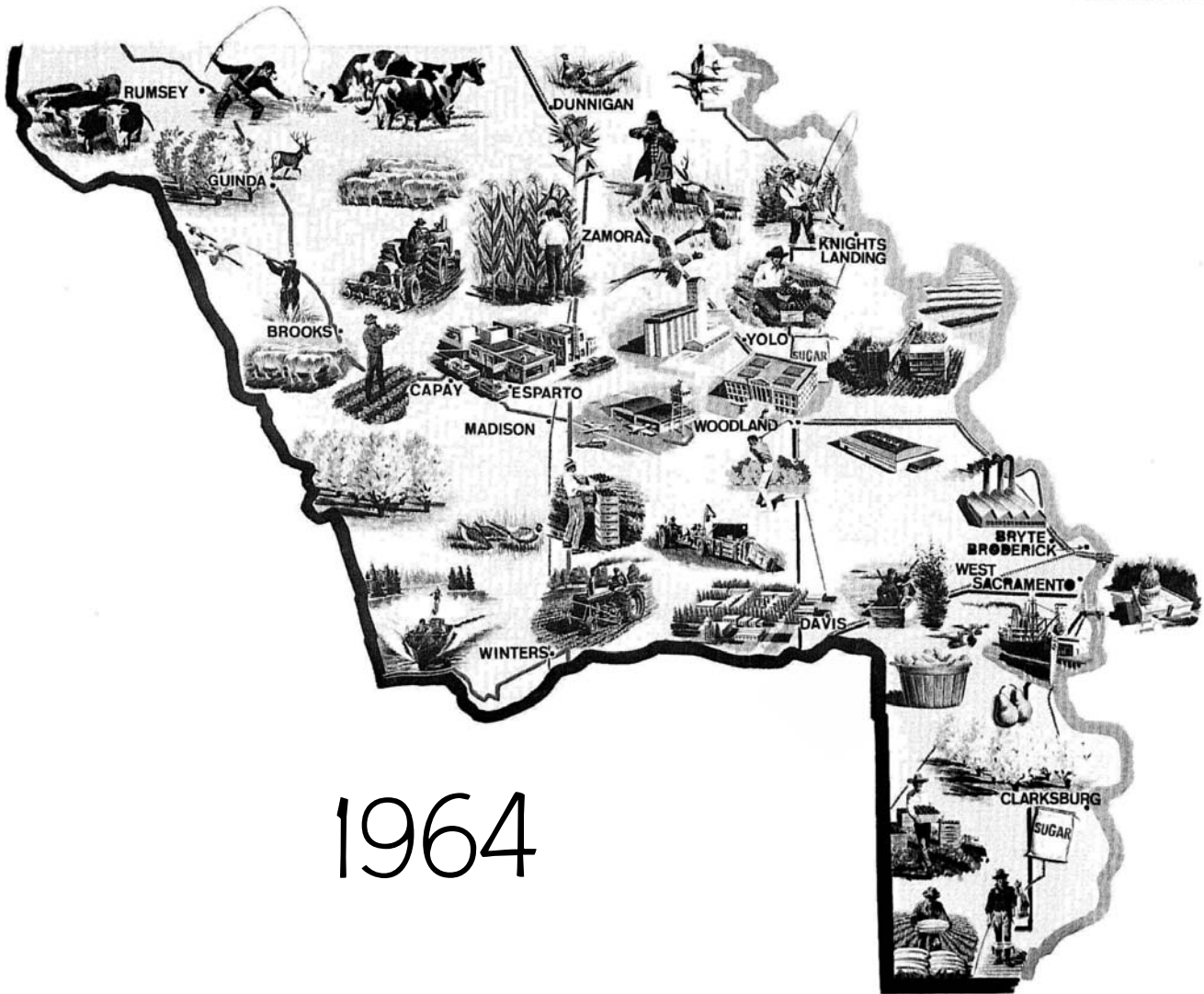


Yolo County



1964

Agricultural Crop Report



County of Yolo

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COUNTY AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

The Honorable Charles Paul, Director
California Department of Food and Agriculture
And
The Yolo County Board of Supervisors

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County Executive

Gentlemen:

We are pleased to present the 1964 Agricultural Crop Report in accordance with Section 65.5 of the California Agricultural Code. This Covers the acreage, average production and value of all agricultural crops produced in the county including livestock and livestock products.

