000            | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Otero . . . . .        | 4,000            | 2,500             | 50.0           | 125,000          | ...               | ...            | ...               | 2,500             | 50.0           | 125,000           |
| Prowers . . . . .      | 128,000          | 12,600            | 51.5           | 650,000          | 46,900            | 13.0           | 612,000           | 59,500            | 21.0           | 1,262,000         |
| Pueblo . . . . .       | 3,200            | 500               | 50.0           | 25,000           | ...               | ...            | ...               | 500               | 50.0           | 25,000            |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>340,000</b>   | <b>42,000</b>     | <b>40.0</b>    | <b>1,680,000</b> | <b>75,000</b>     | <b>12.0</b>    | <b>910,000</b>    | <b>117,000</b>    | <b>22.0</b>    | <b>2,590,000</b>  |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>2,350,000</b> | <b>130,000</b>    | <b>44.5</b>    | <b>5,800,000</b> | <b>1,520,000</b>  | <b>20.0</b>    | <b>30,500,000</b> | <b>1,650,000</b>  | <b>22.0</b>    | <b>36,300,000</b> |



## Spring Wheat: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Million Bushels)



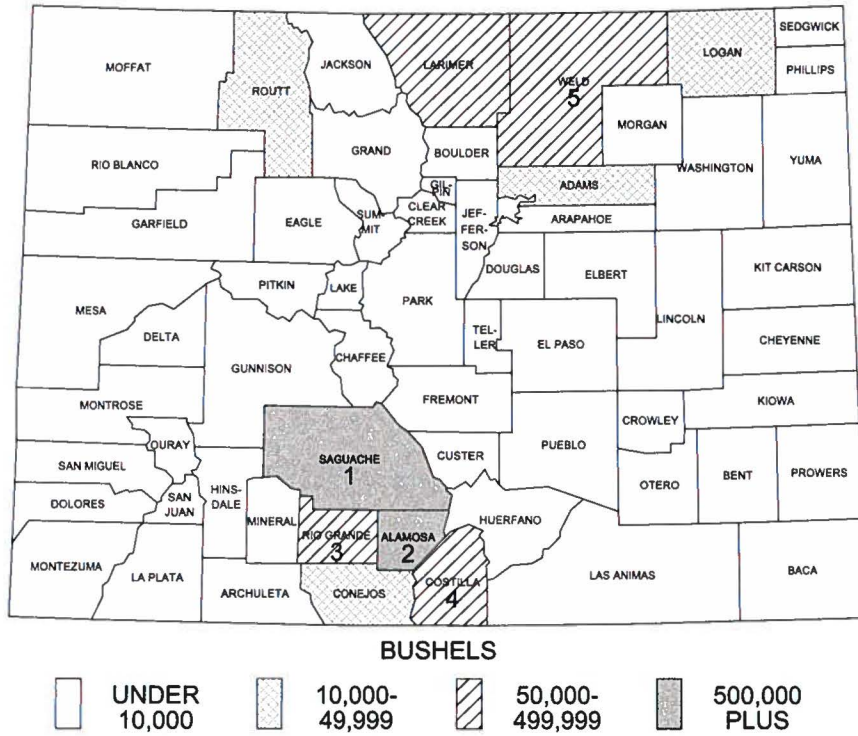
### Spring Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001

| County and District      | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle . . . . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand . . . . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gunnison . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Jackson . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 1,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 900               | 16.5           | 15,000        | 900               | 16.5           | 15,000         |
| Park . . . . .           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Rio Blanco . .           | 400             | ...               | ...            | ...            | 200               | 15.0           | 3,000         | 200               | 15.0           | 3,000          |
| Routt . . . . .          | 1,600           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,500             | 21.5           | 32,000        | 1,500             | 21.5           | 32,000         |
| Summit . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>3,000</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>2,600</b>      | <b>19.0</b>    | <b>50,000</b> | <b>2,600</b>      | <b>19.0</b>    | <b>50,000</b>  |
| Boulder . . . . .        | 300             | 300               | 56.5           | 17,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 300               | 56.5           | 17,000         |
| Jefferson . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Larimer . . . . .        | 1,500           | 1,000             | 63.0           | 63,000         | 500               | 30.0           | 15,000        | 1,500             | 52.0           | 78,000         |
| Logan . . . . .          | 1,000           | 400               | 55.0           | 22,000         | 600               | 20.0           | 12,000        | 1,000             | 34.0           | 34,000         |
| Morgan . . . . .         | 1,000           | 700               | 47.0           | 33,000         | 300               | 33.5           | 10,000        | 1,000             | 43.0           | 43,000         |
| Sedgwick . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Weld . . . . .           | 3,200           | 2,100             | 57.0           | 120,000        | 900               | 31.0           | 28,000        | 3,000             | 49.5           | 148,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>7,000</b>    | <b>4,500</b>      | <b>56.5</b>    | <b>255,000</b> | <b>2,300</b>      | <b>28.5</b>    | <b>65,000</b> | <b>6,800</b>      | <b>47.0</b>    | <b>320,000</b> |

**Spring Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated       |                   |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Adams . . . . .        | 500             | 500               | 36.0           | 18,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 500               | 36.0           | 18,000           |
| Arapahoe . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Cheyenne . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Denver . . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert . . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| El Paso . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kit Carson . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lincoln . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Phillips . . . . .     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Washington . .         | 5,200           | 500               | 54.0           | 27,000           | 3,900             | 23.5           | 91,000         | 4,400             | 27.0           | 118,000          |
| Yuma . . . . .         | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>6,000</b>    | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>45.0</b>    | <b>45,000</b>    | <b>3,900</b>      | <b>23.5</b>    | <b>91,000</b>  | <b>4,900</b>      | <b>28.0</b>    | <b>136,000</b>   |
| Archuleta . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Delta . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Dolores . . . . .      | 3,500           | 700               | 61.5           | 43,000           | 2,600             | 14.0           | 37,000         | 3,300             | 24.0           | 80,000           |
| Garfield . . . .       | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 300               | 16.5           | 5,000          | 300               | 16.5           | 5,000            |
| Hinsdale . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata . . . .       | 700             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 200               | 15.0           | 3,000          | 200               | 15.0           | 3,000            |
| Mesa . . . . .         | 1,000           | 200               | 60.0           | 12,000           | 600               | 28.5           | 17,000         | 800               | 36.5           | 29,000           |
| Montezuma . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose . . . .       | 500             | 400               | 62.5           | 25,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 400               | 62.5           | 25,000           |
| Ouray . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>6,000</b>    | <b>1,300</b>      | <b>61.5</b>    | <b>80,000</b>    | <b>3,700</b>      | <b>17.0</b>    | <b>62,000</b>  | <b>5,000</b>      | <b>28.5</b>    | <b>142,000</b>   |
| Alamosa . . . .        | 5,000           | 5,000             | 110.0          | 550,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 5,000             | 110.0          | 550,000          |
| Conejos . . . . .      | 1,000           | 900               | 89.0           | 80,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 900               | 89.0           | 80,000           |
| Costilla . . . . .     | 4,000           | 4,000             | 97.5           | 390,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 4,000             | 97.5           | 390,000          |
| Mineral . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande . .         | 8,000           | 7,800             | 103.0          | 805,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 7,800             | 103.0          | 805,000          |
| Saguache . . . .       | 7,000           | 7,000             | 99.5           | 695,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 7,000             | 99.5           | 695,000          |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>25,000</b>   | <b>24,700</b>     | <b>102.0</b>   | <b>2,520,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>24,700</b>     | <b>102.0</b>   | <b>2,520,000</b> |
| Baca . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Bent . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Crowley . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Custer . . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Otero . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Prowers . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pueblo . . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>47,000</b>   | <b>31,500</b>     | <b>92.0</b>    | <b>2,900,000</b> | <b>12,500</b>     | <b>21.5</b>    | <b>268,000</b> | <b>44,000</b>     | <b>72.0</b>    | <b>3,168,000</b> |

## Spring Wheat: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Spring Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

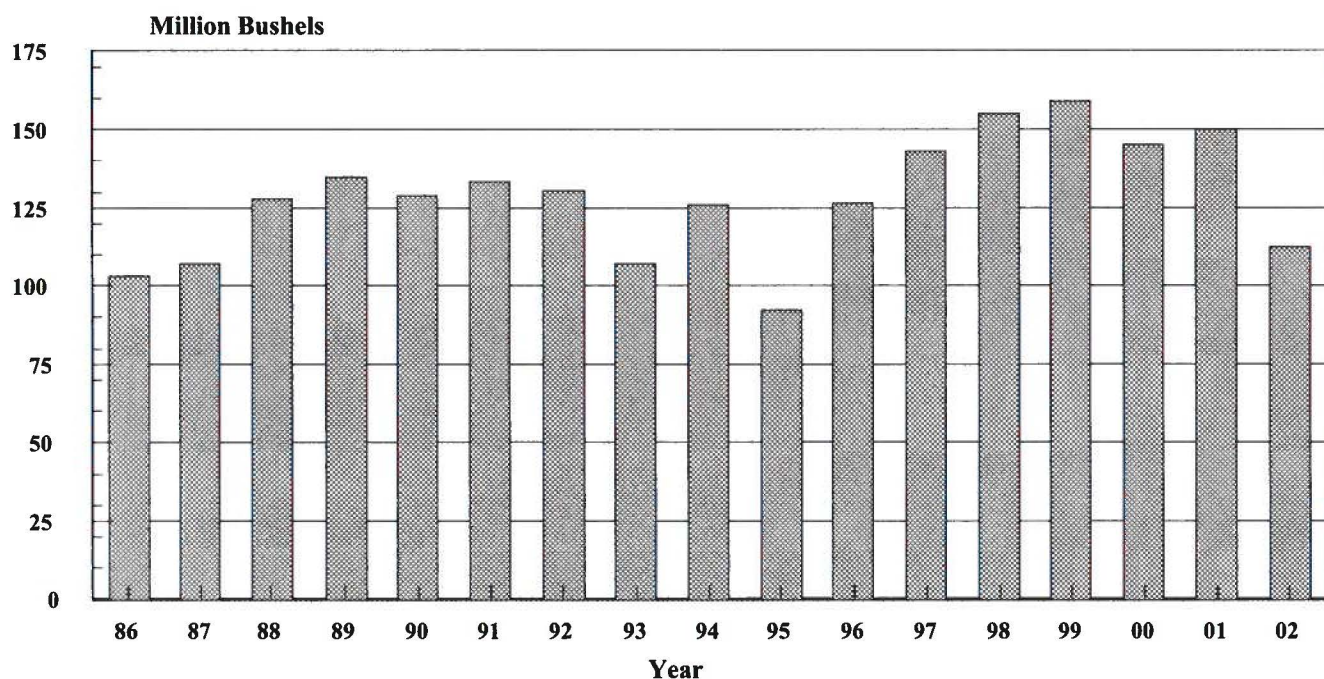
| County and District      | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            |
| Chaffee .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Clear Creek ..           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gilpin .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gunnison ...             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Jackson .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Lake .....               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat .....             | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...            | 200               | 10.0           | 2,000         | 200               | 10.0           | 2,000          |
| Park .....               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Pitkin .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Rio Blanco ..            | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...            | 200               | 10.0           | 2,000         | 200               | 10.0           | 2,000          |
| Routt .....              | 1,600           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,600             | 16.5           | 26,000        | 1,600             | 16.5           | 26,000         |
| Summit .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Teller .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>2,000</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>2,000</b>      | <b>15.0</b>    | <b>30,000</b> | <b>2,000</b>      | <b>15.0</b>    | <b>30,000</b>  |
| Boulder .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Jefferson .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Larimer .....            | 800             | 800               | 62.5           | 50,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 800               | 62.5           | 50,000         |
| Logan .....              | 200             | 200               | 50.0           | 10,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 200               | 50.0           | 10,000         |
| Morgan .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Sedgwick ...             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Weld .....               | 1,000           | 1,000             | 55.0           | 55,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,000             | 55.0           | 55,000         |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>2,000</b>    | <b>2,000</b>      | <b>57.5</b>    | <b>115,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...           | <b>2,000</b>      | <b>57.5</b>    | <b>115,000</b> |



**Spring Wheat: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated       |                   |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Adams .....            | 1,800           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 800               | 20.0           | 16,000        | 800               | 20.0           | 16,000           |
| Arapahoe ...           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Cheyenne ...           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Denver .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| El Paso .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kit Carson ..          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lincoln .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Phillips .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Washington .           | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 200               | 20.0           | 4,000         | 200               | 20.0           | 4,000            |
| Yuma .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>2,000</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...              | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>20.0</b>    | <b>20,000</b> | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>20.0</b>    | <b>20,000</b>    |
| Archuleta ...          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Delta .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Dolores .....          | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 300               | 11.5           | 3,500         | 300               | 11.5           | 3,500            |
| Garfield .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata .....         | 700             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 700               | 9.5            | 6,500         | 700               | 9.5            | 6,500            |
| Mesa .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montezuma ..           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Ouray .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>1,000</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...              | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>10.0</b>    | <b>10,000</b> | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>10.0</b>    | <b>10,000</b>    |
| Alamosa .....          | 4,500           | 4,500             | 133.5          | 600,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 4,500             | 133.5          | 600,000          |
| Conejos .....          | 500             | 500               | 90.0           | 45,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 500               | 90.0           | 45,000           |
| Costilla .....         | 2,500           | 2,500             | 106.0          | 265,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 2,500             | 106.0          | 265,000          |
| Mineral .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | 2,500           | 2,500             | 126.0          | 315,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 2,500             | 126.0          | 315,000          |
| Saguache ...           | 8,000           | 8,000             | 125.0          | 1,000,000        | ...               | ...            | ...           | 8,000             | 125.0          | 1,000,000        |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>18,000</b>   | <b>18,000</b>     | <b>123.5</b>   | <b>2,225,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...           | <b>18,000</b>     | <b>123.5</b>   | <b>2,225,000</b> |
| Baca .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Bent .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Crowley .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Custer .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas ..          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Otero .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Prowers .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pueblo .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>25,000</b>   | <b>20,000</b>     | <b>117.0</b>   | <b>2,340,000</b> | <b>4,000</b>      | <b>15.0</b>    | <b>60,000</b> | <b>24,000</b>     | <b>100.0</b>   | <b>2,400,000</b> |

## Corn for Grain: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Million Bushels)



### Corn for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001

| County and District      | Acreage planted<br><u>1/</u> | Irrigated         |                |                   | Non-Irrigated     |                |                  | Total             |                |                   |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                          |                              | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production        | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production        |
|                          | Acres                        | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.               | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.               |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Eagle . . . . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Grand . . . . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Gunnison . . .           | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Jackson . . . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Moffat . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Park . . . . .           | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Blanco . .           | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Routt . . . . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Summit . . . .           | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Boulder . . . .          | 5,000                        | 4,000             | 115.0          | 460,000           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 4,000             | 115.0          | 460,000           |
| Jefferson . . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Larimer . . . .          | 16,600                       | 10,000            | 141.0          | 1,410,000         | 1,000             | 50.0           | 50,000           | 11,000            | 132.5          | 1,460,000         |
| Logan . . . . .          | 82,000                       | 50,000            | 159.0          | 7,960,000         | 27,000            | 51.5           | 1,390,000        | 77,000            | 121.5          | 9,350,000         |
| Morgan . . . .           | 94,100                       | 75,000            | 186.5          | 14,000,000        | 8,000             | 59.0           | 470,000          | 83,000            | 174.5          | 14,470,000        |
| Sedgwick . . .           | 57,200                       | 31,000            | 167.0          | 5,170,000         | 24,000            | 51.0           | 1,220,000        | 55,000            | 116.0          | 6,390,000         |
| Weld . . . . .           | 162,700                      | 105,000           | 171.5          | 18,000,000        | 5,000             | 46.0           | 230,000          | 110,000           | 165.5          | 18,230,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>417,600</b>               | <b>275,000</b>    | <b>171.0</b>   | <b>47,000,000</b> | <b>65,000</b>     | <b>51.5</b>    | <b>3,360,000</b> | <b>340,000</b>    | <b>148.0</b>   | <b>50,360,000</b> |

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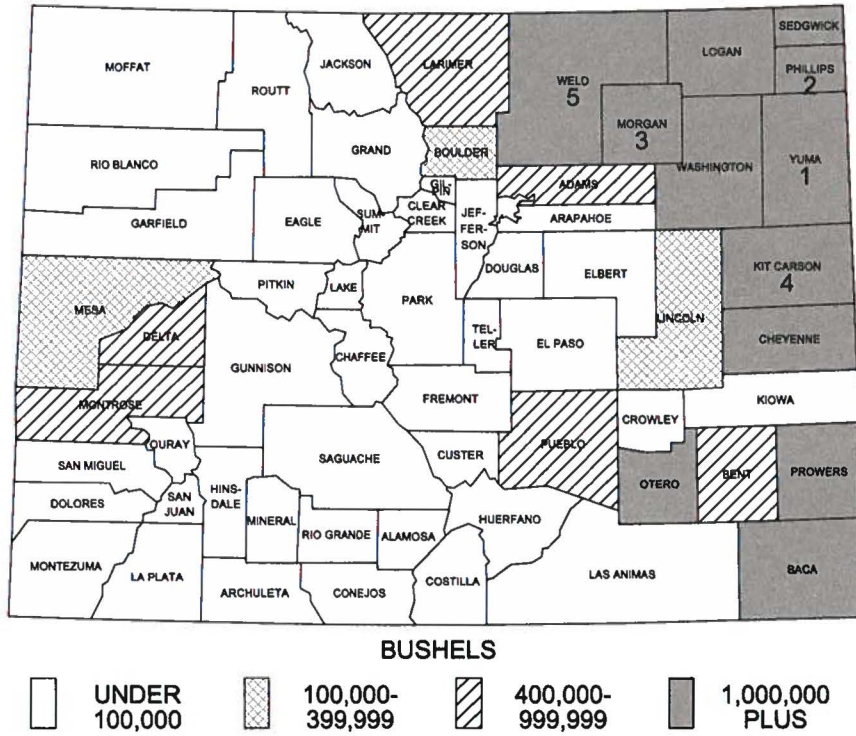
**Corn for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated             |                    |                |                    | Non-Irrigated      |                |                   | Total              |                |                    |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction        | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction       | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction        |
|                        | Acres                 | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.                | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.               | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.                |
| Adams .....            | 11,700                | 5,000              | 173.0          | 865,000            | 6,000              | 71.5           | 430,000           | 11,000             | 117.5          | 1,295,000          |
| Arapahoe ...           | 2,000                 | 1,000              | 155.0          | 155,000            | 1,000              | 70.0           | 70,000            | 2,000              | 112.5          | 225,000            |
| Cheyenne ...           | 54,000                | 13,000             | 152.5          | 1,980,000          | 23,000             | 48.5           | 1,120,000         | 36,000             | 86.0           | 3,100,000          |
| Denver .....           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Douglas .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Elbert .....           | 3,000                 | ...                | ...            | ...                | 3,000              | 66.5           | 200,000           | 3,000              | 66.5           | 200,000            |
| El Paso .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Kiowa .....            | 9,100                 | 1,000              | 150.0          | 150,000            | 8,000              | 25.0           | 200,000           | 9,000              | 39.0           | 350,000            |
| Kit Carson ..          | 181,100               | 100,000            | 152.5          | 15,240,000         | 60,000             | 26.0           | 1,550,000         | 160,000            | 105.0          | 16,790,000         |
| Lincoln .....          | 24,500                | 3,000              | 138.5          | 415,000            | 21,000             | 75.5           | 1,590,000         | 24,000             | 83.5           | 2,005,000          |
| Phillips .....         | 116,600               | 65,000             | 185.5          | 12,065,000         | 50,000             | 57.5           | 2,870,000         | 115,000            | 130.0          | 14,935,000         |
| Washington .           | 68,500                | 22,000             | 174.0          | 3,830,000          | 43,000             | 73.5           | 3,160,000         | 65,000             | 107.5          | 6,990,000          |
| Yuma .....             | 219,300               | 195,000            | 194.5          | 37,900,000         | 15,000             | 45.5           | 680,000           | 210,000            | 183.5          | 38,580,000         |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>689,800</b>        | <b>405,000</b>     | <b>179.5</b>   | <b>72,600,000</b>  | <b>230,000</b>     | <b>51.5</b>    | <b>11,870,000</b> | <b>635,000</b>     | <b>133.0</b>   | <b>84,470,000</b>  |
| Archuleta ...          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Delta .....            | 5,000                 | 3,000              | 148.5          | 445,000            | ...                | ...            | ...               | 3,000              | 148.5          | 445,000            |
| Dolores .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Garfield .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Hinsdale .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| La Plata .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Mesa .....             | 3,500                 | 2,000              | 147.5          | 295,000            | ...                | ...            | ...               | 2,000              | 147.5          | 295,000            |
| Montezuma ..           | 1,000                 | 1,000              | 150.0          | 150,000            | ...                | ...            | ...               | 1,000              | 150.0          | 150,000            |
| Montrose ...           | 13,500                | 9,000              | 162.0          | 1,460,000          | ...                | ...            | ...               | 9,000              | 162.0          | 1,460,000          |
| Ouray .....            | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| San Juan ....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| San Miguel ..          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>23,000</b>         | <b>15,000</b>      | <b>156.5</b>   | <b>2,350,000</b>   | ...                | ...            | ...               | <b>15,000</b>      | <b>156.5</b>   | <b>2,350,000</b>   |
| Alamosa .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Conejos .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Costilla .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Mineral .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Rio Grande ..          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Saguache ...           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Baca .....             | 35,000                | 24,000             | 184.0          | 4,420,000          | 8,000              | 63.5           | 509,000           | 32,000             | 154.0          | 4,929,000          |
| Bent .....             | 11,300                | 9,000              | 120.0          | 1,080,000          | ...                | ...            | ...               | 9,000              | 120.0          | 1,080,000          |
| Crowley ....           | 1,500                 | 1,500              | 133.5          | 200,000            | ...                | ...            | ...               | 1,500              | 133.5          | 200,000            |
| Custer .....           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Fremont ....           | 600                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Huerfano ....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...               | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Las Animas ..          | 500                   | 500                | 120.0          | 60,000             | ...                | ...            | ...               | 500                | 120.0          | 60,000             |
| Otero .....            | 16,800                | 16,000             | 172.0          | 2,750,000          | ...                | ...            | ...               | 16,000             | 172.0          | 2,750,000          |
| Prowers .....          | 17,900                | 14,000             | 178.5          | 2,500,000          | 2,000              | 30.5           | 61,000            | 16,000             | 160.0          | 2,561,000          |
| Pueblo .....           | 6,000                 | 5,000              | 208.0          | 1,040,000          | ...                | ...            | ...               | 5,000              | 208.0          | 1,040,000          |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>89,600</b>         | <b>70,000</b>      | <b>172.0</b>   | <b>12,050,000</b>  | <b>10,000</b>      | <b>57.0</b>    | <b>570,000</b>    | <b>80,000</b>      | <b>158.0</b>   | <b>12,620,000</b>  |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>1,220,000</b>      | <b>765,000</b>     | <b>175.0</b>   | <b>134,000,000</b> | <b>305,000</b>     | <b>52.0</b>    | <b>15,800,000</b> | <b>1,070,000</b>   | <b>140.0</b>   | <b>149,800,000</b> |

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## Corn for Grain: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Corn for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

| County and District      | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Irrigated         |                |                   | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                   |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                          |                       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production        | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production        |
|                          | Acres                 | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.               | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.               |
| Chaffee                  | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Clear Creek              | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Eagle                    | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Gilpin                   | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Grand                    | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Gunnison                 | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Jackson                  | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Lake                     | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Moffat                   | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Park                     | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Pitkin                   | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Blanco               | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Routt                    | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Summit                   | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Teller                   | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Boulder                  | 3,200                 | 1,000             | 110.0          | 110,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,000             | 110.0          | 110,000           |
| Jefferson                | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Larimer                  | 14,000                | 6,000             | 111.5          | 670,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 6,000             | 111.5          | 670,000           |
| Logan                    | 78,500                | 35,000            | 134.0          | 4,690,000         | 10,000            | 15.0           | 150,000        | 45,000            | 107.5          | 4,840,000         |
| Morgan                   | 80,800                | 65,000            | 167.5          | 10,890,000        | ...               | ...            | ...            | 65,000            | 167.5          | 10,890,000        |
| Sedgwick                 | 55,500                | 35,000            | 151.5          | 5,300,000         | 11,500            | 42.5           | 490,000        | 46,500            | 124.5          | 5,790,000         |
| Weld                     | 109,500               | 61,000            | 163.5          | 9,960,000         | 1,000             | 30.0           | 30,000         | 62,000            | 161.0          | 9,990,000         |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>341,500</b>        | <b>203,000</b>    | <b>156.0</b>   | <b>31,620,000</b> | <b>22,500</b>     | <b>30.0</b>    | <b>670,000</b> | <b>225,500</b>    | <b>143.0</b>   | <b>32,290,000</b> |

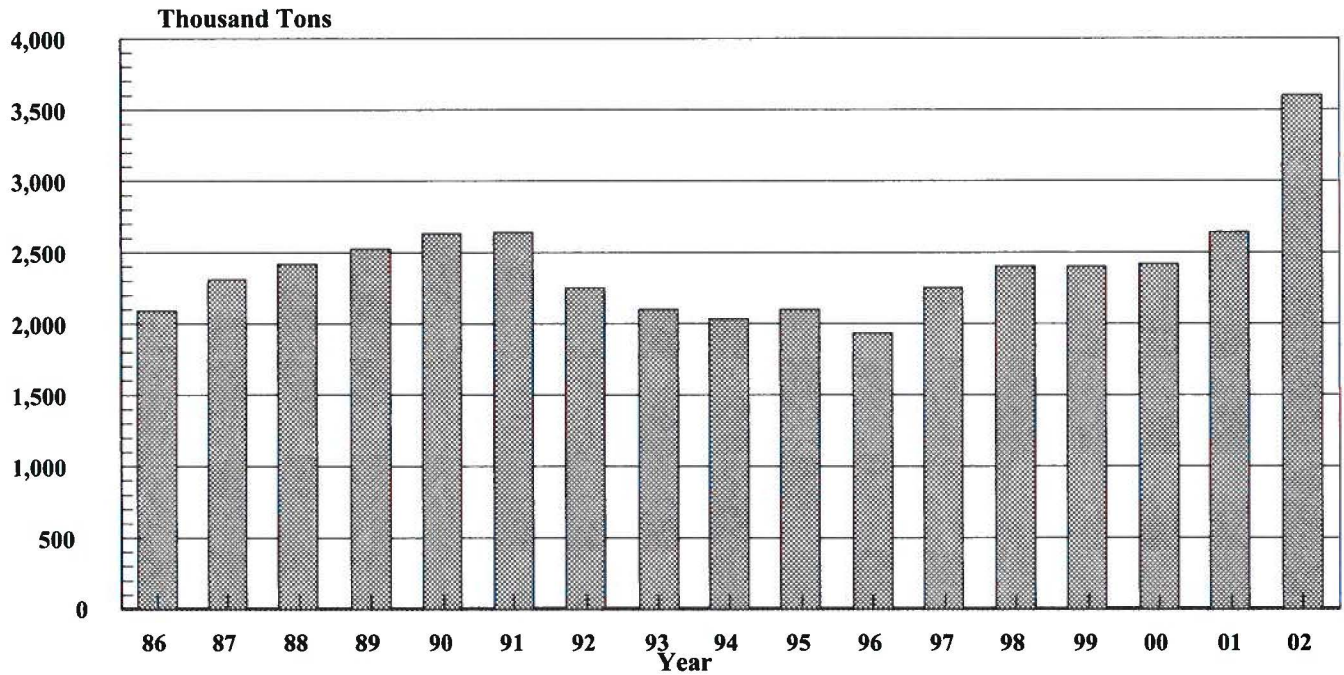
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**Corn for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated             |                    |                |                    | Non-Irrigated      |                |                  | Total              |                |                    |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction        | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction      | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction        |
|                        | Acres                 | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.                | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.                |
| Adams . . . . .        | 9,400                 | 3,600              | 119.5          | 430,000            | 400                | 15.0           | 6,000            | 4,000              | 109.0          | 436,000            |
| Arapahoe . . .         | 800                   | 400                | 150.0          | 60,000             | ...                | ...            | ...              | 400                | 150.0          | 60,000             |
| Cheyenne . . .         | 87,000                | 14,000             | 115.0          | 1,610,000          | 500                | 16.0           | 8,000            | 14,500             | 111.5          | 1,618,000          |
| Denver . . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Douglas . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Elbert . . . . .       | 3,100                 | ...                | ...            | ...                | 900                | 15.5           | 14,000           | 900                | 15.5           | 14,000             |
| El Paso . . . . .      | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Kiowa . . . . .        | 18,100                | 400                | 125.0          | 50,000             | ...                | ...            | ...              | 400                | 125.0          | 50,000             |
| Kit Carson . .         | 202,500               | 91,500             | 117.0          | 10,700,000         | 1,500              | 26.5           | 40,000           | 93,000             | 115.5          | 10,740,000         |
| Lincoln . . . . .      | 25,600                | 1,600              | 162.5          | 260,000            | 2,100              | 19.0           | 40,000           | 3,700              | 81.0           | 300,000            |
| Phillips . . . . .     | 116,000               | 62,500             | 181.5          | 11,330,000         | 18,000             | 23.0           | 412,000          | 80,500             | 146.0          | 11,742,000         |
| Washington . .         | 65,000                | 23,500             | 159.5          | 3,750,000          | 1,400              | 21.5           | 30,000           | 24,900             | 152.0          | 3,780,000          |
| Yuma . . . . .         | 232,500               | 200,500            | 207.5          | 41,610,000         | 7,200              | 26.5           | 190,000          | 207,700            | 201.5          | 41,800,000         |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>760,000</b>        | <b>398,000</b>     | <b>175.5</b>   | <b>69,800,000</b>  | <b>32,000</b>      | <b>23.0</b>    | <b>740,000</b>   | <b>430,000</b>     | <b>164.0</b>   | <b>70,540,000</b>  |
| Archuleta . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Delta . . . . .        | 3,700                 | 2,400              | 189.5          | 455,000            | ...                | ...            | ...              | 2,400              | 189.5          | 455,000            |
| Dolores . . . . .      | 300                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Garfield . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Hinsdale . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| La Plata . . . .       | 200                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Mesa . . . . .         | 3,500                 | 1,900              | 179.0          | 340,000            | ...                | ...            | ...              | 1,900              | 179.0          | 340,000            |
| Montezuma . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Montrose . . . .       | 7,800                 | 4,200              | 144.0          | 605,000            | ...                | ...            | ...              | 4,200              | 144.0          | 605,000            |
| Ouray . . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| San Juan . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| San Miguel . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>15,500</b>         | <b>8,500</b>       | <b>164.5</b>   | <b>1,400,000</b>   | ...                | ...            | ...              | <b>8,500</b>       | <b>164.5</b>   | <b>1,400,000</b>   |
| Alamosa . . . . .      | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Conejos . . . . .      | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Costilla . . . . .     | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Mineral . . . . .      | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Rio Grande . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Saguache . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Baca . . . . .         | 32,700                | 29,000             | 167.0          | 4,850,000          | ...                | ...            | ...              | 29,000             | 167.0          | 4,850,000          |
| Bent . . . . .         | 9,400                 | 4,000              | 100.0          | 400,000            | ...                | ...            | ...              | 4,000              | 100.0          | 400,000            |
| Crowley . . . . .      | 1,100                 | 400                | 100.0          | 40,000             | ...                | ...            | ...              | 400                | 100.0          | 40,000             |
| Custer . . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Fremont . . . . .      | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Huerfano . . . .       | 300                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Las Animas . . .       | 200                   | ...                | ...            | ...                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...                |
| Otero . . . . .        | 14,500                | 9,700              | 112.5          | 1,090,000          | ...                | ...            | ...              | 9,700              | 112.5          | 1,090,000          |
| Prowers . . . . .      | 19,300                | 8,200              | 149.0          | 1,220,000          | 500                | 20.0           | 10,000           | 8,700              | 141.5          | 1,230,000          |
| Pueblo . . . . .       | 5,500                 | 4,200              | 114.5          | 480,000            | ...                | ...            | ...              | 4,200              | 114.5          | 480,000            |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>83,000</b>         | <b>55,500</b>      | <b>145.5</b>   | <b>8,080,000</b>   | <b>500</b>         | <b>20.0</b>    | <b>10,000</b>    | <b>56,000</b>      | <b>144.5</b>   | <b>8,090,000</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>1,200,000</b>      | <b>665,000</b>     | <b>167.0</b>   | <b>110,900,000</b> | <b>55,000</b>      | <b>26.0</b>    | <b>1,420,000</b> | <b>720,000</b>     | <b>156.0</b>   | <b>112,320,000</b> |

1/ Planted for all purposes.

## Corn for Silage: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Thousand Tons)



### Corn for Silage: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001

| County and District      | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |              | Total             |                |                  |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                          |                       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production   | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                          | Acres                 | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             | Acres             | Tons           | Tons         | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Eagle . . . . .          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Grand . . . . .          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gunnison . . .           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Jackson . . . .          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Moffat . . . . .         | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Park . . . . .           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Blanco . .           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Routt . . . . .          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Summit . . . .           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Boulder . . . .          | 5,000                 | 1,000             | 20.0           | 20,000           | ...               | ...            | ...          | 1,000             | 20.0           | 20,000           |
| Jefferson . . .          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Larimer . . . .          | 16,600                | 5,500             | 20.0           | 109,000          | ...               | ...            | ...          | 5,500             | 20.0           | 109,000          |
| Logan . . . . .          | 82,000                | 4,500             | 23.5           | 105,000          | 300               | 3.5            | 1,000        | 4,800             | 22.0           | 106,000          |
| Morgan . . . .           | 94,100                | 11,000            | 24.0           | 265,000          | ...               | ...            | ...          | 11,000            | 24.0           | 265,000          |
| Sedgwick . . .           | 57,200                | 1,000             | 21.0           | 21,000           | 700               | 5.5            | 4,000        | 1,700             | 14.5           | 25,000           |
| Weld . . . . .           | 162,700               | 52,000            | 24.5           | 1,280,000        | ...               | ...            | ...          | 52,000            | 24.5           | 1,280,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>417,600</b>        | <b>75,000</b>     | <b>24.0</b>    | <b>1,800,000</b> | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>5.0</b>     | <b>5,000</b> | <b>76,000</b>     | <b>24.0</b>    | <b>1,805,000</b> |

1/ Planted for all purposes.

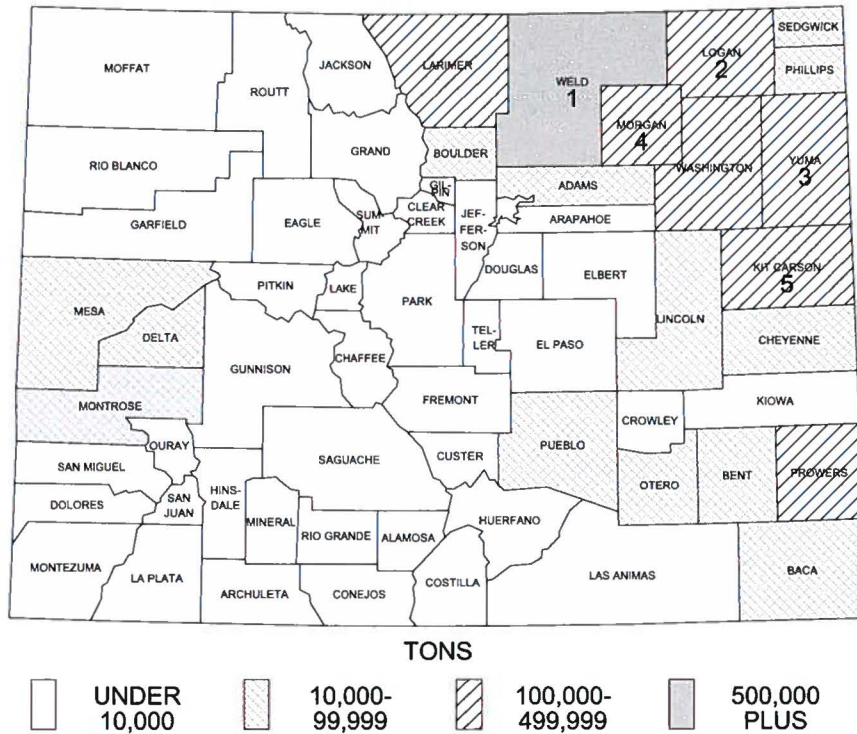


**Corn for Silage: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated             |                    |                |                  | Non-Irrigated      |                |               | Total              |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction      | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction   | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction      |
|                        | Acres                 | Acres              | Tons           | Tons             | Acres              | Tons           | Tons          | Acres              | Tons           | Tons             |
| Adams . . . . .        | 11,700                | 700                | 25.5           | 18,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 700                | 25.5           | 18,000           |
| Arapahoe . . .         | 2,000                 | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Cheyenne . . .         | 54,000                | 300                | 20.0           | 6,000            | ...                | ...            | ...           | 300                | 20.0           | 6,000            |
| Denver . . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert . . . . .       | 3,000                 | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| El Paso . . . . .      | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa . . . . .        | 9,100                 | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Kit Carson . .         | 181,100               | 7,000              | 20.5           | 145,000          | 3,000              | 6.0            | 18,000        | 10,000             | 16.5           | 163,000          |
| Lincoln . . . .        | 24,500                | ...                | ...            | ...              | 500                | 8.0            | 4,000         | 500                | 8.0            | 4,000            |
| Phillips . . . .       | 116,600               | 1,500              | 26.0           | 39,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 1,500              | 26.0           | 39,000           |
| Washington . .         | 68,500                | 3,000              | 25.0           | 75,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 3,000              | 25.0           | 75,000           |
| Yuma . . . . .         | 219,300               | 7,500              | 27.0           | 202,000          | ...                | ...            | ...           | 7,500              | 27.0           | 202,000          |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>689,800</b>        | <b>20,000</b>      | <b>24.5</b>    | <b>485,000</b>   | <b>3,500</b>       | <b>6.5</b>     | <b>22,000</b> | <b>23,500</b>      | <b>21.5</b>    | <b>507,000</b>   |
| Archuleta . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Delta . . . . .        | 5,000                 | 2,000              | 21.5           | 43,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 2,000              | 21.5           | 43,000           |
| Dolores . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Garfield . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Mesa . . . . .         | 3,500                 | 1,500              | 18.5           | 28,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 1,500              | 18.5           | 28,000           |
| Montezuma . .          | 1,000                 | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose . . .         | 13,500                | 4,500              | 24.0           | 109,000          | ...                | ...            | ...           | 4,500              | 24.0           | 109,000          |
| Ouray . . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel . .         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>23,000</b>         | <b>8,000</b>       | <b>22.5</b>    | <b>180,000</b>   | ...                | ...            | ...           | <b>8,000</b>       | <b>22.5</b>    | <b>180,000</b>   |
| Alamosa . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Conejos . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Costilla . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Mineral . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande . .         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Saguache . . .         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Baca . . . . .         | 35,000                | 2,500              | 23.0           | 58,000           | 500                | 6.0            | 3,000         | 3,000              | 20.5           | 61,000           |
| Bent . . . . .         | 11,300                | 800                | 17.5           | 14,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 800                | 17.5           | 14,000           |
| Crowley . . . .        | 1,500                 | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Custer . . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont . . . .        | 600                   | 600                | 16.5           | 10,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 600                | 16.5           | 10,000           |
| Huerfano . . . .       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas . .         | 500                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...           | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Otero . . . . .        | 16,800                | 800                | 21.5           | 17,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 800                | 21.5           | 17,000           |
| Prowers . . . .        | 17,900                | 1,500              | 22.0           | 33,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 1,500              | 22.0           | 33,000           |
| Pueblo . . . . .       | 6,000                 | 800                | 22.5           | 18,000           | ...                | ...            | ...           | 800                | 22.5           | 18,000           |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>89,600</b>         | <b>7,000</b>       | <b>21.5</b>    | <b>150,000</b>   | <b>500</b>         | <b>6.0</b>     | <b>3,000</b>  | <b>7,500</b>       | <b>20.5</b>    | <b>153,000</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>1,220,000</b>      | <b>110,000</b>     | <b>24.0</b>    | <b>2,615,000</b> | <b>5,000</b>       | <b>6.0</b>     | <b>30,000</b> | <b>115,000</b>     | <b>23.0</b>    | <b>2,645,000</b> |

1/ Planted for all purposes.

## Corn for Silage: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Corn for Silage: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

| County and District      | Acreage planted<br><u>1/</u> | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                  |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                          |                              | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                          | Acres                        | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Clear Creek . . . . .    | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Eagle . . . . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Grand . . . . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gunnison . . . . .       | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Jackson . . . . .        | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Moffat . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Park . . . . .           | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Blanco . . . . .     | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Routt . . . . .          | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Summit . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Boulder . . . . .        | 3,200                        | 1,100             | 18.0           | 20,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,100             | 18.0           | 20,000           |
| Jefferson . . . . .      | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Larimer . . . . .        | 14,000                       | 8,000             | 22.0           | 175,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 8,000             | 22.0           | 175,000          |
| Logan . . . . .          | 78,500                       | 12,000            | 26.0           | 310,000          | 3,000             | 10.0           | 30,000         | 15,000            | 22.5           | 340,000          |
| Morgan . . . . .         | 80,800                       | 11,000            | 24.5           | 270,000          | 1,400             | 6.5            | 9,000          | 12,400            | 22.5           | 279,000          |
| Sedgwick . . . . .       | 55,500                       | 900               | 28.0           | 25,000           | 5,800             | 11.0           | 63,000         | 6,700             | 13.0           | 88,000           |
| Weld . . . . .           | 109,500                      | 45,000            | 27.5           | 1,240,000        | 800               | 10.0           | 8,000          | 45,800            | 27.0           | 1,248,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>341,500</b>               | <b>78,000</b>     | <b>26.0</b>    | <b>2,040,000</b> | <b>11,000</b>     | <b>10.0</b>    | <b>110,000</b> | <b>89,000</b>     | <b>24.0</b>    | <b>2,150,000</b> |

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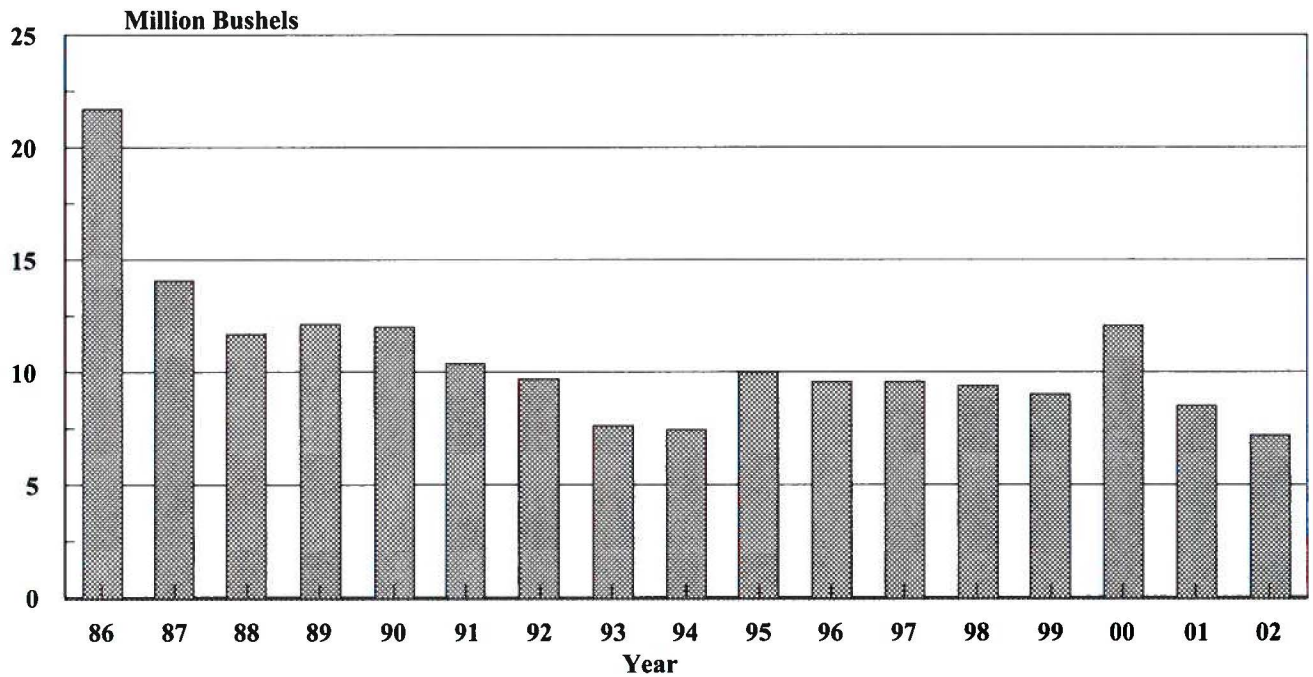
**Corn for Silage: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated             |                    |                |                  | Non-Irrigated      |                |                | Total              |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction      | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction    | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction      |
|                        | Acres                 | Acres              | Tons           | Tons             | Acres              | Tons           | Tons           | Acres              | Tons           | Tons             |
| Adams .....            | 9,400                 | 1,300              | 13.0           | 17,000           | ...                | ...            | ...            | 1,300              | 13.0           | 17,000           |
| Arapahoe ...           | 800                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Cheyenne ...           | 87,000                | 1,500              | 16.0           | 24,000           | 3,500              | 4.0            | 14,000         | 5,000              | 7.5            | 38,000           |
| Denver .....           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert .....           | 3,100                 | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| El Paso .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa .....            | 18,100                | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Kit Carson ..          | 202,500               | 8,700              | 18.5           | 160,000          | 9,500              | 6.5            | 60,000         | 18,200             | 12.0           | 220,000          |
| Lincoln .....          | 25,600                | ...                | ...            | ...              | 11,500             | 6.0            | 67,000         | 11,500             | 6.0            | 67,000           |
| Phillips .....         | 116,000               | 1,500              | 24.5           | 37,000           | 4,000              | 6.0            | 24,000         | 5,500              | 11.0           | 61,000           |
| Washington .           | 65,000                | 500                | 24.0           | 12,000           | 25,000             | 6.5            | 165,000        | 25,500             | 7.0            | 177,000          |
| Yuma .....             | 232,500               | 9,500              | 29.5           | 280,000          | 5,500              | 9.0            | 50,000         | 15,000             | 22.0           | 330,000          |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>760,000</b>        | <b>23,000</b>      | <b>23.0</b>    | <b>530,000</b>   | <b>59,000</b>      | <b>6.5</b>     | <b>380,000</b> | <b>82,000</b>      | <b>11.0</b>    | <b>910,000</b>   |
| Archuleta ...          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Delta .....            | 3,700                 | 1,200              | 22.5           | 27,000           | ...                | ...            | ...            | 1,200              | 22.5           | 27,000           |
| Dolores .....          | 300                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Garfield .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata .....         | 200                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Mesa .....             | 3,500                 | 1,600              | 22.0           | 35,000           | ...                | ...            | ...            | 1,600              | 22.0           | 35,000           |
| Montezuma ..           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose ...           | 7,800                 | 2,700              | 21.5           | 58,000           | ...                | ...            | ...            | 2,700              | 21.5           | 58,000           |
| Ouray .....            | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>15,500</b>         | <b>5,500</b>       | <b>22.0</b>    | <b>120,000</b>   | ...                | ...            | ...            | <b>5,500</b>       | <b>22.0</b>    | <b>120,000</b>   |
| Alamosa .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Conejos .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Costilla .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Mineral .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Saguache ...           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Baca .....             | 32,700                | 2,000              | 14.5           | 29,000           | ...                | ...            | ...            | 2,000              | 14.5           | 29,000           |
| Bent .....             | 9,400                 | 5,400              | 13.5           | 73,000           | ...                | ...            | ...            | 5,400              | 13.5           | 73,000           |
| Crowley .....          | 1,100                 | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Custer .....           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano ....          | 300                   | 300                | 26.5           | 8,000            | ...                | ...            | ...            | 300                | 26.5           | 8,000            |
| Las Animas ..          | 200                   | ...                | ...            | ...              | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Otero .....            | 14,500                | 4,800              | 15.0           | 73,000           | ...                | ...            | ...            | 4,800              | 15.0           | 73,000           |
| Prowers .....          | 19,300                | 9,700              | 22.0           | 212,000          | ...                | ...            | ...            | 9,700              | 22.0           | 212,000          |
| Pueblo .....           | 5,500                 | 1,300              | 19.0           | 25,000           | ...                | ...            | ...            | 1,300              | 19.0           | 25,000           |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>83,000</b>         | <b>23,500</b>      | <b>18.0</b>    | <b>420,000</b>   | ...                | ...            | ...            | <b>23,500</b>      | <b>18.0</b>    | <b>420,000</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>1,200,000</b>      | <b>130,000</b>     | <b>24.0</b>    | <b>3,110,000</b> | <b>70,000</b>      | <b>7.0</b>     | <b>490,000</b> | <b>200,000</b>     | <b>18.0</b>    | <b>3,600,000</b> |

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## Barley: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Million Bushels)



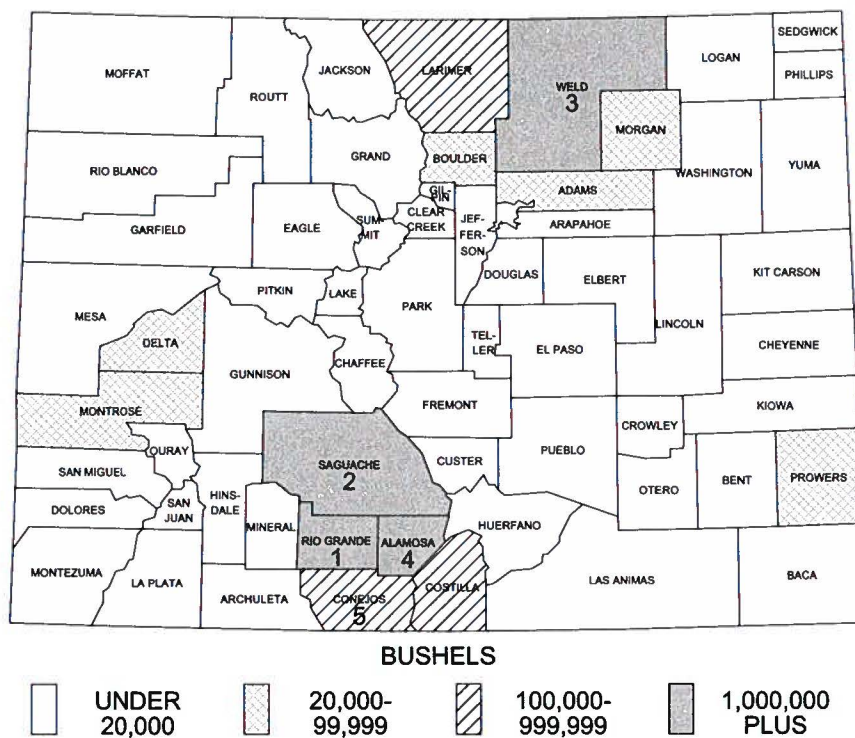
**Barley: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001**

| County and District      | Acreage planted<br>Acres | Irrigated                  |                       |                   | Non-Irrigated              |                       |                   | Total                      |                       |                   |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
|                          |                          | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Bu. | Production<br>Bu. | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Bu. | Production<br>Bu. | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Bu. | Production<br>Bu. |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Eagle . . . . .          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Grand . . . . .          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Gunnison . . .           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Jackson . . . .          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 400                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 300                        | 25.0                  | 7,500             | 300                        | 25.0                  | 7,500             |
| Park . . . . .           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Rio Blanco . .           | 300                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 200                        | 22.5                  | 4,500             | 200                        | 22.5                  | 4,500             |
| Routt . . . . .          | 1,800                    | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 1,000                      | 25.0                  | 25,000            | 1,000                      | 25.0                  | 25,000            |
| Summit . . . . .         | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>2,500</b>             | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | <b>1,500</b>               | <b>24.5</b>           | <b>37,000</b>     | <b>1,500</b>               | <b>24.5</b>           | <b>37,000</b>     |
| Boulder . . . .          | 2,200                    | 800                        | 87.5                  | 70,000            | 700                        | 25.5                  | 18,000            | 1,500                      | 58.5                  | 88,000            |
| Jefferson . . .          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Larimer . . . .          | 2,900                    | 2,200                      | 86.5                  | 190,000           | 200                        | 30.0                  | 6,000             | 2,400                      | 81.5                  | 196,000           |
| Logan . . . . .          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Morgan . . . .           | 300                      | 200                        | 100.0                 | 20,000            | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 200                        | 100.0                 | 20,000            |
| Sedgwick . . .           | 1,600                    | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 400                        | 32.5                  | 13,000            | 400                        | 32.5                  | 13,000            |
| Weld . . . . .           | 14,000                   | 9,300                      | 97.0                  | 900,000           | 1,700                      | 31.0                  | 53,000            | 11,000                     | 86.5                  | 953,000           |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>21,000</b>            | <b>12,500</b>              | <b>94.5</b>           | <b>1,180,000</b>  | <b>3,000</b>               | <b>30.0</b>           | <b>90,000</b>     | <b>15,500</b>              | <b>82.0</b>           | <b>1,270,000</b>  |

**Barley: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated       |                   |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Adams .....            | 1,900           | 300               | 53.5           | 16,000           | 900               | 18.0           | 16,000         | 1,200             | 26.5           | 32,000           |
| Arapahoe ...           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Cheyenne ...           | 1,400           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 700               | 16.5           | 11,500         | 700               | 16.5           | 11,500           |
| Denver .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| El Paso .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa .....            | 400             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 200               | 17.5           | 3,500          | 200               | 17.5           | 3,500            |
| Kit Carson ..          | 1,300           | 400               | 47.5           | 19,000           | 500               | 18.0           | 9,000          | 900               | 31.0           | 28,000           |
| Lincoln .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Phillips .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Washington .           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Yuma .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>5,000</b>    | <b>700</b>        | <b>50.0</b>    | <b>35,000</b>    | <b>2,300</b>      | <b>17.5</b>    | <b>40,000</b>  | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>25.0</b>    | <b>75,000</b>    |
| Archuleta ...          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Delta .....            | 200             | 200               | 80.0           | 16,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 200               | 80.0           | 16,000           |
| Dolores .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Garfield ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Mesa .....             | 200             | 200               | 65.0           | 13,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 200               | 65.0           | 13,000           |
| Montezuma ..           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose ...           | 1,100           | 1,100             | 112.5          | 124,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,100             | 112.5          | 124,000          |
| Ouray .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | 500             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 200               | 15.0           | 3,000          | 200               | 15.0           | 3,000            |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>2,000</b>    | <b>1,500</b>      | <b>102.0</b>   | <b>153,000</b>   | <b>200</b>        | <b>15.0</b>    | <b>3,000</b>   | <b>1,700</b>      | <b>92.0</b>    | <b>156,000</b>   |
| Alamosa ....           | 11,400          | 11,000            | 121.0          | 1,330,000        | ...               | ...            | ...            | 11,000            | 121.0          | 1,330,000        |
| Conejos .....          | 8,300           | 8,000             | 116.5          | 930,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 8,000             | 116.5          | 930,000          |
| Costilla .....         | 6,000           | 6,000             | 106.5          | 640,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 6,000             | 106.5          | 640,000          |
| Mineral .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | 19,300          | 19,000            | 126.5          | 2,400,000        | ...               | ...            | ...            | 19,000            | 126.5          | 2,400,000        |
| Saguache ...           | 14,000          | 14,000            | 121.5          | 1,700,000        | ...               | ...            | ...            | 14,000            | 121.5          | 1,700,000        |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>59,000</b>   | <b>58,000</b>     | <b>120.5</b>   | <b>7,000,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>58,000</b>     | <b>120.5</b>   | <b>7,000,000</b> |
| Baca .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Bent .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Crowley ....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Custer .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont ....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas ..          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Otero .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Prowers .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pueblo .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>500</b>      | <b>300</b>        | <b>73.5</b>    | <b>22,000</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>300</b>        | <b>73.5</b>    | <b>22,000</b>    |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>90,000</b>   | <b>73,000</b>     | <b>115.0</b>   | <b>8,390,000</b> | <b>7,000</b>      | <b>24.5</b>    | <b>170,000</b> | <b>80,000</b>     | <b>107.0</b>   | <b>8,560,000</b> |

## Barley: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Barley: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

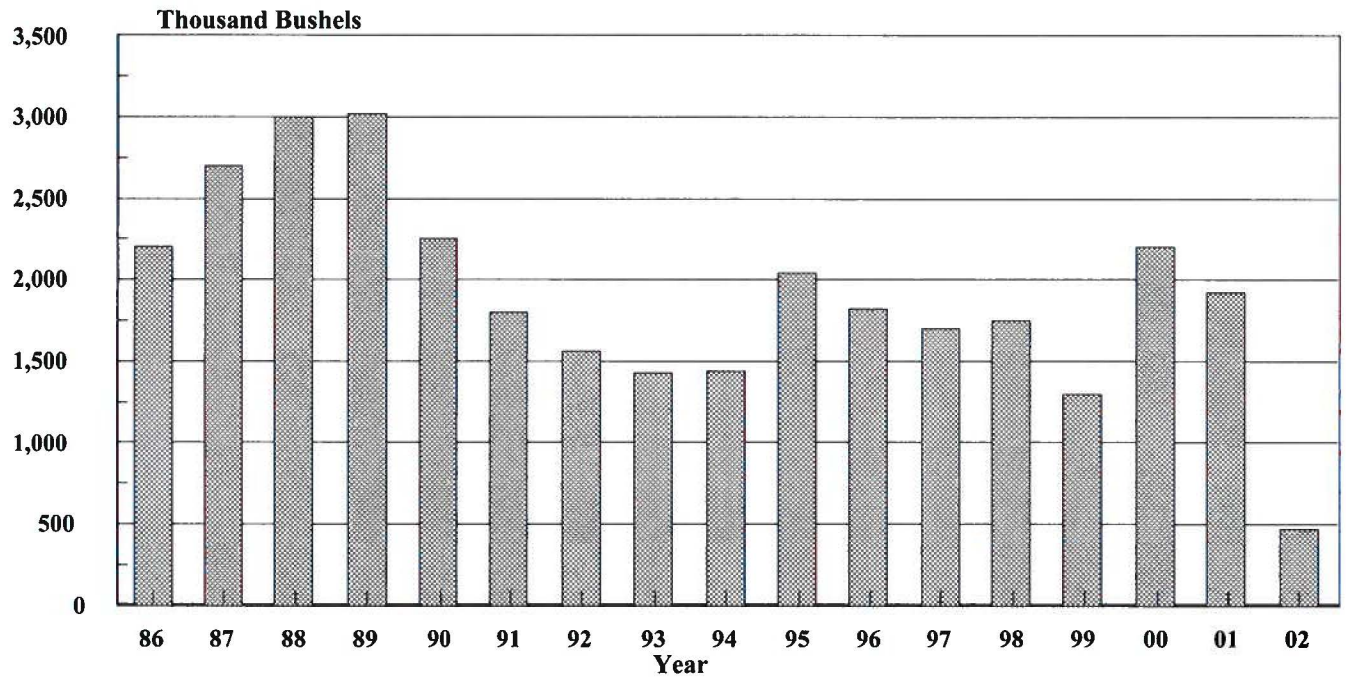
| County and District      | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                  |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                          |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Chaffee                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Clear Creek              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Eagle                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gilpin                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Grand                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gunnison                 | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Jackson                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lake                     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Moffat                   | 400             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Park                     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pitkin                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Blanco               | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Routt                    | 1,300           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,000             | 16.0           | 16,000        | 1,000             | 16.0           | 16,000           |
| Summit                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Teller                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>1,900</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...              | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>16.0</b>    | <b>16,000</b> | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>16.0</b>    | <b>16,000</b>    |
| Boulder                  | 3,100           | 2,000             | 38.5           | 77,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 2,000             | 38.5           | 77,000           |
| Jefferson                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Larimer                  | 4,100           | 3,000             | 50.0           | 150,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 3,000             | 50.0           | 150,000          |
| Logan                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Morgan                   | 600             | 300               | 83.5           | 25,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 300               | 83.5           | 25,000           |
| Sedgwick                 | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Weld                     | 19,900          | 13,900            | 79.0           | 1,095,000        | 300               | 13.5           | 4,000         | 14,200            | 77.5           | 1,099,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>28,000</b>   | <b>19,200</b>     | <b>70.0</b>    | <b>1,347,000</b> | <b>300</b>        | <b>13.5</b>    | <b>4,000</b>  | <b>19,500</b>     | <b>69.5</b>    | <b>1,351,000</b> |



**Barley: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated       |                   |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Adams . . . . .        | 2,700           | 1,100             | 52.5           | 58,000           | 200               | 10.0           | 2,000         | 1,300             | 46.0           | 60,000           |
| Arapahoe . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Cheyenne . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Denver . . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert . . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| El Paso . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kit Carson . .         | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lincoln . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Phillips . . . . .     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Washington . .         | 800             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Yuma . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>3,700</b>    | <b>1,100</b>      | <b>52.5</b>    | <b>58,000</b>    | <b>200</b>        | <b>10.0</b>    | <b>2,000</b>  | <b>1,300</b>      | <b>46.0</b>    | <b>60,000</b>    |
| Archuleta . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Delta . . . . .        | 200             | 200               | 100.0          | 20,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 200               | 100.0          | 20,000           |
| Dolores . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Garfield . . . . .     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale . . . . .     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata . . . . .     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Mesa . . . . .         | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montezuma . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose . . .         | 1,100           | 1,000             | 43.0           | 43,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,000             | 43.0           | 43,000           |
| Ouray . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan . . . . .     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel . .         | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>1,900</b>    | <b>1,200</b>      | <b>52.5</b>    | <b>63,000</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...           | <b>1,200</b>      | <b>52.5</b>    | <b>63,000</b>    |
| Alamosa . . . . .      | 9,300           | 9,000             | 116.5          | 1,050,000        | ...               | ...            | ...           | 9,000             | 116.5          | 1,050,000        |
| Conejos . . . . .      | 6,200           | 6,000             | 106.5          | 640,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 6,000             | 106.5          | 640,000          |
| Costilla . . . . .     | 4,000           | 4,000             | 125.0          | 500,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 4,000             | 125.0          | 500,000          |
| Mineral . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande . .         | 16,500          | 16,500            | 115.0          | 1,895,000        | ...               | ...            | ...           | 16,500            | 115.0          | 1,895,000        |
| Saguache . . .         | 13,000          | 13,000            | 123.0          | 1,600,000        | ...               | ...            | ...           | 13,000            | 123.0          | 1,600,000        |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>49,000</b>   | <b>48,500</b>     | <b>117.0</b>   | <b>5,685,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...           | <b>48,500</b>     | <b>117.0</b>   | <b>5,685,000</b> |
| Baca . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Bent . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Crowley . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Custer . . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont . . . . .      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano . . . . .     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Otero . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Prowers . . . . .      | 500             | 500               | 50.0           | 25,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 500               | 50.0           | 25,000           |
| Pueblo . . . . .       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>500</b>      | <b>500</b>        | <b>50.0</b>    | <b>25,000</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...           | <b>500</b>        | <b>50.0</b>    | <b>25,000</b>    |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>85,000</b>   | <b>70,500</b>     | <b>102.0</b>   | <b>7,178,000</b> | <b>1,500</b>      | <b>14.5</b>    | <b>22,000</b> | <b>72,000</b>     | <b>100.0</b>   | <b>7,200,000</b> |

## Oats: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Thousand Bushels)



**Oats: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001**

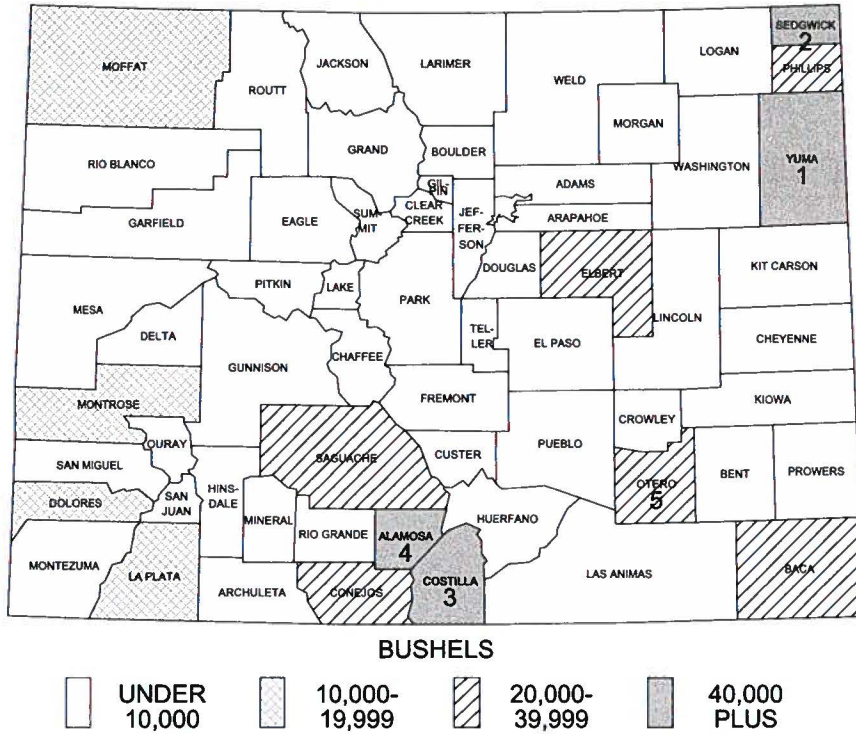
| County and District      | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle . . . . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand . . . . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gunnison . . .           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Jackson . . . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 1,400           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 600               | 38.5           | 23,000         | 600               | 38.5           | 23,000         |
| Park . . . . .           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Rio Blanco . .           | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...            | 300               | 23.5           | 7,000          | 300               | 23.5           | 7,000          |
| Routt . . . . .          | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Summit . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>1,900</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>900</b>        | <b>33.5</b>    | <b>30,000</b>  | <b>900</b>        | <b>33.5</b>    | <b>30,000</b>  |
| Boulder . . . .          | 500             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Jefferson . . .          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Larimer . . . .          | 600             | 200               | 90.0           | 18,000         | ...               | ...            | ...            | 200               | 90.0           | 18,000         |
| Logan . . . . .          | 1,900           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,300             | 47.0           | 61,000         | 1,300             | 47.0           | 61,000         |
| Morgan . . . .           | 4,500           | 1,500             | 84.0           | 126,000        | 400               | 42.5           | 17,000         | 1,900             | 75.5           | 143,000        |
| Sedgwick . . .           | 1,500           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,000             | 41.0           | 41,000         | 1,000             | 41.0           | 41,000         |
| Weld . . . . .           | 5,900           | 300               | 86.5           | 26,000         | 1,300             | 43.0           | 56,000         | 1,600             | 51.5           | 82,000         |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>14,900</b>   | <b>2,000</b>      | <b>85.0</b>    | <b>170,000</b> | <b>4,000</b>      | <b>44.0</b>    | <b>175,000</b> | <b>6,000</b>      | <b>57.5</b>    | <b>345,000</b> |

**Oats: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated       |                   |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Adams .....            | 700             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Arapahoe ...           | 600             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 300               | 33.5           | 10,000         | 300               | 33.5           | 10,000           |
| Cheyenne ...           | 3,700           | 500               | 70.0           | 35,000           | 1,800             | 35.0           | 63,000         | 2,300             | 42.5           | 98,000           |
| Denver .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas ....           | 600             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 500               | 32.0           | 16,000         | 500               | 32.0           | 16,000           |
| Elbert .....           | 1,200           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 700               | 37.0           | 26,000         | 700               | 37.0           | 26,000           |
| El Paso .....          | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa .....            | 1,700           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,700             | 31.0           | 53,000         | 1,700             | 31.0           | 53,000           |
| Kit Carson ..          | 4,800           | 400               | 75.0           | 30,000           | 400               | 35.0           | 14,000         | 800               | 55.0           | 44,000           |
| Lincoln .....          | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Phillips .....         | 1,500           | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Washington ..          | 3,200           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 400               | 32.5           | 13,000         | 400               | 32.5           | 13,000           |
| Yuma .....             | 5,800           | 800               | 69.0           | 55,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 800               | 69.0           | 55,000           |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>24,200</b>   | <b>1,700</b>      | <b>70.5</b>    | <b>120,000</b>   | <b>5,800</b>      | <b>33.5</b>    | <b>195,000</b> | <b>7,500</b>      | <b>42.0</b>    | <b>315,000</b>   |
| Archuleta ...          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Delta .....            | 1,000           | 700               | 80.0           | 56,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 700               | 80.0           | 56,000           |
| Dolores .....          | 2,400           | ...               | ...            | ...              | 1,500             | 15.5           | 23,000         | 1,500             | 15.5           | 23,000           |
| Garfield ....          | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata ....          | 2,700           | 500               | 80.0           | 40,000           | 800               | 19.0           | 15,000         | 1,300             | 42.5           | 55,000           |
| Mesa .....             | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montezuma ..           | 3,000           | 1,500             | 96.0           | 144,000          | 1,000             | 12.0           | 12,000         | 2,500             | 62.5           | 156,000          |
| Montrose ...           | 3,000           | 2,300             | 78.5           | 180,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 2,300             | 78.5           | 180,000          |
| Ouray .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | 600             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>13,300</b>   | <b>5,000</b>      | <b>84.0</b>    | <b>420,000</b>   | <b>3,300</b>      | <b>15.0</b>    | <b>50,000</b>  | <b>8,300</b>      | <b>56.5</b>    | <b>470,000</b>   |
| Alamosa ....           | 3,500           | 1,700             | 72.5           | 123,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,700             | 72.5           | 123,000          |
| Conejos .....          | 7,100           | 3,000             | 93.5           | 280,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 3,000             | 93.5           | 280,000          |
| Costilla .....         | 2,400           | 1,300             | 73.0           | 95,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,300             | 73.0           | 95,000           |
| Mineral .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | 1,900           | 600               | 76.5           | 46,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 600               | 76.5           | 46,000           |
| Saguache ...           | 3,100           | 900               | 73.5           | 66,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 900               | 73.5           | 66,000           |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>18,000</b>   | <b>7,500</b>      | <b>81.5</b>    | <b>610,000</b>   | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>7,500</b>      | <b>81.5</b>    | <b>610,000</b>   |
| Baca .....             | 3,000           | 400               | 75.0           | 30,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 400               | 75.0           | 30,000           |
| Bent .....             | 800             | 200               | 75.0           | 15,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 200               | 75.0           | 15,000           |
| Crowley .....          | 400             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Custer .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont ....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas ..          | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Otero .....            | 2,400           | 1,000             | 90.0           | 90,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,000             | 90.0           | 90,000           |
| Prowers .....          | 700             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pueblo .....           | 200             | 200               | 75.0           | 15,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 200               | 75.0           | 15,000           |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>7,700</b>    | <b>1,800</b>      | <b>83.5</b>    | <b>150,000</b>   | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>1,800</b>      | <b>83.5</b>    | <b>150,000</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>80,000</b>   | <b>18,000</b>     | <b>81.5</b>    | <b>1,470,000</b> | <b>14,000</b>     | <b>32.0</b>    | <b>450,000</b> | <b>32,000</b>     | <b>60.0</b>    | <b>1,920,000</b> |



## Oats: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



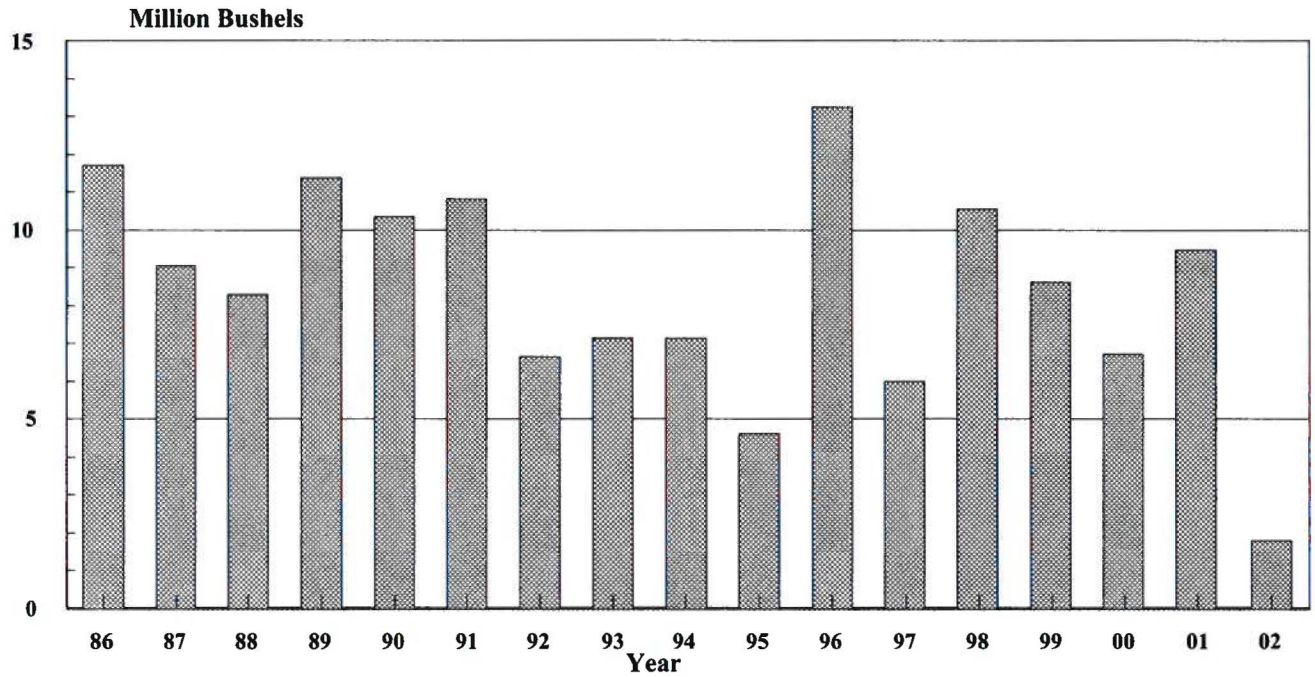
**Oats: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002**

| County and District      | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |               | Non-Irrigated     |                |            | Total             |                |               |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|
|                          |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.        | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           |
| Chaffee                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Clear Creek              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Eagle                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Gilpin                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Grand                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Gunnison                 | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Jackson                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Lake                     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Moffat                   | 2,000           | 400               | 32.5           | 13,000        | ...               | ...            | ...        | 400               | 32.5           | 13,000        |
| Park                     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Pitkin                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Rio Blanco               | 400             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Routt                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Summit                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Teller                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>2,400</b>    | <b>400</b>        | <b>32.5</b>    | <b>13,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>400</b>        | <b>32.5</b>    | <b>13,000</b> |
| Boulder                  | 800             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Jefferson                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Larimer                  | 2,700           | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Logan                    | 1,300           | 200               | 40.0           | 8,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 200               | 40.0           | 8,000         |
| Morgan                   | 3,600           | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Sedgwick                 | 3,000           | 1,300             | 34.5           | 45,000        | ...               | ...            | ...        | 1,300             | 34.5           | 45,000        |
| Weld                     | 3,100           | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>14,500</b>   | <b>1,500</b>      | <b>35.5</b>    | <b>53,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>1,500</b>      | <b>35.5</b>    | <b>53,000</b> |

**Oats: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated       |                   |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |            | Total             |                |                |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                        | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.        | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.            |
| Adams .....            | 500             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Arapahoe ...           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Cheyenne ...           | 700             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Denver .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Douglas ....           | 400             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Elbert .....           | 2,600           | 500               | 44.0           | 22,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 500               | 44.0           | 22,000         |
| El Paso .....          | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Kiowa .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Kit Carson ..          | 3,600           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Lincoln .....          | 800             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Phillips .....         | 1,800           | 400               | 50.0           | 20,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 400               | 50.0           | 20,000         |
| Washington .           | 3,600           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Yuma .....             | 3,200           | 2,100             | 60.0           | 126,000        | ...               | ...            | ...        | 2,100             | 60.0           | 126,000        |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>17,500</b>   | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>56.0</b>    | <b>168,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>56.0</b>    | <b>168,000</b> |
| Archuleta ...          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Delta .....            | 500             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Dolores .....          | 1,000           | 200               | 80.0           | 16,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 200               | 80.0           | 16,000         |
| Garfield ....          | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Hinsdale ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| La Plata ....          | 1,600           | 200               | 90.0           | 18,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 200               | 90.0           | 18,000         |
| Mesa .....             | 500             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Montezuma ..           | 2,300           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Montrose ...           | 1,500           | 200               | 85.0           | 17,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 200               | 85.0           | 17,000         |
| Ouray .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| San Juan ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| San Miguel ..          | 700             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>8,400</b>    | <b>600</b>        | <b>85.0</b>    | <b>51,000</b>  | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>600</b>        | <b>85.0</b>    | <b>51,000</b>  |
| Alamosa ....           | 2,200           | 500               | 82.0           | 41,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 500               | 82.0           | 41,000         |
| Conejos .....          | 8,000           | 300               | 83.5           | 25,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 300               | 83.5           | 25,000         |
| Costilla .....         | 2,200           | 500               | 84.0           | 42,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 500               | 84.0           | 42,000         |
| Mineral .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Rio Grande ..          | 1,100           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Saguache ...           | 3,500           | 300               | 76.5           | 23,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 300               | 76.5           | 23,000         |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>17,000</b>   | <b>1,600</b>      | <b>82.0</b>    | <b>131,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>1,600</b>      | <b>82.0</b>    | <b>131,000</b> |
| Baca .....             | 2,400           | 400               | 50.0           | 20,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 400               | 50.0           | 20,000         |
| Bent .....             | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Crowley .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Custer .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Fremont .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Huerfano ....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Las Animas ..          | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Otero .....            | 1,300           | 500               | 56.0           | 28,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 500               | 56.0           | 28,000         |
| Prowers .....          | 900             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Pueblo .....           | 200             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>5,200</b>    | <b>900</b>        | <b>53.5</b>    | <b>48,000</b>  | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>900</b>        | <b>53.5</b>    | <b>48,000</b>  |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>65,000</b>   | <b>8,000</b>      | <b>58.0</b>    | <b>464,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>8,000</b>      | <b>58.0</b>    | <b>464,000</b> |

## Sorghum: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Million Bushels)



**Sorghum for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001**

| County and District      | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Irrigated          |                |                | Non-Irrigated      |                |                | Total              |                |                |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          |                       | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction    | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction    | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction    |
|                          | Acres                 | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.            |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle . . . . .          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Grand . . . . .          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Gunnison . . .           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Jackson . . . .          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat . . . . .         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Park . . . . .           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Rio Blanco . .           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Routt . . . . .          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Summit . . . . .         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Boulder . . . .          | 300                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Jefferson . . .          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Larimer . . . .          | 800                   | 400                | 75.0           | 30,000         | 300                | 36.5           | 11,000         | 700                | 58.5           | 41,000         |
| Logan . . . . .          | 4,000                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | 3,000              | 35.0           | 105,000        | 3,000              | 35.0           | 105,000        |
| Morgan . . . .           | 1,900                 | 700                | 80.0           | 56,000         | 800                | 45.0           | 36,000         | 1,500              | 61.5           | 92,000         |
| Sedgwick . . .           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            |
| Weld . . . . .           | 4,000                 | 500                | 68.0           | 34,000         | 2,300              | 38.5           | 88,000         | 2,800              | 43.5           | 122,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>11,000</b>         | <b>1,600</b>       | <b>75.0</b>    | <b>120,000</b> | <b>6,400</b>       | <b>37.5</b>    | <b>240,000</b> | <b>8,000</b>       | <b>45.0</b>    | <b>360,000</b> |

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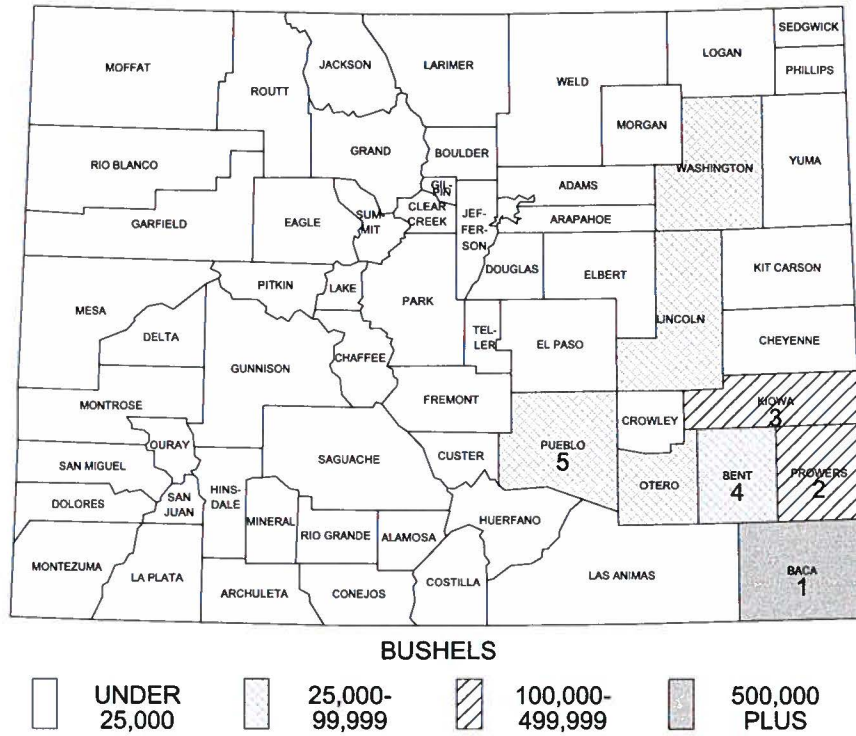


**Sorghum for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated             |                   |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                  | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres                 | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Adams .....            | 4,800                 | 600               | 63.5           | 38,000           | 3,000             | 32.5           | 98,000           | 3,600             | 38.0           | 136,000          |
| Arapahoe ...           | 2,500                 | ...               | ...            | ...              | 500               | 32.0           | 16,000           | 500               | 32.0           | 16,000           |
| Cheyenne ...           | 20,500                | 500               | 80.0           | 40,000           | 14,000            | 29.5           | 415,000          | 14,500            | 31.5           | 455,000          |
| Denver .....           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas ....           | 300                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert .....           | 500                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | 200               | 32.5           | 6,500            | 200               | 32.5           | 6,500            |
| El Paso .....          | 2,500                 | ...               | ...            | ...              | 400               | 35.0           | 14,000           | 400               | 35.0           | 14,000           |
| Kiowa .....            | 71,000                | 600               | 61.5           | 37,000           | 50,000            | 35.5           | 1,772,000        | 50,600            | 36.0           | 1,809,000        |
| Kit Carson ..          | 3,300                 | 600               | 63.5           | 38,000           | 1,200             | 22.5           | 27,000           | 1,800             | 36.0           | 65,000           |
| Lincoln .....          | 17,200                | 1,100             | 66.5           | 73,000           | 7,300             | 24.0           | 174,000          | 8,400             | 29.5           | 247,000          |
| Phillips .....         | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Washington ..          | 1,400                 | 200               | 70.0           | 14,000           | 500               | 35.0           | 17,500           | 700               | 45.0           | 31,500           |
| Yuma .....             | 1,000                 | ...               | ...            | ...              | 300               | 33.5           | 10,000           | 300               | 33.5           | 10,000           |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>125,000</b>        | <b>3,600</b>      | <b>66.5</b>    | <b>240,000</b>   | <b>77,400</b>     | <b>33.0</b>    | <b>2,550,000</b> | <b>81,000</b>     | <b>34.5</b>    | <b>2,790,000</b> |
| Archuleta ...          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Delta .....            | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Dolores .....          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Garfield ....          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale ....          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata ....          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Mesa .....             | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montezuma ..           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose ...           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Ouray .....            | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan ....          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>...</b>            | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>       | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>       | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>       |
| Alamosa ....           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Conejos .....          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Costilla .....         | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Mineral .....          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Saguache ...           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>...</b>            | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>       | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>       | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>       |
| Baca .....             | 118,000               | 12,500            | 67.5           | 845,000          | 79,500            | 40.0           | 3,197,000        | 92,000            | 44.0           | 4,042,000        |
| Bent .....             | 7,000                 | 3,800             | 84.0           | 320,000          | 1,200             | 46.0           | 55,000           | 5,000             | 75.0           | 375,000          |
| Crowley ....           | 3,700                 | 1,600             | 69.0           | 110,000          | 1,300             | 41.0           | 53,000           | 2,900             | 56.0           | 163,000          |
| Custer .....           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont ....           | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano ....          | ...                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas ..          | 300                   | ...               | ...            | ...              | 200               | 40.0           | 8,000            | 200               | 40.0           | 8,000            |
| Otero .....            | 3,000                 | 2,100             | 78.5           | 165,000          | ...               | ...            | ...              | 2,100             | 78.5           | 165,000          |
| Prowers .....          | 38,000                | 7,800             | 82.0           | 640,000          | 21,000            | 43.5           | 917,000          | 28,800            | 54.0           | 1,557,000        |
| Pueblo .....           | 4,000                 | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>174,000</b>        | <b>27,800</b>     | <b>75.0</b>    | <b>2,080,000</b> | <b>103,200</b>    | <b>41.0</b>    | <b>4,230,000</b> | <b>131,000</b>    | <b>48.0</b>    | <b>6,310,000</b> |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>310,000</b>        | <b>33,000</b>     | <b>74.0</b>    | <b>2,440,000</b> | <b>187,000</b>    | <b>37.5</b>    | <b>7,020,000</b> | <b>220,000</b>    | <b>43.0</b>    | <b>9,460,000</b> |

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## Sorghum for Grain: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Sorghum for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

| County and District      | Acreage planted<br><u>1/</u> | Irrigated         |                |            | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |               |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|
|                          |                              | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production    |
|                          | Acres                        | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.        | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           | Acres             | Bu.            | Bu.           |
| Chaffee                  | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Clear Creek              | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Eagle                    | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Gilpin                   | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Grand                    | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Gunnison                 | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Jackson                  | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Lake                     | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Moffat                   | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Park                     | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Pitkin                   | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Rio Blanco               | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Routt                    | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Summit                   | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Teller                   | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Boulder                  | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Jefferson                | ...                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Larimer                  | 200                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Logan                    | 2,900                        | ...               | ...            | ...        | 2,100             | 6.0            | 13,000        | 2,100             | 6.0            | 13,000        |
| Morgan                   | 700                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...           |
| Sedgwick                 | 600                          | ...               | ...            | ...        | 300               | 11.5           | 3,500         | 300               | 11.5           | 3,500         |
| Weld                     | 8,600                        | ...               | ...            | ...        | 2,100             | 8.0            | 16,500        | 2,100             | 8.0            | 16,500        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>13,000</b>                | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>4,500</b>      | <b>7.5</b>     | <b>33,000</b> | <b>4,500</b>      | <b>7.5</b>     | <b>33,000</b> |

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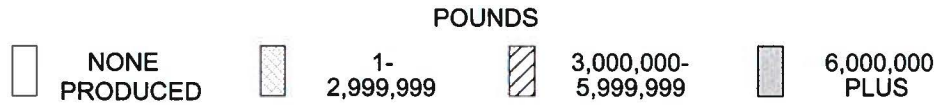
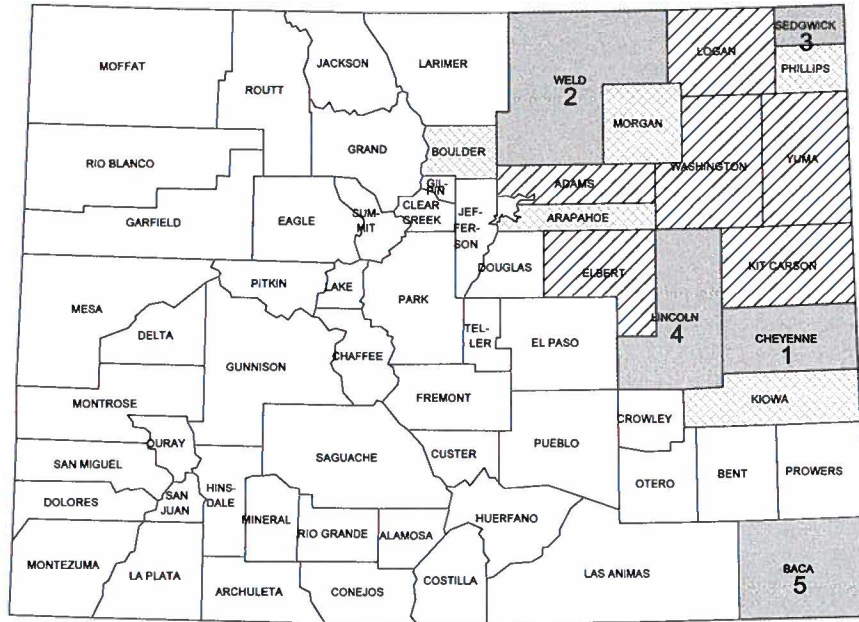
**Sorghum for Grain: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated             |                    |                |                | Non-Irrigated      |                |                | Total              |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage planted<br>1/ | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction    | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction    | Acreage har-vested | Yield per acre | Pro-duction      |
|                        | Acres                 | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.            | Acres              | Bu.            | Bu.              |
| Adams .....            | 2,900                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | 500                | 15.0           | 7,500          | 500                | 15.0           | 7,500            |
| Arapahoe ...           | 2,700                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Cheyenne ...           | 38,900                | ...                | ...            | ...            | 2,000              | 10.0           | 20,000         | 2,000              | 10.0           | 20,000           |
| Denver .....           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas ....           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert .....           | 3,000                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | 500                | 7.0            | 3,500          | 500                | 7.0            | 3,500            |
| El Paso .....          | 2,800                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa .....            | 21,500                | 1,000              | 63.0           | 63,000         | 8,000              | 10.0           | 80,000         | 9,000              | 16.0           | 143,000          |
| Kit Carson ..          | 9,500                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Lincoln .....          | 18,000                | ...                | ...            | ...            | 3,400              | 8.0            | 27,000         | 3,400              | 8.0            | 27,000           |
| Phillips .....         | 1,700                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | 600                | 6.5            | 4,000          | 600                | 6.5            | 4,000            |
| Washington .           | 5,400                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | 2,500              | 13.0           | 32,000         | 2,500              | 13.0           | 32,000           |
| Yuma .....             | 3,600                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>110,000</b>        | <b>1,000</b>       | <b>63.0</b>    | <b>63,000</b>  | <b>17,500</b>      | <b>10.0</b>    | <b>174,000</b> | <b>18,500</b>      | <b>13.0</b>    | <b>237,000</b>   |
| Archuleta ...          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Delta .....            | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Dolores .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Garfield ....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale ....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata ....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Mesa .....             | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Montezuma ..           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose ...           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Ouray .....            | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan ....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Alamosa .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Conejos .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Costilla .....         | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Mineral .....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Saguache ...           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Baca .....             | 156,500               | 9,000              | 42.0           | 380,000        | 44,800             | 13.0           | 585,000        | 53,800             | 18.0           | 965,000          |
| Bent .....             | 5,900                 | 1,000              | 73.0           | 73,000         | ...                | ...            | ...            | 1,000              | 73.0           | 73,000           |
| Crowley ....           | 4,500                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Custer .....           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont ....           | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano ....          | ...                   | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas ..          | 1,200                 | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...            | ...                | ...            | ...              |
| Otero .....            | 5,300                 | 1,000              | 41.0           | 41,000         | ...                | ...            | ...            | 1,000              | 41.0           | 41,000           |
| Prowers .....          | 47,300                | 5,500              | 60.5           | 333,000        | 5,200              | 14.0           | 73,000         | 10,700             | 38.0           | 406,000          |
| Pueblo .....           | 6,300                 | 500                | 90.0           | 45,000         | ...                | ...            | ...            | 500                | 90.0           | 45,000           |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>227,000</b>        | <b>17,000</b>      | <b>51.5</b>    | <b>872,000</b> | <b>50,000</b>      | <b>13.0</b>    | <b>658,000</b> | <b>67,000</b>      | <b>23.0</b>    | <b>1,530,000</b> |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>350,000</b>        | <b>18,000</b>      | <b>52.0</b>    | <b>935,000</b> | <b>72,000</b>      | <b>12.0</b>    | <b>865,000</b> | <b>90,000</b>      | <b>20.0</b>    | <b>1,800,000</b> |

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## Sunflowers, All: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



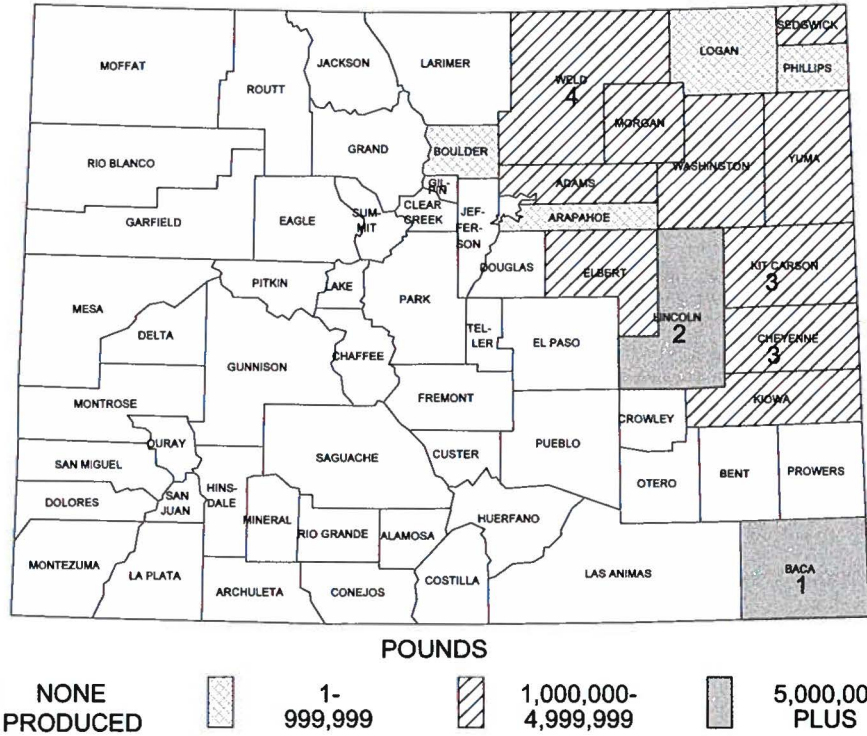
### Sunflowers, All: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001-2002

| County and District      | 2001            |                   |                |                   | 2002            |                   |                |                   |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                          | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production        | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production        |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds            | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds            |
| Chaffee                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Clear Creek              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Eagle                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Gilpin                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Grand                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Gunnison                 | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Jackson                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Lake                     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Moffat                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Park                     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Pitkin                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Blanco               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Routt                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Summit                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Teller                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Boulder                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | 300             | 200               | 750            | 150,000           |
| Jefferson                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Larimer                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Logan                    | 5,900           | 4,900             | 695            | 3,400,000         | 8,700           | 5,800             | 880            | 5,100,000         |
| Morgan                   | 2,600           | 2,300             | 1,480          | 3,400,000         | 2,700           | 2,200             | 750            | 1,650,000         |
| Sedgwick                 | 5,000           | 5,000             | 1,120          | 5,600,000         | 7,600           | 6,600             | 1,040          | 6,850,000         |
| Weld                     | 12,500          | 11,300            | 1,390          | 15,700,000        | 9,700           | 7,200             | 965            | 6,950,000         |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>26,000</b>   | <b>23,500</b>     | <b>1,195</b>   | <b>28,100,000</b> | <b>29,000</b>   | <b>22,000</b>     | <b>940</b>     | <b>20,700,000</b> |

**Sunflowers, All: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001-2002, continued**

| County and District    | 2001            |                   |                |                    | 2002            |                   |                |                   |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                        | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production         | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production        |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds             | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds            |
| Adams .....            | 18,000          | 18,000            | 1,245          | 22,400,000         | 9,600           | 9,500             | 410            | 3,900,000         |
| Arapahoe .....         | 3,700           | 3,700             | 1,675          | 6,200,000          | 3,000           | 2,300             | 350            | 800,000           |
| Cheyenne .....         | 17,100          | 14,500            | 895            | 13,000,000         | 17,100          | 10,000            | 740            | 7,400,000         |
| Denver .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Douglas .....          | 600             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Elbert .....           | 5,000           | 5,000             | 1,180          | 5,900,000          | 5,800           | 5,300             | 605            | 3,200,000         |
| El Paso .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Kiowa .....            | 28,000          | 26,500            | 1,315          | 34,900,000         | 7,800           | 6,000             | 185            | 1,100,000         |
| Kit Carson .....       | 46,500          | 43,000            | 745            | 32,100,000         | 18,200          | 10,100            | 575            | 5,800,000         |
| Lincoln .....          | 15,500          | 15,300            | 1,305          | 20,000,000         | 17,400          | 16,500            | 375            | 6,200,000         |
| Phillips .....         | 500             | 500               | 1,200          | 600,000            | 2,000           | 1,600             | 690            | 1,100,000         |
| Washington .....       | 14,500          | 13,400            | 1,255          | 16,800,000         | 9,000           | 6,600             | 500            | 3,300,000         |
| Yuma .....             | 5,600           | 5,100             | 1,470          | 7,500,000          | 5,100           | 5,100             | 685            | 3,500,000         |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>155,000</b>  | <b>145,000</b>    | <b>1,100</b>   | <b>159,400,000</b> | <b>95,000</b>   | <b>73,000</b>     | <b>495</b>     | <b>36,300,000</b> |
| Archuleta .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Delta .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Dolores .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Garfield .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Hinsdale .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| La Plata .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Mesa .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Montezuma .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Montrose .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Ouray .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Juan .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Miguel .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>         | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        |
| Alamosa .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Conejos .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Costilla .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Mineral .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Grande .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Saguache .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>         | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        |
| Baca .....             | 11,000          | 10,500            | 1,610          | 16,900,000         | 6,000           | 5,000             | 1,200          | 6,000,000         |
| Bent .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Crowley .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Custer .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Fremont .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Huerfano .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Las Animas .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Otero .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Prowers .....          | 3,000           | 3,000             | 1,235          | 3,700,000          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Pueblo .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>14,000</b>   | <b>13,500</b>     | <b>1,525</b>   | <b>20,600,000</b>  | <b>6,000</b>    | <b>5,000</b>      | <b>1,200</b>   | <b>6,000,000</b>  |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>195,000</b>  | <b>182,000</b>    | <b>1,143</b>   | <b>208,100,000</b> | <b>130,000</b>  | <b>100,000</b>    | <b>630</b>     | <b>63,000,000</b> |

## Sunflowers, Oil: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Sunflowers, Oil: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001-2002

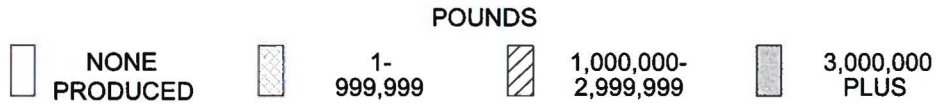
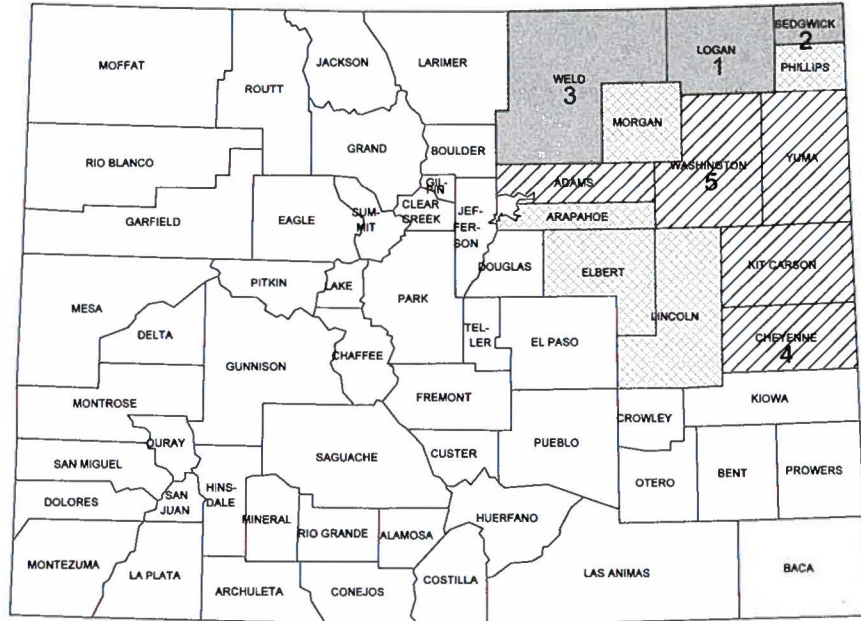
| County and District      | 2001            |                   |                |                  | 2002            |                   |                |                  |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                          | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production       | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production       |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds           | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds           |
| Chaffee .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Clear Creek .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Eagle .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gilpin .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Grand .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Gunnison .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Jackson .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lake .....               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Moffat .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Park .....               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pitkin .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Blanco .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Routt .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Summit .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Teller .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Boulder .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 300             | 200               | 750            | 150,000          |
| Jefferson .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Larimer .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Logan .....              | 1,000           | 1,000             | 900            | 900,000          | 3,000           | 2,400             | 395            | 950,000          |
| Morgan .....             | 300             | ...               | ...            | ...              | 2,400           | 2,000             | 700            | 1,400,000        |
| Sedgwick .....           | 3,200           | 3,200             | 815            | 2,600,000        | 3,800           | 3,700             | 770            | 2,850,000        |
| Weld .....               | 2,500           | 2,300             | 740            | 1,700,000        | 5,500           | 4,700             | 775            | 3,650,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>7,000</b>    | <b>6,500</b>      | <b>800</b>     | <b>5,200,000</b> | <b>15,000</b>   | <b>13,000</b>     | <b>690</b>     | <b>9,000,000</b> |



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| County and District    | 2001            |                   |                |                    | 2002            |                   |                |                   |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                        | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production         | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production        |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds             | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds            |
| Adams .....            | 7,000           | 7,000             | 1,270          | 8,900,000          | 7,100           | 7,000             | 345            | 2,400,000         |
| Arapahoe .....         | 2,700           | 2,700             | 1,295          | 3,500,000          | 2,700           | 2,000             | 250            | 500,000           |
| Cheyenne .....         | 15,600          | 13,000            | 800            | 10,400,000         | 13,700          | 8,500             | 540            | 4,600,000         |
| Denver .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Douglas .....          | 600             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Elbert .....           | 3,100           | 3,100             | 1,195          | 3,700,000          | 5,000           | 4,500             | 580            | 2,600,000         |
| El Paso .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Kiowa .....            | 28,000          | 26,500            | 1,315          | 34,900,000         | 7,800           | 6,000             | 185            | 1,100,000         |
| Kit Carson .....       | 28,500          | 25,500            | 810            | 20,600,000         | 11,500          | 9,000             | 510            | 4,600,000         |
| Lincoln .....          | 13,000          | 12,800            | 1,330          | 17,000,000         | 16,800          | 16,000            | 370            | 5,900,000         |
| Phillips .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | 1,300           | 1,000             | 600            | 600,000           |
| Washington .....       | 6,000           | 5,200             | 1,115          | 5,800,000          | 3,800           | 3,700             | 270            | 1,000,000         |
| Yuma .....             | 4,500           | 4,200             | 1,475          | 6,200,000          | 4,300           | 4,300             | 395            | 1,700,000         |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>109,000</b>  | <b>100,000</b>    | <b>1,110</b>   | <b>111,000,000</b> | <b>74,000</b>   | <b>62,000</b>     | <b>405</b>     | <b>25,000,000</b> |
| Archuleta .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Delta .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Dolores .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Garfield .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Hinsdale .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| La Plata .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Mesa .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Montezuma .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Montrose .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Ouray .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Juan .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Miguel .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>         | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        |
| Alamosa .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Conejos .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Costilla .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Mineral .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Grande .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Saguache .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>         | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        |
| Baca .....             | 11,000          | 10,500            | 1,610          | 16,900,000         | 6,000           | 5,000             | 1,200          | 6,000,000         |
| Bent .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Crowley .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Custer .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Fremont .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Huerfano .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Las Animas .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Otero .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Prowers .....          | 3,000           | 3,000             | 1,235          | 3,700,000          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Pueblo .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>14,000</b>   | <b>13,500</b>     | <b>1,525</b>   | <b>20,600,000</b>  | <b>6,000</b>    | <b>5,000</b>      | <b>1,200</b>   | <b>6,000,000</b>  |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>130,000</b>  | <b>120,000</b>    | <b>1,140</b>   | <b>136,800,000</b> | <b>95,000</b>   | <b>80,000</b>     | <b>500</b>     | <b>40,000,000</b> |

## Sunflowers, Non-Oil: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Sunflowers, Non-Oil: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001-2002

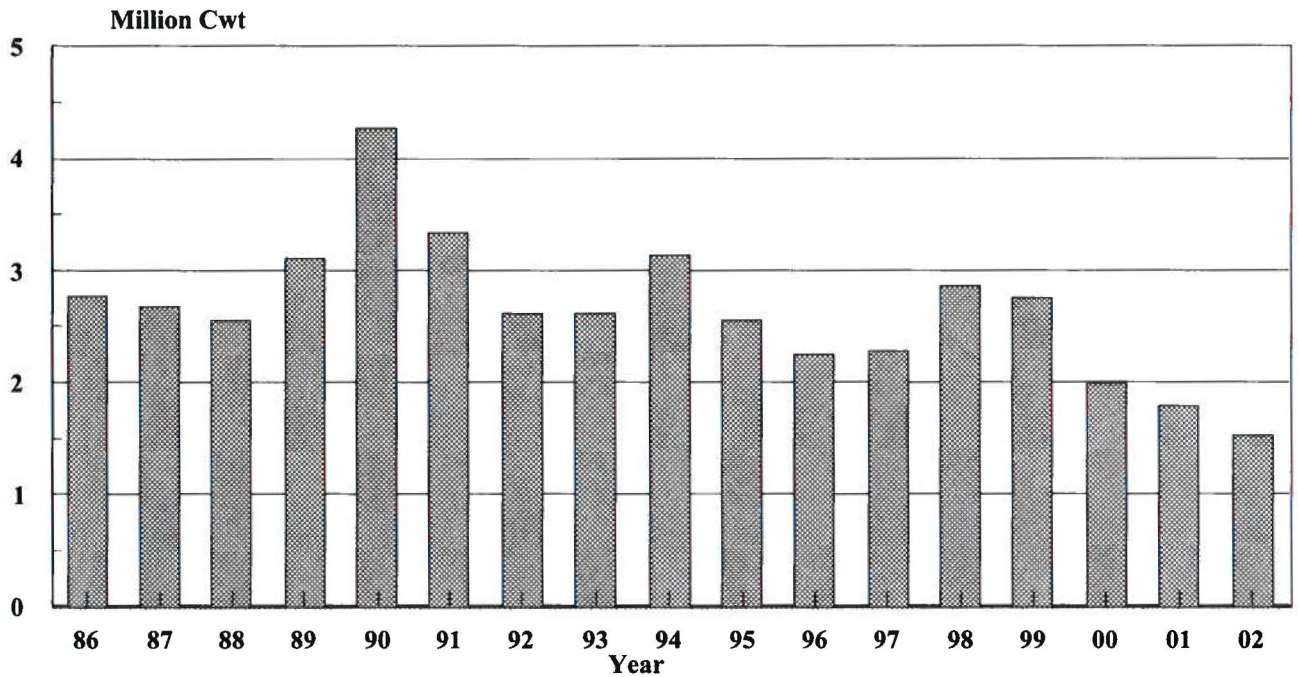
| County and District      | 2001            |                   |                |                   | 2002            |                   |                |                   |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                          | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production        | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production        |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds            | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds            |
| Chaffee                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Clear Creek              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Eagle                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Gilpin                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Grand                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Gunnison                 | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Jackson                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Lake                     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Moffat                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Park                     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Pitkin                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Blanco               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Routt                    | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Summit                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Teller                   | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Boulder                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Jefferson                | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Larimer                  | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Logan                    | 4,900           | 3,900             | 640            | 2,500,000         | 5,700           | 3,400             | 1,220          | 4,150,000         |
| Morgan                   | 2,300           | 2,300             | 1,480          | 3,400,000         | 300             | 200               | 1,250          | 250,000           |
| Sedgwick                 | 1,800           | 1,800             | 1,665          | 3,000,000         | 3,800           | 2,900             | 1,380          | 4,000,000         |
| Weld                     | 10,000          | 9,000             | 1,555          | 14,000,000        | 4,200           | 2,500             | 1,320          | 3,300,000         |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>19,000</b>   | <b>17,000</b>     | <b>1,345</b>   | <b>22,900,000</b> | <b>14,000</b>   | <b>9,000</b>      | <b>1,300</b>   | <b>11,700,000</b> |

**Sunflowers, Non-Oil: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001-2002, continued**

| County and District    | 2001            |                   |                |                   | 2002            |                   |                |                   |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
|                        | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production        | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production        |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds            | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds         | Pounds            |
| Adams .....            | 11,000          | 11,000            | 1,225          | 13,500,000        | 2,500           | 2,500             | 600            | 1,500,000         |
| Arapahoe .....         | 1,000           | 1,000             | 2,700          | 2,700,000         | 300             | 300               | 1,000          | 300,000           |
| Cheyenne .....         | 1,500           | 1,500             | 1,735          | 2,600,000         | 3,400           | 1,500             | 1,865          | 2,800,000         |
| Denver .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Douglas .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Elbert .....           | 1,900           | 1,900             | 1,160          | 2,200,000         | 800             | 800               | 750            | 600,000           |
| El Paso .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Kiowa .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Kit Carson .....       | 18,000          | 17,500            | 655            | 11,500,000        | 6,700           | 1,100             | 1,090          | 1,200,000         |
| Lincoln .....          | 2,500           | 2,500             | 1,200          | 3,000,000         | 600             | 500               | 600            | 300,000           |
| Phillips .....         | 500             | 500               | 1,200          | 600,000           | 700             | 600               | 835            | 500,000           |
| Washington .....       | 8,500           | 8,200             | 1,340          | 11,000,000        | 5,200           | 2,900             | 795            | 2,300,000         |
| Yuma .....             | 1,100           | 900               | 1,445          | 1,300,000         | 800             | 800               | 2,250          | 1,800,000         |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>46,000</b>   | <b>45,000</b>     | <b>1,075</b>   | <b>48,400,000</b> | <b>21,000</b>   | <b>11,000</b>     | <b>1,025</b>   | <b>11,300,000</b> |
| Archuleta .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Delta .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Dolores .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Garfield .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Hinsdale .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| La Plata .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Mesa .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Montezuma .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Montrose .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Ouray .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Juan .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| San Miguel .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        |
| Alamosa .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Conejos .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Costilla .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Mineral .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Rio Grande .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Saguache .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        |
| Baca .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Bent .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Crowley .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Custer .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Fremont .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Huerfano .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Las Animas .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Otero .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Prowers .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| Pueblo .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...               |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>      | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>     | <b>...</b>        |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>65,000</b>   | <b>62,000</b>     | <b>1,150</b>   | <b>71,300,000</b> | <b>35,000</b>   | <b>20,000</b>     | <b>1,150</b>   | <b>23,000,000</b> |



## Dry Beans: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Million Cwt)



**Dry Beans: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001 <sup>1/</sup>**

| County and District      | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |              | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production   | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt            | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt          | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt            |
| Chaffee .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Clear Creek ..           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gilpin .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gunnison ...             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Jackson .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Lake .....               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Park .....               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Pitkin .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Rio Blanco ..            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Routt .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Summit .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Teller .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Boulder .....            | 500             | 500               | 24.00          | 12,000         | ...               | ...            | ...          | 500               | 24.00          | 12,000         |
| Jefferson .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...          | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Larimer .....            | 2,200           | 2,000             | 21.50          | 43,000         | ...               | ...            | ...          | 2,000             | 21.50          | 43,000         |
| Logan .....              | 1,100           | 1,000             | 28.00          | 28,000         | ...               | ...            | ...          | 1,000             | 28.00          | 28,000         |
| Morgan .....             | 2,600           | 2,500             | 24.80          | 62,000         | ...               | ...            | ...          | 2,500             | 24.80          | 62,000         |
| Sedgwick ...             | 5,700           | 4,700             | 19.60          | 92,000         | 300               | 4.70           | 1,400        | 5,000             | 18.70          | 93,400         |
| Weld .....               | 20,500          | 18,800            | 21.70          | 408,000        | 200               | 3.00           | 600          | 19,000            | 21.50          | 408,600        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>32,600</b>   | <b>29,500</b>     | <b>21.90</b>   | <b>645,000</b> | <b>500</b>        | <b>4.00</b>    | <b>2,000</b> | <b>30,000</b>     | <b>21.60</b>   | <b>647,000</b> |

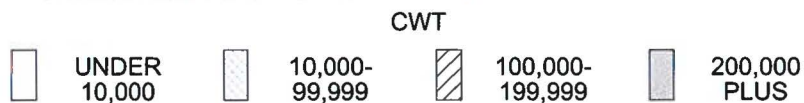
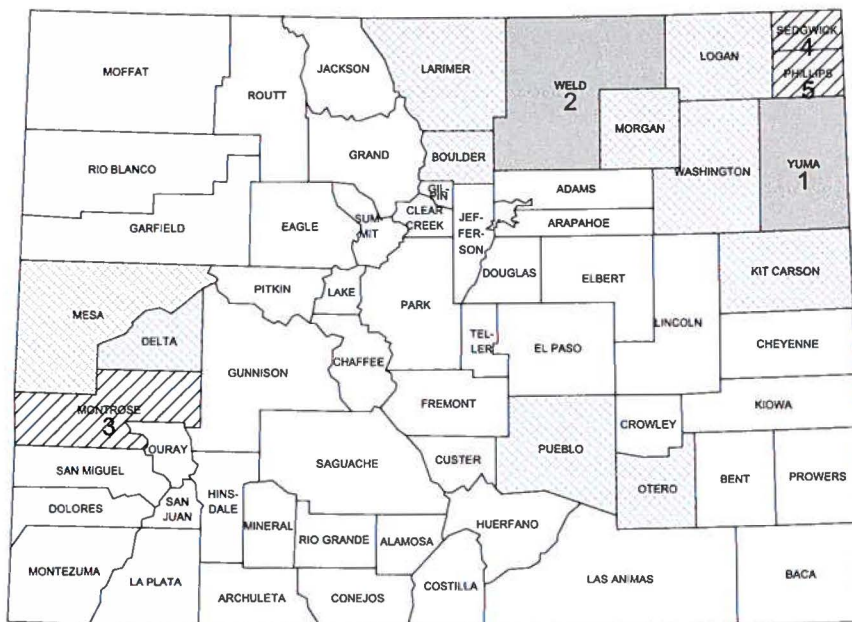
<sup>1/</sup> Yield and production on clean basis.

**Dry Beans: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001 1/, continued**

| County and District    | Acreage planted<br>Acres | Irrigated                  |                       |                   | Non-Irrigated              |                       |                   | Total                      |                       |                   |
|------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
|                        |                          | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Cwt | Production<br>Cwt | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Cwt | Production<br>Cwt | Acreage harvested<br>Acres | Yield per acre<br>Cwt | Production<br>Cwt |
| Adams .....            | 400                      | 400                        | 27.50                 | 11,000            | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 400                        | 27.50                 | 11,000            |
| Arapahoe ...           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Cheyenne ...           | 600                      | 500                        | 16.00                 | 8,000             | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 500                        | 16.00                 | 8,000             |
| Denver .....           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Douglas .....          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Elbert .....           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| El Paso .....          | 700                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 600                        | 3.80                  | 2,300             | 600                        | 3.80                  | 2,300             |
| Kiowa .....            | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Kit Carson ..          | 7,900                    | 7,500                      | 16.30                 | 122,000           | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 7,500                      | 16.30                 | 122,000           |
| Lincoln .....          | 300                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 200                        | 3.00                  | 600               | 200                        | 3.00                  | 600               |
| Phillips .....         | 5,800                    | 5,200                      | 26.20                 | 136,000           | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 5,200                      | 26.20                 | 136,000           |
| Washington .           | 1,800                    | 1,500                      | 24.70                 | 37,000            | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 1,500                      | 24.70                 | 37,000            |
| Yuma .....             | 16,200                   | 14,900                     | 25.40                 | 378,000           | 200                        | 3.50                  | 700               | 15,100                     | 25.10                 | 378,700           |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>33,700</b>            | <b>30,000</b>              | <b>23.10</b>          | <b>692,000</b>    | <b>1,000</b>               | <b>3.60</b>           | <b>3,600</b>      | <b>31,000</b>              | <b>22.40</b>          | <b>695,600</b>    |
| Archuleta ...          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Delta .....            | 2,200                    | 1,900                      | 21.10                 | 40,000            | 200                        | 2.00                  | 400               | 2,100                      | 19.20                 | 40,400            |
| Dolores .....          | 25,300                   | 1,200                      | 15.80                 | 19,000            | 20,800                     | 3.00                  | 63,000            | 22,000                     | 3.70                  | 82,000            |
| Garfield ....          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Hinsdale ....          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| La Plata ....          | 500                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 400                        | 2.00                  | 800               | 400                        | 2.00                  | 800               |
| Mesa .....             | 700                      | 700                        | 15.70                 | 11,000            | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 700                        | 15.70                 | 11,000            |
| Montezuma ..           | 5,600                    | 200                        | 15.00                 | 3,000             | 4,800                      | 4.80                  | 23,200            | 5,000                      | 5.20                  | 26,200            |
| Montrose ...           | 9,200                    | 9,000                      | 21.90                 | 197,000           | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 9,000                      | 21.90                 | 197,000           |
| Ouray .....            | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| San Juan .....         | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| San Miguel ..          | 900                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 800                        | 2.00                  | 1,600             | 800                        | 2.00                  | 1,600             |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>44,400</b>            | <b>13,000</b>              | <b>20.80</b>          | <b>270,000</b>    | <b>27,000</b>              | <b>3.30</b>           | <b>89,000</b>     | <b>40,000</b>              | <b>9.00</b>           | <b>359,000</b>    |
| Alamosa ....           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Conejos .....          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Costilla .....         | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Mineral .....          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Rio Grande ..          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Saguache ...           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>...</b>               | <b>...</b>                 | <b>...</b>            | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>                 | <b>...</b>            | <b>...</b>        | <b>...</b>                 | <b>...</b>            | <b>...</b>        |
| Baca .....             | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Bent .....             | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Crowley ....           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Custer .....           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Fremont ....           | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Huerfano .....         | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Las Animas ..          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Otero .....            | 700                      | 700                        | 22.90                 | 16,000            | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | 700                        | 22.90                 | 16,000            |
| Prowers .....          | ...                      | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               | ...                        | ...                   | ...               |
| Pueblo .....           | 3,600                    | 1,800                      | 34.40                 | 62,000            | 1,500                      | 3.60                  | 5,400             | 3,300                      | 20.40                 | 67,400            |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>4,300</b>             | <b>2,500</b>               | <b>31.20</b>          | <b>78,000</b>     | <b>1,500</b>               | <b>3.60</b>           | <b>5,400</b>      | <b>4,000</b>               | <b>20.90</b>          | <b>83,400</b>     |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>115,000</b>           | <b>75,000</b>              | <b>22.50</b>          | <b>1,685,000</b>  | <b>30,000</b>              | <b>3.30</b>           | <b>100,000</b>    | <b>105,000</b>             | <b>17.00</b>          | <b>1,785,000</b>  |

1/ Yield and production on clean basis.

## Dry Beans: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Dry Beans: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002 <sup>1/</sup>

| County and District      | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |            | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres           | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt            | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt        | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt            |
| Chaffee .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Clear Creek ..           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gilpin .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Gunnison ...             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Jackson .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Lake .....               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Park .....               | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Pitkin .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Rio Blanco ..            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Routt .....              | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Summit .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Teller .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Boulder .....            | 700             | 600               | 20.00          | 12,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 600               | 20.00          | 12,000         |
| Jefferson .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Larimer .....            | 1,800           | 1,600             | 20.00          | 32,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 1,600             | 20.00          | 32,000         |
| Logan .....              | 4,300           | 3,600             | 16.10          | 58,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 3,600             | 16.10          | 58,000         |
| Morgan .....             | 3,600           | 3,300             | 21.50          | 71,000         | ...               | ...            | ...        | 3,300             | 21.50          | 71,000         |
| Sedgwick ...             | 5,400           | 4,900             | 26.10          | 128,000        | ...               | ...            | ...        | 4,900             | 26.10          | 128,000        |
| Weld .....               | 20,700          | 19,500            | 19.20          | 374,000        | ...               | ...            | ...        | 19,500            | 19.20          | 374,000        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>36,500</b>   | <b>33,500</b>     | <b>20.10</b>   | <b>675,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>33,500</b>     | <b>20.10</b>   | <b>675,000</b> |

<sup>1/</sup> Yield and production on clean basis.

**Dry Beans: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002 <sup>1/</sup>, continued**

| County and District    | Acreage planted | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |            | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        |                 | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres           | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt              | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt        | Acres             | Cwt            | Cwt              |
| Adams .....            | 500             | 500               | 12.00          | 6,000            | ...               | ...            | ...        | 500               | 12.00          | 6,000            |
| Arapahoe ...           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Cheyenne ...           | 700             | 600               | 15.00          | 9,000            | ...               | ...            | ...        | 600               | 15.00          | 9,000            |
| Denver .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Elbert .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| El Paso .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kiowa .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Kit Carson ..          | 7,600           | 6,400             | 15.50          | 99,000           | ...               | ...            | ...        | 6,400             | 15.50          | 99,000           |
| Lincoln .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Phillips .....         | 3,500           | 3,500             | 31.40          | 110,000          | ...               | ...            | ...        | 3,500             | 31.40          | 110,000          |
| Washington .           | 500             | 500               | 26.00          | 13,000           | ...               | ...            | ...        | 500               | 26.00          | 13,000           |
| Yuma .....             | 13,200          | 13,000            | 29.50          | 383,000          | ...               | ...            | ...        | 13,000            | 29.50          | 383,000          |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>26,000</b>   | <b>24,500</b>     | <b>25.30</b>   | <b>620,000</b>   | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>24,500</b>     | <b>25.30</b>   | <b>620,000</b>   |
| Archuleta ...          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Delta .....            | 1,700           | 1,600             | 16.30          | 26,000           | ...               | ...            | ...        | 1,600             | 16.30          | 26,000           |
| Dolores .....          | 12,900          | 400               | 7.50           | 3,000            | ...               | ...            | ...        | 400               | 7.50           | 3,000            |
| Garfield .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Hinsdale .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata .....         | 500             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Mesa .....             | 600             | 600               | 20.00          | 12,000           | ...               | ...            | ...        | 600               | 20.00          | 12,000           |
| Montezuma ..           | 4,000           | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Montrose ...           | 6,500           | 6,400             | 20.20          | 129,000          | ...               | ...            | ...        | 6,400             | 20.20          | 129,000          |
| Ouray .....            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Juan .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>26,200</b>   | <b>9,000</b>      | <b>18.90</b>   | <b>170,000</b>   | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>9,000</b>      | <b>18.90</b>   | <b>170,000</b>   |
| Alamosa .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Conejos .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Costilla .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Mineral .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Saguache ...           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Baca .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Bent .....             | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Crowley .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Custer .....           | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Fremont .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Huerfano .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Las Animas ..          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Otero .....            | 1,100           | 900               | 12.20          | 11,000           | ...               | ...            | ...        | 900               | 12.20          | 11,000           |
| Prowers .....          | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...        | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pueblo .....           | 2,200           | 2,100             | 20.50          | 43,000           | ...               | ...            | ...        | 2,100             | 20.50          | 43,000           |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>3,300</b>    | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>18.00</b>   | <b>54,000</b>    | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>18.00</b>   | <b>54,000</b>    |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>92,000</b>   | <b>70,000</b>     | <b>21.70</b>   | <b>1,519,000</b> | ...               | ...            | ...        | <b>70,000</b>     | <b>21.70</b>   | <b>1,519,000</b> |

<sup>1/</sup> Yield and Production on clean basis.



**Dry Beans: Acreage, yield and production by class, Colorado, 1994-2002**

| Year                    | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre   | Production              |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------------|
|                         | Acres           | Acres             | Pounds <u>1/</u> | Hundredweight <u>1/</u> |
| <b>Light Red Kidney</b> |                 |                   |                  |                         |
| 1994 .....              | 8,700           | 8,500             | 1,810            | 154,000                 |
| 1995 .....              | 14,500          | 13,500            | 1,950            | 263,000                 |
| 1996 .....              | 8,700           | 8,200             | 1,390            | 114,000                 |
| 1997 .....              | 12,200          | 11,200            | 2,210            | 248,000                 |
| 1998 .....              | 10,000          | 9,400             | 1,810            | 170,000                 |
| 1999 .....              | 15,000          | 12,500            | 1,760            | 220,000                 |
| 2000 .....              | 12,000          | 11,000            | 1,750            | 193,000                 |
| 2001 .....              | 9,000           | 8,400             | 1,610            | 135,000                 |
| 2001 .....              | 10,000          | 8,000             | 2,030            | 162,000                 |
| <b>Pinto</b>            |                 |                   |                  |                         |
| 1994 .....              | 191,200         | 181,500           | 1,600            | 2,912,000               |
| 1995 .....              | 164,500         | 140,700           | 1,530            | 2,158,000               |
| 1996 .....              | 134,700         | 115,200           | 1,830            | 2,112,000               |
| 1997 .....              | 119,000         | 105,500           | 1,890            | 1,991,000               |
| 1998 .....              | 152,000         | 138,000           | 1,900            | 2,617,000               |
| 1999 .....              | 125,000         | 118,500           | 1,890            | 2,235,000               |
| 2000 .....              | 100,000         | 92,000            | 1,820            | 1,675,000               |
| 2001 .....              | 98,000          | 89,000            | 1,720            | 1,530,000               |
| 2002 .....              | 76,000          | 57,000            | 2,250            | 1,282,000               |
| <b>Other</b>            |                 |                   |                  |                         |
| 1994 .....              | 1,600           | 1,500             | 930              | 14,000                  |
| 1995 .....              | 5,200           | 5,000             | 800              | 40,000                  |
| 1996 .....              | 300             | 300               | 1,000            | 3,000                   |
| 1997 .....              | 1,300           | 1,200             | 2,080            | 25,000                  |
| 1998 .....              | 6,500           | 6,300             | 950              | 60,000                  |
| 1999 .....              | 15,000          | 14,000            | 2,140            | 300,000                 |
| 2000 .....              | 8,000           | 7,000             | 1,600            | 112,000                 |
| 2001 .....              | 8,000           | 7,600             | 1,580            | 120,000                 |
| 2002 .....              | 6,000           | 5,000             | 1,500            | 75,000                  |
| <b>Total</b>            |                 |                   |                  |                         |
| 1994 .....              | 205,000         | 195,000           | 1,610            | 3,140,000               |
| 1995 .....              | 190,000         | 165,000           | 1,550            | 2,558,000               |
| 1996 .....              | 145,000         | 125,000           | 1,800            | 2,250,000               |
| 1997 .....              | 135,000         | 120,000           | 1,900            | 2,280,000               |
| 1998 .....              | 170,000         | 155,000           | 1,850            | 2,868,000               |
| 1999 .....              | 155,000         | 145,000           | 1,900            | 2,755,000               |
| 2000 .....              | 120,000         | 110,000           | 1,800            | 1,980,000               |
| 2001 .....              | 115,000         | 105,000           | 1,700            | 1,785,000               |
| 2002 .....              | 92,000          | 70,000            | 2,170            | 1,519,000               |

1/ Clean basis.

## Sugarbeets: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



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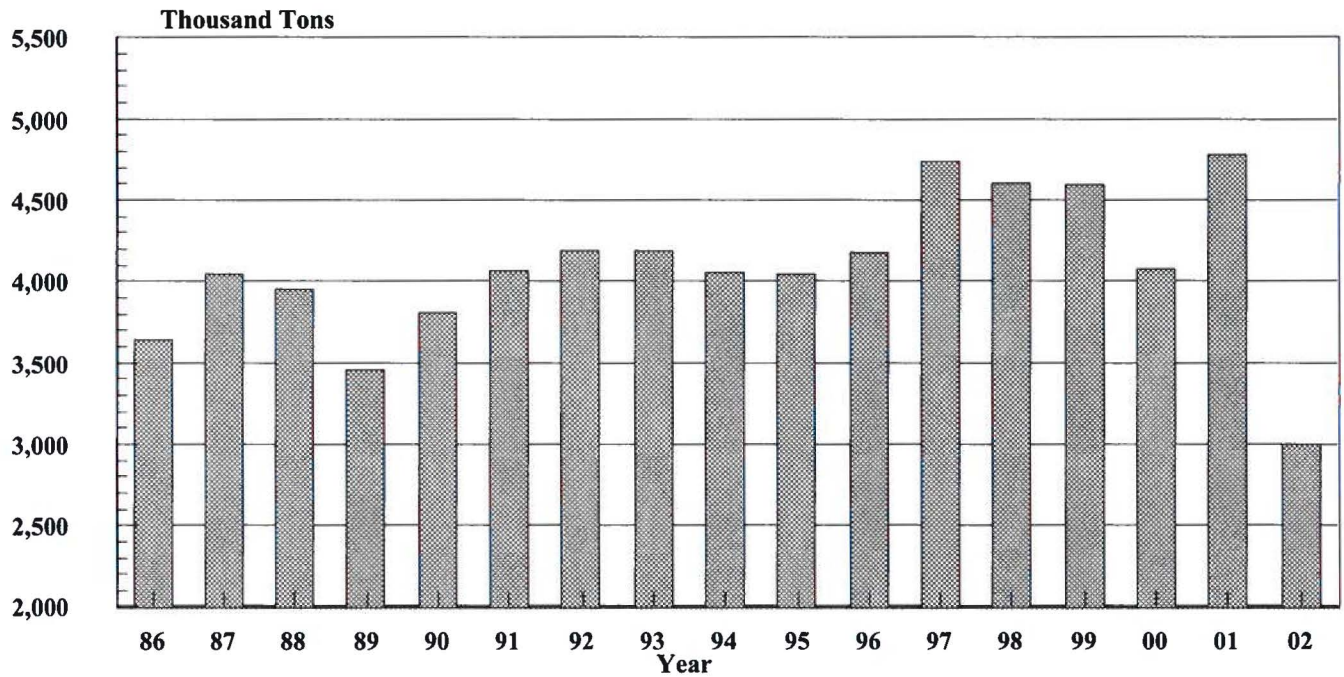


### Sugarbeets: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001-2002 <sup>1/</sup>

| County and District | 2001            |                   |                |                | 2002            |                   |                |                |
|---------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                     | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production     | Acreage Planted | Acreage Harvested | Yield Per Acre | Production     |
|                     | Acres           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           |
| Boulder .....       | 1,020           | 980               | 18.1           | 17,700         | 1,040           | 1,030             | 12.2           | 12,600         |
| Jefferson .....     | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Larimer .....       | 2,890           | 2,660             | 19.4           | 51,500         | 3,210           | 2,850             | 16.2           | 46,100         |
| Logan .....         | 5,550           | 5,120             | 23.0           | 117,700        | 5,920           | 5,020             | 19.0           | 95,500         |
| Morgan .....        | 2,110           | 1,860             | 23.4           | 43,600         | 2,940           | 2,680             | 19.5           | 52,300         |
| Sedgwick .....      | 1,630           | 1,510             | 23.6           | 35,700         | 1,370           | 1,170             | 20.8           | 24,300         |
| Weld .....          | 15,660          | 13,770            | 23.1           | 317,800        | 18,020          | 15,900            | 19.0           | 302,600        |
| <b>Northeast</b>    | <b>28,860</b>   | <b>25,900</b>     | <b>22.5</b>    | <b>584,000</b> | <b>32,500</b>   | <b>28,650</b>     | <b>18.6</b>    | <b>533,400</b> |
| Adams .....         | 1,100           | 780               | 20.0           | 15,600         | 760             | 720               | 16.1           | 11,600         |
| Arapahoe .....      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Cheyenne .....      | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Denver .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Douglas .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Elbert .....        | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| El Paso .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Kiowa .....         | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Kit Carson .....    | 370             | 240               | 28.8           | 6,900          | 130             | 130               | 31.5           | 4,100          |
| Lincoln .....       | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...             | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Phillips .....      | 4,090           | 3,720             | 21.9           | 81,600         | 3,510           | 3,360             | 22.5           | 75,500         |
| Washington .....    | 2,240           | 1,910             | 21.5           | 41,100         | 2,030           | 1,980             | 22.6           | 44,700         |
| Yuma .....          | 4,840           | 4,250             | 22.3           | 94,800         | 4,970           | 4,660             | 26.8           | 124,700        |
| <b>East Central</b> | <b>12,640</b>   | <b>10,900</b>     | <b>22.0</b>    | <b>240,000</b> | <b>11,400</b>   | <b>10,850</b>     | <b>24.0</b>    | <b>260,600</b> |
| <b>State Total</b>  | <b>41,500</b>   | <b>36,800</b>     | <b>22.4</b>    | <b>824,000</b> | <b>43,900</b>   | <b>39,500</b>     | <b>20.1</b>    | <b>794,000</b> |

<sup>1/</sup> Data shown only for producing districts.

## All Hay: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Thousand Tons)



### All Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001

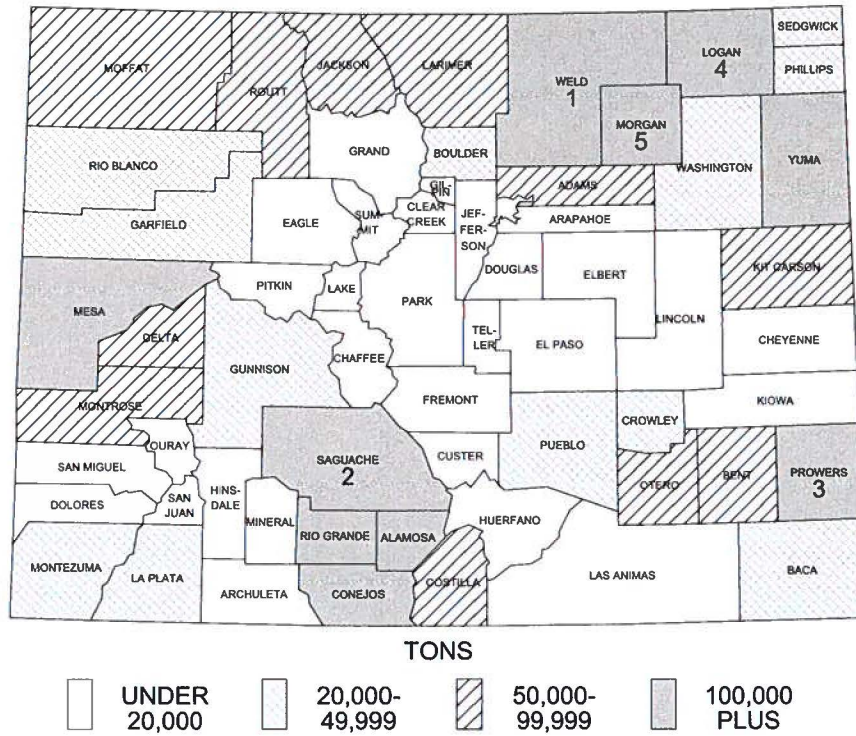
| County and District      | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                  |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                          | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             | Acres             | Tons           | Tons          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | 18,000            | 2.50           | 45,200           | 1,000             | 1.10           | 1,100         | 19,000            | 2.45           | 46,300           |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Eagle . . . . .          | 15,000            | 2.30           | 34,500           | 1,500             | 1.00           | 1,500         | 16,500            | 2.20           | 36,000           |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Grand . . . . .          | 16,000            | 1.45           | 23,500           | 1,000             | 1.20           | 1,200         | 17,000            | 1.45           | 24,700           |
| Gunnison . . .           | 26,500            | 1.55           | 41,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 26,500            | 1.55           | 41,000           |
| Jackson . . . .          | 59,000            | 1.40           | 81,500           | 1,000             | 1.10           | 1,100         | 60,000            | 1.40           | 82,600           |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 25,700            | 2.00           | 51,500           | 21,800            | 1.00           | 21,400        | 47,500            | 1.55           | 72,900           |
| Park . . . . .           | 7,500             | 0.95           | 7,000            | 3,500             | 0.25           | 900           | 11,000            | 0.70           | 7,900            |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | 8,800             | 1.75           | 15,600           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 8,800             | 1.75           | 15,600           |
| Rio Blanco . .           | 19,500            | 2.45           | 47,500           | 3,000             | 1.05           | 3,200         | 22,500            | 2.25           | 50,700           |
| Routt . . . . .          | 31,000            | 1.75           | 54,800           | 17,500            | 0.75           | 13,300        | 48,500            | 1.40           | 68,100           |
| Summit . . . . .         | 5,000             | 1.20           | 6,000            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 5,000             | 1.20           | 6,000            |
| Teller . . . . .         | 1,000             | 1.90           | 1,900            | 700               | 0.45           | 300           | 1,700             | 1.30           | 2,200            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>233,000</b>    | <b>1.75</b>    | <b>410,000</b>   | <b>51,000</b>     | <b>0.85</b>    | <b>44,000</b> | <b>284,000</b>    | <b>1.60</b>    | <b>454,000</b>   |
| Boulder . . . . .        | 16,900            | 3.05           | 51,500           | 2,100             | 1.20           | 2,500         | 19,000            | 2.85           | 54,000           |
| Jefferson . . . .        | 4,400             | 2.15           | 9,500            | 3,600             | 0.40           | 1,500         | 8,000             | 1.40           | 11,000           |
| Larimer . . . . .        | 33,500            | 2.40           | 81,000           | 4,500             | 1.50           | 6,700         | 38,000            | 2.30           | 87,700           |
| Logan . . . . .          | 35,600            | 4.80           | 171,000          | 11,900            | 1.75           | 20,700        | 47,500            | 4.05           | 191,700          |
| Morgan . . . . .         | 34,200            | 5.55           | 189,500          | 7,300             | 1.80           | 13,100        | 41,500            | 4.90           | 202,600          |
| Sedgwick . . .           | 7,500             | 4.20           | 31,500           | 3,000             | 1.45           | 4,300         | 10,500            | 3.40           | 35,800           |
| Weld . . . . .           | 121,900           | 4.70           | 572,000          | 9,600             | 1.40           | 13,200        | 131,500           | 4.45           | 585,200          |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>254,000</b>    | <b>4.35</b>    | <b>1,106,000</b> | <b>42,000</b>     | <b>1.50</b>    | <b>62,000</b> | <b>296,000</b>    | <b>3.95</b>    | <b>1,168,000</b> |

**All Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             |
| Adams .....            | 9,000             | 4.00           | 35,800           | 11,500            | 1.25           | 14,400         | 20,500            | 2.45           | 50,200           |
| Arapahoe ...           | 2,000             | 3.85           | 7,700            | 2,600             | 1.05           | 2,700          | 4,600             | 2.25           | 10,400           |
| Cheyenne ...           | 1,400             | 3.70           | 5,200            | 7,700             | 1.40           | 10,800         | 9,100             | 1.75           | 16,000           |
| Denver .....           | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas ....           | 4,700             | 2.30           | 10,800           | 9,800             | 0.90           | 8,900          | 14,500            | 1.35           | 19,700           |
| Elbert .....           | 3,600             | 3.25           | 11,700           | 27,400            | 1.20           | 33,000         | 31,000            | 1.45           | 44,700           |
| El Paso .....          | 7,000             | 3.05           | 21,200           | 17,500            | 1.15           | 20,200         | 24,500            | 1.70           | 41,400           |
| Kiowa .....            | 2,900             | 3.85           | 11,100           | 4,400             | 1.00           | 4,300          | 7,300             | 2.10           | 15,400           |
| Kit Carson ..          | 12,200            | 4.45           | 54,500           | 7,800             | 1.60           | 12,400         | 20,000            | 3.35           | 66,900           |
| Lincoln .....          | 1,600             | 3.45           | 5,500            | 19,400            | 1.70           | 33,100         | 21,000            | 1.85           | 38,600           |
| Phillips .....         | 4,300             | 5.35           | 23,000           | 2,200             | 2.20           | 4,800          | 6,500             | 4.30           | 27,800           |
| Washington .           | 11,800            | 4.60           | 54,000           | 20,200            | 1.80           | 35,900         | 32,000            | 2.80           | 89,900           |
| Yuma .....             | 24,500            | 5.45           | 133,500          | 7,500             | 1.65           | 12,500         | 32,000            | 4.55           | 146,000          |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>85,000</b>     | <b>4.40</b>    | <b>374,000</b>   | <b>138,000</b>    | <b>1.40</b>    | <b>193,000</b> | <b>223,000</b>    | <b>2.55</b>    | <b>567,000</b>   |
| Archuleta ...          | 4,300             | 2.40           | 10,300           | 1,700             | 1.00           | 1,700          | 6,000             | 2.00           | 12,000           |
| Delta .....            | 34,300            | 2.95           | 101,500          | 700               | 1.30           | 900            | 35,000            | 2.95           | 102,400          |
| Dolores .....          | 10,700            | 3.75           | 40,200           | 4,800             | 0.70           | 3,400          | 15,500            | 2.80           | 43,600           |
| Garfield ....          | 33,300            | 2.05           | 67,500           | 700               | 1.00           | 700            | 34,000            | 2.00           | 68,200           |
| Hinsdale ....          | 1,000             | 2.50           | 2,500            | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,000             | 2.50           | 2,500            |
| La Plata ....          | 37,300            | 2.95           | 110,500          | 2,200             | 1.05           | 2,300          | 39,500            | 2.85           | 112,800          |
| Mesa .....             | 48,600            | 3.60           | 175,500          | 1,400             | 2.05           | 2,900          | 50,000            | 3.55           | 178,400          |
| Montezuma ..           | 36,700            | 4.05           | 149,500          | 7,300             | 0.55           | 3,900          | 44,000            | 3.50           | 153,400          |
| Montrose ...           | 32,400            | 3.25           | 105,000          | 1,600             | 1.00           | 1,600          | 34,000            | 3.15           | 106,600          |
| Ouray .....            | 9,700             | 2.00           | 19,500           | 300               | 1.00           | 300            | 10,000            | 2.00           | 19,800           |
| San Juan ....          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | 10,700            | 1.70           | 18,000           | 300               | 1.00           | 300            | 11,000            | 1.65           | 18,300           |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>259,000</b>    | <b>3.10</b>    | <b>800,000</b>   | <b>21,000</b>     | <b>0.85</b>    | <b>18,000</b>  | <b>280,000</b>    | <b>2.90</b>    | <b>818,000</b>   |
| Alamosa ....           | 44,500            | 3.45           | 152,500          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 44,500            | 3.45           | 152,500          |
| Conejos .....          | 62,500            | 3.05           | 190,500          | 1,000             | 0.70           | 700            | 63,500            | 3.00           | 191,200          |
| Costilla .....         | 27,800            | 3.90           | 108,500          | 200               | 1.00           | 200            | 28,000            | 3.90           | 108,700          |
| Mineral .....          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | 49,000            | 3.50           | 172,000          | 1,000             | 1.40           | 1,400          | 50,000            | 3.45           | 173,400          |
| Saguache ...           | 76,200            | 3.15           | 241,500          | 800               | 0.90           | 700            | 77,000            | 3.15           | 242,200          |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>260,000</b>    | <b>3.35</b>    | <b>865,000</b>   | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>1.00</b>    | <b>3,000</b>   | <b>263,000</b>    | <b>3.30</b>    | <b>868,000</b>   |
| Baca .....             | 12,300            | 5.25           | 64,500           | 10,700            | 1.70           | 18,100         | 23,000            | 3.60           | 82,600           |
| Bent .....             | 34,600            | 4.10           | 141,600          | 1,400             | 1.45           | 2,000          | 36,000            | 4.00           | 143,600          |
| Crowley ....           | 10,400            | 4.20           | 43,900           | 600               | 1.85           | 1,100          | 11,000            | 4.10           | 45,000           |
| Custer .....           | 14,500            | 2.45           | 35,500           | 2,500             | 1.50           | 3,800          | 17,000            | 2.30           | 39,300           |
| Fremont .....          | 9,200             | 2.20           | 20,400           | 800               | 1.00           | 800            | 10,000            | 2.10           | 21,200           |
| Huerfano ....          | 9,300             | 1.60           | 15,100           | 700               | 1.00           | 700            | 10,000            | 1.60           | 15,800           |
| Las Animas ..          | 18,000            | 2.30           | 41,400           | 6,000             | 0.80           | 4,800          | 24,000            | 1.95           | 46,200           |
| Otero .....            | 25,400            | 4.65           | 117,600          | 600               | 1.85           | 1,100          | 26,000            | 4.55           | 118,700          |
| Prowers .....          | 65,300            | 4.35           | 283,500          | 3,700             | 2.45           | 9,100          | 69,000            | 4.25           | 292,600          |
| Pueblo .....           | 25,000            | 3.85           | 96,500           | 3,000             | 1.15           | 3,500          | 28,000            | 3.55           | 100,000          |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>224,000</b>    | <b>3.85</b>    | <b>860,000</b>   | <b>30,000</b>     | <b>1.50</b>    | <b>45,000</b>  | <b>254,000</b>    | <b>3.55</b>    | <b>905,000</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>1,315,000</b>  | <b>3.35</b>    | <b>4,415,000</b> | <b>285,000</b>    | <b>1.30</b>    | <b>365,000</b> | <b>1,600,000</b>  | <b>2.99</b>    | <b>4,780,000</b> |



## All Hay: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



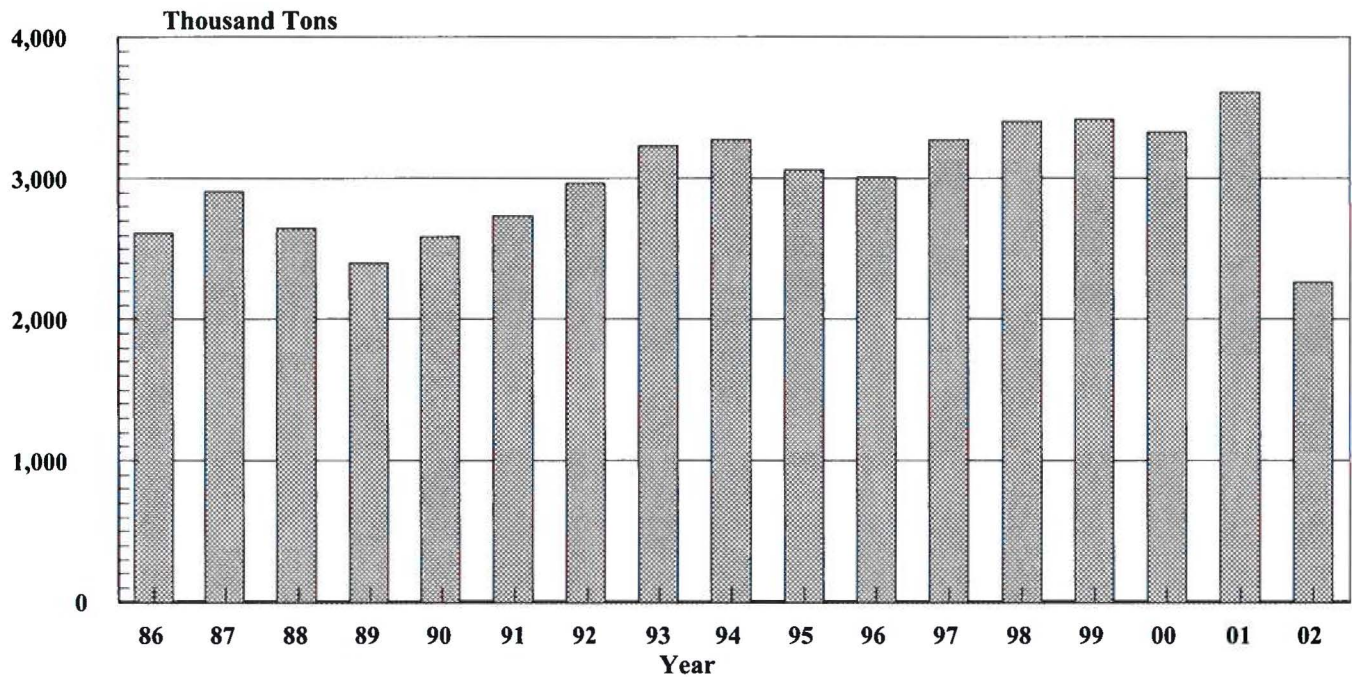
### All Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

| County and District      | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | 11,300            | 1.05           | 11,900         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 11,300            | 1.05           | 11,900         |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle . . . . .          | 12,200            | 0.95           | 11,500         | 500               | 0.60           | 300           | 12,700            | 0.95           | 11,800         |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand . . . . .          | 16,000            | 0.80           | 13,000         | 1,000             | 1.00           | 1,000         | 17,000            | 0.80           | 14,000         |
| Gunnison . . . .         | 22,500            | 1.00           | 22,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 22,500            | 1.00           | 22,000         |
| Jackson . . . . .        | 59,000            | 0.95           | 57,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 59,000            | 0.95           | 57,000         |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 28,300            | 1.55           | 44,500         | 9,700             | 0.65           | 6,200         | 38,000            | 1.35           | 50,700         |
| Park . . . . .           | 3,000             | 0.55           | 1,700          | 6,000             | 0.45           | 2,600         | 9,000             | 0.50           | 4,300          |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | 7,700             | 1.50           | 11,600         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 7,700             | 1.50           | 11,600         |
| Rio Blanco . . .         | 26,500            | 1.65           | 43,600         | 1,000             | 0.70           | 700           | 27,500            | 1.60           | 44,300         |
| Routt . . . . .          | 34,700            | 1.50           | 51,900         | 10,800            | 0.55           | 6,200         | 45,500            | 1.30           | 58,100         |
| Summit . . . . .         | 3,800             | 0.70           | 2,600          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 3,800             | 0.70           | 2,600          |
| Teller . . . . .         | 1,000             | 0.70           | 700            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,000             | 0.70           | 700            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>226,000</b>    | <b>1.20</b>    | <b>272,000</b> | <b>29,000</b>     | <b>0.60</b>    | <b>17,000</b> | <b>255,000</b>    | <b>1.15</b>    | <b>289,000</b> |
| Boulder . . . . .        | 14,600            | 2.25           | 33,000         | 1,900             | 0.95           | 1,800         | 16,500            | 2.10           | 34,800         |
| Jefferson . . . .        | 5,200             | 1.85           | 9,500          | 1,800             | 1.15           | 2,100         | 7,000             | 1.65           | 11,600         |
| Larimer . . . . .        | 28,500            | 2.40           | 69,000         | 4,500             | 0.90           | 4,000         | 33,000            | 2.20           | 73,000         |
| Logan . . . . .          | 42,000            | 4.15           | 175,000        | 11,000            | 0.95           | 10,400        | 53,000            | 3.50           | 185,400        |
| Morgan . . . . .         | 33,500            | 4.35           | 145,000        | 5,000             | 1.00           | 4,900         | 38,500            | 3.90           | 149,900        |
| Sedgwick . . . .         | 6,000             | 3.40           | 20,500         | 4,000             | 1.70           | 6,700         | 10,000            | 2.70           | 27,200         |
| Weld . . . . .           | 91,200            | 3.85           | 350,000        | 10,800            | 1.05           | 11,100        | 102,000           | 3.55           | 361,100        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>221,000</b>    | <b>3.65</b>    | <b>802,000</b> | <b>39,000</b>     | <b>1.05</b>    | <b>41,000</b> | <b>260,000</b>    | <b>3.25</b>    | <b>843,000</b> |

**All Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             |
| Adams .....            | 13,500            | 3.05           | 41,300           | 8,500             | 1.15           | 9,700          | 22,000            | 2.30           | 51,000           |
| Arapahoe ...           | 2,200             | 2.50           | 5,500            | 1,300             | 0.60           | 800            | 3,500             | 1.80           | 6,300            |
| Cheyenne ...           | 2,000             | 2.10           | 4,200            | 2,500             | 0.75           | 1,900          | 4,500             | 1.35           | 6,100            |
| Denver .....           | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas ....           | 2,300             | 1.15           | 2,700            | 8,700             | 1.10           | 9,500          | 11,000            | 1.10           | 12,200           |
| Elbert .....           | 4,100             | 1.20           | 4,900            | 14,900            | 0.40           | 5,800          | 19,000            | 0.55           | 10,700           |
| El Paso .....          | 5,600             | 1.75           | 9,700            | 4,400             | 0.40           | 1,700          | 10,000            | 1.15           | 11,400           |
| Kiowa .....            | 2,000             | 2.10           | 4,200            | 2,500             | 0.40           | 1,000          | 4,500             | 1.15           | 5,200            |
| Kit Carson ..          | 12,400            | 4.50           | 56,100           | 4,100             | 1.00           | 4,100          | 16,500            | 3.65           | 60,200           |
| Lincoln .....          | 800               | 2.65           | 2,100            | 16,200            | 0.60           | 9,900          | 17,000            | 0.70           | 12,000           |
| Phillips .....         | 3,400             | 5.10           | 17,300           | 2,600             | 1.15           | 3,000          | 6,000             | 3.40           | 20,300           |
| Washington .           | 7,700             | 3.90           | 30,000           | 17,800            | 0.85           | 14,900         | 25,500            | 1.75           | 44,900           |
| Yuma .....             | 23,000            | 4.70           | 108,000          | 2,500             | 1.10           | 2,700          | 25,500            | 4.35           | 110,700          |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>79,000</b>     | <b>3.60</b>    | <b>286,000</b>   | <b>86,000</b>     | <b>0.75</b>    | <b>65,000</b>  | <b>165,000</b>    | <b>2.15</b>    | <b>351,000</b>   |
| Archuleta ...          | 2,200             | 1.55           | 3,400            | 800               | 0.75           | 600            | 3,000             | 1.35           | 4,000            |
| Delta .....            | 23,900            | 2.25           | 54,000           | 1,100             | 1.20           | 1,300          | 25,000            | 2.20           | 55,300           |
| Dolores .....          | 6,300             | 1.15           | 7,200            | 8,700             | 0.60           | 5,200          | 15,000            | 0.85           | 12,400           |
| Garfield ....          | 29,500            | 1.55           | 45,800           | 500               | 0.60           | 300            | 30,000            | 1.55           | 46,100           |
| Hinsdale ....          | 1,000             | 1.00           | 1,000            | ...               | ...            | ...            | 1,000             | 1.00           | 1,000            |
| La Plata ....          | 31,200            | 1.40           | 43,700           | 2,300             | 0.55           | 1,300          | 33,500            | 1.35           | 45,000           |
| Mesa .....             | 38,400            | 2.65           | 102,000          | 600               | 1.15           | 700            | 39,000            | 2.65           | 102,700          |
| Montezuma ..           | 28,800            | 1.25           | 36,200           | 9,700             | 0.40           | 4,000          | 38,500            | 1.05           | 40,200           |
| Montrose ...           | 32,200            | 2.90           | 93,000           | 1,300             | 1.25           | 1,600          | 33,500            | 2.80           | 94,600           |
| Ouray .....            | 11,500            | 1.50           | 17,500           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 11,500            | 1.50           | 17,500           |
| San Juan ....          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | 5,000             | 1.25           | 6,200            | ...               | ...            | ...            | 5,000             | 1.25           | 6,200            |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>210,000</b>    | <b>1.95</b>    | <b>410,000</b>   | <b>25,000</b>     | <b>0.60</b>    | <b>15,000</b>  | <b>235,000</b>    | <b>1.80</b>    | <b>425,000</b>   |
| Alamosa ....           | 35,000            | 3.35           | 117,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 35,000            | 3.35           | 117,000          |
| Conejos .....          | 44,000            | 2.50           | 109,000          | 2,500             | 0.60           | 1,500          | 46,500            | 2.40           | 110,500          |
| Costilla .....         | 20,000            | 3.45           | 69,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 20,000            | 3.45           | 69,000           |
| Mineral .....          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | 40,000            | 2.95           | 118,000          | 3,000             | 1.05           | 3,100          | 43,000            | 2.80           | 121,100          |
| Saguache ...           | 64,000            | 3.20           | 204,000          | 1,500             | 0.60           | 900            | 65,500            | 3.15           | 204,900          |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>203,000</b>    | <b>3.05</b>    | <b>617,000</b>   | <b>7,000</b>      | <b>0.80</b>    | <b>5,500</b>   | <b>210,000</b>    | <b>2.95</b>    | <b>622,500</b>   |
| Baca .....             | 10,500            | 3.10           | 32,500           | 7,500             | 0.95           | 7,100          | 18,000            | 2.20           | 39,600           |
| Bent .....             | 34,400            | 1.90           | 65,500           | 600               | 0.65           | 400            | 35,000            | 1.90           | 65,900           |
| Crowley ....           | 10,500            | 2.00           | 20,800           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 10,500            | 2.00           | 20,800           |
| Custer .....           | 6,500             | 0.95           | 6,200            | 2,000             | 0.70           | 1,400          | 8,500             | 0.90           | 7,600            |
| Fremont .....          | 6,500             | 1.40           | 9,200            | 500               | 1.00           | 500            | 7,000             | 1.40           | 9,700            |
| Huerfano ....          | 3,500             | 1.15           | 4,100            | ...               | ...            | ...            | 3,500             | 1.15           | 4,100            |
| Las Animas ..          | 4,000             | 2.00           | 8,000            | 4,000             | 0.65           | 2,500          | 8,000             | 1.30           | 10,500           |
| Otero .....            | 27,500            | 2.65           | 72,700           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 27,500            | 2.65           | 72,700           |
| Prowers .....          | 74,100            | 2.55           | 187,300          | 7,900             | 0.60           | 4,600          | 82,000            | 2.35           | 191,900          |
| Pueblo .....           | 23,500            | 2.05           | 48,700           | 1,500             | 0.65           | 1,000          | 25,000            | 2.00           | 49,700           |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>201,000</b>    | <b>2.25</b>    | <b>455,000</b>   | <b>24,000</b>     | <b>0.75</b>    | <b>17,500</b>  | <b>225,000</b>    | <b>2.10</b>    | <b>472,500</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>1,140,000</b>  | <b>2.50</b>    | <b>2,842,000</b> | <b>210,000</b>    | <b>0.75</b>    | <b>161,000</b> | <b>1,350,000</b>  | <b>2.22</b>    | <b>3,003,000</b> |

## Alfalfa Hay: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Thousand Tons)



**Alfalfa Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001**

| County and District      | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                  |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                          | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             | Acres             | Tons           | Tons          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | 8,000             | 3.15           | 25,200           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 8,000             | 3.15           | 25,200           |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Eagle . . . . .          | 8,000             | 3.05           | 24,500           | 500               | 0.80           | 400           | 8,500             | 2.95           | 24,900           |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Grand . . . . .          | 1,000             | 1.50           | 1,500            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,000             | 1.50           | 1,500            |
| Gunnison . . .           | 2,500             | 1.60           | 4,000            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 2,500             | 1.60           | 4,000            |
| Jackson . . . .          | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 10,500            | 2.10           | 22,000           | 15,000            | 0.75           | 11,400        | 25,500            | 1.30           | 33,400           |
| Park . . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | 7,500             | 1.75           | 13,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 7,500             | 1.75           | 13,000           |
| Rio Blanco . .           | 4,500             | 2.65           | 12,000           | 2,000             | 0.95           | 1,900         | 6,500             | 2.15           | 13,900           |
| Routt . . . . .          | 1,000             | 2.80           | 2,800            | 11,500            | 0.80           | 9,300         | 12,500            | 0.95           | 12,100           |
| Summit . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>43,000</b>     | <b>2.45</b>    | <b>105,000</b>   | <b>29,000</b>     | <b>0.80</b>    | <b>23,000</b> | <b>72,000</b>     | <b>1.80</b>    | <b>128,000</b>   |
| Boulder . . . .          | 10,500            | 3.45           | 36,000           | 500               | 2.20           | 1,100         | 11,000            | 3.35           | 37,100           |
| Jefferson . . .          | 2,000             | 2.50           | 5,000            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 2,000             | 2.50           | 5,000            |
| Larimer . . . .          | 21,000            | 2.80           | 59,000           | 2,000             | 1.90           | 3,800         | 23,000            | 2.75           | 62,800           |
| Logan . . . . .          | 32,100            | 5.05           | 162,000          | 2,400             | 1.35           | 3,200         | 34,500            | 4.80           | 165,200          |
| Morgan . . . .           | 30,500            | 5.90           | 180,000          | 2,000             | 2.50           | 5,000         | 32,500            | 5.70           | 185,000          |
| Sedgwick . . .           | 6,000             | 4.65           | 28,000           | 500               | 2.00           | 1,000         | 6,500             | 4.45           | 29,000           |
| Weld . . . . .           | 109,900           | 4.90           | 540,000          | 3,600             | 1.65           | 5,900         | 113,500           | 4.80           | 545,900          |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>212,000</b>    | <b>4.75</b>    | <b>1,010,000</b> | <b>11,000</b>     | <b>1.80</b>    | <b>20,000</b> | <b>223,000</b>    | <b>4.60</b>    | <b>1,030,000</b> |

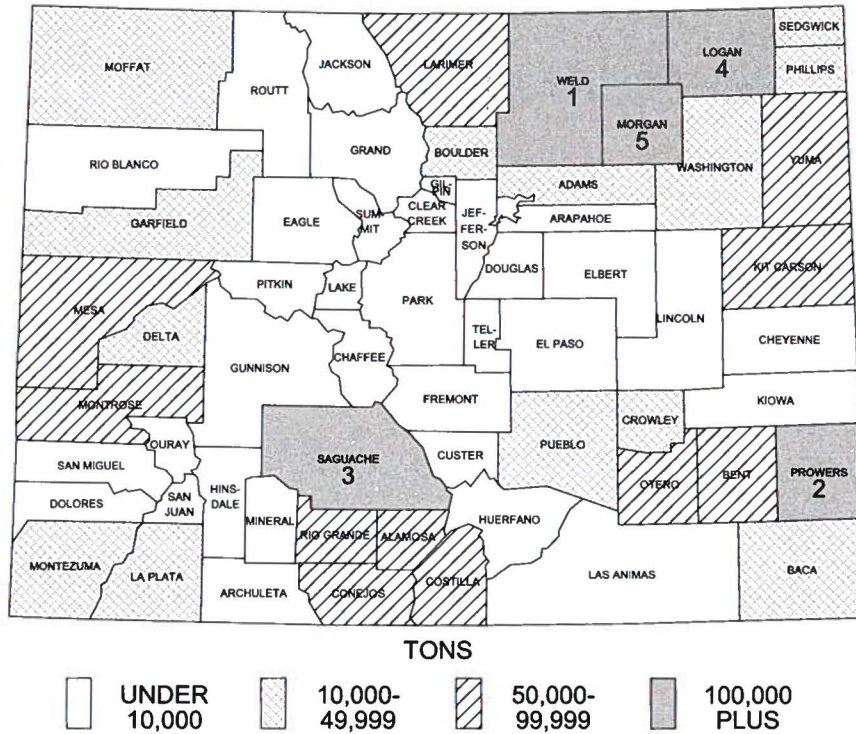


**Alfalfa Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |                | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             |
| Adams . . . . .        | 6,500             | 4.75           | 31,000           | 2,000             | 1.70           | 3,400          | 8,500             | 4.05           | 34,400           |
| Arapahoe . . .         | 1,200             | 5.00           | 6,000            | 400               | 1.00           | 400            | 1,600             | 4.00           | 6,400            |
| Cheyenne . . .         | 600               | 5.00           | 3,000            | 1,500             | 1.25           | 1,900          | 2,100             | 2.35           | 4,900            |
| Denver . . . . .       | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas . . . .        | 700               | 2.55           | 1,800            | 1,800             | 1.35           | 2,400          | 2,500             | 1.70           | 4,200            |
| Elbert . . . . .       | 2,000             | 4.00           | 8,000            | 16,000            | 1.05           | 17,000         | 18,000            | 1.40           | 25,000           |
| El Paso . . . . .      | 4,500             | 3.55           | 16,000           | 11,000            | 1.00           | 11,000         | 15,500            | 1.75           | 27,000           |
| Kiowa . . . . .        | 2,300             | 4.35           | 10,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 2,300             | 4.35           | 10,000           |
| Kit Carson . . .       | 8,600             | 5.00           | 43,000           | 1,400             | 1.00           | 1,400          | 10,000            | 4.45           | 44,400           |
| Lincoln . . . . .      | 800               | 4.00           | 3,200            | 2,200             | 1.20           | 2,600          | 3,000             | 1.95           | 5,800            |
| Phillips . . . .       | 3,500             | 6.00           | 21,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 3,500             | 6.00           | 21,000           |
| Washington . .         | 8,800             | 5.00           | 44,000           | 2,200             | 1.55           | 3,400          | 11,000            | 4.30           | 47,400           |
| Yuma . . . . .         | 20,500            | 6.00           | 123,000          | 1,500             | 1.00           | 1,500          | 22,000            | 5.65           | 124,500          |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>60,000</b>     | <b>5.15</b>    | <b>310,000</b>   | <b>40,000</b>     | <b>1.15</b>    | <b>45,000</b>  | <b>100,000</b>    | <b>3.55</b>    | <b>355,000</b>   |
| Archuleta . . .        | 3,100             | 2.60           | 8,000            | 900               | 1.20           | 1,100          | 4,000             | 2.30           | 9,100            |
| Delta . . . . .        | 27,600            | 3.10           | 86,000           | 400               | 0.75           | 300            | 28,000            | 3.10           | 86,300           |
| Dolores . . . . .      | 8,200             | 4.15           | 34,000           | 3,300             | 0.60           | 1,900          | 11,500            | 3.10           | 35,900           |
| Garfield . . . .       | 23,600            | 2.10           | 50,000           | 400               | 0.50           | 200            | 24,000            | 2.10           | 50,200           |
| Hinsdale . . . .       | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata . . . .       | 22,300            | 3.00           | 67,000           | 1,200             | 1.10           | 1,300          | 23,500            | 2.90           | 68,300           |
| Mesa . . . . .         | 37,600            | 3.80           | 143,000          | 400               | 1.50           | 600            | 38,000            | 3.80           | 143,600          |
| Montezuma . . .        | 30,000            | 4.35           | 130,000          | 7,000             | 0.50           | 3,400          | 37,000            | 3.60           | 133,400          |
| Montrose . . . .       | 21,600            | 3.65           | 79,000           | 400               | 0.50           | 200            | 22,000            | 3.60           | 79,200           |
| Ouray . . . . .        | 2,000             | 3.00           | 6,000            | ...               | ...            | ...            | 2,000             | 3.00           | 6,000            |
| San Juan . . . .       | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel . . .       | 10,000            | 1.70           | 17,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 10,000            | 1.70           | 17,000           |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>186,000</b>    | <b>3.35</b>    | <b>620,000</b>   | <b>14,000</b>     | <b>0.65</b>    | <b>9,000</b>   | <b>200,000</b>    | <b>3.15</b>    | <b>629,000</b>   |
| Alamosa . . . .        | 30,500            | 4.10           | 125,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 30,500            | 4.10           | 125,000          |
| Conejos . . . . .      | 42,500            | 3.40           | 145,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 42,500            | 3.40           | 145,000          |
| Costilla . . . . .     | 23,000            | 4.30           | 99,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 23,000            | 4.30           | 99,000           |
| Mineral . . . . .      | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande . .         | 31,000            | 4.35           | 135,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 31,000            | 4.35           | 135,000          |
| Saguache . . . .       | 40,000            | 4.65           | 186,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 40,000            | 4.65           | 186,000          |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>167,000</b>    | <b>4.15</b>    | <b>690,000</b>   | ...               | ...            | ...            | <b>167,000</b>    | <b>4.15</b>    | <b>690,000</b>   |
| Baca . . . . .         | 9,700             | 6.00           | 58,000           | 300               | 2.00           | 600            | 10,000            | 5.85           | 58,600           |
| Bent . . . . .         | 31,000            | 4.25           | 132,000          | ...               | ...            | ...            | 31,000            | 4.25           | 132,000          |
| Crowley . . . . .      | 10,000            | 4.30           | 43,000           | ...               | ...            | ...            | 10,000            | 4.30           | 43,000           |
| Custer . . . . .       | 2,500             | 2.40           | 6,000            | 1,500             | 1.35           | 2,000          | 4,000             | 2.00           | 8,000            |
| Fremont . . . . .      | 6,600             | 2.40           | 16,000           | 400               | 0.75           | 300            | 7,000             | 2.35           | 16,300           |
| Huerfano . . . .       | 4,600             | 2.15           | 10,000           | 400               | 1.00           | 400            | 5,000             | 2.10           | 10,400           |
| Las Animas . . .       | 12,700            | 2.90           | 37,000           | 1,300             | 1.00           | 1,300          | 14,000            | 2.75           | 38,300           |
| Otero . . . . .        | 22,600            | 4.80           | 109,000          | 400               | 1.50           | 600            | 23,000            | 4.75           | 109,600          |
| Prowers . . . . .      | 60,500            | 4.45           | 270,000          | 500               | 1.60           | 800            | 61,000            | 4.45           | 270,800          |
| Pueblo . . . . .       | 21,800            | 4.10           | 89,000           | 1,200             | 1.65           | 2,000          | 23,000            | 3.95           | 91,000           |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>182,000</b>    | <b>4.25</b>    | <b>770,000</b>   | <b>6,000</b>      | <b>1.35</b>    | <b>8,000</b>   | <b>188,000</b>    | <b>4.15</b>    | <b>778,000</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>850,000</b>    | <b>4.10</b>    | <b>3,505,000</b> | <b>100,000</b>    | <b>1.05</b>    | <b>105,000</b> | <b>950,000</b>    | <b>3.80</b>    | <b>3,610,000</b> |



## Alfalfa Hay: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



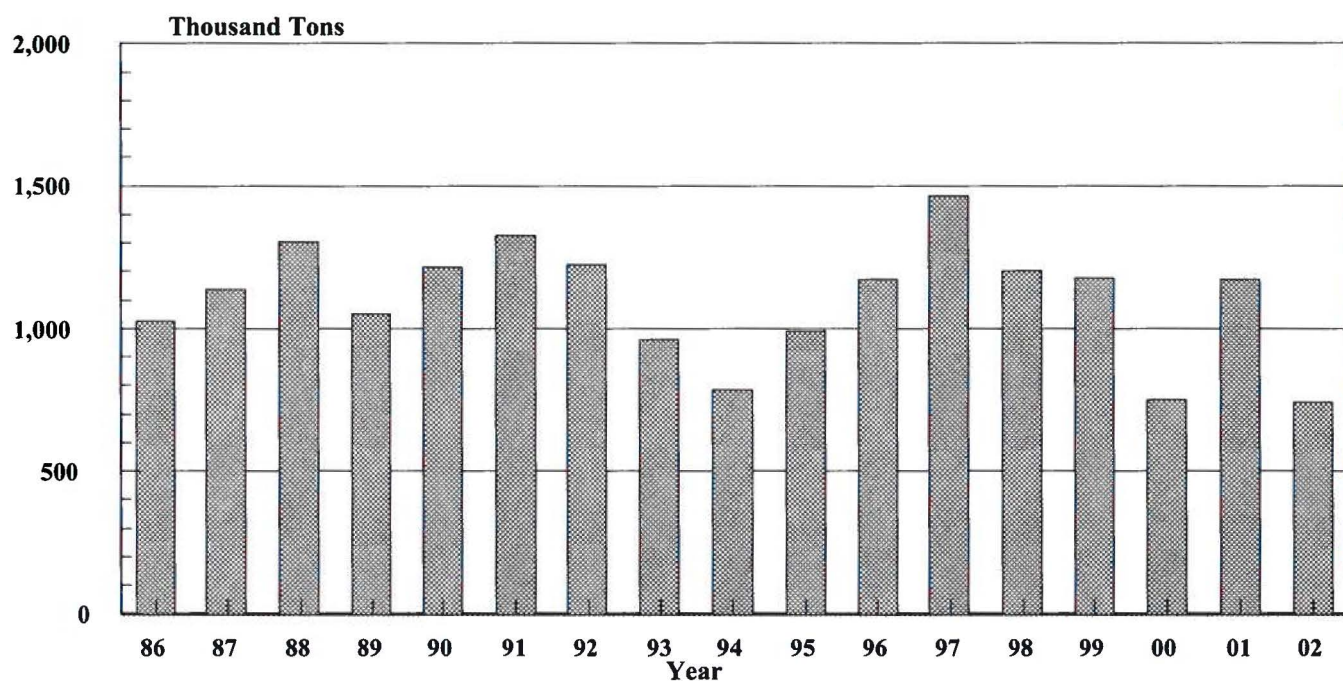
**Alfalfa Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002**

| County and District      | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | 3,500             | 1.45           | 5,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 3,500             | 1.45           | 5,000          |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle . . . . .          | 4,500             | 1.40           | 6,200          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 4,500             | 1.40           | 6,200          |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand . . . . .          | 1,000             | 1.00           | 1,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,000             | 1.00           | 1,000          |
| Gunnison . . .           | 2,500             | 0.80           | 2,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 2,500             | 0.80           | 2,000          |
| Jackson . . . .          | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 10,300            | 1.60           | 16,500         | 5,700             | 0.35           | 1,900         | 16,000            | 1.15           | 18,400         |
| Park . . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | 6,500             | 1.50           | 9,800          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 6,500             | 1.50           | 9,800          |
| Rio Blanco . .           | 4,500             | 1.80           | 8,100          | 1,000             | 0.70           | 700           | 5,500             | 1.60           | 8,800          |
| Routt . . . . .          | 3,200             | 1.05           | 3,400          | 7,300             | 0.45           | 3,400         | 10,500            | 0.65           | 6,800          |
| Summit . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Teller . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>36,000</b>     | <b>1.45</b>    | <b>52,000</b>  | <b>14,000</b>     | <b>0.45</b>    | <b>6,000</b>  | <b>50,000</b>     | <b>1.15</b>    | <b>58,000</b>  |
| Boulder . . . . .        | 8,000             | 2.90           | 23,000         | 500               | 1.00           | 500           | 8,500             | 2.75           | 23,500         |
| Jefferson . . . .        | 1,000             | 2.50           | 2,500          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,000             | 2.50           | 2,500          |
| Larimer . . . . .        | 17,000            | 3.05           | 52,000         | 1,000             | 1.20           | 1,200         | 18,000            | 2.95           | 53,200         |
| Logan . . . . .          | 38,000            | 4.30           | 164,000        | 2,000             | 0.60           | 1,200         | 40,000            | 4.15           | 165,200        |
| Morgan . . . . .         | 30,000            | 4.60           | 138,000        | 1,500             | 1.35           | 2,000         | 31,500            | 4.45           | 140,000        |
| Sedgwick . . . .         | 5,000             | 3.70           | 18,500         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 5,000             | 3.70           | 18,500         |
| Weld . . . . .           | 82,000            | 4.00           | 328,000        | 4,000             | 1.55           | 6,100         | 86,000            | 3.90           | 334,100        |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>181,000</b>    | <b>4.00</b>    | <b>726,000</b> | <b>9,000</b>      | <b>1.20</b>    | <b>11,000</b> | <b>190,000</b>    | <b>3.90</b>    | <b>737,000</b> |

**Alfalfa Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated         |                |                  | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                  |
|------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             | Acres             | Tons           | Tons          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons             |
| Adams . . . . .        | 8,000             | 4.25           | 34,000           | 1,500             | 0.65           | 1,000         | 9,500             | 3.70           | 35,000           |
| Arapahoe . . .         | 1,500             | 3.20           | 4,800            | 500               | 0.80           | 400           | 2,000             | 2.60           | 5,200            |
| Cheyenne . . .         | 500               | 2.40           | 1,200            | 500               | 1.00           | 500           | 1,000             | 1.70           | 1,700            |
| Denver . . . . .       | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas . . . .        | 1,500             | 1.00           | 1,500            | 500               | 0.40           | 200           | 2,000             | 0.85           | 1,700            |
| Elbert . . . . .       | 1,500             | 2.00           | 3,000            | 5,500             | 0.30           | 1,600         | 7,000             | 0.65           | 4,600            |
| El Paso . . . . .      | 4,000             | 1.80           | 7,200            | 1,000             | 0.30           | 300           | 5,000             | 1.50           | 7,500            |
| Kiowa . . . . .        | 2,000             | 2.10           | 4,200            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 2,000             | 2.10           | 4,200            |
| Kit Carson . .         | 10,000            | 5.00           | 50,000           | 500               | 0.40           | 200           | 10,500            | 4.80           | 50,200           |
| Lincoln . . . . .      | 800               | 2.65           | 2,100            | 2,200             | 0.30           | 700           | 3,000             | 0.95           | 2,800            |
| Phillips . . . .       | 3,000             | 5.50           | 16,500           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 3,000             | 5.50           | 16,500           |
| Washington . .         | 6,200             | 4.25           | 26,500           | 1,300             | 0.70           | 900           | 7,500             | 3.65           | 27,400           |
| Yuma . . . . .         | 17,000            | 5.65           | 96,000           | 500               | 0.40           | 200           | 17,500            | 5.50           | 96,200           |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>56,000</b>     | <b>4.40</b>    | <b>247,000</b>   | <b>14,000</b>     | <b>0.45</b>    | <b>6,000</b>  | <b>70,000</b>     | <b>3.60</b>    | <b>253,000</b>   |
| Archuleta . . .        | 1,000             | 1.70           | 1,700            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,000             | 1.70           | 1,700            |
| Delta . . . . .        | 17,500            | 2.45           | 43,000           | 500               | 1.00           | 500           | 18,000            | 2.40           | 43,500           |
| Dolores . . . . .      | 5,500             | 1.00           | 5,600            | 6,500             | 0.45           | 3,000         | 12,000            | 0.70           | 8,600            |
| Garfield . . . .       | 19,500            | 1.55           | 30,400           | 500               | 0.60           | 300           | 20,000            | 1.55           | 30,700           |
| Hinsdale . . . .       | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| La Plata . . . .       | 14,200            | 1.00           | 14,200           | 1,300             | 0.45           | 600           | 15,500            | 0.95           | 14,800           |
| Mesa . . . . .         | 27,000            | 3.15           | 85,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 27,000            | 3.15           | 85,000           |
| Montezuma . .          | 23,800            | 1.30           | 31,200           | 9,700             | 0.40           | 4,000         | 33,500            | 1.05           | 35,200           |
| Montrose . . . .       | 22,000            | 3.20           | 70,000           | 500               | 1.20           | 600           | 22,500            | 3.15           | 70,600           |
| Ouray . . . . .        | 3,500             | 2.25           | 7,900            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 3,500             | 2.25           | 7,900            |
| San Juan . . . .       | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel . .         | 2,000             | 1.00           | 2,000            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 2,000             | 1.00           | 2,000            |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>136,000</b>    | <b>2.15</b>    | <b>291,000</b>   | <b>19,000</b>     | <b>0.45</b>    | <b>9,000</b>  | <b>155,000</b>    | <b>1.95</b>    | <b>300,000</b>   |
| Alamosa . . . .        | 25,000            | 3.65           | 91,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 25,000            | 3.65           | 91,000           |
| Conejos . . . . .      | 30,500            | 2.60           | 80,000           | 1,000             | 0.50           | 500           | 31,500            | 2.55           | 80,500           |
| Costilla . . . . .     | 16,000            | 3.80           | 61,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 16,000            | 3.80           | 61,000           |
| Mineral . . . . .      | ...               | ...            | ...              | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande . .         | 26,000            | 3.50           | 91,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 26,000            | 3.50           | 91,000           |
| Saguache . . . .       | 36,500            | 4.65           | 169,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 36,500            | 4.65           | 169,000          |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>134,000</b>    | <b>3.65</b>    | <b>492,000</b>   | <b>1,000</b>      | <b>0.50</b>    | <b>500</b>    | <b>135,000</b>    | <b>3.65</b>    | <b>492,500</b>   |
| Baca . . . . .         | 9,500             | 3.25           | 31,000           | 500               | 1.00           | 500           | 10,000            | 3.15           | 31,500           |
| Bent . . . . .         | 32,000            | 1.90           | 61,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 32,000            | 1.90           | 61,000           |
| Crowley . . . . .      | 8,500             | 2.00           | 17,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 8,500             | 2.00           | 17,000           |
| Custer . . . . .       | 500               | 1.00           | 500              | ...               | ...            | ...           | 500               | 1.00           | 500              |
| Fremont . . . . .      | 4,500             | 1.55           | 7,000            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 4,500             | 1.55           | 7,000            |
| Huerfano . . . .       | 1,500             | 1.65           | 2,500            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,500             | 1.65           | 2,500            |
| Las Animas . .         | 3,000             | 2.00           | 6,000            | 1,000             | 0.70           | 700           | 4,000             | 1.70           | 6,700            |
| Otero . . . . .        | 26,000            | 2.70           | 70,000           | ...               | ...            | ...           | 26,000            | 2.70           | 70,000           |
| Prowers . . . . .      | 72,000            | 2.55           | 182,000          | 1,000             | 0.80           | 800           | 73,000            | 2.50           | 182,800          |
| Pueblo . . . . .       | 19,500            | 2.15           | 42,000           | 500               | 1.00           | 500           | 20,000            | 2.15           | 42,500           |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>177,000</b>    | <b>2.35</b>    | <b>419,000</b>   | <b>3,000</b>      | <b>0.85</b>    | <b>2,500</b>  | <b>180,000</b>    | <b>2.35</b>    | <b>421,500</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>720,000</b>    | <b>3.10</b>    | <b>2,227,000</b> | <b>60,000</b>     | <b>0.60</b>    | <b>35,000</b> | <b>780,000</b>    | <b>2.90</b>    | <b>2,262,000</b> |

## Other Hay: Production, Colorado, 1986-2002 (Thousand Tons)



### Other Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001

| County and District      | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | 10,000            | 2.00           | 20,000         | 1,000             | 1.10           | 1,100         | 11,000            | 1.90           | 21,100         |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle . . . . .          | 7,000             | 1.45           | 10,000         | 1,000             | 1.10           | 1,100         | 8,000             | 1.40           | 11,100         |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand . . . . .          | 15,000            | 1.45           | 22,000         | 1,000             | 1.20           | 1,200         | 16,000            | 1.45           | 23,200         |
| Gunnison . . .           | 24,000            | 1.55           | 37,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 24,000            | 1.55           | 37,000         |
| Jackson . . . .          | 59,000            | 1.40           | 81,500         | 1,000             | 1.10           | 1,100         | 60,000            | 1.40           | 82,600         |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 15,200            | 1.95           | 29,500         | 6,800             | 1.45           | 10,000        | 22,000            | 1.80           | 39,500         |
| Park . . . . .           | 7,500             | 0.95           | 7,000          | 3,500             | 0.25           | 900           | 11,000            | 0.70           | 7,900          |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | 1,300             | 2.00           | 2,600          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,300             | 2.00           | 2,600          |
| Rio Blanco . .           | 15,000            | 2.35           | 35,500         | 1,000             | 1.30           | 1,300         | 16,000            | 2.30           | 36,800         |
| Routt . . . . .          | 30,000            | 1.75           | 52,000         | 6,000             | 0.65           | 4,000         | 36,000            | 1.55           | 56,000         |
| Summit . . . . .         | 5,000             | 1.20           | 6,000          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 5,000             | 1.20           | 6,000          |
| Teller . . . . .         | 1,000             | 1.90           | 1,900          | 700               | 0.45           | 300           | 1,700             | 1.30           | 2,200          |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>190,000</b>    | <b>1.60</b>    | <b>305,000</b> | <b>22,000</b>     | <b>0.95</b>    | <b>21,000</b> | <b>212,000</b>    | <b>1.55</b>    | <b>326,000</b> |
| Boulder . . . .          | 6,400             | 2.40           | 15,500         | 1,600             | 0.90           | 1,400         | 8,000             | 2.10           | 16,900         |
| Jefferson . . .          | 2,400             | 1.90           | 4,500          | 3,600             | 0.40           | 1,500         | 6,000             | 1.00           | 6,000          |
| Larimer . . . .          | 12,500            | 1.75           | 22,000         | 2,500             | 1.15           | 2,900         | 15,000            | 1.65           | 24,900         |
| Logan . . . . .          | 3,500             | 2.55           | 9,000          | 9,500             | 1.85           | 17,500        | 13,000            | 2.05           | 26,500         |
| Morgan . . . . .         | 3,700             | 2.55           | 9,500          | 5,300             | 1.55           | 8,100         | 9,000             | 1.95           | 17,600         |
| Sedgwick . . .           | 1,500             | 2.35           | 3,500          | 2,500             | 1.30           | 3,300         | 4,000             | 1.70           | 6,800          |
| Weld . . . . .           | 12,000            | 2.65           | 32,000         | 6,000             | 1.20           | 7,300         | 18,000            | 2.20           | 39,300         |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>42,000</b>     | <b>2.30</b>    | <b>96,000</b>  | <b>31,000</b>     | <b>1.35</b>    | <b>42,000</b> | <b>73,000</b>     | <b>1.90</b>    | <b>138,000</b> |

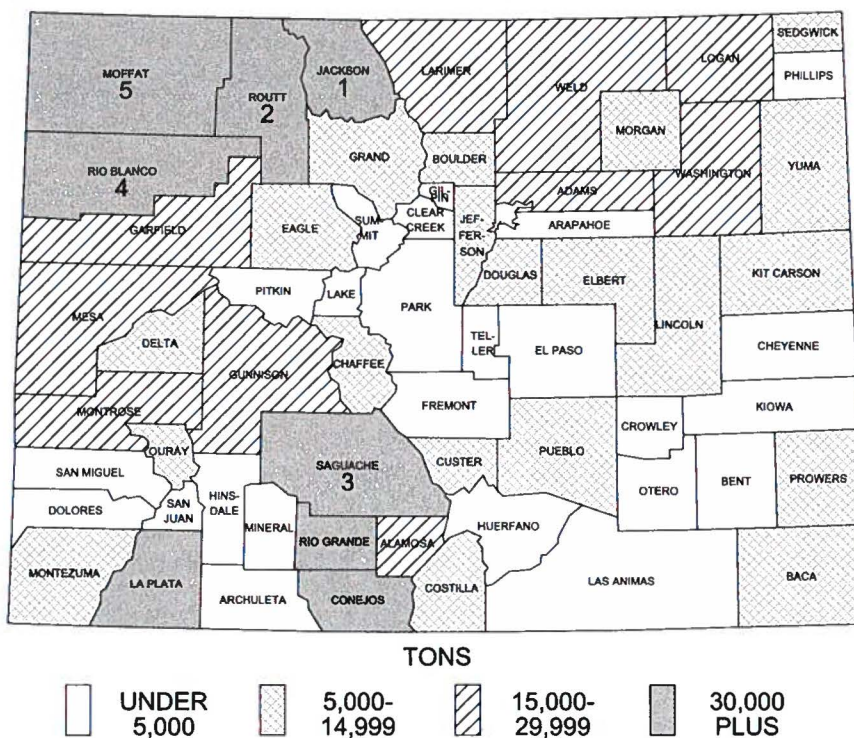


**Other Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2001, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated      |                |                | Non-Irrigated  |                |                | Total          |                |                  |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|
|                        | Acres          | Yield per acre | Production     | Acres          | Yield per acre | Production     | Acres          | Yield per acre | Production       |
|                        |                | Tons           | Tons           |                | Tons           | Tons           |                | Tons           | Tons             |
| Adams .....            | 2,500          | 1.90           | 4,800          | 9,500          | 1.15           | 11,000         | 12,000         | 1.30           | 15,800           |
| Arapahoe ...           | 800            | 2.15           | 1,700          | 2,200          | 1.05           | 2,300          | 3,000          | 1.35           | 4,000            |
| Cheyenne ...           | 800            | 2.75           | 2,200          | 6,200          | 1.45           | 8,900          | 7,000          | 1.60           | 11,100           |
| Denver .....           | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...              |
| Douglas .....          | 4,000          | 2.25           | 9,000          | 8,000          | 0.80           | 6,500          | 12,000         | 1.30           | 15,500           |
| Elbert .....           | 1,600          | 2.30           | 3,700          | 11,400         | 1.40           | 16,000         | 13,000         | 1.50           | 19,700           |
| El Paso .....          | 2,500          | 2.10           | 5,200          | 6,500          | 1.40           | 9,200          | 9,000          | 1.60           | 14,400           |
| Kiowa .....            | 600            | 1.85           | 1,100          | 4,400          | 1.00           | 4,300          | 5,000          | 1.10           | 5,400            |
| Kit Carson ..          | 3,600          | 3.20           | 11,500         | 6,400          | 1.70           | 11,000         | 10,000         | 2.25           | 22,500           |
| Lincoln .....          | 800            | 2.90           | 2,300          | 17,200         | 1.75           | 30,500         | 18,000         | 1.80           | 32,800           |
| Phillips .....         | 800            | 2.50           | 2,000          | 2,200          | 2.20           | 4,800          | 3,000          | 2.25           | 6,800            |
| Washington .           | 3,000          | 3.35           | 10,000         | 18,000         | 1.80           | 32,500         | 21,000         | 2.00           | 42,500           |
| Yuma .....             | 4,000          | 2.65           | 10,500         | 6,000          | 1.85           | 11,000         | 10,000         | 2.15           | 21,500           |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>25,000</b>  | <b>2.55</b>    | <b>64,000</b>  | <b>98,000</b>  | <b>1.50</b>    | <b>148,000</b> | <b>123,000</b> | <b>1.70</b>    | <b>212,000</b>   |
| Archuleta ...          | 1,200          | 1.90           | 2,300          | 800            | 0.75           | 600            | 2,000          | 1.45           | 2,900            |
| Delta .....            | 6,700          | 2.30           | 15,500         | 300            | 2.00           | 600            | 7,000          | 2.30           | 16,100           |
| Dolores .....          | 2,500          | 2.50           | 6,200          | 1,500          | 1.00           | 1,500          | 4,000          | 1.95           | 7,700            |
| Garfield ....          | 9,700          | 1.80           | 17,500         | 300            | 1.65           | 500            | 10,000         | 1.80           | 18,000           |
| Hinsdale ....          | 1,000          | 2.50           | 2,500          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 1,000          | 2.50           | 2,500            |
| La Plata ....          | 15,000         | 2.90           | 43,500         | 1,000          | 1.00           | 1,000          | 16,000         | 2.80           | 44,500           |
| Mesa .....             | 11,000         | 2.95           | 32,500         | 1,000          | 2.30           | 2,300          | 12,000         | 2.90           | 34,800           |
| Montezuma ..           | 6,700          | 2.90           | 19,500         | 300            | 1.65           | 500            | 7,000          | 2.85           | 20,000           |
| Montrose ...           | 10,800         | 2.40           | 26,000         | 1,200          | 1.15           | 1,400          | 12,000         | 2.30           | 27,400           |
| Ouray .....            | 7,700          | 1.75           | 13,500         | 300            | 1.00           | 300            | 8,000          | 1.75           | 13,800           |
| San Juan ....          | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...              |
| San Miguel ..          | 700            | 1.45           | 1,000          | 300            | 1.00           | 300            | 1,000          | 1.30           | 1,300            |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>73,000</b>  | <b>2.45</b>    | <b>180,000</b> | <b>7,000</b>   | <b>1.30</b>    | <b>9,000</b>   | <b>80,000</b>  | <b>2.35</b>    | <b>189,000</b>   |
| Alamosa ....           | 14,000         | 1.95           | 27,500         | ...            | ...            | ...            | 14,000         | 1.95           | 27,500           |
| Conejos .....          | 20,000         | 2.30           | 45,500         | 1,000          | 0.70           | 700            | 21,000         | 2.20           | 46,200           |
| Costilla .....         | 4,800          | 2.00           | 9,500          | 200            | 1.00           | 200            | 5,000          | 1.95           | 9,700            |
| Mineral .....          | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...              |
| Rio Grande ..          | 18,000         | 2.05           | 37,000         | 1,000          | 1.40           | 1,400          | 19,000         | 2.00           | 38,400           |
| Saguache ...           | 36,200         | 1.55           | 55,500         | 800            | 0.90           | 700            | 37,000         | 1.50           | 56,200           |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>93,000</b>  | <b>1.90</b>    | <b>175,000</b> | <b>3,000</b>   | <b>1.00</b>    | <b>3,000</b>   | <b>96,000</b>  | <b>1.85</b>    | <b>178,000</b>   |
| Baca .....             | 2,600          | 2.50           | 6,500          | 10,400         | 1.70           | 17,500         | 13,000         | 1.85           | 24,000           |
| Bent .....             | 3,600          | 2.65           | 9,600          | 1,400          | 1.45           | 2,000          | 5,000          | 2.30           | 11,600           |
| Crowley ....           | 400            | 2.25           | 900            | 600            | 1.85           | 1,100          | 1,000          | 2.00           | 2,000            |
| Custer .....           | 12,000         | 2.45           | 29,500         | 1,000          | 1.80           | 1,800          | 13,000         | 2.40           | 31,300           |
| Fremont .....          | 2,600          | 1.70           | 4,400          | 400            | 1.25           | 500            | 3,000          | 1.65           | 4,900            |
| Huerfano ....          | 4,700          | 1.10           | 5,100          | 300            | 1.00           | 300            | 5,000          | 1.10           | 5,400            |
| Las Animas ..          | 5,300          | 0.85           | 4,400          | 4,700          | 0.75           | 3,500          | 10,000         | 0.80           | 7,900            |
| Otero .....            | 2,800          | 3.05           | 8,600          | 200            | 2.50           | 500            | 3,000          | 3.05           | 9,100            |
| Prowers .....          | 4,800          | 2.80           | 13,500         | 3,200          | 2.60           | 8,300          | 8,000          | 2.75           | 21,800           |
| Pueblo .....           | 3,200          | 2.35           | 7,500          | 1,800          | 0.85           | 1,500          | 5,000          | 1.80           | 9,000            |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>42,000</b>  | <b>2.15</b>    | <b>90,000</b>  | <b>24,000</b>  | <b>1.55</b>    | <b>37,000</b>  | <b>66,000</b>  | <b>1.90</b>    | <b>127,000</b>   |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>465,000</b> | <b>1.95</b>    | <b>910,000</b> | <b>185,000</b> | <b>1.40</b>    | <b>260,000</b> | <b>650,000</b> | <b>1.80</b>    | <b>1,170,000</b> |



## Other Hay: Production by County, Colorado, 2002 with Ranking of First Five Counties



### Other Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002

| County and District      | Irrigated         |                |                | Non-Irrigated     |                |               | Total             |                |                |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                          | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage Harvested | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           | Acres             | Tons           | Tons          | Acres             | Tons           | Tons           |
| Chaffee . . . . .        | 7,800             | 0.90           | 6,900          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 7,800             | 0.90           | 6,900          |
| Clear Creek . .          | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Eagle . . . . .          | 7,700             | 0.70           | 5,300          | 500               | 0.60           | 300           | 8,200             | 0.70           | 5,600          |
| Gilpin . . . . .         | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Grand . . . . .          | 15,000            | 0.80           | 12,000         | 1,000             | 1.00           | 1,000         | 16,000            | 0.80           | 13,000         |
| Gunnison . . .           | 20,000            | 1.00           | 20,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 20,000            | 1.00           | 20,000         |
| Jackson . . . . .        | 59,000            | 0.95           | 57,000         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 59,000            | 0.95           | 57,000         |
| Lake . . . . .           | ...               | ...            | ...            | ...               | ...            | ...           | ...               | ...            | ...            |
| Moffat . . . . .         | 18,000            | 1.55           | 28,000         | 4,000             | 1.10           | 4,300         | 22,000            | 1.45           | 32,300         |
| Park . . . . .           | 3,000             | 0.55           | 1,700          | 6,000             | 0.45           | 2,600         | 9,000             | 0.50           | 4,300          |
| Pitkin . . . . .         | 1,200             | 1.50           | 1,800          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,200             | 1.50           | 1,800          |
| Rio Blanco . .           | 22,000            | 1.60           | 35,500         | ...               | ...            | ...           | 22,000            | 1.60           | 35,500         |
| Routt . . . . .          | 31,500            | 1.55           | 48,500         | 3,500             | 0.80           | 2,800         | 35,000            | 1.45           | 51,300         |
| Summit . . . . .         | 3,800             | 0.70           | 2,600          | ...               | ...            | ...           | 3,800             | 0.70           | 2,600          |
| Teller . . . . .         | 1,000             | 0.70           | 700            | ...               | ...            | ...           | 1,000             | 0.70           | 700            |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>190,000</b>    | <b>1.15</b>    | <b>220,000</b> | <b>15,000</b>     | <b>0.75</b>    | <b>11,000</b> | <b>205,000</b>    | <b>1.15</b>    | <b>231,000</b> |
| Boulder . . . . .        | 6,600             | 1.50           | 10,000         | 1,400             | 0.95           | 1,300         | 8,000             | 1.40           | 11,300         |
| Jefferson . . . .        | 4,200             | 1.65           | 7,000          | 1,800             | 1.15           | 2,100         | 6,000             | 1.50           | 9,100          |
| Larimer . . . . .        | 11,500            | 1.50           | 17,000         | 3,500             | 0.80           | 2,800         | 15,000            | 1.30           | 19,800         |
| Logan . . . . .          | 4,000             | 2.75           | 11,000         | 9,000             | 1.00           | 9,200         | 13,000            | 1.55           | 20,200         |
| Morgan . . . . .         | 3,500             | 2.00           | 7,000          | 3,500             | 0.85           | 2,900         | 7,000             | 1.40           | 9,900          |
| Sedgwick . . . .         | 1,000             | 2.00           | 2,000          | 4,000             | 1.70           | 6,700         | 5,000             | 1.75           | 8,700          |
| Weld . . . . .           | 9,200             | 2.40           | 22,000         | 6,800             | 0.75           | 5,000         | 16,000            | 1.70           | 27,000         |
| <b>Northeast</b>         | <b>40,000</b>     | <b>1.90</b>    | <b>76,000</b>  | <b>30,000</b>     | <b>1.00</b>    | <b>30,000</b> | <b>70,000</b>     | <b>1.50</b>    | <b>106,000</b> |

**Other Hay: Acreage and production by county and district, Colorado, 2002, continued**

| County and District    | Irrigated      |                |                | Non-Irrigated  |                |                | Total          |                |                |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|                        | Acres          | Yield per acre | Production     | Acres          | Yield per acre | Production     | Acres          | Yield per acre | Production     |
|                        | Acres          | Tons           | Tons           | Acres          | Tons           | Tons           | Acres          | Tons           | Tons           |
| Adams .....            | 5,500          | 1.35           | 7,300          | 7,000          | 1.25           | 8,700          | 12,500         | 1.30           | 16,000         |
| Arapahoe ...           | 700            | 1.00           | 700            | 800            | 0.50           | 400            | 1,500          | 0.75           | 1,100          |
| Cheyenne ...           | 1,500          | 2.00           | 3,000          | 2,000          | 0.70           | 1,400          | 3,500          | 1.25           | 4,400          |
| Denver .....           | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            |
| Douglas ....           | 800            | 1.50           | 1,200          | 8,200          | 1.15           | 9,300          | 9,000          | 1.15           | 10,500         |
| Elbert .....           | 2,600          | 0.75           | 1,900          | 9,400          | 0.45           | 4,200          | 12,000         | 0.50           | 6,100          |
| El Paso .....          | 1,600          | 1.55           | 2,500          | 3,400          | 0.40           | 1,400          | 5,000          | 0.80           | 3,900          |
| Kiowa .....            | ...            | ...            | ...            | 2,500          | 0.40           | 1,000          | 2,500          | 0.40           | 1,000          |
| Kit Carson ..          | 2,400          | 2.55           | 6,100          | 3,600          | 1.10           | 3,900          | 6,000          | 1.65           | 10,000         |
| Lincoln .....          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 14,000         | 0.65           | 9,200          | 14,000         | 0.65           | 9,200          |
| Phillips .....         | 400            | 2.00           | 800            | 2,600          | 1.15           | 3,000          | 3,000          | 1.25           | 3,800          |
| Washington .           | 1,500          | 2.35           | 3,500          | 16,500         | 0.85           | 14,000         | 18,000         | 0.95           | 17,500         |
| Yuma .....             | 6,000          | 2.00           | 12,000         | 2,000          | 1.25           | 2,500          | 8,000          | 1.80           | 14,500         |
| <b>East Central</b>    | <b>23,000</b>  | <b>1.70</b>    | <b>39,000</b>  | <b>72,000</b>  | <b>0.80</b>    | <b>59,000</b>  | <b>95,000</b>  | <b>1.05</b>    | <b>98,000</b>  |
| Archuleta ...          | 1,200          | 1.40           | 1,700          | 800            | 0.75           | 600            | 2,000          | 1.15           | 2,300          |
| Delta .....            | 6,400          | 1.70           | 11,000         | 600            | 1.35           | 800            | 7,000          | 1.70           | 11,800         |
| Dolores .....          | 800            | 2.00           | 1,600          | 2,200          | 1.00           | 2,200          | 3,000          | 1.25           | 3,800          |
| Garfield ....          | 10,000         | 1.55           | 15,400         | ...            | ...            | ...            | 10,000         | 1.55           | 15,400         |
| Hinsdale ....          | 1,000          | 1.00           | 1,000          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 1,000          | 1.00           | 1,000          |
| La Plata ....          | 17,000         | 1.75           | 29,500         | 1,000          | 0.70           | 700            | 18,000         | 1.70           | 30,200         |
| Mesa .....             | 11,400         | 1.50           | 17,000         | 600            | 1.15           | 700            | 12,000         | 1.50           | 17,700         |
| Montezuma ..           | 5,000          | 1.00           | 5,000          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 5,000          | 1.00           | 5,000          |
| Montrose ...           | 10,200         | 2.25           | 23,000         | 800            | 1.25           | 1,000          | 11,000         | 2.20           | 24,000         |
| Ouray .....            | 8,000          | 1.20           | 9,600          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 8,000          | 1.20           | 9,600          |
| San Juan ....          | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            |
| San Miguel ..          | 3,000          | 1.40           | 4,200          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 3,000          | 1.40           | 4,200          |
| <b>Southwest</b>       | <b>74,000</b>  | <b>1.60</b>    | <b>119,000</b> | <b>6,000</b>   | <b>1.00</b>    | <b>6,000</b>   | <b>80,000</b>  | <b>1.55</b>    | <b>125,000</b> |
| Alamosa ....           | 10,000         | 2.60           | 26,000         | ...            | ...            | ...            | 10,000         | 2.60           | 26,000         |
| Conejos .....          | 13,500         | 2.15           | 29,000         | 1,500          | 0.65           | 1,000          | 15,000         | 2.00           | 30,000         |
| Costilla .....         | 4,000          | 2.00           | 8,000          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 4,000          | 2.00           | 8,000          |
| Mineral .....          | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            | ...            |
| Rio Grande ..          | 14,000         | 1.95           | 27,000         | 3,000          | 1.05           | 3,100          | 17,000         | 1.75           | 30,100         |
| Saguache ...           | 27,500         | 1.25           | 35,000         | 1,500          | 0.60           | 900            | 29,000         | 1.25           | 35,900         |
| <b>San Luis Valley</b> | <b>69,000</b>  | <b>1.80</b>    | <b>125,000</b> | <b>6,000</b>   | <b>0.85</b>    | <b>5,000</b>   | <b>75,000</b>  | <b>1.75</b>    | <b>130,000</b> |
| Baca .....             | 1,000          | 1.50           | 1,500          | 7,000          | 0.95           | 6,600          | 8,000          | 1.00           | 8,100          |
| Bent .....             | 2,400          | 1.90           | 4,500          | 600            | 0.65           | 400            | 3,000          | 1.65           | 4,900          |
| Crowley ....           | 2,000          | 1.90           | 3,800          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 2,000          | 1.90           | 3,800          |
| Custer .....           | 6,000          | 0.95           | 5,700          | 2,000          | 0.70           | 1,400          | 8,000          | 0.90           | 7,100          |
| Fremont ....           | 2,000          | 1.10           | 2,200          | 500            | 1.00           | 500            | 2,500          | 1.10           | 2,700          |
| Huerfano ....          | 2,000          | 0.80           | 1,600          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 2,000          | 0.80           | 1,600          |
| Las Animas ..          | 1,000          | 2.00           | 2,000          | 3,000          | 0.60           | 1,800          | 4,000          | 0.95           | 3,800          |
| Otero .....            | 1,500          | 1.80           | 2,700          | ...            | ...            | ...            | 1,500          | 1.80           | 2,700          |
| Prowers .....          | 2,100          | 2.50           | 5,300          | 6,900          | 0.55           | 3,800          | 9,000          | 1.00           | 9,100          |
| Pueblo .....           | 4,000          | 1.70           | 6,700          | 1,000          | 0.50           | 500            | 5,000          | 1.45           | 7,200          |
| <b>Southeast</b>       | <b>24,000</b>  | <b>1.50</b>    | <b>36,000</b>  | <b>21,000</b>  | <b>0.70</b>    | <b>15,000</b>  | <b>45,000</b>  | <b>1.15</b>    | <b>51,000</b>  |
| <b>State Total</b>     | <b>420,000</b> | <b>1.45</b>    | <b>615,000</b> | <b>150,000</b> | <b>0.85</b>    | <b>126,000</b> | <b>570,000</b> | <b>1.30</b>    | <b>741,000</b> |

**Potatoes: Acreage and production by county, Colorado, 2001-2002**

| County                   | 2001          |               |                |               | 2002          |               |                |               |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
|                          | Acreage       |               | Yield per acre | Production    | Acreage       |               | Yield per acre | Production    |
|                          | Planted       | Harvested     |                |               | Planted       | Harvested     |                |               |
|                          | Acres         |               | Cwt            | 1,000 Cwt     | Acres         |               | Cwt            | 1,000 Cwt     |
| Alamosa .....            | 22,600        | 22,600        | 315            | 7,160         | 24,700        | 24,700        | 395            | 9,715         |
| Conejos .....            | 1,000         | 1,000         | 300            | 300           | 1,000         | 1,000         | 345            | 345           |
| Costilla .....           | 5,000         | 5,000         | 325            | 1,617         | 5,100         | 5,100         | 385            | 1,960         |
| Morgan .....             | 2,000         | 1,900         | 325            | 618           | 2,500         | 2,500         | 350            | 875           |
| Rio Grande .....         | 22,600        | 22,500        | 310            | 6,970         | 22,700        | 22,700        | 400            | 9,045         |
| Saguache .....           | 16,900        | 16,700        | 320            | 5,310         | 18,100        | 18,000        | 380            | 6,820         |
| Weld .....               | 1,700         | 1,600         | 310            | 496           | 1,400         | 1,300         | 250            | 324           |
| Yuma .....               | 1,800         | 1,800         | 435            | 780           | 2,100         | 2,100         | 440            | 925           |
| Other counties ...       | 300           | 300           | 405            | 122           | 500           | 500           | 360            | 180           |
| <b>State Total .....</b> | <b>73,900</b> | <b>73,400</b> | <b>318</b>     | <b>23,373</b> | <b>78,100</b> | <b>77,900</b> | <b>388</b>     | <b>30,189</b> |

**Potatoes: Production and disposition by seasonal group, Colorado, 1992-2001**

| Year       | Summer Crop |                      |                  |          |                 | Fall Crop  |                      |                  |          |                 |
|------------|-------------|----------------------|------------------|----------|-----------------|------------|----------------------|------------------|----------|-----------------|
|            | Production  | Farm Disposition     |                  |          |                 | Production | Farm Disposition     |                  |          |                 |
|            |             | Seed feed & home use | Shrinkage & loss | Sold     |                 |            | Seed feed & home use | Shrinkage & loss | Sold     |                 |
|            |             |                      |                  | Quantity | % of Production |            |                      |                  | Quantity | % of Production |
|            | 1,000 Cwt   |                      | 1,000 Cwt        | Percent  |                 | 1,000 Cwt  |                      | 1,000 Cwt        | Percent  |                 |
| 1992 ..... | 2,010       | 5                    | 110              | 1,895    | 94              | 22,110     | 1,310                | 1,825            | 18,975   | 86              |
| 1993 ..... | 2,542       | 5                    | 100              | 2,437    | 96              | 25,270     | 1,200                | 2,040            | 22,030   | 87              |
| 1994 ..... | 3,069       | 6                    | 174              | 2,889    | 94              | 25,795     | 1,210                | 2,040            | 22,545   | 87              |
| 1995 ..... | 2,776       | 5                    | 129              | 2,642    | 95              | 23,808     | 1,285                | 2,048            | 20,475   | 86              |
| 1996 ..... | 3,381       | 5                    | 206              | 3,170    | 94              | 29,175     | 1,485                | 3,975            | 23,715   | 81              |
| 1997 ..... | 2,584       | 5                    | 143              | 2,436    | 94              | 24,993     | 1,340                | 2,773            | 20,880   | 84              |
| 1998 ..... | 2,625       | 8                    | 125              | 2,492    | 95              | 25,360     | 1,615                | 2,615            | 21,130   | 83              |
| 1999 ..... | 2,475       | 5                    | 145              | 2,325    | 94              | 25,762     | 1,705                | 2,967            | 21,090   | 82              |
| 2000 ..... | 2,988       | 5                    | 163              | 2,820    | 94              | 27,972     | 1,485                | 3,847            | 22,640   | 81              |
| 2001 ..... | 2,016       | 5                    | 111              | 1,900    | 94              | 21,357     | 1,465                | 1,887            | 18,005   | 84              |

**Fall Potatoes: Production and stocks, Colorado, 1993-2003**

| Year         | Production | Stocks and percent of production held by growers and commercial storages |           |           |           |            |           |         |           |         |           |        |           |        |           |
|--------------|------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|
|              |            | December 1   |           | January 1 |           | February 1 |           | March 1 |           | April 1 |           | May 1  |           | June 1 |           |
|              |            | Stocks   | Pct.      | Stocks    | Pct.      | Stocks     | Pct.      | Stocks  | Pct.      | Stocks  | Pct.      | Stocks | Pct.      | Stocks | Pct.      |
|              |            | 1,000 Cwt  | 1,000 Cwt | %         | 1,000 Cwt | %          | 1,000 Cwt | %       | 1,000 Cwt | %       | 1,000 Cwt | %      | 1,000 Cwt | %      | 1,000 Cwt |
| 1993-94 .... | 25,270     | 18,250   | 72        | 15,800    | 63        | 13,300     | 53        | 10,900  | 43        | 8,350   | 33        | 6,100  | 24        | ...    | ...       |
| 1994-95 .... | 25,795     | 18,900   | 73        | 16,300    | 63        | 13,700     | 53        | 11,300  | 44        | 8,500   | 33        | 6,100  | 24        | ...    | ...       |
| 1995-96 .... | 23,808     | 18,200   | 76        | 16,100    | 68        | 13,400     | 56        | 11,200  | 47        | 9,100   | 38        | 6,200  | 26        | ...    | ...       |
| 1996-97 .... | 29,175     | 23,100   | 79        | 20,700    | 71        | 18,100     | 62        | 15,500  | 53        | 12,900  | 44        | 9,900  | 34        | ...    | ...       |
| 1997-98 .... | 24,993     | 19,400   | 78        | 17,000    | 68        | 14,700     | 59        | 12,800  | 51        | 10,500  | 42        | 7,700  | 31        | ...    | ...       |
| 1998-99 .... | 25,360     | 19,000   | 75        | 16,500    | 65        | 14,200     | 56        | 12,000  | 47        | 9,300   | 37        | 6,600  | 26        | 2,900  | 11        |
| 1999-2000 .. | 25,762     | 19,700   | 76        | 17,300    | 67        | 15,100     | 59        | 12,900  | 50        | 10,100  | 39        | 7,400  | 29        | 3,700  | 14        |
| 2000-2001 .. | 27,972     | 20,300   | 73        | 17,700    | 63        | 15,100     | 54        | 13,000  | 46        | 10,300  | 37        | 7,400  | 26        | 3,500  | 13        |
| 2001-2002 .. | 21,357     | 15,600   | 73        | 13,300    | 62        | 11,000     | 52        | 9,400   | 44        | 7,300   | 34        | 5,100  | 23        | 1,700  | 8         |
| 2002-2003 .. | 27,885     | 20,100   | 72        | 17,700    | 63        | 15,000     | 54        | 12,700  | 46        | 9,500   | 34        | 5,400  | 19        | NA     | NA        |

NA = Not available at the time bulletin was sent to the printer.



**Wheat, Barley and Oats: On-farm, off-farm and total stocks, Colorado, 1991-2003**

| Year/Month           | All Wheat   |          |        | Barley  |           |           | Oats <u>1/</u> |           |
|----------------------|-------------|----------|--------|---------|-----------|-----------|----------------|-----------|
|                      | On-farm     | Off-farm | Total  | On-farm | Off-farm  | Total     | Off-farm       |           |
| <b>1,000 Bushels</b> |             |          |        |         |           |           |                |           |
| 1991                 | March 1     | 21,000   | 26,920 | 47,920  | 1,200     | 5,140     | 6,340          | 155       |
|                      | June 1      | 11,000   | 14,925 | 25,925  | 1,000     | 4,040     | 5,040          | 120       |
|                      | September 1 | 39,000   | 42,230 | 81,230  | 6,000     | 5,470     | 11,470         | 182       |
|                      | December 1  | 25,000   | 26,840 | 51,840  | 3,700     | 7,600     | 11,300         | 220       |
| 1992                 | March 1     | 10,500   | 21,380 | 31,880  | 1,500     | 7,875     | 9,375          | 169       |
|                      | June 1      | 5,000    | 11,250 | 16,250  | 350       | 6,535     | 6,885          | 124       |
|                      | September 1 | 30,000   | 41,000 | 71,000  | 4,800     | 6,845     | 11,645         | 210       |
|                      | December 1  | 18,500   | 29,690 | 48,190  | 2,000     | 7,485     | 9,485          | 235       |
| 1993                 | March 1     | 9,500    | 21,855 | 31,355  | 1,050     | 6,090     | 7,140          | 167       |
|                      | June 1      | 5,500    | 9,690  | 15,190  | 650       | 5,930     | 6,580          | 155       |
|                      | September 1 | 34,000   | 45,000 | 79,000  | 5,000     | 5,850     | 10,850         | 185       |
|                      | December 1  | 30,000   | 31,500 | 61,500  | 2,600     | 6,255     | 8,855          | 136       |
| 1994                 | March 1     | 13,000   | 23,440 | 36,440  | 925       | 5,060     | 5,985          | 133       |
|                      | June 1      | 5,000    | 11,500 | 16,500  | 250       | 4,530     | 4,780          | 88        |
|                      | September 1 | 36,000   | 32,500 | 68,500  | 3,000     | 5,820     | 8,820          | 110       |
|                      | December 1  | 20,000   | 27,400 | 47,400  | 2,200     | 6,180     | 8,380          | 145       |
| 1995                 | March 1     | 9,000    | 21,350 | 30,350  | 800       | 5,285     | 6,085          | 198       |
|                      | June 1      | 5,000    | 10,950 | 15,950  | 325       | 3,380     | 3,705          | 125       |
|                      | September 1 | 30,000   | 46,150 | 76,150  | 6,000     | 4,420     | 10,420         | 125       |
|                      | December 1  | 17,000   | 30,090 | 47,090  | 1,300     | 4,365     | 5,665          | 155       |
| 1996                 | March 1     | 6,500    | 21,550 | 28,050  | 325       | 5,920     | 6,245          | 135       |
|                      | June 1      | 2,500    | 11,700 | 14,200  | 50        | 4,420     | 4,470          | 100       |
|                      | September 1 | 33,000   | 30,935 | 63,935  | 5,200     | 5,025     | 10,225         | 120       |
|                      | December 1  | 19,000   | 21,140 | 40,140  | 1,700     | 8,145     | 9,845          | 90        |
| 1997                 | March 1     | 8,000    | 16,800 | 24,800  | 510       | 6,470     | 6,980          | 82        |
|                      | June 1      | 3,500    | 8,970  | 12,470  | 215       | 4,920     | 5,135          | 75        |
|                      | September 1 | 36,000   | 40,890 | 76,890  | 4,500     | <u>2/</u> | <u>2/</u>      | 90        |
|                      | December 1  | 26,500   | 32,500 | 59,000  | 2,000     | 7,035     | 9,035          | 140       |
| 1998                 | March 1     | 19,000   | 25,160 | 44,160  | <u>3/</u> | 6,075     | <u>3/</u>      | 112       |
|                      | June 1      | 8,500    | 16,740 | 25,240  | <u>3/</u> | <u>2/</u> | <u>3/</u>      | 84        |
|                      | September 1 | 37,000   | 45,470 | 82,470  | <u>3/</u> | 4,915     | <u>3/</u>      | 80        |
|                      | December 1  | 32,000   | 35,644 | 67,644  | <u>3/</u> | 7,038     | <u>3/</u>      | <u>2/</u> |
| 1999                 | March 1     | 22,000   | 26,210 | 48,210  | <u>3/</u> | 7,080     | <u>3/</u>      | 87        |
|                      | June 1      | 14,500   | 19,760 | 34,260  | <u>3/</u> | 4,170     | <u>3/</u>      | 88        |
|                      | September 1 | 51,000   | 51,430 | 102,430 | <u>3/</u> | 5,085     | <u>3/</u>      | 94        |
|                      | December 1  | 31,000   | 39,200 | 70,200  | <u>3/</u> | 4,905     | <u>3/</u>      | 105       |
| 2000                 | March 1     | 20,500   | 33,990 | 54,490  | <u>3/</u> | 3,980     | <u>3/</u>      | 90        |
|                      | June 1      | 12,500   | 22,715 | 35,215  | <u>3/</u> | 2,800     | <u>3/</u>      | 85        |
|                      | September 1 | 31,000   | 41,680 | 72,680  | <u>3/</u> | 6,990     | <u>3/</u>      | 74        |
|                      | December 1  | 20,000   | 34,580 | 54,580  | <u>3/</u> | 7,190     | <u>3/</u>      | 58        |
| 2001                 | March 1     | 16,000   | 30,010 | 46,010  | <u>3/</u> | 6,095     | <u>3/</u>      | 79        |
|                      | June 1      | 6,500    | 21,440 | 27,940  | <u>3/</u> | 4,375     | <u>3/</u>      | 82        |
|                      | September 1 | 29,000   | 42,260 | 71,260  | <u>3/</u> | 3,730     | <u>3/</u>      | 75        |
|                      | December 1  | 19,000   | 33,520 | 52,520  | <u>3/</u> | 7,955     | <u>3/</u>      | 77        |
| 2002                 | March 1     | 15,000   | 25,340 | 40,340  | <u>3/</u> | 7,180     | <u>3/</u>      | 91        |
|                      | June 1      | 8,000    | 20,830 | 28,830  | <u>3/</u> | 4,995     | <u>3/</u>      | 71        |
|                      | September 1 | 16,000   | 33,250 | 49,250  | <u>3/</u> | 5,901     | <u>3/</u>      | 90        |
|                      | December 1  | 11,000   | 28,200 | 39,200  | <u>3/</u> | 6,875     | <u>3/</u>      | 86        |
| 2003                 | March 1     | 5,000    | 23,450 | 28,450  | <u>3/</u> | 7,490     | <u>3/</u>      | 82        |

1/ Only off-farm stocks estimated. 2/ Data not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations. 3/ Not estimated.



**Corn and Sorghum: On-farm, off-farm and total stocks, Colorado, 1991-2003**

| Year/Month           | Corn    |          |         | Sorghum |          |       |
|----------------------|---------|----------|---------|---------|----------|-------|
|                      | On-farm | Off-farm | Total   | On-farm | Off-farm | Total |
| <b>1,000 Bushels</b> |         |          |         |         |          |       |
| 1991 March 1         | 30,000  | 13,060   | 43,060  | 1,200   | 1,960    | 3,160 |
| June 1               | 18,000  | 8,800    | 26,800  | 400     | 995      | 1,395 |
| September 1          | 8,500   | 3,325    | 11,825  | 150     | 540      | 690   |
| December 1           | 64,000  | 28,140   | 92,140  | 2,800   | 3,830    | 6,630 |
| 1992 March 1         | 38,000  | 18,670   | 56,670  | 1,100   | 1,028    | 2,128 |
| June 1               | 15,000  | 11,575   | 26,575  | 500     | 993      | 1,493 |
| September 1          | 6,500   | 2,835    | 9,335   | 150     | 260      | 410   |
| December 1           | 54,000  | 24,685   | 78,685  | 1,400   | 1,840    | 3,240 |
| 1993 March 1         | 40,000  | 18,970   | 58,970  | 900     | 1,260    | 2,160 |
| June 1               | 20,000  | 12,375   | 32,375  | 550     | 757      | 1,307 |
| September 1          | 9,000   | 4,670    | 13,670  | 300     | 735      | 1,035 |
| December 1           | 40,000  | 18,640   | 58,640  | 1,600   | 2,450    | 4,050 |
| 1994 March 1         | 32,000  | 14,500   | 46,500  | 1,400   | 2,150    | 3,550 |
| June 1               | 15,000  | 7,275    | 22,275  | 900     | 1,030    | 1,930 |
| September 1          | 3,700   | 2,260    | 5,960   | 170     | 180      | 350   |
| December 1           | 50,000  | 30,600   | 80,600  | 1,700   | 2,750    | 4,450 |
| 1995 March 1         | 33,000  | 20,880   | 53,880  | 1,100   | 2,170    | 3,270 |
| June 1               | 13,000  | 10,930   | 23,930  | 350     | 1,370    | 1,720 |
| September 1          | 7,500   | 2,980    | 10,480  | 100     | 850      | 950   |
| December 1           | 38,000  | 21,355   | 59,355  | 900     | 1,590    | 2,490 |
| 1996 March 1         | 19,000  | 13,850   | 32,850  | 600     | 750      | 1,350 |
| June 1               | 6,000   | 5,700    | 11,700  | 600     | 345      | 945   |
| September 1          | 2,500   | 1,360    | 3,860   | 60      | 65       | 125   |
| December 1           | 50,000  | 28,445   | 78,445  | 3,500   | 3,415    | 6,915 |
| 1997 March 1         | 32,000  | 18,500   | 50,500  | 1,300   | 1,400    | 2,700 |
| June 1               | 16,000  | 10,200   | 26,200  | 600     | 600      | 1,200 |
| September 1          | 5,000   | 2,070    | 7,070   | 270     | 225      | 495   |
| December 1           | 60,000  | 32,600   | 92,600  | 1,800   | 2,050    | 3,850 |
| 1998 March 1         | 38,000  | 21,480   | 59,480  | 1/      | 1,390    | 1/    |
| June 1               | 22,000  | 11,155   | 33,155  | 1/      | 730      | 1/    |
| September 1          | 7,000   | 4,690    | 11,690  | 1/      | 290      | 1/    |
| December 1           | 65,000  | 39,432   | 104,432 | 1/      | 2,900    | 1/    |
| 1999 March 1         | 40,000  | 27,635   | 67,635  | 1/      | 2,605    | 1/    |
| June 1               | 25,000  | 15,740   | 40,740  | 1/      | 440      | 1/    |
| September 1          | 8,400   | 5,990    | 14,390  | 1/      | 420      | 1/    |
| December 1           | 73,000  | 39,850   | 112,850 | 1/      | 3,800    | 1/    |
| 2000 March 1         | 35,000  | 27,760   | 62,760  | 1/      | 2,280    | 1/    |
| June 1               | 18,000  | 13,025   | 31,025  | 1/      | 855      | 1/    |
| September 1          | 5,700   | 4,410    | 10,110  | 1/      | 385      | 1/    |
| December 1           | 55,000  | 34,230   | 89,230  | 1/      | 1,685    | 1/    |
| 2001 March 1         | 34,000  | 25,905   | 59,905  | 1/      | 1,040    | 1/    |
| June 1               | 20,000  | 11,900   | 31,900  | 1/      | 835      | 1/    |
| September 1          | 6,000   | 5,010    | 11,010  | 1/      | 485      | 1/    |
| December 1           | 65,000  | 31,800   | 96,800  | 1/      | 3,880    | 1/    |
| 2002 March 1         | 34,000  | 21,790   | 55,790  | 1/      | 2,175    | 1/    |
| June 1               | 26,000  | 13,945   | 39,945  | 1/      | 1,130    | 1/    |
| September 1          | 5,000   | 5,965    | 10,965  | 1/      | 835      | 1/    |
| December 1           | 53,000  | 28,480   | 81,480  | 1/      | 1,175    | 1/    |
| 2003 March           | 29,000  | 23,975   | 52,975  | 1/      | 1,105    | 1/    |

1/ Not estimated.

**All Hay: Production and stocks on farms, Colorado, 1977-2002**

| Year | Production | January 1 <sup>1/</sup> <sup>2/</sup> |            | May 1 <sup>1/</sup> |            |
|------|------------|---------------------------------------|------------|---------------------|------------|
|      |            | Stocks                                | % of Prod. | Stocks              | % of Prod. |
|      |            | 1,000 Tons                            | Percent    | 1,000 Tons          | Percent    |
| 1977 | 2,890      | 1,850                                 | 64         | 578                 | 20         |
| 1978 | 3,228      | 2,034                                 | 63         | 484                 | 15         |
| 1979 | 3,574      | 2,359                                 | 66         | 715                 | 20         |
| 1980 | 3,276      | 2,129                                 | 65         | 590                 | 18         |
| 1981 | 3,105      | 2,018                                 | 65         | 652                 | 21         |
| 1982 | 3,176      | 2,001                                 | 63         | 508                 | 16         |
| 1983 | 3,357      | 2,048                                 | 61         | 436                 | 13         |
| 1984 | 3,311      | 1,953                                 | 59         | 563                 | 17         |
| 1985 | 3,644      | 2,186                                 | 60         | 765                 | 21         |
| 1986 | 3,642      | 2,659                                 | 73         | 728                 | 20         |
| 1987 | 4,044      | 3,033                                 | 75         | 809                 | 20         |
| 1988 | 3,957      | 2,374                                 | 60         | 435                 | 11         |
| 1989 | 3,450      | 1,898                                 | 55         | 587                 | 17         |
| 1990 | 3,805      | 2,207                                 | 58         | 457                 | 12         |
| 1991 | 4,062      | 2,437                                 | 60         | 528                 | 13         |
| 1992 | 4,189      | 2,575                                 | 61         | 396                 | 9          |
| 1993 | 4,193      | 2,430                                 | 58         | 294                 | 7          |
| 1994 | 4,060      | 2,030                                 | 50         | 447                 | 11         |
| 1995 | 4,050      | 2,430                                 | 60         | 648                 | 16         |
| 1996 | 4,180      | 2,006                                 | 48         | 209                 | 5          |
| 1997 | 4,739      | 2,133                                 | 45         | 616                 | 13         |
| 1998 | 4,602      | 2,807                                 | 61         | 966                 | 21         |
| 1999 | 4,598      | 2,900                                 | 63         | 690                 | 15         |
| 2000 | 4,080      | 1,770                                 | 43         | 286                 | 7          |
| 2001 | 4,780      | 1,990                                 | 42         | 535                 | 11         |
| 2002 | 3,003      | 1,560                                 | 52         | 360                 | 12         |

<sup>1/</sup> Following year of production.

<sup>2/</sup> Data as of December 1 beginning 1986.

**On-farm and off-farm grain storage capacity, Colorado and United States, December 1, 1989-2002**

| Year | Colorado                 |                      |               | United States            |                      |               |
|------|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------|
|      | On-farm storage capacity | Off-farm storage     |               | On-farm storage capacity | Off-farm storage     |               |
|      |                          | Number of facilities | Capacity      |                          | Number of facilities | Capacity      |
|      | Million Bushels          | Number               | 1,000 Bushels | Million Bushels          | Number               | 1,000 Bushels |
| 1989 | 220                      | 174                  | 132,390       | 12,800                   | 13,517               | 9,384,430     |
| 1990 | 210                      | 167                  | 131,030       | 12,400                   | 13,214               | 9,089,300     |
| 1991 | 220                      | 165                  | 114,930       | 12,170                   | 12,825               | 8,911,220     |
| 1992 | 190                      | 159                  | 115,370       | 12,090                   | 12,428               | 8,664,970     |
| 1993 | 190                      | 161                  | 115,650       | 11,675                   | 11,866               | 8,486,500     |
| 1994 | 170                      | 139                  | 114,700       | 11,500                   | 11,592               | 8,374,110     |
| 1995 | 170                      | 136                  | 114,060       | 11,165                   | 11,285               | 8,301,060     |
| 1996 | 160                      | 132                  | 112,120       | 10,970                   | 10,884               | 8,072,330     |
| 1997 | 170                      | 126                  | 110,930       | 10,950                   | 10,605               | 7,961,340     |
| 1998 | 190                      | 131                  | 109,100       | 11,130                   | 10,272               | 8,003,190     |
| 1999 | 195                      | 125                  | 114,000       | 11,160                   | 10,005               | 8,090,320     |
| 2000 | 175                      | 130                  | 126,180       | 11,195                   | 9,830                | 8,348,996     |
| 2001 | 180                      | 126                  | 120,950       | 11,145                   | 9,697                | 8,424,395     |
| 2002 | 180                      | 123                  | 113,500       | 11,150                   | 9,521                | 8,506,131     |

**Barley: Acreage planted by variety, by district, Colorado, 2001-2002 Crops 1/**

| Variety            | Northwest    |              | Northeast    |               | East Central |              | Southwest    |              | San Luis Valley |               | Southeast    |            | State        |               |
|--------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|------------|--------------|---------------|
|                    | % of Total   | Acres        | % of Total   | Acres         | % of Total   | Acres        | % of Total   | Acres        | % of Total      | Acres         | % of Total   | Acres      | % of Total   | Acres         |
| <b>2001</b>        |              |              |              |               |              |              |              |              |                 |               |              |            |              |               |
| Moravian 14 *      | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 81.0            | 47,800        | ---          | ---        | 53.1         | 47,800        |
| Moravian 37 *      | ---          | ---          | 90.0         | 18,900        | 24.0         | 1,200        | 70.0         | 1,400        | 1.0             | 600           | ---          | ---        | 24.6         | 22,100        |
| Alexis *           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 12.4            | 7,300         | ---          | ---        | 8.1          | 7,300         |
| Steptoe            | 96.0         | 2,400        | ---          | ---           | 48.0         | 2,400        | 25.0         | 500          | ---             | ---           | 60.0         | 300        | 6.2          | 5,600         |
| Camarque *         | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 2.7             | 1,600         | ---          | ---        | 1.8          | 1,600         |
| Otis               | 4.0          | 100          | 5.2          | 1,100         | 4.0          | 200          | ---          | ---          | ---             | ---           | ---          | ---        | 1.6          | 1,400         |
| Schuyler           | ---          | ---          | 1.0          | 200           | 8.0          | 400          | 5.0          | 100          | ---             | ---           | ---          | ---        | .8           | 700           |
| Post               | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | 12.0         | 600          | ---          | ---          | ---             | ---           | ---          | ---        | .7           | 600           |
| Westbread 501      | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 0.8             | 500           | ---          | ---        | .6           | 500           |
| Nebula             | ---          | ---          | 1.0          | 200           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 0.3             | 200           | ---          | ---        | .4           | 400           |
| Other Malting * 2/ | ---          | ---          | 1.9          | 400           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 1.5             | 900           | ---          | ---        | 1.4          | 1,300         |
| Others 2/          | ---          | ---          | 1.0          | 200           | 4.0          | 200          | ---          | ---          | 0.2             | 100           | 40.0         | 200        | .8           | 700           |
| <b>All Barley</b>  | <b>100.0</b> | <b>2,500</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>21,000</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>5,000</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>2,000</b> | <b>100.0</b>    | <b>59,000</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>500</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>90,000</b> |
| <b>2002</b>        |              |              |              |               |              |              |              |              |                 |               |              |            |              |               |
| Moravian 14 *      | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 87.8            | 43,000        | ---          | ---        | 50.6         | 43,000        |
| Moravian 37 *      | ---          | ---          | 94.6         | 26,500        | 29.7         | 1,100        | 63.2         | 1,200        | 0.8             | 400           | ---          | ---        | 34.4         | 29,200        |
| Alexis *           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 9.6             | 4,700         | ---          | ---        | 5.5          | 4,700         |
| Otis               | 100.0        | 1,900        | 1.4          | 400           | 35.1         | 1,300        | ---          | ---          | ---             | ---           | ---          | ---        | 4.2          | 3,600         |
| Steptoe            | ---          | ---          | 1.8          | 500           | 10.8         | 400          | 31.6         | 600          | 0.2             | 100           | 60.0         | 300        | 2.2          | 1,900         |
| Schuyler           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | 24.3         | 900          | 5.3          | 100          | ---             | ---           | 40.0         | 200        | 1.4          | 1,200         |
| Camarque *         | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 1.4             | 700           | ---          | ---        | 0.8          | 700           |
| Baroness           | ---          | ---          | 0.7          | 200           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---             | ---           | ---          | ---        | 0.2          | 200           |
| Other Malting * 2/ | ---          | ---          | 1.4          | 400           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---             | ---           | ---          | ---        | 0.5          | 400           |
| Others 2/          | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---           | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 0.2             | 100           | ---          | ---        | 0.1          | 100           |
| <b>All Barley</b>  | <b>100.0</b> | <b>1,900</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>28,000</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>3,700</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>1,900</b> | <b>100.0</b>    | <b>49,000</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>500</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>85,000</b> |

\* Indicates malt variety. 1/ Percent totals may not add due to rounding. 2/ Includes unknown varieties.

**Winter Wheat: Percent Planted by Variety, Colorado, 1996-2003 Crops 1/**

| Variety      | 1996           | 1997         | 1998         | 1999         | 2000         | 2001         | 2002         | 2003         |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|              | <b>Percent</b> |              |              |              |              |              |              |              |
| Akron        | 0.3            | 3.1          | 11.9         | 19.1         | 24.3         | 24.4         | 25.3         | 22.3         |
| Praire Red   | ---            | ---          | ---          | ---          | 3.1          | 11.5         | 13.9         | 16.0         |
| Tam 107      | 56.9           | 55.1         | 43.3         | 39.7         | 33.6         | 24.9         | 13.6         | 13.0         |
| Jagger       | ---            | ---          | ---          | 1.2          | 2.1          | 2.9          | 6.7          | 7.7          |
| Above        | ---            | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 3.8          |
| Yumar        | ---            | ---          | ---          | 1.0          | 3.0          | 4.6          | 4.8          | 3.6          |
| Lamar        | 7.4            | 8.0          | 9.4          | 7.5          | 5.1          | 4.4          | 3.6          | 3.3          |
| Trego        | ---            | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 0.3          | 2.4          | 3.3          |
| Prowers 99   | ---            | ---          | ---          | ---          | ---          | 1.1          | 2.4          | 2.6          |
| Halt         | ---            | 0.8          | 3.7          | 3.9          | 6.6          | 5.1          | 2.6          | 2.4          |
| Tam 110      | ---            | ---          | ---          | 0.6          | 0.8          | 1.2          | 2.3          | 2.3          |
| Alliance     | ---            | 0.2          | 0.7          | 0.5          | 1.2          | 1.0          | 2.3          | 1.8          |
| Platte       | ---            | ---          | ---          | ---          | 0.5          | 0.4          | 0.8          | 1.5          |
| Prowers      | ---            | ---          | ---          | 0.7          | 2.3          | 2.9          | 3.5          | 1.3          |
| Yuma         | 5.3            | 6.0          | 5.5          | 7.3          | 3.9          | 3.2          | 2.1          | 1.3          |
| Other 2/     | 30.1           | 26.8         | 25.5         | 18.5         | 13.5         | 12.1         | 13.7         | 13.8         |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>100.0</b>   | <b>100.0</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>100.0</b> |

1/ Dashes indicate either none or minor amount reported. 2/ Includes unknown, minor, and older varieties that have become less popular.

**Winter Wheat: Percent planted by variety, by district and selected counties, Colorado, 2002-03 crops 1/**

**Northwest and Southwest Districts, Colorado 2002-2003 Crops**

| District/County      | Above   | Fairview | Hayden | Jeff | Stephens | Weston | Other | Total |
|----------------------|---------|----------|--------|------|----------|--------|-------|-------|
|                      | Percent |          |        |      |          |        |       |       |
| Northwest 2002 ..... | ---     | ---      | 7.8    | ---  | ---      | 35.2   | 57.0  | 100.0 |
| Northwest 2003 ..... | ---     | ---      | 24.1   | ---  | ---      | 73.5   | 2.4   | 100.0 |
| Southwest 2002 ..... | ---     | 85.0     | ---    | 2.0  | 7.3      | 0.9    | 4.8   | 100.0 |
| Southwest 2003 ..... | 2.0     | 72.3     | ---    | 2.8  | 10.0     | 1.1    | 11.8  | 100.0 |
| Dolores .....        | 4.0     | 87.3     | ---    | 5.6  | ---      | ---    | 3.1   | 100.0 |
| La Plata .....       | ---     | 58.9     | ---    | ---  | 0.5      | ---    | 40.6  | 100.0 |
| Mesa .....           | ---     | ---      | ---    | ---  | 79.9     | ---    | 20.1  | 100.0 |
| Montezuma .....      | ---     | 100.0    | ---    | ---  | ---      | ---    | ---   | 100.0 |

**Northeast District, Colorado 2002-03 Crops**

| District/County      | Akron   | Jagger | Lamar | Prairie Red | Tam 107 | Yumar | Other | Total |
|----------------------|---------|--------|-------|-------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
|                      | Percent |        |       |             |         |       |       |       |
| Northeast 2002 ..... | 25.1    | 9.7    | 9.1   | 6.9         | 7.6     | 3.9   | 37.7  | 100.0 |
| Northeast 2003 ..... | 20.9    | 10.2   | 7.2   | 7.9         | 5.8     | 7.1   | 40.9  | 100.0 |
| Larimer .....        | 27.6    | ---    | ---   | 1.0         | ---     | ---   | 71.4  | 100.0 |
| Logan .....          | 29.9    | 14.2   | 4.9   | 3.9         | 3.7     | 3.8   | 39.6  | 100.0 |
| Morgan .....         | 18.8    | ---    | 0.8   | 12.3        | 4.4     | 13.0  | 50.7  | 100.0 |
| Sedgwick .....       | 14.3    | 31.1   | 9.9   | 0.3         | 3.4     | ---   | 41.0  | 100.0 |
| Weld .....           | 16.1    | 1.3    | 10.8  | 14.1        | 9.9     | 11.1  | 36.7  | 100.0 |

**East Central District, Colorado 2002-03 Crops**

| District/County         | Above   | Akron | Jagger | Prairie Red | Tam 107 | Trego | Other | Total |
|-------------------------|---------|-------|--------|-------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
|                         | Percent |       |        |             |         |       |       |       |
| East Central 2002 ..... | ---     | 26.9  | 6.4    | 15.4        | 16.0    | 3.3   | 32.0  | 100.0 |
| East Central 2003 ..... | 4.1     | 25.9  | 8.4    | 17.2        | 16.1    | 4.1   | 24.2  | 100.0 |
| Adams .....             | 11.1    | 6.8   | ---    | 36.1        | 4.3     | ---   | 41.7  | 100.0 |
| Arapahoe .....          | ---     | 21.7  | 1.1    | 23.3        | 2.3     | ---   | 51.6  | 100.0 |
| Cheyenne .....          | 0.4     | 41.7  | 0.5    | 4.2         | 29.0    | 12.2  | 12.0  | 100.0 |
| Elbert .....            | 10.9    | 6.5   | ---    | 18.7        | 1.3     | ---   | 62.6  | 100.0 |
| Kiowa .....             | 1.5     | 34.4  | 0.5    | 14.1        | 18.9    | 6.1   | 24.5  | 100.0 |
| Kit Carson .....        | 4.7     | 4.3   | 10.2   | 30.5        | 36.5    | 2.6   | 11.2  | 100.0 |
| Lincoln .....           | 0.4     | 39.6  | 1.4    | 20.1        | 13.6    | 5.0   | 19.9  | 100.0 |
| Phillips .....          | 2.9     | 25.4  | 8.8    | 9.2         | 14.5    | 0.6   | 38.6  | 100.0 |
| Washington .....        | 4.9     | 37.1  | 11.4   | 16.9        | 13.2    | 4.0   | 12.5  | 100.0 |
| Yuma .....              | 5.3     | 15.5  | 40.9   | 3.2         | 10.1    | 3.1   | 21.9  | 100.0 |

**Southeast District, Colorado 2002-03 Crops**

| District/County      | Akron   | Halt | Prairie Red | Tam 107 | Tam 110 | Trego | Other | Total |
|----------------------|---------|------|-------------|---------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
|                      | Percent |      |             |         |         |       |       |       |
| Southeast 2002 ..... | 23.5    | 8.2  | 18.5        | 11.3    | 6.4     | 0.8   | 31.3  | 100.0 |
| Southeast 2003 ..... | 13.6    | 4.8  | 23.6        | 12.1    | 8.5     | 4.6   | 32.8  | 100.0 |
| Baca .....           | 6.7     | 4.6  | 27.4        | 14.9    | 4.3     | 4.1   | 38.0  | 100.0 |
| Bent .....           | 51.4    | 1.8  | 24.2        | 10.9    | ---     | ---   | 11.7  | 100.0 |
| Crowley .....        | ---     | ---  | 22.7        | 66.5    | ---     | ---   | 10.8  | 100.0 |
| Las Animas .....     | ---     | ---  | ---         | 3.4     | ---     | ---   | 96.6  | 100.0 |
| Otero .....          | ---     | ---  | 0.8         | 70.1    | ---     | ---   | 29.1  | 100.0 |
| Prowers .....        | 22.4    | 4.7  | 18.6        | 6.2     | 16.1    | 5.8   | 26.2  | 100.0 |
| Pueblo .....         | ---     | 52.2 | ---         | 22.0    | ---     | ---   | 25.8  | 100.0 |

1/ Dashes indicate either none or minor amount reported.



**Field Crops: Monthly marketing percents, selected crops, Colorado, 1994-2002 1/**

| Crop Year | All Wheat      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|-----------|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|           | Jul            | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun |     |
| 1994-95   | 17             | 10  | 9   | 8   | 7   | 10  | 15  | 7   | 6   | 3   | 5   | 3   |     |
| 1995-96   | 15             | 18  | 11  | 8   | 5   | 11  | 14  | 8   | 4   | 3   | 2   | 1   |     |
| 1996-97   | 12             | 9   | 7   | 6   | 6   | 11  | 16  | 11  | 11  | 8   | 2   | 1   |     |
| 1997-98   | 9              | 8   | 5   | 3   | 2   | 7   | 29  | 7   | 10  | 8   | 6   | 6   |     |
| 1998-99   | 16             | 10  | 8   | 9   | 3   | 5   | 9   | 4   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 6   |     |
| 1999-00   | 15             | 8   | 7   | 5   | 6   | 19  | 12  | 7   | 5   | 6   | 6   | 4   |     |
| 2000-01   | 20             | 15  | 8   | 5   | 5   | 11  | 10  | 3   | 6   | 7   | 6   | 4   |     |
| 2001-02   | 17             | 8   | 4   | 8   | 7   | 11  | 10  | 5   | 7   | 8   | 6   | 9   |     |
| Crop Year | Barley         |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|           | Jul            | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun |     |
| 1994-95   | 7              | 31  | 15  | 6   | 18  | 3   | 15  | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 1   |     |
| 1995-96   | ---            | 16  | 19  | 9   | 23  | 27  | 4   | 1   | --- | 1   | --- | --- |     |
| 1996-97   | 9              | 39  | 15  | 8   | 4   | 16  | 5   | --- | 2   | 1   | --- | 1   |     |
| 1997-98   | 11             | 27  | 33  | 17  | 4   | 1   | 2   | 1   | 1   | 2   | --- | 1   |     |
| 1998-99   | 9              | 25  | 27  | 25  | 3   | 2   | 2   | 1   | 1   | 2   | 1   | 2   |     |
| 1999-00   | 20             | 36  | 6   | 11  | 3   | 7   | 5   | 1   | 5   | 2   | 2   | 2   |     |
| 2000-01   | 44             | 34  | 10  | 4   | 1   | 1   | 1   | 2   | 1   | 1   | --- | 1   |     |
| 2001-02   | 1              | 51  | 16  | 20  | 6   | --- | 1   | 3   | 1   | --- | --- | 1   |     |
| Crop Year | Corn for Grain |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|           | Oct            | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep |     |
| 1994-95   | 13             | 15  | 14  | 15  | 7   | 8   | 6   | 6   | 5   | 3   | 5   | 3   |     |
| 1995-96   | 11             | 28  | 20  | 15  | 7   | 5   | 5   | 3   | 1   | 1   | 2   | 2   |     |
| 1996-97   | 16             | 13  | 10  | 15  | 10  | 7   | 6   | 5   | 5   | 5   | 4   | 4   |     |
| 1997-98   | 11             | 10  | 11  | 13  | 6   | 7   | 4   | 4   | 13  | 13  | 4   | 4   |     |
| 1998-99   | 11             | 11  | 15  | 16  | 8   | 11  | 5   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 4   | 4   |     |
| 1999-00   | 9              | 18  | 18  | 14  | 6   | 7   | 4   | 4   | 7   | 5   | 4   | 4   |     |
| 2000-01   | 14             | 15  | 14  | 16  | 8   | 8   | 5   | 5   | 5   | 4   | 3   | 3   |     |
| 2001-02   | 12             | 17  | 12  | 13  | 6   | 7   | 5   | 7   | 7   | 7   | 4   | 3   |     |
| Crop Year | Dry Beans      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|           | Sep            | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug |     |
| 1994-95   | 19             | 16  | 8   | 8   | 8   | 7   | 5   | 6   | 4   | 7   | 6   | 6   |     |
| 1995-96   | 24             | 15  | 9   | 8   | 8   | 6   | 6   | 5   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 4   |     |
| 1996-97   | 27             | 17  | 4   | 6   | 8   | 4   | 4   | 3   | 4   | 9   | 7   | 7   |     |
| 1997-98   | 15             | 23  | 9   | 7   | 8   | 5   | 3   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 6   | 6   |     |
| 1998-99   | 19             | 12  | 11  | 9   | 10  | 4   | 5   | 8   | 5   | 4   | 6   | 7   |     |
| 1999-00   | 21             | 15  | 6   | 12  | 10  | 5   | 5   | 4   | 6   | 6   | 6   | 4   |     |
| 2000-01   | 21             | 13  | 9   | 9   | 9   | 5   | 7   | 5   | 7   | 5   | 5   | 5   |     |
| 2001-02   | 22             | 9   | 8   | 8   | 14  | 10  | 9   | 4   | 6   | 6   | 2   | 2   |     |
| Crop Year | All Hay 2/     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|           | May            | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May |
| 1994-95   |                | 6   | 12  | 10  | 9   | 12  | 12  | 11  | 14  | 5   | 4   | 3   | 2   |
| 1995-96   |                | 12  | 9   | 10  | 8   | 9   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 6   | 6   | 6   | 4   |
| 1996-97   |                | 9   | 10  | 10  | 12  | 13  | 10  | 8   | 12  | 5   | 5   | 4   | 2   |
| 1997-98   |                | 6   | 6   | 14  | 10  | 11  | 10  | 8   | 8   | 7   | 9   | 5   | 6   |
| 1998-99   |                | 11  | 8   | 11  | 11  | 13  | 10  | 10  | 8   | 5   | 6   | 4   | 3   |
| 1999-00   |                | 10  | 9   | 11  | 11  | 10  | 10  | 10  | 9   | 6   | 6   | 4   | 4   |
| 2000-01   |                | 8   | 10  | 10  | 11  | 12  | 10  | 11  | 9   | 7   | 7   | 2   | 3   |
| 2001-02   | 4              | 8   | 7   | 12  | 11  | 13  | 10  | 10  | 9   | 6   | 7   | 3   |     |

1/ Dashes indicate only minor amount sold.

2/ Marketing year changed from June - May to May - April beginning with 2001 crop.

**Precipitation: Monthly and annual averages by district, Colorado, 1996-2002 1/**

|  | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May  | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Annual Total |
|--|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|--------------|
| <b>Northwest and Mountain District</b>     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| <b>Inches</b>                              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| 1941-70 .....                              | 1.13 | 1.02 | 1.29 | 1.50 | 1.37 | 1.28 | 1.64 | 1.76 | 1.19  | 1.16 | .99  | 1.13 | 15.46        |
| 1996 .....                                 | 2.85 | 2.38 | 1.14 | 1.58 | 1.32 | 1.08 | 1.12 | .71  | 1.75  | 1.73 | 1.72 | 2.07 | 19.45        |
| 1997 .....                                 | 2.19 | .82  | .52  | 2.62 | 2.20 | 1.28 | 1.23 | 2.75 | 2.94  | 1.56 | 1.11 | .80  | 20.02        |
| 1998 .....                                 | 1.21 | 1.01 | 1.55 | 1.45 | .50  | 1.50 | 2.76 | 1.47 | .84   | 1.99 | 1.13 | .68  | 16.09        |
| 1999 .....                                 | 1.73 | 1.00 | .61  | 2.68 | 2.01 | 1.30 | 2.33 | 2.48 | 1.30  | .65  | .51  | .97  | 17.57        |
| 2000 .....                                 | 1.69 | 1.48 | 1.46 | 1.36 | 1.28 | .95  | 1.34 | 2.37 | 1.65  | .62  | 1.00 | 1.15 | 16.35        |
| 2001 .....                                 | .62  | .95  | 1.30 | 1.27 | 1.49 | .79  | 1.83 | 2.45 | 1.13  | .78  | 1.30 | .72  | 14.63        |
| 2002 .....                                 | .77  | .55  | 1.10 | .73  | .45  | .33  | 1.19 | 1.34 | 2.06  | 1.39 | 1.43 | NA   | NA           |
| <b>Northeast District</b>                  |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| <b>Inches</b>                              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| 1941-70 .....                              | .47  | .44  | 1.00 | 1.69 | 2.81 | 2.41 | 1.95 | 1.54 | 1.10  | 1.09 | .60  | .40  | 15.50        |
| 1996 .....                                 | .90  | .12  | 1.30 | .98  | 3.98 | 1.89 | 2.15 | 1.89 | 2.95  | .51  | .62  | .15  | 17.44        |
| 1997 .....                                 | .54  | .77  | .50  | 2.43 | 2.00 | 3.75 | 2.51 | 3.14 | 1.58  | 2.19 | .81  | .39  | 20.61        |
| 1998 .....                                 | .30  | .44  | 1.64 | 1.97 | 1.98 | 2.05 | 3.60 | 1.28 | .62   | 1.96 | 1.03 | .46  | 17.33        |
| 1999 .....                                 | .28  | .21  | .53  | 4.72 | 2.33 | 2.07 | 2.05 | 3.67 | 2.43  | .54  | .49  | .36  | 19.68        |
| 2000 .....                                 | .29  | .38  | 1.79 | 1.35 | 1.58 | .84  | 1.08 | 1.58 | 1.96  | 1.08 | .56  | .27  | 12.76        |
| 2001 .....                                 | .60  | .50  | .95  | 2.26 | 3.32 | .89  | 2.50 | 1.36 | 1.47  | .50  | .98  | .12  | 15.45        |
| 2002 .....                                 | .72  | .22  | .91  | .28  | 1.69 | 1.40 | .87  | 1.35 | 1.21  | 1.51 | .50  | NA   | NA           |
| <b>East Central District</b>               |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| <b>Inches</b>                              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| 1941-70 .....                              | .41  | .39  | .87  | 1.53 | 2.56 | 2.29 | 2.53 | 2.15 | 1.26  | 1.04 | .58  | .34  | 15.95        |
| 1996 .....                                 | .35  | .13  | .89  | .72  | 3.51 | 2.06 | 3.42 | 2.91 | 2.08  | .30  | .18  | .11  | 16.66        |
| 1997 .....                                 | .19  | .61  | .19  | 1.29 | 1.65 | 3.14 | 3.86 | 4.03 | .84   | 2.55 | .55  | .50  | 19.40        |
| 1998 .....                                 | .10  | .54  | .63  | 1.49 | 2.35 | 1.43 | 5.62 | 2.71 | .50   | 1.34 | .84  | .31  | 17.86        |
| 1999 .....                                 | .31  | .24  | .40  | 4.29 | 2.99 | 2.81 | 2.26 | 4.17 | 1.17  | .36  | .37  | .27  | 19.64        |
| 2000 .....                                 | .31  | .35  | 2.56 | 1.36 | 1.42 | 1.25 | 2.64 | 2.03 | 1.27  | 1.82 | .35  | .24  | 15.60        |
| 2001 .....                                 | .76  | .39  | .85  | 1.27 | 3.67 | 1.31 | 3.84 | 1.25 | 1.64  | .41  | .79  | .15  | 16.33        |
| 2002 .....                                 | .27  | .18  | .45  | .42  | .73  | 2.09 | .73  | 2.19 | 1.40  | 1.31 | .23  | NA   | NA           |
| <b>West Central and Southwest District</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| <b>Inches</b>                              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| 1941-70 .....                              | 1.25 | 1.05 | 1.25 | 1.35 | 1.04 | .90  | 1.39 | 1.88 | 1.37  | 1.61 | 1.00 | 1.27 | 15.36        |
| 1996 .....                                 | 1.62 | 1.51 | .84  | 1.09 | .54  | 1.08 | 1.29 | .63  | 2.21  | 2.83 | 1.81 | 1.10 | 16.55        |
| 1997 .....                                 | 2.37 | 1.01 | .39  | 2.12 | 1.89 | 1.08 | 1.35 | 2.16 | 3.20  | 1.78 | 1.04 | .61  | 19.00        |
| 1998 .....                                 | .92  | 1.18 | 1.96 | 1.28 | .35  | .59  | 1.82 | 1.06 | 1.07  | 2.50 | 1.40 | .52  | 14.65        |
| 1999 .....                                 | .92  | .60  | .36  | 3.11 | 1.49 | 1.02 | 2.58 | 3.20 | 1.29  | .21  | .22  | .59  | 15.59        |
| 2000 .....                                 | 1.47 | 1.03 | 2.12 | .46  | .72  | .64  | .67  | 2.07 | 1.20  | 1.90 | .81  | .67  | 13.76        |
| 2001 .....                                 | .94  | 1.09 | 1.20 | 1.12 | 1.14 | .42  | 1.67 | 2.54 | .69   | .91  | 1.26 | .66  | 13.64        |
| 2002 .....                                 | .36  | .21  | .66  | .60  | .22  | .04  | .83  | 1.27 | 2.96  | 1.81 | 1.29 | NA   | NA           |
| <b>South Central District</b>              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| <b>Inches</b>                              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| 1941-70 .....                              | .42  | .32  | .53  | .77  | .76  | .69  | 1.45 | 1.59 | .86   | .97  | .38  | .48  | 9.22         |
| 1996 .....                                 | .45  | .22  | .48  | .53  | .20  | 1.26 | 1.00 | 1.07 | .90   | .80  | .57  | .71  | 8.19         |
| 1997 .....                                 | .48  | .71  | .17  | .59  | 1.10 | 1.31 | 1.14 | 1.97 | 2.22  | .74  | .90  | .33  | 11.66        |
| 1998 .....                                 | .13  | .23  | .71  | .81  | .11  | .11  | 2.28 | 1.26 | .75   | 2.18 | .67  | .12  | 9.36         |
| 1999 .....                                 | .29  | .18  | .32  | 1.35 | 1.44 | .92  | 1.94 | 2.56 | 1.02  | .26  | .06  | .17  | 10.51        |
| 2000 .....                                 | .34  | .19  | 1.40 | .61  | .34  | .53  | .91  | 1.72 | .51   | 1.42 | .17  | .14  | 8.28         |
| 2001 .....                                 | .57  | .61  | 1.00 | .50  | 1.36 | .40  | 1.88 | 1.94 | .27   | .22  | .44  | .17  | 9.36         |
| 2002 .....                                 | .29  | .22  | .13  | .17  | .04  | .20  | .78  | .74  | 1.81  | .60  | .32  | NA   | NA           |
| <b>Southeast District</b>                  |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| <b>Inches</b>                              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |      |      |      |              |
| 1941-70 .....                              | .56  | .54  | .95  | 1.51 | 1.96 | 1.61 | 2.24 | 2.05 | 1.05  | 1.02 | .62  | .55  | 14.66        |
| 1996 .....                                 | .30  | .19  | 1.11 | .60  | 2.69 | 2.12 | 3.70 | 3.32 | 1.92  | .54  | .41  | .27  | 17.17        |
| 1997 .....                                 | .38  | .91  | .26  | 1.96 | .74  | 1.70 | 1.85 | 5.21 | 1.58  | 2.66 | 1.41 | .92  | 19.58        |
| 1998 .....                                 | .14  | .57  | 2.04 | 1.83 | .91  | .67  | 5.42 | 2.49 | .70   | 2.07 | 1.27 | .34  | 18.45        |
| 1999 .....                                 | .63  | .12  | 1.28 | 5.07 | 2.75 | 1.57 | 2.95 | 2.69 | .89   | .81  | .20  | .54  | 19.50        |
| 2000 .....                                 | .37  | .18  | 2.73 | 1.39 | .84  | 1.12 | 1.92 | 1.16 | .66   | 1.88 | .26  | .26  | 12.77        |
| 2001 .....                                 | .88  | .32  | .95  | .56  | 3.81 | 1.38 | 2.73 | 1.08 | .70   | .21  | .67  | .29  | 13.58        |
| 2002 .....                                 | .56  | .27  | .22  | .28  | .42  | .92  | .93  | 1.04 | 1.71  | 1.14 | .15  | NA   | NA           |

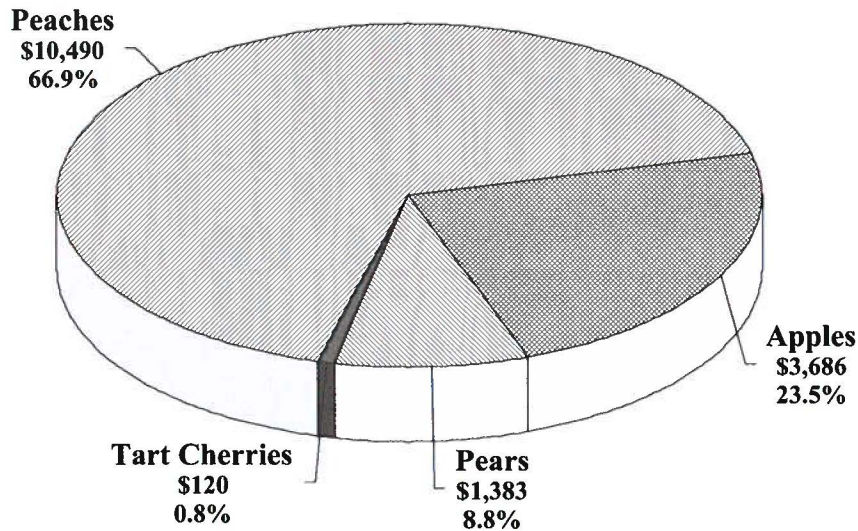
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## Colorado Fruit Crops – 2002

### Value of Production and Percent of Total

(Value in \$1,000)



### FRUIT CROPS - 2002

Fruit production in Colorado during 2002 totaled 45.1 million pounds, down just 1 percent from the 45.4 million pounds produced a year earlier. Larger crops than a year earlier were produced for peaches and pears while the apple and tart cherry crops were smaller. Early concerns about water shortages were addressed by producers being more conservative in water usage which resulted in adequate supplies in most areas. The utilized production of Colorado's four fruit crops had a combined value of nearly \$15.7 million for 2002, up 2 percent from \$15.4 million a year earlier. Producers received higher prices per unit for each 2002 fruit except apples.

**Peaches** was the leading fruit crop produced in the state for the 2002 season in terms of value of production. The 19.0 million pounds produced was up 6 percent from the previous year. In addition, the value of the 18.5 million pounds of product utilized increased 11 percent from the previous year to \$10.49 million. Producers received an average price of 56.7 cents per pound for the latest crop compared with 54.0 cents per pound for the 17.5 million pounds of utilized production from the 2001 crop. The 2002 peach crop ranked second in terms of total production.

**Apples** ranked first in terms of total production but second in terms of value for the 2002 crop. The total production of 21.0 million pounds in 2002 was down 9 percent from the 23.0 million pounds produced in 2001. Higher per acre yields than the previous year were more than offset by a reduction in the bearing acreage. The utilized production of 20.0 million pounds was valued at \$3.69 million, down 23 percent from the \$4.78 million received for the 23.0 million pounds of utilized production from the 2001 crop. Grower prices averaged 18.4 cents per pound for the 2002 crop compared with 20.8 cents in 2001.

The 2002 **pear** crop totaled 2,400 tons, up 26 percent from 1,900 tons produced in 2001. Producers received \$576 per ton for their 2002 crop compared with \$500 per ton in 2001, pushing the total value to \$1.38 million, up 46 percent from the previous year.

**Tart cherry** production in 2002 totaled 300,000 pounds, down 50 percent from 600,000 pounds in 2001. The 2002 crop was valued at \$120,000, down 40 percent as producers received an average of 40.0 cents per pound in 2002 compared with 33.3 cents per pound for the 2001 crop.



**Fruits: Production, price and value, Colorado, 1992-2002**

| Year                 | Bearing acres       | Yield per bearing acre | Production          |                              | Price per pound | Value of utilized production |
|----------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
|                      |                     |                        | Total <sup>1/</sup> | Utilized                     |                 |                              |
| <b>Apples</b>        |                     |                        |                     |                              |                 |                              |
|                      | Acres               | Pounds                 | Million Pounds      |                              | Cents           | 1,000 Dollars                |
| 1992 .....           | 4,000               | 22,500                 | 90.0                | 88.0                         | 14.50           | 12,768                       |
| 1993 .....           | 3,600               | 25,600                 | 92.0                | 90.0                         | 14.70           | 13,229                       |
| 1994 .....           | 3,400               | 25,000                 | 85.0                | 83.0                         | 15.70           | 13,007                       |
| 1995 .....           | 3,400               | 16,200                 | 55.0                | 51.0                         | 14.50           | 7,375                        |
| 1996 .....           | 3,400               | 7,350                  | 25.0                | 24.0                         | 20.20           | 4,837                        |
| 1997 .....           | 3,200               | 10,900                 | 35.0                | 34.0                         | 15.10           | 5,138                        |
| 1998 .....           | 3,000               | 21,700                 | 65.0                | 59.0                         | 11.90           | 7,031                        |
| 1999 .....           | 2,800               | 2,860                  | 8.0                 | 8.0                          | 21.80           | 1,740                        |
| 2000 .....           | 2,700               | 11,100                 | 30.0                | 27.0                         | 13.90           | 3,765                        |
| 2001 .....           | 2,200               | 10,500                 | 23.0                | 23.0                         | 20.80           | 4,784                        |
| 2002 .....           | 1,800               | 11,700                 | 21.0                | 20.0                         | 18.40           | 3,686                        |
| <b>Peaches</b>       |                     |                        |                     |                              |                 |                              |
|                      | Bearing acres       | Yield per bearing acre | Production          |                              | Price per pound | Value of utilized production |
|                      |                     |                        | Total <sup>1/</sup> | Utilized                     |                 |                              |
|                      | Acres               | Pounds                 | Million Pounds      |                              | Cents           | 1,000 Dollars                |
| 1992 .....           | 1,600               | 11,300                 | 18.0                | 15.5                         | 33.30           | 5,165                        |
| 1993 .....           | 1,700               | 10,600                 | 18.0                | 17.0                         | 31.10           | 5,287                        |
| 1994 .....           | 1,900               | 10,500                 | 20.0                | 18.0                         | 31.90           | 5,742                        |
| 1995 .....           | 1,900               | 8,950                  | 17.0                | 16.0                         | 49.60           | 7,932                        |
| 1996 .....           | 1,900               | 8,950                  | 17.0                | 16.0                         | 49.60           | 7,934                        |
| 1997 .....           | 1,900               | 3,680                  | 7.0                 | 6.5                          | 66.10           | 4,297                        |
| 1998 .....           | 1,900               | 10,500                 | 20.0                | 18.5                         | 48.80           | 9,036                        |
| 1999 .....           | 1,900               | 1,580                  | 3.0                 | 2.9                          | 64.00           | 1,855                        |
| 2000 .....           | 1,900               | 10,000                 | 19.0                | 17.0                         | 47.00           | 7,990                        |
| 2001 .....           | 1,900               | 9,470                  | 18.0                | 17.5                         | 54.00           | 9,450                        |
| 2002 .....           | 1,900               | 10,000                 | 19.0                | 18.5                         | 56.70           | 10,490                       |
| <b>Pears</b>         |                     |                        |                     |                              |                 |                              |
|                      | Production          |                        | Price Per Ton       | Value of Utilized Production |                 |                              |
|                      | Total <sup>1/</sup> | Utilized               |                     |                              |                 |                              |
|                      | Tons                | Dollars                | 1,000 Dollars       |                              |                 |                              |
| 1992 .....           | 4,000               | 4,000                  | 284.00              | 1,137                        |                 |                              |
| 1993 .....           | 5,000               | 4,800                  | 348.00              | 1,670                        |                 |                              |
| 1994 .....           | 4,200               | 4,100                  | 268.00              | 1,097                        |                 |                              |
| 1995 .....           | 2,900               | 2,800                  | 357.00              | 1,000                        |                 |                              |
| 1996 .....           | 1,200               | 1,100                  | 436.00              | 480                          |                 |                              |
| 1997 .....           | 2,600               | 2,580                  | 295.00              | 762                          |                 |                              |
| 1998 .....           | 3,500               | 3,325                  | 449.00              | 1,494                        |                 |                              |
| 1999 .....           | 500                 | 490                    | 657.00              | 322                          |                 |                              |
| 2000 .....           | 3,000               | 2,960                  | 375.00              | 1,111                        |                 |                              |
| 2001 .....           | 1,900               | 1,900                  | 500.00              | 950                          |                 |                              |
| 2002 .....           | 2,400               | 2,400                  | 576.00              | 1,383                        |                 |                              |
| <b>Tart Cherries</b> |                     |                        |                     |                              |                 |                              |
|                      | Production          |                        | Price Per Pound     | Value of Utilized Production |                 |                              |
|                      | Total <sup>1/</sup> | Utilized               |                     |                              |                 |                              |
|                      | Million Pounds      | Cents <sup>2/</sup>    | 1,000 Dollars       |                              |                 |                              |
| 1992 .....           | 1.5                 | 1.5                    | 36.50               | 547                          |                 |                              |
| 1993 .....           | 1.6                 | 0.9                    | 24.90               | 224                          |                 |                              |
| 1994 .....           | 1.5                 | 1.1                    | 35.50               | 390                          |                 |                              |
| 1995 .....           | 1.2                 | 1.0                    | 41.40               | 414                          |                 |                              |
| 1996 .....           | 1.0                 | 0.9                    | 47.30               | 426                          |                 |                              |
| 1997 .....           | 0.7                 | 0.6                    | 56.00               | 336                          |                 |                              |
| 1998 .....           | 1.3                 | 1.2                    | 30.70               | 368                          |                 |                              |
| 1999 .....           | 0.6                 | 0.6                    | 30.30               | 182                          |                 |                              |
| 2000 .....           | 0.9                 | 0.8                    | 26.50               | 212                          |                 |                              |
| 2001 .....           | 0.6                 | 0.6                    | 33.30               | 200                          |                 |                              |
| 2002 .....           | 0.3                 | 0.3                    | 40.00               | 120                          |                 |                              |

<sup>1/</sup> In certain years, production includes some quantities not harvested because of economic conditions which are excluded in computing values.

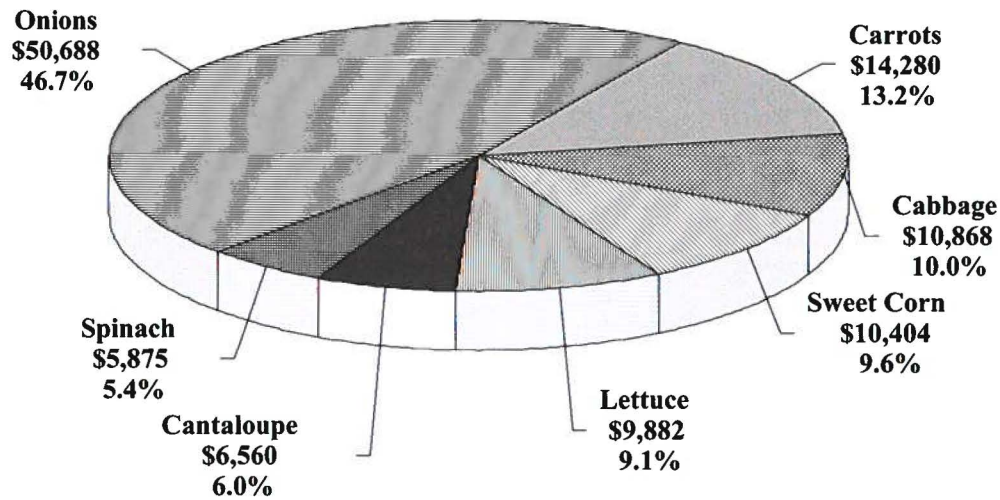
<sup>2/</sup> Beginning in 1998, price excludes any value added ingredients, processing or alteration of the raw product.



## Colorado Vegetable Crops – 2002

### Value of Production and Percent of Total

(Value in \$1,000)



### VEGETABLE CROPS - 2002

Vegetable growers in Colorado harvested 9.39 million cwt of produce from seven fresh market crops during 2002 which had a total value of \$108.6 million. This was up 10 percent from the \$98.3 million received for the 9.52 million cwt of vegetables produced from the same crops in 2001. Production was higher than the previous year for all crops except carrots and sweet corn. Acreage and production estimates are prepared for only seven vegetable crops. Numerous other vegetable crops are produced in the state but are not surveyed for acreage and production data.

**Dry storage onions** continue to be the leading vegetable crop produced in the state. The total output from the 2002 crop totaled 4.4 million cwt, up 6 percent from the previous year. The harvested area declined 8 percent to 11,000 acres but the average yield of 400 cwt per acre was 55 cwt above the 2001 average. The quantity of onions expected to be marketed had an estimated value of \$50.7 million compared with \$43.2 million received for the 2001 crop. Onions represented 47 percent of the total production and 47 percent of the total value from the seven crops.

**Carrots**, the second largest vegetable crop produced in the state, accounted for 15 percent of the total production and 13 percent of the total value. Production declined 34 percent from 2001 to 1.4 million cwt. The 2,800 acres harvested was down 12 percent, and the average yield of 500 cwt per acre declined 160 cwt per acre from the previous year. Value of the 2002 crop, at \$14.3 million, was 32 percent below a year earlier.

**Cabbage** was the third leading vegetable crop, accounting for 12 percent of the total production and 10 percent of the total value. Harvested acreage was up 18 percent to 2,600 acres; average yields declined 10 cwt per acre to 440 cwt per acre; production increased 16 percent to 1.14 million cwt; but with better prices than the previous year, the total value of the crop was up 26 percent to \$10.87 million.

**Sweet corn** ranked fourth in production and fourth in value. Production declined 8 percent from 2001 to 1.02 million cwt as a 600 acre increase in acreage harvested was more than offset by lower per acre yields. The value of production, at \$10.4 million, was up 22 percent from a year earlier as sharply higher prices received for the 2002 crop more than offset the smaller production.

**Lettuce** had the fifth highest production and ranked fifth in value of production. Production increased 16 percent from year earlier to 810,000 cwt. In addition, the value of production, at \$9.88 million, was 18 percent above the previous year as growers received higher prices in 2002.

**Cantaloupe** ranked sixth in both production and value. Harvested area was down 6 percent; per acre yields increased 9 percent; production was up 2 percent to 400,000 cwt; and value was up 10 percent to \$6.56 million. **Spinach** placed seventh with total production increasing to 216,000 cwt. The 1,800 acres harvested was 600 acres above 2001 and the average yield of 120 cwt per acre was up sharply. Even with lower prices, value of production more than doubled last year to \$5.88 million.

**Vegetables: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1992-2002**

| Year              | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Value per unit | Total value          |
|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| <b>Cabbage</b>    |                 |                   |                |                  |                |                      |
|                   | <b>Acres</b>    | <b>Acres</b>      | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1992 .....        | 1,300           | 1,200             | 330            | 396              | 5.90           | 2,336                |
| 1993 .....        | 1,600           | 1,400             | 390            | 546              | 8.90           | 4,859                |
| 1994 .....        | 1,800           | 1,700             | 480            | 816              | 7.80           | 6,365                |
| 1995 .....        | 2,100           | 1,900             | 300            | 570              | 6.20           | 3,534                |
| 1996 .....        | 2,300           | 2,200             | 390            | 858              | 8.50           | 7,293                |
| 1997 .....        | 2,300           | 2,100             | 390            | 819              | 7.20           | 5,897                |
| 1998 .....        | 2,400           | 2,300             | 400            | 920              | 8.20           | 7,544                |
| 1999 .....        | 2,200           | 1,900             | 360            | 684              | 8.40           | 5,746                |
| 2000 .....        | 2,300           | 2,000             | 470            | 940              | 8.10           | 7,614                |
| 2001 .....        | 2,400           | 2,200             | 450            | 990              | 8.70           | 8,613                |
| 2002 .....        | 2,800           | 2,600             | 440            | 1,144            | 9.50           | 10,868               |
| <b>Cantaloupe</b> |                 |                   |                |                  |                |                      |
|                   | <b>Acres</b>    | <b>Acres</b>      | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1992 .....        | 1,300           | 1,200             | 90             | 108              | 10.00          | 1,080                |
| 1993 .....        | 1,700           | 1,600             | 150            | 240              | 9.70           | 2,328                |
| 1994 .....        | 2,000           | 1,800             | 180            | 324              | 12.80          | 4,147                |
| 1995 .....        | 2,000           | 1,800             | 120            | 216              | 12.30          | 2,657                |
| 1996 .....        | 2,000           | 1,700             | 200            | 340              | 10.80          | 3,672                |
| 1997 .....        | 2,000           | 1,600             | 220            | 352              | 15.00          | 5,280                |
| 1998 .....        | 2,200           | 1,900             | 160            | 304              | 13.40          | 4,074                |
| 1999 .....        | 2,100           | 1,900             | 180            | 342              | 13.60          | 4,651                |
| 2000 .....        | 1,800           | 1,500             | 240            | 360              | 13.30          | 4,788                |
| 2001 .....        | 1,800           | 1,700             | 230            | 391              | 15.30          | 5,982                |
| 2002 .....        | 1,700           | 1,600             | 250            | 400              | 16.40          | 6,560                |
| <b>Carrots</b>    |                 |                   |                |                  |                |                      |
|                   | <b>Acres</b>    | <b>Acres</b>      | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1992 .....        | 2,700           | 2,600             | 365            | 949              | 10.60          | 10,059               |
| 1993 .....        | 3,300           | 2,800             | 380            | 1,064            | 8.60           | 9,150                |
| 1994 .....        | 3,500           | 3,100             | 380            | 1,178            | 10.00          | 11,780               |
| 1995 .....        | 4,000           | 3,600             | 475            | 1,710            | 13.50          | 23,085               |
| 1996 .....        | 4,300           | 4,100             | 350            | 1,435            | 7.10           | 10,189               |
| 1997 .....        | 5,400           | 4,800             | 500            | 2,400            | 10.00          | 24,000               |
| 1998 .....        | 4,400           | 4,000             | 400            | 1,600            | 10.60          | 16,960               |
| 1999 .....        | 3,900           | 3,700             | 500            | 1,850            | 9.70           | 17,945               |
| 2000 .....        | 4,300           | 4,100             | 550            | 2,255            | 9.60           | 21,648               |
| 2001 .....        | 3,700           | 3,200             | 660            | 2,112            | 10.00          | 21,120               |
| 2002 .....        | 3,300           | 2,800             | 500            | 1,400            | 10.20          | 14,280               |
| <b>Lettuce</b>    |                 |                   |                |                  |                |                      |
|                   | <b>Acres</b>    | <b>Acres</b>      | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1992 .....        | 3,600           | 3,400             | 300            | 1,020            | 15.80          | 16,116               |
| 1993 .....        | 3,700           | 3,600             | 290            | 1,044            | 10.80          | 11,275               |
| 1994 .....        | 3,600           | 2,800             | 280            | 784              | 8.89           | 6,970                |
| 1995 .....        | 4,100           | 3,300             | 260            | 858              | 7.65           | 6,564                |
| 1996 .....        | 2,900           | 2,700             | 220            | 594              | 7.00           | 4,158                |
| 1997 .....        | 2,500           | 2,300             | 330            | 759              | 14.60          | 11,081               |
| 1998 .....        | 2,800           | 2,700             | 320            | 864              | 10.80          | 9,331                |
| 1999 .....        | 2,100           | 2,000             | 340            | 680              | 9.80           | 6,664                |
| 2000 .....        | 2,000           | 2,000             | 340            | 680              | 16.00          | 10,880               |
| 2001 .....        | 2,100           | 2,000             | 350            | 700              | 12.00          | 8,400                |
| 2002 .....        | 2,800           | 2,700             | 300            | 810              | 12.20          | 9,882                |



**Vegetables: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1992-2002**

| Year                               | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Value per unit | Total value          |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| <b>Spinach</b>                     |                 |                   |                |                  |                |                      |
|                                    | <b>Acres</b>    | <b>Acres</b>      | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1992 .....                         | 3,300           | 2,600             | 100            | 260              | 26.10          | 6,786                |
| 1993 .....                         | 3,600           | 3,500             | 100            | 350              | 29.10          | 10,185               |
| 1994 .....                         | 3,600           | 3,400             | 85             | 289              | 30.00          | 8,670                |
| 1995 .....                         | 3,000           | 2,700             | 75             | 203              | 25.00          | 5,075                |
| 1996 .....                         | 2,800           | 2,500             | 60             | 150              | 28.60          | 4,290                |
| 1997 .....                         | 2,900           | 2,000             | 52             | 104              | 32.00          | 3,328                |
| 1998 .....                         | 2,000           | 1,900             | 50             | 95               | 40.00          | 3,800                |
| 1999 .....                         | 2,000           | 1,800             | 80             | 144              | 26.40          | 3,802                |
| 2000 .....                         | 1,600           | 1,400             | 70             | 98               | 32.00          | 3,136                |
| 2001 .....                         | 1,600           | 1,200             | 70             | 84               | 30.00          | 2,520                |
| 2002 .....                         | 1,900           | 1,800             | 120            | 216              | 27.20          | 5,875                |
| <b>Sweet Corn for Fresh Market</b> |                 |                   |                |                  |                |                      |
|                                    | <b>Acres</b>    | <b>Acres</b>      | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |
| 1992 .....                         | 4,100           | 3,900             | 190            | 741              | 6.30           | 4,668                |
| 1993 .....                         | 4,500           | 4,300             | 160            | 688              | 10.50          | 7,224                |
| 1994 .....                         | 5,000           | 4,800             | 140            | 672              | 10.80          | 7,258                |
| 1995 .....                         | 5,000           | 4,500             | 150            | 675              | 8.60           | 5,805                |
| 1996 .....                         | 5,700           | 5,600             | 165            | 924              | 9.20           | 8,501                |
| 1997 .....                         | 6,500           | 6,300             | 165            | 1,040            | 8.70           | 9,048                |
| 1998 .....                         | 7,300           | 6,900             | 160            | 1,104            | 11.00          | 12,144               |
| 1999 .....                         | 7,400           | 6,700             | 160            | 1,072            | 7.30           | 7,826                |
| 2000 .....                         | 7,800           | 7,700             | 130            | 1,001            | 12.20          | 12,212               |
| 2001 .....                         | 8,300           | 7,900             | 140            | 1,106            | 7.70           | 8,516                |
| 2002 .....                         | 8,800           | 8,500             | 120            | 1,020            | 10.20          | 10,404               |

**Onions: Acreage, production and value, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year       | Acreage planted | Acreage harvested | Yield per acre | Production       | Loss             | Sales          | Value per cwt        | Total value |
|------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------------|-------------|
|            | <b>Acres</b>    | <b>Acres</b>      | <b>Cwt</b>     | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>1,000 Cwt</b> | <b>Dollars</b> | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |             |
| 1986 ..... | 11,800          | 10,800            | 425            | 4,590            | 840              | 3,750          | 13.00                | 48,750      |
| 1987 ..... | 13,300          | 12,500            | 375            | 4,688            | 775              | 3,913          | 11.50                | 45,000      |
| 1988 ..... | 13,800          | 13,500            | 410            | 5,535            | 996              | 4,539          | 12.30                | 55,830      |
| 1989 ..... | 14,000          | 13,800            | 400            | 5,520            | 994              | 4,526          | 12.90                | 58,385      |
| 1990 ..... | 13,800          | 13,500            | 380            | 5,130            | 1,280            | 3,850          | 11.10                | 42,735      |
| 1991 ..... | 13,500          | 12,700            | 390            | 4,953            | 743              | 4,210          | 12.40                | 52,204      |
| 1992 ..... | 14,500          | 14,000            | 390            | 5,460            | 1,530            | 3,930          | 14.70                | 57,771      |
| 1993 ..... | 16,000          | 15,500            | 370            | 5,735            | 1,035            | 4,700          | 21.70                | 101,990     |
| 1994 ..... | 18,000          | 17,500            | 350            | 6,125            | 1,040            | 5,085          | 13.20                | 67,122      |
| 1995 ..... | 19,000          | 17,800            | 345            | 6,141            | 1,290            | 4,851          | 11.20                | 54,331      |
| 1996 ..... | 18,000          | 16,000            | 325            | 5,200            | 1,404            | 3,796          | 13.60                | 51,626      |
| 1997 ..... | 18,000          | 15,300            | 350            | 5,355            | 1,178            | 3,963          | 12.50                | 49,538      |
| 1998 ..... | 16,500          | 16,000            | 380            | 6,080            | 1,090            | 4,990          | 16.20                | 80,838      |
| 1999 ..... | 15,500          | 14,500            | 375            | 5,438            | 1,767            | 3,671          | 11.20                | 41,115      |
| 2000 ..... | 12,000          | 11,500            | 355            | 4,083            | 700              | 3,383          | 13.40                | 45,332      |
| 2001 ..... | 14,000          | 12,000            | 345            | 4,140            | 660              | 3,480          | 12.40                | 43,152      |
| 2002 ..... | 12,500          | 11,000            | 400            | 4,400            | 880              | 3,520          | 14.40                | 50,688      |

**Field Crops: Usual planting and harvesting dates, Colorado**

| Crop              | Usual planting dates | Usual harvesting dates |                    |          | Principal producing districts <sup>1/</sup> |
|-------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|----------|---|
|                   |                      | Begin                  | Most active        | End      |   |
| <b>Barley:</b>    |                      |                        |                    |          |   |
| Fall sown .....   | Sept. 1 - Oct. 15    | June 20                | July 1 - July 20   | Aug. 5   | 20, 60, 90                                  |
| Spring sown ..... | Mar. 15 - Apr. 30    | June 20                | July 5 - Sept. 10  | Sept. 20 | 10, 20, 70, 80                              |
| Beans, dry .....  | May 20 - July 1      | Aug. 25                | Sept. 5 - Sept. 15 | Oct. 10  | 20, 60, 70, 90                              |
| <b>Corn:</b>      |                      |                        |                    |          |   |
| Grain .....       | Apr. 15 - June 1     | Oct. 1                 | Oct. 10 - Nov. 20  | Dec. 1   | 20, 60, 70, 90                              |
| Silage .....      | Apr. 15 - June 1     | Aug. 25                | Sept. 1 - Sept. 25 | Oct. 10  | 20, 60, 70, 90                              |
| <b>Hay:</b>       |                      |                        |                    |          |   |
| Alfalfa .....     | ...                  | May 15                 | June 5 - Sept. 25  | Oct. 10  | Statewide                                   |
| Other .....       | ...                  | July 1                 | July 5 - Aug. 10   | Sept. 25 | Statewide                                   |
| Oats .....        | Mar. 20 - May 5      | July 15                | July 25 - Aug. 30  | Sept. 20 | Statewide                                   |
| <b>Potatoes:</b>  |                      |                        |                    |          |   |
| Fall .....        | Apr. 25 - May 25     | Sept. 15               | Oct. 1 - Oct. 10   | Oct. 20  | 80  |
| Summer .....      | Apr. 5 - May 10      | July 25                | Aug. 15 - Sept. 25 | Oct. 20  | 20  |
| <b>Sorghum:</b>   |                      |                        |                    |          |   |
| Grain .....       | May 5 - June 20      | Oct. 1                 | Oct. 10 - Nov. 15  | Nov. 25  | 60, 90                                      |
| Silage .....      | May 5 - June 20      | Sept. 1                | Sept. 5 - Sept. 20 | Oct. 1   | 60, 90                                      |
| Sugar beets ..... | Apr. 1 - May 25      | Oct. 1                 | Oct. 15 - Nov. 5   | Nov. 20  | 20  |
| Sunflower .....   | May 20 - June 10     | Sept. 10               | Sept. 20 - Oct. 10 | Oct. 30  | 20, 60                                      |
| <b>Wheat:</b>     |                      |                        |                    |          |   |
| Winter .....      | Aug. 20 - Oct. 10    | June 25                | July 10 - July 20  | Sept. 5  | 20, 60, 90                                  |
| Spring .....      | Mar. 25 - May 20     | July 15                | Aug. 5 - Sept. 25  | Oct. 1   | 10, 80                                      |

<sup>1/</sup> See footnotes at bottom of page.

**Fruit Crops: Usual bloom and harvest dates, Colorado**

| Crop                 | Usual blooming dates | Usual harvesting dates |                    |          | Principal producing counties |
|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|----------|------------------------------|
|                      |                      | Begin                  | Most active        | End      |                              |
| Apples .....         | Apr. 20 - May 10     | Aug. 5                 | Sept. 10 - Oct. 10 | Nov. 5   | Delta, Mesa                  |
| Peaches .....        | Apr. 5 - Apr. 25     | Aug. 5                 | Aug. 20 - Sept. 5  | Sept. 20 | Mesa, Delta                  |
| Pears .....          | Apr. 20 - May 5      | Aug. 10                | Aug. 15 - Sept. 10 | Sept. 20 | Mesa, Delta                  |
| Cherries, Tart ..... | Apr. 30              | July 5                 | July 20 - July 30  | Aug. 5   | Delta, Mesa                  |

**Vegetable Crops: Usual planting and harvesting dates, Colorado**

| Crop             | Usual planting dates | Usual harvesting dates |                    |          | Principal producing districts <sup>1/</sup> |
|------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|----------|---|
|                  |                      | Begin                  | Most active        | End      |   |
| Cabbage .....    | Apr. 5 - June 1      | July 15                | Aug. 1 - Sept. 30  | Nov. 1   | 20, 60, 90                                  |
| Cantaloupe ..... | May 1 - May 20       | Aug. 1                 | Aug. 10 - Aug. 30  | Sept. 30 | 90  |
| Carrots .....    | Apr. 1 - July 5      | Aug. 1                 | Aug. 15 - Nov. 30  | Dec. 5   | 20, 60, 80                                  |
| Lettuce .....    | Mar. 20 - July 10    | June 10                | June 15 - Sept. 15 | Oct. 1   | 20, 60, 70, 80                              |
| Onions .....     | Mar. 10 - Apr. 30    | July 10                | Aug. 1 - Sept. 30  | Oct. 31  | 20, 70, 90                                  |
| Spinach .....    | Apr. 1 - Aug. 1      | June 20                | July 20 - Sept. 1  | Sept. 30 | 20, 60, 80                                  |
| Sweet corn ..... | Apr. 1 - June 30     | July 10                | July 20 - Sept. 20 | Oct. 5   | 20, 60, 70, 90                              |

<sup>1/</sup> For Districts, see map on inside of front cover as follows:

10-Northwest and Mountains; 20-Northeast; 60-East Central; 70-Southwest; 80-San Luis Valley; 90-Southeast.



**Floriculture: Production, sales, and value for operations with \$100,000 + sales, Colorado, 2001 1/**

| Kind                                     | Number of producers | Sales   |             |                               | Wholesale price 3/ | Value of sales at wholesale 4/ |
|--|---------------------|---------|-------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|
|  |                     | Unit    | Number sold | Percent of sales at wholesale |                    |                                |
|  | Number              | 1,000   | 1,000       | Percent                       | Dollars            | 1,000 Dollars                  |
| <b>Cut Flowers</b> .....                 | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>6,442</b>                   |
| Alstroemeria .....                       | 8                   | Stems   | 1,932       | 99                            | .316               | 611                            |
| Carnations, Standard .....               | 4                   | Stems   | 1,668       | 99                            | .234               | 390                            |
| Iris .....                               | 5                   | Stems   | 71          | 49                            | .414               | 29                             |
| Lilies, All .....                        | 7                   | Stems   | 1,525       | 99                            | .734               | 1,119                          |
| Roses, All .....                         | 8                   | Stems   | 6,062       | 99                            | .365               | 2,213                          |
| Snapdragons .....                        | 9                   | Spikes  | 949         | 99                            | .413               | 392                            |
| Others .....                             | 12                  | ...     | ...         | 96                            | ...                | 1,482                          |
| <b>Potted Flowering Plants</b> .....     | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>10,056</b>                  |
| African Violets .....                    | 7                   | Pots    | 39          | 99                            | 1.77               | 69                             |
| Azaleas, Finished Florist .....          | 8                   | Pots    | 35          | 96                            | 6.83               | 239                            |
| Chrysanthemums, Florist .....            | 6                   | Pots    | 59          | 100                           | 4.32               | 255                            |
| Easter Lilies .....                      | 12                  | Pots    | 216         | 99                            | 4.30               | 929                            |
| Poinsettias .....                        | 30                  | Pots    | 1,525       | 97                            | 4.58               | 6,988                          |
| Roses, Florist .....                     | 4                   | Pots    | 6           | 100                           | 4.00               | 24                             |
| Spring Flowering Bulbs .....             | 10                  | Pots    | 107         | 99                            | 3.20               | 342                            |
| Others .....                             | 18                  | Pots    | 516         | 95                            | 2.34               | 1,210                          |
| <b>Foliage Plants</b> .....              | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>546</b>                     |
| Hanging Baskets .....                    | 11                  | Baskets | 23          | 97                            | 5.80               | 133                            |
| Potted Foliage .....                     | 8                   | ...     | ...         | 91                            | ...                | 413                            |
| <b>Total Bedding/Garden Plants</b> ..... | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>48,207</b>                  |
| Herbaceous Perennials .....              | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | 8,335                          |
| Chrysanthemums, Hardy/Garden ..          | 25                  | Pots    | 1,400       | 99                            | 1.25               | 1,743                          |
| Potted Hosta .....                       | ...                 | Pots    | ...         | ...                           | ...                | ...                            |
| Others .....                             | 30                  | Pots    | 3,122       | 85                            | 2.08               | 6,487                          |
| Annual Bedding/Garden Plants .....       | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | 39,872                         |
| Flats:                                   |                     |         |             |                               |                    |                                |
| Begonias .....                           | 19                  | Flats   | 89          | 88                            | 9.18               | 817                            |
| Geraniums (Vegetative Cuttings)          | 10                  | Flats   | 51          | 98                            | 10.60              | 541                            |
| Impatiens .....                          | 32                  | Flats   | 106         | 93                            | 11.40              | 1,208                          |
| Marigolds .....                          | 29                  | Flats   | 100         | 91                            | 10.02              | 1,002                          |
| New Guinea Impatiens .....               | 8                   | Flats   | 13          | 97                            | 9.33               | 47                             |
| Pansy/Viola .....                        | 30                  | Flats   | 244         | 93                            | 11.94              | 2,913                          |
| Petunias .....                           | 39                  | Flats   | 391         | 91                            | 9.97               | 3,898                          |
| Other (Incl. Foliar) .....               | 42                  | Flats   | 1,077       | 92                            | 9.73               | 10,479                         |
| Vegetable Type .....                     | 34                  | Flats   | 131         | 78                            | 9.78               | 1,281                          |
| Potted:                                  |                     |         |             |                               |                    |                                |
| Begonias .....                           | 18                  | Pots    | 112         | 92                            | 2.04               | 229                            |
| Geraniums (Cutting) .....                | 45                  | Pots    | 1,418       | 83                            | 2.56               | 3,628                          |
| Impatiens .....                          | 11                  | Pots    | 120         | 98                            | 1.33               | 160                            |
| New Guinea Impatiens .....               | 26                  | Pots    | 176         | 66                            | 2.10               | 369                            |
| Petunias .....                           | 12                  | Pots    | 291         | 100                           | 1.82               | 530                            |
| Other (Incl. Foliar) .....               | 38                  | Pots    | 2,935       | 93                            | 1.83               | 5,360                          |
| Vegetable Type .....                     | 27                  | Pots    | 1,333       | 79                            | .99                | 1,322                          |
| Flowering Hanging Baskets:               |                     |         |             |                               |                    |                                |
| Begonia .....                            | 21                  | Baskets | 59          | 89                            | 9.76               | 576                            |
| Geraniums (Cuttings) .....               | 36                  | Baskets | 71          | 87                            | 8.42               | 598                            |
| Impatiens .....                          | 28                  | Baskets | 21          | 88                            | 7.61               | 160                            |
| Petunias .....                           | 29                  | Baskets | 57          | 88                            | 7.04               | 401                            |
| Other .....                              | 39                  | Baskets | 349         | 94                            | 7.54               | 2,631                          |
| <b>Total All Plants 3/</b> .....         | <b>71</b>           | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>65,251</b>                  |

1/ The data in the table represents production and sales only from operations with sales of \$100,000 or more. During 2001, there were 134 operations that had sales of \$10,000 or more. The **total covered growing area** for all 134 operations of 10,395,000 square feet consisted of the following: 471,000 square feet of glass; 7,053,000 square feet of fiberglass and other rigid greenhouses; 2,707,000 square feet of film plastic (single/multiple) greenhouses; 164,000 square feet of shade and temporary cover. In addition, plants were produced on 59 acres of **open ground**. The estimated value of sales at wholesale from all 134 operations totaled \$86,240,000 in 2001.

2/ For potted plants, price represents a weighted average for plants sold in pots less than 5 inches and in pots 5 inches or more.

3/ Value based on equivalent wholesale value of all sales for all crops except potted foliage plants which are based on net value of sales.

4/ The sum of the values for individual items may not add to the group total because some data is not published separately to avoid disclosure.

**Floriculture: Production, sales, and value for operations with \$100,000 + sales, Colorado, 2002 1/**

| Kind                                     | Number of producers | Sales   |             |                               | Wholesale price 3/ | Value of sales at wholesale 4/ |
|--|---------------------|---------|-------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|
|  |                     | Unit    | Number sold | Percent of sales at wholesale |                    |                                |
|  | Number              | 1,000   | 1,000       | Percent                       | Dollars            | 1,000 Dollars                  |
| <b>Cut Flowers</b> .....                 | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>5,015</b>                   |
| Alstroemeria .....                       | 7                   | Stems   | 1,427       | 97                            | .382               | 545                            |
| Carnations, Standard .....               | 4                   | Stems   | 1,608       | 98                            | .271               | 436                            |
| Lilies, All .....                        | 5                   | Stems   | 949         | 96                            | .820               | 778                            |
| Roses, All .....                         | 6                   | Stems   | 3,214       | 99                            | .345               | 1,109                          |
| Snapdragons .....                        | 5                   | Spikes  | 529         | 99                            | .370               | 196                            |
| Tulips .....                             | 3                   | Stems   | 15          | 34                            | .378               | 6                              |
| Others .....                             | 10                  | ...     | ...         | 95                            | ...                | 1,589                          |
| <b>Potted Flowering Plants</b> .....     | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>9,380</b>                   |
| African Violets .....                    | 7                   | Pots    | 49          | 99                            | 1.63               | 80                             |
| Azaleas, Finished Florist .....          | 7                   | Pots    | 20          | 98                            | 8.54               | 171                            |
| Chrysanthemums, Florist .....            | 4                   | Pots    | 56          | 100                           | 4.33               | 242                            |
| Easter Lilies .....                      | 9                   | Pots    | 133         | 100                           | 4.44               | 591                            |
| Poinsettias .....                        | 28                  | Pots    | 1,785       | 98                            | 4.17               | 7,444                          |
| Spring Flowering Bulbs .....             | 9                   | Pots    | 62          | 99                            | 3.92               | 243                            |
| Others .....                             | 15                  | Pots    | 157         | 91                            | 3.77               | 592                            |
| <b>Foliage Plants</b> .....              | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>520</b>                     |
| Hanging Baskets .....                    | 14                  | Baskets | 36          | 92                            | 6.27               | 226                            |
| Potted Foliage .....                     | 7                   | ...     | ...         | 87                            | ...                | 294                            |
| <b>Total Bedding/Garden Plants</b> ..... | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>55,237</b>                  |
| Herbaceous Perennials .....              | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | 9,109                          |
| Chrysanthemums, Hardy/Garden ..          | 27                  | Pots    | 1,204       | 99                            | 1.47               | 1,766                          |
| Potted Hosta .....                       | 20                  | Pots    | 77          | 93                            | 3.70               | 285                            |
| Others .....                             | 25                  | Pots    | 4,030       | 86                            | 1.75               | 7,058                          |
| Annual Bedding/Garden Plants .....       | ...                 | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | 46,128                         |
| Flats:                                   |                     |         |             |                               |                    |                                |
| Begonias .....                           | 19                  | Flats   | 23          | 95                            | 10.08              | 232                            |
| Geraniums (From Seed) .....              | 9                   | Flats   | 81          | 98                            | 11.70              | 948                            |
| Geraniums (Vegetative Cuttings)          | 6                   | Flats   | 45          | 100                           | 11.60              | 522                            |
| Impatiens .....                          | 32                  | Flats   | 112         | 95                            | 10.77              | 1,206                          |
| Marigolds .....                          | 30                  | Flats   | 117         | 94                            | 10.07              | 1,178                          |
| New Guinea Impatiens .....               | 7                   | Flats   | 13          | 99                            | 11.30              | 147                            |
| Pansy/Viola .....                        | 33                  | Flats   | 278         | 94                            | 10.29              | 2,861                          |
| Petunias .....                           | 38                  | Flats   | 438         | 92                            | 9.98               | 4,371                          |
| Other (Incl. Foliar) .....               | 37                  | Flats   | 1,287       | 94                            | 9.59               | 12,342                         |
| Vegetable Type .....                     | 33                  | Flats   | 123         | 84                            | 10.31              | 1,268                          |
| Potted:                                  |                     |         |             |                               |                    |                                |
| Begonias .....                           | 15                  | Pots    | 110         | 93                            | 1.85               | 203                            |
| Geraniums (Cutting) .....                | 45                  | Pots    | 1,829       | 87                            | 2.66               | 4,869                          |
| Impatiens .....                          | 8                   | Pots    | 72          | 98                            | 1.07               | 77                             |
| New Guinea Impatiens .....               | 23                  | Pots    | 176         | 87                            | 2.75               | 484                            |
| Other (Incl. Foliar) .....               | 25                  | Pots    | 2,508       | 94                            | 1.96               | 4,906                          |
| Vegetable Type .....                     | 25                  | Pots    | 1,212       | 79                            | 1.24               | 1,505                          |
| Flowering Hanging Baskets:               |                     |         |             |                               |                    |                                |
| Begonia .....                            | 15                  | Baskets | 8           | 75                            | 9.83               | 79                             |
| Geraniums (Cuttings) .....               | 28                  | Baskets | 130         | 94                            | 7.62               | 991                            |
| Impatiens .....                          | 22                  | Baskets | 23          | 91                            | 7.58               | 174                            |
| Petunias .....                           | 24                  | Baskets | 81          | 90                            | 7.10               | 575                            |
| Other .....                              | 31                  | Baskets | 488         | 96                            | 9.09               | 4,436                          |
| <b>Total All Plants 3/</b> .....         | 63                  | ...     | ...         | ...                           | ...                | <b>70,152</b>                  |

1/ The data in the table represents production and sales only from operations with sales of \$100,000 or more. During 2002, there were 122 operations that had sales of \$10,000 or more. The **total covered growing area** for all 122 operations of 10,619,000 square feet consisted of the following: 732,000 square feet of glass; 6,834,000 square feet of fiberglass and other rigid greenhouses; 2,900,000 square feet of film plastic (single/multiple) greenhouses; 153,000 square feet of shade and temporary cover. In addition, plants were produced on 57 acres of **open ground**. The estimated value of sales at wholesale from all 122 operations totaled \$89,636,000 in 2002.

2/ For potted plants, price represents a weighted average for plants sold in pots less than 5 inches and in pots 5 inches or more.

3/ Value based on equivalent wholesale value of all sales for all crops except potted foliage plants which are based on net value of sales.

4/ The sum of the values for individual items may not add to the group total because some data is not published separately to avoid disclosure.



**Farm income indicators, Colorado, 1996-2001 1/**

| Item  | 1996                    | 1997      | 1998      | 1999      | 2000      | 2001      |
|---|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|   | <b>Thousand Dollars</b> |           |           |           |           |           |
| <b>Total Agricultural Sector Output</b> ..... | 4,875,883               | 5,017,488 | 5,069,155 | 5,173,840 | 5,338,927 | 5,444,363 |
| Final Crop Output .....                       | 1,547,831               | 1,527,769 | 1,542,455 | 1,363,481 | 1,221,204 | 1,379,829 |
| Final Animal Output .....                     | 2,820,590               | 2,959,708 | 2,810,214 | 2,952,097 | 3,374,237 | 3,301,746 |
| Services and Forestry .....                   | 446,102                 | 466,271   | 569,539   | 590,556   | 504,757   | 552,950   |
| Net Government Transactions .....             | 61,360                  | 63,740    | 146,947   | 267,706   | 238,729   | 209,838   |
| <b>Total Production Expenses</b> .....        | 4,144,176               | 4,313,623 | 4,230,054 | 4,263,531 | 4,646,334 | 4,454,682 |
| Intermediate Consumption Outlays .....        | 3,147,219               | 3,272,901 | 3,197,057 | 3,204,589 | 3,567,840 | 3,373,715 |
| Farm Origin .....                             | 1,869,168               | 1,929,249 | 1,826,023 | 1,833,971 | 2,126,121 | 1,969,994 |
| Feed Purchased .....                          | 749,811                 | 761,777   | 730,371   | 646,438   | 727,853   | 692,722   |
| Livestock and Poultry Purchased .....         | 1,026,642               | 1,064,875 | 998,601   | 1,080,777 | 1,292,899 | 1,174,675 |
| Seed Purchased .....                          | 92,715                  | 102,597   | 97,051    | 106,756   | 105,369   | 102,597   |
| Manufactured Inputs .....                     | 404,600                 | 404,964   | 396,522   | 392,976   | 428,223   | 417,716   |
| Fertilizers & Lime .....                      | 115,757                 | 131,382   | 128,184   | 127,149   | 114,489   | 110,736   |
| Pesticides .....                              | 73,369                  | 82,318    | 86,237    | 81,338    | 84,277    | 80,358    |
| Petroleum Fuel and Oils .....                 | 118,244                 | 123,211   | 111,049   | 112,519   | 160,096   | 149,763   |
| Electricity .....                             | 97,230                  | 68,053    | 71,052    | 71,970    | 69,361    | 76,859    |
| Other Intermediate Expenses .....             | 873,451                 | 938,688   | 974,512   | 977,652   | 1,013,496 | 986,005   |
| Repair & Maintenance .....                    | 175,735                 | 165,924   | 173,839   | 174,653   | 181,940   | 181,222   |
| Machine Hire & Custom Work .....              | 70,602                  | 79,440    | 93,404    | 91,574    | 95,744    | 92,874    |
| Marketing, Storage, & Transportation ..       | 112,069                 | 156,247   | 145,228   | 135,663   | 155,579   | 121,259   |
| Contract Labor .....                          | 24,710                  | 26,099    | 23,618    | 23,899    | 30,816    | 24,310    |
| Miscellaneous Other .....                     | 490,335                 | 510,978   | 538,423   | 551,853   | 549,417   | 566,340   |
| Factor Payments .....                         | 663,340                 | 691,889   | 680,606   | 708,189   | 725,132   | 719,126   |
| Employee Compensation (Hired Labor) ...       | 277,361                 | 308,640   | 312,108   | 320,352   | 349,514   | 343,505   |
| Net Rent to Non-Operator Landlords .....      | 139,732                 | 132,212   | 117,126   | 134,317   | 113,148   | 118,470   |
| Real Estate/Non-Real Estate Interest .....    | 246,247                 | 251,037   | 251,372   | 253,520   | 262,470   | 257,151   |
| Capital Consumption .....                     | 333,617                 | 348,833   | 352,392   | 350,753   | 353,362   | 361,841   |
| <b>Net Farm Income</b> .....                  | 731,707                 | 703,865   | 839,101   | 910,309   | 692,593   | 989,681   |
| <b>Number of Farms</b> .....                  | 29,500                  | 29,500    | 29,500    | 29,000    | 29,500    | 30,000    |

1/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

**Farm balance sheet, Colorado, December 31, 1996-2001 1/**

| Item                                | 1996                    | 1997       | 1998       | 1999       | 2000       | 2001       |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                                     | <b>Thousand Dollars</b> |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>Total Farm Assets</b> .....      | 21,850,031              | 23,033,458 | 22,886,446 | 24,476,237 | 25,296,166 | 25,538,342 |
| Real Estate .....                   | 16,931,743              | 17,571,573 | 17,690,249 | 18,868,378 | 19,572,422 | 19,805,024 |
| Livestock & Poultry 2/ .....        | 1,927,443               | 2,220,055  | 1,949,713  | 2,357,823  | 2,414,064  | 2,318,663  |
| Machinery & Motor Vehicles 3/ ..... | 1,352,791               | 1,491,821  | 1,510,095  | 1,487,715  | 1,532,900  | 1,579,118  |
| Crops 4/ .....                      | 416,769                 | 471,312    | 404,469    | 456,311    | 410,276    | 433,800    |
| Purchased Inputs .....              | 91,339                  | 102,615    | 105,463    | 84,298     | 102,517    | 88,208     |
| Financial .....                     | 1,129,946               | 1,176,082  | 1,226,457  | 1,221,712  | 1,263,987  | 1,313,529  |
| <b>Total Farm Debt</b> 5/ .....     | 3,396,383               | 3,554,709  | 3,629,703  | 3,683,229  | 3,823,736  | 3,992,438  |
| Real Estate .....                   | 1,705,883               | 1,692,220  | 1,716,724  | 1,805,827  | 1,857,006  | 1,977,692  |
| Non-Real Estate .....               | 1,690,500               | 1,862,489  | 1,912,979  | 1,877,402  | 1,966,730  | 2,014,746  |
| <b>Equity</b> .....                 | 18,453,648              | 19,478,749 | 19,256,743 | 20,793,008 | 21,472,430 | 21,545,904 |
|                                     | <b>Ratio</b>            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Debt/Equity .....                   | 18.4                    | 18.3       | 18.9       | 17.7       | 17.8       | 18.5       |
| Debt/Assets .....                   | 15.5                    | 15.4       | 15.9       | 15.1       | 15.1       | 15.6       |

1/ Includes operator dwellings. 2/ Excludes horses, mules, and broilers. 3/ Includes only farm share value for autos and trucks.

4/ All non-CCC crops held on farms plus the value above loan rates for crops held under CCC. 5/ Excludes debt for non-farm purposes.



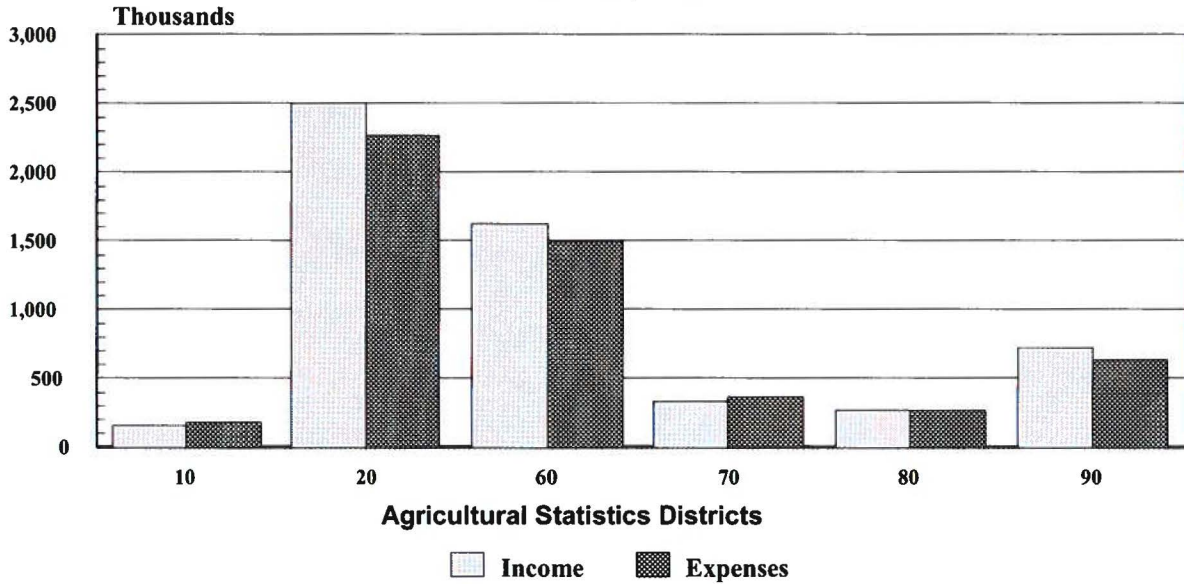
**Farm Income: Cash receipts by commodity, Colorado, 1998-2001 1/**

| Commodity                             | 1998          |                  | 1999          |                  | 2000          |                  | 2001          |                  |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|------------------|
|                                       | Cash receipts | Percent of total | Cash receipts | Percent of total | Cash receipts | Percent of total | Cash receipts | Percent of total |
|                                       | \$ 1,000      | %                | \$ 1,000      | %                | \$ 1,000      | %                | \$ 1,000      | %                |
| <b>All commodities</b> .....          | 4,394,492     | 100.0            | 4,352,780     | 100.0            | 4,611,563     | 100.0            | 4,728,954     | 100.0            |
| <b>Livestock and products</b> .....   | 2,841,850     | 64.7             | 3,015,783     | 69.3             | 3,330,425     | 72.2             | 3,374,489     | 71.4             |
| <b>Meat animals</b> .....             | 2,430,237     | 55.3             | 2,612,368     | 60.0             | 2,946,871     | 63.9             | 2,934,263     | 62.0             |
| Cattle and calves .....               | 2,134,690     | 48.6             | 2,319,612     | 53.3             | 2,551,218     | 55.3             | 2,589,204     | 54.8             |
| Hogs .....                            | 186,661       | 4.2              | 188,114       | 4.3              | 288,665       | 6.3              | 263,659       | 5.6              |
| Sheep and lambs .....                 | 108,886       | 2.5              | 104,642       | 2.4              | 106,988       | 2.3              | 81,400        | 1.7              |
| <b>Dairy (Milk)</b> .....             | 259,835       | 5.9              | 256,576       | 5.9              | 223,256       | 4.8              | 287,712       | 6.1              |
| <b>Poultry/eggs</b> .....             | 115,853       | 2.6              | 105,611       | 2.4              | 115,550       | 2.5              | 109,346       | 2.3              |
| <b>Miscellaneous livestock</b> .....  | 35,925        | 0.8              | 41,228        | 0.9              | 44,748        | 1.0              | 43,168        | 0.9              |
| Honey .....                           | 1,361         | ...              | 1,395         | ...              | 1,079         | ...              | 1,001         | ...              |
| Trout .....                           | 3,379         | 0.1              | 2,642         | 0.1              | 2,289         | ...              | 2,794         | 0.1              |
| Wool .....                            | 1,291         | ...              | 1,291         | ...              | 1,026         | ...              | 1,016         | ...              |
| Other livestock .....                 | 29,894        | 0.7              | 35,900        | 0.8              | 40,354        | 0.9              | 38,357        | 0.8              |
| <b>Crops</b> .....                    | 1,552,642     | 35.3             | 1,336,997     | 30.7             | 1,281,138     | 27.8             | 1,354,465     | 28.6             |
| <b>Food grains</b> .....              | 309,911       | 7.1              | 257,610       | 5.9              | 218,206       | 4.7              | 210,120       | 4.4              |
| Millet, proso .....                   | NA            | ...              | 8,160         | 0.2              | 15,000        | 0.3              | 14,890        | 0.3              |
| Wheat .....                           | 309,793       | 7.0              | 249,371       | 5.7              | 203,137       | 4.4              | 195,230       | 4.1              |
| <b>Feed crops</b> .....               | 619,961       | 14.1             | 497,310       | 11.4             | 497,683       | 10.8             | 566,144       | 12.0             |
| Barley .....                          | 22,598        | 0.5              | 18,632        | 0.4              | 33,197        | 0.7              | 20,400        | 0.4              |
| Corn, grain .....                     | 338,778       | 7.7              | 292,077       | 6.7              | 281,393       | 6.1              | 285,482       | 6.0              |
| Hay .....                             | 241,757       | 5.5              | 171,738       | 3.9              | 170,032       | 3.7              | 243,848       | 5.2              |
| Oats .....                            | 1,182         | ...              | 873           | ...              | 1,506         | ...              | 1,630         | ...              |
| Sorghum grain .....                   | 15,645        | 0.4              | 13,990        | 0.3              | 11,555        | 0.3              | 14,785        | 0.3              |
| <b>Oilcrops</b> .....                 | 16,840        | 0.4              | 26,959        | 0.6              | 22,957        | 0.5              | 17,521        | 0.4              |
| Sunflower .....                       | 16,524        | 0.4              | 26,706        | 0.6              | 22,829        | 0.5              | 17,273        | 0.4              |
| <b>Vegetables</b> .....               | 284,544       | 6.5              | 256,203       | 5.9              | 243,311       | 5.3              | 244,264       | 5.2              |
| Beans, dry .....                      | 46,741        | 1.1              | 44,443        | 1.0              | 33,178        | 0.7              | 33,775        | 0.7              |
| Cabbage .....                         | 7,544         | 0.2              | 5,746         | 0.1              | 7,614         | 0.2              | 8,613         | 0.2              |
| Cantaloupe .....                      | 4,074         | 0.1              | 4,651         | 0.1              | 4,788         | 0.1              | 5,982         | 0.1              |
| Carrots .....                         | 16,960        | 0.4              | 17,945        | 0.4              | 21,648        | 0.5              | 21,120        | 0.4              |
| Corn, sweet .....                     | 12,144        | 0.3              | 7,826         | 0.2              | 12,212        | 0.3              | 8,516         | 0.2              |
| Lettuce .....                         | 9,331         | 0.2              | 6,664         | 0.2              | 10,880        | 0.2              | 8,400         | 0.2              |
| Onions .....                          | 65,996        | 1.5              | 45,683        | 1.0              | 38,297        | 0.8              | 43,278        | 0.9              |
| Potatoes .....                        | 103,723       | 2.4              | 105,444       | 2.4              | 99,558        | 2.2              | 99,060        | 2.1              |
| Fall .....                            | 90,391        | 2.1              | 91,610        | 2.1              | 85,176        | 1.8              | 87,342        | 1.8              |
| Summer .....                          | 13,332        | 0.3              | 13,834        | 0.3              | 14,382        | 0.3              | 11,718        | 0.2              |
| Spinach .....                         | 3,800         | 0.1              | 3,802         | 0.1              | 3,136         | 0.1              | 2,520         | 0.1              |
| Miscellaneous vegetables .....        | 14,231        | 0.3              | 13,999        | 0.3              | 12,000        | 0.3              | 13,000        | 0.3              |
| <b>Fruits/nuts</b> .....              | 21,076        | 0.5              | 8,226         | 0.2              | 16,089        | 0.3              | 19,242        | 0.4              |
| Apples .....                          | 6,608         | 0.2              | 2,797         | 0.1              | 3,211         | 0.1              | 4,827         | 0.1              |
| Cherries, tart .....                  | 368           | ...              | 182           | ...              | 212           | ...              | 260           | ...              |
| Peaches .....                         | 9,036         | 0.2              | 1,855         | ...              | 7,990         | 0.2              | 9,450         | 0.2              |
| Pears .....                           | 1,494         | ...              | 322           | ...              | 1,111         | ...              | 950           | ...              |
| Miscellaneous fruits & berries .....  | 3,570         | 0.1              | 3,070         | 0.1              | 3,565         | 0.1              | 3,755         | 0.1              |
| <b>All other crops</b> .....          | 300,310       | 6.8              | 290,689       | 6.7              | 282,892       | 6.1              | 297,174       | 6.3              |
| Silage, corn .....                    | 36,960        | 0.8              | 33,600        | 0.8              | 34,730        | 0.8              | 40,730        | 0.9              |
| Sugar beets .....                     | 46,055        | 1.0              | 45,813        | 1.1              | 34,612        | 0.8              | 23,649        | 0.5              |
| Other seeds .....                     | 890           | ...              | 900           | ...              | 900           | ...              | 850           | ...              |
| Miscellaneous other crops .....       | 28,609        | 0.7              | 24,120        | 0.6              | 24,075        | 0.5              | 24,708        | 0.5              |
| Greenhouse/nursery .....              | 187,796       | 4.3              | 186,256       | 4.3              | 188,575       | 4.1              | 207,237       | 4.4              |
| Floriculture .....                    | 70,996        | 1.6              | 74,756        | 1.7              | 87,375        | 1.9              | 86,237        | 1.8              |
| Christmas trees/forest products ..... | 1,800         | ...              | 1,500         | ...              | 1,200         | ...              | 1,000         | ...              |
| Other Greenhouse/nursery .....        | 115,000       | 2.6              | 110,000       | 2.5              | 100,000       | 2.2              | 120,000       | 2.5              |

1/ Totals may not add due to rounding. ... Less than 0.05 percent.

**Data Source:** USDA Economic Research Service. <http://www.usda.ers.gov/data/farmincome/> Cash receipt data reflect income derived from the sale of agricultural commodities during a calendar year for only that portion of the commodity that is sold.

## Farm Income and Expenses by Agricultural Statistics District Colorado, 2000



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Data source: Bureau of Economic Analysis <http://www.bea.doc.gov/bea/regional/reis/>

### Farm income and expenses by county and district, Colorado, 2000

| County and District      | Cash Receipts        |                | Government Payments | Other Farm Income | Gross Farm Income | Farm Production Expenses | Realized Net Farm Income |
|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
|                          | Livestock & Products | Crops          |                     |                   |                   |                          |                          |
| <b>1,000 Dollars</b>     |                      |                |                     |                   |                   |                          |                          |
| Chaffee .....            | 3,782                | 1,840          | ...                 | 2,438             | 8,060             | 9,934                    | (1,874)                  |
| Clear Creek .....        | ...                  | ...            | ...                 | ...               | ...               | ...                      | ...                      |
| Eagle .....              | 6,964                | 547            | 50                  | 2,907             | 10,468            | 12,286                   | (1,818)                  |
| Gilpin .....             | ...                  | ...            | ...                 | ...               | ...               | ...                      | ...                      |
| Grand .....              | 7,823                | 1,343          | ...                 | 2,446             | 11,612            | 13,770                   | (2,158)                  |
| Gunnison .....           | 8,136                | 716            | ...                 | 3,544             | 12,396            | 16,635                   | (4,239)                  |
| Jackson .....            | 14,026               | 2,130          | ...                 | 3,576             | 19,732            | 22,649                   | (2,917)                  |
| Lake .....               | ...                  | ...            | ...                 | ...               | ...               | ...                      | ...                      |
| Moffat .....             | 16,621               | 2,169          | 2,038               | 8,733             | 29,561            | 31,863                   | (2,302)                  |
| Park .....               | 3,111                | 668            | ...                 | 2,805             | 6,584             | 7,353                    | (769)                    |
| Pitkin .....             | 979                  | 481            | ...                 | 873               | 2,333             | 4,033                    | (1,700)                  |
| Rio Blanco .....         | 13,547               | 922            | 408                 | 3,541             | 18,418            | 22,076                   | (3,658)                  |
| Routt .....              | 20,938               | 2,923          | 1,180               | 5,263             | 30,304            | 37,065                   | (6,761)                  |
| Summit .....             | 786                  | 720            | ...                 | 515               | 2,021             | 3,124                    | (1,103)                  |
| Teller .....             | 1,095                | 249            | ...                 | 877               | 2,221             | 2,569                    | (348)                    |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain</b> | <b>97,808</b>        | <b>14,708</b>  | <b>3,676</b>        | <b>37,518</b>     | <b>153,710</b>    | <b>183,357</b>           | <b>(29,647)</b>          |
| Boulder .....            | 14,805               | 25,339         | 713                 | 7,692             | 48,549            | 54,770                   | (6,221)                  |
| Jefferson .....          | 2,198                | 16,300         | ...                 | 3,423             | 21,921            | 21,961                   | (40)                     |
| Larimer .....            | 68,189               | 35,168         | 2,031               | 15,996            | 121,384           | 121,138                  | 246                      |
| Logan .....              | 271,461              | 47,224         | 18,483              | 12,535            | 349,703           | 313,576                  | 36,127                   |
| Morgan .....             | 362,491              | 74,908         | 17,572              | 10,987            | 465,958           | 423,966                  | 41,992                   |
| Sedgwick .....           | 36,608               | 25,924         | 10,112              | 5,951             | 78,595            | 63,786                   | 14,809                   |
| Weld .....               | 1,154,957            | 189,637        | 31,887              | 44,513            | 1,420,994         | 1,266,808                | 154,186                  |
| <b>Northeast .....</b>   | <b>1,910,709</b>     | <b>414,500</b> | <b>80,798</b>       | <b>101,097</b>    | <b>2,507,104</b>  | <b>2,266,005</b>         | <b>241,099</b>           |

**Farm income and expenses by county and district, Colorado, 2000 (Continued)**

| County and District       | Cash Receipts        |                  | Government Payments | Other Farm Income | Gross Farm Income | Farm Production Expenses | Realized Net Farm Income |
|---------------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
|                           | Livestock & Products | Crops            |                     |                   |                   |                          |                          |
| <b>1,000 Dollars</b>      |                      |                  |                     |                   |                   |                          |                          |
| Adams .....               | 23,157               | 55,495           | 9,928               | 7,755             | 96,335            | 103,608                  | (7,273)                  |
| Arapahoe .....            | 9,294                | 12,995           | 4,194               | 3,067             | 29,550            | 30,487                   | (937)                    |
| Cheyenne .....            | 15,953               | 21,101           | 13,410              | 7,181             | 57,645            | 49,718                   | 7,927                    |
| Denver .....              | ...                  | 2,030            | ...                 | 39                | 2,069             | 2,066                    | 3                        |
| Douglas .....             | 7,827                | 9,165            | 133                 | 5,997             | 23,122            | 29,787                   | (6,665)                  |
| Elbert .....              | 28,963               | 5,474            | 3,357               | 6,481             | 44,275            | 48,912                   | (4,637)                  |
| El Paso .....             | 19,467               | 11,465           | 690                 | 4,512             | 36,134            | 45,574                   | (9,440)                  |
| Kiowa .....               | 72,834               | 16,900           | 16,576              | 5,348             | 111,658           | 83,879                   | 27,779                   |
| Kit Carson .....          | 117,277              | 69,710           | 44,772              | 14,658            | 246,417           | 207,996                  | 38,421                   |
| Lincoln .....             | 33,550               | 21,421           | 13,401              | 6,780             | 75,152            | 71,117                   | 4,035                    |
| Phillips .....            | 93,361               | 46,311           | 17,675              | 7,454             | 164,801           | 140,726                  | 24,075                   |
| Washington .....          | 54,234               | 39,771           | 26,125              | 19,290            | 139,420           | 126,485                  | 12,935                   |
| Yuma .....                | 425,456              | 102,079          | 46,026              | 22,638            | 596,199           | 556,318                  | 39,881                   |
| <b>East Central ....</b>  | <b>901,373</b>       | <b>413,917</b>   | <b>196,287</b>      | <b>111,200</b>    | <b>1,622,777</b>  | <b>1,496,673</b>         | <b>126,104</b>           |
| Archuleta .....           | 6,264                | 303              | ...                 | 1,799             | 8,366             | 10,783                   | (2,417)                  |
| Delta .....               | 28,779               | 16,551           | 2,559               | 6,787             | 54,676            | 55,587                   | (911)                    |
| Dolores .....             | 4,019                | 3,818            | 1,821               | 2,081             | 11,739            | 11,084                   | 655                      |
| Garfield .....            | 14,513               | 8,268            | 336                 | 7,693             | 30,810            | 34,068                   | (3,258)                  |
| Hinsdale .....            | 401                  | ...              | ...                 | 137               | 538               | 872                      | (334)                    |
| La Plata .....            | 11,750               | 3,908            | 1,116               | 7,597             | 24,371            | 28,127                   | (3,756)                  |
| Mesa .....                | 30,547               | 20,431           | 1,914               | 13,955            | 66,847            | 68,708                   | (1,861)                  |
| Montezuma .....           | 9,727                | 10,149           | 1,644               | 6,733             | 28,253            | 32,667                   | (4,414)                  |
| Montrose .....            | 71,696               | 18,633           | 1,688               | 6,574             | 98,591            | 113,687                  | (15,096)                 |
| Ouray .....               | 2,890                | 498              | ...                 | 1,692             | 5,080             | 5,715                    | (635)                    |
| San Juan .....            | ...                  | ...              | ...                 | ...               | ...               | ...                      | ...                      |
| San Miguel .....          | 2,706                | 260              | 194                 | 1,346             | 4,506             | 5,187                    | (681)                    |
| <b>Southwest .....</b>    | <b>183,292</b>       | <b>82,819</b>    | <b>11,272</b>       | <b>56,394</b>     | <b>333,777</b>    | <b>366,485</b>           | <b>(32,708)</b>          |
| Alamosa .....             | 5,865                | 52,154           | 1,498               | 4,437             | 63,954            | 72,144                   | (8,190)                  |
| Conejos .....             | 12,445               | 13,051           | 966                 | 4,240             | 30,702            | 32,306                   | (1,604)                  |
| Costilla .....            | 2,812                | 15,779           | 593                 | 3,128             | 22,312            | 20,153                   | 2,159                    |
| Mineral .....             | 156                  | ...              | ...                 | 54                | 210               | 299                      | (89)                     |
| Rio Grande .....          | 5,908                | 70,801           | 2,457               | 10,922            | 90,088            | 85,712                   | 4,376                    |
| Saguache .....            | 10,289               | 43,507           | 2,728               | 6,708             | 63,232            | 60,495                   | 2,737                    |
| <b>San Luis Valley ..</b> | <b>37,475</b>        | <b>195,292</b>   | <b>8,242</b>        | <b>29,489</b>     | <b>270,498</b>    | <b>271,109</b>           | <b>(611)</b>             |
| Baca .....                | 55,689               | 31,263           | 23,035              | 13,784            | 123,771           | 97,829                   | 25,942                   |
| Bent .....                | 43,449               | 10,590           | 3,253               | 3,889             | 61,181            | 63,605                   | (2,424)                  |
| Crowley .....             | 75,166               | 3,479            | 1,593               | 17,755            | 97,993            | 65,986                   | 32,007                   |
| Custer .....              | 3,084                | 1,519            | ...                 | 1,347             | 5,950             | 8,638                    | (2,688)                  |
| Fremont .....             | 9,755                | 3,178            | 117                 | 5,181             | 18,231            | 19,445                   | (1,214)                  |
| Huerfano .....            | 9,530                | 732              | 102                 | 3,755             | 14,119            | 16,446                   | (2,327)                  |
| Las Animas .....          | 19,861               | 1,598            | 1,046               | 4,511             | 27,016            | 32,586                   | (5,570)                  |
| Otero .....               | 86,346               | 19,847           | 4,217               | 4,829             | 115,239           | 105,962                  | 9,277                    |
| Prowers .....             | 118,685              | 36,041           | 14,939              | 48,632            | 218,297           | 178,193                  | 40,104                   |
| Pueblo .....              | 21,434               | 12,218           | 2,311               | 4,484             | 40,447            | 50,796                   | (10,349)                 |
| <b>Southeast .....</b>    | <b>442,999</b>       | <b>120,465</b>   | <b>50,613</b>       | <b>108,167</b>    | <b>722,244</b>    | <b>639,486</b>           | <b>82,758</b>            |
| <b>State Total .....</b>  | <b>3,573,664</b>     | <b>1,241,709</b> | <b>351,116</b>      | <b>443,621</b>    | <b>5,610,110</b>  | <b>5,223,115</b>         | <b>386,995</b>           |



**Agricultural Exports: Estimated value, Colorado and United States by commodity group, 1998 - 2001**

| Commodity                              | Colorado               |              |              |              | United States   |                 |                 |                 |
|--|------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|  | 1998                   | 1999         | 2000         | 2001         | 1998            | 1999            | 2000            | 2001            |
|  | <b>Million Dollars</b> |              |              |              |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Wheat and products .....               | 113.2                  | 148.3        | 158.3        | 113.0        | 3,964.3         | 3,930.2         | 3,625.7         | 3,453.4         |
| Rice .....                             | ...                    | ...          | ...          | ...          | 1,134.3         | 1,011.3         | 908.7           | 782.1           |
| Feed grains & products .....           | 97.1                   | 111.5        | 109.0        | 96.4         | 6,344.7         | 6,811.7         | 6,428.0         | 6,336.9         |
| Soybeans and products .....            | ...                    | ...          | ...          | ...          | 9,020.3         | 6,519.1         | 6,648.0         | 6,818.6         |
| Sunflower seed and oil .....           | 7.9                    | 12.4         | 19.6         | 10.1         | 338.5           | 327.9           | 244.2           | 208.1           |
| Peanuts and products .....             | ...                    | ...          | ...          | ...          | 239.4           | 222.3           | 273.9           | 170.2           |
| Cotton and linters .....               | ...                    | ...          | ...          | ...          | 2,537.3         | 1,305.9         | 1,829.2         | 2,094.3         |
| Cottonseed and products .....          | ...                    | ...          | ...          | ...          | 102.6           | 61.2            | 90.8            | 86.9            |
| Tobacco (unmfd) .....                  | ...                    | ...          | ...          | ...          | 1,447.9         | 1,376.4         | 1,226.8         | 1,181.0         |
| Fruits and preps <sup>1/</sup> .....   | 1.9                    | 3.8          | 0.9          | 2.8          | 3,217.9         | 3,285.5         | 3,380.2         | 3,501.6         |
| Tree nuts .....                        | ...                    | ...          | ...          | ...          | 1,213.2         | 1,077.7         | 977.7           | 1,128.3         |
| Vegetables and preps .....             | 80.9                   | 85.6         | 79.5         | 77.6         | 4,167.9         | 4,253.3         | 4,440.4         | 4,513.5         |
| Live animals and meat (excl poultry) . | 247.1                  | 242.2        | 311.2        | 284.7        | 5,165.1         | 5,111.7         | 6,191.4         | 6,070.2         |
| Hides and skins .....                  | 97.5                   | 70.3         | 101.5        | 139.6        | 1,358.3         | 1,110.1         | 1,428.4         | 1,942.7         |
| Poultry and products .....             | 5.7                    | 4.2          | 5.0          | 3.4          | 2,710.7         | 2,061.5         | 2,235.4         | 2,521.5         |
| Fats, oils and greases .....           | 42.9                   | 34.3         | 26.9         | 20.7         | 635.8           | 543.9           | 421.5           | 319.5           |
| Dairy products .....                   | ...                    | ...          | ...          | ...          | 925.1           | 914.9           | 998.5           | 1,118.4         |
| Feeds and fodders .....                | 51.9                   | 53.9         | 67.4         | 81.8         | 2,149.7         | 2,077.6         | 2,343.9         | 2,741.4         |
| Seeds .....                            | 15.4                   | 17.2         | 16.0         | 11.9         | 827.3           | 794.2           | 771.8           | 727.2           |
| Other <sup>2/</sup> .....              | 23.8                   | 23.4         | 23.7         | 27.1         | 5,715.6         | 5,561.5         | 5,912.4         | 7,166.4         |
| <b>TOTAL .....</b>                     | <b>785.4</b>           | <b>807.1</b> | <b>918.8</b> | <b>869.3</b> | <b>53,625.9</b> | <b>49,043.3</b> | <b>50,743.8</b> | <b>52,734.9</b> |

<sup>1/</sup> Apples and apple juice assumed to equal the previous year; current year production data has not been released.

<sup>2/</sup> Miscellaneous oilseeds, sugar and tropical products, nursery and greenhouse, essential oils, beverages other than juice, and miscellaneous animal products.

**Data Source:** Economic Research Service [Http://www.ers.usda.gov/briefing/agtrade](http://www.ers.usda.gov/briefing/agtrade)

**Farm Real Estate: Average value per acre by type of land, Colorado and United States, 1996-2002**

| Year       | Colorado                |              |                    |                        |           | United States           |              |           |
|------------|-------------------------|--------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|--------------|-----------|
|            | All Land                | All Cropland | Irrigated Cropland | Non-Irrigated Cropland | Pasture   | All Land                | All Cropland | Pasture   |
|            | <b>Dollars per Acre</b> |              |                    |                        |           | <b>Dollars per Acre</b> |              |           |
| 1996 ..... | 558                     | <u>1/</u>    | <u>1/</u>          | <u>1/</u>              | <u>1/</u> | 887                     | <u>1/</u>    | <u>1/</u> |
| 1997 ..... | 590                     | 772          | 1,500              | 380                    | 320       | 926                     | 1,270        | 466       |
| 1998 ..... | 618                     | 809          | 1,580              | 395                    | 335       | 974                     | 1,340        | 489       |
| 1999 ..... | 630                     | 833          | 1,600              | 420                    | 340       | 1,020                   | 1,410        | 503       |
| 2000 ..... | 670                     | 887          | 1,700              | 450                    | 360       | 1,080                   | 1,490        | 524       |
| 2001 ..... | 695                     | 911          | 1,750              | 460                    | 360       | 1,150                   | 1,580        | 558       |
| 2002 ..... | 710                     | 929          | 1,800              | 460                    | 360       | 1,210                   | 1,650        | 586       |

1/ Not estimated prior to 1997.

**Farm Real Estate: Average cash rent per acre by type of land, Colorado and United States, 1998-2002**

| Year       | Colorado                |                        |         | United States           |         |
|------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------|-------------------------|---------|
|            | Irrigated Cropland      | Non-Irrigated Cropland | Pasture | All Cropland            | Pasture |
|            | <b>Dollars per Acre</b> |                        |         | <b>Dollars per Acre</b> |         |
| 1998 ..... | 90.00                   | 18.50                  | 5.00    | 66.50                   | 8.80    |
| 1999 ..... | 95.00                   | 18.00                  | 4.80    | 67.50                   | 8.90    |
| 2000 ..... | 90.00                   | 18.00                  | 5.20    | 70.00                   | 8.50    |
| 2001 ..... | 100.00                  | 22.00                  | 4.80    | 71.00                   | 9.20    |
| 2002 ..... | 95.00                   | 21.00                  | 4.00    | 71.50                   | 9.20    |

**Grazing Fees: Rates for cattle, Colorado and seventeen states, 1991-2002**

| Year       | Colorado                 |              |          | Seventeen States <u>1/</u> |              |          |
|------------|--------------------------|--------------|----------|----------------------------|--------------|----------|
|            | Per Animal Unit          | Per Cow-Calf | Per Head | Per Animal Unit            | Per Cow-Calf | Per Head |
|            | <b>Dollars per Month</b> |              |          | <b>Dollars per Month</b>   |              |          |
| 1991 ..... | 9.30                     | 10.90        | 9.41     | 9.51                       | 12.23        | 10.01    |
| 1992 ..... | 10.11                    | 12.35        | 9.54     | 10.22                      | 12.17        | 9.46     |
| 1993 ..... | 9.70                     | 12.00        | 9.74     | 10.30                      | 12.80        | 9.40     |
| 1994 ..... | 10.20                    | 12.10        | 10.20    | 11.00                      | 13.10        | 9.70     |
| 1995 ..... | 10.30                    | 12.00        | 10.50    | 10.60                      | 12.40        | 10.50    |
| 1996 ..... | 11.40                    | 13.20        | 10.70    | 10.50                      | 12.20        | 10.80    |
| 1997 ..... | 11.30                    | 13.60        | 10.60    | 11.00                      | 12.70        | 10.80    |
| 1998 ..... | 11.80                    | 13.90        | 11.50    | 11.40                      | 13.00        | 11.60    |
| 1999 ..... | 12.00                    | 14.20        | 10.90    | 11.10                      | 12.80        | 11.50    |
| 2000 ..... | 11.80                    | 14.40        | 12.20    | 11.50                      | 13.70        | 11.90    |
| 2001 ..... | 11.90                    | 14.20        | 12.30    | 11.90                      | 13.90        | 12.40    |
| 2002 ..... | 12.60                    | 14.90        | 12.80    | 12.30                      | 14.20        | 12.70    |

1/ The seventeen states include: AZ, CA, CO, ID, KS, MT, NE, NV, NM, ND, OK, OR, SD, TX, UT, WA, and WY.

## PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS

Prices received by farmers and ranchers provide a basis for calculating the income from the Agricultural Sector as part of the National Income Accounts. These data are also extensively used to analyze past and current marketing patterns and to make current and future marketing decisions. Prices received for major farm commodities are used in computing the Index of Prices Received by Farmers, an important indicator of the economic environment of the nation's agricultural producers.

### Marketing year average prices, by commodity, Colorado, 1994-2002

| Commodity                  | Price per unit <sup>1/</sup> |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|                            | Unit                         | 1994     | 1995     | 1996     | 1997     | 1998     | 1999     | 2000     | 2001     | 2002     |
| Dollars                    |                              |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Wheat, all                 | Bu.                          | 3.48     | 4.64     | 4.26     | 3.17     | 2.49     | 2.22     | 2.70     | 2.72     | 3.85     |
| Wheat, winter              | Bu.                          | 3.48     | 4.65     | 4.27     | 3.17     | 2.49     | 2.23     | 2.70     | 2.72     | 3.85     |
| Wheat, spring              | Bu.                          | 3.28     | 4.30     | 3.97     | 3.16     | 2.36     | 2.05     | 2.48     | 2.63     | 3.80     |
| Corn, grain                | Bu.                          | 2.38     | 3.33     | 2.76     | 2.59     | 1.96     | 1.84     | 2.08     | 2.13     | 2.55     |
| Corn, silage               | Ton                          | 22.00    | 22.00    | 24.00    | 24.00    | 22.00    | 20.00    | 20.50    | 22.00    | 23.00    |
| Barley, all                | Bu.                          | 2.64     | 2.95     | 3.05     | 2.98     | 2.84     | 2.54     | 3.08     | 2.73     | 3.10     |
| Sorghum, grain             | Bu.                          | 2.14     | 3.14     | 2.27     | 2.24     | 1.65     | 1.46     | 1.83     | 1.83     | 2.30     |
| Sorghum, silage            | Ton                          | 20.00    | 20.00    | 19.00    | 21.50    | 21.00    | 19.50    | 18.00    | 17.00    | 19.50    |
| Dry beans <sup>2/</sup>    | Cwt.                         | 16.60    | 18.50    | 22.50    | 18.70    | 15.70    | 15.10    | 15.60    | 23.60    | 18.20    |
| Sunflower, all             | Cwt.                         | 11.30    | 12.70    | 13.30    | 12.30    | 11.50    | 8.80     | 8.50     | 9.50     | 12.70    |
| Oil varieties              | Cwt.                         | 10.20    | 11.40    | 10.80    | 10.90    | 10.70    | 7.40     | 6.80     | 8.10     | 12.30    |
| Non-oil varieties          | Cwt.                         | 14.00    | 14.10    | 15.80    | 14.30    | 13.90    | 11.60    | 11.60    | 12.10    | 13.30    |
| Sugar beets                | Ton                          | 35.70    | 35.40    | 41.20    | 34.10    | 35.40    | 31.40    | 28.70    | 34.20    | 4/       |
| Oats                       | Bu.                          | 1.80     | 2.17     | 2.24     | 2.05     | 1.70     | 1.60     | 1.90     | 2.20     | 2.85     |
| Hay, all (baled)           | Ton                          | 91.00    | 88.50    | 98.00    | 101.00   | 92.00    | 69.00    | 85.50    | 101.00   | 117.00   |
| Alfalfa Hay                | Ton                          | 91.00    | 88.50    | 99.00    | 101.00   | 91.00    | 69.00    | 86.00    | 101.00   | 114.00   |
| Other Hay                  | Ton                          | 89.50    | 85.00    | 89.00    | 106.00   | 101.00   | 63.00    | 82.00    | 99.00    | 147.00   |
| Potatoes, all              | Cwt.                         | 3.75     | 6.25     | 1.90     | 4.60     | 4.65     | 4.35     | 3.20     | 9.35     | 7.15     |
| Potatoes, summer           | Cwt.                         | 5.15     | 6.45     | 4.10     | 5.30     | 5.35     | 5.95     | 5.10     | 6.70     | 7.90     |
| Potatoes, fall             | Cwt.                         | 3.55     | 6.25     | 1.60     | 4.50     | 4.60     | 4.20     | 2.95     | 9.65     | 7.10     |
| Proso Millet <sup>3/</sup> | Bu.                          | ...      | ...      | ...      | ...      | ...      | 2.00     | 4.80     | 2.00     | 7.40     |
| Apples, commercial         | Lb.                          | .157     | .145     | .202     | .151     | .119     | .218     | .139     | .208     | .184     |
| Cherries, tart             | Lb.                          | .355     | .414     | .473     | .560     | .307     | .303     | .265     | .333     | .400     |
| Peaches                    | Lb.                          | .319     | .496     | .496     | .661     | .488     | .640     | .470     | .540     | .567     |
| Pears                      | Ton                          | 268.00   | 357.00   | 436.00   | 295.00   | 449.00   | 657.00   | 375.00   | 500.00   | 576.00   |
| Cabbage                    | Cwt.                         | 7.80     | 6.20     | 8.50     | 7.20     | 8.20     | 8.40     | 8.10     | 8.70     | 9.50     |
| Cantaloupe                 | Cwt.                         | 12.80    | 12.30    | 10.80    | 15.00    | 13.40    | 13.60    | 13.30    | 15.30    | 16.40    |
| Carrots                    | Cwt.                         | 10.00    | 13.50    | 7.10     | 10.00    | 10.60    | 9.70     | 9.60     | 10.00    | 10.20    |
| Lettuce                    | Cwt.                         | 8.89     | 7.65     | 7.00     | 14.60    | 10.80    | 9.80     | 16.00    | 12.00    | 12.20    |
| Onions                     | Cwt.                         | 13.20    | 11.20    | 13.60    | 11.80    | 16.20    | 11.20    | 13.40    | 12.40    | 14.40    |
| Spinach                    | Cwt.                         | 30.00    | 25.00    | 28.60    | 32.00    | 40.00    | 26.40    | 32.00    | 30.00    | 27.20    |
| Sweet Corn                 | Cwt.                         | 10.80    | 8.60     | 9.20     | 8.70     | 11.00    | 7.30     | 12.20    | 7.70     | 10.20    |
| Beef cattle                | Cwt.                         | 69.20    | 64.70    | 61.80    | 65.20    | 61.30    | 65.30    | 69.70    | 72.70    | 77.40    |
| Milk cows                  | Hd.                          | 1,220.00 | 1,170.00 | 1,160.00 | 1,180.00 | 1,210.00 | 1,360.00 | 1,410.00 | 1,660.00 | 1,740.00 |
| Calves                     | Cwt.                         | 90.10    | 75.20    | 60.70    | 86.20    | 84.10    | 89.40    | 105.00   | 102.00   | 91.80    |
| Steers & heifers           | Cwt.                         | 70.50    | 66.60    | 63.80    | 67.10    | 63.00    | 67.40    | 71.70    | 74.70    | 77.70    |
| Cows                       | Cwt.                         | 47.10    | 36.90    | 32.60    | 37.80    | 34.80    | 36.30    | 39.20    | 43.10    | 38.00    |
| Sheep                      | Cwt.                         | 29.10    | 27.30    | 30.40    | 36.10    | 30.00    | 29.90    | 32.60    | 31.90    | 25.60    |
| Lambs                      | Cwt.                         | 65.60    | 79.60    | 88.40    | 89.80    | 72.20    | 74.30    | 78.30    | 65.30    | 73.30    |
| Hogs                       | Cwt.                         | 41.60    | 42.00    | 54.70    | 55.60    | 36.40    | 31.80    | 44.90    | 47.10    | 36.20    |
| Barrows & Gilts            | Cwt.                         | 42.20    | 43.10    | 55.50    | 56.20    | 37.20    | 32.30    | 45.50    | 47.60    | 37.20    |
| Sows                       | Cwt.                         | 34.10    | 31.40    | 44.20    | 47.20    | 26.30    | 24.90    | 36.40    | 37.30    | 24.80    |
| Chickens                   | Lb.                          | .070     | .040     | .030     | .030     | .030     | .040     | .030     | .002     | .002     |
| Eggs                       | Doz.                         | .660     | .706     | .756     | .720     | .671     | .636     | .697     | .612     | .591     |
| Milk sold to plants        | Cwt.                         | 13.60    | 13.00    | 14.60    | 13.00    | 15.70    | 15.20    | 11.80    | 14.80    | 11.80    |
| Wool                       | Lb.                          | .72      | 1.09     | .73      | .89      | .53      | .40      | .31      | .33      | .57      |

<sup>1/</sup> Does not include government payments. <sup>2/</sup> Price applies to clean basis.

<sup>3/</sup> Estimates began in 1999. <sup>4/</sup> Available February 2004.



**Prices Received: Monthly averages selected commodities, Colorado, 1991-2002**

| Year                      | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May  | June | July | Aug. | Sep. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>All Barley</b>         |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| <b>Dollars Per Bushel</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| 1991 .....                | 2.94 | 3.20 | 3.17 | 2.41 | 2.25 | 2.32 | 2.57 | 3.54 | 2.66 | 3.28 | 3.30 | 3.33 |
| 1992 .....                | 3.21 | 3.32 | 2.24 | 2.20 | 2.57 | 2.89 | 2.52 | 3.25 | 2.44 | 2.32 | 2.26 | 2.11 |
| 1993 .....                | 2.36 | 2.31 | 2.31 | 3.01 | 2.05 | 1.94 | 3.16 | 3.17 | 2.40 | 2.55 | 3.26 | 2.22 |
| 1994 .....                | 2.50 | 2.50 | 2.19 | 2.55 | 2.35 | 2.29 | 2.78 | 3.08 | 2.51 | 2.11 | 2.80 | 2.12 |
| 1995 .....                | 2.07 | 2.06 | 2.15 | 2.18 | 2.30 | 2.38 | 2.18 | 2.90 | 2.73 | 2.84 | 3.09 | 3.03 |
| 1996 .....                | 2.91 | 3.26 | 2.71 | 3.05 | 3.19 | 3.54 | 3.18 | 3.15 | 3.04 | 3.03 | 2.99 | 3.10 |
| 1997 .....                | 2.64 | 2.41 | 2.40 | 2.61 | 3.03 | 2.56 | 3.24 | 3.14 | 2.92 | 3.02 | 2.74 | 2.14 |
| 1998 .....                | 2.15 | 2.50 | 2.40 | 2.49 | 2.16 | 2.04 | 3.04 | 2.93 | 2.78 | 3.13 | 2.64 | 2.16 |
| 1999 .....                | 2.13 | 1.74 | 1.77 | 1.73 | 1.81 | 1.71 | 3.02 | 2.97 | 1.77 | 2.44 | 1.78 | 2.24 |
| 2000 .....                | 1.98 | 1.79 | 1.58 | 1.88 | 1.85 | 1.84 | 3.31 | 3.17 | 2.54 | 3.05 | 2.02 | 1.84 |
| 2001 .....                | 1.58 | 1.84 | 1.97 | 2.07 | 1.80 | 1.92 | 1.78 | 2.99 | 2.69 | 2.47 | 2.39 | 2.05 |
| 2002 .....                | 2.12 | 2.16 | 1.97 | ...  | 1.96 | ...  | 2.67 | 3.01 | 3.00 | 3.25 | 3.13 | 3.09 |
| <b>Feed Barley</b>        |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| <b>Dollars Per Bushel</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| 1991 .....                | 1.99 | 2.00 | 2.05 | 2.32 | 2.24 | 2.32 | 2.08 | 2.04 | 1.94 | 2.01 | 2.20 | 2.12 |
| 1992 .....                | 2.19 | 2.40 | 2.24 | 2.20 | 2.29 | 2.17 | 2.07 | 1.84 | 1.87 | 1.90 | 1.95 | 2.00 |
| 1993 .....                | 2.10 | 2.05 | 1.98 | 2.02 | 2.05 | 1.94 | 1.93 | 2.03 | 2.07 | 1.94 | 2.12 | 2.22 |
| 1994 .....                | 2.30 | 2.50 | 2.19 | 2.55 | 2.35 | 2.29 | 2.12 | 1.96 | 1.99 | 2.07 | 2.09 | 2.05 |
| 1995 .....                | 2.04 | 2.06 | 2.15 | 2.18 | 2.30 | 2.38 | 2.18 | 2.37 | 2.38 | 2.82 | 2.99 | 3.07 |
| 1996 .....                | 2.91 | 3.33 | 2.71 | 3.46 | 3.19 | 3.54 | 3.16 | 3.06 | 2.80 | 2.62 | 2.57 | 2.51 |
| 1997 .....                | 2.61 | 2.41 | 2.40 | 2.61 | 3.03 | 2.56 | 2.20 | 2.09 | 2.08 | 2.02 | 2.30 | 2.14 |
| 1998 .....                | 2.15 | 2.21 | 2.32 | 2.02 | 2.16 | 2.04 | 1.89 | 1.70 | 1.50 | 1.67 | 1.54 | 1.71 |
| 1999 .....                | 1.74 | 1.74 | 1.69 | 1.68 | 1.81 | 1.70 | 1.61 | 1.53 | 1.67 | 1.64 | 1.64 | 1.56 |
| 2000 .....                | 1.59 | 1.63 | 1.58 | 1.69 | 1.73 | 1.70 | 1.74 | 1.46 | 1.47 | 1.80 | 1.67 | 1.82 |
| 2001 .....                | 1.58 | 1.80 | 1.97 | 2.07 | 1.80 | 1.92 | 1.78 | 1.69 | 1.75 | 1.95 | 1.91 | 2.05 |
| 2002 .....                | 2.07 | 1.95 | 1.97 | 1.92 | 1.92 | 1.89 | 2.28 | 2.22 | 2.21 | 2.46 | 2.45 | 2.39 |
| <b>All Wheat</b>          |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| <b>Dollars Per Bushel</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| 1991 .....                | 2.39 | 2.31 | 2.44 | 2.56 | 2.62 | 2.61 | 2.47 | 2.57 | 2.81 | 3.10 | 3.32 | 3.41 |
| 1992 .....                | 3.47 | 3.88 | 3.77 | 3.67 | 3.44 | 3.48 | 3.06 | 2.79 | 3.07 | 3.18 | 3.22 | 3.26 |
| 1993 .....                | 3.36 | 3.29 | 3.24 | 3.02 | 2.99 | 2.97 | 2.70 | 2.83 | 2.83 | 3.01 | 3.19 | 3.54 |
| 1994 .....                | 3.58 | 3.35 | 3.28 | 3.33 | 3.15 | 3.03 | 3.02 | 3.12 | 3.48 | 3.67 | 3.68 | 3.64 |
| 1995 .....                | 3.71 | 3.65 | 3.51 | 3.46 | 3.53 | 3.92 | 4.20 | 4.22 | 4.40 | 4.60 | 4.79 | 4.87 |
| 1996 .....                | 4.87 | 5.08 | 5.24 | 5.67 | 5.59 | 5.50 | 4.78 | 4.60 | 4.19 | 4.17 | 4.16 | 4.09 |
| 1997 .....                | 4.20 | 4.06 | 4.07 | 4.25 | 4.17 | 3.67 | 3.20 | 3.33 | 3.31 | 3.21 | 3.16 | 3.25 |
| 1998 .....                | 3.17 | 3.18 | 3.25 | 3.08 | 2.92 | 2.87 | 2.52 | 2.25 | 2.24 | 2.68 | 2.67 | 2.69 |
| 1999 .....                | 2.76 | 2.66 | 2.58 | 2.42 | 2.29 | 2.36 | 2.12 | 2.28 | 2.29 | 2.30 | 2.22 | 2.26 |
| 2000 .....                | 2.17 | 2.22 | 2.20 | 2.19 | 2.21 | 2.37 | 2.47 | 2.39 | 2.46 | 2.71 | 2.77 | 2.96 |
| 2001 .....                | 2.94 | 2.79 | 2.95 | 2.93 | 2.96 | 2.86 | 2.67 | 2.58 | 2.60 | 2.75 | 2.73 | 2.73 |
| 2002 .....                | 2.77 | 2.75 | 2.69 | 2.75 | 2.67 | 2.89 | 3.28 | 3.67 | 4.23 | 4.47 | 4.12 | 3.90 |
| <b>Corn for Grain</b>     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| <b>Dollars Per Bushel</b> |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| 1991 .....                | 2.28 | 2.34 | 2.40 | 2.48 | 2.48 | 2.49 | 2.43 | 2.49 | 2.43 | 2.35 | 2.37 | 2.39 |
| 1992 .....                | 2.40 | 2.49 | 2.53 | 2.53 | 2.54 | 2.57 | 2.51 | 2.27 | 2.34 | 2.25 | 2.19 | 2.16 |
| 1993 .....                | 2.17 | 2.14 | 2.21 | 2.23 | 2.26 | 2.24 | 2.29 | 2.34 | 2.47 | 2.43 | 2.49 | 2.68 |
| 1994 .....                | 2.80 | 2.77 | 2.82 | 2.81 | 2.79 | 2.80 | 2.44 | 2.45 | 2.35 | 2.25 | 2.22 | 2.32 |
| 1995 .....                | 2.25 | 2.29 | 2.34 | 2.40 | 2.50 | 2.61 | 2.87 | 2.85 | 3.02 | 2.92 | 2.95 | 3.20 |
| 1996 .....                | 3.22 | 3.60 | 3.63 | 4.11 | 4.61 | 4.72 | 4.83 | 4.49 | 4.00 | 2.94 | 2.91 | 2.70 |
| 1997 .....                | 2.66 | 2.67 | 2.83 | 2.78 | 2.75 | 2.59 | 2.61 | 2.60 | 2.68 | 2.65 | 2.57 | 2.55 |
| 1998 .....                | 2.65 | 2.57 | 2.61 | 2.42 | 2.41 | 2.81 | 2.77 | 2.05 | 1.87 | 2.02 | 1.97 | 1.96 |
| 1999 .....                | 1.92 | 1.98 | 1.99 | 1.96 | 1.91 | 2.00 | 1.95 | 1.86 | 1.88 | 1.79 | 1.75 | 1.74 |
| 2000 .....                | 1.77 | 1.93 | 1.94 | 2.03 | 2.10 | 2.03 | 2.02 | 1.81 | 1.89 | 2.00 | 2.07 | 2.10 |
| 2001 .....                | 2.16 | 2.09 | 2.12 | 2.11 | 1.98 | 2.00 | 2.10 | 2.17 | 2.08 | 2.12 | 1.98 | 2.05 |
| 2002 .....                | 2.09 | 2.03 | 2.07 | 2.04 | 2.02 | 2.13 | 2.49 | 2.50 | 2.77 | 2.61 | 2.54 | 2.55 |

**Prices Received: Monthly averages selected commodities, Colorado, 1986-2002**

| Year                        | Jan.   | Feb.   | Mar.   | Apr.   | May    | June   | July   | Aug.   | Sep.   | Oct.   | Nov.   | Dec.   |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>All Hay, Baled</b>       |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| <b>Dollars Per Ton</b>      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 1986 .....                  | 53.00  | 56.00  | 56.00  | 51.00  | 54.00  | 59.00  | 58.00  | 58.00  | 58.00  | 57.00  | 58.00  | 55.00  |
| 1987 .....                  | 60.00  | 59.00  | 59.00  | 59.00  | 58.00  | 57.00  | 57.00  | 58.00  | 58.00  | 62.00  | 64.00  | 68.00  |
| 1988 .....                  | 65.00  | 62.00  | 64.00  | 66.00  | 70.00  | 72.00  | 79.00  | 81.00  | 78.00  | 80.00  | 84.00  | 86.00  |
| 1989 .....                  | 84.00  | 82.00  | 87.00  | 87.00  | 87.00  | 89.00  | 91.00  | 88.00  | 89.00  | 92.00  | 92.00  | 95.00  |
| 1990 .....                  | 95.00  | 95.00  | 93.00  | 90.00  | 87.00  | 84.00  | 85.00  | 83.00  | 79.00  | 79.00  | 78.00  | 80.00  |
| 1991 .....                  | 79.00  | 79.00  | 81.00  | 78.00  | 77.00  | 75.00  | 75.00  | 74.00  | 74.00  | 72.00  | 71.00  | 71.00  |
| 1992 .....                  | 67.00  | 68.00  | 66.00  | 67.00  | 65.00  | 65.00  | 61.00  | 63.00  | 61.00  | 62.00  | 62.00  | 63.00  |
| 1993 .....                  | 65.00  | 68.00  | 72.00  | 74.00  | 72.00  | 71.00  | 76.00  | 73.00  | 73.00  | 72.00  | 75.00  | 77.00  |
| 1994 .....                  | 83.00  | 86.00  | 94.00  | 91.00  | 89.00  | 90.00  | 88.00  | 90.00  | 93.00  | 91.00  | 91.00  | 94.00  |
| 1995 .....                  | 92.00  | 89.00  | 93.00  | 91.00  | 90.00  | 91.00  | 89.00  | 90.00  | 90.00  | 90.00  | 87.00  | 87.00  |
| 1996 .....                  | 89.00  | 88.00  | 82.00  | 84.00  | 88.00  | 86.00  | 85.00  | 93.00  | 95.00  | 98.00  | 98.00  | 98.00  |
| 1997 .....                  | 106.00 | 109.00 | 111.00 | 115.00 | 125.00 | 120.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 101.00 | 100.00 | 101.00 | 101.00 |
| 1998 .....                  | 105.00 | 100.00 | 102.00 | 97.00  | 91.00  | 85.00  | 92.00  | 91.00  | 95.00  | 98.00  | 100.00 | 89.00  |
| 1999 .....                  | 103.00 | 93.00  | 82.00  | 81.00  | 78.00  | 75.00  | 74.00  | 74.00  | 70.00  | 67.00  | 65.00  | 66.00  |
| 2000 .....                  | 65.00  | 65.00  | 65.00  | 66.00  | 67.00  | 67.00  | 70.00  | 73.00  | 76.00  | 85.00  | 86.00  | 91.00  |
| 2001 .....                  | 99.00  | 104.00 | 106.00 | 109.00 | 107.00 | 90.00  | 94.00  | 98.00  | 98.00  | 100.00 | 105.00 | 107.00 |
| 2002 .....                  | 107.00 | 106.00 | 106.00 | 96.00  | 97.00  | 102.00 | 117.00 | 124.00 | 124.00 | 120.00 | 117.00 | 115.00 |
| <b>Alfalfa Hay, Baled</b>   |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| <b>Dollars Per Ton</b>      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 1986 .....                  | 52.00  | 55.00  | 58.00  | 51.00  | 54.00  | 60.00  | 58.00  | 58.00  | 58.00  | 58.00  | 58.00  | 55.00  |
| 1987 .....                  | 61.00  | 59.00  | 59.00  | 59.00  | 58.00  | 57.00  | 57.00  | 58.00  | 58.00  | 63.00  | 64.00  | 68.00  |
| 1988 .....                  | 65.00  | 62.00  | 65.00  | 66.00  | 70.00  | 73.00  | 80.00  | 84.00  | 80.00  | 83.00  | 86.00  | 88.00  |
| 1989 .....                  | 86.00  | 84.00  | 88.00  | 88.00  | 87.00  | 89.00  | 91.00  | 89.00  | 90.00  | 92.00  | 93.00  | 95.00  |
| 1990 .....                  | 95.00  | 95.00  | 93.00  | 90.00  | 87.00  | 84.00  | 85.00  | 83.00  | 81.00  | 80.00  | 79.00  | 80.00  |
| 1991 .....                  | 80.00  | 79.00  | 81.00  | 79.00  | 77.00  | 75.00  | 75.00  | 72.00  | 74.00  | 73.00  | 72.00  | 72.00  |
| 1992 .....                  | 68.00  | 68.00  | 66.00  | 67.00  | 65.00  | 65.00  | 61.00  | 63.00  | 61.00  | 62.00  | 63.00  | 63.00  |
| 1993 .....                  | 65.00  | 68.00  | 72.00  | 74.00  | 72.00  | 71.00  | 76.00  | 73.00  | 73.00  | 72.00  | 75.00  | 77.00  |
| 1994 .....                  | 83.00  | 86.00  | 94.00  | 91.00  | 89.00  | 90.00  | 88.00  | 90.00  | 93.00  | 91.00  | 91.00  | 94.00  |
| 1995 .....                  | 92.00  | 89.00  | 93.00  | 91.00  | 90.00  | 91.00  | 89.00  | 89.00  | 90.00  | 90.00  | 87.00  | 87.00  |
| 1996 .....                  | 90.00  | 89.00  | 83.00  | 85.00  | 89.00  | 87.00  | 85.00  | 94.00  | 96.00  | 99.00  | 99.00  | 99.00  |
| 1997 .....                  | 107.00 | 111.00 | 111.00 | 115.00 | 125.00 | 120.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| 1998 .....                  | 105.00 | 100.00 | 102.00 | 97.00  | 90.00  | 85.00  | 92.00  | 90.00  | 93.00  | 97.00  | 98.00  | 88.00  |
| 1999 .....                  | 102.00 | 92.00  | 81.00  | 80.00  | 78.00  | 75.00  | 74.00  | 74.00  | 71.00  | 67.00  | 66.00  | 66.00  |
| 2000 .....                  | 65.00  | 65.00  | 65.00  | 66.00  | 67.00  | 67.00  | 70.00  | 73.00  | 76.00  | 84.00  | 86.00  | 91.00  |
| 2001 .....                  | 99.00  | 104.00 | 106.00 | 109.00 | 109.00 | 90.00  | 94.00  | 99.00  | 99.00  | 100.00 | 105.00 | 107.00 |
| 2002 .....                  | 108.00 | 106.00 | 105.00 | 94.00  | 95.00  | 100.00 | 115.00 | 121.00 | 120.00 | 117.00 | 114.00 | 114.00 |
| <b>All Other Hay, Baled</b> |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| <b>Dollars Per Ton</b>      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 1986 .....                  | 58.00  | 59.00  | 53.00  | 50.00  | 54.00  | 52.00  | 54.00  | 56.00  | 60.00  | 55.00  | 59.00  | 55.00  |
| 1987 .....                  | 53.00  | 56.00  | 54.00  | 56.00  | 56.00  | 60.00  | 60.00  | 58.00  | 60.00  | 59.00  | 61.00  | 65.00  |
| 1988 .....                  | 62.00  | 60.00  | 60.00  | 63.00  | 65.00  | 67.00  | 72.00  | 76.00  | 72.00  | 70.00  | 72.00  | 73.00  |
| 1989 .....                  | 72.00  | 73.00  | 76.00  | 80.00  | 83.00  | 85.00  | 85.00  | 86.00  | 88.00  | 88.00  | 89.00  | 92.00  |
| 1990 .....                  | 94.00  | 94.00  | 90.00  | 87.00  | 84.00  | 81.00  | 82.00  | 80.00  | 76.00  | 75.00  | 76.00  | 78.00  |
| 1991 .....                  | 77.00  | 75.00  | 76.00  | 75.00  | 74.00  | 73.00  | 74.00  | 77.00  | 76.00  | 70.00  | 67.00  | 67.00  |
| 1992 .....                  | 66.00  | 63.00  | 67.00  | 66.00  | 67.00  | 65.00  | 65.00  | 67.00  | 59.00  | 60.00  | 60.00  | 61.00  |
| 1993 .....                  | 63.00  | 64.00  | 66.00  | 68.00  | 67.00  | 69.00  | 74.00  | 72.00  | 69.00  | 69.00  | 71.00  | 78.00  |
| 1994 .....                  | 79.00  | 81.00  | 87.00  | 88.00  | 86.00  | 88.00  | 85.00  | 84.00  | 87.00  | 89.00  | 89.00  | 93.00  |
| 1995 .....                  | 94.00  | 91.00  | 95.00  | 93.00  | 93.00  | 92.00  | 90.00  | 92.00  | 89.00  | 85.00  | 85.00  | 85.00  |
| 1996 .....                  | 80.00  | 82.00  | 73.00  | 74.00  | 75.00  | 76.00  | 75.00  | 81.00  | 87.00  | 85.00  | 87.00  | 88.00  |
| 1997 .....                  | 98.00  | 95.00  | 100.00 | 110.00 | 115.00 | 110.00 | 105.00 | 105.00 | 105.00 | 105.00 | 110.00 | 110.00 |
| 1998 .....                  | 110.00 | 105.00 | 106.00 | 105.00 | 98.00  | 93.00  | 100.00 | 98.00  | 101.00 | 105.00 | 106.00 | 96.00  |
| 1999 .....                  | 110.00 | 100.00 | 89.00  | 86.00  | 80.00  | 65.00  | 70.00  | 70.00  | 65.00  | 61.00  | 60.00  | 60.00  |
| 2000 .....                  | 60.00  | 63.00  | 63.00  | 64.00  | 65.00  | 67.00  | 69.00  | 73.00  | 78.00  | 93.00  | 89.00  | 86.00  |
| 2001 .....                  | 91.00  | 93.00  | 93.00  | 100.00 | 85.00  | 85.00  | 94.00  | 90.00  | 95.00  | 100.00 | 102.00 | 103.00 |
| 2002 .....                  | 102.00 | 107.00 | 114.00 | 114.00 | 114.00 | 130.00 | 155.00 | 155.00 | 153.00 | 150.00 | 145.00 | 133.00 |

