

Yolo County Agricultural Crop Report



2019

County of Yolo

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The Honorable Board of Supervisors of Yolo County:

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Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 2279 and 2272 of the California Food and Agricultural Code, I am pleased to present the Yolo County Crop Report for 2019. This annual publication summarizes the acreage production and valuation of Yolo County's agricultural commodities. These figures denote gross value of production and do not attempt to reflect net farm income.

The gross value of Yolo County's agricultural production for 2019 was \$765,231,000. This represents an increase of \$89,335,000 or 13.2 % above 2018's value of \$675,896,000.

Almonds remain in the number one spot with a gross value of \$157,776,000, followed by Wine Grapes with a gross value of \$108,143,000. Almonds, Wine Grapes, Tomatoes, Rice and Organic Production, are the top five commodities according to gross value. In accordance with criteria provided by the State of California and Food and Agriculture Code, Pistachios have moved out of Miscellaneous Fruit and Nut and into their own category. Pistachios are now number nine in the top ten commodities at \$19,444,000. Alfalfa Hay, Sunflower Seed, Walnuts, Pistachios, and Nursery Products round out the top ten commodities for 2019.

I would like to express my appreciation to all the farmers, ranchers, and agencies who contributed data to make this report possible. Special recognition for the compilation of this report goes to Danielle Ballard, Dennis Chambers, and Jenni King.

To see this or any previous crop reports online, or to learn about the programs and services provided by the Yolo County Department of Agriculture, visit: www.yolocounty.org/ag.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "John A. Young". The signature is stylized and written over a white background.

John Young

Agricultural Commissioner





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TOP 20 COMMODITIES

Commodity	2019	2018	2017
1. Almonds (Meats)	\$157,776,000	\$112,980,000	\$115,020,000
2. Grapes, Wine (All)	\$108,143,000	\$83,596,000	\$86,012,000
3. Tomatoes, Processing	\$107,540,000	\$100,944,000	\$86,800,000
4. Rice ¹	\$57,086,000	\$52,000,000	\$39,585,000
5. Organic Production (All)	\$56,902,000	\$48,525,000	\$49,989,000
6. Walnuts (All)	\$35,800,000	\$25,842,000	\$44,457,000
7. Hay, Alfalfa	\$30,492,000	\$28,457,000	\$21,359,000
8. Sunflower Seed	\$26,260,000	\$24,978,000	\$32,437,000
9. Pistachios [*]	\$19,444,000		
10. Nursery (All) ²	\$18,734,000	\$19,687,000	\$19,068,000
11. Cattle and Calves	\$16,046,000	\$16,704,000	\$15,707,000
12. Olives (Oil)	\$14,860,000	\$7,216,000	\$10,488,000
13. Apiary ³	\$14,301,000	\$13,175,000	\$11,432,000
14. Wheat	\$10,399,000	\$12,901,000	\$6,670,000
15. Plums (Dried)	\$8,736,000	\$9,594,000	\$6,673,000
16. Pasture and Grass Seed	\$7,412,000	\$7,132,000	\$6,623,000
17. Corn, Field	\$5,452,000	\$9,570,000	\$4,377,000
18. Almonds (Hulls)	\$4,190,000	\$4,030,000	\$3,600,000
19. Hay, Grain ⁴	\$2,607,000	\$6,655,000	\$1,967,000
20. Sheep and Lambs	\$2,045,000	\$2,695,000	\$2,170,000

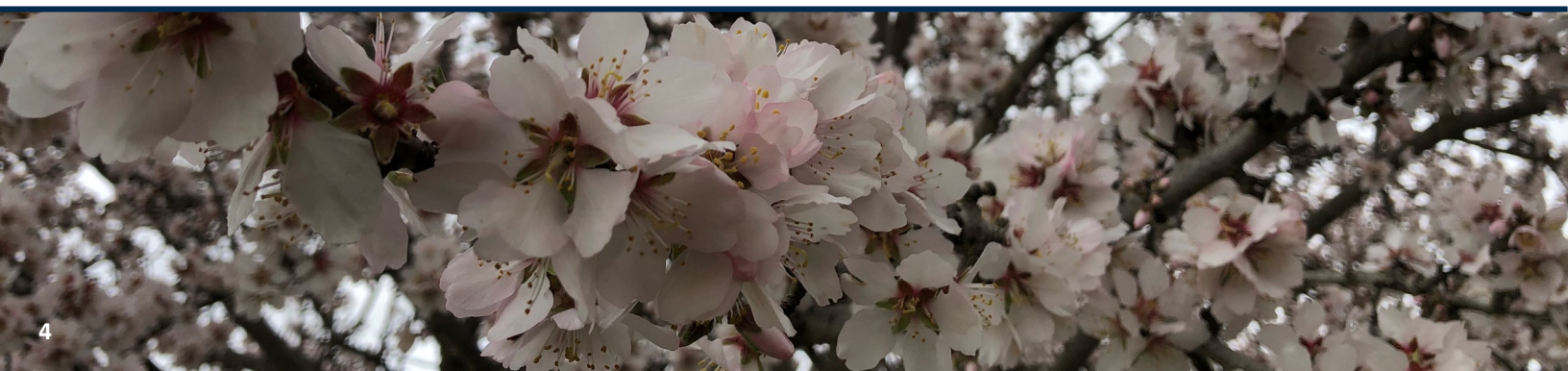
¹ Includes seed; values include Federal Rice Payments

