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TO THOSE WHO ARE INTERESTED IN NEVADA'S AGRICULTURE

Each year, the Nevada State Department of Agriculture, in cooperation with the United States Department of Agriculture, Statistical Reporting Service, and the University of Nevada Division of Agriculture and Resource Economics, prepares statistics on Nevada agriculture.

Each year, we receive many requests for information on acreage and production of Nevada crops and livestock. This publication helps answer those requests.

We hope that the information contained will be helpful and of interest to you.

Sincerely,

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FOREWORD

This annual report presents a summary of crops, livestock, prices and related agricultural data for 1983 with comparisons for recent years. Early season forecasts and preliminary estimates are issued currently during the year by the Nevada Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

The information presented is part of a continuing cooperative project of the United States Department of Agriculture, Statistical Reporting Service, the University of Nevada and the Nevada State Department of Agriculture to provide the best possible statistical picture of Nevada's agriculture.

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NUMBER OF FARMS

Total number of ranches and farms operated in Nevada during 1983, at the 2,700 level, was down from a year earlier by the new <u>definition</u>. The new definition includes places with annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more. The old definition prior to 1975 as shown in the table includes places of 10 or more acres that had annual sales of agricultural products of \$50 or more and places of less than 10 acres that had annual sales of \$250 or more.

A preliminary number of 2,700 farms is estimated for 1984 which is unchanged from 1983. New land coming into production has been offset by land consumed for urbanization and construction of highway systems as land in Nevada ranches and farms remained at 8,900,000 acres during 1984 (new definition).

Average size of ranch or farm in Nevada during 1983 was 3,296 acres (new definition) the same as in 1984.

		NUN	MBER OF FARMS AN	ND LAND IN FA	RMS AND RANCH		984
	:_		Nevada	:	Unite		
Year	: N	umber of	: Average Size		Number of :	Average Size	e: Land in
	:	Farms	: of Farms	: Farms :	Farms :	of Farms	: Farms
			<u>Acres</u>	1,000 Acres	Thousands	<u>Acres</u> -	1,000 Acres
1973	:	2,100	4,286	9,000	2,823	385	1,087,923
1974	:	2,100	4,286	9,000	2,795	388	1,084,433
1975	:	2,200	4,086	8,990	2,521	420	1,059,420
1976	:	2,400	3,746	8,990	2,497	422	1,054,075
1977	:	2,600	3,458	8,990	2,456	427	1,047,785
7.070		0.000	2 722	0.000	0.406	400	1 044 700
1978	:	2,900	3,100	8,990	2,436	429	1,044,790
1979	:	2,900	3,100	8,990	2,432	428	1,042,015
1980	:	2,900	3,100	8,990	2,433	427	1,038,885
1981	:	3,100	2,871	8,900	2,434	425	1,034,190
1982	:	2,900	3,069	8,900	2,401	428	1,027,795
1983		2,700	3,296	8,900	2,370	432	1,024,195
1984	:	2,700	3,296	8,900	2,333	437	1,019,503
1985			2. 0.52.30	0,500	2,000	737	1,019,003

^{1/} Preliminary.

		NUMBE	<u>R OF LIVES</u>	TOCK SPE	CIE FARMS,	1973-198	33	
;			vada			United	States	
Year :	Cattle	: Milk : Cows	Sheep	Hogs		: Milk : : Cows :	Sheep :	Hogs
			<u>Number</u>	-		Thou	ısands	
1973 : 1974 : 1975 : 1976 : 1977 :	1,600 1,600 1,500 1,600 1,700	500 450 430 400 400	300 300 290 280 280	240 240 240 240 250	1,841.1 1,870.5 1,866.0 1,825.8 1,771.9	497.0 470.2 443.6 416.2 393.5	150.8 140.6 129.6 122.5 117.5	735.7 733.1 661.7 658.3 647.0
1978 : 1979 : 1980 : 1981 : 1982 : 1983 : 1984 :	1,800 1,800 1,700 1,700 1,700 1,700	400 400 400 400 400 400	280 290 300 320 320 300	300 250 220 220 210 200	1,699.0 1,638.5 1,622.5 1,621.6 1,611.0 1,585.2	369.2 350.0 335.8 322.9 312.1 303.7	115.7 116.1 119.9 125.6 128.1 126.5	635.3 653.6 670.4 580.1 482.2 466.4

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY

Ranchers and farmers in Nevada produced 1.6 million tons of selected crops in 1983--up 1 percent from 1982. All crops except alfalfa hay and barley showed decreases in production from the preceding year. Acreage of total crops harvested was also up 1 percent in 1983 with increases shown only for barley and both alfalfa and wild hay.

Spring planting was well behind normal due to weekly storms, high winds and low temperatures. These conditions were offset, however, by Indian Summer type weather at the end of the longer than usual growing season. Yields were above 1982 for spring wheat, alfalfa seed, and alfalfa hay. Declines were shown for potatoes and wild hay. Above normal precipitation early in the growing season gave a boost to range grasses and assured good streamflow for the rest of the growing season. May had three weeks of below normal temperatures but clear skies the last week brought temperatures near normal. June started with sunny skies and temperatures well above normal but moderated at the end of the month. Scattered thundershowers were common. July was mostly cool and dry. August had unusually hot weather early in the month but widespread showers from midmonth on lowered temperatures and brought some relief. August ended dry which extended into the first three weeks of September. A cold blast of air from the north dropped temperatures 15 to 20 degrees near the end of the month.

Hay production was up from 1982 due to larger acreages harvested for both alfalfa and all other hay along with higher yields for alfalfa hay. Yields were down from a year earlier for all other hay. Alfalfa hay was harvested from 230,000 acres with an average yield of 3.90 tons per acre totalling 897,000 tons compared with 821,000 tons a year earlier. Other types of hay (largely wild or meadow hay) were cut from 300,000 acres compared with 285,000 in 1982. Slightly above average yields in 1983 resulted in a production of 405,000 tons. In 1982, other hay production was at the 428,000 ton level.

CROP VALUES

Value of selected crops produced in Nevada totaled \$157.9 million in 1983-up 15 percent from the 1982 value of \$136.7 million. Value increase was due mainly to higher prices as acreages harvested were only slightly larger than in 1982. Hay prices increased 6 percent, spring wheat 3 percent, barley 17 percent, alfalfa seed 10 percent, and potatoes 119 percent.

Value of the 1983 alfalfa seed crop decreased 3 percent as production was down 11 percent from 1982. Alfalfa seed yields averaged 450 pounds per acre compared with 350 in 1982. Hay, the States' most important crop, had a farm value of \$119.8 million and accounted for about 76 percent of the value of all crops harvested in 1983.

				ION AND V	ALUE, NE	VADA 19		
Crop	: Acı	res Harv	ested	: Ton	s Produc	ed	Value	esDollars
СТОР	:1981	: 1982	: 1983	: 1981	1982	: 1983 :	1981	: 1982 : 1983
				Th	ousands -	<u></u> .		
All grain	:			<u></u>	0 4 5 4 1 1 4 5			
crops $1/$.	: 61.0	61.0	52.0	95.1	118.1	103.1	10,894	12,893 12,239
Alfalfa seed	: 17.0	13.0	9.0	4.5	2.3	2.0	10,362	
Cotton & seed		.7	2/	1.0	. 7	2/	489	365 2/
Potatoes		13.0	$1\overline{2}.0$	174.0	204.8	$18\overline{6}.0$	17,052	
All hay		<u>51</u> 0.0	530.0	1,081.0	1,249.0	1,302.1		108,039 119,784
		597.7	603.0	1,355.6				136,722 157,885
1/ Wheat & Ba	rley.	<u>2</u> / None	plante	1.				107,000

	SUI	ΜM	AR	Y	0F	PRINCIPAL		HARVESTED IN	NEVADA		
Crop & Yea	r				:	Acres :	Produ		Unit:	Value of	
	<u> </u>				:H			e : Total :	:	Per Unit	: Total
						Thou.		Thou.		Dol.	Thou. Dol.
Winter whe					:	1.5	70.0	7 050		• • •	
1981					:	15	70.0	1,050	Bu.	3.40	3,570
1982					:	15 8	70.0	1,050	11	3.53	3,707
1983	•	•	•	•	•	8	70.0	560	,-	3.45	1,932
Spring whe	a t										
1981		_			•	16	50.0	800	11	3.40	2,720
1982					:	14	60.0	840	II	3.53	2,965
1983						io	70.0	700	и	3.65	2,555
	•	_			•	. 0	, 0.0	, 00		0.00	2,000
Barley					:						
1981					:	30	55.0	1,650	П	2.79	4,604
1982		•			:	32	80.0	2,560	11	2.43	6,221
1983		•			:	34	80.0	2,720	П	2.85	7,752
•••											-
Alfalfa se					:						
1981						17.0	530	9,010	Lb.	1.15	10,362
1982						13.0	350	4,550	11	1.05	4,778
1983	•	•	•	•	:	9.0	450	4,050	H	1.15	4,658
Cotton 15	^	2 /									
Cotton, 1i 1981						.9	800	1 5	Dolo.	60	420
1982						.7	617	1.5	Bale	.60 .74	432 320
1983 3/.							017	.9	н	• / 4	320
1900 <u>0</u> /.	•	•	•	•	•						
Cottonseed					;						
1981								.6	Ton	95.00	57
1982								.5	11	90.00	45
1983 3/.									11		
_											
Potatoes					:						
1981					:	12.0	290	3,480	Cwt.	4.90	17,052
1982					:	13.0	315	4,095		2.60	10,647
1983	•	•	•	•	:	12.0	310	3,720	ti	5.70	21,204
Alfalfa ba	.,										
Alfalfa ha 1981					•	220	3.55	781	Ton	N/A	At / A
1982					:	225	3.65	821	1011	N/A N/A	N/A N/A
1983						230	3.90	897	ij	N/A	N/A N/A
	•	•	•	•	-		0.50	037		III A	13/73
All other	hav				:						
1981					:	250	1.20	300	11	N/A	N/A
1982						285	1.50	428	11	N/A	N/A
1983		•		•	:	300	1.35	405	П	N/A	N/A
											-
All hay						470	0.00			TO	
	•	-		-	:	470	2.30	1,081	11	70.00	75,670
1982					:	510	2.45	1,249		86.50	108,039
1983					í	530	2.46	1,302		92,00	119,784

^{1/} Excludes all Government support payments. 2/ Yield is pounds of lint per acre, and price is per pound of lint. 3/ None planted.

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HAY: ACREAGE HARVESTED, YIELD AND PRODUCTION, BY TYPES, BY COUNTIES, NEVADA 1982

		<i>D1</i> 00	JOHLILD, NE	וטכו אשאו	-		
County	:	Alfalfa			11 Othe		: All Hay
Country	: Acres :	Yield:	Production	: Acres:	Yield:	Production	n:Production
		Ton	Ton		Ton	<u>Ton</u>	Ton
Churchill	: 29,000	4.00	1 15,0 00	4,500	2.20	9,900	12 5,9 00
Douglas	: 8,000	3.60	28,800	6,000	2.05	12,300	41,100
Humboldt	: 36,000	3.70	133,200	47,000	1.60	75,200	208,400
Lyon	: 32,000	4.10	131,200	5,500	2.20	12,100	143,300
Carson City	: 400	3.50	1,400	400	1.30	520	1,920
Pershing	: 16,000	3.90	62,400	3,000	1.50	4,500	66,900
Storey	: 100	3.50	350	100	1.40	140	490
Washoe		3.90	39,000	8,000	2.00	16,000	55,000
District 1	:131,500	3.90	512,350	74,500	1.75	130,660	643,010
Elko	: 25,000	2.70	67,500	173,000	1.40	242,200	309,700
Eureka	: 18,000	3.40	61,200	9,000	1.50	13,500	74,700
Lander	: 11,000	2.70	29,700	15,000	1.40	21,000	50,700
White Pine	: 13,000	2.70	35,100	5,000	1.70	8,500	43,600
District 3	: 67,000	2.89	193,500	202,000	1.41	285,200	478,700
Clark		5.90	29,500	500	2.30	1,150	30,650
Esmeralda	: 5,500	3.70	20,350	300	1.30	390	20,740
Lincoln	: 5,000	3.50	17,500	1,400	1.70	2,380	19,880
Mineral	: 3,000	4.20	12,600	300	1.40	420	13,020
Nye	: _8,000	4.40	35,200	6,000	1.30	7,800	43,000
<u>District 8</u>	: 26,500	4.35	115,150	8,500	1.43	12,140	127,290
<u>State Total</u>	:225,000	3.65	821,000	285,000	1.50	428,000	1,249,000

