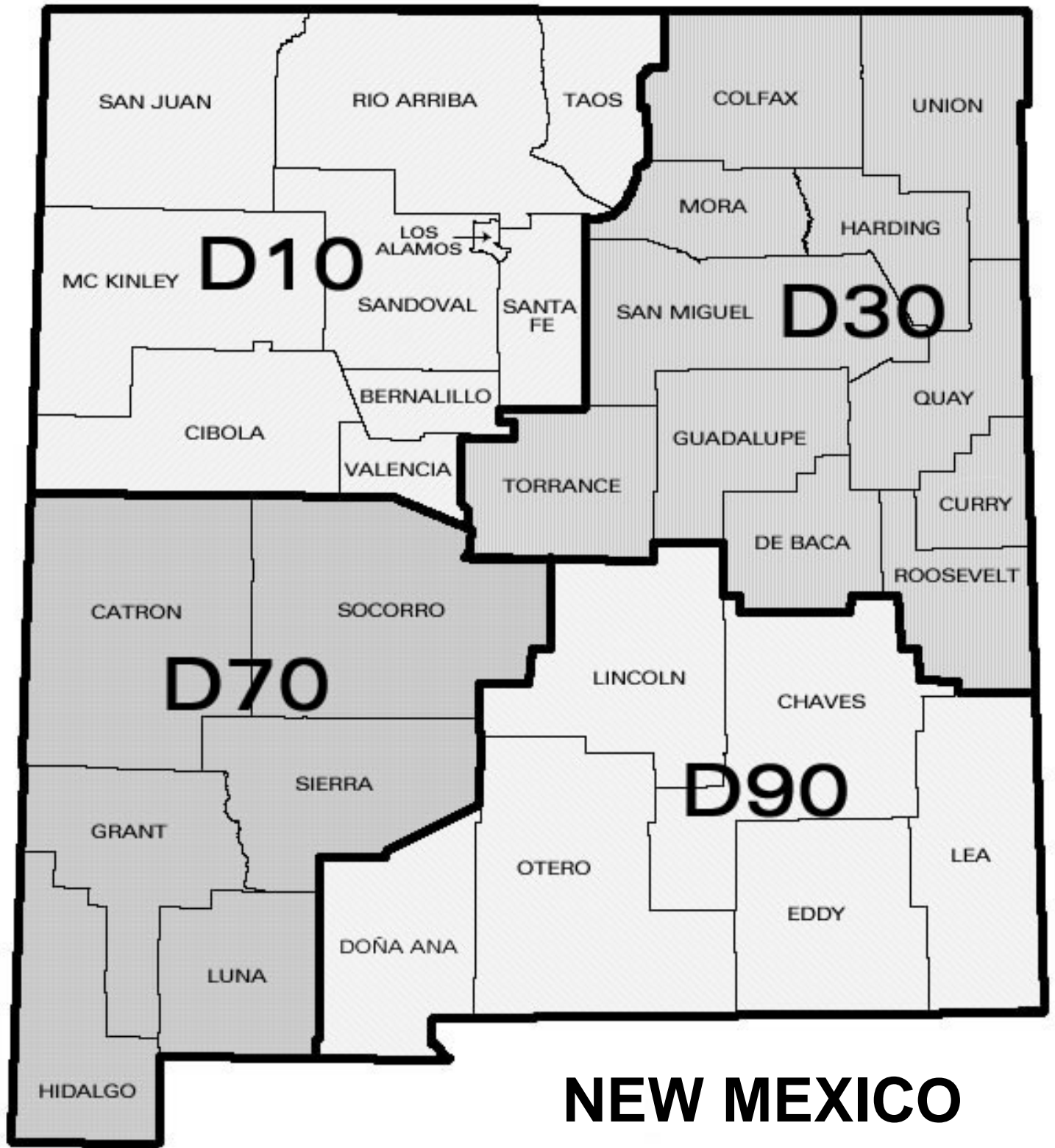


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New Mexico agriculture is rich in culture and tradition and continues to be resilient in changing times. New Mexico Department of Agriculture and United States Department of Agriculture National Agricultural Statistics Service (USDA-NASS) are pleased to present the 2015 New Mexico Agricultural Statistics Bulletin. This publication tells the story of how agriculture is changing from year to year, and it is the most accurate and current agricultural information available.

This year's cover is dedicated to the one hundredth anniversary of Elephant Butte Dam. The dam, finished in 1916, fundamentally changed agriculture in Southern New Mexico and West Texas and supported a treaty between the United States and Mexico. Agriculture and, in essence, food production in New Mexico would be very different without this important infrastructure and its associated system of canals and ditches.

New Mexico total value of agriculture sector production was down in 2015 to \$3.4 billion, following a national trend due to lower commodity prices. Dairy again led the state with nearly \$1.3 billion in milk sales. Cattle inventories continue to climb as ranchers persevere to rebuild herds after several years of drought. However, lower prices led to a drop in cash receipts to just under \$1.0 billion. Pecans took over as the number one crop in New Mexico with sales totaling \$182.5 million. Hay dropped to fourth overall as production and prices both decreased. New Mexico continued to be among the nation's leaders in chile and summer nonstorage onions, producing 33.1 percent of the nation's chile production and 35.6 percent of summer nonstorage onions.

Because producers and federal and state staff work together, it is possible to provide this data set. Individual producers taking the time to prepare responses to USDA-NASS surveys is essential. Your data shows how agriculture is changing in the state over time as well as where to dedicate resources. We appreciate the loyal enumerators, county extension staff, and state and federal personnel for their contribution and dedication to New Mexico agriculture. Thank you to all; we hope you enjoy the 2015 New Mexico Agricultural Statistics.

Sincerely,

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GENERAL REPORTS	FREQUENCY	APPROXIMATE DATE OF PUBLICATION^{1/}
Crop Weather	Weekly	March - November (Mondays)
New Mexico Agricultural Statistics	Annually	December
Census of Agriculture	Every 5 Years	February 2019 www.nass.usda.gov/census

REPORT DATES FOR CROPS

Crop Production	Monthly	August (mid) through January (mid)
Grain Stocks	Quarterly	January (mid) March - June - September (late)
Prospective Plantings	Annually	March (late)
Cotton Ginnings	Annually	May (mid)
Chile	Annually	March (early)
Pecans - Production and Disposition	Annually	July (mid)
Crop Yields	Monthly	August – January (mid)
Pecans – Forecast	Biannually	October; January (mid)

REPORT DATES FOR LIVESTOCK, DAIRY, AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

Cattle	Annually	January (late)
Sheep and Goats	Annually	January (late)
Wool and Mohair Production	Annually	January (late)
Honey	Annually	February (late)
Meat Animal Production, Disposition, and Income	Annually	April (late)
Milk Production, Disposition, and Income	Annually	April (late)

ECONOMIC AND MISCELLANEOUS

Number of Farms and Land in Farms	Annually	February (late)
Farm Production Expenditures	Annually	August (early)
Agricultural Land Values/Cash Rents	Annually	August (early)

COUNTY ESTIMATES (available at www.usda.gov/nass LINK - QUICK STATS)

Wheat	February (mid)
Corn	February (late)
Sorghum	February (late)
Chile	March (early)
Cattle and Calves	May (late)
Sheep and Lambs	May (late)
Alfalfa	June (late)
Cotton	June (mid)

^{1/} Reports are available on the USDA website at www.usda.gov/nass on the approximate date of publication.

Number of Farms, Land in Farms and Average Farm Size - New Mexico and United States: 2006 - 2015^{1/}

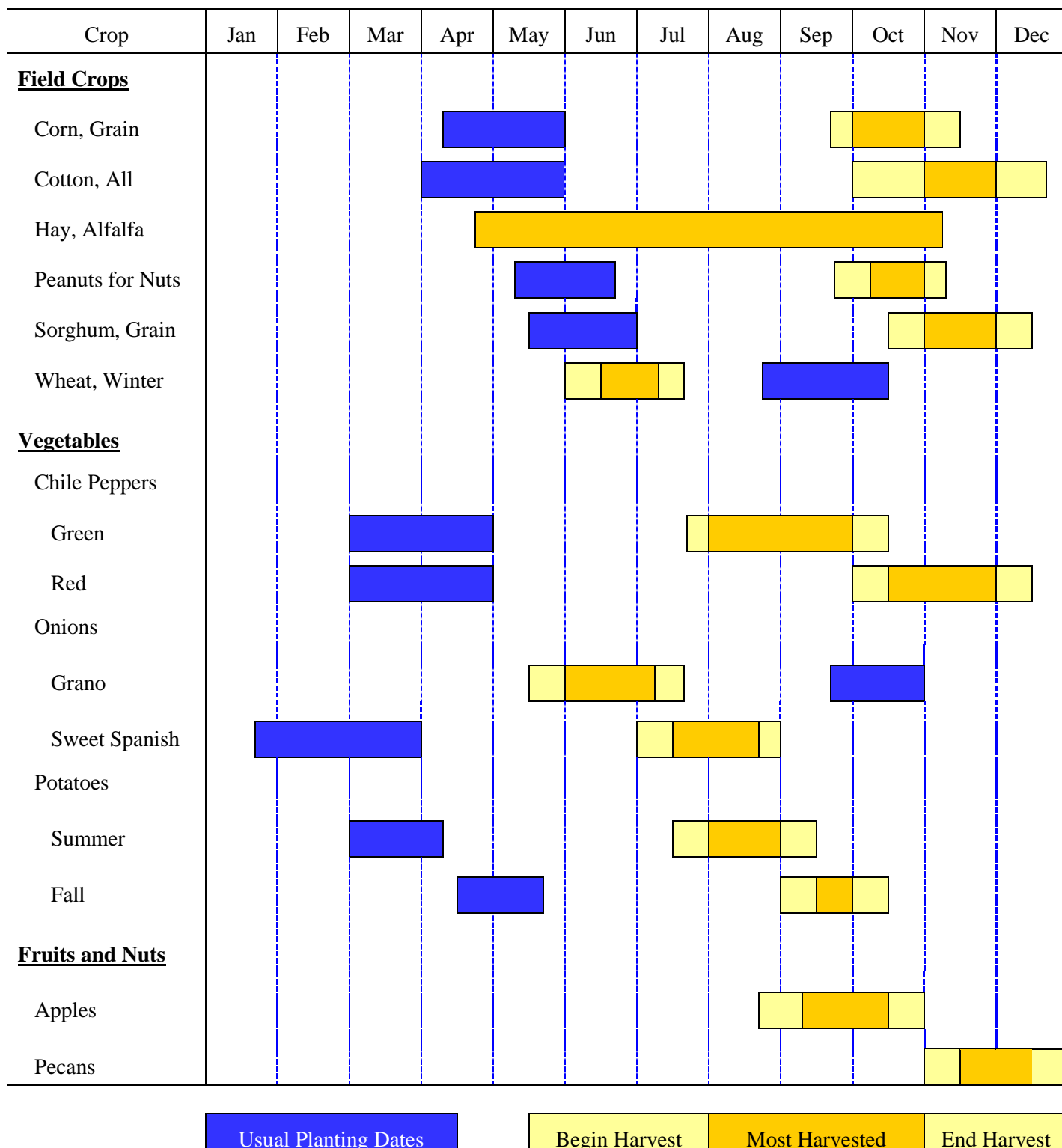
Year	New Mexico			United States		
	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Farm Size	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Farm Size
	(number)	(1,000 acres)	(acres)	(number)	(1,000 acres)	(acres)
2006	17,500	43,100	2,463	2,088,790	925,790	443
2007	21,000	43,200	2,057	2,204,950	921,460	418
2008	20,900	42,900	2,053	2,184,500	918,600	421
2009	21,200	43,200	2,038	2,169,660	917,590	423
2010	22,000	43,400	1,973	2,149,520	915,660	426
2011	23,800	43,100	1,811	2,131,240	914,420	429
2012	24,700	43,200	1,749	2,109,810	914,600	433
2013	24,800	43,200	1,742	2,102,010	914,030	435
2014	24,700	43,200	1,749	2,085,000	913,000	438
2015	24,700	43,200	1,749	2,067,000	912,000	441

¹ Places with annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more.

Census Number of Farms and Ranches by County – New Mexico: 2002, 2007, and 2012

District/County	2002	2007	2012	District/County	2002	2007	2012
Northwest	4,703	9,471	12,688	Northeast (cont.)			
Bernalillo	618	635	1,006	Roosevelt	804	876	680
Cibola	155	317	522	San Miguel	565	765	877
Los Alamos	6	7	9	Torrance	461	561	589
McKinley	150	2,624	2,297	Union	419	380	353
Rio Arriba	988	1,312	1,892	Southwest	1,404	1,755	2,079
Sandoval	347	652	1,029	Catron	206	259	351
San Juan	808	1,897	2,628	Grant	272	327	407
Santa Fe	460	489	715	Hidalgo	144	162	171
Taos	453	637	983	Luna	171	206	190
Valencia	718	901	1,607	Sierra	223	265	256
Northeast	4,739	5,389	5,316	Socorro	388	536	704
Colfax	284	302	290	Southeast	4,324	4,315	4,638
Curry	677	681	600	Chaves	604	584	595
De Baca	188	173	203	Doña Ana	1,691	1,762	2,184
Guadalupe	208	258	372	Eddy	510	543	551
Harding	129	168	202	Lea	554	572	460
Mora	410	589	597	Lincoln	343	361	362
Quay	594	636	553	Otero	622	493	486
State					15,170	20,930	24,721

Planting and Harvesting Dates: New Mexico



Climate: New Mexico 2015 Summary

County	Station	Elevation (Feet)	Freeze Date			Annual Precipitation		
			Years of Record	Last Spring Freeze	First Fall Freeze	Years of Record	Normal (Inches)	2015
Bernalillo	Albuquerque ^{1/}	5,310	85	04/17	11/06	85	9.45	11.49
Catron	Quemado	6,878	90	05/28	10/08	92	12.37	15.30
Chaves	Roswell Ind. AP	3,649	65	03/07	11/06	65	13.34	18.00
Cibola	El Morro National Mon.	7,223	78	06/02	10/14	78	15.14	*17.45
Colfax	Cimarron	6,540	112	05/09	10/17	112	17.81	*26.31
Curry	Clovis 13 N	4,435	67	04/21	11/06	67	18.35	31.07
De Baca	Sumner Lake	4,306	41	04/17	11/06	41	14.51	26.07
Doña Ana	Las Cruces ^{2/}	3,886	57	03/07	11/18	57	9.74	12.60
Eddy	Hope	4,085	74	03/27	11/07	79	14.49	*16.33
Grant	Gila H. S.	5,636	57	05/24	10/24	57	16.26	22.65
Guadalupe	Dilia	5,150	72	04/29	10/26	75	16.04	26.66
Harding	Rosebud 7NW	4,780	12	04/20	11/06	12	17.69	20.76
Hidalgo	Antelope Wells	4,687	26	06/24	10/24	26	13.69	20.71
Lea	Hobbs	3,660	100	03/15	11/20	102	17.92	*17.93
Lincoln	Picacho	4,990	36	04/18	11/05	36	15.47	*21.10
Los Alamos	Los Alamos	7,424	93	05/10	10/28	101	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>
Luna	Deming	4,300	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>
McKinley	Gallup	6,471	43	05/20	10/13	43	11.45	*13.73
Mora	Ocate 2 NW	7,655	53	05/20	10/14	56	19.78	25.76
Otero	Tularosa	4,422	104	03/06	11/11	104	11.52	13.71
Quay	Tucumcari 4 NE	4,086	112	03/26	11/06	112	17.10	28.07
Rio Arriba	Chama	7,850	116	05/26	09/18	116	23.52	30.41
Roosevelt	Portales	4,010	108	04/29	11/06	108	17.33	26.02
San Juan	Farmington	5,625	38	05/10	10/28	38	8.59	11.58
San Miguel	Conchas Dam	4,244	80	03/08	11/08	80	16.12	*25.22
Sandoval	Jemez Dam	5,388	26	04/18	11/06	26	12.26	*11.95
Santa Fe	Santa Fe Seton	7,000	15	05/17	10/24	15	15.69	17.22
Sierra	Elephant Butte Dam	4,571	97	03/07	11/13	97	10.58	10.10
Socorro	Bosque Del Apache	4,512	122	04/29	11/01	122	9.88	*14.49
Taos	Cerro	7,650	106	05/29	10/14	106	14.66	18.22
Torrance	Moriarty 1 NE	6,220	18	05/11	10/13	18	13.67	*22.60
Union	Grenville	6,002	76	05/22	10/28	76	17.63	26.72
Valencia	Los Lunas 3 SSW	4,840	59	04/20	10/28	59	9.77	12.49

* Insufficient or partial data if 1-9 daily values are missing.

^{1/} National Weather Service Forecast Office - International Airport.

^{2/} Station is officially known as "State University."

^{3/} Data not available.

SOURCE: Climatological Data Annual Summary, New Mexico, 2015, Volume 119-Number 13, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Fertilizer Shipped into New Mexico: 2015

Type of Fertilizer	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	Total 2015
	-----Tons-----				
NITROGEN SOLUTIONS					
Anhydrous Ammonia	128	324	434	88	974
Ammonium Nitrate	---	---	---	---	0
Ammonium Nitrate Phosphate	378	---	---	---	378
Animal Manure	2,586	2,281	814	330	6,012
Ammonium Phosphate Sulfate 13-39-0	10	---	---	---	10
Ammonium Phosphate Sulfate 16-20-0	4	---	---	---	4
Ammonium Polysulfide	---	---	---	---	0
Ammonium Sulfate	1,883	3,054	2,452	1,518	8,908
Ammonium Thiosulfate	74	399	399	---	871
Calcium Ammonium Nitrate	6	236	233	---	475
Calcium Nitrate	2	2	1	3	8
Diammonium Phosphate 16-48-0	3	---	10	4	17
Diammonium Phosphate 18-46-0	1	53	---	---	54
Mono Ammonium Phosphate	2,814	993	602	658	5,066
Nitrogen Solutions	5,800	11,368	15,618	2,444	35,230
Urea	2,772	5,945	2,333	2,203	13,252
Superphosphate, Single	---	---	---	---	0
TOTAL NITROGEN SOLUTIONS	16,461	24,654	22,896	7,248	71,259
PHOSPHATE MATERIALS					
Liquid Ammonium Polyphosphate	265	2,088	87	436	2,875
Phosphoric Acid, Liquid	---	---	---	---	0
Superphosphate, treble	0	90	16	10	116
Superphosphate, Single	0	2	345	1	348
TOTAL PHOSPHATE MATERIALS	265	2,180	448	447	3,340
POTASH MATERIALS					
Potassium Chloride (Muriate of Potash)	3,457	1,266	352	288	5,363
Potassium Magnesium Sulfate	407	91	22	226	746
Potassium Sulfate	51	80	1	---	132
TOTAL POTASH MATERIALS	3,915	1,437	376	514	6,241
SINGLE NUTRIENT					
Sulfur	527	350	9	71	958
Nitric Acid	42	---	---	---	42
Urea Formaldehyde	---	---	---	---	0
TOTAL SINGLE-NUTRIENT	569	350	9	71	1,000
MULTI-NUTRIENT					
16-8-8	89	11	44	1	145
Custom Mix	5,586	10,308	3,291	463	19,648
Soil Conditioners	29,569	15,447	4,870	1,812	51,698
Miscellaneous	9,549	8,564	3,042	1,748	22,902
TOTAL MULTI-NUTRIENT	44,792	34,330	11,247	4,024	94,393
TOTAL TONNAGE	66,001	62,951	34,976	12,305	176,233

SOURCE: Feed, Seed, and Fertilizer Bureau, New Mexico Department of Agriculture.

Commercial Feed Sales: 2015

Kind of Feed	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	Grand Total
	-----Tonnage-----				
Alfalfa Products	425	744	372	448	1,989
Animal By-Products	636	1,192	305	793	2,927
Barley Products	659	391	496	2,161	3,706
Beet Pulp Pellets	2,137	2,276	4,732	17,586	26,731
Canola Pellets	27,910	38,928	25,616	57,865	150,319
Cattle Feeds	37,008	20,725	16,944	39,476	114,153
Citrus-pulp pellet	---	378	---	---	378
Corn Products	226,108	231,084	216,606	185,068	858,866
Cottonseed Products	15,378	13,384	9,115	9,493	47,370
Custom Mixed Feeds	888	1,530	2,060	1,249	5,725
Dairy Feeds	86,661	88,299	84,031	96,906	355,897
Distillers By-Products	30,643	75,734	41,968	43,498	191,843
Fish Feeds	164	114	171	203	652
Grain Sorghum Products	4,970	1,029	967	10,966	17,933
Horse Feeds	5,758	6,083	5,680	5,011	22,533
Mineral Feeds	20,356	20,568	23,818	10,595	75,338
Miscellaneous ^{1/}	14,194	17,654	17,804	36,459	86,111
Molasses	7,021	7,298	7,465	7,305	29,089
Molasses-Urea Feed	15,966	11,496	12,594	14,394	54,449
Oat Products	4,202	303	222	366	5,093
Other Mixed Feeds	14,061	1,329	1,599	3,871	20,860
Other Products	21,029	30,763	34,105	23,012	108,909
Oyster Shell Products	---	1	---	0	1
Peanut Meal/Ground Hulls	4,397	5,983	2,549	4,098	17,027
Pet Foods ^{2/}	15,031	11,440	9,677	13,346	49,494
Poultry Feeds	4,845	4,984	5,630	6,037	21,497
Rabbit Feeds	195	235	235	221	885
Rice Mill By-Products	26	53	2	124	204
Sheep Feeds	434	514	341	243	1,532
Soft Rock Phosphate	---	---	---	---	0
Soybean Products	46,545	62,332	42,332	37,375	188,585
Swine Feeds	301	337	507	422	1,566
Turkey Feeds	---	3	9	---	12
Urea Feed Products	282	103	222	533	1,140
Wheat Products	3,163	6,967	8,635	1,806	20,571
TOTAL TONNAGE	611,391	664,258	576,806	630,930	2,483,385

^{1/} Miscellaneous tonnage includes products unidentified on quarterly reports submitted by manufacturers.

