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My Fellow Nevadans,

Agriculture can very simply be described as one of the backbone industries in Nevada. From onions and alfalfa to dairy and meat, the agriculture industry in Nevada produces top quality products for consumption both in and out of state. In doing so, the industry serves as a steward of our lands and advocates for the lifestyle that has made Nevada great.

The Nevada Agricultural Statistics Service has gathered this important data and information through a collaborative effort by industry leaders. I'd like to thank everyone involved in this publication for their hard work. We all benefit from a greater understanding of the industry, and this publication helps accomplish that.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim Gibbons".

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A Message to Nevada's Agriculture Community:

It is indeed a pleasure for the Nevada Department of Agriculture to help in the annual publication of Agriculture Statistics. This invaluable publication is the "bible" for those in production agriculture, those involved in the various agencies that work closely with agriculture, as well as the general public that has any interest in the production of food and fiber; commodities that are absolutely essential to each and all of us on a daily basis.

This yearbook of statistics not only gives us valuable information on the production data of Nevada's many aspects of agriculture, but over time it also shows how dynamic the industry truly is. A few short years ago the data mostly centered on livestock, hay and grain production. Yet today there is also information about such crops as mint, garlic and onions, as well as pigs and goats. Don't be surprised if production data for grapes, lettuce, and other such specialty crops start appearing in this publication in coming years. Nevada's agriculture landscape is dynamic and rapidly changing.

It is also important to note that Nevada's agriculture is dependent on water, water that suddenly seems to have become very valuable for Nevada's exploding population. This is a battle that will be fought between those that love and or live in rural Nevada, and those that see only urban growth in Nevada's future. Data in this exceedingly important publication will go a long ways in helping those that must ultimately make these decision on the future of Nevada's water. We hope this important information is carefully read and digested.

Sincerely

Anthony L Lesperance

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To Our Readers:

It is my pleasure to present Nevada Agricultural Statistics, our annual comprehensive collection of statistics on Nevada agriculture. This publication is prepared and released in cooperation with Nevada Department of Agriculture and University of Nevada College of Agriculture, Biotechnology, and Natural Resources. It presents data compiled by the Nevada field office of USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. The mission of this agency is to provide meaningful, accurate, and objective statistical information in service to agriculture. I hope you find it useful in your endeavors.

Higher prices for Nevada's foremost agricultural commodities, cattle and hay, drove farm receipts and incomes for 2007 up sharply from 2006. Unfortunately, input costs for such items as feed, fuel, electricity, and fertilizer were also on the rise. Lower precipitation across the state reduced range forage supplies which, coupled with economic stresses, resulted in reduced livestock inventories. Most of these same factors are influencing Nevada agricultural operations in 2008 as well. Statistics like those we have included in this bulletin can be useful in describing and quantifying such industry changes.

The preparation of Nevada Agricultural Statistics is made possible through the cooperation and support of Nevada's farmers, ranchers, agribusinesses, tribal governments, and State and Federal agencies. Thank you all for your invaluable help. We conduct many surveys through the year to monitor agricultural activity and Nevada's agriculturalists have consistently supported our efforts. I hope the resulting products in turn benefit producers by providing statistics for advocacy, research, education, and policy making.

Reports issued by our office and the National Agricultural Statistics Service are available on the web at www.nass.usda.gov/. I welcome any questions regarding these statistics and await the opportunity to assist you with any additional data needs.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Owens
Director

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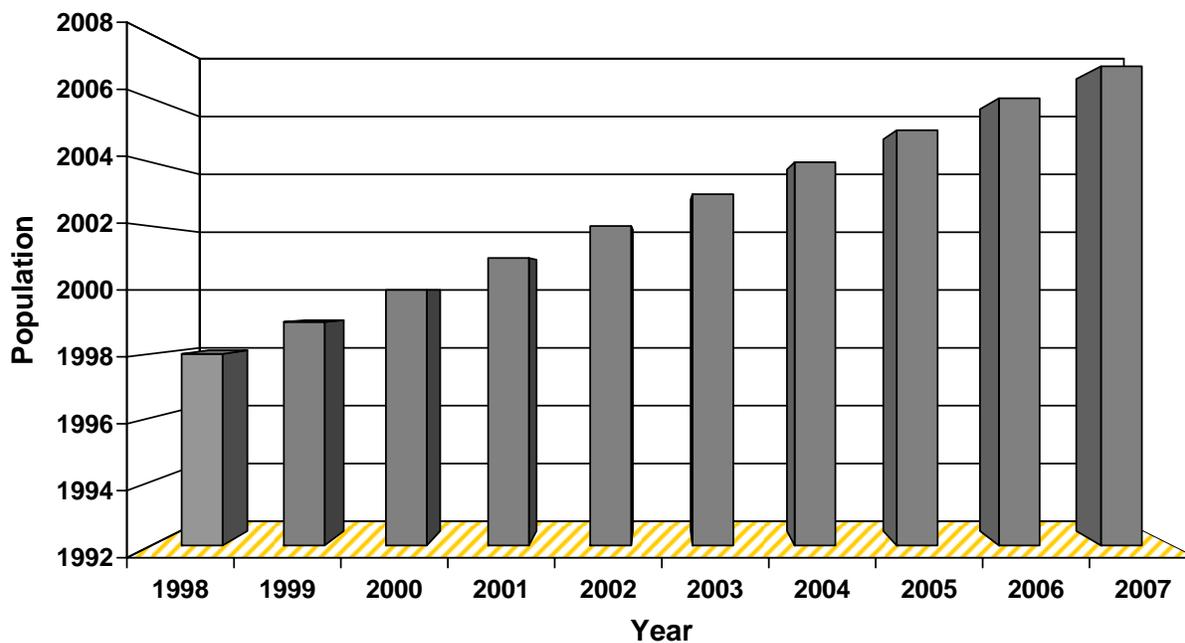
Population of Nevada's Counties and Incorporated Cities, July 1, 2003-2007¹

County	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2007 as percent of 2006
Carson City	55,220	56,146	57,104	57,701	57,723	100.0
Churchill	25,808	26,106	26,585	27,371	27,190	99.3
Clark	1,620,748	1,715,337	1,796,380	1,874,837	1,954,319	104.2
Douglas	45,603	47,803	50,108	51,770	52,386	101.2
Elko	45,805	46,499	47,586	48,339	50,434	104.3
Esmeralda	1,116	1,176	1,276	1,262	1,236	97.9
Eureka	1,420	1,484	1,485	1,460	1,458	99.9
Humboldt	16,457	16,692	17,293	17,751	18,052	101.7
Lander	5,277	5,357	5,509	5,655	5,747	101.6
Lincoln	3,749	3,822	3,886	3,987	4,184	104.9
Lyon	41,244	44,646	48,860	54,031	55,903	103.5
Mineral	4,687	4,673	4,629	4,399	4,377	99.5
Nye	36,651	38,181	41,302	44,795	46,308	103.4
Pershing	6,967	6,631	6,736	6,955	7,075	101.7
Storey	3,736	3,797	4,012	4,110	4,293	104.5
Washoe	373,233	383,453	396,844	409,085	418,061	102.2
White Pine	8,842	8,966	9,275	9,542	9,590	100.5
Total	2,296,566	2,410,769	2,518,869	2,623,050	2,718,337	103.6

¹ Source: Nevada Department of Taxation and Nevada State Demographer, University of Nevada, Reno.

Nevada has been among the fastest growing states in the Nation for the past several years. Projections by the Nevada State Demographer's Office indicate the State population will likely double in the next 20 years. Over two-thirds of Nevada's population is in Las Vegas and commuting areas.

Population of Nevada, 1998-2007

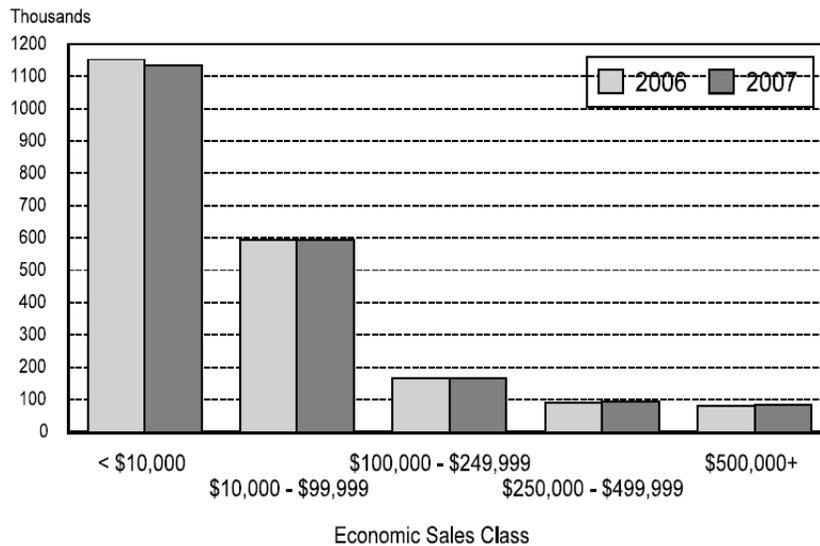


Number of Farms and Land in Farms and Ranches: 1998-2007¹

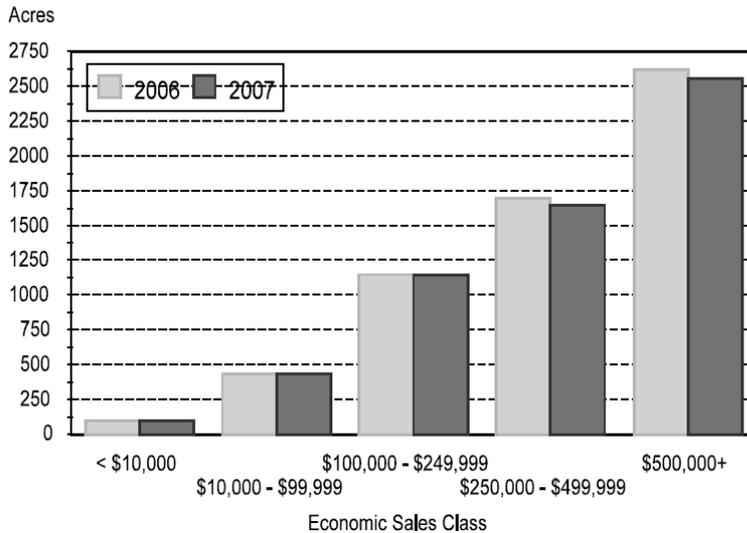
	Nevada			United States		
	Number of Farms	Average Size of Farms	All Land in Farms	Number of Farms	Average Size of Farms	All Land in Farms
	Actual #	Acres	1,000 Acres	1,000's	Acres	1,000 Acres
1998	3,150	2,032	6,400	2,192	434	952,080
1999	3,150	2,032	6,400	2,187	434	948,460
2000	3,100	2,065	6,400	2,167	436	945,080
2001	3,050	2,066	6,300	2,149	438	942,070
2002	3,000	2,100	6,300	2,135	440	940,300
2003	3,000	2,100	6,300	2,127	441	938,650
2004	3,000	2,100	6,300	2,113	443	936,295
2005	3,000	2,100	6,300	2,101	444	933,400
2006	3,000	2,100	6,300	2,089	446	932,430
2007	3,000	2,100	6,300	2,076	449	930,920

¹ Farm is defined as a place with annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more.

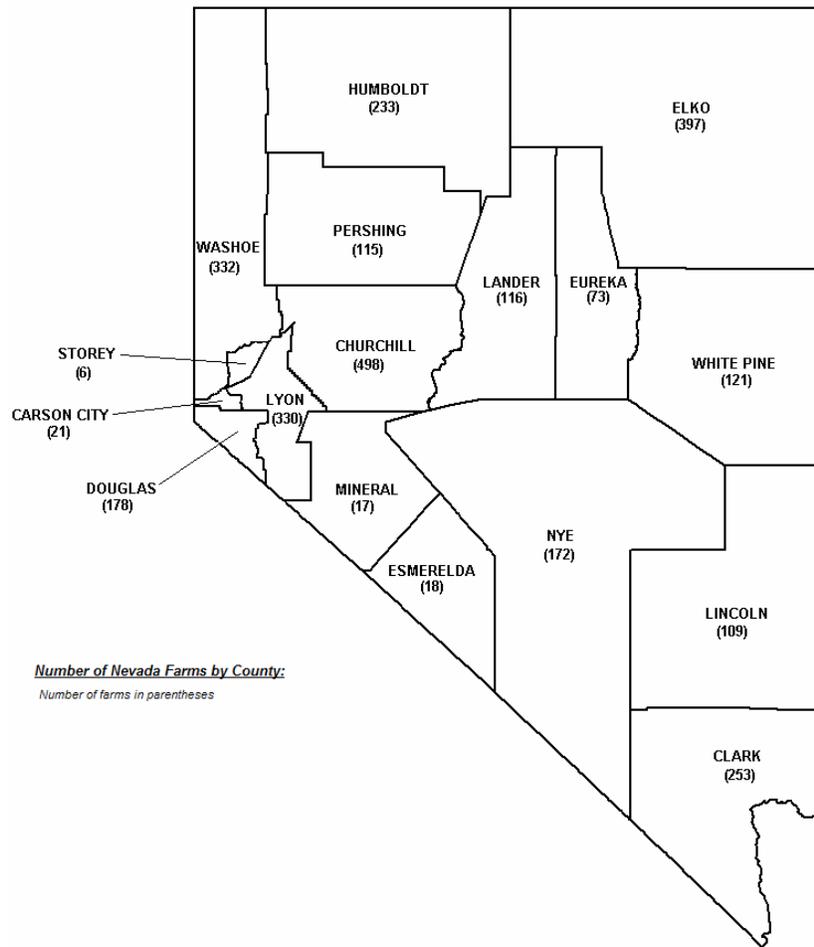
U. S. Number of Farms by Economic Sales Class, 2006 - 2007



U. S. Average Farm Size by Economic Sales Class, 2006 - 2007



Number of Farms by County: Nevada, 2002



Number of Farms by County: Nevada, 2002¹

County	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Farm Size
	<i>Per County</i>	<i>Acreage</i>	<i>Acreage</i>
Carson City	21	4,382	209
Churchill	498	149,487	300
Clark	253	69,925	272
Douglas	178	210,952	1,185
Elko	397	2,472,143	6,227
Esmeralda	18	(D)	(D)
Eureka	73	266,427	3,650
Humboldt	233	761,109	3,267
Lander	116	620,292	5,347
Lincoln	109	(D)	(D)
Lyon	330	226,449	686
Mineral	17	(D)	(D)
Nye	172	97,601	567
Pershing	115	131,103	1,140
Storey	6	90	15
Washoe	332	802,042	2,416
White Pine	121	203,106	1,679
State Total	2,989	6,330,622	2,118

¹ 2002 USDA Census of Agriculture, State and County Data, Vol. 1, Geographic Area Series, Part 28

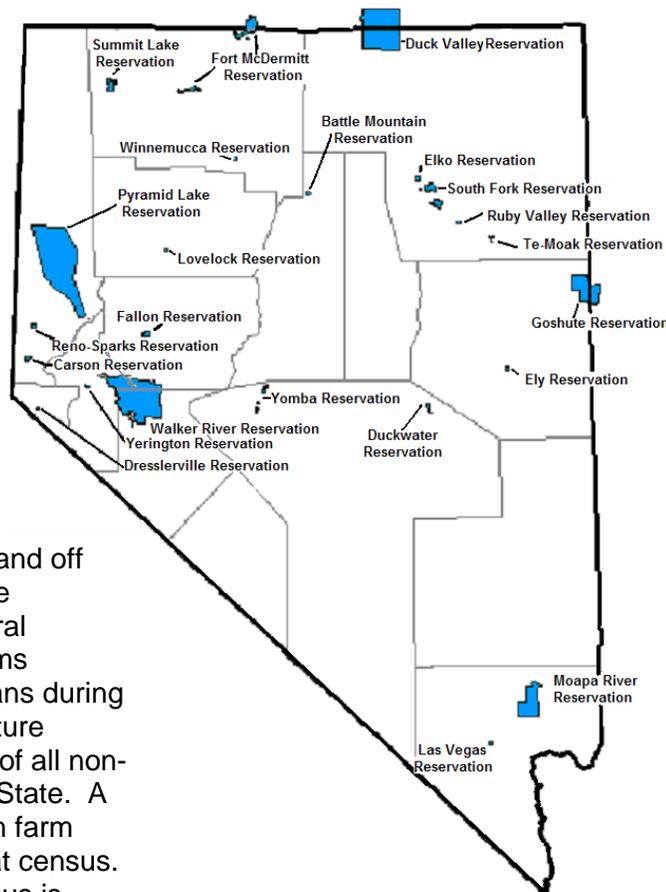
(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

Number of Farms With Livestock: Nevada and United States, 1998-2007¹

Year	Nevada				United States			
	Cattle	Milk Cows	Sheep	Hogs	Cattle	Milk Cows	Sheep	Hogs
	----- Actual Number -----				----- Thousand -----			
1998	1,700	150	300	110	1,114.6	117.1	68.5	113.6
1999	1,700	150	300	100	1,095.5	110.8	66.8	96.6
2000	1,700	150	300	100	1,076.3	105.0	66.1	87.5
2001	1,700	150	300	100	1,049.1	97.4	65.1	81.2
2002	1,700	130	300	110	1,036.4	91.2	68.1	76.2
2003	1,600	120	300	110	1,013.6	86.3	67.6	73.6
2004	1,600	120	300	110	989.5	81.4	67.2	69.4
2005	1,600	110	300	110	982.5	78.3	68.3	67.3
2006	1,600	100	300	110	971.4	75.1	69.1	65.5
2007	1,600	90	300	110	967.4	71.5	70.6	65.6

¹ Estimated number of farms with one head or more of species.

Nevada Tribal Lands



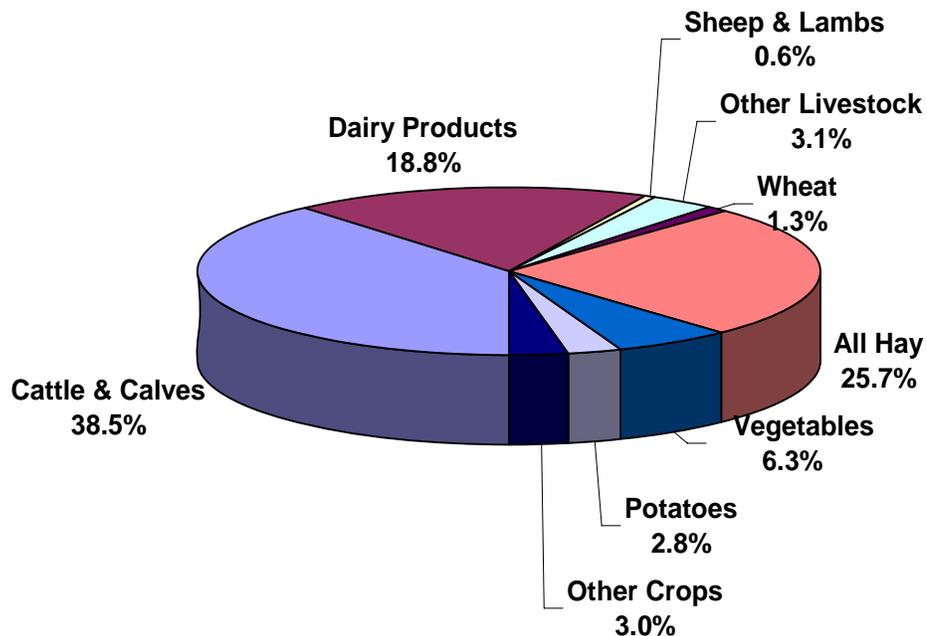
Native Americans, both on and off reservation lands, contribute significantly to the agricultural production of Nevada. Farms operated by Native Americans during the 2002 Census of Agriculture accounted for 18.6 percent of all non-federal land in farms in the State. A total of 601 American Indian farm operators were tallied in that census. A farm operator in the Census is defined as one who produces and sells \$1,000 or more of agricultural product annually or would normally be expected to do so. Nevada's American Indian operators produced over \$7.3 million in agricultural products.

Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings: By Commodity, Nevada 2005-2007¹

Item	2005		2006		2007	
	Million \$	Percent	Million \$	Percent	Million \$	Percent
Cattle & Calves	209.6	45.0	191.8	41.4	212.9	38.5
Dairy Products	77.7	16.7	67.2	14.5	103.9	18.8
Sheep & Lambs	3.7	0.8	3.3	0.7	3.3	0.6
All other Livestock & Products	17.2	3.7	16.7	3.6	17.2	3.1
Total Livestock & Products	308.2	66.2	279.0	60.2	337.3	61.0
Wheat	2.8	0.6	3.8	0.8	7.1	1.3
All Hay	95.1	20.4	117.5	25.4	141.9	25.7
Vegetables	34.2	7.3	35.8	7.7	34.6	6.3
Potatoes	10.8	2.3	12.8	2.8	15.3	2.8
All Other Crops	14.4	3.1	14.7	3.2	16.7	3.0
Total Crops	157.4	33.8	184.5	37.2	215.6	39.0
Total All Commodities	465.6	100.0	463.6	100.0	552.9	100.0

¹ Totals may not add due to rounding

Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings, Nevada 2007



Value Added to the U.S. Economy by the Agricultural Sector:

The value-added format is now used to present the income accounts, replacing the traditional net farm income format. Changes in commodity production is the cause of most of the volatility in the income accounts, and the presence of more disaggregated components under the value-added format makes it much easier to discern what forces are driving the changes and trends in farm income. In addition, the value-added approach to the sector accounting has the advantage of being the format accepted and utilized internationally, thereby enabling comparison across countries.

Economic Contribution by Type, Nevada, 2003-2007

Item	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
	----- Thousands of Dollars -----				
Value of Agricultural Sector Production¹	460,551	520,301	564,155	577,497	624,220
Value of Crop Production	143,093	153,534	158,663	187,014	211,974
Value of Livestock Production	254,247	297,209	309,144	279,814	287,535
Revenues from Services and Forestry	63,212	69,558	96,348	110,669	124,711
Total Purchased Inputs	246,856	251,068	284,901	309,240	321,238
Farm Origin Inputs	89,428	107,434	113,574	116,379	126,929
Feed Purchased	46,895	50,644	54,560	61,521	74,895
Livestock and Poultry Purchased	33,272	48,511	48,350	44,194	42,352
Seed Purchased	9,261	8,279	10,664	10,664	9,682
Manufactured Inputs	58,932	59,780	72,454	74,843	82,220
Fertilizers and Lime	11,926	12,740	16,274	16,654	18,639
Pesticides	7,649	8,059	8,605	8,879	8,742
Petroleum Fuel and Oils, Electricity	17,677	20,578	25,452	27,973	31,462
Electricity	21,680	18,403	22,123	21,337	23,377
Other Purchased Inputs	98,496	83,854	98,873	118,114	112,089
Repair and Maintenance of Capital Items	21,912	22,881	23,694	29,525	29,901
Machine Hire and Custom Work	7,081	6,030	4,475	6,230	6,931
Marketing, Storage and Transportation Expense	14,915	13,165	18,266	21,805	17,474
Contract Labor	3,195	4,923	4,440	5,546	6,983
Miscellaneous Expenses	51,393	36,852	47,998	55,008	50,800
Net Government Transactions	1,241	(4,468)	(1,474)	(6,966)	(7,667)
Direct Government Payments	11,931	6,531	11,725	8,620	10,298
Motor Vehicle Registration and Licensing Fees	1,216	1,161	1,175	1,011	1,204
Property Taxes	9,474	9,838	12,024	14,575	16,761
Gross Value Added	214,936	264,768	277,780	261,195	295,315
Capital Consumption	47,398	51,087	59,034	65,590	68,796
Net Value Added	167,538	213,681	218,746	195,605	226,519
Payments to Stakeholders	75,045	80,539	92,074	96,639	98,821
Employee Compensation (total hired labor)	52,919	58,856	68,340	70,605	71,517
Net Rent Received by Non-Operator Landlords	4,167	3,728	3,548	4,715	4,582
Real Estate and Non-Real Estate Interest	17,959	17,955	20,186	21,319	22,722
Net Farm Income¹	92,493	133,142	126,672	98,966	127,698

Source: Economic Indicators of the Farm Sector, State Financial Summary, USDA-ERS.

¹Final sector output is the gross value of the commodities and services produced within a year.

Net value-added is the sector's contribution to the National economy and is the sum of the income from production earned by all factors of production. Net farm income is the farm operator's share of income from the sector's production activities. The concept presented is consistent with that employed by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development.

