

Respondent Booklet

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National Agricultural Statistics Service



Dear Producer:

When it comes to policies that affect you, your family, your farm, and your community, accurate data are extremely important. To ensure that federal, state, local and industry decision-makers have accurate and objective information, we are surveying farmers across the United States in the annual Agricultural Resource Management Survey (ARMS) to measure the financial state and production practices of U.S. farms and farm households. The results of this survey help evaluate financial impacts of numerous programs, including crop insurance, dairy margin protection, and local payments.

Please take the time to respond to this important survey. Once all responses are in, NASS will analyze them and will publish the results in the *Production Expenditures* report on July 30, 202X. The USDA's Economic Research Service (ERS) will use these results to prepare and disseminate the Department's annual estimates of farm sector income and finances. ERS also uses aggregated off-farm information to better understand and report on farm households and the broader farm economy.

As with all our surveys, NASS safeguards the privacy of all respondents, ensuring that no individual respondent or operation can be identified. Be assured that your responses to ARMS will be kept *completely confidential*, as required by federal law.

Thank you in advance for investing in the future of U.S. agriculture and ensuring that decisions affecting you, your family, your business and your community are based on the facts.

Sincerely,

Chair, Agricultural Statistics Board National Agricultural Statistics Service U.S. Department of Agriculture

LIVESTOCK CODES Sections D and E

CATTLE

Cattle for Breeding Stock (beef & dairy)	833
Dairy herd replacements	905
Feeder Calves (cattle sold for finishing)	933
Finished Cattle (sold directly to slaughter)	818
Other Cattle	817
Milk and Non-Processed Dairy Products	909
Organic Milk	959
Processed Dairy Products	968
Veal	914

HOGS

Farrow to Feeder	805
Farrow to Finish	807
Farrow to Wean	802
Finisher	809
Nursery	806
Nursery/Feeder	812
Nursery/Finish	808
Other Hogs & Pigs	804

SHEEP	
Lambs	934
Other Sheep	912
Wool	915

GOATS

906
801
942

AOUACULTURE

Aquaculture, all other	901
Baitfish (including crawfish for bait)	945
Catfish	903
Crustaceans (crawfish for food, shrimp, etc.)	946
Fish, other	832
Food fish, all other	944
Mollusks (clams, oysters, etc.)	947
Ornamental fish	948
Sport or game fish	949
Trout	913
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Horses and ponies	928
Mules, burros, and donkeys	815

Bantams	960
Broilers	916
Broilers, chicks, hatchery run	935
Capons	932
Chicken pullets, hatching flock	926
Chicken pullets, laying flock	925
Chickens, other meat type	924
Chukars	961
Cornish Hens	918
Ducks	917
Eggs, chicken hatchery	921
Eggs, table market	920
Eggs, turkey hatchery	919
Emus	843
Game birds	922
Geese	923
Guineas	962
Hungarian partridge	963
Ostriches	930
Peacocks	964
Pheasants	810
Pigeons	803
Poultry, other	822
Quails	811
Rheas	965
Roosters, breeding flock	940
Roosters, meat type	939
Turkeys, other	927
Turkey poults, breeding flock	938
Turkey poults, brooders	967
Turkey poults, meat type – all in / all out	970
Turkey poults, meat type – growout	969

OTHER

Alpaca	956
Bees	902
Buffalo or Bison	941
Deer	951
Elk	952
Honey	908
Livestock, other fur bearing	954
Livestock, other non-fur bearing	824
Llama	953
Mink, including pelts	910
Rabbits	911
Semen	929