^{2/} Tonnage of pet food does not include total amount merchandised in packages of 10 pounds or less.

SOURCE: Feed, Seed, and Fertilizer Bureau, New Mexico Department of Agriculture.

New Mexico Farm Sector Economic Analysis

INCOME

The total value of the agriculture sector output from New Mexico totaled \$3.38 billion, down 16 percent from 2014. The value of livestock production decreased to \$2.41 billion in 2015, attributed to lower cattle and milk prices. Crop value increased to \$702 million, up 1 percent from a year earlier. Revenues from farm-related income totaled over \$265 million in 2015, down almost 15 percent from the previous year. After deductions for production expenses, hired labor, and other economic factors, the state's net farm income was down to \$792 million following a national trend due to lower commodity prices.

PRODUCTION EXPENSES

New Mexico farmers and ranchers purchased \$1.88 billion of inputs in 2015 to produce crops and livestock. This was up 12 percent from the previous year. As in earlier years, livestock feed continued to be the largest purchase at \$820 million, followed by livestock purchases of \$361 million. Petroleum fuel and oil costs were down at \$93 million while repair and maintenance of capital items cost farmers and ranchers \$131 million, a decrease of 11 percent from the previous year.

CASH RECEIPTS

New Mexico crop and livestock product sales in 2015 totaled more than \$3 billion, a 17 percent increase from the previous year. Total cash receipts from livestock products in 2015 decreased 21 percent from the previous year to over \$2.3 billion. The number one cash commodity for the state was milk, followed by cattle and calves. Total crop cash receipts was higher at \$717 million. Pecans were the highest crop commodity in the state in total cash receipts for the first time totaling \$164 million, up from a year earlier. Pecan sales increased to \$183 million in 2015 and ranked third overall behind milk and cattle. Hay ranked fourth largest cash commodity in the state at \$116 million. Onions came in as the fifth commodity, followed by chile. Poultry and eggs moved up to the seventh spot. Cotton dropped to the eighth position, followed by corn for grain. Wheat rounded out the top ten at just over \$19 million.

GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

Direct government payments to New Mexico producers were down to \$80 million in 2015. Conservation program payments increased to \$58.6 million. Ad Hoc and Emergency Programs decreased to \$16 million. Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) payments increased from \$175,000 in 2014 to \$397,000 in 2015.

PRICES

Milk prices, at \$16.10 per hundred weight (cwt), decreased from the previous year's level of \$22.30 per cwt. Cattle prices also decreased to \$1,530 per head, down 9.5 percent from a year earlier.

Alfalfa prices were down from the previous year averaging \$211 per ton. All hay decreased from the 2014 price of \$248 to \$203 per ton in 2015. Other hay prices averaged \$158 per ton in 2015, down from the 2014 level.

Prices for beans, cotton, peanuts, wheat, and chile peppers decreased in 2015. Corn, sorghum, onions, and pecans were the only crops showing increases from a year earlier. The average price for pecans increased to \$2.50 for the marketing season. Chile prices dropped from 2014 averaging \$616 per ton.

Net Income from Farming – New Mexico: 2012 – 2015

	2012	2013	2014	2015
	-----1,000 Dollars-----			
Value of Crop Production	735,424	669,711	694,897	702,394
Value of Animals and Products Production	2,852,523	2,471,554	2,993,293	2,408,986
Farm Related Income	302,521	340,249	311,828	265,442
Forest products sold	454	779	1,497	1,394
Gross imputed rental value of farm dwellings	165,969	171,147	141,628	157,747
Machine hire and custom work	16,586	29,021	22,663	25,077
Other farm income	119,512	139,301	146,041	81,224
Total commodity insurance indemnities	55,285	60,630	39,354	20,683
Net cash rent received by operator landlords ^{1/}	905	2,706	-256	1,396
Value of Agriculture Sector Production	3,890,469	3,481,514	4,000,018	3,376,822
Intermediate Product Expenses	2,190,146	1,849,562	2,147,915	1,880,669
Farm origin	1,469,471	1,142,813	1,367,922	1,216,300
Feed purchased	817,269	814,441	957,902	820,097
Livestock and poultry purchased	609,000	272,825	358,863	360,818
Seed purchased	43,203	55,547	51,157	35,385
Manufactured inputs	295,098	296,696	295,182	252,862
Electricity	68,159	62,397	59,243	64,893
Fertilizers, lime and soil conditioners	68,570	63,672	62,358	60,733
Pesticides	33,892	33,546	38,476	33,892
Fuel and oils	124,477	137,081	135,105	93,344
Other intermediate expenses ^{2/}	425,577	410,054	484,810	411,507
Machine hire and custom work	25,751	23,672	28,056	18,177
Marketing, storage, and transportation	59,503	43,639	62,452	49,530
Repair and maintenance ^{2/}	121,623	133,817	147,764	131,294
Miscellaneous expenses ^{2/}	218,700	208,926	246,538	212,506
Total insurance premiums ^{3/}	46,120	54,727	59,827	47,558
Contract Labor	24,669	31,473	50,598	27,333
Net Government Transactions	40,526	64,613	153,412	13,283
Direct government payments	97,672	115,617	228,578	80,312
Property taxes and fees ^{2/}	57,146	51,005	75,166	67,029
Motor vehicle registration and licensing fees	7,327	8,196	7,983	7,205
Gross Value Added	1,716,180	1,665,091	1,954,917	1,482,102
Capital consumption ^{2/}	241,589	274,305	364,927	283,425
Net Value Added	1,474,591	1,390,786	1,589,990	1,198,678
Factor Payments to Stakeholders^{4/}	435,120	466,172	458,761	406,454
Hired labor and noncash employee compensation	275,992	312,418	300,867	252,963
Net rent paid to operator landlords	5,632	7,737	5,336	3,997
Net rent paid to nonoperator landlords	25,033	34,389	35,154	26,334
Total interest expenses ^{2/}	128,463	111,627	117,404	123,159
Net Farm Income	1,039,471	924,614	1,131,229	792,224

1/ Share rent income is included in cash receipts. 2/ Included expenses associated with operator dwellings. 2/ Share rent income is included in cash receipts. 3/ Included federal and private crop and livestock insurance premiums as well as casualty, hail, motor vehicle, and all other insurance premiums. 4/ Prior to 2008, factor payments to stakeholders only included net rent paid to nonoperator landlords.
SOURCE: USDA, Economic Research Service.

Cash Receipts - New Mexico: 2013 – 2015^{1/}

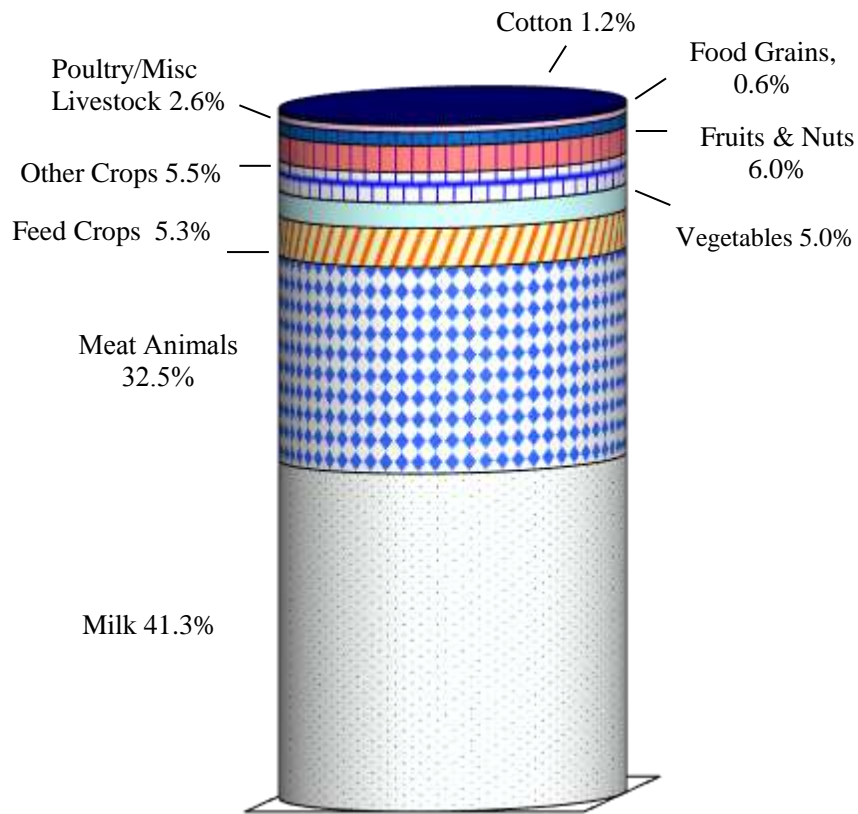
Commodity	2015 Rank	Percent of US	2013	2014	2015
-----1,000 Dollars-----					
All Commodities		.8	3,217,306	3,652,779	3,038,775
Livestock Products		1.2	2,527,293	2,956,316	2,321,786
Meat Animals			955,873	1,085,386	987,939
Cattle and Calves	2	1.3	955,387	1,084,794	987,573
Hogs and Pigs	16		486	592	366
Dairy Products: Milk	1	3.5	1,506,068	1,798,049	1,254,029
Poultry and Eggs ^{2/}	7		19,867	27,540	38,805
Miscellaneous Livestock			45,486	45,341	41,014
Honey	14	.3	653	931	1,062
Mohair	17	1.0	48	42	42
Wool	15	2.3	797	1,040	903
Crops		.4	690,012	696,463	716,989
Food Grains: Wheat	10	.2	23,942	21,577	19,293
Feed Crops			187,442	207,124	161,020
Corn Grain	9	.1	39,901	36,012	33,682
Hay	4	1.7	141,565	162,662	115,970
Sorghum Grain	11	.6	5,975	8,450	11,368
Cotton	8		36,586	32,724	35,846
Cotton Lint, Long Staple		1.9	3,163	6,000	7,050
Cotton Lint, Upland		.6	26,223	21,891	23,076
Cottonseed		.6	7,200	4,834	5,720
Oil Crops: Peanuts	13	.4	10,243	1,284	4,852
Vegetables			130,804	131,630	151,975
Beans, Dry	12	1.0	12,812	11,530	9,255
Onions, Summer Nonstorage	5	9.2	40,919	57,222	91,392
Chile Peppers	6	30.3	49,478	38,695	41,090
Fruits and Nuts			136,800	140,700	182,500
Pecans	3	32.6	136,800	140,700	182,500
All Other Crops			164,196	161,424	161,502

^{1/} Does not include cash receipts for livestock grazing. May not sum due to rounding.

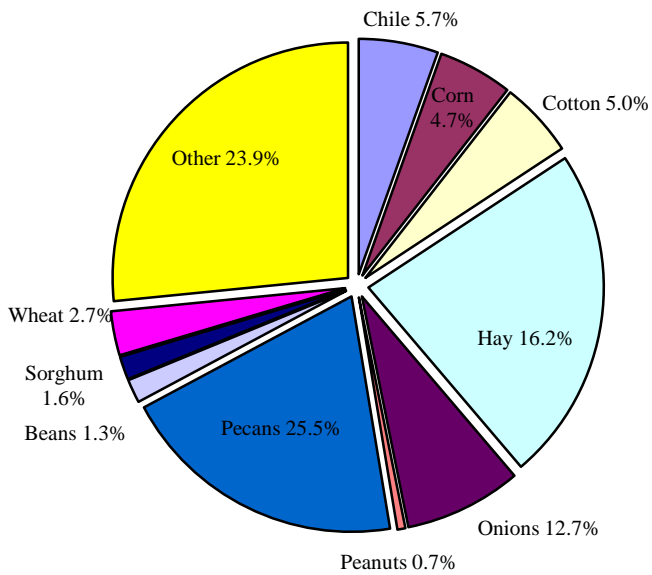
^{2/} Poultry and Eggs include farm chickens and eggs, turkeys, ducks, geese, etc.

SOURCE: USDA, Economic Research Service.

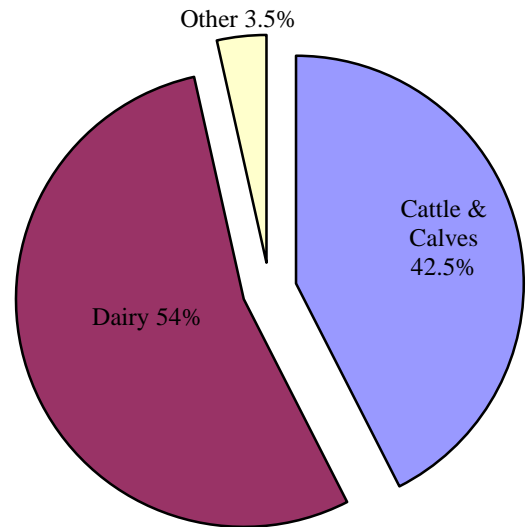
New Mexico Cash Receipts: 2015 All Commodities



Crops



Livestock



Cash Receipts: All Farm Commodities by County^{1/} - New Mexico: 2014 – 2015

District/County	2015 Rank	-----All Farm Commodities-----	
		2014 ^{2/}	2015
		-----1,000 Dollars-----	
NORTHWEST		269,162	215,596
Bernalillo	22	25,019	19,070
Cibola	31	10,486	9,442
McKinley	19	23,333	21,032
Rio Arriba	17	25,294	22,279
Sandoval	28	14,798	13,224
San Juan	13	70,061	50,411
Santa Fe	30	11,651	10,155
Taos	32	8,700	7,400
Valencia	9	79,819	62,581
NORTHEAST		1,423,291	1,152,134
Colfax	23	20,846	18,507
Curry	1	693,242	546,598
De Baca	25	20,369	17,419
Guadalupe	26	18,298	16,727
Harding	27	17,627	16,124
Mora	29	13,400	11,930
Quay	15	37,717	34,229
Roosevelt	4	438,342	344,511
San Miguel	16	28,952	26,319
Torrance	10	69,517	59,979
Union	11	64,981	59,790
SOUTHWEST		361,067	333,795
Catron	21	22,022	20,117
Grant	20	23,198	20,989
Hidalgo	12	56,856	52,084
Luna	7	97,218	105,636
Sierra	14	51,833	48,674
Socorro	8	109,941	86,296
SOUTHEAST		1,599,258	1,337,250
Chaves	2	665,533	514,775
Doña Ana	3	472,768	444,427
Eddy	6	142,719	119,654
Lea	5	276,150	218,948
Lincoln	18	23,651	21,730
Otero	24	18,437	17,716
STATE		3,652,779	3,038,775

^{1/} Does not include cash receipts received for livestock grazing. May not sum due to rounding.

^{2/} Revised.

SOURCE: New Mexico Department of Agriculture: County figures prorated from state estimate.

Cash Receipts: All Livestock, All Crops^{1/} — New Mexico: 2014 – 2015

District/County	-----All Livestock-----		-----All Crops-----	
	2014 ^{2/}	2015	2014 ^{2/}	2015
	-----1,000 Dollars-----			
NORTHWEST	195,598	164,785	73,565	50,812
Bernalillo	23,217	17,690	1,802	1,380
Cibola	10,358	9,344	129	98
McKinley	23,045	20,863	289	170
Rio Arriba	22,480	20,299	2,814	1,980
Sandoval	12,871	11,734	1,927	1,490
San Juan	17,262	15,711	52,800	34,700
Santa Fe	7,669	6,954	3,981	3,201
Taos	6,270	5,687	2,431	1,714
Valencia	72,427	56,503	7,392	6,078
NORTHEAST	1,244,646	983,824	178,645	168,310
Colfax	16,971	15,666	3,876	2,841
Curry	624,580	480,280	68,661	66,317
De Baca	13,623	12,506	6,746	4,914
Guadalupe	17,968	16,480	330	247
Harding	17,399	15,930	228	195
Mora	11,637	10,666	1,763	1,264
Quay	27,817	25,521	9,900	8,708
Roosevelt	381,144	287,889	57,198	56,623
San Miguel	28,448	25,962	504	357
Torrance	52,473	44,497	17,044	15,482
Union	52,586	48,428	12,395	11,362
SOUTHWEST	233,208	192,978	127,859	140,817
Catron	21,829	19,932	193	185
Grant	22,161	20,244	1,037	744
Hidalgo	22,124	20,220	34,731	31,863
Luna	32,311	26,050	64,908	79,586
Sierra	32,362	26,091	19,472	22,582
Socorro	102,421	80,440	7,519	5,855
SOUTHEAST	1,282,865	980,200	316,394	357,050
Chaves	603,281	454,328	62,252	60,447
Doña Ana	284,961	215,707	187,807	228,720
Eddy	106,141	84,096	36,578	35,558
Lea	250,934	191,777	25,217	27,170
Lincoln	23,233	21,240	418	490
Otero	14,315	13,052	4,122	4,664
STATE	2,956,316	2,321,786	696,463	716,989

^{1/} Does not include cash receipts received for livestock grazing. May not sum due to rounding.

^{2/} Revised.

SOURCE: New Mexico Department of Agriculture: County figures prorated from state estimate.

Cash Receipts: Cattle and Calves, Milk^{1/} - New Mexico: 2014 – 2015

District/County	Cattle and Calves		Milk ^{2/}	
	2014	2015	2014	2015
NORTHWEST	125,695	114,430	^{3/}	^{3/}
Bernalillo	6,289	5,725		
Cibola	9,590	8,731		
McKinley	21,617	19,680		
Rio Arriba	20,831	18,964		
Sandoval	12,577	11,450		
San Juan	16,508	15,028		
Santa Fe	7,311	6,655		
Taos	5,817	5,296		
Valencia	25,155	22,900	45,665	31,848
NORTHEAST	479,353	436,393	^{3/}	^{3/}
Colfax	15,643	14,241		
Curry	180,799	164,596	428,107	298,578
De Baca	13,049	11,880		
Guadalupe	17,294	15,744		
Harding	16,901	15,386		
Mora	11,241	10,234		
Quay	26,334	23,974		
Roosevelt	86,469	78,720	285,405	199,052
San Miguel	27,513	25,047		
Torrance	34,588	31,488		
Union	49,523	45,085		
SOUTHWEST	132,140	120,298	^{3/}	^{3/}
Catron	21,224	19,322		
Grant	21,617	19,680		
Hidalgo	21,617	19,680		
Luna	14,936	13,597		
Sierra	15,014	13,669		
Socorro	37,732	34,350	62,218	43,393
SOUTHEAST	347,606	316,453	^{3/}	^{3/}
Chaves	133,634	121,658	456,647	318,484
Doña Ana	66,817	60,829	211,199	147,299
Eddy	42,448	38,644	61,077	42,597
Lea	68,389	62,260	176,951	123,412
Lincoln	22,403	20,396		
Otero	13,914	12,667	^{3/}	^{3/}
STATE	1,084,794	987,573	1,798,049	1,254,029

^{1/} Does not include cash receipts received for livestock grazing. May not sum due to rounding.

^{2/} Milk cow estimates are not made for counties with fewer than 200 head.

^{3/} Not published to prevent disclosure.

SOURCE: New Mexico Department of Agriculture: County figures prorated from state estimate.

Cash Receipts: Hay – New Mexico: 2014 – 2015

District/County	2015 Rank	Hay	
		2014 ^{2/}	2015
		1,000 Dollars	
NORTHWEST		33,876	24,152
Bernalillo	22	1,175	838
Cibola	31	73	52
McKinley	28	146	104
Rio Arriba	17	2,380	1,696
Sandoval	23	1,098	783
San Juan	3	18,842	13,433
Santa Fe	19	2,272	1,620
Taos	18	2,304	1,643
Valencia	12	5,587	3,983
NORTHEAST		35,668	25,430
Colfax	14	3,604	2,570
Curry	10	5,953	4,244
De Baca	8	6,386	4,553
Guadalupe	27	269	192
Harding	29	119	85
Mora	20	1,694	1,208
Quay	15	3,427	2,443
Roosevelt	7	6,760	4,820
San Miguel	26	466	333
Torrance	13	5,338	3,806
Union	21	1,652	1,178
SOUTHWEST		23,660	16,869
Catron	30	98	70
Grant	25	988	704
Hidalgo	9	6,181	4,407
Luna	6	7,446	5,309
Sierra	16	3,051	2,175
Socorro	11	5,897	4,204
SOUTHEAST		69,457	49,520
Chaves	2	20,742	14,788
Doña Ana	1	21,270	15,164
Eddy	4	18,006	12,837
Lea	5	8,293	5,912
Lincoln	32	55	39
Otero	24	1,092	779
STATE		162,662	115,970

^{1/} May not sum due to rounding.

^{2/} Revised.