Prices Received for Specified Products: By Month, Nevada, 2003-2007

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
----- Dollars per Ton -----												
All Hay												
2003	95.00	96.00	91.00	92.00	95.00	100.00	97.00	92.00	90.80	95.00	90.00	93.00
2004	93.00	94.00	90.00	93.00	90.00	100.00	104.00	102.00	97.00	100.00	105.00	102.00
2005	105.00	107.00	114.00	105.00	105.00	115.00	122.00	128.00	115.00	118.00	123.00	128.00
2006	119.00	125.00	120.00	127.00	123.00	121.00	118.00	108.00	108.00	112.00	118.00	116.00
2007	119.00	118.00	119.00	119.00	126.00	126.00	137.00	142.00	144.00	149.00	149.00	155.00
Alfalfa Hay												
2003	94.00	95.00	90.00	93.00	96.00	100.00	95.00	89.00	88.00	93.50	87.00	91.00
2004	91.00	90.00	88.00	90.00	90.00	99.00	103.00	101.00	97.00	98.00	103.00	102.00
2005	102.00	106.00	112.00	100.00	102.00	113.00	122.00	127.00	114.00	118.00	122.00	128.00
2006	119.00	125.00	120.00	128.00	123.00	121.00	119.00	109.00	108.00	112.00	118.00	117.00
2007	120.00	118.00	119.00	119.00	127.00	127.00	138.00	141.00	144.00	148.00	150.00	156.00
Other Hay												
2003	100.00	100.00	95.00	90.00	90.00	95.00	120.00	128.00	111.00	105.00	118.00	103.00
2004	103.00	130.00	107.00	109.00	90.00	110.00	116.00	123.00	103.00	120.00	122.00	104.00
2005	126.00	118.00	127.00	130.00	130.00	129.00	129.00	138.00	120.00	120.00	130.00	128.00
2006	115.00	112.00	127.00	122.00	114.00	108.00	99.00	90.00	110.00	118.00	116.00	105.00
2007	112.00	118.00	127.00	122.00	114.00	118.00	129.00	155.00	144.00	160.00	145.00	150.00



Season Average Prices, Cattle & Calves, Sheep & Lambs, and Hogs & Pigs, 2005-2007

Year	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007
Commodity	Nevada			United States		
----- Average Price per Cwt. (\$) -----						
Cattle	93.80	90.20	87.10	89.70	87.20	89.90
Calves	137.00	121.00	121.00	135.00	133.00	119.00
Hogs & Pigs	46.60	42.30	44.30	50.20	46.00	46.60
Sheep	40.00	29.00	29.00	45.10	35.20	31.00
Lambs	115.00	96.00	101.00	110.00	95.50	98.50

2007 Crop/ Weather Summary



January: Two storm systems passed through the State early in the month bringing snow to northern Nevada and the mountains and rains to the lower elevations. High pressure then moved over the State making for cold, dry weather. Mountain snow accumulations were about half of normal at the end of the month. Both temperatures and precipitation averaged well below normal statewide. Winter livestock feeding was ongoing and calving was getting underway. Hay shipments continued to move to out-of-state markets and local horse accounts

February: Early and late February storm systems brought rain and/or snow to most northern Nevada locations bolstering mountain snow pack and providing much needed moisture for grazing lands across the state. In the east, feed supplies were impacted as producers increased rations to maintain the livestock throughout the relatively cool, wet month. Native grasses on winter grazing lands were short due to severe drought conditions in 2007, which also necessitated supplemental feeding; however, livestock rated in generally fair to good condition. In the central, valley locations received rain in addition to mountain snows and supplemental cattle feeding was also ongoing. Alfalfa and small grain growing regions did not report any greening in February, with the crops rated in fair to good condition. Other farm and ranch activities included: equipment maintenance, early calving, fence repairs, crop and livestock marketing, industry meetings.

March: High pressure asserted itself over Nevada and most of the month was dry. Temperatures were warmer than normal in the central and southern regions and colder than normal in the northern regions. A storm system passed through near the middle of the month, bringing some precipitation, only to again be replaced by high pressure. Monthly and seasonal precipitation totals were well below normal. The warming temperatures had forages greening in central and southern regions. Dry weather promoted fieldwork and crop development. Onions were being seeded and fields were being prepared for grain planting. Sod cutting was underway. Calving was ongoing and lambing got underway. Main farm and ranch activities: field preparation, equipment maintenance, calving, lambing, ditch burning, weed control.

April: Several cold fronts moved across the state during the month bringing windy conditions. Temperatures remained cool for most of the month except for a few warm days midmonth. Precipitation was below normal for the month. Winnemucca recorded the most precipitation, 0.31 inches, which was 0.54 inches below normal. Snow packs continue to hold near 100 percent of normal, with melting slowed by the cool weather. Field preparations and spring grain planting was in full swing as the wet weather finally ended. Range and pasture growth accelerated as temperatures rose. Livestock were beginning to move to public grazing lands. Calving and lambing advanced and were nearing completion. Fence repair was common. Main farm and ranch activities: calving, lambing, branding, grain planting, weed spraying, fertilizing fields, and dragging meadows.

May: Cool, stormy weather entering the month was soon displaced by dominate high pressure. Most of the month was unseasonably warm and dry. The warm weather accelerated snow melt. Crop conditions were generally good and the warm weather fostered growth. Irrigation season was underway. Alfalfa harvest got underway in southern areas. Spring planted grains emerged and Fall seeded fields showed good growth. Potato planting was completed. Many ranges showed signs of the dry spring. Most range livestock were turned out to high ranges. Calving and lambing were virtually complete. Main farm and ranch activities: haying, irrigating, weed and insect control.

June: Above normal temperatures and below normal precipitation dominated the state's weather for the month. Producers moving livestock to summer ranges faced declining range and pasture conditions and tightening feed supplies. Hay producers completed the first cutting of alfalfa and made progress on other alfalfa and grass mixtures. Small grains matured rapidly and in generally good condition under the warm weather; however, irrigation water was short in some areas. Garlic, onions, and potatoes were in good to excellent condition in well irrigated areas.

2007 Crop/ Weather Summary (continued)

July: Record heat and minimal precipitation contributed to deteriorating range and pasture conditions and increased fire activity throughout July. Reno (108°F), Fallon (108°F), and Lovelock (112°F) set record highs on July 5 as temperatures soared into the triple-digits across the state during the first week of July. Dry lightning associated with heat induced thunderstorms sparked several wildfires particularly in the central and east. Wildfires burning in Nevada were fully contained by month's end after scorching a significant amount of rangeland prompting early movement of livestock in affected areas. A southerly flow developed over the state late in the month bringing generally light, scattered rain showers to the south and east. Las Vegas recorded its first measurable precipitation since April 16 with .26 inches of rain on July 23. Hay producers wrapped up the second cutting of alfalfa and continued swathing and baling of grain and wild hay. Other farm and ranch activities included: weed and insect control, irrigation, and equipment maintenance.

August: Dominating high pressure across the state made for a mostly quiet month of above normal temperatures and below normal precipitation. The 0.16 inches of rainfall officially recorded in Reno this month snapped the seventh longest dry streak in Reno history at 85 days. Las Vegas was an exception with total precipitation in August measuring 0.76 inches, 0.31 inches above normal. The warm, dry conditions promoted fieldwork, but increased irrigation demands on an already diminishing water supply. Small grain harvest was complete by month's end with onion and garlic harvest ongoing. Most hay producers finished harvesting the third cutting of alfalfa and completed harvest of alfalfa for seed. Livestock producers continued to relocate cattle in an effort to maintain adequate feed and water. The poor range and pasture conditions necessitated the early marketing of calves in some locations. Additionally, farmers and ranchers were active controlling weeds and insects, maintaining equipment, and preparing for fall-seeded crops as August drew to a close

September: Summer like weather the first half of the month gave way to a cooler, wetter pattern by month's end as strong high pressure relented allowing cold fronts to push across the state. Daytime highs climbed into the 80s and 90s as a late season heat wave highlighted the state's weather in early September. Temperatures cooled and precipitation increased as generally chilly weather settled over the state toward month's end. Daytime highs fell into the 60s and 70s for many locations while nighttime lows dipped into the low 30s and upper 20s. Precipitation amounts were generally below normal; however, Las Vegas set consecutive daily rainfall records with 0.34 inches on September 22 and 0.32 inches on September 23 bringing the area's monthly total to 0.67 inches, 0.36 inches above normal. The warm, dry weather early in the month promoted harvest of potatoes, garlic, onions, and the fourth cutting of alfalfa in certain areas. Range and pastureland remained in below average condition as livestock producers brought cattle in from summer ranges throughout the month. Other farm and ranch activities included fall tillage, winter wheat seeding and weed control.

October: Several weather patterns passed through the state early in the month bringing cool temperatures and varying amounts of precipitation; however, conditions turned warmer by month's end as Nevada producers predominately completed the fall harvest of potatoes and the final cuttings of hay. Northern Nevada locations reported traces of snow in early October as clouds, wind, and rain hampered harvests of late hay cuttings. However, warmer temperatures and a few spring-like thunderstorms the latter half of the month brought average temperatures to near normal and above normal precipitation totals to Winnemucca and Elko. The much needed precipitation, however, was not substantial enough to markedly improve range and pasture conditions. Livestock producers worked throughout the month gathering livestock to market calves and move herds onto hay meadows and alfalfa regrowth. Reports of supplemental feeding increased throughout the month.

November: Nevada experienced a relatively quiet weather pattern in November with near normal temperatures and below normal precipitation for most locations. Clouds and rain moved across northern Nevada in mid-November bringing the bulk of the monthly total precipitation received in Reno, Winnemucca and Elko. Las Vegas benefitted from a major winter storm moving from the Southwest to the Great Lakes, receiving 0.60 inches of precipitation on November 30. Nevada farmers and ranchers generally completed most field work by month's end as late season hay harvests in some southern locations wrapped up and onion sacks were pulled from the fields to storage. Cattle movement slowed throughout the month as ranchers moved livestock to market and winter grazing. A strong, regional demand for hay kept shipments of alfalfa and other hay mixes moving throughout the month.

December: Several storm systems passed through the state during December but the events were generally not extreme. Precipitation totals and temperatures averages were near normal. Snow began to accumulate in the mountains. Supplemental feeding of range livestock was common. Potato processing was ongoing. Onion sorting and shipping continued.

Nevada Climatological Data: Temperatures & Precipitation, 2007

Elko Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2007	16.2	33.3	42.8	46.5	56.0	65.1	75.8	70.5	58.8	46.1	35.8	25.5	47.7
Departure from Normal	-9.4	2.0	4.2	1.9	3.3	3.4	6.7	2.9	0.6	-0.6	1.3	-0.5	1.3
Highest	45	58	75	83	88	97	104	98	96	77	69	62	104
Lowest	-16	1	13	17	25	36	45	41	25	21	8	-5	-16
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	1.53	1.50	.48	.61	.17	.37	.08	.14	.17	1.05	.32	1.02	6.18
Departure from Normal	.39	.17	-.50	-.20	-.91	-.30	-.22	-.22	-.51	.34	-.73	.09	-5.84
Greatest 24 Hour	1.06	.29	.21	.39	.09	.30	.04	.07	.10	.40	.27	.40	1.06

Ely Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2007	19.1	27.1	34.5	39.7	48.1	59.8	69.3	69.4	56.8	44.8	36.4	21.6	43.9
Departure from Normal	-6.1	-2.7	-1.4	-2.5	-2.3	-.1	1.9	3.6	0.1	-0.6	2.9	-4.2	-1.0
Highest	46	57	62	74	88	92	94	93	91	76	70	65	94
Lowest	-11	-13	9	7	13	24	43	42	20	10	1	-11	-13
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	.68	.60	.14	.01	.44	.33	.94	.59	.59	.63	Trace	.68	5.63
Departure from Normal	-.06	-.15	-.91	-.89	-.85	-.33	.34	-.32	-.35	-.37	-.63	.18	-4.34
Greatest 24 Hour	.16	.27	.11	.01	.29	.32	.61	.43	.46	.56	Trace	.52	.61

Las Vegas Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2007	46.0	54.6	64.4	70.5	80.4	89.5	95.4	76.7	82.7	69.8	60.8	45.2	69.6
Departure from Normal	-.1	2.4	6.1	4.5	5.0	3.9	4.2	1.7	-0.7	1.1	5.8	-1.8	2.6
Highest	68	74	91	98	99	109	116	110	107	92	84	67	116
Lowest	23	34	35	48	57	63	76	72	55	52	38	29	23
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	.06	.16	Trace	.08	Trace	.00	.29	.45	.67	1.07	.64	.07	3.49
Departure from Normal	-.53	-.53	-.59	-.07	-.24	-.08	-.15	.31	.36	-.01	.33	-.33	-1.53
Greatest 24 Hour	.06	.14	Trace	.08	Trace	.00	.29	.58	.66	.00	.60	.07	.66

Reno Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2007	31.2	41.1	49.4	53.0	63.4	72.4	80.0	76.2	63.6	52.5	44.3	34.8	55.1
Departure from Normal	-2.4	2.6	6.1	4.4	7.0	7.7	8.7	6.3	1.2	0.5	3.4	0.4	3.8
Highest	60	69	80	86	92	97	108	99	98	83	72	68	108
Lowest	5	16	20	28	34	41	55	50	34	28	17	14	5
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	.13	1.01	.03	.18	.16	.12	Trace	.16	.44	.19	.25	1.06	3.73
Departure from Normal	-.93	-.05	-.83	-.17	-.46	-.35	-.24	-.11	-.01	.23	-.55	.18	-3.46
Greatest 24 Hour	.09	.52	.03	.14	.16	.07	Trace	.16	.18	.16	.24	.94	.94

Nevada Climatological Data: Temperatures & Precipitation, 2007 *(continued)*

Winnemucca Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2007	33.9	36.6	44.9	47.0	56.0	67.2	75.9	70.9	58.6	46.3	36.8	28.2	50.1
Departure from Normal	3.8	0.5	3.8	0.3	0.8	2.9	3.9	1.0	-1.7	-2.5	-0.6	-1.4	.9
Highest	58	60	79	77	90	101	105	100	99	79	70	67	105
Lowest	13	2	14	21	25	37	42	37	20	17	2	-3	-3
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	1.73	1.49	.13	2.87	.69	-.54	.08	.06	.23	.81	.58	.67	8.8
Departure from Normal	.90	-.87	-.73	2.02	-.37	-.15	-.19	-.29	-.30	.15	-.22	-.14	-.19
Greatest 24 Hour	.88	.50	.08	1.70	.32	.53	.04	.03	.23	.27	.45	.30	1.70



Record Highs and Lows In Nevada Agricultural Production

Item	Unit	Record High		Record Low		Year Estimate Series Began
		Quantity	Year	Quantity	Year	
Winter Wheat:						
Harvested	Acres	19,000	1974	1,000	1932	1909
Yield	Bushels	110.00	2004, 05, 06	19.70	1919, 1936	1909
Production	Bushels	1,400,000	1997	23,000	1932	1909
Spring Wheat:						
Harvested	Acres	19,000	1919	1,000	2001, 2007	1909
Yield	Bushels	105.00	2004	20.00	1921, 1936	1909
Production	Bushels	1,200,000	1984	80,000	2001	1909
All Wheat:						
Harvested	Acres	31,000	1976, 1981	3,000	1881, 2001	1870
Yield	Bushels	106.70	2004	18.00	1875	1870
Production	Bushels	1,890,000	1982	68,000	1881	1859
Barley:						
Harvested	Acres	32,000	1982	1,000	2001, 2007	1870
Yield	Bushels	110.00	1982	23.00	1877	1870
Production	Bushels	256,000	1982	85,000	2005	1870
Alfalfa Hay:						
Harvested	Acres	275,000	2002	98,000	1947	1909
Yield	Tons	5.10	2006	1.80	1931	1909
Production	Tons	1,377,000	2006	234,000	1931	1909
All Other Hay:						
Harvested	Acres	310,000	1970	150,000	1992	1969
Yield	Tons	1.90	2005, 06, 07	1.05	1975	1969
Production	Tons	428,000	1982	188,000	1992	1969
All Hay:						
Harvested	Acres	530,000	1983	206,000	1931	1909
Yield	Tons	3.74	2006	1.33	1943	1909
Production	Tons	1,757,000	2006	302,000	1931	1909
Alfalfa Seed:						
Harvested	Acres	23,500	1970	1,000	1960	1959
Yield	Pounds	900.00	1990	200.00	1962	1959
Production	Pounds	14,400,000	1990	300,000	1960	1959
Potatoes:						
Harvested	Acres	17,000	1978	500	1968	1879
Yield	Cwt.	450.00	2000	60.00	1931	1979
Production	Cwt.	5,440,000	1978	88,000	1889	1879
All Cattle:						
January 1st	Head	700,000	1982	36,000	1867	1867
All Sheep:						
January 1st	Head	1,330,000	1920	24,000	1867	1867
All Hogs:						
December 1st	Head	34,000	1916	3,000	1867, 1868	1867

Annual Crop Summary - Nevada, 2004-2007

Crop	Year	Acreage		Production			Season Average Price	Value of Production
		Planted	Harvested	Measured Unit	Yield per Acre	Thousands	Dollars	Thousand \$
		----- Thousands -----						
Winter Wheat	2004	6.0	3.0	Bushels	110	330	3.45	1,139
	2005	8.0	5.0		110	550	3.15	1,733
	2006	17.0	8.0		110	880	4.10	3,608
	2007	17.0	12.0		100	1200	6.50	7,800
Spring Wheat	2004	8.0	6.0		105	630	3.80	2,394
	2005	6.0	3.0		85	255	3.55	905
	2006	6.0	2.0		88	176	4.25	748
	2007	6.0	1.0		100	100	6.25	625
All Wheat	2004	14.0	9.0		107	960	3.60	3,533
	2005	14.0	8.0		101	805	3.25	2,638
	2006	23.0	10.0		106	1,056	4.15	4,356
	2007	23.0	13.0		100	1,300	6.50	8,425
Barley	2004	4.0	2.0		105	210	3.30	693
	2005	4.0	2.0		85	170	3.05	519
	2006	4.0	2.0		100	200	3.05	610
	2007	3.0	1.0		90	90	4.00	360
Alfalfa Hay	2004	----	250.0	Tons	4.7	1,175	100.00	117,500
	2005	----	260.0		4.8	1,248	120.00	149,760
	2006	----	270.0		5.1	1,377	115.00	158,355
	2007	----	265.0		4.9	1,299	144.00	187,056
All Other Hay	2004	----	170.0		1.8	306	117.00	35,802
	2005	----	190.0		1.9	361	126.00	45,486
	2006	----	200.0		1.9	380	109.00	41,420
	2007	----	195.0		1.9	371	142.00	52,682
All Hay	2004	----	420.0		3.5	1,481	102.00	154,477
	2005	----	450.0		3.6	1,609	121.00	195,246
	2006	----	470.0		3.7	1,757	115.00	199,775
	2007	----	460.0		3.6	1,670	144.00	239,738
Corn Silage	2004	4.0	4.0		22	88	----	----
	2005	5.0	5.0		23	115	----	----
	2006	4.0	4.0		25	100	----	----
	2007	5.0	5.0		27	135	----	----
Alfalfa Seed	2004	----	5.0	Pounds	670	3350	1.10	3,685
	2005	----	4.0		730	2920	1.15	3,358
	2006	----	4.0		730	2920	1.30	3,796
	2007	----	6.5		700	4550	1.45	6,598
Potatoes	2004	6.7	6.7	Cwt.	430	2881	4.05	11,668
	2005	5.5	5.5		425	2,338	5.50	12,859
	2006	6.6	6.6		445	2,937	6.15	18,063
	2007	7.3	7.3		390	2,847	5.75	16,370
		---- Actual Acres ----		----- Actual Tons -----				
Garlic	2004	1,200	1,200	6.0	7,200	360.00	2,592	
	2005	600	600	9.0	5,400	330.00	1,782	
	2006	620	620	6.2	3,844	340.00	1,307	
	2007	610	610	3.4	2,100	300.00	630	
Onions	2004	3,400	3,400	32	108,800	320.00	34,816	
	2005	2,400	2,400	44	105,600	300.00	31,680	
	2006	2,600	2,600	36	93,600	360.00	33,690	
	2007	2,800	2,800	37	103,600	320.00	33,152	

All Hay: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price ¹	Value of Production
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Thousand Tons</i>	<i>Dollars per ton</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
1998	485	3.21	1,556	102.00	156,308
1999	490	3.04	1,492	83.00	123,303
2000	500	3.30	1,648	93.50	154,739
2001	495	3.20	1,584	114.00	180,165
2002	485	3.13	1,519	102.00	155,771
2003	440	3.25	1,429	93.00	135,882
2004	420	3.53	1,481	102.00	154,477
2005	450	3.58	1,609	121.00	195,246
2006	470	3.74	1,757	115.00	199,775
2007	460	3.63	1,670	144.00	239,738

¹ Estimated marketings of alfalfa and other hay used as weights to calculate the all hay price.

Hay is the foremost crop produced in Nevada. The Nevada climate and irrigable soils are conducive to the production of high quality and specialty hays. "Other Hay" listed in this publication includes wild and improved grasses, Timothy, Sudan and grains. Much of the Nevada grown alfalfa is marketed to California dairymen and significant quantities are shipped overseas. Much of the grass hay produced is used to meet the winter feeding demands of resident livestock herds. Timothy hay is marketed primarily to race horse accounts across the western United States.



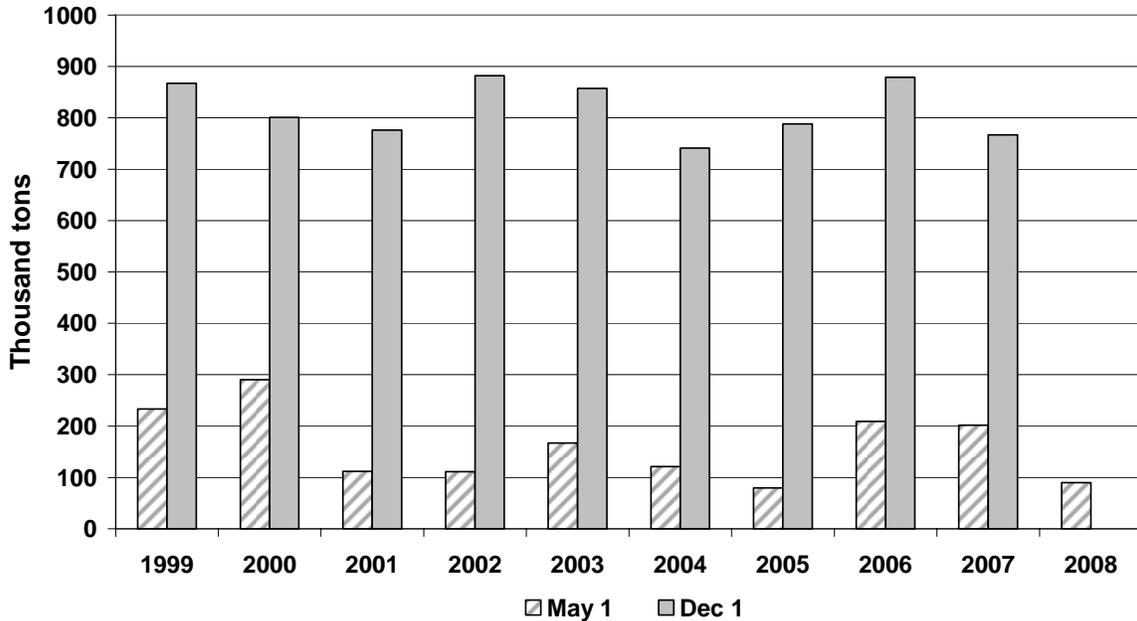
Alfalfa: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Thousand Tons</i>	<i>Dollars per ton</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
1998	260	4.60	1,196	103.00	123,188
1999	265	4.10	1,087	84.00	91,308
2000	275	4.60	1,265	92.50	117,013
2001	265	4.50	1,193	113.00	134,809
2002	275	4.30	1,183	101.00	119,483
2003	265	4.40	1,166	91.50	106,689
2004	250	4.70	1,175	100.00	118,675
2005	260	4.80	1,248	120.00	149,760
2006	270	5.10	1,377	115.00	158,355
2007	265	4.90	1,299	144.00	187,056

All Other Hay: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada 1998-2007

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Dollars per ton</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
1998	225	1.60	360	92.00	33,120
1999	225	1.80	405	79.00	31,995
2000	225	1.70	383	98.50	37,726
2001	230	1.70	391	116.00	45,356
2002	210	1.60	336	108.00	36,288
2003	175	1.50	263	111.00	29,193
2004	170	1.80	306	117.00	35,802
2005	190	1.90	361	126.00	45,486
2006	200	1.90	380	109.00	41,420
2007	195	1.90	371	142.00	52,682

All Hay Stocks on Farms, Nevada, May 1 and December 1, 1999-2008



Hay: Stocks on Farms, Nevada, May 1 and December 1, 1999-2008

Year	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
	----- Thousand Tons -----									
May 1	233	298	115	111	167	121	80	209	202	90
December 1	970	824	776	882	857	741	788	879	767	n/a

