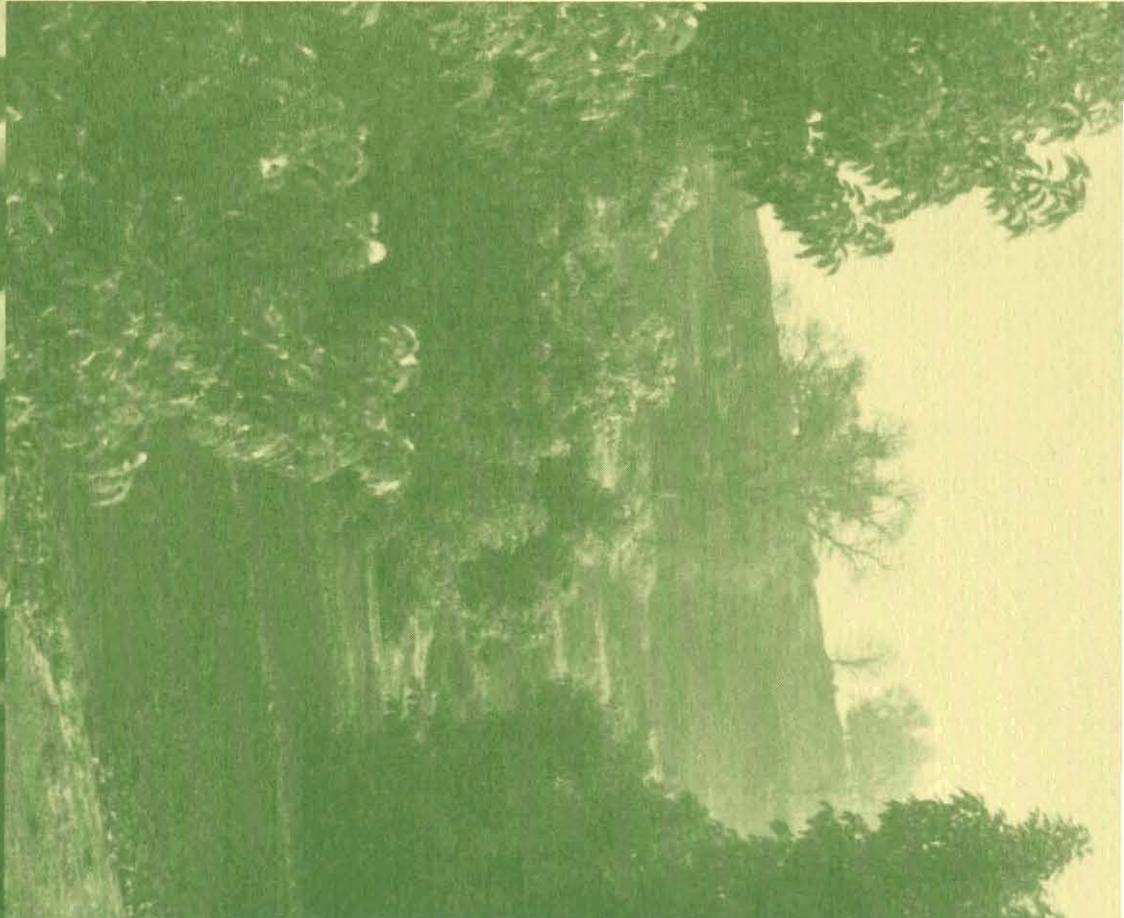


**TULARE COUNTY  
1984**

**AGRICULTURAL CROP  
AND LIVESTOCK  
REPORT**



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In accordance with the provisions of Section 2779 of the California Agricultural Code. I am pleased to submit the Annual Agricultural Crop Report of the acreage, production and valuation of the agricultural commodities produced in Tulare County during the calendar year 1984.

This report is the result of information gathered from many sources, and as always, it must be emphasized that the figures are gross returns to the producer and do not indicate actual net profit.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all the producers, processors and agencies, both private and governmental, who assisted in compiling this report. I would also like to thank all the members of my staff, without whose input, the publication of this report would be impossible.

