

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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HOCKING COUNTY, OHIO

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,237	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	59
1945.....	1,585	1945.....	159
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	269,440	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	9
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	59.0	1945.....	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	129,233	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	50
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	33,395	1945.....	156
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	603	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	93
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,164	1945.....	168
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	159,067	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	125
1945.....	169,998	1945.....	169
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	128.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	119
1945.....	107.2	1945.....	142
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	5,916	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	240
1945.....	3,043	1945.....	271
average per acre, dollars 1950*	45.51	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	202
1945.....	28.38	1945.....	245
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	123
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,029	1945.....	153
1944.....	1,508	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	82
acres 1949.....	30,732	1945.....	98
1944.....	40,512	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	73
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	313	1945.....	70
1944.....	546	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	96
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	200	1945.....	94
1944.....	256	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	23
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	153	1945.....	16
1944.....	209	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	174	1945.....	.....
1944.....	233	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	146	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	209	White operators.....number 1950...	1,235
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	37	1945.....	1,582
1944.....	52	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	3
1944.....	3	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	465	Full owners.....number 1950...	921
1944 ¹	817	1945.....	1,306
acres 1949.....	12,602	Part owners.....number 1950...	147
1944 ¹	31,430	1945.....	50
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	449	1945.....	1
1944.....	11,445	All tenants.....number 1950...	167
1944.....	6,211	1945.....	228
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	547	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.5
1944.....	537	1945.....	14.4
acres 1949.....	16,996	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	63
1944.....	18,709	1945.....	36
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	720	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
1944.....	831	1945.....	1
acres 1949.....	34,796	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	46
1944.....	30,083	1945.....	69
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	28
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	681	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	18
1944 ¹	776	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	56
acres 1949.....	27,598	1945.....	122
1944 ¹	36,170	Other tenants.....number 1950...	27
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,172	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	891	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	526
acres 1949.....	24,898	1945.....	489
1944.....	6,843	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,117
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	502
1944.....	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,107
acres 1949.....	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.33
1944.....	10	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	291
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	166
acres 1949.....	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	81
FARM OPERATORS		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	962
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,167	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	231
1945.....	1,349	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	66	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	120
1945.....	217	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	65
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	65
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	713	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	80
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	748	number 1950...	85
1944.....	502	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	26
1944.....	522	number 1950...	26
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	410	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	35
1944.....	number 1950...	45
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	301	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	209
.....1945...	212	General farms.....number 1950...	100
.....number 1950...	327	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	228	.....number 1950...	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	482	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	328	.....number 1950...	.....
.....number 1950...	567	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	349	.....number 1950...	.....
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	426	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	723
.....number 1950...	491		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	65	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	70	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	518
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	.....
.....number 1950...	6	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	.....
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	976	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	1,197	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	.....
.....number 1950...	1,246	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	1,282	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	.....
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	334	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	119	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	343	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	259	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	182	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,087,444
		.....1944...	1,073,428
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	312,482
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944...	1,47,178
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	266,421
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	370	.....1944...	93,827
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	531	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	12,327
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	360	.....1944...	16,043
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	26,871
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944...	25,552
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	540	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	26,819
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	145	.....1944...	6,635
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	435	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,327,441
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	90	.....1944...	200,500
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.3	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	331,014
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944...	318,919
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	411	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	165,723
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	511	.....1944...	109,874
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	355	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	828,738
		.....1944...	431,771
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	37,536
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944...	20,357
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,022	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	1,532	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	70
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,017	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	63
Operators.....persons 1950...	982	.....1945...	50
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	285	.....number 1950...	1,343
.....persons 1950...	435	.....1945...	1,933
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	43
.....persons 1950...	115	.....1945...	7
		.....number 1950...	141
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,127	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	93
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	656	.....1945...	1,244
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	516	.....number 1950...	9,112
.....1944...	44,040	.....1945...	10,457
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	446	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,139
.....dollars 1949...	149,665	.....1945...	4,147
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,026	.....number 1950...	4,147
.....dollars 1949...	379,880	.....1945...	3,410
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	701	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	3,410
.....dollars 1949...	294,750	.....number 1950...	3,410
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	637	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,417
.....dollars 1949...	46,870	.....number 1950...	2,417
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	532	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,451
.....dollars 1949...	116,929	.....number 1950...	1,451
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	347	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,221
.....dollars 1949...	28,220	.....number 1950...	1,221
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	371	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	30
.....dollars 1949...	40,985	.....1944...	30
		.....pounds 1949...	8,113,111
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944...	7,322,111
No sales.....number 1950...	213	.....dollars 1949...	293,600
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	218	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	53,111
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	133	.....1944...	113,111
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	113	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,000
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	152	.....dollars 1949...	.....
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	110	HOGS	
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	123	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	76	.....number 1950...	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	47	.....1945...	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	24	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	28	.....number 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	39	.....number 1950...	.....
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	39	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	.....
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945...	.....
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	.....
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	.....
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	142	.....number 1950...	.....
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	14	.....1945...	.....

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	653	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	978	1944.....	9
acres 1949.....	8,757	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	14,313	1944.....	7
tons 1949.....	9,377	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	16,133	acres 1949.....	33
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	38	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	29	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	.....	1944.....	19
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	31
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1944.....	45
1944.....	3	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	146	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	15	acres 1949...	.....
tons 1949.....	148	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	19	acres 1949...	(*)
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	51	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	616	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	54	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949.....	547	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944.....	56	acres 1949...	1
Silage made from grains or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	10	acres 1949...	(*)
tons, green weight 1949...	5	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Field crops (other):		1944.....	17
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949...	7
1944.....	6	1944.....	6
acres 1949.....	15	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	14	acres 1949...	14
bushels 1949.....	8	1944.....	1
1944.....	14	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	67	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	52	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944.....	584	acres 1949...	6
bushels 1949.....	423	quarts 1949...	11,375
1944.....	369	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	19
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949...	4
acres 1949.....	50	quarts 1949...	4,322
bushels 1949.....	51	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949.....	.....	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	517
bushels 1949.....	.....	1945.....	90
Irish potatoes harvested for home		acres 1950 ²	367
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	738	1945.....	363
1944.....	662	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	318
acres 1949 ¹	110	1945.....	392
1944.....	414	trees of all ages..number 1950...	9,603
bushels 1949.....	15,664	1945.....	14,850
1944.....	17,068	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,035
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,028
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	210	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	17,500
1944.....	47	1944.....	19,337
acres 1949 ³	1	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	159
1944.....	16	1945.....	202
bushels 1949.....	700	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,792
1944.....	408	1945.....	4,266
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,574
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,218
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,400
1944.....	.....	1944.....	3,170
pounds 1949.....	20	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	104
1944.....	.....	1945.....	150
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	103
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	429
gallons 1949.....	90	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	13
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	43	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	247
acres 1949.....	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	176
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	102	1944.....	724
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	73
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	222
acres 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	76
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	134
tons 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	478
1944.....	.....	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	75
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950...	261
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,072	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	75
1944.....	1,440	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	259
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	28	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	418
1944.....	35	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	50
acres 1949.....	95	1945.....	69
1944.....	121	trees of all ages..number 1950...	159
sold..dollars 1949.....	12,329	1945.....	381
1944.....	16,042	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	62
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	91
acres 1949.....	8	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944.....	10
1944.....	10	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	312
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	288
1944.....	4	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,374
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	8,418
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	492
1944.....	.....	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,882
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	13,841
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	42,625

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Land in farms.....acres 1950...	242,192	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	128
.....1945...	244,3671945...	122
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	114.1	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	184
.....1945...	114.51945...	201
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	12,390	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	464
.....1945...	7,8361945...	486
.....average per acre, dollars 1950A...	109.92	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	517
.....1945...	68.431945...	517
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.....1944...	10	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	969	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,576
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,0461945...	1,503
.....acres 1949...	20,493	Part owners.....number 1950...	211
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.....acres 1949...	18,351	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	88
.....1944...	18,1161945...	95
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,266	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	11
.....1944...	1,1541945...	3
.....acres 1949...	28,053	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	153
.....1944...	26,3821945...	294
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	79
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,535number 1950...	74
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,642	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	75
.....acres 1949...	40,234number 1950...	60
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.....acres 1949...	1945...	1,221
.....1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	9.16
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	811
.....acres 1949...	1950...	466
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	195
	farms reporting 1950...	1,106
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	416
	farms reporting 1950...	10
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	401
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	210
	farms reporting 1950...	215
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	216
	farms reporting 1950...	216
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	146
	farms reporting 1950...	146
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	425
	farms reporting 1950...	465
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	15
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	20
	number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
	number 1950...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
	number 1950...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
	number 1950...	

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	393	Corn:	
1945...	573	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,852
number 1950...	10,560	1944...	1,879
1945...	13,155	acres 1949...	28,591
number 1945...	13,155	1944...	30,216
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,837
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	387	1944...	1,874
number 1950...	6,631	acres 1949...	26,936
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	385	1944...	28,919
1945 ¹ ...	569	bushels 1949...	1,485,250
number 1950...	6,096	1944...	1,370,779
1945 ¹ ...	10,570	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	359
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	189	acres 1949...	1,372
number 1950...	535	tons .green weight 1949...	12,072
Lambs born since Oct.1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	311	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950...	3,929	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	50
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	374	acres 1949...	283
1944...	558	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	6,844	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	54,513	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944...	95,796	acres 1949...	166
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949...	4,675
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,710
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,772	acres 1949...	26,386
1945...	1,908	1944...	25,738
number 1950...	288,832	bushels 1949...	700,237
1945...	334,870	1944...	602,245
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,288	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,456
number 1949...	352,429	1944...	1,467
dollars 1949...	385,709	acres 1949...	15,319
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,562	1944...	15,608
dozens 1949...	2,247,965	bushels 1949...	560,488
dollars 1949...	1,372,342	1944...	592,256
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1950...	15	1944...	6
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	acres 1949...	53
1944...	15	1944...	28
number 1949...	9,131	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	109
1944...	5,531	1944...	40
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	614
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944...	209
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,889	bushels 1949...	24,597
dollars 1949...	2,665,641	1944...	5,209
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,749	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1944...	1,782	1944...	17
number 1949...	12,953	acres 1949...	56
1944...	13,896	1944...	84
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,154	bushels 1949...	1,031
number 1949...	4,001	1944...	1,111
dollars 1949...	638,373	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,605	acres 1949...	37
number 1949...	8,952	bushels 1949...	881
dollars 1949...	319,711	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,581	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	71
1944...	1,651	1944 ² ...	126
number 1949...	46,478	acres 1949...	350
1944...	56,022	1944 ² ...	535
dollars 1949...	1,591,242	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	344	1944...	22
1944...	425	acres 1949...	155
number 1949...	4,716	1944...	179
1944...	7,315	bushels 1949...	3,037
dollars 1949...	73,699	1944...	3,033
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	313	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	59
number 1949...	574	acres 1949...	177
dollars 1949...	42,616	tons 1949...	306
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,599	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	965	acres 1949...	7
number 1949...	1,123	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	847	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	1,063	acres 1949...	11
number 1949...	971	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944...	1,216	Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	1,776
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	134	acres 1949...	30,620
1944...	97	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
number 1949...	152	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	306
1944...	111	1944...	312
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,441	acres 1949...	2,046
1944...	1,699	1944...	1,498
number 1949...	3,203	tons 1949...	4,311
1944...	4,401	1944...	3,407
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	508		
dollars 1949...	16,445		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,754	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	1,821	1944.....	3
acres 1949.....	28,428	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	29,567	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	41,180	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	44,804	acres 1949.....	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	12	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	12	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	16	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	16	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944.....	5	1944.....	6
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	11
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944.....	2
1944.....	2	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949.....	30	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	30	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949.....	27	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	27	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	160	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	207	1944.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	207	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	9	acres 1949.....	(*)
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	100	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons..green weight 1949...	592	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Field crops (other):		1944.....	3
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	5	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	9	acres 1949.....	5
1944.....	15	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
bushels 1949.....	7	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	9	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	(*)
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	267	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	674	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	106
acres 1949.....	1,992	acres 1949.....	27
1944.....	6,032	quarts 1949...	58,345
bushels 1949.....	1,281	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	28
1944.....	3,881	acres 1949.....	8
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	183	quarts 1949...	6,022
acres 1949.....	1,089	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	2,992	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,347
acres 1949.....	6	1945.....	1,162
bushels 1949...	4	acres 1950 ² ...	943
Irish potatoes harvested for home		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,632
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	712	1945.....	1,058
1944.....	1,061	1945.....	1,105
acres 1949 ¹ ...	92	trees of all ages..number 1950...	21,578
1944.....	297	1945.....	26,945
bushels 1949.....	12,403	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,133
1944.....	28,834	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	16,465
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	38,508
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	211	1944.....	40,419
1944.....	15	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	939
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	1945.....	924
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	23,640
bushels 1949.....	365	1945.....	23,393
1944.....	39	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	9,119
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	14,521
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12,048
acres 1949.....		1944.....	24,871
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	632
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	603
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,872
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	1,497
acres 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	563
gallons 1949.....	83	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,309
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	127	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,033
acres 1949.....	10	1944.....	3,442
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	259	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	334
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,028
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	469
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	559
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,957
tons 1949.....		1944.....	490
1944.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	2,117
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950...	636
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,782	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,481
1944.....	2,019	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	16,457
quantity harvested..pounds 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	424
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1945.....	416
1944.....	11	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,122
acres 1949.....	21	1945.....	2,021
1944.....	13	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	915
sold..dollars 1949.....	2,666	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,207
1944.....	1,475	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	462
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	1,080
acres 1949.....	(*)	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	747
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	699
1944.....	4	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,821
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	3,006
1944.....	(*)	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	328
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,293
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	26,112
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	87,790
acres 1949.....	1		

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	809	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	301
1945.....	437	General farms.....number 1950...	454
number 1950...	1,084	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	18
1945.....	477	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	182
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,889	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	254
1945.....	1,644	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	581
number 1950...	2,946		
1945.....	2,017	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,793	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,786
number 1950...	2,505	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	17
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	361	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	130
number 1950...	370	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	470
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	37	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	554
number 1950...	71	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	443
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,104	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	172
1945.....	2,075	Other farms.....number 1950...	529
number 1950...	2,752	Part-time.....number 1950...	288
1945.....	2,396	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	271
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	360	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	15	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,154,299
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	56	1944.....	7,147,737
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	367	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,310,327
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,547	1944.....	3,568,259
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,534,845
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	2,878,043
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	85	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	610,985
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,201	1944.....	577,632
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	756	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	89,518
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	186	1944.....	89,058
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	94,979
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	23,526
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,398	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,817,273
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	41	1944.....	3,568,805
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	165	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,550,630
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	10	1944.....	1,366,731
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0:2	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	816,328
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	669,117
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,647	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,450,320
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	491	1944.....	1,532,957
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	26,694
FARM LABOR*		1944.....	10,733
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,968	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	464
persons 1950...	3,077	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	439
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,945	1945.....	997
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,834	number 1950...	921
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	668	1945.....	2,387
persons 1950...	834	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	33
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	258	1945.....	45
persons 1950...	409	number 1950...	54
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		1945.....	95
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,149	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,749	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,776
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	1,542	1945.....	1,824
283,117		number 1950...	18,931
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	1,159	1945.....	20,676
718,774		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,697
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,781	1945 ³	1,765
dollars 1949...	840,349	number 1950...	9,968
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,521	1945 ³	12,337
dollars 1949...	692,060	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,623
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,709	number 1950...	9,295
dollars 1949...	348,625	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,142
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,829	number 1950...	4,280
dollars 1949...	690,291	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	732
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,554	number 1950...	2,464
dollars 1949...	247,861	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	909
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,514	number 1950...	2,299
dollars 1949...	249,948	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	973
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	1,086
No sales.....number 1950...	57	pounds 1949...	40,326,175
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	214	1944.....	41,879,497
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	80	dollars 1949...	1,472,762
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	105	1949.....	331
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	196	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	388
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	226	1944.....	140,067
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	296	pounds of butterfat 1949...	185,893
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	333	1944.....	75,862
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	387	dollars 1949...	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	304	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	25
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	147	1949.....	2,006
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	606	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,221
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	596	1945.....	1,294
Cotton.....number 1950...		number 1950...	21,804
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	10	1945.....	21,216
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	29	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,118
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	22	number 1950...	11,688
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	302	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	718
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	50	number 1950...	12,116
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	912
		1945.....	874
		number 1950...	3,656
		1945.....	2,941

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	535	Corn:	
1945.....	713	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,855
number 1950...	23,767	1944.....	1,968
1945.....	30,519	acres 1949.....	46,170
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	46,319
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	524	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,842
number 1950.....	15,619	1944.....	1,958
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	517	acres 1949.....	43,993
1945 ¹ ..	694	1944.....	44,589
number 1950...	13,233	bushels 1949...	2,199,834
1945 ¹ ..	20,987	1944.....	1,766,920
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	350	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	235
number 1950...	2,386	acres 1949...	1,794
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	384	tons..green weight 1949...	14,757
number 1950.....	8,148	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	501	For green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	68
1944.....	682	acres 1949...	383
number shorn 1949...	19,261	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	155,943	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	213,893	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	279
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	9,394
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,711	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,658
1945.....	1,860	acres 1949...	36,288
number 1950...	144,495	1944.....	36,323
1945.....	201,366	bushels 1949...	945,500
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,011	1944.....	996,217
number 1949...	147,356	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,526
dollars 1949...	185,278	1944.....	1,638
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,264	acres 1949...	27,214
dozens 1949...	1,127,944	1944.....	24,430
dollars 1949...	468,212	bushels 1949...	752,712
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	35	1944.....	811,003
number 1950...	576	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	38	1944.....	5
1944.....	46	acres 1949...	146
number 1949...	22,963	1944.....	18
1944.....	10,891	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	11
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	17
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949...	69
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,740	1944.....	108
dollars 1949...	2,358,252	bushels 1949...	2,625
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458	1944.....	3,199
1944.....	1,569	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1949...	10,122	1944.....	23
1944.....	9,889	acres 1949...	81
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	851	1944.....	183
number 1949...	4,829	bushels 1949...	1,324
dollars 1949...	771,411	1944.....	3,272
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,271	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	48
number 1949...	5,293	acres 1949...	393
dollars 1949...	216,969	bushels 1949...	7,731
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,156	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,182	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,176
number 1949...	28,642	1944 ² ..	1,396
1944.....	31,971	acres 1949...	23,702
dollars 1949...	1,064,761	1944 ² ..	25,666
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	488	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,121
1944.....	557	1944.....	1,289
number 1949...	15,799	acres 1949...	22,611
1944.....	18,224	1944.....	24,389
dollars 1949...	292,810	bushels 1949...	506,402
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	45	1944.....	487,929
number 1949...	295	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	118
dollars 1949...	12,301	acres 1949...	537
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	738
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,138	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	514	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	622	acres 1949...	11
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	430	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....	597	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	23
number 1949...	472	acres 1949...	543
1944.....	656	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	105	Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	1,454
1944.....	50	acres 1949...	24,794
number 1949...	150	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944.....	61	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	219
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	999	1944.....	262
1944.....	1,237	acres 1949...	2,026
number 1949...	2,096	1944.....	2,092
1944.....	2,988	tons 1949...	3,607
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	3,646
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	202		
dollars 1949...	11,056		

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²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,363	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,628	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	22,550	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	26,451	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	27,604	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	36,692	acres 1949.....	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	
1944.....	6	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	39	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	37	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	75	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	48	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	22	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	193	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	86	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	196	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	115	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	14	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	185	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons..green weight 1949.....	888	1944.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Field crops (other):		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	12	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	19	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	75		
bushels 1949.....	12	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	64	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	221	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	470	quarts 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,522	1944.....	
1944.....	5,716	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
bushels 1949.....	2,063	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	5,782	quarts 1949.....	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	123		
acres 1949.....	1,106	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	3,661	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	13	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....	212	1945.....	
bushels 1949.....	225	acres 1950 ²	
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	428	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	525	1945.....	
acres 1949 ¹	550	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	788	1945.....	
bushels 1949...	210,970	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	87,180	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	18	1944.....	
1944.....	2	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949 ¹	1	1945.....	
1944.....	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
bushels 1949.....	96	1945.....	
1944.....	202	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	
acres 1949.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
gallons 1949.....	295	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	166	1944.....	
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	3,914	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,616	1945.....	
1944.....	2,074	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	132	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	231	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	1,917	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
1944.....	2,854	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
sold..dollars 1949.....	610,985	1945.....	
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	577,632	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	10	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	8	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	17	1944.....	
1944.....	16	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	1945.....	
acres 1949.....	8	vines of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	3	1945.....	
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	14	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	9	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		1944.....	

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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This release presents figures from the 1950 Census of Agriculture, together with available comparative data from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. The figures from the 1950 Census are preliminary and are subject to revision. A similar report will be released for every county in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the counties in the State. After that, final figures for this county and for other counties in the State will be published in a State Report.

Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,506	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	96
1945...	1,677	1945.....	209
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	268,800	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	60.9	1945.....	37
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	144,806	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	84
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	20,328	1945.....	172
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,442	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	146
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,761	1945.....	185
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	163,815	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	202
1945.....	165,200	1945.....	219
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	108.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	118
1945.....	98.5	1945.....	116
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	5,564	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	262
1945.....	3,137	1945.....	272
average per acre, dollars 1950*	55.14	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	280
1945.....	31.85	1945.....	272
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	177
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,306	1945.....	158
1944.....	1,522	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	93
acres 1949.....	35,647	1945.....	102
1944.....	37,639	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	38
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	381	1945.....	45
1944.....	563	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	80
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	273	1945.....	86
1944.....	300	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	14
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	215	1945.....	13
1944.....	198	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	237	1945.....	.....
1944.....	251	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	160	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	168	White operators.....number 1950...	1,483
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	35	1945.....	1,646
1944.....	39	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	23
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	31
1944.....	3	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	728	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,234
1944 ¹	416	1945.....	1,380
acres 1949.....	23,400	Part owners.....number 1950...	139
1944 ¹	9,158	1945.....	126
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	5
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	574	1945.....	6
1949.....	14,837	All tenants.....number 1950...	128
1944.....	4,305	1945.....	165
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	592	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	8.5
1944.....	590	1945.....	9.8
acres 1949.....	15,599	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	36
1944.....	14,752	1945.....	89
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	675	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
1944.....	597	1945.....	3
acres 1949.....	25,492	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	29
1944.....	18,013	1945.....	45
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	20
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	790	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	9
1944 ¹	1,357	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	61
acres 1949.....	34,604	1945.....	28
1944 ¹	69,564	Other tenants.....number 1950...	21
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	40
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,423	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	1,604	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	345
acres 1949.....	14,236	1945.....	453
1944.....	11,769	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,345
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	479
1944.....	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,345
acres 1949.....	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.06
1944.....	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	260
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	110
acres 1949.....	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	115
1944.....	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,150
FARM OPERATORS		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	135
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,427	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	35
1945.....	1,620	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	80
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	51	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	35
1945.....	53	number 1950...	35
With other income of family exceeding value		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	25
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	678	number 1950...	25
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	770	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	40
1944.....	744	number 1950...	40
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	566	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	40
1944.....	610	number 1950...	60
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	370	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	304
.....1945.....	241	General farms.....number 1950...	134
.....number 1950.....	390	.....number 1950.....	6
.....1945.....	265	.....number 1950.....	85
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	445	.....number 1950.....	43
.....1945.....	261	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	849
.....number 1950.....	530		
.....1945.....	285		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	420	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	490	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	663
.....1945.....	35	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	24
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	18
.....number 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	128
.....1945.....	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	195
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	955	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	298
.....number 1950.....	1,149	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	843
.....1945.....	1,080	Other farms.....number 1950.....	239
.....number 1950.....	1,242	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	604
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	604
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	361	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	239
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	191		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	507	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	231	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,956,720
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	216	.....1944.....	1,505,964
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	478,913
		.....1944.....	410,411
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	196,003
		.....1944.....	62,647
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,294
		.....1944.....	5,132
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	267,916
		.....1944.....	305,412
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,700
		.....1944.....	37,220
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,445,790
		.....1944.....	1,078,267
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	415,634
		.....1944.....	312,863
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	278,157
		.....1944.....	257,722
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	751,999
		.....1944.....	507,682
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	32,017
		.....1944.....	17,286
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	949
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	898
		.....1945.....	998
		.....number 1950.....	1,756
		.....1945.....	2,236
		.....number 1950.....	79
		.....1945.....	115
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	139
		.....number 1950.....	206
		.....1945.....	
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,258
		.....1945.....	1,333
		.....number 1950.....	12,435
		.....1945.....	12,792
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,204
		.....1945.....	1,296
		.....number 1950.....	6,050
		.....1945.....	6,877
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,102
		.....number 1950.....	4,625
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	755
		.....number 1950.....	3,089
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	456
		.....number 1950.....	1,494
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	614
		.....number 1950.....	1,802
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	256
		.....1944.....	205
		.....pounds 1949.....	9,151,293
		.....1944.....	7,354,170
		.....dollars 1949.....	364,685
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	331
		.....1944.....	475
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	95,629
		.....1944.....	155,303
		.....dollars 1949.....	49,718
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	10
		.....dollars 1949.....	1,231
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	827
		.....1945.....	782
		.....number 1950.....	7,377
		.....1945.....	4,702
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	717
		.....number 1950.....	3,696
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	433
		.....number 1950.....	3,661
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	456
		.....1945.....	368
		.....number 1950.....	961
		.....1945.....	626

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.