Small Grain Hay: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

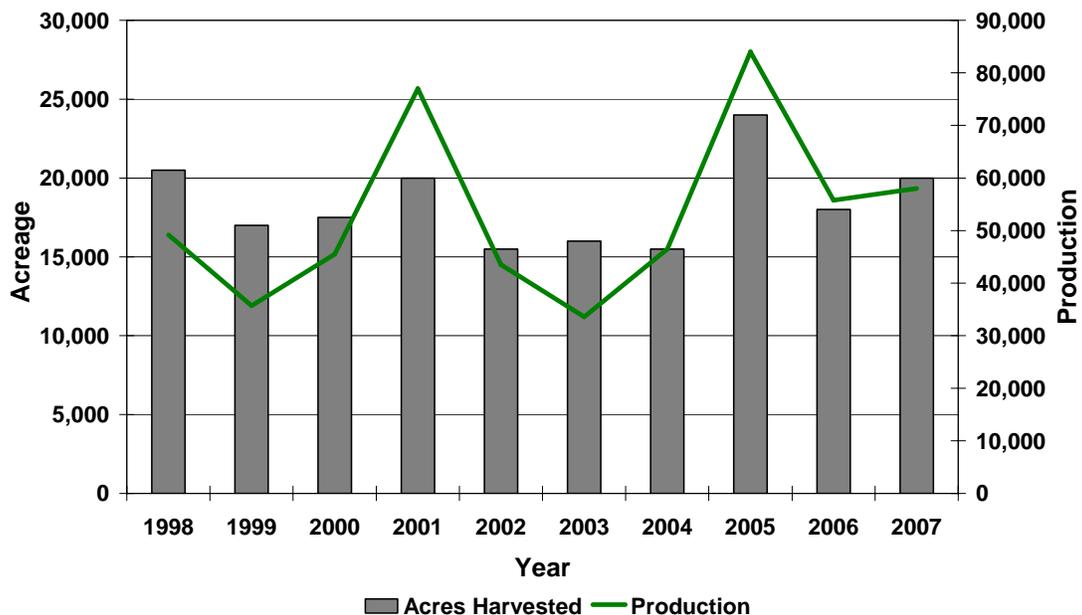
Year	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Season Average Price ¹	Value of Production
		<i>Tons/Acre</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Dollars per ton</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
1998	20,500	2.4	49,200	86.00	4,231
1999	17,000	2.1	35,700	66.00	2,356
2000	17,500	2.6	45,500	77.00	3,504
2001	20,000	3.5	77,000	88.00	6,776
2002	15,500	2.9	43,500	64.00	2,784
2003	16,000	2.1	33,600	73.00	2,456
2004	15,500	3.0	46,500	80.00	3,720
2005	24,000	3.5	84,000	96.00	8,064
2006	18,000	3.1	55,800	81.00	4,520
2007	20,000	2.9	58,000	125.00	7,250

¹ Based on limited sales as most small grain hay is fed where produced. Data were revised in 2005 to align crop year.



The majority of Nevada's grain acreage is harvested for hay rather than grain. Wheat, barley, oats, rye and triticale are commonly cut and baled for cattle feed.

Small Grain Hay, 1998-2007



Hay: Acreage Harvested, Yield & Production, by Type and County, Nevada, 2006-2007

2006	Alfalfa Hay			All Other Hay			All Hay
	Acres	Yield	Production	Acres	Yield	Production	Production
		Tons/Acre	Tons		Tons/Acre	Tons	Tons
Carson City	1,000	6.0	6,000	400	2.5	1,000	7,000
Churchill	28,000	5.2	146,000	4,000	4.0	16,000	162,000
Douglas	6,000	4.5	27,000	7,000	2.9	20,000	47,000
Humboldt	59,000	5.3	310,000	31,000	2.0	63,000	373,000
Lyon	34,000	5.5	187,000	4,000	3.3	13,000	200,000
Pershing	26,000	5.3	139,000	4,000	3.5	14,000	153,000
Storey	-----	---	-----	-----	---	-----	-----
Washoe	10,000	4.7	47,000	2,600	2.3	6,000	53,000
Northwest	164,000	5.3	862,000	53,000	2.5	133,000	995,000
Elko	18,000	4.2	76,000	118,000	1.4	165,000	241,000
Eureka	16,000	4.5	72,000	10,000	4.0	40,000	112,000
Lander	21,000	5.0	105,000	8,000	1.9	15,000	120,000
White Pine	15,000	4.3	64,000	5,000	1.8	9,000	73,000
Northeast	70,000	4.5	317,000	141,000	1.6	229,000	546,000
Clark	3,000	7.0	21,000	500	4.0	2,000	23,000
Esmeralda	8,000	4.8	38,000	1,000	5.0	5,000	43,000
Lincoln	10,000	5.6	56,000	2,000	2.5	5,000	61,000
Mineral	2,000	5.0	10,000	-----	-----	-----	10,000
Nye	13,000	5.6	73,000	2,500	2.4	6,000	79,000
South	36,000	5.5	198,000	6,000	3.0	18,000	216,000
State	270,000	5.1	1,377,000	200,000	1.9	380,000	1,757,000

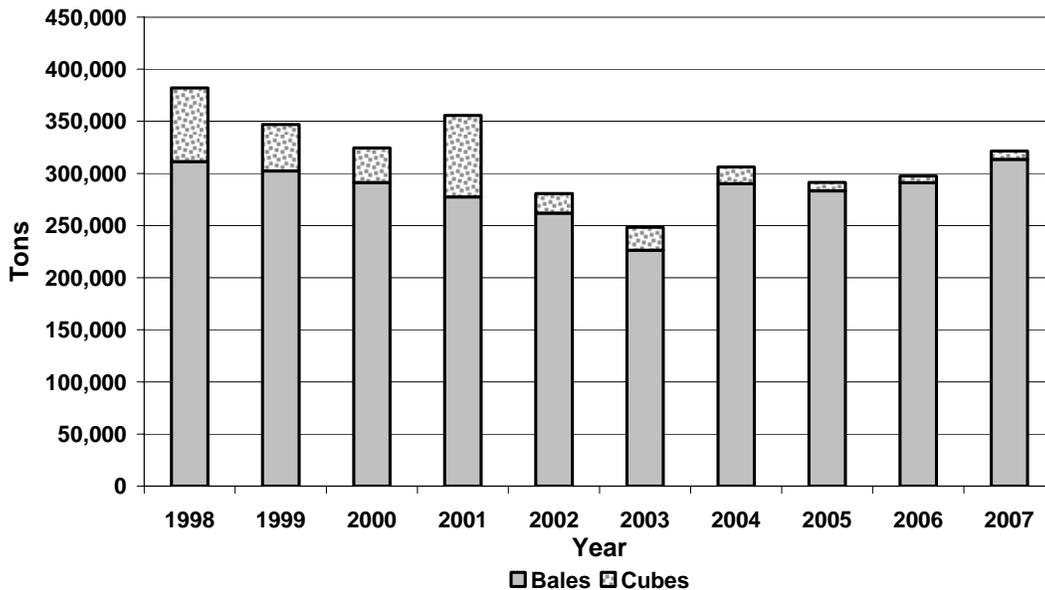
2007	Alfalfa Hay			All Other Hay			All Hay
	Acres	Yield	Production	Acres	Yield	Production	Production
		Tons/Acre	Tons		Tons/Acre	Tons	Tons
Carson City	1,000	6.0	5,000	500	2.0	1,000	6,000
Churchill	25,000	5.4	134,000	2,500	3.2	8,000	142,000
Douglas	10,000	4.3	43,000	4,500	2.0	9,000	52,000
Humboldt	55,000	4.9	270,000	25,500	2.0	50,000	320,000
Lyon	37,000	5.3	195,000	5,000	3.6	18,000	213,000
Pershing	28,000	5.2	145,000	5,500	3.3	18,000	163,000
Storey	-----	---	-----	-----	---	-----	-----
Washoe	5,000	4.2	21,000	8,000	2.0	8,000	29,000
Northwest	161,000	5.0	813,000	47,000	2.4	112,000	925,000
Elko	13,000	3.5	45,000	125,000	1.5	190,000	235,000
Eureka	16,000	4.6	74,000	9,500	3.5	33,000	107,000
Lander	28,000	4.8	135,000	5,000	2.6	13,000	148,000
White Pine	11,000	3.6	40,000	2,500	2.0	5,000	45,000
Northeast	68,000	4.3	294,000	142,000	1.7	241,000	535,000
Clark	2,000	7.0	14,000	500	6.0	3,000	17,000
Esmeralda	12,000	4.8	58,000	500	4.0	2,000	60,000
Lincoln	12,000	5.4	65,000	3,000	2.7	8,000	73,000
Mineral	-----	---	-----	-----	---	-----	-----
Nye	10,000	5.5	55,000	1,500	3.3	5,000	60,000
South	36,000	5.3	192,000	5,500	3.3	18,000	210,000
State	265,000	4.9	1,299,000	195,000	1.9	371,000	1,670,000

Alfalfa Hay: Volume Trucked from Nevada to California, 1998-2007

Year	Bales	Cubes	Total
----- Tons -----			
1998	311,357	70,693	382,050
1999	302,255	44,620	346,875
2000	291,305	33,135	324,440
2001	277,511	78,178	355,689
2002	261,937	18,879	280,816
2003	226,411	21,948	248,359
2004	290,089	16,103	306,192
2005	283,323	8,047	291,370
2006	291,040	6,449	297,489
2007	313,560	7,913	321,473



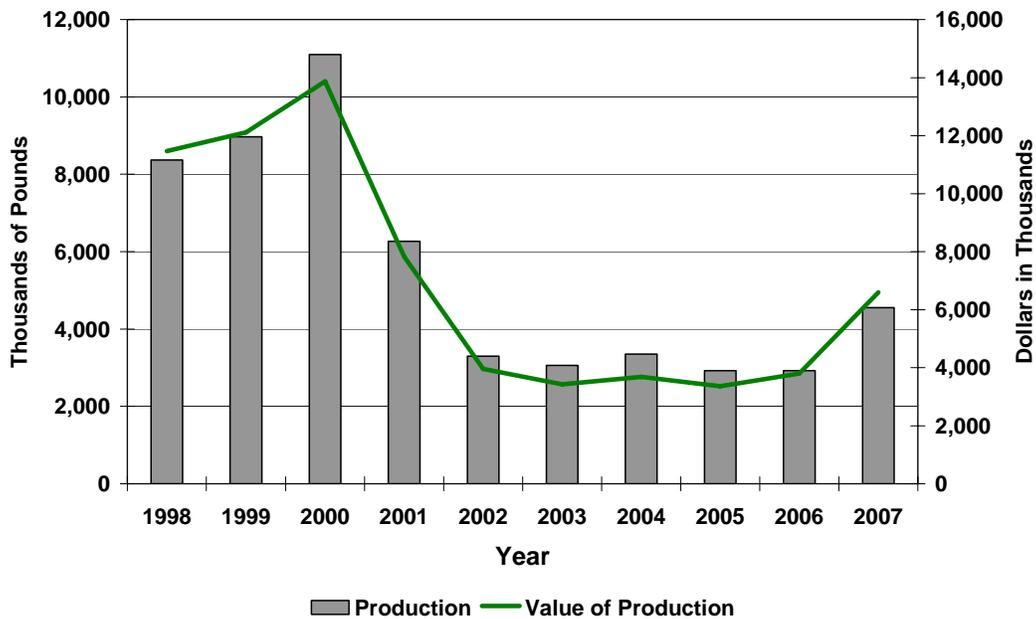
Alfalfa Trucked from Nevada to California, Bales & Cubes, 1998-2007



Alfalfa Seed: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Acres Harvested	Production		Value	
		Yield per Acre	Total	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	<i>Actual Acres</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>1,000 Lbs.</i>	<i>\$ Per Lb.</i>	<i>Thousand \$'s</i>
1998	13,000	620.0	8,370	1.37	11,467
1999	13,000	690.0	8,970	1.35	12,109
2000	14,000	765.0	11,093	1.25	13,866
2001	9,500	660.0	6,270	1.25	7,838
2002	6,000	550.0	3,300	1.20	3,960
2003	4,500	680.0	3,060	1.12	3,427
2004	5,000	670.0	3,350	1.10	3,685
2005	4,000	730.0	2,920	1.15	3,358
2006	4,000	730.0	2,920	1.30	3,795
2007	6,500	700.0	4,550	1.45	6,598

Alfalfa Seed, Production & Value 1998-2007



New Seedings of Alfalfa & Alfalfa Mixtures, 1998-2007

Year	Nevada	United States
	<i>Thousands of Acres</i>	
1998	28	3,549
1999	24	3,436
2000	33	3,065
2001	23	3,260
2002	22	3,282
2003	26	3,119
2004	17	2,793
2005	32	3,290
2006	24	3,184
2007	24	2,828