HAY: ACREAGE HARVESTED, YIELD AND PRODUCTION, BY TYPES, BY COUNTIES, NEVADA 1983

County	:		Hay		11 Othe	r Hay	: All Hay
County	: Acres :						n:Production
.		Ton	Ton		Ton	Ton	Ton
Churchill	: 30,000	4.40	132,000	4,000	1.90	7,600	13 9,6 00
Douglas	: 8,000	3.70	29,600	9,500	1.70	16,150	45,750
Humboldt	: 37,000	3.90	144,300	55,000	1.50	82,500	226,800
Lyon	: 34,000	4.30	146,200	6,000	2.00	12,000	158,200
Carson City	: 400	3.60	1,440	400	1.30	520	1,960
Pershing	: 17,000	4.00	68,000	4,000	1.50	6,000	74,000
Storey	: 100	3.60	360	100	1.20	120	480
Washoe	: 10,000	4.00	40,000	10,000	1.60	16,000	56,000
District 1		4.12	561,900	89,000	1.58	140,890	702,790
E1ko		3.10	77,500	165,000	1.20	198,000	275,500
Eureka	: 18,000	3.50	63,000	12,000	1.40	16,800	79,800
Lander		3.20	35,200	16,000	1.40	22,400	57,600
White Pine		2.90	37,700	7,000	1.60	11,200	48,900
District 3		3.19	213,400	200,000	1.24	248,400	461,800
<u>Clark</u>		6.30	31,500	600	2.50	1,500	33,000
Esmeralda		4.00	20,000	300	1.20	360	20,360
Lincoln		3.70	20,350	1,800	1.70	3,060	23,410
Mineral	-	4.35	13,050	300	1.30	390	13,440
Nye		4.60	36,800	8,000	1.30	10,400	47,200
District 8		4.59	121,700	11,000	1.43	15,710	137,410
State Total	:230,000	3.90	897,000	300,000	1.35	405,000	1,302,000

HAY: ACREAGE HARVESTED, YIELD AND PRODUCTION, BY TYPES, BY COUNTIES, NEVADA 1980

County	Alf	alfa H		A11	Other H	ay	: All Hay
Country	: Acres :	Yield:	Production:	Acres	:Yield:	Production	n:Production
		Ton	Ton		Ton	Ton	Ton
Churchill	: 27,000	4.30	11 6,1 00	2,300	1.10	$\overline{2,5}30$	$1\overline{18,630}$
Douglas	7,000	3.80	26,600	9,000	1.60	14,400	41,000
Humboldt		3.60	133,200	65,000	1.10	71,500	204,700
Lyon	32,000	3.80	121,600	2,600	1.60	4,160	125,760
Carson City	: 400	2.60	1,040	400	1.00	400	1,440
Pershing	: 12,000	3.70	44,400	2,900	1.30	3 , 770	48,170
Storey	: 100	3.00	300	100	1.00	100	400
Washoe	9,000	3.80	34,200	11,000	1.30	14,300	48,500
<u>District l </u>		3.83	477,440	93,300	1.19	111,160	588,600
ĒĪko		2.50	65,000	148,000	1.20	177,600	242,600
Eureka		2.80	44,800	12,000	1.30	15,600	60,400
Lander		3.00	33,000	14,000	1.20	16,800	49,800
White Pine		2.80	39,200	8,000	1.20	9,600	48,800
<u>District 3</u>		2.72	182,000	182,000	1.21	219,600	401,600
Clark	-	5.20	26,000	500	2.40	1,200	27,200
Esmeralda		3.80	15,960	300	.90	270	16,230
Lincoln	- ,	2.60	15,600	1,700	1.10	1,870	17,470
Mineral	1,300	4.00	5,200	200	1.00	200	5,400
Nye	:7,000	4.40	30,800	7,000	1.10	7,700	38,500
District 8		3.98	93,560	9,700	1.16	11,240	104,800
State Total	: 215,000	3.50	753,000	285,000	1.20	342,000	1,095,000

HAY: ACREAGE HARVESTED, YIELD AND PRODUCTION, BY TYPES, BY COUNTIES, NEVADA 1981

		ום	CODMITES,	NEVADA	1981		
County		falfa H		_:A11	Other H	ay	: All Hay
	: Acres	<u>:Yield:</u>	Productio	n: Acres	:Yie]d:	Production	n:Production
		Ton	Ton		Ton	Ton	Ton
Churchill	: 28,000	4.20	117,600	3,000	1.60	4,800	$1\overline{22,400}$
Douglas	: 7,000	3.60	25,200	5,000	1.50	7,500	32,700
Humboldt	: 36,000	3.70	133,200	45,000	1.10	49,500	182,700
Lyon	: 32,000	3.90	124,800	4,000	1.70	6,800	131,600
Carson City	: 400	3.00	1,200	400	1.10	440	1,640
Pershing	: 15,000	3.80	57,000	2,900	1.20	3,480	60,480
Storey		3.00	300	100	1.00	100	400
Washoe	: 10,000		37,000	7,000	1.20	8,400	45,400
<u>District 1</u>	: 128,500	3.86	496,300	67,400	1.20	81,020	577,320
Elko		2.70	67,500	148,000	1.20	177,600	245,100
Eureka	-	2.80	47,600	8,000	1.30	10,400	58,000
Lander	•	2.80	30,800	14,000	1.10	15,400	46,200
White Pine		2.60	36,400	5,000	1.40	7,000	43,400
<u>District 3</u>			182,300	175,000	1,20	210,400	392,700
Clark	-	5.20	26,000	500	1.90	950	26,950
Esmeralda	-,	3.80	20,900	300	1.10	330	21,230
Lincoln	-	3.30	16,500	1,600	1.30	2,080	18,580
Mineral	: 2,000	4.10	8,200	200	1.10	_ 220	8,420
Nye · · · · ·	: 7,000	4.40	30,800	5,000	1.00	5,00 <u>0</u>	35,800
_District 8	: 24,500	4.18	102,400	7,600	1.13	8,580	110,980
<u>State Total</u>	: 220,000	3.55	781,000	250,000	1.20	300,000	1,081,000

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WINTER WHEAT: ACREAGE PLANTED AND HARVESTED, YIELD AND PRODUCTION,
BY COUNTIES, NEVADA 1983

								1000 1000		
Counties				:	Acres	Planted:	Acres	Harvested:	Yield:	Production
						Acre	es.		Busl	nels
Churchill				:	700	<u></u>		600	70.0	42,000
Eureka	۰	۰	۰	•	500			400	65.0	26,000
Humboldt				:	3,500		3,	,000	70.0	210,000
Lyon				:	800			700 -	70.0	49,000
Pershing				:	2,300		2,	,100	75.0	157,500
All Others		•		:	1,200		1,	,200	62.9	75,500
State Total				:	9,000		8,	,000	70.0	560,000

SPRING WHEAT: ACREAGE PLANTED AND HARVESTED, YIELD AND PRODUCTION, BY COUNTIES, NEVADA 1983

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County							:	Acres	Planted:	Acres	Harvested:	Yield:	Production
									Acre	es		Bus	hels
Churchill.							:	1,300		l.	,000	70.0	70,000
Eureka							:	1,000			800	50.0	40,000
Humboldt .							:	4,700		3	,900	75.0	292,500
Lander				•			:	400			300	50.0	15,000
Lyon							:	600			500	70.0	35,000
										2	,600	75.0	195,000
All Others											900	58.3	52,500
State Total	۱.		•		٠		:	12,000		10	,000	70.0	700,000
Pershing . All Others	•	:	•	•	•	:	:	3,100 900			,600 900	75.0 58.3	195,000 52,500

BARLEY: ACREAGE PLANTED AND HARVESTED, YIELD AND PRODUCTION, BY COUNTIES, NEVADA 1983

County : Acres Planted : Acres Harvested: Yield : Production Bushels Acres 248,000 Churchill. : 3,500 $80.\overline{0}$ 3,100 3,300 264,000 Eureka : 3,700 80.0 1,320,000 Humboldt :17,000 16,500 80.0 Lander : 1,100 63,000 900 70.0 3,200 256,000 Lyon 3,600 80.0 Pershing : 2,900 95.0 247,000 2,600 72,000 : 1,100 900 80.0 Washoe 700 48,000 White Pine 600 80.0 202,000 2,900 All Others 3,400 69.7 2,720,000 State Total. :37,000 34,000 80.0

	FA SEED:		HARVESTED, YIELD AND		
<u>Year</u>	•	Humboldt	: Pershing :	All Other 1/	: Nevada Total
			Acreage Harves <u>Acres</u>	ted	
1977 1978 1979 1980 1981	: : :	5,300 6,000 6,500 6,000 6,200	9,600 10,000 10,300 10,000 10,000	600 1,000 1,200 1,000 800	15,500 17,000 18,000 17,000 17,000
1982 1983 1984	: :	4,500 3,000	8,000 5,600	500 400 —	13,000 9,000
			Yield Per Ac <u>Pounds</u>	re	
1977 1978 1979 1980 1981	: : :	500 275 425 400 400	530 415 380 480 620	515 405 515 450 410	520 365 405 450 530
1982 1983 1984	:	300 400	380 485	320 330	350 450
			Production of Cle Thousand of Po		
1977 1978 1979 1980 1981	: : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : : :	2,650 1,650 2,760 2,400 2,480	5,100 4,150 3,910 4,800 6,200	310 405 620 450 330	8,060 6,205 7,290 7,650 9,010
1982 1983 <u>1984</u>	:	1,350 1,200	3,040 2,720	160 130	4,550 4,050

1/ Churchill, Lander, Lincoln, Nye, Washoe and White Pine.

	SUMMARY OF SPEC	CIALTY CROPS	HARVESTE	D IN NE	VADA, 1981-	83
Crop & Year	: Acres : :Harvested:	Production Per Acre :	n:: Total:	Unit	: Value of : Per Unit	Production: Total
Garlic	Acres	-	Tons		Dol.	Thou. Dol.
1981	.: 600	6.0	3,600	Ton	420.00	1,512
1982	.: 575	5.5	3,163	Ð	360.00	1,139
1983	.: 800	6.0	1,800	11	440.00	2,112
Onions			-			
1981	.: 600	20.0 12	2,000	Ton	195.00	2,340
1982	.: 550	23.0 12	2,650	ш	200.00	2,530
1983	. : 500	21.0 10	0,500	Ш	210.00	2,205

WEATHER SUMMARY, 1982-1983

GENERAL: Precipitation for the water year October 1, 1982 through September 30, 1983 totaled 14.23 inches--nearly double normal and more than an inch more than a year earlier. Weather during the fall and winter season had mostly periods of frequent rain and snowstorms with only brief periods of clear skies. High winds accompanying the storms produced gusts exceeding 60 miles per hour. Precipitation was well above normal. Winter-like weather extended into the spring season with rain, snow showers, and gusty winds well into May. Some flooding occurred in the north and extreme south. Precipitation during the spring season was also above normal most areas. Unseasonably dry weather was experienced during the first half of the summer season with near record afternoon high temperatures. Thundershowers late in summer caused flash flooding in some localities. Temperatures during this period dropped below normal. Temperatures during the 1982-83 water year averaged 49.6 degrees which was slightly below both last year and normal. July has usually been the hottest month of the summer season but for the second consecutive year it has lost that rating to August which had an average of 70.4 degrees.

FALL 1982: October started like the previous month ended--with heavy rain throughout most of Nevada changing to snow at higher elevations. Varied weather including cold, sunshine, rain, hail, wind, and snow prevailed until about midmonth when skies cleared and temperatures returned to normal. Unseasonably cool weather dominated again near the end of October accompanied by above normal precipitation. Mostly dry weather with below normal temperatures characterized the first half of November. Abrupt weather changes at midmonth brought a taste of winter as snow blanketed most northern areas and rain the remainder of Nevada. Gusty winds were reported in the extreme south. Weekly storms dumped heavy snows at higher elevations and rain in valleys the last half of November. Temperatures moderated near the end of the month but weather was mostly cloudy and windy in most areas.