As you read this report, may I remind you that the enclosed statistics are the gross value of production and in no way are indicative of the net income received by our farmers who are burdened with consistently high production costs. The final gross farm value of \$96,935,479 is the largest in the history of the county. Yolo County can proudly boast of twenty crops, each with a million dollars or more gross value.

There is no doubt in our minds that unless adequate "stoop" labor is available to our farmers during the year 1965 there will be a substantial drop in the gross farm income for the year. This report, the highest in our history, is only possible because of the farmers who have produced these crops and have furnished the vital information contained herein to our agricultural inspectors. The annual crop report is considered of great importance to banks, manufacturers, railroads and other industries whose lifeline leads directly to the farm.

Very truly yours,

Herbert W. Chandler
Agricultural Commissioner

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And
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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1964-63

CROP	YEAR	PRODUCTION			VALUE		
		HARVESTED ACREAGE	PER ACRE	TOTAL	UNIT	PER UNIT	TOTAL
Almonds	1964	9,750	.50	4,875	Ton	\$620.00	\$3,022,500
	1963	9,600	.75	7,200	Ton	\$520.00	\$3,744,000
Apricots	1964	2,200	8.00	17,600	Ton	110.00	1,936,000
	Processed	1963	2,120	4.00	8,480	Ton	90.00
Fresh	1964		6.00	13,200	Ton	200.00	2,640,000
	Market	1963		10,600	Ton	180.00	1,908,000
Pits	1964			100	Ton	20.00	2,000
	1963			100	Ton	20.00	2,000
Dried	1964			275	Ton	840.00	231,000
	1963			185	Ton	1,100.00	204,000
Figs	1964	170		3,200	Flats	2.50	8,000
	Shipping	1963	170	3,850	Flats	4.00	15,400
Dried	1964			120	Ton	140.00	16,800
	1963			120	Ton	100.00	12,000
Grapes	1964	137	6.00	822	Ton	60.00	49,300
	1963	137	6.00	822	Ton	58.00	47,700
Olives	1964	300	2.50	750	Ton	70.00	52,500
	1963	300	1.50	450	Ton	90.00	40,500
Oranges	1964	30	14.00	420	Ton	120.00	50,400
	1963	25	12.00	360	Ton	100.00	36,000
Peaches	1964	457	13.00	5,941	Ton	50.00	297,000
	Processed	1963	457	5,480	Ton	45.00	247,000
Fresh	1964			400	Ton	120.00	48,000
	Market	1963		250	Ton	120.00	30,000
Dried	1964			855	Ton	540.00	461,700
	1963			506	Ton	540.00	273,000
Pits	1964			75	Ton	20.00	1,500
	1963			80	Ton	25.00	2,000
Pears	1964	355	32.00	11,360	Ton	90.00	1,022,400
	1963	355	8.00	2,840	Ton	98.00	278,000
Prunes	1964	1,692	2.50	4,230	Ton	250.00	1,057,500
	1963	1,400	2.20	3,080	Ton	300.00	924,000
Walnuts	1964	1,828	1.00	1,828	Ton	460.00	840,000
	English	1963	1,550	1,550	Ton	460.00	713,000
Black	1964			35,000	Sacks	1.00	35,000
	1963			25,000	Sacks	1.00	25,000
TOTAL	1964						\$11,772,400
	1963						\$9,264,500

