

CALIFORNIA - DISTRICT 16**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

California's district 16 has 1 county.

SANTA CLARA

Farms

Number	985
Acreage	318,654
Average size (acres)	324
Median size (acres)	11

Estimated market value average per farm

Land/buildings (dollars)	605,714
Machinery/equip (dollars)	50,101

Cropland (acres)

Total	31,643
Harvested	23,127
Irrigated	18,731

Agricultural products sold - market value

(\$1,000)	188,485
(dollars avg. per farm)	191,355

Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm

(dollars average)	63,277
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Livestock inventory (number)

Cattle and calves	25,722
Beef cows	11,217
Milk cows	1,337
Hogs and pigs	196
Sheep and lambs	709
Layers 13 wks or/older	D
Broilers and chicken (sold)	D

Harvested commodities (acres)

Corn, grain or seed	N
Corn, silage or green chop	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	N
Wheat	300
Barley	D
Oats	N
Rice	D
Sunflower seed	N
Cotton	0
Tobacco	N
Soybeans	N
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N
Peanuts for nuts	N
Hay-alfalfa	5,125

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Vegetables

Number of farms	107
Acreage	9,465

Orchards

Number of farms	376
Acreage	5,103

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

1 Santa Clara county is divided among districts 13, 14, 15, and 16.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture