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FOREWORD

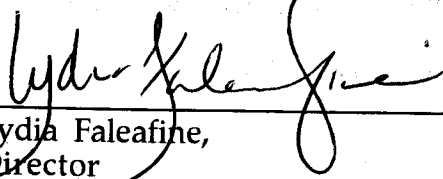
The Economic Development Planning Office (EDPO) is please to present the twelfth annual publication of the territory's official statistical abstract, "*The 1989 Statistical Digest of American Samoa.*"

The EDPO wishes to warmly thank the many government agencies and private businesses and individuals who contributed greatly in the provision of data and tables. Without their unwavering cooperation every year, past, present and future publications would not be possible. Although these contributors are too numerous to mention here, they are acknowledged in source references of the data they supply.

Emphasis in the statistical digest is given to the most recent available economic and social data. The agencies acknowledged in the source references at the end of each table have additional statistical details and more comprehensive discussions of relevant definitions and concepts than can be presented here. Persons interested in more extensive information should consult or write to those agencies.

We sincerely hope the business community and various users will find this digest useful and informative. We welcome any comments and suggestions for improvement of the statistical digest series. A self-addressed suggestion and comment sheet is provided on the last page for your use. Please submit your comments to this office.

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GUIDE TO TABULAR PRESENTATION

The following symbols used in the tables throughout this publication, are explained in enclosed form in footnotes to the tables where they appear.

- represents zero or rounds to less than half the unit of measurement shown
- .. not available or not applicable
- r revised
- p provisional

Headnotes immediately below table titles provide information important for correct interpretation or evaluation of the table as a whole or for a major segment of it.

Unit indicators (In thousands, "In millions of dollars," etc.) are usually given as the first element of the headnote. In tables where several units are used, the unit indicators are generally given in the stub in the column headings.

Footnotes below the bottom rule of tables give information relating to specific items, figures or symbols within the table.

In many tables, details will not add exactly to the totals shown due to rounding.

All annual statistics should be understood as referring to calendar years unless otherwise indicated.

UNITED STATES AND METRIC WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

===== to Metric Metric to U.S. =====

Length
 Inches x 25.4 = millimeters x 0.039 = inches
 Feet x 0.305 = meters x 3.281 = feet
 Statute miles x 1.609 = kilometers x 0.621 = miles

Area
 Sq. feet x 0.093 = sq. meters x 10.764 = sq. feet
 Acres x 0.405 = hectares x 2.471 = acres
 Sq. miles x 2.589 = sq. kilometers x 0.386 = sq. miles

Volume & Capacity
 Cubic feet x 0.028 = cu. meters x 35.315 = cu. feet
 Cubic yards x 0.765 = cu. meters x 1.308 = cu. yards
 Fluid ounces x 29.573 = milliliters x 0.034 = fl. oz.
 Quarts (liq.) x 0.946 = liters x 0.057 = qts.(liq.)
 Gallons (liq.) x 3.785 = liters x 0.264 = gals(liq.)

Mass
 Oz. (avdp.) x 28.350 = grams x 0.035 = oz. (avdp.)
 lbs. (avdp.) x 0.454 = kilograms x 2.205 = lbs.(avdp.)
 hwt. x 45.359 = kilograms x 0.022 = hwt.
 Short tons x 0.907 = metric tons x 1.102 = short tons

Miscellaneous conversions
 1 statute mile = 5,280 ft. = 1,760 yards
 1 acre = 43,560 sq. feet
 1 square mile = 640 acres
 1 short ton = 2,000 pounds

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