A vigorous winter storm moved into Nevada the beginning of December WINTER 1982: bringing winds in excess of 68 miles per hour with snow in the north and rain in the south. Despite stormy conditions, temperatures averaged several degrees above normal. Fair weather prevailed throughout the middle of the month. Northern areas fell victim to occasional periods of strong, gusty winds with light precipitation during the third week. In contrast, southern areas had mostly fair skies, light winds, and seasonable temperatures. Fair weather and light winds prevailed the remainder of December. Strong high pressure systems extended into the first three weeks of January. This produced mostly clear skies and little to no precipitation. Afternoon highs soared well above seasonal normals, but the clear skies also allowed temperatures to drop sharply at night. Cloud cover near the end of January lowered daytime temperatures and moderated night recordings. Snow was widespread in most northern areas with rain elsewhere at the end of the month. A series of cold fronts swept across Nevada early in February. Moderate to heavy precipitation was reported most areas. High pressure systems produced mostly dry conditions the second week. Sunshine during the day allowed temperatures to climb near normal. Several fast moving cold fronts passed through Nevada the last half of February with moderate to heavy precipitation most areas. Mostly rain fell in the valleys while snow was confined to higher elevations. High winds accompanying the storms produced gusts greater than 60 miles per hour. Temperatures during the last two weeks of February varied from slightly to well above normal most areas.

WEATHER SUMMARY, 1982-1983, cont.,

SPRING, 1983: Temperatures continued well above normal during the first half of March. A series of storm fronts brought precipitation to most areas. The combination of warm weather and heavy rains resulted in some flooding in the north and extreme south. Heavy snow accumulations produced extreme avalanche danger along the east slope of the Sierras. Temperatures dropped to normal midmonth and back to winter-like conditions at the end of March. April started with partly cloudy skies which helped keep average temperatures above normal. Unseasonably low temperatures predominated the middle two weeks of the month but mild weather returned by the end of April. Rain, snow showers, and gusty winds were widespread throughout April. Storm fronts and below normal temperatures brought a return to winter-like conditions during the first three weeks of May. Significant amounts of precipitation with rain, snow, and hail in the valleys and heavy snow at higher elevations were common during this period. A high pressure system at the end of May produced clear skies and a warming trend which brought average temperatures to near normal.

SUMMER, 1983: From winter to summer, spring was omitted. June started with sunny skies, temperatures well above normal, and only trace amounts of precipitation. Sunny weather the second week resulted in record or near record afternoon highs all areas. Scattered thundershowers were common midmonth mainly over northern areas with smaller amounts central. The far south remained dry. tures were close to seasonal normals the last half of June. Light frosts were recorded in the northern third of Nevada. Snowmelt continued to flood low lying agricultural lands along major rivers in the northern and central areas. July was mostly cool and dry. Temperatures were near normal the beginning of the month but a series of cold fronts set the weather pattern the remainder of July. Precipitation was limited to trace amounts most of the month but dusty winds were created with the passage of each cold front. Thundershower activity became widespread near the end of July. August started with dry weather and near normal temperatures. Hot, dry winds by the end of the first week pushed temperatures near the century mark in all areas. Afternoon thunderstorms became widespread by midmonth. Temperatures were lowered to a little below normal by the widespread showers, bringing relief from the unseasonably hot weather most areas. Flash flood conditions were reported with several roads closed to traffic for a short time. Hardest hit was the extreme south. Gusty southwest winds tended to dry things out by the end of August. Dry weather extended into the first three weeks of September. Temperatures started above normal but quickly dropped to the first freezing recordings near midmonth. Temperatures moderated at the very end of the month and precipitation was widespread. Vegetative killing frosts were reported around September 21 and 22.

	٠	TEMPE	RATUR	ES AN	ND PRE	CIPITA	MOITA	FOR	WATER	YEAR,	1983			
	:	1	982		:				198	3				
	:	0ct	Nov	Dec	:Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July /	Aug	Sept	Total
		-					- Deg	rees						
Temperature	:								_					
1982-83	:	48.4	36.7	31.8	3 34.1	37.4	41.7	42.9	54.8	63.7	69.5	70.4	63.9	49.6
Normal	:	51.8	39.4	32.7	7 29.6	33.8	40.3	48.6	56.4	64.4	72.9	70.8	62.8	50.3
Departure	:	-3.4	-2.7	- , 9	+4.5	+3.6	+1.4	-5.7	-1.6	7	-3.4	4	+1.1	7
		-					- Inc	hes						
Precipitation	n:													
1982-83	:	1.1	6 1.3	2.90	1.43	1.11	2.0	11.	27 .	44 .68	3 .12	2.5	6 1.23	3 14.23
Normal	:	.6	8 .6	3 .90	.94	.88	3 .8	31.	79 .	77 .5	3 .47	. 4	.39	8.25
Departure	:	+.4	8 +.6	4 (+.49	+.23	3 +1.2	20 +.	48	33 +.19	535	+2.1	5 +.84	+5.98

NEVADA STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE 1983 AERIAL AND GROUND PEST CONTROL SUMMARY

This summary was compiled from information contained in mandatory monthly reports submitted to this Department by the 1983 custom aerial pest control licensees. Its accuracy is based on these monthly reports and the data therein does not constitute approval or recommendations by this Department or the Statistical Reporting Service.

Pesticide Use (Aerial Application) 1983

(49,680 Total Acres Treated)

PEST OR USE	CHEMICAL	RATE/ACRE	ACRES
Alfalfa Hay	2,4-D	1 qt.	889 40
Alfalfa Weevil	Furadan	2 qts. 1/2 pt. 3/4 pt.	1,480 3,400
П	11	1 pt.	3,926
п	II	1 1/2 pts.	40
Alfalfa Weevil	Malathion "	1 1/2 oz.	510
 Alfalfa Weevil	Methyl Parathion	1 qt. 1 1/2 oz.	140 200
Alfalfa Weevil	nethyl Farathion	1/4 pt.	151
R R	П	1/2 pt.	473
11	Ц	1 pt.	575
Alfalfa Weevil	Sevin	1 qt.	240
Alfalfa Weevil	Thimet	9.5 lbs.	321
		10 lbs. 13 lbs.	1,225
Alfalfa Weevil/Aphids	Furadan/Cygon	1 pt./ 1/2 pt.	1,095 1,107
ii weevilyApiiids	i di ddairy cygori	1 pt./ 1 pt.	2,455
п	Furadan/Methyl/Parathion	1/2 pt./ 1/2 pt.	693
Alfalfa Weevil/Aphids	Methyl Parathion	4/5 pt.	200
Alfalfa Weevil/Aphids/			_
Army Cutworms	Methyl Parathion/Sevimol	1/2 pt./ 1/2 pt.	1,090
Alfalfa Weevil/	Funadan/Mathyl Danathian	1/2 n+ / 1/2 n+	180
Blue Aphid Aphids	Furadan/Methyl Parathion Cygon	1/2 pt./ 1/2 pt. 1 pt.	8,827
Aprilas II	0,9011	1 1/2 pts.	120
Aphids	Cygon/Furadan	1 pt./ 1 pt.	820
Aphids	Cygon/Parathion	1 pt./ 6 oz.	3,228
Aphids	Lorsban	1 pt.	42
Aphids	Malathion	1/2 pt.	200 511
11	Methyl Parathion	6 oz. 1/2 pt.	511 584
Aphids	Parathion	6 oz.	559
11	11	3/4 pt.	100
Aphids	Phosdri n	1/2 pt.	70
11	Systox	1/6 pt.	1,822
] pt.	105 78
Aphids/Thrips	Cygon Methyl Parathion	1 pt. 1 1/2 pts.	78 10
Blue Aphid	Methyl Parathion	1/2 pts.	180
Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-DB	3/4 pt.	600
11	ii -	3.4 pts.	12

ALFALFA HAY (Cont'd.)

PEST OR USE Broadleaf Weeds	CHEMICAL 2,4-DB	RATE/ACRE 3.9 pts. 1 1/2 qts.	ACRES 511 184
И	t t	2 qts.	25
Cutworm	Sevin Bait	30 lbs.	150
Foxtail	Sencor	1 1/4 pts.	31
Mustard	2,4-DB	1 3/4 qts.	35
Mustard/White Top	Paraquat	l qt.	225
Thrips	Methyl Parathion	1/2 pt.	1,157
Thrips	Parathion	6 Oz.	551
Thrips	Phosdrin	1/2 pt.	179
Weeds	Lexone	l pt.	290
Weeds	Sencor	l pt.	243
Weeds	Simazine	1 3/4 1bs.	2,630
Weeds/Grasses	Paraquat/Sencor	1 1/2 qts./ 1 pt.	200
Weeds/Grasses	Velpar	2 qts.	90
Winter Weeds	Paraquat	l qt.	6
Winter Weeds	Princep	l ĺb.	120
11	п	1 1/2 1bs.	1,395
Alfalfa Weevil	Furadan	l pt.	307
Aphids	Parathion	6 oz.	3,053

ALFALFA SEED (22,223 Total Acres Treated)

PEST OR USE Alfalfa Weevil Alfalfa Weevil	<u>CHEMICAL</u> Cygon Furadan	RATE/ACRE 1 1/4 pts. 1 1/2 pts. 1 qt.	ACRES 305 48 640
Alfalfa Weevil	Methyl Parathion Systox Thimet	1/2 pt. 1/3 pt. 13 lbs.	62 300 120
Alfalfa Weevil/Aphids	Furadan/Cygon	1 pt./ 1 pt. 1 qt./ 3/4 pt.	145 260
Alfalfa Weevil/Aphids	Methyl Parathion Supracide/Systox	1/2 pt. 1 1/2 qts./ 1 pt.	70 115
Alfalfa Weevil/Lygus Alfalfa Weevil/Mustard Aphids	Methyl Parathion Methyl Parathion/ 2,4-DB Cygon Dibrom	4/5 pt. 1/2 pts./ qt. pt. pt.	480 150 407 370
Aphids	Metasystox-R Dibrom	1 qt. 1 pt.	1,410 110
Aphids Aphids	Phosdrin Pirimor	1 pt. 4 oz.	115 180
Aphids	Systox	5 oz. 6 oz. 1 pt.	285 1,532 35
Aphids/Lygus	Dibrom	.8 pt. 1 pt.	175 168
Aphids/Lygus Aphids/Lygus	Furadan Phosdrin Supracide Systox/Dylox	qt. pt. qt. pt./ 1/2 bs.	1,200 78 480 733

ALFALFA SEED (Cont'd.)

PEST OR USE Aphids/Lygus " Aphids/Lygus Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Desiccate Desiccate Desiccate	CHEMICAL Systox/Dylox/Dibrom Systox/Malathion Systox/Supracide 2,4-DB MCPA Velpar Contact "Des-I-Cate"	RATE/ACRE 1 pt./ 1 1/4 lbs./ 1/4 pt 1 pt./ 1 pt. 1 pt./ 1 1/2 pts. 1 pt./ 1 1/2 qts. 1 1/2 qts. 1/2 pt. 1 1/2 qts. 2 qts. 3 qts. 1 1/4 gals. 1 1/2 gals.	ACRES 515 90 228 890 184 20 80 90 169 709 488
II II	Dinitro	1 1/2 qts.	1,499
11	Dinitro	2 qts.	184
Desiccate	Dinoseb Diquat	1 1/2 qts. 1 pt.	550 370
nes recate	b iqua c	1 qt.	200
Dodder	CIPC	20 1bs.	425
II	11	25 1bs.	70
п	н	30 lbs.	490
Grain/Grasses	CIPC	l gal.	150
Lygus	Dibrom	1/2 pt.	150
11	Dibrom/Dylox	1 pt. 1/3 pt./ 3/4 1b.	268 46
п	ווייייייייייייייייייייייייייייייייייייי	.4 pt./ 1.6 lbs.	340
ш	н	3/8 pt./ 1 1/4 lbs.	. 75
п	п	1/2 pt./ 17/8 lbs.	323
II	Н	.9 pt./ 1.4 lbs.	35
Lygus	Dylox	1 1b.	155
Lygus	Dylox/Phosdrin	3/4 lb./ l pt.	70
Lygus	Methyl Parathion	3/4 pt. 1 1/2 pts.	195 150
Lygus	Phosdrin	1 pt.	940
2, 3-0	n n	1 1/4 pts.	275
и	Supracide	2 qts.	118
Lygus	Thiodan	1 1/2 qts.	470
		2 qts.	770
Spidermites Spidermites	Comite Kelthane	1 qt.	544 320
Thrips	Parathion	2 qts. 6 oz.	155
Weeds	IPC	20 1bs.	80
Alfalfa Weevil	Furadan	1 pt.	1,053
Aphids	Phosdrin	1 1/2 pts.	670
Aphids	Pirimor	1 1b.	335
u ·	Supracide	1 qt.	1,435
Broadleaf Weeds	Systox 2,4-DB	1/3 pt. 1 qt.	788 384
Dodder	CIPC	17 lbs.	5,298
Lygus	Furadan	1 qt.	2,158
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(5,798 Total Acres Treated)