² Includes bareroot, benchcraft, budwood, container stock, cuttings, organic transplants, transplants, and trees

³ Includes colonies, honey, package bees, pollination, queens, and wax

⁴ Includes oat, ryegrass, sudangrass, and volunteer hay

* First year commodity is in an individual category, no previous annual data



VEGETABLE CROPS

Crop	Year	Production			Value	
		Harvested Acres	Per Acre	Total Tons	Per Ton	Total
Tomatoes, Processing	2019	30,700	46.10	1,415,000	\$76	\$107,540,000
	2018	28,800	48.69	1,402,000	\$72	\$100,944,000
Miscellaneous ¹	2019	6,350				\$17,468,000
	2018	7,260				\$23,682,000
Total	2019	37,050				\$125,008,000
	2018	36,060				\$124,626,000

¹ Miscellaneous-asparagus, broccoli, cabbage, cantaloupes, cucumber, garbanzo beans, garlic, melons (including honeydew), peppers, pumpkins, squash, sweet corn, tomatoes (fresh), watermelons, and other truck crops; total may vary due to specialty market contracts

ORGANIC PRODUCTION



Crop	Year	Acres	Total
Production, Organic*	2019	36,900	\$52,994,000
	2018	32,500	\$44,091,000
Fresh Market, Organic	2019	430	\$3,908,000
	2018	400	\$4,434,000
Total	2019	37,330	\$56,902,000
	2018	32,900	\$48,525,000

* Includes organic rangeland

102 farms registered as organic, of which 65 are certified by Yolo Certified Organic Agriculture (YCOA)

NURSERY PRODUCTS

Crop	Year	Acres	Total
Propagative Stock ¹	2019	273	\$9,342,000
	2018	306	\$9,952,000
Nursery Stock ²	2019	85	\$9,392,000
	2018	85	\$9,735,000
Total	2019	358	\$18,734,000
	2018	391	\$19,687,000

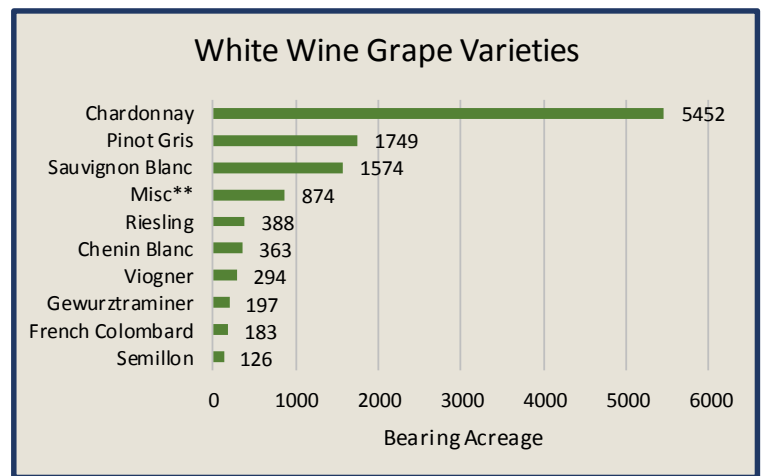
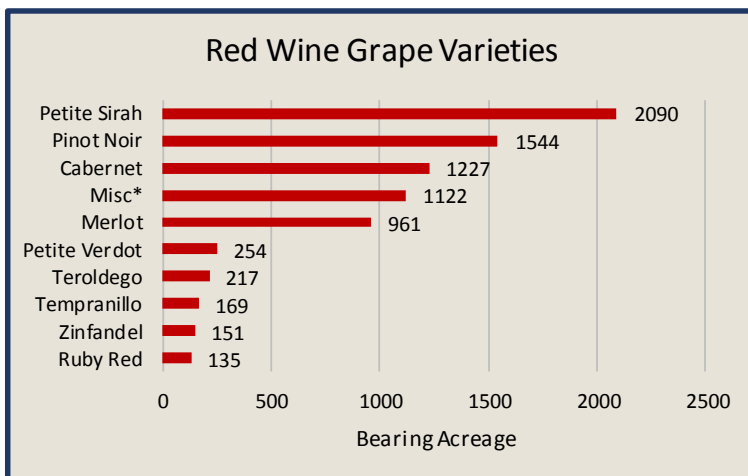
¹ Includes bareroot, benchgraft, budwood, and cuttings

