

KERN COUNTY 2000 CROP REPORT - TOP 20 CROPS

COMMODITY	VALUE	1999 RANKING
1. Grapes	\$438,366,000	1
2. Citrus, Fresh and Processing	291,124,000	3
3. Cotton, Including Processed Cottonseed	226,050,000	2
4. Milk, Market and Manufacturing	156,301,000	4
5. Almonds, Including By-Products	142,284,000	5
6. Pistachios	124,085,000	11
7. Nursery Crops	106,246,000	7
8. Hay, Alfalfa	91,209,000	9
9. Potatoes, Fresh and Processing	78,744,100	10
10. Cattle and Calves	55,995,000	8
11. Pasture, All	42,301,000	12
12. Tomatoes, Fresh and Processing	40,741,000	17
13. Bell Peppers, Fresh and Processing	24,972,000	14
14. Apples, All	22,838,000	13
15. Wheat	22,292,000	15
16. Onions, Fresh and Dehydrator	20,802,000	16
17. Peaches, Fresh and Processing	19,338,000	25
18. Plums	19,055,000	24
19. Garlic, Fresh and Dehydrator	17,130,000	18
20. Silage and Forage	13,193,000	19

KERN COUNTY 2000 CROP REPORT - PERMANENT ACREAGE

CROP	YEAR	BEARING	NON-BEARING	TOTAL
Almonds	2000	82,572	25,232	107,804
	1999	88,947	23,236	112,183
Apples	2000	4,053	55	4,108
	1999	5,237	0	5,237
Apricots	2000	691	43	734
	1999	723	43	766
Cherries	2000	523	999	1,522
	1999	515	1,007	1,522
Figs	2000	578	0	578
	1999	850	0	850
Grapefruit	2000	1,063	128	1,191
	1999	1,373	113	1,486
GRAPES, ALL	2000	86,090	4,155	90,245
	1999	88,528	3,366	91,894
Raisin	2000	24,873	543	25,416
	1999	25,487	281	25,768
Table	2000	30,278	2,336	32,614
	1999	30,873	1,875	32,748
Wine	2000	30,820	1,276	32,215
	1999	32,168	1,210	33,378
Kiwi	2000	276	0	276
	1999	306	0	306
Lemons	2000	3,388	0	3,388
	1999	3,766	0	3,766
Nectarines	2000	1,267	76	1,343
	1999	1,801	70	1,871
Olives	2000	730	5	735
	1999	820	5	825

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- PERMANENT ACREAGE

CROP	YEAR	BEARING	NON-BEARING	TOTAL
ORANGES, ALL	2000	35,484	1,398	36,882
	1999	36,921	1,071	37,992
Navels	2000	26,618	1,054	27,672
	1999	27,617	768	28,385
Valencias	2000	8,866	344	9,210
	1999	9,304	303	9,607
Peaches	2000	1,622	602	2,224
	1999	2,053	314	2,367
Pears	2000	198	0	198
	1999	288	0	288
Pecans	2000	587	0	587
	1999	603	0	603
Persimmons	2000	88	1	89
	1999	339	15	354
Pistachios	2000	29,077	11,182	40,259
	1999	29,335	6,814	36,149
Plums	2000	2,175	356	2,531
	1999	2,583	233	2,816
Pomegranates	2000	477	2,233	2,710
	1999	434	529	963
Prunes	2000	142	142	284
	1999	290	32	322
Tangerines & Tangelos	2000	1,470	850	2,320
	1999	290	32	322
Walnuts	2000	1,455	23	1,478
	1999	1,435	20	1,455
Misc.	a/2000	95	12	107
	a/1999	94	12	106
TOTALS	2000	254,101	47,492	301,593
	1999	268,712	37,601	306,313

a/ Includes: Chestnut, Kumquat, Plumcot, and Pluot.

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- FRUITS & NUTS

CROP	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	PRODUCTION PER ACRE	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Almonds	2000	82572	078	a/64800	Ton	\$2,04000	\$132264,000
	1999	88947	088	a/78400	Ton	1,71000	134,161,000
Almond By-Products	2000	---	---	143000	Ton	7010	10020,000
	1999	---	---	166000	Ton	5510	9,142,000
APPLES, ALL	2000	4053	1012	41000	Ton	---	22838,000
	1999	5237	2068	108,300	Ton	---	41,148,000
Fresh	2000	---	---	30100	Ton	73600	22,139,000
	1999	---	---	82800	Ton	47800	39,616,000
Processing	2000	---	---	10900	Ton	6410	699,000
	1999	---	---	25500	Ton	6010	1,532,000
Apricots	2000	691	440	3040	Ton	1,15000	3,496,000
	1999	723	482	3480	Ton	1,08000	3,757,000
Cherries	2000	523	077	400	Ton	8,12200	3,249,000
	1999	515	155	800	Ton	4,99000	3,990,000
CITRUS, ALL	2000	41405	2409	997500	Ton	---	291,124,000
	1999	43531	1043	454200	Ton	---	173,887,000
Grapefruit	2000	1063	856	9100	Ton	53500	4,871,000
	1999	1,373	146	2000	Ton	54900	1,098,000
Lemons	2000	3,388	1260	42,700	Ton	89300	38,140,000
	1999	3,766	130	4,900	Ton	78400	3,839,000
Oranges, Navel	2000	26618	1500	409000	Ton	41000	167,645,000
	1999	27617	793	219000	Ton	68500	150,065,000
Oranges, Valencia	2000	8866	1860	165000	Ton	35400	58,374,000
	1999	9,304	127	11,800	Ton	74200	8,755,000
Tangerine & Tangelo	2000	1470	1068	15,700	Ton	69100	10,845,000
	1999	1471	374	5,500	Ton	82000	4,511,000
Processing, All Citrus	2000	---	---	356000	Ton	3160	11,249,000
	1999	---	---	211,000	Ton	2660	5,619,000
GRAPES, ALL	2000	85971	888	756,530	Ton	---	438,366,000
	1999	88,283	829	731,700	Ton	---	491,269,000
Raisin Variety	b/2000	24873	642	153,130	Ton	---	81,555,000
	b/1999	25,242	749	189,100	Ton	---	136,134,000
Fresh Market	2000	---	---	62600	Ton	1,08000	67,393,000
	1999	---	---	97,300	Ton	1,19000	115,536,000

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- FRUITS & NUTS

CROP	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	PRODUCTION PER ACRE	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Raisins	c/2000	---	---	4,710	Ton	\$ 1,025.00	\$ 4,828,000
	d/1999	---	---	3,340	Ton	1,420.00	4,756,000
Processing	2000	---	---	4,980	Ton	247.00	1,232,000
	1999	---	---	11,800	Ton	253.00	2,984,000
Crushed	2000	---	---	65,300	Ton	124.00	8,102,000
	1999	---	---	65,000	Ton	198.00	12,858,000
Juice	2000	---	---	---	Ton	---	---
	1999	---	---	---	Ton	---	---
Table Variety	2000	30,278	1,007	305,000	Ton	---	293,789,000
	1999	30,873	915	282,600	Ton	---	279,634,000
Fresh Market	2000	---	---	259,000	Ton	1,110.00	288,431,000
	1999	---	---	222,000	Ton	1,210.00	268,213,000
Crushed	2000	---	---	46,000	Ton	116.00	5,358,000
	1999	---	---	60,600	Ton	188.00	11,421,000
Raisin	2000	---	---	---	Ton	---	---
	1999	---	---	---	Ton	---	---
Wine Variety	2000	30,820	968	298,400	Ton	---	63,022,000
	1999	32,168	808	260,000	Ton	---	75,501,000
Crushed	2000	---	---	297,000	Ton	210.00	62,423,000
	1999	---	---	260,000	Ton	290.00	75,501,000
Juice	2000	---	---	1,400	Ton	428	599,000
	1999	---	---	---	Ton	---	---
Kiwi	2000	276	804	2,220	Ton	969.00	2,151,000
	1999	306	657	2,010	Ton	1,390.00	2,795,000
Nectarines	2000	1,267	679	8,600	Ton	861.00	7,406,000
	1999	1,801	505	9,100	Ton	1,240.00	11,300,000
Olives	2000	730	223	1,630	Ton	764.00	1,246,000
	1999	820	632	5,180	Ton	505.00	2,617,000
Peaches	2000	1,622	764	12,400	Ton	1,540.00	19,149,000
	1999	2,053	441	9,050	Ton	1,070.00	9,687,000
Pistachios	2000	29,077	218	6,330	Ton	1,960.00	124,085,000
	1999	29,335	087	25,400	Ton	2,620.00	66,575,000
Plums	2000	2,175	791	17,200	Ton	1,110.00	19,055,000
	1999	2,583	410	10,600	Ton	1,020.00	10,799,000

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CROP	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	PRODUCTION PER ACRE	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Walnuts	2000	1,455	058	e/850	Ton	\$ 928.00	\$ 789,000
	1999	1,435	121	e/1,730	Ton	1,100.00	1,905,000
Misc.	f/2000	2396	---	7,120	Ton	---	6,937,000
	g/1999	3184	---	10360	Ton	---	12,284,000
TOTALS	2000	254,213	---	2,119,590	Ton	---	\$1,082,175,000
	1999	268,753	---	1,616,310	Ton	---	975,316,000

a/ Almond production stated in terms of Nut Meat Equivalents.

