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SUMMARY OF MAJOR CROPS OF MONTEREY COUNTY FOR 1934

Compiled by A. A. Tavernetti, County Agent, and H. A. Hunt, County Agricultural Commissioner, from official records, together with estimates where records were not available. It is not presumed that these figures are accurate in all details.

Total acres in county -----	2,131,200
Land in farms -----	1,305,000
Tillable land -----	254,058
Irrigated lands -----	135,000
Number of farms -----	1,891

FIELD CROPS

Crop	Crop Acres	Gross return to county (in marketable condition and including containers)
Lettuce	37,650	\$10,550,400
Artichokes	3,800	665,000
Green peas	5,864	543,840
Dry beans	40,000	2,240,000
Cauliflower	2,000	225,000
Potatoes	1,325	55,981
Tomatoes - Shipping	1,607	289,260
Tomatoes - Canning	1,300	93,600
Carrots	2,880	1,166,400
Spinach	430	20,640
Garlic	330	102,960
Misc. Seed Crops	3,000	330,000
Onions	353	33,094
Barley	40,000	400,000
Sugar beets	14,824	1,411,245
Wheat	22,600	205,660
Hay	15,000	360,000
TOTAL -		\$18,693,080

FRUITS

Apples	1,600	225,000
Pears	1,300	408,800
Apricots	1,820	200,000
Almonds	4,250	149,000
Prunes	800	21,200
Grapes	400	16,000
Strawberries	390	57,037
Walnuts	225	1,100
TOTAL -		1,078,137

DAIRYING, LIVESTOCK, POULTRY & BEES

Dairy cows	18,500	-
Meat and veal	-	86,400
Butterfat	-	1,634,105
Beef cattle	38,500	481,250
Sheep	31,000	124,000
Swine	16,500	132,000
Poultry	145,000	378,000
Bees	4,000 Colonies	10,000
TOTAL -		2,845,755

Value to county of farm products marketed - Total - \$22,616,972
Value to county of farm products marketed - 1933 - 17,468,900
Value to county of farm products marketed - 1932 - 15,217,760