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**COACHELLA VALLEY
ACREAGE AND AGRICULTURAL CROP REPORT
2004**

Riverside County had a gross valuation of \$ 1,131,605,200

Riverside County's agricultural production is derived from four districts - Riverside/Corona, San Jacinto/Temecula Valley, Coachella Valley, and Palo Verde Valley.

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

	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>
Riverside/Corona	\$ 84,200,000	\$ 97,390,900	\$ 103,967,000
San Jacinto/Temecula	145,426,200	164,934,800	182,021,700
Coachella Valley	425,631,400	401,971,100	416,373,900
Palo Verde Valley	93,716,800	91,978,200	96,535,100

It must be emphasized that this report reflects a gross return and in no way represents a measure of profit to the producers.

Please note the addition of Nursery Stock Production to this report.

If you have any questions regarding this report, or desire the Annual Riverside County Agricultural Production Report, please call or write your local Agricultural Commissioner's Office.

**JOHN SNYDER
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER/SEALER**

CITRUS CROPS

	Acreage	Bearing Acreage	Production			Value	
			Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Grapefruit-Ruby	1,144	1,144	825	943,800	34 lbs.	8.25	7,786,400
By-products			330	367,620	"	1.62	595,500
Grapefruit-Other*	504	504	750	378,000	34 lbs.	10.25	3,874,500
By-products			300	151,200	"	1.70	257,000
Lemons	5,245	4,875	580	2,827,500	38 lbs.	9.23	26,097,800
By-products			82	399,750	"	0.36	143,900
Miscellaneous**	59	59	296	17,464	40 lbs.	22.44	391,900
Oranges-Valencia	605	585	414	242,190	37.5 lbs	4.05	980,900
By-products			131	76,635	"	2.15	164,800
Royal-Mandarins	144	102	580	59,160	37.5 lbs	9.75	576,800
By-products			34	3,468	"	3.35	11,600
Tangelos	690	530	324	171,720	30 lbs.	6.80	1,167,700
By-products			81	42,930	"	1.35	58,000
Tangerines	1,650	1,640	590	967,600	25 lbs.	6.80	6,579,700
By-products			236	387,040	"	1.85	716,000
TOTAL	10,041	9,439					\$ 49,402,500

* Includes Oro Blanco, Star Ruby, and Rio Red

**Includes Kumquats and Limes.

TREE AND VINE CROPS

	Planted Acreage	Bearing Acreage	Production			Value	
			Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Dates	6,040	4,020	4.63	18,613	Tons	2,048	38,118,600
By-product			0.40	1,608	"	68.00	109,300
Grapes-Table							-
Beauty-Seedless	189	182	780	141,960	18 lbs	14.71	2,088,200
Exotic	58	58	765	44,370	"	10.85	481,400
Flame Seedless	5,366	5,340	820	4,378,800	"	14.61	63,974,300
Perlette	3,010	2,090	572	1,195,480	"	17.69	21,148,000
Thompson Seedless	1,800	1,760	545	959,200	"	13.30	12,757,400
Other	1,385	1,124	700	786,800	"	15.16	11,927,900
Miscellaneous*	266	206	694	22,350	24 lbs.	51.70	1,155,500
TOTAL	18,114	14,780					\$ 151,760,600

*Includes Figs, Mangos, Jojoba, and Peaches.

VEGETABLE, MELON, AND MISCELLANEOUS CROPS

	Total Harvested Acreage	Production			Value	
		Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Artichokes	445	560	249,200	23 lbs.	15.24	3,797,800
Beans-Green	317	378	119,826	28 lbs.	21.38	2,561,900
Broccoli	1,511	575	868,825	23 lbs.	10.66	9,261,700

VEGETABLE, MELON, AND MISCELLANEOUS CROPS CONTINUED

	Total Harvested Acreage	Production		Value		
		Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Cabbage	50	800	40,000	50 lbs.	4.39	175,600
Carrots	1,371	900	1,233,900	48 lbs.	7.70	9,501,000
Cauliflower	903	772	697,116	23 lbs.	7.35	5,123,800
Celery	220	1,064	234,080	60 lbs.	8.69	2,034,200
Corn-Sweet	1,551	365	566,115	45 lbs.	7.15	4,047,700
Eggplant	179	1,100	196,900	20 lbs.	8.50	1,673,700
Lettuce-Loose Leaf	1,583	992	1,570,336	22 lbs.	8.04	12,625,500
Romaine	983	975	958,425	35 lbs.	9.23	8,846,300
Melons-Cantaloupe	350	607	212,450	40 lbs.	5.81	1,234,300
Watermelon	491	27	13,257	tons	260.00	3,446,800
Miscellaneous*	758	1,729	1,310,582	28 lbs.	8.36	10,956,500
Oriental Vegetables	378	400	151,200	40 lbs.	29.36	4,439,200
Pepper-Bell	2,520	1,103	2,779,560	30 lbs.	15.08	41,915,800
Potatoes-Spring	68	262	17,816	100 lbs.	13.44	239,400
Radishes	24	707	16,968	35 lbs.	5.24	88,900
Spinach	975	951	927,225	30 lbs.	9.53	8,836,500
Squash	57	400	22,800	28 lbs.	9.17	209,100
Strawberries	351	1,520	533,520	12 lbs.	11.86	6,327,500
TOTAL	15,085					\$ 137,343,200

* Includes: Beets, Chili Peppers, Endive, Escarole, Melons-Crenshaw, Melons-Honeydew, Melons-Misc, Onions-Dry, Onions-Green, Parsley, Peas, Spices, Turnips, Summer Squash. Market Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Brussel Sprouts, Cilantro, Herbs, Leeks, Mint

FIELD AND SEED CROPS

	Total Harvested Acreage	Production		Unit	Value	
		Per Acre	Total		Per Unit	Total
Green Chop						
Alfalfa	160	2.09	334	tons	94.17	31,500
Pasture, Irrigated	1,200		1,200	acres	120.00	144,000
TOTAL	1,360				\$	175,500

NURSERY STOCK PRODUCTION

	Acres	Production		Unit	Value	
		Total	Total		Total	
Ornamental Nursery Stock	885	6,906,227		various		33,011,700
Cut Flowers and Cut Greens	83	6,326,426		cuttings		4,301,900
Turf	1,783	77,645,700		square feet		15,165,000
Farm Planting Stock	165	1,754,940		various		20,181,800
Miscellaneous	33	652,836		flats		5,031,700
TOTAL	2,949				\$	77,692,100

SUMMARY

	<u>Harvested Acreage</u>	<u>Valuation</u>
Citrus Crops	9,439	\$ 49,402,500
Tree & Vine Crops	14,780	151,760,600
Vegetable, Melon & Misc. Crops	15,085	137,343,200
Field & Seed Crops	1,360	175,500
Nursery Stock	2,949	77,692,100
TOTAL	43,613	\$ 416,373,900