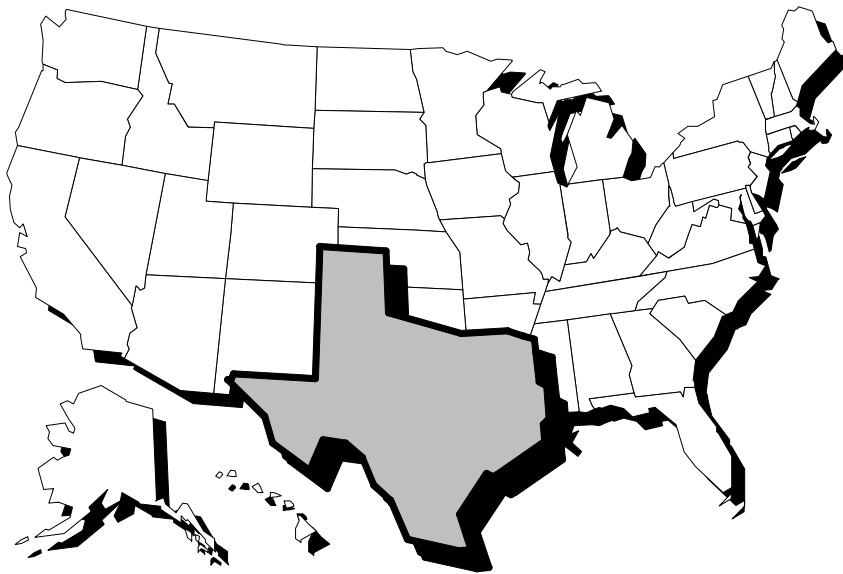


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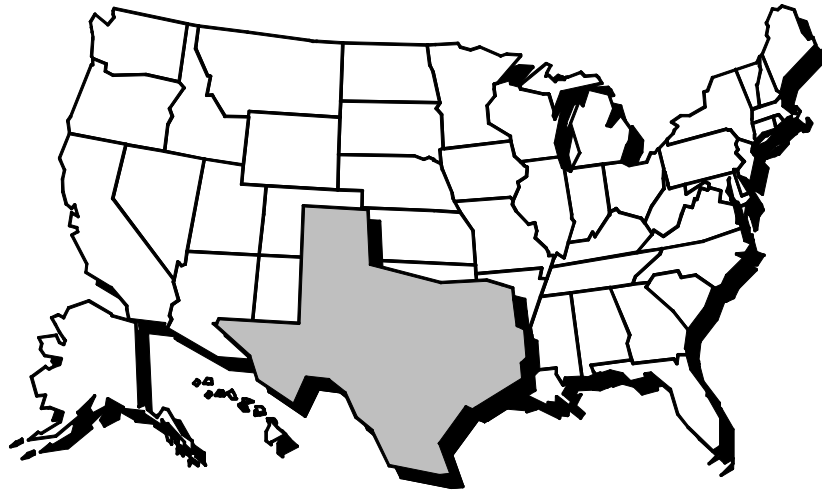
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Agriculture

Agriculture is one of the most important industries in Texas and the United States. Many businesses, financial institutions and individuals are involved in providing supplies, credit and services to farmers and ranchers in processing and marketing commodities.

Farm and farm related employment accounts for 26 percent of jobs in non-metro areas and 13 percent in metro areas, for a statewide average of 14 percent of employment.

With increasing demand for food and fiber worldwide, and because of the importance of agricultural exports to the U.S. trade balance, agriculture is destined to play an even greater role in the future.

Texas ranked fourth during 2012, behind California, Iowa, and Nebraska among states in farm receipts. A large area of productive soils and excellent export and transportation facilities favor farming and ranching operations in the state.

Texas ranks first in sales of cattle and calves, sheep and wool, goats and mohair, and cotton; and in the value of farm real estate, number of farms and ranches, and amount of farm and ranch land.

The number of farms in Texas has decreased from 506,000 in 1931 to 248,500 in 2013, with an average size of 524 acres.

In 2013, farms with sales of less than \$10,000 gross value totaled 160,500, or 64.59 percent of all Texas farm operations, but used only 14.61 percent of the land. Operations that had \$10,000 to \$99,999 in sales totaled 69,500 farms or 27.97 percent of the group, and 31.98 percent of acreage. Farms with sales of \$100,000 to \$249,999 totaled 8,000, used 15.84 percent of land, and accounted for 3.22 percent of farms. The operations with \$250,000 and over in sales totaled 10,500, or 4.23 percent of farms, and included 37.59 percent of land.

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The Changing Face of Texas and U.S. Agriculture

Agriculture in Texas Today

- Agriculture is big business in Texas -- the estimated value of 2013 agricultural production and related items totaled \$21.8 billion, \$20.1 billion in 2012, and \$19.2 billion in 2011. Due to drought-impacted crops and livestock, the value of agricultural production and related items for these years were close in estimation.

Factors Impacting Change in Agriculture

- Consumer-driven changes
 - ☞ Consumers want simplified, tailored solutions that bring convenience and help improve their lives.
 - ☞ Consumer-driven change is becoming the driving force in agriculture.
 - ☞ Changing consumer demands are challenging existing marketing institutions and the traditional ways of doing business.
 - ☞ More and more emphasis is being placed on meeting customer's food needs/interests (convenience, lower cholesterol, healthier, lower prices, increased variety, etc.)
 - ☞ Commodity-based food production system is rapidly moving to a system designed to meet consumer expectations that reflect safety, health and the environment.
 - ☞ Traceability of food items to their earliest production step will be a key to convincing consumers that safety, health and environmental demands of food are met.
 - ☞ More information is being uncovered on an individual's nutritional needs based on genetic diversity. This will eventually lead to a "diet prescription". Therefore, information on how food products originate is critical.
 - ☞ Consumers are concerned about genetically engineered crops and their impact on both human health and the environment.
 - ☞ Consumers are gaining more power and control in the marketplace.
 - ☞ Manufacturers will be selling more direct to retailers and consumers.
 - ☞ The Internet, Web sites, and E-Commerce will expand distribution systems, creating continuous supply chains that are convenient to consumers.
- Convenience and lifestyle factors
 - ☞ Fast food -- time is precious commodity
 - ☞ Eating out -- increasingly popular with two wage-earner family
 - ☞ Pre-cooked foods -- a time saver for family meals

- Economics
 - ☞ The Agricultural Act of 2014 (2014 Farm Bill) -- flexibility, market-oriented, safety net, and conservation provisions
 - ☞ Production costs -- continue to increase
 - ☞ Commodity prices to farmers -- vary, sometimes below cost of production
 - ☞ Water availability and costs are cause for concern
 - ☞ Drought -- droughts in 1996, 1998, 2000, 2006, 2009, and 2011-2013 have taken more than \$38.5 billion from the Texas economy. Farm and ranch production losses during the same years totaled about \$21.62 billion.
 - ☞ Increased capital outlay/investment
 - ☞ New technology/biotechnology/genetic engineering
 - ☞ Today, agriculture operates in a global, high-tech, consumer-driven environment. The world economy is characterized by the instant flow of capital, communications, and information.
 - ☞ A global food system has emerged which encompasses everything from production to processing to consumption. Increasingly, companies are finding that the best way to plug into the global food system is to form strategic partnerships that increase the ability to source, distribute and transport products.
 - ☞ Improvements in transportation, storage and food technology mean more fresh food can be moved further and faster at lower costs.
 - ☞ Information technology is being used to generate new efficiencies throughout the food and fiber chain.
- Impacts of a “prescription food” system
 - ☞ More detailed record keeping
 - ☞ More restrictions on choice or inputs/practices
 - ☞ Precision agriculture will take on new dimensions through the use of satellites, computers, global positioning systems (GPS), and other high-tech tools to help producers manage inputs such as seed, fertilizers, pesticides and water.
 - ☞ Farmers will be required to become sophisticated producers of food products for which they can be held responsible all the way to the consumer.
 - ☞ These changes will be global in nature as this new world food system develops.
 - ☞ Consumers will define food as an input or a prescription for their physical condition, mental health and safety as well as a template for beneficial environmental practices in food production.

- ☞ Companies and retailers require specific and consistent product characteristics, assured supplies, and timely delivery. Retailers are increasingly contracting directly with producers to meet consumer desires and reduce marketing costs.
 - ☞ The combination of globalization, technology, and ever-demanding consumers means a more tightly connected food chain with stronger linkages among producers, processors, and retailers.
 - ☞ On the one hand, consolidated retailers want large volumes of branded, high-quality products. Processors are expanding operations, acquiring new product lines, or merging with others in order to meet retailer's' needs.
- Land use priorities
 - ☞ Crop, livestock and forest production
 - ☞ Recreation/ecotourism
 - ☞ Wildlife management for income
 - ☞ Accessibility: public and privately owned property
 - ☞ Environmental management
 - ☞ Increased emphasis on conservation of natural resources
 - ☞ Water use and availability
 - Demographics
 - ☞ Changes revealed in the U.S. by the 2012 Census of Agriculture data compared to the 2007 Census
 - √ Farms with 2,000 acres or more increased 2 percent to 82,207 farms.
 - √ Average farm size increased 16 acres to 434 acres.
 - √ Total number of U.S. farms decreased to 2.1 million; this is a decrease of about 95,489 farms since 2007.
 - √ Over 50 percent of farms have less than \$10,000 in sales.
 - √ Average age of operator in 2012 was 58.3 whereas in 2007 was 57.1
 - √ Number of farmers whose principal occupation was farming increased 1.4 percent to 1,007,904.
 - √ The number of family or individual farms decreased 0.4 percent to 1,828,946; partnership farms decreased 26.3 percent to 137,987; corporations increased 10 percent to 106,716; and other farm type increased 21 percent to 35,654. Families or individuals operate 86.7 percent of operations; 6.6 percent are partnerships; 5.1 percent corporations; and other, 1.7 percent.
 - √ Acres of land in farms decreased 0.8 percent.

- ☞ Changes in Texas agriculture revealed by the 2012 Census of Agriculture data compared to the 2007 Census
 - √ Growth to large farms in Texas has slowed.
 - √ Texas farms with 2,000 acres or more increased 494 acres to 10,810 in 2012.
 - √ The number of 1 to 9 acre farms decreased by from 21,024 to 20,825. The number of 10 to 49 acre farms increased 72,837 to 72,856, and the 50 to 2,000 acre farms increased slightly.
 - √ Land in farms decreased by 245,315 acres to 130,153,438.
 - √ Average farm size decreased from 527 to 523 acres.
 - √ Number of farmers whose principal occupation was farming increased 6 percent to 104,769.
 - √ Total number of farms increased from 247,437 to 248,809.
 - √ The number of family or individual farms increased 2 percent to 222,580; partnership farms decreased 24 percent to 16,660; corporations increased 16.8 percent to 6,859; and other farm type decreased 8.8 percent to 2,710. Individuals and families owned 89.5 percent of farms and ranches; partnerships, 6.7 percent; corporations, 2.8 percent; and others, 1.1 percent.

What Will the New Face of Texas Agriculture Look Like?

- Trends reflect some observations
 - ☞ Larger commercial farms and ranches
 - ☞ More smaller part-time farms
 - ☞ More non-farm landowners (other income)
 - ☞ Increasing demand for rural land as investment and for recreation
 - ☞ Shifts -- production/management to reflect
 - √ Improved business/management skills
 - √ Greater risks
 - √ Economics of production -- bottom line
 - √ Comprehensive marketing skills
 - √ Processing facilities (market for products)
 - √ Environmental issues

- √ New technologies
- ☞ Diverse income alternatives -- livestock, crops, leases, non-farm businesses
- ☞ Balance of business and production management
- ☞ Lifestyle vs. viable economic unit
- ☞ Best use/demand for land (crops, livestock, wildlife, back to natural habitat, tourism)
- ☞ Consumer-driven markets

Impacts

- Food and fiber production system to feed a growing world population
- Role of USDA and Land Grant University Research and Extension in serving the ag industry and non-ag landowners
- Land values driven in part by non-farm use
- Develop educational programs for absentee landowner

Considerations for Producers

- Become owners or partners in businesses that furnish supplies, services, transportation, storage, etc. Also consider more pooling arrangements in marketing for bargaining power.
- Farmers are taking the lead in more efficiently synchronizing farm production with market demand by recognizing higher value production and value-added processing businesses.
- Pay particular attention to markets for niche or specialty crops.
- Consider leasing or jointly owning large and expensive equipment or using custom operators rather than individually owning such equipment as in the past.
- Develop marketing plans that include forward pricing by contract and use of commodity option markets.
- Devote more attention to becoming better at keeping records that help manage their expenses and improve marketing skills. It will be more critical than ever to know the cost per bushel of grain, per pound of cotton and per hundredweight of cattle.
- Seek out alternative production practices and diversification based on available resources. Quail, dove, turkey, pheasant, waterfowl, deer and even wild hog hunting, as well as wildlife watching (birding, wildlife trails, etc.), can be a growing enterprise for many operations.

Characteristics of Successful Farm and Ranch Operators

- Adapt to changing needs
 - ☞ Explore new ideas
 - ☞ Resource managers
 - ☞ Networking
- Strategic thinkers
- Objectively understand people
- Seek improvement
- Emphasize system's perspective
 - ☞ Consider alliances
- Excellent risk managers
- Review "what if" scenarios
 - ☞ Develop contingency plans
- Consider "big picture" events
- Strive to overcome challenge
- They lead and motivate people
- Develop a balanced performance
 - ☞ Production, finance, personnel, marketing
- Concentrate on successful performance
 - ☞ Treat causes not symptoms
- Decisions focused on reason and judgment
- Able to implement good ideas
- Communicate what, how and why
 - ☞ Create team effort

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U.S. AND TEXAS GENERAL OVERVIEW



Cooperative oil association plant and delivery truck, Umatilla county, Oregon, 1934

AGRICULTURE FUNDAMENTALLY DIFFERENT

- **Tied to nature, biological, renewable**
- **Demand changes more slowly than supplies**
- **Many producers competing**
- **Farmers are generally price takers**

Cash Receipts by State Rank for All Commodities, 2010 - 2012

Rank	State	2010	2011	2012
			<i>\$1,000</i>	
1	California	37,878,615	43,331,185	44,738,132
2	Iowa	24,031,129	28,847,175	31,985,370
3	Nebraska	17,120,126	22,203,019	24,465,882
4	Texas	20,378,748	22,344,301	22,726,067
5	Minnesota	15,820,319	17,756,309	20,580,696
6	Illinois	15,981,533	18,902,122	19,649,939
7	Kansas	14,724,994	15,026,529	16,223,254
8	Wisconsin	9,231,605	11,522,907	12,110,055
9	Indiana	9,735,507	11,735,234	12,052,964
10	North Carolina	9,730,305	10,313,461	11,706,602
11	Ohio	7,975,269	8,689,383	10,066,756
12	South Dakota	7,474,865	9,194,485	10,013,470
13	Missouri	8,491,157	9,646,507	9,940,400
14	Georgia	7,563,878	8,185,334	9,779,096
15	Arkansas	7,847,965	8,144,469	9,421,594
16	Washington	7,542,116	8,756,160	9,293,914
17	North Dakota	6,923,076	7,249,205	8,684,221
18	Michigan	6,641,196	8,045,021	8,293,622
19	Florida	7,832,526	8,339,101	8,252,525
20	Colorado	6,090,462	6,992,320	7,638,232
21	Idaho	5,889,969	7,368,419	7,586,979
22	Oklahoma	6,156,378	6,917,560	7,038,174
23	Pennsylvania	5,817,102	6,497,425	6,868,357
24	Mississippi	4,960,703	5,157,578	6,235,891
25	Alabama	4,623,641	4,814,271	5,349,114
26	New York	4,405,145	5,254,501	5,287,766
27	Kentucky	4,453,443	4,930,924	5,284,095
28	Oregon	3,725,328	4,658,190	4,817,294
29	Louisiana	3,082,169	3,485,186	4,127,882
30	New Mexico	3,286,643	4,132,542	4,019,802
31	Arizona	3,431,595	4,315,407	3,909,695
32	Tennessee	3,137,287	3,389,170	3,849,846
33	Montana	3,042,789	3,668,552	3,745,101
34	Virginia	2,897,731	3,331,750	3,576,417
35	South Carolina	2,415,800	2,604,462	2,928,327
36	Maryland	1,835,151	2,106,082	2,329,861
37	Utah	1,317,031	1,634,728	1,688,836
38	Wyoming	1,159,418	1,484,377	1,650,684
39	Delaware	1,057,000	1,064,845	1,180,546
40	New Jersey	1,044,064	1,121,448	1,139,186
41	Hawaii	678,034	722,853	729,321
42	Nevada	554,818	691,230	717,590
43	Maine	635,425	705,157	702,945
44	Vermont	612,384	757,486	699,313
45	West Virginia	521,092	564,302	652,069
46	Connecticut	499,266	542,234	543,829
47	Massachusetts	467,129	512,002	510,006
48	New Hampshire	175,235	189,287	183,921
49	Rhode Island	59,037	62,723	62,082
50	Alaska	31,615	30,883	30,954
	United States	320,987,816	367,939,792	395,068,677

Source: USDA/ERS, U.S. and State- Level Farm Income and Wealth Statistics
Ranking based on 2012 numbers

State Ranking by Cash Receipts

2010, 2011, 2012

(Billion \$)

State	2010	State	2011	State	2012
1. California	37.88	1. California	43.33	1. California	44.74
2. Iowa	24.03	2. Iowa	28.85	2. Iowa	31.99
3. <i>Texas</i>	20.38	3. <i>Texas</i>	22.34	3. Nebraska	24.47
4. Nebraska	17.12	4. Nebraska	22.20	4. <i>Texas</i>	22.73
5. Illinois	15.98	5. Illinois	18.90	5. Minnesota	20.58

**Government payments and ag-related activities not included.*

Net Farm Income by State Rank, 2012

Rank	State	2010	2011	2012
			<i>\$1,000</i>	
1	California	10,571,623	15,997,628	16,001,126
2	Iowa	4,816,692	10,885,476	9,254,750
3	Minnesota	4,534,314	5,956,331	8,172,164
4	Nebraska	3,862,338	7,419,381	5,952,230
5	Texas	5,294,109	5,216,347	5,145,164
6	North Carolina	3,301,143	2,897,626	4,319,946
7	North Dakota	2,599,699	2,227,691	4,279,096
8	Georgia	2,128,880	2,411,659	4,214,043
9	Illinois	3,276,459	6,232,017	4,173,946
10	South Dakota	2,498,521	4,627,966	3,643,005
11	Indiana	2,291,834	3,816,381	3,290,744
12	Wisconsin	2,037,985	3,813,826	3,200,564
13	Kansas	2,815,328	5,130,235	3,014,913
14	Idaho	1,559,029	2,481,012	2,745,404
15	Ohio	2,161,849	3,787,521	2,567,695
16	Florida	2,042,218	2,336,318	2,522,211
17	Michigan	1,993,398	3,458,906	2,236,866
18	Washington	1,893,407	3,095,015	2,160,404
19	Arkansas	1,209,347	1,409,297	1,979,479
20	Mississippi	1,256,074	1,195,894	1,939,512
21	Pennsylvania	1,336,851	1,926,542	1,833,490
22	Missouri	2,117,798	3,267,554	1,794,698
23	Louisiana	866,200	1,206,996	1,779,420
24	Colorado	1,138,779	1,736,202	1,753,342
25	Kentucky	819,583	1,466,495	1,540,664
26	Oklahoma	1,184,759	1,563,402	1,403,608
27	Alabama	832,044	641,327	1,384,612
28	New Mexico	1,018,455	1,326,678	1,358,391
29	New York	1,123,525	1,708,390	1,296,264
30	Montana	735,626	971,144	1,294,910
31	Oregon	456,804	1,012,269	959,936
32	Virginia	355,193	752,646	932,203
33	Arizona	789,140	1,554,517	902,975
34	Tennessee	423,650	807,454	812,614
35	South Carolina	510,796	452,603	734,915
36	Maryland	372,644	562,764	727,340
37	Utah	136,345	346,430	363,641
38	Wyoming	160,669	386,590	356,382
39	New Jersey	341,400	407,714	339,611
40	Hawaii	226,654	236,628	329,964
41	Delaware	191,364	231,750	272,204
42	Nevada	140,844	221,961	222,575
43	Maine	232,749	202,344	191,601
44	Vermont	149,571	235,100	159,652
45	Massachusetts	96,675	125,409	99,135
46	Connecticut	98,453	123,586	75,477
47	West Virginia	-18,391	40,964	64,224
48	Alaska	10,813	8,303	11,108
49	Rhode Island	12,101	9,906	4,548
50	New Hampshire	23,961	25,608	568
United States		78,029,252	117,955,787	113,813,381

Source: USDA/ERS; U.S. and State-Level Farm Income and Wealth Statistics
Ranking based on 2012 numbers

Leading States in Value of Farm Real Estate, January 1, 2012

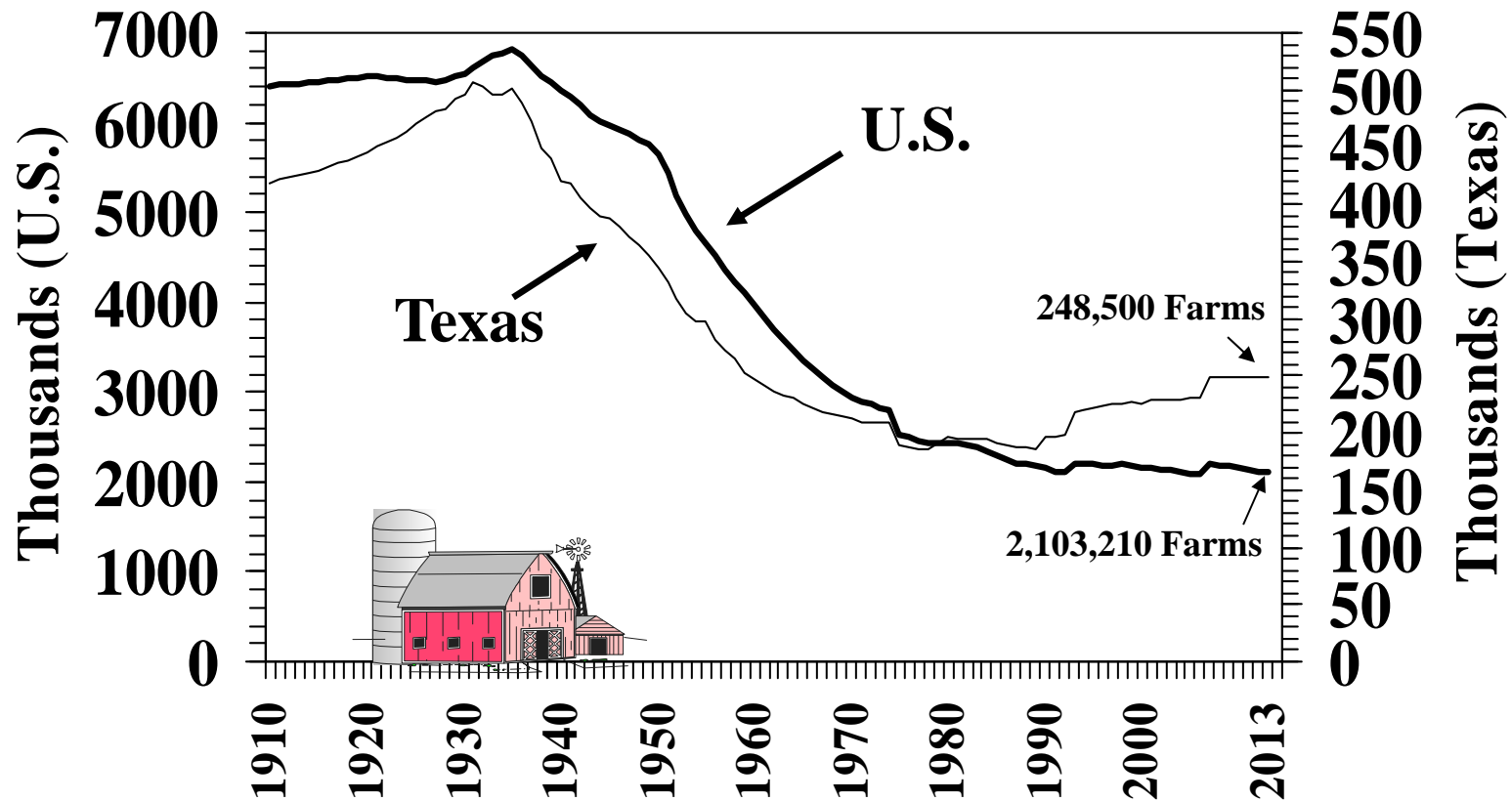
State	Million Dollars
1. <i>Texas</i>	<i>230,400</i>
2. Iowa	214,900
3. California	182,880
4. Illinois	178,220
5. Nebraska	117,845
6. Minnesota	108,540
7. Indiana	91,140
8. Missouri	84,100
9. Ohio	67,750
10. Wisconsin	65,250

Texas and United States Number of Farms, 1915 - 2013
(1,000)

Texas				U.S.			
Year	Farms	Year	Farms	Year	Farms	Year	Farms
1915	430	1965	226	1915	6,458	1965	3,356
1916	432	1966	222	1916	6,463	1966	3,257
1917	436	1967	219	1917	6,478	1967	3,162
1918	438	1968	216	1918	6,488	1968	3,071
1919	442	1969	214	1919	6,506	1969	3,000
1920	446	1970	212	1920	6,518	1970	2,949
1921	450	1971	210	1921	6,511	1971	2,902
1922	454	1972	209	1922	6,500	1972	2,860
1923	458	1973	209	1923	6,492	1973	2,823
1924	464	1974	209	1924	6,480	1974	2,795
1925	470	1975	189	1925	6,471	1975	2,521
1926	476	1976	187	1926	6,462	1976	2,497
1927	481	1977	186	1927	6,458	1977	2,456
1928	484	1978	185	1928	6,470	1978	2,436
1929	492	1979	192	1929	6,512	1979	2,437
1930	496	1980	196	1930	6,546	1980	2,440
1931	506	1981	195	1931	6,609	1981	2,440
1932	504	1982	194	1932	6,687	1982	2,407
1933	496	1983	194	1933	6,741	1983	2,379
1934	496	1984	194	1934	6,776	1984	2,334
1935	501	1985	192	1935	6,814	1985	2,293
1936	489	1986	190	1936	6,739	1986	2,250
1937	472	1987	188	1937	6,636	1987	2,213
1938	449	1988	187	1938	6,527	1988	2,197
1939	440	1989	186	1939	6,441	1989	2,171
1940	420	1990	196	1940	6,350	1990	2,146
1941	418	1991	197	1941	6,293	1991	2,117
1942	406	1992	198	1942	6,202	1992	2,108
1943	397	1993	218	1943	6,089	1993	2,202
1944	389	1994	220	1944	6,003	1994	2,198
1945	387	1995	222	1945	5,967	1995	2,196
1946	380	1996	224	1946	5,926	1996	2,191
1947	372	1997	225	1947	5,871	1997	2,191
1948	365	1998	226	1948	5,803	1998	2,192
1949	355	1999	227	1949	5,772	1999	2,187
1950	345	2000	226	1950	5,648	2000	2,167
1951	332	2001	229	1951	5,428	2001	2,149
1952	318	2002	229	1952	5,198	2002	2,135
1953	305	2003	229	1953	4,984	2003	2,127
1954	297	2004	229	1954	4,798	2004	2,113
1955	298	2005	230	1955	4,654	2005	2,099
1956	281	2006	230	1956	4,514	2006	2,089
1957	273	2007	248	1957	4,372	2007	2,205
1958	265	2008	248	1958	4,233	2008	2,185
1959	252	2009	249	1959	4,105	2009	2,170
1960	247	2010	249	1960	3,963	2010	2,150
1961	242	2011	249	1961	3,825	2011	2,131
1962	237	2012	249	1962	3,692	2012	2,110
1963	233	2013	249	1963	3,572	2013	2,103
1964	230			1964	3,457		

Source: TDA/USDA, "1966-1989 Texas Historical Crops Statistics", compiled by Texas Agricultural Statistics Service, August 1991, USDA; "Texas Ag Facts", USDA/TASS; "Farm Numbers and Land in Farms", USDA/NASS, various years.

Texas and U.S. Number of Farms, 1910 - 2013



Cotton: States' Ranking for Cash Receipts, 2012

Rank	State	State receipts	Share of U.S.	Cumulative	State receipts	Share of State
		for Cotton	receipts for	share of U.S.	for all	receipts for all
		<i>\$1,000</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>\$1,000</i>	<i>Percent</i>
1	Texas	2,224,380	25.9	25.9	22,726,067	9.8
2	Georgia	1,286,437	15.0	40.9	9,779,096	13.2
3	California	1,024,906	11.9	52.8	44,738,132	2.3
4	Mississippi	667,487	7.8	60.6	6,235,891	10.7
5	Arkansas	658,345	7.7	68.3	9,421,594	7.0
6	North Carolina	453,172	5.3	73.6	11,706,602	3.9
7	Tennessee	406,880	4.7	78.3	3,849,846	10.6
8	Missouri	389,874	4.5	82.8	9,940,400	3.9
9	Arizona	371,370	4.3	87.2	3,909,695	9.5
10	Alabama	317,893	3.7	90.9	5,349,114	5.9
11	South Carolina	235,728	2.7	93.6	2,928,327	8.0
12	Louisiana	211,592	2.5	96.1	4,127,882	5.1
13	Florida	92,308	1.1	97.1	8,252,525	1.1
14	Virginia	81,209	0.9	98.1	3,576,417	2.3
15	Oklahoma	72,557	0.8	98.9	7,038,174	1.0
16	New Mexico	56,745	0.7	99.6	4,019,802	1.4
17	Kansas	34,309	0.4	100.0	16,223,254	0.2
	United States	8,585,192			395,068,677	2.2

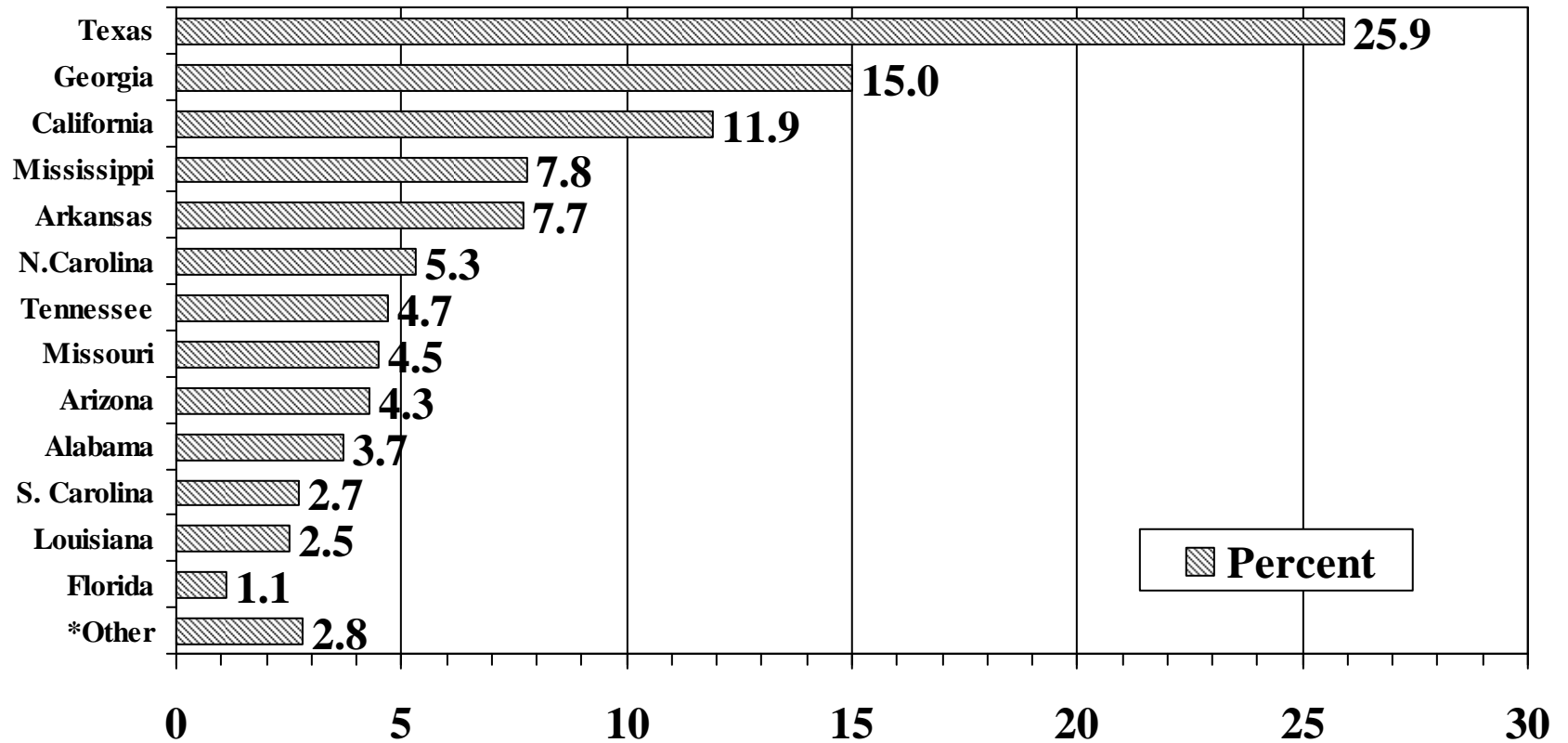
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Cotton: States' Percent of Total Receipts, 2012



* Virginia, Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Kansas

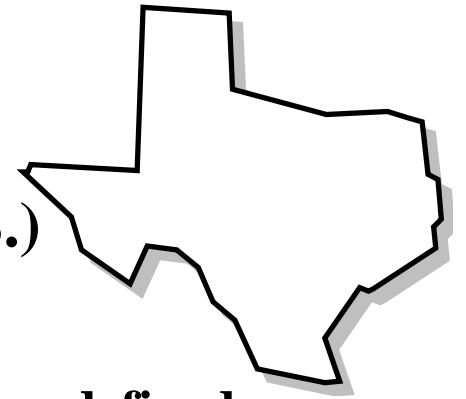
TEXAS OVERVIEW



Storm cellar on the Texas plains, West Texas panhandle, June 1937

AREA OF TEXAS

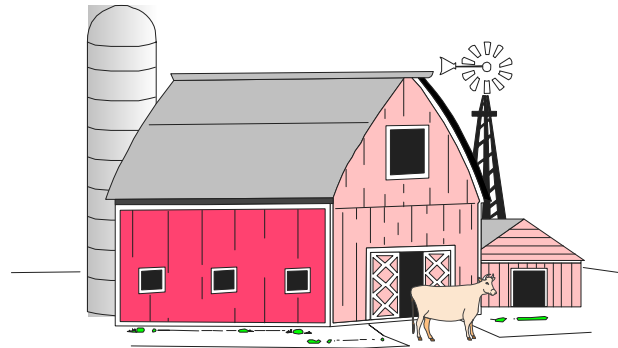
- **Texas is as large as New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois (268,601 square miles)**
- **7.4% of water and land area of U.S.**
 - **Land: 261,232 square miles (2nd in the U.S.)**
 - **Water: 7,364 square miles**
- **801 miles length** (the longest straight-line distance defined as the northwest corner of the Panhandle to the extreme southern tip of Texas on the Rio Grande below Brownsville)
- **773 miles width** (greatest east-west distance defined as the extreme eastward bend in the Sabine river in Newton County to the extreme western bulge of the Rio Grande just above El Paso)
- **2013 Number of Farms: 248,500**



