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Sincerely,

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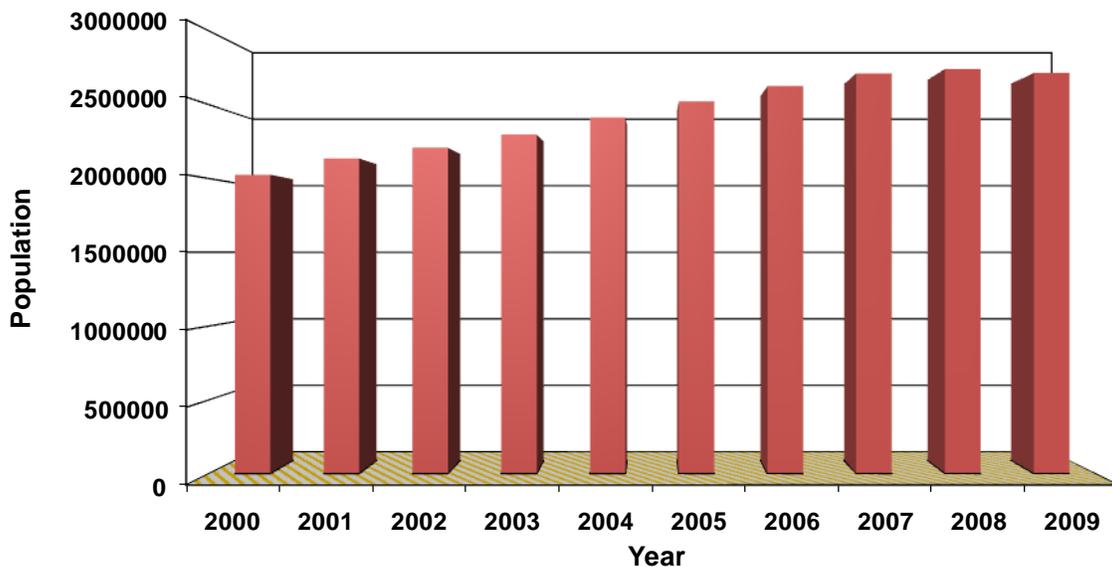
Population of Nevada's Counties and Incorporated Cities, July 1, 2005-2009¹

County	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2009 as percent of 2008
Carson City	57,104	57,701	57,723	57,600	56,506	98.1%
Churchill	26,585	27,371	27,190	26,190	26,859	102.6%
Clark	1,796,380	1,874,837	1,954,319	1,967,716	1,952,040	99.2%
Douglas	50,108	51,770	52,386	52,131	51,390	98.6%
Elko	47,586	48,339	50,434	50,561	51,325	101.5%
Esmeralda	1,276	1,262	1,236	1,240	1,187	95.7%
Eureka	1,485	1,460	1,458	1,553	1,562	100.6%
Humboldt	17,293	17,751	18,052	18,014	17,690	98.2%
Lander	5,509	5,655	5,747	5,891	6,003	101.9%
Lincoln	3,886	3,987	4,184	4,352	4,317	99.2%
Lyon	48,860	54,031	55,903	55,820	53,825	96.4%
Mineral	4,629	4,399	4,377	4,401	4,474	101.7%
Nye	41,302	44,795	46,308	47,370	46,360	97.9%
Pershing	6,736	6,955	7,075	7,192	7,149	99.4%
Storey	4,012	4,110	4,293	4,384	4,317	98.5%
Washoe	396,844	409,085	418,061	423,883	416,632	98.3%
White Pine	9,275	9,542	9,590	9,694	9,570	98.7%
Total	2,518,869	2,623,050	2,718,337	2,738,733	2,711,206	99.0%

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

Nevada had been among the fastest growing states in the Nation for the past several years. The 2009 population decrease indicated by the Nevada State Demographer's Office is the first year-to-year decline in the State's population since 1918. Over two-thirds of Nevada's population is in Las Vegas and commuting areas.

Population of Nevada, 2000-2009



Highlights from the 2007 Census of Agriculture, Nevada

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	878
\$1,000 to \$2,499	306
\$2,500 to \$4,999	269
\$5,000 to \$19,999	333
\$20,000 to \$24,999	262
\$25,000 to \$39,999	72
\$40,000 to \$49,999	154
\$50,000 to \$99,999	63
\$100,000 to \$249,999	179
\$250,000 to \$499,999	255
\$500,000 or more	157
	203
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	401,986
Average per farm (\$)	128,389
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	125,672
Average per farm (\$)	40,138

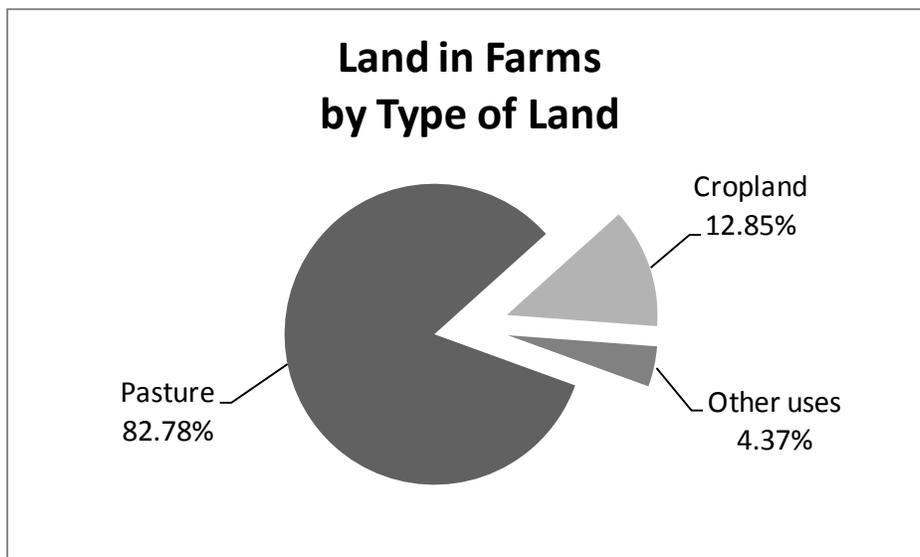
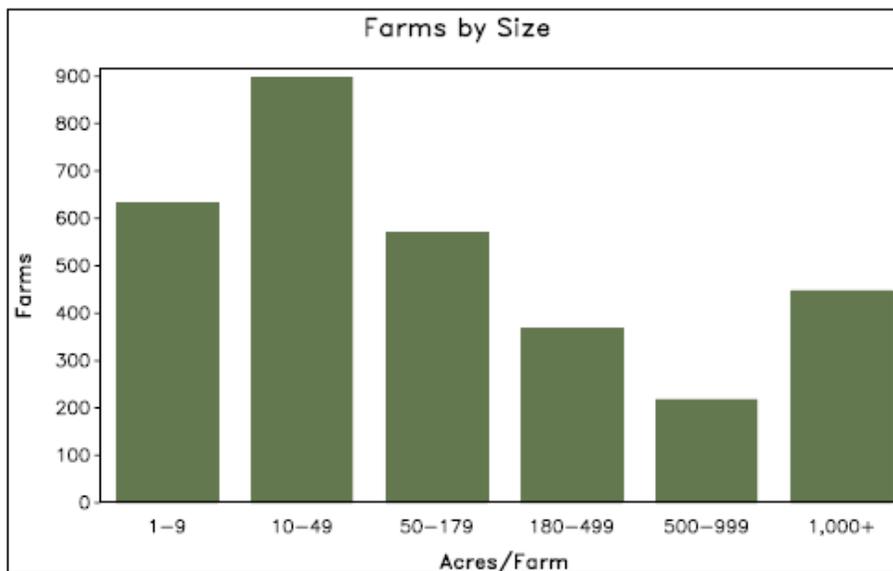
Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation	
Farming	1,650
Other	1,481
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	2,530
Female	601
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.5
All operators by race	
American Indian or Alaska Native	488
Asian	14
Black or African American	4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	5
White	4,420
More than one race	38
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	260

Number of Farms and Land in Farms and Ranches: 2000-2009¹

	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
	<i>Actual #</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>1,000 Acres</i>	<i>1,000's</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>1,000 Acres</i>
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	2,067	6,200	2,127	440	936,750
2004	3,000	2,033	6,100	2,113	441	932,260
2005	3,000	2,033	6,100	2,099	442	927,940
2006	3,000	2,000	6,000	2,089	443	925,790
2007	3,100	1,903	5,900	2,205	418	921,460
2008	3,100	1,903	5,900	2,200	418	919,910
2009	3,080	1,916	5,900	2,200	418	919,800

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

2007 Census of Agriculture: Nevada



Number of Farms by County: Nevada, 2007



Number of Farms by County: Nevada, 2007¹

County	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Farm Size
	<i>Per County</i>	<i>Acreage</i>	<i>Acreage</i>
Carson City	21	2,756	131
Churchill	529	131,448	248
Clark	193	88,381	458
Douglas	179	91,046	509
Elko	456	2,085,135	4,573
Esmeralda	19	24,943	1,313
Eureka	86	783,440	9,110
Humboldt	254	756,313	2,978
Lander	84	339,091	4,037
Lincoln	98	46,271	472
Lyon	325	260,660	802
Mineral	84	(D)	(D)
Nye	173	90,868	525
Pershing	135	244,249	1,809
Storey	5	(D)	(D)
Washoe	393	485,893	1,236
White Pine	97	(D)	(D)
State Total	3,131	5,865,392	1,873

¹ 2007 USDA Census of Agriculture, State and County Data, Vol. 1, Geographic Area Series, Part 28