²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Corn:	
1945.....	110	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,122
number 1950...	2,353	1944.....	1,242
1945.....	2,833	acres 1949...	10,739
1945.....	2,833	1944.....	11,557
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,111
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	64	1944.....	1,236
number 1950...	1,446	acres 1949...	10,281
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	62	1944.....	11,248
1945 ¹	103	bushels 1949...	411,377
number 1950...	1,310	1944.....	300,146
1945 ¹	2,364	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	43
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	50	acres 1949...	356
number 1950...	136	tons, green weight 1949...	3,174
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	55	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950...	907	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	20
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	64	acres 1949...	102
1944.....	98	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	1,361	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	10,192	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	14,636	acres 1949...	65
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	bushels 1949...	1,389
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	492
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,242	acres 1949...	5,122
1945.....	1,431	bushels 1949...	4,709
number 1950...	81,597	1944.....	92,030
1945.....	97,484	1944.....	62,405
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	427	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	131
number 1949...	70,969	1944.....	48
dollars 1949...	73,953	acres 1949...	1,029
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	708	1944.....	374
dozens 1949...	481,957	bushels 1949...	22,032
dollars 1949...	181,265	1944.....	5,817
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	13	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	37
number 1950...	96	1944.....	79
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	acres 1949...	179
1944.....	17	1944.....	425
number 1949...	3,825	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	3,361	1944.....	8
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	14
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944.....	64
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,009	bushels 1949...	600
dollars 1949...	743,482	1944.....	882
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	871	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	990	1944.....	1
number 1949...	5,003	acres 1949...	27
1944.....	5,711	1944.....	6
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	515	bushels 1949...	270
number 1949...	2,527	1944.....	72
dollars 1949...	340,905	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	668	acres 1949...	101
number 1949...	2,476	bushels 1949...	1,274
dollars 1949...	137,714	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	621	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	147
1944.....	618	1944 ² ...	279
number 1949...	8,046	acres 1949...	731
1944.....	7,983	1944 ² ...	1,554
dollars 1949...	240,155	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	62	1944.....	23
1944.....	77	acres 1949...	327
number 1949...	1,257	1944.....	232
1944.....	1,353	bushels 1949...	4,599
dollars 1949...	19,618	1944.....	2,954
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	58	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	118
number 1949...	86	acres 1949...	397
dollars 1949...	5,090	tons 1949...	579
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,012	or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	133	acres 1949...	2
number 1949...	143	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	59	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	105	acres 1949...	5
number 1949...	62	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	110	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,021
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	76	acres 1949...	15,103
1944.....	40	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
number 1949...	81	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	80
1944.....	41	1944.....	68
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	992	acres 1949...	506
1944.....	1,237	1944.....	403
number 1949...	1,996	tons 1949...	855
1944.....	2,779	1944.....	688
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	59		
dollars 1949...	2,190		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	855	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	929	1944.....	28
acres 1949.....	12,626	1949.....	(*)
1944.....	12,639	1944.....	6
tons 1949.....	15,637	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	13,865	1944.....	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	54	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	92	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	408	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	667	1949.....	
tons 1949.....	408	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	617	1944.....	11
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		1944.....	47
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	53	acres 1949.....	6
1944.....	8	1944.....	25
acres 1949.....	270	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	53	1949.....	4
tons 1949.....	252	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	32	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	165	1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	1,594	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	2,054	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,447	1949.....	1
1944.....	1,731	1944.....	(*)
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	24	1944.....	(*)
tons, green weight 1949.....	103	acres 1949.....	
Field crops (other):		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1949.....	3
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	41
acres 1949.....	34	1944.....	2
1944.....	9	acres 1949.....	19
bushels 1949.....	23	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
1944.....	5	1944.....	6
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	11	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	2		
acres 1949.....	84	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	25	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	16
bushels 1949.....	43	1949.....	5
1944.....	21	quarts 1949.....	6,443
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	11	acres 1949.....	1,006
bushels 1949.....	33	quarts 1949.....	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....		1949.....	
bushels 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home		quarts 1949.....	
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	708	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	855	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949 ¹	72	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	27
1944.....	295	1945.....	27
bushels 1949.....	11,018	acres 1950 ²	2,154
1944.....	18,249	1945.....	2,769
Sweet potatoes harvested for home		Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	213
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	225	1945.....	557
1944.....	98	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	89,134
acres 1949 ¹	1	1945.....	103,833
1944.....	10	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	17,993
bushels 1949.....	838	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	70,231
1944.....	666	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	283,063
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	56	1944.....	235,913
1944.....	40	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	107
acres 1949.....	51	1945.....	292
1944.....	42	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	7,384
pounds 1949.....	83,602	1945.....	7,717
1944.....	51,776	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,050
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,344
acres 1949.....	8	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	909
gallons 1949.....	1,088	1944.....	5,439
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	52
acres 1949.....	2	1945.....	139
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	70	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	151
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	482
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	51
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	102
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	43
tons 1949.....		1944.....	531
1944.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	59
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		1950.....	377
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,277	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	213
1944.....	1,608	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	147
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	17	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	345
1944.....	65	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	22
acres 1949.....	32	1950.....	65
1944.....	81	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	26
sold..dollars 1949.....	3,294	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	7
1944.....	5,132	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	7
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7
acres 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	29
1944.....		1945.....	73
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	9	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	113
1944.....	25	1945.....	344
acres 1949.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	64
1944.....	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	44
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	31
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	89
1944.....		1945.....	363
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	431
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	2,803
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	13
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	30
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,878
		1944.....	29,332

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

For release November 15, 1951

JEFFERSON COUNTY, OHIO

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,465	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	189
.....1945...	1,489	.....1945...	208
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	263,040	.....1945...	30
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	97.8	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	122,789	.....1945...	159
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	26,001	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	206
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,721	.....1945...	187
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,551	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	198
.....1945...	.....	.....1945...	140
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	151,970	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	148
.....1945...	144,841	.....1945...	122
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	103.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	104
.....1945...	97.3	.....1945...	211
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	8,658	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	224
.....1945...	4,551	.....1945...	213
.....1950*	85.35	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	237
.....1945...	46.78	.....1945...	196
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	182
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,271	.....1945...	74
1944...	1,345	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	75
acres 1949...	35,732	.....1945...	50
1944...	39,957	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	33
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	412	.....1945...	71
1944...	223	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	70
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	428	.....1945...	10
1944...	199	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	161	.....1945...	2
1944...	161	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	247	.....1945...	.....
1944...	288		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	223	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	238	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18	White operators.....number 1950...	1,455
1944...	35	1945...	1,472
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	10
1944...	1	1945...	17
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	496	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	170	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,185
acres 1949...	12,296	1945...	1,229
1944 ¹ ...	6,410	Part owners.....number 1950...	134
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	76
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	634	Managers.....number 1950...	4
1949...	17,980	1945...	4
1944...	4,249	All tenants.....number 1950...	142
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	511	1945...	180
1944...	375	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	9.7
acres 1949...	14,554	1945...	12.1
1944...	12,625	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	79
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	589	1945...	123
1944...	334	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	6
acres 1949...	20,816	1945...	1
1944...	8,913	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	16
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	48
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	814	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	5
1944 ¹ ...	1,156	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	11
acres 1949...	32,028	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	41
1944 ¹ ...	50,092	1945...	8
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	17
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,362	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	24
1944...	1,451		
acres 1949...	18,564	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	22,595	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	537
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	468
1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,383
acres 1949...	.....	1945...	1,089
1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,378
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	8,29
1944...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	732
acres 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	412
1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	297
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,262
1944...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	370
acres 1949...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	16
1944...	.....	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	200
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	66
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	71
		number 1950...	36
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		number 1950...	41
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	41
		number 1950...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	195
		number 1950...	210
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,376		
.....1945...	1,419		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	51		
.....1945...	63		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	801		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	862		
.....1944...	753		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	699		
1944...	692		

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	677	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	159
1945.....	374	General farms.....number 1950...	75
number 1950.....	746	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	
1945.....	411	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	31
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	753	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	42
1945.....	500	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	257
number 1950.....	873		
1945.....	543		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	648		
number 1950.....	720		
1945.....	146		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	146		
number 1950.....	7		
1945.....	7		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	926		
number 1950.....	1,126		
1945.....	1,146		
number 1950.....	1,277		
1945.....	360		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	97		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	244		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	361		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	403		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....			
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	587
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	65	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	550	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	12
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	352	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	96
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	456	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	175
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	154
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	149
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	901	Other farms.....number 1950.....	878
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	150	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	234
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	251	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	594
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Abnormal.....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	622	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,280,651
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	530	1944.....	1,588,907
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	226	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	440,911
FARM LABOR^A		1944.....	224,020
Week preceding enumeration:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	144,149
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,232	1944.....	49,696
persons 1950.....	2,172	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	21,062
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,206	1944.....	10,920
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,131	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	75,384
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	526	1944.....	135,290
persons 1950.....	796	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	200,316
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	142	1944.....	27,094
persons 1950.....	245	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,817,838
		1944.....	1,356,537
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	825,849
		1944.....	736,445
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	412,524
		1944.....	295,837
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	579,465
		1944.....	324,335
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	21,832
		1944.....	8,350
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	713
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	655
		1945.....	236
		number 1950.....	1,559
		1945.....	2,042
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	33
		1945.....	52
		number 1950.....	59
		1945.....	54
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,206
		1945.....	1,211
		number 1950.....	13,200
		1945.....	13,529
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,140
		1945.....	1,147
		number 1950.....	6,832
		1945.....	7,733
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,097
		number 1950.....	5,931
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	737
		number 1950.....	3,225
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	535
		number 1950.....	1,437
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	600
		number 1950.....	1,639
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	387
		1944.....	322
		pounds 1949.....	18,106,322
		1944.....	18,193,103
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	761,439
		1944.....	121
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	95,604
		1944.....	126,731
		dollars 1949.....	55,320
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	41
		dollars 1949.....	9,087
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	69
		1945.....	68
		number 1950.....	3,977
		1945.....	3,438
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	315
		number 1950.....	2,822
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	381
		number 1950.....	3,055
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	138
		1945.....	149
		number 1950.....	809
		1945.....	629

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	876	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	918	1944.....	12
acres 1949.....	13,383	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	15,847	1944.....	2
tons 1949.....	17,660	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
1944.....	19,479	acres 1949.....	(*)
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....		acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	64
1944.....		1944.....	2
tons 1949.....		acres 1949.....	71
1944.....		1944.....	23
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
acres 1949.....	82	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
tons 1949.....	93	1944.....	1
1944.....		acres 1949.....	4
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	75	1944.....	5
acres 1949.....	627	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	154	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	5
tons 1949.....	625	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	284	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	23	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	283	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	60
1944.....	925	1944.....	23
Field crops (other):		acres 1949.....	67
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944.....	30
1944.....	11	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	30	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	38	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	22	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	36	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	44
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	21	quarts 1949.....	11,704
acres 1949.....	130	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	22
1944.....	138	acres 1949.....	11
bushels 1949.....	93	quarts 1949.....	8,289
1944.....	140	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949.....	23	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	924
bushels 1949.....	59	1945.....	569
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1950...	1,349
acres 1949.....		1945.....	1,897
bushels 1949.....		1945.....	797
Irish potatoes harvested for home		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	518
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	410	trees of all ages..number 1950...	35,057
1944.....	58	1945.....	30,876
acres 1949.....	39	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,683
1944.....	28	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	28,864
bushels 1949.....	5,465	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	65,426
1944.....	2,227	1944.....	101,030
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	718
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	38	1945.....	513
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	17,537
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	19,844
bushels 1949.....	99	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,597
1944.....	76	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,942
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7,866
1944.....		1944.....	19,079
acres 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	484
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	393
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,013
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	1,762
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	555
gallons 1949.....	91	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,368
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	379
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	2,151
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	5	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	324
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,359
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	506
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,343
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,012
tons 1949.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	327
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,018
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	450
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,228	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	678
1944.....	1,429	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,311
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	303
1944.....	39	1945.....	209
acres 1949.....	155	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,484
1944.....	87	1945.....	1,466
sold..dollars 1949.....	21,062	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	423
1944.....	10,970	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,031
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	108
acres 1949.....	2	1944.....	268
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	21	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	576
1944.....	18	1945.....	244
acres 1949.....	4	vines of all ages..number 1950...	6,988
1944.....	6	1945.....	7,912
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	8	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,466
acres 1949.....	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,842
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	28,827
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	81,144

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Farms.....number 1950...	2,449	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	138
.....1945...	2,6591945...	178
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	335,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	13
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	88.9	.....1945...	11
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	229,664	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	125
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	84,463	.....1945...	167
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,564	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	231
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,493	.....1945...	238
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	298,198	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	182
.....1945...	317,472	.....1945...	178
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	121.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	248
.....1945...	119.4	.....1945...	256
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	10,885	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	407
.....1945...	7,283	.....1945...	440
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	88.17	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	431
.....1945...	61.00	.....1945...	544
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	300
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,188	.....1945...	309
.....1944...	2,387	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	199
.....acres 1949...	125,034	.....1945...	114
.....1944...	130,914	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	112
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	222	.....1945...	175
.....1944...	219	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	183
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	209	.....1945...	22
.....1944...	244	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	19
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	247	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	240	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	463		
.....1944...	590	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	727	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	738	White operators.....number 1950...	2,448
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	294	.....1945...	2,658
.....1944...	294	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	26	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	32	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,150	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,745
.....1944...	1,146	.....1945...	1,815
.....acres 1949...	33,653	Part owners.....number 1950...	357
.....1944...	35,228	.....1945...	335
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	3
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	779	.....1945...	344
.....acres 1949...	17,648	All tenants.....number 1950...	495
.....1944...	7,024	.....1945...	14.0
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	864	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	18.6
.....1944...	814	.....1945...	60
.....acres 1949...	16,552	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	138
.....1944...	13,942	.....1945...	27
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,108	Share-cash tenants....number 1950...	13
.....1944...	994	.....1945...	198
.....acres 1949...	23,648	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	279
.....1944...	19,754	.....1945...	29
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	169
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,706	.....number 1950...	59
.....1944...	2,408	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	65
.....acres 1949...	62,332	.....1945...	12
.....1944...	98,675	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	47
Other land (house lots, roads,		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,352	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,461
.....1944...	2,452	.....1945...	1,304
.....acres 1949...	19,331	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,268
.....1944...	11,935	.....1945...	2,055
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	2	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,268
.....1944...	2	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.36
.....acres 1949...	79	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,648
.....1944...	79	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	877
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	332
.....acres 1949...	79	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,108
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	667
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	31
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	661
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,268	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	478
.....1945...	2,413	.....number 1950...	478
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	127	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	383
.....1945...	218	.....number 1950...	388
With other income of family exceeding value		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	122
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	689	.....number 1950...	122
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,089	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	407
.....1944...	940	.....number 1950...	459
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	720	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1944...	628	.....number 1950...	

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	603	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	589
.....1945.....	397	General farms.....number 1950.....	444
.....number 1950.....	655	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	439	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,493	.....number 1950.....	317
.....1945.....	1,163	.....number 1950.....	127
.....number 1950.....	1,935	.....number 1950.....	653
.....1945.....	1,267	.....number 1950.....	.....
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,393	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,684	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,826
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	226	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	19
.....number 1950.....	226	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	127
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	449
.....number 1950.....	25	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	576
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,127	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	435
.....1945.....	2,293	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	223
.....number 1950.....	2,634	Other farms.....number 1950.....	623
.....1945.....	2,627	Part-time.....number 1950.....	319
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	304
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	601	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	55	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	300	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,569,257
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	397	.....dollars 1944.....	6,500,677
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,136	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,457,621
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		.....dollars 1944.....	922,923
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,312,128
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	115	.....dollars 1944.....	743,102
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	996	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	34,989
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	866	.....dollars 1944.....	9,721
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	421	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	74,728
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	.....dollars 1944.....	153,075
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	35,774
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,207	.....dollars 1944.....	17,627
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	215	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,064,297
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	441	.....dollars 1944.....	5,540,743
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,692,208
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.9	.....dollars 1944.....	1,628,656
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,343,063
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	843	.....dollars 1944.....	1,065,238
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,300	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,629,026
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	205	.....dollars 1944.....	2,846,849
FARM LABOR^A		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	47,317
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	37,009
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,124	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	3,617	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	736
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,093	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	704
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,013	.....number 1950.....	1,334
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	266	.....number 1945.....	1,484
.....persons 1950.....	1,236	.....number 1950.....	3,252
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	264	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	41
.....persons 1950.....	368	.....number 1945.....	71
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		.....number 1950.....	80
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,279	.....number 1945.....	133
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,954	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,738	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,089
dollars 1949.....	290,839	.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,242
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,299	.....number 1950.....	31,637
dollars 1949.....	548,364	.....number 1945.....	12,040
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,124	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,030
dollars 1949.....	1,927,308	.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,212
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,694	.....number 1950.....	15,532
dollars 1949.....	908,560	.....number 1945.....	17,637
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,829	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,936
dollars 1949.....	216,652	.....number 1950.....	13,313
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,634	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,936
dollars 1949.....	459,595	.....number 1950.....	6,176
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,164	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,130
dollars 1949.....	162,459	.....number 1950.....	3,932
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,329	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,227
dollars 1949.....	138,071	.....number 1950.....	4,027
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1949.....	1,182
No sales.....number 1950.....	115	.....number 1944.....	1,034
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	189	.....pounds 1949.....	48,760,594
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	111	.....pounds 1944.....	43,814,927
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	145	.....dollars 1949.....	1,897,778
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	173	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	519
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	212	.....farms reporting 1944.....	834
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	333	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	344,703
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	406	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	487,644
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	355	.....dollars 1949.....	192,883
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	264	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	11
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	146	.....dollars 1949.....	1,547
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	152	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,539
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	142	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,569
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	40,068
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1945.....	27,432
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,431
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	18,080
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	527	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,023
Foultry farms.....number 1950.....	94	.....number 1950.....	21,989
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,224
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,114
		.....number 1950.....	5,277
		.....number 1945.....	4,028

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	844	Corn:	
1945.....	1,247	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,987
number 1950.....	50,317	1944.....	2,133
1945.....	72,165	acres 1949.....	42,182
1945.....	72,165	1944.....	47,019
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,960
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	815	1944.....	2,118
number 1950.....	35,596	acres 1949.....	39,710
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	809	1944.....	44,813
1945.....	1,209	bushels 1949.....	2,095,194
number 1950.....	31,639	1944.....	1,834,675
1945.....	53,521	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	269
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	551	acres 1949.....	1,519
number 1950.....	3,957	tons, green weight 1949...	13,286
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	569	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	14,721	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	133
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	820	acres 1949.....	953
1944.....	1,226	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949.....	39,944	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	368,736	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	675,705	acres 1949.....	66
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr 15-Apr 28	bushels 1949...	1,310
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,706
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,933	acres 1949.....	32,650
1945.....	2,083	1944.....	29,102
number 1950.....	169,999	bushels 1949.....	680,283
1945.....	217,187	1944.....	528,409
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,070	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,059
number 1949.....	153,162	1944.....	697
dollars 1949.....	198,360	acres 1949.....	10,886
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,435	1944.....	6,090
dozens 1949.....	1,482,914	bushels 1949.....	348,278
dollars 1949.....	613,952	1944.....	184,418
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	38	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1950.....	18,118	1944.....	24
1949.....	49	acres 1949.....	115
1944.....	41	1944.....	152
number 1949.....	65,534	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	39,893	1944.....	31
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	52
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		bushels 1944.....	230
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,044	1944.....	1,028
dollars 1949.....	3,412,852	1944.....	6,226
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,771	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
1944.....	1,769	1944.....	50
number 1949.....	13,135	acres 1949.....	134
1944.....	12,114	1944.....	411
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	1,176	bushels 1949.....	2,355
number 1949.....	6,299	1944.....	4,558
dollars 1949.....	969,837	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,407	acres 1949.....	97
number 1949.....	6,836	bushels 1949.....	2,007
dollars 1949.....	251,911	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,514	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	207
1944.....	1,688	1944 ²	509
number 1949.....	48,686	acres 1949.....	2,583
1944.....	61,048	1944 ²	6,490
dollars 1949.....	1,753,783	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	168
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	769	1944.....	407
1944.....	915	acres 1949.....	2,361
number 1949.....	26,282	1944.....	5,559
1944.....	38,271	bushels 1949.....	44,656
dollars 1949.....	427,383	1944.....	79,083
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	97	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	33
number 1949.....	187	acres 1949.....	177
dollars 1949.....	9,938	1944.....	254
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949.....	254
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,440	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	851	or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949.....	967	acres 1949...	8
1944.....	656	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	934	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1949.....	744	acres 1949...	37
1944.....	1,027	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	209	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,790
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	93	acres 1949...	32,752
number 1949.....	223	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944.....	105	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	188
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,231	1944.....	253
number 1949.....	1,695	acres 1949.....	1,793
1944.....	2,432	1944.....	2,121
1944.....	4,069	tons 1949.....	2,690
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	4,248
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	382		
dollars 1949.....	13,162		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,750	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	1,926	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	30,631	acres 1949.....	16
1944.....	34,694	1944.....	4
tons 1949.....	39,971	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	46,894	acres 1949.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....		acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....		Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....		acres 1949.....	4
tons 1949.....		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	18
1944.....		1944.....	25
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	10
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	46
1944.....		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949.....	35	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	35	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949.....		acres 1949.....	3
1944.....		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	16	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	147	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	93	1944.....	26
tons 1949.....	185	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	108	acres 1949.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	33	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	310	acres 1949.....	7
tons, green weight 1949...	1,729	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Field crops (other):		1944.....	13
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	8
1944.....	5	1944.....	8
acres 1949.....	13	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	27	acres 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	20	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	53
1944.....	17	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	259	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	31
1944.....	495	acres 1949...	6
acres 1949.....	2,458	quarts 1949...	12,117
1944.....	5,556	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	12
bushels 1949...	2,184	acres 1949...	5
1944.....	4,158	quarts 1949...	4,704
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	239	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	2,303	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
bushels 1949...	5,410	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	758
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945...	445
acres 1949...	36	acres 1950 ² ...	776
bushel: 1949...	34	1945...	816
Irish potatoes harvested for home		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	557
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	219	1945...	346
1944.....	320	trees of all ages..number 1950...	21,051
acres 1949 ¹ ...	98	1945...	26,031
1944.....	199	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,543
bushels 1949...	20,148	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	17,508
1944.....	18,980	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	60,123
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		1944.....	53,113
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	397
1944.....	3	1945...	304
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	12,707
1944.....	(*)	1945...	17,948
bushels 1949...	69	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,284
1944.....	22	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,423
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5,739
1944.....		1944.....	21,734
acres 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	305
1944.....		1945...	187
pounds 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	722
1944.....		1945...	654
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	224
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	493
gallons 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	490
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	1,077
acres 1949...		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	175
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	46	trees of all ages..number 1950...	921
934		1950...	568
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	353
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	316
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	115
1944.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	426
tons 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	177
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	249
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	632
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,792	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	2,212	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	185
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	26	1945...	100
1944.....	42	trees of all ages..number 1950...	689
acres 1949...	119	1945...	352
1944.....	122	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	340
sold, dollars 1949...	34,989	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	349
1944.....	9,721	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	84
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	195
acres 1949...	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	298
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945...	236
1944.....	2	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,103
acres 1949...	2	1945...	2,214
1944.....	2	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,918
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,190
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	12,074
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	35,584
acres 1949...	1		

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,178	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	243
1945...	1,608	1945...	373
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	148,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	30
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	42.6	1945...	15
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	50,871	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	213
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	11,097	1945...	358
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,457	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	366
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	992	1945...	499
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	63,193	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	157
1945...	85,393	1945...	208
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	53.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	124
1945...	53.1	1945...	161
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	15,141	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	134
1945...	11,634	1945...	152
average per acre, dollars 1950*	308.33	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	78
1945...	219.07	1945...	94
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	33
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,038	1945...	38
1944...	1,537	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	24
acres 1949...	23,156	1945...	25
1944...	35,839	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	14
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	473	1945...	18
1944...	761	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	18
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	212	1945...	29
1944...	296	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	6
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	112	1945...	7
1944...	132	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	134	1945...	4
1944...	168	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	126	White operators.....number 1950...	1,176
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1945...	1,601
1944...	38	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945...	7
1944...	1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	319	Full owners.....number 1950...	964
1944 ¹ ...	491	1945...	1,179
acres 1949...	4,021	Part owners.....number 1950...	129
1944 ¹ ...	8,350	1945...	212
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	14
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	626	1945...	59
acres 1949...	9,402	All tenants.....number 1950...	71
1944...	10,204	1945...	158
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	152	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	6.0
1944...	133	1945...	9.8
acres 1949...	3,112	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	36
1944...	2,785	1945...	120
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	477	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
1944...	490	1945...	1
acres 1949...	10,248	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	1
1944...	10,387	1945...	35
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	1
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	274	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	31
1944 ¹ ...	246	1945...	2
acres 1949...	4,995	Other tenants.....number 1950...	13
1944 ¹ ...	4,924	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	18
Other land (house lots, roads,		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,086	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	865
1944...	1,575	1945...	983
acres 1949...	8,259	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,170
1944...	12,804	1945...	1,508
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	10	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,170
1944...	9	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.85
acres 1949...	32	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	859
1944...	43	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	368
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	286
acres 1949...	32	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,076
FARM OPERATORS		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	277
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,101	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	31
1945...	1,540	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	66
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	47	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	77
1945...	67	number 1950...	77
With other income of family exceeding value		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	41
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	598	number 1950...	42
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	680	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	56
1944...	893	number 1950...	56
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	603	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	106
1944...	851	number 1950...	127
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	540	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	45
.....1945.....	528	General farms.....number 1950...	47
.....number 1950.....	697	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	642	.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	930	.....number 1950.....	57
.....1945.....	996	.....number 1950.....	617
.....number 1950.....	1,326		
.....1945.....	1,187		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	730	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	901	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	42
.....1945.....	326	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	338	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	2
.....number 1950.....	80	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	114
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	87	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	99
.....number 1950.....	995	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	104
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,421	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	100
.....1945.....	1,481	Other farms.....number 1950...	690
.....number 1950.....	1,974	Part-time ².....number 1950...	72
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	46
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	216	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	2
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	29		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	43	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	211	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,593,477
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	679	.....1944.....	3,425,440
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	3,661,300
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		.....1944.....	2,500,678
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	188,270
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	121	.....1944.....	183,317
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	451	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	137,012
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	490	.....1944.....	224,281
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	105	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	439,410
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944.....	731,671
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,827,109
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	916	.....1944.....	1,848,469
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	35	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	975,318
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....1944.....	617,704
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	278,233
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.3	.....1944.....	258,619
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	678,782
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	998	.....1944.....	672,680
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	208,122
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	65	.....1944.....	198,480
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,317
FARM LABOR⁴		.....1944.....	7,160
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	965	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	2,268	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	20
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	943	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	28
Operators.....persons 1950.....	897	.....1945.....	9
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	411	.....number 1950.....	58
.....persons 1950.....	531	.....1945.....	1,000
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	210	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	15
.....persons 1950.....	840	.....number 1950.....	15
		.....1945.....	15
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,156	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	786	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	51
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	595	.....number 1950...	50
dollars 1949.....	73,651	.....number 1950...	15
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	506	.....1945.....	15
dollars 1949.....	1,337,511	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	51
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	812	.....number 1950...	50
dollars 1949.....	529,004	.....1945 ⁶	1,000
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	603	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
dollars 1949.....	133,130	.....number 1950...	1,000
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	834	.....1945 ⁶	1,000
dollars 1949.....	288,631	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	876	.....number 1950...	1,000
dollars 1949.....	219,550	.....number 1950...	1,000
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	524	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
dollars 1949.....	58,839	.....number 1950...	1,000
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	371	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
dollars 1949.....	41,741	.....number 1950...	1,000
		.....1949...	1,000
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	6,392,150
No sales.....number 1950...	165	.....1944.....	6,437,600
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	300	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	26,500
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	118	.....dollars 1949.....	11,800
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	80	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	15,300
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	99	.....1944.....	6,100
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	33	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3,000
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	94	.....dollars 1949...	3,000
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	60		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	98	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	51	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	24
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	80	.....1945.....	15
		.....number 1950...	1,000
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	2,000
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	14	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	14	.....number 1950...	1,000
Cotton.....number 1950...	14	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	14	.....number 1950...	1,000
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	36	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	78	.....1945.....	1,000
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	77	.....1945.....	1,000
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	64		

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	41	Corn:	
1945...	32	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	542
number 1950...	1,401	1944...	835
1945...	842	acres 1949...	3,769
1944...		1944...	6,544
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	523
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	38	1944...	827
number 1950...	853	acres 1949...	3,833
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	37	1944...	5,953
number 1950...	807	bushels 1949...	155,332
1945 ¹ ...	741	1944...	196,747
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	59
number 1950...	46	acres 1949...	198
1944...		tons..green weight 1949...	3,631
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950...	548	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	24
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	31	acres 1949...	73
1944...	28	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	867	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	6,819	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	6,281	acres 1949...	17
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	bushels 1949...	310
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	362
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	669	acres 1949...	2,272
1945...	1,009	1944...	3,298
number 1950...	67,302	bushels 1949...	60,814
1945...	101,902	1944...	81,515
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	253	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	295
number 1949...	119,508	1944...	348
dollars 1949...	142,134	acres 1949...	2,442
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	382	1944...	2,746
dozens 1949...	528,643	bushels 1949...	64,158
dollars 1949...	268,303	1944...	71,255
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	10	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	11
number 1950...	1,337	1944...	20
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	32	acres 1949...	59
1944...	36	1944...	82
number 1949...	5,534	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	2,659	1944...	4
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	43
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944...	12
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	386	bushels 1949...	1,635
dollars 1949...	191,996	1944...	297
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	302	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944...	372	1944...	53
number 1949...	1,425	acres 1949...	99
1944...	1,808	1944...	276
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	164	bushels 1949...	2,172
number 1949...	580	1944...	4,773
dollars 1949...	93,892	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	221	acres 1949...	90
number 1949...	845	bushels 1949...	2,139
dollars 1949...	26,125	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	165	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	140
1944...	230	1944...	134
number 1949...	2,258	acres 1949...	1,485
1944...	2,754	1944...	1,909
dollars 1949...	61,647	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	81
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1944...	102
1944...	16	acres 1949...	1,087
number 1949...	549	1944...	1,382
1944...	496	bushels 1949...	22,722
dollars 1949...	8,284	1944...	25,605
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	23	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	24
number 1949...	34	acres 1949...	86
dollars 1949...	2,048	tons 1949...	114
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	353	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	150	acres 1949...	7
number 1949...	191	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	86	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	53
1944...	79	acres 1949...	305
number 1949...	100	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944...	116	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	471
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	77	acres 1949...	5,235
1944...	23	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
number 1949...	91	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	101
1944...	27	1944...	113
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	304	acres 1949...	640
1944...	481	1944...	629
number 1949...	593	tons 1949...	1,353
1944...	916	1944...	1,238
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	43		
dollars 1949...	3,189		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,155	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	210
.....1945...	2,444	.....1945...	272
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	291,640	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	16
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	55.1	.....1945...	21
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	140,443	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	194
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,654	.....1945...	251
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,526	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	382
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,737	.....1945...	444
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	160,856	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	411
.....1945...	175,427	.....1945...	491
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	74.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	296
.....1945...	71.2	.....1945...	317
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*...	5,660	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	350
.....1945...	2,945	.....1945...	379
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*...	76.29	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	240
.....1945...	41.03	.....1945...	244
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	110
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,898	.....1945...	123
.....1944...	2,269	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	57
.....acres 1949...	28,506	.....1945...	70
.....1944...	33,795	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	39
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	996	.....1945...	45
.....1944...	1,211	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	51
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	459	.....1945...	48
.....1944...	504	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	208	.....1945...	9
.....1944...	254	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	138	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	188	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	83	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	94	White operators.....number 1950...	2,143
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....1945...	2,433
.....1944...	16	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	12
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	11
.....1944...	2	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	675	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,734
.....1944...	498	.....1945...	1,966
.....acres 1949...	13,274	Part owners.....number 1950...	215
.....1944...	12,932	.....1945...	101
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	4
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	883	.....1945...	5
.....acres 1949...	13,244	All tenants.....number 1950...	202
.....1944...	6,965	.....1945...	372
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,059	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	9.4
.....1944...	846	.....1945...	15.2
.....acres 1949...	27,978	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	69
.....1944...	19,122	.....1945...	125
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	882	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	1,184	.....1945...	3
.....acres 1949...	23,875	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	102
.....1944...	26,984	.....1945...	48
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	10
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,172	.....1945...	69
.....1944...	2,055	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	142
.....acres 1949...	38,632	.....1945...	34
.....1944...	64,514	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	35
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,975	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	35
.....1944...	2,114	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...	15,875	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	551
.....1944...	11,065	.....1945...	415
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,946
.....1944...	25	.....1945...	985
.....acres 1949...	25	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,931
.....1944...	2	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.29
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	451
.....acres 1949...	15	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	191
FARM OPERATORS		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	140
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,058	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,586
.....1945...	2,329	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	145
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	78	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....1945...	94	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	90
With other income of family exceeding value		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	11
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,408	.....number 1950...	11
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,200	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	36
.....1944...	1,114	.....number 1950...	36
.....operators reporting 1949...	989	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	41
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	990	.....number 1950...	41
.....1944...	990	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	51
	number 1950...	67
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
	number 1950...	5