CROP CODES

Section E

Alfalfa seed 35 Carrots, fresh	2107
Almonds 46 Carrots, processed	4107
Apples, fresh 5053 Cauliflower	108
Apples, processed 6053 Celery	109
Apricots, fresh5054Cherries, sweet, fresh	5155
Apricots, processed 6054 Cherries, sweet, processed	6155
Aquatic Plants 315 Cherries, tart, fresh	5156
Artichokes101Cherries, tart, processed	6156
Asparagus 102 Chestnuts	59
Asparagus, bearing age 637 Chickory	261
Asparagus, nonbearing age 638 Chinese cabbage	249
Avocados, fresh 5055 Chinese peas, sugar, snow	234
Avocados, processed 6055 Christmas trees	183
Chufas	222
Bahia grass seed227Cilantro	153
Bananas, fresh5083Citrus, other, fresh	5269
Bananas, processed 6083 Citrus, other, processed	6269
Barley for grain or seed290Clover	310
Beans, dry edible3Clover seed, crimson	214
Bedding/garden plants241Clover seed, ladino	202
Beets103Clover seed, red	43
Bentgrass seed228Clover seed, white	203
Bermuda grass seed229Coffee	88
Berries, all other, fresh5267Collards	185
Berries, all other, processed6267Corn, for ethanol	627
Birdsfoot trefoil seed224Corn, grain	6
Blackberries, fresh5056Corn, seed	38
Blackberries, processed 6056 Corn, silage	5
Blueberries, tame, fresh5279Cotton, pima	282
Blueberries, tame, processed6279Cotton, upland	281
Blueberries, wild, fresh 5280 Crambe	176
Blueberries, wild, processed6280Cranberries, fresh	5060
Boysenberries, fresh5182Cranberries, processed	6060
Boysenberries, processed 6182 Cucumbers, fresh	2111
Broccoli 104 Cucumbers for pickles, processed	4111
Bromegrass seed 215 Currants, fresh	5273
Brussel sprouts 105 Currants, processed	6273
Buckwheat84Cuttings, Seedlings, Liners, Plugs	1002
Bulbs/corms/rhizomes/tubers-dry 248	
Daikon	258
Cabbage, fresh 2106 Dates, fresh	5061
Cabbage, processed for kraut 4106 Dates, processed	6061
Camelina 657 Diachondra	177
Canola 85 Dill	179
Cantaloupe 4	

CROP CODES -- continued Section E

Eggplant	112
Emmer and spelt	161
Endive	259

Herbs. dried		
Herbs, fresh		
Hods		

211

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Escarole	260	Horseradish	151
		Horticultural specialties	247
Fava beans	154	Horticultural. other	230
Fescue seed	44		
Field crop, other	317	Indian corn	188
Figs, fresh	5062		
Figs, processed	6062	Joioba	626
Flaxseed	9		
Floriculture & Bedding, other	1015	Kale	186
Flower seeds	36	Kenaf	181
Flowers, cut and cut florist greens	262	Kentuckv Bluegrass Seed	628
Foliage plants	256	Kiwifruit, fresh	5064
Forage and greenchop	10	Kiwifruit, processed	6064
Foxtail millet seed	204	Kumquats, fresh	5263
Fruits & Berries grown under glass	1008	Kumquats, processed	6263
Garlic	114	Lemons, fresh	5076
Ginger root	89	Lemons, processed	6076
Ginseng	198	Lentils	169
Ginseng, bearing age	639	Lespedeza seed	41
Ginseng, nonbearing age	640	Lettuce, head	117
Grapefruit, fresh	5075	Lettuce, leaf	629
Grapefruit, processed	6075	Lettuce. other	149
Grapes, other	275	Lettuce, romaine	146
Grapes, wine	6275	Lima beans. drv	268
Grass seed. other	138	Lima beans, fresh	2115
Grass silage	226	Lima beans, processed	4115
Grasses. other than clover & sudan	311	Limes, fresh	5077
Green peas, English	239	Limes. processed	6077
Green peas, fresh	2122	Loganberries, fresh	5271
Green peas, processed	4122	Loganberries, processed	6271
Greenhouse produced vegetables	250	Lotus root	210
Greens	116		
Guar	160	Macadamia nuts	48
Guava, fresh	5090	Mandarins, fresh	5078
Guava, processed	6090	Mandarins, processed	6078
		Mangoes, fresh	5065
Hay, alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures	1	Mangoes, processed	6065
Hav. other	11	Maple trees for syrup	91
Hay, small grain	217	Meadow foam	139
Hav, wild	225	Melons, honevdew	13
Hazelnuts	47	Melons, miscellaneous	14

