

# ***U.S. OVERVIEW***

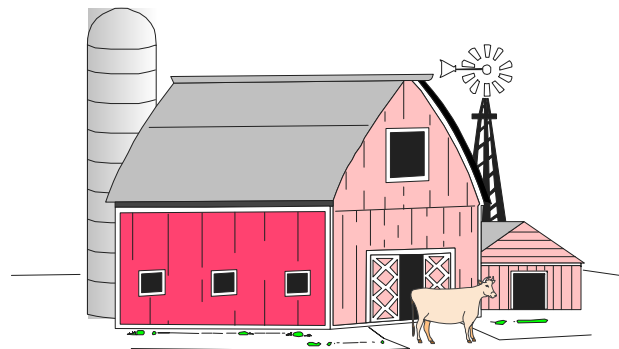


**An industrial scene, Ensley, Alabama, February 1937**

# U.S. LAND AREA

(million acres)

➤ <b>Total Land</b>	<b>2264.0</b>
➤ <b>Farms and Ranches</b>	<b>914.5</b>
➤ <b>Pastureland</b>	<b>415.3</b>
➤ <b>Cropland</b>	<b>389.7</b>
➤ <b>% Irrigated</b>	<b>14.1</b>
➤ <b>2012 Number of Farms: 2,170,000</b>	



**United States: Leading Commodities for Cash Receipts  
2012 Nominal (current dollars)**

Rank	Commodity	State	Share of	Cummulative	U.S. Receipts
		Receipts	State Receipts	Share of	
		<i>\$1,000</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>\$1,000</i>
	All commodities	395,068,677	100.0		395,068,677
	Livestock and products	171,584,157	43.4		171,584,157
	Crops	223,484,520	56.6		223,484,520
<b>1</b>	Corn	69,211,091	17.5	17.5	69,211,091
<b>2</b>	Cattle and calves	67,949,759	17.2	34.7	67,949,759
<b>3</b>	Soybeans	40,733,816	10.3	45.0	40,733,816
<b>4</b>	Dairy products, Milk	37,003,818	9.4	54.4	37,003,818
<b>5</b>	Broilers	24,764,850	6.3	60.7	24,764,850
<b>6</b>	Hogs	22,193,115	5.6	66.3	22,193,115
<b>7</b>	Greenhouse and nursery	15,554,500	3.9	70.2	15,554,500
<b>8</b>	Wheat	15,333,036	3.9	74.1	15,333,036
<b>9</b>	Chicken eggs	7,823,140	2.0	76.1	7,823,140
<b>10</b>	Cotton lint	7,388,783	1.9	77.9	7,388,783
<b>11</b>	Hay	7,262,073	1.8	79.8	7,262,073
<b>12</b>	Turkeys	5,441,155	1.4	81.2	5,441,155
<b>13</b>	Grapes	4,909,477	1.2	82.4	4,909,477
<b>14</b>	Almonds	4,347,200	1.1	83.5	4,347,200
<b>15</b>	Potatoes	3,793,001	1.0	84.5	3,793,001
<b>16</b>	Apples	3,016,854	0.8	85.2	3,016,854
<b>17</b>	Misc. vegetables	2,962,383	0.7	86.0	2,962,383
<b>18</b>	Other livestock	2,930,310	0.7	86.7	2,930,310
<b>19</b>	Rice	2,815,047	0.7	87.4	2,815,047
<b>20</b>	Other field crops	2,515,308	0.6	88.1	2,515,308
<b>21</b>	Sugar beets	2,446,039	0.6	88.7	2,446,039
<b>22</b>	Peanuts	2,281,092	0.6	89.3	2,281,092
<b>23</b>	Strawberries	2,206,581	0.6	89.8	2,206,581
<b>24</b>	Oranges	2,190,952	0.6	90.4	2,190,952
<b>25</b>	Lettuce	1,882,938	0.5	90.9	1,882,938
<b>26</b>	Tomatoes	1,866,671	0.5	91.3	1,866,671