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	761	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	116
.....1945.....	485	General farms.....number 1950...	141
.....number 1950.....	801	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	44
.....1945.....	524	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	22
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	411	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	75
.....1945.....	230	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,467
.....number 1950.....	487		
.....1945.....	250		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	336		
.....number 1950.....	387		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	80		
.....number 1950.....	80		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20		
.....number 1950.....	20		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,116		
.....1945.....	1,268		
.....number 1950.....	1,275		
.....1945.....	1,326		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	530		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	429		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	782		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	248		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	166		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	723
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	105	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	23
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	330	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	62
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	660	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	146
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,001	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	243
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	10	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	139
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Other farms.....number 1950...	1,437
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,135	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	491
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	165	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	940
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	545	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	5
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	125		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.1		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	640		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	940		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	505		
FARM LABOR^a		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,502,151
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,831	.....1944.....	1,507,446
.....persons 1950...	2,845	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	611,005
.....1945.....	1,816	.....1944.....	462,940
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,706	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	431,247
.....persons 1950...	641	.....1944.....	283,573
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	821	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	129,609
.....persons 1950...	221	.....1944.....	155,737
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	318	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	192,843
.....persons 1950...	318	.....1944.....	216,730
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	37,620
		.....1944.....	71,000
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,133,797
		.....1944.....	546,625
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	597,569
		.....1944.....	365,647
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	241,091
		.....1944.....	173,966
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	536,140
		.....1944.....	300,012
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	31,481
		.....1944.....	17,851
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,472
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,472
		.....1945.....	1,472
		.....number 1950.....	2,472
		.....1945.....	2,472
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	113
		.....1945.....	113
		.....number 1950.....	113
		.....1945.....	113
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,651
		.....1945.....	1,651
		.....number 1950...	12,767
		.....1945.....	11,717
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,584
		.....1945.....	1,584
		.....number 1950...	6,430
		.....1945.....	6,290
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,672
		.....number 1950...	5,351
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	891
		.....number 1950...	3,021
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	466
		.....number 1950...	1,329
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	734
		.....number 1950...	1,615
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	241
		.....1944.....	159
		.....pounds 1949...	11,458,873
		.....1944.....	7,110,808
		.....dollars 1949...	508,632
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	130
		.....1944.....	252
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	81,691
		.....1944.....	133,961
		.....dollars 1949...	43,441
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	57
		.....dollars 1949...	5,516
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,084
		.....1945.....	1,177
		.....number 1950...	5,862
		.....1945.....	1,600
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	842
		.....number 1950...	5,073
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	475
		.....number 1950...	2,739
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	308
		.....1945.....	285
		.....number 1950...	645
		.....1945.....	439

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Corn:	
1945.....	22	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,334
number 1950.....	533	1944.....	1,674
1945.....	737	acres 1949...	1,292
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	10,121
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	21	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,316
number 1950.....	522	1944.....	1,676
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	21	acres 1949...	7,905
1945 ¹	21	1944.....	9,343
number 1950.....	496	bushels 1949...	314,522
1945 ¹	541	1944.....	224,623
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	17	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	35
number 1950.....	26	acres 1949...	270
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	20	tons. green weight 1949...	2,579
number 1950.....	511	Hogged or grazed, or out	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	20	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944.....	18	acres 1949...	117
number shorn 1949.....	459	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,901	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	2,441	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949...	5
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	100
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,752	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	131
1945.....	2,074	acres 1949...	1,229
number 1950.....	85,876	1944.....	324
1945.....	90,482	bushels 1949...	23,350
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	548	1944.....	12,714
number 1949.....	68,519	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	45
dollars 1949.....	66,669	1944.....	27
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	724	acres 1949...	351
dozens 1949.....	206,103	1944.....	151
dollars 1949...	132,129	bushels 1949...	7,675
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	45	1944.....	3,230
number 1950.....	741	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	135
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	54	1944.....	434
1944.....	49	acres 1949...	486
number 1949...	6,662	1944.....	1,595
1944.....	2,105	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	3
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949...	46
miles sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,233	1944.....	25
dollars 1949...	529,147	bushels 1949...	1,329
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,672	1944.....	150
1944.....	1,166	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	4,343	1944.....	2
1944.....	5,242	acres 1949...	5
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	548	1944.....	4
number 1949...	1,939	bushels 1949...	62
dollars 1949...	249,336	1944.....	10
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	894	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	3,004	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	134,923	bushels 1949...	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	515	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	440	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	272
number 1949...	5,737	1944 ² ...	533
dollars 1949...	4,097	acres 1949...	1,097
1944.....	127,393	1944 ² ...	2,151
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	16	1944.....	6
number 1949...	520	acres 1949...	74
1944.....	443	1944.....	79
dollars 1949...	7,610	bushels 1949...	1,075
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	91	1944.....	1,470
number 1949...	146	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	246
dollars 1949...	9,835	acres 1949...	914
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	1,490
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,368	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	73	or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1949...	74	acres 1949...	35
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	26	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....	36	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1949...	26	acres 1949...	74
1944.....	45	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	47	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,332
number 1949...	39	acres 1949...	12,422
1944.....	42	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,357	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	489
1944.....	1,857	1944.....	413
number 1949...	2,583	acres 1949...	2,479
1944.....	3,881	1944.....	2,154
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		tons 1949...	4,488
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	61	1944.....	3,271
dollars 1949...	3,981		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	905	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	30
1944.....	1,033	1944.....	46
acres 1949.....	7,739	acres 1949.....	39
1944.....	7,994	1944.....	45
tons 1949.....	10,446	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	8,575	acres 1949.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	114	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	120	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	515	Galaxy.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	555	acres 1949.....	(M)
tons 1949.....	548	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	122
1944.....	429	1944.....	192
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	276
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	249	1944.....	179
1944.....	24	acres 1949.....	29
acres 1949.....	1,166	1944.....	29
1944.....	125	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	29
tons 1949.....	1,256	acres 1949.....	29
1944.....	114	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	129	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	628	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	755	1944.....	6
tons 1949.....	682	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	706	1944.....	18
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	23
acres 1949.....	21	acres 1949.....	12
tons..green weight 1949.....	124	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Field crops (other):		acres 1949.....	9
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	199
1944.....	2	1944.....	394
acres 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	161
1944.....	1	1944.....	313
bushels 1949.....	1	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	5
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	164
1944.....	11	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
acres 1949.....	11	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	34	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	142
bushels 1949.....	34	acres 1949.....	90
1944.....	7	quarts 1949.....	100,659
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	16
acres 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	64
bushels 1949.....	7	quarts 1949.....	46,612
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
bushels 1949.....		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	621
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	553
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,158	acres 1950 ²	2,491
1944.....	1,225	1945.....	3,636
acres 1949 ¹	131	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	701
1944.....	717	1945.....	1,211
bushels 1949.....	18,700	trees of all ages..number 1950...	93,639
1944.....	34,941	1945.....	143,141
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	20,056
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	489	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	63,571
1944.....	362	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	121,901
acres 1949 ¹	19	1944.....	117,780
1944.....	112	1945.....	429
bushels 1949.....	4,806	trees of all ages..number 1950...	33,802
1944.....	9,128	1945.....	45,184
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	520	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	11,589
1944.....	436	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	22,243
acres 1949.....	476	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	9,100
1944.....	514	1944.....	21,911
pounds 1949.....	643,120	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	248
1944.....	534,999	1945.....	469
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	14	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,783
acres 1949.....	10	1945.....	3,441
gallons 1949.....	1,059	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	689
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	36	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,094
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	965
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	84	1944.....	4,997
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	226
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,668
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	600
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,085
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,584
1944.....		1944.....	99
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	706
than Irish and sweet potatoe:.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,810	trees of all ages..number 1950...	163
1944.....	2,767	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	541
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	257	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,832
1944.....	453	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	174
acres 1949.....	951	1945.....	198
1944.....	1,438	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,444
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	129,605	1945.....	2,255
acres 1949.....	155,737	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,034
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,410
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,653
acres 1949.....		1944.....	1,019
1944.....		1945.....	278
acres 1949.....		1945.....	506
1944.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	4,154
acres 1949.....		1945.....	12,432
1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,159
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	9	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,995
acres 1949.....	7	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	11,623
1944.....	13	1944.....	53,476
Beta (table).....farms reporting 1949...	6		
acres 1949.....	6		

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950.....	3,457	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	254
.....1945.....	3,994	.....1945.....	307
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	439,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	42
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	84.2	.....1945.....	12
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	273,733	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	212
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	108,011	.....1945.....	355
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	6,794	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	391
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	16,306	.....1945.....	499
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	372,232	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	330
.....1945.....	396,912	.....1945.....	373
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	107.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	393
.....1945.....	99.4	.....1945.....	478
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A.....	12,415	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	556
.....1945.....	7,365	.....1945.....	627
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*.....	112.73	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	609
.....1945.....	74.11	.....1945.....	670
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	363
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,987	.....1945.....	411
.....1944.....	3,492	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	202
.....acres 1949.....	159,899	.....1945.....	218
.....1944.....	171,091	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	133
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	422	.....1945.....	140
.....1944.....	408	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	198
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	352	.....1945.....	191
.....1944.....	348	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	28
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	376	.....1945.....	20
.....1944.....	376	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	583	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	759	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	878	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944.....	987	White operators.....number 1950.....	3,449
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	341	.....1945.....	3,992
.....1944.....	355	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	8
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	58	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	41	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,462	Full owners.....number 1950.....	2,447
.....1944.....	1,149	.....1945.....	2,930
.....acres 1949.....	39,668	Part owners.....number 1950.....	465
.....1944.....	29,121	.....1945.....	319
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	861	Managers.....number 1950.....	23
.....1944.....	19,913	.....1945.....	18
.....acres 1949.....	5,748	All tenants.....number 1950.....	132
.....1944.....	1,088	.....1945.....	727
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,292	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	14.1
.....1944.....	22,257	.....1945.....	13.2
.....acres 1949.....	22,349	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	92
.....1944.....	1,118	.....1945.....	174
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,144	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	34
.....1944.....	21,902	.....1945.....	15
.....acres 1949.....	19,672	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	286
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	2,236	.....1945.....	432
.....1944.....	3,383	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	48
.....acres 1949.....	84,301	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	238
.....1944.....	129,196	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	110
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	3,328	.....1945.....	106
.....1944.....	3,853	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	41
.....acres 1949.....	24,292	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	69
.....1944.....	19,735	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,226
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	2,041
.....acres 1949.....	115	.....1950.....	3,341
.....1944.....	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1945.....	3,179
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....1950.....	3,341
.....acres 1949.....	105	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	8.30
FARM OPERATORS		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	2,161
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	3,153	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,060
.....1945.....	3,545	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	600
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	173	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,036
.....1945.....	398	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	995
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	1,145	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	67
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	1,584	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	841
.....1944.....	1,311	Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950.....	570
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	1,201	Grain combines.....number 1950.....	575
.....1944.....	1,029	.....number 1950.....	610
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	610
		.....number 1950.....	220
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	225
		.....number 1950.....	490
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	600
		.....number 1950.....	30
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	30
		.....number 1950.....	30

^AData for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	861	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	736
1945.....	552	General farms.....number 1950...	439
number 1950.....	997	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
1945.....	628	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	288
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,201	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	146
1945.....	1,598	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,133
number 1950.....	2,927		
1945.....	1,833		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,981	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950.....	2,486	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,342
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	401	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	39
number 1950.....	406	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	160
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	566
number 1950.....	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	708
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,961	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	590
1945.....	3,300	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	279
number 1950.....	3,816	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,115
1945.....	3,922	Part-time ².....number 1950...	610
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	505
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	689	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	140		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	430	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	525	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	11,298,352
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,673	1944.....	7,674,401
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,471,853
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		1944.....	1,361,847
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,936,710
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	155	1944.....	857,612
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,321	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	31,823
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,040	1944.....	45,098
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	885	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	196,452
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	1944.....	217,304
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	306,868
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,701	1944.....	241,633
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	235	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,797,761
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	905	1944.....	6,299,074
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	155	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,307,898
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.0	1944.....	2,490,071
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	914,092
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,506	1944.....	934,108
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,540	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,578,771
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	300	1944.....	2,872,825
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	28,738
FARM LABOR*		1944.....	15,480
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	3,016	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,136
persons 1950.....	5,327	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,098
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,955	1945.....	2,067
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,820	number 1950...	3,435
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,325	1945.....	4,907
persons 1950.....	1,795	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	54
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	456	1945.....	104
persons 1950...	722	number 1950...	104
		1945.....	191
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	3,146	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,917
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,466	1945.....	3,102
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	2,230	number 1950...	44,432
dollars 1949.....	408,940	1945.....	44,140
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,706	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,768
dollars 1949.....	1,035,814	1945 ³	2,943
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,835	number 1950...	22,005
dollars 1949.....	1,940,325	1945 ³	24,116
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,170	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,601
dollars 1949.....	1,009,835	number 1950...	18,742
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,446	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,039
dollars 1949.....	404,426	number 1950...	11,598
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,256	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,578
dollars 1949.....	585,502	number 1950...	5,544
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,615	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,631
dollars 1949.....	199,040	number 1950...	5,475
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,600	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,537
dollars 1949.....	202,665	1944.....	1,614
		pounds 1949...	79,638,063
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	73,195,297
No sales.....number 1950...	216	dollars 1949...	3,122,031
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	289	farms reporting 1949...	547
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	164	1944.....	748
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	256	pounds of butterfat 1949...	316,896
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	358	1944.....	364,406
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	338	dollars 1949...	178,887
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	363	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	35
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	456	1949.....	6,980
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	456		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	362	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	199	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	2,079
		1945.....	2,063
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		number 1950...	49,779
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	175	1945.....	35,356
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	170	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,933
Cotton.....number 1950...	5	number 1950...	24,391
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,385
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	number 1950...	25,488
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,582
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	887	1945.....	1,489
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	75	number 1950...	7,341
		1945.....	5,318

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2,171	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	2,552	1944.....	14
acres 1949.....	37,471	acres 1949.....	5
1944.....	44,303	1944.....	7
tons 1949.....	49,499	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	62,766	acres 1949.....	15
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	80	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	91	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	41
1944.....	8	1944.....	74
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	184
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1944.....	365
1944.....	2	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949.....	151	acres 1949...	13
1944.....	16	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949.....	148	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	12	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	56	1944.....	16
acres 1949.....	611	acres 1949.....	37
1944.....	267	1944.....	134
tons 1949.....	753	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	323	acres 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	324	acres 1949...	1
tons, green weight 1949.....	1,455	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Field crops Other ¹ :		1944.....	24
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	70
1944.....	5	1944.....	23
acres 1949.....		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	51	acres 1949...	6
bushels 1949.....	37	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	12
1944.....	181		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	430	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1949.....	1,890	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949.....	5,025	acres 1949...	12
1944.....	1,227	quarts 1949...	19,522
bushels 1949.....	3,437	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	19
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	221	acres 1949...	6
acres 1949.....	1,805	quarts 1949...	4,454
bushels 1949.....	4,184	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alaska clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1949.....		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,024
acres 1949.....		1945.....	877
bushels 1949.....		acres 1950 ²	1,852
Irish potatoes harvested for home		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	2,831
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	353	1945.....	761
1944.....	399	1945.....	1,715
acres 1949 ¹	174	trees of all ages..number 1950...	47,764
1944.....	310	1945.....	72,093
bushels 1949.....	50,795	trees not of bearing age..number 1949...	7,543
1944.....	20,677	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	40,190
Sweet potatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	130,401
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	59	1944.....	75,460
1944.....	20	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	597
acres 1949 ¹	3	1945.....	912
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	20,767
bushels 1949.....	403	1945.....	39,966
1944.....	166	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,627
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	14,140
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	70,572
acres 1949.....		1944.....	30,137
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	597
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	732
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,816
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	5,092
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	55
gallons 1949.....	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,332
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	15	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,377
acres 1949.....	101	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	3,397
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	1,578	1950.....	597
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,800
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,600
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,045
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	194
tons 1949.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	491
1944.....		1950.....	167
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	324
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,479	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,051
1944.....	3,347	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	216
1944.....	148	1945.....	336
acres 1949.....	329	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,079
1944.....	824	1945.....	1,711
sold..dollars 1949.....	31,823	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	500
1944.....	45,098	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	579
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	5	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	167
acres 1949.....	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	383
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	17	1945.....	374
1944.....	24	1945.....	1,009
acres 1949.....	16	vines of all ages..number 1950...	7,088
1944.....	43	1945.....	12,436
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	11	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,415
acres 1949.....	15	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,670
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	16,607
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	94,079

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,165	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	198
.....1945...	2,456	.....1945...	256
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	295,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	28
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.9	.....1945...	7
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	159,844	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	170
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	130,199	.....1945...	249
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	854	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	243
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	19,805	.....1945...	310
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	271,092	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	161
.....1945...	278,661	.....1945...	178
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	125.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	164
.....1945...	113.5	.....1945...	197
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	16,548	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	251
.....1945...	9,057	.....1945...	338
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	128.31	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	375
.....1945...	79.82	.....1945...	404
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	286
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,852	.....1945...	297
.....1944...	2,043	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	169
.....acres 1949...	155,380	.....1945...	123
.....1944...	157,953	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	118
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	171	.....1945...	169
.....1944...	185	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	170
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	155	.....1945...	23
.....1944...	141	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	18
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	97	.....1945...	3
.....1944...	119	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	237	.....1945...	
.....1944...	321	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	607	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	713	White operators.....number 1950...	2,155
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	478	.....1945...	2,436
.....1944...	478	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	10
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	107	.....1945...	20
.....1944...	85	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	663	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,270
.....1944...	600	.....1945...	1,527
.....acres 1949...	14,270	Part owners.....number 1950...	329
.....1944...	16,258	.....1945...	308
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	5
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	397	.....1945...	8
.....acres 1949...	6,741	All tenants.....number 1950...	561
.....1944...	3,128	.....1945...	613
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	900	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	25.9
.....1944...	699	.....1945...	25.0
.....acres 1949...	25,281	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	43
.....1944...	17,238	.....1945...	69
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	469	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	317	.....1945...	43
.....acres 1949...	10,581	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	395
.....1944...	5,150	.....1945...	425
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	129
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,428	.....1945...	266
.....1944...	1,898	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	80
.....acres 1949...	43,818	.....1945...	115
.....1944...	68,081	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	17
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	63
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,080	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	2,428	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,483
.....acres 1949...	15,021	.....1945...	1,434
.....1944...	10,853	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,034
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	2,002
.....1944...		.....1945...	2,034
.....acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	10,139
.....1944...		.....1945...	1,439
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	717
.....1944...		.....1945...	343
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	343
		.....1945...	1,904
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	888
		.....1945...	691
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	684
		.....1945...	691
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	679
		.....1945...	679
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	229
		.....1945...	229
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	229
		.....1945...	
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	463
		.....1945...	536
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....1945...	5
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	472	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	494
.....1945.....	297	General farms.....number 1950.....	494
.....number 1950.....	585	.....1945.....	5
.....1945.....	313	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	247
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,519	.....1945.....	242
.....1945.....	1,366	.....number 1950.....	65
.....number 1950.....	2,226	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	65
.....1945.....	1,607		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,494	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	2,096	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,700
.....1945.....	107	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	22
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	107	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	175
.....number 1950.....	22	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	504
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	23	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	553
.....number 1950.....	23	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	315
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,909	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	131
.....1945.....	2,224	Other farms.....number 1950.....	465
.....number 1950.....	2,448	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	245
.....1945.....	2,568	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	222
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	496	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,247,252
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	134	.....1944.....	5,121,826
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	333	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,801,484
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,172	.....1944.....	1,807,085
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,717,746
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	225	.....1944.....	1,710,494
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,046	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	46,933
.....1945.....	623	.....1944.....	60,560
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	190	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	24,339
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	4	.....1944.....	30,146
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	12,415
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	9,855
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,377	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,111,922
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	120	.....1944.....	5,331,405
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	261	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,265,888
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	.....1944.....	1,998,434
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.3	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	677,072
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	601,065
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,532	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,566,082
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	497	.....1944.....	2,793,867
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,785
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	20,375
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,324	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	480
.....persons 1950.....	3,225	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	454
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,808	.....1945.....	1,178
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,748	.....number 1950.....	980
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	812	.....1945.....	3,721
.....persons 1950.....	1,155	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	36
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	249	.....1945.....	81
.....persons 1950.....	322	.....number 1950.....	72
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	153
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,969	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,664	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,876
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,452	.....1945.....	2,121
dollars 1949.....	289,138	.....number 1950.....	29,293
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,139	.....1945.....	30,049
dollars 1949.....	473,524	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,807
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,773	.....1945.....	3,081
dollars 1949.....	1,231,682	.....number 1950.....	14,214
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,473	.....1945.....	16,625
dollars 1949.....	783,681	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,736
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,588	.....number 1950.....	13,076
dollars 1949.....	292,935	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,307
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,584	.....number 1950.....	7,948
dollars 1949.....	586,133	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	932
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,284	.....number 1950.....	3,358
dollars 1949.....	191,410	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,115
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,269	.....number 1950.....	3,768
dollars 1949.....	204,048	.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,287
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	1,511
No sales.....number 1950.....	18	pounds 1949.....	59,937,893
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	204	.....1944.....	58,133,265
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	82	dollars 1949.....	2,130,684
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	102	.....farms reporting 1949.....	278
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	117	.....1944.....	380
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	153	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	170,303
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	235	.....1944.....	258,538
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	371	dollars 1949.....	98,654
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	336	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	350	.....dollars 1949.....	130
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	197	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,341
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	306	.....1945.....	1,503
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	306	.....number 1950.....	2,851
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	37,523
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,283
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	6	.....number 1950.....	20,493
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	813
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	441	.....number 1950.....	23,256
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	44	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,115
	1945.....	1,198
	number 1950.....	7,125
	1945.....	6,682

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Item	County total	Item	
*SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con-		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	893	Cabbage.....farms rep	
1944.....	1,283	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms rep	
acres 1949...	16,449	Carrots.....farms rep	
1944.....	22,402	Celery.....farms rep	
tons 1949...	20,921	Sweet corn.....farms rep	
1944.....	31,355	Cucumbers.....farms rep	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Dry onions.....farms rep	
1944.....	39	Green peas.....farms rep	
acres 1949...	39	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms rep	
1944.....	44	Spinach.....farms rep	
tons 1949...	44	Tomatoes.....farms rep	
1944.....	432	Watermelons.....farms rep	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		Other vegetables.....	
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	50	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	358	Strawberries.....farms rep	
acres 1949...	358	Raspberries (same).....farms rep	
1944.....	432	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	432	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, grc	
1944.....	52	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms rep	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	52	Apples.....farms rep	
acres 1949...	535	trees of all ages..	
1944.....	111	trees not of bearing age..	
tons 1949...	692	trees of bearing age..	
1944.....	104	quantity harvested..b	
tons 1949...	31	Peaches.....farms rep	
1944.....	441	trees of all ages..	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1,780	trees not of bearing age..	
acres 1949...	1,780	trees of bearing age..	
1944.....		quantity harvested..b	
Field crops (other):		Pears.....farms rep	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..	
1944.....	74	trees not of bearing age..	
acres 1949...	12	trees of bearing age..	
1944.....	759	quantity harvested..b	
bushels 1949...	8	Sour cherries.....farms rep	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	600	trees of all ages..	
1944.....	26	trees not of bearing age..	
acres 1949...	205	trees of bearing age..	
1944.....	299	quantity harvested..b	
bushels 1949...	2,988	Sweet cherries.....farms rep	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,278	trees of all ages..	
1944.....	42	trees not of bearing age..	
acres 1949...	367	trees of bearing age..	
1944.....	816	quantity harvested..b	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Plums and prunes.....farms rep	
acres 1949...	21	trees of all ages..	
bushels 1949...	54	trees not of bearing age..	
Irish potatoes harvested for home		trees of bearing age..	
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	151	quantity harvested..b	
1944.....	77	Grapes.....farms rep	
acres 1949 ¹ ...	40	vines of all ages..	
1944.....	152	vines not of bearing age..	
bushels 1949...	9,769	vines of bearing age..	
1944.....	18,023	quantity harvested..b	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home			
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	39		
1944.....			
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)		
1944.....			
bushels 1949...	96		
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...			
1944.....			
acres 1949...			
1944.....			
pounds 1949...			
1944.....			
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
acres 1949...	(*)		
gallons 1949...	13		
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20		
acres 1949...	10		
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	252		
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	3		
1944.....	3		
acres 1949...	62		
1944.....	562		
tons 1949...			
1944.....			
Vegetables harvested for home use (other			
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,418		
1944.....	1,733		
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	70		
1944.....	112		
acres 1949...	666		
1944.....	1,150		
sold..dollars 1949...	46,938		
1944.....	60,560		
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
acres 1949...	1		
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	7		
1944.....	3		
acres 1949...	19		
1944.....	1		
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	3		
acres 1949...	1		
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1		
acres 1949...	1		

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,875	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	302
1945.....	3,179	1945.....	391
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	316,800	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	40
1945.....	73.9	1945.....	19
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	185,010	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	262
1945.....	55,854	1945.....	372
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	185,010	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	586
1945.....	55,854	1945.....	612
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,848	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	351
1945.....	10,582	1945.....	400
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	234,130	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	385
1945.....	247,724	1945.....	402
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	81.4	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	396
1945.....	77.9	1945.....	447
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	14,772	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	350
1945.....	8,552	1945.....	422
average per acre, dollars 1950*	185.59	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	205
1945.....	109.75	1945.....	218
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	118
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,667	1945.....	122
1944.....	3,020	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	72
acres 1949.....	120,970	1945.....	63
1944.....	135,776	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	102
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	598	1945.....	94
1944.....	689	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	6
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	406	1945.....	7
1944.....	388	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	299	1945.....	1
1944.....	322		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	447	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	589	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	606	White operators.....number 1950...	2,861
1944.....	717	1945.....	3,155
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	281	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	14
1944.....	275	1945.....	24
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	40	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,114
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,177	1945.....	2,196
1944.....	592	Part owners.....number 1950...	502
acres 1949.....	20,130	1945.....	492
1944.....	9,627	Managers.....number 1950...	21
Cropland not harvested and not		1945.....	26
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,204	All tenants.....number 1950...	238
1944.....	17,430	1945.....	465
1944.....	9,971	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	8.3
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	806	1945.....	14.6
1944.....	911	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	109
acres 1949.....	15,754	1945.....	340
1944.....	19,409	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	25
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	878	1945.....	11
1944.....	646	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	45
acres 1949.....	14,598	1945.....	106
1944.....	8,374	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	11
Other pasture (not cropland and		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	34
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,030	1945.....	59
1944.....	1,740	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
acres 1949.....	27,314	1945.....	24
1944.....	48,431	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	35
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,713	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	3,137	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,072
acres 1949.....	17,934	1945.....	1,986
1944.....	16,136	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,749
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	26	1945.....	2,917
1944.....	51	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,749
acres 1949.....	289	1945.....	9,20
1944.....	543	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	2,177
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	26	1945.....	932
acres 1949.....	289	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	647
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	2,564
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	723
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	797
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	612
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	612
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	337
		number 1950...	337
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	265
		number 1950...	265
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	683
		number 1950...	774
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,118	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	152
.....1945.....	856	General farms.....number 1950...	203
.....number 1950.....	1,396	.....1945.....	52
.....1945.....	946	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	71
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,249	.....1945.....	71
.....1945.....	2,116	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	50
.....number 1950.....	3,360	.....1945.....	1,233
.....1945.....	2,532	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	2,030		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	2,781	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	452	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,724
.....1945.....	483	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	51
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	146
.....number 1950.....	96	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	431
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,457	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	501
.....number 1950.....	2,895	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	397
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,418	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	123
.....1945.....	3,618	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,151
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ².....number 1950...	521
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	469	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	624
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	6
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	109	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	565	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,719,742
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,682	.....1944.....	8,492,916
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	3,166,692
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	3,755,206
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	76	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,842,846
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,184	.....1944.....	1,197,425
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,204	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	371,319
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	344	.....1944.....	649,573
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	399,332
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	539,277
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,078	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,352,671
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	35	.....1944.....	1,368,925
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	200	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,538,898
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	68	.....1944.....	4,730,853
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.4	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,182,597
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	2,856,631
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	2,040	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	870,050
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	635	.....1944.....	989,013
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,486,231
FARM LABOR^a		.....1944.....	855,129
Week preceding enumeration:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	14,152
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,379	.....1944.....	6,827
.....persons 1950.....	4,086	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,332	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	618
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,267	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	611
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	858	.....1945.....	1,515
.....persons 1950.....	1,185	.....number 1950.....	1,737
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	380	.....1945.....	3,434
.....persons 1950.....	634	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	19
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....1945.....	29
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,695	.....number 1950...	34
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,115	.....1945.....	77
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,780	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1949...	329,059	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,653
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,290	.....1945.....	2,234
.....dollars 1949...	1,542,149	.....number 1950...	24,461
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,089	.....1945.....	28,555
.....dollars 1949...	1,380,657	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,603
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,622	.....1945 ³	2,109
.....dollars 1949...	754,158	.....number 1950...	12,679
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,083	.....1945 ³	16,963
.....dollars 1949...	349,841	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,731
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,189	.....number 1950...	13,419
.....dollars 1949...	651,183	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,236
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,656	.....number 1950...	6,042
.....dollars 1949...	274,516	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	814
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,435	.....number 1950...	2,024
.....dollars 1949...	203,029	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	939
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	2,516
No sales.....number 1950...	270	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	929
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	359	.....1944.....	1,161
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	192	.....pounds 1949...	80,194,582
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	172	.....1944.....	87,914,274
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	226	.....dollars 1949...	3,130,091
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	221	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	130
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	305	.....1944.....	114
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	351	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	63,553
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	288	.....1944.....	71,531
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	293	.....dollars 1949...	37,674
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	198	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	57
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....dollars 1949...	6,832
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	229	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	223	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	945
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,039
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	6	.....number 1950...	11,921
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	82	.....1945.....	10,721
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	85	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	815
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	796	.....number 1950...	6,390
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	95	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	479
		.....number 1950...	2,531
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	539
		.....1945.....	560
		.....number 1950...	1,545
		.....1945.....	1,427

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.