CROP CODES -- continued

Section E

Millet for grain or seed	141	Pears. Bartlett. fresh	5069
Mint, all other	159	Pears, Bartlett, processed	6069
Mint, tea leaves	651	Pears, other than Bartlett, fresh	5314
Miscanthus	652	Pears, other than Bartlett, processed	6314
Mungbeans	197	Peas, all other	123
Mushrooms	93	Peas, Austrian winter	200
Mushrooms Spawn	2495	Peas, blackeyed	124
Mustard cabbage	253	Peas, dry, Southern cow peas	125
Mustard greens	187	Peas, dry edibles	17

Mustard seed	94	Pecans	49
		Pecans, improved	633
Nectarines, fresh	5066	Pecans, native and seedling	634
Nectarines, processed	6066	Peppermint	18
Noncitrus fruits, other, fresh	5277	Peppers, bell	126
Noncitrus fruits, other, processed	6277	Peppers, hot	244
Nurserv crods	254	Peppers, other	127
Nuts, other	207	Persimmons, fresh	5070
		Persimmons, processed	6070
Oats for grain or seed	15	Pimientos	24 5
Okra	118	Pineapples, fresh	5097
Olives, fresh	5067	Pineapples, processed	6097
Olives, processed	6067	Pistachios	50
Onion seed	656	Plums, fresh	5071
Onions. dehvdrated	135	Plums, processed	6071
Onions, dry	120	Pluots, fresh	5630
Onions, green	119	Pluots, processed	6630
Oranges, Valencia, fresh	5157	Pomegranates, fresh	5072
Oranges, Valencia, processed	6157	Pomegranates, processed	6072
Oranges, other than Valencia, fresh	5158	Popcorn	19
Oranges, other than Valencia, processed	6158	Potatoes	20
Orchard grass seed	42	Potted flowering plants	252
		Prunes, fresh	5073
Papayas, fresh	5096	Prunes, processed	6073
Papayas, processed	6096	Pumpkins	128
Parsley	121		
Passion fruit, fresh	5233	Radishes	129
Passion fruit, processed	6233	Rapeseed	170
Pasture	648	Rapini	130
Peaches, all other, fresh	5068	Raspberries, all other, fresh	5140
Peaches, all other, processed	6068	Raspberries, all other, processed	6140
Peaches, Clingstone, fresh	5643	Raspberries, black, fresh	5641
Peaches, Clingstone, processed	6643	Raspberries, black, processed	6641
Peaches, Freestone, fresh	5644	Raspberries, red, fresh	5642
Peaches, Freestone, processed	6644	Raspberries, red, processed	6642
Peanuts	16	Redtop seed	205

CROP CODES – continued

Rhubarb	143	Tangelos, fresh	5080
Rice	21	Tangelos, processed	6080
Rice, sweet	319	Tangerines, fresh	5081
Rice, wild	178	Tangerines, processed	6081
Rutabagas	147	Tangerines, honey, fresh	5272
Rye for grain or seed	22	Tangerines, honey, processed	6272
Ryegrass seed	136	Tangors, fresh	10272
		Tangors, processed	11272
Safflower	98	Taro	649
Sage	168	Teff	199
Sesame	152	Temples, fresh	5079
Shallots	144	Temples, processed	6079
Silage & haylage (except corn & sorghum)	23	Timothy seed	45
Short Rotation Woody crops	318	Tobacco, transplants from beds	175
Snap beans, fresh	2131	Tobacco, all types	190

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Snap beans, processed	4131	Tobacco, burley	193
Sod/turfgrass	166	Tobacco, flue-cured	196
Sorghum for grain or seed	25	Tobacco, other than burley or flue-cured	32
Sorghum, syrup	174	Tomatoes grown under glass	1019
Sorghum, silage	24	Tomatoes, fresh	2134
Sorghum-sudan crosses	180	Tomatoes, processed	4134
Soybeans	26	Triticale	162
Spearmint	27	Truffle Saplings	659
Spinach, fresh	2132	Truffles	658
Spinach, processed	4132	Tung nuts	51
Squash, summer	133	Turnip greens	189
Squash, winter	150	Turnips	145
Strawberries, fresh	2074		
Strawberries, processed	4074	Vegetables, other	236
Sudan	167	Vegetables, seed	37
Sudangrass seed	206	Vegetables, transplants to farm	1006
Sugarbeets for seed	137	Vetch seed, hairy	39
Sugarbeets for sugar	28		
Sugarcane for seed	209	Walnuts, English	631
Sugarcane for sugar	29	Walnuts (all others)	632
Sunflower seed, non-oil varieties	148	Watercress	238
Sunflower seed, oil varieties	30	Watermelons	33
Sweet corn for seed	246	Wheatgrass seed	201
Sweet corn, fresh	2110	Wheat, durum for grain or seed	163
Sweet corn, processed	4110	Wheat, other spring for grain or seed	164
Sweet potatoes	31	Wheat, winter for grain or seed	165
Sweetclover seed	208		
Switchgrass	653		