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

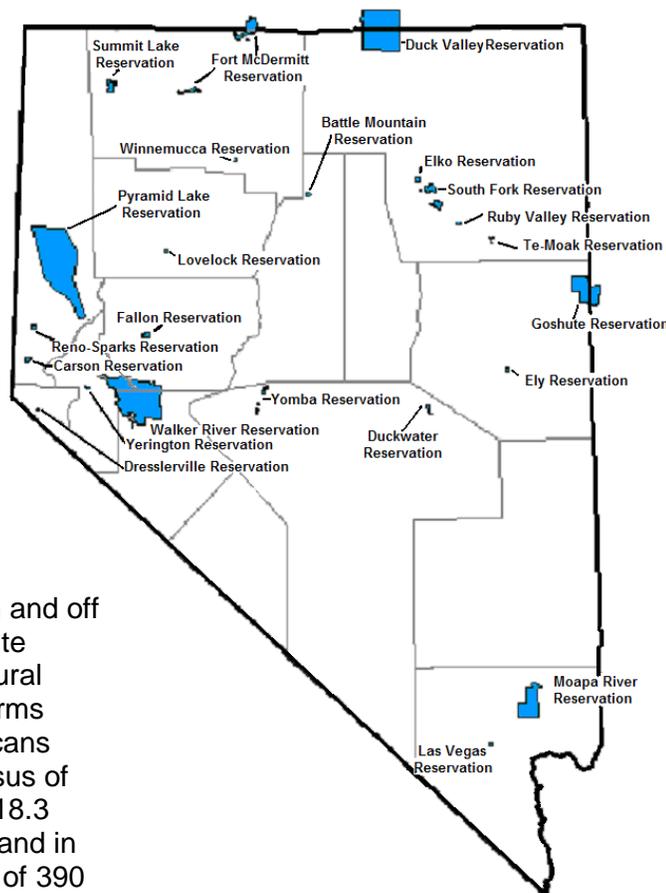
Number of Farms With Livestock: Nevada and United States, 2000-2009¹

Year	Nevada				United States			
	Cattle	Milk Cows	Sheep	Hogs	Cattle	Milk Cows	Sheep	Hogs
	----- Actual Number -----				----- Thousand -----			
2000	1,700	150	300	100	1,076.3	105.0	69.2	87.5
2001	1,700	150	300	100	1,049.1	97.4	68.6	81.2
2002	1,700	130	300	110	1,036.4	91.2	68.2	76.3
2003	1,600	120	300	110	1,013.6	86.3	67.7	73.7
2004	1,600	120	300	110	989.5	81.5	67.6	69.5
2005	1,600	110	300	110	982.5	78.3	68.5	67.3
2006	1,600	100	300	110	971.4	74.9	69.2	65.9
2007	1,500	60	250	90	965.5	70.0	83.1	75.5
2008	1,400	----	----	----	955.5	65.0	82.5	73.2
2009 ²					950.0	65.0	82.5	71.5

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

² Estimates now published only for Census years. Next published state level values will be for 2012.

Nevada Tribal Lands



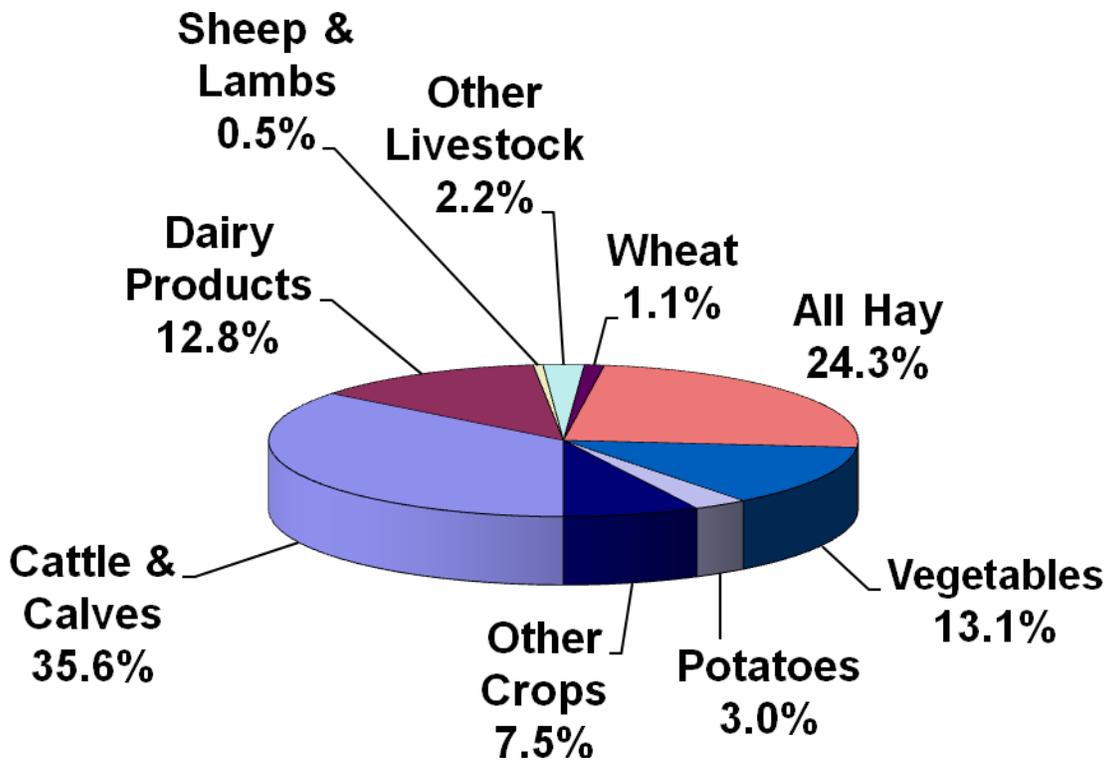
Native Americans, both on and off reservation lands, contribute significantly to the agricultural production of Nevada. Farms operated by Native Americans identified in the 2007 Census of Agriculture accounted for 18.3 percent of all non-federal land in farms in the State. A total of 390 farms had American Indian principal farm operators. 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.

Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings: By Commodity, Nevada 2007-2009¹

Item	2007		2008		2009	
	Millions \$	Percent	Millions \$	Percent	Millions \$	Percent
Cattle & Calves	199,855	36.9	185,168	32.4	192,441	35.6
Dairy Products	99,554	18.4	93,457	16.3	68,970	12.8
Sheep & Lambs	3,435	0.6	3,611	0.6	2,904	0.5
All other Livestock & Products	19,162	3.5	17,273	3.0	12,149	2.2
Total Livestock & Products	322,006	59.4	295,950	52.1	276,464	51.1
Wheat	7,052	1.3	8,670	1.5	5,883	1.1
All Hay	122,422	24.3	187,286	31.8	131,121	24.3
Vegetables	40,798	7.5	50,148	6.0	70,769	13.1
Potatoes	14,223	2.9	13,604	2.8	15,962	3.0
All Other Crops	24,878	4.6	33,563	5.8	40,387	7.5
Total Crops	209,772	40.6	296,101	47.9	264,122	48.9
Total All Commodities	531,886	100.0	592,051	100.0	540,586	100.0

¹ Totals may not add due to rounding

Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings 2009



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

The value-added format is 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, 2005-2009

Item	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
	----- Thousands of Dollars -----				
Value of Agricultural Sector Production¹	578,458	598,296	578,333	678,627	653,988
Value of Crop Production	172,890	208,355	206,603	285,947	261,062
Value of Livestock Production	310,085	289,318	271,728	296,208	278,029
Revenues from Services and Forestry	95,483	100,623	100,002	96,472	114,897
Total Purchased Inputs	278,634	296,005	315,606	338,261	359,225
Farm Origin Inputs	108,484	103,124	112,471	112,559	132,044
Feed Purchased	50,684	56,311	69,196	70,242	74,196
Livestock and Poultry Purchased	48,350	37,768	35,658	33,563	48,299
Seed Purchased	9,450	9,045	7,617	8,754	9,549
Manufactured Inputs	71,917	74,835	87,572	106,186	91,875
Fertilizers and Lime	15,299	16,240	19,644	24,814	22,890
Pesticides	9,385	9,950	11,162	13,205	12,419
Petroleum Fuel and Oils, Electricity	24,186	26,121	30,934	36,216	28,110
Electricity	23,047	22,524	25,832	31,951	28,456
Other Purchased Inputs	98,233	118,046	115,563	119,516	135,306
Repair and Maintenance of Capital Items	23,520	29,180	28,858	31,527	35,650
Machine Hire and Custom Work	4,524	6,322	6,227	6,147	6,829
Marketing, Storage and Transportation Expense	19,126	22,281	17,723	21,628	23,086
Contract Labor	4,389	5,461	6,658	6,482	6,873
Miscellaneous Expenses	46,674	54,802	56,097	53,732	62,868
Net Government Transactions	(1,590)	(7,148)	(9,988)	(5,974)	(6,643)
Direct Government Payments	11,725	8,620	10,298	13,246	11,166
Motor Vehicle Registration and Licensing Fees	(1,186)	(1,024)	(1,249)	(1,292)	(1,425)
Property Taxes	(12,129)	(14,744)	(19,037)	(17,928)	(16,384)
Gross Value Added	298,234	295,144	252,739	334,392	288,120
Capital Consumption	58,746	65,480	65,806	68,056	71,158
Net Value Added²	239,488	229,664	186,933	266,336	216,962
Payments to Stakeholders	90,373	95,935	105,543	105,364	112,264
Employee Compensation (total hired labor)	67,913	70,017	79,343	78,164	85,364
Net Rent Received by Non-Operator Landlords	3,199	3,988	3,307	3,575	3,595
Real Estate and Non-Real Estate Interest	19,261	21,930	22,893	23,625	23,305
Net Farm Income³	149,115	133,729	81,390	160,972	104,698

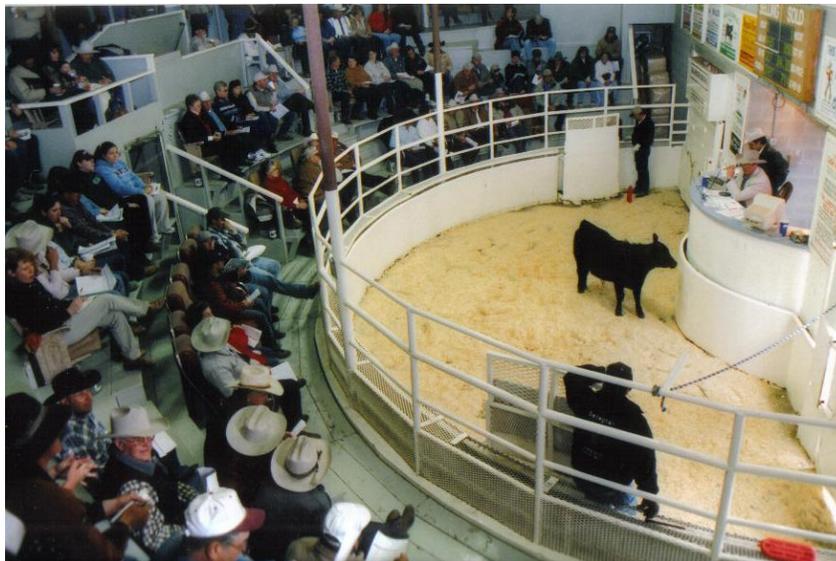
Source: Economic Indicators of the Farm Sector, State Financial Summary, USDA-ERS.