Respectfully submitted,

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## WHAT ARE AVOCADOS?

The avocado belongs to the laurel family, which includes cinnamon, camphor, and sassafras. Most cultivated species are native to Mexico and Central or South America; a few of today's commercial varieties were brought to California directly from their native areas, but most originated as chance seedlings from trees derived from original imports. There are three general types (races) of avocados: Mexican, Guatemalan, and West Indian. The large, old seedling trees growing in the San Joaquin Valley are either Mexican or Mexican hybrids.

The usually smooth, thin-skinned, green or black fruit from Mexican race trees ripens 5 to 8 months after blossoming in April. Flavor may be good, but in most cases the small-sized fruit has thin skin resulting in easy bruising and poor shipping quality. Because they also have a large seed, these fruits are usually undesirable for market. Mexican race trees have more cold resistance than trees of other races. When crushed, their leaves have a characteristic anise odor. Zutano and Susan are the principal Mexican race varieties in Tulare County.

Trees of the Guatemalan race tend to bear larger fruit with thicker and rougher skin than those of the Mexican race. They are more susceptible to frost, and leaves of the cultivated varieties do not have an anise scent. The fruit ripens 14 to 17 months after blossoming. Hass is the major Guatemalan variety grown in southern California.

More than 600 named varieties of avocados have been grown in California, but only a few proved satisfactory for commercial planting and many former leading varieties have been replaced by better ones. Because of the frost hazard in the San Joaquin Valley, commercial avocado production is restricted to fall maturing Mexican or Mexican hybrid groups presently grown in climatic requirements similar to lemons, but they tolerate less wind.

Zutano bears fruit 2 or 3 years after planting and is in full bearing in 6 to 7 years. A consistent annual producer, Zutano cannot withstand more than an hour or two at 25°F without sustaining considerable flower and bud damage. The smooth, pear-shaped fruit is light green in color, and fair in quality.

Susan, like Zutano, comes into bearing early. The dark green, pear-shaped fruit ripens about 2 weeks earlier than Zutano. Susan is more frost resistant than Zutano. Fruit quality is fair and trees tend to have an alternate bearing habit.

Many varieties other than Zutano and Susan are being evaluated at the University of California Lindcove Field Station near Exeter and in various avocado orchards in Tulare County. Bacon, Santana, Victor, and Nowels have been commercially grown in Tulare County but none seems better than Zutano.

The ideal variety for Tulare County is yet to be discovered. Growers, plant breeders, and others seek an avocado variety that combines high fruit quality and good production with frost resistance and proper time of maturity. Until a better variety is found, Zutano and Susan appear best for Tulare County.

TULARE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL ACREAGE STATISTICS

ORCHARD	BEARING ACREAGE	NON-BEARING ACREAGE	TOTAL ACREAGE
<u>CITRUS</u>			
Grapefruit	273	13	286
Lemons	4,744	40	4,784
Limes	13	X	13
Navels	55,044	871	55,915
Valencias	21,721	346	22,067
Tangerines	1,389	51	1,440
TOTAL	83,184	1,321	84,505
<u>DECIDUOUS AND GRAPES</u>			
Almonds	9,636	1,591	11,227
Apples	147	78	225
Apricots	241	43	284
Avocados	1,882	31	1,913
Cherries	18	31	49
Figs	48	X	48
Grapes			
Table	26,204	3,152	29,356
Raisin	38,703	1,833	40,536
Wine	14,269	1,712	15,981
Kiwi	598	357	955
Nectarines	7,501	106	7,607
Olives	13,459	276	13,735
Peaches			
Cling	1,373	6	1,379
Freestone	3,895	188	4,083
Pears & Apple Pears	237	75	312
Pecans	117	467	584
Persimmons	345	88	433
Pistachio Nuts	1,050	1,241	2,291
Plums	14,062	856	14,918
Pomegranates	1,771	64	1,835
Prunes	4,355	784	5,139
Quince	86	5	91
Walnuts	24,990	1,359	26,349
TOTAL	164,987	14,343	179,330
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Total Grapes	79,176	6,697	85,873
Total Orchard Crops	168,995	8,967	177,962
TOTAL	248,171	15,664	263,835