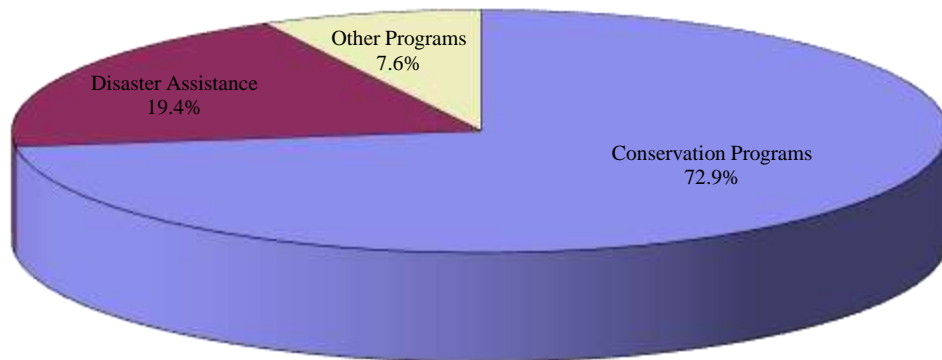
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Government Payments – New Mexico: 2013 – 2015

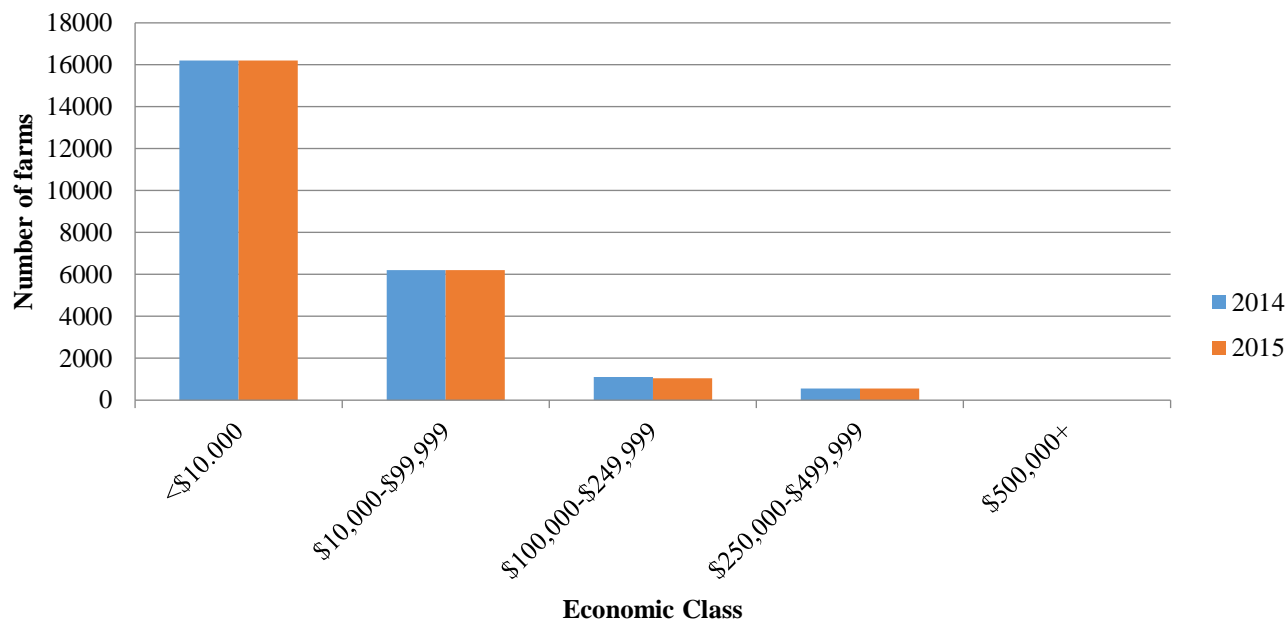
Type of Payments	2013	2014	2015
	-----1,000 Dollars -----		
Direct Payments	12,213	396	-464
Cotton Transition Assistance Payments (CTAP)	0	2,076	325
Average Crop Revenue Election – ACRE Payment	671	1,235	261
Price Loss Coverage (PLC)	0	0	2,291
Agricultural Risk Coverage (ARC)	0	0	3,316
Counter-Cyclical Payments	-9	0	0
Loan Deficiency Payments	0	175	397
Marketing Loan Gains	0	6	4
Milk Income Loss Payments	2,904	48	1
Conservation	55,466	57,718	58,563
Supplemental and Ad Hoc Disaster Assistance ¹	44,373	166,925	15,613
Miscellaneous Programs	0	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	115,617	228,578	80,312

SOURCE: Economic Research Service/USDA

Government Payments – New Mexico, 2015



Number of Farms by Economic Sales Class New Mexico: 2014 and 2015



Public Land Grazing Fee Formulation *

Grazing Fee Components	Base Year	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
	1964-68							
Grazing Rates on Private Land (Dollars) ^{1/}	3.65	15.80	16.10	16.80	17.90	18.50	19.70	20.00
Forage Value Index (FVI) ^{2/}	100	433	441	460	490	507	540	548
Average Price Received for Beef Cattle per cwt (Dollars) ^{3/}				112.2				
Beef Cattle Price Index (BCPI) ^{4/}	22.04	78.21	87.69	9	122.48	120.85	142.34	148.98
Beef Cattle Price Index (BCPI) ^{4/}	100	355	398	509	556	548	646	676
Prices Paid Index (PPI) ^{5/}	100	806	866	946	980	994	1015	943
Federal Grazing Fee (Dollars) ^{6/}	(1.23)	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	2.10	3.46
State Grazing Fee (Dollars) ^{7/}		3.19	2.88	3.21	3.84	3.99	4.80	5.99

* The Federal Grazing Fee for the year specified, as constrained by Presidential Executive Order 12548, is based on prior year values for the formula components.

^{1/} Privately owned, nonirrigated land in 11 western states: Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming. Rates are per head month. Private fee grazing rates for the prior year are published by NASS-USDA in the January Agricultural Prices report.

^{2/} Private land grazing rates current year divided by base year times 100.

^{3/} Average for 12 months, November-October, prior to the fee year for 11 western states (see footnote 1). Average Beef Cattle Price Index for the November-October period is published by NASS-USDA in the December Agricultural Prices report.

^{4/} Beef cattle price current year divided by base year times 100.

^{5/} Index of prices paid for beef cattle production inputs as percent of base year. The Prices Paid Index for Beef Cattle Production for the November-October period are published by NASS-USDA in the December Agricultural Prices report.

^{6/} The grazing fee = base year fee (FVI + BCPI - PPI)/100. For example, 2015 = \$1.23 (540 + 646 - 1015)/100 = \$2.10 (Federal), per Executive Order, \$1.35 is the legal minimum.

^{7/} Source: New Mexico State Land Office. Data not available prior to 1988.

County Estimates: Cash Rent Per Acre – New Mexico: 2014 and 2016

District and County	Rented for Cash ^{1 2}					
	Irrigated Cropland		Non-Irrigated Cropland		Pastureland	
	2014	2016	2014	2016	2014	2016
	(Dollars per Acre)	(Dollars per Acre)	(Dollars per Acre)	(Dollars per Acre)	(Dollars per Acre)	(Dollars per Acre)
Bernalillo	(D)	107.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cibola	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1.30	1.70
McKinley	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1.00	(D)
Rio Arriba	79.00	55.00	(D)	(D)	4.80	4.10
Sandoval	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2.00	1.80
San Juan	129.00	98.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Santa Fe	(D)	124.00	(D)	(D)	1.80	(D)
Taos	56.50	50.00	(D)	(D)	2.40	2.50
Valencia	138.00	148.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other Counties	68.50	73.00	(D)	(D)	1.40	2.40
Northwest	92.50	90.00	(D)	(D)	1.90	2.40
Colfax	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4.80	4.00
Curry	159.00	109.00	20.50	18.00	3.00	4.90
De Baca	165.00	183.00	(D)	(D)	2.30	3.00
Guadalupe	49.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	3.20	4.10
Harding	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3.60	4.30
Mora	55.00	50.00	(D)	20.00	3.40	3.50
Quay	47.00	40.00	14.50	(D)	4.40	3.30
Roosevelt	98.00	(D)	13.00	(D)	3.40	3.40
San Miguel	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2.70	1.80
Torrance	89.00	96.00	(D)	(D)	2.10	2.20
Union	87.50	46.00	(D)	(D)	4.90	4.90
Other Counties	98.00	110.00	13.00	14.50	(D)	(D)
Northeast	114.00	93.00	16.50	16.50	3.60	3.60
Catron	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1.10
Grant	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1.20	1.50
Hidalgo	(D)	157.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Luna	215.00	214.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	1.20
Sierra	(D)	196.00	(D)	(D)	2.20	1.80
Socorro	181.00	183.00	(D)	(D)	2.90	(D)
Other Counties	129.00	77.50	(D)	(D)	1.30	4.10
Southwest	185.00	188.00	(D)	(D)	1.70	2.10
Chaves	(D)	175.00	(D)	(D)	1.60	1.70
Doña Ana	221.00	245.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Eddy	98.50	105.00	(D)	(D)	(D)	1.80
Lea	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1.80	2.50
Lincoln	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2.30	2.30
Otero	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other Counties	94.00	122.00	22.00	(D)	2.30	1.40
Southeast	166.00	223.00	22.00	(D)	1.90	2.00
New Mexico	150.00	155.00	17.00	17.00	3.00	3.00

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Counties with missing data are included in the appropriate district's "Other Counties."

² Districts with missing totals are included in "Other Districts"

Average Land Value Per Acre — New Mexico: January 1, 2011 – 2015

Class	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
	(Dollars)	(Dollars)	(Dollars)	(Dollars)	(Dollars)
Farm Real Estate	470	520	500	520	510
Irrigated Cropland	5,190	4,450	3,910	3,930	3,920
Nonirrigated Cropland	410	430	400	390	390
Pasture	290	330	320	360	340

Record Highs and Lows: Livestock, Poultry, and Honey ¹ — New Mexico

Commodity	Unit	Record High		Record Low		Record Began
		(Quantity)	(Year)	(Quantity)	(Year)	(Year)
Cattle and Calves						
Inventory, January 1	..... 1,000 hd.	1,900	1922	143	1867	1867
Calf Crop (annual)	..... 1,000 hd.	630	1999,2000,11	490	1987	1977
Beef Cows, January 1 ²	..... 1,000 hd.	826	1934	407	2014,15	1920
Milk Cows, January 1 ²	..... 1,000 hd.	340	2006,07	6	1867	1867
Milk Production (annual)	million lbs.	8,177	2011	174	1924,25	1924
Cheese Production (annual)	million lbs.	768	2015	190	1997	1997
Cattle on Feed, January 1 ...	1,000 hd.	239	1980	99	1965	1965
Hogs and Pigs						
Inventory December 1 ³	..... 1,000 hd.	143	1942	1	2011,13	1866
Sheep and Lambs						
Total Inventory, January 1	. 1,000 hd.	3,002	1932	81	2014	1920
Breeding Inventory, Jan. 1	. 1,000 hd.	2,922	1932	68	2014	1920
Lamb Crop (annual)	..... 1,000 hd.	1,346	1931	38	2013	1920
Market Sheep & Lambs Jan. 1	1,000 hd.	65	1994	11	2012	1920
Wool Production (annual)	. 1,000 lbs.	17,430	1933	590	2013	1909
Angora Goats						
Total Inventory, January 1	. 1,000 hd.	14	2008	10	2012,14,16	2008
Mohair	..... 1,000 lbs.	1,130	1941	30	2012,13,15	1909
Poultry						
Layers, December 1	..... 1,000 hd.	2,190	1979	1,207	1974	1974
Turkeys, December 1	..... 1,000 hd.	165	1932	9	1964	1929
Honey						
Production (annual)	..... 1,000 lbs.	2,059	1990	246	2003	1987

¹ Estimates are as of January 1 or December 1, annual (the entire year), or other time frame as noted.

² Cows and heifers two years old and over prior to 1970; cows that have calved beginning in 1970.

³ January 1 estimates discontinued in 1969. December 1 estimates beginning in 1969.

Record Highs and Lows: Acreage, Yield and Production of Crops — New Mexico

Commodity	Units	Record High		Record Low		Record Began (Year)
		(Quantity)	(Year)	(Quantity)	(Year)	
Beans, Dry						
Harvested	1,000 acres	256	1943	2	1971,72,99	1909
Yield	lbs./acre	2,600	2004	180	1945	1909
Production	1,000 cwt.	1,162	1941	15	1971	1909
Chile Peppers						
Harvested	1,000 acres	34,500	1992	8	2014,15	1974
Yield	cwt./acre	210.0	2004	24	1979	1974
Production	1,000 cwt.	3,217	2004	239	1975	1974
Corn for Grain						
Harvested	1,000 acres	244	1921	12	1962	1882
Yield	bu./acre	195.0	2014	8.0	1922	1882
Production	1,000 bu.	14,940	1999	341	1953	1882
Corn for Silage						
Harvested	1,000 acres	90	2002	3	1919,22,25,26,27,29,30,33,47,48	1919
Yield	tons/acre	27.0	2009,10	3.2	1926	1919
Production	1,000 tons	2,160	2002	10	1926	1919
Cotton, PIMA						
Harvested	1,000 acres	30.2	1989	0.1	1939	1939
Yield	lbs./acre	1,056	2003	157	1942	1939
Production .....	.480 lb. Bales	45,000	1989	100	1939,47	1939
Cotton, Upland						
Harvested	1,000 acres	295	1953	30	2009	1953
Yield	lbs./acre	1,172	2009	382	1975	1953
Production .....	.480 lb. Bales	330,000	1952	12	1922	1922
Cottonseed						
Harvested	1,000 tons	137	1953	5	1922	1922
Hay, Alfalfa						
Harvested	1,000 acres	290	1999,2000	80	1935	1919
Yield	tons/acre	5.4	2013	2.2	1922,23,26	1919
Production	1,000 tons	1,508	1999,2000	187	1934	1919
Hay, Other						
Harvested	1,000 acres	268	1959	34	1934	1919
Yield	tons/acre	2.5	2012	0.6	1933	1919
Production	1,000 tons	357	1959	26	1934	1919
Onions						
Harvested	1,000 acres	8	2002	5	2009	1998
Yield	lbs./acre	640.0	2015	430.0	2013	1998
Production	1,000 cwt.	4,400	2002	2,623	2013	1998
Peanuts						
Harvested	1,000 acres	26	2000	2	1939	1939
Yield	lbs./acre	3,600	2006	700	1939,45	1939
Production	1,000 lbs.	67,044	2001	1,400	1939	1939
Sorghum, Grain						
Harvested	1,000 acres	443	1950	19	2012	1929
Yield	bu./acre	66.0	2010	6.5	1934	1929
Production	1,000 bu.	20,474	1971	208	1934	1929
Sorghum, Silage						
Harvested	1,000 acres	35	2004	1	1985,92	1934
Yield	tons/acre	23	1982	2	1936	1934
Production	1,000 tons	595	2004	6	1945	1929
Winter Wheat, Grain						
Harvested	1,000 acres	629	1947	12	1910	1909
Yield	bu./acre	44.0	2013	5.0	1950,53	1909
Production	1,000 bu.	20,520	1985	174	1910	1909
Apples						
Production	1,000 lbs.	48,000	1964	1,800	2002,03	1921
Pecans						
Utilized Prod.	1,000 lbs.	74,000	2007	1,390	1949	1949

**Rank and Quantity Produced, Selected Commodities —
New Mexico, Leading State, and United States: 2015**

Commodity	Unit	New Mexico		Leading State		United States	New Mexico Percent of U.S. Total
		Rank	Quantity	State	Quantity		
Farms	(number)	32	24,700	Texas	242,000	2,067,000	1.19
Land in Farms	(1,000 acres)	6	43,200	Texas	130,000	912,000	4.74
Average Size of Farm	(acres)	3	1,749	Wyoming	2,621	441	
Livestock ¹							
Cattle and Calves	(1,000 head)	22	1,380	Texas	11,700	91,988	1.50
Beef Cows	(1,000 head)	24	425	Texas	4,290	30,330	1.40
Milk Cows	(1,000 head)	9	315	California	1,775	9,315	3.38
Milk	(1,000 lbs.)	9	7,831,000	California	40,898,000	208,633,000	3.75
Cheese	(1,000 lbs.)	5	768,028	Wisconsin	3,070,202	11,838,425	6.49
Sheep	(1,000 head)	15	90	Texas	735	5,320	1.69
Goats, Angora	(1,000 head)	3	10	Texas	78	150	6.67
Hogs and Pigs	(head)	45	1,500	Iowa	20,900,000	68,869,000	
Field Crops							
Beans, dry, production	(1,000 cwt)	12	264	North Dakota	8,901	30,121	0.88
Corn, grain, production	(1,000 bu.)	35	7,200	Iowa	2,505,600	13,601,198	0.05
Corn, silage, production	(1,000 tons)	18	2,075	Wisconsin	18,915	126,894	1.64
Cotton, PIMA, production	(bales)	4	13,000	California	361,000	433,000	3.00
Cotton, upland, production	(bales)	16	60,000	Texas	5,720,000	12,455,000	0.48
Cottonseed, production	(1,000 tons)	16	24	Texas	1,844	4,043	0.59
Hay, all, production	(1,000 tons)	35	1,091	Texas	9,720	134,388	0.81
Hay, alfalfa, production	(1,000 tons)	21	893	California	5,451	58,974	1.51
Hay, other, production	(1,000 tons)	40	198	Texas	9,200	75,414	0.26
Peanuts, production	(1,000 lbs.)	10	15,000	Georgia	3,473,190	6,210,590	0.24
Sorghum, grain, production	(1,000 bu.)	11	4,230	Kansas	281,600	596,751	0.71
Sorghum, silage, production	(1,000 tons)	4	348	Kansas	1,575	4,475	7.78
Wheat, grain, production	(1,000 bu.)	34	4,750	North Dakota	370,023	2,051,752	0.23
Vegetables							
Chile, production	(1,000 cwt)	2	1,334	California	2,424	4,034	33.07
Onion, summer production ²	(1,000 cwt)	2	3,264	California	3,750	9,167	35.61
Nuts							
Pecans, production	(1,000 lbs.)	2	73,000	Georgia	93,000	254,290	28.71

¹ Inventory January 1, 2016, for cattle, sheep, and goats; December 1, 2015, for hogs.

² Onion estimates and ranking are for summer non storage only.

New Mexico Livestock

CATTLE AND CALVES

New Mexico's inventory of all cattle and calves was 1,380,000 head as of January 1, 2016, up 3.8 percent from 2015. Milk cow inventory decreased 2.5 percent from 323,000 to 315,000 head as the Goliath storm at the end of the year had a significant impact. Dairy producers retained 120,000 heifers for replacement. Beef cow inventory was 4.4 percent higher than previous year at 425,000 head; ranchers continue to rebuild herds. Ranchers held 100,000 heifers for beef cow replacement. The number of steers weighing 500 pounds or more increased to 120,000 head from 95,000 a year earlier. Bull inventory this year came in at 35,000 head. Calves on hand weighing less than 500 pounds, including both beef and dairy calves, totaled 185,000 head. The 2015 calf crop was estimated at 560,000 head. Gross income from cattle and calves totaled \$991 million in 2015, up from the previous year.

RANGE AND PASTURE

The reporting of range and pasture conditions began in early April. Conditions were reported as mostly fair to excellent for the first time following several years of drought. Native pastures were greening up with the aid of adequate soil moisture. Widespread precipitation in the form of high elevation snow and low elevation rain helped improve pasture and soil moisture conditions into May. Additional rainfall on the eastern plains boosted soil moisture levels and helped fill stock ponds. Range and pasture conditions were 7 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 34 percent fair, 41 percent good, and 10 percent excellent in June. Topsoil moisture reported for mid-June was 14 percent very short, 31 percent short, 52 percent adequate and 3 percent surplus. July brought seasonal monsoon rain, increasing the moisture and improving range and pastures. Warmer than normal temperatures blanketed much of New Mexico with portions of the southeast climbing up to 12 degrees above normal. August brought drastic ranging temperatures with scattered hail damage and hard rain that caused flooding. While most areas continued to receive growth sustaining precipitation, portions of the southwest desperately needed increased moisture to boost pasture growth. By mid-September, range conditions were reported as 4 percent very poor, 6 percent poor, 32 percent fair, 47 percent good, and 11 percent excellent. In September, reports indicated that pasture conditions were adequate

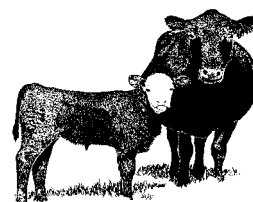
in many locations; water tanks across the state also appeared to have filled from the rain. In early October temperatures were dropping into the 30s and 40s. Pasture land was in much better condition than previous years as the night temperatures slowed or stopped growth. November range and pasture conditions maintained the same level seen throughout the season at 4 percent very poor, 8 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 44 percent good, and 11 percent excellent.

DAIRY

Beginning inventory of milk cows was 315,000 head on January 1, 2016, decreased 2.5 percent from 323,000 head a year earlier. The large drop in inventory was primarily due to a large snow storm in the last week of December which killed thousands of cattle. Milk production was down from 8.11 billion pounds in 2014 to 7.83 billion pounds in 2015. Cash receipts from marketing have decreased 30.3 percent from the previous year. New Mexico ended the year ranked ninth in the nation in milk production.