² Includes container stock, organic transplants, transplants, and trees



WINE GRAPES

Crop	Year	Production			Value	
		Harvested Acres	Per Acre	Total Tons	Per Ton	Total
Wine Grapes (Red)	2019	7,870	5.99	47,100	\$1,050	\$49,455,000
	2018	5,020	5.26	26,400	\$1,010	\$26,664,000
Wine Grapes (White)	2019	11,200	8.00	89,600	\$655	\$58,688,000
	2018	9,730	7.21	70,200	\$811	\$56,932,000
Total	2019	19,070				\$108,143,000
	2018	14,750				\$83,596,000



*Includes Aglianico, Alicante Bouschet, Barbera, Carignan, Cinsaut, Counoise, Dakapo, Dornfelder, Durif, Gamay, Grenache, Malbec, Marselan, Mourvedre, Nebbiolo, Primitivo, Sangiovese, Syrah, Tannat, and others

**Includes Albarino, Airen, Grenache Blanc, Muscat Blanc, Picpoul Blanc, Roussanne, Symphony, Verdelho, Vermentino, and others



FIELD CROPS

Crop	Year	Production			Value	
		Harvested Acres	Per Acre	Total Tons	Per Ton	Total
Corn, Field	2019	7,110	4.98	35,400	\$154	\$5,452,000
	2018	7,550	5.84	44,100	\$217	\$9,570,000
Hay, Alfalfa	2019	26,300	5.86	154,000	\$198	\$30,492,000
	2018	25,000	5.73	143,000	\$199	\$28,457,000
Hay, Grain ¹	2019	8,620	3.09	26,600	\$98	\$2,607,000
	2018	15,900	3.46	55,000	\$121	\$6,655,000
Pasture, Irrigated	2019	6,700			* \$120	\$804,000
	2018	6,100			* \$136	\$830,000
Pasture, Dry	2019	12,100			* \$24	\$259,000
	2018	10,500			* \$24	\$252,000
Rice ²	2019	34,700	4.22	146,000	\$391	\$57,086,000
	2018	33,300	3.89	130,000	\$400	\$52,000,000
Safflower	2019	4,500	1.04	4,680	\$430	\$2,012,000
	2018	6,000	1.24	7,440	\$411	\$3,058,000
Wheat	2019	27,400	2.33	63,800	\$163	\$10,399,000
	2018	26,500	2.51	66,500	\$194	\$12,901,000
Miscellaneous	2019	7,160				\$12,982,000
	2018	8,130				\$15,670,000
Total	2019	134,590				\$122,093,000
	2018	138,980				\$129,393,000

¹ Includes oat, ryegrass, sudangrass, triticale hay, volunteer hay, and wheat hay

² Includes seed- values include Federal Rice Payments

* Indicates value per acre

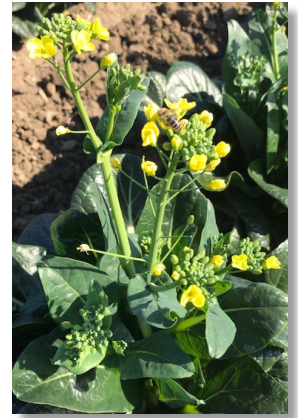


SEED CROPS

Certified Seed	Year	Harvested		Non-Certified Seed	Year	Harvested	
		Acres	Total Value			Acres	Total Value
Small Grain	2019	3,500	\$3,054,000	Pasture and Grass	2019	700	\$7,412,000
	2018	3,660	\$3,271,000		2018	800	\$7,132,000
Sunflower	2019	26,000	\$26,260,000	Vine Seed	2019	1,650	\$5,092,000
	2018	25,500	\$24,978,000		2018	1,620	\$2,836,000
Miscellaneous ¹	2019	2,550	\$7,551,000	Miscellaneous ²	2019	1,810	\$3,677,000
	2018	3,270	\$10,808,000		2018	2,020	\$5,896,000
Total	2019	32,050	\$36,865,000	Total	2019	4,160	\$16,181,000
	2018	32,430	\$39,057,000		2018	4,440	\$15,864,000

¹ Includes alfalfa, carrots, corn, cucumbers, melons, onions, peppers, pumpkins, safflower, squash, and watermelons

² Includes cole crops, corn, cucumbers, melons, onions, squash, rice, and watermelons