Above acreage computed through December 1984

1983 - 84 FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Barley	1984	25,000	2.22	55,500	Ton	120.00	6,660,000
	1983	24,700	1.83	45,200	Ton	122.00	5,514,000
Beans - Dry	1984	10,000	1.11	11,100	Ton	480.00	5,328,000
	1983	9,900	.91	9,010	Ton	548.00	4,937,000
Corn - Field	1984	14,000	3.26	45,600	Ton	120.00	5,472,000
	1983	10,000	3.90	39,000	Ton	134.00	5,226,000
Cotton - Lint <u>A/</u>	1984	181,280	1,050.00	385,000	Bale	66.60	128,050,000
	1983	115,315	975.00	227,000	Bale	76.90	86,469,000
Cotton Seed	1984	X	X	157,000	Ton	120.00	18,840,000
	1983	X	X	93,700	Ton	170.00	15,929,000
Hay - Alfalfa	1984	90,000	8.48	763,000	Ton	85.00	64,855,000
	1983	85,000	8.17	694,000	Ton	92.50	64,195,000
Grain	1984	1,600	4.50	7,200	Ton	65.00	468,000
	1983	5,800	2.37	13,700	Ton	54.00	740,000
Pasture & Range Irrigated	1984	17,000	X	X	Acre	130.00	2,210,000
	1983	17,000	X	X	Acre	130.00	2,210,000
Native	1984	900,000	X	X	Acre	10.00	9,000,000
	1983	900,000	X	X	Acre	10.00	9,000,000
Other	1984	23,000	X	X	Acre	15.00	345,000
	1983	3,000	X	X	Acre	15.00	45,000
Silage	1984	72,400	18.40	1,332,000	Ton	20.50	27,306,000
	1983	59,900	17.60	1,054,000	Ton	14.70	15,494,000
Sorghum Grain	1984	6,500	2.08	13,500	Ton	110.00	1,485,000
	1983	9,500	2.28	21,700	Ton	123.00	2,669,000
Sugar Beets	1984	2,200	26.40	58,100	Ton	32.90	1,911,000
	1983	2,320	25.10	58,200	Ton	31.40	1,827,000

1983 - 84 FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Wheat	1984	47,000	2.73	128,000	Ton	123.00	15,744,000
	1983	47,000	1.86	87,400	Ton	127.00	11,100,000
Miscellaneous	<u>B/</u> 1984	570	X	X	X	X	1,624,000
	1983	1,264	X	X	X	X	1,227,000
TOTAL	1984	1,390,550					289,298,000
	1983	1,290,699					226,582,000

A/ Yield per acre in pounds lint, production total in 495 lbs. net weight bales,  
Unit value in dollars per lint hundredweight.

B/ Includes Rice, Seed Screenings, and Straw.

1983 - 84 SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Cotton-Registered or Certified <u>A/</u>	1984	6,860	X	3,030	Ton	474.00	1,436,000
	1983	2,480	X	592	Ton	260.00	154,000 <u>B/</u>
Vegetables for Seed	1984	48	X	X	X	X	63,800
	1983	239	X	X	X	X	414,000
Wheat-Registered or Certified	1984	4,240	2.73	11,600	Ton	136.00	1,578,000
	1983	9,304	2.75	25,600	Ton	137.00	3,507,000
Miscellaneous <u>C/</u>	1984	1,536	X	X	X	X	823,000
	1983	1,608	X	X	X	X	975,000
TOTAL	1984	5,824					3,900,800
	1983	11,151					5,050,000

A/ Not included in total acreage for "Seed Crops".