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

²Net 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. ³Net 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, 2005-2009

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
----- Dollars per Ton -----												
All Hay												
2005	104.00	106.00	113.00	102.00	104.00	114.00	122.00	128.00	114.00	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	127.00	138.00	142.00	144.00	149.00	150.00	156.00
2008	158.00	169.00	169.00	178.00	178.00	172.00	194.00	195.00	199.00	189.00	191.00	187.00
2009	150.00	165.00	154.00	135.00	131.00	130.00	140.00	140.00	125.00	118.00	103.00	99.00
Alfalfa Hay												
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
2008	160.00	170.00	170.00	180.00	181.00	173.00	195.00	196.00	199.00	189.00	192.00	189.00
2009	182.00	175.00	169.00	175.00	150.00	136.00	110.00	96.00	104.00	99.00	105.00	102.00
Other Hay												
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
2008	135.00	140.00	140.00	155.00	156.00	148.00	170.00	185.00	191.00	180.00	185.00	165.00
2009	179.00	174.00	168.00	172.00	149.00	136.00	113.00	100.00	105.00	100.00	105.00	102.00



Season Average Prices, Cattle & Calves, Sheep & Lambs, and Hogs & Pigs, 2007-2009

Year	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009
Commodity	Nevada			United States		
----- Average Price per Cwt. (\$) -----						
Cattle	87.10	85.00	79.00	89.90	89.10	80.30
Calves	121.00	114.00	111.00	119.00	110.00	103.00
Hogs & Pigs	44.30	46.30	38.80	46.70	47.00	41.70
Sheep	46.00	34.00	35.00	31.00	27.20	32.50
Lambs	109.00	112.00	106.00	98.50	99.60	99.60

2009 Crop/ Weather Summary



January: Mild weather dominated the state during January resulting in generally above normal temperatures. Las Vegas recorded the monthly high at 70 degrees. Eureka recorded the lowest temperature of the month at -18 degrees. Precipitation was scattered during the month. Ely recorded the most precipitation with 1.49 inches. Supplemental feeding of range livestock continued. Potato processing was ongoing, as was the bagging in shipping of onions.

February: Mild weather dominated the state during February. Late February storm systems brought rain and snow to most northern Nevada locations bolstering mountain snow pack and providing much needed moisture for grazing lands. Las Vegas recorded the monthly high at 74 degrees. Eureka recorded the lowest temperature of the month at -12 degrees. Precipitation was scattered during the month. Las Vegas recorded the most precipitation with 0.78 inches. Supplemental feeding of range livestock continued. Other farm and ranch activities included: equipment maintenance, early calving, fence repairs, crop and livestock marketing, industry meetings.

March: A fast moving cold front brought snow to much of northern Nevada early in the month. Las Vegas recorded the monthly high at 85 degrees. Ely recorded the lowest temperature of the month at 2 degrees. Precipitation was scattered during the month. Reno recorded the most precipitation with 1.61 inches. Drought conditions for northwestern Nevada improved from severe to moderate drought. Supplemental feeding of range livestock continued. Other farm and ranch activities included: equipment maintenance, calving, fence repairs, field preparation, ditch burning, and weed control.

April: Several cold fronts moved across the state during the month bringing windy conditions. Temperatures remained cool except for a few warm days late in the month. Las Vegas recorded the monthly high at 95 degrees. Winnemucca recorded the lowest temperature of the month at 9 degrees. Eureka recorded the most precipitation, 2.1 inches, which was 1.41 inches above normal. Field preparations and spring grain planting was in full swing. Drought conditions for northeastern Nevada improved from moderate drought to abnormally dry. 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: Storm fronts moved through the state during the beginning and end of May bringing rain and cooler temperatures. Temperatures for most of the month were warm with all of Nevada experiencing above normal temperatures. Temperatures ranged from 3.8 to 8.6 degrees above normal. Las Vegas recorded the high of 103. Eureka had the low temperature of 26. Eureka also recorded the most precipitation with 1.14 inches. Crop conditions were generally good and the warm weather improved pasture and range growth. Spring planted grains began to emerge and fall seeded fields showed good growth. Potato planting was underway. Main farm and ranch activities: planting, irrigating, weed, and insect control.

June: Unseasonal storm fronts moved through the state during the beginning of June bringing rain, cooler temperatures, and thunderstorms. Temperatures for most of the month were mild with most of Nevada experiencing below normal temperatures. Temperatures ranged from 1.5 degrees above normal to 3.8 degrees below normal. Las Vegas recorded the high of 108. Ely had the low temperature of 32. Elko recorded the most precipitation with 2.94 inches. Crop conditions were generally good and the wet weather improved pasture and range growth. Rain damaged much of the first hay cutting. Some growers delayed cutting due to rains, resulting in mature forage. Garlic, onions, and potatoes were in good to excellent condition. Main farm and ranch activities: haying, irrigating, weed, and insect control.

2009 Crop/ Weather Summary (continued)

July: Beginning of July was mostly warm and sunny. Several thunderstorms, bringing spotty rain, passed through the state near the end of the month. Ely's temperature averaged 0.8 degrees below normal, well the rest of the state averaged 1.4 to 6.4 degrees above normal. Las Vegas recorded the high of 113. Ely recorded a low of 38. Ely also recorded the most precipitation with .92 inches. Reno recorded the least with .01 inches. However, several locations around Reno are estimated to have received between ½ and 1 inch of rain. Hay producers finished the first cutting and started the second cutting. Potato are showing flowers and in good condition. Garlic and onions were also in good condition. The main farm and ranch activities were irrigating, haying, weed and insect control, and equipment maintenance.

August: August was mostly a quiet month dominated by warm temperatures and some precipitation. Temperatures averaged between four degrees below normal and four degrees above normal for the month. Las Vegas recorded the monthly high of 110 degrees. Reno and Winnemucca were close behind with a high of 101. Ely recorded a low of 30 degrees. Elko recorded the most precipitation with 0.68 inches. Range conditions were declining seasonally as warm weather was common. Small grain harvest was complete by month's end with onion and garlic harvest ongoing. Potatoes were in good condition. Mint harvest is ongoing. Additionally, the main farm and ranch activities were irrigating, haying, weed and insect control, equipment maintenance, and preparing for fall-seeded crops as August drew to a close.

September: Warm daytime temperatures, cooler nighttime temperatures and some precipitation dominated the state's weather. Warmer weather earlier in the month gave way to cooler, windier weather as a cold front passed through the State towards month's end. Temperatures averaged two to seven degrees above normal for the month. Several daily record highs occurred across the state during the month. Reno broke the record for warmest September on record with an average monthly temperature of 69.6 degrees. Ely recorded the most precipitation with 0.33 inches. Range conditions were declining seasonally. Potato harvest is ongoing. The main farm and ranch activities were weed and insect control, equipment maintenance, and preparing for fall-seeded crops.

October: Unseasonably wet weather passed through the State in the middle of the month. The storm system brought heavy rains, dropping 1.45 inches in Reno during a 24 hour period. Just shy of tying the record. Temperatures dropped again towards the end of the month as a cold front passed through the state. Temperatures had returned to normal by the end of the month. Las Vegas recorded the monthly high at 93 degrees. Eureka recorded the lowest temperature of the month at 10 degrees. Precipitation was mostly isolated to northern parts of the State. Reno recorded the most precipitation with 1.50 inches. Ely was a close second recording 1.44 inches. Pasture and range conditions were declining seasonally. Livestock producers worked to gather livestock for market and to move herds to winter pastures. Potato harvest continued throughout the month. Onions, garlic, alfalfa seed, and mint harvested finished. Seasonal onions were being taken to sheds for sorting, bagging, and shipping. Main farm and ranch activities include: harvest of hay, weed control, equipment maintenance, and planting of fall-seeded crops.

November: November weather started out mild before a series of storms brought light rain and strong winds. November had several windy days with wind gust of 71 mph recorded. Las Vegas recorded the monthly high at 83 degrees. Ely recorded the lowest temperature of the month at 0 degrees. Precipitation was scattered during the month. Winnemucca recorded the most precipitation with 0.41 inches. Nevada farmers and ranchers generally completed most field work by month's end as late season hay harvests in some southern locations wrapped up. Potato harvest finished. Seasonal onions were being taken to sheds for sorting, bagging, and shipping. Cattle movement slowed throughout the month as ranchers moved livestock to market and winter grazing. Main farm and ranch activities include: harvest of hay, weed control, equipment maintenance, and planting of fall-seeded crops.

December: A cold front passed through the State early in the month bringing cold temperatures and snow. Temperatures ranged from 1.6 to 10.0 degrees below normal for the month. Las Vegas recorded the monthly high at 64 degrees. Elko recorded the lowest temperature of the month at -22 degrees. Reno recorded the most precipitation with 1.79 inches. Snow began to accumulate in the mountains. Supplemental feeding of range livestock was common. Potato and onion processing was ongoing.

