

# AGRICULTURAL CROP REPORT

## SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

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	ACREAGE		*F.O.B. VALUE	
	1940	1941	1940	1941
Orchard Crops .....	12,290	12,558	\$3,623,924	\$4,252,698
Animal Industry .....	610,000	610,000	6,743,321	6,701,530
Field Crops .....	128,310	106,951	5,358,184	5,165,794
Vegetable Crops .....	28,680	28,998	5,049,697	5,716,870
Total .....	779,280	758,507	\$20,775,126	\$21,836,892

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

ORCHARD CROPS	Planted Acreage		Yield		F. O. B. Value	
	1940	1941	1940	1941	1940	1941
Avocados .....	303	350	257 tons	416 tons	\$ 38,190	\$ 45,686
Lemons .....	8,208	8,400	3,414 cars	*4,705 cars	3,222,679	3,897,065
Oranges .....	269	261	101 cars	52 cars	17,995	25,856
Walnuts .....	3,510	3,547	1,407 tons	937 tons	345,060	284,091
Total .....	12,290	12,558			\$3,623,924	\$4,252,698

1941—\* 2,576 cars packed fruit; 2,129 cars loose fruit and by-products.  
 1940— 2,290 cars packed fruit; 1,124 cars loose fruit and by-products.

ANIMAL INDUSTRY	Numbers Sold 1940		Numbers Sold 1941		Value 1940		Value 1941	
*Beef Cattle and Calves .....	66,038		59,851		\$4,847,057		\$4,381,487	
Hogs .....	8,658		6,668		116,896		140,122	
Sheep and Wool .....	13,438		3,561		98,515		38,176	
Poultry .....	108,964		131,774		66,728		123,829	
Eggs .....	486,418 doz.		553,057 doz.		107,654		155,181	
Dairy Products .....	3,051,823 lbs. fat		2,812,032 lbs. fat		1,451,471		1,807,735	
Misc. Livestock .....					55,000		55,000	
Total .....					\$6,743,321		\$6,701,530	

\*Includes sale of feeders and all cattle sold.

FIELD CROPS	Acreage		Yield		F. O. B. Value	
	1940	1941	1940	1941	1940	1941
Beans						
Baby Limas .....	7,716	6,906	58,884 cwt.	53,519 cwt.	\$ 175,397	\$ 237,304
Small Whites .....	15,956	15,745	93,309 "	114,800 "	289,257	545,300
Pinks .....	8,541	3,736	51,977 "	23,622 "	172,503	100,393
Common Limas .....	7,685	6,204	75,067 "	30,412 "	319,034	403,040
Garbanzos .....	5,037	3,599	21,170 "	19,396 "	93,674	116,376
Seed Beans .....	2,173	2,407	31,183 "	20,925 "	293,428	178,424
Miscellaneous .....	3,356	1,702	24,255 "	13,251 "	90,357	61,355
Total .....	50,464	40,299	355,845 "	275,925 "	\$1,433,650	\$1,642,192

*Sugar Beets						
Beets shipped .....	3,265	2,165	56,804 tons	33,258 tons	277,810	182,622
Beets processed .....	6,349	3,812	109,880 tons	60,054 tons	1,154,220	819,083
(Sugar) Total .....	9,614	5,977	166,684 tons	93,312 tons	1,432,030	1,001,705
Alfalfa .....	8,050	6,289	40,250 tons	29,287 tons	329,750	248,940
Barley .....	9,950	6,081	96,500 cwt.	58,200 cwt.	82,841	81,280
Flower Seed .....	2,742	2,682			479,468	436,920
Grain Hay .....	19,500	15,500	24,500 tons	19,250 tons	285,500	313,750
Honey Products .....			278 tons	232 tons	32,996	27,003
Mustard .....	3,805	5,807	34,736 cwt.	35,471 cwt.	396,727	338,510
Oats .....	6,355	2,869	54,228 cwt.	28,368 "	46,093	45,388
Onions .....	200	347	19,907 cwt.	34,381 "	19,907	68,673
Canning Peppers .....	75	233	310 tons	462 tons	10,075	23,100
Dried Peppers .....	285	270	356 tons	473 tons	89,000	143,050
Potatoes .....	2,159	4,956	443,449 cwt.	401,971 cwt.	452,794	489,798
Canning Spinach .....	240	590	960 tons	3,540 tons	14,400	70,800
Canning Tomatoes .....	1,394	667	18,122 tons	4,760 tons	181,220	64,045
Wheat .....	13,467	14,184	57,387 cwt.	113,007 cwt.	71,733	170,640
Total .....	77,846	66,452			\$8,924,534	\$8,523,602
Total Field Crops .....	128,310	106,751			\$5,358,184	\$5,165,794

\*includes only sugar beets grown in Santa Barbara County.

VEGETABLE CROPS	Acreage		Yield		F. O. B. Value	
	1940	1941	1940 Cans	1941 Cans	1940	1941
Anise .....	237	212	101	124	\$ 30,643	\$ 42,736
Artichokes .....	115	150	34	43	23,140	36,797
Bell Peppers .....	67	75	47	26	24,273	22,137
Broccoli .....	3,069	3,013	1,058	851	620,595	549,442
Cabbage .....	241	292	131	187	29,997	61,023
Carrots .....	1,835	2,240	984	897	439,233	428,694
Cauliflower .....	6,815	6,244	3,626	2,729	1,093,474	960,505
Celery .....	1,544	1,403	1,742	1,285	583,132	527,608
Chicory .....	363	508	285	216	100,072	81,687
Cucumbers .....	30	51	39	26	14,408	15,609
Green Limas .....	243	298	28	65	28,180	90,622
Lettuce .....	9,750	10,663	4,173	4,564	1,393,544	2,203,043
Mixed and Misc. ....	403	744	524	312	170,071	134,059
Parsley .....	8	14	18	30	7,584	17,406
Peas .....	2,782	1,528	274	97	345,973	146,694
Tomatoes .....	1,173	1,563	325	531	145,378	393,808
Total .....	28,680	28,998	13,389	11,983	\$5,049,697	\$5,716,870

Note: Acreage of each crop planted as indicated, except mixed and miscellaneous, which includes also acreage for asparagus, beets, onions, radishes, rhubarb, spinach and turnips.

Note: Considerable percentage of acreage in broccoli, carrots, cauliflower, celery, chicory and lettuce shipped in mixed cans, which is reflected in yield per acre figures.

Total Number Farms .....	1,551
Total Value Agricultural Products .....	\$ 21,836,892
Total Acreage, including Channel Islands .....	1,683,200
Total Acreage U. S. Forest .....	754,380
Total Population—U. S. 1940 Census .....	70,555
Total Population Outside Incorporated Cities .....	22,400
Estimated Value Petroleum Products .....	\$ 8,400,000
Estimated Value Other Mineral Products .....	\$ 1,000,000
Total Assessed Valuation Property, including real estate, improvements, personal property and utilities .....	\$112,739,312