Winter Wheat: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

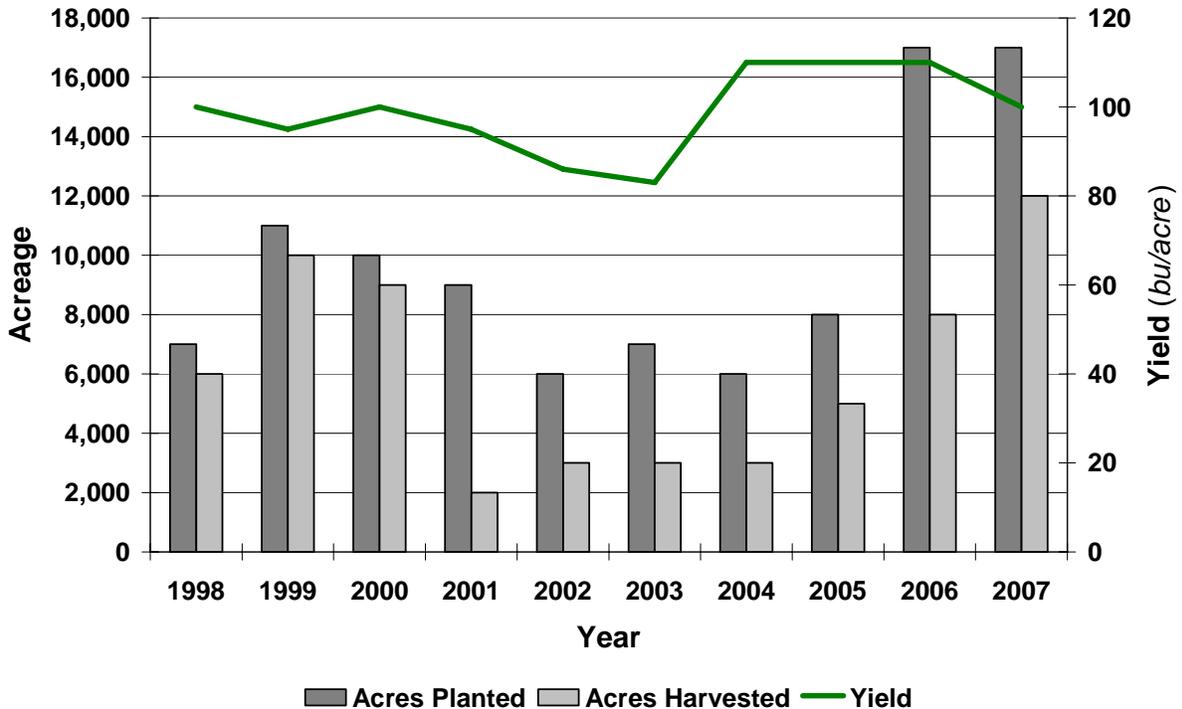
Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Total Production	Season Price Avg.	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		Bushels	Thousand Bu.	\$ per Bu.	Thousand \$
1998	7,000	6,000	100	600	2.25	1,350
1999	11,000	10,000	95	950	2.55	2,423
2000	10,000	9,000	100	900	2.45	2,205
2001	9,000	2,000	95	190	3.05	580
2002	6,000	3,000	86	258	3.45	890
2003	7,000	3,000	83	249	3.35	834
2004	6,000	3,000	110	330	3.45	1,139
2005	8,000	5,000	110	550	3.15	1,733
2006	17,000	8,000	110	880	4.10	3,608
2007	17,000	12,000	100	1,200	6.50	7,800

Winter Wheat: Acreage, Yield and Production, by County, Nevada, 2006-2007

County	2006				2007			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield	Production
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----	
Humboldt	5,100	4,600	116	535,000	6,300	6,200	102	630,000
Pershing	4,000	2,000	110	220,000	6,500	4,300	101	436,000
Other Counties	5,100	1,200	85	17,000	3,300	1,500	89	134,000
Northwest	14,200	7,800	111	863,000	16,100	12,000	100	1,200,000
Other Districts¹	2,800	200	85	17,000	900	0	0	0
State	17,000	8,000	110	880,000	17,000	12,000	100	1,200,000

¹ Data Included in "Other Districts" to avoid disclosing individual information.

Winter Wheat, 1997-2007



Spring Wheat: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Total Production	Season Price Avg.	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		Bushels	Thousand Bu.	\$ per Bu.	Thousand \$
1998	9,000	8,000	80	640	2.35	1,504
1999	6,000	5,000	85	425	2.75	1,169
2000	8,000	6,000	95	570	2.75	1,568
2001	6,000	1,000	80	80 ¹	3.25	260
2002	7,000	2,000	75	150	3.60	540
2003	5,000	4,000	75	300	3.60	1080
2004	8,000	6,000	105	630	3.80	2,394
2005	6,000	3,000	85	255	3.55	905
2006	6,000	2,000	88	176	4.25	748
2007	6,000	1,000	100	100	6.25	625

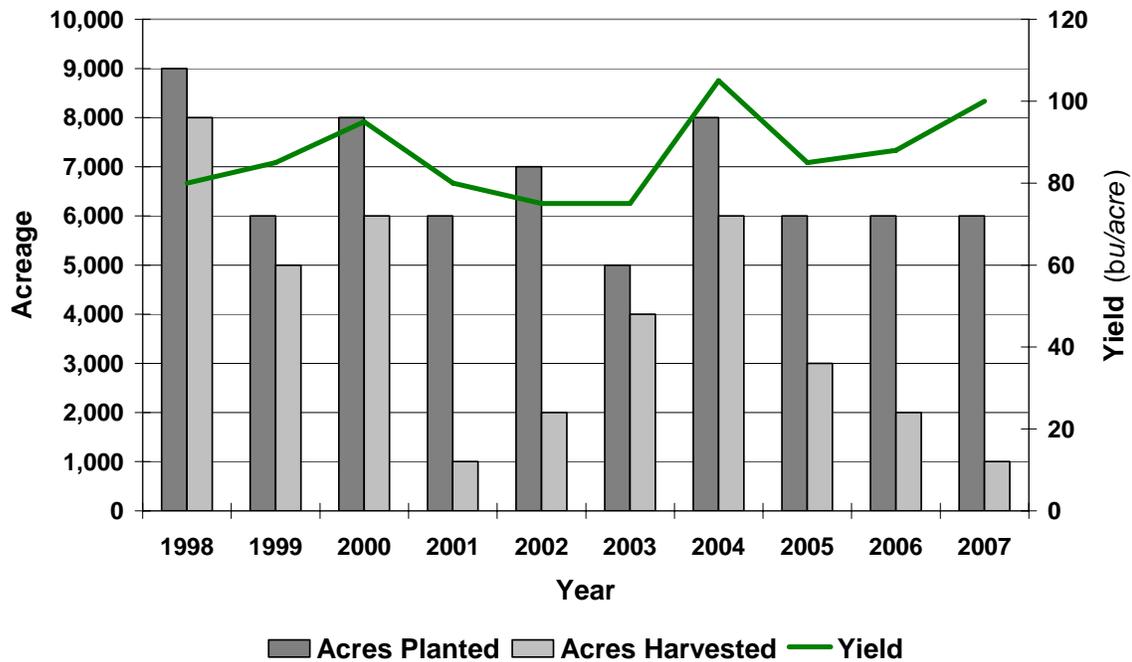
¹ Record low for Nevada production.

Spring Wheat: Acreage, Yield and Production, by County, Nevada, 2006-2007

County	2006				2007			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield	Production
	----- Acres -----		---- Bushels ----		----- Acres -----		---- Bushels ----	
Humboldt	1,500	100	80	8,000	2,100	600	105	63,000
Pershing	2,900	1,800	89	16,000	1,500	200	90	18,000
Other Counties	1,200	100	80	8,000	1,600	200	95	19,000
Northwest	5,600	2,000	88	176,000	5,200	1,000	100	100,000
Other Districts¹	400	0	0	0	800	0	0	0
State	6,000	2,000	88	176,000	6,000	1,000	100	100,000

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Spring Wheat, 1998-2007

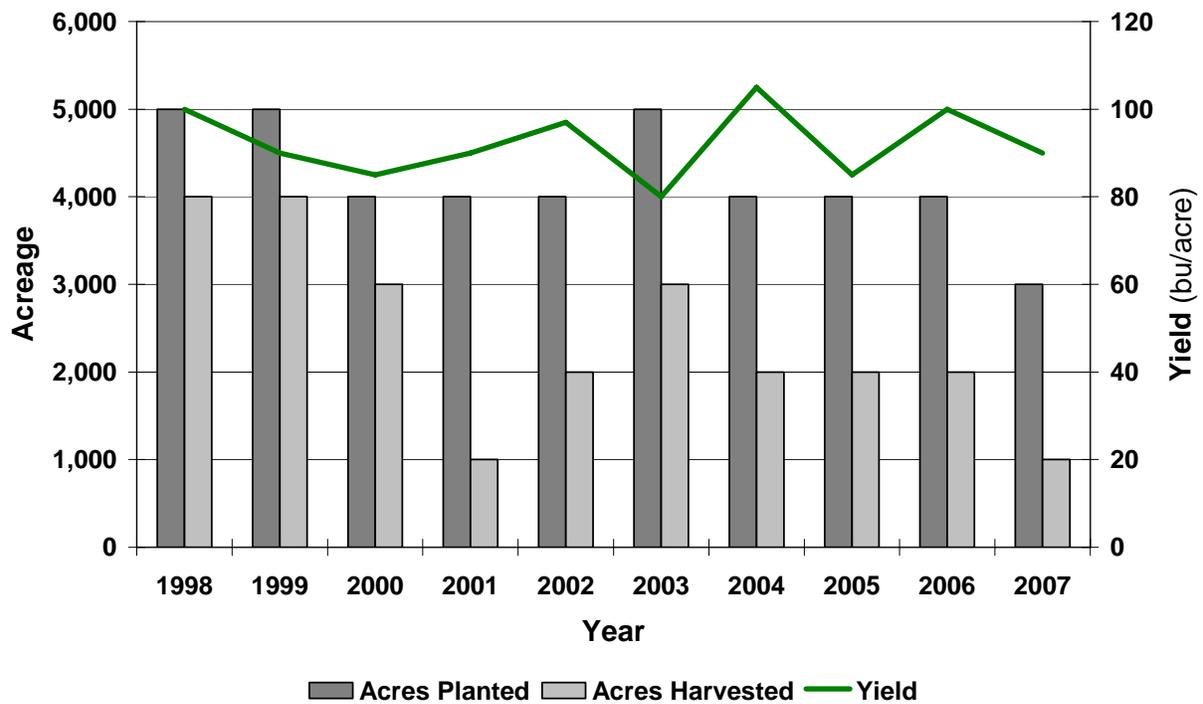


Barley: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Total Production	Season Price Avg.	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		Bushels	Thousand Bu.	\$ per Bushel	Thousand \$
1998	5,000	4,000	100	400	2.45	980
1999	5,000	4,000	90	360	2.40	864
2000	4,000	3,000	85	255	2.55	650
2001	4,000	1,000 ¹	90	90 ¹	2.65	239
2002	4,000	2,000	97	194	3.00	582
2003	5,000	3,000	80	240	3.30	792
2004	4,000	2,000	105	210	3.30	693
2005	4,000	2,000	85	170	3.05	519
2006	4,000	2,000	100	200	3.05	610
2007	3,000	1,000	90	90	4.00	360

¹ Record low for Nevada production.

Barley, 1998-2007



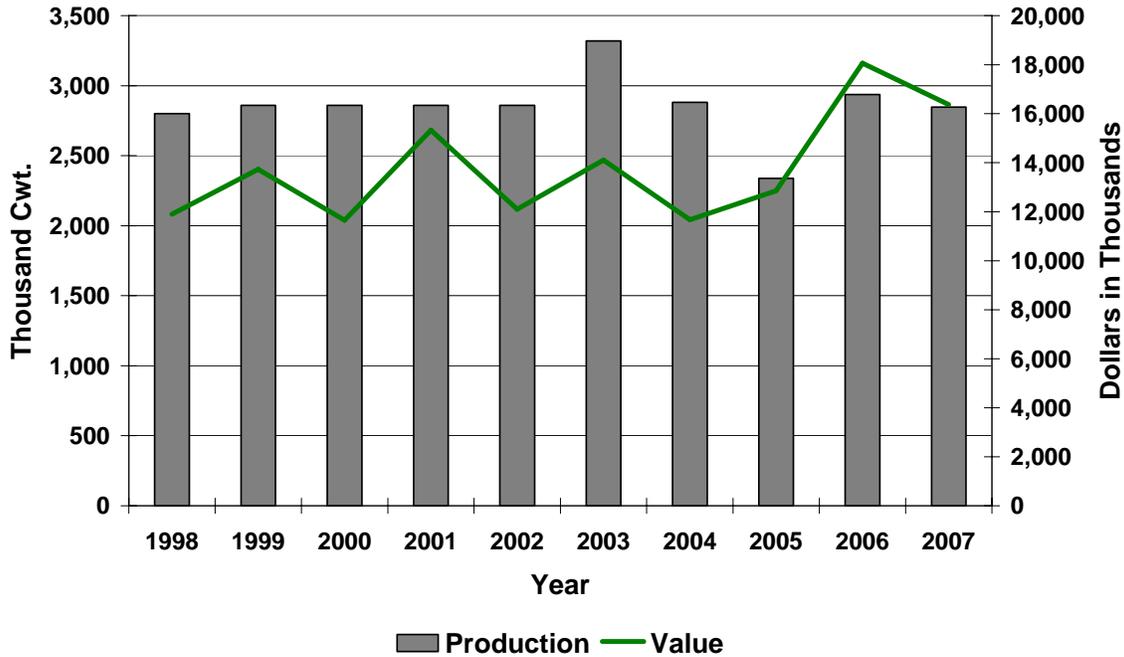
Corn for Silage: Area, Yield, Production, Nevada, 2003-2007