TEXAS LAND AREA

(million acres)

➤ Total Land	261.8
➤ Farms and Ranches	130.2
➤ Pastureland	90.3
➤ Cropland	29.1
➤ % Irrigated	8.0



TEXAS RANKS FIRST

- **Sales of cattle and calves**
- **Sheep and wool**
- **Goats and mohair**
- **Upland cotton, cottonseed and products**
- **Sorghum grain**
- **Farm and ranch land**
- **Farms and ranches**



Texas
Gross and Net Farm Income
1968 - 2012

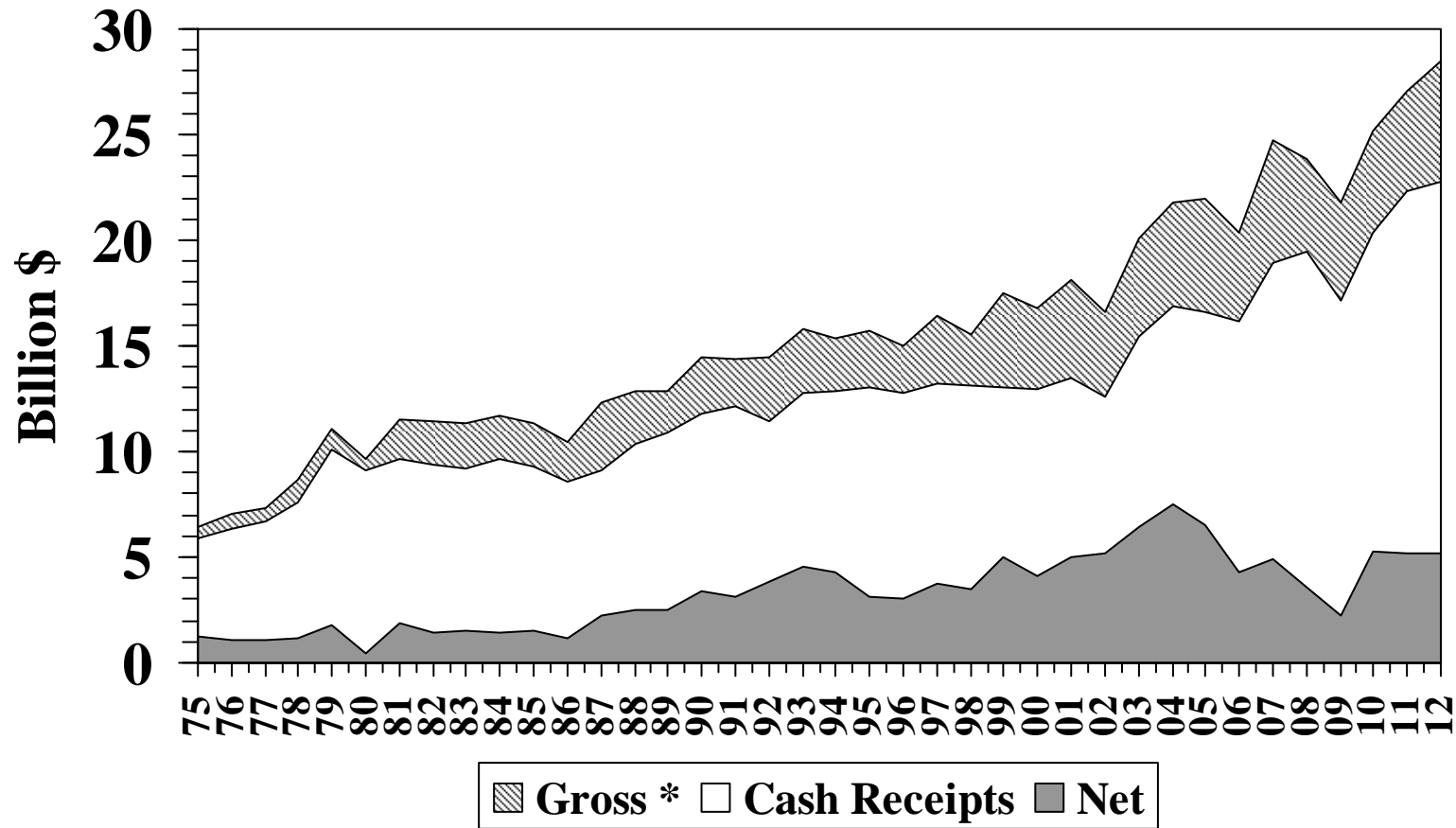
Date	Cash Receipts	Gross Farm Income <u>1/</u>	Net Farm Income
	- - - - Billion \$ - - - -		
1968	2.64	3.51	0.68
1969	3.04	3.80	0.70
1970	3.22	4.14	0.95
1971	3.46	4.29	0.81
1972	4.07	5.24	1.12
1973	6.49	7.56	2.28
1974	5.67	6.09	1.04
1975	5.91	6.39	1.21
1976	6.31	7.03	1.10
1977	6.66	7.32	1.06
1978	7.61	8.68	1.17
1979	10.10	11.06	1.81
1980	9.08	9.61	0.46
1981	9.61	11.55	1.90
1982	9.40	11.40	1.40
1983	9.18	11.32	1.54
1984	9.65	11.69	1.44
1985	9.26	11.38	1.53
1986	8.59	10.45	1.18
1987	9.13	12.30	2.26
1988	10.34	12.84	2.51
1989	10.92	12.84	2.51
1990	11.76	14.42	3.41
1991	12.11	14.38	3.11
1992	11.47	14.48	3.86
1993	12.73	15.82	4.52
1994	12.89	15.39	4.26
1995	13.07	15.68	3.14
1996	12.73	15.03	3.02
1997	13.21	16.43	3.71
1998	13.15	15.51	3.46
1999	13.03	17.47	5.03
2000	12.97	16.81	4.10
2001	13.51	18.09	4.98
2002	12.57	16.57	5.20
2003	15.44	20.11	6.42
2004	16.84	21.83	7.48
2005	16.62	21.93	6.56
2006	16.14	20.33	4.32
2007	18.90	24.74	4.94
2008	19.45	23.83	3.54
2009	17.11	21.83	2.26
2010	20.38	25.21	5.29
2011	22.34	27.04	5.22
2012 ^{2/}	22.73	28.47	5.15

1/ Gross farm income consists of cash and noncash items. Cash items includes the gross receipts from farm marketings, Government payments, and farm-related income. Noncash items include the value of home consumption, rental value of farm dwellings and the value of inventory adjustment. 2/ Estimated

NOTE: Net income represents returns to owned equity and land, family labor, management and risk.

SOURCES: Texas Agricultural Statistics, 2009, and USDA/ERS.

Texas Gross, Cash Receipts, and Net Farm Income, 1975 - 2012



* Gross includes government payments and non-farm income, does not include ag-related income.
 Note: Net income represents returns to owned equity and land, family labor, management and risk.
 Source: ERS/USDA and TASS, 2012 estimated.

**Texas Agricultural Cash Receipts
By Commodity Groups and Government Payments, 2007 - 2012**

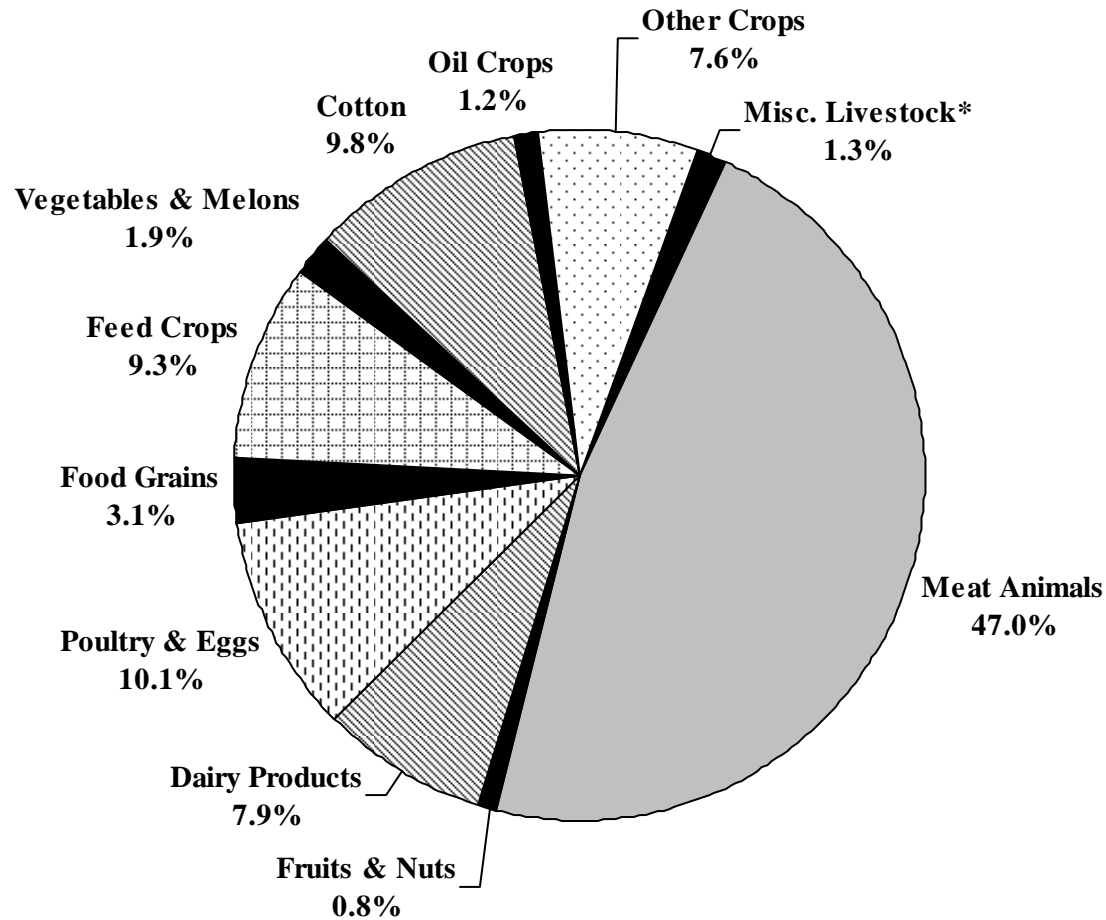
Commodity Groups	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2012 as Percent of All Commodities*
							<i>Percent</i>
Total all commodities plus government payments	20,248,669	20,637,498	18,517,138	21,397,003	23,261,690	23,564,130	100.00
Government payments	1,347,974	1,186,495	1,406,523	1,018,255	917,389	838,063	3.56
All commodities	18,900,695	19,451,003	17,110,615	20,378,748	22,344,301	22,726,067	96.44
Livestock and products	11,386,144	11,403,423	10,639,653	11,758,079	15,825,452	15,066,128	66.29
Meat animals	7,763,371	7,390,722	7,103,348	7,650,616	11,273,277	10,687,100	47.03
Dairy products	1,449,723	1,568,743	1,172,262	1,505,313	1,986,816	1,789,964	7.88
Poultry and eggs	1,856,139	2,141,782	2,078,333	2,236,535	2,191,923	2,288,424	10.07
Miscellaneous livestock <u>1/</u>	316,911	302,176	285,710	365,615	373,436	300,640	1.32
Crops	7,514,551	8,047,580	6,470,962	8,620,669	6,518,849	7,659,939	33.71
Food grains	801,793	1,004,948	435,329	695,518	569,359	703,395	3.10
Feed crops	1,920,617	2,218,666	1,855,663	2,126,313	1,442,269	2,122,027	9.34
Cotton	1,925,087	2,078,136	1,621,716	2,940,354	2,094,599	2,224,380	9.79
Oil crops	197,235	258,772	185,665	230,275	162,354	264,375	1.16
Vegetables and melons	533,822	448,490	462,653	580,029	391,869	439,068	1.93
Fruits and nuts	178,198	112,685	170,027	284,225	181,106	190,406	0.84
All other crops	1,957,799	1,925,883	1,739,909	1,763,955	1,677,293	1,716,288	7.55

1/ Includes wool, mohair, honey, catfish, equine and other livestock.

*Excluding government payments

Source: ERS/USDA Farm Income and Wealth Statistics

Percentage of Total Cash Receipts for Texas Commodity Groups, 2012



Total = \$22.73 billion

***Wool, mohair, honey, catfish, equine and other livestock income included.
Government Payments not included.**

Source: ERS/USDA

Texas Agricultural Cash Receipts by Commodity Groups and Selected Commodities, 2007-2012

Commodity	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
	Thousands of Dollars					
All commodities	18,900,695	19,451,003	17,110,615	20,378,748	22,344,301	22,726,067
Livestock and products	11,386,144	11,403,423	10,639,653	11,758,079	15,825,452	15,066,128
Meat animals	7,763,371	7,390,722	7,103,348	7,650,616	11,273,277	10,687,100
Cattle and calves	7,630,837	7,230,267	6,936,021	7,564,446	11,152,790	10,543,163
Hogs	93,888	131,744	129,363	86,170	120,487	143,937
Sheep and lambs	38,646	28,711	37,964	NA	NA	NA
Dairy products, Milk	1,449,723	1,568,743	1,172,262	1,505,313	1,986,816	1,789,964
Poultry and eggs	1,856,139	2,141,782	2,078,333	2,236,535	2,191,923	2,288,424
Broilers	1,404,552	1,592,246	1,650,227	1,757,083	1,678,517	1,747,250
Chicken eggs	373,500	462,283	347,480	395,052	421,982	439,020
Farm chickens	2,707	4,239	4,701	4,393	5,079	4,955
Miscellaneous livestock	316,911	302,176	285,710	365,615	373,436	300,640
Aquaculture	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Catfish	12,152	13,212	12,644	13,023	19,896	14,433
Honey	8,266	6,604	7,794	10,872	8,053	9,880
Mohair	3,840	3,116	2,170	3,066	2,703	2,256
Wool	5,445	4,872	3,640	5,451	5,746	3,841
Crops	7,514,551	8,047,580	6,470,962	8,620,669	6,518,849	7,659,939
Food grains	801,793	1,004,948	435,329	695,518	569,359	703,395
Rice	108,611	176,107	163,898	154,251	167,629	162,586
Wheat	690,418	827,571	267,911	539,439	400,452	538,097
Feed crops	1,920,617	2,218,666	1,855,663	2,126,313	1,442,269	2,122,027
Corn	736,200	1,202,077	1,069,647	1,262,550	821,068	1,164,788
Hay	688,115	430,355	341,442	390,797	272,815	356,876
Oats	8,182	9,492	4,219	7,069	3,644	6,309
Sorghum grain	488,119	576,744	440,355	465,896	344,742	594,054
Cotton	1,925,087	2,078,136	1,621,716	2,940,354	2,094,599	2,224,380
Cotton lint	1,581,745	1,762,729	1,396,624	NA	1,766,378	1,851,947
Cotton lint, Long staple	24,101	26,386	13,524	NA	25,737	38,521
Cotton lint, Upland	1,557,645	1,736,344	1,383,100	2,582,605	1,740,641	1,813,426
Cottonseed	343,341	315,407	225,092	338,407	328,220	372,433
Oil crops	197,235	258,772	185,665	230,275	162,354	264,375
Peanuts	162,597	200,376	117,082	155,152	106,778	204,161
Soybeans	28,189	45,598	45,036	52,338	34,826	32,823
Sunflower	6,449	12,798	23,547	22,784	20,750	27,391
Vegetables and melons	533,822	448,490	462,653	580,029	391,869	439,068
Dry beans	6,933	9,242	11,930	9,881	5,636	5,248
Potatoes	67,026	84,058	91,889	76,824	76,977	126,585
Potatoes, Spring	20,469	29,216	26,899	19,311	NA	NA
Potatoes, Summer	46,557	54,842	64,990	57,513	NA	NA
Sweet potatoes	3,174	3,088	2,492	NA	NA	NA
Cabbage, Fresh	41,472	46,122	32,400	50,419	25,200	30,420
Carrots, Fresh	8,400	7,800	8,294	8,619	8,450	8,450
Corn, Sweet, Fresh	3,848	3,542	3,432	3,564	3,361	4,680

Texas Agricultural Cash Receipts by Commodity Groups and Selected Commodities, 2007-2012

Commodity	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
	Thousands of Dollars					
Cucumbers	15,290	21,484	22,833	20,486	7,719	7,695
Cucumbers, Fresh	2,783	2,392	3,159	4,056	4,050	3,900
Cucumbers, Processing	12,507	19,092	19,674	16,430	3,669	3,795
Onions	186,520	44,436	48,017	140,518	56,268	NA
Onions, Spring	174,720	35,084	41,141	133,833	49,392	52,650
Onions, Summer, Nonstorage	11,800	9,352	6,876	6,685	6,876	NA
Peppers, Chile	12,192	13,883	18,701	20,460	10,190	6,829
Spinach, Fresh	2,400	3,432	1,936	4,370	2,635	5,478
Squash	14,700	12,690	6,412	13,056	5,801	8,721
Tomatoes	6,020	8,008	6,451	NA	NA	NA
Tomatoes, Fresh	6,020	8,008	6,451	NA	NA	NA
Cantaloups	14,040	6,732	6,960	9,266	8,828	9,987
Honeydews	7,462	5,538	4,410	5,804	5,130	5,818
Watermelon	35,834	52,592	47,986	52,290	45,150	51,888
Fruits and nuts	178,198	112,685	170,027	284,225	181,106	190,406
Grapefruit	54,460	38,105	38,626	45,772	50,036	48,505
Grapefruit, Pink seedless, Fresh	46,118	36,176	34,836	42,502	44,991	45,283
Grapefruit, Pink seedless,	8,342	1,929	3,790	3,271	5,045	3,222
Oranges	11,017	8,941	14,333	21,542	19,134	15,504
Grapes	4,751	4,804	3,554	10,657	6,987	10,564
Peaches	11,115	13,230	7,220	27,300	9,300	18,870
Pecans	77,600	32,650	89,250	159,000	77,900	74,760
All other crops	1,957,799	1,925,883	1,739,909	1,763,955	1,677,293	1,716,288
Cane for sugar	34,164	35,497	31,800	47,237	54,976	52,638
Greenhouse and nursery	1,511,042	1,447,542	1,283,399	1,322,198	1,210,064	1,266,182
Floriculture	259,232	267,282	244,478	283,272	254,660	281,712

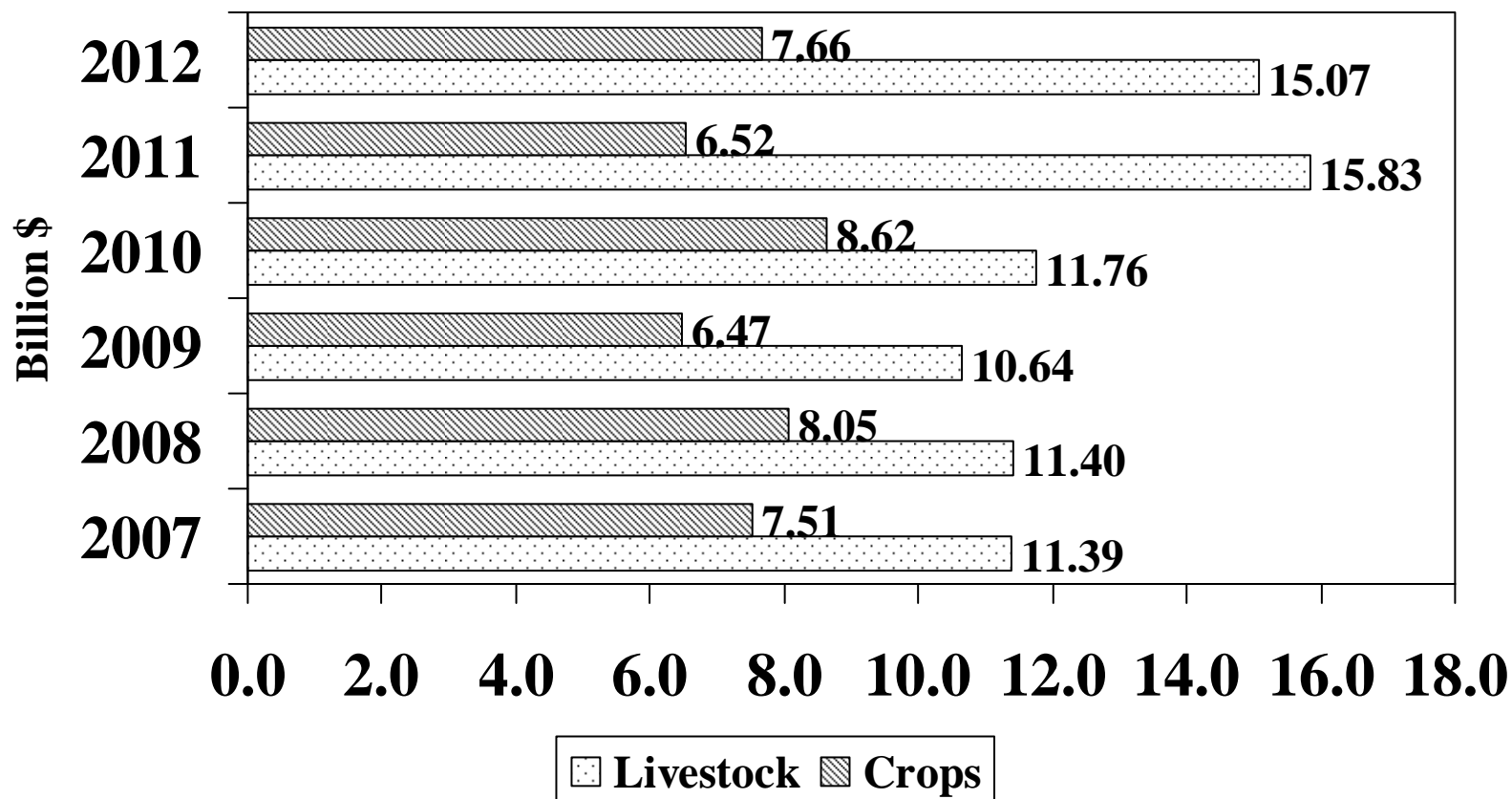
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[USDA/ERS Farm Income and Wealth Statistics](http://www.ers.usda.gov/data-products/farm-income-and-wealth-statistics)

Texas Agricultural Cash Receipts by Commodities, 2007 - 2012



2012 estimated by USDA/ERS/NASS

Cash Receipts by Commodity Rank and Share of U.S. Total, 2011
Nominal (current dollars)

Rank	Commodity	State Receipts	Share of State	Cumulative	U.S. Receipts	Share of U.S.
		<i>\$1,000</i>	Receipts <i>Percent</i>	Share of State Receipts <i>Percent</i>	<i>\$1,000</i>	Receipts by Commodity <i>Percent</i>
	All commodities	22,726,067	100.0		395,068,677	5.8
	Livestock and products	15,066,128	66.3		171,584,157	8.8
	Crops	7,659,939	33.7		223,484,520	3.4
1	Cattle and calves	10,543,163	46.4	46.4	67,949,759	15.5
2	Cotton lint	1,851,947	8.1	54.5	7,388,783	25.1
3	Dairy products, Milk	1,789,964	7.9	62.4	37,003,818	4.8
4	Broilers	1,747,250	7.7	70.1	24,764,850	7.1
5	Greenhouse and nursery	1,266,182	5.6	75.7	15,554,500	8.1
6	Corn	1,164,788	5.1	80.8	69,211,091	1.7
7	Sorghum grain	594,054	2.6	83.4	1,404,645	42.3
8	Wheat	538,097	2.4	85.8	15,333,036	3.5
9	Chicken eggs	439,020	1.9	87.7	7,823,140	5.6
10	Cottonseed	372,433	1.6	89.4	1,196,409	31.1
11	Hay	356,876	1.6	90.9	7,262,073	4.9
12	Peanuts	204,161	0.9	91.8	2,281,092	9.0
13	Rice	162,586	0.7	92.5	2,815,047	5.8
14	Hogs	143,937	0.6	93.2	22,193,115	0.6
15	Potatoes	126,585	0.6	93.7	3,793,001	3.3
16	Pecans	74,760	0.3	94.1	476,781	15.7
17	Cane for sugar	52,638	0.2	94.3	1,484,401	3.5
18	Watermelon	51,888	0.2	94.5	520,799	10.0
19	Grapefruit	48,505	0.2	94.7	269,237	18.0
20	Soybeans	32,823	0.1	94.9	40,733,816	0.1
21	Cabbage	30,420	0.1	95.0	389,400	7.8
22	Sunflower	27,391	0.1	95.1	647,123	4.2
23	Peaches	18,870	0.1	95.2	631,223	3.0
24	Oranges	15,504	0.1	95.3	2,190,952	0.7
25	Grapes	10,564	0.0	95.3	4,909,477	0.2
26	Cantaloups	9,987	0.0	95.4	326,113	3.1
27	Honey	9,880	0.0	95.4	289,642	3.4
28	Squash	8,721	0.0	95.5	248,725	3.5
29	Cucumbers	7,695	0.0	95.5	421,910	1.8
30	Peppers, Chile	6,829	0.0	95.5	175,145	3.9
31	Oats	6,309	0.0	95.5	109,093	5.8
32	Honeydews	5,818	0.0	95.6	69,826	8.3
33	Dry beans	5,248	0.0	95.6	1,068,289	0.5
34	Farm chickens	4,955	0.0	95.6	78,971	6.3
35	Corn, Sweet	4,680	0.0	95.6	1,195,055	0.4
36	Wool	3,841	0.0	95.7	43,607	8.8
37	Mohair	2,256	0.0	95.7	2,688	83.9

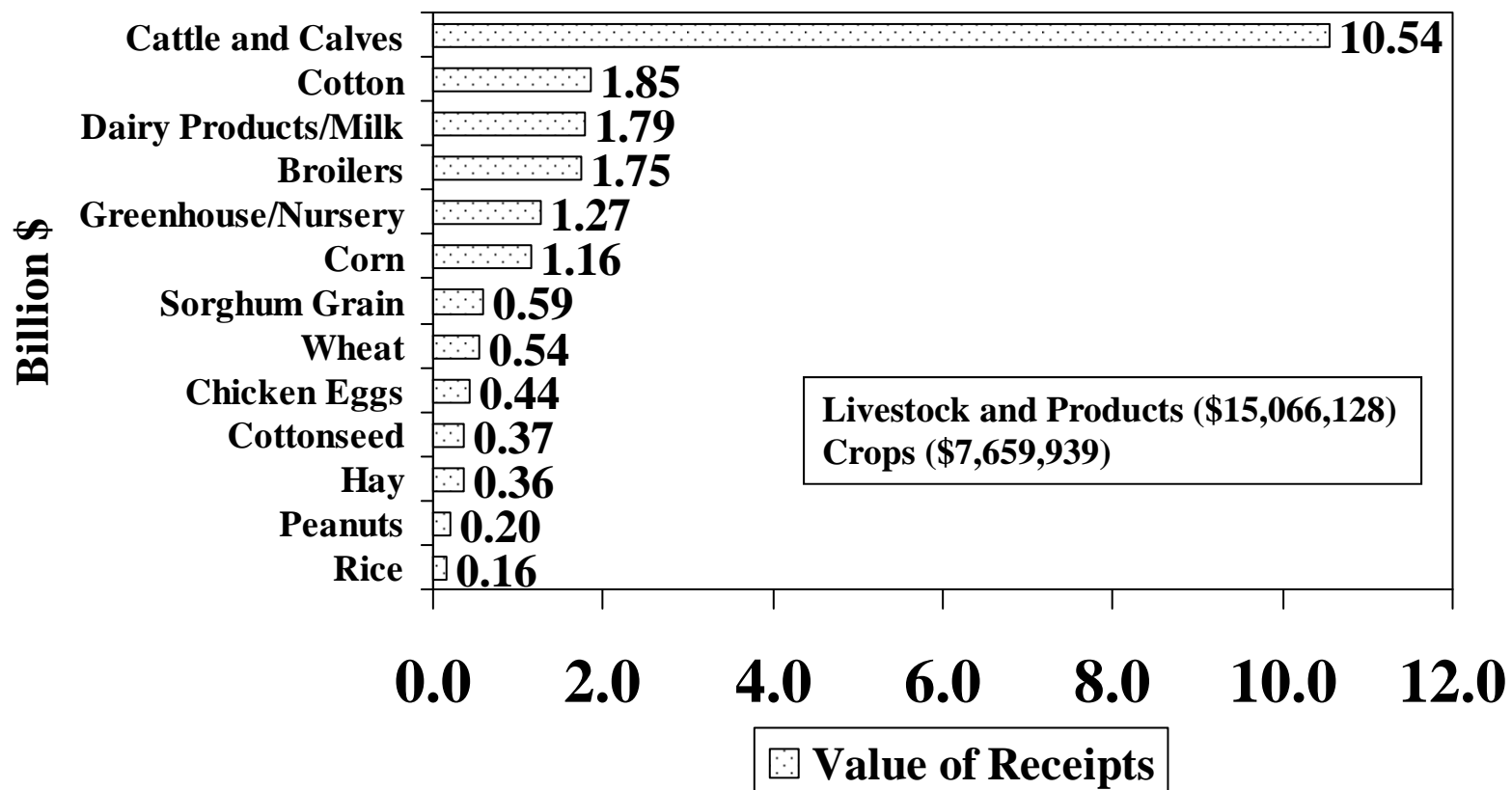
Footnotes

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Values are rounded to the nearest thousand.

USDA/ERS Farm Income and Wealth Statistics

Texas: Leading Commodities for Cash Receipts, 2012



2012 estimated by USDA/ERS

Texas' Export Share of Agricultural Commodities, 2007 - 2012

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2012 Texas' Share of U.S. Exports
Beef and veal	401.7	476.2	487.6	599.2	960.0	854.8	15.52
Pork	20.1	39.4	37.8	22.9	33.9	41.0	0.65
Hides and skins	331.6	307.6	231.8	335.6	471.5	430.5	15.52
Dairy products	121.8	168.9	107.7	177.0	240.3	247.9	4.83
Chicken meat	196.8	265.0	272.9	253.7	291.2	322.9	7.78
Vegetables, fresh	44.7	38.0	38.2	53.4	35.9	38.9	1.80
Vegetables, processed	61.4	61.6	61.5	83.2	58.2	73.1	1.80
Fruits, fresh	38.4	37.3	36.9	54.2	46.1	53.5	1.08
Fruits, processed	25.4	24.5	23.6	33.6	29.4	31.3	1.08
Tree nuts	57.2	29.7	81.3	122.7	60.2	65.9	1.01
Wheat	504.5	605.5	123.0	330.2	321.4	286.3	3.51
Rice	72.5	121.4	117.1	119.2	121.9	119.1	5.78
Corn	211.0	333.5	220.1	262.0	178.1	157.2	1.68
Grain products	203.7	198.8	153.3	193.6	122.7	171.4	2.90
Feeds and fodder	144.6	157.3	153.0	199.4	115.2	172.4	2.69
Soybeans	12.2	26.6	21.9	28.3	18.4	19.8	0.08
Soybean meal	2.6	5.5	4.7	5.3	3.4	4.0	0.08
Vegetable oils	53.2	76.1	35.2	59.5	53.6	58.3	1.40
Sugar and products	17.6	19.6	14.7	22.0	30.7	27.2	1.34
Cotton	1,291.9	1,952.0	1,361.4	2,261.3	2,389.9	1,564.6	25.01
Planting seeds	203.3	246.8	224.8	227.7	264.4	243.9	16.03
Other products 2/	1,269.9	1,290.6	1,166.0	1,327.8	1,494.5	1,483.7	7.26
Total agricultural exports	5,286.2	6,482.0	4,974.5	6,771.7	7,340.9	6,467.6	4.58

1/ Export values are calibrated such that the sum of State export estimates for a commodity equals the total U.S. export value for the commodity.

2/ Includes other animal and poultry products, other grains and oilseeds, wine, beer, other beverages, coffee, chocolate, other horticulture products, and prepared foods.

