

Stanislaus County
ACREAGE AND ESTIMATED VALUE OF CROPS, LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS
for the year 1942

Compiled and prepared by the Agricultural Extension Service
in cooperation with the Agricultural Commissioner
from data obtained from
1942 Agricultural Conservation work sheets,
State Crop Reporting Service,
Irrigation Districts, various Cooperatives in the County,
Canneries, Packing Houses, and other available sources.

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<u>Crop</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Estimated Value</u>
Truck Crops	14,130	\$ 1,880,608
Fruit, Grapes and Nuts	48,340	11,859,818
Field Crops and Cultivated Pasture	300,405	12,558,619
Livestock and Poultry		18,360,235
Total	362,875	\$44,659,280
Native Pastures	<u>243,504</u>	<u>243,504</u>
Grand Total	606,379	\$44,902,784

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Total Producing Acreage	606,379
Fallow, Idle Land and Non-Bearing Fruits and Nuts	<u>83,082</u>
Total Land in Farms (71.5%) (1940 U. S. Census)	689,461
Non-Agricultural Lands	<u>274,379</u>
(1940 U. S. Census)	
Total Number Acres in County	963,840
(1940 U. S. Census)	

TRUCK CROPS

	<u>Average Yield</u>	<u>Average Price</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Estimated Value</u>
Cantaloupes	200 crates	\$ 1.65	Crate	756	\$ 249,480
Honey Dews, Casabas, etc.	12 tons	17.00	Ton	685	139,740
Watermelons	12 tons	25.00	Ton	638	191,400
Sweet Potatoes (50#)	80 baskets	.04	Pound	1,700	272,000
Tomatoes	6 tons	18.50	Ton	2,986	331,446
Spinach	4 tons	16.00	Ton	1,350	86,400
Canning	1 ton	55.00	Ton	1,540	84,700
Melons and Other Truck Crop Seeds		98.00	Acre	2,804	274,792
Other Truck Garden Crops: Lettuce, Squash, Celery, Sweet Corn, Carrots, Onions, etc. (Land Double Cropped)		150.00	Acre	1,671	250,650
				14,130	\$1,880,608

FRUIT, GRAPES AND NUTS

	<u>Average Yield Per Acre</u>	<u>Average Price</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Bearing Acreage</u>	<u>Estimated Value</u>
Almonds	520 lbs.	\$.21	Pound	5,705	\$ 622,986
Apricots 13,810 Tons	2.54 tons	53.00	Ton	5,431	731,930
Peaches (Clingstone) 98,510 tons #1's		57.50	Ton	9,125	(5,664,325
18,544 tons #2's--16%	12.83 tons	8.00	Ton		(148,352
					<u>5,812,677</u>
Peaches (Freestone) 42,730 Tons	10.77 tons	36.00	Ton	3,968	1,538,280
	2.25 tons	75.00	Ton	450	75,937
Grapes (Raisin)	5.0 tons	24.00	Ton	7,115	853,800
Grapes (Table)	7.0 tons	32.00	Ton	1,323	296,352
Grapes (Wine)	4.0 tons	28.50	Ton	10,538	1,201,332
Walnuts	1,270 lbs.	.11½	Pound	3,380	493,649
Nursery Stock		325.00	Acre	30	9,750
All Other Fruits, Nuts and Berries		175.00	Acre	1,275	223,125
				48,340	<u>\$11,859,818</u>

FIELD CROPS AND CULTIVATED PASTURE

<u>Crop</u>	<u>Average Yield</u>	<u>Average Price</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Acreage</u>	<u>Estimated Value</u>
Alfalfa	4.5 tons	\$ 16.00	Ton	75,227	\$ 5,416,344
Grain Hay	1.5 tons	11.00	Ton	18,193	300,184
Cotton	340 lbs.	.19	Pound	317	20,478
Beans, all varieties (100 lb. sack)	12 sks.	5.10	Cwt.	50,405	3,084,786
Rice (100 lb. sack)	35 sks.	2.90	Cwt.	2,251	228,476
Wheat (140 lb. sack)	6 sks.	1.60	Cwt.	10,195	137,020
Barley (110 lb. sack)	12 sks.	1.40	Cwt.	54,503	1,007,215
Oats (100 lb. sack)	14 sks.	1.60	Cwt.	10,150	227,360
Sugar Beets	12 tons	8.00	Ton	333	31,968
Peanuts	1200 lbs.	107.00	Ton	275	17,655
Grain Sorghums	2000 lbs.	45.00	Ton	1,208	54,360
Corn and Other Miscellaneous Seeds		45.00	Acre	1,207	54,513
Bird Seeds	1200 lbs.	.03 $\frac{1}{2}$	Pound	150	6,300
Silage Corn	10 tons	8.00	Ton	6,370	509,600
Ladino Clover Pasture		22.50	Acre	60,945	1,371,262
Sudan Grass Pasture		10.50	Acre	8,676	91,098
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				300,405	\$12,558,619

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

		<u>Estimated Value</u>
Turkeys	237,122 @ \$3.87 each	\$ 917,662
Poultry - Eggs	5,653,400 doz. @ 34¢	\$1,922,156)
- Meat	524,700 lbs. @ 22¢	115,434)
- Hens	220,323 lbs. @ 3½¢ @ 18¢	138,803)
Rabbits - Fryers	25,000 @ 60¢ each	15,000)
- Skins and Breeding Stock		950)
Beef Cattle	40,000 @ \$48 per head	1,920,000)
	16,500 fed	330,000)
	10,480 @ \$28	293,440
Dairy - Butterfat	16,721,851 lbs. @ 58¢	9,698,673)
Meat and Breeding Stock		2,035,000)
Sheep - Lambs	28,376 @ \$9.75	276,666)
Ewes	24,808 @ \$7.50	186,060)
Fed Lambs	150,000 @ 15 lbs. @ \$10.50 per cwt.	236,250)
	(Ewe 223,272 lbs. @ 41¢ per lb.	91,541)
- Wool	(Lamb 300,000 lbs. @ 38¢ per lb.	114,000)
Horses and Mules	400 (sold)	35,000
Honey	12,000 hives - 35 lbs. each @ 8¢ per lb.	33,600
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