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	Acres	Tons	Tons
2003	4,000	23.0	92,000
2004	4,000	22.0	88,000
2005	5,000	23.0	115,000
2006	4,000	25.0	100,000
2007	5,000	27.0	135,000

Potatoes: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	----- Actual Acres -----		Cwt.	Thousand Cwt.	\$ Per Cwt.	Thousand \$
1998	7,000	7,000	400	2,800	4.25	11,900
1999	6,500	6,500	440	2,860	4.80	13,728
2000	7,000	7,000	450	3,150	3.70	11,655
2001	6,500	6,500	360	2,340	6.55	15,327
2002	7,600	7,600	350	2,660	4.55	12,103
2003	8,300	8,000	415	3,320	4.25	14,110
2004	6,700	6,700	430	2,881	4.05	11,668
2005	5,500	5,500	425	2,338	5.50	12,859
2006	6,600	6,600	445	2,937	6.15	18,063
2007	7,300	7,300	390	2,847	5.75	16,370

Potatoes: Production & Value, 1998-2007



All Mint: Acreage, Production, Price, And Value, Nevada 2001-2007

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average	Value of Production
	Actual Acres	----- Pounds -----		\$ per Pound	Thousand \$
2001	1,800	80	144,200	11.00	1,584
2002	2,000	78	156,000	11.00	1,716
2003	2,000	98	201,000	12.00	2,470
2004	2,300	90	207,000	13.00	2,691
2005	2,800	84	235,200	12.40	2,916
2006	2,600	95	247,000	12.90	3,186
2007	1,500	87	130,500	13.40	1,749

Onions: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>\$ Per Ton</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
1998	2,100	2,100	22	46,200	280.00	12,936
1999	3,200	2,800	28	78,400	170.00	13,328
2000	3,300	3,300	23	75,900	310.00	23,529
2001	2,900	2,900	23	66,700	240.00	16,008
2002	3,300	3,300	28	92,400	260.00	24,024
2003	3,100	3,100	30	93,000	320.00	29,760
2004	3,400	3,400	32	108,800	320.00	34,816
2005	2,400	2,400	44	105,600	300.00	31,680
2006	2,600	2,600	36	93,600	360.00	33,696
2007	2,800	2,800	37	103,600	320.00	33,152



Nevada onions are produced primarily for fresh market use. Nevada grown garlic is used primarily for seed, although some is also dehydrated. Most of the acreage planted to these crops is located in Lyon county.

Garlic: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>\$ Per Ton</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
1998	2,300	2,300	7.2	16,560	320.00	5,134
1999	2,600	2,600	7.5	16,900	300.00	5,070
2000	2,300	2,200	7.5	16,500	340.00	5,610
2001	1,400	1,400	6.2	8,680	340.00	2,958
2002	1,100	1,100	8.5	9,350	400.00	3,740
2003	1,200	1,200	7.6	9,120	420.00	3,830
2004	1,200	1,200	6.0	7,200	360.00	2,592
2005	600	600	9.0	5,400	330.00	1,782
2006	620	620	6.2	3,844	340.00	1,307
2007	610	610	3.4	2,100	300.00	630

Livestock in Nevada

Over 80 percent of the land area in Nevada is federally controlled public land. Much of this area is arid rangeland with limited potential for use. The grazing of range livestock has historically been and continues to be the most efficient means of harvesting rangeland grasses, a renewable resource. Cattle are the most common agricultural enterprise in Nevada and can be found on over half of the farms and ranches in the state. Sheep numbers have trended downward for several decades, but they remain a viable alternative on many ranges.

Cattle and Calves: Inventory, January 1, 2007-2008¹

Class of Livestock	Nevada			United States		
	2007	2008	'08 as % of '07	2007	2008	'08 as % of '07
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Percent</i>
All Cattle and Calves	500	450	90	97,003	96,669	100
All Cows that have calved	260	245	94	42,023	41,777	99
Beef Cows	233	218	94	32,891	32,553	99
Milk Cows	27	27	100	9,132	9,224	101
Heifers 500 Lbs. +	83	72	87	20,086	20,003	100
Beef Replacement	41	37	90	5,877	5,670	96
Milk Replacement	13	12	92	4,310	4,457	103
Other Heifers	29	23	79	9,899	9,876	100
Steers 500 Lbs. +	54	37	69	17,222	17,305	100
Bulls 500 Lbs. +	15	14	93	2,215	2,207	100
Calves Under 500 Lbs.	88	82	97	15,456	15,378	99
Inventory Value (1,000\$)	490,000	454,500	93	89,446,602	95,401,289	107
Value Per Head (\$'s)	980	1010	1033	922	987	107

¹ Sum of classes may not add to total due to rounding.

Cattle and Calves: Inventory, Supply and Disposition, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Cattle	All Calves Born	Inshipments	Marketings		Farm Slaughter	Deaths	
	Jan.1			Cattle	Calves		Cattle	Calves
	-----1,000 Head-----							
1998	510	220	50	148	101	2	6	13
1999	510	230	55	153	101	2	6	13
2000	520	230	55	163	101	2	6	13
2001	520	225	67	200	91	2	6	13
2002	500	220	57	170	76	2	6	13
2003	510	235	58	172	100	2	6	13
2004	510	210	78	187	90	2	6	13
2005	500	210	73	173	89	2	6	13
2006	500	205	70	168	87	2	6	13
2007	500	195	61	196	90	2	6	12

Cattle and Calves: Production and Income, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Production	Marketings	Value of Production	Cash Receipts ¹	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
	----- Thousand Lbs. -----		----- Thousand \$ -----			
1998	153,700	187,000	94,333	114,870	1,762	116,632
1999	168,600	192,000	117,250	134,456	2,010	136,466
2000	170,550	202,000	141,061	167,758	2,414	170,172
2001	176,140	235,000	146,911	192,470	2,412	194,882
2002	171,090	119,000	123,866	142,471	2,097	144,568
2003	171,335	210,600	151,734	182,691	2,514	185,205
2004	163,310	221,600	159,252	211,140	2,796	213,936
2005	160,885	207,200	166,197	209,560	2,972	212,532
2006	152,950	200,900	149,609	191,807	2,772	194,579
2007	149,910	230,600	136,821	212,921	2,710	215,631

¹ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Cattle & Calves: January 1 Inventory by County, Nevada, 2004-2008

County & District	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
	----- Number of head -----				
Carson City	800	900	400	900	900
Churchill	47,000	46,000	47,000	44,000	45,000
Douglas	15,000	16,000	18,000	16,000	14,000
Humboldt	63,000	64,000	65,000	64,000	56,000
Lyon	38,000	39,000	39,500	39,000	40,000
Pershing	23,000	21,000	23,000	21,000	18,000
Storey	200	100	100	100	100
Washoe	26,000	24,000	22,000	24,000	19,000
Northwest	214,000	211,000	215,000	209,000	193,000
Elko	155,000	150,000	152,000	150,000	133,000
Eureka	19,000	18,000	16,000	18,000	15,000
Lander	31,000	33,000	34,000	32,000	32,000
White Pine	27,000	27,000	26,000	27,000	23,000
Northeast	232,000	228,000	228,000	227,000	203,000
Clark	9,000	8,000	4,000	8,000	5,000
Esmeralda	7,000	6,000	4,000	6,000	3,000
Lincoln	15,000	14,000	12,000	14,000	15,000
Mineral	2,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Nye	31,000	32,000	36,000	35,000	30,000
South	64,000	61,000	57,000	64,000	54,000
State	510,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	450,000

Cattle & Calves: Number on Feed for Slaughter Market, 2004-2008

Item	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	'08 as % of '07
	----- Thousand Head -----					Percent
Number on Feed for Slaughter Market	13	10	8	8	7	88

Milk Cows & Production of Milk and Milkfat, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Number of Milk Cows ¹ <i>Thousand Head</i>	Production of Milk and Milkfat ²					
		Per Milk Cow		Percentage of Fat in All Milk Production	Total		
		Milk	Milkfat		Milk	Milkfat	
		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Percent</i>	<i>Million Lbs.</i>		
1998	26.0	18,306	659	3.59	477	16.9	
1999	25.0	18,240	693	3.59	502	17.1	
2000	25.0	18,040	642	3.52	456	18.0	
2001	25.0	19,400	672	3.53	476	16.1	
2002	25.0	19,040	689	3.55	485	16.8	
2003	25.0	19,400	715	3.57	501	17.9	
2004	25.0	20,360	681	3.51	485	17.0	
2005	25.0	21,680	711	3.49	509	17.8	
2006	27.0	20,148	723	3.59	544	19.5	
2007	27.0	20,370	744	3.65	550	20.1	

¹ Average number during the year, excludes heifers not yet fresh.

² Excludes milk sucked by calves.



Milk: Utilization & Returns, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Milk Used on Farms ¹ <i>Million Pounds</i>	Sold to Plants or Dealers ² <i>Million Pounds</i>	Average Returns		Cash Receipts From Marketing <i>Thousand \$</i>
			Per Cwt. Milk	Per Lb. Milkfat	
			<i>Dollars</i>		
1998	5	497	13.80	3.84	68,586
1999	6	450	13.60	3.86	61,200
2000	6	470	11.00	3.12	51,700
2001	6	479	13.00	3.66	62,270
2002	6	495	10.70	3.00	52,965
2003	6	479	11.20	3.19	53,648
2004	6	503	14.90	4.27	74,947
2005	6	536	14.50	4.11	77,720
2006	6	538	12.50	3.48	67,250
2007	6	544	19.10	5.23	103,904

¹ Includes milk fed to calves, used for milk, cream, or butter on the farm.

² Includes any milk produced by dealers own herds and equivalent amounts of milk for cream sold to plants and dealers.

Milk: Cows Milked, Production per Cow, Total Production, by Quarter, Nevada, 2005-2007

Quarter	Cows Milked ¹			Milk Per Cow ²			Milk Production ²		
	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007
	----- Thousand head -----			----- Lbs. -----			----- Millions Lbs. -----		
Jan. - Mar.	25.0	27.0	27.0	5,120	5,000	5,190	128.0	135.0	139.0
Apr. - Jun.	25.0	27.0	27.0	5,480	5,000	5,190	137.0	135.0	135.0
Jul. - Sept.	25.0	27.0	27.0	5,480	5,040	5,150	137.0	136.0	138.0
Oct. - Dec.	25.0	27.0	27.0	5,380	5,100	5,150	140.0	138.0	138.0
Annual	25.3	27.0	27.0	21,680	20,148	20,370	542.0	544.0	550.0

¹ Excludes heifers not yet fresh.

² Excludes milk sucked by calves.



Milk Cows and Production: By County, Nevada, 2006-2007¹

County	2006			2007		
	Milk Cows	Milk per Cow	Milk Production	Milk Cows	Milk per Cow	Milk Production
	<i>Head</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>Million Lbs.</i>	<i>Head</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>Million Lbs.</i>
Churchill	11,900	20,400	243.0	12,300	20,600	253.0
Nye	12,700	20,100	255.0	12,700	20,400	259.0
All Other	2,400	19,200	46.0	1,000	19,000	38.0
State	27,000	20,148	544.0	27,000	20,370	550.0

¹ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Sheep and Lambs: Inventory, January 1, 2007-2008¹

Class of Livestock	Nevada			United States		
	2007	2008	'08 as % of '07	2007	2008	'08 as % of '07
	Thousand head		Percent	Thousand head		Percent
All Sheep and Lambs	75	70	93	6,165	6,055	98
All Market Sheep & Lambs	10	12	120	1,555	1,550	97
Market Sheep	1	1	100	89	80	90
Market Lambs	9	11	122	1,466	1,470	100
All Breeding Sheep & Lambs	65	58	89	4,610	4,505	98
Breeding Ewes 1 year & older	53	47	89	3,696	3,617	98
Breeding Rams 1 year & older	2	2	100	195	193	99
Breeding Replacement Lambs	10	9	90	719	695	97
Inventory Value (Thousand \$)	10,125	9,800	97	823,846	836,092	101
Value Per Head (\$)	135	140	104	134	138	103

¹ Sum of classes may not add to total due to rounding.