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1964-63

CROP	YEAR	PRODUCTION			VALUE		
		HARVESTED ACREAGE	PER ACRE	TOTAL	UNIT	PER UNIT	TOTAL
Barley	1964	115,000	1.50	172,500	Ton	\$46.00	\$7,935,000
	1963	90,000	1.00	90,000	Ton	\$45.00	\$4,050,000
Beans Dry	1964	11,000	.60	6,600	Ton	190.00	1,254,000
	1963	10,000	.70	7,000	Ton	190.00	1,330,000
Corn Field	1964	10,000	4.50	45,000	Ton	48.00	2,160,000
	1963	25,000	4.00	100,000	Ton	48.00	4,800,000
Hay Alfalfa	1964	40,000	6.00	240,000	Ton	26.00	6,240,000
	1963	39,000	6.00	234,000	Ton	27.00	6,318,000
Oat	1964	2,000	3.50	7,000	Ton	28.00	196,000
Grain	1964	22,500	1.50	33,750	Ton	25.00	843,750
	1963	21,900	1.50	32,850	Ton	22.25	740,000
Straw	1964	13,000	1.00	13,000	Ton	13.00	169,000
	1963	12,000	1.00	12,000	Ton	13.00	156,000
Hops	1964	312	2,000.00	624,000	Lbs	.59	368,100
	1963	312	1,800.00	562,000	Lbs	.58	326,000
Pasture Irrigated	1964	26,000			Acre	46.00	1,196,000
	1963	25,000			Acre	45.00	1,125,000
Other	1964	255,000			Acre	1.40	357,000
	1963	250,000			Acre	1.35	338,000
Rice	1964	30,280	2.50	75,700	Ton	100.00	7,750,000
	1963	21,400	2.15	46,000	Ton	100.00	4,600,000
Safflower	1964	29,100	1.00	29,100	Ton	80.00	2,328,000
	1963	29,300	.90	26,400	Ton	85.00	2,241,000
Grain Sorghum	1964	40,000	3.50	140,000	Ton	46.00	6,440,000
	1963	30,000	3.00	90,000	Ton	45.00	4,050,000
Sugar Beets	1964	35,720	18.00	642,960	Ton	13.60	8,744,256
	1963	38,100	18.90	720,090	Ton	11.60	8,353,000
Wheat	1964	10,100	2.00	20,200	Ton	52.00	1,050,400
	1963	10,000	1.00	10,000	Ton	65.00	650,000
TOTAL	1964						\$46,852,066
	1963						\$39,085,800