SHEEP AND LAMBS

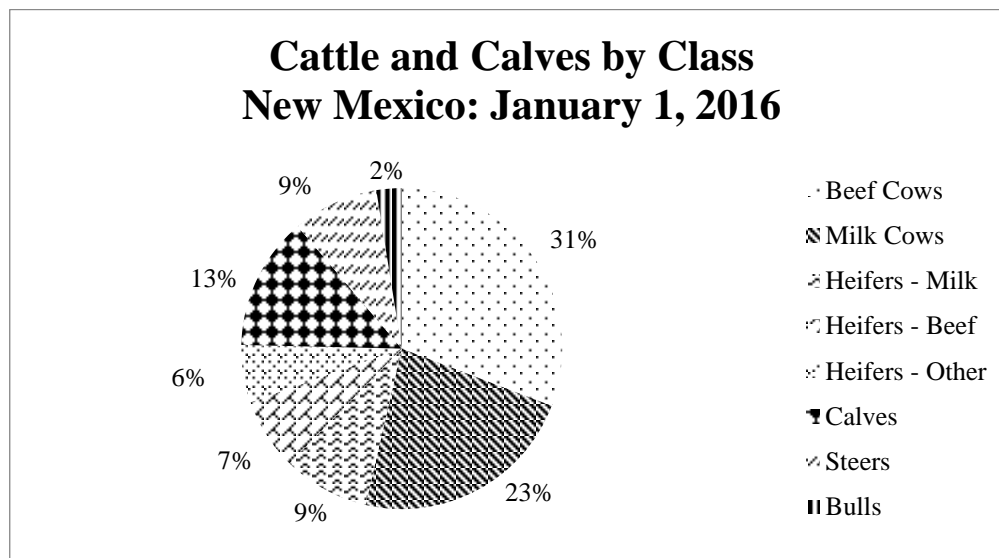
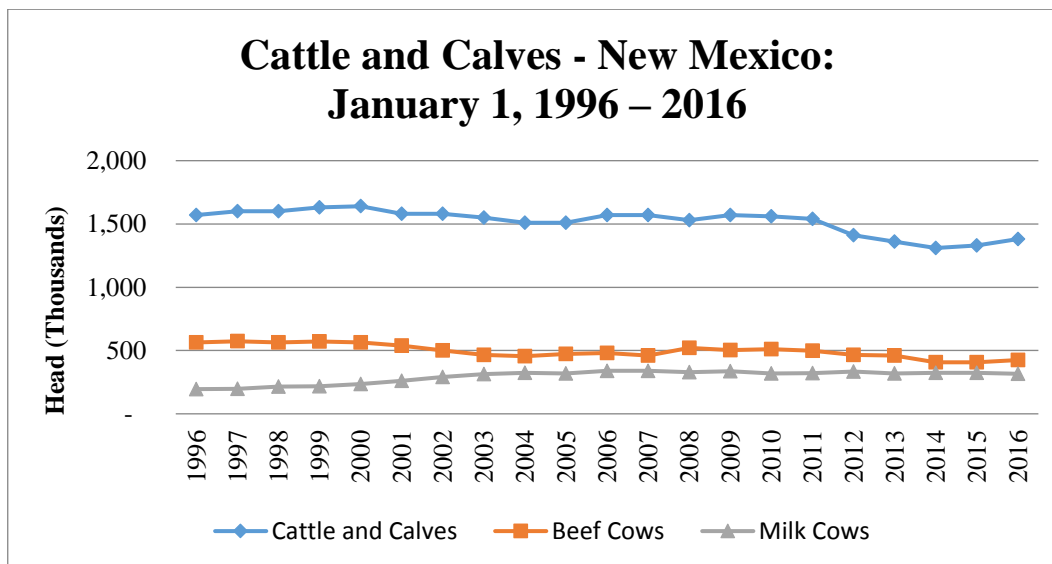
Sheep and lamb inventory totaled 90,000 head as of January 1, 2016, unchanged from a year earlier. The number of breeding sheep was 76,000 head, unchanged from 2015. Market sheep and lambs were unchanged from the previous year at 14,000 head. The 2015 lamb crop was also unchanged from 45,000 lambs. In 2015 wool was sheared from 82,000 sheep and lambs, producing 645,000 pounds. The value of wool produced decreased to \$903,000 as the average price of wool decreased \$0.25 to \$1.40 per pound.



Cattle and Calves: Number by Class and Calf Crop New Mexico: January 1, 2012 – 2016

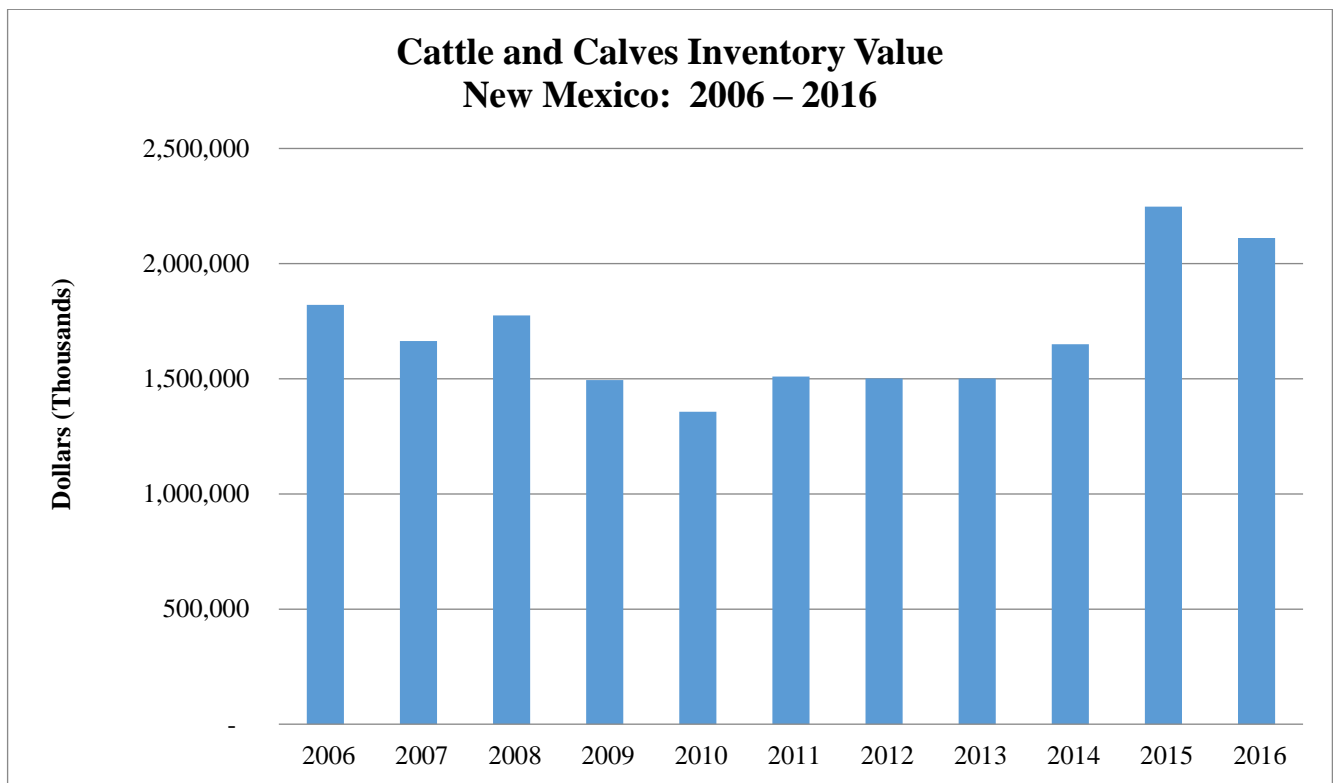
Class	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
	(Head)	(Head)	(Head)	(Head)	(Head)
All Cattle and Calves	1,410,000	1,360,000	1,310,000	1,330,000	1,380,000
Cows and Heifers that Have Calved	800,000	780,000	730,000	730,000	740,000
Beef Cows	465,000	460,000	407,000	407,000	425,000
Milk Cows	335,000	320,000	323,000	323,000	315,000
Calves Under 500 Pounds	190,000	190,000	195,000	205,000	185,000
Steers 500 Pounds and Over	100,000	80,000	90,000	95,000	120,000
Heifers 500 Pounds and Over	280,000	270,000	260,000	265,000	300,000
Beef Cow Replacements	70,000	70,000	70,000	85,000	100,000
Milk Cow Replacements	115,000	115,000	120,000	110,000	120,000
Other Heifers	95,000	85,000	70,000	70,000	80,000
Bulls 500 Pounds and Over	40,000	40,000	35,000	35,000	35,000
Calf Crop	590,000	560,000	550,000	560,000	(NA)

(NA) Not available.



Cattle and Calves: Number and Value — New Mexico: January 1, 2006 – 2015

Year	Number	Value per Head	Total Value
	(Head)	(Dollars)	(1,000 Dollars)
2006	1,570,000	1,160	1,821,200
2007	1,570,000	1,060	1,664,200
2008	1,530,000	1,160	1,774,800
2009	1,570,000	970	1,493,800
2010	1,560,000	870	1,357,200
2011	1,540,000	980	1,509,200
2012	1,410,000	1,080	1,501,200
2013	1,360,000	1,120	1,500,800
2014	1,310,000	1,260	1,650,600
2015	1,330,000	1,690	2,247,700
2016	1,380,000	1,530	2,111,400



Commercial Cattle Slaughter — New Mexico: Monthly 2014 – 2015

Month	Number Slaughtered		Total Live Weight		Average Live Weight	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(pounds)	(pounds)
January	0.3	0.3	352	318	1,023	1,045
February	0.3	0.3	212	276	972	1,089
March	0.3	0.3	295	323	1,038	1,096
April	0.2	0.3	252	268	1,052	1,025
May	0.2	0.2	255	230	1,032	1,023
June	0.2	0.3	259	276	1,114	1,086
July	0.3	0.2	299	242	1,107	1,124
August	0.3	0.3	403	364	1,158	1,212
September	0.4	0.3	385	331	1,073	1,004
October	0.5	0.4	471	421	1,001	1,065
November	0.4	0.3	420	358	1,046	1,141
December	0.3	0.4	343	390	1,066	1,072
Annual Total	3.7	3.5	3,945	3,796	1,056	1,081

Cattle and Calves: Inventory, Supply, and Disposition — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Cattle and Calves ¹	Calf Crop	Inshipments	Marketings ² Cattle		Farm Slaughter ³ Cattle and Calves	Deaths Cattle	
	(Head)			(Head)	(Head)		(Head)	(Head)
2006	1,570,000	600,000	850,000	994,000	390,000	2,000	29,000	35,000
2007	1,570,000	580,000	910,000	1,067,000	390,000	2,000	34,000	37,000
2008	1,530,000	600,000	920,000	1,033,000	377,000	2,000	33,000	35,000
2009	1,570,000	620,000	800,000	983,000	382,000	2,000	28,000	35,000
2010	1,560,000	620,000	810,000	1,003,000	388,000	2,000	22,000	35,000
2011	1,540,000	630,000	700,000	993,000	404,000	2,000	25,000	36,000
2012	1,410,000	590,000	700,000	903,000	376,000	2,000	23,000	36,000
2013	1,360,000	560,000	300,000	732,000	119,000	2,000	22,000	35,000
2014	1,310,000	550,000	315,000	692,000	104,500	1,500	17,000	30,000
2015	1,330,000	560,000	325,000	667,500	96,000	1,500	25,000	45,000

¹ Includes cattle on feed in feedlots. Inventory as of January 1.

² Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, but excludes interfarm sales within state.

³ Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

All Cattle and Calves Production and Income — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Production ¹	Marketings ²	Value of Production	Cash Receipts ³	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
	(1,000 Pounds)		(1,000 Pounds)	(1,000 Dollars)	(1,000 Dollars)	
2006	606,984	1,070,150	502,289	928,252	3,670	931,922
2007	627,203	1,139,500	513,195	967,123	3,510	970,633
2008	704,075	1,181,870	587,945	980,420	3,449	983,869
2009	694,532	1,152,020	539,497	881,514	3,398	884,912
2010	728,731	1,181,920	659,946	1,045,016	3,765	1,048,781
2011	756,562	1,226,020	893,864	1,347,610	6,119	1,353,729
2012	738,859	1,158,750	993,045	1,425,375	6,370	1,431,745
2013	565,054	783,100	723,204	955,387	5,197	960,584
2014	528,694	702,300	857,620	1,084,794	5,376	1,090,170
2014	531,680	676,400	797,506	987,573	3,833	991,406

¹ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and inshipments.

² Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the state.

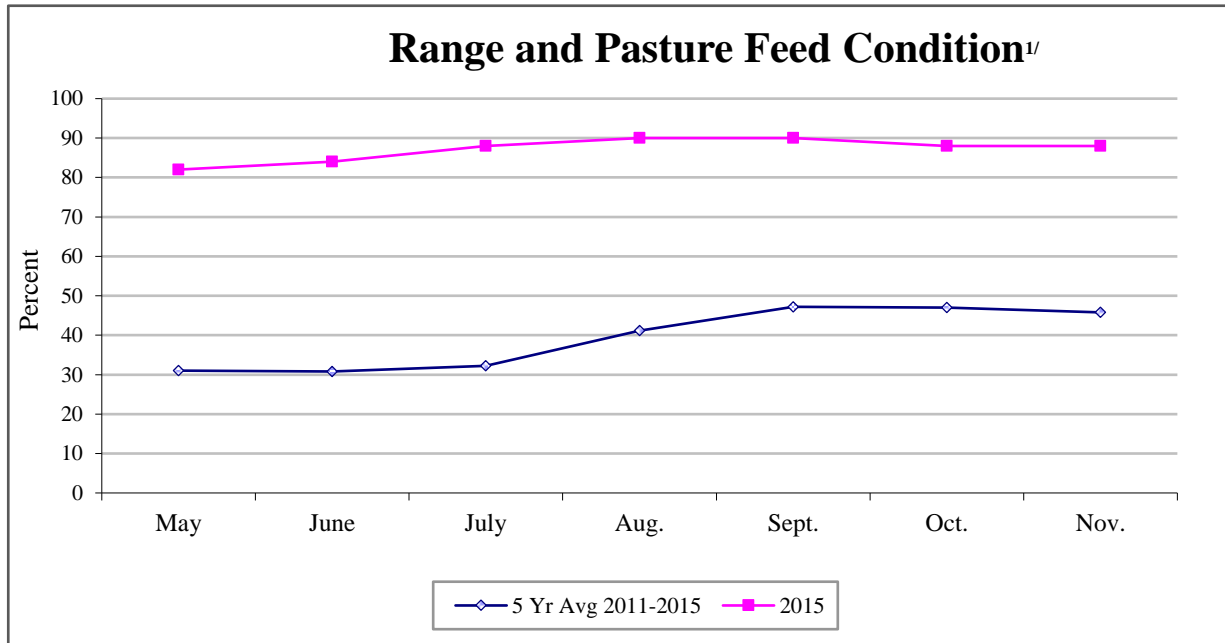
³ Receipts from marketings and sale of farms slaughter.

County Estimates: Cattle¹ – New Mexico: January 1, 2015 – 2016

County	All Cattle		Beef Cows		Milk Cows	
	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016
	(Head)	(Head)	(Head)	(Head)	(Head)	(Head)
Bernalillo	7,600	8,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Catron	26,000	27,000	15,100	15,800	(D)	(D)
Chaves	165,000	170,000	25,500	26,500	85,000	80,000
Cibola	11,800	12,200	7,700	8,000	(D)	(D)
Colfax	19,100	19,900	10,200	10,700	(D)	(D)
Curry	220,000	230,000	7,600	7,900	76,000	75,000
De Baca	16,000	16,600	9,500	9,900	(D)	(D)
Doña Ana	82,000	85,000	7,500	7,500	37,000	37,000
Eddy	52,000	54,000	15,700	16,400	10,000	10,700
Grant	26,500	27,500	16,700	17,500	(D)	(D)
Guadalupe	21,500	22,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Harding	20,500	21,500	11,500	11,700	(D)	(D)
Hidalgo	26,500	27,500	15,300	16,000	(D)	(D)
Lea	83,000	87,000	18,900	19,700	31,000	31,000
Lincoln	27,500	28,500	16,600	17,300	(D)	(D)
Luna	18,300	19,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
McKinley	26,500	27,500	17,600	18,400	(D)	(D)
Mora	13,800	14,300	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Otero	17,000	17,700	10,200	10,600	(D)	(D)
Quay	32,000	33,500	15,900	16,600	(D)	(D)
Rio Arriba	25,500	26,500	16,500	17,200	(D)	(D)
Roosevelt	110,000	110,000	12,700	13,200	54,000	50,000
Sandoval	15,000	16,000	9,800	10,400	(D)	(D)
San Juan	20,000	21,000	12,200	12,800	(D)	(D)
San Miguel	33,500	35,000	19,300	20,500	(D)	(D)
Santa Fe	9,000	9,300	3,700	3,900	(D)	(D)
Sierra	18,400	19,100	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Socorro	46,000	48,000	16,200	17,000	11,100	10,900
Taos	(D)	(D)	5,100	5,300	(D)	(D)
Torrance	42,500	44,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Union	60,000	63,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Valencia	30,500	32,000	9,100	9,600	9,000	8,000
New Mexico	1,330,000	1,380,000	407,000	425,000	323,000	315,000

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Counties with missing data are included in "Other Counties."



Range and Pasture Feed Condition^{1/}

Year	May	June	July	August	September	October	November
-----Percent-----							
1995	37	49	49	56	52	62	60
2000	47	53	54	49	41	28	33
2005	89	84	67	72	79	78	68
2010	71	69	77	90	83	81	80
2011	21	17	10	13	16	12	16
2012	17	13	15	17	22	14	11
2013	7	7	13	35	45	51	52
2014	28	33	35	51	63	70	62
2015	82	84	88	90	90	88	88

^{1/} Represents the percentage of range and pasture feed rated fair or better.

Milk: Production, Disposition, Price, and Income — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Milk Cows on Farms ¹	Milk Production Per Cow	Total Milk Production	Used on Farms	Whole Milk	Price per 100 Pounds	Cash Receipts from Marketings	Gross Producer Income ²
	(Head)	(Pounds)	(Million Pounds)	(Million Pounds)	(Million Pounds)	(Dollars)	(1,000 Dollars)	(1,000 Dollars)
2006	348,000	21,853	7,605	91	7,514	12.10	909,194	911,614
2007	332,000	21,958	7,290	89	7,201	18.80	1,353,788	1,357,360
2008	338,000	23,269	7,865	75	7,790	17.50	1,363,250	1,365,525
2009	325,000	24,320	7,904	51	7,853	12.10	950,213	950,818
2010	321,000	24,551	7,881	51	7,830	15.80	1,237,140	1,237,772
2011	329,000	24,854	8,177	45	8,132	19.40	1,577,608	1,578,190
2012	330,000	24,694	8,149	47	8,102	17.40	1,409,748	1,410,444
2013	323,000	24,944	8,057	46	8,011	18.80	1,506,068	1,506,820
2014	323,000	25,093	8,105	42	8,063	22.30	1,798,049	1,798,718
2015	323,000	24,245	7,831	42	7,789	16.10	1,254,029	1,254,512

¹ Average number during year.

² Cash Receipts from marketing of milk and cream plus value of milk used for home consumption.

Milk Cows and Production by Month — New Mexico: 2013 – 2015

Year and Month	Milk Cows ^{1,3}	Milk per Cow ^{2,3}	Milk Production ²	Price Received	Year and Month	Milk Cows ^{1,3}	Milk per Cow ^{2,3}	Milk Production ²	Price Received
	(1,000 head)	(pounds)	(million pounds)	(\$/Cwt.)		(1,000 head)	(pounds)	(million pounds)	(\$/Cwt.)
2013					August	323	2,100	678	21.90
January	320	2,150	688	19.00	September	323	2,000	646	23.80
February ..	322	1,985	639	18.40	October	323	2,050	662	23.50
March			715	17.80	November	323	1,975	638	21.10
April			700	18.10	December	323	2,060	665	19.40
May			714	18.20	2014 Total ...	323	25,093	8,105	22.30
June			679	18.00	2015				
July	324	2,125	689	17.80	January	323	2,070	669	16.40
August	324	2,015	653	18.10	February ..	323	1,880	607	16.00
September	322	1,940	625	18.90	March	323	2,125	686	15.70
October ...	322	2,025	652	19.80	April	323	2,105	680	15.50
November	322	1,990	641	20.50	May	323	2,190	707	16.00
December	323	2,050	662	20.90	June	323	2,035	657	15.60
2013 Total ..	323	24,944	8,057	18.80	July	323	2,040	659	15.90
2014					August	323	2,010	649	15.40
January	323	2,110	682	22.50	September	323	1,960	633	16.60
February ..	323	1,950	630	23.80	October	323	1,990	643	16.60
March	323	2,210	714	23.50	November	322	1,915	617	17.50
April	323	2,135	690	23.40	December	319	1,955	624	16.00
May	323	2,240	724	22.40	2015 Total ...	323	24,245	7,831	16.10
June	323	2,130	688	20.90					
July	323	2,130	688	21.10					

¹ Includes dry cows; excludes heifers not yet fresh.

² Excludes milk sucked by calves.

³ Survey was not conducted in April and July, resulting in no milk cow and milk per cow data for March through June 2013. Annual totals for 2013 include modeled data.

