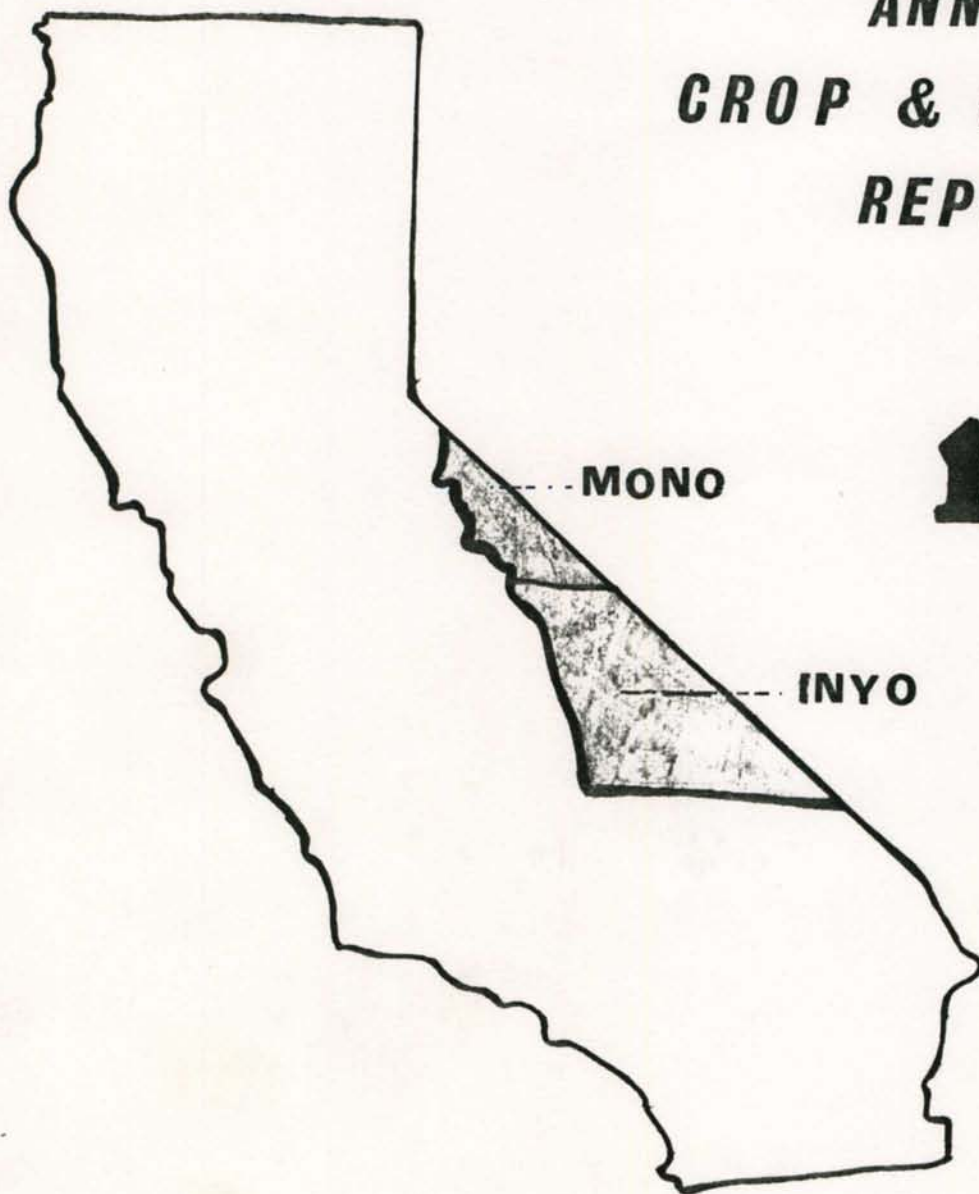


INYO-MONO COUNTIES

*ANNUAL
CROP & LIVESTOCK
REPORT*

1974



Agricultural Commissioner



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To Luther T. Wallace, Director
California Department of Food and Agriculture

And

Honorable Board of Supervisors
Inyo and Mono Counties

It gives me great pleasure to submit the first annual crop report for the agricultural production of Inyo and Mono Counties in 1974.