Sheep and Lambs: Inventory, Supply and Disposition, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Sheep & Lambs on Jan.1	Lamb Crop	Inshipments	Marketings		Farm Slaughter	Deaths	
				Sheep	Lambs		Sheep	Lambs
-----Thousand Head-----								
1998	88	57	21.0	16.0	45.0	1.0	7	12
1999	85	58	32.0	11.0	53.0	1.0	7	13
2000	90	65	32.0	3.0	65.0	1.0	8	15
2001	95	63	18.0	7.0	45.0	1.0	8	15
2002	90	54	18.0	13.5	44.0	1.5	8	15
2003	80	60	18.0	10.5	50.0	1.5	7	14
2004	75	56	15.5	5.5	51.5	1.5	6	12
2005	70	52	16.9	9.4	36.0	1.5	6	12
2006	74	52	15.6	4.2	41.9	1.5	6	13
2007	75	47	11.5	11.5	32.0	1.0	6	13

Sheep and Lambs: Production and Income, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Production	Marketings	Value of Production	Cash Receipts ¹	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
	----- Thousand Lbs. -----		----- Thousand \$ -----			
1998	2,600	4,860	1,583	2,861	117	2,978
1999	3,080	5,190	2,022	3,271	119	3,390
2000	3,860	5,650	2,189	3,997	123	4,120
2001	3,130	4,230	2,045	2,681	115	2,796
2002	1,738	4,600	1,444	2,889	155	3,044
2003	2,975	5,180	2,512	4,021	182	4,203
2004	3,058	4,700	2,822	4,210	257	4,467
2005	2,673	3,928	2,971	3,671	288	3,959
2006	2,760	3,776	2,225	3,287	240	3,527
2007	2,515	4,285	2,304	3,251	222	3,473

Sheep and Lambs: Inventory, January 1, by County, Nevada, 2004-2008

County & District	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
	----- Actual Numbers -----				
Douglas	600	500	400	500	1,500
Humboldt	8,600	8,300	4,500	5,000	3,000
Lyon	12,700	12,200	12,500	13,000	12,000
Pershing	5,500	5,000	5,100	6,000	7,000
Washoe	4,900	4,500	6,000	6,500	7,000
Other Counties	700	500	2,300	2,000	100
Northwest	33,000	31,000	30,800	33,000	33,600
Elko	18,700	18,000	19,700	20,000	13,000
Eureka	400	400	500	300	600
Lander	2,300	2,200	2,500	2,200	2,900
White Pine	18,600	17,400	18,700	18,500	18,500
Northeast	40,000	38,000	41,400	41,000	35,000
South	2,000	1,000	1,800	1,000	1,400
State	75,000	70,000	74,000	75,000	70,000

Wool Production and Value: Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Sheep Shorn	Weight per Fleece	Wool Production	Price per Pound	Value
	Thousand Head	Lbs.	Thousand Lbs.	Dollars	Thousand \$
1998	67	9.1	607	0.58	352
1999	74	9.1	670	0.33	221
2000	72	9.1	655	0.28	183
2001	71	8.7	620	0.44	273
2002	65	9.1	590	0.85	502
2003	55	8.4	460	0.95	437
2004	55	9.3	510	0.94	479
2005	54	9.3	500	0.87	435
2006	56	9.3	520	0.81	421
2007	51	9.7	495	1.10	545

Hogs and Pigs: Inventory, December 1, 2006-2007¹

Class of Livestock	Nevada			United States		
	2006	2007	'07 as a % of '06	2006	2007	'07 as a % of '06
	----- Thousand Head -----		Pct.	----- Thousand Head -----		Pct.
All Hogs and Pigs	3.5	3.0	86	62,490	65,110	104
Breeding	0.4	0.4	100	6,087	6,157	101
Market	3.1	2.6	84	56,402	58,953	105
Inventory Value (1,000 \$)	420	297	71	5,585,812	4,916,591	88
Value Per Head (\$)	120	99	83	89	73	82

¹ Sum of classes may not add to total due to rounding.

Hogs and Pigs: Inventory, Supply and Disposition, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Hogs & Pigs	Pig Crop	Inshipments	Farm Marketings	Farm Slaughter	Deaths
	Dec.1 ¹	Dec-Nov ¹				
	----- Actual Number -----					
1998	7,500	20,000	3,000	12,200	300	1,000
1999	7,500	1,000	4,000	12,000	300	500
2000	7,500	9,800	8,500	17,500	300	400
2001	7,500	6,600	3,000	9,300	300	500
2002	6,500	6,600	3,500	10,300	300	500
2003	5,500	5,200	4,000	8,500	300	400
2004	5,500	6,000	5,000	10,300	300	400
2005	5,500	4,920	6,600	12,300	300	400
2006	4,000	4,620	5,000	9,400	300	400
2007	3,500	4,230	9,500	13,900	300	400

¹ Inventory as of December 1st of the preceding year.

Hogs and Pigs: Production and Income, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Production	Marketings	Value of Production	Cash Receipts ¹	Value Home Consumption	Gross Income
	----- Thousand Lbs. -----		----- Thousand \$ -----			
1998	2,698	2,755	800	821	21	842
1999	2,709	2,876	945	982	23	1,005
2000	3,440	3,888	1,359	1,524	26	1,555
2001	1,885	2,043	791	849	28	877
2002	2,002	2,365	665	752	22	774
2003	1,773	1,895	631	677	26	703
2004	2,105	2,283	958	1,046	33	1,079
2005	2,229	2,714	1,029	1,265	34	1,299
2006	2,007	2,196	834	910	51	961
2007	2,833	3,228	1,217	1,431	53	1,484

¹ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Goats: Inventory, All Categories, January 1, 2007-2008

Class of Livestock	Nevada			United States		
	2007	2008	'08 as % of '07	2007	2008	'08 as % of '07
Angora Goats	(D)	(D)	---	238,000	210,000	88
Milk Goats	2,700	3,300	122	246,000	305,000	104
Meat and Other goats	3,900	3,350	86	2,402,000	2,500,000	104

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.



Grazing Fee Rates for Cattle by State and Region, 2005-2007

State/Region	Survey Average Rates ¹ (dollars)								
	Animal Unit ²			Cow-Calf			Per Head		
	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007
Arizona	8.00	8.00	8.00	³	³	³	9.50	10.00	10.00
California	15.40	16.50	16.50	20.50	21.00	21.5	17.00	17.00	17.3
Colorado	14.50	14.50	15.00	16.00	16.00	16.70	14.30	15.00	15.10
Idaho	12.50	12.80	13.80	14.60	15.00	16.50	13.00	13.50	14.60
Montana	16.20	16.20	17.80	18.70	18.70	20.10	17.30	18.30	19.20
Nevada	12.20	13.00	13.00	12.50	13.50	14.00	12.50	13.00	13.50
New Mexico	9.50	10.00	11.00	11.50	12.00	13.00	10.80	11.50	12.00
Oregon	13.00	12.50	14.20	15.70	15.00	17.00	12.80	12.80	13.00
Utah	11.60	11.70	12.90	13.60	14.60	14.60	13.00	13.50	14.20
Washington	10.80	9.70	12.10	12.50	12.00	13.70	12.20	12.20	12.20
Wyoming	14.80	15.10	15.40	17.00	17.30	17.90	15.50	15.80	16.10
Western States Avg.	13.70	13.90	14.90	16.20	16.40	17.40	14.60	15.10	15.60

¹ The average rates are estimates based on survey indications of monthly lease rates for private, non-irrigated grazing land from the January Cattle Survey.

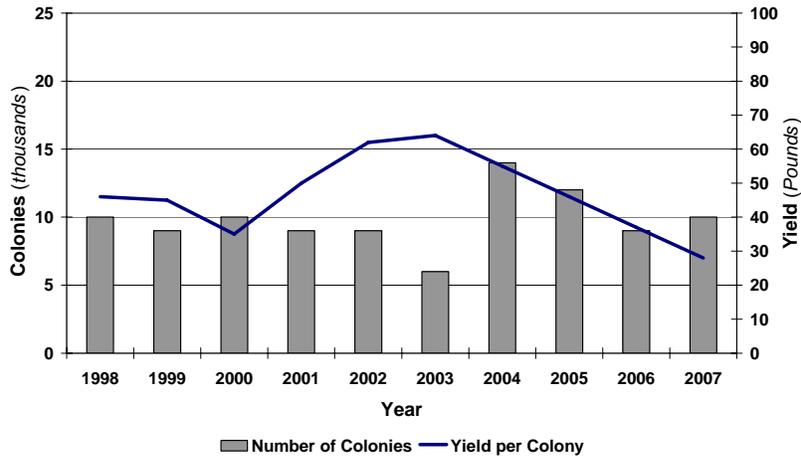
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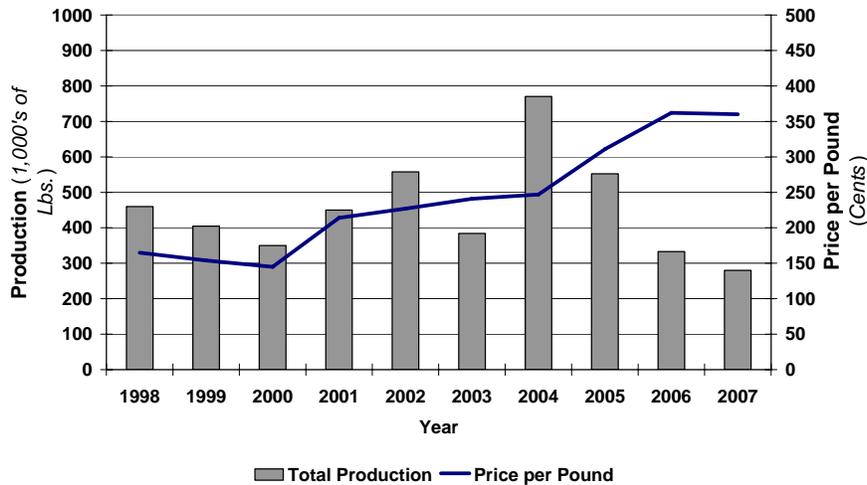
Honey: Production and Value, Nevada, 1998-2007

Year	Colonies of Bees	Yield per Colony	Total Production	Average Price per Pound	Value of Production	Honey Stocks Dec.
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>Thousand Lbs.</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>	<i>Thousand Lbs.</i>
1998	10	46	460	165	759	175
1999	9	45	405	154	624	271
2000	10	35	350	145	508	95
2001	9	50	450	214	963	36
2002	9	62	558	227	1,267	61
2003	6	64	384	241	927	46
2004	14	55	770	247	1,902	316
2005	12	46	552	311	1,717	442
2006	9	37	333	362	1,205	50
2007	10	28	280	360	1,008	67

Honey Bee Colonies and Yield, 1998-2007



Honey Production and Prices, 1998-2007



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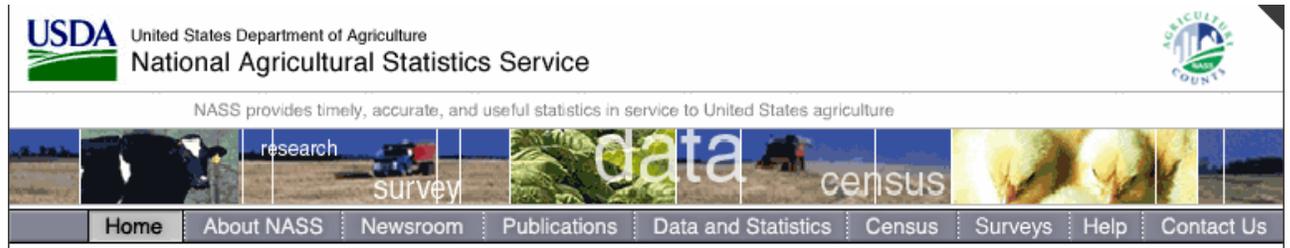
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NASS will never conduct a survey for the sole use of any organization. No organization is given ownership of data or an advantage over anyone else. Summarized results are released to everyone free of charge.

5. When NASS collects data for others in a NASS-approved statistical study, farmers and ranchers will always be informed about the cooperating sponsor and participation will always be voluntary.

When NASS agrees to collect data for selected organizations, such as a university or other government agency, NASS will clearly communicate the name of the sponsoring organization and the purpose of the survey. If we feel the reporting burden is too great or the needs of the agricultural community will not be served by the survey, we will not conduct the survey. Although the data are collected by NASS on behalf of the sponsoring organization, all personal identifiers such as name, address, phone number, etc., are removed. Results of the study are published.

6. Summary data from all NASS surveys and censuses are available to everyone, but will never disclose individual reported information.

NASS releases published data to everyone at the same time. Most reports are available on the Internet within minutes of the scheduled release. Participants in the survey can rest assured that no individual data will be disclosed. For instance, if only one farm produced rice in Pulaski County, Arkansas, then NASS will protect the privacy of that individual farm by not publishing rice data for Pulaski County. Instead, the data would be combined with reports from other counties in the State and published at the aggregate level. No reported data are ever published in a way that would identify an operation.

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