B/ Includes \$17.00 Per acre approval.

C/ Includes Alfalfa, Barley, CowPeas, and Lima Beans.

1983 - 84 VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Cucumbers - Fresh	1984	410	11.20	4,590	Ton	447.00	2,052,000
	1983	378	14.00	5,290	Ton	411.00	2,174,000
Tomatoes - Fresh	1984	924	16.00	14,800	Ton	389.00	5,757,000
	1983	1,020	15.50	15,800	Ton	600.00	9,480,000
Miscellaneous <u>A/</u>	1984	5,920	X	X	X	X	18,715,000
	1983	6,060	X	X	X	X	13,527,000
Total	1984	7,254					26,524,000
	1983	7,458					25,181,000

A/ Includes: Asparagus, Basil, Bittermelon, Broccoli, Bush Beans, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Crenshaw Melons, Eggplant, Gourd, Honeydew Melons, Lettuce, Long Beans, Okra, Onions, Peppers, Potatoes, Spinach, Squash, Sugar Peas, Sweet Corn, Sweet Potatoes, Taragon, Tomatoes (Processed) and Watermelon.

## 1983 - 84 FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Almonds - Meats	1984	9,636	.79	7,610	Ton	1,700.00	12,937,000
	1983	9,400	.52	4,890	Ton	2,110.00	10,318,000
Hulls	1984	X	X	19,300	Ton	52.00	1,004,000
	1983	X	X	8,150	Ton	78.00	636,000
Apricots	1984	241	7.09	1,710	Ton	900.00	1,539,000
	1983	223	7.56	1,690	Ton	768.00	1,298,000
Avocados	1984	1,882	.99	1,860	Ton	449.00	835,000
	1983	1,719	2.93	5,040	Ton	520.00	2,621,000
Grapes - Total	1984	79,176	X	X	X	X	194,830,000
	1983	77,000	X	X	X	X	204,467,000
Raisin Varieties	1984	38,703	7.35	X	X	X	X
	1983	37,410	7.08	X	X	X	X
Canned	1984	X	X	15,200	Ton	105.00	1,596,000
	1983	X	X	16,200	Ton	133.00	2,155,000
Crushed <u>D/</u>	1984	X	X	88,500	Ton	81.70	7,230,000
	1983	X	X	50,000	Ton	110.00	5,500,000
Dried	1984	X	X	23,000	Ton	600.00	13,800,000
	1983	X	X	23,200	Ton	570.00	13,224,000
Fresh	1984	X	X	63,300	Ton	685.00	43,360,000
	1983	X	X	63,400	Ton	663.00	42,034,000
Juice	1984	X	X	22,200	Ton	382.00	8,480,000
	1983	X	X	13,800	Ton	350.00	4,830,000
Table Varieties	1984	26,204	5.79	X	X	X	X
	1983	25,545	8.18	X	X	X	X
Crushed	1984	X	X	26,600	Ton	68.70	1,827,000
	1983	X	X	52,000	Ton	105.00	5,460,000
Fresh	1984	X	X	125,000	Ton	797.00	99,625,000
	1983	X	X	157,000	Ton	702.00	110,214,000
Wine Varieties	1984	14,269	8.27	X	X	X	X
	1983	14,045	9.04	X	X	X	X
Crushed	1984	X	X	107,000	Ton	142.00	15,194,000
	1983	X	X	119,000	Ton	150.00	17,850,000
Juice	1984	X	X	11,000	Ton	338.00	3,718,000
	1983	X	X	8,000	Ton	400.00	3,200,000