This report, which is required by section 2279 of the California Food and Agriculture Code, reflects the gross value of agricultural production in the two counties. It does not take into consideration the cost of production, harvesting, shipping or other expenses incurred by the producer.

The information in this report was gathered from various individuals and agencies, to which I am indebted. A special word of thanks to P. Dean Smith, Inyo and Mono Counties Farm Advisor, for his invaluable assistance.

Respectively submitted,

Lenord L. Craft
Agricultural Commissioner

INYO & MONO COUNTIES

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1974 AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION REPORT

INYO COUNTY

LIVESTOCK

Item	Year	Production		Value		
		Number of Head	Total Liveweight (cwt)	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Cattle & Calves	1974	15,930	67,702	cwt	\$26	\$1,760,265
Steers (Gain)	1974	3,500	x	cwt	\$26	182,000
Sheep & Lambs	1974	5,125	5,381	cwt	\$36	193,725
TOTAL LIVESTOCK						\$2,135,990

LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

Item	Year	Production (cwt)	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Milk, Market	1974	840	cwt	\$8.00	\$ 6,700
Manufacturing	1974	8,900	cwt	\$6.04	53,800
Wool	1974	320	cwt	64.00	20,480
TOTAL LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS					\$ 80,980

INVENTORY OF LIVESTOCK

	January 1, 1975	January 1, 1974
Cattle & Calves	26,300	26,900
Cows & Heifers that have calved	18,800	17,700
Sheep	1,300	4,100

FIELD CROPS

Item	Year	Production			Value		
		Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Total Tons	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Alfalfa Hay	1974	3,154	5.66	17,852	Ton	\$60	\$1,071,120
Irrigated Pasture	1974	9,286			Acre	7.57	70,295
Dry Grazing	1974	179,918			Acre	.61	109,749
TOTAL FIELD CROPS		192,358					\$1,251,164

FRUIT & VEGETABLE PRODUCTION

Item	Year	Harvested Acreage	Tons Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Miscellaneous Fruit	1974	28	2.2	61	Tons	\$218	\$13,298

APIARY PRODUCTS

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Honey	1974	52,750	lb.	.43	\$22,682

INYO COUNTY TOTALS

Livestock	\$2,135,990
Livestock Products	80,980
Field Crops	1,251,164
Fruit & Vegetable Products	13,298
Apiary Products	<u>22,682</u>

1974 TOTAL PRODUCTION

\$3,504,114

1974 AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION REPORT

MONO COUNTY

LIVESTOCK

Item	Year	Production		Unit	Value	
		Number of Head	Total Liveweight (cwt)		Per Unit	Total
Cattle & Calves	1974	4,770	20,272	cwt	\$26	\$527,085
Steers (Gain)	1974	1,500	x	cwt	\$26	78,000
Sheep & Lambs	1974	3,375	3,544	cwt	\$36	127,575
TOTAL LIVESTOCK						\$732,660

LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

Item	Year	Production (cwt)	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Wool	1974	20,560	lb.	.64	\$13,158

INVENTORY OF LIVESTOCK

	January 1, 1975	January 1, 1974
Cattle & Calves	15,500	10,000
Cow & Heifers that have calved	5,800	5,300
Sheep	2,600	2,700

FIELD CROPS

Item	Year	Production			Value		
		Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Total Tons	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Alfalfa Hay	1974	4,219	5.66	23,880	Ton	\$60	\$1,432,800
Pasture -							
Irrigated	1974	7,184	x	x	Acre	7.13	51,221
Dry Grazing	1974	<u>31,096</u>	x	x	Acre	.73	<u>22,700</u>
TOTAL FIELD CROPS		42,499					\$1,506,721

VEGETABLE PRODUCTION

Item	Year	Total Tons	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Misc. Vegetables	1974	1,565	Ton	\$36	\$ 56,340

MONO COUNTY TOTALS

Livestock	\$ 732,660
Livestock Products	13,158
Field Crops	1,506,721
Fruit & Veg. Production	<u>56,340</u>

1974 Total Production

\$2,308,879