FRUIT & NUT CROPS



Crop	Year	Production			Value	
		Harvested Acres	Per Acre	Total Tons	Per Ton	Total
Almond (Meats)	2019	34,900	0.99	34,600	\$4,560	\$157,776,000
	2018	33,600	0.80	26,900	\$4,200	\$112,980,000
Almond (Hulls)	2019	34,900		41,900	\$100	\$4,190,000
	2018	33,600		40,300	\$100	\$4,030,000
Olives (Oil)	2019	4,920	4.13	20,300	\$732	\$14,860,000
	2018	3,720	2.30	8,560	\$843	\$7,216,000
Pistachios*	2019	6,290	0.94	5,910	\$3,290	\$19,444,000
Plums, Dried	2019	1,630	3.19	5,200	\$1,680	\$8,736,000
	2018	1,690	3.17	5,360	\$1,790	\$9,594,000
Walnuts, All	2019	14,900	1.34	20,000	\$1,790	\$35,800,000
	2018	14,300	1.24	17,700	\$1,460	\$25,842,000
Miscellaneous ^{1,*}	2019	390				\$5,062,000
	2018	7,990				\$19,583,000
Total	2019	93,150				\$245,868,000
	2018	94,900				\$179,245,000

¹ Includes apples, apricots, blackberries, blueberries, cherries, chestnuts, citrus, figs, kiwis, mulberries, nectarines, oranges, peaches, pears, persimmons, pistachios, plums, pomegranates, raisins, strawberries, and table grapes

* Pistachios have moved out of the miscellaneous category

Acreage Statistics 2019

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-Bearing Acres	Total Acres
Almond	34,900	8,700	43,600
Walnut	14,900	3,400	18,300
Pistachio	6,290	4,510	10,800
Olives	4,920	950	5,870
Plums, Dried	1,630	960	2,590

LIVESTOCK & POULTRY

Commodity	Year	Production		Value	
		Head	Live Weight	Per Cwt.	Total
Cattle and Calves	2019	19,200	113,000	\$142	\$16,046,000
	2018	20,000	116,000	\$144	\$16,704,000
Sheep and Lambs	2019	11,700	14,100	\$145	\$2,045,000
	2018	12,700	15,400	\$175	\$2,695,000
Miscellaneous ¹	2019				\$982,000
	2018				\$1,142,000
Total	2019				\$19,073,000
	2018				\$20,541,000

¹Includes hogs, poultry, and slaughter sheep

Apiary, Livestock & Poultry Products

Commodity	Year	Total
Apiary ²	2019	\$14,301,000
	2018	\$13,175,000
Miscellaneous ³	2019	\$2,063,000
	2018	\$2,187,000
Total	2019	\$16,364,000
	2018	\$15,362,000

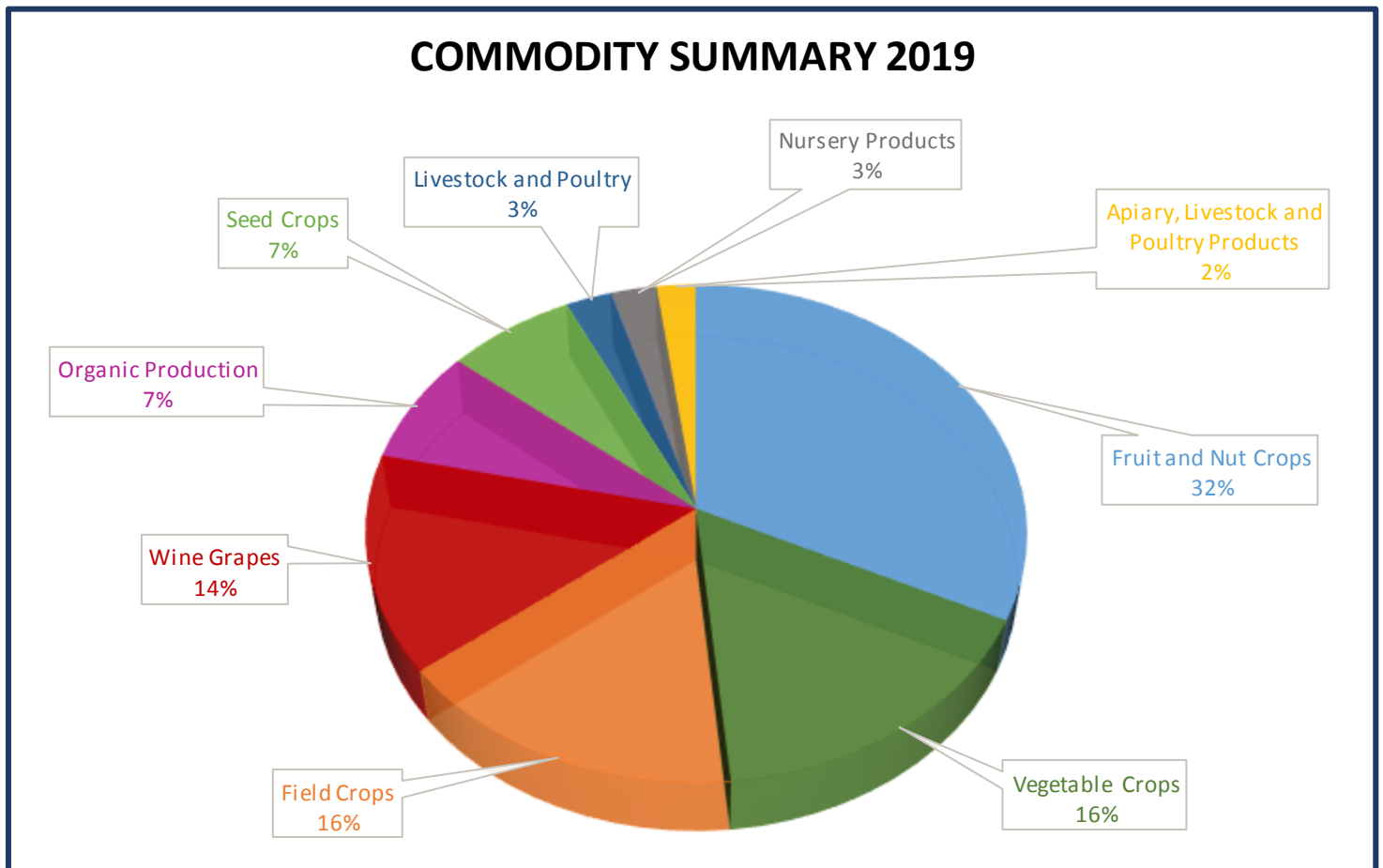
²Includes colonies, honey, package bees, pollination, and wax