Data sources: USDA Economic Research Service; USDA Foreign Agricultural Service
(Global Agricultural Trade System)

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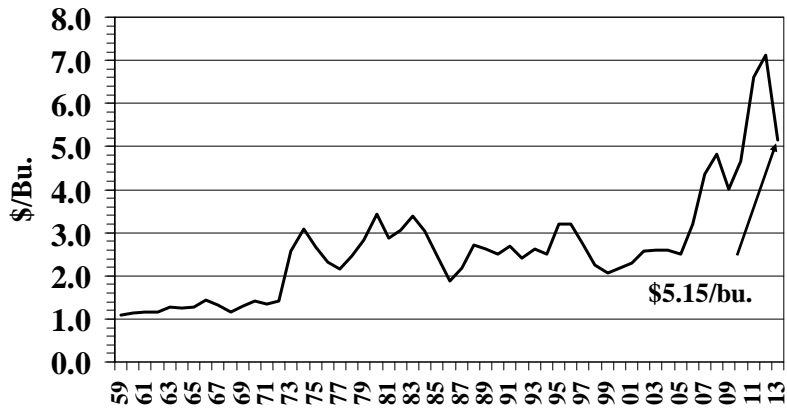
Front of a general store in a small cotton town in Texas, June 1937

Texas Marketing Year Average Prices Received by Farmers, Crops, 1965 - 2013

Year	Corn for Grain	Upland Cotton	All Hay	Oats	Peanuts	Rice	Grain Sorghum	Wheat
	\$/bu.	¢/lb.	\$/ton	\$/bu.	¢/lb.	\$/cwt.	\$/cwt.	\$/bu.
1965	1.27	27.10	22.30	0.71	11.00	5.04	1.77	1.34
1966	1.43	17.60	22.50	0.75	11.00	5.13	1.84	1.66
1967	1.32	20.40	25.00	0.82	11.20	4.94	1.81	1.46
1968	1.15	20.20	23.50	0.74	11.70	4.97	1.73	1.26
1969	1.29	19.30	25.50	0.68	11.90	4.88	1.95	1.25
1970	1.42	20.60	26.50	0.70	12.20	5.25	2.14	1.30
1971	1.34	26.60	30.00	0.85	12.80	5.35	2.00	1.45
1972	1.42	23.00	29.00	0.85	13.60	6.44	2.55	1.56
1973	2.57	46.00	35.50	1.12	15.90	14.80	3.89	3.04
1974	3.09	34.90	47.00	1.48	17.20	10.90	4.78	3.87
1975	2.66	45.80	47.00	1.51	18.60	8.81	4.28	3.38
1976	2.33	61.60	49.00	1.64	18.90	7.21	3.68	3.04
1977	2.16	49.70	49.00	1.23	19.60	9.55	3.42	2.15
1978	2.45	53.70	53.50	1.30	20.20	9.27	3.86	2.93
1979	2.82	56.46	53.50	1.55	20.90	11.60	4.55	3.86
1980	3.44	68.40	65.50	1.84	35.10	12.80	5.61	3.74
1981	2.88	50.12	63.00	1.97	26.50	10.40	4.44	3.65
1982	3.07	52.27	72.50	2.12	25.60	8.94	4.42	3.42
1983	3.39	62.61	77.50	1.78	25.30	9.97	5.20	3.38
1984	3.03	54.24	96.00	2.16	25.90	8.90	4.64	3.39
1985	2.49	51.46	68.00	1.97	25.50	7.38	3.93	2.97
1986	1.87	47.56	60.00	1.65	29.60	4.22	2.86	2.32
1987	2.17	58.73	65.00	2.00	27.00	8.07	3.18	2.36
1988*	2.71	51.39	74.00	2.42	26.80	7.24	4.49	3.39
1989	2.63	59.19	75.00	2.06	28.20	8.02	3.93	3.79
1990	2.51	63.65	67.50	1.51	41.90	7.41	4.15	2.74
1991	2.68	51.96	62.50	1.43	28.00	8.15	4.34	2.69
1992	2.41	49.12	64.00	1.66	26.90	6.17	3.62	3.18
1993	2.61	55.09	68.00	1.59	29.60	7.60	4.46	2.86
1994	2.51	70.10	69.00	1.83	28.50	7.12	4.05	3.22
1995	3.19	74.63	72.00	2.19	28.70	9.73	6.06	4.19
1996	3.19	66.35	98.00	3.43	24.80	10.80	4.83	4.98
1997	2.74	62.86	72.00	2.36	24.30	10.90	4.25	3.25
1998	2.26	57.05	89.00	1.44	24.60	9.32	3.56	2.66
1999	2.07	42.24	71.50	1.54	20.60	6.04	3.08	2.28
2000	2.18	45.90	76.00	1.60	24.60	5.82	3.28	2.52
2001	2.29	28.40	75.00	2.20	22.60	4.61	3.64	2.78
2002	2.57	40.00	77.00	1.72	18.20	4.16	4.18	3.02
2003	2.59	57.70	74.00	2.20	19.50	7.35	4.13	3.06
2004	2.60	40.20	77.00	1.91	19.20	7.96	3.99	3.34
2005	2.47	46.40	92.00	2.40	18.00	7.77	3.89	3.44
2006	3.20	46.30	131.00	2.43	18.70	10.00	5.24	4.47
2007	4.35	60.40	135.00	3.47	23.50	12.40	6.60	6.40
2008	4.82	43.80	119.00	4.00	24.00	15.70	6.91	7.58
2009	4.01	59.90	124.00	4.51	23.10	12.90	6.00	5.27
2010	4.67	79.90	123.00	4.14	26.60	11.90	7.26	5.25
2011	6.61	81.90	173.00	5.70	43.10	14.00	10.40	7.34
2012	7.12	69.80	121.00	5.94	37.50	15.20	11.20	6.72
2013**	5.15	73.90	122.00	3.65	31.20	17.00	8.40	7.00

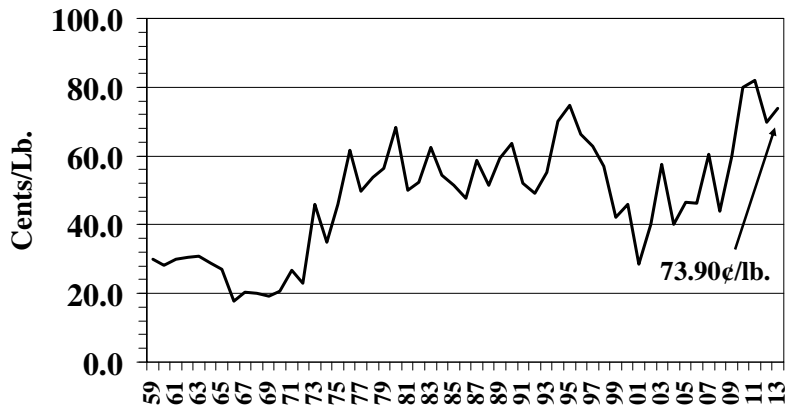
Source: Texas Ag Facts, Annual Summary, February; Texas Ag Statistics, Annual Summary, USDA/NASS/Texas Field Office Austin. Numbers revised from USDA/NASS/Quick Stats Program. *After 1988 all hay market year average price cannot be derived from value and production. **Preliminary

Texas Corn for Grain Prices Received 1959 - 2013



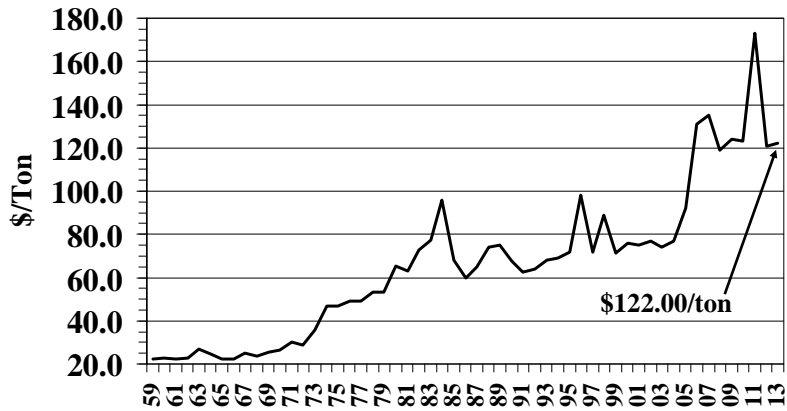
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Texas Upland Cotton Prices Received 1959 - 2013



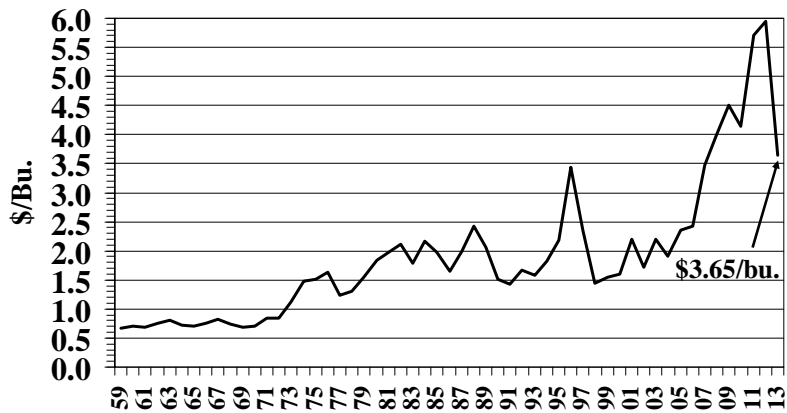
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Texas All Hay Prices Received 1959 - 2013



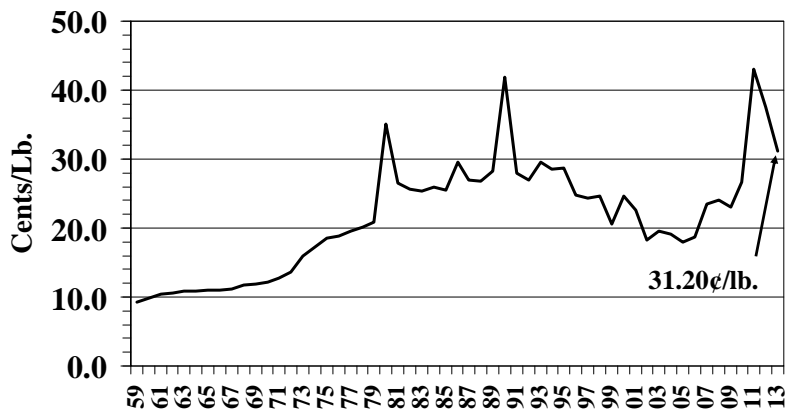
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Texas Oats Prices Received 1959 - 2013



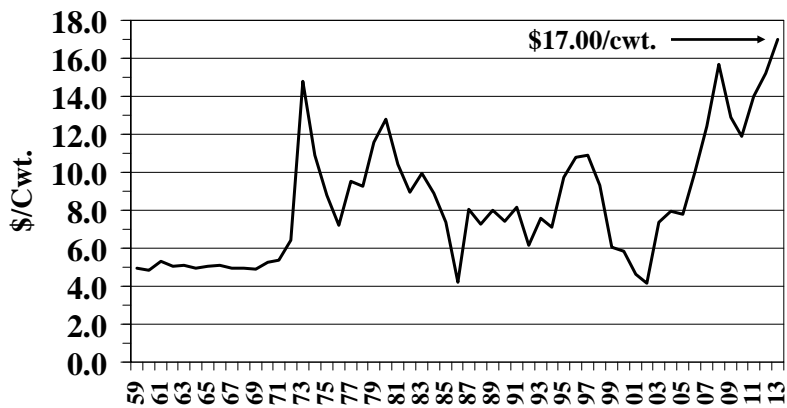
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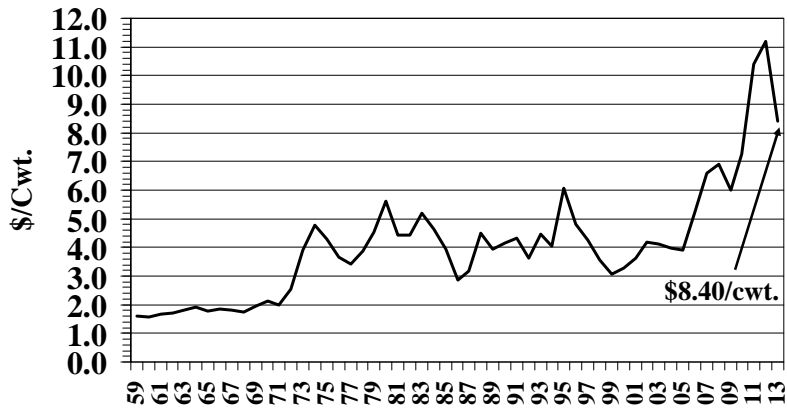
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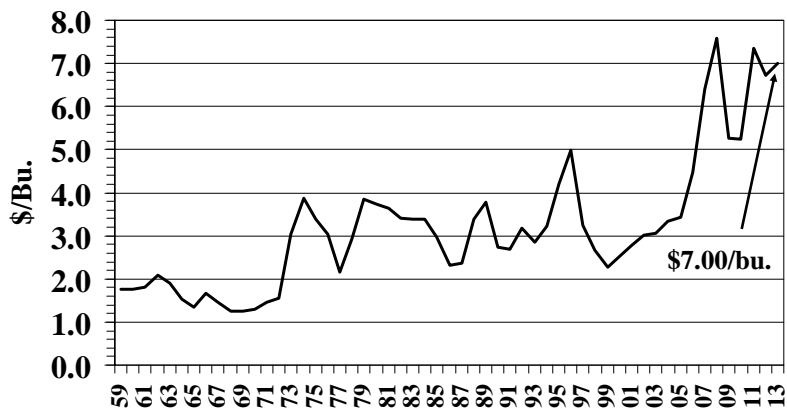
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Texas Grain Sorghum Prices Received 1959 - 2013



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Texas Wheat Prices Received 1959 - 2013



2013 Preliminary
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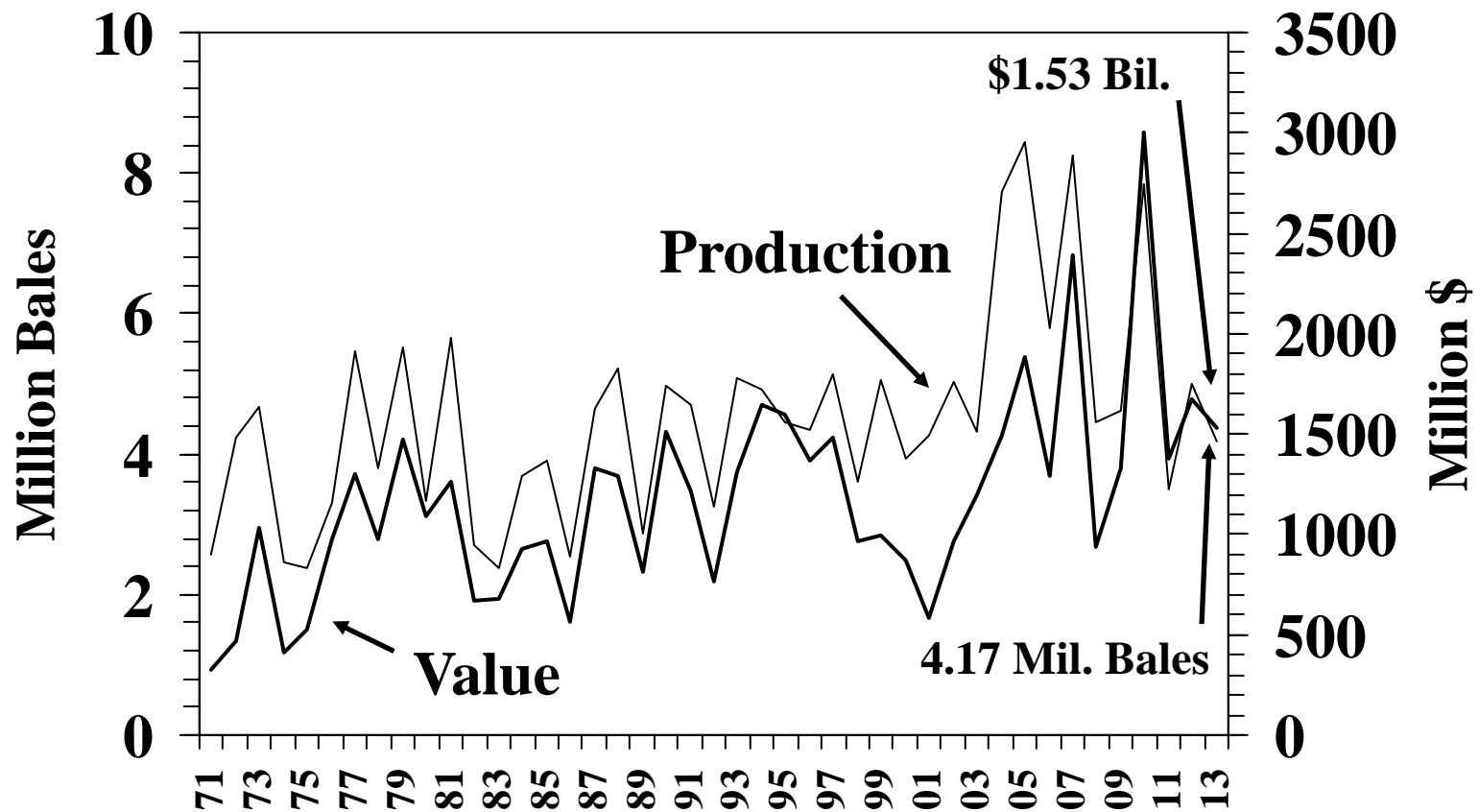
Value of Texas Upland Cotton and Cottonseed

The following table was compiled by Texas Cottonseed Crushers from their historical records and reports of the U.S. Department of Commerce and Department of Agriculture.

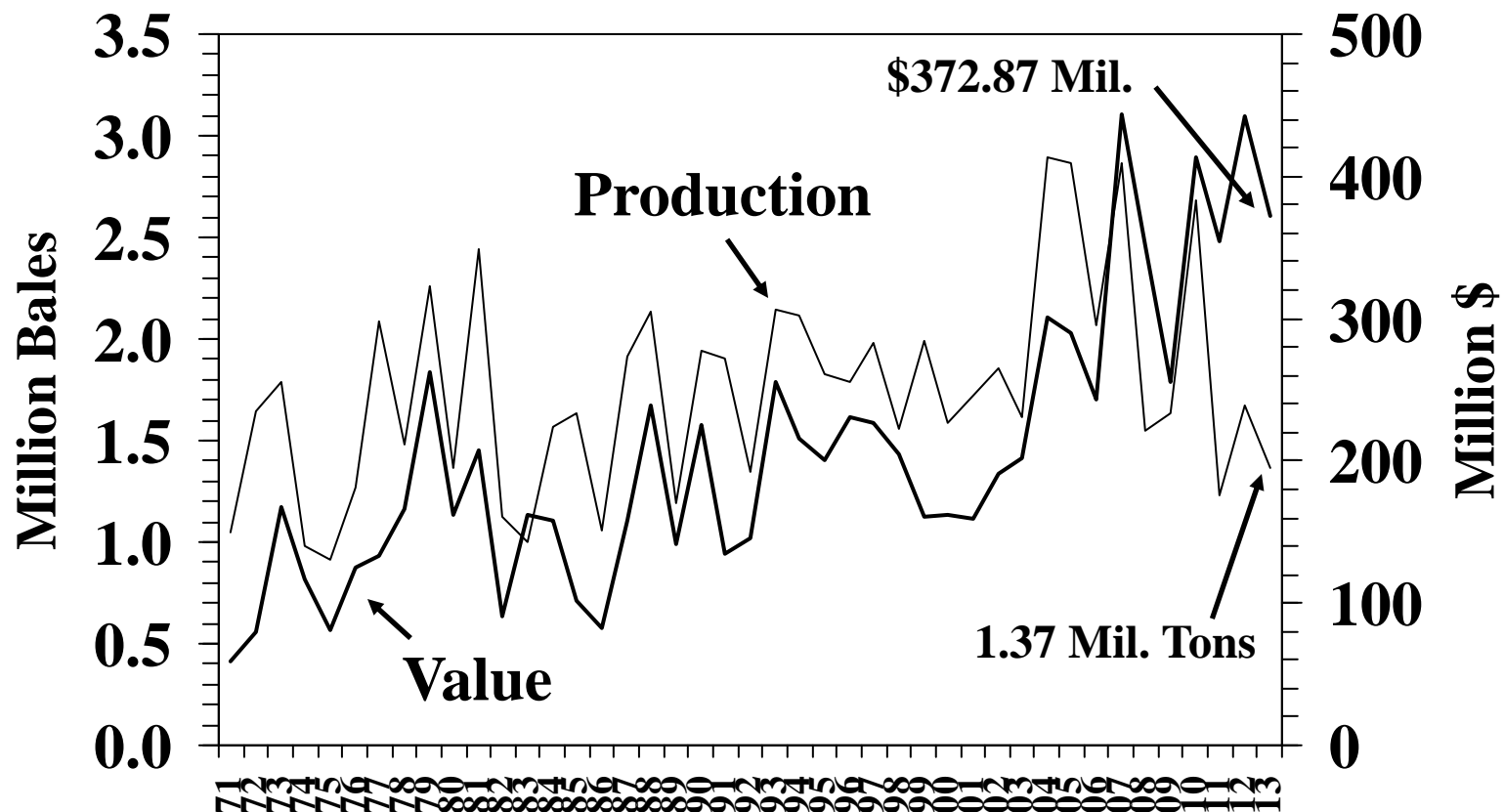
Crop Year	Upland Cotton		Cottonseed	
	Production	Value	Production	Value
	000 Bales	000 \$	000 Tons	000 \$
1977	5,465	1,303,730	2,089	133,696
1978	3,792	977,426	1,483	166,069
1979	5,515	1,474,490	2,264	262,624
1980	3,320	1,091,616	1,361	161,959
1981	5,645	1,259,964	2,438	207,230
1982	2,700	664,848	1,122	90,882
1983	2,380	677,443	1,002	162,324
1984	3,680	927,360	1,563	157,863
1985	3,910	968,429	1,635	102,156
1986	2,535	560,945	1,053	82,118
1987	4,635	1,325,981	1,915	157,971
1988	5,215	1,291,651	2,131	238,672
1989	2,870	812,784	1,189	141,491
1990	4,965	1,506,182	1,943	225,388
1991	4,710	1,211,789	1,903	134,162
1992	3,265	769,495	1,346	145,368
1993	5,095	1,308,396	2,147	255,493
1994	4,915	1,642,003	2,111	215,322
1995	4,460	1,597,037	1,828	201,080
1996	4,345	1,368,154	1,784	230,136
1997	5,140	1,482,787	1,983	226,062
1998	3,600	969,408	1,558	204,098
1999	5,050	993,840	1,987	160,947
2000	3,940	868,061	1,589	162,078
2001	4,260	580,723	1,724	159,470
2002	5,040	967,680	1,855	191,065
2003	4,330	1,199,237	1,616	202,000
2004	7,740	1,493,510	2,895	301,080
2005	8,440	1,879,757	2,869	289,739
2006	5,800	1,288,992	2,066	243,776
2007	8,250	2,391,180	2,861	443,409
2008	4,450	935,568	1,547	351,192
2009	4,620	1,328,342	1,634	254,904
2010	7,840	3,006,797	2,685	413,490
2011	3,500	1,375,920	1,228	354,892
2012	5,000	1,675,200	1,669	442,285
2013	4,170	1,525,296	1,368	372,872

Source: "Texas Agricultural Facts", Crop Value Annual Summary, February 2014 and "Texas Ag Statistics", Texas Field Office, Austin, Texas, annual summary; USDA/NASS Quick Stats.

Production and Value of Texas Upland Cotton, 1971 - 2013



Production and Value of Texas Upland Cottonseed, 1971 - 2013



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Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, College Station, Texas, January 1943

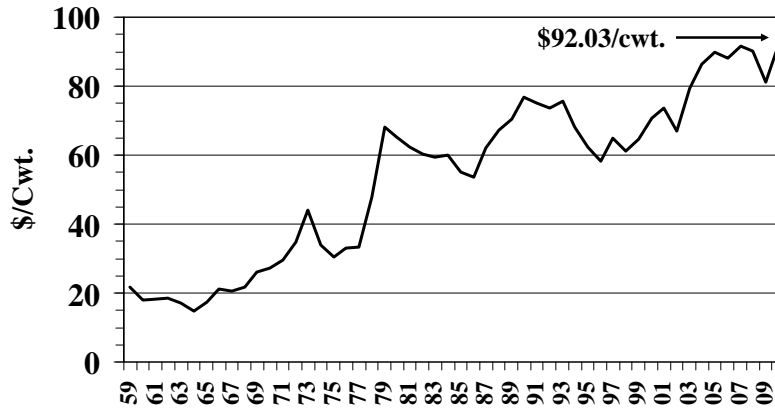
Texas Marketing Year Average Prices Received by Farmers, Livestock and Livestock Products, 1968-2013

Year	Beef Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Lambs	Commercial Broilers	Market Eggs	Milk (Wholesale)
	-----\$/100 lbs -----					¢/lb	¢/doz.	\$/100 lbs.
1968	21.80	26.20	18.10	9.00	22.50	14.40	36.90	6.35
1969	26.00	31.00	21.60	11.30	26.40	15.50	45.00	6.74
1970	27.30	33.20	22.50	11.20	24.80	13.70	42.10	6.86
1971	29.60	35.50	16.60	8.50	25.30	14.10	33.90	6.95
1972	34.90	44.50	24.00	19.60	29.40	14.20	33.70	7.17
1973	44.00	57.70	37.90	16.40	35.20	22.80	55.50	8.18
1974	34.00	33.70	33.30	14.20	35.70	21.30	56.20	9.22
1975	30.30	24.80	43.70	15.90	41.20	27.80	59.60	9.45
1976	32.90	33.10	41.50	16.70	50.30	25.00	66.60	10.60
1977	33.20	34.70	38.00	16.30	52.20	25.30	62.30	10.70
1978	47.70	60.10	43.80	27.20	67.60	28.00	60.80	11.60
1979	68.20	88.30	39.70	29.40	69.10	27.50	65.90	13.10
1980	65.20	73.60	35.90	22.70	66.70	29.50	64.90	13.90
1981	62.40	62.50	41.70	23.20	56.80	30.00	71.60	14.80
1982	60.40	59.40	49.60	22.40	53.60	29.00	69.00	14.60
1983	59.30	62.50	45.20	15.70	54.40	30.00	70.00	14.50
1984	60.00	60.70	45.50	18.30	59.70	35.00	82.00	14.30
1985	55.00	62.20	43.40	30.10	69.60	32.00	65.00	13.80
1986	53.50	60.60	47.30	27.30	71.60	36.00	70.20	13.60
1987	62.10	78.70	50.60	33.00	84.80	31.00	67.20	13.70
1988	67.20	86.90	41.30	28.80	75.10	35.00	56.90	13.20
1989	70.40	89.00	39.90	30.00	71.10	38.50	74.50	14.30
1990	76.80	94.30	48.20	29.80	58.90	35.00	66.80	14.70
1991	75.20	96.20	45.10	27.40	52.70	34.00	62.50	12.70
1992	73.70	85.80	36.40	29.30	62.00	35.00	51.10	13.70
1993	75.60	95.20	39.90	34.40	64.90	37.50	56.90	13.30
1994	68.10	87.40	35.10	35.70	64.80	39.50	49.60	13.40
1995	62.20	71.80	35.50	33.40	78.50	37.00	54.10	13.00
1996	58.30	54.70	45.90	34.20	87.80	38.50	72.20	15.10
1997	65.00	86.30	47.40	44.70	90.50	37.00	59.50	13.70
1998	61.10	84.00	30.70	37.10	73.30	39.00	53.10	15.70
1999	64.60	89.50	27.50	38.90	76.50	37.00	44.00	15.00
2000	70.70	107.00	36.60	41.10	81.20	34.00	43.10	13.40
2001	73.50	107.00	39.10	42.70	74.80	39.00	44.90	15.80
2002	67.10	95.50	28.70	35.30	75.90	31.00	43.30	12.90
2003	79.50	102.00	33.60	39.60	97.10	35.00	55.90	13.00
2004	86.50	123.00	44.90	43.40	110.00	45.00	53.20	16.30
2005	89.90	136.00	45.40	52.10	113.00	44.00	33.30	15.30
2006	88.10	132.00	40.80	37.10	92.40	36.00	37.30	13.30
2007	91.60	122.00	39.70	35.30	98.10	43.00	72.60	19.70
2008	90.20	110.00	40.50	30.20	98.10	46.00	98.60	18.70
2009	81.10	104.00	37.60	34.70	109.00	45.70	64.10	13.33
2010	92.03*	118.00*	50.20*	52.00*	134.00*	48.20	NA	17.10
2011	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	45.90	NA	20.80
2012	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	50.00	NA	18.70
2013**	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	60.60	NA	20.40

Source: "Texas Agricultural Statistics, 2009"; Texas Ag Facts, bimonthly issues, Texas Field Office/Austin. USDA/NASS Data Statistics.

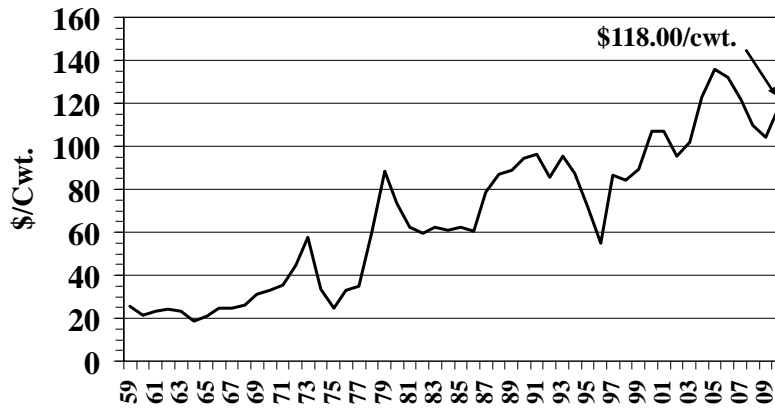
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Texas Beef Cattle Prices Received 1959 - 2010



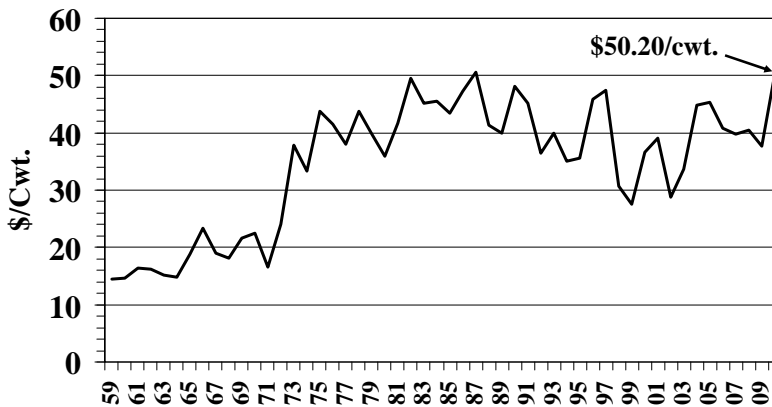
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Note: Prices Received by Farmers

Texas Calf Prices Received 1959 - 2010



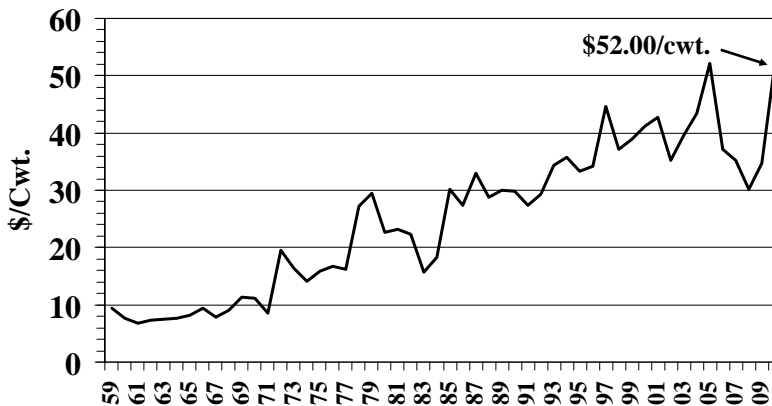
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Texas Hog Prices Received 1959 - 2010



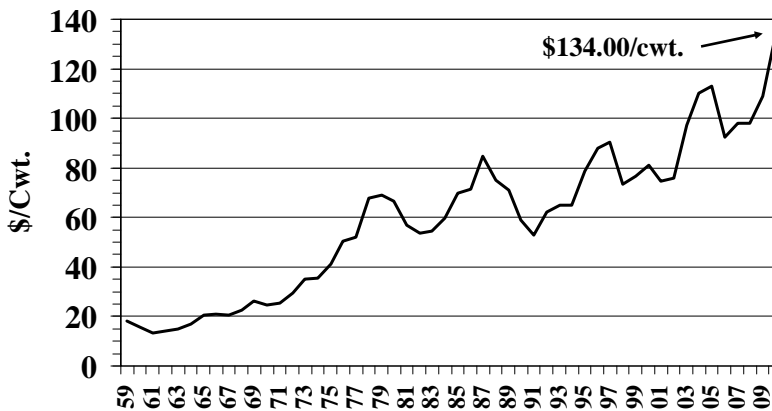
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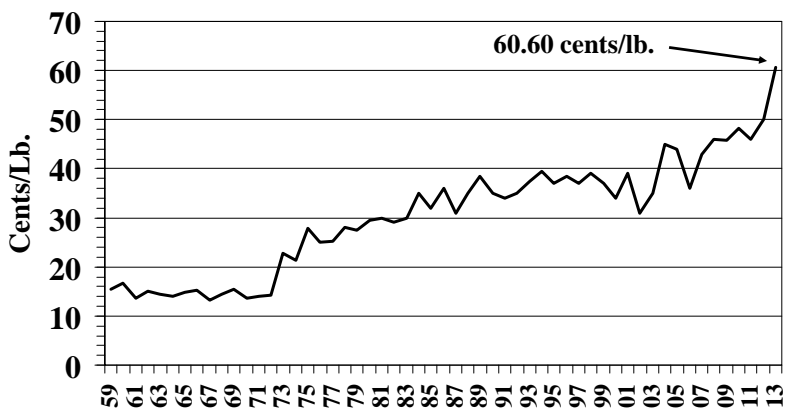
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Texas Lamb Prices Received 1959 - 2010



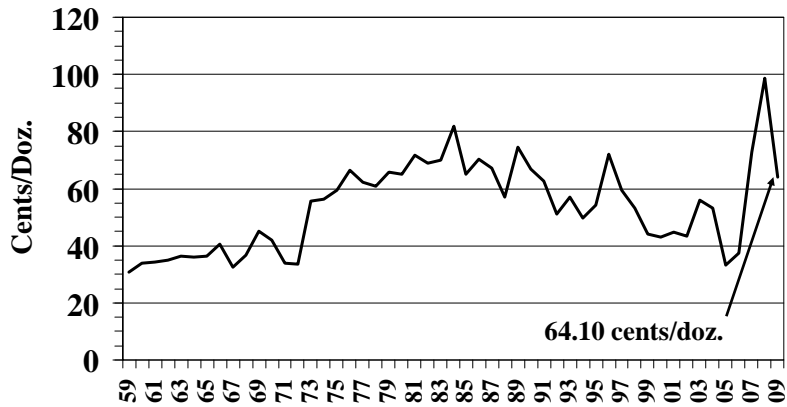
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Texas Commercial Broiler Prices Received 1959 - 2013



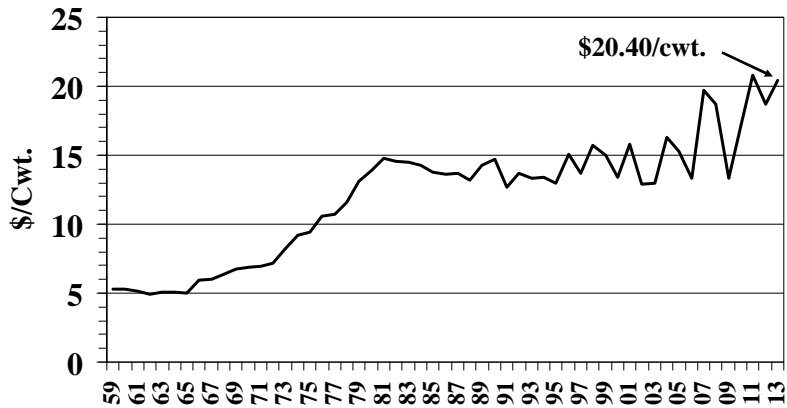
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Texas Market Egg Prices Received 1959 - 2009



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Note: Prices Received by Farmers

Texas Milk (Wholesale) Prices Received 1959 - 2013



Note: Prices Received by Farmers

Texas Livestock Numbers and Values

Class of Livestock	Number of Head				Farm Value					
				2014 as % of 2013	Value Per Head			Total Value		
	2012	2013	2014 Preliminary		2012	2013	2014	2012	2013	2014
	Thousands		Thousands	%	Dollars			1,000 Dollars		
All Cattle†	11,900	11,300	10,900	96	\$1,010	\$1,040	\$1,090	\$12,019,000	\$11,752,000	\$11,881,000
Beef Cows*† . . .	4,565	4,015	3,910	97	---	---	---	---	---	---
Milk Cows*† . . .	435	435	440	101	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hogs**	820	610	NA	----	98	120	NA	80,360	73,200	NA
All Sheep†	670	700	740	106	153	142	163	102,510	99,400	120,620
Angora Goats† . .	85	72	75	104	89	122	121	7,565	8,784	9,075
Chickens**	24,732	24,876	NA	----	3.80	4.00	NA	93,982	99,504	NA
Total Value	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	\$12,303,417	\$12,032,888	\$12,010,695

*Included in "All Cattle."

**Figures as of December 1. Turkey figures not released to avoid disclosing individual operations.

†Figures are as of January 1.

NA = Not Available.

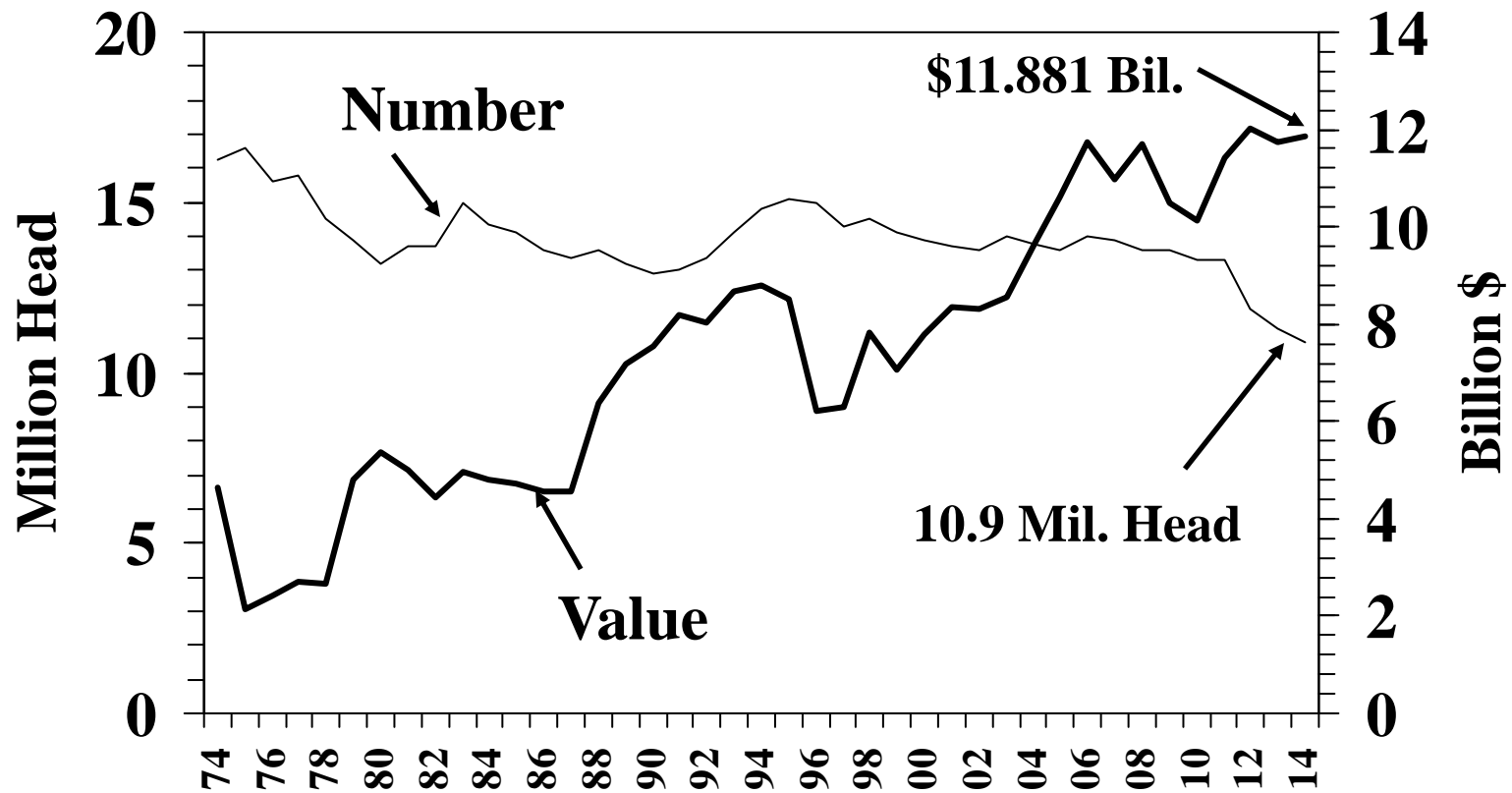
Source: USDA; "Agricultural Prices", February 2013 and 2014; Meat Animals Production, Disposition, and Income Summary, April 2014, NASS/USDA publications.

Texas All Cattle Inventory and Value

Year	January 1, Inventory	Average Price Per Head	Value
	1,000 Head	Dollars	\$1,000
1980	13,200	405.00	5,346,000
1981	13,700	365.00	5,000,500
1982	13,700	325.00	4,452,500
1983	15,000	330.00	4,950,000
1984	14,350	335.00	4,807,250
1985	14,100	335.00	4,723,500
1986	13,600	335.00	4,556,000
1987	13,400	340.00	4,556,000
1988	13,600	470.00	6,392,000
1989	13,200	545.00	7,194,000
1990	12,900	585.00	7,546,500
1991	13,000	630.00	8,190,000
1992	13,400	600.00	8,040,000
1993	14,100	615.00	8,671,500
1994	14,800	595.00	8,806,000
1995	15,100	565.00	8,531,500
1996	15,000	415.00	6,225,000
1997	14,300	440.00	6,292,000
1998	14,500	540.00	7,830,000
1999	14,100	500.00	7,050,000
2000	13,900	560.00	7,784,000
2001	13,700	610.00	8,357,000
2002	13,600	610.00	8,296,000
2003	14,000	610.00	8,540,000
2004	13,800	700.00	9,660,000
2005	13,600	780.00	10,608,000
2006	14,000	840.00	11,760,000
2007	13,900	790.00	10,981,000
2008	13,600	860.00	11,696,000
2009	13,600	770.00	10,472,000
2010	13,300	760.00	10,108,000
2011	13,300	860.00	11,438,000
2012	11,900	1,010.00	12,019,000
2013	11,300	1,040.00	11,752,000
2014	10,900	1,090.00	11,881,000

Source: "Texas Livestock Statistics", USDA/TASS, various years; Texas Field Office, USDA, various years; updated with "Texas Agricultural Statistics Service" annual report, October 2009, USDA "Agricultural Prices", February various years.

Texas All Cattle Number and Value 1974 - 2014



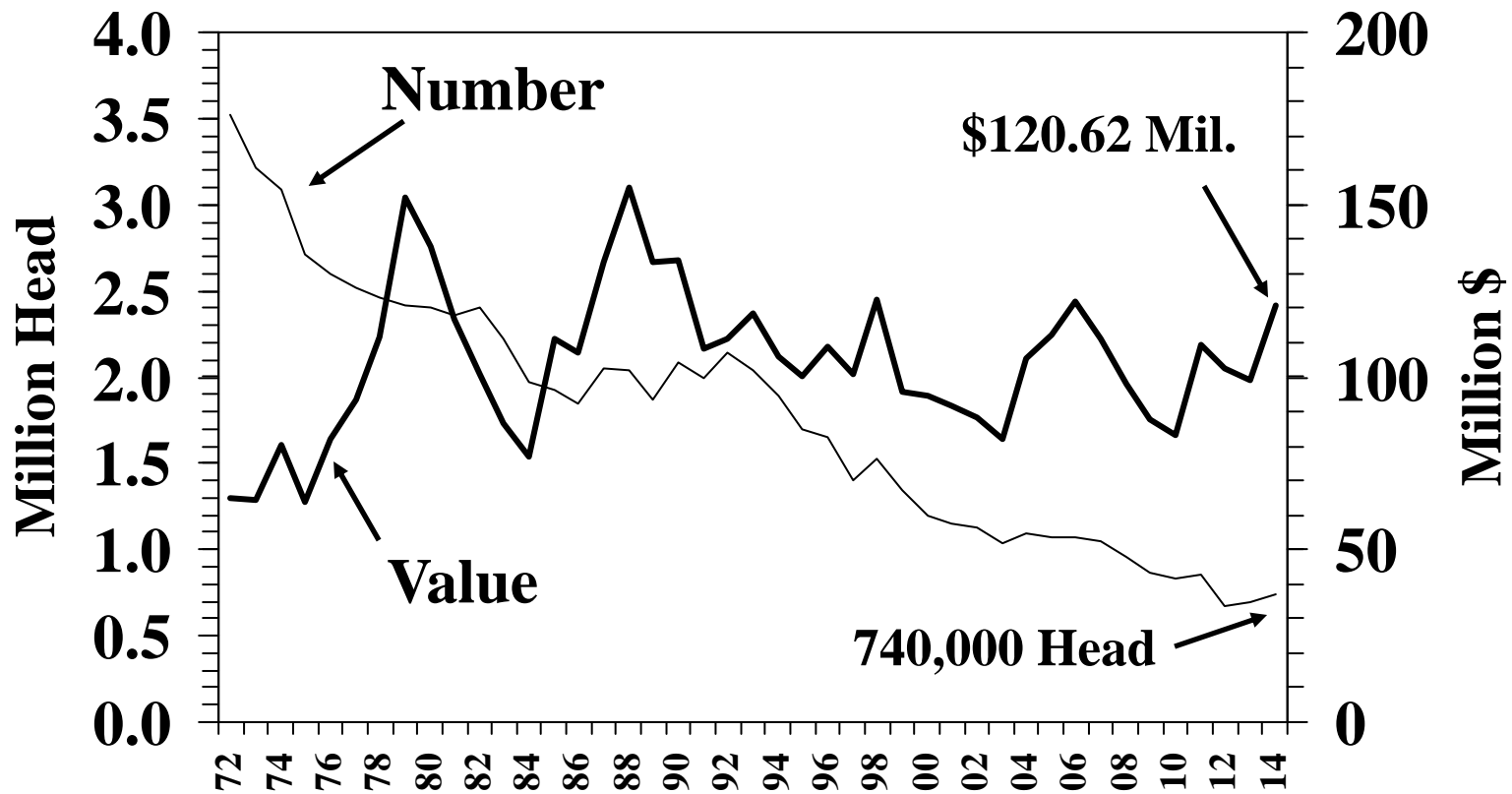
January 1 inventory

Texas Sheep and Wool Production

Year	Sheep		Wool	
	Number	Farm Value	Production	Value
		\$	(Lbs.)	\$
1977	2,520,000	93,240,000	21,000,000	17,220,000
1978	2,460,000	111,930,000	18,500,000	15,355,000
1979	2,415,000	152,145,000	19,075,000	18,503,000
1980	2,400,000	138,000,000	18,300,000	17,751,000
1981	2,360,000	116,820,000	20,500,000	24,600,000
1982	2,400,000	100,800,000	19,300,000	16,212,000
1983	2,225,000	86,775,000	18,600,000	15,438,000
1984	1,970,000	76,830,000	17,500,000	16,100,000
1985	1,930,000	110,975,000	16,200,000	13,284,000
1986	1,850,000	107,300,000	16,400,000	13,284,000
1987	2,050,000	133,250,000	16,400,000	19,844,000
1988	2,040,000	155,040,000	18,200,000	35,854,000
1989	1,870,000	133,445,000	18,000,000	27,180,000
1990	2,090,000	133,760,000	17,400,000	19,662,000
1991	2,000,000	108,000,000	16,700,000	13,861,000
1992	2,140,000	111,280,000	17,600,000	16,896,000
1993	2,040,000	118,320,000	17,000,000	11,050,000
1994	1,895,000	106,120,000	14,840,000	15,582,000
1995	1,700,000	100,300,000	13,468,000	15,488,000
1996	1,650,000	108,900,000	9,900,000	8,316,000
1997	1,400,000	100,800,000	10,950,000	11,607,000
1998	1,530,000	122,400,000	9,230,000	5,815,000
1999	1,350,000	95,850,000	7,956,000	3,898,000
2000	1,200,000	94,800,000	7,506,000	3,678,000
2001	1,150,000	92,000,000	6,003,000	3,122,000
2002	1,130,000	88,140,000	5,950,000	4,046,000
2003	1,040,000	82,160,000	5,600,000	5,040,000
2004	1,090,000	105,600,000	5,600,000	5,712,000
2005	1,070,000	112,350,000	5,550,000	5,328,000
2006	1,070,000	121,980,000	4,900,000	4,459,000
2007.....	1,050,000	111,300,000	4,500,000	5,445,000
2008.....	960,000	97,922,000	4,200,000	4,872,000
2009.....	870,000	87,870,000	3,500,000	3,640,000
2010.....	830,000	83,000,000	3,450,000	5,451,000
2011.....	850,000	109,650,000	2,600,000	5,746,000
2012.....	670,000	102,510,000	2,100,000	3,507,000
2013.....	700,000	99,400,000	2,300,000	4,048,000
2014.....	740,000	120,620,000	NA	NA

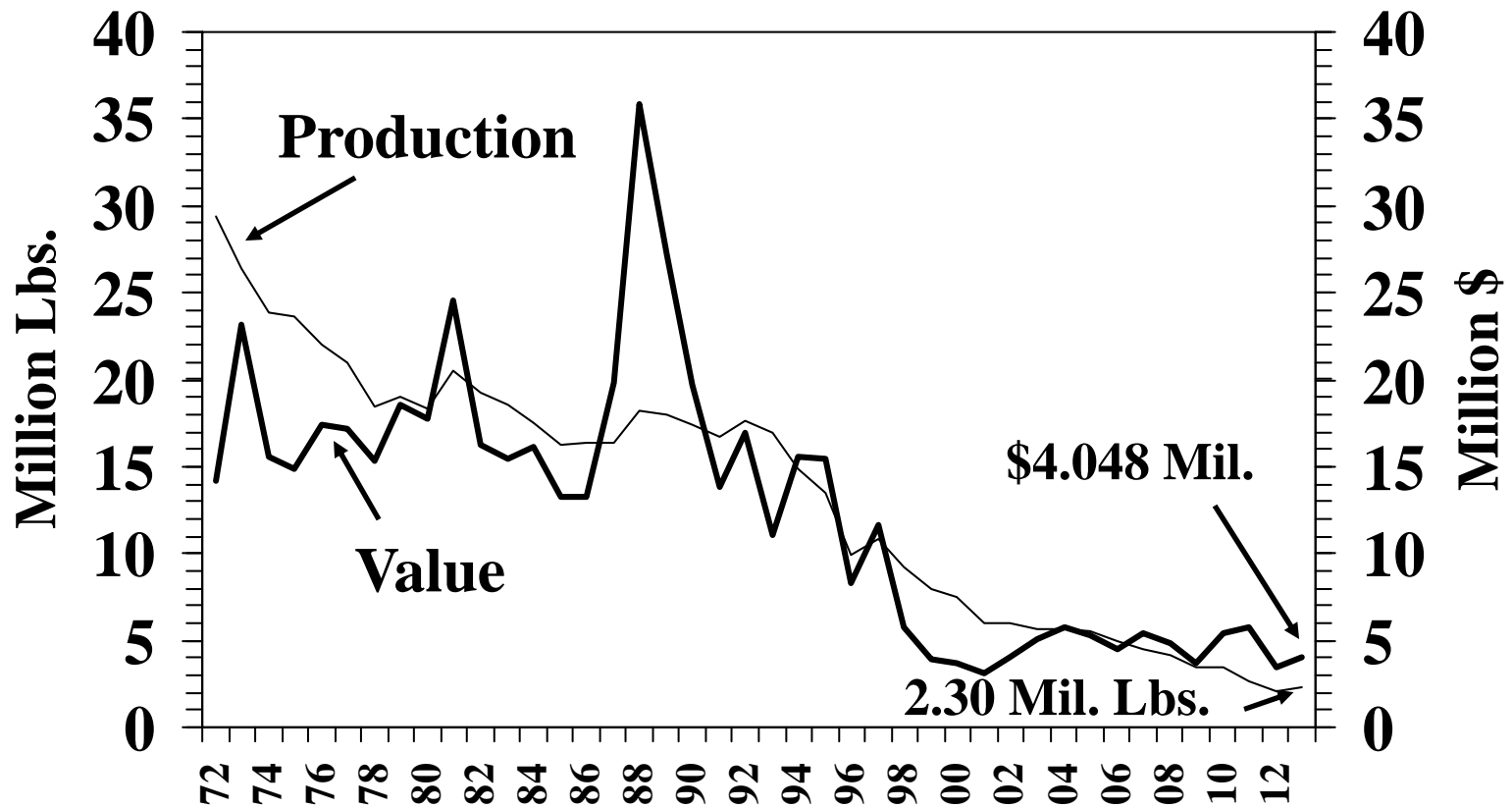
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Texas Sheep Number and Farm Value 1972 - 2014



January 1 inventory

Texas Wool Production and Value 1972 - 2013



January 1 inventory

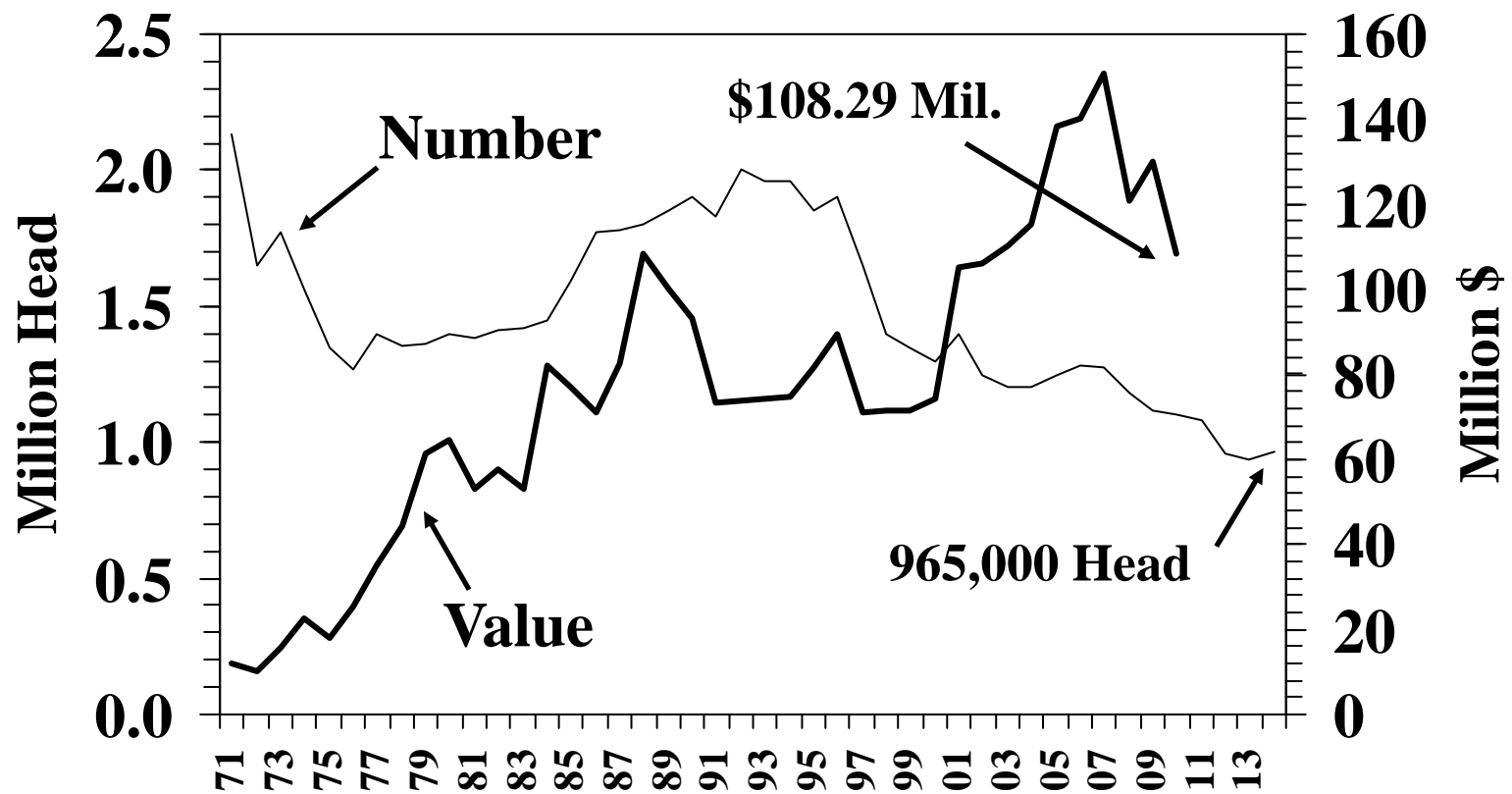
Texas Goats and Mohair

Year	Goats		Mohair	
	Number	Farm Value	Production	Value
		\$	(lbs.)	\$
1982	1,410,000	57,810,000	10,000,000	25,500,000
1983	1,420,000	53,250,000	10,600,000	42,930,000
1984	1,450,000	82,215,000	10,600,000	48,160,000
1985	1,590,000	76,797,000	13,300,000	45,885,000
1986	1,770,000	70,977,000	16,000,000	40,160,000
1987	1,780,000	82,592,000	16,200,000	42,606,000
1988	1,800,000	108,180,000	15,400,000	29,876,000
1989	1,850,000	100,270,000	15,400,000	24,794,000
1990	1,900,000	93,100,000	14,500,000	13,775,000
1991	1,830,000	73,200,000	14,800,000	19,388,000
1992	2,000,000	84,000,000	14,200,000	12,354,000
1993	1,960,000	84,280,000	13,490,000	11,197,000
1994	1,960,000	74,480,000	11,680,000	30,602,000
1995	1,850,000	81,400,000	11,319,000	20,940,000
1996	1,900,000	89,300,000	7,490,000	14,606,000
1997	1,650,000	70,950,000	6,384,000	14,556,000
1998	1,400,000	71,400,000	4,650,000	12,044,000
1999	1,350,000	71,550,000	2,550,000	9,384,000
2000	1,300,000	74,100,000	2,346,000	10,088,000
2001	1,400,000	105,000,000	1,716,000	3,775,000
2002	1,250,000	106,250,000	1,944,000	3,110,400
2003	1,200,000	110,400,000	1,680,000	2,856,000
2004	1,200,000	115,200,000	1,620,000	3,402,000
2005	1,250,000	138,430,000	1,250,000	3,750,000
2006	1,284,000	140,170,000	1,100,000	4,400,000
2007	1,272,000	150,800,000	960,000	3,840,000
2008	1,185,000	120,871,000	820,000	3,116,000
2009	1,120,000	129,920,000	700,000	2,170,000
2010	1,110,000	108,290,000	730,000	3,066,000
2011	1,080,000	NA	530,000	2,703,000
2012	960,000	NA	470,000	2,256,000
2013	940,000	NA	490,000	2,695,000
2014	965,000	NA	NA	NA

Source: "1985 Texas Livestock, Dairy and Poultry Statistics", USDA Bulletin 235, June 1986. "Texas Agricultural Facts", Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, various years; "1993 Texas Livestock Statistics", Texas Agricultural Statistics Service, Bulletin 252, August 1994; "Texas Agricultural Statistics, 2008", December 2009; "Texas Ag Facts", February Ag Prices, various

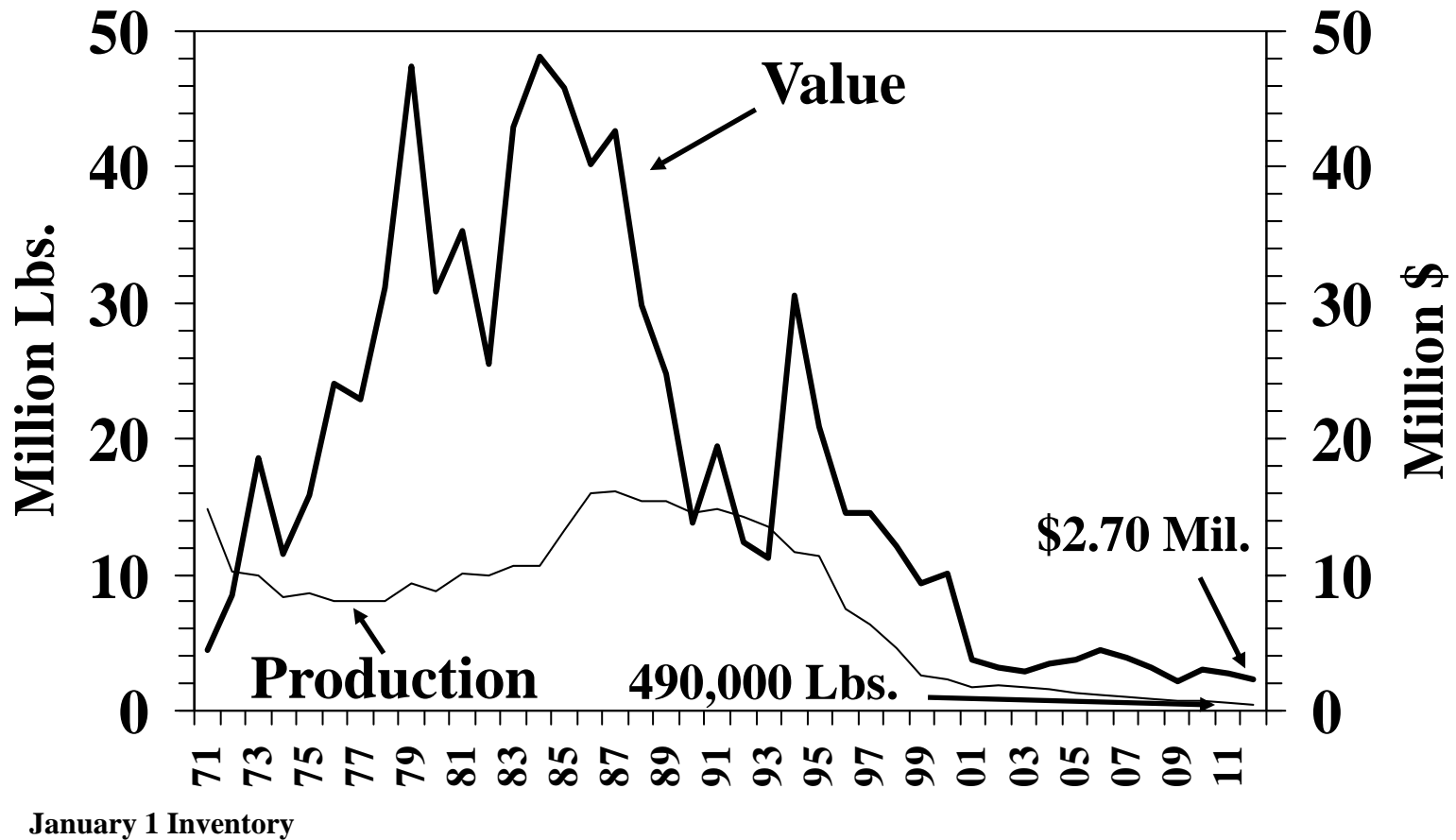
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Texas Goat Number and Farm Value 1971 - 2014



January 1 Inventory; goat farm value not available after 2010.

Texas Mohair Production and Value 1971 - 2013

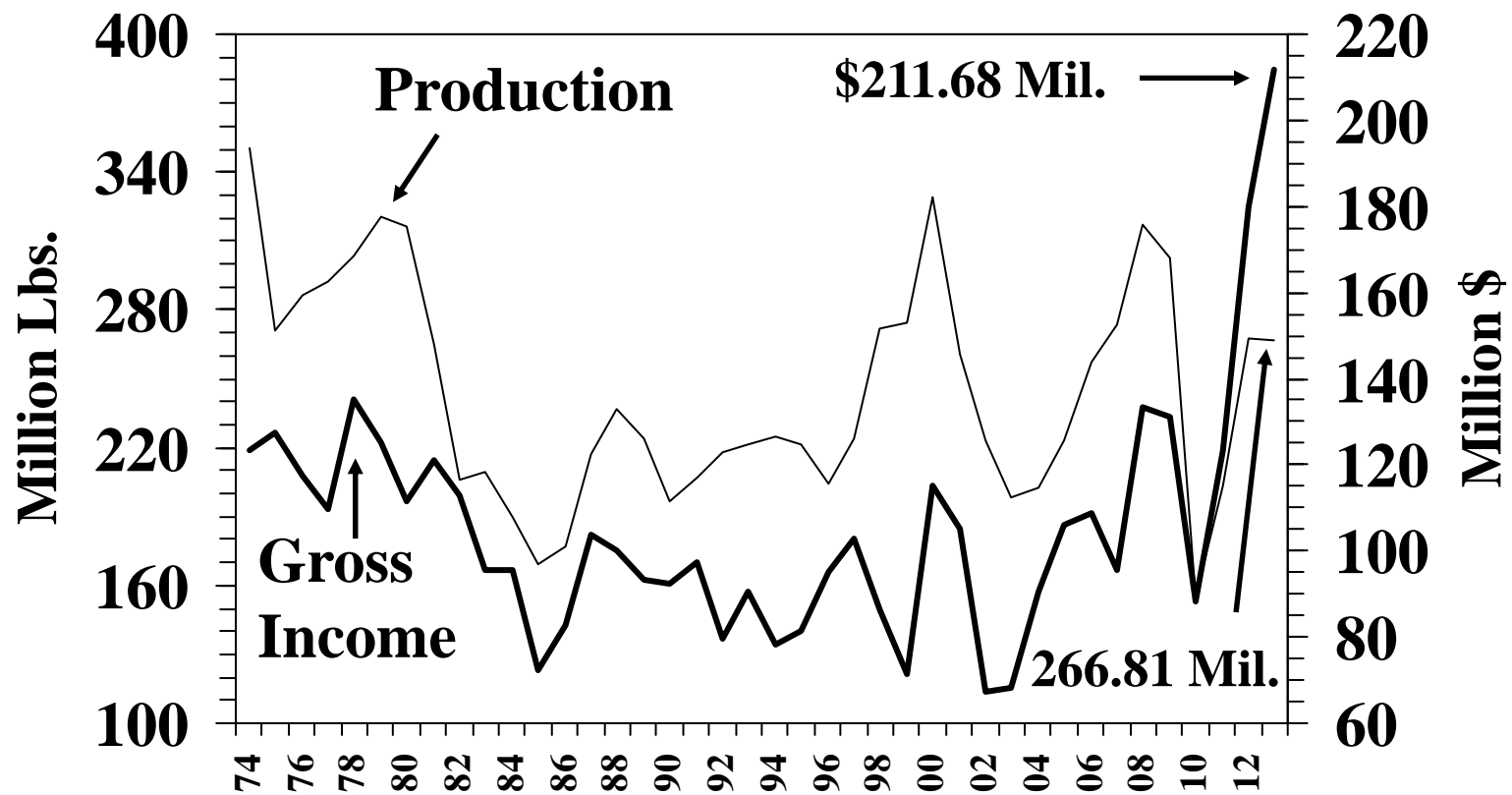


Texas Hog Production, 1974-2013

Year	Production (1,000 Lbs.)	Average Market Weight (Lbs.)	Average Price Per Cwt. (\$)	Gross Income (\$1,000)
1974	350,811	253	33.30	123,277
1975	271,027	244	43.70	127,323
1976	286,053	247	41.50	117,587
1977	292,290	247	38.00	109,634
1978	303,135	258	43.80	135,006
1979	320,790	261	39.70	125,183
1980	315,827	259	35.90	111,700
1981	264,693	256	41.70	121,054
1982	205,656	256	49.60	112,726
1983	209,621	256	45.20	95,343
1984	189,620	262	45.50	95,657
1985	168,950	266	43.40	72,512
1986	176,660	269	47.30	82,885
1987	216,834	NA	50.60	103,983
1988	236,658	NA	41.30	100,029
1989	224,229	NA	39.90	93,178
1990	196,225	NA	48.20	92,222
1991	207,023	NA	45.10	97,398
1992	217,554	NA	36.40	79,436
1993	221,130	NA	39.90	90,561
1994	224,397	NA	35.10	78,394
1995	221,323	NA	35.50	81,509
1996	204,476	NA	45.90	94,962
1997	224,131	NA	47.40	103,050
1998	271,444	NA	30.70	86,349
1999	274,572	NA	27.50	71,604
2000	328,732	NA	36.60	115,105
2001	260,875	NA	39.10	105,217
2002	224,441	NA	28.70	67,255
2003	197,876	NA	33.60	67,998
2004	202,199	NA	44.90	90,349
2005	223,375	NA	45.40	105,989
2006	257,644	NA	40.80	108,844
2007	273,213	NA	39.70	95,581
2008	317,446	NA	40.50	133,488
2009	302,578	NA	37.60	130,951
2010	154,540	NA	50.20	88,434
2011	203,312	NA	NA	123,298
2012	267,523	NA	NA	179,668
2013	266,806	NA	NA	211,676

Source: "1985 Texas Livestock, Dairy and Poultry Statistics", USDA, Bulletin 235, June 1986, pp. 32, 46; 1991 "Texas Livestock Statistics"; USDA, "Meat Animals - Prod., Dips., & Income", April various years; "1993 Texas Livestock Statistics", Bulletin 252, Texas Agricultural Statistics Service, August 1994; "Texas Agricultural Facts, 2008", December 2009; "Texas Ag Facts", various years. (December 1 previous year)

Hog Production and Gross Income in Texas 1974 - 2013



December 1 Inventory

TEXAS FARMS



Dallas County, Texas, April 1938 (Farmstead damaged by sand drifting)

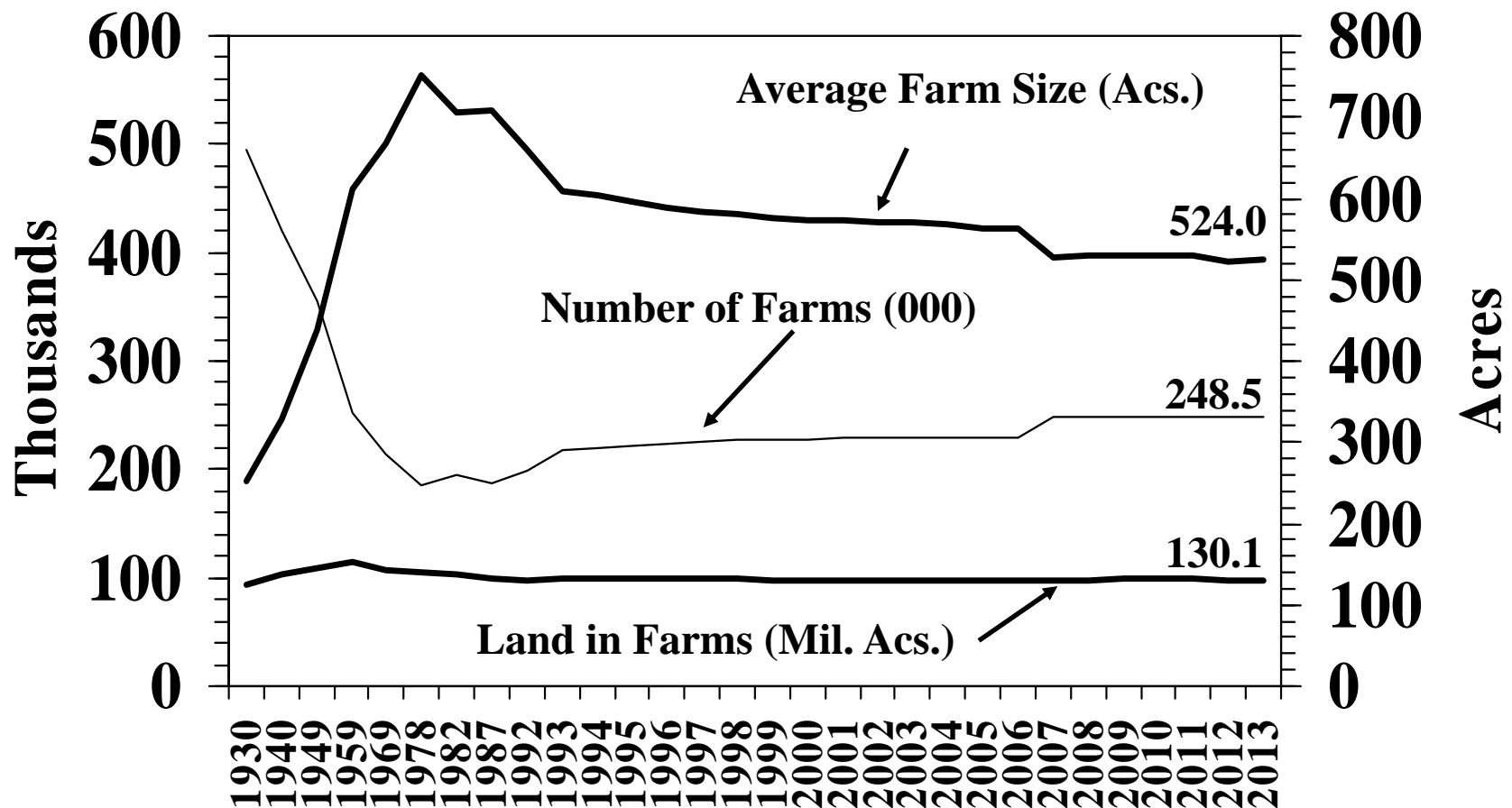
Historical Overview of the Number of Farms and Farm Size in Texas

Variable	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
Number of farms	248,500	249,000	248,500	248,500	248,500	248,000	247,500	230,000	230,000	229,000	229,000	229,000	228,600
Land in farms (000 acres)	130,100	130,200	131,500	131,600	131,900	131,200	130,400	129,700	129,800	130,000	130,500	130,500	130,700
Average farm size (acs)	524	523	529	530	531	529	527	564	564	568	570	570	572
Number of Farms by Size in Acres:													
1-49	--	93,681	--	--	--	--	93,861	--	--	--	--	74,684	--
50-179	--	73,868	--	--	--	--	71,264	--	--	--	--	70,580	--
180-499	--	42,002	--	--	--	--	42,131	--	--	--	--	42,475	--
500-999	--	17,309	--	--	--	--	17,843	--	--	--	--	18,625	--
1,000 or more	--	21,949	--	--	--	--	22,338	--	--	--	--	22,562	--

Variable	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1992	1987	1982	1978	1969	1959	1949
Number of farms	228,300	227,500	226,500	225,000	224,000	222,000	198,000	188,000	194,000	185,000	213,550	252,000	355,000
Land in farms (000 acres)	130,900	131,100	131,400	131,500	132,000	132,000	130,000	133,200	137,200	139,000	142,567	154,000	145,389
Average farm size (acs)	573	576	580	584	589	595	661	709	707	751	668	611	439
Number of Farms by Size in Acres:													
1-49	--	--	--	70,575	--	--	45,636	49,833	44,572	30,478	38,105	45,392	91,444
50-179	--	--	--	70,919	--	--	54,214	57,666	58,198	56,742	69,574	76,185	126,583
180-499	--	--	--	44,194	--	--	38,602	39,143	40,246	43,356	56,667	61,720	73,815
500-999	--	--	--	19,513	--	--	18,800	19,327	19,962	21,760	26,199	23,668	21,399
1,000 or more	--	--	--	22,972	--	--	23,392	22,819	22,042	23,059	23,005	20,106	18,175

Source: Don E. Albrecht. "The Changing Texas Agriculture: An Overview of the 1987 Census of Agriculture", Departmental Technical Report No. 90-2, Department of Rural Sociology, TAES, The Texas A&M University System, College Station, Texas, 1990. Number of Farms and Land in Farms, USDA publication, February 2014. "1997, 2002 and 2007 Census of Agriculture" Highlights of Agriculture, 1999. NOTE: Number of Farms by Size in Acres Data Not Available for 1995-1996, 1998-2001, 2003-2006, 2008-2011, 2013 numbers preliminary.

Historical Overview of the Number of Farms, Land in Farms, and Average Farm Size in Texas, 1930 - 2013

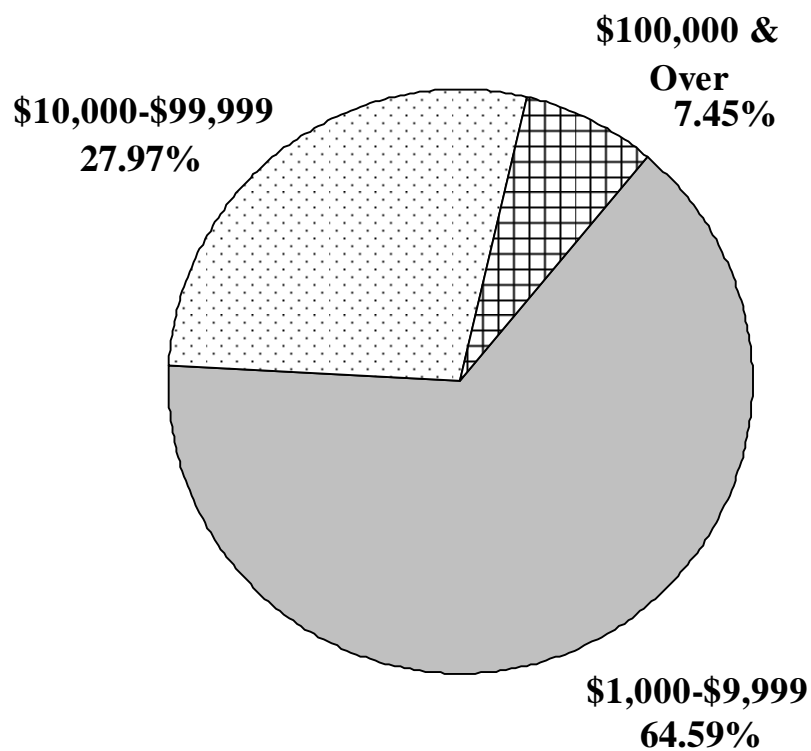


**Texas: Number of Farms and Land in Farms
by Economic Sales Class**

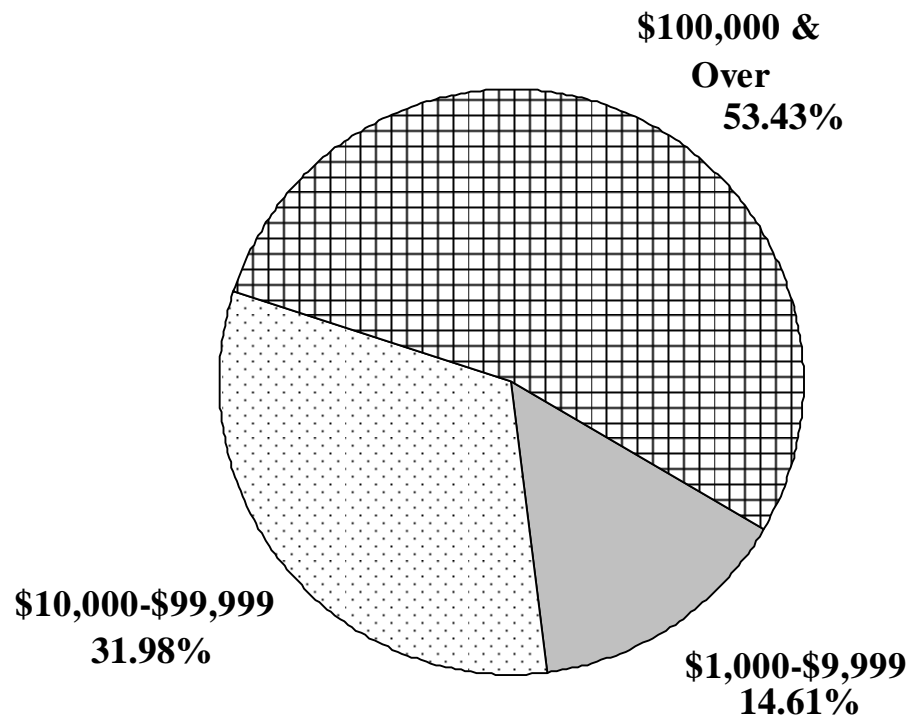
Economic Sales Class	Number of Farms	Percent of Total Farms	Land in Farms	Percent of Total Land
	Number	%	(000 acres)	%
2013				
\$1,000-\$9,999	160,500	64.59	19,000	14.61
\$10,000-\$99,999	69,500	27.97	41,600	31.98
\$100,000-\$249,999	8,000	3.22	20,600	15.84
\$250,000-\$499,999	4,200	1.69	16,300	12.53
\$500,000 & Over	6,300	2.54	32,600	25.06
Total	248,500	100.00	130,100	100.00
2012				
\$1,000-\$9,999	160,500	64.46	18,800	14.44
\$10,000-\$99,999	69,700	28.00	41,700	32.03
\$100,000-\$249,999	8,300	3.34	20,600	15.83
\$250,000-\$499,999	4,200	1.69	16,400	12.60
\$500,000 & Over	6,300	2.53	32,700	25.12
Total	249,000	100.00	130,200	100.00
2011				
\$1,000-\$9,999	162,000	65.20	18,700	14.22
\$10,000-\$99,999	68,100	27.41	41,800	31.79
\$100,000-\$249,999	7,800	3.14	20,000	15.21
\$250,000-\$499,999	4,200	1.69	17,200	13.08
\$500,000 & over	6,400	2.58	33,800	25.71
Total	248,500	100.00	131,500	100.00

Source: USDA, "Farm Numbers and Land in Farms, May 2013 and 2014.
Some numbers may not add due to rounding.

Number of Farms and Land in Farms by Farm Sales Categories in Texas, 2013 (% Distribution)

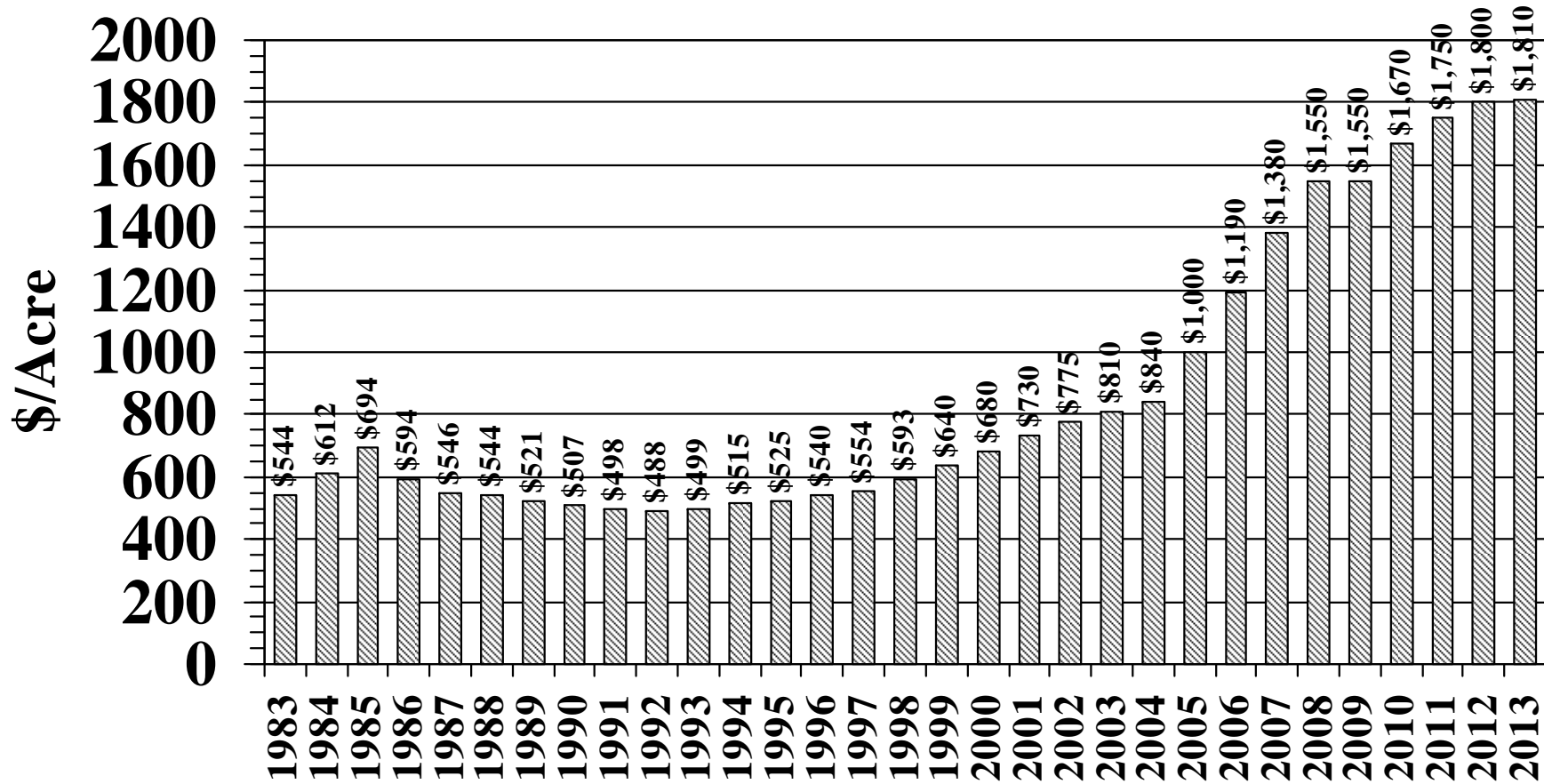


Number of Farms (%)



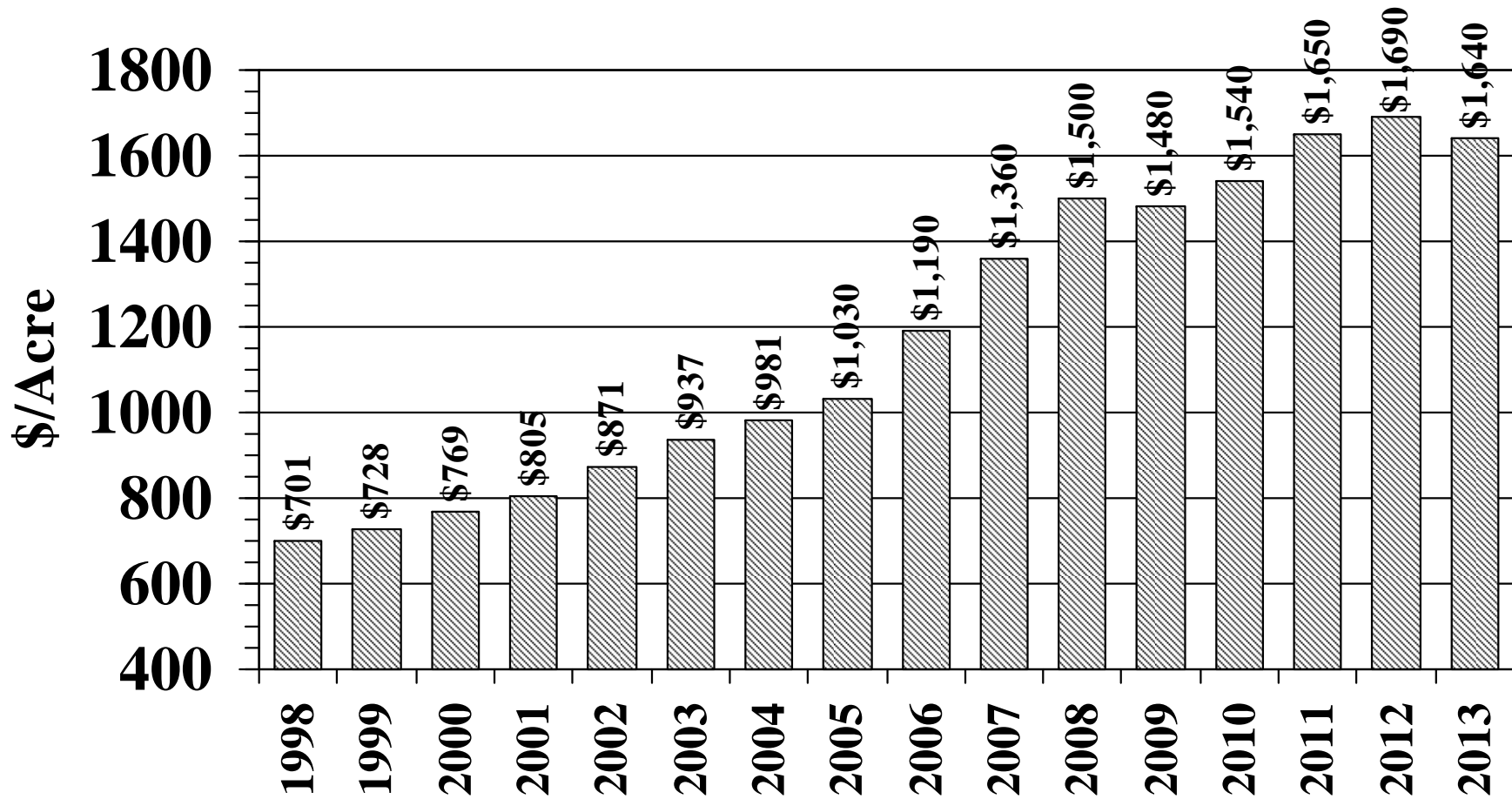
Land in Farms (%)

Texas Average Farm Real Estate Value Dollars Per Acre, 1983 - 2013



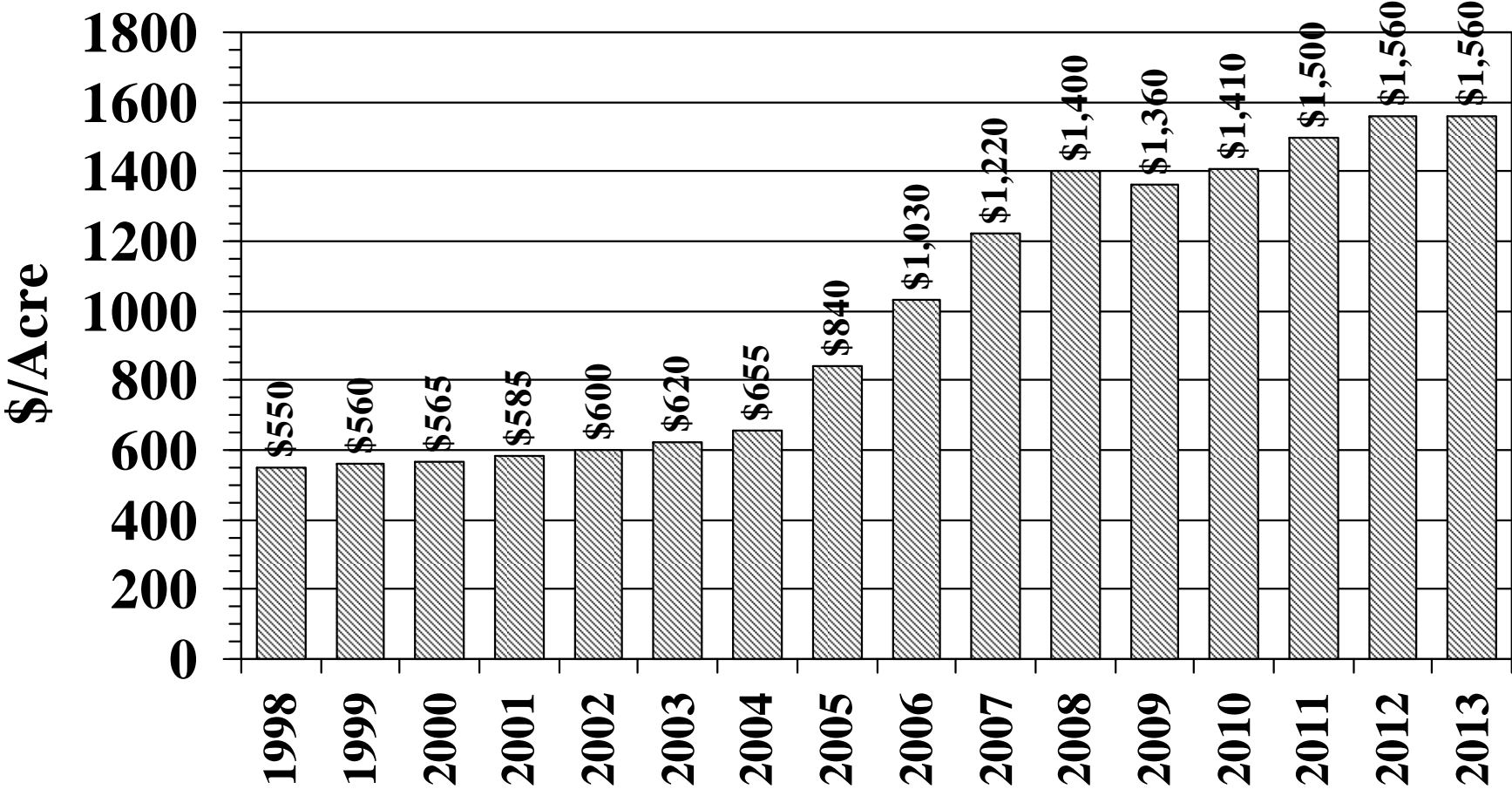
USDA – NASS, “Land Values 2013 Summary”, August 2013

Texas Average Cropland Value Dollars Per Acre, 1998 - 2013



USDA – NASS, “Land Values 2013 Summary”, August 2013

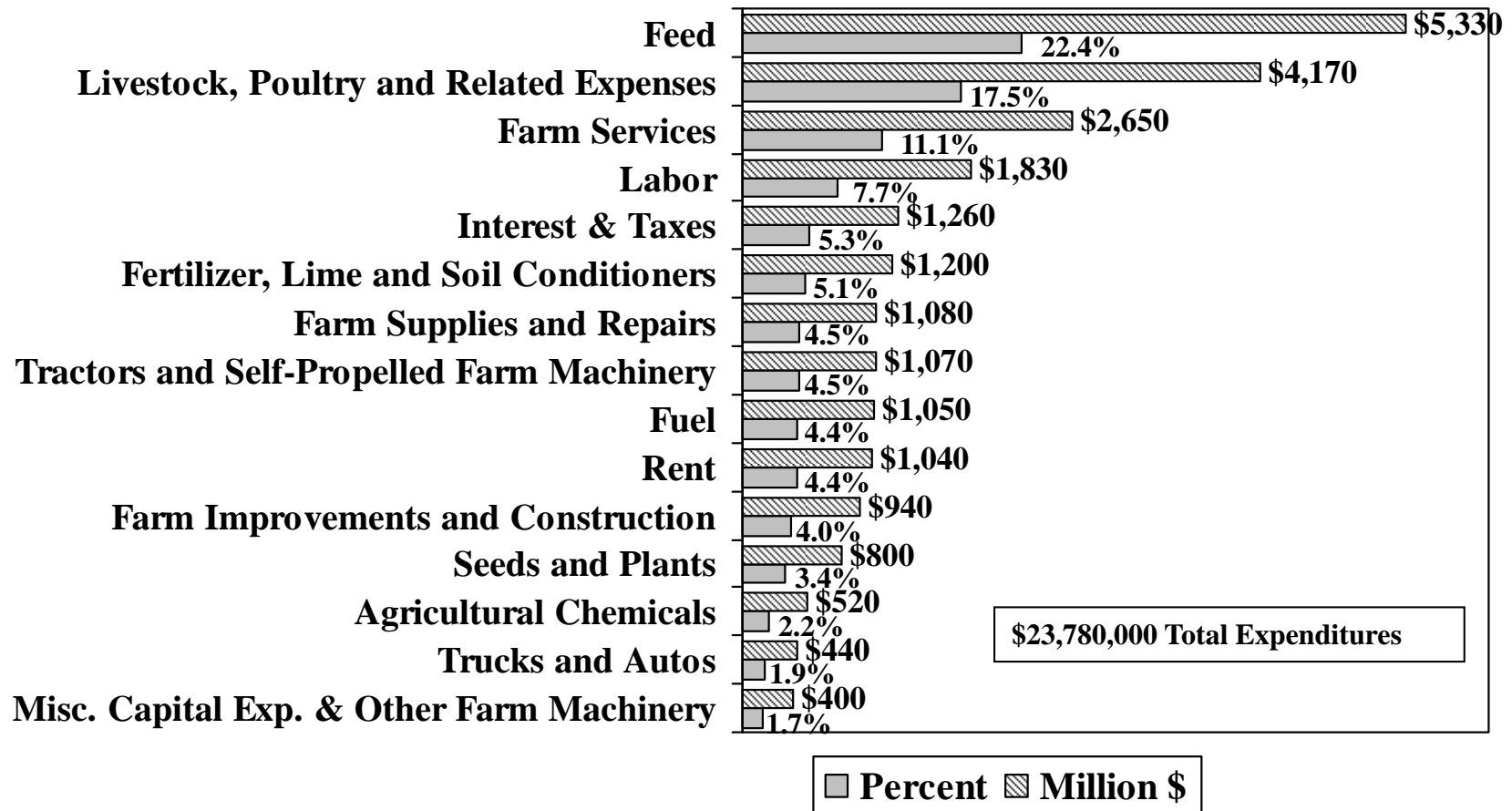
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Texas Farm Production Expenditures

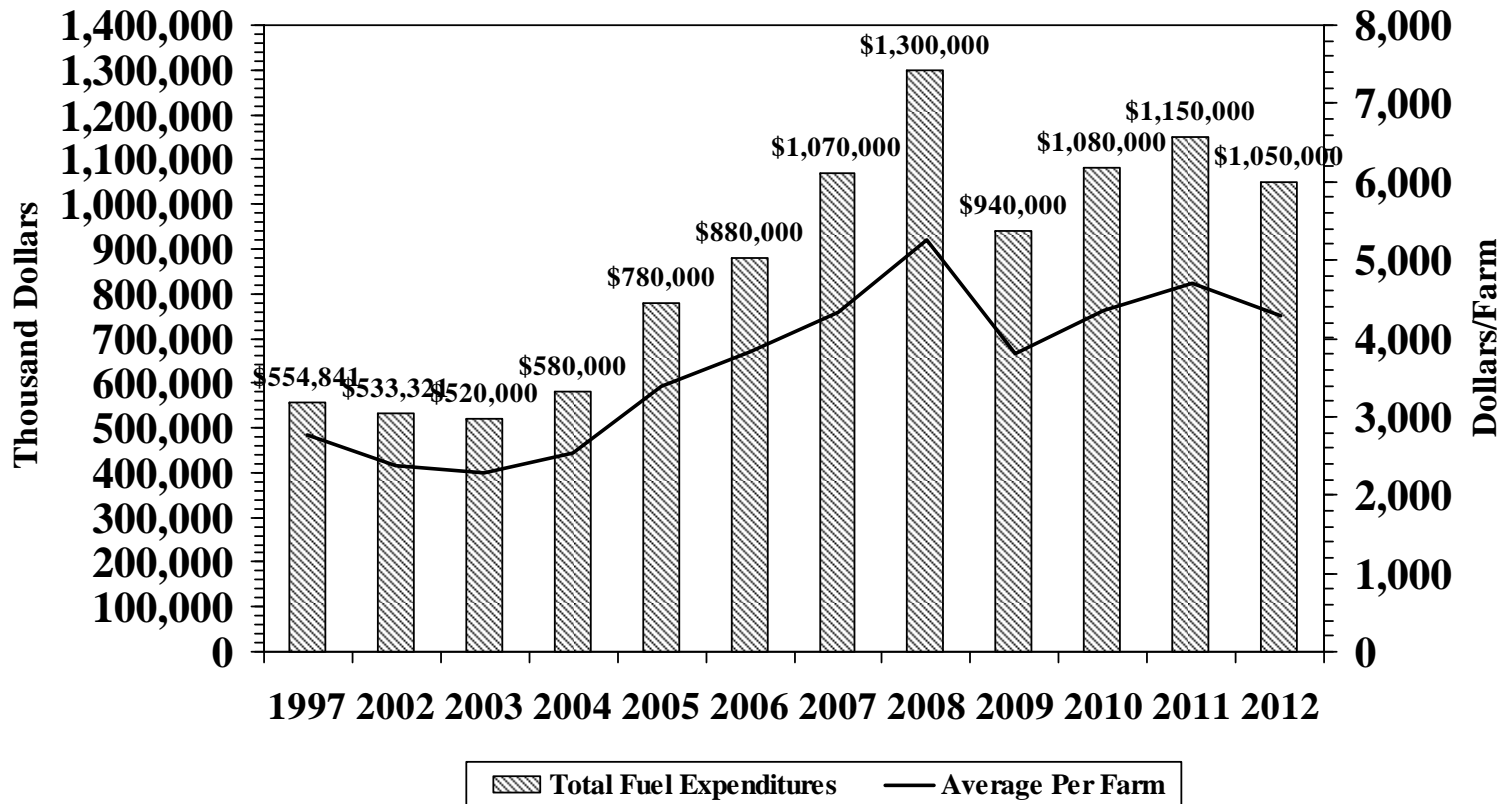
By Input Items, Expense, Percent of Total Texas, 2012



Source: "Farm Production Expenditures 2013 Summary",
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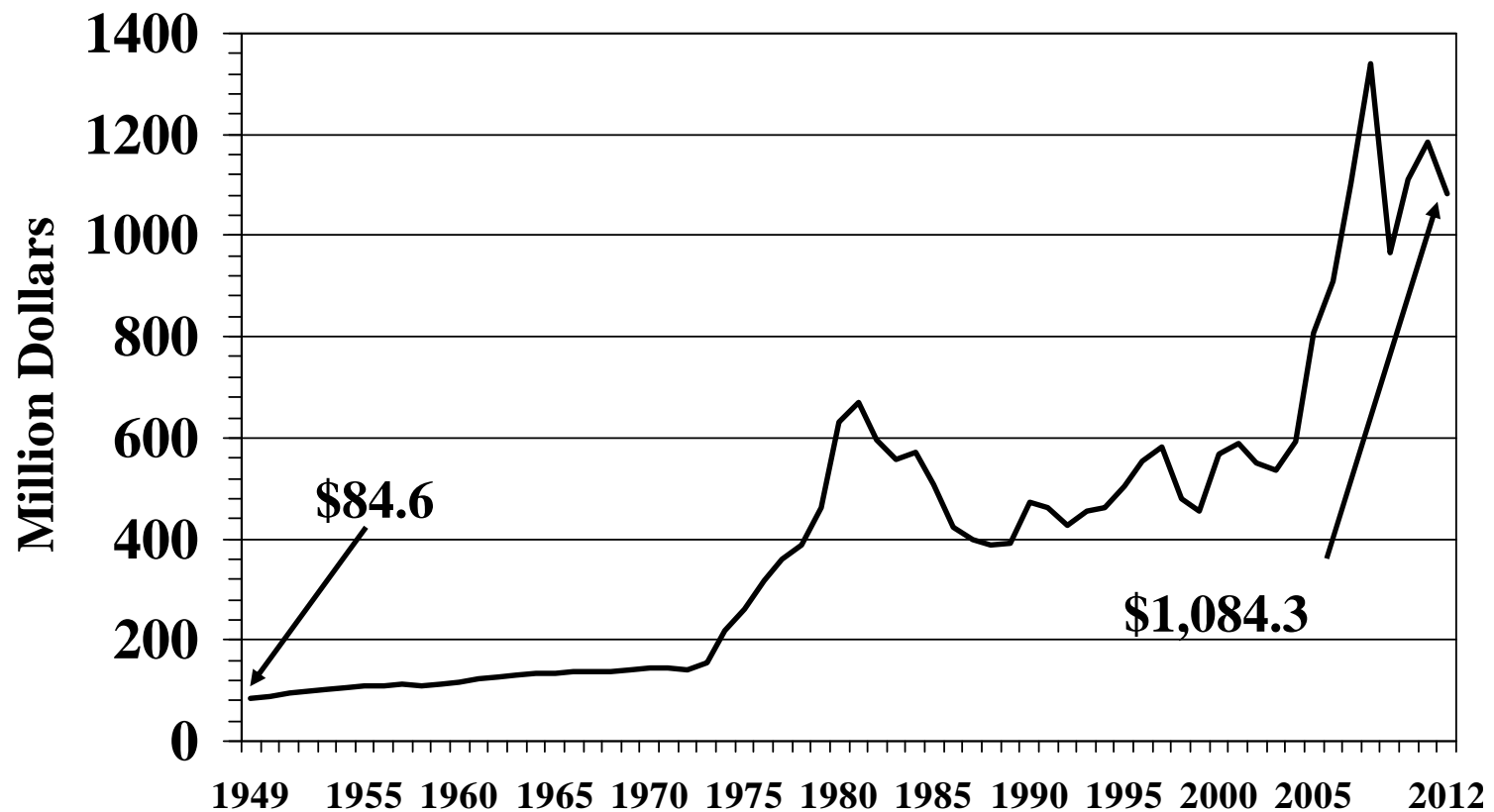
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Texas Fuel Production Expenditures Total and Average Per Farm, 1997 - 2012



Source: "Farm Production Expenditures 2013 Summary",
USDA/NASS, August 2013; 2012 Census

Texas Total Fuel and Oil Farm Expenditures



Source: USDA/ERS <http://www.ers.usda.gov/data-products/farm-income-and-wealth-statistics>
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U.S. OVERVIEW

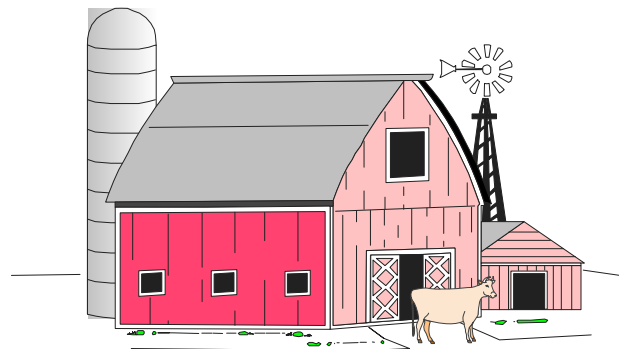


An industrial scene, Ensley, Alabama, February 1937

U.S. LAND AREA

(million acres)

➤ Total Land	2264.0
➤ Farms and Ranches	914.5
➤ Pastureland	415.3
➤ Cropland	389.7
➤ % Irrigated	14.1
➤ 2012 Number of Farms: 2,170,000	



**United States: Leading Commodities for Cash Receipts
2012 Nominal (current dollars)**

Rank	Commodity	State	Share of	Cummulative	U.S. Receipts
		Receipts	State Receipts	Share of	
		<i>\$1,000</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>\$1,000</i>
	All commodities	395,068,677	100.0		395,068,677
	Livestock and products	171,584,157	43.4		171,584,157
	Crops	223,484,520	56.6		223,484,520
1	Corn	69,211,091	17.5	17.5	69,211,091
2	Cattle and calves	67,949,759	17.2	34.7	67,949,759
3	Soybeans	40,733,816	10.3	45.0	40,733,816
4	Dairy products, Milk	37,003,818	9.4	54.4	37,003,818
5	Broilers	24,764,850	6.3	60.7	24,764,850
6	Hogs	22,193,115	5.6	66.3	22,193,115
7	Greenhouse and nursery	15,554,500	3.9	70.2	15,554,500
8	Wheat	15,333,036	3.9	74.1	15,333,036
9	Chicken eggs	7,823,140	2.0	76.1	7,823,140
10	Cotton lint	7,388,783	1.9	77.9	7,388,783
11	Hay	7,262,073	1.8	79.8	7,262,073
12	Turkeys	5,441,155	1.4	81.2	5,441,155
13	Grapes	4,909,477	1.2	82.4	4,909,477
14	Almonds	4,347,200	1.1	83.5	4,347,200
15	Potatoes	3,793,001	1.0	84.5	3,793,001
16	Apples	3,016,854	0.8	85.2	3,016,854
17	Misc. vegetables	2,962,383	0.7	86.0	2,962,383
18	Other livestock	2,930,310	0.7	86.7	2,930,310
19	Rice	2,815,047	0.7	87.4	2,815,047
20	Other field crops	2,515,308	0.6	88.1	2,515,308
21	Sugar beets	2,446,039	0.6	88.7	2,446,039
22	Peanuts	2,281,092	0.6	89.3	2,281,092
23	Strawberries	2,206,581	0.6	89.8	2,206,581
24	Oranges	2,190,952	0.6	90.4	2,190,952
25	Lettuce	1,882,938	0.5	90.9	1,882,938
26	Tomatoes	1,866,671	0.5	91.3	1,866,671