Leading States for Milk — Rank, Production, and Percent of Total: 2015

State	Rank	Production	Percent of U.S. Total
		(1,000 Pounds)	(Percent)
California	1	40,898,000	19.6
Wisconsin	2	29,030,000	13.9
Idaho	3	14,114,000	6.8
New York	4	14,100,000	6.8
Pennsylvania	5	10,805,000	5.2
Texas	6	10,295,000	4.9
Michigan	7	10,253,000	4.9
Minnesota	8	9,466,000	4.5
New Mexico	9	7,831,000	3.8
Washington	10	6,606,000	3.2
Top States		153,398,000	73.5
United States		208,633,000	100.0

Total Cheese Production – New Mexico: 2011 – 2015

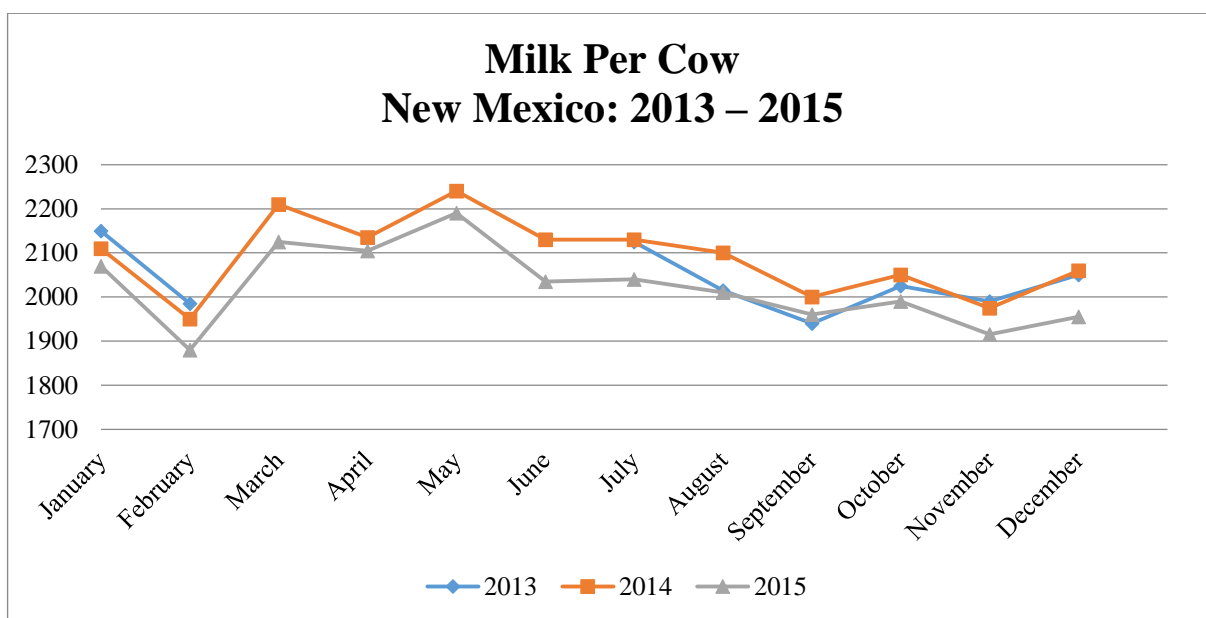
State	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)
New Mexico	743,683	747,880	751,280	757,990	768,028

Leading States for Cheese — Rank, Production, and Percent of Total: 2015

State	Rank	Production	Percent of U.S. total
		(1,000 Pounds)	(Percent)
Wisconsin	1	3,070,202	25.9
California	2	2,435,632	20.6
Idaho	3	941,683	8.0
New York	4	801,436	6.8
New Mexico	5	768,028	6.5
Minnesota	6	679,467	5.7
Pennsylvania	7	408,624	3.5
South Dakota	8	278,343	2.4
Iowa	9	244,487	2.1
Ohio	10	211,382	1.8
Top States		9,839,284	83.1
United States		11,838,425	100.0

Leading States for Average Milk Per Cow Rank, Average Per Cow, and Percent of Total: 2015

State	Rank	Average per Cow (Pounds)
Colorado	1	26
Michigan	2	25
Arizona	3	24
New Mexico	4	24
Idaho	5	24
Top States		124
United States		22



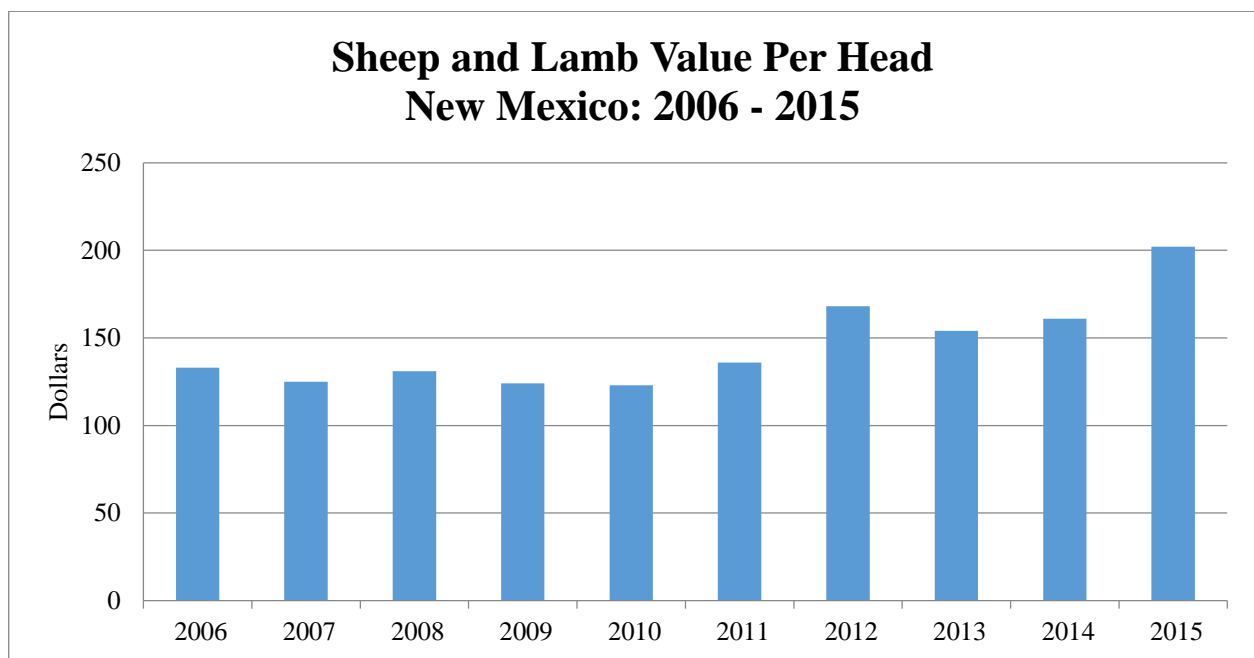
Milk Production by County: New Mexico: 2014 – 2015

County	January 1, Milk Cows		Milk Production per Cow -----Pounds-----		Total Milk Production -----1,000 lbs.-----	
	2015	2016	2014	2015	2014	2015
Chaves	85,000	80,000	22,700	22,500	1,930,000	1,800,000
Curry	76,000	75,000	24,300	24,500	1,850,000	1,840,000
Doña Ana	37,000	37,000	26,500	25,700	980,000	950,000
Eddy	10,000	10,700	22,500	20,600	225,000	220,000
Lea	31,000	31,000	22,900	22,300	710,000	690,000
Roosevelt	54,000	50,000	29,600	30,000	1,600,000	1,500,000
Socorro	11,100	10,900	27,000	25,700	300,000	280,000
Valencia	9,000	9,000	24,400	23,300	220,000	210,000
Other Counties	9,900	11,400	29,300	29,900	1,930,000	341,000
STATE	323,000	315,000	25,100	24,900	8,105,000	7,831,000

SOURCE: New Mexico Department of Agriculture: State production prorated using USDA AMS Milk Marketing Administrator's report.

Sheep and Lambs: Number and Value — New Mexico: January 1, 2007 – 2016

Year	Number	Value per Head	Total Value
	(Head)	(Dollars)	(1,000 Dollars)
2006	155,000	133	20,615,000
2007	130,000	125	16,250,000
2008	130,000	131	17,030,000
2009	120,000	124	14,880,000
2010	120,000	123	14,760,000
2011	105,000	136	14,280,000
2012	90,000	168	15,120,000
2013	90,000	154	13,860,000
2014	81,000	161	13,041,000
2015	90,000	202	18,180,000
2016	90,000	193	17,370,000



Commercial Sheep and Lamb Slaughter – New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Average Live Weight
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 pounds)	(pounds)
2006	9.0	1,109	125
2007	12.0	1,678	137
2008	15.0	1,973	140
2009	14.0	1,900	141
2010	15.0	2,094	140
2011	10.0	1,523	147
2012	10.0	1,530	151
2013	10.0	1,485	144
2014	9.0	1,334	146
2015	9.0	1,309	148

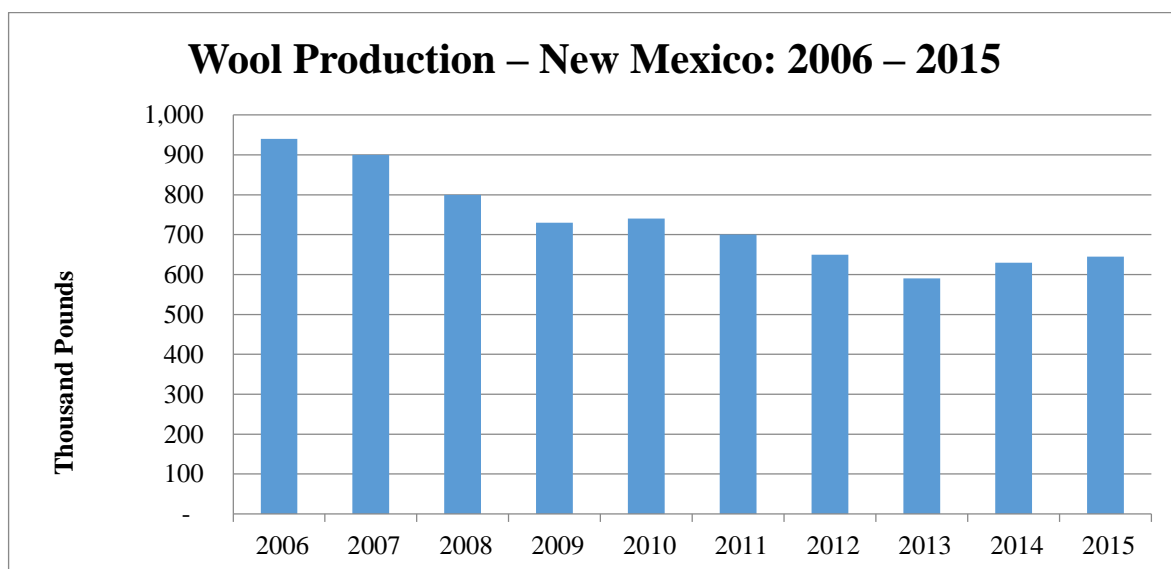
Sheep and Lamb Inventory by Class — New Mexico: January 1, 2007 – 2016

Year	Inventory					
	Breeding sheep		Replacement Lambs Under One Year Old	Total Breeding Sheep and Lambs	Market	Total Sheep and Lambs
	Ewes	Rams				
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
2007	90	5	15	110	20	130
2008	89	6	17	112	18	130
2009	83	5	15	103	17	120
2010	84	5	16	105	15	120
2011	69	5	16	90	15	105
2012	60	4	15	79	11	90
2013	52	4	16	72	18	90
2014	53	3	12	68	13	81
2015	58	4	14	76	14	90
2016	58	4	14	76	14	90

Wool Production, Price and Value — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Sheep Shorn	Weight per Fleece	Production	Price per Pound	Value of Production ¹
	(1,000 head)	(pounds)	(1000 pounds)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	125	7.5	940	0.90	846
2007	120	7.5	900	1.40	1,260
2008	105	7.6	800	1.70	1,360
2009	100	7.3	730	1.00	730
2010	95	7.8	740	1.50	1,110
2011	90	7.8	700	1.85	1,295
2012	85	7.6	650	2.00	1,300
2013	74	8.0	590	1.35	797
2014	81	7.8	630	1.65	1,040
2015	82	7.9	645	1.40	903

¹ Production multiplied by marketing year average price.



Sheep and Lamb: Lamb Crop, Farm Slaughter and Death Loss — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Ewes 1 year and Older January 1	Lambs per 100 Ewes January 1	Lamb Crop ¹	Farm Slaughter ²	Deaths	
					Sheep	Lambs
	(1,000 head)	(number)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
2006	102	72	73	6.0	6	6
2007	90	82	74	4.0	5	5
2008	89	73	65	6.0	8	4
2009	83	80	66	6.0	10	5
2010	84	68	57	6.0	8	4
2011	69	72	50	5.5	8	4
2012	60	83	50	5.3	7	4
2013	52	73	38	5.4	6	4
2014	53	85	45	5.4	6	7
2015	58	78	45		6	7

¹ Lamb crop is defined as lambs born in the eastern states and lambs docked or branded in the western states.

² Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

County Estimates: Sheep¹ — New Mexico: January 1, 2014 – 2016

County	2014	2015	2016
	(Number)	(Number)	(Number)
Bernalillo	400	500	500
Catron	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chaves	10,200	11,200	11,200
Cibola	2,500	2,700	2,700
Colfax	200	200	200
Curry	200	200	200
De Baca	500	600	600
Doña Ana	700	800	800
Eddy	1,700	1,900	1,900
Grant	100	100	100
Guadalupe	2,700	3,100	3,100
Harding	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hidalgo	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lea	1,400	1,500	1,500
Lincoln	7,900	8,700	8,700
Luna	100	100	100
McKinley	24,000	26,500	26,500
Mora	200	200	200
Otero	2,600	2,800	2,800
Quay	600	600	600
Rio Arriba	2,900	3,200	3,200
Roosevelt	200	200	200
Sandoval	1,600	1,800	1,800
San Juan	12,500	14,400	14,400
San Miguel	200	200	200
Santa Fe	600	600	600
Sierra	200	200	200
Socorro	600	700	700
Taos	500	600	600
Torrance	4,500	5,000	5,000
Union	100	100	100
Valencia	900	1,000	1,000
New Mexico	81,000	90,000	90,000

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Counties with missing data are included in "Other Counties."

Hogs and Pigs Total, Breeding and Market Inventory, Farrowings, Pigs per litter, Pig crop, and Marketings — New Mexico: December 1, 2006 – 2015

[Farrowings, Pigs per Litter, Pig Crop and Marketings for the Year December 1, previous year, through November 30.]

Year	Inventory			Sows Farrowing	Pigs per Litter	Pig Crop	Marketings ¹
	Total	Breeding	Market				
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
2006	2.0	0.2	1.8	0.4	8.50	3.4	3.6
2007	2.0	0.2	1.8	0.4	8.00	3.2	3.0
2008	2.0	0.5	1.5	0.4	8.00	3.2	3.1
2009	1.5	0.4	1.1	0.4	8.00	3.2	3.1
2010	1.5	0.5	1.0	0.3	8.33	2.5	2.1
2011	1.2	0.3	0.9	0.2	7.25	1.5	2.0
2012	1.3	0.4	0.9	0.2	7.75	1.6	1.7
2013	1.2	0.5	0.7	0.4	7.50	3.0	3.2
2014	1.3	0.5	0.8	0.4	8.50	3.4	3.3
2015	1.5	0.5	1.0	0.4	7.50	3.0	3.0

¹ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and state outshipments, but excludes interfarm sales within the state.

Commercial Hog Slaughter — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Average Live Weight
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 pounds)	(pounds)
2006	2.0	465	265
2007	1.0	249	253
2008	2.0	481	258
2009	2.0	419	253
2010	2.0	412	250
2011	2.0	753	269
2012	1.0	345	251
2013	2.0	490	267
2014	2.0	541	269
2015	2.0	569	269
2015	3.0	753	273

Hogs and Pigs: Production, Marketings, and Income — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

[Dollar values based on data received from United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service]

Year	Production ¹	Marketings ²	Value of Production ³	Cash receipts ^{3 4}	Value of home consumption	Gross income
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	771	649	316	279	112	391
2007	678	518	272	215	101	316
2008	762	575	300	235	113	348
2009	780	524	267	186	124	310
2010	553	320	264	154	142	296
2011	363	370	252	242	97	339
2012	333	347	181	220	82	302
2013	693	705	472	486	53	539
2014	744	733	579	592	81	673
2015	653	650	365	366	57	423

¹ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments.

² Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the state.

³ Includes allowance for higher average price of state inshipments and outshipments of feeder pigs.

⁴ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Angora Goat Inventory and Value — New Mexico: January 1, 2007 – 2016

Year	Angora	Total Value	Value per Head
	(Head)	(Dollars)	(Dollars)
2007	14,460	560,000	80.00
2008	13,600	563,000	75.00
2009	12,500	938,000	75.00
2010	10,500	683,000	65.00
2011	11,000	825,000	75.00
2012	10,000	890,000	89.00
2013	10,700	1,070,000	100.00
2014	10,000	830,000	83.00
2015	11,000	979,000	89.00
2016	10,000	950,000	95.00

Mohair Production, Price and Value — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Goats Clipped	Average Clip Per Goat	Production	Price per Pound	Value of Production ¹
	(head)	(pounds)	(pounds)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	14,500	5.9	85,000	4.00	340,000
2007	13,500	5.9	80,000	4.50	360,000
2008	11,500	6.1	70,000	4.00	280,000
2009	10,000	6.5	65,000	2.50	163,000
2010	10,500	6.2	65,000	2.50	163,000
2011	8,000	5.0	40,000	2.60	104,000
2012	7,500	4.0	30,000	2.60	78,000
2013	7,500	4.0	30,000	1.60	48,000
2014	9,000	3.9	35,000	1.20	42,000
2015	8,000	3.8	30,000	1.40	42,000

¹ Production multiplied by marketing year average price.

Leading States for Angora Goats — Rank, Production, and Percent of Total: 2016

State	Rank	Inventory	Percent of U.S. total
		(1,000 Head)	(Percent)
Texas	1	78	52.0
Arizona	2	35	23.3
New Mexico	3	10	6.7
California	4	4	2.4
Top States		127	84.4
United States		150	100.0

New Mexico Crops

HAY

All hay harvested totaled 280,000 acres in 2015, down from 305,000 acres in 2014. Yield for all hay averaged 3.90 tons an acre for a total production of 1.09 million tons. The average price for all hay was \$203 per ton. Harvested alfalfa acreage decreased to 190,000 acres from the previous year's total of 210,000 acres. Yield per acre was 4.70 tons for a total production of 893,000 tons. The price of alfalfa hay decreased averaging \$211 per ton. Reports showed that Doña Ana was the highest producing county in the state.

SORGHUM

New Mexico's sorghum acreage harvested for grain was estimated at 90,000 acres in 2015 compared to 60,000 acres harvested the previous year. Yields averaged 47.0 bushels per acre for a total production of 4.23 million bushels compared to 2.52 million bushels a year earlier. The average price increased to \$6.75 per cwt. Total value of production was \$16.0 million, up 70.6 percent from \$9.4 million in 2014. The acreage of sorghum harvested for silage was 12.1 percent lower at 29,000 in 2015 compared to 33,000 in 2014. Average yield at 12 tons per acre was down from 13 tons an acre the previous year, which produced 348,000 tons, 18.9 percent lower than 2014 production.

CORN

Corn for grain production was 23.1 percent lower than the previous year, changing from 9.36 million bushels in 2014 to 7.20 million bushels in 2015. Yields averaged 180 bushels per acre; harvested acres were 16.7 percent below last year at 40,000. The 2015 price per bushel averaged \$4.60 for a total value of production of \$33.1 million. Acres harvested for silage increased 13.7 percent to 83,000. Yield was 25.0 tons per acre for a total production of 2.08 million tons.

WHEAT

Winter wheat production in the state totaled 4.75 million bushels, up 61.6 percent from 2.94 million in 2014. Harvested acreage increased 81 percent to 190,000 in 2015 compared to 105,000 acres harvested the previous year. The average yield was 25 bushels per acre, down 3 bushels from 28 bushels per acre in 2014. The value of production was \$23 million with an average price of \$4.85 per bushel.

PEANUTS

Peanut harvested acreage increased 11.1 percent to 5,000 acres from 4,500 acres in 2014. Yields were

3,000 pounds per acre, 14.3 percent lower than 2014. Total production was 15 million pounds. The value of production was \$3.2 million with an average price of \$0.22 per pound.

COTTON

Upland cotton producers harvested 31,000 acres in 2015 compared to 33,000 the year before. Yields were lower than 2015 at 929 pounds per acre. Total production for the year was estimated at 60,000 bales. Price per pound averaged \$0.650 with total value of production at \$16.5 million. American-Pima harvested acres totaled 6,900; 1,600 acres higher than 2014. Yields for the year averaged 904 pounds per acre.

CHILE

Planted chile acreage in 2015 increased 2.47 percent to 8,300, with 7,700 acres (92.8 percent) harvested. Production in 2015 was 66,700 tons compared to 58,700 tons the previous year. A total of 84 percent of the crop was sold for processing, with 16 percent of the crop sold as fresh market.

Paprika harvested acreage increased from 3,100 acres in 2014 to 3,200 acres in 2015, while Long Hot Green harvested acres increased from 1,200 acres in 2014 to 2,000 acres in 2015. Long Mild Green harvested acres decreased from 2,600 acres in 2014 to 2,100 acres in 2015.

At the state level, yields were higher in 2015 for Long Green varieties. Long Mild Green yields were 16.1 tons per acre and Long Hot Green yields were 13.3 tons per acre. Paprika yield dropped to 1.3 tons per acre compared to 1.4 tons per acre a year earlier. Long Red yields remained at 1.4 tons per acre.

The value of New Mexico chile production in 2015 was estimated at \$41.1 million, compared to \$38.7 million in 2014. Chile for processing was valued at \$33.6 million, while the fresh chile value of production was \$7.5 million.