²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	244	Corn:	
1945.....	337	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,049
number 1950...	7,513	1944.....	2,302
1945.....	8,821	acres 1949...	28,015
1944.....		1944.....	32,802
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,992
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	238	1944.....	2,251
number 1950...	5,179	acres 1949...	23,049
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	236	1944.....	26,865
1945 ¹ ...	287	bushels 1949...	1,129,707
number 1950...	4,547	1944.....	983,889
1945 ¹ ...	6,806	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	464
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	147	acres 1949...	4,270
number 1950...	632	tons green weight 1949...	34,411
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	149	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950...	2,334	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	131
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	208	acres 1949...	696
1944.....	283		
number shorn 1949...	4,841	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	38,610	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	57,452	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr 15-Apr 28	acres 1949...	65
		bushels 1949...	561
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,599
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,005	acres 1949...	20,555
1945.....	2,450	1944.....	22,948
number 1950...	167,512	bushels 1949...	517,687
1945.....	225,268	1944.....	602,181
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	867	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,396
number 1949...	169,683	1944.....	1,667
dollars 1949...	224,954	acres 1949...	16,377
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,148	1944.....	17,526
dozens 1949...	1,085,663	bushels 1949...	410,327
dollars 1949...	504,504	1944.....	571,939
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	35	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	22
number 1950...	2,207	1944.....	16
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	83	acres 1949...	118
1944.....	64	1944.....	66
number 1949...	16,766		
1944.....	12,951	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
		1944.....	26
		acres 1949...	44
		1944.....	131
		bushels 1949...	875
		1944.....	3,999
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	67
		1944.....	90
		acres 1949...	283
		1944.....	468
		bushels 1949...	5,113
		1944.....	9,552
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
		acres 1949...	176
		bushels 1949...	3,656
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,292
		1944 ² ...	1,456
		acres 1949...	21,377
		1944 ² ...	19,026
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,145
		1944.....	1,134
		acres 1949...	17,834
		1944.....	15,294
		bushels 1949...	376,014
		1944.....	274,652
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	255
		acres 1949...	1,229
		tons 1949...	1,650
		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
		or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	19
		acres 1949...	105
		Soybeans plowed under for	
		green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	73
		acres 1949...	2,209
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,626
		acres 1949...	26,431
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
		for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	265
		1944.....	257
		acres 1949...	2,414
		1944.....	2,030
		tons 1949...	4,680
		1944.....	3,990
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or			
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,652		
dollars 1949...	1,452,730		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,440		
1944.....	1,554		
number 1949...	11,653		
1944.....	11,413		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	880		
number 1949...	3,894		
dollars 1949...	699,136		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,243		
number 1949...	7,759		
dollars 1949...	208,793		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	752		
1944.....	813		
number 1949...	13,132		
1944.....	13,412		
dollars 1949...	462,912		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	191		
1944.....	218		
number 1949...	3,469		
1944.....	5,409		
dollars 1949...	56,270		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	86		
number 1949...	178		
dollars 1949...	25,619		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,050		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	484		
number 1949...	617		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	365		
1944.....	360		
number 1949...	398		
1944.....	399		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	163		
1944.....	79		
number 1949...	219		
1944.....	108		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	885		
1944.....	1,059		
number 1949...	1,752		
1944.....	2,075		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	120		
dollars 1949...	9,827		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,536	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	165
1944.....	1,949	1944.....	155
acres 1949...	22,944	acres 1949...	172
1944.....	28,798	1944.....	231
tons 1949...	30,977	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	91
1944.....	43,442	1944.....	74
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949...	47
1944.....	3	1944.....	41
acres 1949...	26	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	68	1949.....	7
tons 1949...	40	1944.....	235
1944.....	71	acres 1949...	257
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		1944.....	551
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	235
1944.....	2	1949.....	257
acres 1949...	52	1944.....	551
1944.....	5	acres 1949...	147
tons 1949...	39	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	5	1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	53	1944.....	
acres 1949...	576	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	278	1949.....	8
tons 1949...	759	1944.....	42
1944.....	382	acres 1949...	75
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	54	1944.....	34
acres 1949...	740	1949.....	51
tons..green weight 1949...	3,778	1944.....	140
Field crops (other):		acres 1949...	255
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	140
1944.....	21	1949.....	255
acres 1949...	27	1944.....	
1944.....	192	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	38
bushels 1949...	35	1949.....	59
1944.....	136	acres 1949...	214
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	141	1944.....	352
1944.....	283	acres 1949...	355
acres 1949...	1,332	1944.....	565
1944.....	2,758	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	34
bushels 1949...	934	1949.....	3
1944.....	1,920	acres 1949...	222
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	114	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	887	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	155
bushels 1949...	3,042	1949.....	71
Alaika clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1949...	118,345
acres 1949...	45	quarts 1949...	105
bushels 1949...	63	1944.....	34
Irish potatoes harvested for home		acres 1949...	75,545
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	509	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	1,012	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949 ¹ ...	802	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,452
1944.....	2,148	1945.....	1,524
bushels 1949...	181,167	acres 1950 ² ...	4,324
1944.....	213,847	1945.....	5,558
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,234
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	50	1945.....	1,375
1944.....	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	87,627
acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	1945.....	135,822
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	11,134
bushels 1949...	393	1950.....	76,433
1944.....	79	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	215,707
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	219,544
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	554
acres 1949.....		1944.....	763
1944.....		1945.....	42,722
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	54,822
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	10,675
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		1950.....	32,044
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	35,543
1944.....		1949.....	42,522
gallons 1949.....		1944.....	
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	655
acres 1949.....	113	1945.....	522
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	1,443	trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,111
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	6,348
1944.....		1945.....	1,121
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,223
1944.....		1950.....	4,855
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5,452
1944.....		1944.....	427
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	3,154
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,104	1950.....	822
1944.....	2,689	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,224
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	327	1950.....	44,727
1944.....	485	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	42
acres 1949.....	2,337	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	1,827
1944.....	3,129	1950.....	35
sold..dollars 1949...	571,329	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,425
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	58	1950.....	30,725
acres 1949...	61	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	42
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	140	1945.....	64
1944.....	170	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,112
acres 1949...	250	1945.....	2,785
1944.....	235	1945.....	2,825
tons 1949...	63	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,225
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	40	1950.....	5,425
acres 1949...	42	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5,425
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	29	1944.....	52
acres 1949...	29	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	531,022
		1945.....	1,022,425
		vines of all ages..number 1950...	26,255
		1950.....	1,987,722
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,425,525
		1949.....	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		1944.....	

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,042	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	456
.....1945...	2,237	.....1945...	466
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	219,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	46
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	55.3	.....1945...	18
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	77,654	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	410
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	49,312	.....1945...	448
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,137	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	478
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,795	.....1945...	498
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	121,288	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	287
.....1945...	132,745	.....1945...	349
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	59.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	187
.....1945...	59.3	.....1945...	210
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	20,648	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	238
.....1945...	9,962	.....1945...	287
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	339.16	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	178
.....1945...	167.88	.....1945...	200
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	92
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,787	.....1945...	101
.....1944...	2,072	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	55
.....acres 1949...	88,487	.....1945...	67
.....1944...	97,092	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	36
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	527	.....1945...	23
.....1944...	632	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	25
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	228	.....1945...	29
.....1944...	260	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	156	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	190	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	253	.....1945...	3
.....1944...	289		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	363	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	423	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	209	White operators.....number 1950...	1,951
.....1944...	238	.....1945...	2,214
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	51	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	91
.....1944...	40	.....1945...	23
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	461	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	297	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,372
.....acres 1949...	3,838	.....1945...	1,277
.....1944...	2,429	Part owners.....number 1950...	395
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	388
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	493	Managers.....number 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...	4,697	.....1945...	13
.....1944...	5,358	All tenants.....number 1950...	265
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	260	.....1945...	559
.....acres 1949...	313	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.0
.....1944...	2,877	.....1945...	25.0
.....1944...	4,213	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	99
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	515	.....1945...	532
.....acres 1949...	4,662	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	19
.....1944...	5,310	.....1945...	90
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	196
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	151	.....1945...	63
.....1944...	352	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	27
.....acres 1949...	1,790	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	41
.....1944...	3,728	.....1945...	12
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	11
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,924	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	30
.....1944...	2,210		
.....acres 1949...	12,963	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	14,615	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,222
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1945...	1,034
.....acres 1949...	8	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,973
.....1944...	31	.....1945...	1,985
.....acres 1949...	34	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,973
.....1944...	8	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.91
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,395
.....acres 1949...	31	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	564
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	495
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,801
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	505
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	31
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	86
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	351
		.....number 1950...	362
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	228
		.....number 1950...	229
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	52
		.....number 1950...	53
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	87
		.....number 1950...	103
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,891		
.....1945...	2,080		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	91		
.....1945...	151		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	881		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,076		
.....1944...	1,009		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	888		
.....1944...	879		

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	811	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	106
.....farms reporting 1945.....	797	General farms.....number 1950...	227
.....number 1950.....	945	.....number 1945.....	90
.....number 1945.....	953	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	26
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,457	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	98
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,436	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	111
.....number 1950.....	2,127	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	962
.....number 1945.....	1,895		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,310	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,761	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,169
.....number 1950.....	284	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	38
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	319	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	102
.....farms reporting 1945.....	45	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	309
.....number 1950.....	47	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	331
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,718	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	273
.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,002	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	111
.....number 1950.....	2,296	Other farms.....number 1950.....	873
.....number 1945.....	2,627	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	348
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	524
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	458	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	55		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	65	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	223	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,533,938
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,241	.....dollars 1944.....	6,485,443
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	6,436,904
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....dollars 1944.....	4,830,199
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,766,641
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	146	.....dollars 1944.....	2,311,936
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	898	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,181,134
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	612	.....dollars 1944.....	1,327,633
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	322	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	211,523
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	.....dollars 1944.....	275,181
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,277,601
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,581	.....dollars 1944.....	1,016,039
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	55	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,095,409
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	.....dollars 1944.....	1,651,477
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	361,763
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.2	.....dollars 1944.....	464,646
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	588,636
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,783	.....dollars 1944.....	401,111
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	130	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,154,955
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	.....dollars 1944.....	787,223
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,675
FARM LABOR*		.....dollars 1944.....	1,767
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,398	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	234
.....persons 1950.....	2,528	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	270
.....persons 1945.....	1,381	.....farms reporting 1945.....	672
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,381	.....number 1950.....	597
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,306	.....number 1945.....	1,341
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	446	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	31
.....persons 1950.....	691	.....farms reporting 1945.....	24
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	168	.....number 1950.....	50
.....persons 1950.....	531	.....number 1945.....	75
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	847
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,743	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,182
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,303	.....number 1950.....	5,522
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	1,080	.....number 1945.....	7,542
.....dollars 1949.....	176,581	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	761
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	838	.....farms reporting 1945 ³	1,101
.....dollars 1949.....	1,223,610	.....number 1950.....	2,431
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,159	.....number 1945 ³	4,162
.....dollars 1949.....	727,992	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	723
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	953	.....number 1950.....	2,424
.....dollars 1949.....	373,758	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	142
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,352	.....number 1950.....	97
.....dollars 1949.....	356,484	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	260
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,392	.....number 1950.....	1,474
.....dollars 1949.....	421,377	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	260
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,095	.....number 1950.....	520
.....dollars 1949.....	146,966	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	235
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	875	.....farms reporting 1944.....	460
.....dollars 1949.....	147,035	.....pounds 1949.....	8,765,641
		.....pounds 1944.....	14,282,597
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	13
No sales.....number 1950.....	200	.....farms reporting 1944.....	13
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	324	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	46,272
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	85	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	59,773
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	135	.....dollars 1949.....	26,780
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	196	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	120	.....dollars 1949.....	1,075
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	201		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	235	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	205	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	757
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	200	.....farms reporting 1945.....	864
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	141	.....number 1950.....	13,631
		.....number 1945.....	13,608
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	622
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	426	.....number 1950.....	6,456
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	408	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	336
Cotton.....number 1950.....	18	.....number 1950.....	6,177
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	18	.....number 1945.....	503
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	175	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	444
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	9	.....farms reporting 1945.....	503
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	44	.....number 1950.....	1,828
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	93	.....number 1945.....	1,666

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Corn:	
1945.....	83	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,387
number 1950.....	1,081	1944.....	1,592
1945.....	1,081	acres 1949.....	24,753
1944.....		1944.....	27,198
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,347
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	46	1944.....	1,582
number 1950.....	792	acres 1949.....	23,792
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	46	1944.....	26,810
1945.....	62	bushels 1949.....	1,218,587
number 1950.....	675	1944.....	1,240,645
1945.....	695	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	43
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	26	acres 1949.....	394
number 1950.....	117	tons, green weight 1949...	3,970
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	289	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	109
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	47	acres 1949...	567
1944.....	61		
number shorn 1949.....	567	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,064	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	6,869	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949...	179
		bushels 1949...	5,936
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	909
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,288	acres 1949...	16,473
1945.....	1,599	1944.....	14,453
number 1950.....	90,502	bushels 1949...	495,013
1945.....	125,424	1944.....	429,814
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	575	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	806
number 1949...	138,885	1944.....	859
dollars 1949...	170,395	acres 1949...	11,134
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	725	1944.....	10,075
dozens 1949...	656,613	bushels 1949...	448,107
dollars 1949...	276,891	1944.....	352,956
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	21	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1950...	2,097	1944.....	23
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	33	acres 1949...	54
1944.....	20	1944.....	93
number 1949...	17,069	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	5,185	1944.....	37
		acres 1949...	39
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	208
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		bushels 1949...	851
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	862	1944.....	5,437
dollars 1949...	1,096,002	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	76
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	578	1944.....	126
1944.....	749	acres 1949...	487
number 1949...	3,393	1944.....	682
1944.....	3,712	bushels 1949...	6,402
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	332	1944.....	12,661
number 1949...	2,187	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	38
dollars 1949...	430,839	acres 1949...	346
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	421	bushels 1949...	5,380
number 1949...	1,206		
dollars 1949...	56,702	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	622	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	779
1944.....	747	1944.....	940
number 1949...	16,143	acres 1949...	14,585
1944.....	18,686	1944.....	18,682
dollars 1949...	591,987	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	725
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	42	1944.....	865
1944.....	39	acres 1949...	13,899
number 1949...	447	1944.....	17,639
1944.....	350	bushels 1949...	311,608
dollars 1949...	7,768	1944.....	406,379
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	22	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28
number 1949...	63	acres 1949...	126
dollars 1949...	8,706	tons 1949...	184
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	651	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	246	acres 1949...	21
number 1949...	317	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	197	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	52
1944.....	238	acres 1949...	539
number 1949...	236	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	306	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	695
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	62	acres 1949...	8,451
1944.....	54	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
number 1949...	81	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	498
1944.....	151	1944.....	583
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	580	acres 1949...	6,041
1944.....	825	1944.....	5,637
number 1949...	1,155	tons 1949...	13,493
1944.....	2,474	1944.....	12,572
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	104		
dollars 1949...	7,382		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.	249	Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Olover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	425	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	120
1944.....	2,284	1944.....	213
acres 1949...	2,284	acres 1949...	513
1944.....	3,813	1944.....	779
tons 1949...	3,258	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	115
1944.....	5,399	acres 1949...	175
Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944.....	7	acres 1949...	26
acres 1949...	7	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	4	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	4	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	203
1944.....	5	1944.....	292
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	5	acres 1949...	988
small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944.....	1,152
1944.....	48	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	103
acres 1949...	33	acres 1949...	217
1944.....	75	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	25
tons 1949...	32	acres 1949...	72
1944.....	22	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Other hay out.....farms reporting 1949...	22	acres 1949...	46
acres 1949...	132	acres 1949...	119
1944.....	252	1944.....	448
tons 1949...	181	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	107
1944.....	272	acres 1949...	300
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	21
acres 1949...	37	acres 1949...	61
tons..green weight 1949...	135	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	440
Field crops (other):		1944.....	539
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	acres 1949...	3,379
1944.....	35	1944.....	3,538
acres 1949...	67	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	262	acres 1949...	20
bushels 1949...	78	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	569
1944.....	322	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	47	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	119
1944.....	93	acres 1949...	73
acres 1949...	614	quarts 1949...	122,499
1944.....	865	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	70
bushels 1949...	347	acres 1949...	47
1944.....	600	quarts 1949...	35,212
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	9	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
bushels 1949...	11	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	845
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1945.....	647
acres 1949...	263	acres 1950 ² ...	1,263
bushels 1949...	336	1945.....	2,044
Irish potatoes harvested for home	365	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	748
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1944...	668	1945.....	502
acres 1949 ¹ ...	1,035	trees of all ages..number 1950...	32,463
1944.....	2,378	1945.....	49,809
bushels 1949...	183,717	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,192
1944.....	217,377	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	27,271
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home	11	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	97,255
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	91,924
1944.....	4	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	324
acres 1949 ¹ ...	8	1945.....	160
1944.....	773	trees of all ages..number 1950...	18,668
bushels 1949...	586	1945.....	18,620
1944.....	586	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,968
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	13,700
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12,268
acres 1949...	.....	1944.....	17,466
1944.....	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	445
pounds 1949...	.....	1945.....	215
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,641
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	1,320
acres 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	420
gallons 1949...	162	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,231
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	30	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,869
acres 1949...	114	1944.....	2,273
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	1,491	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	351
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	120	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,683
1944.....	118	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	590
acres 1949...	2,004	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,095
1944.....	1,081	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	208,601
tons 1949...	19,846	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	179
1944.....	11,176	trees of all ages..number 1950...	647
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	247
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,402	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	400
1944.....	1,903	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,641
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	519	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	270
1944.....	811	1945.....	157
acres 1949...	6,698	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,251
1944.....	8,645	1945.....	3,215
acres 1949...	1,181,134	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	578
1944.....	1,227,063	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,199
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	37	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	860
acres 1949...	63	1944.....	860
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	79	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	385
1944.....	131	1945.....	311
acres 1949...	147	vines of all ages..number 1950...	97,345
1944.....	248	1945.....	90,884
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	36	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,888
acres 1949...	24	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	91,437
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	31	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	287,661
acres 1949...	23	1944.....	474,566

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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This release presents figures from the 1950 Census of Agriculture, together with available comparative data from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. The figures from the 1950 Census are preliminary and are subject to revision. A similar report will be released for every county in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the counties in the State. After that, final figures for this county and for other counties in the State will be published in a State Report.

Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,344	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	86
.....1945...	1,534	.....1945...	127
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	296,960	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	93.6	.....1945...	7
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	123,177	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	79
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	151,460	.....1945...	120
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	29,121	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	109
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,715	.....1945...	140
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	278,043	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	43
.....1945...	293,252	.....1945...	57
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	206.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	77
.....1945...	191.2	.....1945...	98
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	35,517	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	101
.....1945...	17,074	.....1945...	132
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	158.85	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	189
.....1945...	89.31	.....1945...	206
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	158
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,218	.....1945...	182
.....1944...	1,331	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	135
.....acres 1949...	186,159	.....1945...	136
.....1944...	192,423	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	114
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	73	.....1945...	100
.....1944...	72	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	251
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	.....1945...	275
.....1944...	49	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	68
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	26	.....1945...	69
.....1944...	44	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	13
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	96	.....1945...	12
.....1944...	124		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	273	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	330	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	442	White operators.....number 1950...	1,332
.....1944...	447	.....1945...	1,518
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	257	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	12
.....1944...	265	.....1945...	16
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	731	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	621	Full owners.....number 1950...	610
.....acres 1949...	27,696	.....1945...	729
.....1944...	22,560	Part owners.....number 1950...	203
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	173
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	167	Managers.....number 1950...	22
.....1944...	4,860	.....1945...	30
.....1944...	1,613	All tenants.....number 1950...	509
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	426	.....1945...	602
.....1944...	317	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	37.9
.....acres 1949...	10,373	.....1945...	39.2
.....1944...	7,442	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	84
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	223	.....1945...	148
.....1944...	182	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	107
.....acres 1949...	3,329	.....1945...	14
.....1944...	2,313	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	291
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	340
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	767	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	52
.....1944...	1,270	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	239
.....acres 1949...	34,080	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	27
.....1944...	56,861	.....1945...	100
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	2
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,291	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	25
.....1944...	1,506		
.....acres 1949...	11,546	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	10,040	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,038
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	906
.....1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,201
.....acres 1949...		.....1945...	1,137
.....1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,200
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.49
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	849
.....1944...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	470
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	302
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,123
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	577
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	58
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	223
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	561
		.....number 1950...	631
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	584
		.....number 1950...	614
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	193
		.....number 1950...	196
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	241
		.....number 1950...	317
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,225		
.....1945...	1,415		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	68		
.....1945...	115		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	206		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	418		
.....1944...	275		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	207		
.....1944...	171		

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	575	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	54
.....1945.....	420	General farms.....number 1950...	250
.....number 1950.....	669	.....1945.....	1
.....1945.....	480	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	7
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	76
.....1945.....	1,044	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	176
.....number 1950.....	2,007	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	155
.....1945.....	1,447		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,061	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,856	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,129
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	123	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	54
.....number 1950.....	128	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	64
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	312
.....number 1950.....	23	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	240
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,111	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	104
.....1945.....	1,275	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	44
.....number 1950.....	1,550	Other farms.....number 1950...	155
.....1945.....	1,595	Part-time ².....number 1950...	56
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	53
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	193	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	6
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	25	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	46	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,400,996
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	326	.....1944.....	8,740,421
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	754	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,464,817
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....1944.....	2,559,342
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,351,451
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	45	.....1944.....	2,442,533
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	463	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	76,664
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	528	.....1944.....	71,425
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	234	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,750
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944.....	2,947
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	30,467
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	812	.....1944.....	22,216
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	75	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,950,760
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	150	.....1944.....	6,191,759
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,139,579
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.4	.....1944.....	930,545
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	424,754
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	942	.....1944.....	377,323
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	302	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	6,366,477
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	10	.....1944.....	4,877,625
FARM LABOR⁵		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,379
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	9,100
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,221	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	2,332	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	450
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,156	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	443
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,101	.....1945.....	550
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	378	.....number 1950.....	1,113
.....persons 1950.....	455	.....1945.....	7,171
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	391	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	20
.....persons 1950.....	776	.....1945.....	8
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁶		.....number 1950.....	64
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,286	.....1945.....	16
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,126	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCE⁷	
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	903	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,190
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	262,942	.....1945.....	1,124
.....farms reporting 1949...	951	.....number 1950...	26,680
.....dollars 1949.....	1,151,246	.....1945.....	27,415
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,200	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,415
.....dollars 1949.....	1,491,654	.....1945.....	1,311
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	964	.....number 1950...	12,490
.....dollars 1949.....	853,722	.....1945.....	11,420
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	933	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,048
.....dollars 1949.....	261,273	.....number 1950...	7,611
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,106	.....number 1950...	38
.....dollars 1949.....	683,651	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	6,645
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	916	.....number 1950...	60
.....dollars 1949.....	273,394	Steads and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,746
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	931	.....number 1950...	77
.....dollars 1949.....	249,935	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,340
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	59
No sales.....number 1950...	27	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	47
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	26	.....1944.....	28,030,312
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	41	.....pounds 1949.....	23,269,979
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	25	.....1944.....	1,678,770
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	66	.....farms reporting 1949...	27
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	10	.....1944.....	31
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	102	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	108,347
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	119	.....1944.....	708,514
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	216	.....dollars 1949...	79,214
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	288	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	7
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	424	.....dollar 1949...	1,232
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	290	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,101
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	290	.....1945.....	1,182
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	99,771
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	81,311
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,074
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	46,599
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	70	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	88
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	15	.....number 1950...	52,874
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		.....1945.....	1,004
		.....number 1950...	15,706
		.....1945.....	11,311

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Wool and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	481	Corn:	
1945...	683	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,159
number 1950...	22,068	1944...	1,278
1945...	28,550	acres 1949...	71,034
		1944...	77,180
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,149
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	472	1944...	1,272
number 1950...	14,133	acres 1949...	67,919
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	464	1944...	75,274
1945 ¹ ...	673	bushels 1949...	3,669,547
number 1950...	13,416	1944...	3,029,944
1945 ¹ ...	22,410		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	324	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	131
number 1950...	717	acres 1949...	1,172
		tons, green weight 1949...	11,157
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	318	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950...	7,935	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	171
Wool and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	461	acres 1949...	1,943
1944...	598		
number shorn 1949...	14,487	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	113,714	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944...	176,959	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Age date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949...	532
		bushels 1949...	10,590
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	969
Hens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,040	acres 1949...	42,029
1945...	1,285	1944...	32,228
number 1950...	91,622	bushels 1949...	1,021,973
1945...	134,202	1944...	659,658
Hens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	627	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	673
number 1949...	97,466	1944...	640
dollars 1949...	111,313	acres 1949...	15,511
Hen eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	816	1944...	12,775
dozens 1949...	683,189	bushels 1949...	482,963
dollars 1949...	287,608	1944...	456,231
Hens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1950...	141	1944...	52
Hens raised.....farms reporting 1949...	45	acres 1949...	562
1944...	53	1944...	560
number 1949...	4,608	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	28
1944...	11,014	1944...	43
		acres 1949...	510
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	957
Cows, hogs, sheep, horses, or		bushels 1949...	13,756
hens sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,226	1944...	22,707
dollars 1949...	6,306,890	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,060	1944...	11
1944...	1,032	acres 1949...	78
number 1949...	11,988	1944...	156
1944...	15,379	bushels 1949...	1,870
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	759	1944...	2,455
number 1949...	7,544	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	1,271,968	acres 1949...	10
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	760	bushels 1949...	400
number 1949...	4,444	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	271,101	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	635
Eggs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,077	1944 ² ...	808
1944...	1,156	acres 1949...	28,155
number 1949...	112,898	1944 ² ...	35,364
1944...	119,296	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	622
dollars 1949...	4,514,204	1944...	787
		acres 1949...	27,954
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	437	1944...	35,004
1944...	538	bushels 1949...	741,287
number 1949...	13,319	1944...	510,750
1944...	19,804	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	24
dollars 1949...	234,404	acres 1949...	175
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	74	tons 1949...	257
number 1949...	207	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
dollars 1949...	15,213	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres 1949...	11
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	885	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	369	acres 1949...	15
number 1949...	426	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	219	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	894
1944...	326	acres 1949...	25,888
number 1949...	245	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944...	619	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	466
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	157	1944...	418
number 1949...	216	acres 1949...	9,810
1944...	181	1944...	7,727
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	337	tons 1949...	15,543
1944...	802	1944...	14,366
number 1949...	1,056		
1944...	1,936		
number 1949...	4,194		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	108		
dollars 1949...	2,388		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	554	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	774	1944.....	4
acres 1949...	15,251	acres 1949...	12
1944.....	21,699	1944.....	13
tons 1949...	18,072	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	30,335	acres 1949...	21
Leapedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	.....	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	3	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	.....	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	3	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	87
1944.....	.....	1944.....	126
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949...	1,416
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1944.....	1,816
1944.....	5	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	262	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	361	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949...	256	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	482	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1944.....	6
acres 1949...	683	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	581	1944.....	54
tons 1949...	671	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	624	acres 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	330	acres 1949...	6
tons, green weight 1949...	1,270	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Field crops (other):		1944.....	13
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949...	39
1944.....	25	1944.....	67
acres 1949...	27	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	278	acres 1949...	7
bushels 1949...	16	1944.....	9
1944.....	117	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	.....
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	52	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	174	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	17
acres 1949...	1,011	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	3,908	quarts 1949...	3,895
bushels 1949...	373	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	1,648	acres 1949...	.....
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	57	quarts 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	1,318	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949...	3,046	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	304
acres 1949...	.....	1945.....	2
bushels 1949...	.....	acres 1950 ¹ ...	59
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	38
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	49	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	215
1944.....	47	1945.....	54
acres 1949...	61	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,974
1944.....	107	1945.....	1,548
bushels 1949...	17,040	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	411
1944.....	8,299	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,563
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,815
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1944.....	1,431
acres 1949 ² ...	(*)	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	151
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	39
bushels 1949...	39	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,100
1944.....	5	1945.....	246
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	457
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	643
acres 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	337
1944.....	15	1944.....	190
pounds 1949...	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	146
1944.....	8,000	1945.....	23
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	683
acres 1949...	.....	1945.....	50
gallons 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	85
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	596
acres 1949...	86	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	768
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	1,813	1944.....	53
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	105
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	253
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	111
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	162
tons 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	416
1944.....	.....	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	47
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950...	96
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	807	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	48
1944.....	1,083	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	48
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	86	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,050
1944.....	143	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	86
acres 1949...	1,568	1945.....	16
1944.....	2,109	trees of all ages..number 1950...	275
sold..dollars 1949...	76,694	1945.....	56
1944.....	71,626	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	117
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	158
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	48
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944.....	15
1944.....	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	146
acres 1949...	31	1945.....	25
1944.....	7	vines of all ages..number 1950...	693
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	112
acres 1949...	4	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	305
1944.....	4	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	490
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,079
acres 1949...	3	1944.....	753