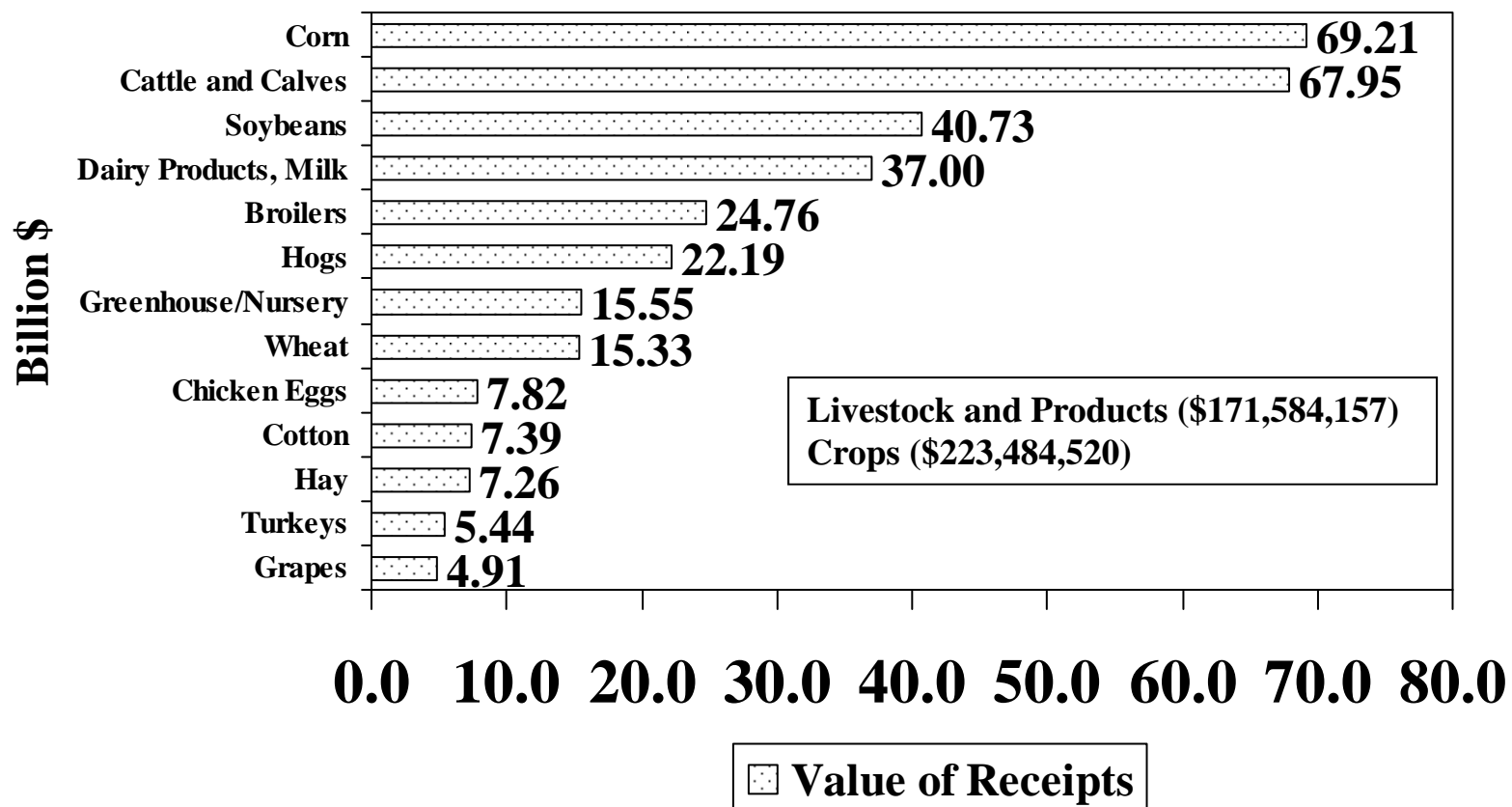
Footnotes

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US: Leading Commodities for Cash Receipts, 2012



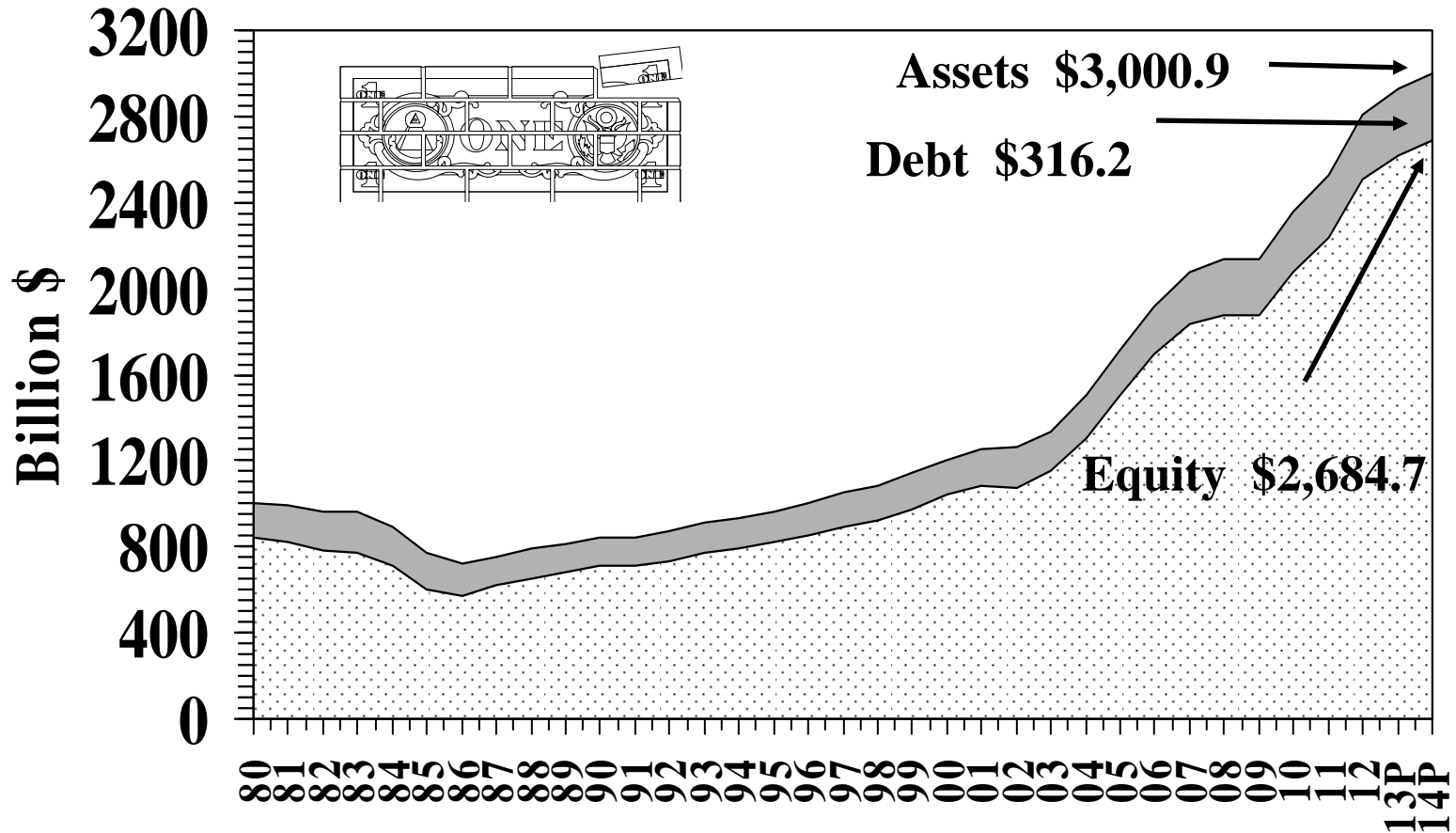
2012 estimated by USDA/TASS/NASS/ERS

Balance Sheet of the U.S. Farming Sector

Calendar Year	Debt	Equity	Assets
	----- Billion \$ -----		
1982	184.0	778.5	962.5
1983	186.2	773.1	959.3
1984	188.8	709.0	897.8
1985	172.2	603.8	775.9
1986	151.3	570.7	722.0
1987	138.5	618.0	756.5
1988	133.1	655.4	788.5
1989	131.1	682.7	813.7
1990	131.1	709.5	840.6
1991	131.9	712.3	844.2
1992	131.6	736.2	867.8
1993	134.3	774.9	909.2
1994	138.9	795.8	934.7
1995	143.0	822.8	965.7
1996	148.6	854.3	1,002.9
1997	156.9	894.4	1,051.3
1998	164.6	918.7	1,083.4
1999	167.7	971.1	1,138.8
2000	163.9	1,039.3	1,203.2
2001	170.7	1,085.3	1,255.9
2002	187.0	1,075.9	1,263.0
2003	181.1	1,153.1	1,334.2
2004	197.6	1,308.1	1,505.7
2005	209.1	1,507.4	1,716.5
2006	215.7	1,695.4	1,911.1
2007	240.7	1,836.7	2,077.4
2008	261.1	1,879.2	2,140.3
2009	268.3	1,871.5	2,139.9
2010	278.9	2,079.5	2,358.5
2011	294.5	2,235.4	2,529.8
2012	300.3	2,510.9	2,811.3
2013F	309.2	2,620.6	2,929.7
2014F	316.2	2,684.7	3,000.9

Source: 2012 preliminary and 2013 and 2014 forecast, ERS/USDA, Farm Income and Wealth Statistics web site, March 2014

Balance Sheet of the U.S. Farming Sector



2013 and 2014 forecast

U.S. CROPS



Mechanical corn-picker in Grundy County, Iowa, October 1939

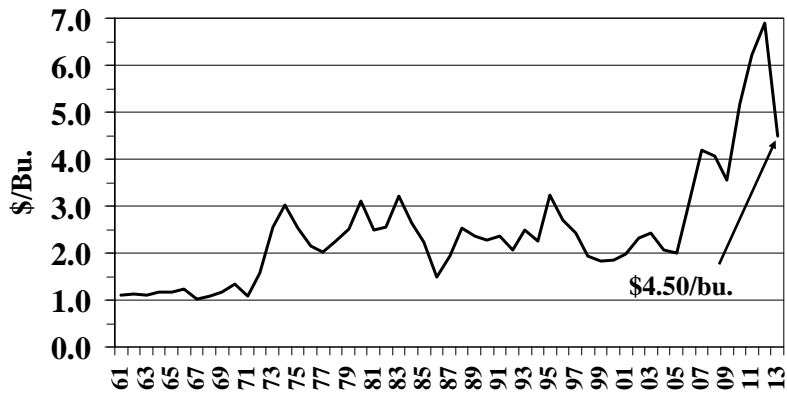
U.S. Marketing Year Average Prices Received by Farmers, Crops, 1965-2013

Year	Corn for Grain	Upland Cotton	All Hay	Oats	Peanuts	Rice	Grain Sorghum	Wheat
	\$/bu.	¢/lb.	\$/ton	\$/bu.	¢/lb.	\$/cwt.	\$/cwt.	\$/bu.
1965	1.16	29.30	23.20	0.62	11.40	4.93	1.76	1.35
1966	1.24	21.50	25.00	0.67	11.30	4.95	1.82	1.63
1967	1.03	26.50	24.50	0.66	11.40	4.97	1.77	1.39
1968	1.08	23.00	23.60	0.60	11.90	5.00	1.69	1.24
1969	1.16	21.90	24.70	0.58	12.30	4.95	1.91	1.25
1970	1.33	21.90	26.10	0.62	12.80	5.17	2.04	1.33
1971	1.08	28.10	28.10	0.60	13.60	5.34	1.86	1.34
1972	1.57	27.20	31.30	0.72	14.50	6.73	2.45	1.76
1973	2.55	44.40	41.60	1.18	16.20	13.80	3.82	3.95
1974	3.02	42.70	50.90	1.53	17.90	11.20	4.95	4.09
1975	2.54	51.10	52.10	1.45	19.60	8.35	4.21	3.55
1976	2.15	63.80	60.20	1.56	20.00	7.02	3.63	2.73
1977	2.02	52.10	53.70	1.09	21.00	9.49	3.25	2.33
1978	2.25	58.10	49.80	1.20	21.10	8.16	3.59	2.97
1979	2.52	62.30	59.40	1.33	20.60	10.50	4.19	3.80
1980	3.11	74.40	71.00	1.72	25.10	12.80	5.19	3.99
1981	2.50	54.00	67.30	1.88	26.90	9.05	4.01	3.69
1982	2.55	59.50	69.30	1.49	25.00	7.91	4.41	3.45
1983	3.21	65.30	75.80	1.62	24.60	8.57	4.89	3.51
1984	2.63	58.70	74.00	1.67	27.90	8.04	4.15	3.39
1985	2.23	56.80	67.60	1.23	24.40	6.53	3.45	3.08
1986	1.50	51.50	59.80	1.21	29.20	3.75	2.45	2.42
1987	1.94	63.70	65.00	1.56	28.00	7.27	3.04	2.57
1988	2.54	55.60	85.20	2.61	28.00	6.83	4.05	3.72
1989	2.36	63.60	85.40	1.49	28.00	7.35	3.75	3.72
1990	2.28	67.10	80.60	1.14	34.70	6.70	3.79	2.61
1991	2.37	56.80	71.20	1.21	28.30	7.58	4.01	3.00
1992	2.07	53.70	74.30	1.32	30.00	5.89	3.38	3.24
1993	2.50	58.10	84.70	1.36	30.40	7.98	4.13	3.26
1994	2.26	72.00	86.70	1.22	28.90	6.78	3.80	3.45
1995	3.24	75.40	82.20	1.67	29.30	9.15	5.69	4.55
1996	2.71	69.30	95.80	1.96	28.10	9.96	4.17	4.30
1997	2.43	65.20	100.00	1.60	28.30	9.70	3.95	3.38
1998	1.94	60.20	84.60	1.10	28.40	8.89	2.97	2.65
1999	1.82	45.00	76.90	1.12	25.40	5.93	2.80	2.48
2000	1.85	49.80	84.60	1.10	27.40	5.61	3.37	2.62
2001	1.97	29.80	96.50	1.59	23.40	4.25	3.46	2.78
2002	2.32	44.50	92.40	1.81	18.20	4.49	4.14	3.56
2003	2.42	61.80	85.50	1.48	19.30	8.08	4.26	3.40
2004	2.06	41.60	92.00	1.48	18.90	7.33	3.19	3.40
2005	2.00	47.70	98.20	1.63	17.30	7.65	3.33	3.42
2006	3.04	46.50	110.00	1.87	17.70	9.96	5.88	4.26
2007	4.20	59.30	127.00	2.63	20.50	12.80	7.28	6.48
2008	4.06	47.80	152.00	3.15	23.00	16.80	5.72	6.78
2009	3.55	62.90	108.00	2.02	21.70	14.40	5.75	4.87
2010	5.18	81.50	114.00	2.52	22.50	12.70	8.96	5.70
2011	6.22	88.30	178.00	3.49	31.80	14.50	10.70	7.24
2012	6.89	72.50	187.00	3.89	30.10	15.10	11.30	7.77
2013*	4.50	76.40	179.00	3.70	25.70	16.00	7.60	6.80

Source: USDA/NASS/Quick Stas Program.

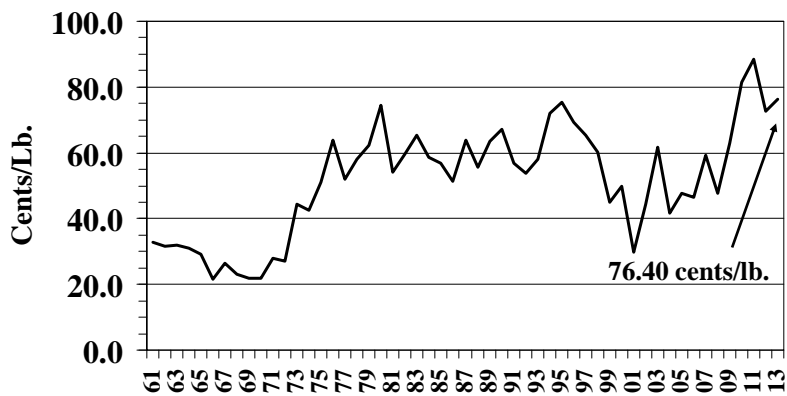
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U.S. Corn for Grain Prices Received 1961 - 2013



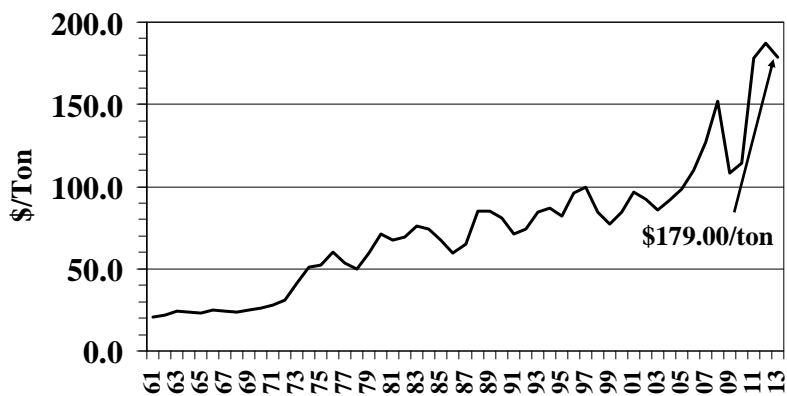
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Note: Prices Received by Farmers

U.S. Upland Cotton Prices Received 1961 - 2013



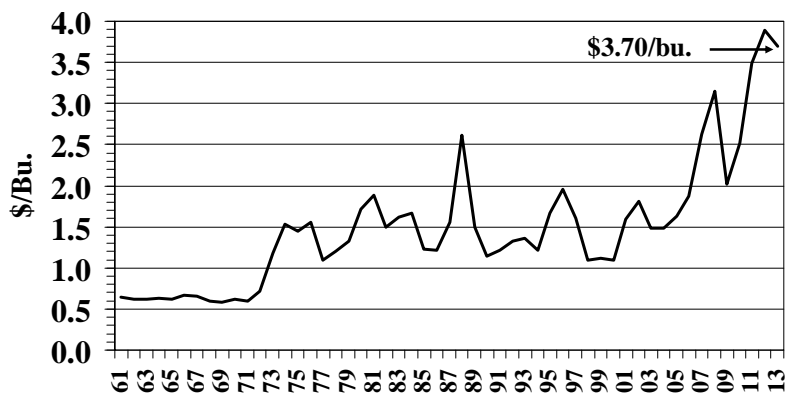
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U.S. All Hay Prices Received 1961 - 2013



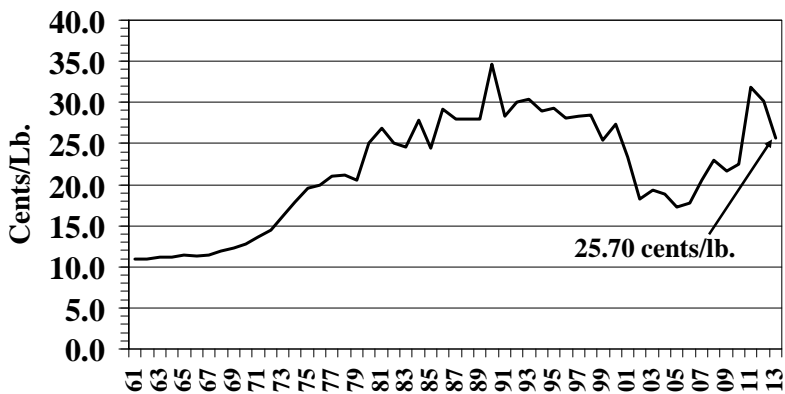
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U.S. Oat Prices Received 1961 - 2013



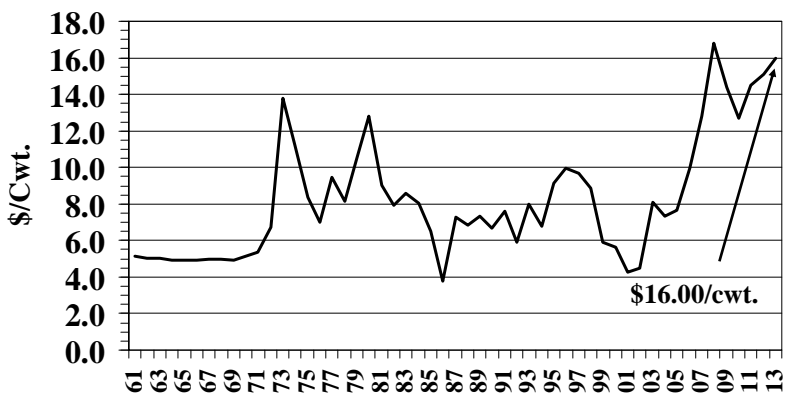
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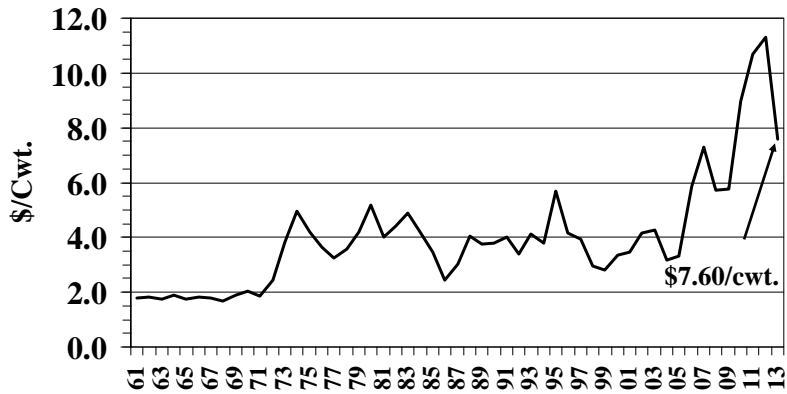
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U.S. Rice Prices Received 1961 - 2013



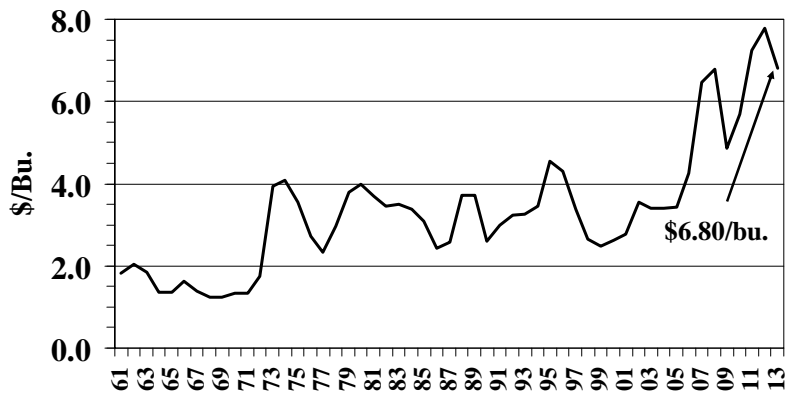
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U.S. Grain Sorghum Prices Received 1961 - 2013



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U.S. Wheat Prices Received 1961 - 2013



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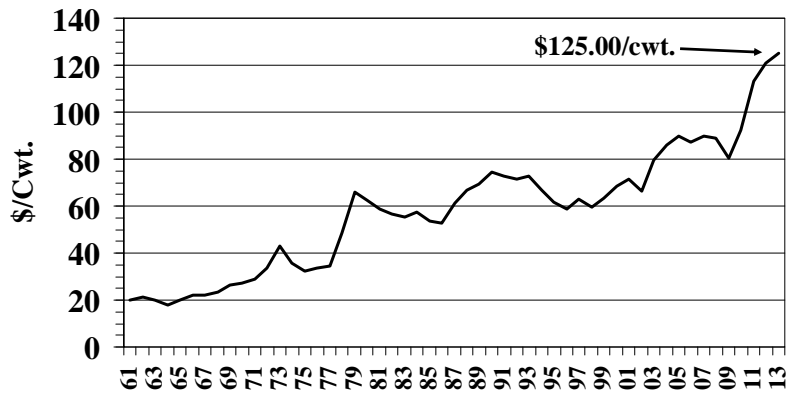
**The Farm Security Administration farmsteads, Holstein calves, Scottsbluff (vicinity),
Nebraska, September 1941**

**U.S. Marketing Year Average Prices Received by Farmers, Livestock and Livestock Products,
1965-2013**

Year	Beef Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Lambs	Commercial Broilers	Market Eggs	Milk (Wholesale)
			-----\$/cwt.-----			¢/lb.	¢/doz.	\$/cwt.
1965	19.90	22.10	20.60	6.34	22.80	15.00	33.70	4.23
1966	22.20	26.00	22.80	6.84	23.40	15.30	39.10	4.81
1967	22.30	26.30	18.90	6.35	22.10	13.30	31.20	5.02
1968	23.40	27.60	18.50	6.55	24.40	14.20	34.00	5.24
1969	26.20	31.50	22.20	8.24	27.20	15.20	40.00	5.49
1970	27.10	34.50	22.70	7.51	26.40	13.60	39.10	5.71
1971	29.00	36.40	17.50	6.59	25.90	13.70	31.40	5.87
1972	33.50	44.70	25.10	7.28	29.10	14.10	30.90	6.07
1973	42.80	56.60	38.40	12.70	35.10	24.00	52.50	7.14
1974	35.60	35.20	34.20	11.30	37.00	21.50	53.30	8.33
1975	32.20	27.20	46.10	11.30	42.10	26.30	52.50	8.75
1976	33.70	34.10	43.30	13.10	46.90	23.60	58.40	9.66
1977	34.40	36.90	39.40	13.50	51.30	23.60	55.60	9.72
1978	48.50	59.10	46.60	21.80	62.80	26.30	52.20	10.60
1979	66.10	88.70	41.80	26.30	66.70	26.00	58.30	12.02
1980	62.40	76.80	38.00	21.10	63.60	27.70	56.30	13.05
1981	58.60	64.00	43.90	21.20	54.90	28.50	63.10	13.77
1982	56.70	59.80	52.30	19.50	53.10	26.90	59.50	13.61
1983	55.50	61.70	46.80	15.70	53.90	28.60	61.10	13.58
1984	57.30	59.90	47.10	16.40	60.10	33.70	72.30	13.46
1985	53.70	62.10	44.00	23.90	67.70	30.10	57.20	12.76
1986	52.60	61.10	49.30	25.60	69.00	34.50	61.50	12.51
1987	61.10	78.50	51.20	29.50	77.60	28.70	54.70	12.54
1988	66.60	89.20	42.30	25.60	69.10	33.10	52.80	12.26
1989	69.50	90.80	42.50	24.40	66.10	36.60	68.90	13.56
1990	74.60	95.60	53.70	23.20	55.50	32.60	70.90	13.74
1991	72.70	98.00	49.10	19.70	52.20	30.80	67.80	12.27
1992	71.30	89.00	41.60	25.80	59.50	31.80	57.60	13.15
1993	72.60	91.20	45.20	28.60	64.40	34.00	63.40	12.84
1994	66.70	87.20	39.90	30.90	65.60	35.00	61.50	13.01
1995	61.80	73.10	40.50	28.00	78.20	34.40	62.50	12.78
1996	58.70	58.40	51.90	29.90	88.20	38.10	75.00	14.75
1997	63.10	78.90	52.90	37.90	90.30	37.70	70.30	13.36
1998	59.60	78.80	34.40	30.60	72.30	39.30	66.80	15.46
1999	63.40	87.70	30.30	31.10	74.50	37.10	62.10	14.38
2000	68.60	104.00	42.30	34.30	79.80	33.60	61.70	12.40
2001	71.30	106.00	44.40	34.60	66.90	39.30	62.20	15.04
2002	66.50	96.40	33.40	27.90	73.80	30.50	58.90	12.18
2003	79.70	102.00	37.20	34.90	94.40	34.60	57.60	12.55
2004	85.80	119.00	49.30	38.80	101.00	44.60	55.90	16.13
2005	89.70	135.00	50.20	45.10	110.00	43.60	34.80	15.19
2006	87.20	133.00	46.00	35.20	95.50	38.60	40.30	12.96
2007	89.90	119.00	46.60	31.00	98.50	43.60	74.60	19.21
2008	89.10	110.00	47.00	27.20	99.60	45.80	97.40	18.45
2009	80.30	105.00	41.60	32.50	99.60	45.70	65.32	12.93
2010	92.20	117.00	54.10	49.70	125.00	48.20	70.22	16.35
2011	113.00	142.00	65.30	NA	NA	45.90	78.10	20.25
2012	121.00	172.00	64.20	NA	NA	50.00	81.54	18.56
2013*	125.00	181.00	67.20	NA	NA	60.60	86.48	20.12

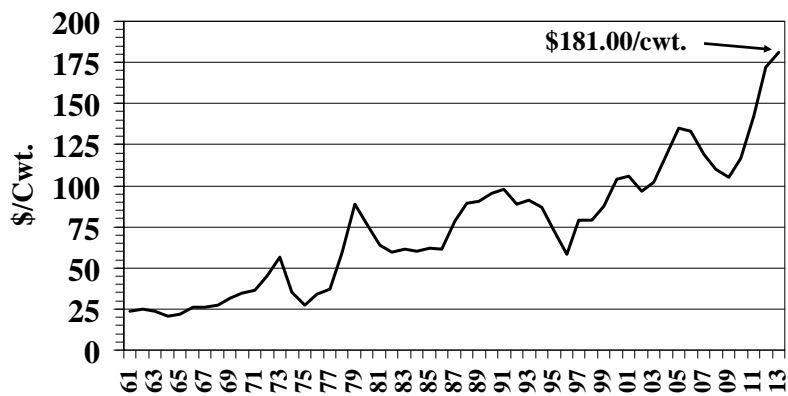
Source: USDA/NASS/Quick Stas Program; Annual "Agricultural Prices", various years

U.S. Beef Cattle Prices Received 1961 - 2013



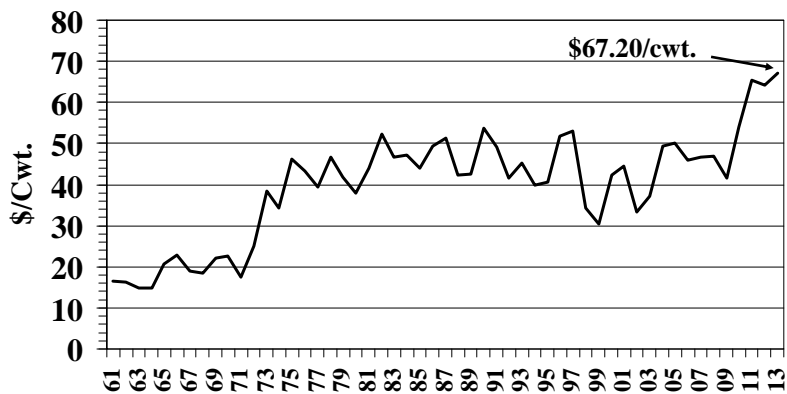
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Note: Prices Received by Farmers

U.S. Calf Prices Received 1961 - 2013



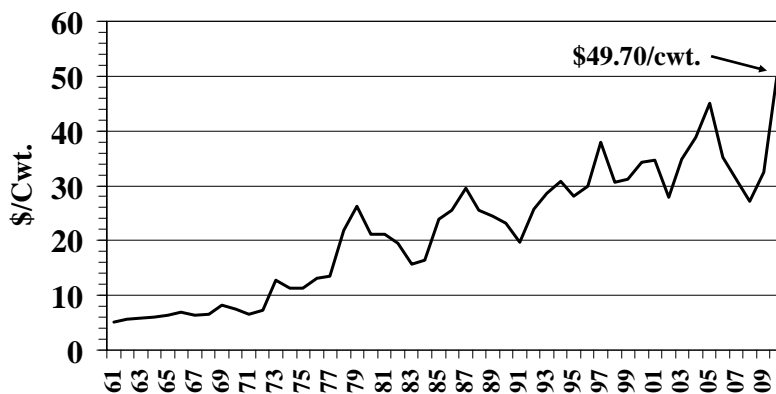
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U.S. Hog Prices Received 1961 - 2013



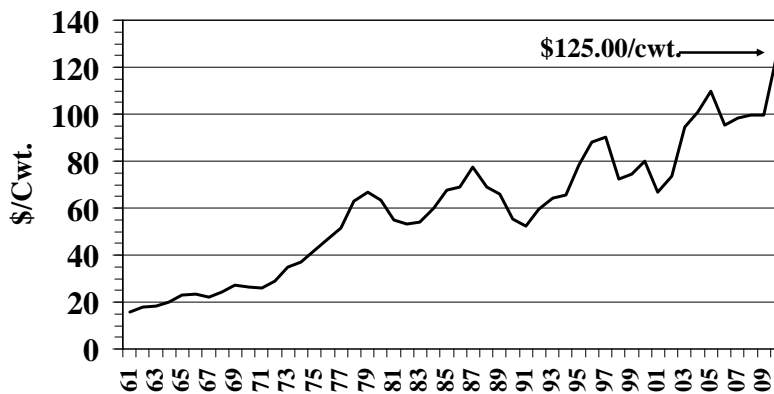
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Note: Prices Received by Farmers

U.S. Sheep Prices Received 1961 - 2010



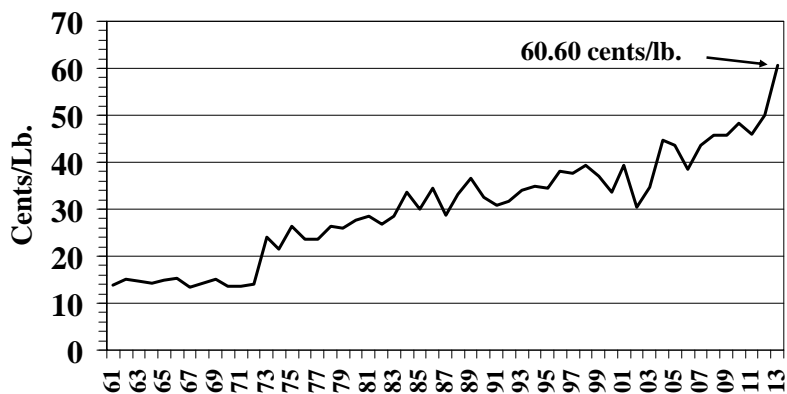
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Note: Prices Received by Farmers

U.S. Lamb Prices Received 1961 - 2010



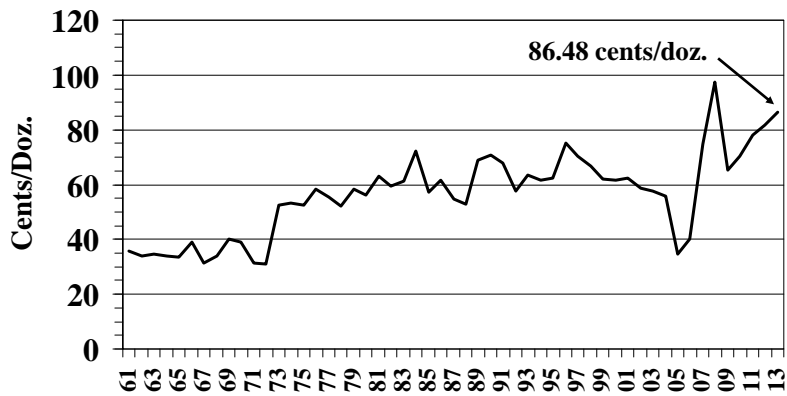
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U.S. Commercial Broiler Prices Received 1961 - 2013



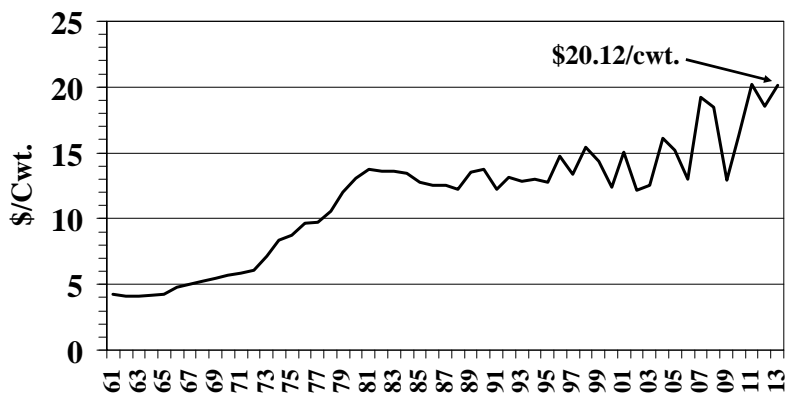
2013 preliminary
Note: Prices Received by Farmers

U.S. Market Egg Prices Received 1961 - 2013



2013 Preliminary
Note: Prices Received by Farmers

U.S. Milk (Wholesale) Prices Received 1961 - 2013



2013 Preliminary
Note: Prices Received by Farmers

U.S. Livestock Numbers and Values

Class of Livestock	Number of Head				Farm Value					
					Value Per Head			Total Value		
	2012	2013	2014 Preliminary	2014 as % of 2013	2012	2013	2014	2012	2013	2014
	Thousands		Thousands	%	Dollars			1,000 Dollars		
All Cattle†	90,769	89,300	87,730	98	\$1,111	\$1,139	\$1,188	\$100,817,090	\$101,731,742	\$104,199,360
Beef Cows*†	30,158	30,158	29,042	96	---	---	---	---	---	---
Milk Cows*†	9,230	9,230	9,209	100	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hogs**	66,374	66,025	NA	NA	116	138	NA	7,698,162	9,081,247	NA
All Sheep†	5,365	5,335	5,210	98	221	177	188	1,185,075	946,194	977,616
Angora Goats†	146	136	131	96	87.70	110.90	107.10	10,789	12,694	11,878
Chickens**	458,252	464,328	NA	NA	4.06	4.27	NA	1,860,111	1,981,545	NA
Total Value	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	\$111,571,227	\$113,753,422	\$105,188,854

*Included in "All Cattle."

**Figures as of December 1. Turkey figures not released to avoid disclosing individual operations.

†Figures are as of January 1. Four states (Arizona, California, New Mexico, and Texas) make up U.S. price 1/ Texas is the only state that publishes all goats and kids value.

NA = Not Available.

Numbers may not add due to rounding.

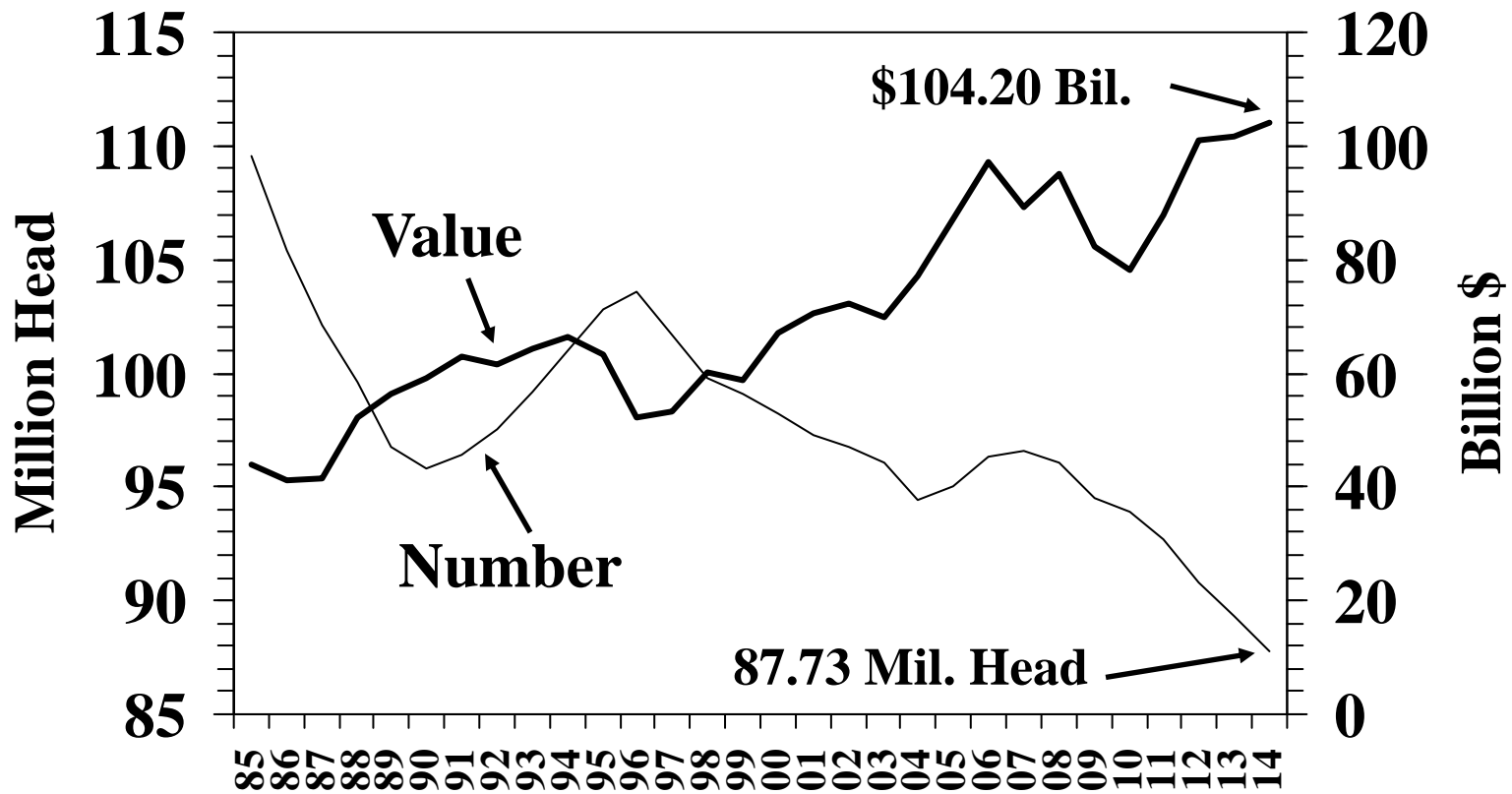
Source: USDA; "Agricultural Prices", February 2013 and 2014; Meat Animals Production, Disposition, and Income, April 2013 and 2014; NASS/USDA publications.

U.S. All Cattle Inventory and Value

Year	January 1 Inventory 1,000 Head	Average Price Per Head Dollars	Value \$1,000
1985	109,582	402.00	44,006,068
1986	105,378	391.00	41,230,884
1987	102,118	407.00	41,567,085
1988	99,622	523.00	52,147,608
1989	96,740	581.00	56,210,694
1990	95,816	616.00	58,990,357
1991	96,393	655.00	63,090,155
1992	97,556	630.00	61,451,310
1993	99,176	649.00	64,436,369
1994	100,974	659.00	66,512,550
1995	102,785	615.00	63,185,288
1996	103,548	503.00	52,055,705
1997	101,656	525.00	53,383,392
1998	99,744	603.00	60,193,070
1999	99,115	594.00	58,833,650
2000	98,199	683.00	67,100,220
2001	97,298	725.00	70,510,630
2002	96,723	747.00	72,300,065
2003	96,100	728.00	69,952,520
2004	94,403	818.00	77,201,950
2005	95,018	916.00	87,023,945
2006	96,342	1,009.00	97,230,415
2007	96,573	922.00	89,063,310
2008	96,035	990.00	95,112,820
2009	94,521	872.00	82,435,620
2010	93,881	832.00	78,150,010
2011	92,682	947.00	87,786,137
2012	90,769	1,111.00	100,817,090
2013	89,300	1,139.00	101,731,742
2014	87,730	1,188.00	104,199,360

Source: USDA/NASS

U.S. All Cattle Number and Value 1985 - 2014



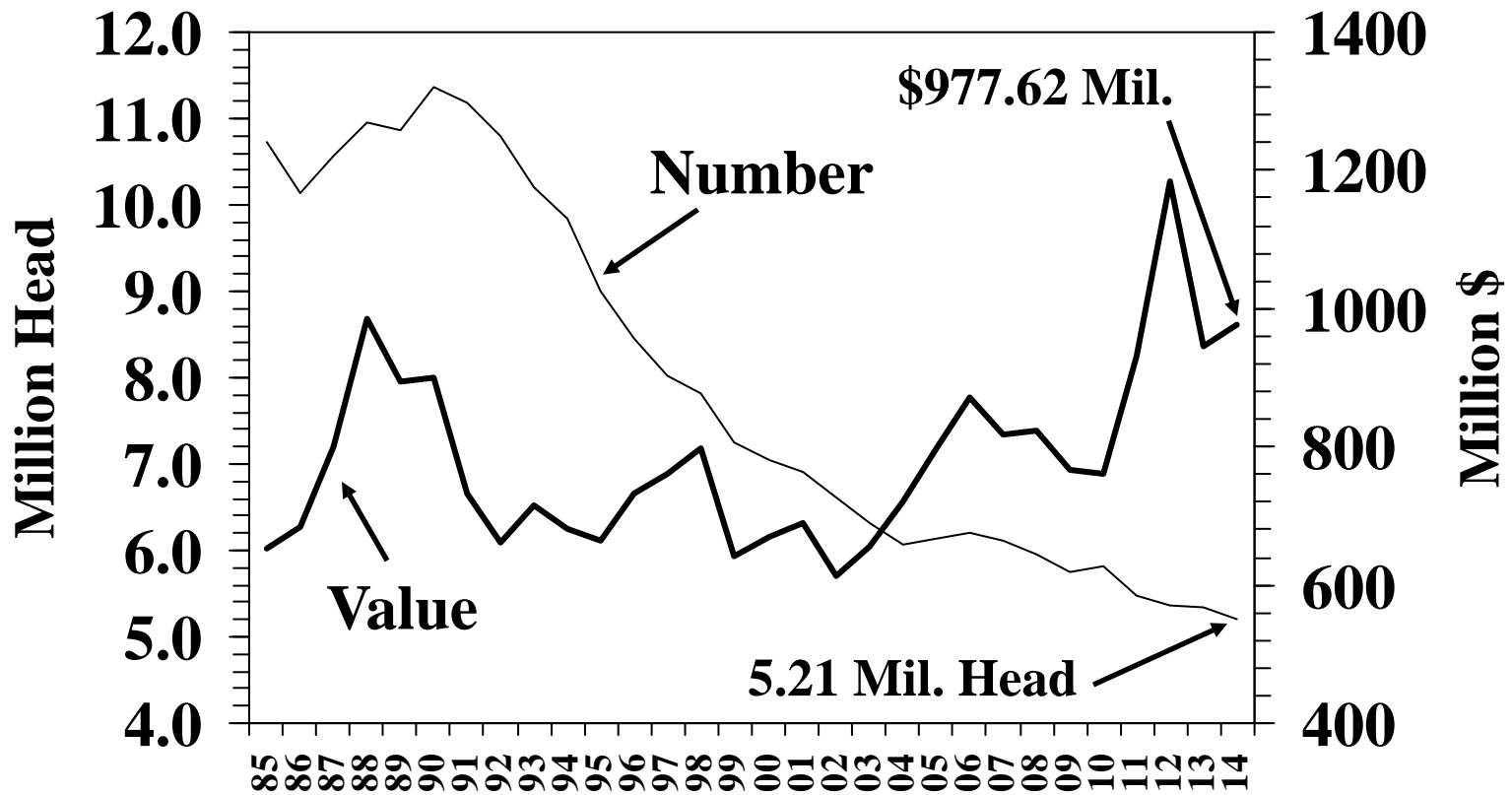
January 1 inventory

U.S. Sheep and Lambs and Wool Inventory and Value

Year	Sheep and Lambs		Wool	
	Number 1,000 Head	Total Value 1,000 \$	Production 1,000 Lbs.	Value 1,000 \$
1985	10,716	654,079	88,055	55,732
1986	10,145	684,038	84,372	56,331
1987	10,572	799,254	84,450	77,009
1988	10,945	984,961	89,482	124,993
1989	10,853	894,410	89,220	110,537
1990	11,358	901,092	88,033	69,534
1991	11,174	732,600	87,740	47,178
1992	10,797	660,746	82,943	60,162
1993	10,201	714,163	77,535	39,077
1994	9,836	681,384	68,577	52,377
1995	8,989	663,449	63,513	64,277
1996	8,465	732,197	56,669	39,270
1997	8,024	761,650	53,578	44,909
1998	7,825	797,826	49,255	29,415
1999	7,247	640,819	46,572	17,860
2000	7,036	669,890	46,446	15,377
2001	6,908	690,489	43,016	15,311
2002	6,623	614,466	41,078	21,689
2003	6,321	656,638	38,197	28,129
2004	6,065	720,443	37,581	29,954
2005	6,135	798,209	37,182	26,249
2006	6,200	872,351	35,899	24,300
2007	6,120	818,491	34,723	30,242
2008	5,950	823,424	32,963	32,486
2009	5,747	765,194	30,860	24,337
2010	5,820	761,115	30,370	35,018
2011	5,480	931,008	29,290	48,925
2012	5,365	1,185,075	27,400	41,595
2013	5,335	946,194	27,000	39,213
2014	5,210	977,616	NA	NA

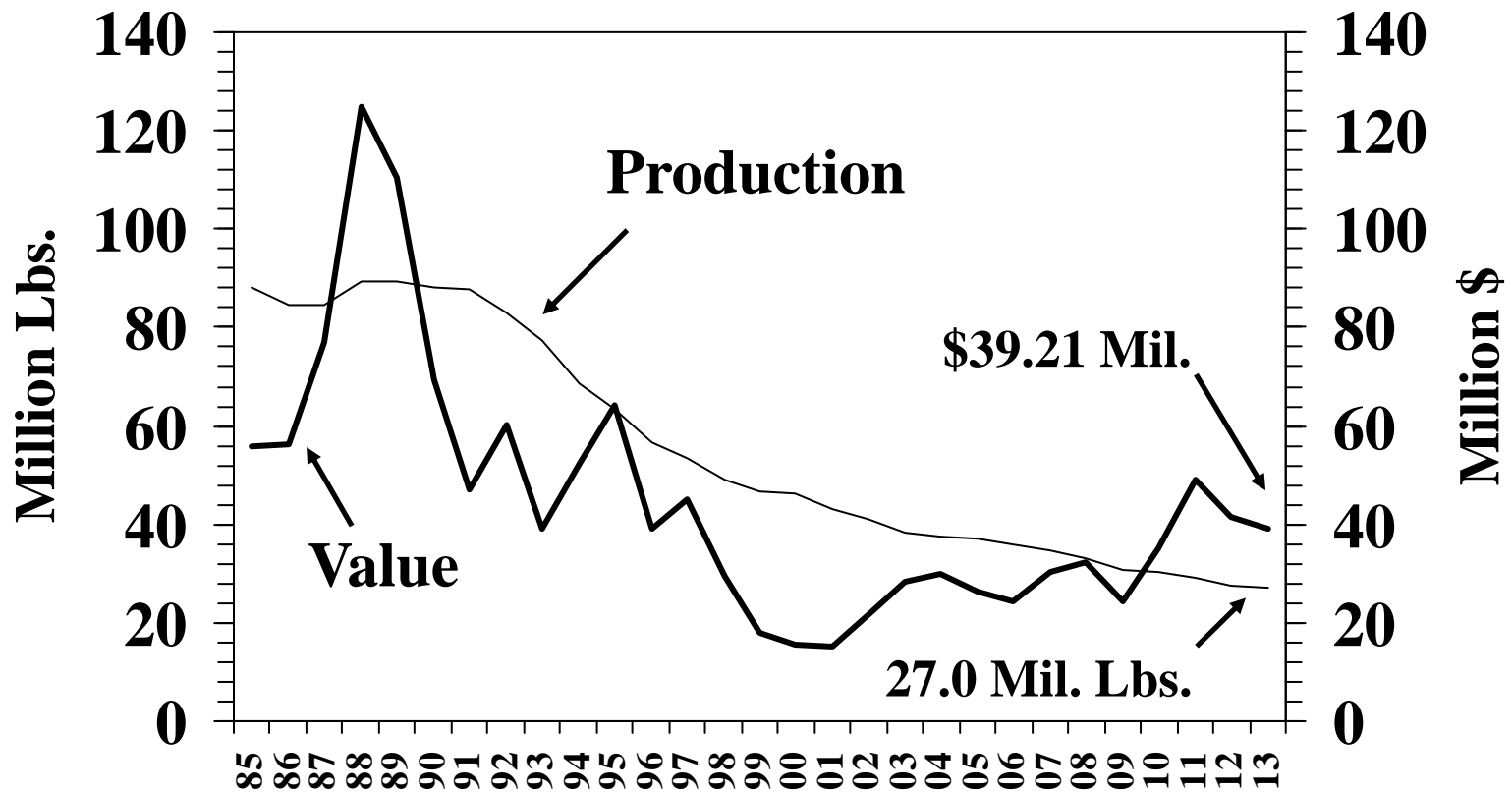
Source: USDA/NASS

U.S. Sheep Number and Total Value 1985 - 2014



January 1 inventory

U.S. Wool Production and Value 1985 - 2013



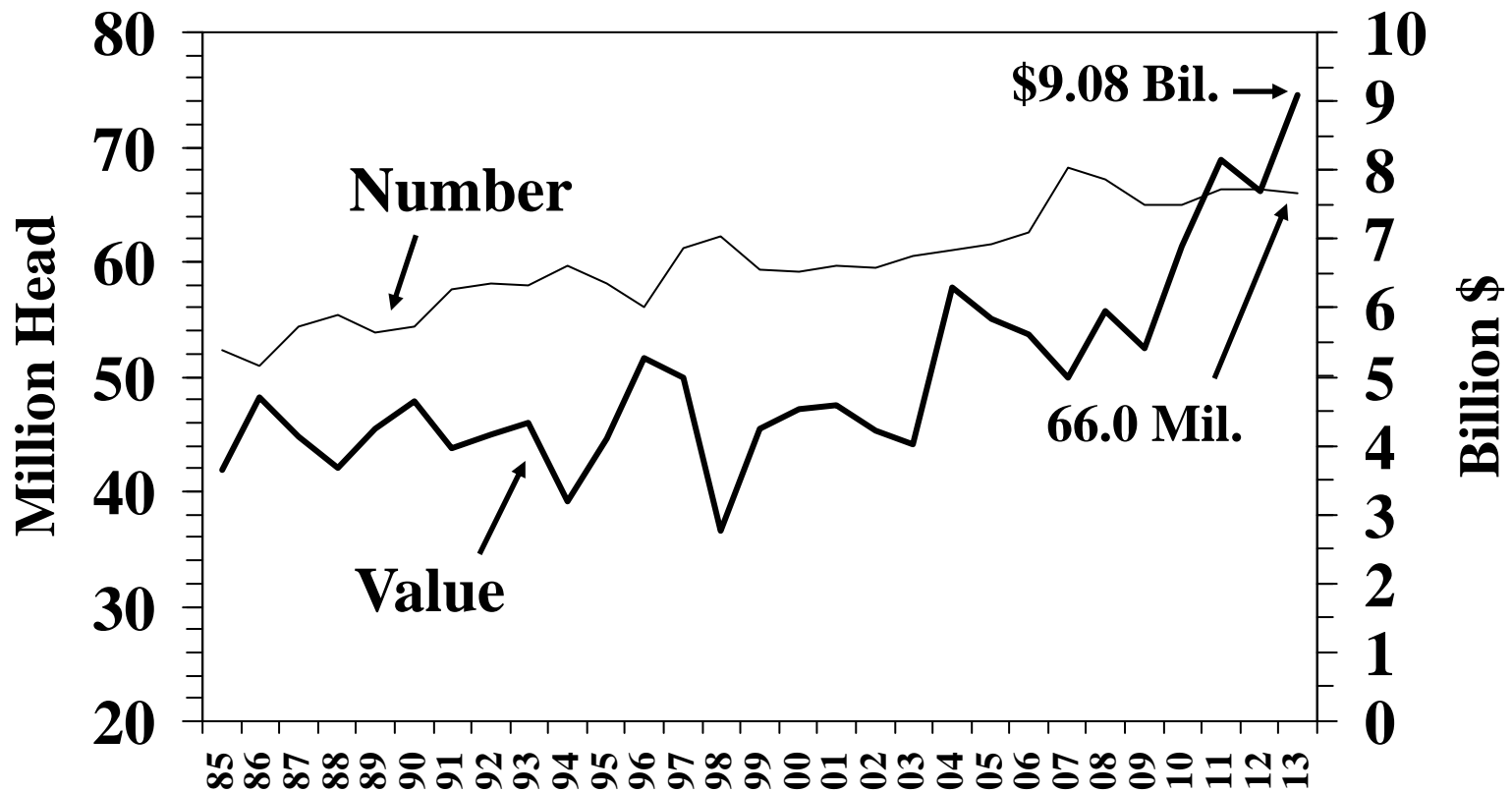
January 1 inventory

U.S. Hog Inventory and Value

Year	December 1 Inventory 1,000 Head	Average Price Per Head Dollars	Value \$1,000
1985	52,314	69.60	3,640,420
1986	51,001	91.90	4,686,943
1987	54,384	76.00	4,132,872
1988	55,466	66.30	3,677,536
1989	53,788	79.10	4,252,885
1990	54,416	85.40	4,647,808
1991	57,649	68.80	3,966,276
1992	58,202	71.20	4,146,646
1993	57,940	75.00	4,339,509
1994	59,738	53.00	3,178,123
1995	58,201	71.00	4,115,118
1996	56,124	94.00	5,280,742
1997	61,158	82.00	4,985,532
1998	62,204	44.00	2,765,745
1999	59,335	72.00	4,253,785
2000	59,110	77.00	4,540,410
2001	59,722	77.00	4,584,078
2002	59,554	71.00	4,230,728
2003	60,453	67.00	4,024,949
2004	60,982	103.00	6,306,282
2005	61,463	95.00	5,833,763
2006	62,516	90.00	5,598,613
2007	68,177	73.00	4,986,206
2008	67,148	89.00	5,957,633
2009	64,887	83.00	5,416,647
2010	64,925	106.00	6,897,524
2011	66,361	123.00	8,157,799
2012	66,374	116.00	7,698,162
2013	66,025	138.00	9,081,247

Source: USDA/NASS

U.S. Hog Inventory and Value 1985 - 2013



December 1 Inventory

U.S. FARMS



Harrowing land and planting corn, Jasper County, Iowa, May 1940

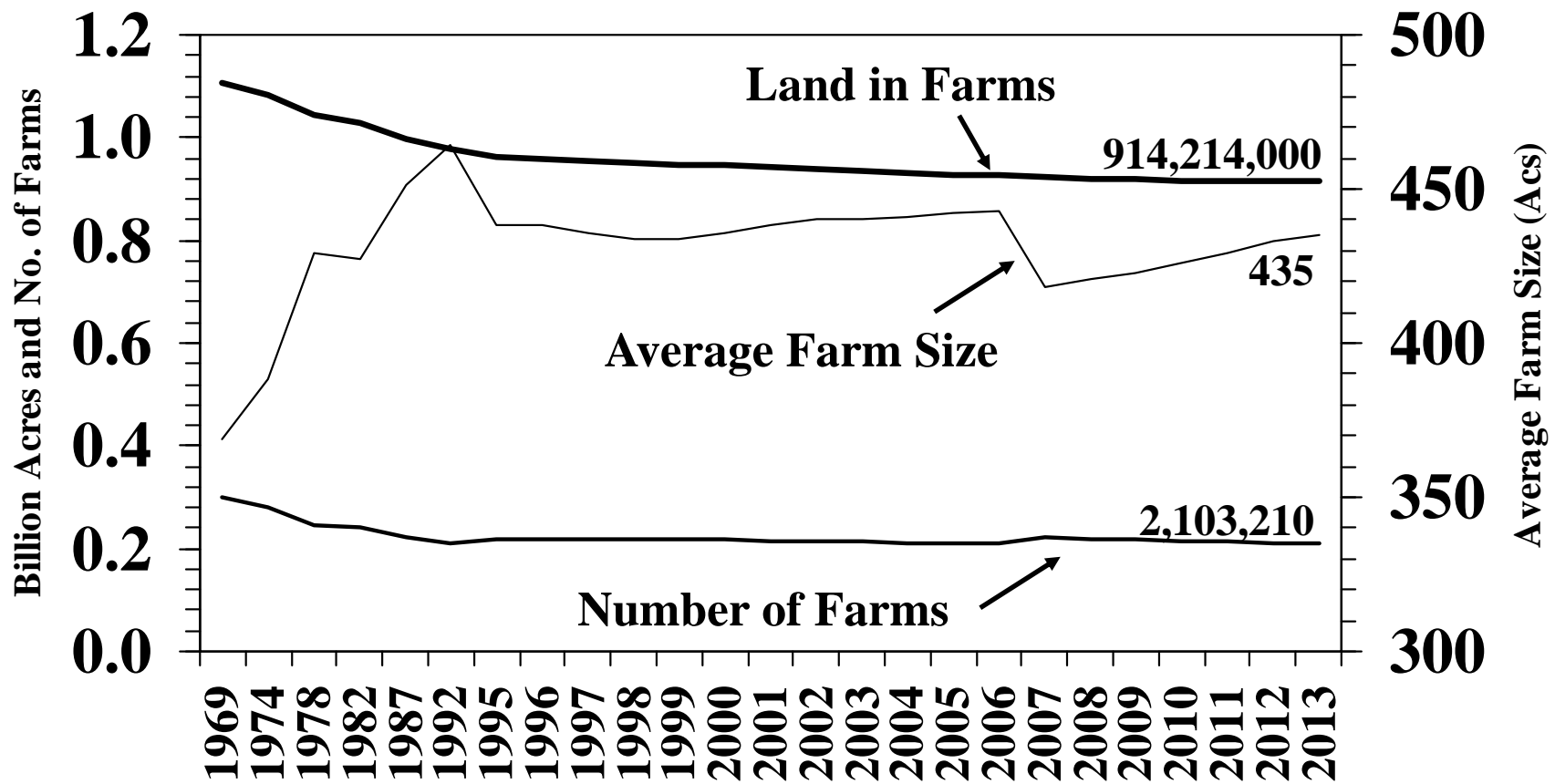
Historical Overview of the Number of Farms and Farm Size in the United States

Variable	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
Number of farms	2,103,210	2,109,810	2,131,240	2,149,520	2,169,660	2,184,500	2,204,600	2,088,790	2,098,690	2,112,970	2,126,860
Land in farms (000 acres)	914,214	914,600	914,420	915,660	917,590	918,600	921,460	925,790	927,940	932,260	936,750
Average farm size (acs)	435	433	429	426	423	421	418	443	442	441	440
Number of Farms by Size in Acres:											
1-49	--	813,183	--	--	--	--	853,132	--	--	--	--
50-179	--	634,047	--	--	--	--	660,530	--	--	--	--
180-499	--	346,038	--	--	--	--	368,368	--	--	--	--
500-999	--	142,555	--	--	--	--	149,713	--	--	--	--
1,000 or more	--	173,480	--	--	--	--	173,049	--	--	--	--

Variable	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1992	1987	1982
Number of farms	2,135,360	2,148,630	2,166,780	2,187,280	2,192,330	2,190,510	2,190,500	2,196,400	2,107,840	2,213,000	2,407,000
Land in farms (000 acres)	940,300	942,070	945,080	948,460	952,080	956,010	958,675	962,515	978,503	998,923	1,027,795
Average farm size (acs)	440	438	436	434	434	436	438	438	464	451	427
Number of Farms by Size in Acres:											
1-49	743,118	--	--	--	--	736,292	--	--	554,207	595,694	636,917
50-179	658,705	--	--	--	--	694,489	--	--	584,146	644,849	711,652
180-499	388,617	--	--	--	--	428,215	--	--	427,648	478,294	526,510
500-999	161,552	--	--	--	--	179,447	--	--	186,387	200,058	203,925
1,000 or more	176,990	--	--	--	--	177,433	--	--	172,912	168,864	161,972

Source: Don E. Albrecht. "The Changing Texas Agriculture: An Overview of the 1987 Census of Agriculture", Departmental Technical Report No. 90-2, Department of Rural Sociology, TAES, The Texas A&M University System, College Station, Texas, 1990. Number of Farms and Land in Farms, USDA publication, February 2013. "2007 and 2012 Census of Agriculture" Highlights of Agriculture for United States. NOTE: Number of Farms by Size in Acres Data Not Available for 1995-1996, 1998-2001, 2003-2006, 2008-2012. 2013 numbers preliminary.

Historical Overview of the Number of Farms and Average Farm Size in the United States 1969 - 2013



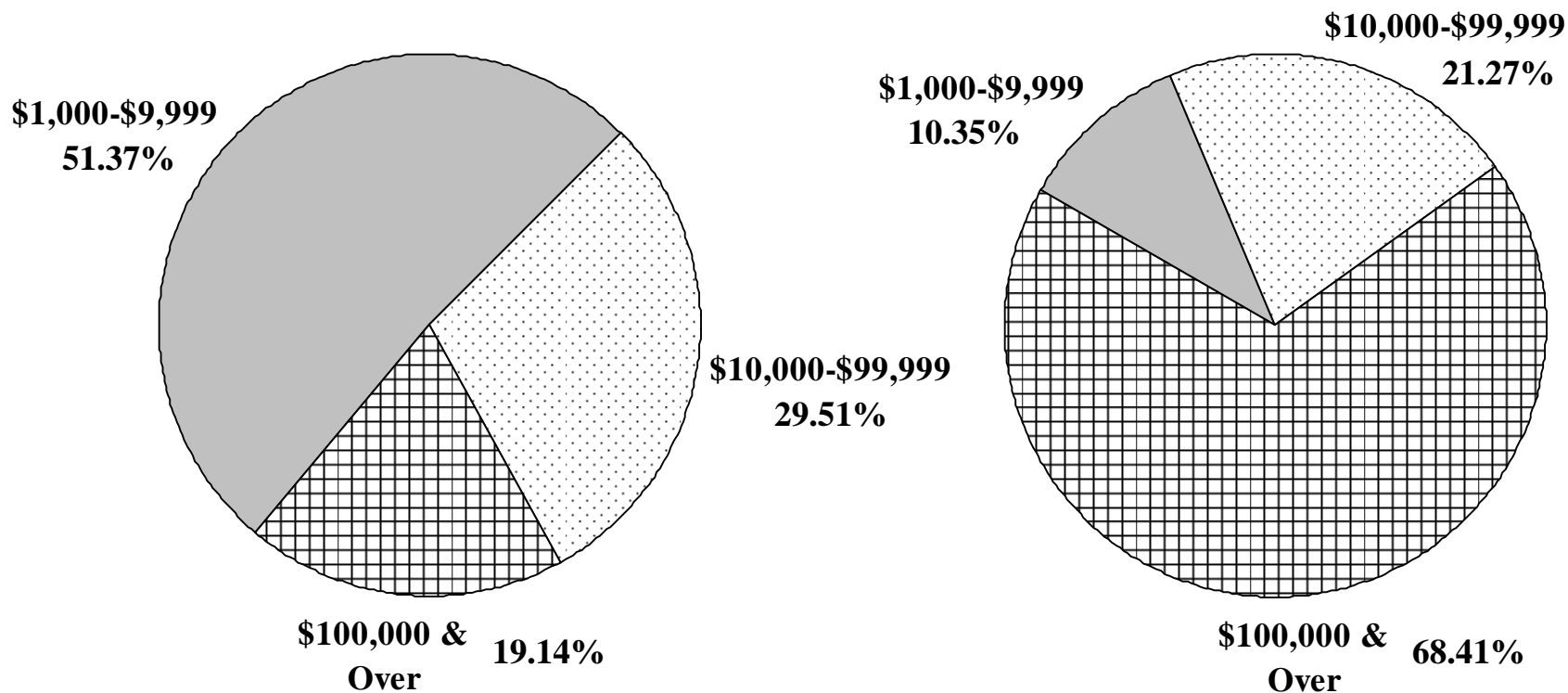
**U.S.: Number of Farms and Land in Farms
by Economic Sales Class**

Economic Sales Class	Number of Farms	Percent of Total Farms	Land in Farms	Percent of Total Land
	Number	%	(000 acres)	%
2013				
\$1,000-\$9,999	1,080,380	51.37	94,570	10.35
\$10,000-\$99,999	620,640	29.51	194,400	21.27
\$100,000-\$249,000	144,320	6.87	131,590	14.40
\$250,000-\$499,999	96,640	4.60	125,450	13.73
\$500,000 & Over	161,230	7.67	368,230	40.28
Total	2,103,210	100.00	914,240	100.00
2012				
\$1,000-\$9,999	1,090,330	51.68	96,020	10.50
\$10,000-\$99,999	620,640	29.42	195,340	21.36
\$100,000-\$249,000	143,280	6.80	131,230	14.35
\$250,000-\$499,999	96,220	4.56	126,930	13.88
\$500,000 & Over	159,340	7.56	365,080	39.92
Total	2,109,810	100.00	914,600	100.00
2011				
\$1,000-\$9,999	1,134,210	53.22	100,740	11.02
\$10,000-\$99,999	614,800	28.85	204,530	22.37
\$100,000-\$249,000	141,830	6.66	135,100	14.78
\$250,000-\$499,999	96,110	4.51	134,260	14.69
\$500,000 & Over	144,290	6.77	339,790	37.16
Total	2,131,240	100.00	914,420	100.00

Source: USDA, "Farm Numbers and Land in Farms, February 2013 and 2014.
Numbers may not add due to rounding.

