

COLORADO - DISTRICT 3**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES	
Farms				
Number	4	1,489	35	227
Acreage	8,834	1,031,091	34,541	266,546
Average size (acres)	259	3,786	987	961
Median size (acres)	16	1,736	204	213
Estimated market value average per farm				
Land/buildings (dollars)	449,721	2,180,267	1,164,227	849,738
Machinery/equip (dollars)	13,250	165,574	69,370	47,227
Cropland (acres)				
Total	153	140,268	7,064	39,674
Harvested	583	121,632	6,117	29,444
Irrigated	183	207,200	10,939	29,576
Agricultural products sold - market value				
(\$1,000)	222	88,274	1,511	14,086
(dollars avg. per farm)	14,551	209,246	43,166	43,166
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm				
(dollars average)	-6,914	51,481	6,592	5,697
Livestock inventory (number)				
Cattle and calves	498	71,672	2,795	17,341
Beef cows	359	33,245	1,567	8,508
Milk cows	0	2,440	0	28
Hogs and pigs	0	2,641	D	90
Sheep and lambs	0	72,715	D	825
Layers 13 wks or/older	0	2,284	D	347
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0	0
Harvested commodities (acres)				
Corn, grain or seed	0	8,688	0	0
Corn, silage or green chop	0	3,410	0	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	0	1,241	0	0
Wheat	0	20,350	0	2,544
Barley	0	19,806	0	0
Oats	N	N	N	0
Rice	N	N	N	0
Sunflower seed	N	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	N	0
Soybeans	N	N	N	0
Dry edible beans, excl limas	0	12,732	0	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	534	82,579	6,115	20,382

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Vegetables				
Number of farms	N	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	N	0
Orchards				
Number of farms	N	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	N	0

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture