

**Table 15.11-- MACADAMIA NUTS: NUMBER OF FARMS, ACREAGE, YIELD,
MARKETINGS, PRICE AND VALUE,
HAWAII COUNTY 1/: 1996-97 TO 2001-02 SEASONS**

Subject	1996- 1997	1997- 1998	1998- 1999	1999- 2000	2000- 2001	2001- 2002
Number of farms	750	800	800	750	650	650
Acreage						
In crop	20,200	20,200	20,200	19,900	18,400	18,000
Bearing	19,200	19,200	19,200	18,900	17,700	17,800
Yield per acre, bearing (1,000 lb.) <u>2/</u>	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.1
Production <u>3/</u> (1,000 lb.)						
Gross <u>4/</u>	63,000	65,000	66,000	64,000	56,000	62,000
Net <u>5/</u>	56,500	58,000	57,500	56,500	50,000	56,000
Farm price <u>3/</u> (cents per lb.)						
Gross <u>6/</u>	70	66.9	57.0	59.1	52.7	52.4
Net	78.0	75.0	65.0	67.0	59.0	58.0
Farm value <u>7/</u> (\$1,000)	44,070	43,500	37,375	37,855	29,500	32,480

Note: Season begins July 1 and ends June 30 of following year.

1/ Statewide total, though almost all acreage is in Hawaii County.

2/ Net production per bearing acre.

3/ Wet in-shell basis, delivered processors.

4/ Gross pounds delivered for processing.

5/ Gross pounds delivered for processing less total spoilage through cracking, but before roasting.

6/ Farm value divided by gross production.

7/ Net production multiplied by net farm price.

Source: Hawaii Agricultural Statistics Service, Statistics of Hawaii Agriculture (annual); and Hawaii Macadamia Nuts: Preliminary Season Estimates (January).