³Includes eggs, milk, and wool



COMMODITY SUMMARY

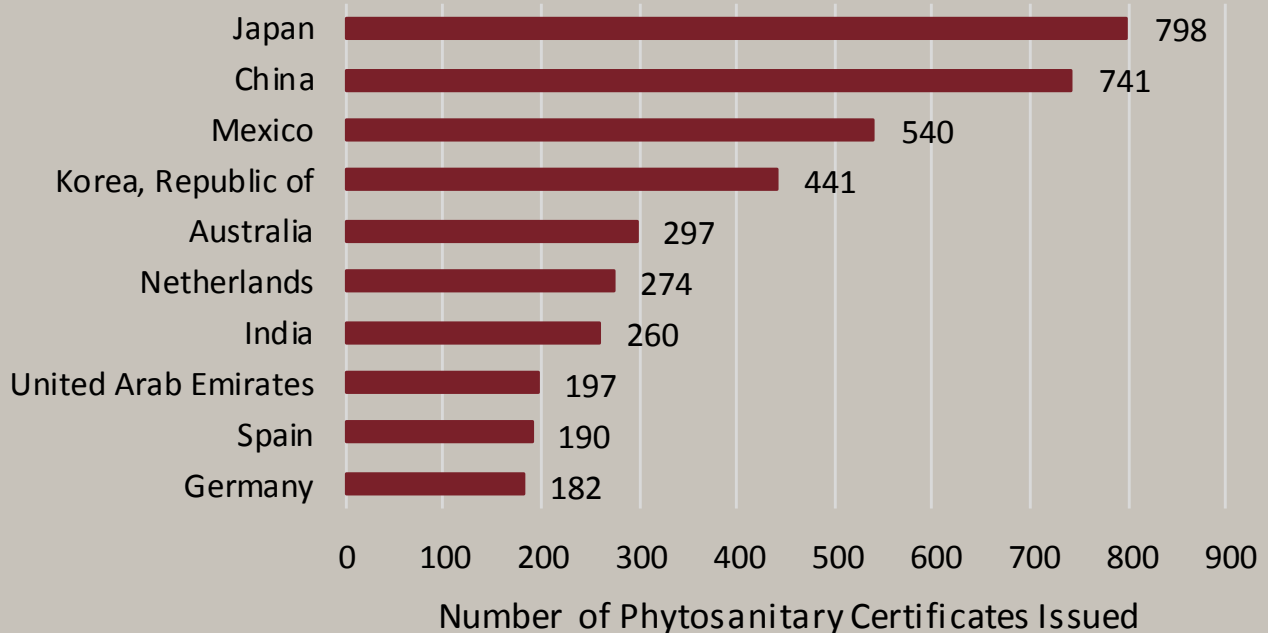
Commodity	2019	2018	2017
Fruit and Nut Crops	\$245,868,000	\$179,245,000	\$192,564,000
Vegetable Crops	\$125,008,000	\$124,626,000	\$106,843,000
Field Crops	\$122,093,000	\$129,393,000	\$88,256,000
Wine Grapes	\$108,143,000	\$83,596,000	\$86,012,000
Organic Production	\$56,902,000	\$48,525,000	\$49,989,000
Seed Crops	\$53,046,000	\$54,921,000	\$61,737,000
Livestock and Poultry	\$19,073,000	\$20,541,000	\$18,944,000
Nursery Products	\$18,734,000	\$19,687,000	\$19,068,000
Apiary, Livestock and Poultry Products	\$16,364,000	\$15,362,000	\$12,982,000
Total	\$765,231,000	\$675,896,000	\$636,395,000