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PEST OR USE Alfalfa Hay/Mustard Black Grass Bugs Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds/Mustard Mustard Aphids	CHEMICAL 2,4-D Malathion Dicamba/2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-DB MCPA 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D Systox	RATE/ACRE 1 1/2 pts. 1 1/2 oz. 1/8 pt./ 3/4 pt. 1 pt. 1 1/2 pts. 1 qt. 1 1/2 qts. 1 pt. 1 1/2 pts. 3/4 pt. 1 pt. 1/3 pt.	ACRES 33 63 45 683 1,297 1,971 437 423 55 450 275 66 70
Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-D 2,4-D	l pt. I qt.	698 136
	BROCCOLI SEED (2 Total Acres Treated))	
PEST OR USE Aphids/Lygus/Thrips	CHEMICAL Sevin	RATE/ACRE 1 16.	ACRES 2
	<u>CABBAGE SEED</u> (2 Total Acres Treated))	
PEST OR USE Aphids/Lygus/Thrips	CHEMICAL Sevin	RATE/ACRE 1 16.	ACRES 2
	<u>CARROT SEED</u> (13 Total Acres Treated))	
PEST OR USE Armyworms	CHEMICAL Dylox	RATE/ACRE	ACRES 4
Desiccate	Dinitro	2 lbs. 1 1/2 qts.	4 5
•	<u>CLOVER</u> (357 Total Acres Treated	i)	
PEST OR USE Aphids Aphids Desiccate	CHEMICAL Systox Systox Dinitro Dinitro	RATE/ACRE 1/3 pt. 1 pt. 1 1/2 qts. 2 qts. 2 1/2 qts.	90 40 42 110 75
	(386 Total Acres Treate	ed)	
PEST OR USE Broadleaf Weeds Corn Earworm	CHEMICAL 2,4-D Sevin	RATE/ACRE 1 1/2 pts. 2 lbs.	ACRES 149 5

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	PEST OR USE Corn Earworm Broadleaf Weeds	CHEMICAL Sevin 2,4-D	RATE/ACRE 2 1/2 1bs. 1 qt.	ACRES 10 222
		(50 Total Acres T	reated)	
	PEST OR USE Broadleaf Weeds	CHEMICAL 2,4-D	RATE/ACRE 1 1/2 pts.	ACRES 50
		(30 Total Acres	Treated)	
	PEST OR USE Broadleaf Weeds	CHEMICAL 2,4-DB	RATE/ACRE 1 qt.	ACRES 30
		GARLIC (611 Total Acres T	reated)	
,	PEST OR USE Broadleaf Weeds Cutworms Thrips Winter Weeds	CHEMICAL Paraquat Toxaphene Sulfur/Methyl Parathion Paraquat	RATE/ACRE 2 qts. 3 qts. 3 lbs./ 1/2 pt. 1 1/2 qts.	ACRES 30 26 55 500
		GRAIN (1,024 Total Acres	Treated)	
	PEST OR USE Alfalfa Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Mustard	CHEMICAL 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D	RATE/ACRE 3/4 Pt. 1/2 pt. 3/4 pt. 1 qt.	ACRES 17 47 880 80
		<u>LETTUCE</u> (66 Total Acres I	reated)	
	PEST OR USE Aphids/Lygus Aphids/Lygus/Thrips	CHEMICAL Sevin Sevin Phosdrin/Parathion	RATE/ACRE 1 1b. 1 1b. 1/2 pt./ 1/4 pt.	ACRES 7 5 10
	Leafhopper/Mites/ Looper Loopers/Armyworms Loopers/Lygus Loopers/Lygus Lygus	Thìodan Dipel Phosdrin Thiodan Malathion/Phosdrin	1 qt. 1 1b. 1/2 pt. 1 1/2 pts. 1 pt./ 6 oz.	10 10 10 10 4

		MEADOW	
(583	Total	Acres	Treated)

PEST OR USE Broadleaf Weeds/	<u>CHEMI CAL</u>	RATE/ACRE	<u>ACRES</u>
Sunflowers	2,4-D	1 1/3 pt.	400
Cattails Wild Rosebushes	Amitrol 2,4-D	5 gals. 2 qts.	5 108
Willows	2,4-D	2 qts.	70
	MINT		•
	(1,321 Total Acres Treat	ed)	
PEST OR USE	CHEMICAL	RATE/ACRE	ACRES
Laanasa	Lorsban Lannate	2 qts. 2 qts.	185 200
Spidermites	Comite	1 1/8 qts.	140
Spidermites	Parathion	1 pt.	210
Weeds	Sinbar Sinbar	1 1b.	321
	MOSQUITOES		
	(86,709 Total Acres Tre	ated)	
PEST OR USE	CHEMICAL	RATE/ACRE	ACRES
Adults	Malathion "	1.6 oz. 3 oz.	1,300 20,824
и	н	.8 pt.	600
N	II	1/4 1b.	150
Adults Adults	Malathion/Baytex Parathion	1.6 oz./ 1/2 oz. 1.2 oz.	800 7,715
П	10	1/10 1b.	1,000
Adults Adults	Parathion/Malathion BTI	1.2 oz./ 1.6 oz. 1 1/2 pts.	800 1,400
Adults	Dibrom	.75 oz.	44,000
Adults	Parathion	1/10 1b.	8,120
	NON OBORLAND		
	<u>NON-CROPLAND</u> (105 Total Acres Treat	ed)	
PEST OR USE	CHEMICAL	RATE/ACRE	ACRES
Dock Elm Tree/ Elm Beetles	2,4-0	2 qts. 2 1/2 1bs.	60 5
Bulrush	Methoxychlor Rodeo	1 qt.	40
	OATS (189 Total Acres Treat	ed)	
PECT OR USE		·	
<u>PEST OR USE</u> Broadleaf Weeds	CHEMICAL 2,4-D	RATE/ACRE 1 1/2 pts.	<u>ACRES</u> 123
Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-D	1 qt.	66

(2,638 Total Acres Treated)

PEST OR USE Desprout	CHEMICAL MH 30	RATE/ACRE 3 1/3 1bs.	ACRES 26
Fungi	Ridomil	2 lbs.	96
Fungi	Ridomil/Bravo	2 lbs./ 2 qts.	130
Thrips	Malathion	1 pt.	26
H	И	1 1/2 pts.	26
Thrips	Methyl Parathion	3/4 pt.	218
II.	11	1 pt.	1,007
Thrips	Methyl Parathion/Sulfur	1/2 pt./ 13 lbs.	38
Thrips	Methyl Parathion/Toxaphene	1 1/2 pts./ 1 qt.	528
Thrips	Phosdrin	8 oz.	50
Thrips	Phosdrin/Parathion	1/2 pt./ 5 oz.	29
Thrips	Sulfur	2 lbs.	15
Thrips	Sulfur/Parathion	2 1/2 1bs./ 1/2 pt.	45
II	11	3 lbs./ 1/2 pt.	50
14	ri.	4 lbs./ 6 oz.	236
II	u .	5 lbs./ 6 oz.	114
Thrips/Blight	Parathion/Manzate	1 qt./ 1 1/3 qts.	4

PASTURE (1,820 Total Acres Treated)

PEST OR USE Broadleaf Weeds	CHEMICAL 2,4-D	RATE/ACRE 1 pt.	ACRES 40
Canada Thistle	2,4-D	1 qt.	260
Wild Iris	Banvel	4 oz.	480
Wild Iris	2,4-D	1 I/2 pts.	480
Wild Iris/Thistle	Banvel	2 oz.	240
Wild Iris/Thistle	2,4-D	1 1/2 pts.	240
Willows	2,4-D	2 1bs.	80

(35,995 Total Acres Treated)

PEST OR USE Aphids/Blight Aphids/Blight Aphids/Blight Aphids/Blight Aphids/Blight Blight	CHEMICAL Maneb/Du-ter Thiodan/Bravo Thiodan/Dithane Thiodan/Maneb Thiodan/Maneb/Duter Bravo Difolitan/Solabar Dithane Du-ter Maneb/Du-ter Manzate ""	RATE/ACRE 1 qt./ 1/2 pt. 1 1/2 pts./ 1.8 pts. 1 1/2 pts./ 1 qt. 1 1/2 pts./ 1 qt. 1 1/2 pts./ 1 qt./ 1/2 pt. 1 pt. 1 qt. 1 qt./ 1 1b. 1 qt. 2 qts. 16 oz. 1 1/2 pts./ 1/2 pt. 1 qt. 1 qt. 1 qt.	ACRES 130 620 4,875 510 640 160 305 320 130 6,003 650 320 272 130
Blight/Growth/ Regulator Blight/Loopers Broadleaf Weeds	Bravo/MH 30 Maneb/Thiodan Sencor/Prowl	1 qt./ 1 gal 1/4 pt./ 1 1/2 pts. 1 pt./ 1 pt.	217 130 160

POTATOES (Cont'd.)

Desiccate Desiccate Desiccate Early Blight Early Blight Early Blight/Aphids Growth Regulator Growth Regulator Heafhoppers Thrips Weeds Weeds """	Des-I-Cate Dinitro Dinoseb Bravo Difolatan Difolatan/Thiodan Maneb/Thiodan Cytex MH 30 Cygon Dithane/Lorsban Sencor " Sencor/Prowl " " RADISH SEED (64 Total Acres Treated	<pre>1 qt. 1 qt. 1 qt. 1 qt./ 1 1/2 pts. 1 qt./ 1 1/2 pts. 2 q ts. 1 gal. 1 1/4 gals. 1 pt. 1 qt./ 1 qt. 1 pt. 1 1/2 pts. 1 pt./ 1 1/2 pts. 1 pt./ 1 qt. 1 pt./ 1 qt. 1 pt./ 1 qt.</pre>	80 380 4,005 400 435 160 160 160 684 919 250 80 85 541 1,939 377 4,673
PEST OR USE Aphids/Lygus/Thrip Weeds	CHEMICAL Sevin 2,4-DB RANGELAND (8,773 Total Acres Treated	RATE/ACRE 1 1b. 1 1/8 pts.	ACRES 13 51
PEST OR USE Larkspur Leafy Spurge Rabbitbrush Sagebrush "" Sagebrush "" Sagebrush/Weeds Thistle Willows Willows Wyethia	CHEMICAL 2,4,5-T Tordon 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D Dicamba/2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D	RATE/ACRE 2 qts. 1 qt. 3 lbs. 2 lbs. 1/3 gal. 2 qts. 3 lbs. 3.5 lbs. 4 lbs. 2 lbs. 3 lbs. 2 lbs. 2 lbs. 3 lbs. 2 lbs. 3 lbs. 2 lbs. 2 lbs. 2 lbs. 2 lbs.	ACRES 180 10 620 2,520 1,135 550 200 200 2,058 60 60 80 900
	(6,054 Total Acres Treated	d)	
PEST OR USE Aphids Aphids/Mustard Broadleaf Weeds	CHEMICAL Systox Parathion/2,4-D 2,4-D	RATE/ACRE 1 pt. 1 1/2 pts./ 1 pt. 1/2 pt.	ACRES 140 300 331

WHEAT (Cont'd.)

