

COLORADO RIVER BASIN PROJECT

T-1027.—CONSUMPTIVE USE OF AREAS CROPPED, 1965

[Acres in crop to nearest 500 acres]

	Acres	Consumptive use	
		Acre-feet per acre ¹	Acre-feet
Alfalfa.....	187,000	5.3	991,100
Alfalfa (seed) ²			
Barley.....	99,000	1.8	178,200
Cotton.....	69,500	3.2	222,400
Corn.....	57,500	2.4	138,000
Flax.....	4,500	2.5	11,250
Sesbania.....	1,000	2.3	2,300
Sudan.....	4,000	2.3	9,200
Sugarbeets.....	64,000	2.4	153,600
Miscellaneous field crops.....	11,000	2.5	27,500
Melons.....	6,000	2.3	13,800
Lettuce.....	35,500	1.4	49,700
Carrots.....	2,500	2.2	5,500
Tomatoes.....	500	2.1	1,050
Miscellaneous garden crops.....	6,500	2.2	14,300
Citrus.....	2,500	4.0	10,000
Dates ³			
Grapes ³			
Miscellaneous permanent crops.....	3,000	3.7	11,100
Total.....	554,000	3.32	1,839,000

¹ Based on Blaney-Criddle formula.² Included in alfalfa.³ Included in miscellaneous permanent crops.

Note: Net acres irrigated, 432,500; consumptive use per acre irrigated, 4.25.

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[Acres in crop to nearest 500 acres]

	Acres	Consumptive use	
		Acre-feet per acre ¹	Acre-feet
Alfalfa.....	168,500	5.3	893,050
Barley.....	101,500	1.8	182,700
Cotton.....	39,000	3.2	124,800
Corn.....	116,000	2.4	278,400
Flax.....	2,500	2.5	6,250
Sesbania.....	1,500	2.3	3,450
Sudan.....	4,500	2.3	10,350
Sugar beets.....	62,000	2.4	148,800
Miscellaneous field crops.....	18,000	2.5	45,000
Melons.....	8,500	2.3	19,550
Lettuce.....	45,500	1.4	63,700
Carrots.....	2,000	2.2	4,400
Tomatoes.....	500	2.1	1,050
Miscellaneous garden crops.....	6,500	2.2	14,300
Citrus.....	2,000	4.0	8,000
Miscellaneous permanent crops.....	3,000	3.7	11,100
Total.....	581,500	3.12	1,814,900

¹ Based on Blaney-Criddle formula.

Note: Net acres irrigated, 437,500; consumptive use per acre irrigated, 4.15.