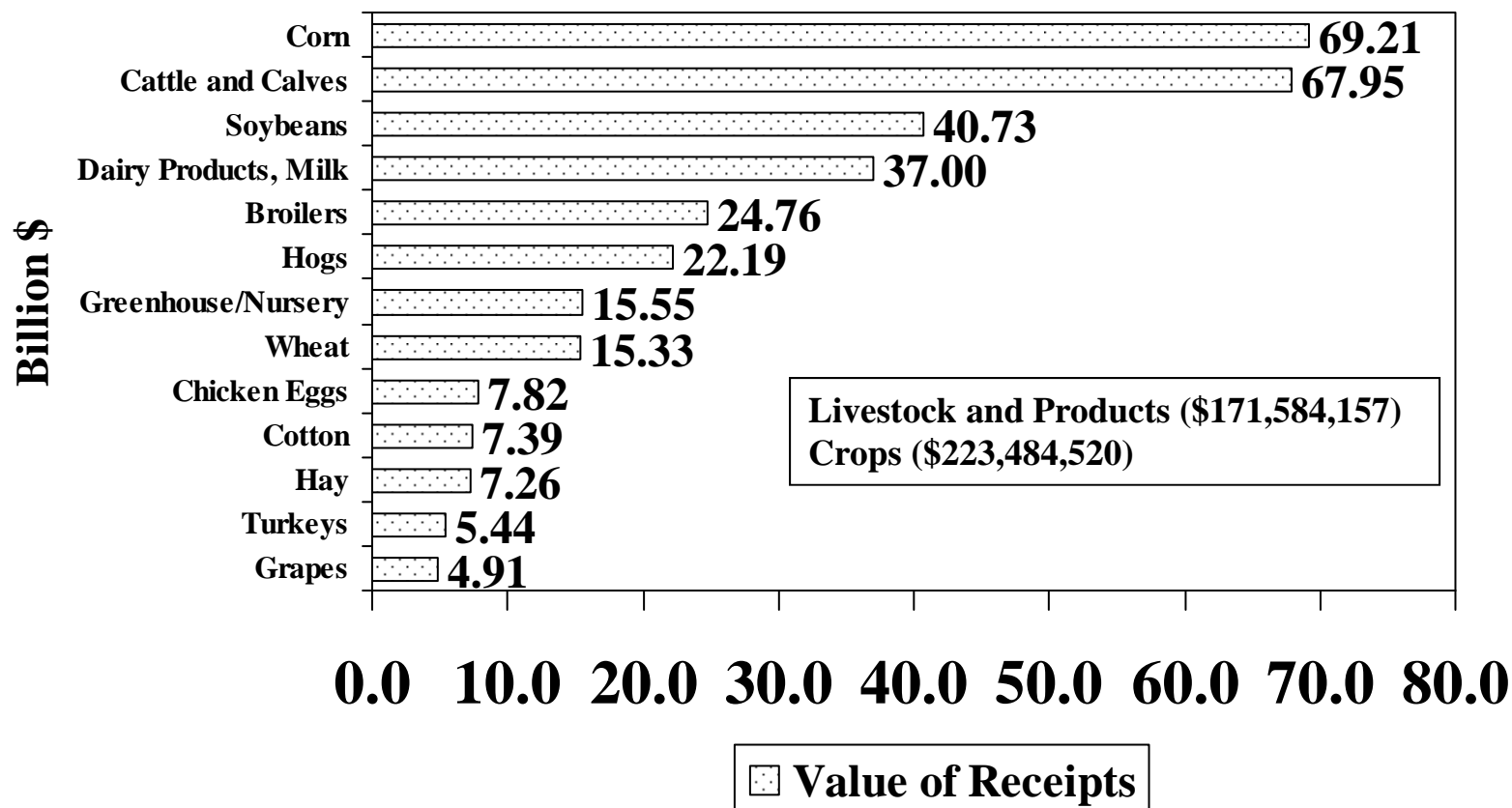
Footnotes

NA = Data are not available/applicable.

Values are rounded to the nearest thousand.

[USDA/ERS Farm Income and Wealth Statistics](#)

