



Country Fact Sheet United States of America

LAND AND POPULATION	Year	Value	Unit
Area			
Country total area	2016	983 151	1 000 ha
Cultivated area (arable land + permanent crops)	2016	154 862	1 000 ha
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Population Total population	2015	321 774	1 000
Population density	2016	32.73	inhab/km²
Rural population	2015	56 413	1 000
Economically active population in agriculture	2014	2 301	1 000
As % of total economically active population	2014	1.383	%
RENEWABLE WATER RESOURCES (RWR)	Year	Value	Unit
Long-term average annual precipitation			
Depth		715	mm/year
Volume		7 030	km³/year
Long-term average annual RWR			
Internal (IRWR)		2 818	km³/year
External (ERWR)		251	km³/year
Total Actual (TRWR)		3 069	km³/year
Dependency ratio		8.179	%
TRWR per capita	2014	9 538	m³/year
Total dam capacity	2015	735.9	km³
WATER WITHDRAWAL	Year	Value	Unit
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By sector	2242	475.4	
Agricultural	2010	175.1	km³
Municipal	2010	62.09	km³
Industrial	2010	248.4	km³
Total	2010 2010	485.6 1 543	km³ m³
Total water withdrawal per capita	2010	1 343	III
By source			
Surface water withdrawal	2010	313.9	km³
Groundwater withdrawal	2010	104.9	km³
Total freshwater withdrawal	2010	418.7	km³
Desalinated water produced	2010	0.58	km³
Direct use of treated municipal wastewater	2008	2.774	km³
Direct use of agricultural drainage water		-	km³
Pressure on water resources	.	40	
Total freshwater withdrawal as % of TRWR	2010	13.64	%
Agricultural water withdrawal as % of TRWR	2010	5.705	%
IRRIGATION AREAS	Year	Value	Unit
Area equipped for irrigation			
Full control irrigation	2012	26 708	1 000 ha
surface irrigation (2012) 12 078 1 000 ha			
sprinkler irrigation (2010) 12 780 1 000 ha localized irrigation (2010) 1 850 1 000 ha			
Equipped lowland areas		-	1 000 ha
Spate irrigation		-	1 000 ha
Total area equipped for irrigation	2012	26 708	1 000 ha
As % of cultivated area	2012	16.94	%
Area actually irrigated	2012	22 590	1 000 ha
As % of area equipped for irrigation	2012	84.58	%
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Notes: 1 km³ = 10⁹ m³ = 1 000 million m³; 1 ha = 1 hectare = 10 000 m²