PECANS

Pecan production in New Mexico totaled 73 million pounds in 2015, a high-bearing year in the alternate bearing cycle. Pecan growers received \$2.50 per pound on average for their pecans, \$0.40 higher than a year earlier. Value of production totaled \$182.5 million, once again ranking New Mexico as the second top pecan-producing state in the nation.

Principal Crops — New Mexico: 2014 – 2015

Commodity	Unit Year	Harvested Acres	Yield per Acre	Production	Season Avg. Price	Value of Production
		(Acres)	(Units)	(Units)	(Dollars)	(1,000 Dollars)
Field Crops						
Beans, dry	(cwt.) 2014	10,500	19.00	200,000	60.00	12,000
	(cwt.) 2015	12,900	20.50	264,000	29.00	7,656
Corn, grain	(bu.) 2014	48,000	195.00	9,360,000	4.35	40,716
	(bu.) 2015	40,000	180.00	7,200,000	4.60	33,120
Corn, silage	(tons) 2014	73,000	26.00	1,898,000	---	---
	(tons) 2015	83,000	25.00	2,075,000	---	---
Cotton, PIMA ¹	(bales) 2014	5,300	761.00	8,400	(D)	(D)
	(bales) 2015	6,900	904.00	13,000	(D)	(D)
Cotton, upland ¹	(bales) 2014	33,000	931.00	64,000	0.655	20,122
	(bales) 2015	31,000	929.00	60,000	0.650	16,536
Cottonseed ²	(tons) 2014	---	---	24,000	240.00	3,600
	(tons) 2015	---	---	24,000	236.00	5,428
Hay, all ³	(tons) 2014	305,000	3.93	1,198,000	248.00	295,272
	(tons) 2015	280,000	3.90	1,091,000	203.00	219,707
Hay, alfalfa	(tons) 2014	210,000	4.80	1,008,000	259.00	261,072
	(tons) 2015	190,000	4.70	893,000	211.00	188,423
Hay, other	(tons) 2014	95,000	2.00	190,000	180.00	34,200
	(tons) 2015	90,000	2.20	198,000	158.00	31,284
Peanuts,	(lbs.) 2014	4,500	3,500.00	15,750,000	0.303	4,772
	(lbs.) 2015	5,000	3,000.00	15,000,000	0.216	3,240
Sorghum, grain	(cwt.) 2014	60,000	42.00	2,520,000	6.64	9,370
	(cwt.) 2015	90,000	47.00	4,230,000	6.75	15,989
Sorghum, silage	(tons) 2014	33,000	13.00	429,000	---	---
	(tons) 2015	29,000	12.00	348,000	---	---
Wheat, grain	(bu.) 2014	105,000	28.00	2,940,000	6.32	18,581
	(bu.) 2015	190,000	25.00	4,750,000	4.85	23,038
Vegetables						
Chile, ⁴	(cwt.) 2014	7,700	150.00	1,174,000	33.00	38,695
	(cwt.) 2015	7,700	175.00	1,334,000	30.80	41,090
Onion, summer	(cwt.) 2014	5,100	600.00	3,060,000	18.70	57,222
	(cwt.) 2015	5,100	640.00	3,264,000	28.00	91,392
Nuts						
Pecans	(lbs.) 2014	---	---	67,000,000	2.10	140,700
	(lbs.) 2015	---	---	73,000,000	2.50	182,500

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¹ Production is in 480-pound net weight bales. Yield is in pounds.

² 2015 Value of Production is preliminary.

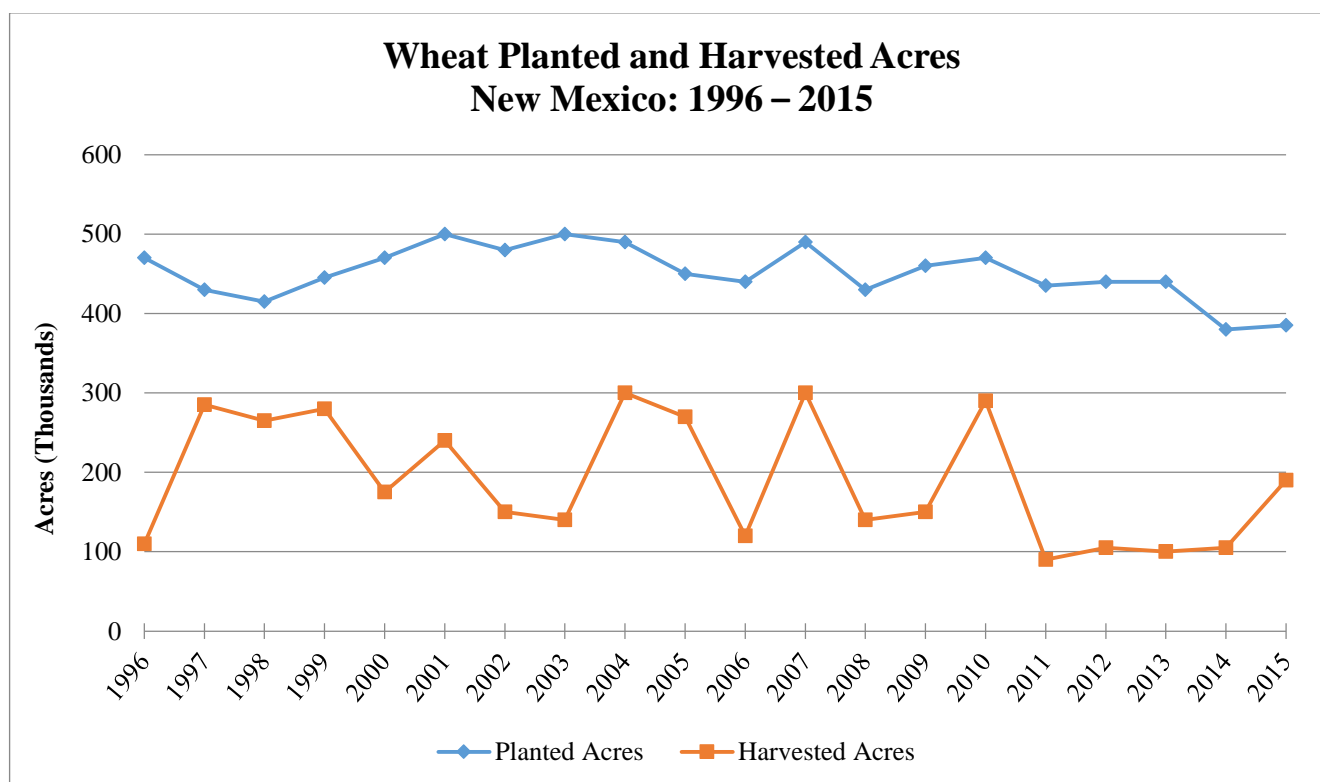
³ Value of Production may not equal production time's season average price.

⁴ Production includes both wet and dry tonnage combined.

Winter Wheat Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Planted (1,000 acres)	Area Harvested (1,000 acres)	Yield per Acre (bushels)	Production (1,000 bushels)	Price per Bushel ¹ (dollars)	Value of Production (1,000 dollars)
2006	440	120	34.0	4,080	4.55	18,564
2007	490	300	28.0	8,400	5.50	46,200
2008	430	140	31.0	4,340	7.70	33,418
2009	460	150	20.0	3,000	4.60	13,800
2010	470	290	28.0	8,120	4.70	38,164
2011	435	90	21.0	1,890	7.10	13,419
2012	440	105	27.0	2,835	7.50	21,263
2013	440	100	44.0	4,400	6.80	29,920
2014	380	105	28.0	2,940	6.32	18,581
2015	385	190	25.0	4,750	4.85	23,038

¹ Marketing year average price.



Hay, All Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	Price per Ton ¹	Value of Production
	(1,000 acres)	(tons)	(1,000 tons)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	320	4.07	1,302	164.00	211,092
2007	350	4.32	1,512	164.00	244,584
2008	340	4.46	1,516	186.00	280,480
2009	320	4.33	1,384	151.00	208,656
2010	310	4.30	1,333	157.00	209,132
2011	280	4.43	1,239	258.00	318,192
2012	285	4.47	1,273	249.00	316,283
2013	230	4.18	962	242.00	231,930
2014	305	3.93	1,198	248.00	295,272
2015	280	3.90	1,091	203.00	219,707

¹ Marketing year average price.

Alfalfa Hay Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	Price per Ton ¹	Value of Production
	(1,000 acres)	(tons)	(1,000 tons)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	220	5.10	1,122	166.00	186,252
2007	240	5.20	1,248	167.00	208,416
2008	250	5.20	1,300	190.00	247,000
2009	240	5.10	1,224	154.00	188,496
2010	220	5.20	1,144	161.00	184,184
2011	210	5.20	1,092	265.00	289,380
2012	200	5.30	1,060	260.00	275,600
2013	145	5.40	783	253.00	198,099
2014	210	4.80	1,008	259.00	261,072
2015	190	4.70	893	211.00	188,423

¹ Marketing year average price.

Other Hay Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

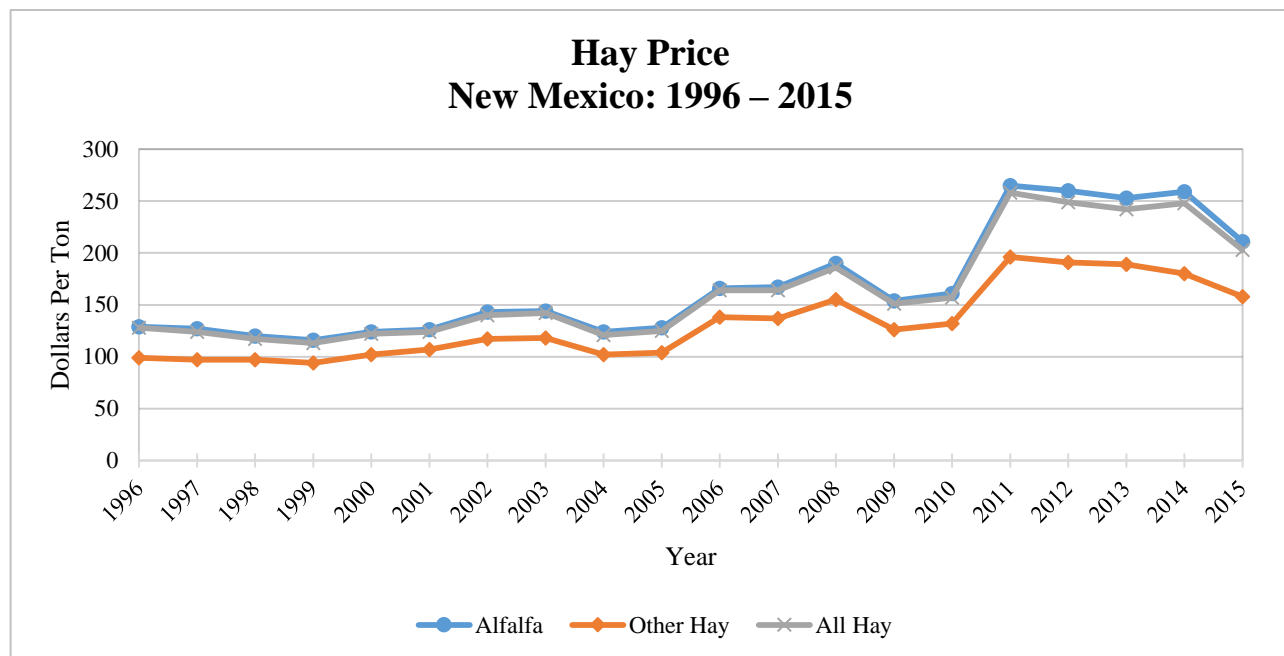
Year	Area Harvested	Yield	Production	Price per Ton ¹	Value of Production
	(1,000 acres)	(tons)	(1,000 tons)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	100	1.80	180	138.00	24,840
2007	110	2.40	264	137.00	36,168
2008	90	2.40	216	155.00	33,480
2009	80	2.00	160	126.00	20,160
2010	90	2.10	189	132.00	24,948
2011	70	2.10	147	196.00	28,812
2012	85	2.50	213	191.00	40,683
2013	85	2.10	179	189.00	33,831
2014	95	2.00	190	180.00	34,200
2015	90	2.20	198	158.00	31,284

¹ Marketing year average price.

Hay, Monthly Prices Received — New Mexico: Monthly 2014 – 2015

Month	Alfalfa		Other Hay		All Hay	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
	(\$ per ton)	(\$ per ton)	(\$ per ton)	(\$ per ton)	(\$ per ton)	(\$ per ton)
January	245	230	180	140	234	221
February	245	230	180	140	234	221
March	245	200	180	140	230	188
April	240	200	175	160	229	195
May	265	225	190	170	252	216
June	275	225	200	170	267	217
July	270	215	190	160	256	206
August	270	215	190	160	259	206
September	255	190	175	135	246	183
October	250	200	165	145	238	192
November	245	185	155	145	233	179
December	235	185	145	145	223	179
Annual Total	259	211	180	158	248	203

¹ Yearly prices based on marketing year average price (Marketing year is May through following April).



Hay Stocks by Position and Month — New Mexico: 2010 – 2015

Date	On Farms	
	May 1	December 1
	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)
2010	125	520
2011	100	575
2012	120	560
2013	105	400
2014	90	435
2015	110	400

County Estimates: Alfalfa and Alfalfa Mixtures for Hay New Mexico: 2014 and 2015 ¹

District and County	Acres Harvested		Harvested Yield		Production	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
	(Acres)	(Acres)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)
McKinley	500	500	2.0	1.8	1,000	900
San Juan	(D)	23,000	(D)	5.2	(D)	118,000
Santa Fe	(D)	4,500	(D)	3.0	(D)	13,300
Taos	(D)	8,500	(D)	1.6	(D)	13,500
Other Counties	73,500	24,500	3.4	2.2	245,000	54,300
Northwest	74,000	61,000	3.3	3.3	246,000	200,000
Colfax	3,500	6,000	3.2	3.1	11,000	18,500
Curry	(D)	3,000	(D)	5.3	(D)	15,800
De Baca	8,500	8,000	4.8	4.8	41,000	38,000
Mora	4,500	3,000	1.4	2.2	6,400	6,500
Quay	(D)	1,500	(D)	4.4	(D)	6,500
Roosevelt	2,500	(D)	5.2	(D)	13,000	(D)
Torrance	6,000	5,500	6.2	5.0	37,000	27,600
Union	1,000	(D)	6.2	(D)	6,200	(D)
Other Counties	9,000	8,000	3.3	2.8	29,400	22,100
Northeast	35,000	35,000	4.1	3.9	144,000	135,000
Hidalgo	3,500	5,000	6.0	7.8	21,000	39,000
Luna	6,500	7,400	7.9	6.1	51,000	45,000
Sierra	2,000	3,000	7.4	6.4	14,800	19,000
Socorro	12,000	7,500	5.1	4.8	61,000	36,000
Other Counties	1,000	1,100	4.2	5.5	4,200	6,000
Southwest	25,000	24,000	6.1	6.1	152,000	145,000
Chaves	33,000	(D)	5.8	(D)	190,000	(D)
Doña Ana	18,600	19,000	7.7	6.9	142,000	130,000
Eddy	20,400	(D)	5.6	(D)	114,000	(D)
Other Counties	4,000	51,000	5.0	5.6	20,000	283,000
Southeast	76,000	70,000	6.2	5.9	466,000	413,000
New Mexico	210,000	190,000	4.8	4.7	1,008,000	893,000

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County Estimates: Other Hay — New Mexico: 2014 and 2015 ¹

District and County	Acres Harvested		Harvested Yield		Production	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
	(Acres)	(Acres)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)
Santa Fe	(D)	700	(D)	2.30	(D)	1,600
Other Counties	15,500	14,300	1.65	1.40	25,200	19,900
Northwest	15,500	15,000	1.65	1.45	25,200	21,500
Colfax	2,000	3,500	1.40	1.75	2,800	6,200
Curry	12,500	13,000	2.75	2.40	34,200	31,000
De Baca	500	(D)	2.60	(D)	1,300	(D)
Mora	6,000	4,000	0.65	1.50	3,900	6,000
Quay	9,000	9,000	1.60	2.40	14,500	21,500
Roosevelt	22,000	17,500	1.40	2.15	31,000	37,500
San Miguel	1,000	1,000	1.20	2.40	1,200	2,400
Torrance	2,000	2,000	4.20	4.45	8,400	8,900
Union	5,000	5,000	3.00	2.10	15,000	10,400
Other Counties	1,000	2,000	2.70	2.55	2,700	5,100
Northeast	61,000	57,000	1.90	2.25	115,000	129,000
Grant	500	(D)	2.40	(D)	1,200	(D)
Luna	1,500	(D)	3.85	(D)	5,800	(D)
Socorro	3,000	(D)	4.15	(D)	12,500	(D)
Other Counties	1,000	(D)	2.30	(D)	2,300	(D)
Southwest	6,000	(D)	3.65	(D)	21,800	(D)
Chaves	2,500	(D)	4.00	(D)	10,000	(D)
Eddy	2,300	(D)	3.20	(D)	7,400	(D)
Other Counties	7,700	(D)	1.40	(D)	10,600	(D)
Southeast	12,500	(D)	2.25	(D)	28,000	(D)
Other Districts	---	18,000	---	2.65	---	47,500
New Mexico	95,000	90,000	2.00	2.20	190,000	198,000

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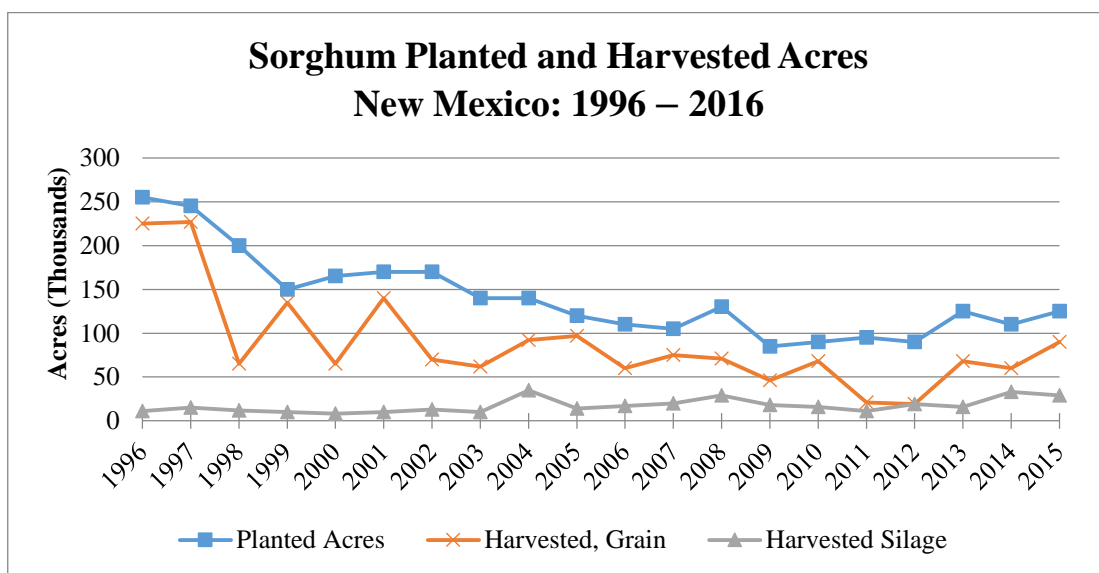
Sorghum for Grain Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Planted	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Cwt. ¹	Value of Production
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	110	60	35.0	2,100	5.65	6,644
2007	105	75	40.0	3,000	7.25	12,180
2008	130	71	43.0	3,053	6.25	10,686
2009	85	46	46.0	2,116	6.12	7,252
2010	90	68	66.0	4,488	9.60	24,127
2011	95	21	64.0	1,344	10.60	7,978
2012	90	19	42.0	798	13.30	5,944
2013	125	68	34.0	2,312	5.76	7,458
2014	110	60	42.0	2,520	6.64	9,370
2015	125	90	47.0	4,230	6.75	15,989

¹ Marketing year average price.