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
³Reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,306	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	297
.....1945...	2,765	.....1945...	443
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	268,160	.....1945...	53
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	63.8	.....1945...	9
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	150,154	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	244
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	27,543	.....1945...	434
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,131	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	399
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,731	.....1945...	513
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	171,097	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	333
.....1945...	191,201	.....1945...	385
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	74.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	316
.....1945...	69.2	.....1945...	344
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	11,153	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	381
.....1945...	7,039	.....1945...	425
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	156.34	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	273
.....1945...	101.80	.....1945...	331
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	137
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,105	.....1945...	133
.....1944...	2,624	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	74
.....acres 1949...	74,705	.....1945...	27
.....1944...	84,712	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	28
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	476	.....1945...	63
.....1944...	765	.....1945...	62
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	358	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	405	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	1
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	291	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	335	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	474	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	536		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	399	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	473	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	93	White operators.....number 1950...	2,294
.....1944...	98	.....1945...	2,753
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	12
.....1944...	12	.....1945...	12
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	595	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	136	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,843
.....acres 1949...	10,763	.....1945...	2,155
.....1944...	2,227	Part owners.....number 1950...	322
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	232
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	833	Managers.....number 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...	12,640	.....1945...	22
.....1944...	8,721	All tenants.....number 1950...	131
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	743	.....1945...	306
.....acres 1949...	580	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	5.7
.....1944...	17,203	.....1945...	11.1
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	591	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	70
.....acres 1949...	446	.....1945...	212
.....1944...	10,352	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	6
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,110	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	15
.....1944...	1,914	.....1945...	61
.....acres 1949...	34,347	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	60,996	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	2
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	43
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,154	.....1945...	26
.....acres 1949...	2,682	Other tenants.....number 1950...	26
.....1944...	11,087	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	17
.....1944...	12,442		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	4	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...	3	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,649
.....1944...	87	.....1945...	1,412
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,189
.....acres 1949...	57	.....1945...	2,455
		.....1945...	2,179
FARM OPERATORS		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	9.58
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,105	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	1,073
.....1945...	2,661	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	918
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	87	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	420
.....1945...	72	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	2,022
With other income of family exceeding value		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	762
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,031	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	36
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,332	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	441
.....1944...	1,533	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	142
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,138	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	147
.....1944...	1,333	.....number 1950...	121
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	121
		.....number 1950...	117
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	127
		.....number 1950...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	422
		.....number 1950...	508
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		.....number 1950...	20

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	769	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	113
.....1945.....	876	General farms.....number 1950...	156
.....number 1950.....	886	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	10
.....1945.....	782	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	44
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,578	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	182
.....1945.....	1,507	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,123
.....number 1950.....	2,025		
.....1945.....	1,692	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,412	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,233
.....number 1950.....	1,674	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	8
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	307	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	94
.....number 1950.....	318	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	255
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	416
.....number 1950.....	33	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	323
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,907	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	132
.....1945.....	2,461	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,073
.....number 1950.....	2,672	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	452
.....1945.....	3,089	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	676
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	390	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	46	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,309,336
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	252	.....1944.....	4,865,785
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	350	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,965,825
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,268	.....1944.....	1,398,016
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	866,352
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	408,636
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	85	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	203,963
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	916	.....1944.....	216,416
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	730	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	319,177
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	418	.....1944.....	499,483
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	576,263
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	228,136
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,758	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,325,140
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....1944.....	3,456,812
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	130	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,131,500
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....1944.....	1,928,239
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.2	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,175,474
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	825,343
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,698	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,016,424
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	221	.....1944.....	611,250
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	17,041
FARM LABOR⁴		.....1944.....	10,937
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,969	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	52
.....persons 1950.....	2,395	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	291
.....1945.....	1,948	.....1945.....	1,333
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,823	.....number 1950.....	1,930
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,823	.....1945.....	1,681
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	776	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	26
.....persons 1950.....	1,156	.....1945.....	43
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	254	.....number 1950.....	52
.....persons 1950.....	406	.....1945.....	24
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,104	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,064
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,739	.....1945.....	2,049
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	9,623	.....number 1950.....	21,092
.....dollars 1949.....	228,223	.....1945.....	21,693
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	839	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,639
.....dollars 1949.....	557,232	.....1945.....	1,992
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,223	.....number 1950.....	11,723
.....dollars 1949.....	1,454,134	.....1945.....	14,959
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,472	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,724
.....dollars 1949.....	390,055	.....number 1950.....	19,736
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,653	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,082
.....dollars 1949.....	215,788	.....number 1950.....	7,138
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,584	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	819
.....dollars 1949.....	364,247	.....number 1950.....	2,013
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,063	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	311
.....dollars 1949.....	111,727	.....number 1950.....	2,234
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	998	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	312
.....dollars 1949.....	118,265	.....1944.....	1,082
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949.....	49,920,961
No sales.....number 1950...	123	.....1944.....	53,491,829
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	443	.....dollars 1949.....	2,069,774
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	176	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	144
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	126	.....1944.....	194
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	207	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	101,311
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	171	.....1944.....	98,693
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	227	.....dollars 1949.....	97,211
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	244	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	42
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	250	.....dollars 1949.....	4,101
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	177	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	102	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	962
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	1,251
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	45	.....number 1950.....	8,403
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	44	.....1945.....	9,880
Cotton.....number 1950...	1	.....farms reporting 1950.....	707
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	1	.....number 1950.....	4,379
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	20	.....number 1950.....	467
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	39	.....number 1950...	6,026
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	653	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	698
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	157	.....1945.....	614
		.....number 1950...	1,361
		.....1945.....	1,357

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	141	Gorn:	
.....1945...	185	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,715
.....number 1950...	3,532	.....1944...	2,112
.....1945...	3,853	.....acres 1949...	17,349
		.....1944...	20,887
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,679
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	135	.....1944...	2,074
.....number 1950...	2,468	.....acres 1949...	14,601
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	133	.....1944...	17,444
.....1945 ¹ ...	158	.....bushels 1949...	762,308
.....number 1950...	2,311	.....1944...	647,462
.....1945 ¹ ...	3,185	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	347
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	78	.....acres 1949...	2,401
.....number 1950...	157	.....tons, green weight 1949...	22,409
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	97		
.....number 1950...	1,064	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	117	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	79
.....1944...	164	.....acres 1949...	347
.....number shorn 1949...	2,212		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	16,399	Small grains:	
.....1944...	26,345	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		.....acres 1949...	103
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,681	.....bushels 1949...	4,403
.....1945...	2,306	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,432
.....number 1950...	165,230	.....acres 1949...	15,045
.....1945...	196,756	.....1944...	12,201
		.....bushels 1949...	428,821
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	777	.....1944...	302,385
.....number 1949...	182,569	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,426
.....dollars 1949...	235,038	.....1944...	1,518
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,036	.....acres 1949...	13,541
.....dozens 1949...	1,377,200	.....1944...	13,225
.....dollars 1949...	653,158	.....bushels 1949...	503,815
		.....1944...	414,130
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	30	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	10
.....number 1950...	2,374	.....1944...	20
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	80	.....acres 1949...	55
.....1944...	39	.....1944...	78
.....number 1949...	29,595	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	31
.....1944...	17,566	.....1944...	6
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		.....acres 1949...	197
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		.....bushels 1949...	37
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,430	.....1944...	7,315
.....dollars 1949...	986,184	.....bushels 1944...	1,074
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,253	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	40
.....1944...	1,373	.....1944...	108
.....number 1949...	9,049	.....acres 1949...	229
.....1944...	8,832	.....1944...	814
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	750	.....bushels 1949...	5,030
.....number 1949...	3,090	.....1944...	14,963
.....dollars 1949...	465,364	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	86
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,040	.....acres 1949...	432
.....number 1949...	5,929	.....bushels 1949...	8,096
.....dollars 1949...	174,153	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	710	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	95
.....1944...	921	.....1944 ² ...	340
.....number 1949...	9,026	.....acres 1949...	466
.....1944...	14,652	.....1944 ² ...	1,555
.....dollars 1949...	284,275	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	24
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	105	.....1944...	60
.....1944...	111	.....acres 1949...	103
.....number 1949...	1,528	.....1944...	348
.....1944...	1,705	.....bushels 1949...	2,113
.....dollars 1949...	26,882	.....1944...	4,754
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	122	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	68
.....number 1949...	450	.....acres 1949...	234
.....dollars 1949...	35,510	.....tons 1949...	358
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,207	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	547	.....acres 1949...	89
.....number 1949...	755	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	419	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	10
.....1944...	502	.....acres 1949...	40
.....number 1949...	478	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
.....1944...	598	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,558
.....number 1949...	168	.....acres 1949...	21,425
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	143	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
.....1944...	277	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	168
.....number 1949...	279	.....1944...	79
.....1944...	279	.....acres 1949...	1,277
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,076	.....1944...	445
.....1944...	1,608	.....tons 1949...	2,569
.....number 1949...	2,572	.....1944...	947
.....1944...	4,304		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	278		
.....dollars 1949...	18,632		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,506	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944.....	1,892	1944.....	93
acres 1949.....	19,661	acres 1949.....	100
1944.....	26,341	1944.....	159
tons 1949.....	29,571	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	16
1944.....	38,600	acres 1949.....	13
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	34	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	41	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	134
1944.....	.....	1944.....	293
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	267
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944.....	257
1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	44
acres 1949.....	15	1944.....	50
1944.....	23	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	7
tons 1949.....	14	1949.....	2
1944.....	24	acres 1949.....	15
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	44	1944.....	27
acres 1949.....	225	acres 1949.....	18
1944.....	50	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	33
tons 1949.....	245	acres 1949.....	32
1944.....	63	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	23	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	183	1944.....	3
tons, green weight 1949.....	1,269	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	102
Field crops (other):		acres 1949.....	96
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944.....	146
1944.....	13	acres 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	21	1944.....	2
1944.....	67	acres 1949.....	44
bushels 1949.....	11	1944.....	.....
1944.....	51	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	64	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	109	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	490	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	93
1944.....	797	acres 1949.....	32
bushels 1949.....	319	quarts 1949.....	16,434
1944.....	345	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	10
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	49	acres 1949.....	4,893
acres 1949.....	211	quarts 1949.....	.....
1944.....	624	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	3	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,356
acres 1949.....	3	1945.....	1,005
bushels 1949.....	3	acres 1950 ²	2,981
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	2,997
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	453	acres 1950.....	1,388
1944.....	756	1945.....	1,944
acres 1949.....	873	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,433
1944.....	2,028	1945.....	10,452
bushels 1949.....	186,429	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	16,328
1944.....	239,254	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	69,728
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	266,729
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1944.....	201,674
1944.....	.....	acres 1950.....	872
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	1,397
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	43,691
bushels 1949.....	74	1945.....	64,118
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	14,393
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	30,271
acres 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	28,160
1944.....	.....	1944.....	67,871
pounds 1949.....	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	791
1944.....	.....	1945.....	1,191
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1950.....	2,491
1944.....	.....	1945.....	6,083
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	1,394
gallons 1949.....	16	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,009
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	15	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,933
1944.....	17	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,693
acres 1949.....	1,974	1944.....	.....
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	2,642
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,691
acres 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,617
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	16,282
tons 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	16,282
1944.....	.....	acres 1950.....	1,280
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950...	774
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,894	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	774
1944.....	2,617	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	.....
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	182	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,640
1944.....	374	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	1,583	1945.....	.....
1944.....	1,971	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,691
sold..dollars 1949.....	203,963	1945.....	2,191
1944.....	214,416	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,394
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,373
acres 1949.....	41	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,344
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	58	1944.....	1,622
1944.....	100	acres 1950.....	581
acres 1949.....	337	1945.....	942
1944.....	356	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,877
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	45	1945.....	19,747
acres 1949.....	581	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,297
1944.....	12	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,414
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	30,194
acres 1949.....	3	1944.....	200,444

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,530	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	132
	1,600	1945.....	139
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	259,200	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	23
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	84.9	1945.....	8
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	133,724	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	109
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	107,985	1945.....	131
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,537	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	138
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	24,308	1945.....	153
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	219,938	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	97
1945.....	236,166	1945.....	112
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	143.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	78
1945.....	147.6	1945.....	73
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	21,525	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	191
1945.....	13,108	1945.....	195
average per acre, dollars 1950A..	143.52	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	231
1945.....	88.80	1945.....	241
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	212
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,330	1945.....	210
1944.....	1,361	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	146
acres 1949.....	143,386	1945.....	148
1944.....	157,017	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	102
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	87	1945.....	90
1944.....	87	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	178
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1945.....	200
1944.....	46	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	22
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	54	1945.....	35
1944.....	48	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	142	1945.....	4
1944.....	131		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	402	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	423	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	435	White operators.....number 1950...	1,529
1944.....	426	1945.....	1,599
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	159	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	200	1945.....	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	862	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	725	Full owners.....number 1950...	816
acres 1949.....	21,685	1945.....	821
1944 ¹	18,953	Part owners.....number 1950...	340
Cropland not harvested and not		1945.....	351
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	263	Managers.....number 1950...	5
1949.....	5,467	1945.....	9
1944.....	1,975	All tenants.....number 1950...	369
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	578	1945.....	419
1944.....	648	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	24.1
acres 1949.....	10,048	1945.....	26.2
1944.....	11,379	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	39
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	463	1945.....	65
1944.....	291	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	49
acres 1949.....	7,222	1945.....	17
1944.....	4,391	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	232
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945.....	323
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	700	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	59
1944 ¹	999	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	173
acres 1949.....	19,505	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	49
1944 ¹	31,648	1945.....	14
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,468	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	41
1944.....	1,587		
acres 1949.....	12,625	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A	
1944.....	10,803	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	908
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	889
1944.....	2	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,434
acres 1949.....	20	1945.....	1,481
1944.....	20	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,429
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.41
1949.....	2	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,019
acres 1949.....	20	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	599
1944.....	20	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	383
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,329
1949.....	20	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	762
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	280
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	635
		number 1950...	687
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	563
		number 1950...	564
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	197
		number 1950...	198
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	209
		number 1950...	230
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,418		
1945.....	1,527		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	54		
1945.....	68		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	255		
working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	533		
1944.....	335		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	329		
1944.....	236		

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	410	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	459
.....1945.....	327	General farms.....number 1950...	228
.....number 1950.....	459	.....number 1950.....	177
.....1945.....	362	.....number 1950.....	171
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,135	.....number 1950.....	237
.....1945.....	1,367		
.....number 1950.....	1,987		
.....1945.....	1,530		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,090		
.....number 1950.....	1,769		
.....1945.....	197		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	21		
.....number 1950.....	21		
.....1945.....	21		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	21		
.....number 1950.....	21		
.....1945.....	21		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,350		
.....1945.....	1,508		
.....number 1950.....	1,790		
.....1945.....	1,343		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	311		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	51		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	242		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	916		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,294
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	80	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	342	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	138
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	606	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	125
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	220	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	283
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	193
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	97
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,097	Other farms.....number 1950...	232
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Part-time ².....number 1950...	85
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	144
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,113		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	296		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	6		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,370,428
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,263	.....dollars 1944.....	6,882,628
.....persons 1950.....	2,213	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,603,266
.....1944.....	1,548	.....dollars 1944.....	1,562,967
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,548	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	7,522,677
.....persons 1950.....	1,548	.....dollars 1944.....	1,493,775
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,197	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	24,429
.....1944.....	1,197	.....dollars 1944.....	16,213
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	470	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	30,121
.....persons 1950.....	735	.....dollars 1944.....	19,477
.....1944.....	223	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	56,119
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	223	.....dollars 1944.....	31,520
.....persons 1950.....	223	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,757,289
.....1944.....	223	.....dollars 1944.....	2,114,231
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,128,734
		.....dollars 1944.....	748,177
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	207,533
		.....dollars 1944.....	98,113
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,929,321
		.....dollars 1944.....	3,381,673
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,220
		.....dollars 1944.....	3,220
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	293
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	282
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	282
		.....number 1950.....	282
		.....number 1945.....	282
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1,624
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,624
		.....number 1950.....	1,624
		.....number 1945.....	1,624
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,374
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,374
		.....number 1950...	1,374
		.....number 1945...	1,374
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,374
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,374
		.....number 1950...	1,374
		.....number 1945...	1,374
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,099
		.....number 1950...	6,881
		.....number 1945...	283
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,921
		.....number 1950...	766
		.....number 1945...	1,062
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	717
		.....number 1950...	2,224
		.....number 1945...	67
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	67
		.....number 1950...	27,801,734
		.....number 1945...	27,120,069
		.....number 1944...	1,048,238
		.....number 1943...	27
		.....number 1942...	19
		.....number 1941...	128,721
		.....number 1940...	189,017
		.....number 1939...	70,431
		.....number 1938...	7
		.....number 1937...	1,061
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,059
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,162
		.....number 1950...	64,741
		.....number 1945...	50,118
		.....number 1944...	1,037
		.....number 1943...	30,450
		.....number 1942...	72
		.....number 1941...	24,291
		.....number 1940...	951
		.....number 1939...	969
		.....number 1938...	8,694
		.....number 1937...	7,446
		.....number 1936...	7,446
		.....number 1935...	7,446
		.....number 1934...	7,446
		.....number 1933...	7,446
		.....number 1932...	7,446
		.....number 1931...	7,446
		.....number 1930...	7,446
		.....number 1929...	7,446
		.....number 1928...	7,446
		.....number 1927...	7,446
		.....number 1926...	7,446
		.....number 1925...	7,446
		.....number 1924...	7,446
		.....number 1923...	7,446
		.....number 1922...	7,446
		.....number 1921...	7,446
		.....number 1920...	7,446
		.....number 1919...	7,446
		.....number 1918...	7,446
		.....number 1917...	7,446
		.....number 1916...	7,446
		.....number 1915...	7,446
		.....number 1914...	7,446
		.....number 1913...	7,446
		.....number 1912...	7,446
		.....number 1911...	7,446
		.....number 1910...	7,446
		.....number 1909...	7,446
		.....number 1908...	7,446
		.....number 1907...	7,446
		.....number 1906...	7,446
		.....number 1905...	7,446
	number 1904...	7,446
	number 1903...	7,446
	number 1902...	7,446
	number 1901...	7,446
	number 1900...	7,446

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	898	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	1,017	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	18,595	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	21,558	1944.....	7
tons 1949.....	23,401	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1944.....	30,400	acres 1949.....	.....
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	12	1944.....	.....
1944.....	.....	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	12	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	24
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		1944.....	20
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	acres 1949.....	279
1944.....	15	1944.....	205
acres 1949.....	57	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
1944.....	151	acres 1949.....	8
tons 1949.....	56	1944.....	.....
1944.....	119	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	25	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	360	1944.....	1
1944.....	76	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	490	1944.....	3
1944.....	83	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	228	1944.....	.....
tons, green weight 1949.....	983	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
Field crops (other):		acres 1949.....	.....
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	9
1944.....	32	1944.....	11
acres 1949.....	43	acres 1949.....	7
1944.....	324	1944.....	32
bushels 1949.....	25	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
1944.....	257	acres 1949.....	1
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	97	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	314	.....	.....
acres 1949.....	1,268	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	4,924	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	17
bushels 1949.....	1,225	acres 1949.....	8
1944.....	2,588	quarts 1949.....	9,999
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	139	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	1,399	acres 1949.....	1
bushels 1949.....	4,371	quarts 1949.....	577
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	62	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
bushels 1949.....	65	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	434
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	183
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	72	acres 1950 ²	406
1944.....	164	1945.....	395
acres 1949 ¹	37	1950.....	341
1944.....	173	1945.....	169
bushels 1949.....	7,903	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	9,187
1944.....	15,345	1945.....	10,236
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,976
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	6,341
1944.....	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	23,702
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	1944.....	9,916
1944.....	(*)	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	184
bushels 1949.....	17	1945.....	84
1944.....	34	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,086
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	1945.....	1,376
1944.....	.....	1950.....	399
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,727
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,678
pounds 1949.....	.....	1944.....	687
1944.....	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	177
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	77
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	448
acres 1949.....	7	1945.....	399
gallons 1949.....	20	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	113
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	345
acres 1949.....	379	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	408
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	6,583	1944.....	465
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	111
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	395
acres 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	62
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	201
tons 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,293
1944.....	.....	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	83
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	135
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	849	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	24
1944.....	1,429	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	62
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	28	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	503
1944.....	24	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	115
acres 1949.....	312	1945.....	66
1944.....	258	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	431
acres 1949.....	24,429	1945.....	404
1944.....	16,215	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	131
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	300
acres 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	81
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	6	1944.....	218
1944.....	3	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	181
acres 1949.....	4	1945.....	39
1944.....	3	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,040
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1945.....	1,067
acres 1949.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	160
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	6	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	880
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	5,681
		1944.....	7,894

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1945...	2,991	1945...	314
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	271,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	81.7	1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	178,305	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	202
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	48,351	1945...	312
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,935	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	362
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,992	1945...	495
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	221,799	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	394
1945...	238,916	1945...	377
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	84.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	341
1945...	79.9	1945...	381
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	13,183	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	455
1945...	8,269	1945...	421
average per acre, dollars 1950A...	166.39	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	437
1945...	103.51	1945...	471
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	189
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,418	1945...	218
1944...	2,812	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	116
acres 1949...	107,106	1945...	128
1944...	120,076	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	53
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	425	1945...	51
1944...	600	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	64
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	312	1945...	61
1944...	350	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	2
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	292	1945...	6
1944...	327	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	349	1945...	1
1944...	563		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	640	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	736	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	181	White operators.....number 1950...	2,626
1944...	219	1945...	2,991
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
1944...	17	1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	951	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	637	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,954
acres 1949...	14,669	1945...	2,149
1944 ¹ ...	14,152	Part owners.....number 1950...	411
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	428
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	939	Managers.....number 1950...	15
acres 1949...	14,783	1945...	33
1944...	12,472	All tenants.....number 1950...	248
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	915	1945...	381
acres 1949...	990	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	9.4
1944...	19,418	1945...	12.7
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,076	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	99
acres 1949...	19,042	1945...	226
1944...	10,887	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	19
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	10
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,331	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	59
1944 ¹ ...	1,791	1945...	126
acres 1949...	29,375	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	34
1944 ¹ ...	43,701	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	25
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	71
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,531	1945...	19
acres 1949...	17,406	Other tenants.....number 1950...	25
1944...	15,959	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	46
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A	
1944...	1	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,837
acres 1949...	5	1945...	1,885
1944...	10	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,512
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	2,808
acres 1949...	5	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,512
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.19
		1945...	1,966
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,106
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	730
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	2,321
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	995
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	815
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	450
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	455
		number 1950...	246
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	246
		number 1950...	275
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	280
		number 1950...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	595
		number 1950...	740
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		number 1950...	15
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,495		
1945...	2,867		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	73		
1945...	94		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,009		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,293		
1944...	1,218		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	996		
1944...	1,050		

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	761	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	124
.....1945.....	551	General farms.....number 1950...	197
.....number 1950.....	859	.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	596	.....number 1950.....	78
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,996	.....number 1950.....	110
.....1945.....	1,815	.....number 1950.....	910
.....number 1950.....	2,704		
.....1945.....	2,062		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,856	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	2,373	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,728
.....1945.....	276	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	25
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	281	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	142
.....number 1950.....	50	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	394
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	645
.....number 1950.....	50	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	316
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,197	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	206
.....1945.....	2,660	Other farms.....number 1950.....	900
.....number 1950.....	2,855	.....number 1950.....	450
.....1945.....	3,259	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	450
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	450
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	447	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	15		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	138	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	574	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,607,428
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,454	.....1944.....	6,309,701
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,630,702
		.....1944.....	944,779
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,320,516
		.....1944.....	722,880
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	65,996
		.....1944.....	33,172
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	86,791
		.....1944.....	134,453
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	157,399
		.....1944.....	34,274
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,917,504
		.....1944.....	3,335,226
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,309,097
		.....1944.....	3,039,849
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,637,063
		.....1944.....	1,199,143
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,771,338
		.....1944.....	1,096,234
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	59,222
		.....1944.....	29,696
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	731
		.....1945.....	705
		.....number 1945.....	1,514
		.....1945.....	1,574
		.....number 1950.....	3,712
		.....1945.....	40
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	70
		.....1945.....	63
		.....number 1945.....	135
		.....1945.....	.....
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,933
		.....1945.....	2,343
		.....number 1950.....	27,781
		.....1945.....	28,540
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,897
		.....1945 ³	2,267
		.....number 1950.....	15,318
		.....1945 ³	18,187
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,808
		.....number 1950.....	14,525
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,421
		.....number 1950.....	7,268
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	941
		.....number 1950.....	3,206
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,078
		.....number 1950.....	2,897
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,183
		.....1944.....	1,359
		.....pounds 1949.....	87,402,378
		.....1944.....	89,103,783
		.....dollars 1949.....	3,460,998
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	170
		.....1944.....	142
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	76,024
		.....1944.....	77,785
		.....dollars 1949.....	40,223
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	64
		.....dollars 1949.....	7,874
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	3,097
		.....1945.....	1,317
		.....number 1950.....	14,137
		.....1945.....	12,317
		.....number 1950.....	969
		.....number 1950.....	7,014
		.....number 1950.....	546
		.....number 1950.....	7,123
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	659
		.....1945.....	679
		.....number 1950.....	1,993
		.....1945.....	1,613

