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**PALO VERDE VALLEY
 ACREAGE AND AGRICULTURAL CROP REPORT
 2014**

Riverside County's total gross valuation for 2014 is \$ 1,327,812,000.

Riverside County's total agricultural production is derived from four separate and distinct districts: Riverside/Corona, San Jacinto/Temecula Valley, Coachella Valley, and the Palo Verde Valley.

Below is a table comparing the value of the agricultural crops in each of the districts during the last three years.

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>
Riverside/Corona	\$111,308,000	\$110,078,000	\$96,205,000
San Jacinto/Temecula	157,747,000	165,035,000	175,767,000
Coachella Valley	543,658,000	615,621,000	625,602,000
Palo Verde Valley	155,320,000	167,701,000	171,013,000

We must emphasize that this report reflects only a gross return and in no way represents a measure of profit to the producers.

If you have any questions regarding this report, or desire the complete Annual Riverside County Agricultural Production Report, please visit our website at www.rivcoag.org or write or call your local Agricultural Commissioner's Office.

**JOHN SNYDER
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 SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES**

CITRUS CROPS

	Planted Acreage	Harvested Acreage	Production		Unit	Value	
			Per Acre	Total		Per Unit	Total
Lemons	320	320	9.78	3,130	tons	535.00	1,675,000
By-products			2.00	640	"	101.00	65,000
Miscellaneous	120	120	6.75	810	"	848.00	687,000
TOTAL	440	440					\$2,427,000

* Includes Mandarin/Tangerine, Minneola, Tangelo.

TREE AND VINE CROPS

	Planted Acreage	Harvested Acreage	Production		Unit	Value	
			Per Acre	Total		Per Unit	Total
Miscellaneous*	30	30	8.80	264	tons	1770.00	467,000
TOTAL	30	30					\$467,000

*Includes: Grapes-Raisins, Peaches.

VEGETABLE, MELON, AND MISCELLANEOUS CROPS

	Total Harvested Acreage	Production		Value		
		Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Broccoli	1,017	6.54	6,650	tons	802	5,333,000
Lettuce - Head	730	12.30	9,000	"	525.60	4,730,000
Melons -						
Cantaloupe	1,086	11.70	12,700	"	405.00	5,144,000
Honeydew	763	11.70	8,900	"	398.50	3,547,000
Misc. Melons	785	16.90	13,270	"	322.00	4,273,000
Miscellaneous*	374	10.25	3,830	"	627.00	2,401,000
TOTAL	4,755					\$25,428,000

*Includes Cabbage, Chinese Broccoli, Corn-Sweet, Lettuce-Bulk, Lettuce-Romaine, Melon-Crenshaw, Squash-Banana.

FIELD AND SEED CROPS

	Total Harvested Acreage	Production		Value		
		Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Cotton						
Short Staple	9,040	1.08	9,800	tons	1477.00	14,475,000
Seed		1.55	14,000	"	258.00	3,612,000
Grain						
Wheat	7,310	2.62	19,200	"	273.39	5,249,000
Hay						
Alfalfa	57,085	8.07	461,000	"	232.32	107,100,000
Bermuda Grass	1,646	8.30	13,700	"	198.73	2,723,000
Klein Grass	2,121	9.25	19,600	"	198.73	3,895,000
Sudan	1,889	5.40	10,200	"	190.87	1,947,000
Green Chop / Silage						
Corn	2,264	31.43	71,200	"	51.12	3,640,000
Miscellaneous*	499	2.00	1,000	"	50.00	50,000
TOTAL	81,854					\$142,691,000

*Includes: Grain-Barley, Hay-Straw.

SUMMARY

	<u>Harvested Acreage</u>	<u>Valuation</u>
Citrus Crops	440	2,427,000
Tree & Vine Crops	30	467,000
Vegetable, Melon & Misc. Crops	4,755	25,428,000
Field & Seed Crops	81,854	142,691,000
TOTAL	87,079	\$171,013,000