Nevada Climatological Data: Temperatures & Precipitation, 2009

Elko Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2009	28.1	32.1	37.9	44.2	57.2	61.7	71.5	67.5	63.7	43.6	34.6	16.0	46.5
Departure from Normal	2.5	0.9	-0.7	-0.4	4.5	-0.0	2.5	-0.1	5.5	-3.1	0.1	-10.0	0.1
Highest	49	57	69	80	91	95	99	99	92	77	74	48	99
Lowest	-6	5	12	19	29	39	40	36	28	13	1	-22	-22
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	1.28	0.59	0.78	0.83	0.47	2.94	0.20	0.68	0.27	0.49	0.01	1.68	11.22
Departure from Normal	0.14	-0.29	-0.20	-1.02	-0.61	-2.27	-0.10	0.32	-0.41	-0.22	1.04	-0.75	-1.63
Greatest 24 Hour	0.55	0.18	0.24	0.58	1.37	0.10	0.10	0.38	0.24	0.23	0.01	0.54	0.58

Ely Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2008	25.5	27.3	35.4	41.3	54.2	56.1	66.6	61.5	58.8	40.2	33.6	16.3	43.1
Departure from Normal	0.3	-2.5	-0.5	-0.9	3.8	-3.8	-0.8	-4.3	2.1	-5.2	0.1	-9.5	-1.8
Highest	52	54	67	74	86	87	94	93	86	73	69	49	94
Lowest	-14	-2	2	13	27	32	38	30	19	12	0	-19	-19
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	1.49	0.54	0.65	1.18	0.33	1.78	0.92	0.33	0.33	1.44	T	1.05	10.4
Departure from Normal	0.75	-0.21	-0.40	0.28	-0.96	-1.12	0.32	-0.58	-0.61	0.44	-0.63	0.55	0.07
Greatest 24 Hour	0.84	0.28	0.30	0.49	0.14	0.33	0.41	0.33	0.24	0.98	T	0.32	0.98

Las Vegas Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2008	51.0	51.9	59.8	66.0	83.6	83.4	94.7	90.5	86.2	67.0	59.2	45.4	69.9
Departure from Normal	4.0	-0.3	1.5	0.0	8.2	-2.2	3.5	1.2	4.9	-1.7	4.2	-1.6	1.8
Highest	70	74	85	94	103	108	113	110	103	93	83	64	113
Lowest	29	34	39	40	65	62	75	68	64	44	39	30	29
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	0.04	0.78	T	0.05	0.00	0.10	0.29	0.02	T	T	0.02	0.29	1.59
Departure from Normal	-0.55	-0.09	-0.59	-0.10	-0.24	-0.02	-0.15	-0.43	-0.31	-0.24	-0.29	-0.11	-2.90
Greatest 24 Hour	0.04	0.59	T	0.04	0.00	0.10	0.24	0.02	T	T	0.02	0.28	0.59

Reno Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2008	37.6	40.1	43.7	50.3	65.0	66.2	77.7	73.9	69.6	52.0	43.8	26.9	53.9
Departure from Normal	4.0	1.6	0.4	1.7	8.6	1.5	6.4	4.0	7.2	0.0	2.9	-6.7	2.6
Highest	61	65	73	85	95	97	102	101	96	8	74	51	102
Lowest	16	17	21	24	41	47	50	49	39	25	21	-6	-6
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	0.51	0.21	1.61	0.35	0.50	1.52	0.01	0.01	T	1.50	0.24	1.79	8.25
Departure from Normal	-0.55	-0.85	0.75	0.00	-0.12	1.05	-0.23	-0.26	-0.45	1.08	-0.56	0.91	0.77
Greatest 24 Hour	0.23	0.13	0.93	0.26	0.38	0.46	0.01	0.01	T	0.45	0.12	0.83	1.45

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Nevada Climatological Data: Temperatures & Precipitation, 2009 *(continued)*

Winnemucca Weather Station													
TEMPERATURE (°F)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Monthly Avg. 2007	32.5	36.6	39.4	44.5	60.7	63.1	73.4	69.5	64.3	45.5	36.3	22.6	49.0
Departure from Normal	2.4	0.5	-1.7	-2.2	5.5	-1.2	1.4	-0.4	-4.0	-3.3	-1.1	-4.0	-0.5
Highest	57	63	70	84	94	99	104	101	95	79	74	47	104
Lowest	4	2	11	9	32	35	40	35	25	11	5	-12	-12
PRECIPITATION (inches)													
Monthly Total	1.11	0.26	0.69	0.97	0.62	1.34	0.35	0.17	0.02	0.48	0.41	0.85	7.27
Departure from Normal	0.28	-0.36	-0.17	0.12	-0.44	0.65	0.08	-0.18	-0.51	-0.18	-0.39	0.04	-1.06
Greatest 24 Hour	0.48	0.12	0.43	0.45	0.41	0.33	0.35	0.15	0.02	0.32	0.20	0.31	0.48



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, 1922	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	1975, 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, 2008	1870
Yield	Bushels	110.00	1992	23.00	1877	1870
Production	Bushels	2,560,000	1982	90,000	2001, 2007	1870
Alfalfa Hay:						
Harvested	Acres	280,000	2009	98,000	1947	1909
Yield	Tons	4.80	2005, 2008	1.80	1931	1909
Production	Tons	1,316,000	2009	232,000	1943	1909
All Other Hay:						
Harvested	Acres	315,000	1965	56,000	1931	1919
Yield	Tons	2.00	2009	0.89	1931	1919
Production	Tons	428,000	1982	50,000	1931	1919
All Hay:						
Harvested	Acres	530,000	1983	206,000	1931	1909
Yield	Tons	3.58	2005, 2008	1.33	1943	1909
Production	Tons	1,730,000	2009	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.	470.00	2009	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	2,900	2009	1867

Annual Crop Summary - Nevada, 2006-2009

Crop	Year	Acreage		Production			Season Average Price	Value of Production
		Planted	Harvested	Measured Unit	Yield per Acre	Thousands	Dollars	Thousand \$
		----- Thousands -----						
Winter Wheat	2006	17.0	8.0	Bushels	110	880	4.10	3,608
	2007	17.0	12.0		100	1,200	6.50	7,800
	2008	12.0	7.0		103	721	6.54	4,715
	2009	16.0	11.0		102	1,122	4.60	5,161
Spring Wheat	2006	6.0	2.0		88	176	4.25	748
	2007	6.0	1.0		90	90	6.25	563
	2008	9.0	4.0		95	380	7.27	2,763
	2009	4.0	2.0		75	150	5.15	773
All Wheat	2006	23.0	10.0		105.6	1,056	4.15	4,356
	2007	23.0	13.0		99.2	1,290	6.50	8,363
	2008	21.0	11.0		100.1	1,101	6.79	7,478
	2009	20.0	13.0		97.8	1,272	4.65	5,934
Barley	2006	4.0	2.0		100	200	3.05	610
	2007	3.0	1.0		90	90	4.00	360
	2008	3.0	1.0		100	100	5.35	535
	2009	--	--		--	--	--	--
Alfalfa Hay	2006	----	270.0	Tons	4.7	1,269	115.00	145,935
	2007	----	265.0		4.5	1,193	148.00	176,564
	2008	----	270.0		4.8	1,296	188.00	243,648
	2009	----	280.0		4.7	1,316	107.00	140,812
All Other Hay	2006	----	200.0		1.8	350	109.00	38,150
	2007	----	195.0		1.8	351	144.00	50,544
	2008	----	185.0		1.8	333	174.00	57,942
	2009	----	210.0		2.0	420	121.00	50,820
All Hay	2006	----	470.0		3.44	1,619	115.00	184,085
	2007	----	460.0		3.36	1,544	148.00	227,108
	2008	----	455.0		3.58	1,629	187.00	301,590
	2009	----	490.0		3.54	1,730	108.00	191,032
Corn Silage	2006	4.0	4.0		25	100	----	----
	2007	5.0	5.0		25	125	----	----
	2008	5.0	5.0		26	130	----	----
	2009	4.0	4.0		24	96	----	----
Alfalfa Seed	2006	----	4.0	Pounds	730	2,920	1.30	3,796
	2007	----	6.5		700	4,550	1.45	6,598
	2008	----	5.0		850	4,250	1.80	7,650
	2009	----	5.0		700	3,500	1.90	6,650
Potatoes	2006	6.6	6.6	Cwt.	445	2,937	6.10	17,916
	2007	7.3	7.3		390	2,847	5.95	16,940
	2008	5.8	5.8		410	2,378	7.75	18,430
	2009	5.1	5.1		470	2,397	6.40	15,341
		----- Actual Acres -----		----- Hundredweight-----				
Garlic	2006	620	620	125	77,000	17.00	1,309	
	2007	610	610	69	42,000	15.00	630	
	2008	640	640	150	96,000	19.00	1,824	
	2009	530	530	170	89,000	25.00	2,225	
Onions	2006	2,600	2,600	760	1,976,000	30.00	59,280	
	2007	2,800	2,800	740	2,072,000	19.00	39,368	
	2008	2,600	2,600	760	1,976,000	24.00	47,424	
	2009	3,400	3,400	720	2,448,000	28.00	68,544	

All Hay: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

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>
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	3.44	1,619	115.00	184,085
2007	460	3.36	1,544	148.00	227,108
2008	455	3.58	1,629	187.00	301,590
2009	490	3.54	1,730	108.00	191,032

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.