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	227	Corn:	
1945.....	300	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,080
number 1950...	5,488	1944.....	2,353
1945.....	6,128	acres 1949...	28,638
1944.....		1944.....	34,501
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,035
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	213	1944.....	2,328
number 1950...	3,582	acres 1949...	24,379
1944.....		1944.....	29,767
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	212	bushels 1949...	1,201,820
1945 ¹	276	1944.....	1,014,085
number 1950...	3,176	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	498
1945 ¹	4,994	acres 1949...	3,867
1944.....	116	tons..green weight 1949...	32,334
number 1950...	406	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
1944.....		For green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	93
1944.....		acres 1949...	392
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	148	Small grains:	
number 1950...	1,906	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	184	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number shorn 1949...	269	acres 1949...	187
1944.....	3,610	bushels 1949...	4,130
pounds 1949...	28,763	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,734
1944.....	44,915	acres 1949...	22,348
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	1944.....	22,526
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	594,268
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,944	1944.....	582,703
1945.....	2,445	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,679
number 1950...	243,776	1944.....	1,749
1945.....	295,455	acres 1949...	20,128
1944.....		1944.....	19,538
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,007	bushels 1949...	662,030
number 1949...	252,088	1944.....	585,199
dollars 1949...	316,101	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	1,380	1944.....	26
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,233,263	acres 1949...	73
dozens 1949...	1,067,513	1944.....	172
dollars 1949...		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	22
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	28	1944.....	21
number 1950...	314	acres 1949...	154
1944.....	61	1944.....	143
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	56	bushels 1949...	4,615
number 1949...	23,322	1944.....	4,080
1944.....	15,652	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	72
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949...	93
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,858	1944.....	469
dollars 1949...	1,742,551	bushels 1949...	1,785
1944.....	1,608	1944.....	7,720
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,803	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	42
1944.....	12,794	acres 1949...	271
number 1949...	13,728	bushels 1949...	4,887
1944.....	1,065	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	5,073	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	411
1944.....	871,103	1944 ²	889
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,367	acres 1949...	3,968
number 1949...	7,721	1944 ²	8,056
dollars 1949...	248,080	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	274
1944.....		1944.....	508
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,001	acres 1949...	3,052
1944.....	1,103	1944.....	5,438
number 1949...	17,524	bushels 1949...	67,916
1944.....	21,424	1944.....	83,727
dollars 1949...	564,782	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	171
1944.....		acres 1949...	776
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	147	tons 1949...	1,171
1944.....	182	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
number 1949...	2,589	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	3,353	acres 1949...	23
dollars 1949...	44,546	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....		green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	94	acres 1949...	117
number 1949...	245	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
dollars 1949...	14,040	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,809
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1949...	28,687
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,246	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	612	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	241
number 1949...	813	1944.....	190
1944.....	478	acres 1949...	2,279
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	652	1944.....	1,366
1944.....	548	tons 1949...	4,261
number 1949...	747	1944.....	2,498
1944.....	185	1944.....	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	99		
number 1949...	265		
1944.....	139		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,039		
1944.....	1,522		
number 1949...	2,171		
1944.....	3,437		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	208		
dollars 1949...	12,631		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con. Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,706	Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
1944.....	2,043	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	33
acres 1949.....	25,501	1944.....	35
1944.....	28,782	acres 1949.....	14
tons 1949.....	36,378	1944.....	25
1944.....	42,063	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Leopards cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	1*
1944.....	6	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
acres 1949.....	6	1944.....	3
1944.....	6	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	6	acres 1949.....	11
1944.....	6	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	90
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	9	1944.....	113
1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	177
acres 1949.....	95	1944.....	214
1944.....	15	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	41
tons 1949.....	92	acres 1949.....	37
1944.....	13	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	44	acres 1949.....	(*) 6
acres 1949.....	394	1944.....	13
1944.....	67	acres 1949.....	3
tons 1949.....	703	1944.....	6
1944.....	65	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	19
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	44	acres 1949.....	7
acres 1949.....	538	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
tons..green weight 1949.....	3,103	acres 1949.....	8
Field crops (other):		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	56
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	9	1944.....	87
1944.....	9	acres 1949.....	37
acres 1949.....	42	1944.....	33
1944.....	53	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	7
bushels 1949.....	42	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	42	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	22
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	96	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	246	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	26
acres 1949.....	810	acres 1949.....	21
1944.....	2,259	quarts 1949.....	35,429
bushels 1949.....	631	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	14
1944.....	1,635	acres 1949.....	5
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	87	quarts 1949.....	2,689
acres 1949.....	604	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	1,782	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,486
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1945.....	995
acres 1949.....	13	acres 1950 ¹	1,781
bushels 1949.....	22	1945.....	2,816
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	442	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,320
1944.....	627	1945.....	1,838
acres 1949.....	558	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	47,531
1944.....	1,194	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	82,217
bushels 1949.....	145,351	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	8,224
1944.....	111,554	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	39,307
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	27	1944.....	75,184
1944.....	4	1945.....	84,439
acres 1949.....	(*) 2	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,017
1944.....	2	1945.....	13,895
bushels 1949.....	114	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	19,251
1944.....	74	1945.....	6,925
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6,970
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	7,033
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	12,293
1944.....		1944.....	
Sweet sorghum harvested for syrup.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	847
acres 1949.....	(*) 2	1945.....	1,014
gallons 1949.....	19	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4,876
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	1945.....	4,345
acres 1949.....	16	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,468
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	127	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,408
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	3,856
1944.....		1944.....	3,494
acres 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	663
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,209
tons 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	603
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,606
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,993	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	14,465
1944.....	2,736	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	453
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	117	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,338
1944.....	178	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	359
acres 1949.....	400	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,179
1944.....	435	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	13,490
1944.....	65,996	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	561
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	9	1945.....	620
acres 1949.....	29	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,844
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	26	1945.....	5,395
1944.....	34	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	942
acres 1949.....	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,902
1944.....	12	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,285
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	21	1944.....	4,210
acres 1949.....	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	505
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	7	1945.....	658
acres 1949.....	1	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	31,183
		1945.....	124,841
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,657
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	28,526
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	101,833
		1944.....	292,301

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950.....	1,891	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	116
1945.....	2,312	1945.....	238
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	277,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	18
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	71.9	1945.....	31
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	173,770	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	98
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	30,632	1945.....	207
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	602	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	193
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	5,258	1945.....	300
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	199,746	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	204
1945.....	214,275	1945.....	267
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	105.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	224
1945.....	92.7	1945.....	279
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*.....	6,022	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	343
1945.....	2,822	1945.....	393
average per acre, dollars 1950*.....	55.44	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	342
1945.....	30.45	1945.....	363
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	192
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,646	1945.....	187
1944.....	1,988	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	121
acres 1949.....	40,014	1945.....	118
1944.....	43,398	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	51
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	487	1945.....	58
1944.....	760	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	90
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	382	1945.....	95
1944.....	407	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	14
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	294	1945.....	14
1944.....	295	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	291	1945.....	
1944.....	311	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	161	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	179	White operators.....number 1950.....	1,883
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	29	1945.....	2,289
1944.....	34	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	8
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1945.....	23
1944.....	1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	395	Full owners.....number 1950.....	1,488
1944 ¹	84	1945.....	1,905
acres 1949.....	9,394	Part owners.....number 1950.....	250
1944 ¹	1,475	1945.....	157
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950.....	2
pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	678	1945.....	6
acres 1949.....	11,654	All tenants.....number 1950.....	151
1944.....	5,865	1945.....	244
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,027	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	8.0
1944.....	714	1945.....	10.6
acres 1949.....	28,063	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	26
1944.....	17,920	1945.....	86
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	812	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	8
1944.....	672	1945.....	4
acres 1949.....	24,358	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	63
1944.....	18,281	1945.....	90
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	33
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,403	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	30
1944 ¹	2,018	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	54
acres 1949.....	74,102	1945.....	64
1944 ¹	118,329	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	19
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	35
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,785	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	1,639	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,031
acres 1949.....	12,161	1945.....	1,124
1944.....	9,007	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,861
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	810
1944.....	10	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,856
acres 1949.....	10	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	5.89
1944.....	1	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	606
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	385
acres 1949.....	10	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	216
FARM OPERATORS		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,621
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	1,781	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	210
1945.....	2,104	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	69	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	21.5
1945.....	185	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	76
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950.....	76
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	822	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	81
1944.....	920	number 1950.....	81
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	841	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	70
1944.....	595	number 1950.....	70
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	677	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	171
1944.....	677	number 1950.....	203
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
		number 1950.....	10

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	661	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	206
.....1945...	375	General farms.....number 1950...	141
.....number 1950...	727	.....1945...	
.....1945...	408	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	826	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	89
.....1945...	400	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	47
.....number 1950...	1,022	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	957
.....1945...	432		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	766	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950...	902	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	939
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	105	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	5
number 1950...	105	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	43
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	93
number 1950...	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	196
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,281	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	299
.....1945...	1,266	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	303
.....number 1950...	1,522	Other farms.....number 1950...	952
.....1945...	1,334	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	427
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	525
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	400	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	121	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	601	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,785,019
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	392	.....1944...	2,001,221
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	377	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	560,113
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....1944...	344,251
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	328,844
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	140	.....1944...	104,169
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	705	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	15,905
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	580	.....1944...	154,823
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	561	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	49,283
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944...	74,602
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	16,081
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,211	.....1944...	10,657
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	125	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,197,083
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	300	.....1944...	1,644,475
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	55	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	810,444
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.5	.....1944...	517,732
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	538,997
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	650	.....1944...	538,975
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,171	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	847,642
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	165	.....1944...	587,768
FARM LABOR³		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	27,823
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944...	12,495
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,801	HORSES AND MULES	
persons 1950...	3,060	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,107
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,786	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,067
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,686	.....1945...	1,188
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	721	.....number 1950...	2,196
persons 1950...	1,002	.....1945...	2,702
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	241	.....number 1950...	89
persons 1950...	372	.....1945...	109
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁴		.....1945...	152
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,796	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,166	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,582
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	906	.....1945...	1,756
dollars 1949...	86,420	.....number 1950...	17,145
dollars 1949...	876	.....1945...	16,116
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	329,209	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,529
.....dollars 1949...	1,656	.....1945...	1,680
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	722,630	number 1950...	8,407
dollars 1949...	1,131	number 1945...	8,783
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,341	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,460
dollars 1949...	129,496	number 1950...	6,822
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	941	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,033
.....dollars 1949...	190,665	number 1950...	4,475
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	461	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	645
.....dollars 1949...	48,305	number 1950...	1,841
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	676	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	831
dollars 1949...	64,694	number 1950...	2,400
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	503
No sales.....number 1950...	167	.....1944...	310
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	358	pounds 1949...	17,238,923
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	210	dollars 1949...	11,253,676
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	210	dollars 1949...	724,217
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	223	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	463
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	176	.....1944...	719
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	210	pounds of butterfat 1949...	162,030
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	144	.....1944...	257,316
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	75	dollars 1949...	84,880
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	70	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	15
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	48	.....dollars 1949...	1,347
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	42	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,008
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	23	.....1945...	931
Cotton.....number 1950...	19	.....number 1950...	7,910
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	19	.....1945...	5,182
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	51	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	831
number 1950...	9	number 1950...	3,534
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	9	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	130
number 1950...	401	number 1950...	4,376
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	401	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	519
number 1950...	84	.....1945...	503
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	84	.....number 1950...	1,135
		.....1945...	855

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	148	Corn:	
1945.....	257	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,334
number 1950...	5,312	1944.....	1,386
1945.....	10,053	acres 1949...	11,286
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	12,033
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	144	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,317
number 1950...	4,098	1944.....	1,360
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	141	acres 1949...	10,518
1945 ¹ ..	231	1944.....	11,197
number 1950...	3,398	bushels 1949...	504,649
1945 ¹ ..	7,828	1944.....	345,072
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	99	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	127
number 1950...	700	acres 1949...	691
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	85	tons..green weight 1949...	7,116
number 1950...	1,214	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	141	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	219	acres 1949...	77
number shorn 1949...	4,276	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	37,189	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	78,446	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	21
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949...	116
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	2,793
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,481	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	677
1945.....	1,791	acres 1949...	5,635
number 1950...	105,772	1944.....	5,425
1945.....	187,218	bushels 1949...	101,936
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	667	1944.....	82,949
number 1949...	224,504	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	230
dollars 1949...	201,601	1944.....	133
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,013	acres 1949...	1,228
dozens 1949...	797,806	1944.....	616
dollars 1949...	319,262	bushels 1949...	33,250
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	32	1944.....	14,328
number 1950...	188	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	62
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	37	1944.....	65
1944.....	20	acres 1949...	263
number 1949...	3,288	1944.....	244
1944.....	1,476	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	13
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949...	73
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,405	1944.....	87
dollars 1949...	820,569	bushels 1949...	1,684
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,248	1944.....	1,741
1944.....	1,228	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949...	6,372	1944.....	5
1944.....	7,238	acres 1949...	34
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	767	1944.....	20
number 1949...	2,943	bushels 1949...	440
dollars 1949...	400,025	1944.....	365
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	985	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	3,429	acres 1949...	5
dollars 1949...	136,452	1944.....	58
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	779	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	731	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	201
number 1949...	9,341	1944 ² ..	358
1944.....	9,977	acres 1949...	996
dollars 1949...	247,320	1944 ² ..	1,762
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	111	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	30
1944.....	105	1944.....	35
number 1949...	1,890	acres 1949...	271
1944.....	2,805	1944.....	263
dollars 1949...	24,607	bushels 1949...	3,639
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	78	1944.....	4,681
number 1949...	156	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	149
dollars 1949...	10,165	acres 1949...	518
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	816
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,335	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	224	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	242	acres 1949...	9
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	138	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....	186	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1949...	144	acres 1949...	198
1944.....	198	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	89	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,369
1944.....	58	acres 1949...	18,691
number 1949...	98	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944.....	64	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	303
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,305	1944.....	249
1944.....	1,612	acres 1949...	1,822
number 1949...	2,491	1944.....	1,731
1944.....	3,404	tons 1949...	3,306
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	3,470
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	128		
dollars 1949...	3,732		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,121	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944...	1,366	1944...	6
acres 1949...	14,291	acres 1949...	28
1944...	17,633	1944...	219
tons 1949...	18,280	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944...	20,512	acres 1949...	9
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	128	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	110	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	895	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	792	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	987	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	737	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		1944...	22
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	89	acres 1949...	263
1944...	23	1944...	22
acres 1949...	456	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	86	acres 1949...	6
tons 1949...	434	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	102	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	142	1944...	7
acres 1949...	1,286	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	507	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	12
tons 1949...	1,215	acres 1949...	9
1944...	457	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	47	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	116
tons..green weight 1949...	168	1944...	84
Field crops (other):		acres 1949...	241
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944...	174
1944...	4	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	16
acres 1949...	8	acres 1949...	25
bushels 1949...	34	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
1944...	5	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	23	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	31
1944...	25	acres 1949...	7
acres 1949...	158	quarts 1949...	10,392
bushels 1949...	164	acres 1949...	11
1944...	99	quarts 1949...	3,197
1944...	85	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	1	quarts 1949...	.....
bushels 1949...	6	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949...	.....	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	52
bushels 1949...	.....	1945...	29
Irish potatoes harvested for home		acres 1950...	62
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,057	1945...	1,101
1944...	791	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	336
acres 1949...	380	1945...	328
1944...	498	trees of all ages..number 1950...	24,251
bushels 1949...	80,373	1945...	4,779
1944...	36,106	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,774
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	18,447
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	328	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	41,534
1944...	30	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	62,911
acres 1949...	3	1945...	242
1944...	16	1945...	326
bushels 1949...	1,390	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,188
1944...	409	1945...	6,066
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	24	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,561
1944...	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,634
acres 1949...	12	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,679
1944...	8	1944...	2,474
pounds 1949...	17,396	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	18
1944...	10,732	1945...	227
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	11	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,170
acres 1949...	12	1945...	1,234
gallons 1949...	1,025	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	159
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,012
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,409
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	46	1944...	2,649
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	137
1944...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	636
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	208
1944...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	428
tons 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	809
1944...	.....	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	75
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950...	316
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,597	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	104
1944...	2,107	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	212
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	150	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	475
1944...	135	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	101
acres 1949...	818	1945...	99
1944...	848	trees of all ages..number 1950...	646
sold..dollars 1949...	165,905	1945...	759
1944...	154,823	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	231
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	413
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	70
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	27	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	197
1944...	27	1945...	337
acres 1949...	33	vines of all ages..number 1950...	259
1944...	54	1945...	4,378
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,527
acres 1949...	(*)	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	283
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,693
acres 1949...	(*)	1944...	30,526
			18,800

*For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested. For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre. Reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,556	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	164
.....1945...	2,624	.....1945...	141
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	290,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	21
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	96.7	.....1945...	18
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	190,397	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	143
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	114,563	.....1945...	123
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,686	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	258
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,728	.....1945...	248
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	280,878	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	170
.....1945...	282,002	.....1945...	194
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	109.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	136
.....1945...	107.5	.....1945...	142
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	19,704	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	567
.....1945...	11,273	.....1945...	650
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	168.15	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	523
.....1945...	104.90	.....1945...	535
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	355
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,202	.....1945...	342
.....1944...	2,306	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	151
.....acres 1949...	194,291	.....1945...	169
.....1944...	193,538	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	107
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	100	.....1945...	93
.....1944...	103	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	112
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	69	.....1945...	103
.....1944...	69	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	13
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	84	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	84	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	110	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	110	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	234	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	264	White operators.....number 1950...	2,556
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	975	.....1945...	2,624
.....1944...	1,058	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	646	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	616	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	94	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,547
.....1944...	86	.....1945...	1,487
.....acres 1949...	1,615	Part owners.....number 1950...	443
.....1944...	1,619	.....1945...	442
.....acres 1949...	23,993	Managers.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	24,188	.....1945...	13
Cropland not harvested and not		All tenants.....number 1950...	559
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	311	.....1945...	682
.....1944...	4,343	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	21.9
.....acres 1949...	2,324	.....1945...	26.0
.....1944...	2,324	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	54
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,290	.....1945...	72
.....1944...	1,548	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	43
.....acres 1949...	17,886	.....1945...	6
.....1944...	22,512	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	399
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	772	.....1945...	510
.....1944...	416	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	249
.....acres 1949...	10,820	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	150
.....1944...	5,941	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	63
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945...	94
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	873	Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	1,127	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	55
.....acres 1949...	13,740	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	18,452	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,036
Other land (house lots, roads,		.....1945...	912
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,460	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,501
.....1944...	2,974	.....1945...	2,177
.....acres 1949...	15,805	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,501
.....1944...	15,047	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.28
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,691
.....1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	666
.....acres 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	425
.....1944...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,341
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,176
.....1944...	.....	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	30
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	810
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,380	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	895
.....1945...	2,492	.....number 1950...	895
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	86	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	745
.....1945...	124	.....number 1950...	745
With other income of family exceeding value		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	270
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	451	.....number 1950...	315
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	896	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	175
.....1944...	542	.....number 1950...	190
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	483	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1944...	273	.....number 1950...	5

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	425	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	62
1945.....	178	General farms.....number 1950...	88
number 1950.....	455	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	5
1945.....	190	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	54
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,936	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	33
1945.....	1,799	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	29
number 1950.....	2,827		
1945.....	2,070	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,896	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,264
number 1950.....	2,597	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	14
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	195	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	26
number 1950.....	300	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	72
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	70
number 1950.....	30	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	34
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,341	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	17
1945.....	2,439	Other farms.....number 1950...	27
number 1950.....	3,056	Part-time ².....number 1950...	12
1945.....	2,979	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	10
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	10
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	56		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	50	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,821,877
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	356	1944.....	9,083,486
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,584	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	3,359,841
		1944.....	1,892,415
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,196,092
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	1,679,741
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	150	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	122,333
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,086	1944.....	178,833
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	920	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	12,412
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	330	1944.....	9,235
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	28,704
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	30,000
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,561	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,445,992
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	130	1944.....	7,182,447
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	310	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,531,738
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	65	1944.....	2,162,861
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.2	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,823,361
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	1,316,521
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,526	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	5,090,845
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	905	1944.....	1,703,061
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,037
		1944.....	8,624
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	42
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,346	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	42
persons 1950.....	4,254	1945.....	1,563
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,336	1950.....	785
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,262	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	3,711
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,175	1945.....	27
persons 1950.....	1,780	1950.....	68
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	181	1945.....	47
persons 1950.....	313	1945.....	12
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,431	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,338
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,991	1945.....	2,433
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	1,831	1950.....	32,582
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	338,073	1945.....	31,534
1,286		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	3,296
dollars 1949...	391,265	1945.....	2,336
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,286	1950.....	17,237
dollars 1949...	2,511,750	1945.....	19,971
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,991	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,197
dollars 1949...	643,715	number 1950...	16,335
1,961		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,664
dollars 1949...	304,525	number 1950...	7,721
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,071	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,313
dollars 1949...	825,030	number 1950...	1,331
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,751	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,441
dollars 1949...	239,600	number 1950...	4,193
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,781	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,053
dollars 1949...	269,360	1944.....	2,147
		pounds 1949...	74,457,078
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		dollars 1949...	73,024,697
No sales.....number 1950...	19	1944.....	2,502,438
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	82	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	6
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	48	1944.....	14
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	82	pounds of butterfat 1949...	51,390
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	107	1944.....	77,674
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	198	dollars 1949...	29,388
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	257	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	432	1944.....	70
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	533		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	518	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	280	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,772
		1945.....	1,892
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		number 1950...	71,534
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	355	1945.....	50,181
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	355	farms reporting 1950...	1,702
Cotton.....number 1950...		number 1950...	27,931
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		farms reporting 1950...	1,294
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	10	number 1950...	63,621
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		farms reporting 1950...	1,620
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	284	1945.....	1,647
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	103	1945.....	11,518
		1945.....	9,674

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	535	Corn:	
1945.....	744	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,191
number 1950....	11,852	1944.....	2,191
1945....	12,496	acres 1949....	64,697
Sheep and lambs born before		1944....	61,310
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	517	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,389
number 1950....	7,218	1944.....	2,389
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950....	514	acres 1949....	61,994
1945 ¹	732	1944....	59,960
number 1950....	6,769	bushels 1949....	3,063,814
1945 ¹	11,328	1944....	2,175,826
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950....	262	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	182
number 1950....	449	acres 1949....	1,147
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950....	399	tons..green weight 1949....	19,761
number 1950....	4,634	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949....	509	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	203
1944....	727	acres 1949....	1,644
number shorn 1949....	6,989	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949....	55,406	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944....	91,673	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950....	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950....	2,081	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,896
1945....	2,319	acres 1949....	39,805
number 1950....	288,808	1944....	27,041
1945....	342,638	bushels 1949....	941,897
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949....	1,515	1944....	646,079
number 1949....	313,459	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,927
dollars 1949....	328,263	1944....	1,927
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949....	1,932	acres 1949....	37,125
dozens 1949....	3,535,477	1944....	31,076
dollars 1949....	1,427,047	bushels 1949....	1,402,528
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950....	10	1944....	1,087,030
number 1950....	987	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949....	19	1944....	17
1944....	24	acres 1949....	180
number 1949....	11,339	1944....	72
1944....	8,095	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	36
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944....	37
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949....	331
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	2,311	1944....	312
dollars 1949....	5,034,333	bushels 1949....	6,110
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	2,171	1944....	12,591
1944....	2,218	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	29
number 1949....	14,659	1944....	29
1944....	15,675	acres 1949....	79
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949....	1,430	1944....	473
number 1949....	5,318	bushels 1949....	1,513
dollars 1949....	890,846	1944....	6,928
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949....	1,929	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949....	9,341	acres 1949....	19
dollars 1949....	469,985	bushels 1949....	300
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,794	Annual legumes:	
1944....	1,984	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,343
number 1949....	91,415	1944 ²	1,343
1944....	102,787	acres 1949....	21,351
dollars 1949....	3,550,342	1944 ²	21,411
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	496	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,026
1944....	606	1944....	1,026
number 1949....	6,117	acres 1949....	20,203
1944....	9,239	1944....	34,196
dollars 1949....	114,804	bushels 1949....	481,034
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	91	1944....	630,949
number 1949....	170	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	223
dollars 1949....	8,356	acres 1949....	1,081
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949....	1,719
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,851	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	976	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949....	1,169	acres 1949....	4
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949....	709	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944....	1,123	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949....	807	acres 1949....	65
1944....	1,246	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949....	297	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,798
1944....	78	acres 1949....	28,874
number 1949....	362	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944....	98	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	858
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,696	1944....	653
1944....	2,046	acres 1949....	9,377
number 1949....	4,792	1944....	5,602
1944....	6,575	tons 1949....	18,887
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944....	9,376
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	503		
dollars 1949....	18,897		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con-		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,331	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	1, 12	1944.....	5
acres 1949.....	18,896	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	25,997	1944.....	3
tons 1949.....	24,559	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	40,558	acres 1949.....	4
Leapedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	13	1944.....	1
1944.....	15	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	14	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	11
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	11
acres 1949.....	103	acres 1949.....	23
1944.....	4	1944.....	14
tons 1949.....	121	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
1944.....	7	acres 1949.....	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	68	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	579	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	285	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	13
tons 1949.....	648	acres 1949.....	57
1944.....	317	acres 1949.....	141
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	302
acres 1949.....	96	acres 1949.....	1
tons, green weight 1949.....	373	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Field crops (other):		acres 1949.....	2
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	acres 1949.....	13
1944.....	189	acres 1949.....	158
acres 1949.....	50	acres 1949.....	166
1944.....	1,304	acres 1949.....	650
bushels 1949.....	44	acres 1949.....	977
1944.....	1,311	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	128	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	744	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,389	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	8,832	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
bushels 1949.....	881	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	21
1944.....	4,289	acres 1949.....	4
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	76	acres 1949.....	4,005
acres 1949.....	403	quarts 1949.....	13
bushels 1949.....	1,208	acres 1949.....	3
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	17	quarts 1949.....	919
acres 1949.....	198	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	149	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Irish potatoes harvested for home		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	365	1945.....	76
1944.....	288	acres 1950 ²	219
acres 1949.....	123	1945.....	181
1944.....	122	farms reporting 1950.....	874
bushels 1949.....	31,491	acres 1945.....	737
1944.....	10,940	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	11,423
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		acres 1945.....	13,855
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	77	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,715
1944.....	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	8,758
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	16,199
1944.....	(*)	1944.....	10,243
bushels 1949.....	173	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	430
1944.....	21	acres 1945.....	407
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,037
1944.....		acres 1945.....	2,727
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,024
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,013
pounds 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,054
1944.....		1944.....	1,027
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	51	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	631
acres 1949.....	10	acres 1945.....	527
gallons 1949.....	1,107	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,631
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	46	acres 1945.....	1,556
acres 1949.....	18	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	293
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	565	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,333
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2,637
1944.....	1	1944.....	3,242
acres 1949.....	6	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	431
1944.....	33	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,854
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	418
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,576	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,436
1944.....	2,079	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	8,327
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	119	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	154
1944.....	221	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	468
acres 1949.....	1,073	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	143
1944.....	1,677	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,230
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	122,533	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,230
acres 1949.....	178,833	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	397
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	4	acres 1945.....	396
1944.....	3	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	2,059
acres 1949.....	3	acres 1945.....	2,072
1944.....	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	419
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,640
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	988
1944.....	2	1944.....	814
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	606
acres 1949.....	1	acres 1945.....	510
		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	7,219
		acres 1945.....	7,418
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	245
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	6,478
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	64,391
		1944.....	98,821

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 1/2 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,527	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	292
1945.....	2,682	1945.....	233
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	260,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	55
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.9	1945.....	15
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	129,846	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	237
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	128,055	1945.....	218
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,292	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	356
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,053	1945.....	406
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	234,140	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	284
1945.....	239,364	1945.....	297
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	92.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	228
1945.....	89.2	1945.....	298
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	18,686	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	426
1945.....	11,136	1945.....	489
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	205.90	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	348
1945*..	124.78	1945.....	407
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	292
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,206	1945.....	291
1944.....	2,364	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	129
acres 1949.....	158,188	1945.....	111
1944.....	163,683	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	81
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	262	1945.....	73
1944.....	225	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	76
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	174	1945.....	67
1944.....	205	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	12
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	167	1945.....	8
1944.....	204	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	332	1945.....	2
1944.....	358		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	709	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	823	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	483	White operators.....number 1950...	2,526
1944.....	481	1945.....	2,679
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	79	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	68	1945.....	3
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,349	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944*..	1,420	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,440
acres 1949.....	21,135	1945.....	1,570
1944*..	24,151	Part owners.....number 1950...	300
		1945.....	285
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	5
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	402	1945.....	26
acres 1949.....	6,385	All tenants.....number 1950...	782
1944.....	4,030	1945.....	801
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	635	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	30.9
1944.....	455	1945.....	29.9
acres 1949.....	11,470	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	45
1944.....	7,369	1945.....	56
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	399	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	15
1944.....	398	1945.....	-1
acres 1949.....	5,646	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	631
1944.....	4,847	1945.....	648
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	501
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	905	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	130
1944*..	1,155	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	91
acres 1949.....	15,465	1945.....	96
1944*..	19,780	Other tenants.....number 1950...	9
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	82
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,422	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	2,602	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,577
acres 1949.....	15,851	1945.....	1,338
1944.....	15,504	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,472
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	2,476
1944.....	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,472
acres 1949.....	61	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.24
1944.....	8	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,897
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	874
acres 1949.....	61	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	749
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,351
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	819
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	58
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	662
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	679
		number 1950...	682
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	705
		number 1950...	706
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	209
		number 1950...	211
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	239
		number 1950...	272
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,309		
1945.....	2,507		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	88		
1945.....	142		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	745		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,091		
1944.....	677		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	768		
1944.....	460		