YOLO COUNTY 2019 EXPORT PARTNERS



Top 10 Export Partners



SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE REPORT 2019



Some insects and plant diseases are world renowned for the destruction they cause to agriculture, urban landscapes, and forests. Most of these pests are exotic to Yolo County, and could quickly infest a territory as rich in agriculture as ours. The Agricultural Commissioner's office maintains a diligent Exclusion Program to prevent pests from entering our borders. Inspectors keep watch over incoming plant shipments to nurseries, farms, research facilities, box stores, and individuals.

In 2019, 880 plant shipments were inspected and 98 were rejected for Federal or State Quarantine violations for live pest finds. For the seventh year in a row, Yolo County led the State in pest interceptions at the United States Postal Service in California for 2019. Over **147 serious pests** were stopped from entering the 20 County delivery area covered by the Postal Sectional Center in West Sacramento.



PEST EXCLUSION

Export Commodities

Federal & Domestic Certification

6,506 certificates issued

Export Seed

Field Inspection

1,211 sites/ 23,839 acres

In 2019, Yolo County Staff inspected 1,211 certified fields which amounted to 23,839 acres. Most fields are inspected twice for diseases of concern and must pass inspection to meet certified seed standards. Yolo County Staff work diligently to keep destructive pests and diseases from affecting county agriculture.

SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE REPORT 2019



Target Pest	Number of Traps
Apple Maggot	84
European Grapevine Moth	626
Glassy Winged Sharpshooter	128
Gypsy Moth	143
Khapra Beetle	67
Japanese Beetle	30
Light Brown Apple Moth	114
McPhail Trap-Fruit Flies	30
Medfly	114
Melon Fruit Fly	30
Oriental Fruit Fly	30
Vine Mealybug	16

Yolo County also keeps a comprehensive Detection Program, as a second line of defense and early warning system against inadvertent pest introductions. This system of insect trapping identifies foreign pests before they can become established, avoiding major financial and environmental impacts. In 2019 over 1,000 Yolo County residents cooperated to host residential traps for Mediterranean, Oriental, and Melon Fruit Flies, Gypsy Moth, Japanese Beetle, Glassy-winged Sharpshooter, and Light Brown Apple Moth. Additional Glassy-winged Sharpshooter traps were placed in plant nurseries. European Grapevine Moth and Apple Maggot traps were situated among corresponding host crops. In total, traps were checked over 5,900 times by Yolo County Pest Detection Trappers.

Biological Control

Pest	Agent/Mechanism	Scope of Program
Puncture Vine <i>Tribulus terrestris</i>	Seedhead Weevil <i>Microlarinus lareynii</i>	Countywide
Yellow Starthistle <i>Centaurea solstitialis</i>	Seedhead Weevil <i>Bandastemus orientalis</i>	Countywide
	Hairy Weevil <i>Eustenopus villosus</i>	Countywide
	Yellow Starthistle Rust <i>Puccinia jaceae var. solstitialis</i>	4 Sites
Ash Whitefly <i>Siphoninus phillyreae</i>	Parastic Wasps <i>Encarsia parenopea</i>	Countywide

YOLO COUNTY COMMUNITY SUPPORTED AGRICULTURE

Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) consists of members or “shareholders” of a farm or garden who cover the anticipated costs of the farm operation and farmer’s salary. The consumer joins a CSA program and purchases, in advance, a share of the farm’s crop each week, delivered to a predetermined spot, usually near the customer’s home or worksite.

Del Rio Botanical

25 acre farm producing gourmet CSA boxes with 9-11 assorted items weekly

20030 Old River Road
West Sacramento, CA 95691

(916) 919-1843

delriobotanical.com

Farm Fresh to You

*Farming organically since 1976
Home delivered CSA boxes*

23808 State Highway 16
Capay, CA 95607

(800) 796-6009

farmfresh toyou.com

Full Belly Farm

*Founded in 1985 in the Capay Valley
400 acre highly diversified organic program*

P.O. Box 251
Guinda, CA 95637

530-796-2214

fullbellyfarm.com

Good Humus Produce

*Founded in 1970’s by Jeff & Annie Main
Small, diversified, organic family farm*

12255 County Road 84A

Capay, CA 95607

530-787-3187

goodhumus.com

Riverdog Farm

*Owned by Trini Campbell & Tim Mueller
450 acre organic farm in Capay Valley*

P.O. Box 42

Guinda, CA 95637

(530) 796-3802

riverdogfarm.com

Terra Firma Farms, Inc.