1983 - 84 FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Grapefruit - Fresh	1984	273	4.86	1,330	Ton	428.00	569,000
	1983	269	5.81	1,560	Ton	369.00	576,000
Kiwi <u>A/</u>	1984	598	8.56	5,120	Ton	2,070.00	10,598,000
	1983	469	9.57	4,490	Ton	1,850.00	8,306,000
Lemons - Fresh	1984	4,744	10.70	28,500	Ton	420.00	11,970,000
	1983	4,919	12.40	33,800	Ton	360.00	12,168,000
Processed	1984	X	X	22,300	Ton	45.00	1,004,000
	1983	X	X	27,200	Ton	17.00	462,000
Nectarines - Fresh	1984	7,501	9.80	73,500	Ton	422.00	31,017,000
	1983	7,132	7.59	54,100	Ton	494.00	26,725,000
Olives - Canning	1984	13,459	4.13	28,900	Ton	475.00	13,728,000
	1983	13,574	1.64	18,900	Ton	465.00	8,788,000
Other	1984	X	X	26,700	Ton	288.00	7,690,000
	1983	X	X	3,340	Ton	374.00	1,249,000
Oranges - Navel <u>A/</u>	1984	55,044	12.50	505,000	Ton	396.00	199,980,000
	1983	55,394	14.60	545,000	Ton	285.00	155,325,000
Processed	1984	X	X	183,000	Ton	44.00	8,052,000
	1983	X	X	264,000	Ton	22.00	5,808,000
Valencia <u>A/</u>	1984	21,721	7.74	143,000	Ton	639.00	91,377,000
	1983	21,908	19.70	226,000	Ton	330.00	74,580,000
Processed	1984	X	X	25,100	Ton	84.00	2,108,000
	1983	X	X	206,000	Ton	62.00	12,772,000
Peaches - Cling Processed	1984	1,373	22.40	30,800	Ton	186.00	5,729,000
	1983	1,259	13.10	16,500	Ton	160.00	2,640,000
Freestone - Fresh	1984	3,895	10.80	42,100	Ton	408.00	17,177,000
	1983	3,677	10.80	39,700	Ton	477.00	18,937,000
Pears & Apple Pears	1984	237	2.66	630	Ton	949.00	598,000
	1983	222	4.41	979	Ton	1,450.00	1,420,000
Persimmons	1984	345	5.65	1,950	Ton	1,280.00	2,496,000
	1983	328	7.44	2,440	Ton	1,190.00	2,904,000
Pistachio Nuts (Dry Wt.)	1984	1,050	1,520.00	1,600,000	Lbs.	1.23	1,968,000
	1983	1,009	552.00	557,000	Lbs.	1.65	919,000

1983 - 84 FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Plums - Fresh	1984	14,062	8.37	118,000	Ton	481.00	56,758,000
	1983	13,608	5.36	72,900	Ton	660.00	48,114,000
Pomegranates	1984	1,771	5.08	9,000	Ton	429.00	3,861,000
	1983	1,762	4.44	7,820	Ton	499.00	3,902,000
Prunes - Processed	1984	4,355	2.20	9,580	Ton	679.00	6,505,000
	1983	4,212	1.70	7,160	Ton	679.00	4,862,000
Tangerines <u>B/</u>	1984	1,389	7.38	10,300	Ton	422.00	4,347,000
	1983	1,517	9.39	14,200	Ton	267.00	3,791,000
Walnuts	1984	24,990	1.32	33,000	Ton	726.00	23,958,000
	1983	25,219	1.23	31,000	Ton	630.00	19,530,000
Miscellaneous <u>C/</u>	1984	429	X	X	X	X	1,342,000
	1983	399	X	X	X	X	1,578,000
Total	1984	248,171					713,977,000
	1983	245,219					634,696,000

A/ Includes production from young orchards officially classified as non-bearing.

B/ Includes Tangelos and Tangors.

C/ Includes Apples, Cherries, Figs, Limes, Pecans, Processed Pears, Processed Apricots, Processed Nectarines, Processed Plums, and Quince.

D/ Includes green weight raisins for distillery materials.