Sorghum for Silage Area Harvested, Yield, and Production — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	(1,000 acres)	(tons)	(1,000 tons)
2006	17	17	289
2007	20	15	300
2008	29	16	464
2009	18	16	288
2010	16	17	272
2011	11	14	154
2012	19	15	285
2013	16	13	208
2014	33	13	429
2015	29	12	348



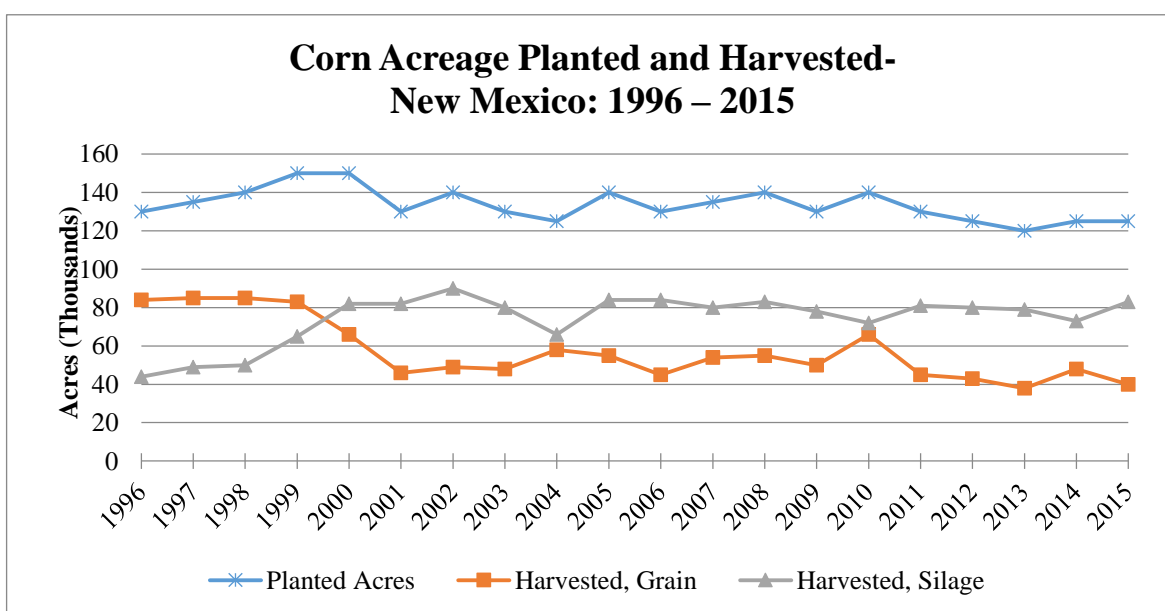
Corn for Grain Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Planted (1,000 acres)	Area Harvested (1,000 acres)	Yield per Acre (bushels)	Production (1,000 bushels)	Price per Bushel ¹ (dollars)	Value of Production (1,000 dollars)
2006	130	45	185.0	8,325	3.70	30,803
2007	135	54	180.0	9,720	5.20	50,544
2008	140	55	185.0	10,175	5.30	53,928
2009	130	50	190.0	9,500	4.12	39,140
2010	140	66	180.0	11,880	5.03	59,756
2011	130	45	180.0	8,100	6.35	51,435
2012	125	43	170.0	7,310	7.30	53,363
2013	120	38	190.0	7,220	5.18	37,400
2014	125	48	195.0	9,360	4.35	40,716
2015	125	40	180.0	7,200	4.60	33,120

¹ Marketing year average price.

Corn for Silage Area Harvested, Yield, and Production — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Harvested (1,000 acres)	Yield per Acre (tons)	Production (1,000 tons)
2006	84	25	2,100
2007	80	25	2,000
2008	83	25	2,075
2009	78	27	2,106
2010	72	27	1,944
2011	81	24	1,944
2012	80	24	1,920
2013	79	25	1,975
2014	73	26	1,898
2015	83	25	2,075



County Estimates: Corn Silage — New Mexico: 2014 and 2015 ¹

District and County	Acres Harvested		Harvested Yield		Production	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
	(Acres)	(Acres)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)
Curry	12,900	25,900	21.0	23.0	274,000	597,000
Roosevelt	10,400	10,400	22.0	22.5	229,000	235,000
Other Counties	7,600	7,700	32.0	29.5	242,000	227,000
Northeast	30,900	44,000	24.0	24.0	745,000	1,059,000
Chaves	10,500	14,300	32.5	27.5	343,000	392,000
Doña Ana	6,200	(D)	24.0	(D)	149,000	(D)
Other Counties	10,900	13,300	24.5	23.5	266,000	310,000
Southeast	27,600	27,600	27.5	25.5	758,000	702,000
Other Districts	14,500	11,400	27.0	27.5	395,000	314,000
New Mexico	73,000	83,000	26.0	25.0	1,898,000	2,075,000

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County Estimates: Corn, Grain — New Mexico: 2014 and 2015 ¹

District and County	Acres Harvested		Harvested Yield		Production	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
	(Acres)	(Acres)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)
Other Counties	14,800	(D)	188		2,787,000	(D)
Northwest	14,800	(D)	188		2,787,000	(D)
Curry	(D)	2,600	(D)	181	(D)	470,000
Union	17,400	12,100	201	201	3,500,000	2,428,000
Other Counties	8,000	6,800	182	122	1,459,000	831,000
Northeast	25,400	21,500	195	173	4,959,000	3,729,000
Other Districts	7,800	18,500	207	188	1,614,000	3,471,000
New Mexico	48,000	40,000	195	180	9,360,000	7,200,000

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All Cotton Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Planted	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production ¹
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(pounds)	(1,000 bales) ²
2006	63	61	897	113.0
2007	48	44	1,070	97.2
2008	41	37	964	74.1
2009	34	32	1,129	76.0
2010	51	50	1,134	117.4
2011	73	61	1,049	134.2
2012	47	40	1,048	88.0
2013	43	34	921	66.0
2014	48	38	907	72.4
2015	42	38	925	73.0

¹ Production ginned and to be ginned.

² 480-pound net weight bale.

Upland Cotton Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Planted	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production ¹	Price per Pound ²	Value of Production
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(pounds)	(1,000 bales) ³	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	50.0	48.0	930	93.0	0.482	21,516
2007	43.0	39.0	1,095	89.0	0.599	25,589
2008	38.0	35.0	974	71.0	0.490	16,699
2009	31.1	29.5	1,172	72.0	0.630	21,773
2010	48.0	47.0	1,154	113.0	1.000	54,240
2011	70.0	58.0	1,059	128.0	0.874	53,699
2012	45.0	38.0	1,048	83.0	0.717	28,565
2013	39.0	31.0	929	60.0	0.771	22,205
2014	43.0	33.0	931	64.0	0.655	20,122
2015	35.0	31.0	929	60.0	0.650	16,536

¹ Production ginned and to be ginned.

² Marketing year average price.

³ 480-pound net weight bale.

Pima Cotton Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Planted	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production /	Price per Pound ²	Value of Production
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(pounds)	(1,000 bales) ³	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	13.0	12.5	768	20.0	0.866	8,314
2007	4.7	4.6	856	8.2	0.962	3,786
2008	2.6	1.9	783	3.1	(D)	(D)
2009	2.8	2.8	686	4.0	(D)	(D)
2010	2.7	2.7	782	4.4	(D)	(D)
2011	3.4	3.4	875	6.2	(D)	(D)
2012	2.4	2.3	1,043	5.0	1.400	3,360
2013	3.5	3.4	847	6.0	(D)	(D)
2014	5.4	5.3	761	8.4	(D)	(D)
2015	7.0	6.9	904	13.0	(D)	(D)

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¹ Production ginned and to be ginned.

² Marketing year average price.

³ 480-pound net weight bale.

County Estimates: Cotton, Upland — New Mexico: 2014 and 2015 ¹

District and County	Acres Planted		Acres Harvested		Harvested Yield		Production	
	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
	(Acres)	(Acres)	(Acres)	(Acres)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)	(Tons)
Other Counties	(D)	6,500	(D)	6,000	(D)	808	(D)	10,100
Northeast	(D)	6,500	(D)	6,000	(D)	808	(D)	10,100
Other Counties	(D)	1,500	(D)	1,400	(D)	1,200	(D)	3,500
Southwest	(D)	1,500	(D)	1,400	(D)	1,200	(D)	3,500
Chaves	(D)	1,000	(D)	900	(D)	1,307	(D)	2,450
Doña Ana	4,900	2,100	4,800	2,000	1,370	1,116	13,700	4,650
Eddy	5,000	5,200	4,700	4,600	1,266	1,012	12,400	9,700
Lea	20,600	18,700	14,000	16,100	597	882	17,400	29,600
Other Counties	2,800		2,600		1,292		7,000	
Southeast	33,300	27,000	26,100	23,600	929	944	50,500	46,400
Other Districts	9,700	(D)	6,900	(D)	939	(D)	13,500	(D)
New Mexico	43,000	35,000	33,000	31,000	931	929	64,000	60,000

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Cottonseed: Production, Farm Disposition, Price and Value — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Production	Sold to Oil Mills	Other ¹	Season Average Price per Ton	Value of Production
	(1,000 Tons)	(1,000 Tons)	(1,000 Tons)	(Dollars)	(1,000 Dollars)
2006	40,000	---	40,000	173	6,920,000
2007	33,500	---	33,500	183	6,131,000
2008	25,000	---	25,000	289	7,225,000
2009	25,400	---	25,400	180	4,572,000
2010	39,600	---	39,600	195	8,112,000
2011	45,000	---	45,000	402	18,090,000
2012	31,000	---	31,000	302	9,362,000
2013	14,000	---	14,000	298	4,172,000
2014	24,000	---	24,000	240	3,600,000
2015	24,000 ²	---	24,000	236	5,428,000

¹ Includes planting seed, exports, interfarm sales, shrinkage, losses, and other uses.

² Value of Production is preliminary

**Peanuts Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value —
New Mexico: 2006 – 2015**

Year	Area Planted	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Pound ¹	Value of Production
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	12.0	12.0	3,600	43,200	0.185	7,992
2007	10.0	10.0	3,200	32,000	0.200	6,400
2008	8.0	8.0	3,200	25,600	0.242	6,195
2009	7.0	7.0	3,100	21,700	0.293	6,358
2010	10.0	10.0	3,400	34,000	0.322	10,948
2011	6.6	6.6	3,000	19,800	0.539	10,672
2012	10.0	10.0	2,600	26,000	0.489	12,714
2013	7.0	7.0	3,100	21,700	0.334	7,248
2014	4.5	4.5	3,500	15,750	0.303	4,772
2015	5.0	5.0	3,000	15,000	0.216	3,240

¹ Marketing year average price.

**Beans, Dry Edible Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value
New Mexico: 2006 – 2015**

Year	Area Planted	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Cwt ¹	Value of Production
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(pounds)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	8.2	8.2	2,400	197	26.00	5,122
2007	8.3	8.3	2,180	181	39.00	7,059
2008	9.3	9.3	2,300	214	50.00	10,700
2009	12.5	12.4	2,220	275	45.00	12,375
2010	13.8	13.8	2,330	322	31.00	9,982
2011	12.5	12.4	2,230	277	50.00	13,850
2012	9.8	9.8	2,200	216	60.00	12,960
2013	10.0	9.5	2,040	194	60.00	11,640
2014	10.5	10.5	1,900	200	60.00	12,000
2015	12.9	12.9	2,050	264	29.00	7,656

¹ Marketing year average price.

Chile Peppers for Fresh Market and Processing Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015¹

Year	Area Planted	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Cwt	Value of Production
	(acres)	(acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	15,300	13,800	170	2,364	16.80	39,636
2007	12,000	11,000	145	1,620	17.70	28,677
2008	12,300	11,100	175	1,962	21.60	42,311
2009	12,800	12,300	195	2,385	24.10	57,369
2010	9,150	8,700	200	1,758	23.70	41,611
2011	10,000	9,500	145	1,377	33.90	46,716
2012	9,900	9,600	160	1,556	42.00	65,410
2013	9,000	8,600	150	1,300	38.10	49,478
2014	8,100	7,700	150	1,174	33.00	38,695
2015	8,300	7,700	175	1,334	30.80	41,090

¹ Chile peppers are defined as all peppers excluding bell peppers. Estimates include both fresh and dry product combined

Leading States for Chile Peppers — Rank, Production, and Percent of Total: 2015

State	Rank	Production	Percent of U.S. total
		(Cwt)	(Percent)
California	1	2,424,000	60.1
New Mexico	2	1,334,000	33.1
Texas	3	195,000	4.8
Arizona	4	81,000	2.0
Top States		4,034,000	100.0
United States		4,034,000	100.0

Leading States for Chile — Rank, Planted Acreage, and Percent of Total: 2015

State	Rank	Planted	Percent of U.S. total
		(1,000 Acres)	(Percent)
New Mexico	1	8,300	42.8
California	2	6,500	33.5
Texas	3	3,000	15.5
Arizona	4	1,600	8.2
Top States		19,400	100.0
United States		19,400	100.0

Chile: Acreage and Production by County – New Mexico: 2013 – 2015

	Planted Acreage			Harvested Acreage			Production (Tons)		
	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015
Luna	2,500	2,300	2,500	2,500	2,200	2,200	25,540	23,600	31,500
Doña Ana	2,400	2,000	2,100	2,100	1,900	1,900	20,250	20,700	22,000
Other Counties	4,100	3,800	3,700	4,000	3,600	3,600	19,210	14,400	13,200
STATE	9,000	8,100	8,300	8,600	7,700	7,700	65,000	58,700	66,700

Chile: Acreage, Yield, Production, and Value by Variety – New Mexico: 2014 – 2015

Variety	Acreage Harvested		Yield per Acre ^{3/}		Production		Average Price per Ton		Value of Production	
	2014 ^{1/}	2015 ^{2/}	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015
Green			-----Tons-----				----Dollars----		----\$1,000----	
Long Mild	2,600	2,100	15.2	16.1	39,500	33,900	509	487	20,100	16,515
Long Hot	1,200	2,000	10.6	13.3	12,700	26,600	511	501	6,495	13,335
Red										
Paprika	3,100	3,200	1.4	1.3	4,200	4,000	1,857	1,805	7,800	7,220
Long Hot/Mild	1,600	1,600	1.4	1.4	2,300	2,200	1,870	1,827	4,300	4,020
Total	7,700	7,700	7.6	8.7	58,700	66,700	659	616	38,695	41,090

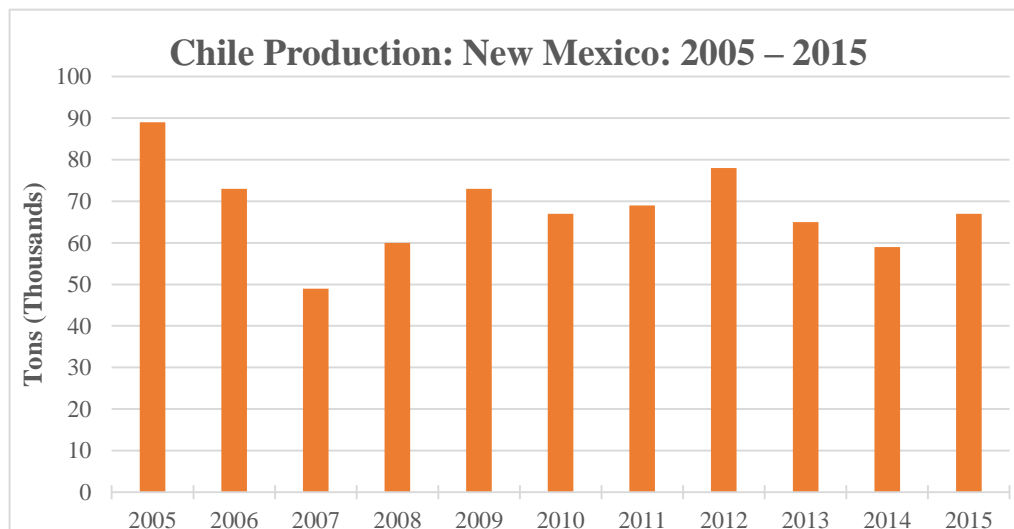
^{1/} There were 800 acres harvested for both green and red, but only counted once in the total.

^{2/} There were 1,200 acres harvested for both green and red, but only counted once in the total.

^{3/} Yields influenced by lower yielding acreage harvested for both green and red.

Chile: Fresh and Processed Production and Value

	Fresh Production	Processed Production	Value of Fresh Production	Value of Processed Production
	-----Tons-----		-----\$1,000-----	
2014	9,000	49,700	6,390	32,305
2015	10,700	56,000	7,490	33,600



Summer Nonstorage Onions for Fresh Market and Processing Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, Production, Price, and Value — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	Area Planted	Area Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Cwt	Value of Production
	(acres)	(acres)	(cwt)	(1,000 cwt)	(dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
2006	6,600	6,400	480	3,072	17.40	53,453
2007	7,300	7,100	500	3,550	20.80	73,840
2008	7,000	6,600	500	3,300	14.40	47,520
2009	5,200	5,000	550	2,750	19.60	53,900
2010	6,000	5,900	560	3,304	27.40	90,530
2011	6,100	5,900	460	2,714	15.90	43,153
2012	5,500	5,400	530	2,862	19.60	56,095
2013	6,200	6,100	430	2,623	15.60	40,919
2014	5,200	5,100	600	3,060	18.70	57,222
2015	5,200	5,100	640	3,264	28.00	91,392

Onion Monthly Prices Received — New Mexico: 2006 – 2015

Year	June	July	August	September
	(Dollars per 100 lbs.)	(Dollars per 100 lbs.)	(Dollars per 100 lbs.)	(Dollars per 100 lbs.)
2006	13.10	20.50	20.30	(NA)
2007	24.90	22.00	13.30	(NA)
2008	13.50	14.60	(NA)	(NA)
2009	18.70	20.00	(NA)	(NA)
2010	26.40	31.40	21.90	(NA)
2011	16.00	15.60	14.30	(NA)
2012	15.70	20.80	(NA)	(NA)
2013	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2014	16.80	22.10	24.40	(NA)
2015 ²	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

(NA) Not available.

Leading States for Onions, Summer Nonstorage — Rank, Production, and Percent of Total: 2015

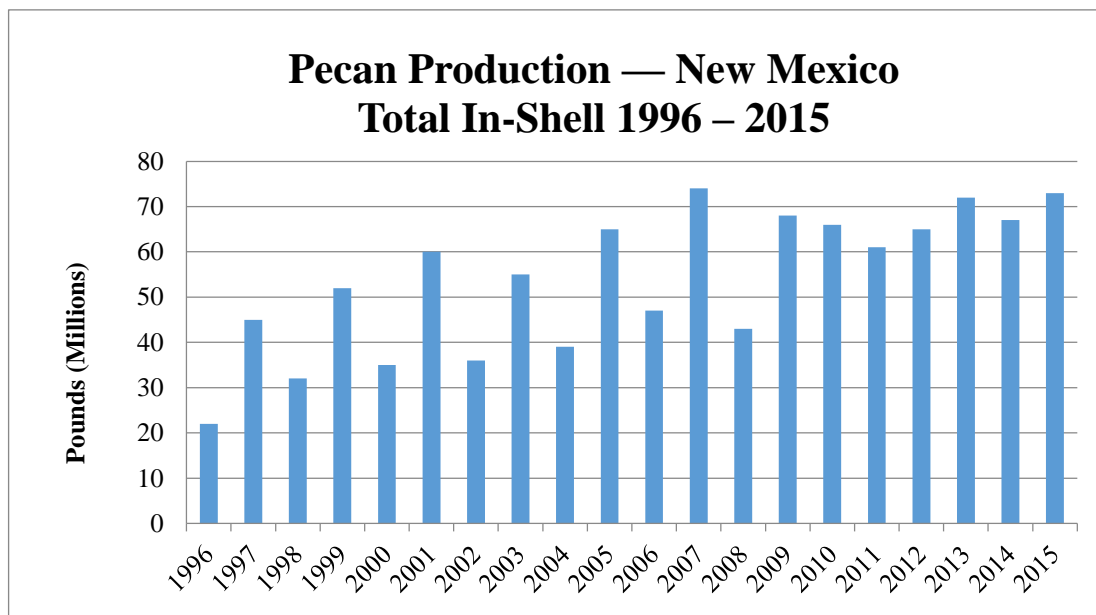
State	Rank	Production	Percent of U.S. total
		(1,000 Pounds)	(Percent)
California	1	3,750	40.9
New Mexico	2	3,264	35.6
Washington	3	760	8.3
Top States		7,774	84.8
United States		9,167	100.0

**Pecan Production, and Value —
New Mexico: 2006 – 2015**

Year	Total Production (1,000 pounds)	Price (dollars)	Value of Production (1,000 dollars)
2006	47,000	1.85	86,950
2007	74,000	1.30	96,200
2008	43,000	1.45	62,350
2009	68,000	1.76	119,680
2010	66,000	2.83	186,780
2011	61,000	2.67	162,870
2012	65,000	1.70	110,500
2013	72,000	1.90	136,800
2014	67,000	2.10	140,700
2015	73,000	2.50	182,500

**Leading States for Pecans — Rank,
Production, and Percent of Total: 2015**

State	Rank	Production (1,000 Pounds)	Percent of U.S. total (Percent)
Georgia	1	93,000	36.6
New Mexico	2	73,000	28.7
Texas	3	35,000	13.8
Arizona	4	22,500	8.8
Oklahoma	5	13,000	5.1
Top States		236,500	93.0
United States		254,290	100.0



Pecan County Estimates — New Mexico: 2013 – 2015 ¹

District and County	2012 Census		Production		
	Total Acres	Number of Farms	2013	2014	2015
	(Acres)	(Farms)	(1,000 Pounds)	(1,000 Pounds)	(1,000 Pounds)
Chaves	2,974	100	5,100	4,200	7,100
Doña Ana	28,729	1,514	57,000	46,800	54,100
Eddy	4,830	97	5,300	9,700	6,700
Other Counties	1,592	141	(NA)	(NA)	1,900
Southeast	38,125	1,852	(NA)	(NA)	69,800
Other Districts	3,206	219	(NA)	(NA)	3,200
New Mexico	41,331	2,071	72,000	67,000	73,000

(NA) Not available.


¹ Counties with missing data are included in the appropriate district's "Other Counties".