PEST OR USE	CHEMICAL	RATE/ACRE	ACRES
Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-D	2/3 pt.	.50
it	П	3/4 pt.	8
II	11	l pt.	1,016
И	п	1 1/2 pts.	791
11	П	l qt.	1,570
11	t t	1 1/2 qts.	73
Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-DB	1 pt.	270
Broadleaf Weeds	MCPA	1 1/2 pts.	40
Clover	2,4-DB	1 pt.	160
Mustard	2,4-D	1 1/2 pts.	90
Rust	Bayleton	1/2 oz.	100
Rust/Aphids	Bayleton/Systox	1/2 pt./ 1 pt.	100
Weeds	MCPA	l pt.	1,015
Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-D	1 pt.	481
Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-D	1 qt.	92

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(4,871 TOTAL ACRES TREATED)

PEST/USE	PESTICIDE	RATE/ACRE	ACRES				
Weeds Weeds Weeds Aphids Aphids Broadleaf Weeds Winter Weeds Weeds Aphids Winter Weeds Grasses Winter Weeds	2,4-D 2,4-DB 2,4-DB Diazinon Diazinon Dinitro Karmex Karmex Methyl Parathion Paraquat Paraquat Princep Princep Princep Round-Up Sencor Sencor Velpar	1 QT. 1 QT. 1 1/2 QTS. 3/4 LB. 1 LB. 1 1/4 PTS. 1/2 LB. 1 LB. 1/2 PT. 1 QT. 1 1/2 QTS. 1 1/4 LBS. 1 1/2 LBS. 2 LBS. 1 QT. 1 PT. 1 LB. 1/2 LB.	4 32 136 46 128 27 100 3 130 2,795 50 38 367 60 40 520 173 22 200				
	ALFALFA SEED (155 TOTAL ACRES TREA	TED)					
Defoliation	Dinitro	1 1/2 QTS.	155				
	BARLEY (1,171 TOTAL ACRES TRE	ATED)					
Broadleaf Weeds Defoliation Weeds Weeds Weeds	Brominal Dinitro 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D	.92 PT. 1/2 GAL. 1 PT. 1 1/2 PTS. 1 QT.	390 25 164 580 12				
BEEF (2,140 TOTAL HEAD TREATED)							
Mites/Lice Mites/Lice Mites/Lice	Coumaphos (Bulls) Coumaphos (Cows & Heifers) Coumaphos (Steers)	.38 (dip vat conc.) .38 (dip vat conc.) .38 (dip vat conc.)	263 1,686 191				

PESTICIDE USE (Ground Application) 1983

(85 TOTAL ACRES TREATED)

PEST/USE	PESTICIDE	RATE/ACRE	ACRES
Weeds Weeds	2,4-D 2,4-D	1 PT. 1 QT.	6 79
	<u>DITCHES</u> (31.5 TOTAL ACRES TREATED)		
Broadleaf Weeds Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Weeds Willows Willows Willows	Amitrole Round-Up 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D	1 QT. 1/2 GAL. 1/2 PT. 1/2 GAL. 1/2 GAL. 1 GAL. 2 GALS.	8 1 8 6.5 6 1 1
	FALLOW GROUND (214 TOTAL ACRES TREATED)		
Weeds Weeds Weeds	Bladex Paraquat Pramitol	1 QT. 1 QT. 3/4 LB.	30 38 1
Broadleaf Weeds/ Grasses Broadleaf Weeds/	Round-Up	1/2 GAL.	62
Grasses Broadleaf Weeds Weeds Weeds	Round-Up 2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D	2 3/4 QTS. 1/2 PT. 1 QT. 1/2 GAL.	32 6 2 43
	FIELD BORDERS (15 TOTAL ACRES TREATED)		
Weeds Weeds	Round-Up 2,4-D	1/2 GAL. 1/2 GAL.	8 7
	OATS (432.5 TOTAL ACRES TREATED)		
Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-D 2,4-D	1 PT. 1 1/2 PTS.	32.5 400
	ONIONS (132 TOTAL ACRES TREATED)		
Weeds	Goal	1 PT.	132

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PASTURE (31.2 TOTAL ACRES TREATED)

PEST/USE	PESTICIDE	RATE/ACRE	ACRES
Weeds/Grasses Weeds Weeds	Amitrole 2,4-D 2,4-D	1 GAL. 1 QT. 1/2 GAL.	10 14 7.2
	RAILROADS (2,221.25 TOTAL ACRES T	DEATED)	
Weeds	Atrazine/Atratrol 90 Atrazine/Karmex Atrotol 90/Karmex 2,4-D/Banvel Atrazine/Oust/Karmex	4 1/2 LBS./ 4 LBS. 4 1/2 LBS./ 4 LBS. 4 LBS./ 4 LBS. 1/2 GAL./ 1/2 GAL. 4 1/2 LBS./4 OZ./4 LBS. 3 LBS./ 4 1/2 LBS./4LB 4 1/2 LBS./ 4 LBS./ 2 OZ./ 4 LBS. 1 GAL./ 1/2 GAL./ .069 GAL./ 20 OZ. 3/4 GAL.	189 679 260 492 . 11 S. 93 296
	<u>ROADS</u> (2 TOTAL ACRES TREAT	ED)	
Weeds	2,4-D	1/2 GAL.	2
	RYE (15 TOTAL ACRES TREAT	ED)	
Weeds	2,4-D	1 PT.	15
	WHEAT (81 TOTAL ACRES TREAT	ED)	
Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds Broadleaf Weeds	2,4-D 2,4-D 2,4-D	2/3 PT. 1 PT. 1 1/2 PTS.	60 16 5

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USUAL PLANTING AND HARVESTING DATES, BY CROPS AND PRINCIPAL PRODUCING AREAS IN NEVADA 1983 : Usua1 Principal :Harvested: Planting Usual Harvesting Dates Producing Dates Areas and

: Acreage : Most Active End (000) Counties

Barley

:Sept. 5-Oct.20:July 10:July 15-Aug.25:Sept. 5: District I Fall sown : 34 Spring Sown: :Apr. 5-May 10:July 20:July 25-Sept.1:Sept.15: District 1

Corn, silage: 3 :May 1-June 1 :Sept. 1:Sept. 10-Oct. 1:Oct. 10: Churchill

Pershing

Hay

Alfalfa 230 :Apr. 10: :Nov. 1: Clark

:June 1: :Oct. 10: District 1,3 :June 15: All Other 300 :Sept.15: District 1,3

0ats 4 :Apr. 1-May 25 :July 25:Aug. 5-Sept. 1:Sept.10: Statewide

Wheat

8 Winter :Sept.5-Oct.20 :July 15:Aug. 1-Aug. 25:Sept. 5: Humboldt

: Pershing

Other spring: 10 :Apr. I-May 10 :July 25:Aug. 10-Sept.5:Sept.15: Humboldt

> : Eureka : Pershing

: Lander

12 :Apr.25-June 10:Oct. 1 :Oct. 10-Oct.30:Nov. 10: Humboldt Potatoes

> : Lander T Lyon

: Washoe

SEED CROPS

Alfalfa 9 :Aug.25:Sept.5-Oct. 5 :Oct. 15: Humboldt

: Pershing

: Lander

LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

Nevada's cattle cycle reversed the short-lived downward swing with a slight increase. Total cattle and calves on January 1, 1984, at 660,000 head, was up 2 percent from a year earlier. Beef cows totaled 329,000 head at the beginning of 1984—up 1 percent from the preceding year. Milk cows increased to 17,000 head in 1984. Beef heifers over 500 pounds showed a 2 percent decrease from the previous year while no change was reported for milk replacement heifers. Steers weighing over 500 pounds held steady at 38,000 head. Calves (less than 500 pounds) changed from 176,000 head in 1983 to 183,000 at the beginning of 1984.

Sheep and lambs totaled 103,000 head January 1, 1984--down 6 percent from the preceding year. Sheep numbers were at a peak level of over 1,300,000 in 1920. Stock sheep were estimated at 92,000 head at the beginning of the year. Lambs on feed totaled 11,000 head on January 1, 1984. Ewe lambs decreased from 13,000 to 11,000 head while ewes one year old and older went from 86,000 to 78,000 head.

LIVESTOCK ON FARMS, JANUARY 1, 1982-1984

		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ACAVA		: UN	ITED STAT	ES 1/	
Species	1982	1983	1984	:84 as % : of 83	1982	1983	1984	84 as a
	- Tho	usand	Head -	- Pct.	Tho	usand Hea	.d	Pct.
Cattle & Calves	: 700	650	660	<u>102</u>	115,604	115,199	114,040	99
Cows that calved	: 375	341	346	101	50,331	49,154	48,800	
Beef Cows	: 359	325	329	101	39,319	38,079	37,660	99
Milk Cows	: 16	16	17	106	11,012	11,076	11,140	
Heifers 500 lb+	: 83	- ₋₇₇	75	$ \overline{97}$	<u>18,328</u>	T8,830	18, <u>5</u> 98	99
Beef Repl	: 57	52	51	98	6,615	6.343	6,195	
Milk Repl	: 8	7	7	100	4,532	4,533	4,541	
Other Heifers	: 18	18	17	94	7,181	7,954	7,862	- 4
Steers 500 1b+	-42	38	38	100	715,501	T6,225	71 6 ,391	
Bulls 500 1b+	20	18	18	100	2,618	2,615	2,550	
Calves under 500 lb.	: 180	176	183	104	28,827	28,375	27,701	,
Sheep & Lambs	: 129	110	103	94	12,966	12,026	11,411	
On feed	: 13	8	11	138	1,564	1,641	1,708	
Stock Sheep	: 116	102	92	90	11,402	10,385	9,703	93 ′
Lambs	: - 19 .	₁ <u>-</u>	- ₁₂	86	$\overline{2},\overline{2}4\overline{8}$		1,544	
Ewes	: 18	13	11	85	1,805	1,407	1,228	
Wethers & Rams	: 1	1	1	10 0	422	340	316	93
1 year & over	: 797		80	91	9,304	8,639	8,159	94
Ewes	: 95	86	78	91	8,788	8,267	7,820	95
Wethers & Rams	: 2	2	2	100	388	372	339	
HOGS & PIGS 2/	: 13	14	14	100	58,688	53,935	55,819	
I/ May not add due to re	unding	ν.			τ		-	

 $[\]frac{1}{2}$ May not add due to rounding. $\frac{1}{2}$ December 1, preceding year.

· 	NEVA		ALUE PER HEA		TOTAL \	VALUE, JAN		982 - 84
Species			Value Per He					Value
	<u>:</u>	1982	: 1983	<u>:</u> ì	1984	: 1982	: 1983	: 1984
		,	Dolla	ars			Thousan	1ds
Cattle and Calves.	, •	340.00	360.00	3٤	85.00	238,000	234,000	254,100
Sheep & Lambs	, :	64.50	62.00	٤	66.50	8,321		6,850
Hogs & Pigs 1/	, :	64,00			88.50	832	•	1,239
Total 3 species .	. :					247,153	242,101	262,189

^{1/} December i, preceding year.

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FARM VALUES

Inventory numbers were well below last year for sheep and lambs, while a slight increase was shown for cattle and calves. Per head values were up for cattle and calves, and sheep and lambs.

Higher per head values more than offset decreases in inventory numbers as inventory value of \$262 million was 8 percent above a year earlier. Cattle and calves were valued at \$254 million, sheep and lambs at \$6.9 million, and hogs and pigs at \$1.2 million.

CATTLE AND CALVES ON FARMS AND RANCHES BY COUNTIES, NEVADA, JANUARY 1, 1979-84

	ME AVE	JA, UANUAI	11, 19/5	7-04		
County	1979.	1980	1981	1982	1983	1 984
Carson City	1,000	1,000	1,400	1,300	1,200	1,200
	61,000	60,000	68,000	77,000	78,000	75,000
	16,000	18,000	18,000	22,000	22,000	22,000
	64,000	65,000	70,000	90,000	75,000	74,000
	45,000	53,000	53,000	60,000	60,000	59,000
	26,000	30,000	29,000	32,000	29,000	30,000
	100	100	100	100	100	100
	28,000	26,000	36,000	38,000	34,000	34,000
Elko: Eureka: Lander: White Pine: Northeastern District	185,000	187,000	195,000	210,000	195,000	190,000
	34,000	33,000	40,000	41,000	39,000	39,000
	24,000	27,000	27,000	25,000	24,000	28,000
	26,000	27,000	31,000	32,000	30,000	32,000
	269,000	274,000	293,000	308,000	288,000	289,000
Clark : : Esmeralda : : Lincoln : : Mineral : : Nye : : Southern District	12,000	15,000	14,000	13,000	10,000	17,000
	5,900	5,900	7,500	5,600	5,000	9,000
	15,000	16,000	18,000	19,000	16,700	20,000
	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,700
	28,000	27,000	28,000	30,000	27,000	25,000
Nevada:	575,000	595,000	640,000	700,000	650,000	660,000

CATTLE ON FEED

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market on January 1, 1984 were estimated at 27,000 head--17 percent more than the preceding year but well below the record high 51,000 head on feed January 1, 1974.