Founded by Paul Holmes in 1990, partnered with Paul Underhill and Hector Melendez- 200 acre organic farm

P.O. Box 836

Winters, CA 95694

(530) 795-2473

terrafirmafarm.com

UC Davis Student Harvest CSA

*Fresh, student grown organic produce
Subscribers must be UC Davis students & employees*

143 Robins Hall (UC Davis)

Davis, CA 95616

(530) 304-1898

asi.ucdavis.edu/programs/sf/farm-marketplace

YOLO COUNTY CERTIFIED FARMERS MARKETS

The certified farmers market concept is an effort to re-establish the traditional link between farmers and consumers. Certified farmers markets are locations approved by the agricultural commissioner where certified farmers offer for sale only those agricultural products they grow themselves.

Davis Farmers Market

Central Park, 301 C Street, Davis

April-October: Wednesday 4:30 pm-sunset

November-March: Wednesday 3:00pm-6:00pm

All year: Saturday 8:00am-1:00pm

davisfarmersmarket.org

Sutter Davis Hospital Farmers Market

2000 Sutter Place, Davis

May-October: Thursday 10:00am-1:00pm

davisfarmersmarket.org

UC Davis Farmers Market

University of California, Davis, West Quad

April-June: Wednesday 11:00am-1:30pm

October-November: Wednesday 11:00am-1:30pm

farmersmarket.ucdavis.edu



Woodland Certified Farmers Market

NE corner of First & Court Street, Woodland

May-October: Saturday 9:00am-12:00pm

thewoodlandfarmersmarket.org

Woodland Certified Farmers Market- Woodland Healthcare Campus

1325 Cottonwood Street, Woodland

June-September: Tuesday 4:30pm-7:00pm

thewoodlandfarmersmarket.org

YOLO COUNTY WINE TASTING ROOMS

Berryessa Gap Winery & Tasting Room

15 Main Street, Winters
(530) 795-3201

Tuesday-Sunday 11:30am-8:30pm

27260 Highway 128, Winters
(530) 795-3345

Thursday-Sunday 12:00pm-6:00pm

Saturday-Sunday 12:00pm-8:00pm

berryessagap.com

Bogle Vineyards

37783 County Road 144, Clarksburg
(916) 744-1092

Monday-Friday 10:00 am-5:00pm

Saturday & Sunday 11:00am-5:00pm

boglewinery.com

Capay Valley Vineyards

13757 State Highway 16, Brooks
(530) 796-4110

Saturday & Sunday 12:00pm-5:00pm

capayvalleyvineyards.com

Great Bear

24800 County Road 101A, Davis
(530) 574-1516

2nd Saturday of month: 12:00pm-5:00pm

greatbearvineyard.com

Heringer Estates

37375 Netherlands Road, Clarksburg
(916) 744-1919

Daily: 10:00am-5:00pm

heringerestates.com

Julieta Winery

51221 Clarksburg Road, Clarksburg
(916) 744-9090

Friday-Sunday 12:00pm-6:00pm

julietawinery.com

Matchbook Wine Company

12300 County Road 92B, Zamora
(530) 662-1032 ext. 215

Daily: 11:00am-4:30pm

matchbookwines.com

Miner's Leap Winery

54250 South River Road, Clarksburg
(916) 882-1000

Friday-Sunday 11:00am-6:00pm

minersleap.com

Old Sugar Mill – Fifteen Wineries

35265 Willow Avenue, Clarksburg
(916) 744-1615

Daily: 11:00am-5:00pm

Individual winery hours may vary

oldsugarmill.com

Batia Vineyards

Bonitata Boutique Wine

Bump City

Carvalho Family Winery

Clarksburg Wine Company

Draconis by Matt Powell

Due Vigne di Famiglia

Elevation Ten

Kirchhoff Family Wines

Perry Creek Winery

Rendez-vous Winery

Scott Harvery Wines

Séka Hills Wines

Three Wine Company

Todd Taylor Wines

Satiety Winery & Café

40101 County Road 25A, Woodland
(530) 796-3400

Monday-Friday 11:00am-5:30pm

Saturday & Sunday 11:00am-6:00pm

Séka Hills Olive Mill & Tasting Room

19326 County Road 78, Brooks
(530) 796-2810

Wednesday-Sunday 11:00am-5:00pm

sekahills.com/Tasting-Room

Sundstrom Hill Winery

2744 Del Rio Place, Suite 130, Davis
(530) 304-9964

Saturday 2:00pm-5:00pm

2nd & 4th Thursday of every month

5:00pm-7:00pm

sundstromhill.com

Turkovich Family Wines

304 Railroad Avenue, Winters
(530) 795-3842

Sunday-Wednesday 10:00am-5:00pm

Thursday-Saturday 10:00am-9:00pm

turkovichwines.com

AG IN THE CLASSROOM

KINDERGARTEN



1st– Gabriela Beltran
Our Lady of Grace

2nd– Drake Locatelli, Plainfield Elementary

3rd– Kylie Cano, Esparto Elementary

4th– Zoey McKinnon, Our Lady of Grace

FIRST GRADE



1st– Lizzy Tassone
Our Lady of Grace

2nd– Cole Anger, Waggoner Elementary

3rd– Samantha Lucero, Esparto Elementary

4th– Olivia Lopez, Woodland Christian

SECOND GRADE



1st– Violet Forristall
North Davis Elementary

2nd– Amelia Cabrera, Woodland Christian

3rd– Karanveer Sran, Holy Rosary

4th– Keira Elliott, Woodland Christian