GENERAL BUSINESS EXPENSES Section H, Item33

- Legal, and license fees (*other than automobile*)
- ♦ Advertising
- Magazines, membership & registration fees
- Office equipment not on a depreciation schedule
- Office supplies

- Petty cash fund expenditures
- Soil testing
- Travel (farm/ranch business trips)
- Pest scouting
- ♦ Other, Specify

VALUE CODES Section M

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DOLLAR RANGE	VALUE CODE	DOLLAR RANGE	VALUE CODE
\$0	01	\$60,000 - 79,999	
\$1 – 499	02	\$80,000 - 99,999	19
\$500 – 999	03	\$100,000 - 124,999	20
\$1,000 - 1,999	04	\$125,000 - 149,999	21
\$2,000 - 2,999	05	\$150,000 - 199,999	22
\$3,000 - 3,999	06	\$200,000 - 274,999	23
\$4,000 - 4,999	07	\$275,000 - 349,999	24
\$5,000 - 7,499		\$350,000 - 499,999	25
\$7,500 - 9,999	09	\$500,000 - 749,999	26
\$10,000 - 14,999	10	\$750,000 - 999,999	27

\$15,000 - 19,99911	\$1,000,000 - 1,499,99928
\$20,000 - 24,99912	\$1,500,000 - 1,999,99929
\$25,000 - 29,99913	\$2,000,000 - 2,999,999
\$30,000 - 34,99914	\$3,000,000 - 4,999,99931
\$35,000 - 39,99915	\$5,000,000 - 7,499,99932
\$40,000 - 49,99916	\$7,500,000 - 9,999,999
\$50,000 - 59,99917	\$10,000,000 and over34

GRAIN CONVERSION TABLE

One ton and equivalent (dry) bushels by crop

Сгор	Ton	Bushels
Corn, Sorghum (milo), Flaxseed	1	36
Wheat, Soybeans	1	33
Barley, Buckwheat	1	42
Oats	1	63
Rice	1	44
Millet	1	42

PURCHASED FEED TYPE CODES

Section S, Item 2 - Column 1

1 Complete <i>Commercial</i> Feed and	19 Straw
Complete <i>Custom</i> Feed Mixes	20 Corn Silage
2 High Moisture Corn (> 20%)	21 Sorghum/Milo Silage
3 Low Moisture Corn	22 Other Silage or Haylage
4 Barley	23 Alfalfa Cubes or Pellets
5 High Moisture Sorghum/Milo (>20%)	24 Green Chop, All Crops
6 Low Moisture Sorghum/Milo	25 Corn Stalks
7 Wheat	26 Milk or Milk By-Product
9 Oats	27 Liquid Whey
10 Other Feed Grains	28 Other Feed Additives
11 Distillers/Brewers Grain	29 Antibiotics or Other Medicated Additives
12 Other Non Protein By-Products	30 Salt And Minerals
13 Cotton Seed Meal	31 Molasses
14 Protein Supplements	32 Soybean Meal
15 Protein By-Products	33 Soybean Meal with Commercial Premix, Mintrate
16 Vitamin or Mineral Supplements (include kelp)	34 Milk Replacer Or Calf Starter
17 Alfalfa Hay (include alfalfa hay mixtures)	35 Other Complete Protein Mixes, Lysine,
18 Other Hay (include wild hay)	Meals or Supplements

LVST FEED FACILITY TYPE CODES Section S, Item 2 - Column 5

and Item 3 - Column 4

- **21** Airtight Upright Silo
- 22 Other Upright Silo
- 23 Bin/Tank for High Moisture Grain
- 24 Bin for Grain
- 25 Metal Feed Tank
- 26 Other Bin/Tank
- 27 Corn Crib
- 28 Open Building/ Shed
- 29 Closed Building/Shed
- 30 Trench or Bunker Silo
- 31 Slab
- 32 Hay Tarp
- **33** Plastic Bagging/Wrapping
- 34 No Facility Used
- 40 Other