CATTLE AND	CALVES:	NUMBER	ON	FEED	IN	NEVADA	FEEDLOTS	ON	JANUARY 1
Item	:	1981	:	1982	<u>:</u>	1303	:		: 1984 as % : of 1983
	-			1	Thou	isand He	ead	-	Percent
Number on feed for slaughter market	:	22		24		23	27		117

<u>RANGE AND P</u>ASTURE CONDITION

Data in the following table relate to the condition of pastures and ranges near the first of each month and are expressed as a percentage of normal. Normal, in this case equals 100. Since range grasses in Nevada are ordinarily not irrigated the amount of grazing available each year is dependent upon snow melt in spring and infrequent showers during the summer and fall months. The table shows years of drought conditions which occurred in 1972, 1974, 1976, 1977, and again in 1981.

		RANGE	AND	PASTURE	CONDITI	ON - FI	RST OF MO	<u>NTH, NEVAD</u>	<u>4 1967-19</u>	84
Year	:	April:	May	: June	: July	August	Septembe	r:October:	November	: December
1967		79	73	83	93	93	91	87	86	. *
1968		84	78	81	79	76	81	83	77	*
1969		80	84	89	91	88	86	86	86	*
1970		81	77	83	85	86	82	84	83	*
1971		81	85	88	92	87	89	83	85	*
1972		84	74	71	73	70	61	77	78	84
1973		89	94	92	95	87	88	88	82	85
1974		91	85	78	73	65	60	62	59	65
1975		80	75	82	80	85	89	90	94	91
1976		82	72	75	68	68	69	80	84	70
1977		47	55	70	75	75	69	80	75	66
1978		95	84	87	91	86	86	89	85	90
1979		92	92	89	85	83	82	78	85	85
1980		94	87	98	97	95	94	95	94	90
1981		89	91	82	78	62	60	65	66	67
1982		88	90	90	86	87	95	93	99	**
1983		92	91	102	97	99	102	102	105	**
1984		88	95	84	89	88	95	-		

^{*} Data not available prior to 1972.

^{**} Discontinued December 1982.

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CATT	LE A	ND CALV	ES: INVENTO	RY, SUPPLY	AND DI	SPOSITIO	N, NEVAD	A, 1975-	83	_
Year	:	All Cattle Jan. l	Calves Born	Inship- ments	Marke Cattle	tings ::Calves	Farm Slaugh- ter	Deat Cattle:		_
1975 1976 1977 1978	. :	657 651 611 585 575	285 260 250 245 260	46 44 44 40 40	Thousa 175 185 170 159 151	125 130 117 107 102	3 5 5 5 5	14 11 11 9 8	20 13 17 15 14	-
1980 1981 1982 1983	. :	595 640 700 650	280 290 290 295	45 30 20 25	149 134 193 162	102 92 131 109	5 5 5 5	9 11 11 12	15 18 20 22	

SHEEP AND LAMBS:	INVENTORY,	SUPPLY A	AND DISP	OSITION,	NEVADA,	1975-83	
:Sheep & : Year : Lambs : : Jan. 1 :	: Lambs : Saved :	Inship- ments		tings : :Lambs :	Farm Slaugh- ter	Death : Sheep :	
				nd Head			
1975 : 151	110	192	9	252	3	17	19
1976 : 153	102	114	12	185	3	16	20
1977 : 133	96	69	7	130	3	10	23
1978 : 125	96	68	8	121	3	13	19
1979 : 125	94	68	12	124	3	_. 10	16
1980 : 122	93	68	6	110	3	9	21
1981 : 134	97	140	13	199	3	10	17
1982 : 129	92	159	18	221	3	10	18
1983 : 110	85	190	15	241	3	7	16
<u> 1984 : 103 </u>							

HOGS AND PIGS: INVENTORY, SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION	
: Hogs & : : Year : Pigs : <u>Pig Crop</u> :Inshi :1/ Dec. 1, :1/ DecMay :June-Nov: ment	: : Farm : p:Market-:Slaugh-: Deaths s: ings : ter :
Number of Head 1975 : 11,000 7,000 6,500 100 1976 : 9,000 6,300 5,900 100 1977 : 8,000 7,700 7,500 100 1978 : 9,000 8,900 7,000 100 1979 : 10,000 9,800 8,400 100	14,000 800 800 11,800 800 700 12,700 900 700 13,200 1,000 800
1980 : 11,000 9,100 9,000 100 1981 : 12,000 9,100 9,100 1982 : 13,000 9,100 10,000 1983 : 14,000 11,000 11,000 1984 : 14,000	15,200 1,000 1,000

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	CATTLE A	AND CALVES:		AND INCOME,		83
	:	: Manufunk	: Value	:	: Value of	:
Year	: Produc-	: Market-	: of	: Cash	: Home	: Gross
	: tion	: ings	: Produc-	: Receipts	: Consump- : tion	: Income
	: Thous	and Pounds	: tion	: 1/	Thousand Dolla	i
1975	: 190,220	224,608	57,992	68,812	1,056	69,868
1976	: 175,325	234,517	58,960	78,594	2,118	80,712
1977	: 171,535	214,437	61,462	76,553	2,265	78,818
1978	: 173,310	199,507	88,511	101,376	3,317	104,693
1979	: 185,725	190,205	126,177	128,402	3,919	132,321
			-	_	-	-
1980	: 196,755	190,333	125,724	121,043	3,138	124,181
1981	: 197,965	168,010	105,697	89,395	2,932	92,327
1982	: 209,305	262,015	100,572	124,001	2,154	126,155
1983	: 224,850	230,845	105,830	107,741	2,823	110,564
1984	<u>· </u>					
	SHEEP AN	D LAMBS: PF	RODUCTION AN	ID INCOME, N		
Vona	· Dan days	: . Mandret	: Value	:	: Value of	:
Year	: Produc-	: Market-	: of	: Cash	: Home	: Gross
	: tion	: ings	: Produc-	: Receipts	: Consump-	: Income
	Thous	and Pounds-	: tìon	: 1/	: tion Thousand Dollar	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
1975	: 10,666	23,171	4,321	9,169	91	9,260
1976	: 7,922	17,596	3,500	7,160	99	7,259
1977	: 7,121	12,224	3,162	5,599	101	5,700
	: 7,460	11,804	4,106	6,453	134	6,587
1979	: 6,230	12,495	3,495	7,112	132	7,244
1000	. 7 700	10 010	4 153	7 100		7.053
1980	: 7,730	12,210	4,151	7,122	129	7,251
	: 9,395	22,325	4,688	11,499	118	11,617
	: 8,925 : 11,830	25,185 29,655	3,615 4,566	10,228	93	10,321
1984	. 11,000	29,033	4,500	11,497	85	11,582
1301.	<u> </u>	-				
	HOGS AND	PIGS: PROD		INCOME, NEVA		
	:	:	: Value	:	: Value of	:
Year	: Produc-	: Market-	: of	: Cash	: Home	: Gross
	: tion	: ings	: Produc-	: Receipts	: Consump-	: Income
	- Thous	: and Pounds -	<u>: tion </u>	: 1/	<u>: tion</u> Thousand Dollar	
1975	: 3,068	3,006	1,475	1,448	132	1,580
1976	: 2,668	2,524	1,205	1,141	124	1,265
1977	: 3,125	2,653	1,297	1,105	128	1,233
1978	: 3,385	2,913	1,680	1,451	169	1,620
	: 3,888	3,346	1,613	1,390	142	1,532
					•	
1980	: 3,578	3,322	1,404	1,307	134	1,441
1981	: 3,979	3,322	1,303	1,091	111	1,202
1982	: 3,813	3,596	1,669	1,577	75 74	1,652
1983 1984	: 4,507	4,439	1,826	1,799	74	1,873
1904	•					

SHEEP AND WOOL

Sheep and lamb inventories showed a decrease for the third consecutive year. At the present time, sheep and lamb numbers are less than one-tenth of the 1,340, 000 head total which peaked 61 years ago. Wool production in 1983 is estimated at 883,000 pounds, grease basis. This is 13 percent below the 1982 production of 1,019,000 pounds. Sheep shorn and to be shorn during 1983 at 92,000 head, is 12 percent less than the number shorn last year. Fleece weight of 9.6 pounds per head is down slightly from the previous year.

Wool prices fluctuated considerably during the past decade ranging from 51 cents a pound in 1975 to 97 cents in 1981.

	WOOL	PRODUCTION	AND VALUE, NEVADA	1974-83	
	:	: Weight	: Wool	: Price	:
Year	: Sheep	: per	: Produc-	: per	: Value
	: Shorn	: Fleece	: tion	: Pound	:
	Thou. Head	Pounds	Thou. Lb.	Cents	Thou. Dol.
1974	: 143	10.3	1,473	65	957
1975	: 126	10.0	1,260	51	643
1976	: 120	10.2	1,224	69	845
1977	: 110	10.2	1,122	63	707
1978	: 102	10.4	1,061	69	732
1979	: 100	10.3	1,030	84	865
1980		10.0	1,080	88	950
1981	110	10.0	1,120	97	1,086
1982	: 104	9.8	1,019	67	683
1983	: 92	9.6	883	64	565

	SHEEP	AND LAMBS 0	N FARMS A	ND RANCHES,	BY COUNTIES	
		NEVADA	, JANUARY	1, 1979-84		
County :	1979	: 1980 :	1981	: 1982	: 1983	: 1984
			- Number	of Head		
Carson City :	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,500	2,800
Churchill :	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,500	2,000
Douglas :	7,000	7,000	9,000	8,000	6,000	9,000
E1ko :	37,000	34,000	39,000	40,000	37,000	34,000
Eureka :		9,000	9,000	7,000	5,000	3,000
Humboldt :	6,000	6,000	6,000	5,000	4,000	5,000
Landon	E 400	4 500	E 000	F 000	4 000	4 000
Lander :		4,500	5,800	5,000	4,000	4,000
Lyon :		14,000	15,000	14,000	13,000	10,000
Nye :		4,000	4,000	4,090	3,000	2,000
Pershing :		11,000	12,000	13,000	10,000	11,000
Washoe :	4,000	3,000	4,000	3,500	2,500	1,500
White Pine :		25,000	25,000	25,000	22,000	18,000
All Other :	600	500	1,200	500	500	700
State Total . :	125,000	122,000	134,000	129,000	110,000	103,000

LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER

Total liveweight of animals slaughtered in Nevada's commercial slaughter plants increased 28 percent during 1983. Advances occurred throughout the year. Cattle accounted for 7.2 million pounds or 87 percent of the total compared with 83 percent a year earlier. These estimated include slaughter in Nevada's 6 Federally inspected plants, but exclude animals slaughtered on farms and ranches.

		COMMER	RC :	[AL LIVES]	TOCK SLAUGH	TER BY CLASSES,	N	EVADA,	1	979-83	
Species	:	-	:_	Livewe	eight	: Specie	:		:_	Live	veight
and Year	:	Head	: _:	Average	Total	: and : Year	:	Head	:	Average	Total
_		No.		Pounds	Thou. Lb.	•		No.		Pounds	Thou. Lb.
<u>Cattle</u>						Sheep & Lambs		-			
1979		7,000		1,022	7,141	1979	:	2,100		110	230
1980		5,900		1,040	6,168	1980	:	2,700		111	299
1981		5,100		1,063	5,450	1981	:	2,600		109	287
1982		4,900		1,109	5,434	1982	:	2,800		115	321
1983		6,200		1,172	7,231	1983	:	3,000		116	350
Calves						Hogs					
1979							:	4,300		230	982
1980						1980	:	5,700		217	1,245
1981		100		301	29	1981	:	4,300		216	935
1982		100		386	19	1982	:	3,300		227	754
1983						1983				229	758

		COMME	RCIAL LIVE	STOCK	SLAUGHTE	R BY	10NTHS, N	NEVADA	1983	1/
	:_	Ca	ttle	:C		Sheep		s: Ho	ogs	_:All Species
Month	:		: Total	:	: Total :		: Total		Total	: Total
Ponch	:	Head	: Live-	:Head		lead :	: Live-	:Head:		:Liveweight
	:		: Weight	:	<u>: Weight:</u>		: Weight	<u>: :</u>	<u>Weiaht</u>	•
		No.	<u>Thou. Lb</u>	. <u>No</u> .	Thou. Lb.		Thou. Lt	<u>No.</u>	Thou.	Lb. Thou. Lb.
January.	:	400	519	-	-	200	23	200	51	593
February	:	500	598	-	~	200	20	200	52	670
March	:	500	528	-	-	200	20	300	63	611
April	:	400	447	-	-	100	11	200	50	508
May	:	500	602	-	-	400	46	400	99	747
June	:	600	784	-	-	300	35	300	75	894
July	:	500	571	-	-	500	52	200	58	681
August .	:	500	614	-	-	400	40	200	56	710
September	:	500	623	-	_	300	38	200	59	720
October.	:	500	610	-	-	200	24	300	57	691
November	:	600	709	-	-	200	23	300	70	802
December	:	600	626	-	-	100	18	300	69	713
Total.	:6	5,200	7,231	_	- 3	3,000	350	3,300	758	8,339

Total may not add due to rounding. Months with no data are not printed to avoid disclosing individual operations, but data are included in annual totals.

