

## California Spring Onions, 1920-2006

Year	Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Value Per Unit a/	Total Value
	Acres	Cwt.	Cwt.	\$/Cwt.	\$1,000
1920	3,300	149	491,500	3.10	1,504
1921	2,000	122	244,000	2.60	625
1922	2,950	92	272,000	4.90	1,340
1923	1,340	148	198,500	3.10	611
1924	1,540	170	262,000	1.80	482
1925	1,550	158	245,000	3.50	853
1926	3,170	171	543,000	2.50	1,369
1927	4,500	154	691,000	3.40	2,337
1928 b/	4,730	141	665,000	1.30	848
1929	4,290	178	763,000	2.00	1,495
1930	3,090	206	638,000	1.50	943
1931	2,750	207	569,500	1.40	811
1932 b/	4,450	168	745,500	0.80	607
1933	2,500	268	671,000	1.50	1,005
1934	3,990	161	642,000	1.30	820
1935	4,800	132	634,500	1.70	1,074
1936 b/	5,850	133	778,000	0.70	515
1937	4,450	164	732,000	1.20	849
1938	3,050	147	448,500	1.60	711
1939 b/	3,400	195	663,000	0.70	416
1940	2,600	238	617,500	1.50	926
1941	2,600	230	598,000	2.50	1,495
1942 b/	4,400	200	880,000	1.60	1,056
1943	2,800	210	588,000	3.40	1,999
1944 b/	5,400	190	1,026,000	2.80	2,570
1945	4,800	208	996,000	4.30	4,283
1946 b/	5,200	240	1,248,000	2.50	2,828
1947	4,900	240	1,176,000	2.50	2,940
1948	5,000	250	1,250,000	3.80	4,750
1949	4,900	250	1,225,000	3.00	3,675
1950	6,800	260	1,768,000	1.80	3,182
1951	4,600	250	1,150,000	3.30	3,795
1952	3,500	325	1,138,000	5.10	5,804
1953 b/	6,000	250	1,500,000	2.00	2,338
1954	4,100	285	1,168,000	2.60	3,037
1955	3,800	270	1,026,000	2.50	2,565
1956	2,700	343	927,000	6.80	6,318
1957	3,800	365	1,387,000	4.30	5,964
1958	4,700	265	1,246,000	2.20	2,741
1959 b/	5,200	350	1,820,000	3.00	4,544
1960 b/	4,900	295	1,446,000	2.40	3,038
1961	4,100	260	1,066,000	3.30	3,571
1962	4,100	280	1,148,000	3.40	3,903
1963	3,400	325	1,105,000	4.60	5,028
1964	3,800	280	1,064,000	2.60	2,766
1965	3,600	330	1,188,000	6.00	7,128
1966	4,300	310	1,333,000	5.90	7,865
1967	5,600	285	1,596,000	3.30	5,267
1968	6,000	290	1,740,000	4.60	8,004
1969	5,900	280	1,652,000	4.00	6,674

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1970	6,400	295	1,888,000	4.30	8,062
1971	5,800	260	1,508,000	3.90	5,926
1972	5,700	330	1,881,000	6.20	11,681
1973	5,400	280	1,512,000	9.90	15,029
1974	5,400	335	1,809,000	4.80	8,756
1975	4,600	345	1,587,000	11.70	18,568
1976	5,900	280	1,652,000	4.70	7,814
1977	5,700	345	1,967,000	8.40	16,601
1978	5,300	300	1,590,000	7.60	12,036
1979	5,600	340	1,904,000	10.40	19,802
1980	5,100	330	1,683,000	9.80	16,443
1981	6,000	360	2,160,000	18.90	40,824
1982	7,900	355	2,805,000	10.10	28,331
1983	7,600	285	2,166,000	10.80	23,393
1984	7,700	355	2,734,000	12.00	32,808
1985	7,800	450	3,510,000	14.30	50,193
1986	7,800	370	2,886,000	10.20	29,437
1987	8,200	390	3,198,000	17.50	55,965
1988	8,500	390	3,315,000	9.70	32,189
1989	7,700	400	3,080,000	11.30	34,804
1990	8,500	420	3,570,000	11.10	39,627
1991	8,000	395	3,160,000	18.00	56,880
1992	9,000	400	3,600,000	11.80	42,480
1993	9,500	430	4,085,000	18.00	73,530
1994	8,800	435	3,828,000	8.00	30,701
1995	8,700	440	3,828,000	14.00	53,592
1996	9,600	385	3,696,000	9.80	36,221
1997	9,600	450	4,320,000	14.30	61,776
1998	9,100	445	4,050,000	14.10	57,105
1999	7,300	440	3,212,000	11.90	38,223
2000	6,800	435	2,958,000	10.60	31,335
2001	6,200	430	2,666,000	13.50	35,991
2002	5,700	475	2,708,000	14.20	38,454
2003	7,500	490	3,675,000	22.90	84,158
2004	7,100	505	3,586,000	10.10	36,219
2005	8,000	475	2,800,000	12.40	47,120
2006	7,900	415	3,279,000	9.30	30,495

a/ The processed price is based on equivalent returns at the processing plant door.

The fresh market price is the average price producers receive at the point of first sale.

b/ Includes some quantities not marketed and excluded in computing value.