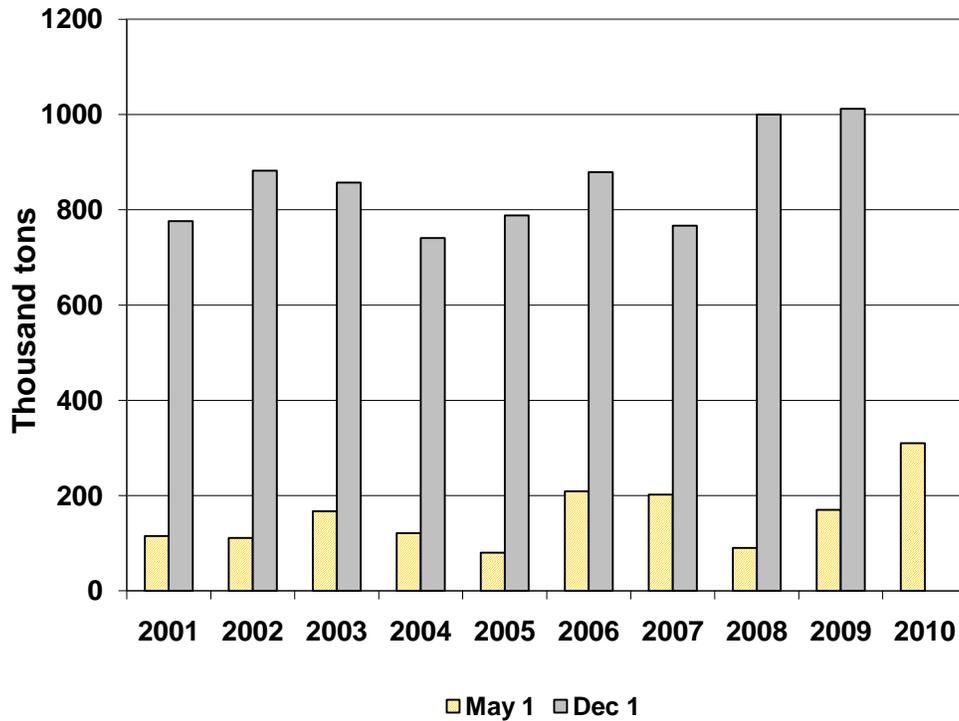
Alfalfa: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

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>
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	101.00	118,675
2005	260	4.80	1,248	120.00	149,760
2006	270	4.70	1,269	115.00	145,935
2007	265	4.50	1,193	148.00	176,564
2008	270	4.80	1,296	188.00	243,648
2009	280	4.70	1,316	107.00	140,812

All Other Hay: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada 2000-2009

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Tons/Acre</i>	<i>Thousand Tons</i>	<i>Dollars per ton</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
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	1.80	350	109.00	38,150
2007	195	1.80	351	144.00	50,544
2008	185	1.80	333	174.00	57,942
2009	210	2.00	420	121.00	50,820

All Hay Stocks on Farms, Nevada, May 1 and December 1, 2001-2010



Hay: Stocks on Farms, Nevada, May 1 and December 1, 2001-2010

Year	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
	----- Thousand Tons -----									
May 1	115	111	167	121	80	209	202	90	170	310
December 1	776	882	857	741	788	879	767	1,000	1,012	n/a

Small Grain Hay: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

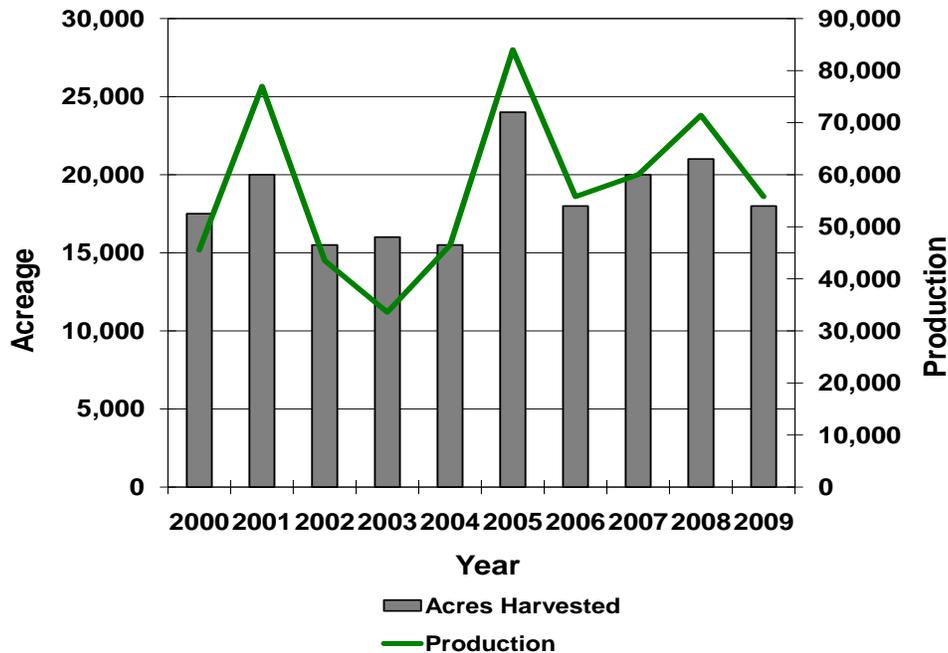
Year	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Season Average Price ¹	Value of Production
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Tons/Acre</i>	<i>Thousand Tons</i>	<i>Dollars per ton</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
2000	17.5	2.6	45.5	77.00	3,504
2001	20.0	3.5	77.0	88.00	6,776
2002	15.5	2.9	43.5	64.00	2,784
2003	16.0	2.1	33.6	73.00	2,456
2004	15.5	3.0	46.5	80.00	3,720
2005	24.0	3.5	84.0	96.00	8,064
2006	18.0	3.1	55.8	81.00	4,520
2007	20.0	3.0	60.0	125.00	7,250
2008	21.0	3.4	71.4	150.00	10,710
2009	18.0	3.1	55.8	72.00	4,018

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, 2000-2009



Alfalfa Hay: Acreage Harvested, Yield & Production, by County, Nevada, 2008-2009

County	2008			2009		
	Acres	Yield	Production	Acres	Yield	Production
		Tons/Acre	Tons		Tons/Acre	Tons
Churchill	24,000	4.80	115,000	25,000 (D)	5.30 (D)	133,000 (D)
Douglas	10,000	5.30	53,000			
Humboldt	51,000	4.85	247,000	46,000	4.70	216,000
Lyon	39,000	4.50	175,000	40,000	4.80	192,000
Pershing	33,000	5.30	175,000	34,000	4.30	147,000
Washoe	4,000	4.50	18,000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Combined Counties	1,000	3.00	3,000	17,000	3.0	72,000
Northwest	162,000	4.85	786,000	162,000	4.69	760,000
Elko	13,000	3.15	41,000	16,000	2.80	45,000
Eureka	20,000	4.30	86,000	19,000	4.90	93,000
Lander	28,000	5.15	144,000	30,000	5.40	162,000
White Pine	12,000	3.60	43,000	14,000	4.05	57,000
Northeast	73,000	4.30	314,000	79,000	4.52	357,000
Esmeralda	12,000	5.75	69,000	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lincoln	12,000	5.25	63,000	12,000	4.50	54,000
Nye	8,000	5.65	45,000	12,000	4.40	53,000
Combined Counties	3,000	6.35	19,000	15,000	6.15	92,000
South	35,000	5.60	196,000	39,000	5.10	199,000
State	270,000	4.80	1,296,000	280,000	4.70	1,316,000

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms

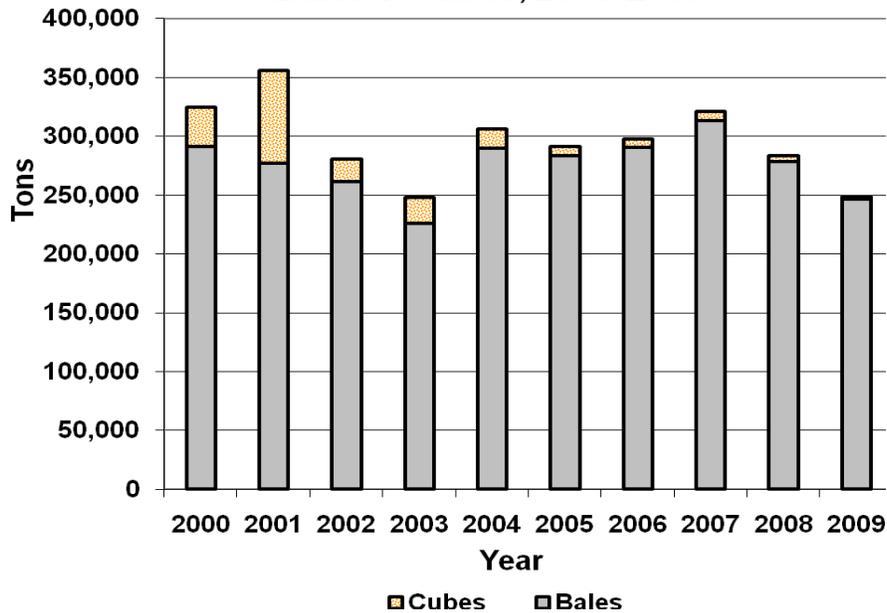


Alfalfa Hay: Volume Trucked from Nevada to California, 2000-2009

Year	Bales	Cubes	Total
	----- Tons -----		
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
2008	278,847	4,533	283,380
2009	246,593	2,448	249,041