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT* —Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM —Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	942	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	300
.....1945.....	624	General farms.....number 1950...	593
.....number 1950.....	1,026	.....number 1950.....	50
.....1945.....	668	.....number 1950.....	141
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,982	.....number 1950.....	432
.....1945.....	1,802	.....number 1950.....	668
.....number 1950.....	2,948	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....1945.....	2,101	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,931
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,866	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	11
.....number 1950.....	2,539	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	181
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	352	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	582
.....number 1950.....	355	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	678
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	33	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	372
.....number 1950.....	34	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	115
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,277	Other farms.....number 1950...	596
.....1945.....	2,416	Part-time ².....number 1950...	301
.....number 1950.....	2,808	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	289
.....1945.....	2,906	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	6
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	507	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	12,550,475
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....1944.....	8,530,932
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	49	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	5,600,530
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	206	.....1944.....	3,159,712
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,745	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,768,081
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	2,873,289
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	58,884
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	171	.....1944.....	66,181
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,369	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	29,687
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	702	.....1944.....	81,544
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	250	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	743,676
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944.....	138,689
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,642,361
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,780	.....1944.....	5,166,043
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	115	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,830,095
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	190	.....1944.....	1,732,019
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	30	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	912,781
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.3	.....1944.....	663,502
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,903,479
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	2,106	.....1944.....	2,770,512
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	315	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,712
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	10	.....1944.....	5,172
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	34
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,172	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	31
.....persons 1950.....	3,819	.....1945.....	1,011
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,142	.....number 1950.....	723
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2,096	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	28
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	922	.....1945.....	8
Hired workers.....persons 1950.....	1,323	.....number 1950.....	72
.....persons 1950.....	207	.....1945.....	181
.....persons 1950.....	400	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,014
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,342	.....1945.....	2,231
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,977	.....number 1950...	29,137
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,753	.....1945.....	30,778
.....dollars 1949.....	347,200	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,851
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,422	.....1945.....	2,153
.....dollars 1949.....	637,350	.....number 1950...	12,453
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,060	.....1945.....	15,817
.....dollars 1949.....	1,413,971	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,771
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,660	.....number 1950...	10,372
.....dollars 1949.....	1,085,360	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,376
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,957	.....number 1950...	6,078
.....dollars 1949.....	485,090	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,123
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,946	.....number 1950...	5,575
.....dollars 1949.....	679,933	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,117
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,496	.....number 1950...	1,315
.....dollars 1949.....	275,120	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,181
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,531	.....1944.....	1,443
.....dollars 1949.....	301,895	.....pounds 1949.....	49,623,973
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	32,975,603
No sales.....number 1950...	92	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	215
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	203	.....1944.....	318
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	92	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	152,729
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	73	.....1944.....	233,139
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	156	Butter, buttermilk, skin milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	86,712
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	170	.....dollars 1949...	1,634
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	297	HOGS	
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	432	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,326
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	387	.....1945.....	1,568
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	427	.....number 1950...	35,288
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	198	.....1945.....	35,777
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,244
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	628	.....number 1950...	16,587
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	573	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	18,717
Cotton.....number 1950.....	55	.....number 1950...	1,027
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	10	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,119
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	.....1945.....	5,322
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	313	.....number 1950...	4,343
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	70	.....1945.....	4,343
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	70		

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	452	Corn:	
1945.....	626	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,034
number 1950.....	11,160	1944.....	2,191
1945.....	11,788	acres 1949...	66,067
1945.....	11,788	1944.....	67,209
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,026
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	442	1944.....	2,181
number 1950.....	7,031	acres 1949...	63,888
1944.....	440	1944.....	65,339
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	517	bushels 1949...	3,571,274
1945 ¹	6,309	1944.....	2,814,804
number 1950.....	8,558	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	194
1945 ¹	8,558	acres 1949...	1,407
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	288	tons..green weight 1949...	14,533
number 1950.....	722		
Lambs born since Oct.1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	342		
number 1950.....	4,129		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	421		
1944.....	499		
number shorn 1949...	7,356		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	62,269		
1944.....	73,248		
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28		
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,875	Small grains:	
1945.....	2,153	Grains grown together and threshed	
number 1950.....	139,535	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1945.....	186,411	acres 1949...	157
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,049	bushels 1949...	3,538
number 1949...	290,841	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,675
dollars 1949...	300,836	acres 1949...	42,070
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,343	1944.....	35,865
dozens 1949...	1,099,536	bushels 1949...	963,730
dollars 1949...	452,396	1944.....	851,882
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	12	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	996
number 1950...	1,151	1944.....	875
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	21	acres 1949...	12,166
1944...	26	1944.....	9,448
number 1949...	21,386	bushels 1949...	414,483
1944...	16,079	1944.....	335,162
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or			
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,976		
dollars 1949...	3,852,741		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,688		
1944.....	1,783		
number 1949...	15,032		
1944.....	16,431		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,220		
number 1949...	10,084		
dollars 1949...	1,857,325		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,251		
number 1949...	4,948		
dollars 1949...	207,095		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,297		
1944.....	1,490		
number 1949...	45,362		
1944.....	51,259		
dollars 1949...	1,669,059		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	380		
1944.....	394		
number 1949...	6,254		
1944.....	6,834		
dollars 1949...	110,940		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	55		
number 1949...	186		
dollars 1949...	8,322		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,488		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	782		
number 1949...	891		
1944.....	541		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	818		
number 1949...	599		
1944.....	909		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	255		
number 1949...	217		
1944.....	292		
1944.....	243		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,283		
1944.....	1,713		
number 1949...	2,913		
1944.....	4,467		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	333		
dollars 1949...	17,850		
		Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,034
		1944.....	2,191
		acres 1949...	66,067
		1944.....	67,209
		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,026
		1944.....	2,181
		acres 1949...	63,888
		1944.....	65,339
		bushels 1949...	3,571,274
		1944.....	2,814,804
		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	194
		acres 1949...	1,407
		tons..green weight 1949...	14,533
		Hogged or grazed, or cut	
		for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	98
		acres 1949...	772
		Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed	
		as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	12
		acres 1949...	157
		bushels 1949...	3,538
		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,675
		acres 1949...	42,070
		1944.....	35,865
		bushels 1949...	963,730
		1944.....	851,882
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	996
		1944.....	875
		acres 1949...	12,166
		1944.....	9,448
		bushels 1949...	414,483
		1944.....	335,162
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	20
		1944.....	27
		acres 1949...	141
		1944.....	179
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
		1944.....	19
		acres 1949...	62
		1944.....	225
		bushels 1949...	1,992
		1944.....	6,950
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
		1944.....	32
		acres 1949...	193
		1944.....	247
		bushels 1949...	3,548
		1944.....	4,257
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	4
		bushels 1949...	100
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	492
		1944 ² ...	958
		acres 1949...	9,627
		1944 ² ...	17,250
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	464
		1944.....	928
		acres 1949...	9,465
		1944.....	16,828
		bushels 1949...	233,626
		1944.....	303,838
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29
		acres 1949...	150
		tons 1949...	217
		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
		or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	10
		Soybeans plowed under for	
		green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	2
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,564
		acres 1949...	23,861
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
		for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	727
		1944.....	1,074
		acres 1949...	8,681
		1944.....	10,858
		tons 1949...	14,549
		1944.....	18,125

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	986	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	1,322	1944.....	9
acres 1949.....	14,662	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	19,239	1944.....	8
tons 1949.....	19,503	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	25,299	acres 1949.....	7
Lepedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	4	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	17	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	2	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	37
1944.....	19	1944.....	23
Date, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	30
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1944.....	93
1944.....	3	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949.....	111	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	11	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	140	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	13	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	52	1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	541	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	39	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	710	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	57	acres 1949.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	188	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons..green weight 1949...	793	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	104
Field crops (other):		1944.....	143
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1949.....	421
1944.....	48	1944.....	370
acres 1949.....	78	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	474	acres 1949.....	1
bushels 1949.....	202	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	434		
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	238	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	35
acres 1949.....	334	acres 1949.....	6
1944.....	3,002	quarts 1949.....	6,417
bushels 1949.....	194	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	1,710	acres 1949.....	5
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	46	quarts 1949.....	4,354
acres 1949.....	648	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	1,462	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	856
acres 1949.....	26	1945.....	59
bushels 1949.....	26	acres 1950.....	590
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	576
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	218	farms reporting 1950...	680
1944.....	177	1945.....	597
acres 1949.....	472	trees of all ages..number 1950...	14,996
1944.....	647	1945.....	21,511
bushels 1949.....	136,470	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,641
1944.....	95,962	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12,155
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	19,726
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	94	1944.....	31,233
1944.....	26	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	459
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	162
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,748
bushels 1949.....	300	1945.....	11,453
1944.....	168	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,360
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	257	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,383
1944.....	222	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,671
acres 1949.....	1,053	1944.....	6,627
1944.....	865	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	478
pounds 1949.....	1,444,037	1945.....	240
1944.....	1,043,863	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,792
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1945.....	196
acres 1949.....	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,111
gallons 1949.....	430	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,681
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	65	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,481
acres 1949.....	550	1944.....	2,356
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	12,506	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	335
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	916
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	386
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	583
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,618
tons 1949.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	193
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	349
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	199
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,787	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	190
1944.....	1,902	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,459
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	127	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	250
1944.....	181	1945.....	105
acres 1949.....	474	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,008
1944.....	547	1945.....	530
sold..dollars 1949.....	58,864	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	313
1944.....	66,181	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	675
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	202
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	335
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	14	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	503
1944.....	10	1945.....	203
acres 1949.....	3	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,299
1944.....	4	1945.....	981
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,320
acres 1949.....	3	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,979
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,796
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	16,114

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	461	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	204
.....1945.....	214	General farms.....number 1950.....	179
.....number 1950.....	492	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	230	.....number 1950.....	118
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	491	.....number 1950.....	52
.....1945.....	257	.....number 1950.....	1,039
.....number 1950.....	562	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....1945.....	270	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,208
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	471	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	10
.....number 1950.....	507	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	82
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	231
.....number 1950.....	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	451
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	418
.....number 1950.....	20	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	1,030
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,546	Other farms.....number 1950.....	423
.....1945.....	1,419	Part-time.....number 1950.....	602
.....number 1950.....	1,778	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	602
.....1945.....	1,551	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	629	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,925,662
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	179	.....1944.....	2,153,171
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	954	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	188,295
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	306	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	126,910
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	170	.....1944.....	54,158
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	15,522
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	17,071
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	230	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	18,611
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	775	.....1944.....	21,053
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	611	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	27,082
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	675	.....1944.....	1,003
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,672,767
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	1,990,352
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,415	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,084,675
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	165	.....1944.....	812,277
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	396	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	659,231
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	.....1944.....	578,102
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.8	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	928,861
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	579,973
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	520	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	64,600
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,281	.....1944.....	69,512
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	465	HORSES AND MULES	
FARM LABOR^a		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,496
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,444
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,031	.....1945.....	1,547
.....persons 1950.....	3,489	.....number 1950.....	3,068
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,026	.....1945.....	3,554
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,896	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	51
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	965	.....1945.....	51
.....persons 1950.....	1,360	.....number 1950.....	63
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	176	.....1945.....	91
.....persons 1950.....	233	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,942
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,091	.....1945.....	1,741
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,366	.....number 1950.....	22,044
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,071	Cows including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	21,245
dollars 1949.....	55,949	.....1945.....	1,887
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	961	.....number 1950.....	10,927
dollars 1949.....	199,915	.....1945.....	11,927
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,831	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,653
dollars 1949.....	19,160	.....number 1950.....	10,263
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,491	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,303
dollars 1949.....	393,485	.....number 1950.....	5,000
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	581	Stewers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	84
dollars 1949.....	100,325	.....number 1950.....	2,622
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	956	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,624
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	326	.....number 1950.....	3,425
Other farm machinery.....farms reporting 1949.....	881	.....number 1950.....	84
dollars 1949.....	12,040	WHOLE MILK SOLD	
TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	27,201,244
No sales.....number 1950.....	133	.....1944.....	21,261,539
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	469	.....pounds 1949.....	929,551
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	188	.....1944.....	82
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	286	Cream sold.....dollars 1949.....	281,219
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	271	.....1944.....	378,413
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	70	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	149,231
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	276	.....dollars 1949.....	5,866
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	192	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	53	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,323
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	24	.....1945.....	1,123
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	24	.....number 1950.....	8,226
TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	4,314
Field-crop farms.....number 1950.....	5	6 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,064
Field-crop and nut farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	48
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	5	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,064
Cotton.....number 1950.....	9	.....number 1950.....	47
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	9	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	47
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	9	.....number 1950.....	47
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	9	.....number 1950.....	47
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	712	OPERATOR EITHER REPORTING 100 DAYS OR MORE OF OFF-FARM WORK OR REPORTING OTHER INCOME	
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	96	.....number 1950.....	
Part-time farms (those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and exceeding value of agricultural products sold)		.....number 1950.....	
Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.		.....number 1950.....	
Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.		.....number 1950.....	

Item	1949	1948	County total	Item	1949	County total	
SHEEP AND WOOL—CONTINUED				SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED			
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	97	183	97	Corn:			
.....farms reporting 1949...	183	3,707	183	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,776	1,776	
.....number 1950...	3,707	6,905	3,707	1944...	1,826	1,826	
.....number 1949...	6,905		6,905	acres 1949...	9,350	9,350	
Sheep and lambs born before				1944...	10,838	10,838	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	91	2,644	91	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,761	1,761	
1949...	2,644	87	2,644	1944...	1,822	1,822	
number 1950...	87	178	87	acres 1949...	9,063	9,063	
1949...	178	2,123	178	1944...	10,540	10,540	
number 1950...	2,123	5,563	2,123	bushels 1949...	450,322	450,322	
1949...	5,563	65	5,563	1944...	392,226	392,226	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	65	180	65	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	65	65	
1949...	180	3,296	180	acres 1949...	238	238	
number 1950...	3,296	27,755	3,296	tons..green weight 1949...	2,433	2,433	
1949...	27,755	61,045	27,755	Hogged or grazed, or cut			
number 1950...	61,045		61,045	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	16	16	
1949...				acres 1949...	49	49	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	63	1,063	63	Small grains:			
1949...	1,063	91	1,063	Grains grown together and threshed			
number 1950...	91	180	91	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	7	7	
1949...	180	3,296	91	acres 1949...	54	54	
number shorn 1949...	3,296	27,755	180	bushels 1949...	1,250	1,250	
1949...	27,755	61,045	180	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	810	810	
1944...	61,045		180	acres 1949...	4,269	4,269	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	91	180	91	1944...	4,727	4,727	
1949...	180	3,296	91	bushels 1949...	90,845	90,845	
number shorn 1949...	3,296	27,755	91	1944...	78,233	78,233	
1944...	27,755	61,045	91	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	611	611	
1944...	61,045		91	1944...	627	627	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	27,755	61,045	91	acres 1949...	2,428	2,428	
1944...	61,045		91	1944...	2,580	2,580	
Average date of enumeration.....1950..	Apr. 15-Apr. 28		91	bushels 1949...	70,906	70,906	
1944...			91	1944...	67,594	67,594	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS				Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	122	122	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,812	1,801	1,812	1944...	260	260	
1949...	1,801	124,627	1,812	acres 1949...	322	322	
number 1950...	124,627	151,509	1,812	1944...	853	853	
1949...	151,509		1,812	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...			
1944...			1,812	1944...	3	3	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	919	136,097	919	acres 1949...	5	5	
1949...	136,097	161,998	919	1944...	88	88	
dollars 1949...	161,998	1,377	919	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5	5	
1944...	1,377	1,028,057	919	1944...	5	5	
1949...	1,028,057	382,890	919	acres 1949...	11	11	
1944...	382,890		919	1944...	9	9	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	24	1,045	24	bushels 1949...	215	215	
1949...	1,045	38	24	1944...	109	109	
number 1950...	38	55	24	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6	6	
1949...	55	19,682	24	acres 1949...	15	15	
1944...	19,682	9,382	24	bushels 1949...	233	233	
1944...	9,382		24	Annual legumes:			
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE				Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	133	133	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,743	894,475	1,743	1944...	374	374	
1949...	894,475	1,633	1,743	acres 1949...	476	476	
dollars 1949...	1,633	1,494	1,743	1944...	1,177	1,177	
1944...	1,494	9,038	1,743	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	11	11	
1949...	9,038	9,713	1,743	1944...	6	6	
number 1949...	9,713	1,008	1,743	acres 1949...	136	136	
1944...	1,008	3,623	1,743	1944...	32	32	
1949...	3,623	458,138	1,743	bushels 1949...	2,249	2,249	
dollars 1949...	458,138	1,362	1,743	1944...	439	439	
1944...	1,362	5,415	1,743	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	122	122	
1949...	5,415	184,362	1,743	1944...	315	315	
dollars 1949...	184,362		1,743	1944...	535	535	
1944...			1,743	Soybeans hogged or grazed,			
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	918	899	918	or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	6	6	
1949...	899	8,769	918	1944...	16	16	
1944...	8,769	8,220	918	Soybeans plowed under for			
number 1949...	8,220	209,406	918	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5	5	
1944...	209,406		918	1944...	9	9	
dollars 1949...			918	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:			
1944...			918	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	26	26	
1949...			918	1944...	181	181	
number 1949...			918	1944...			
1944...			918	Alfalfa out for hay (or			
1949...			918	for dehydrating.....farms reporting 1949...	665	665	
1944...			918	1944...	637	637	
1949...			918	acres 1949...	525	525	
1944...			918	Corn			
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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,601	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	1,791	1944.....	8
acres 1949...	19,666	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	21,199	1944.....	2
tons 1949...	23,770	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	23,987	acres 1949...	.....
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	3	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	11	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	7	acres 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	12	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944.....	9	1944.....	20
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949...	33
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	188	1944.....	20
1944.....	9	acres 1949...	5
acres 1949...	604	1944.....	2
1944.....	42	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
tons 1949...	563	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	45	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	160	acres 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	1,391	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	2,280	1944.....	4
tons 1949...	1,366	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	2,214	1944.....	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949...	16	acres 1949...	6
tons..green weight 1949...	55	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Field crops (other):		acres 1949...	3
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	21
1944.....	9	acres 1949...	23
acres 1949...	1	1944.....	9
1944.....	37	acres 1949...	18
bushels 1949...	1	1944.....	1
1944.....	25	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	51	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	127	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	191	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	41
bushels 1949...	626	acres 1949...	9
1944.....	211	quarts 1949...	9,410
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	54	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	9
acres 1949...	14	acres 1949...	2
bushels 1949...	19	quarts 1949...	731
1944.....	60	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949...	1	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,203
bushels 1949...	2	1945...	790
Irish potatoes harvested for home		acres 1950 ¹ ..	373
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,567	1945...	792
1944.....	1,647	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	960
acres 1949...	260	1945...	1,090
1944.....	511	trees of all ages..number 1950...	15,319
bushels 1949...	34,609	1945...	22,645
1944.....	49,179	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,322
Sweet potatoes harvested for home		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,997
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	235	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	21,270
1944.....	3	1944.....	17,622
acres 1949...	(*)	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	787
1944.....	605	1945...	1,029
bushels 1949...	25	trees of all ages..number 1950...	9,683
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	25	1945...	14,703
1944.....	37	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,418
acres 1949...	41	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,263
1944.....	32	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,652
pounds 1949...	41,722	1944.....	10,803
1944.....	35,969	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	552
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	42	1945...	711
acres 1949...	11	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,442
gallons 1949...	1,012	1945...	1,640
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	50	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	421
acres 1949...	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,021
100 lb. ear dom 1949...	155	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,103
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944.....	3,850
1944.....	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	239
acres 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	715
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	351
tons 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	424
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,053
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	404
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,916	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,691
1944.....	1,974	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	291
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	41	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,400
1944.....	39	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,364
acres 1949...	73	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	307
1944.....	133	1945...	289
sold..dollars 1949...	15,522	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,489
1944.....	17,073	1945...	1,344
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	626
acres 1949...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	883
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	71
1944.....	19	1944.....	297
acres 1949...	8	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	817
1944.....	25	1945...	939
acres 1949...	6	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,028
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	6,087
acres 1949...	3	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	344
1944.....	(*)	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,484
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	41,970
		1944.....	82,337

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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This release presents figures from the 1950 Census of Agriculture, together with available comparative data from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. The figures from the 1950 Census are preliminary and are subject to revision. A similar report will be released for every county in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the counties in the State. After that, final figures for this county and for other counties in the State will be published in a State Report.

Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 3,259	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 651
	1945... 3,612		1945... 622
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 297,600	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 105
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 72.1		1945... 49
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 136,553	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 546
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 90,638		1945... 573
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 4,910	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 665
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 17,598		1945... 766
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 214,503	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 397
	1945... 230,543		1945... 505
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 65.8	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 367
	1945... 63.8		1945... 423
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 17,877	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 434
	1945... 9,874		1945... 530
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 280.45	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 341
	1945... 154.70		1945... 373
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 184
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 2,684		1945... 192
	1944... 3,009	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 87
acres	1949... 127,032		1945... 91
	1944... 134,540	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 58
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 645		1945... 35
	1944... 710	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 66
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 335		1945... 67
	1944... 404	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 254		1945... 7
	1944... 291	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 471		1945... 1
	1944... 545	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 651	Farms by color of operator:	
	1944... 763	White operators.....number	1950... 3,246
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 278		1945... 3,605
	1944... 255	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 13
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 50		1945... 7
	1944... 41	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 1,743	Full owners.....number	1950... 2,249
	1944 ¹ ... 1,717		1945... 2,368
acres	1949... 28,431	Part owners.....number	1950... 398
	1944 ¹ ... 26,808		1945... 378
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number	1950... 15
pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 624		1945... 28
	acres 1949... 8,355	All tenants.....number	1950... 597
	1944... 7,649		1945... 838
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 851	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 18.3
	acres 1949... 12,199		1945... 23.2
	1944... 12,664	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 81
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 503		1945... 168
	acres 1949... 370	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 30
	1944... 6,237		1945... 7
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 413
not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 826		1945... 553
	acres 1949... 1,693	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 288
	1944 ¹ ... 13,578		1945... 125
Other land (house lots, roads,		Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 73
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 3,067		1945... 110
	acres 1949... 3,525	Other tenants.....number	1950... 16
	1944... 18,671	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 57
	1944... 17,843	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 14	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 2,568
	acres 1949... 32		1945... 2,498
	1944... 174	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 3,248
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 14		1945... 3,281
	acres 1949... 174	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 3,243
			1945... 3,281
FARM OPERATORS		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 10.66
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 3,043	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 2,423
	1945... 3,427	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 1,162
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 117	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 1,015
	1945... 157	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 563
With other income of family exceeding value		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 1,065
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 1,332	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 101
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 1,720	Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 491
	1944... 1,600	Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 411
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 1,421		1945... 426
	1944... 1,458	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 595
			1945... 615
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 216
			1945... 222
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 207
			1945... 401
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 5
			1945... 5

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT* —Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM —Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	884	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	586
.....1945.....	684	General farms.....number 1950...	380
.....number 1950...	1,068	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	790	.....number 1950...	27
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,269	.....number 1950...	101
.....1945.....	2,095	.....number 1950...	252
.....number 1950...	3,172	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,338
.....1945.....	2,417		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	2,029	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	2,630	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,983
.....1945.....	487	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	35
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	507	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	178
.....number 1950...	35	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	493
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	617
.....number 1950...	35	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	462
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,907	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	211
.....1945.....	3,299	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,276
.....number 1950...	3,823	Part-time ².....number 1950...	633
.....1945.....	4,192	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	633
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	10
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	891	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	78	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,770,685
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	92	.....1944.....	7,310,771
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	380	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,395,556
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,818	.....1944.....	2,166,814
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,031,761
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,393,406
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	240	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	217,759
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,812	.....1944.....	226,318
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	886	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	218,969
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	355	.....1944.....	120,656
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	925,067
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	426,434
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,412	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,391,175
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	80	.....1944.....	5,141,807
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	115	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,338,498
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	15	.....1944.....	1,732,491
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.1	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,016,263
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	736,149
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	2,937	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,816,114
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	270	.....1944.....	2,693,167
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,934
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	2,150
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,708	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	657
.....persons 1950...	4,402	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	603
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,658	.....1945.....	1,475
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,533	.....number 1950...	1,447
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	975	.....1945.....	3,163
.....persons 1950...	1,320	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	70
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	362	.....1945.....	341
.....persons 1950...	543	.....number 1950...	107
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	457
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,944	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,239	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,214
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	1,931	.....1945.....	2,637
.....dollars 1949...	285,349	.....number 1950...	24,470
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,019	.....1945.....	30,155
.....dollars 1949...	801,166	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,006
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,528	.....1945 ⁴	2,499
.....dollars 1949...	1,879,599	.....number 1950...	11,491
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,022	.....1945 ⁴	16,423
.....dollars 1949...	1,377,234	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,775
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,543	.....number 1950...	9,422
.....dollars 1949...	367,389	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,370
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,189	.....number 1950...	5,748
.....dollars 1949...	544,796	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,112
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,528	.....number 1950...	4,845
.....dollars 1949...	223,620	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,074
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,393	.....number 1950...	2,996
.....dollars 1949...	165,645	.....number 1950...	932
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,330
No sales.....number 1950...	209	.....1944.....	36,741,041
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	428	.....pounds 1944.....	49,763,095
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	235	.....dollars 1949...	1,491,324
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	182	.....farms reporting 1949...	303
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	303	.....1944.....	442
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	264	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	144,046
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	322	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	192,337
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	467	.....1944.....	80,712
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	305	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	29
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	325	.....dollars 1949...	6,462
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	219	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,683
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	512	.....1945.....	1,914
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	361	.....number 1950...	48,760
Cotton.....number 1950.....	151	.....1945.....	40,214
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	27	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,566
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	9	.....number 1950...	23,034
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	9	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,003
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	279	.....number 1950...	25,726
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	128	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,227
		.....1945.....	1,228
		.....number 1950...	6,985
		.....1945.....	6,003

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	526	Corn:	
1945.....	706	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,289
number 1950.....	10,880	1944.....	2,448
1945.....	12,063	acres 1949.....	54,200
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	56,101
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	511	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,249
number 1950.....	6,476	1944.....	2,421
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	507	acres 1949.....	51,373
1945 ¹	657	1944.....	54,331
number 1950.....	5,916	bushels 1949.....	2,676,188
1945 ¹	9,585	1944.....	1,931,118
Hens and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	298	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	193
number 1950.....	560	acres 1949.....	1,429
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	415	tons..green weight 1949...	14,597
number 1950.....	4,404	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	464	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	139
1944.....	588	acres 1949...	1,398
number shorn 1949.....	6,410	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	49,468	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	71,504	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949...	89
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	2,190
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,446	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,594
1945.....	2,985	acres 1949...	32,880
number 1950.....	188,210	1944.....	27,224
1945.....	241,788	bushels 1949...	726,238
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,211	1944.....	576,318
number 1949.....	397,657	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	708
dollars 1949.....	406,191	1944.....	721
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,536	acres 1949...	7,272
dozens 1949.....	1,144,110	1944.....	7,192
dollars 1949.....	505,291	bushels 1949...	205,572
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	35	1944.....	203,154
number 1950.....	266	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1949.....	76	1944.....	148
1944.....	78	acres 1949...	336
number 1949.....	15,660	1944.....	987
1944.....	9,780	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	63
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949...	249
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,243	1944.....	572
dollars 1949...	3,758,957	bushels 1949...	7,881
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,673	1944.....	15,189
1944.....	2,006	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1949...	12,015	1944.....	51
1944.....	14,660	acres 1949...	91
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1,122	1944.....	422
number 1949...	6,699	bushels 1949...	1,316
dollars 1949...	1,242,263	1944.....	6,459
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,212	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	5,316	acres 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	238,936	bushels 1949...	.....
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,600	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,694	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	175
number 1949...	58,256	1944 ²	559
1944.....	61,352	acres 1949...	2,141
dollars 1949...	2,164,172	1944 ²	7,199
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	394	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	143
1944.....	479	1944.....	466
number 1949...	5,370	acres 1949...	1,917
1944.....	7,181	1944.....	6,392
dollars 1949...	88,229	bushels 1949...	45,818
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	98	1944.....	80,109
number 1949...	314	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	31
dollars 1949...	25,357	acres 1949...	117
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	211
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,761	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	906	or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	1,101	acres 1949...	16
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	694	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....	925	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1949...	826	acres 1949...	91
1944.....	1,174	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	236	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,715
1944.....	143	acres 1949...	24,162
number 1949...	275	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944.....	202	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	990
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,517	1944.....	1,439
1944.....	1,985	acres 1949...	11,476
number 1949...	3,591	1944.....	13,843
1944.....	6,435	tons 1949...	19,267
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	21,224
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	334		
dollars 1949...	24,910		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	952	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	40
1944.....	1,229	1944.....	47
acres 1949...	12,033	acres 1949...	52
1944.....	14,926	1944.....	68
tons 1949...	14,372	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1944.....	19,888	acres 1949...	45
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	3	acres 1949...	6
acres 1949...	16	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	23	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	15	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	119
1944.....	24	1944.....	134
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949...	430
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	49	1944.....	580
1944.....	16	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	11
acres 1949...	386	acres 1949...	8
1944.....	78	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	6
tons 1949...	346	acres 1949...	9
1944.....	76	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1944.....	18
acres 1949...	387	acres 1949...	8
1944.....	366	1944.....	15
tons 1949...	419	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	474	acres 1949...	9
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	21
acres 1949...	135	acres 1949...	25
tons, green weight 1949...	695	1944.....	100
Field crops (other):		acres 1949...	126
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	acres 1949...	182
1944.....	66	1944.....	274
acres 1949...	42	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	611	acres 1949...	3
bushels 1949...	36	1944.....	90
1944.....	439	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	110	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	69
acres 1949...	375	acres 1949...	132
1944.....	1,345	quarts 1949...	118,552
bushels 1949...	250	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	39
1944.....	816	acres 1949...	103
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	37	quarts 1949...	74,225
acres 1949...	295	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949...	562	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,474
acres 1949...	13	1945.....	282
bushels 1949...	15	acres 1950 ² ...	1,328
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	1,329
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	421	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,173
1944.....	165	1945.....	694
acres 1949 ¹ ...	192	trees of all ages..number 1950...	39,733
1944.....	421	1945.....	33,876
bushels 1949...	53,972	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	10,191
1944.....	47,968	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	29,542
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	86,582
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	236	1944.....	33,633
1944.....	32	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	834
acres 1949 ¹ ...	10	1945.....	475
1944.....	13	trees of all ages..number 1950...	27,064
bushels 1949...	2,573	1945.....	23,777
1944.....	756	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	8,370
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	363	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	18,694
1944.....	350	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	24,381
acres 1949...	1,954	1944.....	11,190
1944.....	1,668	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	890
pounds 1949...	3,000,113	1945.....	581
1944.....	1,773,634	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,584
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1945.....	4,720
acres 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	996
gallons 1949...	272	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,588
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	78	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,287
acres 1949...	517	1944.....	6,173
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	8,985	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	626
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	6,211
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,866
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,345
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	49,805
tons 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	257
1944.....		1950.....	573
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950...	260
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,482	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	307
1944.....	2,691	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,796
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	163	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	426
1944.....	285	1945.....	321
acres 1949...	1,031	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,472
1944.....	1,731	1945.....	2,421
sold.,dollars 1949...	217,759	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,232
1944.....	226,318	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,240
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	29	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,139
acres 1949...	24	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	890
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	150	1944.....	803
1944.....	46	1945.....	468
acres 1949...	115	vines of all ages..number 1950...	60,066
1944.....	82	1945.....	11,643
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	25	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	13,341
acres 1949...	16	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	46,725
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	17	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	279,339
acres 1949...	7	1944.....	88,799