Number of Farms and Land in Farms by Farm Sales Categories in the U.S., 2013

(% Distribution)



Number of Farms (%)

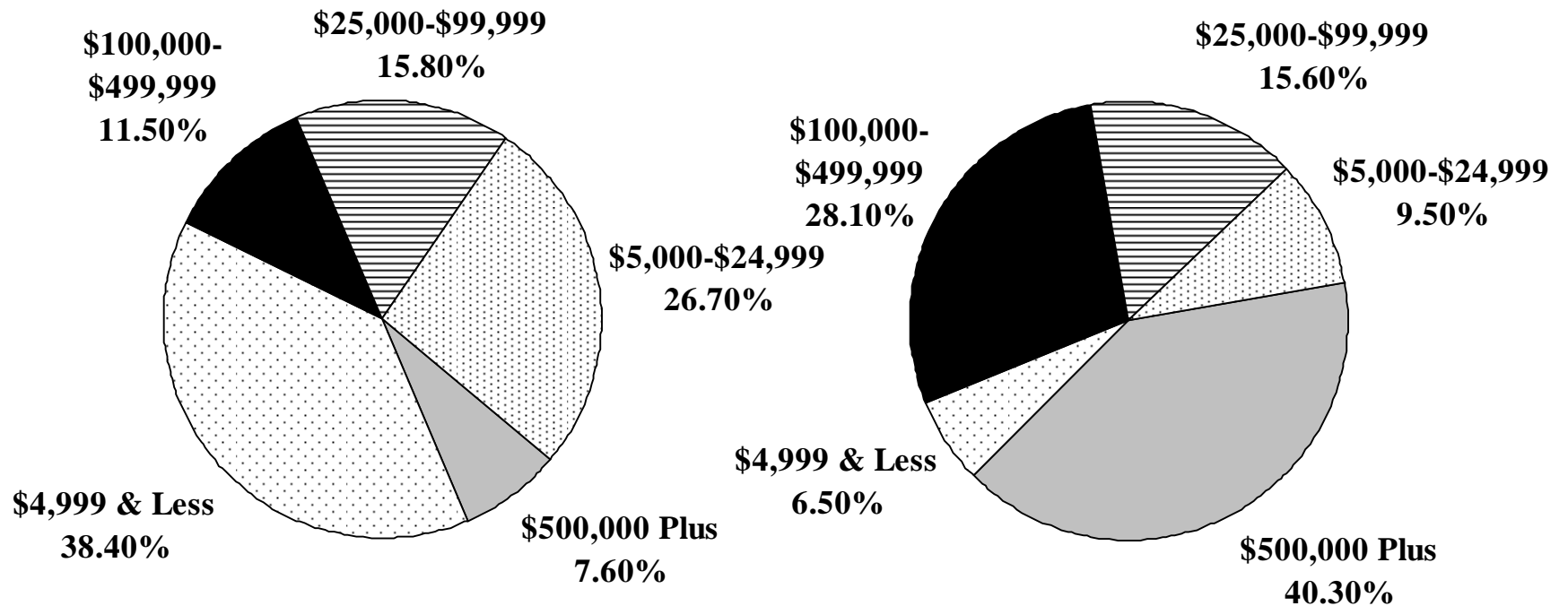
Land in Farms (%)

**Percent of Farms, Land in Farms, and Average Size Farm: By Economic Sales Class,
United States. 2011 - 2013**

Economic Sales Class	Percent of Total		Average Size Farm (Acres)
	Farms	Land in Farms	
	2013		
\$1,000 - \$2,499	24.2	2.9	52
\$2,500 - \$4,999	14.2	3.6	110
\$5,000 - \$9,999	13.0	3.8	129
\$10,000 - \$24,999	13.7	5.7	181
\$25,000 - \$49,999	8.6	6.2	313
\$50,000 - \$99,999	7.2	9.4	565
\$100,000 - \$249,999	6.9	14.4	912
\$250,000 - \$499,999	4.6	13.7	1,298
\$500,000 - \$999,999	3.3	16.3	2,084
\$1,000,000 +	4.3	24.0	2,443
Total	100.0	100.0	435
	2012		
\$1,000 - \$2,499	24.3	3.1	55
\$2,500 - \$4,999	14.5	3.3	99
\$5,000 - \$9,999	12.8	4.1	138
\$10,000 - \$24,999	14.0	6.6	204
\$25,000 - \$49,999	7.9	6.1	335
\$50,000 - \$99,999	7.5	8.7	499
\$100,000 - \$249,999	6.8	14.3	916
\$250,000 - \$499,999	4.6	13.9	1,319
\$500,000 - \$999,999	3.4	15.6	1,989
\$1,000,000 +	4.2	24.3	2,529
Total	100.0	100.0	433
	2011		
\$1,000 - \$2,499	27.0	3.5	58
\$2,500 - \$4,999	14.5	3.5	107
\$5,000 - \$9,999	13.5	4.0	132
\$10,000 - \$19,999	12.0	6.8	212
\$20,000 - \$39,999	8.3	7.3	328
\$40,000 - \$99,999	7.2	10.4	539
\$100,000 - \$249,999	6.7	15.1	974
\$250,000 - \$499,999	4.6	16.0	1,504
\$500,000 - \$999,999	3.7	16.4	1,917
\$1,000,000 +	2.5	17.0	2,940
Total	100.0	100.0	429

SOURCE: "Farms and Land in Farms", USDA/NASS, February 2013 and 14. Numbers may not add due to rounding.

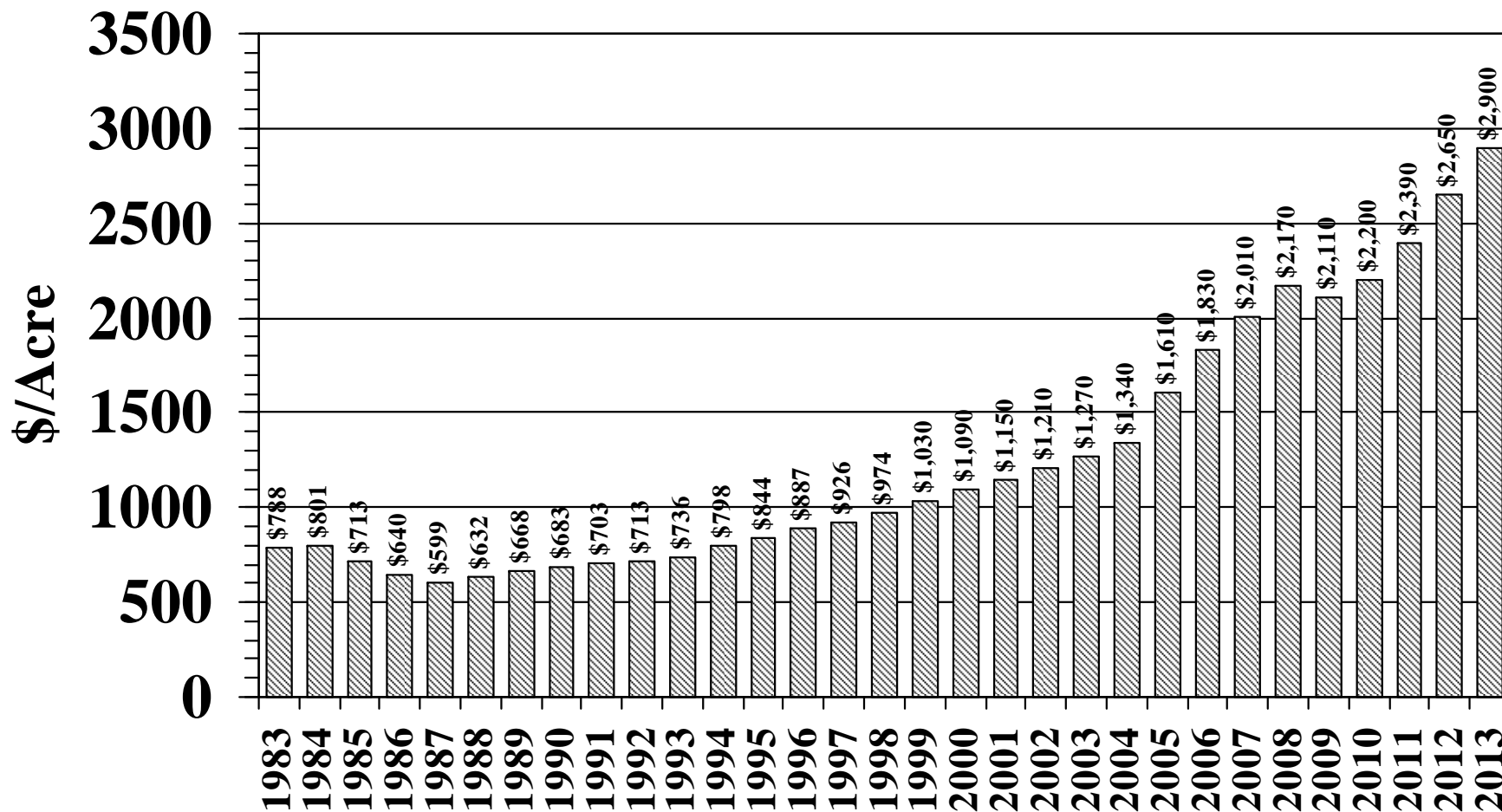
Percent of Farms and Land in Farms by Economic Sales Class, United States, 2013



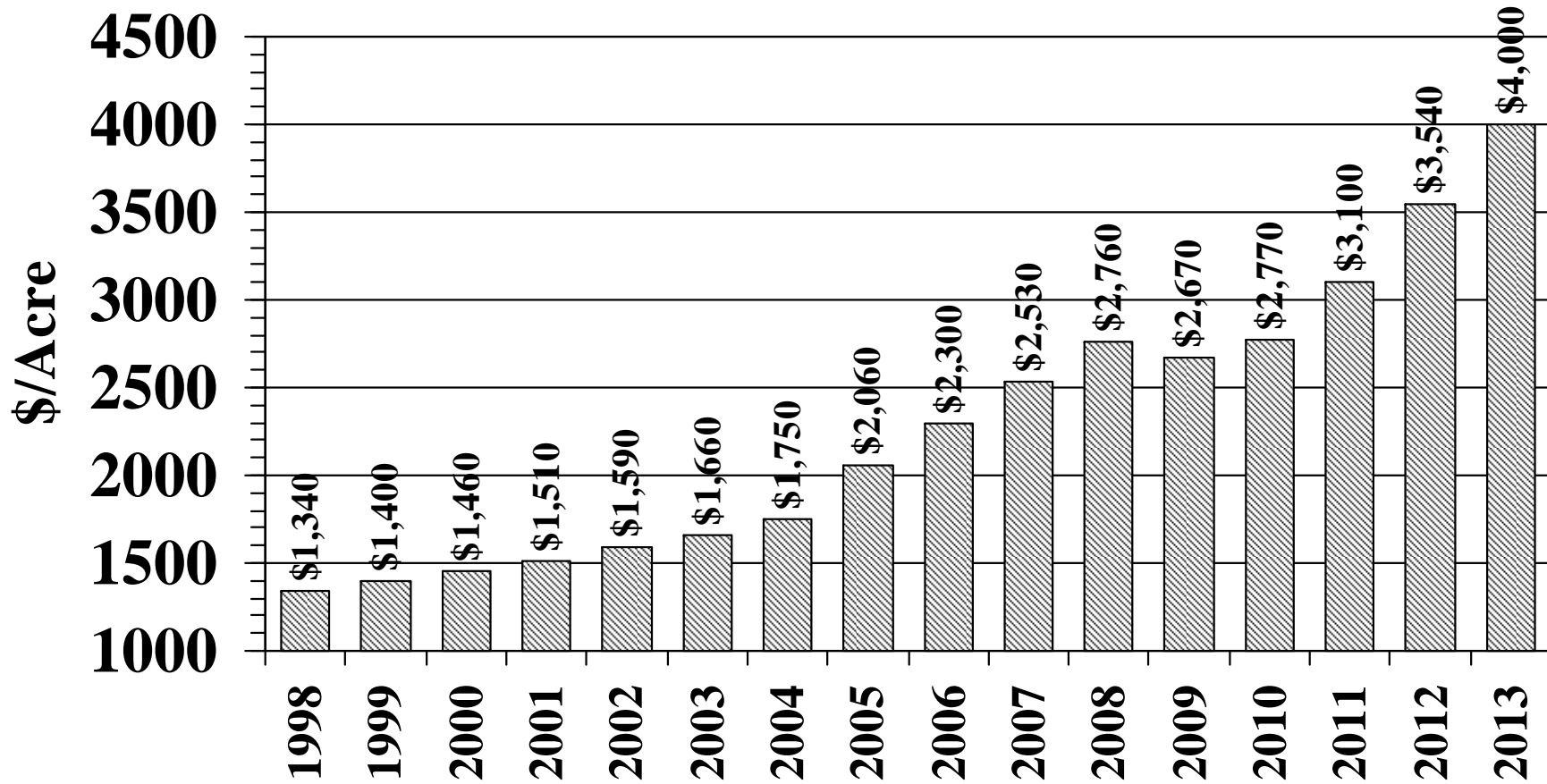
Number of Farms (%)

Land in Farms (%)

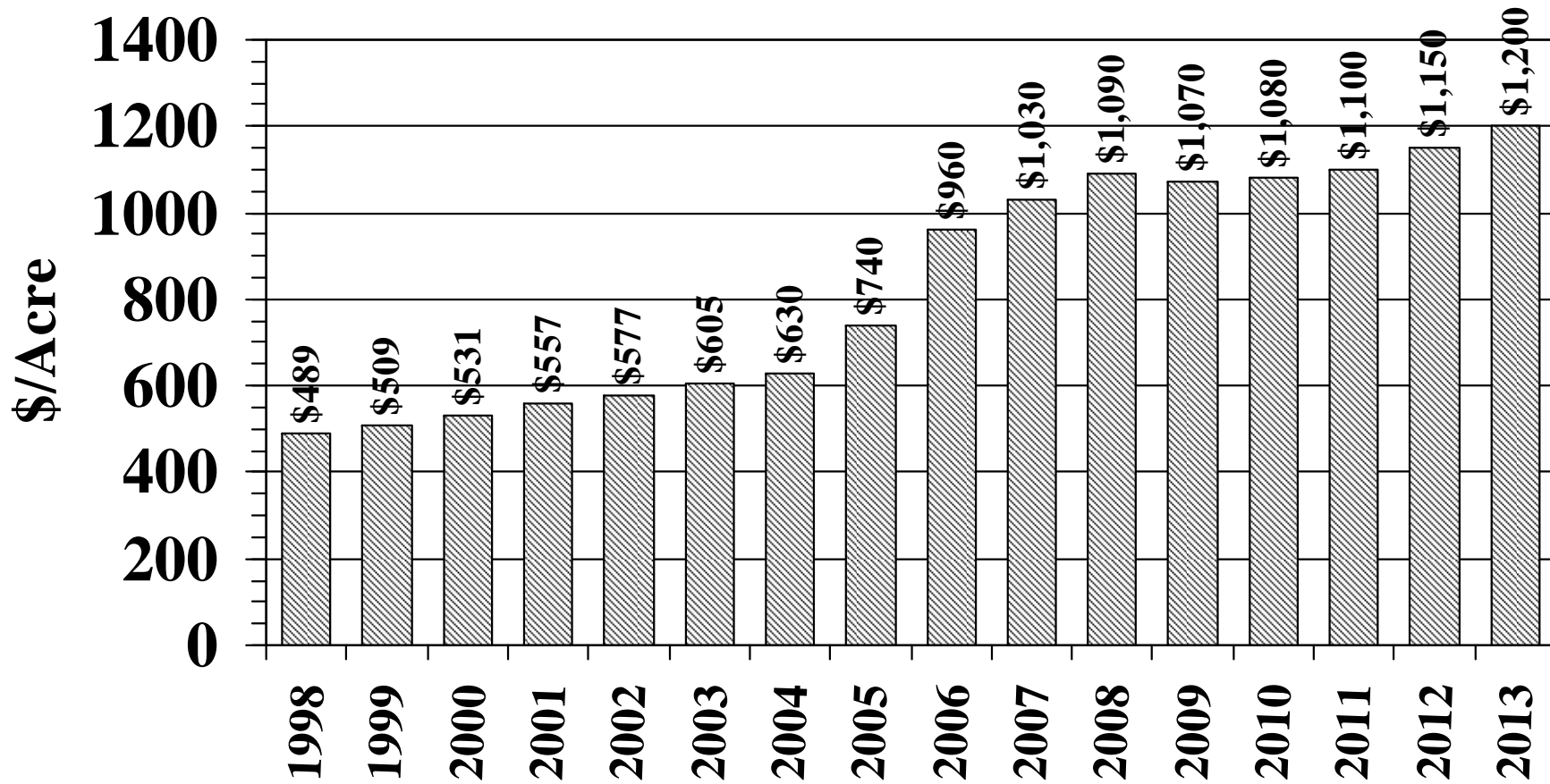
U.S. Average Farm Real Estate Value Dollars Per Acre, 1983 - 2013



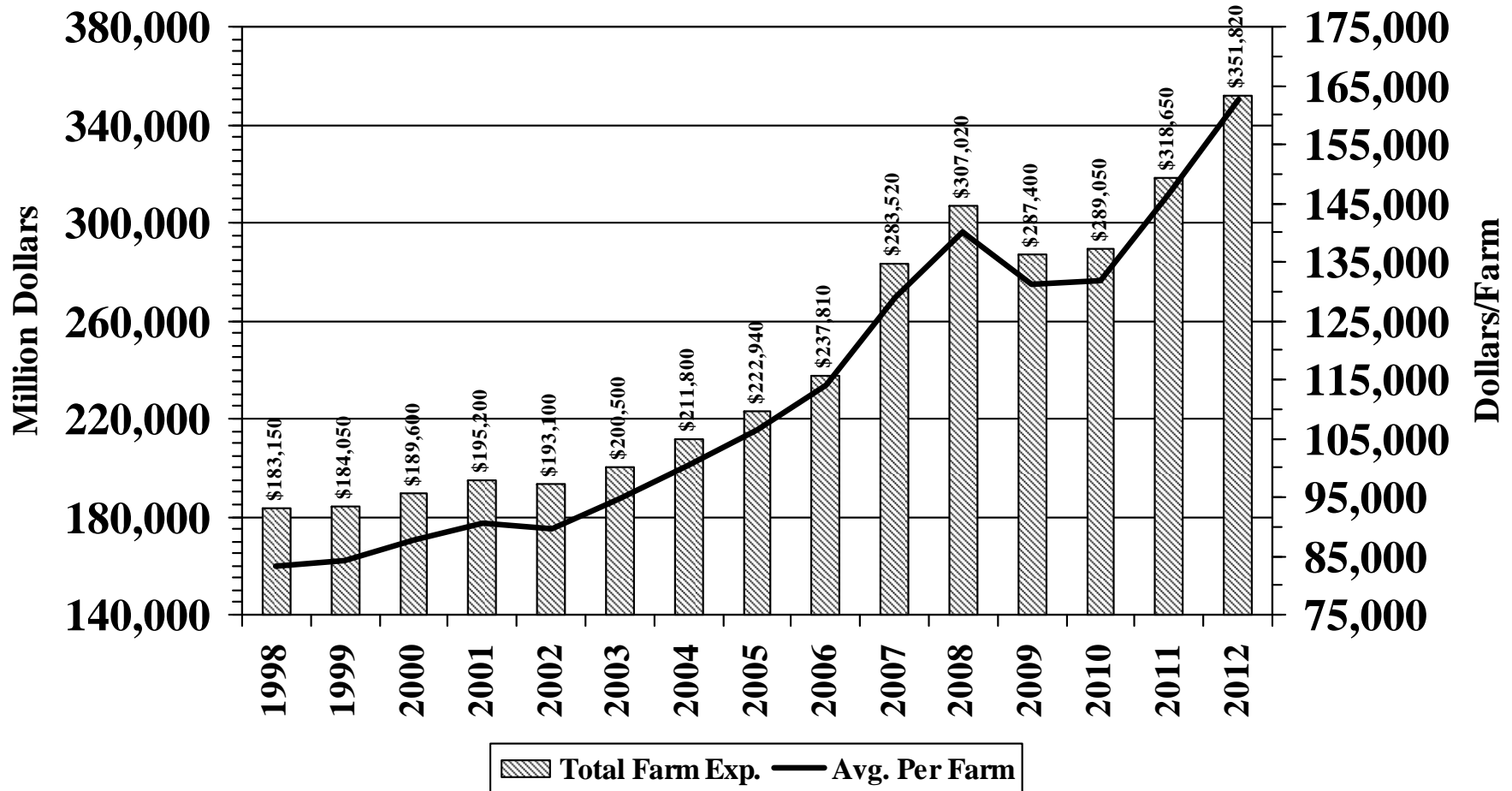
U.S. Average Cropland Value Dollars Per Acre, 1998 - 2013



U.S. Average Pasture Value Dollars Per Acre, 1998 - 2013

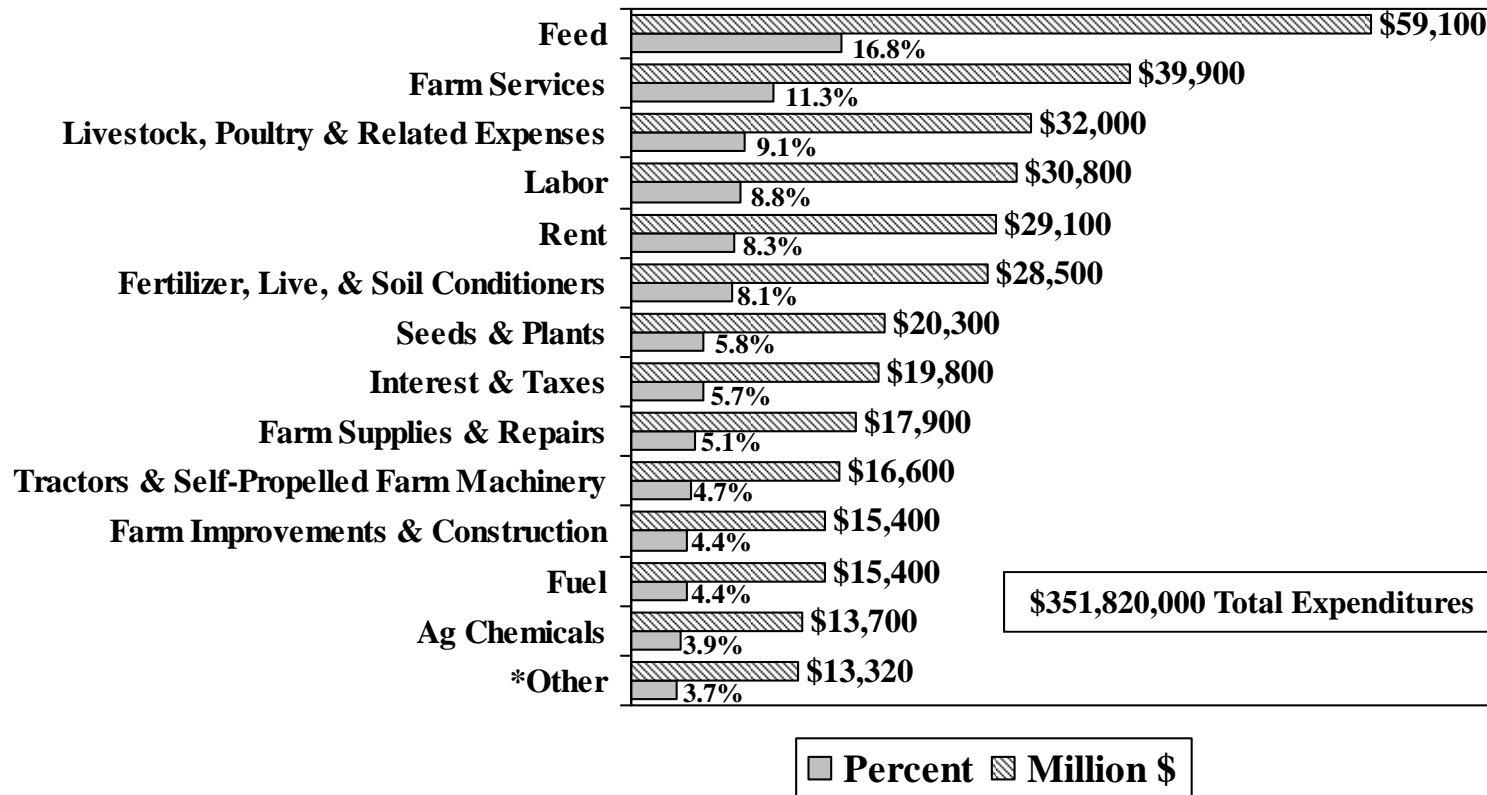


U.S. Farm Production Expenditures Total and Average Per Farm, 1998 - 2012



Source: "Farm Production Expenditures 2013 Summary"
 USDA/NASS, August 2013
 Includes landlord and contractor share of farm production expenses.

U.S. Farm Production Expenditures By Input Items, Expense, Percent of Total United States, 2012

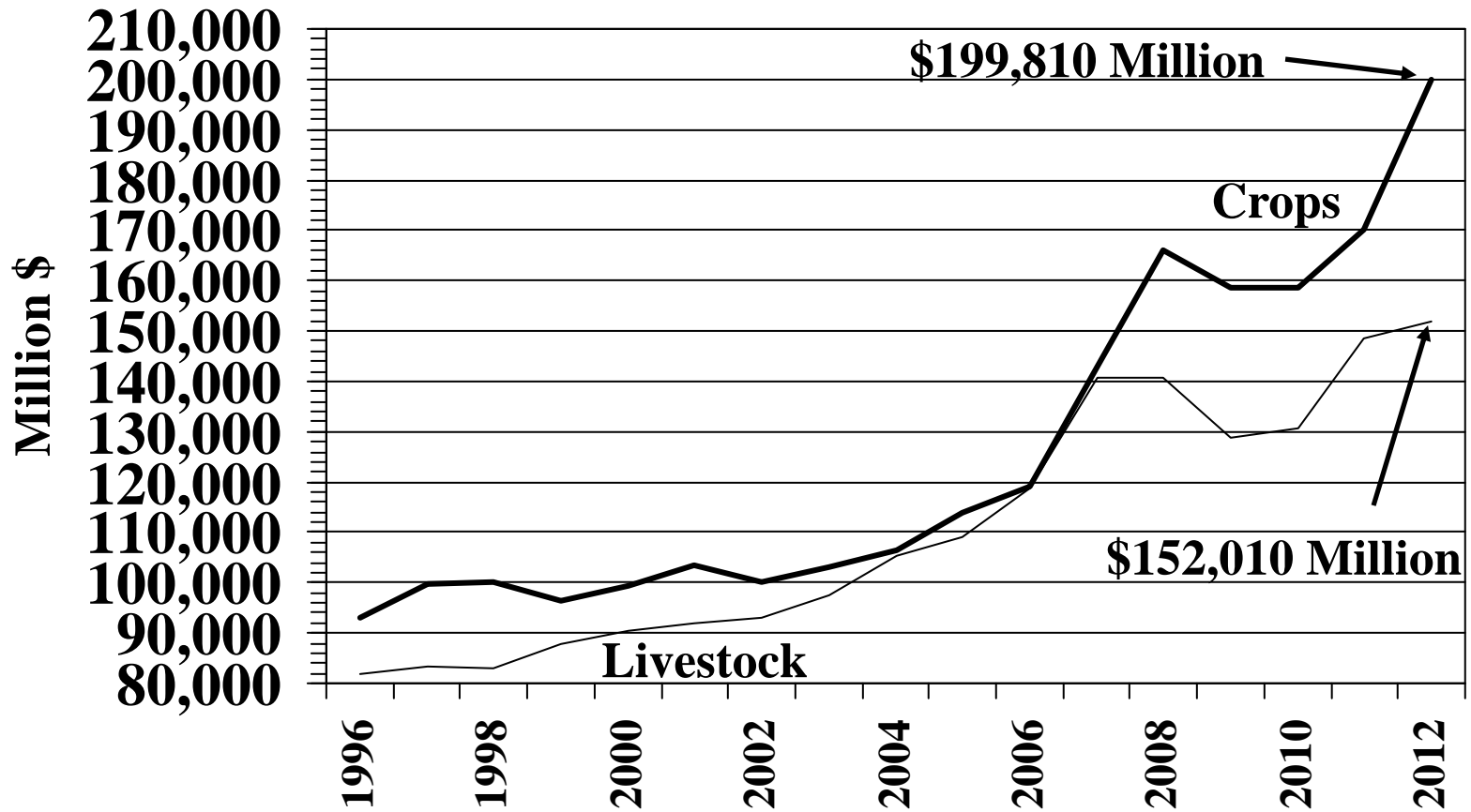


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*Other includes Other Farm Machinery, Trucks and Autos,
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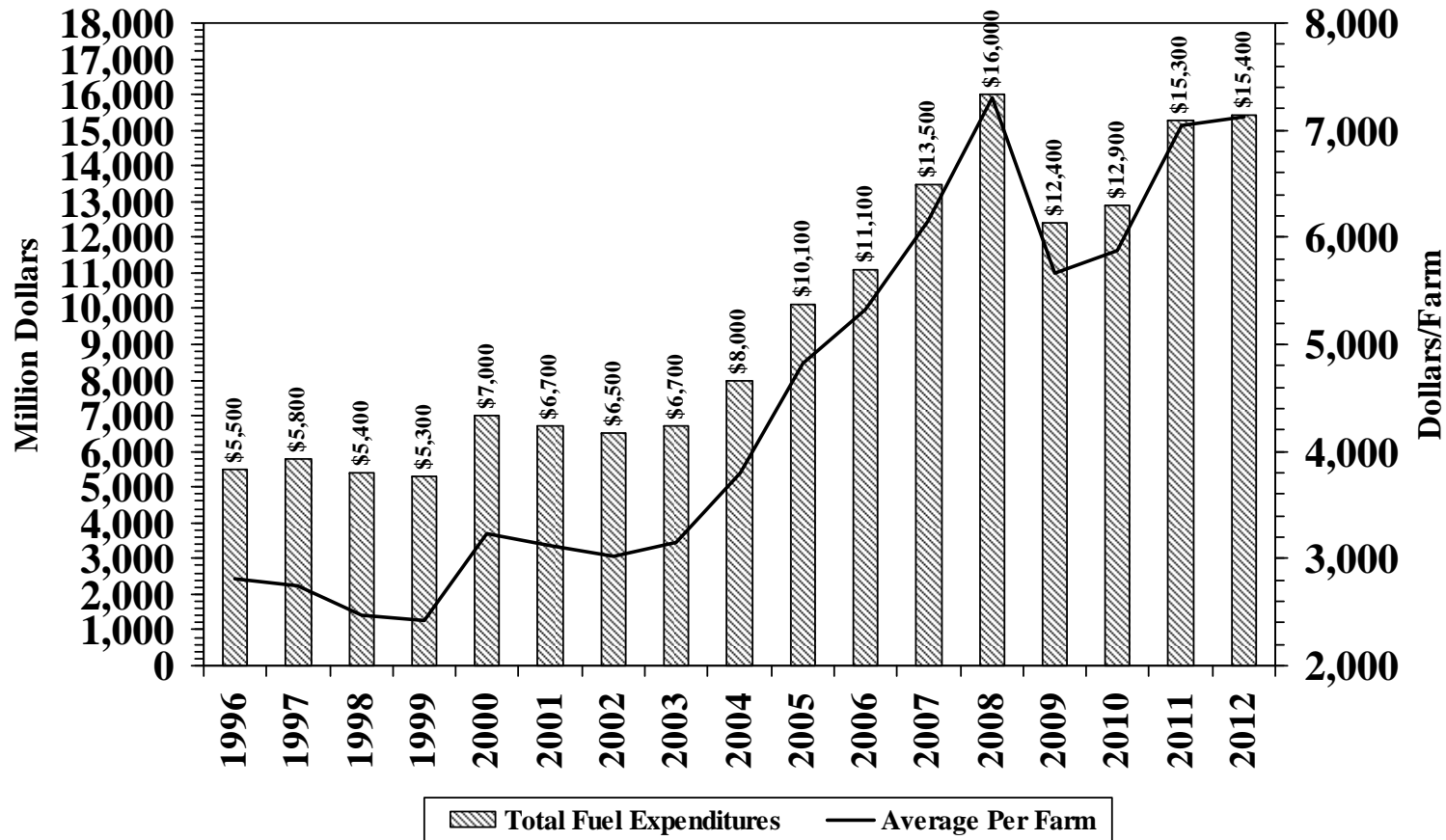
U.S. Farm Production Expenditures

By Type of Farm, 1996 - 2012



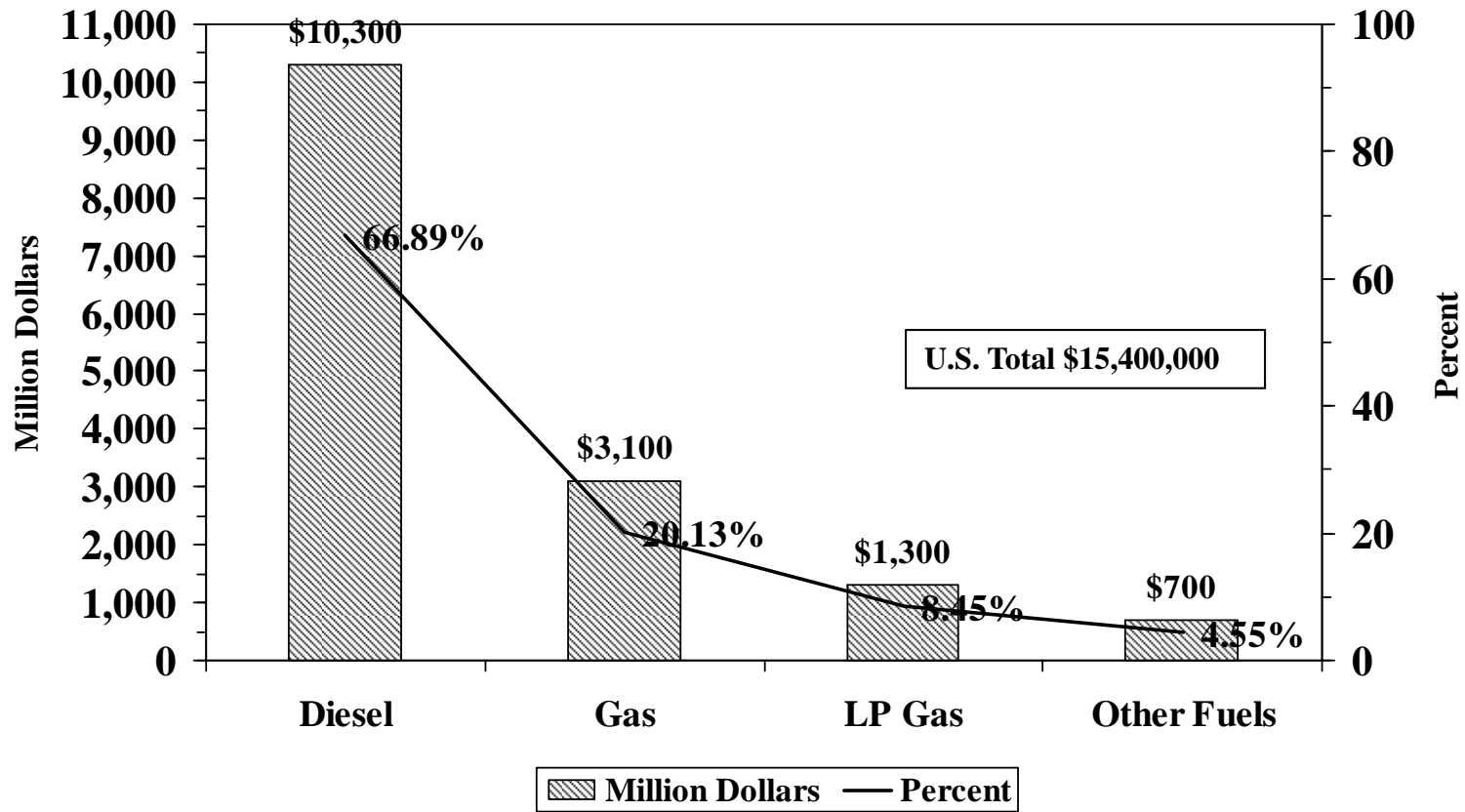
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U.S. Fuel Production Expenditures Total and Average Per Farm, 1996 - 2012



Source: "Farm Production Expenditures 2013 Summary",
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U.S. Fuel Production Expenditures By Sub-Components, Expense, Total and Percent of Total United States, 2012



Source: "Farm Production Expenditures 2013 Summary",
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U.S. Total Fuel and Oil Farm Expenditures