# US: Leading Commodities for Cash Receipts, 2012



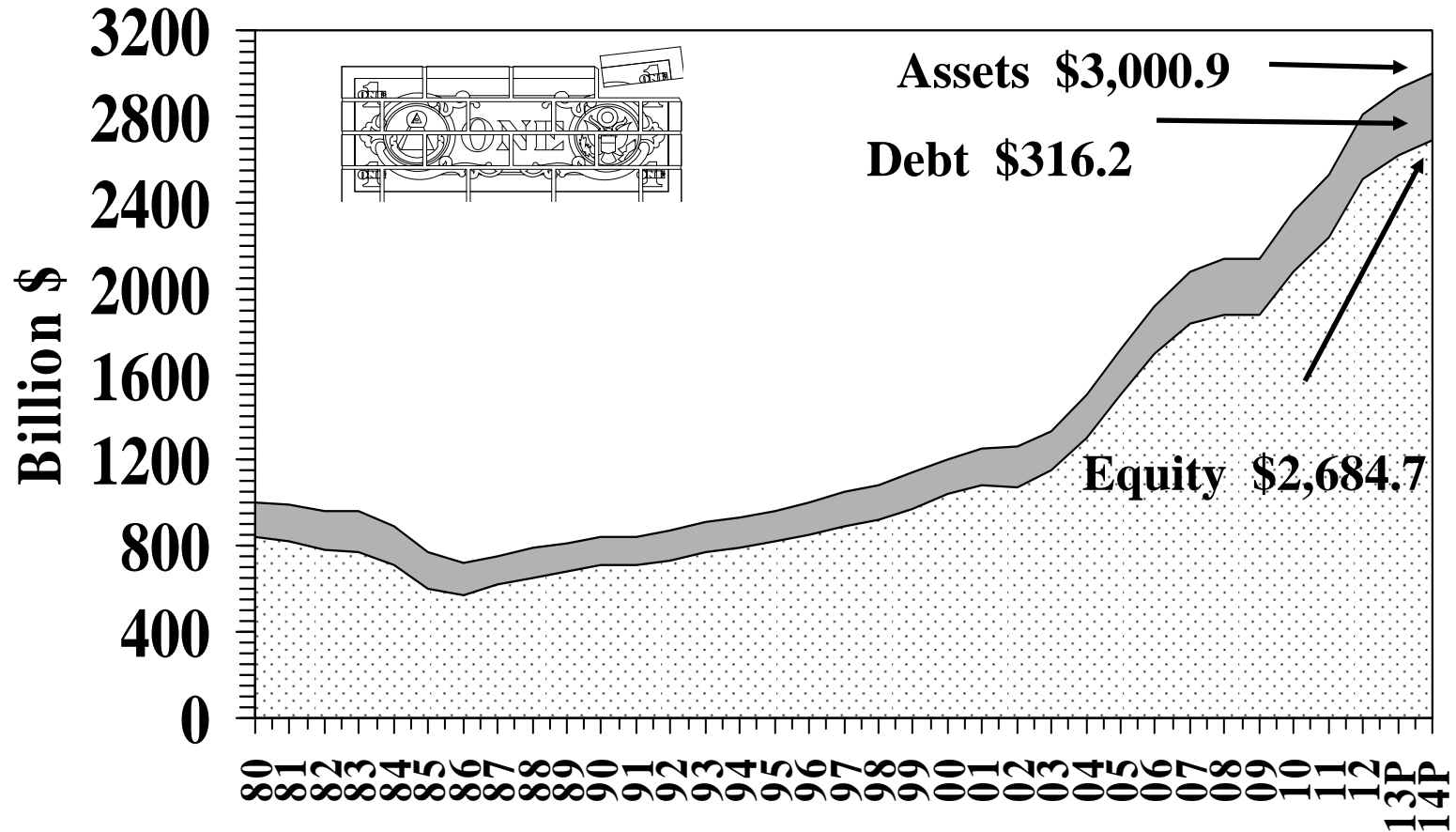
2012 estimated by USDA/TASS/NASS/ERS

### Balance Sheet of the U.S. Farming Sector

Calendar Year	Debt	Equity	Assets
	----- Billion \$ -----		
1982	184.0	778.5	962.5
1983	186.2	773.1	959.3
1984	188.8	709.0	897.8
1985	172.2	603.8	775.9
1986	151.3	570.7	722.0
1987	138.5	618.0	756.5
1988	133.1	655.4	788.5
1989	131.1	682.7	813.7
1990	131.1	709.5	840.6
1991	131.9	712.3	844.2
1992	131.6	736.2	867.8
1993	134.3	774.9	909.2
1994	138.9	795.8	934.7
1995	143.0	822.8	965.7
1996	148.6	854.3	1,002.9
1997	156.9	894.4	1,051.3
1998	164.6	918.7	1,083.4
1999	167.7	971.1	1,138.8
2000	163.9	1,039.3	1,203.2
2001	170.7	1,085.3	1,255.9
2002	187.0	1,075.9	1,263.0
2003	181.1	1,153.1	1,334.2
2004	197.6	1,308.1	1,505.7
2005	209.1	1,507.4	1,716.5
2006	215.7	1,695.4	1,911.1
2007	240.7	1,836.7	2,077.4
2008	261.1	1,879.2	2,140.3
2009	268.3	1,871.5	2,139.9
2010	278.9	2,079.5	2,358.5
2011	294.5	2,235.4	2,529.8
2012	300.3	2,510.9	2,811.3
2013F	309.2	2,620.6	2,929.7
2014F	316.2	2,684.7	3,000.9

Source: 2012 preliminary and 2013 and 2014 forecast, ERS/USDA, Farm Income and Wealth Statistics web site, March 2014

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2013 and 2014 forecast