b/ Total production includes raisins on a Fresh Equivalent basis.

c/ At the time of this report the bargaining price has not been determined and the Raisin Bargaining Association (RBA) is locked in a first time mandatory arbitration. The RBA's last offered price was \$1025 per ton on October 17, 2000 and is being used for reporting purposes only. ***This price reflects free tonnage only.*** It is in no way intended to influence the arbitrated price which is yet to be determined. The final arbitrated price will be published in the 2001 crop report. Dry Ratio: 4.30 to 1

d/ A combined value reflecting free tonnage and reserve tonnage. Dry Ratio: 4.50 to 1

e/ Pistachio and walnut production stated in terms of In-shell Equivalents.

f/ Includes: Aprium, Blueberries, Boysenberries, Bushberries, Chestnut, Dates, Figs (Fresh & Dry), Kumquats, All Pears, Pecans, Persimmons, Pomegranates, Processing Peaches, Pluots, Prunes, Raspberries, and Strawberries.

g/ Includes: Blueberries, Bushberries, Chestnut, Dates, Figs (Fresh & Dry), Kumquats, Ollaliberries, All Pears, Pecans, Persimmons, Pomegranates, Processing Apricots, Peaches and Strawberries, Prunes, Raisin Grapes for Juice Use, Raspberries, and Strawberries.

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SEED CROPS

CROP	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Cotton	2000	19900	17900	Ton	a/\$210.00	\$ 3,759,000
	1999	19415	17500	Ton	a/\$305.00	\$ 5,329,000
Field	b/2000	3250	6460	Ton	---	1,513,000
	c/1999	4436	8970	Ton	---	2,778,000
Vegetable	d/2000	540	62	Ton	---	1,974,000
	e/1999	955	135	Ton	---	2,079,000
TOTALS	2000	f/3,790	24,420	Ton	---	\$ 7,246,000
	1999	f/5,391	26,605	Ton	---	10,186,000

a/ Includes a per acre approval.

b/ Includes: Alfalfa, Barley, Blackeyes, and Wheat.

c/ Includes: Alfalfa, Blackeyes, Safflower, and Wheat.

d/ Includes: Broccoli, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Lettuce, Onion, and Radish.

e/ Includes: Broccoli, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Lettuce, Melon, Onion, and Radish.

f/ Does not include cotton acreage.

KERN COUNTY 2000 CROP REPORT - FIELD CROPS

CROP	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	PRODUCTION PER ACRE	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Barley	a/2000	13200	158	20900	Ton	\$10400	\$ 2,171,000
	a/1999	12132	176	21400	Ton	9410	2,013,000
Beans, Dry Edible	2000	3060	134	4110	Ton	46800	1,925,000
	1999	7959	145	11540	Ton	43900	5,065,000
Cotton Lint, Acala	2000	178820	b/1,575	c/569,000	Bale	d/061	170,824,000
	1999	143370	b/1,365	c/395,000	Bale	d/081	157,540,000
Cotton Lint, Pima	2000	17255	b/1,377	c/48,000	Bale	d/096	22,829,000
	1999	39995	b/1,217	c/98,300	Bale	d/084	40,638,000
Cottonseed, Processing	2000	---	---	219,000	Ton	14800	32,397,000
	1999	---	---	185,000	Ton	19100	35,307,000
Hay, Alfalfa	2000	129,000	767	989,000	Ton	9220	91,209,000
	1999	128,000	809	1,035,000	Ton	7960	82,396,000
Hay, Grain	2000	13,000	426	55,400	Ton	7840	4,342,000
	1999	12,000	327	39,200	Ton	7950	3,118,000
Hay, Other	2000	12,000	224	26,900	Ton	7000	1,882,000
	1999	11,000	286	31,500	Ton	7010	2,207,000
Pasture, Irrigated	2000	8,000	---	---	Acre	13500	1,080,000
	1999	8,000	---	---	Acre	13500	1,080,000
Pasture, Other	2000	---	---	---	---	---	1,961,000
	1999	---	---	---	---	---	1,476,000
Pasture, Range	2000	1,963,000	---	---	Acre	2000	39,260,000
	1999	1,957,000	---	---	Acre	2000	39,133,000
Safflower	2000	5,190	164	8,500	Ton	16900	1,437,000
	1999	7,800	123	9,600	Ton	29100	2,796,000
Silage and Forage	2000	47,500	1701	808,000	Ton	1630	13,193,000
	1999	45,000	1916	862,000	Ton	1600	13,785,000
Sugar Beets	2000	5,180	3263	169,000	Ton	3540	5,985,000
	1999	3,750	2720	102,000	Ton	3310	3,378,000
Wheat	2000	73,000	281	205,000	Ton	10900	22,292,000
	1999	73,000	307	224,000	Ton	10500	23,470,000
Misc.	e/2000	10,500	---	27,200	Ton	---	2,266,000
	e/1999	10,885	---	64,100	Ton	---	5,256,000
TOTALS	2000	f/515,705	---	---	---	---	\$415,053,000
	1999	f/502,891	---	---	---	---	418,658,000

a/ May contain dryland b/ Pounds Lint per Acre c/ 495 Pounds Net Weight Bale d/ Price per Pound
e/ Includes: Clover, Field Corn (Grain), Rye, Sorghum, and Straw. f/ Does not include Range acreage.

KERN COUNTY 2000 CROP REPORT - VEGETABLE CROPS

CROP	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	PRODUCTION PER ACRE	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Cantaloupes	2000	1,330	14.74	19,600	Ton	\$ 258.00	\$5,054,000
	1999	2,889	11.25	32,500	Ton	\$ 210.00	6,818,000
Corn, Sweet	2000	570	7.35	4,190	Ton	242.00	1,015,000
	1999	660	4.91	3,240	Ton	219.00	710,000
Garlic, Dehydrator	2000	3,470	6.51	22,600	Ton	291.00	6,568,000
	1999	3,685	8.39	30,900	Ton	287.00	8,865,000
Garlic, Fresh	2000	1,120	7.50	8,400	Ton	1,260.00	10,562,000
	1999	604	7.28	4,400	Ton	1,440.00	6,327,000
Lettuce, Head	2000	1,760	13.16	23,160	Ton	---	4,625,000
Naked Pack		---	---	6,400	Ton	233.00	1,489,000
Wrapped Pack		---	---	1,360	Ton	340.00	463,000
Bulk Shredder		---	---	15,400	Ton	174.00	2,673,000
Lettuce, Head	1999	2,915	11.68	34,050	Ton	---	12,060,000
Naked Pack		---	---	20,900	Ton	368.00	7,684,000
Wrapped Pack		---	---	3,450	Ton	432.00	1,492,000
Bulk Shredder		---	---	9,700	Ton	297.00	2,884,000
Melons, Other	2000	530	10.94	5,800	Ton	299.00	1,733,000
	1999	1,184	11.23	13,300	Ton	382.00	5,080,000
Onions, Fresh	2000	1,740	27.59	48,000	Ton	231.00	11,081,000
	1999	1,829	27.88	51,000	Ton	177.00	9,026,000
Onions, Dehydrator	2000	4,730	19.66	93,000	Ton	104.00	9,721,000
	1999	7,462	18.89	141,000	Ton	92.40	13,029,000
Peppers, Bell	2000	2,200	15.00	33,000	Ton	756.00	24,956,000
	1999	2,536	16.72	42,400	Ton	630.00	26,711,000

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CROP	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	PRODUCTION PER ACRE	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
POTATOES, ALL	2000	20390	2253	459420	Ton	---	\$ 78,744,100
	1999	19229	2313	444,700	Ton	---	76,295,400
Spring Total	2000	17060	2399	409,300	Ton	---	65,167,000
	1999	16087	2519	405,200	Ton	---	67,259,000
Fresh Market	2000	---	---	254,000	Ton	\$21000	53,220,000
	1999	---	---	236,000	Ton	22500	53,105,000
Processing	2000	---	---	91,800	Ton	12500	11,502,000
	1999	---	---	110,200	Ton	12500	13,800,000
Culls	2000	---	---	63,500	Ton	700	44,500
	1999	---	---	59,000	Ton	600	35,400
Winter Total	2000	3330	1505	50,120	Ton	---	13,577,100
	1999	3142	1257	39,500	Ton	---	9,036,400
Fresh Market	2000	---	---	40,100	Ton	33700	13,517,000
	1999	---	---	31,600	Ton	28400	8,989,000
Culls	2000	---	---	10,020	Ton	600	6,010
	1999	---	---	7,900	Ton	600	4,740
Tomatoes, Fresh	2000	3240	1944	63,000	Ton	36400	22,963,000
	1999	2767	1659	45,900	Ton	28700	13,167,000
Tomatoes, Processing	2000	7400	4004	296,300	Ton	6000	17,778,000
	1999	3600	3942	141,900	Ton	5990	8,493,000
Watermelons, Seeded	2000	1,150	1839	21,100	Ton	14300	3,015,000
	1999	1,593	2385	38,000	Ton	10700	4,057,000
Watermelons, Seedless	2000	1,750	2840	49,700	Ton	16900	8,401,000
	1999	2415	1921	46,400	Ton	12100	5,625,000
Misc.	a/2000	40100	---	1,417,700	Ton	---	127,970,000
	b/1999	41680	---	1,252,000	Ton	---	129,798,000
TOTALS	2000	91,480	---	2,564,970	Ton	---	\$334,186,100
	1999	95,048	---	2,321,690	Ton	---	326,061,400