DAIRY SUMMARY

Milk produced on Nevada's farms and ranches during 1983 was estimated at 237 million pounds--up 5 percent from a year earlier.

Of the 237 million pounds produced, 232 million pounds (milk equivalent for cream included) was marketed and the remaining 5 million pounds was utilized on farms and ranches where produced. Cash receipts for milk and cream marketings totaled 31.1 million, up 6 percent from 1982. Producers received an average \$13.40 per cwt. for fluid milk marketed in 1983 compared with \$13.30 in 1982.

Ice cream production in 1983 totaled 1,345,000 gallons--up 6 percent from a year earlier. Ice milk production at the 1,337,000 gallon level was up 75 percent, while sherbet at 82,000 gallons was down 9 percent from the 1982 output.

MILK: PRODUCTION, FARM VALUE, UTILIZATION, AND MARKETING RECEIPTS
NEVADA, 1974-1983

	111	- VADA , 13/4-1303	
	:	MILK	
Year	: :Farm Value	: Utilization :	Marketing Receipts
	:Production: of	: Farm : 501d 1/	Per Lb. : Cash
	: :Production	: Uses : Sold 1/	Milk Fat : Receipts
4	Million Thousand	Million	Thousand
	Pounds Dollars	Pounds	Dollars Dollars
1974	: 167 14,479	5 <u>162</u>	2.43 14,046
1975	: 168 14,935	5 163	2.46 14,487
1976	: 191 18,221	5 186	2.70 17,738
1977	: 198 19,404	5 193	2.83 18,906
1978	: 187 19,560	5 182	2.98 19,033
	100 005	5 104	
1979	: 199 22,885	5 194	3.34 22,310
1980	: 219 27,813	5 214	3.62 27,178
1981	: 223 29,882	5 218	3.79 29,212
1982	: 225 29,925	5 220	3.73 29,260
<u> 1983 </u>	: 237 31,758	5 232	3.81 31,088

1/ Milk equivalent of cream sold.

MILK: COWS MILKED, PRODUCTION PER COW, TOTAL PRODUCTION

NEVADA, BY QUARTER, 1981-83 Milk per Cow 2/ 981 : 1982 : 1983 1/_:_ Milk Production Cows Milked Ouarter :1981 : 1982 : 1983 : 1981 : 1981 : 1982 - - - Thousands - -Pounds - - -- - - Million Pounds -- - - -3,530 3,290 3,460 52.7 Jan.-March. . : 15.3 16.0 16.4 54.0 56.7 Apr.-June . . . :15.5 16.0 16.6 3,730 3,730 57.8 58.5 3,660 61.9 July-Sept.. . :15.7 16.D 16.8 3,580 3,630 3,550 56.2 58.1 59.7 Oct.-Dec. . . :15.9 16.0 17.0 3,460 3,480 3,450 55.0 55.7 58.7 14,063 14,192 16.0 16.7 14,295 223.D 225.0 237.0 Annual. . :15.6

^{1/} Excludes heifers not yet fresh. 2/ Excludes milk sucked by calves.

NEVADA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS 1983

ALL MILK PRICE, VALUE OF CONCENTRATE RATIONS FED TO MILK COWS, AND MILK-FEED PRICE RATIONS. NEVADA BY MONTHS. 1981-83

			INTOL INTI				201-00			
	:	A11	Milk Pric	e	:Value of				ilk Feed	
Month	:		Per Cwt.		:Concentr	ate Rati	ons Fed	: Pri	ce Ratio	S
	:	1981 :	1982 :	1983	: 1981 :	1982	: 1983	: 1981 :	1982 :	1983
		,	Dollars -			Dollars			Numbers	
January.	:	13.75	13.90	13.70	8.30	7.00	7.30	1.66	1.99	1.88
February	:	13.75	13.70	13.70	8.40	7.00	7.40	1.64	1.96	1.85
March	:	13.25	13.30	13.50	8.50	7.00	7.50	1.56	1.90	1.80
April	:	13.35	13.15	13.25	8.60	7.00	7.80	1.55	1.88	1.70
May	:	13.30	13.00	13.10	8.50	7.10	7.70	1.56	1.83	1.70
June	:	13.20	13.00	13.00	8.40	7.30	7.60	1.57	1.78	1.71
July	:	13.20	12.80 ·	13.00	8.40	7.50	7.50	1.57	1.71	1.73
August .	:	13.20	12.95	12.90	8.30	7.40	7.70	1.59	1.75	1.68
September	^ :	13.30	13.25	13.15	8,20	7.30	7.90	1.62	1.82	1.66
October.	:	13.60	13.50	13.60	8.00	7.30	8.00	1.70	1.85	1.70
November	:	13.80	13.60	13.75	7.60	7.30	8.00	1.82	1.86	1.72
December	:	13.75	13.75	13.95	7.30	7.30	8.00	1.88	1.88	1.74
Annual	:	13.40	13.30	13.40	8.06	7.22	7.72	1.66	1.84	1.74

AVERAGE FAT TEST OF MILK SOLD BY FARMERS AND QUANTITIES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS MANUFACTURED, NEVADA BY MONTHS, 1981-83

	:		Fat Test	of:	:	Dairy	Products	Manuf	actured	. 1/
Month	:		Milk So	old	:	Ice Cream	2/		Ice Mil	k 2/
	:	1 <u>9</u> 81	: 1982	: 1983	: 1981	: 1982 :	: 1983 :	1981	: 1982	: 1983
	-		Percent		- -		Thousand	Gallo	ns	
January.	:	3.66	3.83	3.73	83	96	87	76	50	82
February	:	3.67	3.69	3.70	87	106	95	79	54	85
March	:	3.64	3.56	3.63	97	104	115	91	65	100
April	:	3.49	3.51	3.52	98	108	98	93	66	111
May	:	3.41	3.42	3.43	109	112	120	90	68	128
June	:	3.38	3.41	3.40	114	108	140	74	67	136
July	:	3.37	3.39	3.35	124	132	130	75	80	137
August .	:	3.40	3.42	3.34	119	134	144	75	82	144
September	:	3.43	3.51	3.41	110	107	122	80	69	134
October.	:	3.61	3.63	3.49	99	92	108	50	63	121
November	:	3.74	3.67	3.62	84	85	99	52	53	78
December	:	3.70	3.92	3.69	88	82	87	55	49	81
Annual 1	:	3.54	3.57	3.52	1212	1266	1345	890	766	1337

1/ Sherbert production on annual basis: 1981-82,000 gallons; 1982-90,000 gallons; 1983-82,000 gallons. Other items manufactured are not shown when less than 3 plants have reported since individual operations might be disclosed. 2/ Includes production in regular dairy plants and soft frozen products sold directly from a freezer.

STATISTICAL REPORTING SER<u>VICE</u>

	ΜI	LK COWS	S P	ND PRODUCT	ION	, BY COUNTIE	S,	NEVADA		1980-83		
	:_			1980			_:			1981		
County	:	Milk	:	Milk Per	:	Milk	:	Milk	:	Milk Pe		Milk
	:	Cows	:	Cow	:	Production	:	Cows	:	Cow		<u>roduction</u>
		No.		Lb.		Million Lb.		No.		<u>Lb.</u>	<u>M</u>	illion Lb.
Churchill	:	3,500		15,100		52.9		3.600		$14,\overline{900}$		53.6
Clark	:	7,0D0		13,800		96.6		7,200		13,600		97.9
Douglas	:	2,100		15,600		32.8	,	2,200		15,000		33.0
Lyon	:	1,500		15,900		23.9		1,600		15,400		24.6
Washoe	:	500		14,400		7.2		600		14,000		8.4
All others	:	400		13,900		5.6		400		13,700		5.5
State Total	•	15,000		14,593		219.0		15,600		14,295		223.0

	:_			1982		:			1983		
County	:	Milk	:	Milk Per :	Milk	:	Milk	:	Milk Per	:	Milk
	:	Cows	:	Cow :	Production	:	Cows	:	Cow	:	Production
- 1 7710		No.	. ,	Lb.	Million Lb.		No.		Lb.		Million Lb.
Churchill	:	4, 100		14, 600	59.9	_	5,400		$1\overline{4,600}$		78.8
Clark	:	6,800		13,300	90.4		6,400		13,400		85.8
Douglas	;	2,200		14,700	32.3		2,200		14,800		32.6
Lyon	:	1,700		15,200	25.8		1,500		15,300		23.0
Washoe	:	700		13,900	9.7		700		14,000		9.8
All others	:	500		13,800	6.9		500		13,900		7.0
State Total	:	16,000		14,063	225.0		16,700		14,192		237.0

HONEY BEE COLONIES, HONEY & BEESWAX PRODUCTION VALUE OF PRODUCTION, NEVADA 1974-82

	:		: Pounds	Honey	:В	eeswax	:		/a1	ue of	F	roduction	1		:Honey
	:0	olonies	s: Proc	duced	:P	roduced					_:_	Be	<u>e:</u>	swax	:Stocks
Year	:	Thou.	: Per.	:Total	- :-		-:	Dollars	:	Total	-:	Dollars	:	Total	: <u>Dec. 15</u>
	:	111041	:Colony	:Thou.	:	Thou.	:	per	:	Thou.	:	per	:	Thou.	: Thou.
	:_		:	:Pound	:	Pound	·:	Pound	:D	ollars	:	Pound	:	Dollars	: Pound
		_								1		1.00			25
1974		7	100	700		12		. 502		551		1.23		15	35
1975	:	8	55	440		6		.580		255		1.10		7	132
1976	:	9	55	495		7		.533		264		1.15		8	20
1977	:	10	55	550		9		.572		315		1.75		16	193
1978	:	9	40	360		6		.602		217		1.85		11	108
1979	:	12	35	420		6		.603		253		1.89		11	105
1980		11	60	660		13		.720		475		1.67		22	231
1981		12	35	420		7		.750		315		1.90		13	88
1982	: D	isconti	inued												

CHICKEN AND EGGS

Total chickens on Nevada farms and ranches were estimated at 13,000 birds on December 1, 1983. This was down 13 percent from a year earlier but at the same level as December 1, 1981. Of the total chickens, 10,000 birds were of laying age on December 1, 1983.

Total value of chickens in Nevada on December 1, 1983 came to \$33,000 which was up slightly from a year earlier. Value per bird, at \$2.55 was up 55 cents from a year earlier.

		С	HICKENS	ON FAR	RMS,	DECEMB	ER	1, 1981	-83 1/		
		Neva	ıda		:		United	States			
Species	:	1981	: 1982	: 1983	: 8 :	3 as % of 82	_ :	1981	1982	1983	:83 as % : of 82
		Th	ousand	Head -	- P	ercent	-	Th	ousand He	ead	-Percent-
Total Chicker	ns:	13	15	 13		87		384,838	378,609	364,584	96
Laying Age	:	10	10	10		100		293,454	288,968	278,223	96
Hens	:	8	8	8		100		128,814	133,103	132,592	100

100

60

164,640 155,865 145,631

89,641

91.384

93

96

86,361

2

5

2

3

Pullets

All Others

2

3

	VAL	UE OF	CH	<u>ICK</u> ENS	ON	FARMS,		ECEMBER	1,	1981	- 83	1/	
	:_		No	evada			:		Uni	ted	Stat	es	
Value	:	1981	:	1982	:	1983	:	1981	:	1982	:	1983	
Per Head	. :	2.30	-	2.00	<u>·</u>	2.55	÷	1.89		1.85	<u> </u>	1.96	
Total thou. dol.	. :	30		30		33	72	27,188	701	,474	.7	16,192	
1/ Excludes commen	ccia	I broi	Πei	rs.									

