

COLFAX COUNTY, NM

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1,997	1,992	1,987
Farms			
Number	322	303	303
Acreage	2,227,155	2,085,387	1,877,995
Average size (acres)	6,917	6,882	6,198
Median size (acres)	534	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	1,348,196	1,311,089	1,027,376
Machinery/equip (dollars)	39,658	36,305	28,093
Cropland (acres)			
Total	46,354	34,489	36,429
Harvested	17,730	13,894	17,383
Irrigated	27,224	24,685	21,438
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	40,236	34,827	24,857
(dollars avg. per farm)	124,955	114,939	82,035
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	27,818	18,769	6,518
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	58,993	57,098	37,983
Beef cows	20,067	18,141	15,113
Milk cows	55	57	88
Hogs and pigs	D	48	120
Sheep and lambs	747	962	696
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	D	529
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	D	0
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	D	76	82
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	D	D	0
Wheat	D	D	942
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	0	0	0
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	N	N	N
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	17,147	13,428	16,194
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards

Number of farms	3	3	3
Acreage	D	D	D

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