a/ Includes: Artichoke, Asparagus, Beans (Snap), Broccoli, Cabbage, Cactus, Carrots, Celery, Cilantro, Collard, Cucumber, Eggplant, Gai Lon, Leaf Lettuce, Leek, Lima Beans, Mushrooms, Okra, Onions (Green), Parsley, Peas, Peppers (Chili and Processing), Pumpkins, Radishes, Red Beets, Romaine Lettuce, Rutabaga, Spinach, Squash, Sweet Potatoes, Turnips, and Yams.
 b/ Includes: Artichoke, Asparagus, Beans (Snap), Broccoli, Cabbage, Cactus, Carrots, Cauliflower, Cilantro, Collard, Cucumber, Eggplant, Gai Lon, Gourds, Leaf Lettuce, Leek, Lima Beans, Mushrooms, Okra, Onions (Green), Parsley, Peas, Peppers (Chili and Processing), Processing Cantaloupe, Pumpkins, Radishes, Red Beets, Romaine Lettuce, Rutabaga, Spinach, Squash, Sweet Potatoes, Turnips, and Yams.

KERN COUNTY 2000 CROP REPORT - NURSERY CROPS

CROP	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Christmas Trees	2000	---	1,520	Tree	---	\$ 31,000
	1999	---	4,940	Tree	---	105,000
Fruit and Nut Trees, Vines	a/2000	590	17,599,000	Plant	---	44,859,000
	a/1999	572	16,517,000	Plant	---	43,233,000
Herbaceous Plants	2000	---	---	---	---	3,137,000
	1999	---	---	---	---	2,037,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	a/2000	20	49,500	Plant	---	256,000
	a/1999	17	59,100	Plant	---	275,000
Propagative Material	2000	---	---	---	---	662,000
	1999	---	---	---	---	4,248,000
Roses	2000	1,460	23,188,000	Plant	\$1.98	45,936,000
	1999	1,607	25,543,000	Plant	\$1.52	38,869,000
Turf	2000	1,370	54,614,000	Sq Ft	021	11,365,000
	1999	1,111	47,753,000	Sq Ft	022	10,362,000
TOTALS	2000	3,440	---	---	---	\$106,246,000
	1999	3,307	---	---	---	99,129,000

a/ Includes container grown plants.

INDUSTRIAL AND WOOD CROPS - 2000

CROP	YEAR	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Biomass and Composting	2000	675,000	Ton	---	\$11,150,000
	1999	704,000	Ton	---	11,812,000
Timber	a/2000	3,763,000	Brd Ft	---	1,032,000
	a/1999	2,632,000	Brd Ft	---	673,000
Wood for Fuel	2000	970	Cords	b/\$19300	187,000
	1999	1,627	Cords	b/13800	225,000
TOTALS	2000	---	---	---	\$12,369,000
	1999	---	---	---	12,710,000

a/ Previous year's production and value based on information provided by: Timber Tax Division, Property Tax Department, State Board of Equalization.

b/ Price includes U.S. Forest Service Permits for woodcutting.

KERN COUNTY 2000 CROP REPORT - LIVESTOCK & POULTRY

KIND	YEAR	NUMBER OF HEAD	TOTAL LIVEWIGHT	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Cattle and Calves	a/2000	246,000	845,000	Cwt	\$66.30	\$55,995,000
	1999	382,000	1,237,000	Cwt	\$68.80	85,162,000
Sheep and Lambs	2000	131,000	145,000	Cwt	79.60	11,548,000
	1999	127,000	153,000	Cwt	75.00	11,479,000
Hogs	2000	2,850	6,260	Cwt	44.10	276,000
	1999	3,601	7,920	Cwt	35.10	278,000
Ostriches	2000	3,300	---	---	---	852,000
	1999	3,622	---	---	---	1,391,000
Misc.	b/2000	---	---	---	---	1,017,000
	b/1999	---	---	---	---	581,000
TOTALS	2000	---	---	---	---	\$69,688,000
	1999	---	---	---	---	98,891,000

a/ New method for calculating Cattle and Calves based on California Agricultural Statistics Service data.

b/ Includes Game Birds for Meat and Other.

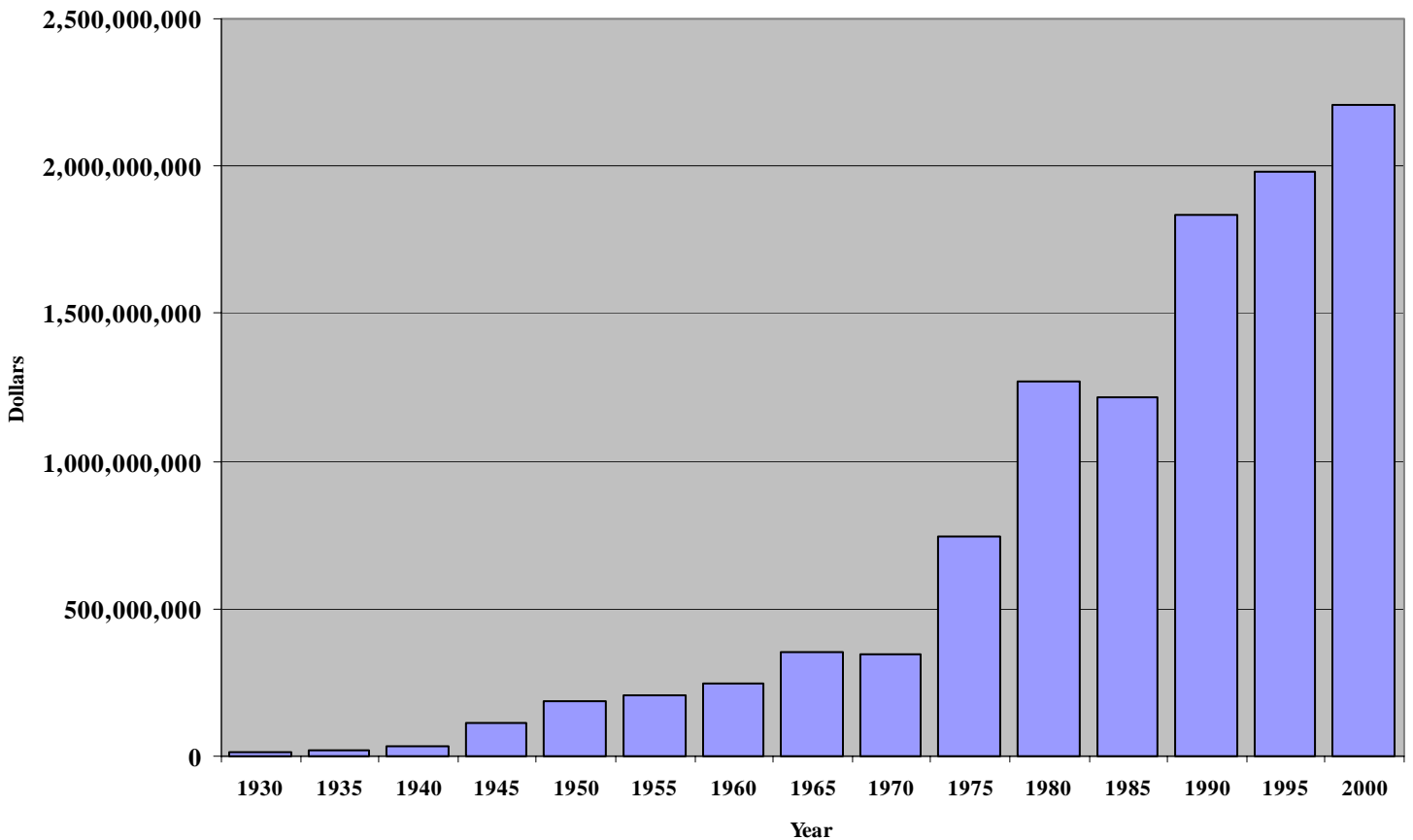
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS - 2000

PRODUCT	YEAR	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Milk, Market	2000	13,590,000	Cwt	\$11.40	\$155,602,000
	1999	12,283,000	Cwt	13.30	163,739,000
Milk, Manufacturing	2000	7,500	Cwt	9.30	69,900
	1999	1,900	Cwt	12.40	24,000
Manure	2000	361,000	Ton	---	1,688,000
	1999	455,000	Ton	---	2,427,000
Wool	2000	1,297,000	Lb	0.35	454,000
	1999	1,371,000	Lb	0.35	480,000
Other Livestock Products	2000	---	---	---	12,433,000
	1999	---	---	---	10,107,000
TOTALS	2000	---	---	---	\$170,876,000
	1999	---	---	---	176,999,000