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1964-63

CROP	YEAR	PRODUCTION		TOTAL	UNIT	VALUE	
		HARVESTED ACREAGE	PER ACRE			PER UNIT	TOTAL
Asparagus Fresh	1964	2,520		55,950	30# Crts	\$5.50	\$307,700
	1963	2,520		65,000	30# Crts	\$5.50	\$358,000
Processed	1964		3.50	8,820	Ton	280.00	2,469,600
	1963			7,550	Ton	280.00	2,114,000
Table Beets	1964	10	1,000.00	10,000	Doz*	.70	7,000
	1963	8	900.00	7,200	Doz*	.65	4,680
Cabbage	1964	40	400.00	16,000	Crt	2.00	32,000
	1963	10	400.00	4,000	Crt	1.75	7,000
Cauliflower	1964	30	550.00	16,500	Crt	1.75	28,800
	1963	14	400.00	5,600	Crt	1.30	7,280
Celercac	1964	7	950.00	6,650	Doz*	1.75	11,600
	1963	7	900.00	6,300	Doz*	1.50	9,450
Sweet Corn	1964	210	355.00	74,550	(5doz) Crt	2.75	205,013
	1963	150	350.00	52,500	(5doz) Crt	3.50	184,000
Cucumber	1964	6	8.00	48	Ton	70.00	3,300
	1963	29	7.00	203	Ton	80.00	16,200
Dykon	1964	10	700.00	7,000	Doz*	1.50	10,500
	1963	9	550.00	4,950	Doz*	1.25	6,100
Leek	1964	3	700.00	2,100	Doz*	1.50	3,100
	1963	5	500.00	2,500	Doz*	1.00	2,500
Lettuce	1964	32	750.00	24,000	Crt	1.50	36,000
	1963	19	500.00	9,500	Crt	1.35	12,800
Melons	1964			721,780	50# Crts	2.20	1,587,900
	1963			583,000	50# Crts	2.20	1,227,000
Onions, Green	1964	105	500.00	52,500	Crt	3.75	196,800
	1963	95	500.00	47,500	Crt	3.70	176,000
Dry	1964	350	22.50	7,875	Ton	60.00	472,500
	1963	290	22.50	6,520	Ton	60.00	392,000
No. 2's	1964		2.50	875	Ton	18.00	15,750
Processed	1964	269	16.00	4,304	Ton	34.00	146,300
	1963	252	18.00	4,540	Ton	33.00	150,000
Parsley	1964	10	1,900.00	19,000	Doz*	.50	9,500
	1963	12	1,600.00	19,200	Doz*	.35	6,700
Peppers, Market Bell	1964	12	375.00	4,500	Crt	2.90	13,000
	1963	12	250.00	3,000	Crt	2.50	7,500
Chili	1964	15	380.00	5,700	Crt	2.35	13,400
	1963	10	250.00	2,500	Crt	2.00	5,000
Wax	1964	5.5	350.00	1,925	Lug	2.25	4,300
Pumpkins	1964	25	18.00	450	Ton	32.00	\$14,000
	1963	15	10.00	150	Ton	30.00	\$4,500
Radishes	1964	168	500.00	84,000	Crt	1.75	147,000
	1963	170	450.00	76,500	Crt	1.60	122,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1964-63 - *Continued*

CROP	YEAR	PRODUCTION		TOTAL	UNIT	VALUE	
		HARVESTED ACREAGE	PER ACRE			PER UNIT	TOTAL
Rutabaga	1964	10	500.00	5,000	30# Lug	\$1.20	\$6,000
	1963	15	500.00	7,500	30# Lug	\$1.10	\$8,250
Swiss Chard	1964	8	900.00	7,200	Doz*	.75	5,400
	1963	7	600.00	4,200	Doz*	.60	2,500
Spinach	1964	820	7.00	5,740	Ton	25.00	143,500
	1963	1,060	7.68	8,140	Ton	25.40	207,000
Squash Table	1964	10	2,000.00	20,000	Lug	1.50	30,000
	1963	10	1,800.00	18,000	Lug	1.45	26,100
Field	1964	30	18.00	540	Ton	30.00	16,200
	1963	33	12.00	396	Ton	25.00	9,900
Tomatoes Market	1964			16,000	28# Lug	2.00	32,000
	1963			24,600	28# Lug	2.50	61,500
Processed	1964	31,387	24.00	753,288	Ton	25.00	18,832,200
	1963	30,000	21.00	630,000	Ton	25.00	15,750,000
Turnips	1964	30	1,000.00	30,000	Doz*	.85	25,500
	1963	48	1,000.00	48,000	Doz*	.75	36,000
Egg Plant	1964	3.5	150.00	525	30# Lug	1.05	550
Mustard Greens	1964	12	1,800.00	21,600	Doz*	.75	16,200
TOTAL	1964						\$24,886,470
	1963						\$24,843,013