LVST FACILITY/BUILDING TYPE CODES Section V, Item 1 - Column 2

1 Enclosed Confinement (*no outside access*)

HOMEGROWN FEED TYPE CODES

Section Q, Item 3 - Column 1

- 2 High Moisture Corn (> 20%)
- 3 Low Moisture Corn
- 4 Barley
- 5 High Moisture Sorghum/Milo (>20%)
- 6 Low Moistrue Sorghum/Milo
- 7 Wheat
- 8 Soybeans
- 9 Oats
- 10 Other Feed Grains
- 17 Alfalfa Hay (include alfalfa hay mixtures)
- 18 Other Hay (include wild hay)
- 19 Straw
- 20 Corn Silage
- 21 Sorghum/Milo Silage
- 22 Other Silage or Haylage
- 24 Green Chop, All Crops

FRAME TYPE CODES

Section V, Item 1 - Column 4

10 Wood

- 2 Open-sided Confinement (no outside access)
- **3** Open Confinement (*with outside access*)
- 4 Quonset or Hoop
- 5 Lean-To
- 6 Sun-Shade

FLOOR TYPE CODES

Section V, Item 1 - Column 5

- 20 Partly Slotted
- 21 Fully Slotted
- 22 Solid Concrete
- 23 Wire
- 24 Wood
- 25 Dirt
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FEED HANDLING EQUIPMENT CODES Section X, Item 1

- 1 Portable Grinder Mixer
- 2 Stationary Grinder Mixer
- 3 Feed Grinder
- 4 Feed Mixer
- 5 Pre-Mixer
- 6 Roller Mill
- 7 Hammer Mill
- 8 Total Mixed Ration Equipment
- 9 Self-Unloading Wagon
- **10** Feed Conveying System (*chain, auger, etc.*)
- 11 Liquid Feeding System
- 12 Farm Utility Wagon
- 13 Upright Silo Unloader
- 15 Bale Shredder
- 16 Large Bale Transporter
- 17 Large Bale Feeder
- 18 Mineral Feeder
- 19 Feed Bunks
- 20 Mixer Wagon
- 21 Plastic Baggers
- 22 Hay Wagon
- 23 Telehandler
- 24 Silo Facer
- 25 Forklift
- 30 Other

MANURE HANDLING EQUIPMENT CODES Section X, Item 1

- 31 Front End Loader
- 32 Skid Loader or Self-Propelled Loader
- 33 Manure Spreader (Solid)
- 34 Liquid Manure Agitator
- 35 Liquid Manure Pump
- **36** Manure Spreader (*liquid with injectors*)
- **37** Manure Spreader (*liquid without injectors*)
- **38** Manure Spreader (*irrigation system*)
- 39 Manure Liquid/Solid Separator
- 40 Air or Water Circulator
- **41** Anaerobic Digester (for methane production/collection)
- 42 Scraper Blade
- 43 Flush System (tank)
- 44 Flush System (high volume pump)
- 50 Other

- 11 Masonary
- 12 Steel
- 13 Pole
- 14 Pre-Fabricated Material
- 15 Other

MANURE HANDLING CODES

Section V, Item 1 - Column 6

- **30** Shallow Pit (*less than 2 feet*)
- **31** Deep Pit (*2 feet or more*)
- **32** Flush Gutter Open
- 33 Flush Gutter Closed
- **34** Scrape Gutter Open
- **35** Scrape Gutter Closed
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OTHER MACHINES and EQUIPMENT CODES Section X, Item 1

Livestock Scales 51 52 Portable Loading Ramp 53 Livestock Sprayer 54 Stock Trailer 55 Stock Trailer-Hydraulic 56 Generator 57 Incinerator 58 Electric Fence Charger 59 Squeeze Chute 60 **Branding Table** Water Tank for Hauling Water 61 62 Sun Shade 63 Backhoe Bulldozer 64 Alarm Systems 65 66 Pressure Washing Equipment Holding Crate 67

70 Other