KERN COUNTY 2000 CROP REPORT - APIARY PRODUCTS

PRODUCT	YEAR	TOTAL PRODUCTION	UNIT	UNIT VALUE	TOTAL VALUE
Honey	2000	4470000	Lb	\$0.58	\$2,593,000
	1999	4,063,000	Lb	0.53	2,153,000
Beeswax	2000	559000	Lb	1.33	743,000
	1999	508000	Lb	1.30	660,000
Pollination	2000	192000	Colony	42.50	8,160,000
	1999	217000	Colony	39.70	8,606,000
Other Apiary Products	2000	---	---	---	238,000
	1999	---	---	---	200,000
TOTALS	2000	---	---	---	\$11,734,000
	1999	---	---	---	11,619,000

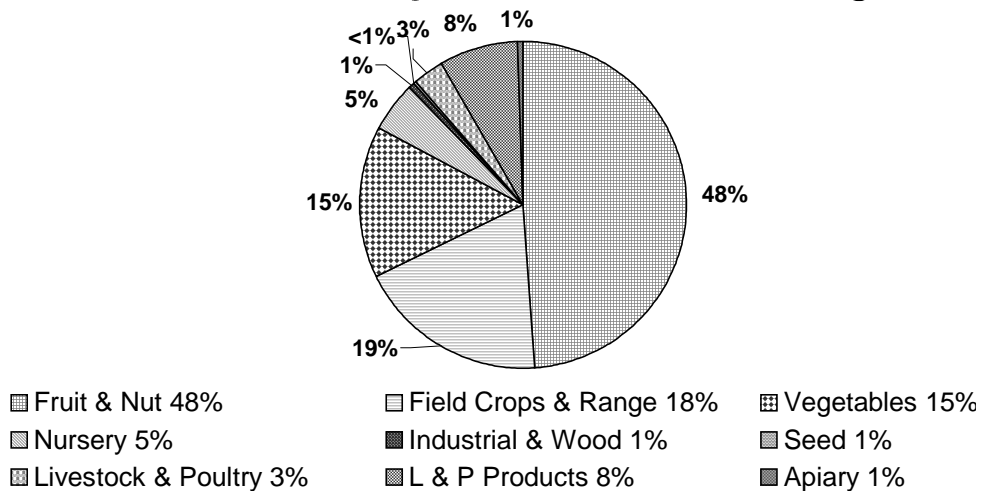
70 Year Total Crop Value Comparison



KERN COUNTY 2000 CROP REPORT – SUMMARY

COMMODITY	YEAR	HARVESTED ACRES	RANGE	TOTAL VALUE
Fruit and Nut Crops	2000	254,213	---	\$ 1,082,175,000
	1999	268,753	---	975,316,000
Field Crops and Rangeland	2000	515,705	1,963,000	415,053,000
	1999	502,891	1,957,000	418,658,000
Vegetable Crops	2000	91,480	---	334,186,100
	1999	95,048	---	326,061,400
Nursery Crops	2000	3,440	---	106,246,000
	1999	3,307	---	99,129,000
Industrial and Wood Crops	2000	---	---	12,369,000
	1999	---	---	12,710,000
Seed Crops	2000	3,790	---	7,246,000
	1999	5,391	---	10,186,000
Livestock and Poultry	2000	---	---	69,688,000
	1999	---	---	98,891,000
Livestock and Poultry Products	2000	---	---	170,876,000
	1999	---	---	176,999,000
Apiary Products	2000	---	---	11,734,000
	1999	---	---	11,619,000
TOTALS	2000	868,628	1,963,000	\$2,209,573,100
	1999	875,390	1,957,000	2,129,569,400
Total value without timber	2000			\$2,208,541,100
	1999			2,128,896,400

2000 Crop Value Summary



2000 KERN COUNTY PEST PREVENTION AND CONTROL

Pest Eradication

Mechanism	Pests	Scope of Program	
Survey & Eradication	Dalmatian Toadflax, Harmel, Scotch Thistle and Spotted Knapweed	310	Hours
Biocontrol Releases	Purple Loosestrife	12	Hours
Trapping*	Pink Bollworm	89	Natives Detected
Sterile Release*		1,337	Fields
Plowdown		196,075	Acres

*Cooperative Pink Bollworm Project

Pest Exclusion

Interception	Total Findings	Pathway
Live Pest	40	Post Office, Parcel Post, Truck
Improper Certification	76	Post Office, Parcel Post, Truck
Labeling	37	Post Office, Parcel Post

Kern County intercepted 6 "Q" rated, 19 "C" rated and 1 "A" rated pests in 2000.