**Prices Received: Monthly averages selected commodities, Colorado, 1991-2002**

| Year                   | Jan.  | Feb.   | Mar.  | Apr.  | May   | June   | July   | Aug.  | Sep.  | Oct.  | Nov.  | Dec.  |
|------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Dry Beans</b>       |       |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> |       |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1991 .....             | 14.80 | 15.70  | 15.90 | 15.90 | 17.60 | 17.80  | 16.40  | 14.40 | 13.40 | 13.30 | 12.80 | 12.60 |
| 1992 .....             | 11.80 | 13.40  | 13.60 | 13.80 | 14.10 | 14.30  | 15.20  | 16.00 | 18.40 | 19.20 | 20.30 | 20.40 |
| 1993 .....             | 20.40 | 20.10  | 18.80 | 17.90 | 17.10 | 17.10  | 17.30  | 19.60 | 22.90 | 29.30 | 29.90 | 29.30 |
| 1994 .....             | 29.70 | 30.20  | 28.40 | 28.10 | 27.70 | 24.70  | 21.30  | 27.30 | 16.80 | 17.20 | 17.20 | 16.20 |
| 1995 .....             | 15.40 | 15.30  | 16.00 | 16.30 | 16.70 | 17.20  | 17.00  | 16.30 | 16.50 | 16.90 | 15.40 | 15.30 |
| 1996 .....             | 15.50 | 16.70  | 18.10 | 21.80 | 26.80 | 27.00  | 26.10  | 25.00 | 26.00 | 23.60 | 23.20 | 22.20 |
| 1997 .....             | 21.30 | 21.10  | 19.90 | 19.70 | 19.90 | 20.40  | 19.40  | 18.30 | 15.50 | 15.70 | 17.80 | 19.20 |
| 1998 .....             | 22.10 | 22.90  | 19.90 | 21.50 | 21.00 | 21.60  | 21.50  | 20.20 | 16.70 | 16.30 | 17.80 | 16.40 |
| 1999 .....             | 15.30 | 14.60  | 14.00 | 13.90 | 13.90 | 13.90  | 14.60  | 14.40 | 17.70 | 16.20 | 15.50 | 14.20 |
| 2000 .....             | 13.70 | 13.70  | 13.40 | 13.60 | 13.60 | 13.60  | 13.60  | 14.30 | 15.20 | 15.60 | 15.50 | 15.60 |
| 2001 .....             | 15.10 | 15.10  | 15.10 | 15.50 | 15.60 | 16.20  | 17.00  | 17.70 | 20.50 | 19.90 | 19.20 | 21.00 |
| 2002 .....             | 24.50 | 26.10  | 27.30 | 28.70 | 28.70 | 28.60  | 26.40  | 23.10 | 21.30 | 16.60 | 15.00 | 15.00 |
| <b>All Potatoes</b>    |       |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> |       |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1991 .....             | 4.30  | 4.10   | 4.00  | 4.25  | 4.10  | 7.75   | 8.00   | 4.50  | 3.65  | 2.30  | 2.30  | 2.00  |
| 1992 .....             | 2.05  | 2.05   | 1.60  | 1.45  | 1.35  | 2.75   | 5.35   | 5.40  | 5.50  | 4.90  | 4.10  | 3.65  |
| 1993 .....             | 3.65  | 3.60   | 3.75  | 4.00  | 4.50  | 4.15   | 4.15   | 4.60  | 4.50  | 5.10  | 5.90  | 5.70  |
| 1994 .....             | 5.60  | 5.90   | 7.90  | 7.35  | 6.85  | 5.80   | 6.15   | 5.75  | 3.50  | 3.00  | 2.95  | 3.15  |
| 1995 .....             | 2.85  | 2.70   | 3.30  | 2.95  | 4.15  | 6.85   | 8.95   | 6.75  | 7.50  | 6.20  | 6.00  | 5.50  |
| 1996 .....             | 6.25  | 6.60   | 6.90  | 6.45  | 6.25  | 6.00   | 4.95   | 4.55  | 3.40  | 2.95  | 2.20  | 1.60  |
| 1997 .....             | 1.55  | 1.65   | 1.70  | 1.25  | .85   | .75    | 2.85   | 5.50  | 5.70  | 5.10  | 4.75  | 4.45  |
| 1998 .....             | 4.50  | 4.45   | 4.75  | 4.30  | 4.05  | 3.90   | 4.60   | 5.95  | 5.60  | 4.55  | 3.90  | 3.65  |
| 1999 .....             | 3.75  | 4.00   | 4.30  | 4.65  | 5.70  | 5.90   | 7.35   | 7.25  | 5.90  | 4.80  | 4.50  | 4.45  |
| 2000 .....             | 4.20  | 4.40   | 4.65  | 4.50  | 3.80  | 3.35   | 3.10   | 5.25  | 4.45  | 3.20  | 2.60  | 2.30  |
| 2001 .....             | 2.40  | 2.50   | 2.55  | 2.75  | 2.95  | 5.00   | 6.35   | 8.75  | 8.45  | 7.35  | 7.55  | 8.10  |
| 2002 .....             | 9.15  | 9.95   | 10.50 | 9.60  | 11.50 | 13.30  | 15.00  | 10.80 | 7.50  | 6.50  | 7.25  | 7.15  |
| <b>Sheep</b>           |       |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> |       |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1991 .....             | 24.70 | 23.50  | 26.30 | 24.30 | 20.30 | 24.90  | 23.20  | 23.50 | 21.80 | 18.70 | 19.50 | 22.30 |
| 1992 .....             | 24.50 | 27.90  | 35.70 | 30.40 | 24.70 | 22.80  | 25.30  | 27.30 | 25.90 | 24.00 | 24.90 | 28.10 |
| 1993 .....             | 29.70 | 35.70  | 33.90 | 27.40 | 29.30 | 30.20  | 29.40  | 29.90 | 26.30 | 23.30 | 27.00 | 31.10 |
| 1994 .....             | 30.20 | 34.40  | 34.50 | 29.60 | 26.90 | 31.00  | 27.60  | 28.80 | 27.30 | 25.20 | 26.20 | 35.40 |
| 1995 .....             | 30.50 | 32.00  | 30.20 | 29.20 | 25.40 | 27.10  | 29.00  | 28.10 | 25.30 | 24.20 | 23.20 | 26.40 |
| 1996 .....             | 35.60 | 33.80  | 33.50 | 29.80 | 26.30 | 25.90  | 33.70  | 30.60 | 31.60 | 29.40 | 31.60 | 28.70 |
| 1997 .....             | 40.50 | 39.90  | 40.20 | 36.30 | 28.00 | 33.70  | 42.90  | 39.00 | 32.70 | 35.80 | 36.80 | 36.80 |
| 1998 .....             | 41.50 | 40.60  | 39.90 | 33.90 | 30.00 | 31.20  | 31.70  | 29.30 | 25.70 | 24.60 | 26.70 | 31.40 |
| 1999 .....             | 34.60 | 30.90  | 31.30 | 30.10 | 27.80 | 31.10  | 31.70  | 29.40 | 26.00 | 26.00 | 31.90 | 39.90 |
| 2000 .....             | 36.10 | 40.00  | 33.10 | 33.70 | 27.90 | 32.20  | 37.50  | 30.40 | 31.11 | 30.40 | 33.90 | 38.10 |
| 2001 .....             | 38.40 | 43.60  | 42.40 | 32.50 | 33.50 | 30.10  | 31.50  | 29.30 | 31.80 | 23.10 | 30.00 | 32.00 |
| 2002 .....             | 30.90 | 29.70  | 31.50 | 22.60 | 24.90 | 21.90  | 24.10  | 21.70 | 22.30 | 21.20 | 29.10 | 31.20 |
| <b>Lambs</b>           |       |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b> |       |        |       |       |       |        |        |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1991 .....             | 48.60 | 45.30  | 50.90 | 54.40 | 57.80 | 57.40  | 60.70  | 56.80 | 55.70 | 55.30 | 53.30 | 53.30 |
| 1992 .....             | 53.20 | 53.60  | 62.20 | 68.30 | 69.60 | 67.50  | 64.60  | 58.30 | 58.40 | 56.30 | 58.20 | 65.10 |
| 1993 .....             | 66.10 | 72.20  | 78.60 | 70.60 | 60.40 | 51.30  | 51.10  | 55.70 | 65.40 | 65.10 | 67.10 | 68.40 |
| 1994 .....             | 61.20 | 58.50  | 60.10 | 55.40 | 50.10 | 58.30  | 75.40  | 81.90 | 79.20 | 76.60 | 75.80 | 73.80 |
| 1995 .....             | 70.30 | 70.30  | 75.10 | 75.30 | 79.50 | 88.10  | 89.90  | 90.30 | 86.60 | 81.80 | 79.80 | 78.50 |
| 1996 .....             | 76.20 | 83.00  | 85.90 | 85.70 | 88.80 | 104.00 | 103.00 | 92.50 | 91.20 | 88.00 | 84.20 | 86.10 |
| 1997 .....             | 91.20 | 101.00 | 98.20 | 94.60 | 90.00 | 82.80  | 77.00  | 90.90 | 91.40 | 84.30 | 81.60 | 81.60 |
| 1998 .....             | 81.60 | 76.10  | 69.90 | 62.80 | 59.60 | 89.60  | 84.70  | 85.50 | 77.90 | 71.70 | 62.60 | 63.50 |
| 1999 .....             | 67.10 | 67.40  | 67.60 | 66.10 | 83.80 | 82.90  | 78.00  | 83.50 | 79.10 | 72.80 | 74.70 | 74.70 |
| 2000 .....             | 66.60 | 68.80  | 77.60 | 78.90 | 98.10 | 95.70  | 90.70  | 85.90 | 80.80 | 73.20 | 68.60 | 68.00 |
| 2001 .....             | 69.10 | 75.10  | 79.90 | 80.50 | 68.20 | 68.10  | 65.30  | 51.90 | 53.20 | 51.70 | 52.10 | 58.00 |
| 2002 .....             | 65.50 | 64.20  | 64.50 | 62.60 | 61.00 | 70.00  | 75.00  | 77.20 | 81.00 | 82.60 | 86.60 | 89.50 |



**Prices Received: Monthly averages selected commodities, Colorado, 1991-2002**

| Year                      | Jan.   | Feb.   | Mar.   | Apr.   | May    | June   | July   | Aug.   | Sep.   | Oct.   | Nov.   | Dec.   |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>Beef Cattle</b>        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b>    |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 1991 .....                | 78.90  | 80.10  | 81.90  | 81.20  | 80.10  | 74.70  | 73.40  | 69.50  | 69.20  | 73.70  | 72.10  | 70.00  |
| 1992 .....                | 71.10  | 74.70  | 76.50  | 76.20  | 74.50  | 71.60  | 72.00  | 73.00  | 75.30  | 75.20  | 73.90  | 74.60  |
| 1993 .....                | 79.50  | 79.30  | 81.70  | 82.50  | 79.40  | 76.20  | 73.50  | 75.50  | 74.80  | 73.10  | 73.80  | 71.50  |
| 1994 .....                | 73.80  | 72.60  | 75.60  | 75.40  | 67.90  | 63.70  | 63.90  | 67.40  | 66.30  | 67.30  | 68.60  | 67.40  |
| 1995 .....                | 71.30  | 72.10  | 69.90  | 66.00  | 64.30  | 62.70  | 60.50  | 61.60  | 62.20  | 61.80  | 64.00  | 62.80  |
| 1996 .....                | 60.70  | 60.40  | 59.50  | 56.90  | 59.00  | 59.00  | 63.10  | 64.80  | 66.40  | 64.70  | 65.80  | 63.10  |
| 1997 .....                | 62.60  | 64.30  | 67.00  | 67.10  | 66.20  | 62.80  | 62.20  | 65.10  | 66.80  | 67.50  | 66.30  | 65.30  |
| 1998 .....                | 64.40  | 60.40  | 63.10  | 64.80  | 64.00  | 63.40  | 58.90  | 57.90  | 57.90  | 61.30  | 61.60  | 58.40  |
| 1999 .....                | 61.80  | 62.50  | 64.80  | 64.90  | 63.50  | 64.30  | 62.80  | 64.00  | 66.10  | 70.20  | 69.50  | 70.90  |
| 2000 .....                | 70.30  | 68.40  | 72.50  | 73.10  | 69.90  | 68.20  | 65.80  | 64.80  | 67.80  | 70.10  | 72.80  | 74.40  |
| 2001 .....                | 79.00  | 77.20  | 79.40  | 77.30  | 74.70  | 76.40  | 72.20  | 70.90  | 69.70  | 67.00  | 64.00  | 66.60  |
| 2002 .....                | 72.90  | 74.70  | 80.00  | 75.90  | 74.50  | 76.50  | 76.70  | 76.20  | 77.60  | 80.40  | 80.60  | 82.70  |
| <b>Cows</b>               |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b>    |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 1991 .....                | 51.00  | 52.70  | 54.10  | 55.20  | 54.90  | 52.80  | 52.40  | 51.90  | 49.60  | 51.60  | 47.60  | 51.30  |
| 1992 .....                | 52.10  | 56.30  | 56.30  | 56.70  | 55.40  | 54.20  | 56.20  | 52.60  | 53.60  | 49.50  | 48.10  | 50.60  |
| 1993 .....                | 53.00  | 54.50  | 54.00  | 56.50  | 55.70  | 56.10  | 55.40  | 54.60  | 53.90  | 49.80  | 47.50  | 47.40  |
| 1994 .....                | 49.50  | 51.30  | 52.30  | 52.60  | 51.70  | 48.70  | 49.00  | 49.00  | 45.30  | 38.80  | 36.00  | 37.20  |
| 1995 .....                | 40.10  | 44.30  | 42.20  | 39.00  | 37.90  | 39.40  | 36.80  | 37.50  | 35.30  | 33.20  | 31.10  | 31.60  |
| 1996 .....                | 33.50  | 34.70  | 33.70  | 30.30  | 32.30  | 33.00  | 34.00  | 34.80  | 33.80  | 32.00  | 29.90  | 29.90  |
| 1997 .....                | 30.80  | 35.30  | 40.10  | 41.90  | 40.50  | 40.80  | 41.40  | 42.30  | 41.10  | 37.10  | 32.40  | 33.30  |
| 1998 .....                | 35.60  | 36.90  | 36.80  | 37.00  | 36.60  | 36.50  | 35.50  | 35.10  | 33.10  | 30.30  | 30.40  | 30.60  |
| 1999 .....                | 34.00  | 36.60  | 35.80  | 35.90  | 35.70  | 36.40  | 38.80  | 37.20  | 37.10  | 36.40  | 34.60  | 36.90  |
| 2000 .....                | 37.80  | 39.00  | 41.00  | 40.70  | 41.50  | 41.10  | 42.10  | 41.50  | 37.90  | 36.90  | 37.30  | 39.10  |
| 2001 .....                | 39.90  | 44.80  | 43.70  | 45.20  | 47.10  | 47.10  | 46.80  | 47.40  | 45.10  | 40.60  | 38.20  | 38.00  |
| 2002 .....                | 39.60  | 41.90  | 43.50  | 40.90  | 40.00  | 40.00  | 35.90  | 37.70  | 36.30  | 32.40  | 33.10  | 34.40  |
| <b>Steers and Heifers</b> |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b>    |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 1991 .....                | 80.60  | 81.10  | 82.80  | 82.10  | 80.90  | 75.50  | 73.70  | 69.80  | 69.60  | 75.60  | 74.30  | 71.40  |
| 1992 .....                | 73.10  | 77.10  | 78.50  | 78.00  | 76.60  | 73.30  | 73.50  | 74.50  | 76.70  | 77.80  | 77.40  | 77.90  |
| 1993 .....                | 81.80  | 81.20  | 83.50  | 84.50  | 81.70  | 77.30  | 74.30  | 76.10  | 75.90  | 76.00  | 76.10  | 73.60  |
| 1994 .....                | 75.60  | 74.00  | 77.10  | 77.10  | 68.70  | 64.50  | 64.70  | 68.00  | 67.40  | 68.80  | 71.40  | 70.00  |
| 1995 .....                | 73.70  | 73.90  | 71.70  | 68.00  | 65.70  | 63.90  | 61.70  | 62.60  | 63.00  | 65.30  | 66.90  | 65.50  |
| 1996 .....                | 63.10  | 62.00  | 61.10  | 58.90  | 64.40  | 60.40  | 64.30  | 65.70  | 68.10  | 68.70  | 68.90  | 66.00  |
| 1997 .....                | 65.40  | 66.50  | 68.70  | 68.70  | 68.10  | 64.00  | 63.30  | 66.10  | 67.60  | 69.10  | 70.50  | 68.10  |
| 1998 .....                | 66.90  | 62.20  | 64.40  | 66.60  | 66.10  | 64.80  | 60.10  | 58.80  | 58.90  | 62.90  | 65.50  | 60.80  |
| 1999 .....                | 64.00  | 64.50  | 66.60  | 66.80  | 65.60  | 66.40  | 64.10  | 65.10  | 67.00  | 72.00  | 73.80  | 73.90  |
| 2000 .....                | 73.10  | 70.60  | 74.50  | 75.20  | 72.00  | 69.60  | 67.00  | 65.80  | 68.70  | 71.90  | 76.80  | 77.50  |
| 2001 .....                | 82.40  | 79.60  | 81.70  | 79.30  | 76.80  | 77.90  | 73.30  | 71.90  | 70.50  | 68.40  | 66.90  | 69.10  |
| 2002 .....                | 73.20  | 75.00  | 80.40  | 76.20  | 74.80  | 76.90  | 77.10  | 76.60  | 78.00  | 80.90  | 81.10  | 83.20  |
| <b>Calves</b>             |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| <b>Dollars Per Cwt</b>    |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| 1991 .....                | 104.00 | 107.00 | 113.00 | 112.00 | 114.00 | 109.00 | 106.00 | 100.00 | 102.00 | 99.20  | 98.00  | 94.70  |
| 1992 .....                | 95.40  | 101.00 | 105.00 | 99.10  | 97.10  | 99.70  | 98.00  | 102.00 | 97.30  | 92.50  | 94.00  | 97.70  |
| 1993 .....                | 103.00 | 104.00 | 107.00 | 107.00 | 107.00 | 106.00 | 108.00 | 100.00 | 101.00 | 99.50  | 98.50  | 98.30  |
| 1994 .....                | 103.00 | 103.00 | 104.00 | 101.00 | 98.50  | 92.90  | 92.50  | 90.00  | 82.10  | 81.20  | 84.40  | 85.50  |
| 1995 .....                | 89.30  | 88.20  | 85.90  | 81.10  | 79.20  | 79.20  | 70.50  | 70.70  | 68.50  | 64.90  | 64.50  | 65.40  |
| 1996 .....                | 63.00  | 62.80  | 61.80  | 56.50  | 58.40  | 56.70  | 57.10  | 59.40  | 61.70  | 61.90  | 63.50  | 67.30  |
| 1997 .....                | 73.80  | 78.40  | 82.80  | 85.80  | 86.60  | 88.70  | 90.00  | 94.60  | 89.00  | 89.10  | 86.70  | 88.70  |
| 1998 .....                | 91.80  | 91.10  | 94.50  | 95.00  | 93.00  | 81.80  | 71.90  | 75.20  | 74.40  | 77.10  | 79.50  | 82.70  |
| 1999 .....                | 86.90  | 84.20  | 88.50  | 90.80  | 88.20  | 91.00  | 87.60  | 83.90  | 89.90  | 91.30  | 92.80  | 101.00 |
| 2000 .....                | 106.00 | 106.00 | 114.00 | 111.00 | 107.00 | 98.00  | 106.00 | 106.00 | 101.00 | 100.00 | 103.00 | 106.00 |
| 2001 .....                | 109.00 | 110.00 | 112.00 | 111.00 | 111.00 | 107.00 | 104.00 | 103.00 | 94.70  | 88.20  | 86.30  | 92.00  |
| 2002 .....                | 94.40  | 98.40  | 95.70  | 93.30  | 89.00  | 90.00  | 91.80  | 91.90  | 90.10  | 87.90  | 87.30  | 92.30  |

## 2002 LIVESTOCK REVIEW

**SUMMARY:** Colorado farmers and ranchers had 2.65 million head of all cattle and calves on hand as of January 1, 2003, down 13 percent from the 3.05 million on hand one year earlier to the lowest inventory since 1987. The total inventory of all sheep and lambs as of January 1, 2003 was unchanged from the previous year, at 370,000 head. The December 1, 2002 inventory of all hogs and pigs declined 1 percent from a year earlier to 790,000 head. The December 1, 2002 inventory of all chickens was up 13 percent to 4.78 million birds. Colorado ranks 10th in the number of all cattle and calves, 5th in the number of all sheep and lambs, 15th in the number of all hogs and pigs, and 24th in the number of all chickens. The state also ranks as the 4th largest cattle feeder with annual marketings of more than two million head of fed cattle. Colorado ranks 3rd in the number of market sheep and lambs. More than one million head of sheep and lambs have been slaughtered in the state annually for more than two decades, making Colorado the Nation's largest producer of lamb.

The state's dairy cow numbers continue to increase while the number of operations with milk cows continues to decline. The number of bee colonies and honey production continue to decline towards record or near record lows. The state's trout producers have sold more than \$2 million of fish of various sizes each year since estimates were begun in 1989.

The total inventory value of the cattle, sheep, hogs, and chickens on hand at the beginning of the year (using the January 1 and December 1 reference dates) was \$2.14 billion, down 5 percent from the comparable value of \$2.25 billion one year earlier. The value per head averaged higher than the previous year for all species except hogs.

Pasture and range feed conditions were rated as mostly fair at the start of the season in mid-March. Condition quickly deteriorated and remained in the poor and very poor ratings for the majority of the season. This resulted in herd reductions and/or liquidations and movement of livestock to other areas of the country where forage was more plentiful. While some improvement was noted into the poor and fair categories late in the season, no significant amount of forage regrowth occurred. Late season moisture was never sufficient enough to replenish soil moisture or stimulate late season forage growth, and with a somewhat dry winter, early season grazing prospects for the 2003 season will be similar to the start of the 2002 season.

**CATTLE AND CALVES:** Colorado farm and ranch operators had 2.65 million head of all cattle and calves on hand as of January 1, 2003, down 13 percent from the 3.05 million head on hand one year earlier to the lowest all cattle inventory since 1987. The total inventory included 1,040,000 head of cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market as of January 1, 2003, down 14 percent from the previous year. The on feed total at the beginning of this year represented 39.2 percent of the total inventory compared with 39.7 percent one year earlier. More than 98 percent of the total number on feed (1,040,000 head) were in 158 feedlots that have a capacity of 1,000 head or more.

In addition, there were 20,000 head of cattle and calves on feed on 117 operations having a feedlot with a capacity of less than 1,000 head. Total marketings of fed cattle from all feedlots in the state for 2002 totaled 2,515,000 head, down 1 percent from the previous year and 8 percent below the record high of 2,725,000 head marketed during 2000.

The total number of all cows and heifers that have calved, at 800,000 head, declined 10 percent from 890,000 head a year earlier. The number of beef cows declined 12 percent from the previous year to 702,000 head, the lowest level since 1957. The number of milk cows increased 5 percent to 98,000 head.

The state's dairy herd produced 2.16 billion pounds of milk during the year, making Colorado the 17<sup>th</sup> largest milk producing state in the nation. The average production per cow, at 21,590 pounds, was exceeded only by Arizona which averaged 23,486 pounds per cow and Washington, at 22,753 pounds per cow.

There were 790,000 heifers weighing 500 pounds and over on hand at the beginning of this year, down 13 percent from a year earlier. Of that total, 102,000 were being kept for beef cow replacement (down 15 percent), and 38,000 were for milk cow replacement (down 5 percent). The remaining 650,000 were other heifers (down 13 percent) of which 425,000 were on feed for the slaughter market.

The January 1, 2003 inventory also included 870,000 head of steers weighing 500 pounds or more (down 14 percent) and 585,000 of those were on feed for the slaughter market. The number of bulls weighing 500 pounds or more declined 11 percent from a year earlier to 40,000 head. The number of calves (steers, heifers, and bulls under 500 pounds) on hand January 1, 2003, at 150,000 head, was down 23 percent from the 195,000 on hand the previous year. The 2002 calf crop in Colorado, at 820,000 head, was down 2 percent from the 2001 calf crop. Many calves were born in Colorado but moved out of state with the mother cows during the summer.

The total inventory value of all cattle and calves in Colorado as of January 1, 2003 was \$2.04 billion, 4 percent below the \$2.14 billion for January 1, 2002. The average value of \$770 per head represented an increase of \$70 per head from the previous year.

The number of operations with cattle at any time during 2002 was down 2 percent from the previous year to 14,300. The number of beef cow operations was down 5 percent to 10,500 and the number of milk cow operations in 2002 declined 1 percent to 780, down 20 operations from the previous year.

**SHEEP AND LAMBS:** The January 1, 2003 inventory of all sheep and lambs in Colorado totaled 370,000 head, unchanged from the number on hand as of January 1, 2002. The number of breeding sheep and lambs was down 10 percent to 185,000 head while the number of market sheep and lambs increased 12 percent to 185,000. There was a 17 percent decline in the number of replacement lambs to 24,000 head. The number of



ewes one year old and older declined 9 percent to 155,000 head, while the number of rams one year old and older remained unchanged from last year at 6,000.

Of the 185,000 head of market sheep and lambs, 1,000 head were market sheep and 184,000 head were market lambs. There were 2,000 lambs weighing less than 65 pounds this year, the same number as a year earlier; 5,000 were in the 65-84 pound weight group, also the same as the previous year; 30,000 weighed 85-105 pounds compared with 17,000 last year; and 147,000 weighed over 105 pounds compared with the 140,000 head in this weight group on January 1, 2002.

The 2002 lamb crop, at 200,000 head, was up 5 percent from the 2001 lamb crop of 190,000. The number of operations with sheep in Colorado for 2002 was down 100 from the previous year to 1,900.

The January 1, 2003 inventory value of all sheep and lambs in Colorado was estimated at \$35.15 million, up 12 percent from a year earlier. The overall average for all sheep and lambs, at \$95.00 per head, was \$10.00 per head higher than a year earlier.

Wool production in Colorado during 2002 totaled 3.07 million pounds, down slightly from 3.08 million pounds produced in 2001. The number of all sheep and lambs shorn, at 460,000 head, was up 7 percent from 430,000 head shorn a year earlier. The value of wool production for 2002 totaled \$1.75 million, up 72 percent from a year earlier as producers received 57 cents per pound of wool sold compared with 33 cents per pound the previous year.

**HOGS AND PIGS:** Colorado's inventory of all hogs and pigs as of December 1, 2002 totaled 790,000 head, down 1 percent from a year earlier. This is the third December to December decline following fourteen consecutive years in which inventory numbers were unchanged or higher than the previous year. The latest inventory consisted of 160,000 breeding hogs and pigs, down 9 percent from the 175,000 on hand one year earlier. The number of market hogs and pigs, at 630,000, increased 1 percent from the previous year.

The 2002 pig crop in Colorado totaled 2.58 million head, down 3 percent from the previous year. There were 305,000 sows farrowed during the year, down 3 percent from last year. The average litter size of 8.5 pigs in 2002 was virtually the same as a year earlier.

There were just 390 operations with hogs in Colorado during 2002, down from 400 the previous year. The major portion of the Colorado hogs and pigs are under the control of a small number of large operations, following the trend in the United States.

The December 1, 2002 inventory value of all hogs and pigs was placed at \$58.46 million, down 21 percent from the previous year. The average value, at \$74.00 per head, declined \$18.00 per head from the previous year.

**CHICKENS AND EGGS:** The all chicken inventory in Colorado as of December 1, 2002 totaled 4.78 million birds, up 13 percent from the 4.21 million on hand one year earlier. The number of layers increased 16 percent from the previous year to 4.14 million. Of that total, 1.85 million were one year old and older (up 19 percent) and 2.29 million were less than one year of age (up 14 percent).

The total inventory also included 568,000 pullets (down 5 percent from 598,000 as of December 1, 2001) that were less than 20 weeks of age. Of that total, there were 412,000 pullets less than 13 weeks of age (down 10 percent) and 156,000 pullets between 13 and 20 weeks of age (up 10 percent). The remaining inventory of 72,000 other chickens represented an increase of 31 percent from the previous year.

During the period December 1, 2001 through November 30, 2002, Colorado laying flocks produced 1.0 billion eggs. This was up 7 percent from the 946 million eggs produced during the comparable period a year earlier. The number of layers averaged 3.74 million for the year, up 5 percent from 3.57 million layers during the same period a year earlier. The annual average laying rate for the latest year was 270 eggs per layer compared with 265 eggs per layer one year earlier.

The December 1, 2002 inventory value of all chickens was estimated at just over \$9.8 million, up 23 percent from \$8.0 million a year earlier. The average value per bird, at \$2.00, was 10 cents per bird higher than the December 1, 2001 value per bird.

**BEEES AND HONEY:** The number of colonies in Colorado during 2002 declined 8 percent from a year earlier to 24,000. However, total honey production of 1.44 million pounds for 2002 was slightly higher than the previous year as the average yield per colony increased from 55 pounds per colony in 2001 to 60 pounds per colony in 2002.

The total value of the 2002 honey crop totaled just under \$1.76 million, up 73 percent from the previous year. The average price received for the 2002 crop was \$1.22 per pound compared with 71 cents per pound for the 2001 crop. December 15, 2002 honey stocks totaled 576,000 pounds, up 9 percent from 529,000 pounds a year earlier.

**TROUT:** There were 15 operations in Colorado during 2002 which had trout sales totaling \$2.50 million and 19 operations that distributed trout valued at \$5.48 million. Producers marketed and/or distributed nearly 2.31 million pounds of foodsize, stocker, and fingerling fish during 2002 and received an average price of \$3.45 per pound. This compares with 2.46 million pounds marketed and/or distributed in 2001 and an average price of \$4.24 per pound. The value of foodsize fish totaled \$1.53 million. Producers received an average price of \$2.80 per pound for foodsize trout. The value of stockers totaled \$3.90 million. The average price received for stockers was \$2.50 per pound. The value of fingerlings totaled \$2.55 million. Producers received an average price of \$250.00 per 1,000 fish for fingerlings.



**Livestock: Inventory by class, Colorado, January 1, 1996-2003**

| Class  | 1996             | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  | 2000  | 2001  | 2002  | 2003  |
|--|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|  | <b>Thousands</b> |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>All cattle and calves</b> .....             | 3,150            | 3,250 | 3,250 | 3,200 | 3,150 | 3,150 | 3,050 | 2,650 |
| All cows & heifers that have calved .....      | 930              | 930   | 940   | 920   | 920   | 930   | 890   | 800   |
| Beef cows & heifers .....                      | 848              | 846   | 856   | 837   | 835   | 840   | 797   | 702   |
| Milk cows & heifers .....                      | 82               | 84    | 84    | 83    | 85    | 90    | 93    | 98    |
| Heifers 500 lbs & over .....                   | 930              | 930   | 940   | 910   | 935   | 915   | 910   | 790   |
| For beef cow replacement .....                 | 160              | 160   | 150   | 145   | 150   | 140   | 120   | 102   |
| For milk cow replacement .....                 | 45               | 45    | 45    | 45    | 45    | 45    | 40    | 38    |
| Other heifers .....                            | 725              | 725   | 745   | 720   | 740   | 730   | 750   | 650   |
| Steers 500 lbs & over .....                    | 980              | 1,070 | 1,060 | 1,040 | 990   | 1,000 | 1,010 | 870   |
| Bulls 500 lbs & over .....                     | 50               | 50    | 50    | 50    | 50    | 50    | 45    | 40    |
| Steers, heifers, & bulls under 500 lbs .....   | 260              | 270   | 260   | 280   | 255   | 255   | 195   | 150   |
| Cattle on feed <sup>1/</sup> .....             | 1,070            | 1,130 | 1,140 | 1,160 | 1,200 | 1,230 | 1,210 | 1,040 |
| Calf crop, annual .....                        | 870              | 870   | 870   | 870   | 880   | 840   | 820   | ---   |
| <b>All sheep and lambs</b> .....               | 535              | 575   | 575   | 440   | 440   | 420   | 370   | 370   |
| Breeding sheep & lambs .....                   | 245              | 250   | 240   | 220   | 210   | 195   | 205   | 185   |
| Ewes one year old & older .....                | 210              | 210   | 200   | 185   | 175   | 165   | 170   | 155   |
| Rams one year old & older .....                | 7                | 7     | 7     | 6     | 6     | 6     | 6     | 6     |
| Replacement lambs .....                        | 28               | 33    | 33    | 29    | 29    | 24    | 29    | 24    |
| Market sheep & lambs .....                     | 290              | 325   | 335   | 220   | 230   | 225   | 165   | 185   |
| Sheep .....                                    | 2                | 3     | 2     | 1     | 1     | 3     | 1     | 1     |
| Lambs .....                                    | 288              | 322   | 333   | 219   | 229   | 222   | 164   | 184   |
| Under 65 Pounds .....                          | 3                | 4     | 2     | 7     | 4     | 3     | 2     | 2     |
| 65-84 Pounds .....                             | 40               | 43    | 2     | 5     | 6     | 7     | 5     | 5     |
| 85-105 Pounds .....                            | 100              | 100   | 115   | 52    | 47    | 37    | 17    | 30    |
| Over 105 Pounds .....                          | 145              | 175   | 214   | 155   | 172   | 175   | 140   | 147   |
| Lamb crop, annual .....                        | 240              | 225   | 220   | 210   | 200   | 190   | 200   | ---   |
| <b>All hogs &amp; pigs</b> <sup>2/</sup> ..... | 580              | 630   | 790   | 870   | 910   | 840   | 800   | 790   |
| Breeding .....                                 | 120              | 135   | 160   | 180   | 210   | 190   | 175   | 160   |
| Market .....                                   | 460              | 495   | 630   | 690   | 700   | 650   | 625   | 630   |
| Under 60 lbs .....                             | 205              | 220   | 300   | 335   | 350   | 370   | 350   | 350   |
| 60-119 lbs .....                               | 85               | 95    | 115   | 120   | 115   | 80    | 90    | 90    |
| 120-179 lbs .....                              | 85               | 90    | 105   | 120   | 110   | 85    | 75    | 80    |
| 180 lbs & over .....                           | 85               | 90    | 110   | 115   | 125   | 115   | 110   | 110   |
| Sows farrowed, annual .....                    | 167              | 200   | 286   | 332   | 350   | 316   | 305   | ---   |
| Pig crop, annual .....                         | 1,434            | 1,700 | 2,452 | 2,800 | 2,957 | 2,667 | 2,581 | ---   |
| <b>All chickens</b> <sup>2/</sup> .....        | 4,125            | 4,080 | 4,718 | 4,597 | 4,479 | 4,170 | 4,210 | 4,777 |
| Total layers .....                             | 3,114            | 3,343 | 3,670 | 3,737 | 3,800 | 3,410 | 3,557 | 4,137 |
| One year old & older .....                     | 1,479            | 1,813 | 1,910 | 2,250 | 1,052 | 1,440 | 1,560 | 1,852 |
| Less than one year .....                       | 1,635            | 1,530 | 1,760 | 1,487 | 2,748 | 1,970 | 1,997 | 2,285 |
| Total pullets .....                            | 845              | 600   | 872   | 730   | 510   | 601   | 598   | 568   |
| Pullets 13 to 20 weeks of age .....            | 380              | 320   | 229   | 180   | 210   | 206   | 142   | 156   |
| Pullets less than 13 weeks of age .....        | 465              | 280   | 643   | 550   | 300   | 395   | 456   | 412   |
| Other chickens .....                           | 166              | 137   | 176   | 130   | 169   | 159   | 55    | 72    |

<sup>1/</sup> Included in other classes.    <sup>2/</sup> December 1 preceding year.

**Livestock Operations: Number by type, Colorado, 1998-2002**

| Year       | All cattle operations | Beef cow operations <sup>1/</sup> | Milk cow operations <sup>1/</sup> | Cattle feedlots <sup>1/</sup> | Sheep operations | Hog operations |
|------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
|            | <b>Number</b>         |                                   |                                   |                               |                  |                |
| 1998 ..... | 15,500                | 11,700                            | 900                               | 280                           | 1,700            | 1,000          |
| 1999 ..... | 15,000                | 11,200                            | 900                               | 280                           | 1,700            | 500            |
| 2000 ..... | 15,100                | 11,400                            | 860                               | 280                           | 1,900            | 500            |
| 2001 ..... | 14,600                | 11,000                            | 800                               | 285                           | 2,000            | 400            |
| 2002 ..... | 14,300                | 10,500                            | 780                               | 275                           | 1,900            | 390            |

<sup>1/</sup> Included in all cattle operations.

**Cattle: Percent of operations and inventory by size group, by class, Colorado, 1998-2002**

| Year/Class          | Operations having |            |              |              |              | Inventory on operations having |            |              |              |              |
|---------------------|-------------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|                     | 1-49 Head         | 50-99 Head | 100-499 Head | 500-999 Head | 1,000 + Head | 1-49 Head                      | 50-99 Head | 100-499 Head | 500-999 Head | 1,000 + Head |
|                     | <b>Percent</b>    |            |              |              |              | <b>Percent</b>                 |            |              |              |              |
| <b>1998</b>         |                   |            |              |              |              |                                |            |              |              |              |
| All Cattle & Calves | 52.2              | 16.8       | 23.9         | 4.2          | 2.9          | 4.6                            | 5.6        | 24.0         | 12.8         | 53.0         |
| Beef Cows           | 61.6              | 16.2       | 20.1         | 2.1          | ...          | 14.0                           | 15.0       | 50.0         | 21.0         | ...          |
| <b>1999</b>         |                   |            |              |              |              |                                |            |              |              |              |
| All Cattle & Calves | 54.7              | 15.3       | 22.7         | 4.3          | 3.0          | 4.0                            | 5.0        | 22.0         | 14.0         | 55.0         |
| Beef Cows           | 63.4              | 15.2       | 19.2         | 2.2          | ...          | 14.0                           | 14.0       | 48.0         | 24.0         | ...          |
| <b>2000</b>         |                   |            |              |              |              |                                |            |              |              |              |
| All Cattle & Calves | 54.3              | 15.2       | 23.2         | 4.3          | 3.0          | 4.0                            | 5.0        | 23.0         | 14.0         | 54.0         |
| Beef Cows           | 62.3              | 15.3       | 20.2         | 2.2          | ...          | 14.0                           | 14.0       | 51.0         | 21.0         | ...          |
| <b>2001</b>         |                   |            |              |              |              |                                |            |              |              |              |
| All Cattle & Calves | 53.4              | 14.8       | 24.0         | 4.7          | 3.1          | 3.8                            | 4.7        | 23.0         | 14.5         | 54.0         |
| Beef Cows           | 60.9              | 15.8       | 20.9         | 2.4          | ...          | 12.0                           | 14.0       | 50.0         | 24.0         | ...          |
| <b>2002</b>         |                   |            |              |              |              |                                |            |              |              |              |
| All Cattle & Calves | 53.9              | 14.0       | 24.5         | 4.5          | 3.1          | 4.0                            | 4.5        | 24.0         | 14.5         | 53.0         |
| Beef Cows           | 60.0              | 16.2       | 21.4         | 2.4          | ...          | 13.0                           | 15.0       | 49.0         | 23.0         | ...          |

**Milk Cows: Percent of operations and inventory by size group, Colorado, 1998-2002**

| Year      | Operations having |              |              |                |                |            | Inventory on operations having |              |              |                |                |            |
|-----------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|------------|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|------------|
|           | 1 - 29 Head       | 30 - 49 Head | 50 - 99 Head | 100 - 199 Head | 200 - 499 Head | 500 + Head | 1 - 29 Head                    | 30 - 49 Head | 50 - 99 Head | 100 - 199 Head | 200 - 499 Head | 500 + Head |
|           | <b>Percent</b>    |              |              |                |                |            | <b>Percent</b>                 |              |              |                |                |            |
| 1998 .... | 66.7              | 3.3          | 5.5          | 8.9            | 10.0           | 5.6        | 1.4                            | 1.4          | 4.2          | 12.0           | 30.0           | 51.0       |
| 1999 .... | 70.0              | 2.2          | 5.0          | 7.8            | 8.9            | 6.1        | 1.4                            | 0.8          | 2.8          | 9.0            | 25.0           | 61.0       |
| 2000 .... | 70.9              | 1.7          | 4.7          | 7.6            | 9.3            | 5.8        | 1.5                            | 0.6          | 2.5          | 8.4            | 28.0           | 59.0       |
| 2001 .... | 72.5              | 1.2          | 3.8          | 6.9            | 9.4            | 6.2        | 1.1                            | 0.4          | 2.0          | 7.5            | 26.7           | 62.3       |
| 2002 .... | 73.7              | 1.3          | 3.9          | 5.1            | 9.6            | 6.4        | 1.3                            | 0.4          | 2.0          | 5.0            | 25.8           | 65.5       |

**Hogs and Pigs: Percent of operations and inventory by size group, Colorado, 1998-2002**

| Year      | Operations having |              |              |                  |                  |              | Inventory on operations having |              |              |                  |                  |              |
|-----------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|
|           | 1-99 Head         | 100-499 Head | 500-999 Head | 1,000-1,999 Head | 2,000-4,999 Head | 5,000 + Head | 1-99 Head                      | 100-499 Head | 500-999 Head | 1,000-1,999 Head | 2,000-4,999 Head | 5,000 + Head |
|           | <b>Percent</b>    |              |              |                  |                  |              | <b>Percent</b>                 |              |              |                  |                  |              |
| 1998 .... | 85.0              | 8.0          | 3.0          | 1.5              | .5               | 2.0          | 1.0                            | 2.0          | 1.5          | 2.5              | 1.0              | 92.0         |
| 1999 .... | 78.0              | 8.0          | 4.0          | 5.0              | 1.0              | 4.0          | 0.5                            | 1.0          | 1.5          | 3.0              | 1.0              | 93.0         |
| 2000 .... | 82.0              | 7.0          | 3.0          | 3.0              | 1.0              | 4.0          | 0.5                            | 0.5          | 1.0          | 2.0              | 2.0              | 94.0         |
| 2001 .... | 79.3              | 8.7          | 3.8          | 3.0              | 1.0              | 4.2          | 0.6                            | 0.9          | 1.1          | 1.8              | 1.9              | 93.7         |
| 2002 .... | 80.8              | 8.5          | 3.3          | 2.6              | 1.0              | 3.8          | 0.6                            | 0.8          | 1.0          | 1.7              | 1.9              | 94.0         |

**Wool: Production and value, Colorado, 1987-2002 1/**

| Year | All sheep shorn | Weight per fleece | Production   | Price per pound | Total value   |
|------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|
|      | 1,000 Head      | Pounds            | 1,000 Pounds | Dollars         | 1,000 Dollars |
| 1987 | 818             | 6.8               | 5,572        | .93             | 5,182         |
| 1988 | 960             | 6.6               | 6,330        | 1.40            | 8,862         |
| 1989 | 824             | 7.7               | 6,344        | 1.34            | 8,501         |
| 1990 | 770             | 7.4               | 5,698        | .71             | 4,046         |
| 1991 | 769             | 7.4               | 5,724        | .52             | 2,976         |
| 1992 | 758             | 7.9               | 5,954        | .74             | 4,406         |
| 1993 | 725             | 7.2               | 5,199        | .50             | 2,600         |
| 1994 | 635             | 7.3               | 4,607        | .72             | 3,317         |
| 1995 | 540             | 7.3               | 3,960        | 1.09            | 4,316         |
| 1996 | 605             | 7.1               | 4,318        | .73             | 3,152         |
| 1997 | 600             | 6.6               | 3,936        | .89             | 3,503         |
| 1998 | 490             | 6.9               | 3,364        | .53             | 1,783         |
| 1999 | 460             | 7.0               | 3,227        | .40             | 1,291         |
| 2000 | 450             | 7.4               | 3,310        | .31             | 1,026         |
| 2001 | 430             | 7.2               | 3,080        | .33             | 1,016         |
| 2002 | 460             | 6.7               | 3,070        | .57             | 1,750         |

1/ Includes wool shorn from stock sheep and from sheep and lambs on feed.

**Feedlots: Number by size of feedlot, Colorado, 1992-2002**

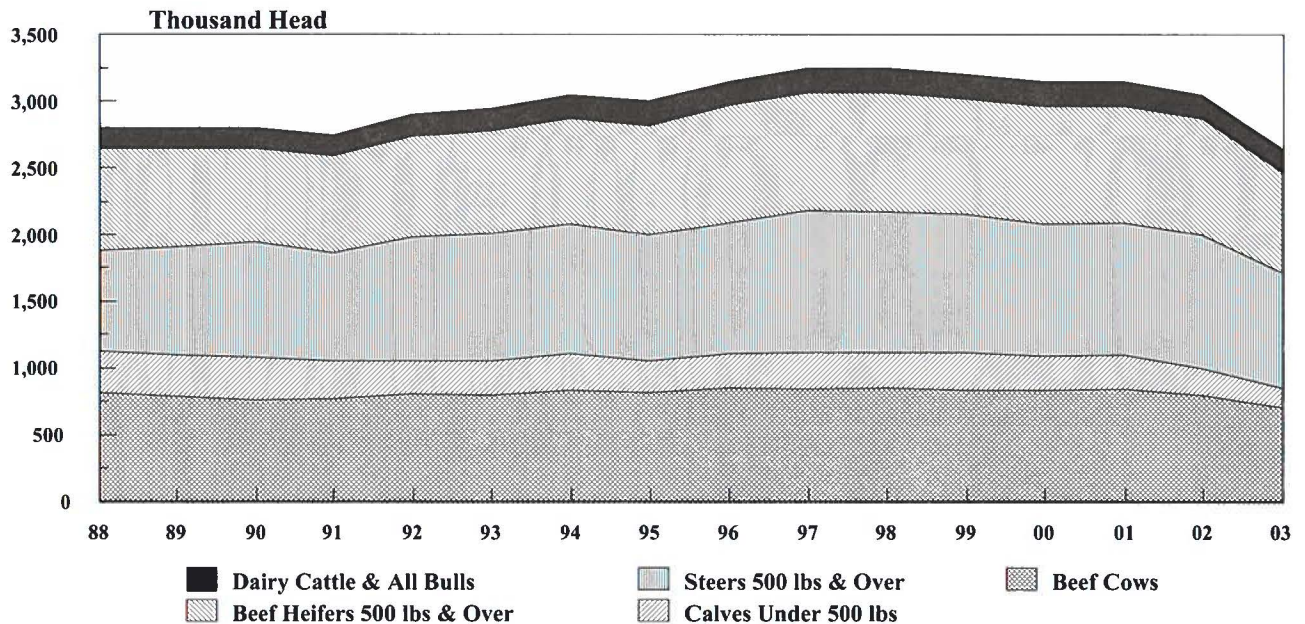
| Feedlot capacity          | Number of Feedlots |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|---------------------------|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|                           | 1992               | 1993 | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 |
|                           | <b>Number</b>      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Under 1,000 head          | 120                | 118  | 118  | 123  | 119  | 121  | 112  | 118  | 119  | 120  | 117  |
| 1,000-1,999               | 61                 | 62   | 61   | 51   | 48   | 54   | 47   | 43   | 48   | 47   | 43   |
| 2,000-3,999               | 48                 | 51   | 47   | 45   | 44   | 46   | 44   | 42   | 35   | 39   | 36   |
| 4,000-7,999               | 31                 | 28   | 27   | 29   | 32   | 32   | 36   | 34   | 34   | 34   | 33   |
| 8,000-15,999              | 17                 | 18   | 19   | 23   | 24   | 23   | 18   | 19   | 16   | 20   | 20   |
| 16,000-31,999             | 10                 | 11   | 11   | 11   | 10   | 11   | 12   | 13   | 16   | 13   | 14   |
| 32,000 and over           | 8                  | 7    | 7    | 8    | 8    | 8    | 11   | 11   | 12   | 12   | 12   |
| <b>Total all feedlots</b> | 295                | 295  | 290  | 290  | 285  | 295  | 280  | 280  | 280  | 285  | 275  |

**Fed Cattle Marketings: Number marketed by size of feedlot, Colorado, 1992-2002**

| Feedlot capacity          | Marketed for Slaughter |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|---------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                           | 1992                   | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  | 2000  | 2001  | 2002  |
|                           | <b>1,000 Head</b>      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Under 1,000 head          | 35                     | 40    | 44    | 30    | 45    | 40    | 40    | 30    | 45    | 40    | 45    |
| 1,000-1,999               | 75                     | 80    | 71    | 60    | 55    | 60    | 55    | 40    | 55    | 45    | 45    |
| 2,000-3,999               | 130                    | 140   | 130   | 125   | 85    | 100   | 90    | 90    | 90    | 80    | 70    |
| 4,000-7,999               | 240                    | 280   | 250   | 200   | 175   | 210   | 215   | 210   | 255   | 190   | 195   |
| 8,000-15,999              | 240                    | 260   | 270   | 320   | 360   | 345   | 310   | 330   | 260   | 250   | 245   |
| 16,000-31,999             | 400                    | 400   | 475   | 510   | 440   | 480   | 430   | 470   | 540   | 490   | 500   |
| 32,000 and over           | 1,090                  | 1,140 | 1,130 | 1,210 | 1,160 | 1,360 | 1,420 | 1,470 | 1,480 | 1,440 | 1,415 |
| <b>Total all feedlots</b> | 2,210                  | 2,340 | 2,370 | 2,464 | 2,320 | 2,595 | 2,560 | 2,640 | 2,725 | 2,535 | 2,515 |



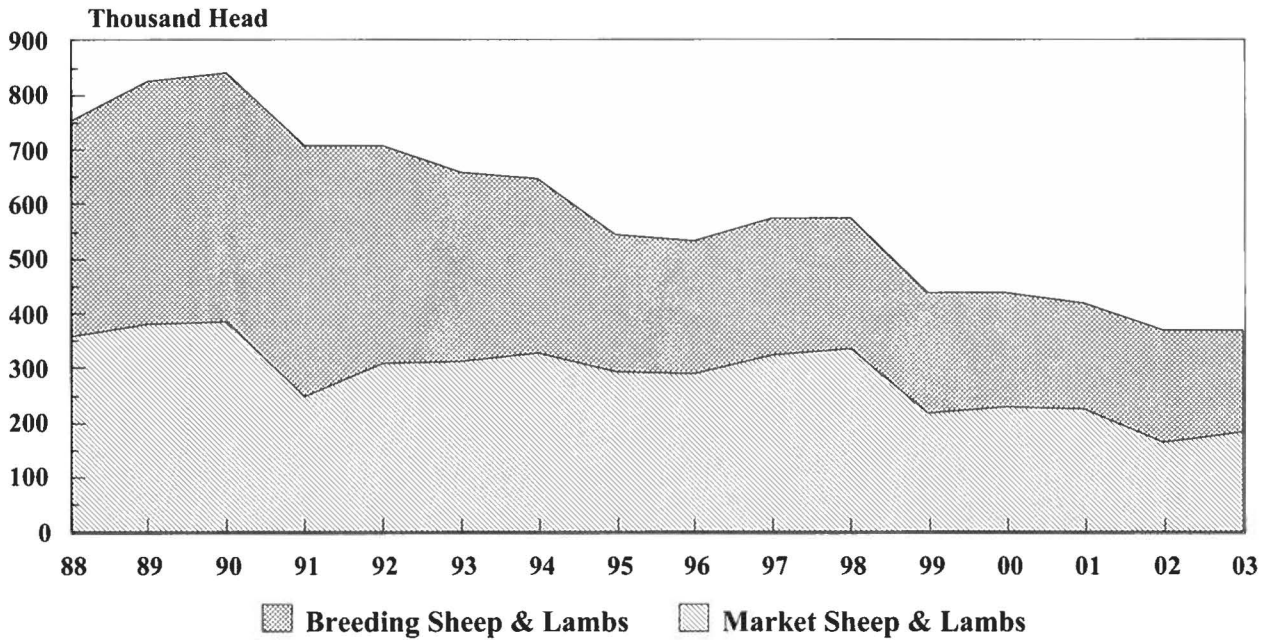
## Cattle and Calf Inventory Colorado, January 1, 1988-2003



**Cattle and Calves: Total inventory and value and inventory by class, Colorado, January 1, 1983-2003**

| Year | Total Inventory | Inventory Value |               | Inventory by class                |           |                           |                       |       |                          |                         |  |
|------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|
|      |                 | Per Head        | Total Value   | Cows and heifers that have calved |           | Heifers 500 lbs. and over |                       |       | Steers 500 lbs. and over | Bulls 500 lbs. and over | Steers heifers, and bulls under 500 lbs. |
|      |                 |                 |               | Beef Cows                         | Milk Cows | Beef cow replacements     | Milk cow replacements | Other |                          |                         |  |
|      | 1,000 Head      | Dollars         | 1,000 Dollars | 1,000 Head                        |           | 1,000 Head                |                       |       | 1,000 Head               | 1,000 Head              | 1,000 Head                               |
| 1983 | 3,040           | 410             | 1,246,400     | 925                               | 75        | 150                       | 30                    | 610   | 655                      | 60                      | 535                                      |
| 1984 | 3,120           | 420             | 1,310,400     | 946                               | 77        | 150                       | 31                    | 602   | 655                      | 66                      | 593                                      |
| 1985 | 3,000           | 445             | 1,335,000     | 825                               | 75        | 140                       | 30                    | 680   | 670                      | 60                      | 520                                      |
| 1986 | 2,850           | 435             | 1,239,750     | 773                               | 82        | 100                       | 35                    | 645   | 740                      | 45                      | 430                                      |
| 1987 | 2,600           | 430             | 1,118,000     | 752                               | 78        | 109                       | 26                    | 530   | 665                      | 45                      | 395                                      |
| 1988 | 2,800           | 565             | 1,582,000     | 812                               | 73        | 130                       | 35                    | 635   | 760                      | 45                      | 310                                      |
| 1989 | 2,800           | 600             | 1,680,000     | 785                               | 75        | 140                       | 30                    | 605   | 810                      | 45                      | 310                                      |
| 1990 | 2,800           | 620             | 1,736,000     | 764                               | 76        | 130                       | 30                    | 570   | 865                      | 45                      | 320                                      |
| 1991 | 2,750           | 710             | 1,952,500     | 773                               | 77        | 140                       | 30                    | 590   | 812                      | 48                      | 280                                      |
| 1992 | 2,900           | 640             | 1,856,000     | 803                               | 77        | 160                       | 35                    | 595   | 930                      | 50                      | 250                                      |
| 1993 | 2,950           | 685             | 2,020,750     | 800                               | 80        | 160                       | 40                    | 610   | 960                      | 50                      | 250                                      |
| 1994 | 3,050           | 680             | 2,074,000     | 830                               | 80        | 160                       | 40                    | 640   | 970                      | 50                      | 280                                      |
| 1995 | 3,000           | 650             | 1,950,000     | 817                               | 83        | 155                       | 45                    | 670   | 940                      | 50                      | 240                                      |
| 1996 | 3,150           | 520             | 1,638,000     | 848                               | 82        | 160                       | 45                    | 725   | 980                      | 50                      | 260                                      |
| 1997 | 3,250           | 570             | 1,852,500     | 846                               | 84        | 160                       | 45                    | 725   | 1,070                    | 50                      | 270                                      |
| 1998 | 3,250           | 640             | 2,080,000     | 856                               | 84        | 150                       | 45                    | 745   | 1,060                    | 50                      | 260                                      |
| 1999 | 3,200           | 580             | 1,856,000     | 837                               | 83        | 145                       | 45                    | 720   | 1,040                    | 50                      | 280                                      |
| 2000 | 3,150           | 710             | 2,236,500     | 835                               | 85        | 150                       | 45                    | 740   | 990                      | 50                      | 255                                      |
| 2001 | 3,150           | 730             | 2,299,500     | 840                               | 90        | 140                       | 45                    | 730   | 1,000                    | 50                      | 255                                      |
| 2002 | 3,050           | 700             | 2,135,000     | 797                               | 93        | 120                       | 40                    | 750   | 1,010                    | 45                      | 195                                      |
| 2003 | 2,650           | 770             | 2,040,500     | 702                               | 98        | 102                       | 38                    | 650   | 870                      | 40                      | 150                                      |

# Sheep and Lamb Inventory Colorado, January 1, 1988-2003

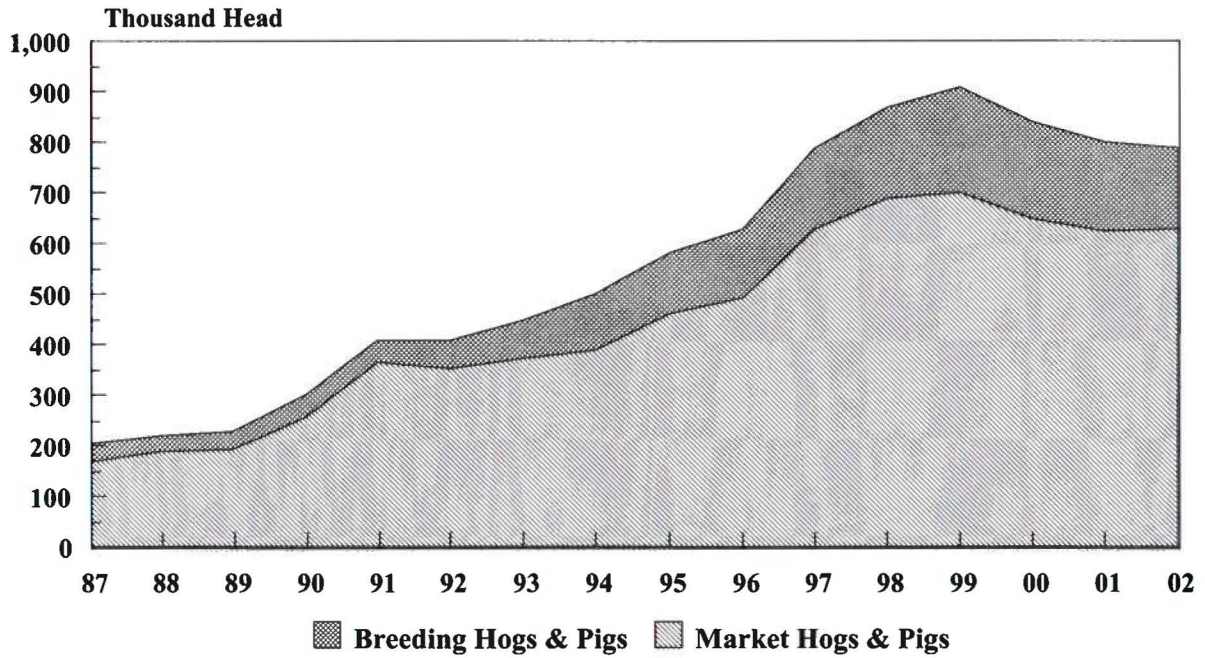


**Sheep and Lambs: Total inventory and value and inventory by class, Colorado, January 1, 1983-2003**

| Year | Total               |          | Inventory Value |                        | Inventory by class       |                   |                         |                         |
|------|---------------------|----------|-----------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
|      | All sheep and lambs | Per Head | Total Value     | Market sheep and lambs | Breeding sheep and lambs |                   |                         |                         |
|      |                     |          |                 |                        | Total                    | Replacement lambs | Ewes 1 year old & older | Rams 1 year old & older |
|      | 1,000 Head          | Dollars  | \$ 1,000        | 1,000 Head             | 1,000 Head               | 1,000 Head        | 1,000 Head              | 1,000 Head              |
| 1983 | 750                 | 53.50    | 40,125          | 300                    | 450                      | 73                | 365                     | 12                      |
| 1984 | 690                 | 49.50    | 34,155          | 260                    | 430                      | 70                | 350                     | 10                      |
| 1985 | 675                 | 59.50    | 40,163          | 300                    | 375                      | 55                | 310                     | 10                      |
| 1986 | 600                 | 69.50    | 41,700          | 240                    | 360                      | 55                | 295                     | 10                      |
| 1987 | 690                 | 77.50    | 53,475          | 310                    | 380                      | 70                | 300                     | 10                      |
| 1988 | 755                 | 99.50    | 75,123          | 360                    | 395                      | 64                | 320                     | 11                      |
| 1989 | 825                 | 90.00    | 74,250          | 380                    | 445                      | 77                | 355                     | 13                      |
| 1990 | 840                 | 84.00    | 70,560          | 385                    | 455                      | 67                | 375                     | 13                      |
| 1991 | 710                 | 80.00    | 56,800          | 250                    | 460                      | 84                | 363                     | 13                      |
| 1992 | 710                 | 66.00    | 46,860          | 310                    | 400                      | 68                | 320                     | 12                      |
| 1993 | 660                 | 72.00    | 47,520          | 315                    | 345                      | 56                | 280                     | 9                       |
| 1994 | 647                 | 77.00    | 49,819          | 327                    | 320                      | 41                | 270                     | 9                       |
| 1995 | 545                 | 74.00    | 40,330          | 295                    | 250                      | 33                | 210                     | 7                       |
| 1996 | 535                 | 88.00    | 47,080          | 290                    | 245                      | 28                | 210                     | 7                       |
| 1997 | 575                 | 105.00   | 60,375          | 325                    | 250                      | 33                | 210                     | 7                       |
| 1998 | 575                 | 105.00   | 60,375          | 335                    | 240                      | 33                | 200                     | 7                       |
| 1999 | 440                 | 93.00    | 40,920          | 220                    | 220                      | 29                | 185                     | 6                       |
| 2000 | 440                 | 89.00    | 39,160          | 230                    | 210                      | 29                | 175                     | 6                       |
| 2001 | 420                 | 101.00   | 42,420          | 225                    | 195                      | 24                | 165                     | 6                       |
| 2002 | 370                 | 85.00    | 31,450          | 165                    | 205                      | 29                | 170                     | 6                       |
| 2003 | 370                 | 95.00    | 35,150          | 185                    | 185                      | 24                | 155                     | 6                       |



# Hog and Pig Inventory Colorado, December 1, 1987-2002



**Hogs and Pigs: Inventory by class, Colorado, December 1, 1981-2002**

| Year       | Total Inventory all hogs and pigs | Inventory Value |               | Inventory by class |              |                 |               |                |                |
|------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
|            |                                   | Per Head        | Total Value   | Breeding           | Market       |                 |               |                |                |
|            |                                   |                 |               |                    | Total Market | Under 60 pounds | 60-119 pounds | 120-179 pounds | 180 lbs & over |
|            | 1,000 Head                        | Dollars         | 1,000 Dollars | 1,000 Head         | 1,000 Head   | 1,000 Head      | 1,000 Head    | 1,000 Head     | 1,000 Head     |
| 1981 ..... | 330                               | 69.00           | 22,770        | 45                 | 285          | 95              | 75            | 80             | 35             |
| 1982 ..... | 290                               | 88.00           | 25,520        | 40                 | 250          | 95              | 70            | 50             | 35             |
| 1983 ..... | 260                               | 71.50           | 18,590        | 30                 | 230          | 75              | 55            | 60             | 40             |
| 1984 ..... | 210                               | 83.00           | 17,430        | 20                 | 190          | 60              | 50            | 40             | 40             |
| 1985 ..... | 225                               | 79.00           | 17,775        | 28                 | 197          | 75              | 45            | 47             | 30             |
| 1986 ..... | 190                               | 92.00           | 17,480        | 26                 | 164          | 57              | 47            | 34             | 26             |
| 1987 ..... | 205                               | 85.00           | 17,425        | 34                 | 171          | 64              | 37            | 38             | 32             |
| 1988 ..... | 220                               | 74.50           | 16,390        | 32                 | 188          | 70              | 48            | 42             | 28             |
| 1989 ..... | 230                               | 86.50           | 19,895        | 35                 | 195          | 70              | 50            | 40             | 35             |
| 1990 ..... | 300                               | 93.00           | 27,900        | 42                 | 258          | 100             | 63            | 52             | 43             |
| 1991 ..... | 410                               | 75.00           | 30,750        | 45                 | 365          | 125             | 85            | 80             | 75             |
| 1992 ..... | 410                               | 83.00           | 34,030        | 55                 | 355          | 122             | 83            | 78             | 72             |
| 1993 ..... | 450                               | 85.00           | 38,250        | 75                 | 375          | 145             | 85            | 75             | 70             |
| 1994 ..... | 500                               | 60.00           | 30,000        | 110                | 390          | 170             | 80            | 70             | 70             |
| 1995 ..... | 580                               | 79.00           | 45,820        | 120                | 460          | 205             | 85            | 85             | 85             |
| 1996 ..... | 630                               | 100.00          | 63,000        | 135                | 495          | 220             | 95            | 90             | 90             |
| 1997 ..... | 790                               | 88.00           | 69,520        | 160                | 630          | 300             | 115           | 105            | 110            |
| 1998 ..... | 870                               | 48.00           | 41,760        | 180                | 690          | 335             | 120           | 120            | 115            |
| 1999 ..... | 910                               | 77.00           | 70,070        | 210                | 700          | 350             | 115           | 110            | 125            |
| 2000 ..... | 840                               | 86.00           | 72,240        | 190                | 650          | 370             | 80            | 85             | 115            |
| 2001 ..... | 800                               | 92.00           | 73,600        | 175                | 625          | 350             | 90            | 75             | 110            |
| 2002 ..... | 790                               | 74.00           | 58,460        | 160                | 630          | 350             | 90            | 80             | 110            |



### Bees and Honey: Colorado, 1986-2002

| Year | Number of Colonies | Yield per Colony | Production   | Producer Stocks | Avg. Price Per Pound | Value of Production |
|------|--------------------|------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
|      | 1,000              | Pounds           | 1,000 Pounds |                 | Dollars              | 1,000 Dollars       |
| 1986 | 41                 | 78               | 3,198        | 480             | 0.540                | 1,727               |
| 1987 | 44                 | 73               | 3,212        | 96              | 0.680                | 2,184               |
| 1988 | 48                 | 83               | 3,984        | 837             | 0.550                | 2,191               |
| 1989 | 50                 | 66               | 3,300        | 495             | 0.540                | 1,782               |
| 1990 | 55                 | 64               | 3,520        | 845             | 0.660                | 2,323               |
| 1991 | 50                 | 79               | 3,950        | 514             | 0.630                | 2,489               |
| 1992 | 52                 | 74               | 3,848        | 847             | 0.590                | 2,270               |
| 1993 | 53                 | 73               | 3,869        | 1,161           | 0.580                | 2,244               |
| 1994 | 45                 | 76               | 3,420        | 1,813           | 0.560                | 1,915               |
| 1995 | 45                 | 60               | 2,700        | 1,404           | 0.730                | 1,971               |
| 1996 | 30                 | 74               | 2,220        | 1,132           | 0.850                | 1,887               |
| 1997 | 35                 | 55               | 1,925        | 982             | 0.820                | 1,579               |
| 1998 | 27                 | 72               | 1,944        | 1,594           | 0.700                | 1,361               |
| 1999 | 27                 | 76               | 2,052        | 1,436           | 0.680                | 1,395               |
| 2000 | 29                 | 60               | 1,740        | 957             | 0.620                | 1,079               |
| 2001 | 26                 | 55               | 1,430        | 529             | 0.710                | 1,015               |
| 2002 | 24                 | 60               | 1,440        | 576             | 1.220                | 1,757               |

### Trout: Operations, sales and value, Colorado, 2000-2002

| Item                             | Unit          | 2000        |                   | 2001        |                   | 2002        |                   |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|
|                                  |               | Trout Sales | Distributed Trout | Trout Sales | Distributed Trout | Trout Sales | Distributed Trout |
| Number of Operations             | Number        | 23          | 19                | 15          | 19                | 15          | 19                |
| Value of Sales/Distributed Trout | 1,000 Dollars | 2,289       | 4,624             | 2,794       | 7,643             | 2,503       | 5,477             |
| Foodsize: <u>1/</u>              |               |             |                   |             |                   |             |                   |
| Number Sold                      | Thousands     | 520         | 30                | 660         | 105               | 420         | 77                |
| Pounds Sold                      | Thousands     | 595         | 50                | 665         | 120               | 475         | 72                |
| Value Per Pound                  | Dollars       | 2.43        | 3.32              | 3.00        | 2.85              | 2.80        | 2.80              |
| Total Value of Sales             | 1,000 Dollars | 1,446       | 166               | 1,995       | 342               | 1,330       | 202               |
| Stockers: <u>2/</u>              |               |             |                   |             |                   |             |                   |
| Number Sold                      | Thousands     | 580         | 3,600             | 550         | 4,850             | 1,060       | 3,400             |
| Pounds Sold                      | Thousands     | 300         | 1,250             | 225         | 2,110             | 450         | 1,110             |
| Value Per Pound                  | Dollars       | 2.67        | 2.59              | 3.20        | 2.85              | 2.50        | 2.50              |
| Total Value of Sales             | 1,000 Dollars | 801         | 3,238             | 720         | 6,014             | 1,125       | 2,775             |
| Fingerlings: <u>3/</u>           |               |             |                   |             |                   |             |                   |
| Number Sold                      | Thousands     | 150         | 7,720             | 235         | 7,570             | 190         | 10,000            |
| Pounds Sold                      | Thousands     | 11          | 190               | 10          | 185               | 5           | 200               |
| Value Per 1,000 Fish             | Dollars       | 280.00      | 158.00            | 335.00      | 170.00            | 250.00      | 250.00            |
| Total Value of Sales             | 1,000 Dollars | 42          | 1,220             | 79          | 1,287             | 48          | 2,500             |

1/ Defined as fish being 12 inches or longer.

2/ Defined as fish being from 6-12 inches in length.

3/ Defined as fish being from 1-6 inches in length.

**Cattle and Calves: Number on feed, placements, marketings and other disappearance,  
1,000 + capacity feedlots, by month, Colorado, 1993-2003 1/**

| Month                                      | Year              |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|--|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|  | 1993              | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | 1999  | 2000  | 2001  | 2002  | 2003  |
|  | <b>1,000 Head</b> |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| <b>January</b>                             |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, January 1 .....            | 970               | 981   | 966   | 1,050 | 1,110 | 1,120 | 1,140 | 1,180 | 1,210 | 1,180 | 1,020 |
| Placed on feed during January .....        | 184               | 169   | 218   | 180   | 260   | 230   | 260   | 290   | 305   | 225   | 225   |
| Marketed during January .....              | 219               | 220   | 226   | 225   | 310   | 230   | 250   | 260   | 275   | 215   | 205   |
| Other disappearance during January .....   | 10                | 5     | 10    | 5     | 10    | 20    | 10    | 10    | 10    | 10    | 10    |
| <b>February</b>                            |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, February 1 .....           | 925               | 925   | 948   | 1,000 | 1,050 | 1,100 | 1,140 | 1,200 | 1,230 | 1,180 | 1,030 |
| Placed on feed during February .....       | 154               | 164   | 239   | 215   | 260   | 205   | 235   | 250   | 195   | 190   | 160   |
| Marketed during February .....             | 199               | 186   | 221   | 220   | 245   | 265   | 240   | 265   | 225   | 210   | 190   |
| Other disappearance during February .....  | 5                 | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 10    | 5     | 5     | 10    | 10    | 10    |
| <b>March</b>                               |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, March 1 .....              | 875               | 898   | 961   | 990   | 1,060 | 1,030 | 1,130 | 1,180 | 1,190 | 1,150 | 990   |
| Placed on feed during March .....          | 224               | 234   | 248   | 240   | 210   | 190   | 240   | 270   | 220   | 200   | 160   |
| Marketed during March .....                | 199               | 200   | 213   | 195   | 165   | 210   | 240   | 250   | 210   | 215   | 175   |
| Other disappearance during March .....     | 5                 | 10    | 10    | 5     | 15    | 10    | 10    | 10    | 10    | 15    | 5     |
| <b>April</b>                               |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, April 1 .....              | 895               | 922   | 986   | 1,030 | 1,090 | 1,000 | 1,120 | 1,190 | 1,190 | 1,120 | 970   |
| Placed on feed during April .....          | 139               | 164   | 178   | 130   | 165   | 160   | 200   | 195   | 160   | 165   | 200   |
| Marketed during April .....                | 164               | 165   | 161   | 155   | 190   | 170   | 190   | 170   | 170   | 190   | 165   |
| Other disappearance during April .....     | 10                | 5     | 5     | 5     | 15    | 20    | 10    | 5     | 10    | 15    | 5     |
| <b>May</b>                                 |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, May 1 .....                | 860               | 916   | 998   | 1,000 | 1,050 | 970   | 1,120 | 1,210 | 1,170 | 1,080 | 1,000 |
| Placed on feed during May .....            | 194               | 139   | 194   | 85    | 185   | 195   | 180   | 195   | 190   | 210   | ...   |
| Marketed during May .....                  | 169               | 154   | 180   | 185   | 210   | 175   | 200   | 180   | 190   | 190   | ...   |
| Other disappearance during May .....       | 10                | 10    | 10    | 10    | 15    | 10    | 10    | 15    | 10    | 10    | ...   |
| <b>June</b>                                |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, June 1 .....               | 875               | 891   | 1,002 | 890   | 1,010 | 980   | 1,090 | 1,210 | 1,160 | 1,090 | ...   |
| Placed on feed during June .....           | 154               | 139   | 149   | 80    | 125   | 140   | 160   | 150   | 160   | 155   | ...   |
| Marketed during June .....                 | 203               | 169   | 230   | 215   | 210   | 230   | 225   | 250   | 205   | 210   | ...   |
| Other disappearance during June .....      | 10                | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 10    | 5     | 10    | 5     | 5     | ...   |
| <b>July</b>                                |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, July 1 .....               | 816               | 856   | 916   | 750   | 920   | 880   | 1,020 | 1,100 | 1,110 | 1,030 | ...   |
| Placed on feed during July .....           | 179               | 209   | 169   | 145   | 235   | 225   | 175   | 185   | 195   | 190   | ...   |
| Marketed during July .....                 | 213               | 212   | 223   | 230   | 250   | 260   | 230   | 230   | 240   | 225   | ...   |
| Other disappearance during July .....      | 5                 | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | ...   |
| <b>August</b>                              |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, August 1 .....             | 777               | 848   | 857   | 660   | 900   | 840   | 960   | 1,050 | 1,060 | 990   | ...   |
| Placed on feed during August .....         | 208               | 254   | 213   | 275   | 235   | 220   | 255   | 300   | 210   | 245   | ...   |
| Marketed during August .....               | 208               | 229   | 239   | 220   | 210   | 215   | 250   | 275   | 255   | 230   | ...   |
| Other disappearance during August .....    | 10                | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | ...   |
| <b>September</b>                           |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, September 1 .....          | 767               | 868   | 826   | 710   | 920   | 840   | 960   | 1,070 | 1,010 | 1,000 | ...   |
| Placed on feed during September .....      | 319               | 311   | 312   | 405   | 320   | 370   | 330   | 335   | 265   | 255   | ...   |
| Marketed during September .....            | 199               | 219   | 199   | 150   | 185   | 205   | 210   | 225   | 210   | 220   | ...   |
| Other disappearance during September ..... | 5                 | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 10    | 10    | 5     | 5     | ...   |
| <b>October</b>                             |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, October 1 .....            | 882               | 955   | 934   | 960   | 1,050 | 1,000 | 1,070 | 1,170 | 1,060 | 1,030 | ...   |
| Placed on feed during October .....        | 273               | 272   | 273   | 275   | 300   | 345   | 360   | 290   | 315   | 250   | ...   |
| Marketed during October .....              | 189               | 203   | 184   | 150   | 200   | 170   | 205   | 205   | 200   | 210   | ...   |
| Other disappearance during October .....   | 5                 | 5     | 5     | 5     | 10    | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 10    | ...   |
| <b>November</b>                            |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, November 1 .....           | 961               | 1,019 | 1,018 | 1,080 | 1,140 | 1,170 | 1,220 | 1,250 | 1,170 | 1,060 | ...   |
| Placed on feed during November .....       | 219               | 178   | 212   | 195   | 210   | 210   | 190   | 180   | 175   | 190   | ...   |
| Marketed during November .....             | 179               | 188   | 194   | 160   | 185   | 180   | 180   | 190   | 180   | 170   | ...   |
| Other disappearance during November .....  | 10                | 5     | 5     | 5     | 5     | 10    | 10    | 10    | 5     | 10    | ...   |
| <b>December</b>                            |                   |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Number on feed, December 1 .....           | 991               | 1,004 | 1,031 | 1,110 | 1,160 | 1,190 | 1,220 | 1,230 | 1,160 | 1,070 | ...   |
| Placed on feed during December .....       | 159               | 153   | 179   | 175   | 165   | 170   | 160   | 170   | 165   | 145   | ...   |
| Marketed during December .....             | 159               | 181   | 155   | 170   | 195   | 210   | 190   | 180   | 135   | 185   | ...   |
| Other disappearance during December .....  | 10                | 10    | 5     | 5     | 10    | 10    | 10    | 10    | 10    | 10    | ...   |

1/ "Other disappearance" includes death losses, movement from feedlots to pastures, and shipments to other feedlots for further feeding.

**Cattle: Number Placed On Feed By Weight Group, By Month, 1,000+ Feedlots, Colorado, 2000-2003**

| Year and Weight Group     | Jan.       | Feb.       | Mar.       | Apr.       | May        | Jun.       | Jul.       | Aug.       | Sep.       | Oct        | Nov.       | Dec.       |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| <b>2000</b>               |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>1,000 Head</b>         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| < 600 Pounds . . . . .    | 45         | 36         | 28         | 32         | 25         | 29         | 23         | 33         | 47         | 95         | 62         | 35         |
| 600-699 Pounds . . . . .  | 65         | 58         | 62         | 28         | 32         | 33         | 30         | 56         | 63         | 70         | 45         | 47         |
| 700-799 Pounds . . . . .  | 117        | 88         | 98         | 79         | 68         | 49         | 72         | 101        | 103        | 70         | 45         | 65         |
| 800 Pounds Plus . . . . . | 63         | 68         | 82         | 56         | 70         | 39         | 60         | 110        | 122        | 55         | 28         | 23         |
| <b>Total . . . . .</b>    | <b>290</b> | <b>250</b> | <b>270</b> | <b>195</b> | <b>195</b> | <b>150</b> | <b>185</b> | <b>300</b> | <b>335</b> | <b>290</b> | <b>180</b> | <b>170</b> |
| <b>2001</b>               |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>1,000 Head</b>         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| < 600 Pounds . . . . .    | 45         | 36         | 28         | 19         | 24         | 22         | 30         | 29         | 28         | 66         | 57         | 36         |
| 600-699 Pounds . . . . .  | 91         | 40         | 38         | 40         | 45         | 27         | 46         | 38         | 40         | 77         | 49         | 52         |
| 700-799 Pounds . . . . .  | 120        | 74         | 85         | 57         | 69         | 66         | 67         | 73         | 81         | 94         | 43         | 50         |
| 800 Pounds Plus . . . . . | 49         | 45         | 69         | 44         | 52         | 45         | 52         | 70         | 116        | 78         | 26         | 27         |
| <b>Total . . . . .</b>    | <b>305</b> | <b>195</b> | <b>220</b> | <b>160</b> | <b>190</b> | <b>160</b> | <b>195</b> | <b>210</b> | <b>265</b> | <b>315</b> | <b>175</b> | <b>165</b> |
| <b>2002</b>               |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>1,000 Head</b>         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| < 600 Pounds . . . . .    | 30         | 21         | 21         | 9          | 14         | 23         | 28         | 35         | 51         | 94         | 58         | 33         |
| 600-699 Pounds . . . . .  | 74         | 55         | 41         | 33         | 41         | 43         | 37         | 46         | 53         | 49         | 60         | 41         |
| 700-799 Pounds . . . . .  | 84         | 72         | 72         | 65         | 73         | 48         | 65         | 87         | 78         | 56         | 43         | 46         |
| 800 Pounds Plus . . . . . | 37         | 42         | 66         | 58         | 82         | 41         | 60         | 77         | 73         | 51         | 29         | 25         |
| <b>Total . . . . .</b>    | <b>225</b> | <b>190</b> | <b>200</b> | <b>165</b> | <b>210</b> | <b>155</b> | <b>190</b> | <b>245</b> | <b>255</b> | <b>250</b> | <b>190</b> | <b>145</b> |
| <b>2003</b>               |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>1,000 Head</b>         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| < 600 Pounds . . . . .    | 43         | 12         | 15         | 17         | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        |
| 600-699 Pounds . . . . .  | 49         | 33         | 26         | 36         | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        |
| 700-799 Pounds . . . . .  | 95         | 67         | 61         | 72         | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        |
| 800 Pounds Plus . . . . . | 38         | 48         | 58         | 75         | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        |
| <b>Total . . . . .</b>    | <b>225</b> | <b>160</b> | <b>160</b> | <b>200</b> | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        | ...        |

**Cattle and Calves: Number on feed by class, by quarter, 1,000 + capacity feedlots, Colorado, 1999-2003**

| Year/Month                      | Number on feed | Classes of cattle on feed |                           |                 | Placements during past 3 months | Marketings during past 3 months | Other disappearance during past 3 months |
|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
|                                 |                | Steers and steer calves   | Heifers and heifer calves | Cows and others |                                 |                                 |  |
| <b>1,000 Head</b>               |                |                           |                           |                 |                                 |                                 |  |
| <b>1999</b> January 1 . . . . . | 1,140          | 675                       | 460                       | 5               | 725                             | 560                             | 25                                       |
| April 1 . . . . .               | 1,120          | 695                       | 420                       | 5               | 735                             | 730                             | 25                                       |
| July 1 . . . . .                | 1,020          | 540                       | 475                       | 5               | 540                             | 615                             | 25                                       |
| October 1 . . . . .             | 1,070          | 625                       | 440                       | 5               | 760                             | 690                             | 20                                       |
| <b>2000</b> January 1 . . . . . | 1,180          | 650                       | 520                       | 10              | 710                             | 575                             | 25                                       |
| April 1 . . . . .               | 1,190          | 690                       | 495                       | 5               | 810                             | 775                             | 25                                       |
| July 1 . . . . .                | 1,090          | 620                       | 465                       | 5               | 540                             | 600                             | 30                                       |
| October 1 . . . . .             | 1,170          | 670                       | 495                       | 5               | 820                             | 730                             | 20                                       |
| <b>2001</b> January 1 . . . . . | 1,210          | 670                       | 530                       | 10              | 640                             | 575                             | 25                                       |
| April 1 . . . . .               | 1,190          | 650                       | 535                       | 5               | 720                             | 710                             | 30                                       |
| July 1 . . . . .                | 1,110          | 615                       | 490                       | 5               | 510                             | 565                             | 25                                       |
| October 1 . . . . .             | 1,060          | 570                       | 485                       | 5               | 670                             | 705                             | 15                                       |
| <b>2002</b> January 1 . . . . . | 1,180          | 675                       | 500                       | 5               | 655                             | 515                             | 20                                       |
| April 1 . . . . .               | 1,120          | 645                       | 470                       | 5               | 615                             | 640                             | 35                                       |
| July 1 . . . . .                | 1,030          | 560                       | 465                       | 5               | 530                             | 590                             | 30                                       |
| October 1 . . . . .             | 1,030          | 585                       | 440                       | 5               | 690                             | 675                             | 15                                       |
| <b>2003</b> January 1 . . . . . | 1,020          | 585                       | 425                       | 10              | 585                             | 565                             | 30                                       |
| April 1 . . . . .               | 970            | 590                       | 375                       | 5               | 545                             | 570                             | 25                                       |



**Cattle and Calves: Production, disposition and value, Colorado, 1994-2002**

| Year     | Calf crop         | Inshipments | Marketings <u>1/</u> |        | Farm slaughter | Deaths            |        | Production          | Marketings <u>2/</u> | Cash receipts        | Value of home consumption |
|----------|-------------------|-------------|----------------------|--------|----------------|-------------------|--------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
|          |                   |             | Cattle               | Calves |                | Cattle            | Calves |                     |                      |                      |                           |
|          | <b>1,000 Head</b> |             | <b>1,000 Head</b>    |        |                | <b>1,000 Head</b> |        | <b>1,000 Pounds</b> |                      | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |                           |
| 1994 ... | 850               | 2,025       | 2,715                | 107    | 3              | 40                | 60     | 1,912,177           | 3,203,770            | 2,224,165            | 6,285                     |
| 1995 ... | 860               | 2,245       | 2,745                | 103    | 2              | 45                | 60     | 1,882,019           | 3,211,360            | 2,081,211            | 4,858                     |
| 1996 ... | 870               | 2,290       | 2,835                | 108    | 2              | 45                | 70     | 1,956,336           | 3,354,300            | 2,072,482            | 4,534                     |
| 1997 ... | 870               | 2,190       | 2,818                | 120    | 2              | 50                | 70     | 1,871,820           | 3,279,500            | 2,148,314            | 6,833                     |
| 1998 ... | 870               | 2,210       | 2,908                | 110    | 2              | 45                | 65     | 1,986,424           | 3,466,000            | 2,134,690            | 6,451                     |
| 1999 ... | 870               | 2,220       | 2,918                | 110    | 2              | 50                | 60     | 2,071,721           | 3,536,000            | 2,319,612            | 7,001                     |
| 2000 ... | 880               | 2,350       | 3,003                | 110    | 2              | 55                | 60     | 2,121,338           | 3,638,000            | 2,551,218            | 7,554                     |
| 2001 ... | 840               | 2,180       | 2,905                | 100    | 2              | 55                | 58     | 2,108,813           | 3,545,370            | 2,589,204            | 8,065                     |
| 2002 ... | 820               | 1,965       | 2,958                | 115    | 2              | 50                | 60     | 2,015,416           | 3,615,500            | 2,805,021            | 8,604                     |

1/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

2/ Live weight. Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the state.

**Sheep and Lambs: Production, disposition and value, Colorado, 1994-2002**

| Year     | Lamb crop         | Inshipments | Marketings <u>1/</u> |       | Farm slaughter | Deaths            |       | Production          | Marketings <u>2/</u> | Cash receipts        | Value of home consumption |
|----------|-------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------|----------------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
|          |                   |             | Sheep                | Lambs |                | Sheep             | Lambs |                     |                      |                      |                           |
|          | <b>1,000 Head</b> |             | <b>1,000 Head</b>    |       |                | <b>1,000 Head</b> |       | <b>1,000 Pounds</b> |                      | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |                           |
| 1994 ... | 255               | 973         | 108                  | 1,149 | 3              | 15                | 55    | 71,356              | 152,340              | 94,613               | 306                       |
| 1995 ... | 240               | 957         | 68                   | 1,072 | 2              | 10                | 55    | 68,453              | 137,700              | 104,808              | 265                       |
| 1996 ... | 240               | 968         | 48                   | 1,063 | 2              | 10                | 45    | 69,299              | 133,920              | 114,627              | 295                       |
| 1997 ... | 225               | 980         | 61                   | 1,088 | 1              | 10                | 45    | 95,737              | 165,545              | 144,401              | 204                       |
| 1998 ... | 220               | 780         | 70                   | 1,014 | 1              | 10                | 40    | 86,924              | 156,130              | 108,886              | 82                        |
| 1999 ... | 210               | 845         | 56                   | 950   | 1              | 10                | 38    | 85,059              | 145,422              | 104,642              | 83                        |
| 2000 ... | 200               | 779         | 59                   | 900   | 1              | 8                 | 31    | 83,642              | 141,460              | 106,988              | 92                        |
| 2001 ... | 190               | 654         | 40                   | 810   | 1              | 13                | 30    | 75,775              | 127,110              | 81,400               | 78                        |
| 2002 ... | 200               | 789         | 65                   | 880   | 1              | 13                | 30    | 79,019              | 136,050              | 95,694               | 84                        |

1/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

2/ Live weight. Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the state.

**Hogs and Pigs: Production, disposition and value, Colorado, 1994-2002**

| Year     | Pig crop (pigs saved) |                   |                   | Inshipments | Marketings <u>1/</u> | Farm slaughter    | Deaths | Production          | Marketings <u>2/</u> | Cash receipts        | Value of home consumption |
|----------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------------|--------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
|          | Spring                | Fall              | Total             |             |                      |                   |        |                     |                      |                      |                           |
|          | <b>1,000 Head</b>     | <b>1,000 Head</b> | <b>1,000 Head</b> |             |                      | <b>1,000 Head</b> |        | <b>1,000 Pounds</b> |                      | <b>1,000 Dollars</b> |                           |
| 1994 ... | 547                   | 601               | 1,148             | 30          | 1,087                | 1                 | 40     | 233,096             | 226,190              | 94,129               | 619                       |
| 1995 ... | <u>3/</u>             | <u>3/</u>         | 1,123             | 40          | 1,012                | 1                 | 70     | 237,273             | 232,520              | 106,100              | 715                       |
| 1996 ... | <u>3/</u>             | <u>3/</u>         | 1,434             | 50          | 1,378                | 1                 | 55     | 305,920             | 308,240              | 177,753              | 788                       |
| 1997 ... | <u>3/</u>             | <u>3/</u>         | 1,700             | 80          | 1,544                | 1                 | 75     | 347,895             | 345,910              | 201,696              | 1,108                     |
| 1998 ... | 1,156                 | 1,296             | 2,452             | 70          | 2,351                | 1                 | 90     | 470,637             | 473,760              | 186,661              | 731                       |
| 1999 ... | 1,278                 | 1,522             | 2,800             | 70          | 2,724                | 1                 | 105    | 541,034             | 547,230              | 188,114              | 162                       |
| 2000 ... | 1,470                 | 1,487             | 2,957             | 66          | 2,999                | 1                 | 93     | 584,403             | 612,330              | 288,665              | 228                       |
| 2001 ... | 1,302                 | 1,365             | 2,667             | 56          | 2,674                | 1                 | 88     | 516,271             | 534,645              | 262,302              | 242                       |
| 2002 ... | 1,310                 | 1,271             | 2,581             | 58          | 2,537                | 1                 | 111    | 501,394             | 517,140              | 194,234              | 187                       |

1/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

2/ Live weight. Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the state.

3/ Estimates discontinued in 1995; resumed in 1998.

**Livestock slaughter by species, Colorado, 1995-2002 1/**

| Year       | Cattle             |                   |                     | Calves             |                   |                     |
|------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
|            | Number slaughtered | Total live weight | Average live weight | Number slaughtered | Total live weight | Average live weight |
|            | Head               | 1,000 Pounds      | Pounds              | Head               | 1,000 Pounds      | Pounds              |
| 1995 ..... | 2,569,200          | 3,099,454         | 1,206               | 2/                 | 2/                | 2/                  |
| 1996 ..... | 2,571,100          | 3,106,488         | 1,208               | 2/                 | 2/                | 2/                  |
| 1997 ..... | 2,594,700          | 3,089,754         | 1,191               | 2/                 | 2/                | 2/                  |
| 1998 ..... | 2,417,200          | 2,940,725         | 1,217               | 2/                 | 2/                | 2/                  |
| 1999 ..... | 2,652,600          | 3,235,214         | 1,220               | 2/                 | 2/                | 2/                  |
| 2000 ..... | 2,635,900          | 3,264,681         | 1,239               | 2/                 | 2/                | 2/                  |
| 2001 ..... | 2,605,200          | 3,242,971         | 1,245               | 2/                 | 2/                | 2/                  |
| 2002 ..... | 2,596,100          | 3,309,943         | 1,275               | 2/                 | 2/                | 2/                  |
|            | Sheep and Lambs    |                   |                     | Hogs               |                   |                     |
| 1995 ..... | 1,548,300          | 206,624           | 133                 | 53,000             | 13,151            | 248                 |
| 1996 ..... | 1,546,900          | 208,947           | 135                 | 48,400             | 10,895            | 225                 |
| 1997 ..... | 1,438,300          | 206,252           | 143                 | 42,900             | 9,091             | 212                 |
| 1998 ..... | 1,288,900          | 185,907           | 144                 | 41,200             | 8,929             | 217                 |
| 1999 ..... | 1,283,600          | 185,099           | 144                 | 22,800             | 5,901             | 258                 |
| 2000 ..... | 1,196,600          | 176,516           | 148                 | 18,400             | 4,881             | 265                 |
| 2001 ..... | 1,073,600          | 167,630           | 156                 | 16,200             | 3,700             | 229                 |
| 2002 ..... | 1,148,100          | 168,222           | 147                 | 15,800             | 3,739             | 236                 |

1/ Excludes farm slaughter.

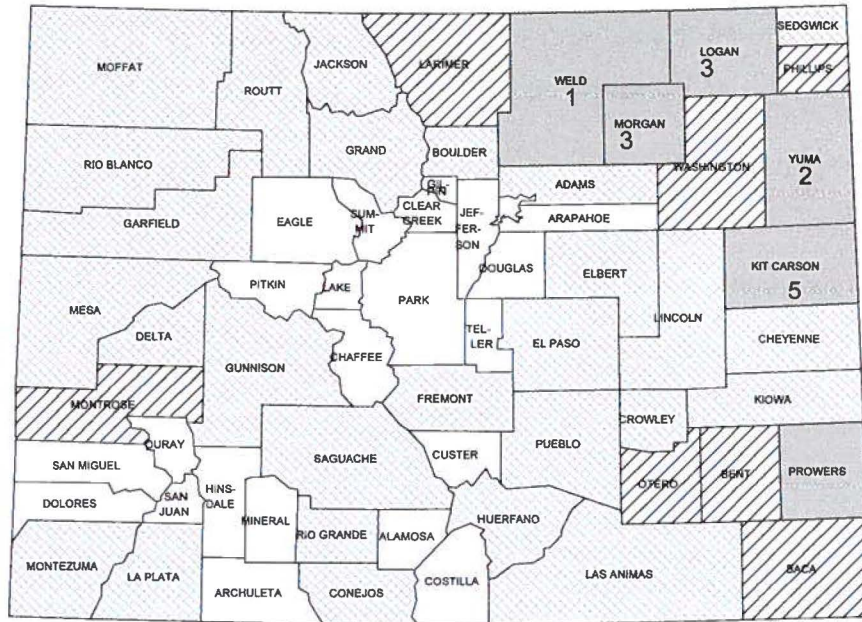
2/ Less than 50 head.

**Livestock slaughter by species, by month, Colorado, 1995-2002 1/**

| Year     | Jan.                   | Feb.  | Mar.  | Apr.  | May   | June  | July  | Aug.  | Sep.  | Oct.  | Nov.  | Dec.  |
|----------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|          | <b>1,000 Head</b>      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|          | <b>Cattle</b>          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1995 ... | 208.9                  | 179.0 | 210.1 | 177.3 | 221.0 | 240.5 | 224.4 | 239.0 | 228.1 | 223.1 | 212.0 | 205.9 |
| 1996 ... | 224.4                  | 206.0 | 201.7 | 219.6 | 230.8 | 229.2 | 220.6 | 225.0 | 190.3 | 209.9 | 199.2 | 214.4 |
| 1997 ... | 251.0                  | 205.6 | 191.4 | 217.0 | 241.5 | 223.0 | 241.6 | 214.4 | 215.6 | 220.3 | 179.0 | 194.3 |
| 1998 ... | 214.9                  | 185.0 | 188.6 | 191.3 | 192.6 | 216.8 | 210.3 | 212.2 | 209.0 | 203.6 | 189.9 | 202.9 |
| 1999 ... | 230.8                  | 207.8 | 217.3 | 210.8 | 234.7 | 252.5 | 230.4 | 235.0 | 218.2 | 202.8 | 207.4 | 204.9 |
| 2000 ... | 221.8                  | 231.0 | 230.6 | 195.3 | 225.8 | 238.7 | 225.4 | 232.5 | 224.6 | 224.7 | 198.8 | 186.6 |
| 2001 ... | 232.0                  | 184.9 | 203.0 | 192.3 | 248.7 | 244.2 | 219.4 | 246.8 | 215.9 | 228.4 | 202.9 | 186.6 |
| 2002 ... | 219.7                  | 203.6 | 193.5 | 213.6 | 228.1 | 246.2 | 243.3 | 239.2 | 212.7 | 227.7 | 181.0 | 187.5 |
|          | <b>Sheep and Lambs</b> |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1995 ... | 126.0                  | 122.5 | 156.1 | 149.1 | 130.1 | 124.1 | 109.3 | 124.7 | 130.1 | 120.7 | 125.5 | 130.1 |
| 1996 ... | 136.8                  | 138.1 | 157.1 | 140.5 | 119.2 | 103.3 | 120.4 | 112.8 | 114.8 | 138.9 | 129.3 | 135.7 |
| 1997 ... | 115.7                  | 131.8 | 161.4 | 126.5 | 127.3 | 112.7 | 114.3 | 96.4  | 118.4 | 114.7 | 103.0 | 116.2 |
| 1998 ... | 103.4                  | 104.5 | 133.7 | 124.9 | 100.8 | 100.8 | 89.0  | 79.3  | 101.6 | 109.4 | 108.1 | 133.6 |
| 1999 ... | 107.9                  | 107.8 | 151.8 | 106.9 | 81.6  | 71.1  | 88.5  | 96.7  | 103.5 | 108.9 | 126.8 | 131.9 |
| 2000 ... | 98.3                   | 107.3 | 120.3 | 123.7 | 83.1  | 83.8  | 83.6  | 90.8  | 93.6  | 91.8  | 110.2 | 110.2 |
| 2001 ... | 102.7                  | 98.0  | 122.6 | 96.2  | 74.3  | 68.1  | 76.6  | 78.5  | 75.7  | 86.3  | 96.0  | 98.6  |
| 2002 ... | 89.0                   | 87.7  | 118.7 | 98.0  | 96.7  | 77.6  | 87.9  | 85.5  | 101.1 | 114.8 | 97.4  | 93.7  |
|          | <b>Hogs</b>            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1995 ... | 4.8                    | 3.9   | 4.0   | 3.7   | 4.1   | 4.2   | 4.1   | 6.4   | 4.9   | 4.7   | 4.3   | 4.1   |
| 1996 ... | 4.3                    | 3.7   | 3.5   | 3.7   | 3.7   | 3.6   | 4.3   | 5.9   | 4.3   | 4.2   | 3.3   | 3.9   |
| 1997 ... | 3.4                    | 3.1   | 3.0   | 3.2   | 3.1   | 3.3   | 3.6   | 5.2   | 4.4   | 3.8   | 3.1   | 3.7   |
| 1998 ... | 3.3                    | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.2   | 3.7   | 3.8   | 5.8   | 4.4   | 2.6   | 2.1   | 1.9   |
| 1999 ... | 2.2                    | 2.1   | 2.2   | 1.7   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 3.3   | 2.2   | 1.7   | 1.6   | 1.4   |
| 2000 ... | 1.5                    | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.4   | 3.9   | 1.7   | 1.6   | 1.4   | 0.9   |
| 2001 ... | 1.3                    | 1.0   | 1.2   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 0.9   | 1.4   | 2.9   | 1.6   | 1.5   | 1.2   | 1.0   |
| 2002 ... | 1.1                    | 1.0   | 1.0   | 0.9   | 1.1   | 0.9   | 1.5   | 2.7   | 1.8   | 1.6   | 1.1   | 1.1   |

1/ Excludes farm slaughter.

## All Cattle and Calves: Inventory by County, Colorado, January 1, 2003 with Ranking of First Five Counties



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### All Cattle and Calves: Inventory by County and District, Colorado, 1987-2003

| County and District            | 1987 1/<br>Number | 1992 1/<br>Number | 1997 1/<br>Number | 2001 2/<br>Number | 2002 2/<br>Number | 2003 2/<br>Number |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Chaffee .....                  | 11,263            | 8,655             | 11,141            | 10,000            | 6,500             | 7,000             |
| Clear Creek .....              | D                 | 54                | 88                | ...               | ...               | ...               |
| Eagle .....                    | 20,148            | 18,819            | 12,734            | 13,000            | 6,500             | 5,500             |
| Gilpin .....                   | 284               | 506               | D                 | ...               | ...               | ...               |
| Grand .....                    | 24,381            | 25,927            | 25,228            | 23,500            | 10,000            | 10,000            |
| Gunnison .....                 | 30,343            | 30,713            | 29,229            | 28,000            | 20,000            | 16,000            |
| Jackson .....                  | 40,849            | 45,005            | 47,683            | 44,000            | 30,000            | 24,000            |
| Lake .....                     | 311               | 974               | 1,858             | 1,500             | 1,000             | 500               |
| Moffat .....                   | 27,044            | 25,504            | 41,829            | 39,000            | 27,000            | 25,000            |
| Park .....                     | 10,074            | 12,741            | 13,045            | 12,000            | 7,500             | 5,000             |
| Pitkin .....                   | 3,330             | 4,175             | 3,192             | 3,500             | 3,000             | 3,000             |
| Rio Blanco .....               | 35,711            | 16,480            | 33,910            | 29,000            | 18,000            | 25,000            |
| Routt .....                    | 30,973            | 37,042            | 45,718            | 40,000            | 25,000            | 25,000            |
| Summit .....                   | 2,998             | 2,849             | 2,795             | 2,500             | 2,000             | 2,000             |
| Teller .....                   | 2,863             | 4,275             | 4,002             | 4,000             | 3,500             | 2,000             |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain .....</b> | <b>D</b>          | <b>233,719</b>    | <b>D</b>          | <b>250,000</b>    | <b>160,000</b>    | <b>150,000</b>    |
| Boulder .....                  | 19,578            | 25,581            | 12,962            | 12,000            | 13,000            | 11,000            |
| Jefferson .....                | 5,314             | 4,675             | 6,896             | 5,000             | 5,000             | 3,000             |
| Larimer .....                  | 76,926            | 75,155            | 66,358            | 65,000            | 57,000            | 60,000            |
| Logan .....                    | 106,775           | 190,524           | 201,846           | 200,000           | 250,000           | 230,000           |
| Morgan .....                   | 198,890           | 214,683           | 240,453           | 240,000           | 250,000           | 230,000           |
| Sedgwick .....                 | 22,150            | 27,973            | 22,763            | 23,000            | 25,000            | 26,000            |
| Weld .....                     | 588,378           | 568,055           | 634,690           | 645,000           | 750,000           | 635,000           |
| <b>Northeast .....</b>         | <b>1,018,011</b>  | <b>1,106,646</b>  | <b>1,185,968</b>  | <b>1,190,000</b>  | <b>1,350,000</b>  | <b>1,195,000</b>  |

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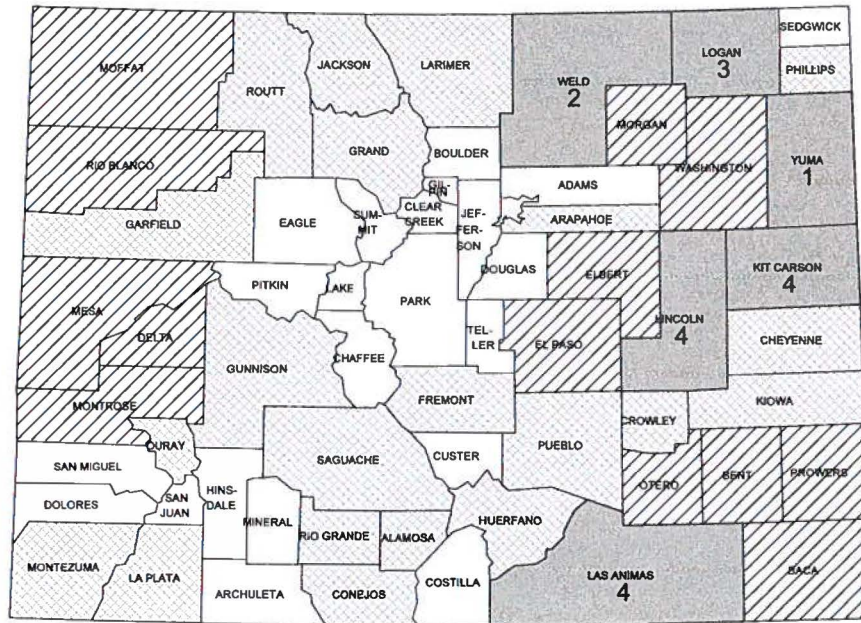
| <b>County and District</b>   | <b>1987 <u>1</u>/<br/>Number</b> | <b>1992 <u>1</u>/<br/>Number</b> | <b>1997 <u>1</u>/<br/>Number</b> | <b>2001 <u>2</u>/<br/>Number</b> | <b>2002 <u>2</u>/<br/>Number</b> | <b>2003 <u>2</u>/<br/>Number</b> |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Adams .....                  | 33,784                           | 22,584                           | 21,298                           | 20,000                           | 18,000                           | 12,000                           |
| Arapahoe .....               | 12,647                           | 15,440                           | 10,011                           | 10,000                           | 6,000                            | 9,000                            |
| Cheyenne .....               | 31,650                           | 44,149                           | 41,836                           | 40,000                           | 36,000                           | 22,000                           |
| Denver .....                 | D                                | D                                | ...                              | ...                              | ...                              | ...                              |
| Douglas .....                | 10,797                           | 10,523                           | 10,367                           | 10,000                           | 5,000                            | 4,000                            |
| Elbert .....                 | 55,176                           | 53,782                           | 55,568                           | 52,000                           | 40,000                           | 35,000                           |
| El Paso .....                | 46,344                           | 48,270                           | 47,172                           | 45,000                           | 35,000                           | 22,000                           |
| Kiowa .....                  | 34,854                           | 28,766                           | 26,549                           | 25,000                           | 15,000                           | 12,000                           |
| Kit Carson .....             | 134,620                          | 133,127                          | 153,777                          | 145,000                          | 145,000                          | 130,000                          |
| Lincoln .....                | 72,239                           | 65,169                           | 65,066                           | 63,000                           | 45,000                           | 36,000                           |
| Phillips .....               | 33,724                           | 29,660                           | 32,800                           | 55,000                           | 50,000                           | 43,000                           |
| Washington .....             | 67,695                           | 71,339                           | 68,780                           | 65,000                           | 45,000                           | 40,000                           |
| Yuma .....                   | 151,569                          | 227,495                          | 264,498                          | 250,000                          | 260,000                          | 270,000                          |
| <b>East Central .....</b>    | <b>D</b>                         | <b>D</b>                         | <b>797,722</b>                   | <b>780,000</b>                   | <b>700,000</b>                   | <b>635,000</b>                   |
| Archuleta .....              | 12,820                           | 15,440                           | 15,299                           | 13,000                           | 8,000                            | 5,000                            |
| Delta .....                  | 41,635                           | 53,164                           | 52,528                           | 43,000                           | 40,000                           | 37,000                           |
| Dolores .....                | 6,120                            | 6,707                            | 8,587                            | 6,800                            | 4,000                            | 2,500                            |
| Garfield .....               | 41,036                           | 35,929                           | 39,954                           | 32,000                           | 20,000                           | 16,000                           |
| Hinsdale .....               | 1,669                            | 2,192                            | 1,471                            | 1,200                            | 1,000                            | 500                              |
| La Plata .....               | 34,266                           | 32,686                           | 33,907                           | 28,000                           | 20,000                           | 16,000                           |
| Mesa .....                   | 54,946                           | 54,406                           | 71,672                           | 54,000                           | 40,000                           | 38,000                           |
| Montezuma .....              | 27,174                           | 26,572                           | 30,370                           | 24,000                           | 19,000                           | 15,500                           |
| Montrose .....               | 55,750                           | 59,201                           | 60,599                           | 50,000                           | 55,000                           | 48,000                           |
| Ouray .....                  | 11,112                           | 9,378                            | 11,297                           | 9,000                            | 9,000                            | 7,500                            |
| San Juan .....               | D                                | D                                | D                                | ...                              | ...                              | ...                              |
| San Miguel .....             | 9,896                            | 10,148                           | 10,490                           | 9,000                            | 4,000                            | 4,000                            |
| <b>Southwest .....</b>       | <b>D</b>                         | <b>D</b>                         | <b>D</b>                         | <b>270,000</b>                   | <b>220,000</b>                   | <b>190,000</b>                   |
| Alamosa .....                | 14,210                           | 11,219                           | 17,341                           | 11,000                           | 9,000                            | 7,500                            |
| Conejos .....                | 38,867                           | 40,656                           | 45,348                           | 33,000                           | 25,000                           | 21,000                           |
| Costilla .....               | 8,079                            | 10,143                           | 12,099                           | 8,500                            | 6,000                            | 6,000                            |
| Mineral .....                | D                                | ...                              | 498                              | 500                              | 400                              | 500                              |
| Rio Grande .....             | 16,567                           | 16,480                           | 22,698                           | 15,500                           | 14,600                           | 13,000                           |
| Saguache .....               | 31,203                           | 32,468                           | 46,308                           | 31,500                           | 25,000                           | 22,000                           |
| <b>San Luis Valley .....</b> | <b>D</b>                         | <b>110,966</b>                   | <b>144,292</b>                   | <b>100,000</b>                   | <b>80,000</b>                    | <b>70,000</b>                    |
| Baca .....                   | 82,698                           | 61,256                           | 73,994                           | 70,000                           | 60,000                           | 57,000                           |
| Bent .....                   | 62,018                           | 60,463                           | 58,895                           | 57,000                           | 50,000                           | 48,000                           |
| Crowley .....                | 86,024                           | 81,787                           | 69,137                           | 67,000                           | 70,000                           | 36,000                           |
| Custer .....                 | 12,059                           | 11,323                           | 11,530                           | 11,000                           | 10,000                           | 4,000                            |
| Fremont .....                | 16,017                           | 17,989                           | 16,080                           | 15,000                           | 15,000                           | 10,000                           |
| Huerfano .....               | 27,452                           | 25,789                           | 26,785                           | 26,000                           | 20,000                           | 14,000                           |
| Las Animas .....             | 65,380                           | 70,171                           | 68,983                           | 68,000                           | 50,000                           | 35,000                           |
| Otero .....                  | 74,096                           | 83,996                           | 84,581                           | 83,000                           | 100,000                          | 69,000                           |
| Prowers .....                | 107,402                          | 99,834                           | 109,101                          | 113,000                          | 120,000                          | 114,000                          |
| Pueblo .....                 | 63,688                           | 52,266                           | 51,278                           | 50,000                           | 45,000                           | 23,000                           |
| <b>Southeast .....</b>       | <b>596,834</b>                   | <b>564,874</b>                   | <b>570,364</b>                   | <b>560,000</b>                   | <b>540,000</b>                   | <b>410,000</b>                   |
| <b>State Total .....</b>     | <b>2,946,334</b>                 | <b>3,072,332</b>                 | <b>3,307,301</b>                 | <b>3,150,000</b>                 | <b>3,050,000</b>                 | <b>2,650,000</b>                 |

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**Beef Cows: Inventory by County and District, Colorado, 1987-2003**

| County and District            | 1987 1/<br>Number | 1992 1/<br>Number | 1997 1/<br>Number | 2001 2/<br>Number | 2002 2/<br>Number | 2003 2/<br>Number |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Chaffee .....                  | D                 | D                 | D                 | 5,400             | 4,000             | 4,000             |
| Clear Creek .....              | D                 | 39                | 56                | ...               | ...               | ...               |
| Eagle .....                    | 10,871            | 11,206            | 7,554             | 6,400             | 5,000             | 4,000             |
| Gilpin .....                   | 127               | 325               | D                 | ...               | ...               | ...               |
| Grand .....                    | 11,962            | 11,710            | D                 | 9,000             | 7,000             | 6,000             |
| Gunnison .....                 | 18,253            | 17,252            | D                 | 15,000            | 11,000            | 9,000             |
| Jackson .....                  | 20,736            | 23,572            | D                 | 24,000            | 18,000            | 14,000            |
| Lake .....                     | 159               | 582               | 732               | 700               | 700               | 300               |
| Moffat .....                   | 16,223            | 16,163            | 21,956            | 19,000            | 15,000            | 20,000            |
| Park .....                     | 5,709             | 6,860             | 5,822             | 5,400             | 4,800             | 3,500             |
| Pitkin .....                   | D                 | 1,891             | D                 | 1,300             | 1,300             | 1,500             |
| Rio Blanco .....               | 19,419            | 21,447            | 20,550            | 18,000            | 13,000            | 17,500            |
| Routt .....                    | 15,524            | 15,463            | 20,477            | 18,000            | 13,000            | 13,000            |
| Summit .....                   | D                 | D                 | 1,567             | 1,400             | 1,000             | 1,000             |
| Teller .....                   | 1,451             | D                 | D                 | 1,400             | 1,200             | 1,200             |
| <b>NW &amp; Mountain .....</b> | <b>D</b>          | <b>D</b>          | <b>D</b>          | <b>125,000</b>    | <b>95,000</b>     | <b>95,000</b>     |
| Boulder .....                  | 5,364             | 9,130             | 5,251             | 5,000             | 4,500             | 4,000             |
| Jefferson .....                | 2,156             | D                 | 3,158             | 3,000             | 2,500             | 1,500             |
| Larimer .....                  | 16,557            | 16,984            | 16,723            | 15,000            | 13,000            | 11,000            |
| Logan .....                    | 24,423            | 34,852            | 31,724            | 29,000            | 30,000            | 30,000            |
| Morgan .....                   | 16,693            | 26,033            | 22,051            | 20,000            | 20,000            | 21,000            |
| Sedgwick .....                 | D                 | D                 | 5,142             | 5,000             | 5,000             | 4,500             |
| Weld .....                     | 53,958            | 59,478            | 62,408            | 58,000            | 65,000            | 48,000            |
| <b>Northeast .....</b>         | <b>D</b>          | <b>D</b>          | <b>146,457</b>    | <b>135,000</b>    | <b>140,000</b>    | <b>120,000</b>    |

See footnotes at end of table on the next page.

**Beef Cows: Inventory by County and District, Colorado, 1987-2003, continued**

| <b>County and District</b>   | <b>1987 <u>1/</u></b> | <b>1992 <u>1/</u></b> | <b>1997 <u>1/</u></b> | <b>2001 <u>2/</u></b> | <b>2002 <u>2/</u></b> | <b>2003 <u>2/</u></b> |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|                              | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         |
| Adams .....                  | 7,540                 | 6,773                 | 6,926                 | 6,500                 | 6,500                 | 4,500                 |
| Arapahoe .....               | D                     | D                     | D                     | 6,000                 | 3,800                 | 6,000                 |
| Cheyenne .....               | 13,155                | 14,952                | D                     | 14,500                | 16,000                | 12,000                |
| Denver .....                 | D                     | D                     | D                     | ...                   | ...                   | ...                   |
| Douglas .....                | 5,264                 | 5,316                 | 5,287                 | 5,000                 | 2,700                 | 2,500                 |
| Elbert .....                 | 23,889                | 25,959                | 27,416                | 26,000                | 27,000                | 24,000                |
| El Paso .....                | 20,759                | 21,141                | 23,120                | 22,000                | 23,000                | 15,000                |
| Kiowa .....                  | 14,468                | 15,042                | 13,584                | 12,500                | 13,000                | 7,500                 |
| Kit Carson .....             | 27,686                | 27,444                | 26,624                | 25,000                | 27,000                | 26,000                |
| Lincoln .....                | 24,622                | 28,520                | 28,894                | 27,000                | 29,000                | 26,000                |
| Phillips .....               | 5,736                 | 6,674                 | 5,964                 | 5,500                 | 5,000                 | 7,500                 |
| Washington .....             | 23,187                | 23,185                | 23,537                | 22,000                | 23,000                | 19,000                |
| Yuma .....                   | 36,073                | 41,781                | 39,995                | 38,000                | 39,000                | 55,000                |
| <b>East Central .....</b>    | <b>D</b>              | <b>D</b>              | <b>D</b>              | <b>210,000</b>        | <b>215,000</b>        | <b>205,000</b>        |
| Archuleta .....              | 4,803                 | 3,551                 | 4,414                 | 4,000                 | 3,500                 | 3,200                 |
| Delta .....                  | 17,327                | 23,274                | 24,813                | 21,000                | 20,000                | 19,000                |
| Dolores .....                | 2,955                 | 3,515                 | 4,190                 | 4,000                 | 2,400                 | 2,000                 |
| Garfield .....               | 20,950                | 18,855                | 21,760                | 18,000                | 14,000                | 11,000                |
| Hinsdale .....               | D                     | 1,214                 | 364                   | 600                   | 600                   | 300                   |
| La Plata .....               | 17,746                | 16,710                | 16,764                | 14,000                | 12,000                | 10,000                |
| Mesa .....                   | 23,884                | 26,347                | 33,245                | 28,000                | 27,000                | 23,500                |
| Montezuma .....              | 16,728                | 17,190                | 18,922                | 17,000                | 14,500                | 11,000                |
| Montrose .....               | 23,619                | 23,921                | 26,055                | 23,000                | 27,000                | 22,000                |
| Ouray .....                  | 7,568                 | 5,633                 | 7,012                 | 6,200                 | 6,500                 | 5,500                 |
| San Juan .....               | D                     | D                     | D                     | ...                   | ...                   | ...                   |
| San Miguel .....             | 4,807                 | 5,544                 | D                     | 4,200                 | 2,500                 | 2,500                 |
| <b>Southwest .....</b>       | <b>D</b>              | <b>D</b>              | <b>D</b>              | <b>140,000</b>        | <b>130,000</b>        | <b>110,000</b>        |
| Alamosa .....                | 7,389                 | 5,871                 | 9,189                 | 8,000                 | 7,200                 | 5,000                 |
| Conejos .....                | 22,013                | 25,043                | 25,118                | 20,000                | 18,000                | 13,500                |
| Costilla .....               | 3,878                 | 5,478                 | 7,099                 | 6,200                 | 4,000                 | 3,500                 |
| Mineral .....                | D                     | D                     | 359                   | 300                   | 300                   | 200                   |
| Rio Grande .....             | 9,264                 | 9,942                 | D                     | 10,500                | 10,000                | 8,000                 |
| Saguache .....               | 18,194                | 18,032                | 18,662                | 15,000                | 14,500                | 11,800                |
| <b>San Luis Valley .....</b> | <b>D</b>              | <b>D</b>              | <b>D</b>              | <b>60,000</b>         | <b>54,000</b>         | <b>42,000</b>         |
| Baca .....                   | 20,319                | 20,593                | 21,610                | 22,000                | 21,000                | 22,000                |
| Bent .....                   | 18,603                | 17,993                | 19,837                | 20,000                | 19,000                | 16,000                |
| Crowley .....                | 8,183                 | 9,753                 | 10,836                | 10,000                | 10,000                | 8,000                 |
| Custer .....                 | 5,648                 | 5,617                 | D                     | 5,000                 | 5,000                 | 2,000                 |
| Fremont .....                | 7,847                 | 8,453                 | 7,827                 | 8,000                 | 8,000                 | 5,000                 |
| Huerfano .....               | 14,577                | D                     | D                     | 15,000                | 13,000                | 9,000                 |
| Las Animas .....             | 35,918                | 39,942                | 35,572                | 35,000                | 32,000                | 26,000                |
| Otero .....                  | 16,800                | 17,684                | 15,650                | 16,000                | 17,000                | 15,000                |
| Prowers .....                | 13,750                | 15,318                | 19,270                | 18,000                | 19,000                | 17,500                |
| Pueblo .....                 | 23,127                | 23,811                | 20,385                | 21,000                | 21,000                | 9,500                 |
| <b>Southeast .....</b>       | <b>D</b>              | <b>D</b>              | <b>D</b>              | <b>170,000</b>        | <b>165,000</b>        | <b>130,000</b>        |
| <b>State Total .....</b>     | <b>830,216</b>        | <b>900,347</b>        | <b>918,891</b>        | <b>840,000</b>        | <b>799,000</b>        | <b>702,000</b>        |

1/ Inventory from Census of Agriculture as of December 31 of Census year.

2/ County estimates were discontinued after 1986 and resumed with the January 1, 2001 inventory.

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**Milk cows and milk production by quarter, Colorado, 1990-2002 <sup>1/</sup>**

| Year   | January-March         | April-June            | July-September        | October-December      | Annual                |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Number of Milk Cows</b>                   |                       |                       |                       |                       |                       |
|  | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         | <b>Number</b>         |
| 1990 .....                                   | 77,000                | 77,000                | 77,000                | 77,000                | 77,000                |
| 1991 .....                                   | 77,000                | 78,000                | 77,000                | 77,000                | 77,000                |
| 1992 .....                                   | 79,000                | 80,000                | 79,000                | 80,000                | 80,000                |
| 1993 .....                                   | 80,000                | 80,000                | 81,000                | 80,000                | 80,000                |
| 1994 .....                                   | 80,000                | 81,000                | 82,000                | 82,000                | 81,000                |
| 1995 .....                                   | 83,000                | 83,000                | 82,000                | 82,000                | 83,000                |
| 1996 .....                                   | 83,000                | 84,000                | 83,000                | 84,000                | 84,000                |
| 1997 .....                                   | 85,000                | 85,000                | 84,000                | 83,000                | 84,000                |
| 1998 .....                                   | 83,000                | 83,000                | 83,000                | 83,000                | 83,000                |
| 1999 .....                                   | 83,000                | 82,000                | 83,000                | 84,000                | 83,000                |
| 2000 .....                                   | 87,000                | 89,000                | 89,000                | 90,000                | 89,000                |
| 2001 .....                                   | 90,000                | 91,000                | 92,000                | 93,000                | 92,000                |
| 2002 .....                                   | 97,000                | 102,000               | 102,000               | 99,000                | 100,000               |
| <b>Milk Production Per Cow <sup>1/</sup></b> |                       |                       |                       |                       |                       |
|  | <b>Pounds</b>         | <b>Pounds</b>         | <b>Pounds</b>         | <b>Pounds</b>         | <b>Pounds</b>         |
| 1990 .....                                   | 4,180                 | 4,360                 | 4,350                 | 4,290                 | 17,182                |
| 1991 .....                                   | 4,220                 | 4,420                 | 4,320                 | 4,310                 | 17,338                |
| 1992 .....                                   | 4,330                 | 4,500                 | 4,520                 | 4,460                 | 17,700                |
| 1993 .....                                   | 4,430                 | 4,640                 | 4,610                 | 4,450                 | 18,175                |
| 1994 .....                                   | 4,560                 | 4,900                 | 4,900                 | 4,740                 | 19,173                |
| 1995 .....                                   | 4,650                 | 4,710                 | 4,700                 | 4,740                 | 18,687                |
| 1996 .....                                   | 4,770                 | 4,920                 | 4,950                 | 4,920                 | 19,440                |
| 1997 .....                                   | 5,010                 | 5,150                 | 5,000                 | 4,760                 | 19,988                |
| 1998 .....                                   | 4,900                 | 5,200                 | 5,170                 | 5,070                 | 20,349                |
| 1999 .....                                   | 5,220                 | 5,120                 | 5,230                 | 5,250                 | 20,819                |
| 2000 .....                                   | 5,360                 | 5,480                 | 5,470                 | 5,370                 | 21,618                |
| 2001 .....                                   | 5,370                 | 5,460                 | 5,320                 | 5,390                 | 21,413                |
| 2002 .....                                   | 5,370                 | 5,370                 | 5,390                 | 5,450                 | 21,590                |
| <b>Milk Production <sup>2/</sup></b>         |                       |                       |                       |                       |                       |
|  | <b>Million Pounds</b> | <b>Million Pounds</b> | <b>Million Pounds</b> | <b>Million Pounds</b> | <b>Million Pounds</b> |
| 1990 .....                                   | 322                   | 336                   | 335                   | 330                   | 1,323                 |
| 1991 .....                                   | 325                   | 345                   | 333                   | 332                   | 1,335                 |
| 1992 .....                                   | 342                   | 360                   | 357                   | 357                   | 1,416                 |
| 1993 .....                                   | 354                   | 371                   | 373                   | 356                   | 1,454                 |
| 1994 .....                                   | 365                   | 397                   | 402                   | 389                   | 1,553                 |
| 1995 .....                                   | 386                   | 391                   | 385                   | 389                   | 1,551                 |
| 1996 .....                                   | 396                   | 413                   | 411                   | 413                   | 1,633                 |
| 1997 .....                                   | 426                   | 438                   | 420                   | 395                   | 1,679                 |
| 1998 .....                                   | 407                   | 432                   | 429                   | 421                   | 1,689                 |
| 1999 .....                                   | 433                   | 420                   | 434                   | 441                   | 1,728                 |
| 2000 .....                                   | 466                   | 488                   | 487                   | 483                   | 1,924                 |
| 2001 .....                                   | 483                   | 497                   | 489                   | 501                   | 1,970                 |
| 2002 .....                                   | 521                   | 548                   | 550                   | 540                   | 2,159                 |

<sup>1/</sup> Quarterly estimates are as follows: Jan.-March; April-June; July-Sept.; Oct.-Dec. Milk cows are the average for the quarter; milk production is total for the quarter; production per cow for the quarter is derived by dividing total production by average number of cows for the quarter.

<sup>2/</sup> Excludes milk sucked by calves.

**Milk cows, milk and milkfat production, Colorado, 1983-2002**

| Year | Number of milk cows on farms <u>1/</u> | Production per milk cow <u>2/</u> |            |                               | Total production on farms |         | Milk used on farms where produced |                            |       |
|------|--|-----------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------|
|      |  | Milk                              | Milkfat    |                               | Milk                      | Milkfat | Fed to calves                     | Used in the farm household | Total |
|      |  |                                   | Production | Percentage of milkfat in milk |                           |         |                                   |                            |       |
|      | Thousands                              | Pounds                            | Pounds     | Percent                       | Million Pounds            |         | Million Pounds                    |                            |       |
| 1983 | 76                                     | 12,987                            | 464        | 3.57                          | 987                       | 35.0    | 43                                | 12                         | 55    |
| 1984 | 75                                     | 12,747                            | 461        | 3.62                          | 956                       | 35.0    | 43                                | 10                         | 53    |
| 1985 | 78                                     | 14,167                            | 517        | 3.65                          | 1,105                     | 40.0    | 42                                | 10                         | 52    |
| 1986 | 80                                     | 14,850                            | 545        | 3.67                          | 1,188                     | 44.0    | 43                                | 11                         | 54    |
| 1987 | 77                                     | 15,481                            | 568        | 3.67                          | 1,192                     | 44.0    | 39                                | 8                          | 47    |
| 1988 | 74                                     | 16,581                            | 613        | 3.70                          | 1,227                     | 45.0    | 34                                | 8                          | 42    |
| 1989 | 76                                     | 16,803                            | 620        | 3.69                          | 1,277                     | 47.0    | 39                                | 19                         | 58    |
| 1990 | 77                                     | 17,182                            | 627        | 3.65                          | 1,323                     | 48.0    | 44                                | 8                          | 52    |
| 1991 | 77                                     | 17,338                            | 635        | 3.66                          | 1,335                     | 48.9    | 50                                | 15                         | 65    |
| 1992 | 80                                     | 17,700                            | 646        | 3.65                          | 1,416                     | 51.7    | 41                                | 16                         | 57    |
| 1993 | 80                                     | 18,175                            | 660        | 3.63                          | 1,454                     | 52.8    | 46                                | 15                         | 61    |
| 1994 | 81                                     | 19,173                            | 688        | 3.59                          | 1,553                     | 55.7    | 38                                | 12                         | 50    |
| 1995 | 83                                     | 18,687                            | 676        | 3.62                          | 1,551                     | 56.1    | 30                                | 10                         | 40    |
| 1996 | 84                                     | 19,440                            | 710        | 3.65                          | 1,633                     | 59.6    | 21                                | 8                          | 29    |
| 1997 | 84                                     | 19,988                            | 720        | 3.60                          | 1,679                     | 60.5    | 38                                | 8                          | 46    |
| 1998 | 83                                     | 20,349                            | 737        | 3.62                          | 1,689                     | 61.1    | 27                                | 7                          | 34    |
| 1999 | 83                                     | 20,819                            | 747        | 3.59                          | 1,728                     | 62.0    | 32                                | 8                          | 40    |
| 2000 | 89                                     | 21,618                            | 770        | 3.56                          | 1,924                     | 68.5    | 27                                | 5                          | 32    |
| 2001 | 92                                     | 21,413                            | 760        | 3.55                          | 1,970                     | 69.9    | 22                                | 4                          | 26    |
| 2002 | 100                                    | 21,590                            | 762        | 3.53                          | 2,159                     | 76.2    | 27                                | 5                          | 32    |

1/ Average number on farms during year, excluding heifers not yet fresh.

2/ Excludes milk sucked by calves.

**Milk sales, price and value, Colorado, 1983-2002**

| Year | Combined marketings of milk and cream sold to plants and dealers and directly to consumers <u>1/</u> |                           |                 |               |  |  |
|------|--|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------|--|--|
|      | Milk utilized  | Average returns <u>2/</u> |                 | Cash receipts | Value of milk consumed on farms where produced <u>3/</u> | Gross income from dairy products <u>4/</u> |
|      |  | Per 100 lbs. milk         | Per lb. milkfat |               |  |  |
|      | Million Pounds   | Dollars                   | Dollars         | 1,000 Dollars | 1,000 Dollars  | 1,000 Dollars                              |
| 1983 | 932  | 15.21                     | 4.26            | 141,793       | 1,826  | 143,619                                    |
| 1984 | 903  | 15.12                     | 4.18            | 136,501       | 1,512  | 138,012                                    |
| 1985 | 1,053  | 14.27                     | 3.91            | 150,272       | 1,427  | 151,699                                    |
| 1986 | 1,134  | 13.75                     | 3.75            | 155,919       | 1,512  | 157,432                                    |
| 1987 | 1,145  | 13.73                     | 3.74            | 157,224       | 1,099  | 158,322                                    |
| 1988 | 1,185  | 13.56                     | 3.67            | 160,693       | 1,085  | 161,777                                    |
| 1989 | 1,219  | 15.05                     | 4.08            | 183,434       | 2,859  | 186,293                                    |
| 1990 | 1,271  | 14.83                     | 4.06            | 188,451       | 1,186  | 189,637                                    |
| 1991 | 1,270  | 13.08                     | 3.57            | 166,156       | 1,962  | 168,119                                    |
| 1992 | 1,359  | 13.94                     | 3.82            | 189,386       | 2,230  | 191,616                                    |
| 1993 | 1,393  | 13.59                     | 3.74            | 189,286       | 2,038  | 191,324                                    |
| 1994 | 1,503  | 14.25                     | 3.97            | 214,160       | 1,710  | 215,870                                    |
| 1995 | 1,511  | 13.65                     | 3.77            | 206,240       | 1,365  | 207,605                                    |
| 1996 | 1,604  | 15.32                     | 4.20            | 245,769       | 1,226  | 246,995                                    |
| 1997 | 1,633  | 13.66                     | 3.79            | 223,100       | 1,093  | 224,193                                    |
| 1998 | 1,655  | 15.70                     | 4.34            | 259,835       | 1,099  | 260,934                                    |
| 1999 | 1,688  | 15.20                     | 4.23            | 256,576       | 1,216  | 257,792                                    |
| 2000 | 1,892  | 11.80                     | 3.31            | 223,256       | 590  | 223,846                                    |
| 2001 | 1,944  | 14.80                     | 4.17            | 287,712       | 592  | 288,304                                    |
| 2002 | 2,127  | 11.80                     | 3.34            | 250,986       | 590  | 251,576                                    |

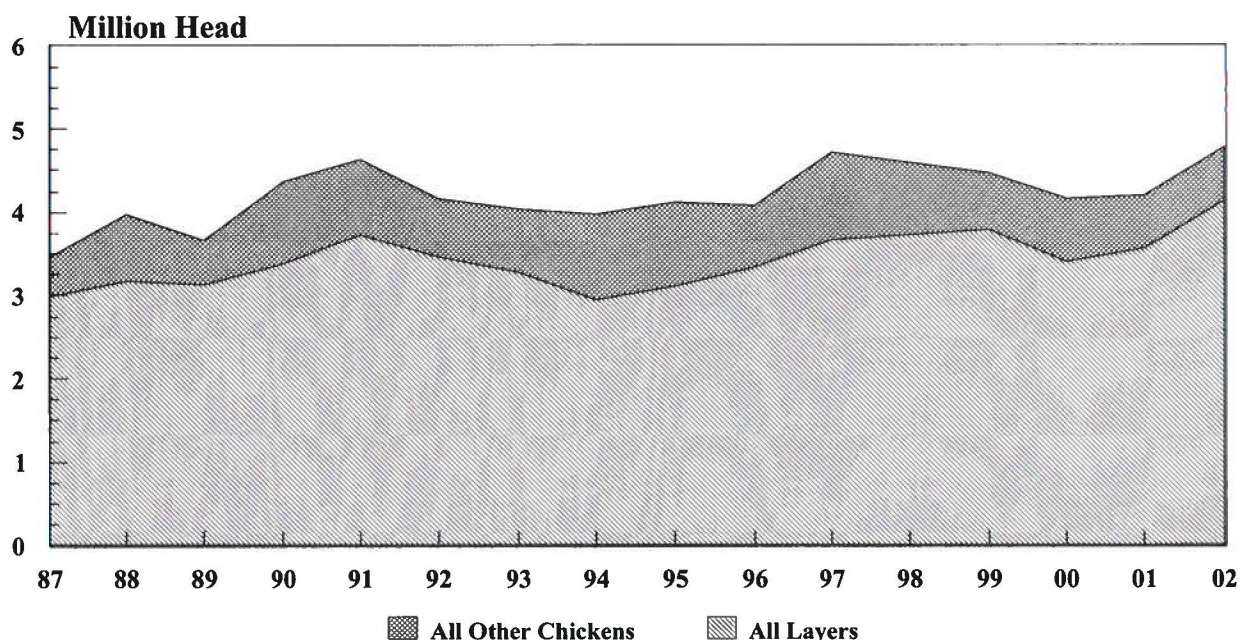
1/ Also includes milk produced by institutional herds.

2/ Cash receipts divided by milk or milkfat represented in combined marketings.

3/ Valued at average returns per 100 pounds of milk listed under combined marketings of milk and cream.

4/ Cash receipts from marketings of milk and cream plus value of milk used for home consumption.

## All Chickens Inventory Colorado, December 1, 1987-2002



**Chickens: Inventory by class and total value, Colorado, December 1, 1987-2002 <sup>1/</sup>**

| Year       | Hens and pullets of laying age |            |            | Pullets not of laying age |             |            | Other chickens | All chickens |                |               |
|------------|--------------------------------|------------|------------|---------------------------|-------------|------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|
|            | Hens                           | Pullets    | Total      | 3 mo. old or older        | Under 3 mo. | Total      |                | Number       | Value per head | Total value   |
|            | 1,000 Head                     | 1,000 Head | 1,000 Head | 1,000 Head                | 1,000 Head  | 1,000 Head | 1,000 Head     | 1,000 Head   | Dollars        | 1,000 Dollars |
| 1987 ..... | 1,440                          | 1,550      | 2,990      | 234                       | 240         | 474        | 6              | 3,470        | 1.45           | 5,032         |
| 1988 ..... | 1,570                          | 1,605      | 3,175      | 310                       | 498         | 808        | 3              | 3,986        | 1.60           | 6,378         |
| 1989 ..... | 1,100                          | 2,026      | 3,126      | 193                       | 297         | 490        | 43             | 3,659        | 2.25           | 8,233         |
| 1990 ..... | 2,002                          | 1,385      | 3,387      | 297                       | 618         | 915        | 70             | 4,372        | 1.80           | 7,870         |
| 1991 ..... | 2,360                          | 1,376      | 3,736      | 384                       | 480         | 864        | 40             | 4,640        | 1.90           | 8,816         |
| 1992 ..... | 1,790                          | 1,670      | 3,460      | 250                       | 385         | 635        | 65             | 4,160        | 1.80           | 7,488         |
| 1993 ..... | 1,678                          | 1,605      | 3,283      | 353                       | 337         | 690        | 67             | 4,040        | 2.00           | 8,080         |

| Year       | All layers       |                    |       | Pullets            |                   |       | Other chickens | All chickens |                |             |
|------------|------------------|--------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|-------|----------------|--------------|----------------|-------------|
|            | One year & older | Less than one year | Total | 13-20 weeks of age | < 13 weeks of age | Total |                | Number       | Value per head | Total value |
| 1994 ..... | 1,395            | 1,559              | 2,954 | 385                | 529               | 914   | 112            | 3,980        | 2.10           | 8,358       |
| 1995 ..... | 1,479            | 1,635              | 3,114 | 380                | 465               | 845   | 166            | 4,125        | 1.90           | 7,838       |
| 1996 ..... | 1,813            | 1,530              | 3,343 | 320                | 280               | 600   | 137            | 4,080        | 2.10           | 8,568       |
| 1997 ..... | 1,910            | 1,760              | 3,670 | 229                | 643               | 872   | 176            | 4,718        | 2.20           | 10,380      |
| 1998 ..... | 2,250            | 1,487              | 3,737 | 180                | 550               | 730   | 130            | 4,597        | 2.40           | 11,033      |
| 1999 ..... | 1,052            | 2,748              | 3,800 | 210                | 300               | 510   | 169            | 4,479        | 2.70           | 12,093      |
| 2000 ..... | 1,440            | 1,970              | 3,410 | 206                | 395               | 601   | 159            | 4,170        | 2.40           | 10,008      |
| 2001 ..... | 1,560            | 1,997              | 3,557 | 142                | 456               | 598   | 55             | 4,210        | 1.90           | 7,999       |
| 2002 ..... | 1,852            | 2,285              | 4,137 | 156                | 412               | 568   | 72             | 4,777        | 2.00           | 9,820       |

<sup>1/</sup> Change in class terminology beginning 1994.



**Chickens: Number lost, number sold and value of sales, Colorado, 1994-2002**

| Year       | Number lost | Number sold | Pounds sold  | Price per lb. | Value         |
|------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
|            | 1,000 Head  | 1,000 Head  | 1,000 Pounds | Cents         | 1,000 Dollars |
| 1994 ..... | 510         | 2,200       | 9,020        | 7.0           | 631           |
| 1995 ..... | 686         | 1,734       | 6,936        | 4.0           | 277           |
| 1996 ..... | 708         | 1,547       | 6,188        | 3.0           | 186           |
| 1997 ..... | 600         | 2,300       | 8,050        | 3.0           | 242           |
| 1998 ..... | 550         | 2,170       | 9,331        | 3.0           | 280           |
| 1999 ..... | 467         | 2,431       | 10,940       | 4.0           | 438           |
| 2000 ..... | 455         | 2,310       | 9,471        | 3.0           | 284           |
| 2001 ..... | 960         | 1,457       | 6,119        | .2            | 12            |
| 2002 ..... | 1,104       | 1,337       | 5,348        | .2            | 11            |

**Layers and egg production, Colorado, 1994-2002**

| Year     | Dec. 1/                  | Jan.  | Feb.  | March | April | May   | June  | July  | Aug.  | Sept. | Oct.  | Nov.  |
|----------|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|          | Average number of layers |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Thousand |                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1994 ... | 3,287                    | 3,246 | 3,290 | 3,311 | 3,250 | 3,190 | 3,150 | 3,189 | 3,213 | 3,206 | 3,133 | 3,015 |
| 1995 ... | 3,089                    | 3,206 | 3,173 | 3,224 | 3,217 | 3,083 | 3,114 | 3,200 | 3,099 | 3,099 | 3,164 | 3,123 |
| 1996 ... | 3,185                    | 3,276 | 3,232 | 3,174 | 3,228 | 3,272 | 3,178 | 3,163 | 3,220 | 3,248 | 3,275 | 3,299 |
| 1997 ... | 3,367                    | 3,292 | 3,222 | 3,232 | 3,139 | 3,096 | 3,156 | 3,268 | 3,402 | 3,435 | 3,560 | 3,688 |
| 1998 ... | 3,612                    | 3,597 | 3,678 | 3,769 | 3,749 | 3,663 | 3,667 | 3,654 | 3,610 | 3,601 | 3,618 | 3,682 |
| 1999 ... | 3,556                    | 3,478 | 3,536 | 3,485 | 3,458 | 3,413 | 3,412 | 3,448 | 3,568 | 3,643 | 3,678 | 3,773 |
| 2000 ... | 3,830                    | 3,774 | 3,822 | 3,936 | 3,970 | 3,856 | 3,605 | 3,541 | 3,486 | 3,440 | 3,408 | 3,380 |
| 2001 ... | 3,418                    | 3,625 | 3,811 | 3,743 | 3,462 | 3,252 | 3,463 | 3,544 | 3,611 | 3,749 | 3,625 | 3,550 |
| 2002 ... | 3,546                    | 3,513 | 3,503 | 3,583 | 3,680 | 3,723 | 3,778 | 3,863 | 3,933 | 3,898 | 3,829 | 3,980 |

| Number of eggs produced |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Million                 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 1994 ...                | 71 | 65 | 59 | 67 | 65 | 66 | 64 | 66 | 68 | 64 | 64 | 59 |
| 1995 ...                | 62 | 69 | 63 | 70 | 68 | 68 | 65 | 71 | 71 | 66 | 67 | 78 |
| 1996 ...                | 69 | 71 | 67 | 71 | 67 | 69 | 66 | 69 | 70 | 68 | 71 | 69 |
| 1997 ...                | 72 | 71 | 63 | 70 | 66 | 65 | 67 | 73 | 75 | 73 | 80 | 82 |
| 1998 ...                | 83 | 81 | 72 | 81 | 80 | 79 | 72 | 80 | 80 | 76 | 82 | 79 |
| 1999 ...                | 78 | 74 | 66 | 74 | 74 | 76 | 73 | 75 | 78 | 81 | 87 | 85 |
| 2000 ...                | 88 | 88 | 81 | 88 | 86 | 86 | 81 | 83 | 80 | 75 | 77 | 75 |
| 2001 ...                | 79 | 84 | 77 | 83 | 74 | 76 | 78 | 80 | 81 | 81 | 78 | 75 |
| 2002 ...                | 80 | 75 | 68 | 81 | 82 | 88 | 84 | 90 | 92 | 88 | 90 | 90 |

1/ December preceding year.

