

# AGRICULTURAL CROP REPORT

## SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

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	ACREAGE		*F.O.B. VALUE	
	1937	1938	1937	1938
Orchard Crops .....	10,681	11,069	\$ 4,185,917	\$ 2,670,120
Animal Industry .....	610,000	610,000	4,977,930	5,427,489
Field Crops .....	116,951	132,559	4,128,152	3,917,298
Vegetable Crops .....	34,570	27,608	5,803,487	5,649,698
Total .....	772,202	781,236	\$19,095,486	\$17,664,605

\*Includes value after being graded, packed and sold in Santa Barbara County points; this is not the farm value.

ORCHARD CROPS	Planted Acreage		Yield		Value	
	1937	1938	1937	1938	1937	1938
Avocados .....	267	267	106 tons	120 tons	\$ 14,889	\$ 18,505
Lemons .....	6,561	7,151	2,040 cars	2,157 cars	3,670,418	2,293,745
Oranges .....	284	281	68 cars	77 cars	59,650	23,115
Walnuts .....	3,569	3,370	2,085 tons	1,234 tons	440,960	334,755
Total .....	10,681	11,069			\$4,185,917	\$2,670,120

ANIMAL INDUSTRY	Numbers Sold 1937		Numbers Sold 1938		Value 1937		Value 1938	
Beef Cattle and Calves .....	49,692		55,907		\$3,475,609		\$3,871,977	
Hogs .....	5,100		4,900		102,000		70,560	
Sheep and Wool .....	11,840		24,029		99,456		112,358	
Poultry .....	61,640		103,271		62,054		48,084	
Eggs .....	762,832 doz		524,598 doz.		190,831		135,458	
Dairy Products .....	1,864,717 lbs fat		2,431,441 lbs fat		1,002,980		1,154,052	
Misc. Livestock .....					45,000		35,000	
Total .....					\$4,977,930		\$5,427,489	

FIELD CROPS	Acreage		Yield		Value	
	1937	1938	1937	1938	1937	1938
Beans						
Baby Limas .....	11,728	11,125	121,968 cwt.	94,998 cwt.	\$ 369,847	\$ 240,673
Small Whites .....	12,994	13,689	162,625 "	72,860 "	517,976	185,889
Pinks .....	4,458	5,537	31,297 "	33,757 "	120,060	118,786
Common Limas .....	8,219	5,836	83,138 "	69,737 "	278,485	297,474
Seed Beans .....	5,450	2,111	70,143 "	24,735 "	365,244	145,545
Misc. ....	2,600	5,828	22,315 "	33,339 "	80,875	141,477
Total .....	45,449	43,626	491,486 "	329,426 "	\$1,732,487	\$1,129,844
Alfalfa .....	6,900	7,064	32,970 tons	47,461 tons	\$ 371,760	\$ 379,768
Barley .....	17,598	18,549	206,395 cwt.	288,271 cwt.	278,147	249,735
Flower Seed .....	1,830	2,199			223,087	389,300
Grain Hay .....	16,400	22,000	28,500 tons	28,933 tons	406,000	261,897
Honey Products .....			189 "	38 "	19,845	3,015
Mustard .....	3,351	5,221	14,914 cwt.	27,115 cwt.	82,442	108,863
Oats .....	3,885	7,209	39,206 "	78,437 "	60,625	88,360
Onions .....	189	246	32,992 "	24,661 "	48,733	19,799
Dried Peppers .....		234		234 tons		45,630
Potatoes .....	995	1,593	243,775 "	471,538 cwt.	219,397	433,421
Sugar Beets .....	4,217	7,408	68,191 tons	123,369 tons	391,903	618,127
Canning Tomatoes .....	1,297	255	14,000 "	2,805 "	105,400	25,245
Wheat .....	14,840	18,955	139,108 cwt.	173,411 cwt.	188,326	164,294
Total .....	71,502	88,933			\$2,395,665	\$2,787,454
Total Field Crops .....	116,951	132,559			\$4,128,152	\$3,917,298

Acreage

Yield

Value

VEGETABLE CROPS	1937	1938	1937 Cans	1938 Cans	1937	1938
Anise .....	287	174	85	85	\$ 34,064	\$ 29,423
Bell Peppers .....	252	107	92	26	43,253	10,395
Broccoli .....	2,434	1,885	805	847	434,092	311,215
Cabbage .....	154	118	42	44	11,520	15,285
Carrots .....	2,996	1,745	1,407	1,105	609,595	453,775
Cauliflower .....	5,829	5,562	3,770	3,083	1,164,677	785,163
Celery .....	1,396	1,910	1,176	1,394	496,156	471,361
Chicory .....	966	456	148	157	58,650	47,916
Green Limas .....	200	200	50	43	67,500	58,050
Lettuce .....	10,203	9,653	4,063	4,467	1,564,856	2,091,205
*Mixed & Misc. Veg.....	1,300	1,088	2,102	2,240	713,910	847,355
Peas .....	4,653	3,362	189	177	188,394	206,835
Tomatoes .....	3,900	1,348	767	667	416,820	321,720
Total .....	34,570	27,608	14,696	14,335	\$5,803,487	\$5,649,698

Note: Values of all crops shown are f.o.b. basis; not what the farmer received.

Note: Survey of acreage planted indicates that approximately 20% of the production and value of vegetables indicated is grown in Oso Flaco, San Luis Obispo County, but packed and marketed in Santa Barbara County.

\*Includes beets, green onions, radishes, sprouts, spinach, turnips and parts of cans of all other vegetables listed.

Total Number Farms .....	1,551
Total Value Agricultural Products .....	\$17,664,605
Total Acreage, not including Channel Islands.....	1,683,200
Total Acreage U. S. Forest Reserve Area .....	754,380
Total Acreage Agricultural Area .....	932,915
Estimated Total Population .....	82,500
Estimated Total Population Outside Incorporated Cities.....	31,500
Estimated Value Petroleum Products .....	\$5,750,000
Estimated Value Other Mineral Products .....	\$500,000
Total Assessed Valuation Property including real estate, improvements, personal property and utilities.....	\$111,260,575