1983 - 84 NURSERY PRODUCTS: SALES AND VALUE

Item	Year	Quantity Sold	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Citrus and Subtropical Trees	1984	81,200	Each	5.92	481,000
	1983	71,870	Each	5.57	400,000
Deciduous Fruit and Nut Trees	1984	388,000	Each	5.08	1,971,000
	1983	867,100	Each	3.64	3,156,000
Grape & Berry Vines	1984	6,524	M	350.00	2,283,000
	1983	8,658	M	325.00	2,814,000
Herbaceous Ornamentals & Cut Flowers	1984	X	X	X	1,286,000
	1983	X	X	X	888,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	1984	624,000	Each	7.00	4,368,000
	1983	651,500	Each	5.27	3,433,000
Miscellaneous <u>A/</u>	1984	X	X	X	946,000
	1983	X	X	X	777,000
Total	1984				11,335,000
	1983				11,468,000

A/ Includes Citrus Buds, Cuttings and Scions, Christmas Trees, Ground Cover, Olive Trees, Turf and Vegetable and Flower Plants in Flats.

1983 - 84 LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	No. of Head	Total Liveweight	Unit	Value	
					Per Unit	Total
Cattle & Calves	1984	129,600		X Head	427.00	55,339,000
	1983	118,600		X Head	463.00	54,912,000
Lambs	1984	1,550	147,200	Lbs.	.597	88,000
	1983	1,550	147,200	Lbs.	.564	83,000
Hogs & Pigs	1984	68,600		X Head	113.00	7,752,000
	1983	55,000		X Head	96.70	5,318,000
Broilers & Fryers	1984	1,232,000	5,544,000	Lbs.	.360	1,996,000
	1983	3,360,000	15,120,000	Lbs.	.327	4,944,000
Pullets	1984	422,000		X Each	2.70	1,139,000
	1983	760,000		X Each	2.72	2,067,000
Turkeys	1984	1,065,000	22,365,000	Lbs.	.420	9,393,000
	1983	1,250,000	26,414,000	Lbs.	.416	10,988,000
Miscellaneous <u>A/</u>	1984	X	X	X	X	1,521,000
	1983	X	X	X	X	2,232,000
Total	1984					77,228,000
	1983					80,544,000

A/ Includes Catfish, Chicks Hatched, Crickets, Gamebirds, Geese, Goats, Horses, Pigeons, Rabbits and Sheep.

1983 - 84 LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value	
				Per Unit	Total
Milk - Market	1984	19,831,000	Cwt.	12.73	252,449,000
	1983	19,596,000	Cwt.	12.97	*254,160,000
Manufacturing	1984	103,000	Cwt.	12.04	1,240,000
	1983	114,000	Cwt.	12.33	*1,406,000
Eggs-Chicken-Market	1984	7,848,000	Doz.	.641	5,031,000
	1983	995,000	Doz.	.527	524,000
Miscellaneous	1984	x	x	x	897,000
	1983	X	X	X	1,761,000
Total	1984				259,617,000
	1983				*257,851,000

1983 - 84 APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value	
				Per Unit	Total
Honey - Orange	1984	9,112,000	Lb.	.62	5,649,000
	A/ 1983	747,000	Lb.	.54	403,000
Other	1984	1,718,000	Lb.	.60	1,031,000
	1983	1,161,000	Lb.	.54	627,000
Beeswax	1984	81,800	Lb.	1.17	95,700
	1983	46,500	Lb.	1.25	58,100
Pollination	1984	34,900	Colony	17.65	616,000
	B/ 1983	32,000	Colony	19.44	622,000
Total	1984				7,391,700
	1983				1,710,100

A/ From bee colonies registered in Tulare County during 1984 citrus bloom period.

B/ Estimated number of colonies required for adequate pollination.

\* Revised

1983 - 84 FOREST PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE

Item	Reporting Year	Production	Unit	Value	
				Per Unit	Total
Timber Harvested	1984	57,180,000	Board Ft.	0.053	3,051,000
<u>A/</u>	1983	56,274,000	Board Ft.	0.061	3,407,000

A/ Previous year's production & value based on information provided by Timber Tax Division, Property Taxes Dept., State Board of Equalization.