* Doz – Dozen bunches

NON-CERTIFIED SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1964-63

CROP	YEAR	PRODUCTION		TOTAL	UNIT	VALUE	
		HARVESTED ACREAGE	PER ACRE			PER UNIT	TOTAL
Alfalfa	1964	275	450	123,750	Lbs	\$.35	\$43,300
	1963	410	400	164,000	Lbs	\$.30	\$49,200
Beets, Table	1964	53	1,500	79,500	Lbs	.25	19,800
	1963	20	350	7,000	Lbs	.25	1,700
Cantaloupe	1964	7	550	3,850	Lbs	.55	2,100
	1963	125	500	62,500	Lbs	.55	34,400
Carrot Seed	1964	596	1,000	596,000	Lbs	.45	268,200
	1963	270	900	243,000	Lbs	.48	117,000
Celery	1964	3	500	1,500	Lbs	.65	1,000
Cucumber	1996	320	750	240,000	Lbs	.60	144,000
	1963	357	700	260,000	Lbs	.60	156,000
Dichondra	1964	320	1,200	384,000	Lbs	1.00	384,000
	1963	317	800	254,000	Lbs	.90	229,000
Lettuce	1964	116	550	63,800	Lbs	1.45	92,500
	1963	60	600	36,000	Lbs	.150	54,000
Oats	1964	60	1,400	84,000	Lbs	.07	5,800
	1963	25	1,500	37,000	Lbs	.08	3,000
Onion	1964	50	600	30,000	Lbs	.95	28,500
	1963	50	550	27,500	Lbs	.95	26,100
Onion Bulb	1964	9	1,000	9,000	Cwt	1.75	15,800
	1963	10	900	9,000	Cwt	1.75	15,800
Spinach	1964	18	350	6,300	Lbs	.35	22,000
Sudangrass All Varieties	1964	14,280	2,000	28,560,000	Lbs	.07	1,999,200
	1963	13,000	2,000	26,000,000	Lbs	.08	2,080,000
Sorghum-Sudan Crosses	1964	660	3,800	2,508,000	Lbs	.06	150,400
	1963	400	3,000	1,200,000	Lbs	.07	84,000
Sugar Beet	1964	90	3,000	270,000	Lbs	.18	48,600
Swiss Chard	1964	42.5	2,200	93,500	Lbs	.22	20,500
Water Grass	1964			15	Ton	40.00	600
Watermelon	1964	75	375	28,125	Lbs	.60	16,800
	1963	150	400	60,000	Lbs	.65	39,000
TOTAL	1964						\$3,263,100
	1963						\$3,173,350

CERTIFIED SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1964-63

CROP	YEAR	PRODUCTION			VALUE		
		HARVESTED ACREAGE	PER ACRE	TOTAL	UNIT	PER UNIT	TOTAL
Alfalfa	1964	1,891	400	756,400	Lbs	\$.38	\$287,400
All Varieties	1963	2,380	420	996,000	Lbs	\$.35	\$348,600
Sudan Grass	1964	2,669	2,100	5,604,900	Lbs	.08	448,400
Piper	1963	702	2,800	1,966,000	Lbs	.06	117,900
Sudan & Sorghum	1964	92	2,000	184,000	Lbs	.07	12,880
All Other Varieties							
Pasture Grasses	1964	324	700	226,800	Lbs	.45	102,000
All Varieties	1963	324	600	194,400	Lbs	.45	87,400
Grains	1964	30	1,900	57,000	Lbs	.05	2,850
	1963	230	1,800	414,000	Lbs	.05	20,700
TOTAL	1964						\$853,530
	1963						\$683,988

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: AVERAGE PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1964-63

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
		HEAD	LIVEWEIGHT		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Cattle	1964	26,500	238,500	Cwt	\$18.00	\$4,293,000
	1963	25,500	230,000	Cwt	\$22.50	\$5,164,000
Calves	1964	1,500	1,500	Cwt	20.00	30,000
	1963	1,500	1,500	Cwt	20.00	30,000
Chickens	1964	60,000	300,000	Lbs	.06	18,000
	1963	70,500	317,000	Lbs	.09	28,600
Fryers	1964	64,000	256,000	Lbs	.16	41,000
	1963	100,000	300,000	Lbs	.17	51,000
Horses	1964	200		Head	200.00	40,000
	1963	700		Head	40.00	28,000
Lambs	1964	95,000	95,000	Cwt	23.00	2,185,000
	1963	80,000	80,000	Cwt	20.00	1,600,000
Rabbits	1964	1,500	6,000	Lbs	.50	3,000
	1963	4,500	18,000	Lbs	.45	8,100
Sheep, Breeding	1964	15,000		Head	26.00	390,000
	1963	18,000		Head	25.00	450,000
Hogs	1964	28,000	56,000	Cwt	17.00	952,000
	1963	25,500	51,000	Cwt	17.20	877,000
Turkeys	1964	33,000	660,000	Lbs	.22	145,200
	1963	40,000	1,000,000	Lbs	.24	240,000
Geese	1964	1,200		Each	1.50	1,800
	1963	1,500		Each	1.35	2,020
TOTAL	1964					\$8,099,000
	1963					\$8,478,720

