

COLORADO RIVER BASIN PROJECT

T-1039.—CONSUMPTIVE USE OF AREAS CROPPED, 1964

[Acres in crop to nearest 500 acres]

	Acres	Consumptive use	
		Acre-feet per acre ¹	Acre-feet
Alfalfa.....	200,500	5.3	1,062,650
Alfalfa seed.....	8,500	4.7	39,950
Barley.....	74,000	1.8	133,200
Cotton.....	68,000	3.2	217,600
Corn.....	44,000	2.4	105,600
Flax.....	4,500	2.5	11,250
Sesbania.....	500	2.3	1,150
Sudan.....	7,000	2.3	16,100
Sugar beets.....	66,000	2.4	158,400
Miscellaneous field crops.....	14,000	2.5	35,000
Melons.....	5,500	2.3	12,650
Lettuce.....	40,000	1.4	56,000
Carrots.....	3,000	2.2	6,600
Tomatoes.....	1,000	2.1	2,100
Miscellaneous garden crops.....	7,000	2.2	15,400
Citrus.....	2,000	4.0	8,000
Dates ²			
Grapes ²			
Miscellaneous permanent crops.....	3,000	3.7	11,100
Total.....	548,500	3.45	1,892,750

¹ Based on Blaney-Criddle formula.² Included in "Miscellaneous permanent crops."

Note: Net acres irrigated, 431,500; consumptive use per acre irrigated, 4.39.

T-1040.—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
Sugar beets.....	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.