**Eggs: Production and income, Colorado, 1994-2002**

| Year       | Average number of layers | Eggs per layer | Total produced | Price per dozen | Gross income  |
|------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|
|            | Thousands                | Number         | Millions       | Cents           | 1,000 Dollars |
| 1994 ..... | 3,207                    | 243            | 778            | 66.0            | 42,790        |
| 1995 ..... | 3,149                    | 256            | 805            | 70.6            | 47,361        |
| 1996 ..... | 3,229                    | 256            | 827            | 75.6            | 52,101        |
| 1997 ..... | 3,322                    | 258            | 857            | 72.0            | 51,420        |
| 1998 ..... | 3,658                    | 258            | 945            | 67.1            | 52,841        |
| 1999 ..... | 3,537                    | 260            | 921            | 63.6            | 48,813        |
| 2000 ..... | 3,671                    | 269            | 988            | 69.7            | 57,386        |
| 2001 ..... | 3,571                    | 265            | 946            | 61.2            | 48,246        |
| 2002 ..... | 3,736                    | 270            | 1,008          | 59.1            | 49,644        |

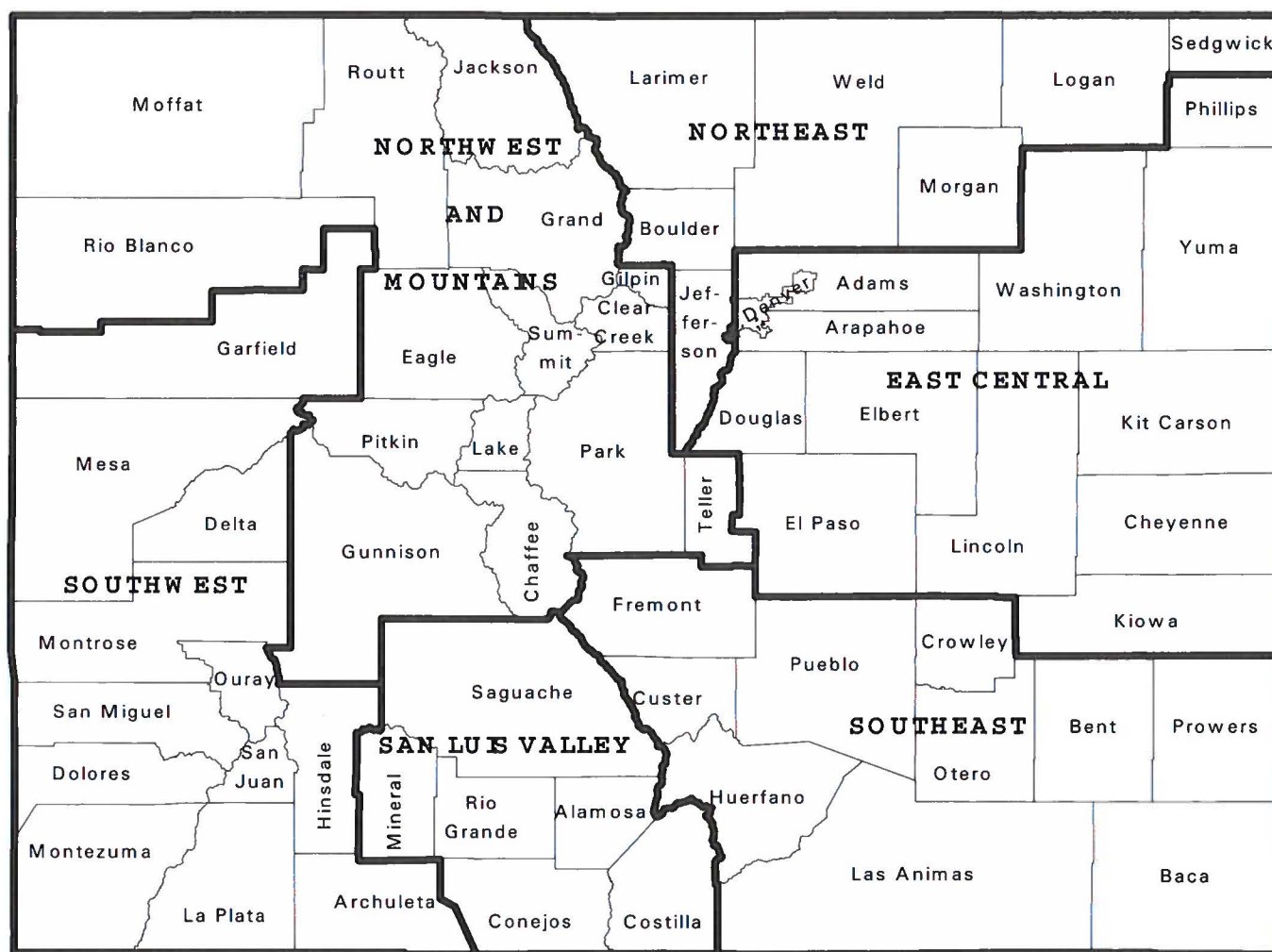
# COLORADO COUNTY PROFILES 2002

The information contained on the following County Profiles pages is taken from the latest Census of Agriculture and the latest county data available for specific commodities.

The Census of Agriculture is taken every five years and provides the most comprehensive detailed information about the agricultural industry for each county. More details for a specific county are available on the Internet at: <http://www.nass.usda.gov/census> From that location, details can be obtained for every State and County in the Nation with options for viewing, printing and downloading of specific data. The next Census will be taken in 2003 covering the 2002 production year.

County data for specific commodities is prepared annually and is presented in the second column of the County Profile. More detailed information about the county data is available on other pages in this issue of *Colorado Agricultural Statistics*.

## COLORADO State Outline of Agricultural Statistics Districts and Counties



**ASD by Number:** Northwest and Mountains = 10    East Central = 60    San Luis Valley = 80  
 Northeast = 20    Southwest = 70    Southeast = 90

## Counties by Agricultural Statistics District

### ASD 10 Northwest & Mountain

| County |             |
|--------|-------------|
| Code   | Name        |
| 015    | Chaffee     |
| 019    | Clear Creek |
| 037    | Eagle       |
| 047    | Gilpin      |
| 049    | Grand       |
| 051    | Gunnison    |
| 057    | Jackson     |
| 065    | Lake        |
| 081    | Moffat      |
| 093    | Park        |
| 097    | Pitkin      |
| 103    | Rio Blanco  |
| 107    | Routt       |
| 117    | Summit      |
| 119    | Teller      |

### ASD 60 East Central

| County |                          |
|--------|--------------------------|
| Code   | Name                     |
| 001    | Adams                    |
| 005    | Arapahoe                 |
| 014    | Broomfield <sup>1/</sup> |
| 017    | Cheyenne                 |
| 031    | Denver                   |
| 035    | Douglas                  |
| 039    | Elbert                   |
| 041    | El Paso                  |
| 061    | Kiowa                    |
| 063    | Kit Carson               |
| 073    | Lincoln                  |
| 095    | Phillips                 |
| 121    | Washington               |
| 125    | Yuma                     |

### ASD 80 San Luis Valley

| County |            |
|--------|------------|
| Code   | Name       |
| 003    | Alamosa    |
| 021    | Conejos    |
| 023    | Costilla   |
| 079    | Mineral    |
| 105    | Rio Grande |
| 109    | Saguache   |

### ASD 20 Northeast

| County |           |
|--------|-----------|
| Code   | Name      |
| 013    | Boulder   |
| 059    | Jefferson |
| 069    | Larimer   |
| 075    | Logan     |
| 087    | Morgan    |
| 115    | Sedgwick  |
| 123    | Weld      |

### ASD 70 Southwest

| County |            |
|--------|------------|
| Code   | Name       |
| 007    | Archuleta  |
| 029    | Delta      |
| 033    | Dolores    |
| 045    | Garfield   |
| 053    | Hinsdale   |
| 067    | La Plata   |
| 077    | Mesa       |
| 083    | Montezuma  |
| 085    | Montrose   |
| 091    | Ouray      |
| 111    | San Juan   |
| 113    | San Miguel |

### ASD 90 Southeast

| County |            |
|--------|------------|
| Code   | Name       |
| 009    | Baca       |
| 011    | Bent       |
| 025    | Crowley    |
| 027    | Custer     |
| 043    | Fremont    |
| 055    | Huerfano   |
| 071    | Las Animas |
| 089    | Otero      |
| 099    | Prowers    |
| 101    | Pueblo     |

<sup>1/</sup> Broomfield County was established in November 2001 and was formed from portions of Adams County, Boulder County and Jefferson County. As with the City and County of Denver, the new area will be referenced as the City and County of Broomfield. No Census data is available for Broomfield County and no county data for specific commodities will be shown for either Denver County or Broomfield County. While there is known to be a few agricultural operations in each of the two counties, as with a few other counties in the state, the agricultural data in the minor counties is combined with an adjoining county to avoid disclosure of individual operations.



## Colorado County Profiles 2002

| <b>Adams County</b>   |  | <b>Cnty 001 ASD 60</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |  |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|--|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 1,182                  | Barley                                 | 1,300            | 46.0         | Bu.         | 60,000            | 9           |  |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 756,667                | Corn for Grain                         | 4,000            | 109.0        | Bu.         | 436,000           | 17          |  |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | 500              | 12.00        | Cwt         | 6,000             | 17          |  |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 696                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 9,500            | 3.70         | Tons        | 35,000            | 20          |  |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 673,713                | Hay, Other                             | 12,500           | 1.30         | Tons        | 16,000            | 17          |  |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 968                    | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 160                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 653,502                | Sorghum, Grain                         | 500              | 15.0         | Bu.         | 7,500             | 12          |  |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 530,148                | Sugar beets                            | 720              | 16.1         | Tons        | 11,600            | 10          |  |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 27,140                 | Sunflowers, All                        | 9,500            | 410          | Lbs.        | 3,900,000         | 8           |  |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 87,739                 | Wheat, Spring                          | 800              | 20.0         | Bu.         | 16,000            | 9           |  |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 68,516                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 134,000          | 24.5         | Bu.         | 3,270,000         | 3           |  |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 19,223                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 67,875                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 12,000            | 36          |  |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 18,416                 | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 4,500             | 41          |  |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 54.9                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |

| <b>Alamosa County</b>                                       |  | <b>Cnty 003 ASD 80</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |  |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|--|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 723                    | Barley                                 | 9,000            | 116.5        | Bu.         | 1,050,000         | 4           |  |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 462,854                | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 306                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 25,000           | 3.65         | Tons        | 91,000            | 7           |  |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 189,987                | Hay, Other                             | 10,000           | 2.60         | Tons        | 26,000            | 10          |  |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 621                    | Oats                                   | 500              | 82.0         | Bu.         | 41,000            | 4           |  |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 320                    | Potatoes, All                          | 24,700           | 395          | Cwt         | 9,715,000         | 1           |  |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 763,217                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 102,521                | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 106,104                | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 57,195                 | Wheat, Spring                          | 4,500            | 133.5        | Bu.         | 600,000           | 2           |  |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 51,713                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 1,200            | 70.0         | Bu.         | 84,000            | 24          |  |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 5,482                  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 43,041                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 7,500             | 42          |  |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 15,098                 | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 5,000             | 39          |  |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 50.9                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |

| <b>Arapahoe County</b>                                      |  | <b>Cnty 005 ASD 60</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |  |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|--|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 804                    | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 514,820                | Corn for Grain                         | 400              | 150.0        | Bu.         | 60,000            | 22          |  |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 258                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 2,000            | 2.60         | Tons        | 5,200             | 39          |  |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 332,940                | Hay, Other                             | 1,500            | .75          | Tons        | 1,100             | 54          |  |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 1,290                  | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 120                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 1,181,113              | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 168,813                | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 3,901                  | Sunflowers, All                        | 2,300            | 350          | Lbs.        | 800,000           | 15          |  |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 23,612                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 14,577                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 85,000           | 21.0         | Bu.         | 1,770,000         | 10          |  |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 9,034                  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 17,578                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 9,000             | 41          |  |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 6,155                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 6,000             | 36          |  |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 52.9                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |

**Colorado County Profiles 2002, Continued**

| <b>Archuleta County</b>                                     | <b>Cnty 007 ASD 70</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              | 1,355                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     | 866,899                | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        | 206                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 1,000                  | 1.70         | Tons        | 1,700             | 48          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           | 112,670                | Hay, Other                             | 2,000                  | 1.15         | Tons        | 2,300             | 51          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   | 547                    | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           | 161                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               | 855,487                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      | 17,636                 | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      | 16,764                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  | 6,149                  | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    | 393                    | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     | 5,756                  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          | 6,441                  | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 5,000             | 47          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> | -493                   | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 3,200             | 48          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          | 55.3                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Baca County</b>  | <b>Cnty 009 ASD 90</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              | 2,558                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     | 1,637,426              | Corn for Grain                         | 29,000                 | 167.0        | Bu.         | 4,850,000         | 7           |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        | 608                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 10,000                 | 3.15         | Tons        | 31,500            | 21          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           | 1,142,327              | Hay, Other                             | 8,000                  | 1.00         | Tons        | 8,100             | 31          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   | 1,879                  | Oats                                   | 400                    | 50.0         | Bu.         | 20,000            | 9           |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           | 1,044                  | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               | 747,804                | Sorghum, Grain                         | 53,800                 | 18.0         | Bu.         | 965,000           | 1           |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      | 632,572                | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      | 65,068                 | Sunflowers, All                        | 5,000                  | 1,200        | Lbs.        | 6,000,000         | 5           |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  | 77,369                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    | 27,921                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 50,000                 | 21.5         | Bu.         | 1,071,000         | 13          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     | 49,448                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          | 63,010                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 57,000            | 9           |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> | 15,227                 | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 22,000            | 9           |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          | 55.2                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Bent County</b>  | <b>Cnty 011 ASD 90</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              | 1,541                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     | 986,287                | Corn for Grain                         | 4,000                  | 100.0        | Bu.         | 400,000           | 18          |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        | 270                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 32,000                 | 1.90         | Tons        | 61,000            | 13          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           | 784,273                | Hay, Other                             | 3,000                  | 1.65         | Tons        | 4,900             | 39          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   | 2,905                  | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           | 480                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               | 899,874                | Sorghum, Grain                         | 1,000                  | 73.0         | Bu.         | 73,000            | 4           |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      | (D)                    | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      | 62,709                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  | 50,975                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    | 12,518                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 4,500                  | 24.0         | Bu.         | 107,000           | 22          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     | 38,457                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          | 46,163                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 48,000            | 10          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> | 5,248                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 16,000            | 17          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          | 52.1                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

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| <b>Boulder County</b>                                       |  | <b>Cnty 013 ASD 20</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      |  | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 740                    | Barley                                 |  | 2,000                  | 38.5         | Bu.         | 77,000            | 8           |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 473,907                | Corn for Grain                         |  | 1,000                  | 110.0        | Bu.         | 110,000           | 21          |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              |  | 600                    | 20.00        | Cwt         | 12,000            | 13          |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 657                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           |  | 8,500                  | 2.75         | Tons        | 23,500            | 24          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 128,146                | Hay, Other                             |  | 8,000                  | 1.40         | Tons        | 11,300            | 22          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 195                    | Oats                                   |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 37                     | Potatoes, All                          |  | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 534,011                | Sorghum, Grain                         |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 58,603                 | Sugar beets                            |  | 1,030                  | 12.2         | Tons        | 12,600            | 9           |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 39,464                 | Sunflowers, All                        |  | 200                    | 750          | Lbs.        | 150,000           | 16          |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 43,671                 | Wheat, Spring                          |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 27,898                 | Wheat, Winter                          |  | 3,000                  | 25.0         | Bu.         | 75,000            | 25          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 15,773                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |  |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 31,299                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |  |                        |              |             | 11,000            | 38          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 12,714                 | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |  |                        |              |             | 4,000             | 43          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 55.1                   |  |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Broomfield County</b>                                    |  | <b>Cnty 014 ASD 60</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      |  | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 34                     | Barley                                 |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 21,482                 | Corn for Grain                         |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              |  | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | ...                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           |  | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | ...                    | Hay, Other                             |  | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | ...                    | Oats                                   |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | ...                    | Potatoes, All                          |  | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | ...                    | Sorghum, Grain                         |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | ...                    | Sugar beets                            |  | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | ...                    | Sunflowers, All                        |  | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | ...                    | Wheat, Spring                          |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | ...                    | Wheat, Winter                          |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | ...                    | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |  |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | ...                    | All Cattle and Calves                  |  |                        |              |             | ...               | ...         |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | ...                    | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |  |                        |              |             | ...               | ...         |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | ...                    |  |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Chaffee County</b>                                       |  | <b>Cnty 015 ASD 10</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      |  | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 1,014                  | Barley                                 |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 649,035                | Corn for Grain                         |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              |  | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 189                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           |  | 3,500                  | 1.45         | Tons        | 5,000             | 40          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 85,608                 | Hay, Other                             |  | 7,800                  | .90          | Tons        | 6,900             | 35          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 453                    | Oats                                   |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 160                    | Potatoes, All                          |  | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 849,738                | Sorghum, Grain                         |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 24,475                 | Sugar beets                            |  | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 24,406                 | Sunflowers, All                        |  | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 5,161                  | Wheat, Spring                          |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 2,081                  | Wheat, Winter                          |  | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 3,081                  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |  |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 4,357                  | All Cattle and Calves                  |  |                        |              |             | 7,000             | 44          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 558                    | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |  |                        |              |             | 4,000             | 43          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 51.4                   |  |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |



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| <b>Cheyenne County</b>                                      |  | <b>Cnty 017 ASD 60</b> | <b>Acres</b> |  | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--------------|--|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 1,782                  |              |  | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 1,140,413              |              |  | Corn for Grain                         | 14,500           | 111.5        | Bu.         | 1,618,000         | 10          |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        |              |  | Dry Beans                              | 600              | 15.00        | Cwt         | 9,000             | 16          |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 333                    |              |  | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 1,000            | 1.70         | Tons        | 1,700             | 48          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 795,815                |              |  | Hay, Other                             | 3,500            | 1.25         | Tons        | 4,400             | 40          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 2,390                  |              |  | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 1,440                  |              |  | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 585,655                |              |  | Sorghum, Grain                         | 2,000            | 10.0         | Bu.         | 20,000            | 9           |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 433,897                |              |  | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 20,632                 |              |  | Sunflowers, All                        | 10,000           | 740          | Lbs.        | 7,400,000         | 1           |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 33,645                 |              |  | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 19,180                 |              |  | Wheat, Winter                          | 60,000           | 13.0         | Bu.         | 782,000           | 14          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 14,465                 |              |  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 28,281                 |              |  | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 22,000            | 26          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 4,591                  |              |  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 12,000            | 23          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 54.1                   |              |  |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Clear Creek County</b>                                   |  | <b>Cnty 019 ASD 60</b> | <b>Acres</b> |  | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--------------|--|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 397                    |              |  | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 253,777                |              |  | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        |              |  | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 12                     |              |  | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 5,114                  |              |  | Hay, Other                             | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 426                    |              |  | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 30                     |              |  | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 1,441,525              |              |  | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | (D)                    |              |  | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | (D)                    |              |  | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 30                     |              |  | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | -                      |              |  | Wheat, Winter                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 30                     |              |  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 105                    |              |  | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | ...               | ...         |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | -75                    |              |  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | ...               | ...         |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 60.0                   |              |  |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Conejos County</b>                                       |  | <b>Cnty 021 ASD 80</b> | <b>Acres</b> |  | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--------------|--|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 1,290                  |              |  | Barley                                 | 6,000            | 106.5        | Bu.         | 640,000           | 5           |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 825,741                |              |  | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        |              |  | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 429                    |              |  | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 31,500           | 2.55         | Tons        | 80,500            | 10          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 284,676                |              |  | Hay, Other                             | 15,000           | 2.00         | Tons        | 30,000            | 8           |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 664                    |              |  | Oats                                   | 300              | 83.5         | Bu.         | 25,000            | 6           |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 280                    |              |  | Potatoes, All                          | 1,000            | 345          | Cwt         | 345,000           | 7           |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 449,721                |              |  | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 135,463                |              |  | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 130,581                |              |  | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 25,488                 |              |  | Wheat, Spring                          | 500              | 90.0         | Bu.         | 45,000            | 7           |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 13,913                 |              |  | Wheat, Winter                          | 300              | 86.5         | Bu.         | 26,000            | 30          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 11,574                 |              |  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 19,348                 |              |  | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 21,000            | 29          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 5,352                  |              |  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 13,500            | 21          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 54.7                   |              |  |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |

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| <b>Costilla County</b>                                      |  | <b>Cnty 023</b> | <b>ASD 80</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |  |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|--|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 1,229         | Barley                                 | 4,000            | 125.0        | Bu.         | 500,000           | 6           |  |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 786,801       | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 171           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 16,000           | 3.80         | Tons        | 61,000            | 13          |  |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 363,220       | Hay, Other                             | 4,000            | 2.00         | Tons        | 8,000             | 32          |  |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 2,124         | Oats                                   | 500              | 84.0         | Bu.         | 42,000            | 3           |  |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 160           | Potatoes, All                          | 5,100            | 385          | Cwt         | 1,960,000         | 4           |  |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 733,408       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | (D)           | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 44,010        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 15,978        | Wheat, Spring                          | 2,500            | 106.0        | Bu.         | 265,000           | 4           |  |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 13,371        | Wheat, Winter                          | 500              | 66.0         | Bu.         | 33,000            | 32          |  |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 2,607         | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 13,090        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 6,000             | 45          |  |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 1,555         | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 3,500             | 46          |  |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 54.9          |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |

| <b>Crowley County</b>                                       |  | <b>Cnty 025</b> | <b>ASD 90</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |  |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|--|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 800           | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 512,170       | Corn for Grain                         | 400              | 100.0        | Bu.         | 40,000            | 24          |  |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 203           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 8,500            | 2.00         | Tons        | 17,000            | 27          |  |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 389,724       | Hay, Other                             | 2,000            | 1.90         | Tons        | 3,800             | 44          |  |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 1,920         | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 340           | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 1,110,080     | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 53,707        | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 21,647        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 73,487        | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 4,691         | Wheat, Winter                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 68,796        | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 44,582        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 36,000            | 16          |  |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 29,767        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 8,000             | 32          |  |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 56.2          |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |

| <b>Custer County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 027</b> | <b>ASD 90</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |  |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|--|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |  |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 739           | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 473,112       | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 152           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 500              | 1.00         | Tons        | 500               | 52          |  |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 144,247       | Hay, Other                             | 8,000            | .90          | Tons        | 7,100             | 34          |  |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 949           | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 295           | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 613,306       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 24,019        | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 19,633        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |  |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 4,816         | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 1,954         | Wheat, Winter                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |  |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 2,861         | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 3,909         | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 4,000             | 49          |  |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 1,057         | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 2,000             | 51          |  |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 57.2          |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |  |

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| <b>Delta County</b>   | <b>Cnty 029</b> | <b>ASD 70</b> |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 1,149         | Barley                                 | 200                    | 100.0        | Bu.         | 20,000            | 13            |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 735,644       | Corn for Grain                         | 2,400                  | 189.5        | Bu.         | 455,000           | 16            |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | 1,600                  | 16.30        | Cwt         | 26,000            | 11            |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 1,041         | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 18,000                 | 2.40         | Tons        | 43,500            | 17            |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 281,889       | Hay, Other                             | 7,000                  | 1.70         | Tons        | 11,800            | 21            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 271           | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 45            | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 482,853       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 75,090        | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 70,981        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 39,083        | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 15,177        | Wheat, Winter                          | 200                    | 85.0         | Bu.         | 17,000            | 35            |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 23,906        | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 32,925        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             |                   | 37,000        | 15          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 8,365         | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             |                   | 19,000        | 13          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 55.1          |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |

| <b>Denver County</b>  | <b>Cnty 031</b> | <b>ASD 60</b> |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 156           | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 99,620        | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 16            | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 74            | Hay, Other                             | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 5             | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 1             | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | (D)           | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | (D)           | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 14            | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 2,174         | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 2,166         | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 9             | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 1,287         | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             |                   | ...           | ...         |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 887           | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             |                   | ...           | ...         |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 51.8          |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |

| <b>Dolores County</b>                                       | <b>Cnty 033</b> | <b>ASD 70</b> |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 1,077         | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 689,232       | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | 400                    | 7.50         | Cwt         | 3,000             | 18            |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 160           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 12,000                 | .70          | Tons        | 8,600             | 32            |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 155,741       | Hay, Other                             | 3,000                  | 1.25         | Tons        | 3,800             | 44            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 973           | Oats                                   | 200                    | 80.0         | Bu.         | 16,000            | 13            |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 467           | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 633,775       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 68,413        | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 7,508         | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 8,601         | Wheat, Spring                          | 300                    | 11.5         | Bu.         | 3,500             | 13            |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 4,914         | Wheat, Winter                          | 10,800                 | 14.0         | Bu.         | 150,000           | 20            |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 3,686         | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 6,101         | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             |                   | 2,500         | 54          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 2,397         | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             |                   | 2,000         | 51          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 54.1          |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |



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| <b>Douglas County</b>                                       |  | <b>Cnty 035 ASD 60</b> | <b>Acres</b> |  | <b>2002 Crops</b>                | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b>                      | <b>Rank</b> |    |
|---|--|------------------------|--------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|--|-------------|----|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 842                    |              |  | Barley                           | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 539,072                |              |  | Corn for Grain                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        |              |  | Dry Beans                        | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 574                    |              |  | Hay, Alfalfa                     | 2,000            | .85          | Tons        | 1,700                                  | 48          |    |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 204,360                |              |  | Hay, Other                       | 9,000            | 1.15         | Tons        | 10,500                                 | 23          |    |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 356                    |              |  | Oats                             | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 70                     |              |  | Potatoes, All                    | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 795,452                |              |  | Sorghum, Grain                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 39,674                 |              |  | Sugar beets                      | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 3,645                  |              |  | Sunflowers, All                  | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 17,119                 |              |  | Wheat, Spring                    | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 9,678                  |              |  | Wheat, Winter                    | 2,000            | 17.5         | Bu.         | 35,000                                 | 28          |    |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 7,441                  |              |  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b> |                  |              |             |  |             |    |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 17,021                 |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>                          | <b>Rank</b> |    |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 2,935                  |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | All Cattle and Calves                  | 4,000       | 49 |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 54.3                   |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | Beef cows and heifers that have calved | 2,500       | 49 |

| <b>Eagle County</b>   |  | <b>Cnty 037 ASD 10</b> | <b>Acres</b> |  | <b>2002 Crops</b>                | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b>                      | <b>Rank</b> |    |
|---|--|------------------------|--------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|--|-------------|----|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 1,701                  |              |  | Barley                           | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 1,088,485              |              |  | Corn for Grain                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        |              |  | Dry Beans                        | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 124                    |              |  | Hay, Alfalfa                     | 4,500            | 1.40         | Tons        | 6,200                                  | 38          |    |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 185,032                |              |  | Hay, Other                       | 8,200            | .70          | Tons        | 5,600                                  | 37          |    |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 1,492                  |              |  | Oats                             | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 160                    |              |  | Potatoes, All                    | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 1,901,323              |              |  | Sorghum, Grain                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 19,192                 |              |  | Sugar beets                      | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 16,637                 |              |  | Sunflowers, All                  | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 7,413                  |              |  | Wheat, Spring                    | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 711                    |              |  | Wheat, Winter                    | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 6,703                  |              |  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b> |                  |              |             |  |             |    |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 7,065                  |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>                          | <b>Rank</b> |    |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 897                    |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | All Cattle and Calves                  | 5,500       | 46 |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 50.9                   |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | Beef cows and heifers that have calved | 4,000       | 43 |

| <b>Elbert County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 039 ASD 60</b> | <b>Acres</b> |  | <b>2002 Crops</b>                | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b>                      | <b>Rank</b> |    |
|---|--|------------------------|--------------|--|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|--|-------------|----|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 1,849                  |              |  | Barley                           | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 1,183,409              |              |  | Corn for Grain                   | 900              | 15.5         | Bu.         | 14,000                                 | 25          |    |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        |              |  | Dry Beans                        | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 822                    |              |  | Hay, Alfalfa                     | 7,000            | .65          | Tons        | 4,600                                  | 41          |    |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 1,095,248              |              |  | Hay, Other                       | 12,000           | .50          | Tons        | 6,100                                  | 36          |    |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 1,332                  |              |  | Oats                             | 500              | 44.0         | Bu.         | 22,000                                 | 8           |    |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 240                    |              |  | Potatoes, All                    | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 700,457                |              |  | Sorghum, Grain                   | 500              | 7.0          | Bu.         | 3,500                                  | 14          |    |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 178,723                |              |  | Sugar beets                      | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 6,135                  |              |  | Sunflowers, All                  | 5,300            | 605          | Lbs.        | 3,200,000                              | 11          |    |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 31,249                 |              |  | Wheat, Spring                    | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...                                    | ...         |    |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 4,420                  |              |  | Wheat, Winter                    | 24,500           | 19.0         | Bu.         | 460,000                                | 15          |    |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 26,830                 |              |  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b> |                  |              |             |  |             |    |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 29,359                 |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>                          | <b>Rank</b> |    |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 1,440                  |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | All Cattle and Calves                  | 35,000      | 18 |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 53.4                   |              |  |                                  |                  |              |             | Beef cows and heifers that have calved | 24,000      | 7  |

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| <b>El Paso County</b>                                | <b>Cnty 041 ASD 60</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 2,129                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 1,362,305              | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 851                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 5,000                  | 1.50         | Tons        | 7,500             | 34          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 866,953                | Hay, Other                             | 5,000                  | .80          | Tons        | 3,900             | 43          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 1,019                  | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 160                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 410,149                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 78,299                 | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 15,010                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 30,330                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | 12,580                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 500                    | 10.0         | Bu.         | 5,000             | 38          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | 17,750                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 26,586                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 22,000            | 26          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | 1,673                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 15,000            | 18          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 53.5                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Fremont County</b>                                | <b>Cnty 043 ASD 90</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 1,533                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 981,175                | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 561                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 4,500                  | 1.55         | Tons        | 7,000             | 35          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 283,490                | Hay, Other                             | 2,500                  | 1.10         | Tons        | 2,700             | 48          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 505                    | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 18                     | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 729,805                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 19,065                 | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 19,272                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 12,126                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | 3,479                  | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | 8,647                  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 10,119                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 10,000            | 39          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | 1,326                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 5,000             | 39          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 54.0                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Garfield County</b>                               | <b>Cnty 045 ASD 70</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 2,958                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 1,893,267              | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 475                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 20,000                 | 1.55         | Tons        | 30,700            | 22          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 427,161                | Hay, Other                             | 10,000                 | 1.55         | Tons        | 15,400            | 18          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 899                    | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 120                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 969,776                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 62,992                 | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 51,383                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 22,817                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | 9,144                  | Wheat, Winter                          | 800                    | 14.0         | Bu.         | 11,000            | 36          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | 13,673                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 18,748                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 16,000            | 30          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | 3,903                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 11,000            | 25          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 54.2                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

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| <b>Gilpin County</b>  |  | Cnty 047 | ASD 10    |  |           | Acres |      |            |      |               |             |
|---|--|----------|-----------|--|-----------|-------|------|------------|------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |          |           | 2002 Crops                             | Harvested | Yield | Unit | Production | Rank |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |          | 150       |  |           |       |      |            |      |               |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |          | 96,094    | Barley                                 | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |          |           | Corn for Grain                         | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |          | 11        | Dry Beans                              | ...       | ...   | Cwt  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |          | 8,771     | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...       | ...   | Tons | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |          | 797       | Hay, Other                             | ...       | ...   | Tons | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |          | 256       | Oats                                   | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |          | 1,084,183 | Potatoes, All                          | ...       | ...   | Cwt  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |          | (D)       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |          | (D)       | Sugar beets                            | ...       | ...   | Tons | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |          | (D)       | Sunflowers, All                        | ...       | ...   | Lbs. | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |          | (D)       | Wheat, Spring                          | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |          | 87        | Wheat, Winter                          | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |          | 119       | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |           |       |      |            |      | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |          | 8         | All Cattle and Calves                  |           |       |      |            |      | ...           | ...         |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |          | 56.1      | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |           |       |      |            |      | ...           | ...         |

| <b>Grand County</b>   |  | Cnty 049 | ASD 10    |  |           | Acres |      |            |      |               |             |
|---|--|----------|-----------|--|-----------|-------|------|------------|------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |          |           | 2002 Crops                             | Harvested | Yield | Unit | Production | Rank |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |          | 1,869     | Barley                                 | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |          | 1,195,857 | Corn for Grain                         | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |          |           | Dry Beans                              | ...       | ...   | Cwt  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |          | 161       | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 1,000     | 1.00  | Tons | 1,000      | 51   |               |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |          | 251,202   | Hay, Other                             | 16,000    | .80   | Tons | 13,000     | 20   |               |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |          | 1,560     | Oats                                   | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |          | 500       | Potatoes, All                          | ...       | ...   | Cwt  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |          | 1,269,188 | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |          | 38,392    | Sugar beets                            | ...       | ...   | Tons | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |          | 39,778    | Sunflowers, All                        | ...       | ...   | Lbs. | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |          | 8,833     | Wheat, Spring                          | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |          | 1,638     | Wheat, Winter                          | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |          | 7,195     | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |           |       |      |            |      | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |          | 6,975     | All Cattle and Calves                  |           |       |      |            |      | 10,000        | 39          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |          | 1,816     | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |           |       |      |            |      | 6,000         | 36          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |          | 55.8      |  |           |       |      |            |      |               |             |

| <b>Gunnison County</b>                                      |  | Cnty 051 | ASD 10    |  |           | Acres |      |            |      |               |             |
|---|--|----------|-----------|--|-----------|-------|------|------------|------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |          |           | 2002 Crops                             | Harvested | Yield | Unit | Production | Rank |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |          | 3,259     | Barley                                 | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |          | 2,085,900 | Corn for Grain                         | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |          |           | Dry Beans                              | ...       | ...   | Cwt  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |          | 187       | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 2,500     | .80   | Tons | 2,000      | 46   |               |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |          | 195,030   | Hay, Other                             | 20,000    | 1.00  | Tons | 20,000     | 13   |               |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |          | 1,043     | Oats                                   | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |          | 300       | Potatoes, All                          | ...       | ...   | Cwt  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |          | 1,435,569 | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |          | 38,256    | Sugar beets                            | ...       | ...   | Tons | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |          | 51,397    | Sunflowers, All                        | ...       | ...   | Lbs. | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |          | 8,436     | Wheat, Spring                          | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |          | 921       | Wheat, Winter                          | ...       | ...   | Bu.  | ...        | ...  |               |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |          | 7,515     | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |           |       |      |            |      | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |          | 8,396     | All Cattle and Calves                  |           |       |      |            |      | 16,000        | 30          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |          | 50        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |           |       |      |            |      | 9,000         | 30          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |          | 55.1      |  |           |       |      |            |      |               |             |



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| <b>Hinsdale County</b>                               | <b>Cnty 053 ASD 70</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 1,123                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 718,946                | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 14                     | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 8,834                  | Hay, Other                             | 1,000                  | 1.00         | Tons        | 1,000             | 55          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 631                    | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 570                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 872,380                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 2,015                  | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 2,324                  | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 377                    | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | (D)                    | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | (D)                    | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 474                    | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 500               | 57          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | -97                    | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 300               | 57          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 59.9                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Huerfano County</b>                               | <b>Cnty 055 ASD 90</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 1,592                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 1,019,116              | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 273                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 1,500                  | 1.65         | Tons        | 2,500             | 44          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 641,124                | Hay, Other                             | 2,000                  | .80          | Tons        | 1,600             | 53          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 2,348                  | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 612                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 853,988                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 27,855                 | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 16,208                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 9,681                  | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | 874                    | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | 8,807                  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 8,035                  | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 14,000            | 34          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | 1,717                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 9,000             | 30          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 56.8                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Jackson County</b>                                | <b>Cnty 057 ASD 10</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 1,620                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 1,036,639              | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 126                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 477,063                | Hay, Other                             | 59,000                 | .95          | Tons        | 57,000            | 1           |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 3,786                  | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 1,736                  | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 2,094,859              | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 86,340                 | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 123,645                | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 15,593                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | 2,717                  | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | 12,876                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 12,111                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 24,000            | 24          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | 2,689                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 14,000            | 20          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 53.6                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

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| <b>Jefferson County</b>                              | <b>Cnty 059 ASD 20</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 773                    | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 494,624                | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 377                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 1,000                  | 2.50         | Tons        | 2,500             | 44          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 97,623                 | Hay, Other                             | 6,000                  | 1.50         | Tons        | 9,100             | 28          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 259                    | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 16                     | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 614,664                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 14,606                 | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 3,277                  | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 19,474                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | 17,395                 | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | 2,079                  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 12,044                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 3,000             | 52          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | 5,598                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 1,500             | 53          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 54.9                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Kiowa County</b>                                  | <b>Cnty 061 ASD 60</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 1,786                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 1,142,976              | Corn for Grain                         | 400                    | 125.0        | Bu.         | 50,000            | 23          |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 339                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 2,000                  | 2.10         | Tons        | 4,200             | 42          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 913,801                | Hay, Other                             | 2,500                  | .40          | Tons        | 1,000             | 55          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 2,696                  | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 1,280                  | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 657,478                | Sorghum, Grain                         | 9,000                  | 16.0         | Bu.         | 143,000           | 3           |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 493,589                | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 5,922                  | Sunflowers, All                        | 6,000                  | 185          | Lbs.        | 1,100,000         | 13          |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 61,724                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | 17,144                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 42,000                 | 8.5          | Bu.         | 350,000           | 16          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | 44,581                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 45,100                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 12,000            | 36          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | 16,017                 | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 7,500             | 34          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 55.0                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Kit Carson County</b>                             | <b>Cnty 063 ASD 60</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       | 2,162                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                              | 1,383,956              | Corn for Grain                         | 93,000                 | 115.5        | Bu.         | 10,740,000        | 4           |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |                        | Dry Beans                              | 6,400                  | 15.50        | Cwt         | 99,000            | 6           |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 | 718                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 10,500                 | 4.80         | Tons        | 50,200            | 16          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    | 1,345,724              | Hay, Other                             | 6,000                  | 1.65         | Tons        | 10,000            | 24          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            | 1,874                  | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    | 1,071                  | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        | 754,324                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               | 838,912                | Sugar beets                            | 130                    | 31.5         | Tons        | 4,100             | 11          |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               | 145,730                | Sunflowers, All                        | 10,100                 | 575          | Lbs.        | 5,800,000         | 6           |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           | 177,051                | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             | 70,150                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 195,000                | 19.5         | Bu.         | 3,810,000         | 2           |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              | 106,901                | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          | 151,045                | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 130,000           | 5           |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ | 24,348                 | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 26,000            | 4           |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   | 53.9                   |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

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| <b>Lake County</b>  | <b>Cnty 065 ASD 10</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              | 384                    | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     | 245,475                | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        | 20                     | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           | 17,188                 | Hay, Other                             | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   | 859                    | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           | 179                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               | 838,884                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      | (D)                    | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      | 3,917                  | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  | 513                    | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    | 21                     | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     | 492                    |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          | 610                    |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> | -97                    | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          | 60.3                   | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 500               | 57          |
|   |                        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 300               | 57          |

| <b>La Plata County</b>                                      | <b>Cnty 067 ASD 70</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              | 1,700                  | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     | 1,088,284              | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        | 781                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 15,500                 | .95          | Tons        | 14,800            | 29          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           | 580,135                | Hay, Other                             | 18,000                 | 1.70         | Tons        | 30,200            | 6           |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   | 743                    | Oats                                   | 200                    | 90.0         | Bu.         | 18,000            | 11          |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           | 89                     | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               | 684,685                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      | 91,129                 | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      | 71,855                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  | 15,797                 | Wheat, Spring                          | 700                    | 9.5          | Bu.         | 6,500             | 11          |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    | 4,948                  | Wheat, Winter                          | 300                    | 6.5          | Bu.         | 2,000             | 39          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     | 10,849                 |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          | 14,652                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> | 916                    | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 16,000            | 30          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          | 54.2                   | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 10,000            | 28          |

| <b>Larimer County</b>                                       | <b>Cnty 069 ASD 20</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              | 2,632                  | Barley                                 | 3,000                  | 50.0         | Bu.         | 150,000           | 7           |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     | 1,684,320              | Corn for Grain                         | 6,000                  | 111.5        | Bu.         | 670,000           | 13          |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                        | Dry Beans                              | 1,600                  | 20.00        | Cwt         | 32,000            | 10          |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        | 1,298                  | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 18,000                 | 2.95         | Tons        | 53,200            | 15          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           | 542,259                | Hay, Other                             | 15,000                 | 1.30         | Tons        | 19,800            | 14          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   | 418                    | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           | 47                     | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               | 656,869                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      | 127,348                | Sugar beets                            | 2,850                  | 16.2         | Tons        | 46,100            | 6           |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      | 77,695                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  | 100,483                | Wheat, Spring                          | 800                    | 62.5         | Bu.         | 50,000            | 6           |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    | 38,285                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 5,000                  | 30.0         | Bu.         | 150,000           | 19          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     | 62,198                 |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          | 77,671                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> | 23,121                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 60,000            | 8           |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          | 53.0                   | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 11,000            | 25          |



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| <b>Las Animas County</b>                             |  | Cnty 071 | ASD 90    | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |
|--|--|----------|-----------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|  |  |          |           | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       |  |          | 4,773     | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                              |  |          | 3,054,893 | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |  |          |           | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 |  |          | 485       | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 4,000            | 1.70         | Tons        | 6,700             | 37            |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    |  |          | 2,214,992 | Hay, Other                             | 4,000            | .95          | Tons        | 3,800             | 44            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            |  |          | 4,567     | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    |  |          | 880       | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        |  |          | 886,185   | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               |  |          | 76,898    | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               |  |          | 24,020    | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           |  |          | 20,336    | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             |  |          | 2,058     | Wheat, Winter                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              |  |          | 18,278    | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          |  |          | 18,029    | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 35,000            | 18            |             |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ |  |          | 4,624     | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 26,000            | 4             |             |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   |  |          | 57.6      |  |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |

| <b>Lincoln County</b>                                |  | Cnty 073 | ASD 60    | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |
|--|--|----------|-----------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|  |  |          |           | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       |  |          | 2,585     | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                              |  |          | 1,654,532 | Corn for Grain                         | 3,700            | 81.0         | Bu.         | 300,000           | 20            |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |  |          |           | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 |  |          | 467       | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 3,000            | .95          | Tons        | 2,800             | 43            |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    |  |          | 1,648,323 | Hay, Other                             | 14,000           | .65          | Tons        | 9,200             | 27            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            |  |          | 3,530     | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    |  |          | 1,500     | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        |  |          | 616,694   | Sorghum, Grain                         | 3,400            | 8.0          | Bu.         | 27,000            | 8             |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               |  |          | (D)       | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               |  |          | 4,509     | Sunflowers, All                        | 16,500           | 375          | Lbs.        | 6,200,000         | 4             |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           |  |          | 44,773    | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             |  |          | 14,963    | Wheat, Winter                          | 94,000           | 22.0         | Bu.         | 2,053,000         | 8             |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              |  |          | 29,809    | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          |  |          | 40,953    | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 36,000            | 16            |             |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ |  |          | 4,525     | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 26,000            | 4             |             |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   |  |          | 54.9      |  |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |

| <b>Logan County</b>                                  |  | Cnty 075 | ASD 20    | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |
|--|--|----------|-----------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|  |  |          |           | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                       |  |          | 1,845     | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                              |  |          | 1,180,999 | Corn for Grain                         | 45,000           | 107.5        | Bu.         | 4,840,000         | 8             |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                    |  |          |           | Dry Beans                              | 3,600            | 16.10        | Cwt         | 58,000            | 8             |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                 |  |          | 879       | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 40,000           | 4.15         | Tons        | 165,200           | 4             |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                    |  |          | 1,128,756 | Hay, Other                             | 13,000           | 1.55         | Tons        | 20,200            | 12            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)            |  |          | 1,284     | Oats                                   | 200              | 40.0         | Bu.         | 8,000             | 15            |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                    |  |          | 580       | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)        |  |          | 510,735   | Sorghum, Grain                         | 2,100            | 6.0          | Bu.         | 13,000            | 11            |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                               |  |          | 523,887   | Sugar beets                            | 5,020            | 19.0         | Tons        | 95,500            | 3             |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                               |  |          | 109,198   | Sunflowers, All                        | 5,800            | 880          | Lbs.        | 5,100,000         | 7             |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)           |  |          | 292,740   | Wheat, Spring                          | 200              | 50.0         | Bu.         | 10,000            | 10            |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                             |  |          | 49,206    | Wheat, Winter                          | 140,000          | 19.0         | Bu.         | 2,680,000         | 6             |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)              |  |          | 243,534   | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) 1/          |  |          | 244,214   | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 230,000           | 3             |             |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) 1/ |  |          | 49,973    | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 30,000            | 3             |             |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                   |  |          | 53.0      |  |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |

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| <b>Mesa County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 077 ASD 70</b> | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> |              |             |                   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 3,346                  | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 2,141,239              | Corn for Grain                         | 1,900            | 179.0        | Bu.         | 340,000           | 19          |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | 600              | 20.00        | Cwt         | 12,000            | 13          |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 1,489                  | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 27,000           | 3.15         | Tons        | 85,000            | 9           |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 416,613                | Hay, Other                             | 12,000           | 1.50         | Tons        | 17,700            | 15          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 280                    | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 23                     | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 487,204                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 92,482                 | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 87,648                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 50,450                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 20,146                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 2,500            | 88.0         | Bu.         | 220,000           | 17          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 30,304                 | <b>January 1, 2002 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 41,524                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 38,000            | 14          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 7,056                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 23,500            | 8           |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 54.7                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Mineral County</b>                                       |  | <b>Cnty 079 ASD 80</b> | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> |              |             |                   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 878                    | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 562,021                | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 10                     | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | (D)                    | Hay, Other                             | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | (D)                    | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 237                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 460,494                | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 153                    | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 183                    | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 146                    | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | (D)                    | Wheat, Winter                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | (D)                    | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 129                    | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 500               | 57          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 16                     | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 200               | 59          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 60.4                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Moffat County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 081 ASD 10</b> | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> |              |             |                   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 4,756                  | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 3,043,751              | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 389                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 16,000           | 1.15         | Tons        | 18,400            | 26          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 1,031,091              | Hay, Other                             | 22,000           | 1.45         | Tons        | 32,300            | 5           |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 2,651                  | Oats                                   | 400              | 32.5         | Bu.         | 13,000            | 14          |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 405                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 1,789,919              | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 104,144                | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 29,576                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 18,938                 | Wheat, Spring                          | 200              | 10.0         | Bu.         | 2,000             | 14          |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 2,913                  | Wheat, Winter                          | 12,000           | 14.5         | Bu.         | 176,000           | 18          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 16,024                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 16,515                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             | 25,000            | 21          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 1,520                  | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             | 20,000            | 12          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 53.7                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |

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| <b>Montezuma County</b>                                     |  | <b>Cnty 083</b> | <b>ASD 70</b> |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 2,036         | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 1,302,912     | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 718           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 33,500                 | 1.05         | Tons        | 35,200            | 19            |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 935,330       | Hay, Other                             | 5,000                  | 1.00         | Tons        | 5,000             | 38            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 1,303         | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 97            | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 576,182       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 102,915       | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 61,081        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 21,874        | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 12,913        | Wheat, Winter                          | 1,800                  | 35.5         | Bu.         | 64,000            | 26            |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 8,961         | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 17,706        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             |                   | 15,500        | 33          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 4,845         | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             |                   | 11,000        | 25          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 54.9          |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |

| <b>Montrose County</b>                                      |  | <b>Cnty 085</b> | <b>ASD 70</b> |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 2,246         | Barley                                 | 1,000                  | 43.0         | Bu.         | 43,000            | 10            |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 1,437,712     | Corn for Grain                         | 4,200                  | 144.0        | Bu.         | 605,000           | 14            |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | 6,400                  | 20.20        | Cwt         | 129,000           | 3             |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 866           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 22,500                 | 3.15         | Tons        | 70,600            | 11            |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 371,881       | Hay, Other                             | 11,000                 | 2.20         | Tons        | 24,000            | 11            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 429           | Oats                                   | 200                    | 85.0         | Bu.         | 17,000            | 12            |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 83            | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 507,508       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 89,191        | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 85,040        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 88,274        | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 19,654        | Wheat, Winter                          | 500                    | 76.0         | Bu.         | 38,000            | 27            |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 68,621        | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 84,505        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             |                   | 48,000        | 10          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 971           | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             |                   | 22,000        | 9           |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 54.1          |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |

| <b>Morgan County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 087</b> | <b>ASD 20</b> |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 1,294         | Barley                                 | 300                    | 83.5         | Bu.         | 25,000            | 11            |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 828,048       | Corn for Grain                         | 65,000                 | 167.5        | Bu.         | 10,890,000        | 3             |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | 3,300                  | 21.50        | Cwt         | 71,000            | 7             |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 759           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 31,500                 | 4.45         | Tons        | 140,000           | 5             |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 741,007       | Hay, Other                             | 7,000                  | 1.40         | Tons        | 9,900             | 25            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 976           | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 320           | Potatoes, All                          | 2,500                  | 350          | Cwt         | 875,000           | 6             |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 603,987       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 342,160       | Sugar beets                            | 2,680                  | 19.5         | Tons        | 52,300            | 5             |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 142,212       | Sunflowers, All                        | 2,200                  | 750          | Lbs.        | 1,650,000         | 12            |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 405,945       | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 76,710        | Wheat, Winter                          | 60,000                 | 28.5         | Bu.         | 1,695,000         | 11            |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 329,235       | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 337,637       | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             |                   | 230,000       | 3           |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 67,210        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             |                   | 21,000        | 11          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 51.6          |  |                        |              |             |                   |               |             |



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| <b>Otero County</b>            | <b>Cnty 089</b> | <b>ASD 90</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres<br/>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|--|----------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles) |                 | 1,268         |  |                            |              |             |                   |             |
| Total land area (Acres)        |                 | 811,305       | Barley                                 | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Corn for Grain                         | 9,700                      | 112.5        | Bu.         | 1,090,000         | 12          |
|                                |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | 900                        | 12.20        | Cwt         | 11,000            | 15          |
|                                |                 |               | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 26,000                     | 2.70         | Tons        | 70,000            | 12          |
|                                |                 |               | Hay, Other                             | 1,500                      | 1.80         | Tons        | 2,700             | 48          |
|                                |                 |               | Oats                                   | 500                        | 56.0         | Bu.         | 28,000            | 5           |
|                                |                 |               | Potatoes, All                          | ...                        | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Sorghum, Grain                         | 1,000                      | 41.0         | Bu.         | 41,000            | 6           |
|                                |                 |               | Sugar beets                            | ...                        | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                        | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Wheat, Winter                          | 2,500                      | 50.0         | Bu.         | 125,000           | 21          |
|                                |                 |               | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                            |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
|                                |                 |               | All Cattle and Calves                  |                            |              |             | 69,000            | 7           |
|                                |                 |               | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                            |              |             | 15,000            | 18          |

| <b>Ouray County</b>            | <b>Cnty 091</b> | <b>ASD 70</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres<br/>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|--|----------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles) |                 | 542           |  |                            |              |             |                   |             |
| Total land area (Acres)        |                 | 347,075       | Barley                                 | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Corn for Grain                         | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                        | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 3,500                      | 2.25         | Tons        | 7,900             | 33          |
|                                |                 |               | Hay, Other                             | 8,000                      | 1.20         | Tons        | 9,600             | 26          |
|                                |                 |               | Oats                                   | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Potatoes, All                          | ...                        | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Sugar beets                            | ...                        | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                        | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                            |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
|                                |                 |               | All Cattle and Calves                  |                            |              |             | 7,500             | 42          |
|                                |                 |               | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                            |              |             | 5,500             | 38          |

| <b>Park County</b>             | <b>Cnty 093</b> | <b>ASD 10</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres<br/>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|--|----------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles) |                 | 2,209         |  |                            |              |             |                   |             |
| Total land area (Acres)        |                 | 1,413,990     | Barley                                 | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Corn for Grain                         | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                        | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...                        | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Hay, Other                             | 9,000                      | .50          | Tons        | 4,300             | 41          |
|                                |                 |               | Oats                                   | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Potatoes, All                          | ...                        | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Sugar beets                            | ...                        | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                        | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                        | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
|                                |                 |               | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                            |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
|                                |                 |               | All Cattle and Calves                  |                            |              |             | 5,000             | 47          |
|                                |                 |               | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                            |              |             | 3,500             | 46          |

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| <b>Phillips County</b>                                      | <b>Cnty 095</b> | <b>ASD 60</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 688           | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 440,517       | Corn for Grain                         | 80,500                 | 146.0        | Bu.         | 11,742,000        | 2           |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | 3,500                  | 31.40        | Cwt         | 110,000           | 5           |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 344           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 3,000                  | 5.50         | Tons        | 16,500            | 28          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 463,376       | Hay, Other                             | 3,000                  | 1.25         | Tons        | 3,800             | 44          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 1,347         | Oats                                   | 400                    | 50.0         | Bu.         | 20,000            | 9           |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 963           | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 841,179       | Sorghum, Grain                         | 600                    | 6.5          | Bu.         | 4,000             | 13          |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 388,555       | Sugar beets                            | 3,360                  | 22.5         | Tons        | 75,500            | 4           |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 87,816        | Sunflowers, All                        | 1,600                  | 690          | Lbs.        | 1,100,000         | 13          |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 117,064       | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 53,647        | Wheat, Winter                          | 90,000                 | 21.0         | Bu.         | 1,905,000         | 9           |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 63,417        | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 101,980       | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 43,000            | 12          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 17,028        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 7,500             | 34          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 54.3          |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Pitkin County</b>  | <b>Cnty 097</b> | <b>ASD 10</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 970           | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 621,036       | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 70            | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 6,500                  | 1.50         | Tons        | 9,800             | 30          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 25,209        | Hay, Other                             | 1,200                  | 1.50         | Tons        | 1,800             | 52          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 360           | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 194           | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 838,651       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 10,227        | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 9,650         | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 1,527         | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 603           | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 924           | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 1,933         | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 3,000             | 52          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | -406          | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 1,500             | 53          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 55.7          |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Prowers County</b>                                       | <b>Cnty 099</b> | <b>ASD 90</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 1,645         | Barley                                 | 500                    | 50.0         | Bu.         | 25,000            | 11          |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 1,053,037     | Corn for Grain                         | 8,700                  | 141.5        | Bu.         | 1,230,000         | 11          |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 522           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 73,000                 | 2.50         | Tons        | 182,800           | 2           |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 862,953       | Hay, Other                             | 9,000                  | 1.00         | Tons        | 9,100             | 28          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 1,653         | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 560           | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 678,535       | Sorghum, Grain                         | 10,700                 | 38.0         | Bu.         | 406,000           | 2           |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 445,365       | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 111,091       | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 150,677       | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 42,522        | Wheat, Winter                          | 59,500                 | 21.0         | Bu.         | 1,262,000         | 12          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 108,154       | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 122,711       | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 114,000           | 6           |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 26,385        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 17,500            | 15          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 51.9          |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

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| <b>Pueblo County</b>  | <b>Cnty 101</b> | <b>ASD 90</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 2,397         |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 1,533,931     | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Corn for Grain                         | 4,200                  | 114.5        | Bu.         | 480,000           | 15          |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 664           | Dry Beans                              | 2,100                  | 20.50        | Cwt         | 43,000            | 9           |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 822,584       | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 20,000                 | 2.15         | Tons        | 42,500            | 18          |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 1,239         | Hay, Other                             | 5,000                  | 1.45         | Tons        | 7,200             | 33          |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 184           | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 533,308       | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 89,926        | Sorghum, Grain                         | 500                    | 90.0         | Bu.         | 45,000            | 5           |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 35,638        | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 33,642        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 14,247        | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 19,395        | Wheat, Winter                          | 500                    | 50.0         | Bu.         | 25,000            | 34          |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 30,388        | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 6,039         | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 23,000            | 25          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 54.7          | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 9,500             | 29          |

| <b>Rio Blanco County</b>                                    | <b>Cnty 103</b> | <b>ASD 10</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 3,226         | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 2,064,791     | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 255           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 5,500                  | 1.60         | Tons        | 8,800             | 31          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 466,272       | Hay, Other                             | 22,000                 | 1.60         | Tons        | 35,500            | 4           |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 1,829         | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 350           | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 885,164       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 55,991        | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 35,905        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 14,086        | Wheat, Spring                          | 200                    | 10.0         | Bu.         | 2,000             | 14          |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 1,220         | Wheat, Winter                          | 500                    | 16.0         | Bu.         | 8,000             | 37          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 12,866        | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 10,600        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 25,000            | 21          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 1,625         | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 17,500            | 15          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 55.3          |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Rio Grande County</b>                                    | <b>Cnty 105</b> | <b>ASD 80</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 913           | Barley                                 | 16,500                 | 115.0        | Bu.         | 1,895,000         | 1           |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 584,382       | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 348           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 26,000                 | 3.50         | Tons        | 91,000            | 7           |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 231,734       | Hay, Other                             | 17,000                 | 1.75         | Tons        | 30,100            | 7           |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 666           | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 307           | Potatoes, All                          | 22,700                 | 400          | Cwt         | 9,045,000         | 2           |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 908,090       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 134,491       | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 136,141       | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 72,818        | Wheat, Spring                          | 2,500                  | 126.0        | Bu.         | 315,000           | 3           |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 67,537        | Wheat, Winter                          | 500                    | 68.0         | Bu.         | 34,000            | 29          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 5,281         | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 53,672        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 13,000            | 35          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 17,915        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 8,000             | 32          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 51.9          |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |



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| <b>Routt County</b>   | <b>Cnty 107</b> | <b>ASD 10</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 2,362         | Barley                                 | 1,000                  | 16.0         | Bu.         | 16,000            | 14          |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 1,511,750     | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 494           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 10,500                 | .65          | Tons        | 6,800             | 36          |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 520,618       | Hay, Other                             | 35,000                 | 1.45         | Tons        | 51,300            | 2           |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 1,054         | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 205           | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 935,112       | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 102,315       | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 49,920        | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 22,858        | Wheat, Spring                          | 1,600                  | 16.5         | Bu.         | 26,000            | 8           |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 3,510         | Wheat, Winter                          | 5,500                  | 17.5         | Bu.         | 96,000            | 23          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 19,348        | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 20,476        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 25,000            | 21          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 1,664         | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 13,000            | 22          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 53.0          |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>Saguache County</b>                                      | <b>Cnty 109</b> | <b>ASD 80</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 3,168         | Barley                                 | 13,000                 | 123.0        | Bu.         | 1,600,000         | 2           |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 2,027,724     | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 248           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 36,500                 | 4.65         | Tons        | 169,000           | 3           |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | 481,541       | Hay, Other                             | 29,000                 | 1.25         | Tons        | 35,900            | 3           |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | 1,942         | Oats                                   | 300                    | 76.5         | Bu.         | 23,000            | 7           |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 657           | Potatoes, All                          | 18,000                 | 380          | Cwt         | 6,820,000         | 3           |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | 1,241,792     | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | 140,268       | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | 207,200       | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | 50,305        | Wheat, Spring                          | 8,000                  | 125.0        | Bu.         | 1,000,000         | 1           |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | 40,889        | Wheat, Winter                          | 500                    | 66.0         | Bu.         | 33,000            | 30          |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | 9,416         | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 38,615        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | 22,000            | 26          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | 10,092        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | 11,800            | 24          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 52.5          |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

| <b>San Juan County</b>                                      | <b>Cnty 111</b> | <b>ASD 70</b> | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Acres Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |                 | 389           | Barley                                 | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |                 | 248,954       | Corn for Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |                 | 4             | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |                 | (D)           | Hay, Other                             | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |                 | (D)           | Oats                                   | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |                 | 335           | Potatoes, All                          | ...                    | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |                 | (D)           | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |                 | (D)           | Sugar beets                            | ...                    | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |                 | (D)           | Sunflowers, All                        | ...                    | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |                 | (D)           | Wheat, Spring                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |                 | (D)           | Wheat, Winter                          | ...                    | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |                 | (D)           | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                        |              |             | <b>Number</b>     | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |                 | 47            | All Cattle and Calves                  |                        |              |             | ...               | ...         |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |                 | -21           | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                        |              |             | ...               | ...         |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |                 | 50.3          |  |                        |              |             |                   |             |

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| <b>San Miguel County</b>                                    |  | <b>Cnty 113 ASD 70</b> | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> |              |             |                   |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 1,291                  | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 826,085                | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 83                     | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 2,000            | 1.00         | Tons        | 2,000             | 46            |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 161,937                | Hay, Other                             | 3,000            | 1.40         | Tons        | 4,200             | 42            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 1,951                  | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 300                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 1,340,027              | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 27,921                 | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 12,341                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 2,897                  | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 474                    | Wheat, Winter                          | 1,100            | 30.0         | Bu.         | 33,000            | 30            |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 2,423                  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 2,917                  | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             |                   | 4,000         | 49          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | -20                    | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             |                   | 2,500         | 49          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 54.4                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |

| <b>Sedgwick County</b>                                      |  | <b>Cnty 115 ASD 20</b> | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> |              |             |                   |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 549                    | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 351,253                | Corn for Grain                         | 46,500           | 124.5        | Bu.         | 5,790,000         | 6             |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | 4,900            | 26.10        | Cwt         | 128,000           | 4             |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 215                    | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 5,000            | 3.70         | Tons        | 18,500            | 25            |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 294,185                | Hay, Other                             | 5,000            | 1.75         | Tons        | 8,700             | 30            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 1,368                  | Oats                                   | 1,300            | 34.5         | Bu.         | 45,000            | 2             |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 695                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 744,384                | Sorghum, Grain                         | 300              | 11.5         | Bu.         | 3,500             | 14            |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 197,365                | Sugar beets                            | 1,170            | 20.8         | Tons        | 24,300            | 8             |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 51,698                 | Sunflowers, All                        | 6,600            | 1,040        | Lbs.        | 6,850,000         | 3             |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 54,751                 | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 24,746                 | Wheat, Winter                          | 82,000           | 28.0         | Bu.         | 2,310,000         | 7             |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 30,004                 | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 42,892                 | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             |                   | 26,000        | 20          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 12,902                 | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             |                   | 4,500         | 41          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 56.4                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |

| <b>Summit County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 117 ASD 10</b> | <b>Acres</b>                           |                  | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
|---|--|------------------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> |              |             |                   |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 619                    | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 396,106                | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 35                     | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 34,541                 | Hay, Other                             | 3,800            | .70          | Tons        | 2,600             | 50            |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 987                    | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 204                    | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 1,164,227              | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 7,064                  | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 10,939                 | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...           |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 1,511                  | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 794                    | Wheat, Winter                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 717                    | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 1,280                  | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             |                   | 2,000         | 55          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 231                    | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             |                   | 1,000         | 56          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 55.6                   |  |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |

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| <b>Teller County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 119</b> | <b>ASD 10</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |               |             |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 559           | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 357,489       | Corn for Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 84            | Hay, Alfalfa                           | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 83,443        | Hay, Other                             | 1,000            | .70          | Tons        | 700               | 57          |               |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 993           | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 130           | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 1,005,585     | Sorghum, Grain                         | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 4,839         | Sugar beets                            | ...              | ...          | Tons        | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 1,646         | Sunflowers, All                        | ...              | ...          | Lbs.        | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 1,277         | Wheat, Spring                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 276           | Wheat, Winter                          | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 1,001         | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 1,207         | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             |                   |             | 2,000         | 55          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 71            | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             |                   |             | 1,200         | 55          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 54.9          |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |               |             |

| <b>Washington County</b>                                    |  | <b>Cnty 121</b> | <b>ASD 60</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |               |             |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 2,523         | Barley                                 | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 1,614,655     | Corn for Grain                         | 24,900           | 152.0        | Bu.         | 3,780,000         | 9           |               |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | 500              | 26.00        | Cwt         | 13,000            | 12          |               |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 792           | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 7,500            | 3.65         | Tons        | 27,400            | 23          |               |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 1,394,238     | Hay, Other                             | 18,000           | .95          | Tons        | 17,500            | 16          |               |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 1,760         | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 940           | Potatoes, All                          | ...              | ...          | Cwt         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 683,617       | Sorghum, Grain                         | 2,500            | 13.0         | Bu.         | 32,000            | 7           |               |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 852,506       | Sugar beets                            | 1,980            | 22.6         | Tons        | 44,700            | 7           |               |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 55,568        | Sunflowers, All                        | 6,600            | 500          | Lbs.        | 3,300,000         | 10          |               |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 97,898        | Wheat, Spring                          | 200              | 20.0         | Bu.         | 4,000             | 12          |               |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 51,117        | Wheat, Winter                          | 227,000          | 22.0         | Bu.         | 5,040,000         | 1           |               |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 46,780        | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 80,890        | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             |                   |             | 40,000        | 13          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 14,553        | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             |                   |             | 19,000        | 13          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 53.0          |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |               |             |

| <b>Weld County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 123</b> | <b>ASD 20</b> |  |                  | <b>Acres</b> |             |                   |             |               |             |
|---|--|-----------------|---------------|--|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                 |               | <b>2002 Crops</b>                      | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b> |               |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  |                 | 4,014         | Barley                                 | 14,200           | 77.5         | Bu.         | 1,099,000         | 3           |               |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  |                 | 2,568,855     | Corn for Grain                         | 62,000           | 161.0        | Bu.         | 9,990,000         | 5           |               |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                 |               | Dry Beans                              | 19,500           | 19.20        | Cwt         | 374,000           | 2           |               |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  |                 | 2,959         | Hay, Alfalfa                           | 86,000           | 3.90         | Tons        | 334,100           | 1           |               |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  |                 | 1,913,603     | Hay, Other                             | 16,000           | 1.70         | Tons        | 27,000            | 9           |               |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  |                 | 647           | Oats                                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...         |               |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  |                 | 153           | Potatoes, All                          | 1,300            | 250          | Cwt         | 324,000           | 8           |               |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  |                 | 566,604       | Sorghum, Grain                         | 2,100            | 8.0          | Bu.         | 16,500            | 10          |               |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 882,260       | Sugar beets                            | 15,900           | 19.0         | Tons        | 302,600           | 1           |               |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  |                 | 393,030       | Sunflowers, All                        | 7,200            | 965          | Lbs.        | 6,950,000         | 2           |               |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  |                 | 1,286,636     | Wheat, Spring                          | 1,000            | 55.0         | Bu.         | 55,000            | 5           |               |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  |                 | 209,661       | Wheat, Winter                          | 130,000          | 23.5         | Bu.         | 3,065,000         | 5           |               |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  |                 | 1,076,975     | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b>       |                  |              |             |                   |             | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  |                 | 1,002,474     | All Cattle and Calves                  |                  |              |             |                   |             | 635,000       | 1           |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  |                 | 284,738       | Beef cows and heifers that have calved |                  |              |             |                   |             | 48,000        | 2           |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  |                 | 52.3          |  |                  |              |             |                   |             |               |             |



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| <b>Yuma County</b>  |  | <b>Cnty 125 ASD 60</b> | <b>Acres</b>                     |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |
|---|--|------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------|
|   |  |                        | <b>2002 Crops</b>                | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>   |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 2,370                  |                                  |                  |              |             |                   |               |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 1,516,549              | Barley                           | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |                        | Corn for Grain                   | 207,700          | 201.5        | Bu.         | 41,800,000        | 1             |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 896                    | Dry Beans                        | 13,000           | 29.50        | Cwt         | 383,000           | 1             |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 1,365,183              | Hay, Alfalfa                     | 17,500           | 5.50         | Tons        | 96,200            | 6             |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 1,524                  | Hay, Other                       | 8,000            | 1.80         | Tons        | 14,500            | 19            |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 843                    | Oats                             | 2,100            | 60.0         | Bu.         | 126,000           | 1             |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 891,222                | Potatoes, All                    | 2,100            | 440          | Cwt         | 925,000           | 5             |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 633,134                | Sorghum, Grain                   | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 274,057                | Sugar beets                      | 4,660            | 26.8         | Tons        | 124,700           | 2             |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 481,374                | Sunflowers, All                  | 5,100            | 685          | Lbs.        | 3,500,000         | 9             |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 119,369                | Wheat, Spring                    | ...              | ...          | Bu.         | ...               | ...           |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 362,004                | Wheat, Winter                    | 120,000          | 27.0         | Bu.         | 3,230,000         | 4             |             |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 449,579                | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b> |                  |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b> | <b>Rank</b> |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 33,578                 |                                  |                  |              |             |                   | 270,000       | 2           |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 51.6                   |                                  |                  |              |             |                   | 55,000        | 1           |

| <b>Colorado State Total</b>                                 |  |            | <b>Acres</b>                     |                  |              |             |                   | <b>National</b> |             |
|---|--|------------|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------|
|   |  |            | <b>2002 Crops</b>                | <b>Harvested</b> | <b>Yield</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Production</b> | <b>Rank</b>     |             |
| Total land area (Square Miles)                              |  | 104,095    | Barley                           | 72,000           | 100.0        | Bu.         | 7,200,000         | 5               |             |
| Total land area (Acres)                                     |  | 66,621,375 | Corn for Grain                   | 720,000          | 156.0        | Bu.         | 112,320,000       | 14              |             |
| <b>1997 Census of Agriculture</b>                           |  |            | Dry Beans                        | 70,000           | 21.70        | Cwt         | 1,519,000         | 7               |             |
| Number of farms and ranches (Number)                        |  | 28,268     | Hay, Alfalfa                     | 780,000          | 2.90         | Tons        | 2,262,000         | 12              |             |
| Land in farms and ranches (Acres)                           |  | 32,634,221 | Hay, Other                       | 570,000          | 1.30         | Tons        | 741,000           | 28              |             |
| Average size of farms and ranches (Acres)                   |  | 1,154      | Oats                             | 8,000            | 58.0         | Bu.         | 464,000           | 27              |             |
| Median size of farm/ranch (Acres)                           |  | 200        | Potatoes, All                    | 77,900           | 388          | Cwt         | 30,189,000        | 4               |             |
| Average Value of land and buildings (Dollars)               |  | 707,165    | Sorghum, Grain                   | 90,000           | 20.0         | Bu.         | 1,800,000         | 13              |             |
| Total Cropland (Acres)                                      |  | 10,509,384 | Sugar beets                      | 39,500           | 20.1         | Tons        | 794,000           | 7               |             |
| Irrigated land (Acres)                                      |  | 3,430,129  | Sunflowers                       | 100,000          | 630          | Lbs.        | 63,000,000        | 5               |             |
| Market value of ag products sold (\$1,000)                  |  | 4,534,213  | Wheat, Spring                    | 24,000           | 100.0        | Bu.         | 2,400,000         | 8               |             |
| All crops sold (\$1,000)                                    |  | 1,326,944  | Wheat, Winter                    | 1,650,000        | 22.0         | Bu.         | 36,300,000        | 9               |             |
| All livestock & products sold (\$1,000)                     |  | 3,207,269  | <b>January 1, 2003 Inventory</b> |                  |              |             |                   | <b>Number</b>   | <b>Rank</b> |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) <u>1/</u>          |  | 3,725,343  |                                  |                  |              |             |                   | 2,650,000       | 10          |
| Net cash return from agricultural sales (\$1,000) <u>1/</u> |  | 803,321    |                                  |                  |              |             |                   | 702,000         | 17          |
| Average age of farm/ranch operator                          |  | 53.8       |                                  |                  |              |             |                   |                 |             |

1/ Production expenses and net cash returns are based on a sample of farms. Therefore, the difference between the market value of ag products sold and farm production expenses may not equal the published net return value.

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**Trout:** 105

**Wheat, all:**

Acreage 4, 5, 17  
Cash receipts 87  
Monthly marketing percents 76  
Prices 4, 17, 92, 93  
Production 4, 5, 17  
Stocks 71  
Value 4, 17  
Yield 4, 5, 17

**Wheat, spring:**

Acreage 4, 5, 17, 22-25  
County estimates 22-25  
District estimates 22-25  
Prices 4, 17, 92  
Production 4, 5, 17, 22-25  
Value 4, 17  
Yield 4, 5, 17, 22-25

**Wheat, winter:**

Acreage 4, 5, 17, 18-21  
County estimates 18-21  
District estimates 18-21  
Prices 4, 17, 92  
Production 4, 5, 17, 18-21  
Value 4, 17  
Varieties 74, 75  
Yield 4, 5, 17, 18-21

**Wool:**

Cash receipts 87  
Prices 92, 101  
Production 101  
Value 101  
Weight per fleece 101



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