County Facts

Agriculture continues to be an integral part of Sutter County's economic base. The value of agricultural commodities in 2014 was over $726 million.

- Almonds, both meats and hulls, added over $32 million to the county’s economy in 2014, almost double the 2013 value.
- Almonds ranked seventh in agricultural production with over 7,400 producing acres

Source: Sutter County 2014 Agricultural Crop Report

2012 Agriculture Census

The U.S. Department of Agriculture National Agricultural Statistics Service completes a comprehensive summary of agricultural activity for the United States and for each state and its counties every five years. Per the 2012 Ag Census:

- There are approximately 1,358 farms in Sutter County
- Average farm size is 276 acres; however, 52 percent of farms are smaller than 50 acres
- Farming is the primary occupation for over 64 percent of farm operators

Sutter County ranks fourteenth in almond production, providing 1% of the entire California crop value.