SUMMARY

<u>COMMODITY</u>	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>HARVESTED ACREAGE</u>	<u>VALUE</u>
FIELD CROPS	1984	1,390,550	289,298,000
	1983	1,290,699	226,582,000
SEED CROPS	1984	5,824	3,900,800
	1983	11,151	5,050,000
VEGETABLE CROPS	1984	7,254	26,524,000
	1983	7,458	25,181,000
FRUIT AND NUT CROPS	1984	248,171	713,977,000
	1983	245,219	634,696,000
NURSERY PRODUCTS	1984	x	11,335,000
	1983	X	11,468,000
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY	1984	x	77,228,000
	1983	X	80,544,000
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	1984	x	259,617,000
	1983	X	*257,851,000
APIARY PRODUCTS	1984	x	7,391,700
	1983	X	1,710,100
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AGRICULTURAL TOTAL	1984	1,651,799	1,389,271,500
	1983	1,554,527	1,243,082,100
FOREST PRODUCTS	1984	x	3,051,000
	1983	X	3,407,000
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GRAND TOTAL	1984	x	1,392,322,500
	1983	X	*1,246,489,100

\*Revised

1984 MILLION DOLLAR PRODUCTS

1984 Ranking

1983 Ranking

1. Oranges - Navel & Valencia	\$301,517,000	2
2. Milk	\$253,689,000	1
3. Grapes	194,830,000	3
4. Cotton - Lint & Seed	148,326,000	4
5. Alfalfa Hay	64,855,000	5
6. Plums	56,758,000	7
7. Cattle & Calves	55,339,000	6
8. Nectarines	31,017,000	8
9. Silage	27,306,000	11
10. Walnuts	23,958,000	10
11. Peaches - Freestone & Cling	22,906,000	9
12. Olives	21,418,000	17
13. Wheat	15,794,000	14
14. Almonds	13,941,000	16
15. Lemons	12,974,000	12
16. Pasture & Range	11,555,000	13
17. Kiwi	10,598,000	19
18. Turkeys	9,393,000	15
19. Hogs & Pigs	7,752,000	21
20. Honey	6,680,000	**
21. Barley	6,660,000	20
22. Prunes	6,505,000	25
23. Tomatoes - Fresh	5,757,000	18
24. Corn - Field	5,472,000	22
25. Eggs-Chicken Market	5,328,000	**
26. Beans - Dry	5,031,000	24
27. Nursery-Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	4,368,000	29
28. Tangerines	4,347,000	27
29. Pomegranates	3,861,000	26
30. Forest Products	3,051,000	30
31. Persimmons	2,496,000	32
32. Nursery - Grape & Berry Vines	2,283,000	33
33. Cucumbers - Fresh	2,052,000	36
34. Broilers & Fryers	1,996,000	23
35. Nursery - Deciduous Fruit & Nut Trees	1,971,000	31
36. Pistachio Nuts	1,968,000	**
37. Sugar Beets	1,911,000	38
38. Seed - Wheat	1,578,000	28
39. Apricots	1,539,000	40
40. Sorghum Grain	1,485,000	34

\*\* Reported at less than one million dollars in 1983.

TWENTY YEARS COMPARISON OF AGRICULTURAL INCOME IN TULARE COUNTY

1964 - 1984

1964	-----	357,335,000
1965	-----	324,221,000
1966	-----	373,408,000
1967	-----	364,729,000
1968	-----	376,443,000
1969	-----	378,849,000
1970	-----	408,039,000
1971	-----	402,550,000
1972	-----	463,191,000
1973	-----	580,729,000
1974	-----	682,454,000
1975	-----	714,740,000
1976	-----	743,327,000
1977	-----	770,428,000
1978	-----	900,861,700
1979	-----	1,239,814,400
1980	-----	1,340,559,400
1981	-----	1,301,921,200
1982	-----	1,316,016,300
1983	-----	*1,245,238,100
1984	-----	1,392,322,500

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