Pest Detection/Trapping

Trap Name	Number of Traps Deployed
Jackson Trap (Medfly, Oriental and Melon Fruit Flies)	1,100
McPhail Trap	180
Delta Trap (Gypsy Moth)	350
Japanese Beetle Trap	300
Khapra Beetle Trogotrap	95
European Corn Borer Trap	20
European Pine Shoot Moth	10

	Hours	Number of Traps Deployed
Glassy Winged Sharpshooter	6,000	850

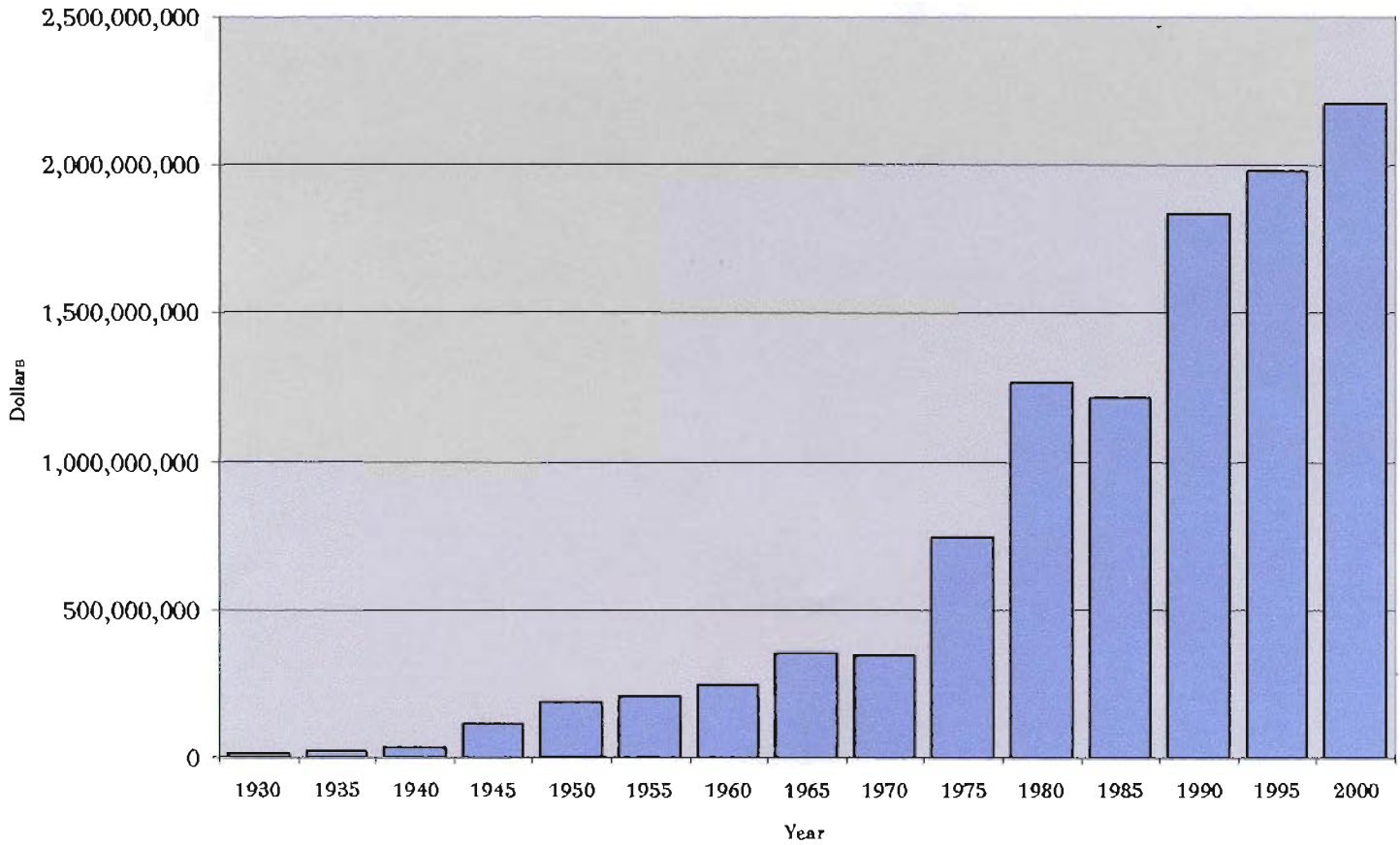
Exotic Pests Trapped

Olive Fruit Flies	121
Sterile Mediterranean Fruit Flies	14

Biological Control Activities

Pest	Agent	Scope of Program
Purple Loosestrife	Leaf Beetle	1 site
Lythrum salicaria	Galerucella spp.	400 adult Beetles

70 Year Total Crop Value Comparison



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