



Hawaii

Avocados

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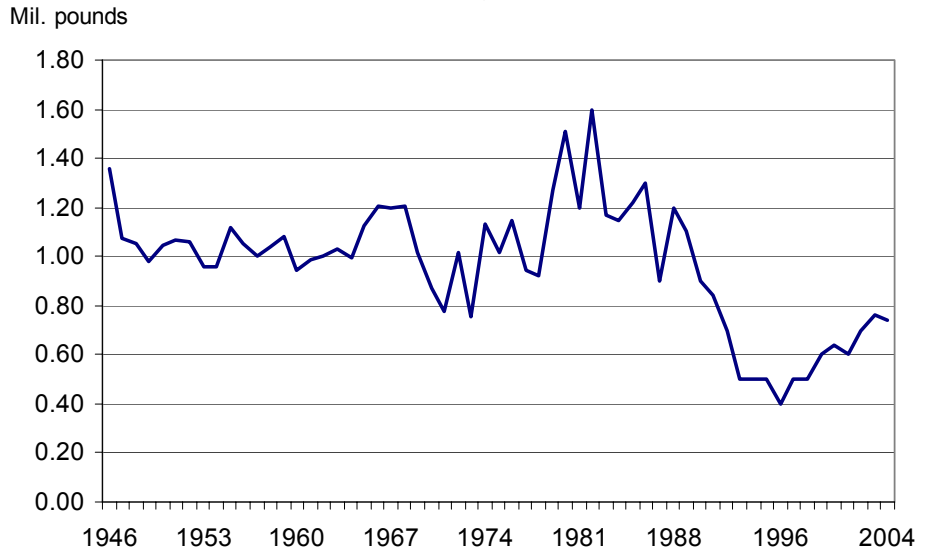
Hawaii production down 3 percent

Hawaii's 2004 avocado crop is estimated at 740,000 pounds, down 3 percent from 2003's output of 760,000 pounds. A 10 percent decrease in harvested acreage, to 270 acres, was responsible for the lower production as average yields increased to 2,700 pounds per harvested acre, up 8 percent from 2003.

Farm prices increase 2 percent

Farm prices averaged 63.0 cents per pound in 2004, up 2 percent from the 62.0 cents per pound average of 2003. Farm value is estimated at \$466,000 for 2004, down 1 percent from 2003's record high of \$471,000. ▲

Hawaii Avocados: Fresh Production
State of Hawaii, 1946-2004



AVOCADOS: Number of farms, acreage, yield, production, price, and value.
State of Hawaii, 1995-2004

Year	Farms	Acreage ¹		Yield per acre (Bearing)	Production	Farm price	Value of sales
		In crop	Bearing				
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Acres</i>		<i>1,000 Pounds</i>		<i>Cents per pound</i>	<i>\$1,000</i>
1995	80	350	210	2.4	500	54.5	273
1996	110	330	180	2.2	400	53.5	214
1997	95	340	250	2.0	500	53.0	265
1998	95	330	240	2.1	500	52.0	260
1999	120	360	230	2.6	600	60.0	360
2000	130	360	220	2.9	640	58.0	371
2001	140	360	230	2.6	600	57.0	342
2002	140	370	250	2.8	700	56.0	392
2003	150	390	300	2.5	760	62.0	471
2004	150	380	270	2.7	740	63.0	466

¹ At end of year.

**U.S. Avocados: Bearing Acreage, Yield, Production, and Utilization
by States and United States, 2002-2004**

State and Season	Bearing Acreage	Yield Per Acre ¹	Production		Utilization	
			Total	Utilized	Fresh	Processed
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>
CA						
2002-03	59,500	2.82	168,000	168,000	168,000	
2003-04	60,500	3.57	216,000	216,000	216,000	
2004-05	62,000	2.82	175,000	175,000	175,000	
FL						
2002-03	5,900	5.25	31,000	31,000	31,000	
2003-04	6,100	2.79	17,000	17,000	17,000	
2004-05	6,400	4.38	28,000	28,000	28,000	
HI						
2002-03	250	1.40	350	350	350	
2003-04	300	1.27	380	380	380	
2004-05	270	1.37	370	370	370	
U.S.						
2002-03	65,650	3.04	199,350	199,350	199,350	
2003-04	66,900	3.49	233,380	233,380	233,380	
2004-05	68,670	2.96	203,370	203,370	203,370	

¹ Yield based on total production.