Equipment and Technology in Agriculture

THIRD GRADE



1st– Tatiana Gayton
Whitehead Elementary

2nd– Naomi Copaciu, Maxwell Elementary

3rd– Joshua Golladay, Whitehead Elementary

4th– Jax Richter, Our Lady of Grace

ART CONTEST WINNERS

FOURTH GRADE



1st– Maya Flores
Ramon Tafoya Elementary

2nd– Ellie Passerini, Pioneer Elementary

3rd– Chloe Groveman, Marguerite
Montgomery Elementary

4th– Liliana Garcia, Marguerite
Montgomery Elementary

FIFTH GRADE



1st– Gavin Ross
Our Lady of Grace

2nd– Joey Ramirez, Ramon Tafoya Elementary

3rd– Isabel Peters, Our Lady of Grace

4th– Morris Wang, Pioneer Elementary

SIXTH GRADE



1st– Zoe Honda Scully
Cesar Chavez Elementary

2nd– Samuel Liao, Grace Valley Christian Academy

3rd– Lily Krivanek, Cesar Chavez Elementary

4th– Damian Jaime, Cesar Chavez Elementary

WEIGHTS & MEASURES

County weights and measures officials (Sealers) serve all consumers as the local regulatory agency authorized to enforce the California Business and Professions Code and the California Code of Regulations pertaining to issues of “Equity in the Marketplace”. This enforcement efficiently and effectively protects local commerce, thus encouraging stability in the State’s economy.

Consumer protection is serviced through the following elements:

- ⇒ Verifying correct transactions of purchased consumer goods sold by weight, volume or count (such as scanner pricing and correct labeling on prepackaged or bulk commodities)
- ⇒ The inspection and testing of commercial weighing and measuring devices, to assure their accuracy. Such devices include grocery store check-out stands, gas pumps, gas and electric meters and other devices used to measure, weigh or meter consumer goods, including large and small capacity scales
- ⇒ The sampling of petroleum products at commercial locations for quality



In 2019, the Weights & Measures Division:

Inspected 2,372 measuring devices, including:

- 1,182 retail fuel meters
- 1,037 gas and electric meters
- 58 water meters
- 45 fuel truck meters
- 40 liquefied petroleum gas meters
- 5 diesel exhaust fluid meters
- 5 fabric cordage meters

Inspected 1,026 weighing devices, including:

- 502 computing scales
- 185 portable platform scales
- 145 counter scales
- 86 vehicle scales
- 73 prescription scales
- 19 hanging scales
- 14 livestock scales
- 2 railway scales

Performed:

- 92 quality control inspections to verify proper net weight
- 82 sales price verification inspections
- 77 petroleum inspections for labeling and fuel quality
- 22 credit card skimmer inspections

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Yolo County Department of Agriculture and Weights & Measures

YOLO COUNTY STRATEGIC GOALS

- Advance innovation
- Champion job creation and economic opportunities
 - Collaborate to maximize success
 - Enhance and sustain the safety net
- Preserve and ensure safe and crime free communities
 - Preserve and support agriculture
 - Protect open space and the environment
- Provide fiscally sound, dynamic and responsive service

VISION

Our vision is to serve agriculture, the business community and the residents of Yolo County, through collaboration and partnership using the most efficient, effective and progressive means available, doing our part to ensure Yolo County has preserved agriculture and is a safe, healthy, and enjoyable environment in which to work, play and live.

MISSION

Our mission is to promote and protect Yolo County agriculture and the environment, ensure the health and safety of our residents, and foster confidence and equity in the marketplace through the fair and equitable enforcement of the laws, regulations, and ordinances enacted by the people of the State of California and the County of Yolo.

VALUES

Employees of the Department of Agriculture and Weights & Measures, in an effort to accomplish the Department's Vision and Mission, share these values in the course of our work and our employment with Yolo County.

- Honesty
- Integrity
- Trust
- Enthusiasm
- Courtesy
- Customer Service
- Initiative
- Continuous Improvement

- Good Stewardship of Scarce Public Resources
- Personal and Professional Growth
- Respect and Tolerance of the Rights and Beliefs of Others





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