EGG PRODUCTION: NUMBER OF LAYERS, EGGS PER LAYER AND TOTAL PRODUCTION. BY QUARTERS, NEVADA 1981-83

	:	Layers		: Eggs	per 100 L	ayers 1/:	:T	otal Pro	duction				
Quarter	: 1981	1982	: 1983 :	1981	1982	1983	1981	1982	1983				
	T	housand	s 		- Number	`		Thousan	ds				
Dec. 2/ Feb.	: 10.0	10.0	10.0	4,000	3,996	3,600	360	405	360				
March - May	: 10.0	10.0	10.0	5,000	5,060	4,600	451	506	460				
June - Aug.	: 10.0	10.0	10.0	5,000	4,876	5,060	460	488	506				
Sept Nov.	: 10.0	10.0	10.0	3,822	3,913	4.095	391	391	410				
Total 3/	:10.0	10.0	10.0	180	180	180	1,662	1,790	1,736				
7 / Mumbau af		- d d	4224.	J L.,,		<u> </u>			2/ 00				

1/ Number of eggs produced divided by average number of layers on hand. 2/ December preceding year. 3/ Layers are the average during the year. Rate of lay is the annual per layer.

EGGS: PRODUCTION, DISPOSITION AND INCOME, NEVADA, 1981-83

									
Year	:	Eggs Produced	Home Consumption	Eggs Sold.	:	Price Per Dozen	: Cash :Receipts	: Value of : home : Consumpti	Gross Income
		Mi	llion Eggs			-Cents-		Thousand Dol	llars
1981	:	1.8	.8	1.0		55.6	46	37	83
1982	:	1.8	.8	1.0		51.9	43	35	78
1983	:	1.8	.8	1.0		47.9	40	32	72

NEVADA MIDMONTH PRICES RECEIVED, 1980-83, (Dollars)

Commodity	:Unit:Year:	Jan	Feb.	: Mar.	: Apr.	: May	June	: July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	· Nov.	: Dec.: Wt.	7
	; ; ; ;	oun.	: ''	;	: ",	: ""	:	: "	; nug,	: Scpt.	;	: 1104.	: Bec.: Av.1	<u>′</u>
Beef	: . C. + 1000	C2 40	CE 10	64 40	E7 00	E7 00	E0 60	EO 40	61 40	E0 00	CO 40	CO 00	(1 40 (1 40	
Cattle	: Cwt.1980 : 1981	63.40 57.00	65.40	64.40	57.80	57.80 50.90	58.60 49.90	59.40 52.20	61.40 50.70	59.80 49.80	62.40 48.40	60.80 47.30	61.40 61.40 40.00 51.30	
	: 1982	41.20	57.40 44.80	54.60	56.50 46.90	46.60	49.90	45.50	48.80	44.90	43.90	44.20	36.50 44.40	
	: 1983	41.60	48.20	46.10 51.20	46.90	45.20	43.80	42.20	43.50	40.30	43.90	39.50	39.00 43.40	
Steers &	: Cwt.1980	68.00	70.00	69.00	62.00	62.00	63.00	64.00	66.00	64.00	67.00	65.00	66.00 65.90	
lleifers	: 1981	66.00	64.00	61.80	63.20	58.40	58.30	60.30	59.40	57.70	56.10	54.90	53.90 59.70	10
Hellela	: 1982	50.70	57.10	57.80	56.80	57.40	56.80	52.00	64.30	55.60	55.10	54.70	53.00 56.00	-
	: 1983	53.70	57.10	59.50	58.40	56.80	54.20	50.60	50.20	49.10	52.90	51.50	47.60 53.50	=
Cows	: Cwt.1980	45.00	47.00	46.00	41.00	41.00	41.00	41.00	43.00	43.00	44.00	44.00	43.00 43.60	-
COMS	: 1981	41.70	42.10	40.90	44.00	41.80	41.40	41.00	41.30	40.80	37.40	34.90	33.10 39.80	-
	: 1982	35.60	35.10	38.50	38.00	39.10	39.60	38.00	37.40	37.10	35.80	33.00	31.60 36.10	10
	: 1983	32.70	38.70	43.30	41.10	41.50	39.40	38.50	38.50	36.90	33.10	32.60	32.60 36.90	-
Calves	: Cwt.1980	82.00	84.00	82.00	70.00	70.00	66.00	64.00	70.00	75.00	72.00	70.00	69.00 72.90	-
041465	: 1981	67.90	68.00	68.00	70.40	63.60	62.90	55.20	57.90	59.20	60.40	60.10	57.90 63.10	10
	: 1982	58.70	60.10	61.80	62.80	59.20	62.90	58.00	57.60	57.80	60.20	58.70	56.70 59.60	>
	: 1983	60.10	63.90	66.90	65.50	63.90	60.40	55.00	56.40	53.40	58.00	57.30	62.00 61.40	-
Sheep	: Cwt.1980	18.00	19.00	18.00	18,00	18.00	17.00	17.00	17.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00 16.90	
энсер	: 1981	19.20	20.20	20.50	16.70	17.00	17.80	17.90	18.00	16.00	18.30	19.80	20.00 18.00	20
	: 1982	13.40	17,80	22.30	16.90	13.50	16.80	13.30	14.10	12.20	13.60	9.10	16.10 13.80	ጦ
	: 1983	12.30	12.80	14.20	25.00	16.60	8.40	7.60	6.30	7.20	7.00	10.70	7.60 9.90	╵╹
Lambs	: Cwt.1980	61.00	59.00	60.00	55.00	55.00	60.00	62.00	63.00	63.00	63.00	61.00	60.00 60.70	0
Lambs	: 1981	50.60	56.00	49.00	58.00	58,30	62.40	60.50	51.50	51.10	49.50	50.20	48.70 53.80	~
	: 1982	38.40	39.10	38.90	2/	48.50	51.20	44.40	44.90	41.00	40.10	37.20	38.80 42.90	⊣
	: 1983	35.30	35.90	42.50	46.50	36.70	45.00	34.60	30.80	34.40	38.70	44.30	46.10 40.80	-
Alfalfa	: Ton 1980	94.00		100.00	104.00	100.00	97.00	99.00	97.00	98.00	97.00	98.00	97.00 N/A	2
Hay	: 1981	97.00	99.00	93.00	90.00	85.00	84.00	80.00	74.00	70.00	70.00	75.00	74.00 N/A	ರ
	: 1982	74.00	74.00	74.00	79.00	84.00	86.00	82.00	90.00	90.00	95.00	95.00	92.00 N/A	
	: 1983	92.00	94.00	93,00	92.00	97.00	94.00	98.00	97.00	99.00	99.00	99.00	99.00 N/A	S
Other Hay	: Ton 1980	77.00	79.00	79.00	79.00	78.00	78.00	80.00	78.00	80.00	78.00	75.00	78.00 N/A	m
.	: 1981	78.00	80.00	74.00	71.00	68.00	67.00	65.00	60.00	55.00	55.00	60.00	60.00 N/A	ᅍ
	: 1982	60.00	60.00	60.00	65.00	70.00	75.00	70.00	78.00	78.00	83.00	80.00	77.00 N/A	<
	: 1983	77.00	75.00	74.00	70.00	80.00	75.00	79.00	78.00	80.00	75.00	75.00	75.00 N/A	-
All Hay	: Ton 1980	89.00	91.00	93.50	96.00	93.00	91.00	93.00	91.00	92.50	91.00	89.00	91.00 90.50	C
- J	: 1981	91.00	93.00	87.00	84.00	80.00	79.00	75.00	70.00	65.00	65.00	70.00	70.00 70.00	נט ,
	: 1982	70.00	70.00	70.00	75.00	80.00	83.00	78.00	86.00	86.00	91.00	90.00	87.00 86.50	
	: 1983	87.00	88.00	87.00	85,00	92.00	88.00	92.00	91.00	93.00	92.00	92.00	92.00 92.00	
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^{1/} Average for crops based on crop year marketing season -- livestock and products based on calendar year. 2/ Insufficient sales to establish price.

NEVADA AGRIC<u>ULTURAL STATIS</u>TICS 1983

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CONSUMPTION BY KIND OF FERTILIZER,	NEVADA,	YEARS ENDE	D JUNE 30,	1981-83
Kind of Fertilizer	:	1981 :	1982 :	1983
			- Tons -	
Anhydrous ammonia	:	525	371	273
Ammonium nitrate	:	333	232	879
Ammonium sulphate	:	3,015	3,361	2,247
Nitrogen solution	:	3,021	4,193	5,899
Urea	:	440	410	415
Other nitrogen materials	:	2,643	603	203
Ammonium phosphates	:	2,722	2,645	2,697
Superphosphate	: ٠وو.	1,483		1,611
Other phosphates	:	22	2	2
Potash materials	:	32	448	130
Gypsum			8,369	2,686
Other secondary and micronutrients	:	281	765	503
Natural organics			1,752	1,891
Total direct-application material			24,128	19,436
Total commercial mixtures			5,812	5,152
Total all kinds of fertilizer	:	29,314	29,940	24,588

AVERAGE PRICES PAID BY FARMERS AND RANCHERS FOR FEED, NEVADA, 1980-83

	ILLU, NLYADA,	1300-03	
Commodity	: Unit :		
		Dolla	rs
Feed:	:		
Dairy feed, 14%	: Ton	173.00 198.00	194.00 196.00
Dairy feed, 16%	: "	195.00 230.00	226.00 226.00
Bran	: Cwt.	11.70 13.80	12.70 12.50
Cottonseed meal, 41%	: "	15.80 19.40	17.90 17.50
Stock salt	: "	4.70 5.30	5.30 5.50

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM	MA			201	MODITIES.	, NEV	/ADA	1981-83	
	:	198]		: 198	32		: 198	33
Item	:	Thou.	: % (of	: Thou.	: %	of	: Thou.	: % of
	:	Dol.	: Tota		: Dol.		tal	: Dol.	:Total
Cattle & Calves	:	89,395	41.	.8	124,001	- 5	2.6	107,741	48.1
Dairy Products	:	29,212	13.	. 6	29,260	1	2.4	31,088	13.9
Sheep & Lambs (Including Wool).	:	12,585	5.	. 9	10,911		4.6	12,063	5.4
All other Livestock & Products.				.8	1,921		.8	2,160	.9
<u>Total Livestock & Products.</u> .	: 1	32,985	62.	. 1	166,093	7	70.4	153,052	68.3
All Hay	:	32,901	15.	. 3	34,910	1	4.8	44,071	19.7
Alfalfa Seed	:	9,996	4.	. 7	4,622		2.0	3,690	1.6
Potatoes			8.	.8	15,719		6.7	9,315	4.2
Food & Feed Grains	:	7,459	3.	.5	9,039		3.8	7,029	3.1
Vegetables			4.	. 9	4,604		2.0	6,500	2.9
Cotton, lint & seed		424		. 2	552		.2		
All other Crops	:	1,135		. 5	334		.1	520	.2
Total Crops	:	81,145	37.	. 9	69,780	2	9.6	71,125	31.7
Total All Commodities			100.	. 0	235,873	10	0.0	224,177	100.0

STATISTICAL REPORTING SERVICE

PRODUCTION EXPENSES OF NEVADA FARMERS AND RANCHERS, 1981-1983 1/	
Item 1981 1982 1983	i
Million Dollars	
Feed	,
Livestock	
Seed	
Fertilizer and lime	
Repair and operation of capital items : 35.4 34.1 31.8	
Hired labor	ı
Miscellaneous	
Total current farm operating expenses. 165.6 163.7 169.5	
Depriciation and other consumption of farm capital: 42.7 47.0 45.6	
Taxes on farm mortgage debt 3.4 3.3 3.8	
Interest on farm mortgage debt 24.1 25.8 26.4	
Net rent to nonfarm landlords 5.1 5.6 5.6	1
Total Production Expense	J

FARM INCOME UP 53 PERCENT IN 1983

1982

1983

Total net farm income increased from 1982 to 1983. Net change in farm inventories was responsible for this sharp gain as cash receipts from farm marketings were down and farm production expenses were up.

	FARM	INCOME,	NEVADA,	1981-1	983	1/
Item				:	198	
						14.3

						:	;	:	
								lion Dollar	`s
ealized gross farm income		•			٠	:			
Cash receipts from farm marketing:	s.					:	214.1	235.9	224.2
Government payments								4.4	4.3
Nonmoney income							28.5	29.5	29.2
Other farm income							3.4	3.6	2.8
Total gross farm income						:	249.8	273.3	260.5
Farm production expenses						:	240.9	245.5	250.9
Realized net farm income								27.8	9.6
Net change in farm inventories .								<u>-11.2</u>	<u>+15.9</u>
Total net farm income						:	28.4	16.7	25.5

^{1/} Details may not add to totals due to rounding.

NEVADA COUNTIES AND CROP REPORTING DISTRICTS