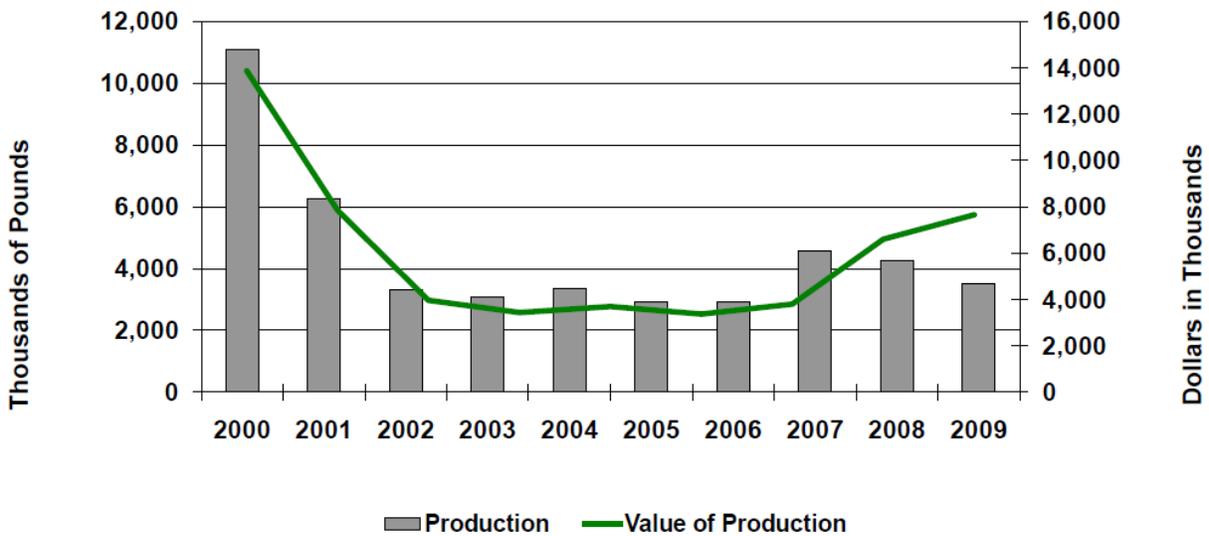
Alfalfa Trucked from Nevada to California, Bales & Cubes, 2000-2009



Alfalfa Seed: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

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>
2000	14,500	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	3,796
2007	6,500	700.0	4,550	1.45	6,598
2008	5,000	850.0	4,250	1.80	7,650
2009	5,000	700.0	3,500	1.90	6,650

Alfalfa Seed, Production & Value 2000-2009



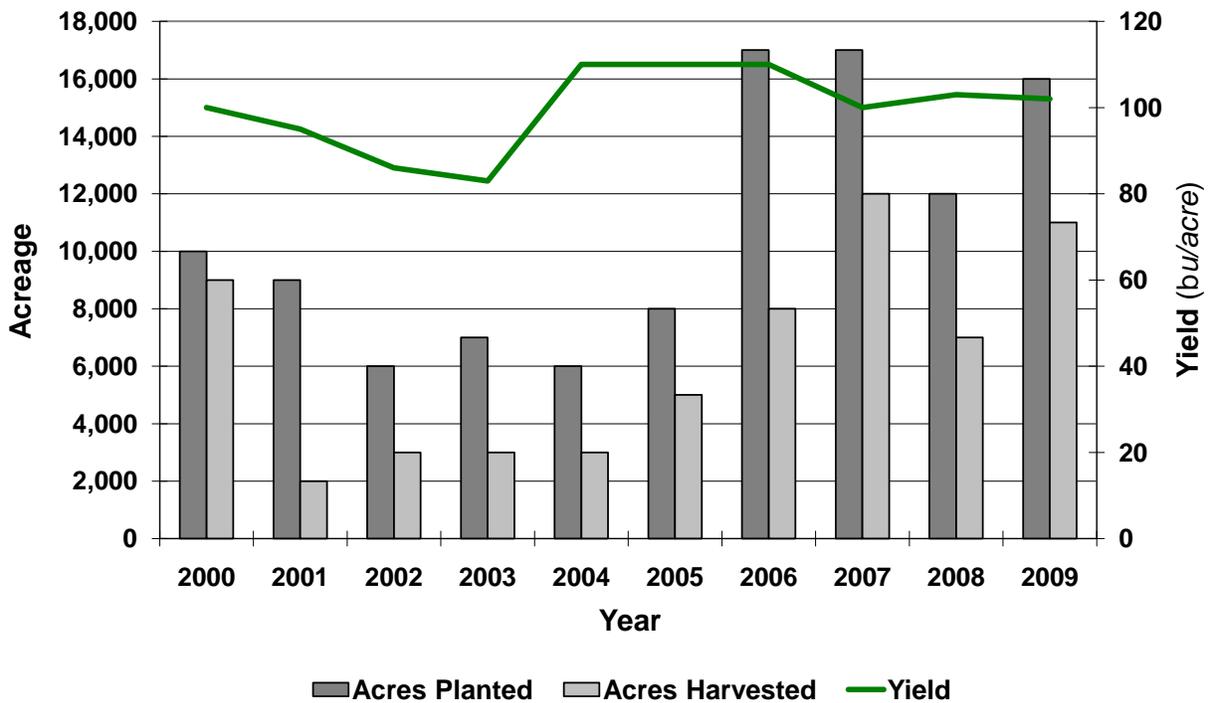
New Seedings of Alfalfa & Alfalfa Mixtures, 2000-2009

Year	Nevada	United States
	<i>Thousands of Acres</i>	
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
2008	21	2,699
2009	16	2,665

Winter Wheat: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Total Production	Season Price Avg.	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		Bushels	Thousand Bu.	\$ per Bu.	Thousand \$
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
2008	12,000	7,000	103	721	6.54	4,715
2009	16,000	11,000	102	1,122	4.60	5,161

Winter Wheat, 2000-2009

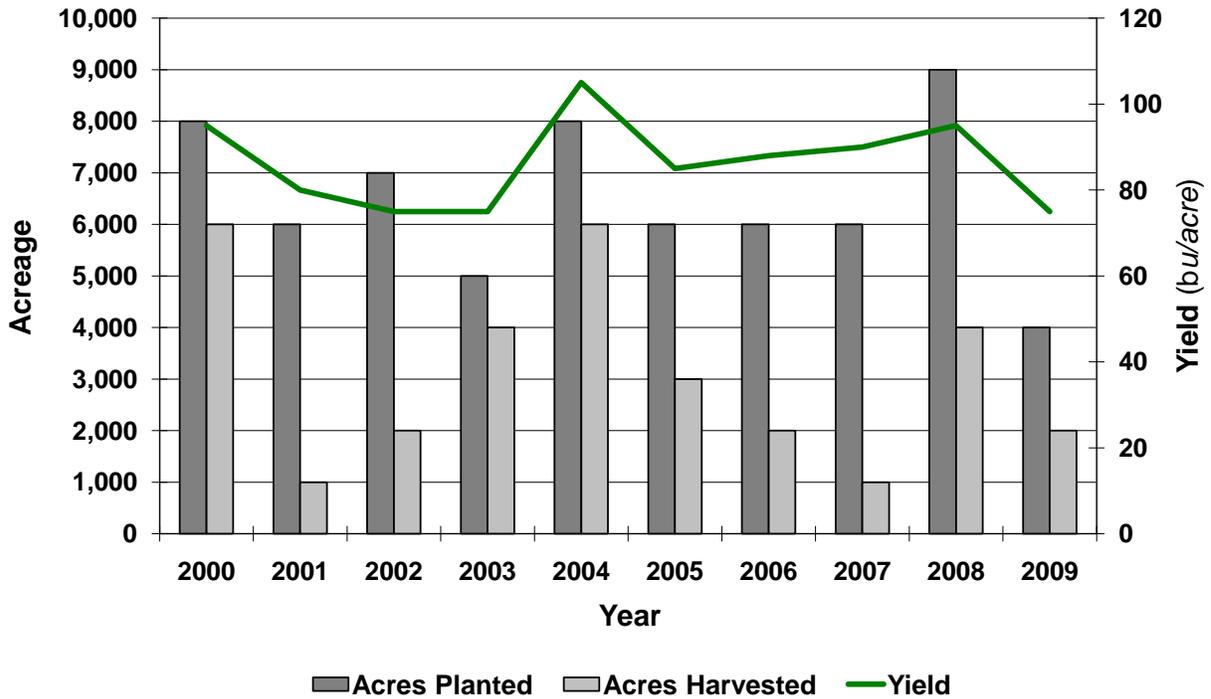


Spring Wheat: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Total Production	Season Price Avg.	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		Bushels	Thousand Bu.	\$ per Bu.	Thousand \$
2000	8,000	6,000	95	570	2.75	1,568
2001	6,000	1,000 ²	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	1,080
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 ²	90	90	6.25	563
2008	9,000	4,000	95	380	7.27	2,763
2009	4,000	2,000	75	150	5.15	773

¹ Record low for Nevada production. ² Recent low for Nevada Harvested Acres

Spring Wheat, 2000-2009

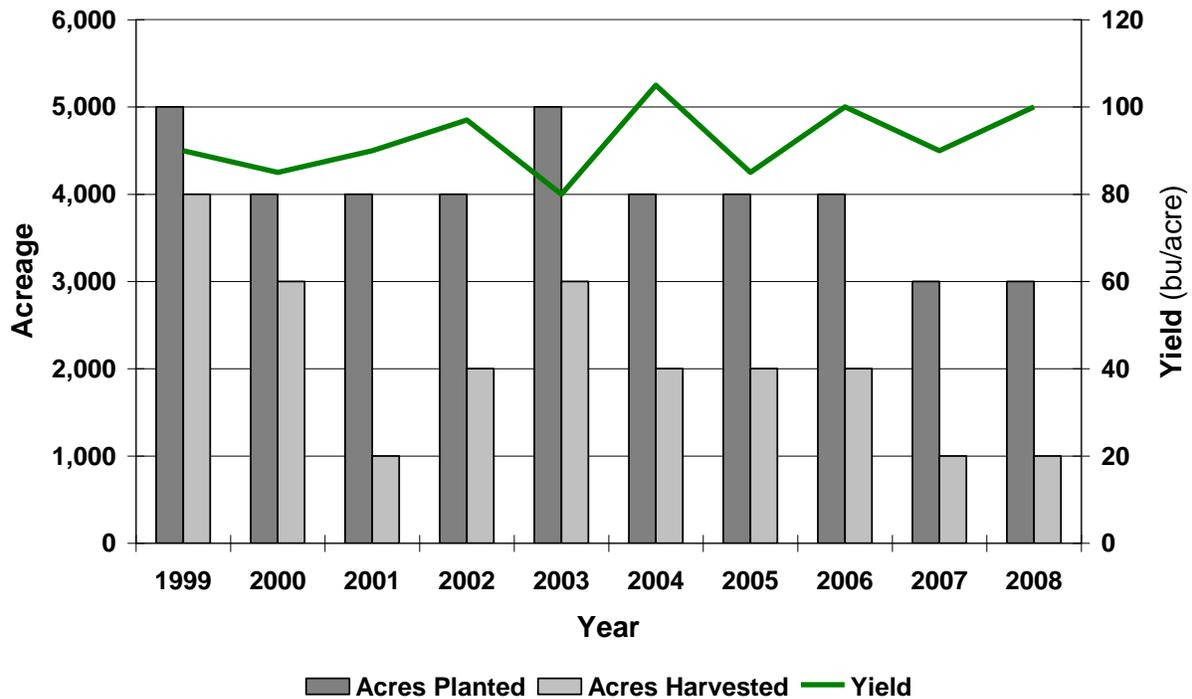


Barley: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Total Production	Season Price Avg.	Value of Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Thousand Bu.</i>	<i>\$ per Bushel</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
2000	4,000	3,000	85	255	2.55	650
2001	4,000	1,000 ²	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 ¹	4.00	360
2008	3,000	1,000 ²	100	100	5.35	535
2009	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

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 Note: Nevada Barley estimates were discontinued in 2009.

Barley, 1999-2008



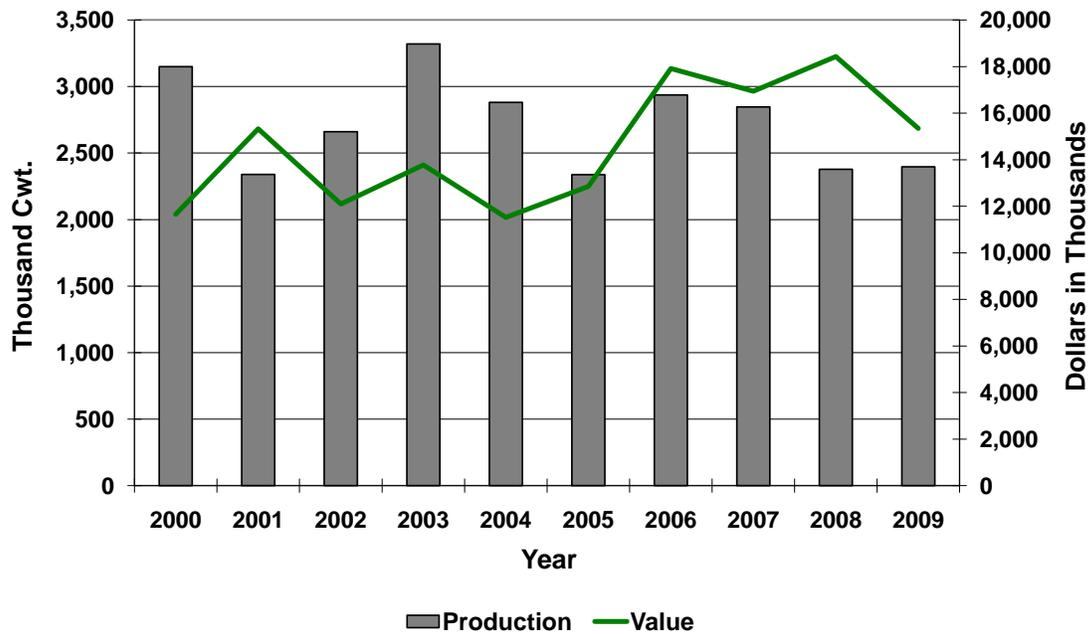
Corn for Silage: Area, Yield, Production, Nevada, 2005-2009

Year	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>
2005	5,000	23.0	115,000
2006	4,000	25.0	100,000
2007	5,000	25.0	125,000
2008	5,000	26.0	130,000
2009	4,000	24.0	96,000

Potatoes: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	----- Actual Acres -----		Cwt.	Thousand Cwt.	\$ Per Cwt.	Thousand \$
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	4.15	13,778
2004	6,700	6,700	430	2,881	4.00	11,524
2005	5,500	5,500	425	2,338	5.50	12,856
2006	6,600	6,600	445	2,937	6.10	17,916
2007	7,300	7,300	390	2,847	5.95	16,940
2008	5,800	5,800	410	2,378	7.75	18,430
2009	5,100	5,100	470	2,397	6.40	15,341

Potatoes: Production & Value, 2000-2009



All Mint: Acreage, Production, Price, And Value, Nevada 2001-2009

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	2,100	98	205,800	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
2008	1,100	87	95,700	18.50	1,770
2009	1,200	95	114,000	25.00	2,850

Onions: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>CWT</i>	<i>CWT</i>	<i>CWT</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
2000	3,300	3,300	460	1,518,000	15.50	23,529
2001	2,900	2,900	460	1,334,000	12.00	16,008
2002	3,300	3,300	560	1,848,000	13.00	24,024
2003	3,100	3,100	600	1,860,000	16.00	29,760
2004	3,400	3,400	640	2,176,000	16.00	34,816
2005	2,400	2,400	880	2,112,000	15.00	31,680
2006	2,600	2,600	760	1,976,000	30.00	59,280
2007	2,800	2,800	740	2,072,000	19.00	39,368
2008	2,600	2,600	760	1,976,000	24.00	47,424
2009	3,400	3,400	720	2,448,000	28.00	68,544



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, 2001-2009

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>CWT</i>	<i>CWT</i>	<i>CWT</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>
2001	1,400	1,400	125	1,740,000	17.00	2,958
2002	1,100	1,100	170	1,870,000	20.00	3,740
2003	1,200	1,200	150	1,820,000	21.00	3,822
2004	1,200	1,200	120	1,440,000	18.00	2,592
2005	600	600	180	1,080,000	16.50	1,782
2006	620	620	125	77,000	17.00	1,309
2007	610	610	69	42,000	15.00	630
2008	640	640	150	96,000	19.00	1,824
2009	530	530	170	89,000	25.00	2,225

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, 2009-2010¹

Class of Livestock	Nevada			United States		
	2009	2010	'10 as % of '09	2009	2010	'10 as % of '09
	<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	450	450	100	94,521	93,701	99
All Cows that have calved	225	265	100	41,045	40,456	99
Beef Cows	237	237	100	31,712	31,376	99
Milk Cows	28	28	100	9,333	9,081	97
Heifers 500 Lbs. +	74	73	99	19,576	19,666	100
Beef Replacement	35	35	100	5,531	5,436	98
Milk Replacement	10	10	100	4,410	4,516	102
Other Heifers	29	28	97	9,635	9,714	101
Steers 500 Lbs. +	36	37	103	18,769	16,440	98
Bulls 500 Lbs. +	13	15	115	2,184	2,190	100
Calves Under 500 Lbs.	62	60	97	14,948	14,949	100
Inventory Value (1,000\$)	432,500	414,000	96	82,435,620	77,677,310	94
Value Per Head (\$'s)	960	920	96	872	829	95

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

Cattle and Calves: Inventory, Supply and Disposition, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Cattle	All Calves Born	Inshipments	Marketings		Farm Slaughter	Deaths	
	Jan.1			Cattle	Calves		Cattle	Calves
	-----1,000 Head-----							
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	56.5	176	89	2	5	13
2007	480	205	50.5	186	81	2	5	12.5
2008	450	210	48.5	161	79	2	5	11.5
2009	450	210	75	178	88	2	5	12

Cattle and Calves: Production and Income, Nevada, 2000-2009¹

Year	Production	Marketings	Value of Production	Cash Receipts ¹	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
	----- Thousand Lbs. -----		----- Thousand \$ -----			
2000	170,550	202,000	141,031	167,758	2,414	170,172
2001	176,140	235,000	146,911	192,470	2,412	194,882
2002	171,090	199,000	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	156,440	210,200	151,803	200,442	2,772	203,214
2007	166,035	217,200	149,348	199,855	2,710	202,565
2008	177,745	207,200	156,294	185,168	2,782	187,950
2009	182,550	229,500	148,730	192,441	2,626	195,067

¹ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Cattle & Calves: January 1 Inventory by County, Nevada, 2006-2010

County & District	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
	----- Number of head -----				
Carson City	400	900	1,000	(D)	(D)
Churchill	47,000	40,000	38,000	41,000	45,000
Douglas	18,000	15,000	14,000	14,000	15,000
Humboldt	65,000	65,000	63,000	63,000	63,000
Lyon	39,500	38,000	37,000	36,000	37,000
Pershing	23,000	25,000	24,000	22,000	22,000
Storey	100	100	0	(D)	(D)
Washoe	22,000	18,000	15,000	(D)	(D)
Other Counties	0	0	0	16,000	12,000
Northwest	215,000	202,000	192,000	192,000	194,000
Elko	152,000	142,000	132,000	130,000	129,000
Eureka	16,000	25,000	25,000	22,000	20,000
Lander	34,000	26,000	23,000	30,000	34,000
White Pine	26,000	24,000	22,000	22,000	20,000
Northeast	228,000	217,000	202,000	204,000	203,000
Clark	4,000	7,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Lincoln	12,000	18,000	17,000	16,000	14,000
Nye	36,000	32,000	30,000	30,000	32,000
Other Counties	5,000	5,000	4,000	3,000	2,000
South	57,000	61,000	56,000	54,000	53,000
State	500,000	480,000	450,000	450,000	450,000

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Cattle & Calves: Number on Feed for Slaughter Market, Nevada, January 1, 2006-2010

Item	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	'10 as % of '09
	----- Thousand Head -----					Percent
Number on Feed for Slaughter Market	8	8	7	6	9	129

Milk Cows & Production of Milk and Milkfat, Nevada, 2000-2009

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>		
2000	25.0	19,000	672	3.53	476	16.8	
2001	25.0	19,412	689	3.55	485	17.2	
2002	25.0	20,040	715	3.57	501	17.9	
2003	25.0	19,400	681	3.51	485	17.0	
2004	25.0	20,360	711	3.49	509	17.8	
2005	25.0	21,680	765	3.53	542	19.1	
2006	27.0	20,148	723	3.59	544	19.5	
2007	27.0	20,481	748	3.65	553	20.2	
2008	27.0	20,704	762	3.68	559	20.6	
2009	27.0	21,821	796	3.65	611	22.3	

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

² Excludes milk sucked by calves.



Milk: Utilization & Returns, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Milk Used on Farms ¹	Sold to Plants or Dealers ²	Average Returns		Cash Receipts From Marketing
			Per Cwt. Milk	Per Lb. Milkfat	
<i>Million Pounds</i>			<i>Dollars</i>		<i>Thousand \$</i>
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	547	18.20	4.99	99,554
2008	6	553	16.90	4.59	93,457
2009	6	605	11.40	3.12	68,970

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.

Sheep and Lambs: Inventory, January 1, 2009-2010¹

Class of Livestock	Nevada			United States		
	2009	2010	'10 as % of '09	2009	2010	'10 as % of '09
	Thousand head		Percent	Thousand head		Percent
All Sheep and Lambs	67	75	112	5,747	5,630	98
All Market Sheep & Lambs	10	11	110	1,500	1,440	96
Market Sheep	1	1	100	81	85	105
Market Lambs	9	10	111	1,419	1,353	95
All Breeding Sheep & Lambs	57	64	112	4,247	4,190	99
Breeding Ewes 1 year & older	44	49	111	3,408	3,340	98
Breeding Rams 1 year & older	2	2	100	196	195	99
Breeding Replacement Lambs	11	13	118	647	655	101
Inventory Value (Thousand \$)	8,911	10,725	120	765,194	762,295	100
Value Per Head (\$)	133	143	108	133	135	102

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



Sheep and Lambs: Inventory, Supply and Disposition, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Sheep & Lambs on Jan.1	Lamb Crop	Inshipments	Marketings		Farm Slaughter	Deaths	
				Sheep	Lambs		Sheep	Lambs
-----Thousand Head-----								
2000	95	76	17.0	8.0	61.0	1.0	8	15
2001	95	63	17.0	15.0	46.0	1.0	8	15
2002	90	54	18.0	13.0	44.0	1.0	8	15
2003	80	58	18.0	16.5	43.0	1.5	6	14
2004	75	50	15.5	12.5	39.5	1.5	5	12
2005	70	48	16.9	8.4	33.0	1.5	5	12
2006	75	47	15.6	8.2	34.9	1.5	5	13
2007	75	43	11.5	11.5	29.0	1.5	5	13
2008	70	42	15.5	10.1	31.4	1.0	5	13
2009	67	44	15.0	3.0	29.0	1.0	5	13

Sheep and Lambs: Production and Income, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Production	Marketings	Value of Production	Cash Receipts ¹	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
	----- Thousand Lbs. -----		----- Thousand \$ -----			
2000	4,600	6,140	3,068	3,983	123	4,106
2001	3,135	5,625	2,041	3,139	115	3,254
2002	1,738	4,600	1,444	2,889	155	3,044
2003	2,815	5,340	2,411	3,770	182	3,952
2004	2,718	4,580	2,273	3,588	257	3,845
2005	2,693	3,568	2,604	3,347	288	3,635
2006	2,580	3,696	1,730	2,889	240	3,129
2007	2,455	4,015	2,169	3,435	240	3,675
2008	2,349	4,049	2,086	3,511	235	3,746
2009	2,760	2,910	2,280	2,808	223	3,031

¹ Receipts from marketing and sale of Farm Slaughter

Sheep and Lambs: Inventory, January 1, by County, Nevada, 2007-2010

County & District	2007	2008	2009	2010
	----- Actual Numbers -----			
Douglas	500	500	3,900	4,100
Humboldt	5,000	3,000	3,000	2,800
Lyon	13,000	15,700	14,000	18,200 ^(D)
Pershing	6,000	3,200	2,000	
Other Counties	8,500	9,100	9,300	11,500
Northwest	33,000	31,500	32,200	36,600
Elko	20,000	16,500	13,200	20,200
White Pine	18,500	17,500	18,000	13,000
Other Counties	2,500	3,600	2,800	4,300
Northeast	41,000	37,600	34,000	37,500
South	1,000	900	800	900
State	75,000	70,000	67,000	75,000

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Wool Production and Value: Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Sheep Shorn	Weight per Fleece	Wool Production	Price per Pound	Value
	Thousand Head	Lbs.	Thousand Lbs.	Dollars	Thousand \$
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
2008	48	9.9	475	1.35	641
2009	53	9.7	515	1.10	567

Hogs and Pigs: Inventory, December 1, 2008-2009¹

Class of Livestock	Nevada			United States		
	2008	2009	'09 as a % of '08	2008	2009	'09 as a % of '08
	----- Thousand Head -----		Pct.	----- Thousand Head -----		Pct.
All Hogs and Pigs	3.5	2.9	83	67,148	65,807	98
Breeding	0.5	0.6	120	6,062	5,850	97
Market	3.0	2.3	77	61,087	59,957	98
Inventory Value (1,000 \$)	420	319	76	5,976,172	5,461,981	91
Value Per Head (\$)	120	110	92	89	87	93

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

Hogs and Pigs: Inventory, Supply and Disposition, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Hogs & Pigs	Pig Crop	Inshipments	Farm Marketings	Farm Slaughter	Deaths
	Dec.1 ¹	Dec-Nov ¹				
	----- Actual Number -----					
2000	7,500	9,840	8,500	17,500	300	500
2001	7,500	6,560	3,000	9,300	300	500
2002	6,500	6,560	3,500	10,300	300	500
2003	5,500	5,210	4,000	8,500	300	400
2004	5,500	5,950	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	9,900	13,900	300	400
2008	3,000	2,600	5,600	7,000	300	400
2009	3,500	6,400	5,500	11,800	300	400

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

Hogs and Pigs: Production and Income, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Production	Marketings	Value of Production	Cash Receipts ¹	Value Home Consumption	Gross Income
	----- Thousand Lbs. -----		----- Thousand \$ -----			
2000	3,481	3,887	1,374	1,523	26	1,549
2001	1,858	2,042	780	849	28	877
2002	2,002	2,265	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	2,148	834	910	51	961
2007	2,840	3,228	1,220	1,431	56	1,487
2008	2,481	1,592	685	737	55	795
2009	2,650	2,744	1,001	1,066	45	1,111

¹ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Goats: Inventory, All Categories, January 1, 2009-2010

Class of Livestock	Nevada			United States		
	2009	2010	'10 as % of '09	2009	2010	'10 as % of '09
Angora Goats	(D)	(D)	- - -	185,000	150,000	81
Milk Goats	4,300	4,600	107	335,000	355,000	106
Meat and Other goats	6,100	6,400	105	2,549,000	2,538,000	100

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

Grazing Fee Rates for Cattle by State and Region, 2007-2009

State/Region	Survey Average Rates ¹ (dollars)								
	Animal Unit ²			Cow-Calf			Per Head		
	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009
Arizona	8.00	8.50	³	³	³	³	10.00	11.00	10.00
California	16.50	17.80	16.70	21.5	22.10	21.00	17.30	18.50	17.50
Colorado	15.00	14.50	14.70	16.70	16.00	16.30	15.10	14.50	15.20
Idaho	13.80	12.60	12.60	16.50	16.30	15.90	14.60	14.10	14.00
Montana	17.80	18.10	18.00	20.10	20.00	20.20	19.20	19.80	18.90
Nevada	13.00	13.50	11.00	14.00	14.70	12.00	13.50	14.00	12.00
New Mexico	11.00	11.00	10.00	13.00	11.50	13.00	12.00	12.00	12.00
Oregon	14.10	14.00	14.60	17.00	16.80	17.80	13.00	14.60	15.50
Utah	12.90	13.00	13.00	14.60	15.90	16.30	14.20	15.50	15.30
Washington	12.10	11.50	11.00	13.70	13.40	13.00	12.20	14.10	12.80
Wyoming	15.40	15.70	16.00	17.90	18.40	18.70	16.10	16.40	16.70
Western States Avg.	14.90	15.00	14.70	17.40	17.40	17.40	15.60	16.20	15.80

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.

² Includes animal unit plus Cow-Calf rate converted to animal unit (AUM) using (1 AUM=Cow-Calf*.833).

³ Insufficient data.

Honey: Production and Value, Nevada, 2000-2009

Year	Colonies of Bees	Yield per Colony	Total Production	Average Price per Pound	Value of Production	Honey Stocks Dec. 15
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Lbs.</i>	<i>Thousand Lbs.</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Thousand \$</i>	<i>Thousand Lbs.</i>
2000	10	35	350	145	508	95
2001	9	50	450	214	963	36
2002	9	62	558	267	1,490	61
2003	6	64	384	204	783	46
2004	14	55	770	178	1,371	316
2005	12	46	552	311	1,717	442
2006	9	37	333	362	1,205	50
2007	10	28	280	299	837	67
2008	10	29	290	142	412	52
2009	10	52	520	129	671	57

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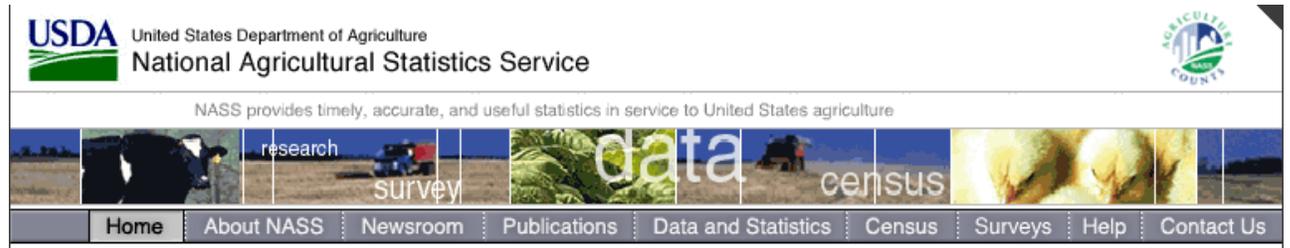
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