LIVESTOCK, POULTRY AND APIARY PRODUCTS
PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1964-63

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION		VALUE	
		TOTAL	UNIT	PER UNIT	TOTAL
Honey	1964	480,000	Lbs	\$.125	\$60,000
	1963	720,000	Lbs	\$.14	\$101,000
Beeswax	1964	12,000	Lbs	.45	5,400
	1963	12,000	Lbs	.43	5,160
Package Bees	1964	25,000	Pkg	5.00	125,000
	1963	21,000	Pkg	4.00	84,000
Queen Bees	1964	15,000	Each	1.25	18,750
	1963	13,000	Each	1.25	16,200
Pollination	1964	25,000	Hive	3.00	75,000
	1963	18,000	Hive	2.00	36,000
Milk Market	1964	93,300	Cwt	4.50	421,000
	1963	86,200	Cwt	4.48	386,000
Manufacturing	1964	20,100	Cwt	3.28	65,900
	1963	26,900	Cwt	3.09	83,100
Wool	1964	441,000	Lbs	.60	264,600
	1963	468,000	Lbs	.55	257,000
Eggs, Chicken Market	1964	656,100	Doz	.30	196,800
	1963	700,000	Doz	.30	210,000
Eggs, Turkey Hatching	1964	100,000	Each	.20	20,000
	1963	45,000	Each	.28	12,600
TOTAL	1964				\$1,252,400
	1963				\$1,191,060

FIVE YEAR SUMMARY OF AVERAGE GROSS CROP VALUES

<u>Commodity</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>1961</u>	<u>1962</u>	<u>1963</u>	<u>1963</u>
Field Crops	\$45,675,900	\$37,345,820	\$43,948,470	\$39,085,800	\$46,852,066
Fruit and Nut Crops	6,934,650	6,883,645	6,607,310	9,264,500	11,772,400
Livestock and Poultry	7,225,990	10,182,200	11,159,240	8,478,720	8,099,000
Livestock, Poultry And Apiary Products	1,919,400	1,836,750	1,563,610	1,191,060	1,252,400
Seed Crops	2,222,817	1,849,265	3,476,595	3,854,338	4,116,600
Vegetable Crops	<u>17,926,545</u>	<u>20,239,970</u>	<u>28,887,350</u>	<u>20,976,550</u>	<u>24,843,013</u>
Total	\$81,905,302	\$78,337,650	\$95,642,575	\$82,850,968	\$96,935,479

GENERAL INFORMATION*

County Seat	Woodland
Population	81,100
Assessed Valuation (1964)	\$170,893,337
County Tax Rate (64-65)	\$2.08
Area of County (Square Miles)	1,035
*Total Range Land (Acres)	184,000
*Cropland (Acres)	429,019
*Federal Land (Acres)	32,106
Total Area in Acres	662,000
County Road Miles	895
State Highway Miles	300

U.S.D.A. Payment to Yolo County Growers through the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Wheat	
a. Diversion Payment	\$8,962.00
b. Price Support Payment	\$112,757.00
Sugar Beets	\$1,107,844.82
Feed Grain	
a. Diversion Payment	\$673,221.00
b. Price Support Payment	\$117,276.00
Soil Bank	\$15,779.89

* Sources of Information - California Soil and Water Conservation Needs Inventory