Miscellaneous Crops and Livestock — New Mexico 2012 Census of Agriculture


Crop	Farms	Acres Harvested	Principal Counties
Apples	1,153	1,740	Lincoln, Otero, Rio Arriba, Santa Fe
Apricots	210	75	Doña Ana, Otero, Rio Arriba
Cantaloupe	446	208	Doña Ana, San Juan, Sandoval
Cherries (Sweet)	229	159	Mora, Otero, Rio Arriba, Santa Fe
Cucumbers	488	120	Rio Arriba, San Juan
Grapes	516	1,153	Not published
Grass Seed	12	283	Not published
Lettuce	93	543	Doña Ana
Nursery Crops	115	1,035	Not published
Oats	27	158	Mora, Rio Arriba, Sandoval
Peaches	605	230	Bernalillo, Doña Ana, Rio Arriba, Valencia
Pears	436	189	Bernalillo, Lincoln, Rio Arriba, Taos
Pistachios	76	513	Not published
Pumpkins	105	1,879	Not published
Snap Beans	423	216	Luna, Rio Arriba, Santa Fe
Sod	5	1,049	Not published
Squash	553	404	McKinley, San Juan
Sweet Corn	589	500	Rio Arriba, Roosevelt, Sandoval, San Juan
Tomatoes	758	220	Bernalillo, Rio Arriba, Santa Fe
Watermelons	593	1,458	Not published


Livestock	Farms	Head	Principal Counties
Bison	43	5,156	Not published
Ducks	171	4,868	Not published
Geese	131	3,036	Not published
Horses	7,635	50,723	Doña Ana, McKinley, Rio Arriba, San Juan
Llamas and Alpacas	70	1,051	Bernalillo, Santa Fe
Mules, Burros and Donkeys	798	1,860	Colfax, McKinley, San Juan, Valencia
Turkeys	220	6,425	Not published


County Estimates — New Mexico: 2016 Livestock Inventory, 2015 Crop Production


Census 2012		Bernalillo County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	1,006			Cattle and Calves		8,000	31
Land in Farms (Acres)	350,638			Sheep and Lambs		500	20
Sheep and Lambs	765						
Value of Products Sold	\$18,131,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$18,023						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$23,168						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$4,262			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		Catron County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	351			Cattle and Calves		27,000	17
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,077,534			Beef Cows		15,800	12
Avg. Size of Farm	3,070						
Value of Products Sold	\$12,742,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$36,301						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$43,923						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$3,922			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank

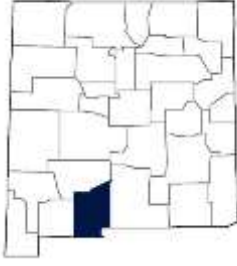
Census 2012		Chaves County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	595			Cattle and Calves		179,000	2
Land in Farms (Acres)	2,482,827			Beef Cows		26,500	1
Avg. Size of Farm	4,173			Milk Cows		80,000	1
Value of Products Sold	\$388,099,000			Sheep and Lambs		11,200	3
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$652,267						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$608,242						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$59,098			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Corn, Silage	14,300	27.50	392,000	Tons	2
		Cotton, Upland	900	1,307	2,450	Bales	4
		Pecans	---	---	7,100,000	Pounds	2


Census 2012		Cibola County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	522			Cattle and Calves		12,200	29
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,558,974			Beef Cows		8,000	21
Avg. Size of Farm	2,987			Sheep and Lambs		2,700	9
Value of Products Sold	1/						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	1/						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$13,937						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$2,675			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		Colfax County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	290			Cattle and Calves		19,900	22
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,962,965			Beef Cows		10,700	16
Avg. Size of Farm	6,769			Sheep and Lambs		200	21
Value of Products Sold	\$35,744,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$123,256						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$116,096						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$37,468			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	6,000	3.10	18,500	Tons	9
		Hay, Other	3,500	1.75	6,200	Tons	6


Census 2012		Curry County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	600			Cattle and Calves		230,000	1
Land in Farms (Acres)	880,822			Beef Cows		7,900	22
Avg. Size of Farm	1,468			Milk Cows		75,000	2
Value of Products Sold	\$447,315,000			Sheep and Lambs		200	21
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$745,526						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$666,016						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$107,850			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Corn, Grain	2,600	180.80	470,000	Bushels	2
		Corn, Silage	25,900	23.00	597,000	Tons	1
		Hay, Alfalfa	3,000	5.25	15,800	Tons	10
		Hay, Other	13,000	2.4	31,000	Tons	2


Census 2012		De Baca County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	203			Cattle and Calves		16,600	26
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,068,067			Beef Cows		9,900	19
Avg. Size of Farm	5,261			Sheep and Lambs		600	16
Value of Products Sold	\$23,967,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$118,064						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$112,653						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$26,516						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	8,000	4.75	38,000	Tons	5


Census 2012		Doña Ana County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	2,184			Cattle and Calves		85,000	5
Land in Farms (Acres)	659,970			Beef Cows		7,500	23
Avg. Size of Farm	302			Milk Cows		37,000	4
Value of Products Sold	\$351,032,000			Sheep and Lambs		800	14
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$160,729						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$150,695						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$13,245						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Chile	1,900	---	22,000	Tons	2
		Cotton, Upland	2,000	1,116	4,650	Bales	3
		Hay, Alfalfa	19,000	6.85	130,000	Tons	1
		Pecans	---	---	54,100,000	Pounds	1


Census 2012		Eddy County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	551			Cattle and Calves		54,000	7
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,141,956			Beef Cows		16,400	10
Avg. Size of Farm	2,073			Milk Cows		10,700	7
Value of Products Sold	\$119,564,000			Sheep and Lambs		1,900	10
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$216,994						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$189,252						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$35,318						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Cotton, Upland	4,600	1,012	9,700	Bales	2
		Pecans	---	---	6,700,000	Pounds	3


Census 2012		Grant County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	407			Cattle and Calves		27,500	15
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,064,487			Beef Cows		17,500	5
Avg. Size of Farm	2,615			Sheep and Lambs		100	27
Value of Products Sold	\$14,543,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$35,732						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$39,907						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$1,974			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		Guadalupe County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	372			Cattle and Calves		22,000	19
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,643,213			Sheep and Lambs		3,100	7
Avg. Size of Farm	4,417						
Value of Products Sold	\$17,709,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$47,605						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$49,082						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$8,751			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		Harding County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	202			Cattle and Calves		21,500	20
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,034,059			Beef Cows		11,700	15
Avg. Size of Farm	5,119						
Value of Products Sold	\$13,495,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$66,807						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$66,313						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$10,143			Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		Hidalgo County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	171			Cattle and Calves		27,500	16
Land in Farms (Acres)	930,271			Beef Cows		16,000	11
Avg. Size of Farm	5,440						
Value of Products Sold	\$29,154,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$170,488						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$120,495						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$60,858						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	5,000	7.80	39,000	Tons	4


Census 2012		Lea County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	460			Cattle and Calves		87,000	4
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,981,988			Beef Cows		19,700	3
Avg. Size of Farm	4,309			Milk Cows		31,000	5
Value of Products Sold	\$188,926,000			Sheep and Lambs		1,500	12
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$410,708						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$374,667						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$51,555						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Cotton, Upland	16,100	882	29,600	Bales	1


Census 2012		Lincoln County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	704			Cattle and Calves		28,500	13
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,271,368			Beef Cows		17,300	6
Avg. Size of Farm	1,806			Sheep and Lambs		8,700	4
Value of Products Sold	\$77,247,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$109,726						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$106,229						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$7,714						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		Luna County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	190			Cattle and Calves		19,000	24
Land in Farms (Acres)	550,174			Sheep and Lambs		100	27
Avg. Size of Farm	2,896						
Value of Products Sold	\$62,482,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$328,852						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$292,674						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$49,327						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Chile	2,200	---	31,500	Tons	1
		Hay, Alfalfa	7,400	6.10	45,000	Tons	3


Census 2012		McKinley County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	2,297			Cattle and Calves		27,500	14
Land in Farms (Acres)	3,022,704			Beef Cows		18,400	4
Avg. Size of Farm	1,316			Sheep and Lambs		26,500	1
Value of Products Sold	\$8,389,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$3,652						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$8,386						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$4,269						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	500	1.80	900	Tons	15


Census 2012		Mora County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	597			Cattle and Calves		14,300	28
Land in Farms (Acres)	778,031			Sheep and Lambs		200	21
Avg. Size of Farm	1,303						
Value of Products Sold	\$11,623,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$19,468						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$21,228						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$2,895						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	3,000	2.50	6,500	Tons	14
		Hay, Other	4,000	1.50	6,000	Tons	7


Census 2012		Otero County	Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank	
Number of Farms	486		Cattle and Calves		17,700	25	
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,223,746		Beef Cows		10,600	17	
Avg. Size of Farm	2,518		Sheep and Lambs		2,800	8	
Value of Products Sold	\$14,635,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$30,112						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$36,701						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$3,654		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		Quay County	Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank	
Number of Farms	553		Cattle and Calves		33,500	11	
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,518,085		Beef Cows		16,600	9	
Avg. Size of Farm	2,745		Sheep and Lambs		600	16	
Value of Products Sold	\$36,789,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$66,526						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$77,029						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$9,259		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	1,500	4.35	6,500	Tons	13
		Hay, Other	9,000	2.40	21,500	Tons	3
		Sorghum, Grain	13,400	39.60	531,000	Tons	2


Census 2012		Rio Arriba County	Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank	
Number of Farms	1,892		Cattle and Calves		26,500	18	
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,432,897		Beef Cows		17,200	7	
Avg. Size of Farm	757		Sheep and Lambs		3,200	6	
Value of Products Sold	\$18,979,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$10,031						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$14,179						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$1,791		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		Roosevelt County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	680			Cattle and Calves		110,000	3
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,349,222			Beef Cows		13,200	13
Avg. Size of Farm	1,984			Milk Cows		50,000	3
Value of Products Sold	\$264,324,000			Sheep and Lambs		200	21
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$388,712						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$390,616						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$16,490						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Corn, Silage	10,400	22.50	235,000	Tons	3
		Hay, Other	27,500	2.15	37,500	Tons	1
		Sorghum, Grain	36,100	48.10	1,738,000	Bushels	1


Census 2012		Sandoval County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	1,029			Cattle and Calves		16,000	27
Land in Farms (Acres)	950,133			Beef Cows		10,400	18
Avg. Size of Farm	923			Sheep and Lambs		1,800	11
Value of Products Sold	\$10,586,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$10,287						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$12,978						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$1,100						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank


Census 2012		San Juan County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	2,628			Cattle and Calves		21,000	21
Land in Farms (Acres)	2,580,319			Beef Cows		12,800	14
Avg. Size of Farm	982			Sheep and Lambs		14,400	2
Value of Products Sold	\$71,311,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$27,135						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$28,802						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$247						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	23,000	5.15	118,000	Tons	2


Census 2012		San Miguel County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	877			Cattle and Calves		35,000	10
Land in Farms (Acres)	2,350,432			Beef Cows		20,500	2
Avg. Size of Farm	2,680			Sheep and Lambs		200	21
Value of Products Sold	\$18,631,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$21,244						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$26,475						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$1,681						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Other	1,000	2.40	2,400	Tons	8


Census 2012		Santa Fe County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	715			Cattle and Calves		9,300	30
Land in Farms (Acres)	717,704			Beef Cows		3,900	25
Avg. Size of Farm	1,004			Sheep and Lambs		600	16
Value of Products Sold	\$12,776,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$17,869						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$30,717						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$9,769						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	4,500	2.95	13,300	Tons	12
		Hay, Other	700	2.30	1,600	Tons	9


Census 2012		Sierra County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	256			Cattle and Calves		19,100	23
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,250,136			Sheep and Lambs		200	21
Avg. Size of Farm	4,883						
Value of Products Sold	\$39,347,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$153,697						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$145,573						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$15,884						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Hay, Alfalfa	3,000	6.35	19,000	Tons	8

Census 2012		Socorro County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank	
Number of Farms	704			Cattle and Calves		48,000	8	
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,271,368			Beef Cows		17,000	8	
Avg. Size of Farm	1,806			Milk Cows		10,900	6	
Value of Products Sold	\$77,247,000			Sheep and Lambs		700	15	
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$109,726							
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$106,229							
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$7,714							
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank	
		Hay, Alfalfa	7,500	4.80	36,000	Tons	6	

Census 2012		Taos County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank	
Number of Farms	983			Cattle and Calves		5,300	24	
Land in Farms (Acres)	313,414			Sheep and Lambs		600	16	
Avg. Size of Farm	319							
Value of Products Sold	\$8,415,000							
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$8,560							
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$10,924							
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$1,204							
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank	
		Hay, Alfalfa	8,500	1.60	13,500	Tons	11	

Census 2012		Torrance County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank	
Number of Farms	589			Cattle and Calves		44,000	9	
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,864,589			Sheep and Lambs		5,000	5	
Avg. Size of Farm	3,166							
Value of Products Sold	\$58,520,000							
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$99,355							
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$98,833							
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$9,583							
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank	
		Hay, Alfalfa	5,500	5.00	27,600	Tons	7	
		Hay, Other	2,000	4.45	8,900	Tons	5	

Census 2012		Union County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	353			Cattle and Calves		63,000	6
Land in Farms (Acres)	1,967,370			Sheep and Lambs		100	27
Avg. Size of Farm	5,573						
Value of Products Sold	\$98,138,000						
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$278,013						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$231,871						
Avg. Net Farm Income	\$61,227						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank
		Corn, Grain	12,100	200.7	2,428,000	Bu.	1
		Hay, Other	5,000	2.10	10,400	Tons	4

Census 2012		Valencia County		Livestock – Jan 1, 2016		Head	Rank
Number of Farms	1,607			Cattle and Calves		32,000	12
Land in Farms (Acres)	669,727			Beef Cows		9,600	20
Avg. Size of Farm	417			Milk Cows		8,000	8
Value of Products Sold	\$55,765,000			Sheep and Lambs		1,000	13
Avg. Farm Value Sold	\$34,701						
Avg. Farm Expenses	\$39,585						
Avg. Net Farm Income	-\$3,672						
		Crops 2015	Acres	Yield	Production	Unit	Rank

^{1/} Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farm or ranch.

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Office of the Director/Secretary (Jeff M. Witte, Anthony Parra, Larry Dominguez) (575) 646-3007

Establishes policy for the daily operation of the department, serves as liaison between agricultural producers and state and federal government, and serves on national committees on behalf of agriculture.

Agricultural Biosecurity (Kelly Hamilton) (575) 646-3007

Responsibilities include coordination of agriculture safety and defense programs for the state of New Mexico and New Mexico State University.

Agricultural and Environmental Services (Bonnie Rabe) (575) 646-2220

Oversees Pesticide Management, which administers pesticide-use laws, certification, and licensing of all pesticide applicators; Entomology and Nursery Industries, which is designed to handle in-store inspection of nursery plants and entomology programs; Feed, Seed, and Fertilizer, which administers the commercial feed, seed, and fertilizer laws and supervises the chemistry, seed, and entomology laboratories.

State Chemist Laboratory (575) 646-3318

Provides analyses of official samples of feed, fertilizer, and pesticide products for the public and other agencies on a fee basis.

Seed Laboratory (575) 646-3407

Provides official seed testing to determine germination, quality, and weed content and seed testing for the public and other agencies on a fee basis.

Agricultural Programs and Resources (Julie Maitland) (575) 646-2642

Supervises the cooperative predatory wild animal and rodent pest program, supervises farm and range improvement fund activities, coordinates the New Mexico Soil and Water Conservation Program, and coordinates a noxious weed program.

Dairy (Dustin Cox) (505) 383-9285

Inspects all dairy farms and processing plants, permits milk tankers and milk hauler samplers, reviews and approves all construction plans for dairy farms and processing plants, and enforces the U.S. Food and Drug Administration's Pasteurized Milk Ordinance.

Marketing and Development (David Lucero) (575) 646-4929

Responsible for state, national, and international market and expansion for New Mexico products, livestock, and processed foods; commodity promotions; specialty crop development; produce quality inspection; market news; agricultural statistics; organic certification and education; and licensing of produce brokers and packers.

Standards and Consumer Services (Joe Gomez) (575) 646-1616

Oversees Consumer Services, which provides weighmaster licensing and inspection of weighing and measuring devices as well as packaged commodities, eggs, and dairy products; Petroleum Standards, which provides inspection of petroleum measuring devices and quality of petroleum products; and supervises the metrology and petroleum standards laboratories.

Metrology Laboratory (575) 646-1616

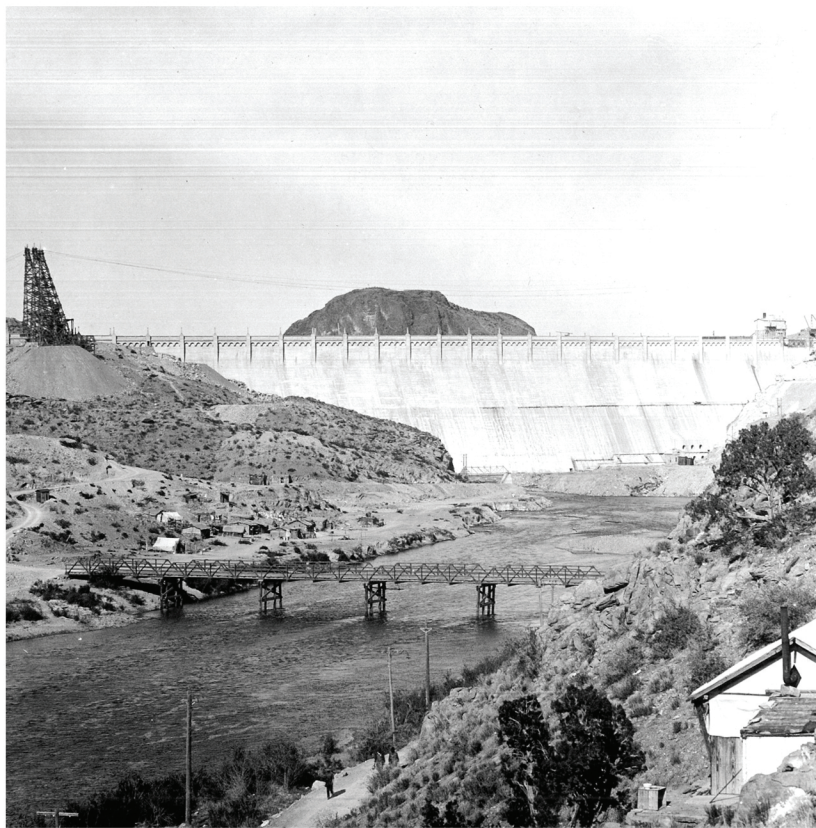
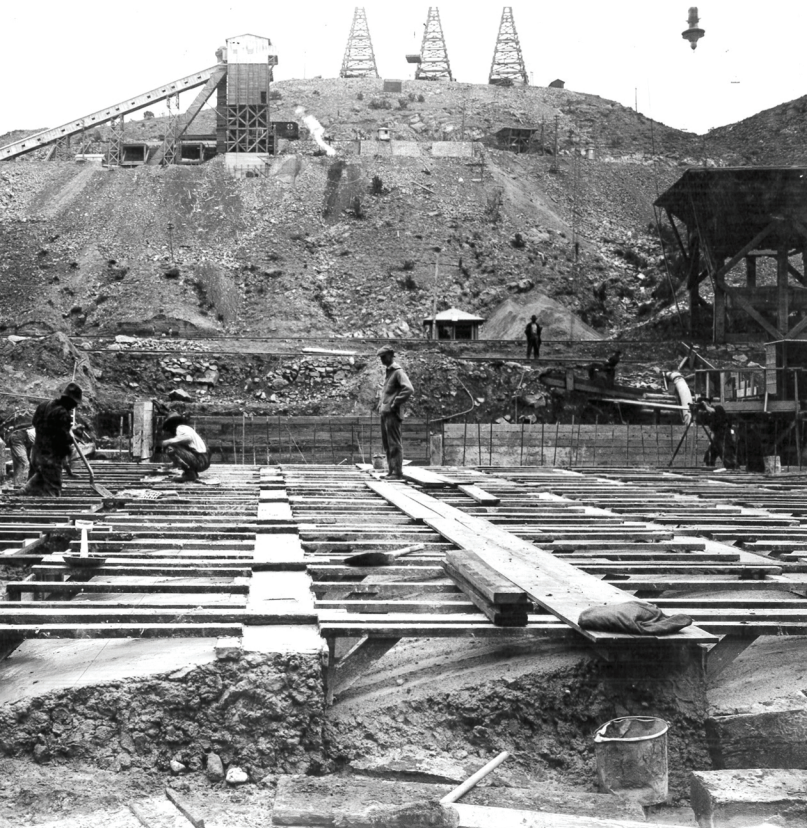
Maintains custody of official state standards for mass, volume, and length and provides calibration of weights and measures used in department regulatory activities and calibration services on a fee basis for industry.

Petroleum Standards Laboratory (575) 646-1616

Provides analyses of official samples in the enforcement of petroleum product quality standards and specification and sample analyses on a fee basis for industry and other agencies.

Veterinary Diagnostic Services (Tim Hanosh) (505) 383-9299

Provides diagnostic analyses of animal specimens on a referral basis for the public and other agencies.



The United States Congress authorized construction of Elephant Butte Dam in February 1905. The Bureau of Reclamation constructed Elephant Butte Dam between 1911 and 1916. The concrete gravity dam and reservoir, which can store more than two million acre-feet of water, played an important role in the development of southern New Mexico and west Texas and supported a treaty between the United States and Mexico. The dam is 301 feet high and 1,674 feet long including the spillway. It contains 618,785 cubic yards of concrete. The dam was completed in 1916, but storage operation began in 1915.

FRONT COVER: Elephant Butte Dam, Photo Credit: Bureau of Reclamation, Photographer: Alexander Stephens

BACK COVER: Left to right: Construction of the Elephant Butte Dam and Completion of the Elephant Butte Dam, 1916, Photo Credit: Bureau of Reclamation



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