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,766	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	61
.....1945...	1,708	.....1945...	27
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	267,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	14
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	82.4	.....1945...	7
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	181,255	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	47
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	45,109	.....1945...	50
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,906	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	120
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,892	.....1945...	105
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	220,378	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	163
.....1945...	223,168	.....1945...	152
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	124.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	171
.....1945...	130.7	.....1945...	138
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	6,070	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	339
.....1945...	3,374	.....1945...	345
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	51.55	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	337
.....1945...	25.82	.....1945...	294
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	220
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,573	.....1945...	239
.....1944...	1,597	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	119
.....acres 1949...	42,416	.....1945...	129
.....1944...	44,740	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	80
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	343	.....1945...	87
.....1944...	288	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	137
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	359	.....1945...	140
.....1944...	358	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	19
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	301	.....1945...	21
.....1944...	351	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	370		
.....1944...	392	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	178	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	181	White operators.....number 1950...	1,730
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	20	.....1945...	1,680
.....1944...	27	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	36
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945...	28
.....1944...	2	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	327	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,338
.....1944...	88	.....1945...	1,294
.....acres 1949...	8,335	Part owners.....number 1950...	215
.....1944...	1,483	.....1945...	167
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	6
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	477	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	8,591	All tenants.....number 1950...	207
.....1944...	3,232	.....1945...	243
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	968	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	11.7
.....1944...	1,138	.....1945...	14.2
.....acres 1949...	20,330	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	67
.....1944...	20,776	.....1945...	109
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	677	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	454	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	13,910	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	87
.....1944...	6,775	.....1945...	113
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	23
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,596	.....1945...	44
.....1944...	1,667	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	66
.....acres 1949...	115,379	.....1945...	17
.....1944...	137,471	Other tenants.....number 1950...	40
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	26
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,616		
.....1944...	1,664	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...	11,417	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,010
.....1944...	8,691	.....1945...	1,026
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,545
.....1944...		.....1945...	381
.....acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,535
.....1944...		.....1945...	5.53
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	415
.....1944...		.....1945...	225
.....acres 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	165
.....1944...		.....1945...	1,350
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	250
		.....1945...	25
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	165
		.....1945...	40
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	165
		.....1945...	40
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		.....1945...	40
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	95
		.....1945...	95
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		.....1945...	35
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		.....1945...	35
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	80
		.....1945...	95
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....1945...	10
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....1945...	10
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....1945...	10

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	365	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	437
.....1945...	197	General farms.....number 1950...	176
.....number 1950...	385	.....1945...	5
.....1945...	206	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	123
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	550	.....number 1950...	48
.....1945...	354	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	694
.....number 1950...	650		
.....1945...	374		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	515	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	560	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,077
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	70	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	21
.....number 1950...	70	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	86
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	277
.....number 1950...	20	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	400
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,160	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	333
.....1945...	1,242	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	689
.....number 1950...	1,260	Other farms.....number 1950...	316
.....1945...	1,329	Part-time ².....number 1950...	373
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	373
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	424	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	163		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	618	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	296	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,963,951
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	265	.....1944...	2,050,520
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	318,595
		.....1944...	127,304
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	278,179
		.....1944...	80,618
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	16,021
		.....1944...	26,650
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	23,056
		.....1944...	10,072
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	3,299
		.....1944...	3,364
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,503,338
		.....1944...	1,914,113
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	744,618
		.....1944...	572,379
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	416,452
		.....1944...	435,013
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,439,923
		.....1944...	906,721
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	45,361
		.....1944...	14,103
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,024
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,001
		.....1945...	1,201
		.....number 1950...	2,175
		.....1945...	2,838
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		.....1945...	73
		.....number 1950...	66
		.....1945...	125
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,557
		.....1945...	1,512
		.....number 1950...	21,023
		.....1945...	20,887
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,530
		.....1945 ¹ ...	1,461
		.....number 1950...	9,441
		.....1945 ² ...	9,751
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,399
		.....number 1950...	7,354
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,153
		.....number 1950...	5,214
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	849
		.....number 1950...	1,742
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	692
		.....number 1950...	2,628
		.....farms reporting 1949...	649
		.....pounds 1944...	583
		.....pounds 1949...	17,868,373
		.....number 1950...	15,048,916
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	642,933
		.....1944...	431
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	58
		.....dollars 1944...	182,168
		.....dollars 1949...	271,197
		.....dollars 1949...	100,023
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	17
		.....dollars 1949...	1,637
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	937
		.....1945...	834
		.....number 1950...	9,217
		.....1945...	6,038
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	826
		.....number 1950...	4,111
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	564
		.....number 1950...	5,106
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	609
		.....1945...	492
		.....number 1950...	1,286
		.....1945...	791

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	400	Corn:	
1945.....	644	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,278
number 1950.....	20,374	1944.....	1,357
1945.....	36,444	acres 1949... ¹	11,461
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	12,002
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	381	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,267
number 1950.....	16,466	1944.....	1,348
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	362	acres 1949...	10,981
1945.....	448	1944.....	11,485
number 1950...	11,465	bushels 1949...	583,270
1945 ¹ ...	14,012	1944.....	472,955
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	298	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	82
number 1950...	5,001	acres 1949...	350
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	193	tons..green weight 1949...	3,639
number 1950...	3,908	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	380	For green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	662	acres 1949...	130
number shorn 1949...	18,564	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	165,091	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	335,590	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949...	88
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	1,900
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,337	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	775
1945.....	1,422	acres 1949...	6,337
number 1950...	98,048	1944.....	6,156
1945.....	132,834	bushels 1949...	118,927
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	657	1944.....	95,597
number 1949...	63,501	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	238
dollars 1949...	76,956	1944.....	138
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	989	acres 1949...	1,128
dozens 1949...	851,303	1944.....	620
dollars 1949...	327,975	bushels 1949...	29,582
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	21	1944.....	12,926
number 1950...	111	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	58
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	37	1944.....	108
1944.....	41	acres 1949...	252
number 1949...	1,554	1944.....	445
1944.....	2,433	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	11
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949...	68
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,418	1944.....	62
dollars 1949...	1,338,798	bushels 1949...	1,532
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,278	1944.....	1,127
1944.....	1,265	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	8,102	1944.....	4
1944.....	8,361	acres 1949...	1
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	920	1944.....	9
number 1949...	4,900	bushels 1949...	15
dollars 1949...	692,234	1944.....	128
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	827	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	3,202	acres 1949...	19
dollars 1949...	146,983	bushels 1949...	225
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	838	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	864	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	109
number 1949...	11,897	1944 ² ...	254
1944.....	11,822	acres 1949...	426
dollars 1949...	352,039	1944 ² ...	1,019
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	348	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1944.....	285	1944.....	33
number 1949...	9,082	acres 1949...	173
1944.....	8,532	1944.....	140
dollars 1949...	133,664	bushels 1949...	2,939
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	91	1944.....	1,867
number 1949...	220	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	79
dollars 1949...	13,878	acres 1949...	222
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	366
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,243	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	451	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	495	acres 1949...	14
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	323	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....	412	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	348	acres 1949...	17
1944.....	441	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	132	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,404
1944.....	69	acres 1949...	22,283
number 1949...	147	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944.....	71	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	519
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,176	1944.....	683
1944.....	1,274	acres 1949...	3,907
number 1949...	2,761	1944.....	4,190
1944.....	3,423	tons 1949...	7,633
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	8,066
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	263		
dollars 1949...	9,187		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,241	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	132
.....1945...	2,355	.....1945...	163
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	258,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	21
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.8	.....1945...	8
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	179,330	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	111
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	74,735	.....1945...	155
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,175	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	236
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	15,279	.....1945...	240
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	239,961	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	215
.....1945...	249,993	.....1945...	209
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	107.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	200
.....1945...	106.2	.....1945...	218
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	11,570	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	394
.....1945...	7,715	.....1945...	434
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	105.88	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	458
.....1945...	72.67	.....1945...	255
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	277
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,967	.....1945...	141
.....1944...	2,098	.....1945...	156
acres 1949...	121,782	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	83
1944...	126,332	.....1945...	74
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	158	.....1945...	143
1944...	190	.....1945...	118
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	161	.....1945...	5
1944...	149	.....1945...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	190	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	
1944...	209	.....1945...	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	447		
1944...	486	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	696	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	774	White operators.....number 1950...	2,240
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	267	.....1945...	2,353
1944...	249	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	48	.....1945...	2
1944...	41	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	651	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,570
1944...	429	.....1945...	1,468
acres 1949...	13,033	Part owners.....number 1950...	321
1944...	14,701	.....1945...	313
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	5
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	423	.....1945...	9
acres 1949...	6,710	All tenants.....number 1950...	345
1944...	4,277	.....1945...	565
1944...	993	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15.4
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,017	1945...	24.0
acres 1949...	22,102	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	64
1944...	23,146	.....1945...	128
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	727	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	32
acres 1949...	423	.....1945...	37
1944...	13,445	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	196
1944...	7,151	.....1945...	408
Other pastura (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	43
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,564	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	153
acres 1949...	1,797	.....1945...	53
1944...	48,513	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	12
1944...	61,729	.....1945...	12
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	41
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,161		
acres 1949...	2,399	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	14,376	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	975
1944...	12,657	.....1945...	824
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,190
acres 1949...	58	.....1945...	1,869
1944...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,190
1944...	58	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.30
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,415
acres 1949...	58	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	590
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	380
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,035
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,015
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	495
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	515
		number 1950...	540
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	446
		number 1950...	451
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	125
		number 1950...	125
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	285
		number 1950...	315
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,121		
.....1945...	2,237		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	80		
.....1945...	111		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	646		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	975		
1944...	549		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	625		
1944...	408		

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT* —Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM —Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	406	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	580
.....1945.....	203	General farms.....number 1950...	422
.....number 1950.....	443	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	213	.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,561	.....number 1950...	278
.....1945.....	1,217	.....number 1950...	139
.....number 1950.....	1,996	.....number 1950...	379
.....1945.....	1,266		
.....1945.....	1,486	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,771	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,672
.....1950.....	220	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	10
.....number 1950.....	220	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	63
.....1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	278
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	632
.....number 1950.....	1,951	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	479
.....1945.....	2,120	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	210
.....number 1950.....	2,392	Other farms.....number 1950...	569
.....1945.....	2,405	.....number 1950...	340
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	451	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	222
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	7
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	190		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	296	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,269	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,666,164
		.....1944.....	4,737,436
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,632,435
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,043,114
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	160	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,613,031
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	945	.....1944.....	1,002,693
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	760	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,458
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	330	.....1944.....	8,063
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	8,988
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	25,914
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,455	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	6,958
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....1944.....	6,444
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	325	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,992,402
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	60	.....1944.....	3,686,563
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.6	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,467,718
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	1,145,840
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	920	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	698,679
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,185	.....1944.....	638,932
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,826,005
		.....1944.....	1,901,771
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	41,327
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	27,759
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,875		
.....persons 1950...	3,090	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,865	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	616
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,765	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	594
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	825	.....1945.....	1,287
.....persons 1950...	1,130	.....1950.....	1,264
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	130	.....1945.....	3,039
.....persons 1950...	155	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	29
		.....1945.....	74
		.....number 1950.....	50
		.....1945.....	142
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,091	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,936
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,716	.....1945.....	2,039
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	1,585	.....number 1950...	23,757
.....1949.....	253,600	.....1945.....	23,824
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	1,071	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,870
.....1949.....	238,965	.....1945.....	1,981
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,891	.....number 1950...	11,877
.....dollars 1949...	1,009,765	.....1945.....	13,533
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,521	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,774
.....dollars 1949...	568,160	.....number 1950...	10,444
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,591	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,383
.....dollars 1949...	175,230	.....number 1950...	6,104
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,631	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	938
.....dollars 1949...	381,430	.....number 1950...	2,737
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,216	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,083
.....dollars 1949...	147,835	.....number 1950...	3,019
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,261	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	945
.....dollars 1949...	110,140	.....1944.....	979
		.....pounds 1949...	35,944,874
		.....1944.....	33,299,819
		.....dollars 1949...	1,313,246
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	602
		.....1944.....	735
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	278,147
		.....1944.....	340,298
		.....dollars 1949...	154,223
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		.....dollars 1949...	249
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		HOGS	
No sales.....number 1950...	47	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,460
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	175	.....1945.....	1,475
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	98	.....number 1950...	35,524
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	118	.....1945.....	22,534
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	221	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,374
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	206	.....number 1950...	16,232
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	386	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	925
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	439	.....number 1950...	19,292
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	296	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,162
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	182	.....1945.....	1,141
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	73	.....number 1950...	5,496
		.....1945.....	3,969
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	244		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	244		
Cotton.....number 1950.....			
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....			
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	354		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	62		

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	747	Corn:	
1945.....	1,032	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1945...	1,778
number 1950...	38,101	1944.....	1,822
1945.....	47,790	acres 1949...	27,655
1944.....		1944.....	40,345
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1945...	1,764
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	729	1944.....	1,877
number 1950...	25,124	acres 1949...	35,694
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	724	1944.....	39,702
1945.....	1,054	bushels 1949...	1,841,771
number 1950...	23,578	1944.....	1,624,777
1945.....	38,180	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	180
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	513	acres 1949...	1,105
number 1950...	1,546	tons green weight 1949...	8,427
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	527	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950...	12,977	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	126
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	723	acres 1949...	856
1944.....	1,035	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	28,882	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	232,356	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	363,792	acres 1949...	115
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	bushels 1949...	2,615
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,461
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,721	acres 1949...	23,467
1945.....	1,984	1944.....	19,048
number 1950...	133,362	bushels 1949...	497,337
1945.....	177,774	1944.....	391,823
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	909	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,254
number 1949...	128,014	acres 1949...	1,070
dollars 1949...	150,925	acres 1949...	15,973
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,216	1944.....	11,199
dozens 1949...	1,028,423	bushels 1949...	505,597
dollars 1949...	430,234	1944.....	386,210
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1950...	2,650	acres 1949...	12
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	47	1944.....	102
number 1949...	17,715	acres 1949...	60
1944.....	14,261	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	12
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949...	64
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,870	bushels 1949...	1,705
dollars 1949...	2,699,013	1944.....	2,675
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,385	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	23
1944.....	1,572	acres 1949...	88
number 1949...	9,337	acres 1949...	183
1944.....	9,352	bushels 1949...	645
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	996	1944.....	2,832
number 1949...	4,070	bushels 1949...	10,009
dollars 1949...	608,093	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	37
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,283	acres 1949...	245
number 1949...	5,267	bushels 1949...	4,389
dollars 1949...	223,234	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,385	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	740
1944.....	1,420	acres 1949...	1,135
number 1949...	40,653	acres 1949...	13,967
1944.....	41,143	1944 ² ...	21,797
dollars 1949...	1,462,150	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	673
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	691	acres 1949...	1,007
1944.....	801	acres 1949...	13,436
number 1949...	21,986	1944.....	20,659
1944.....	26,985	bushels 1949...	262,598
dollars 1949...	387,855	1944.....	332,823
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	95
number 1949...	394	acres 1949...	491
dollars 1949...	17,681	tons 1949...	707
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,360	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	752	acres 1949...	12
number 1949...	844	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	517	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	840	acres 1949...	28
number 1949...	577	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	911	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,591
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	243	acres 1949...	27,648
number 1949...	147	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944.....	267	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	153
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	224	acres 1949...	97
1944.....	1,156	acres 1949...	1,529
number 1949...	1,499	tons 1949...	723
1944.....	2,081	1944.....	2,812
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	1,317
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	345		
dollars 1949...	10,539		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,530	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	1,773	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	25,856	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	29,141	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	32,832	1944.....	3
1944.....	41,125	acres 1949.....	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	.....	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	6	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	6	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	.....	1944.....	16
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	31
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944.....	27
1944.....	1	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	73	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	1	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
tons 1949.....	89	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	1	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	148	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	15	1944.....	71
tons 1949.....	184	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	17	acres 1949.....	(*)
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949.....	183	acres 1949.....	.....
tons..green weight 1949...	1,060	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Field crops (other):		1944.....	6
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	8	1944.....	4
acres 1949.....	4	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	53	acres 1949.....	(*)
bushels 1949.....	2	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1
1944.....	28	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	138	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1944.....	527	acres 1949.....	6
acres 1949.....	1,501	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	6,137	quarts 1949.....	4,169
bushels 1949.....	844	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	4,272	acres 1949.....	2
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	153	quarts 1949...	503
acres 1949.....	1,363	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	3,728	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	889
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	427
bushels 1949.....	.....	acres 1950 ²	327
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	467
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	287	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	697
1944.....	305	1945.....	337
acres 1949 ¹	156	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,119
1944.....	512	1945.....	10,904
bushels 1949.....	46,487	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,967
1944.....	65,928	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,152
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	14,980
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	31	1944.....	15,561
1944.....	10	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	461
acres 1949 ¹	1	1945.....	259
1944.....	80	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,823
bushels 1949.....	80	1945.....	3,501
1944.....	61	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,400
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,423
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,177
acres 1949.....	.....	1944.....	1,406
1944.....	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	447
pounds 1949.....	.....	1945.....	207
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,386
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	2,182
acres 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	816
gallons 1949.....	109	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,570
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	30	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,999
acres 1949.....	180	1944.....	6,704
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	2,988	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	237
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	580
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	257
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	323
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	411
tons 1949.....	.....	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	89
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	213
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	89
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,689	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	124
1944.....	2,108	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	450
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	501
1944.....	30	1945.....	94
acres 1949.....	42	trees of all ages..number 1950...	667
1944.....	128	1945.....	464
sold..dollars 1949.....	3,458	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	247
1944.....	8,063	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	420
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	90
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	228
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	446
1944.....	3	1945.....	291
acres 1949.....	3	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,703
1944.....	2	1945.....	2,358
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,380
acres 1949.....	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,321
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,896
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	17,931

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,660	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	172
1945...	2,904	1945...	201
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	424,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	11
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	73.7	1945...	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	257,914	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	161
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	59,638	1945...	196
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,774	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	270
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	6,586	1945...	318
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	312,740	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	247
1945...	338,949	1945...	257
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	117.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	251
1945...	116.7	1945...	264
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	7,645	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	424
1945...	4,530	1945...	448
average per acre, dollars 1950*	65.42	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	466
1945...	38.81	1945...	483
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	341
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,360	1945...	377
1944...	2,702	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	163
acres 1949...	79,190	1945...	199
1944...	92,943	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	118
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	547	1945...	133
1944...	603	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	176
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	436	1945...	196
1944...	500	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	31
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	395	1945...	25
1944...	418	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	504	1945...	3
1944...	578		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	369	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	481	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	92	White operators.....number 1950...	2,648
1944...	103	1945...	2,891
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	12
1944...	19	1945...	13
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,146	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	463	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,080
acres 1949...	32,788	1945...	2,131
1944 ¹ ...	10,727	Part owners.....number 1950...	307
		1945...	324
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	5
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	902	1945...	16
acres 1949...	22,293	All tenants.....number 1950...	268
1944...	6,383	1945...	433
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,210	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.1
1944...	1,080	1945...	14.9
acres 1949...	27,988	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	103
1944...	19,493	1945...	245
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,046	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	9
1944...	995	1945...	7
acres 1949...	23,795	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	62
1944...	18,408	1945...	145
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	11
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,869	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	51
1944 ¹ ...	7,680	1945...	94
acres 1949...	103,109	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	36
1944 ¹ ...	166,366	1945...	23
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	69
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,490	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	2,760	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,732
acres 1949...	23,577	1945...	1,539
1944...	24,629	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,413
		1945...	1,898
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	3	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,398
1944...	3	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.83
acres 1949...	9	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,511
1944...	9	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,086
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	842
acres 1949...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,247
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	548
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	84
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	291
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	195
		number 1950...	195
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	250
		number 1950...	250
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	103
		number 1950...	103
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	360
		number 1950...	440
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,433		
1945...	2,740		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	154		
1945...	151		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,087		
1949...	1,332		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	1,139		
1944...	967		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	898		
1944...	898		

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	726	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	631
.....1945.....	520	.....number 1950...	219
.....number 1950.....	795	General farms.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	545	.....number 1950.....	146
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,393	.....number 1950.....	64
.....1945.....	938	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,178
.....number 1950.....	1,690		
.....1945.....	1,037		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,233		
.....number 1950.....	1,445		
.....1945.....	222		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	222		
.....number 1950.....	23		
.....1945.....	23		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	23		
.....number 1950.....	2,082		
.....1945.....	2,306		
.....number 1950.....	2,550		
.....1945.....	2,624		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,082		
.....1945.....	2,306		
.....number 1950.....	2,550		
.....1945.....	2,624		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	508		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	114		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	672		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	569		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	797		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD²		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,487
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	80	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	16
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	854	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	42
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	825	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	192
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	834	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	392
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	498
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	347
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,204	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,173
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	75	Part-time ³.....number 1950.....	391
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	685	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold) ².....number 1950.....	782
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	141	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.2		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	856	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,906,363
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,542	.....dollars 1944.....	3,844,724
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	135	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	840,335
		.....dollars 1944.....	592,344
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	671,086
		.....dollars 1944.....	346,129
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,024
		.....dollars 1944.....	32,505
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	75,776
		.....dollars 1944.....	154,040
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	101,449
		.....dollars 1944.....	59,670
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,987,049
		.....dollars 1944.....	3,235,395
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,147,158
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,041,357
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	610,010
		.....dollars 1944.....	580,408
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,229,841
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,613,630
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	48,979
		.....dollars 1944.....	20,985
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,338
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,289
		.....1945.....	1,878
		.....number 1950.....	2,787
		.....number 1945.....	4,423
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	65
		.....1945.....	110
		.....number 1950.....	114
		.....number 1945.....	203
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,263
		.....1945.....	2,519
		.....number 1950.....	31,711
		.....number 1945.....	35,737
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,174
		.....1945.....	2,396
		.....number 1950.....	14,185
		.....number 1945.....	17,311
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,021
		.....number 1950.....	11,009
		.....number 1945.....	1,630
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	8,019
		.....number 1950.....	1,221
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,170
		.....number 1950.....	1,324
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,337
		.....number 1950.....	699
		.....number 1949.....	637
		.....pounds 1949.....	25,744,177
		.....pounds 1944.....	23,599,862
		.....dollars 1949.....	927,928
		.....dollars 1944.....	723
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,168
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	377,780
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	603,399
		.....dollars 1949.....	211,044
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	33
		.....dollars 1949.....	8,186
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,482
		.....1945.....	1,454
		.....number 1950.....	20,238
		.....number 1945.....	13,449
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,295
		.....number 1950.....	8,994
		.....number 1945.....	895
		.....number 1950.....	11,244
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	991
	1945.....	903
	number 1950.....	2,697
	number 1945.....	1,889

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Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,697	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	2,106	1944.....	49
acres 1949...	25,118	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	32,965	1944.....	10
tons 1949...	32,219	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1944.....	41,565	acres 1949...	21
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	3	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	52	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	35	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	63	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	65
1944.....	36	acres 1949...	109
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		1944.....	66
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	61	acres 1949...	104
1944.....	22	1944.....	10
acres 1949...	273	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	103	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	273	acres 1949...	
1944.....	107	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	113	acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	1,150	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	308	1944.....	17
tons 1949...	1,248	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	315	1944.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949...	167	acres 1949...	1
tons..green weight 1949...	830	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Field crops (other):		acres 1949...	1
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	48
1944.....	51	1944.....	118
acres 1949...	16	acres 1949...	42
1944.....	259	1944.....	62
bushels 1949...	17	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	239	acres 1949...	6
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	163	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
1944.....	485	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	1,127	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	77
1944.....	3,617	acres 1949...	25
bushels 1949...	600	quarts 1949...	45,231
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,373	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	35
acres 1949...	61	acres 1949...	7
1944.....	322	quarts 1949...	4,756
bushels 1949...	552	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949...	21	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,065
bushels 1949...	11	1945.....	861
Irish potatoes harvested for home		acres 1950 ¹ ...	1,035
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	752	1945.....	1,834
1944.....	772	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	825
acres 1949 ² ...	553	1945.....	1,170
1944.....	665	trees of all ages..number 1950...	26,501
bushels 1949...	120,285	1945.....	48,839
1944.....	102,205	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,981
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	32,789
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	276	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	62,601
1944.....	167	1944.....	66,835
acres 1949 ² ...	9	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	598
1944.....	34	1945.....	872
bushels 1949...	2,339	trees of all ages..number 1950...	18,298
1944.....	4,620	1945.....	27,542
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,687
1944.....	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	14,611
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7,984
1944.....	3	1944.....	17,488
pounds 1949...	814	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	429
1944.....	3,789	1945.....	600
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,955
acres 1949...	1	1945.....	2,397
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	54	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	532
acres 1949...	14	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,421
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	12	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,659
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	244	1944.....	4,221
1944.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	317
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,812
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,012
tons 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,307
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,188
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	283
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,141	trees of all ages..number 1950...	780
1944.....	2,608	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	307
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	79	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	473
1944.....	196	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,033
acres 1949...	167	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	276
1944.....	248	1945.....	281
sold..dollars 1949...	22,024	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,413
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	32,505	1945.....	2,988
acres 1949...	11	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	896
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,516
1944.....	24	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	393
acres 1949...	78	1944.....	768
1944.....	6	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	553
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	16	1945.....	965
acres 1949...	16	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,889
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	8,758
acres 1949...	5	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	562
1944.....	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,307
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	27,086
		1944.....	134,889

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,695	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	55
.....1945...	2,016	.....1945...	88
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	255,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	78.9	.....1945...	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	170,845	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	54
.....1945...	36,250	.....1945...	86
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,569	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	103
.....1945...	.....	.....1945...	133
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	158
.....1945...	.....	.....1945...	210
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	152
.....1945...	.....	.....1945...	184
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	377
.....1945...	.....	.....1945...	427
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	201,526	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	345
.....1945...	226,762	.....1945...	411
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	118.9	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	227
.....1945...	112.5	.....1945...	244
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	5,625	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	110
.....1945...	2,987	.....1945...	130
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	47.89	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	61
.....1945...	26.55	.....1945...	86
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	95
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,541	.....1945...	92
.....1944...	1,828	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	10
.....acres 1949...	40,357	.....1945...	11
.....1944...	47,615	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	2
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	274	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	350		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	384	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	420	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	348	White operators.....number 1950...	1,693
.....1944...	400	.....1945...	2,014
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	365	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	467	.....1945...	2
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	154	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	183	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,278
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	15	.....1945...	1,707
.....1944...	7	Part owners.....number 1950...	218
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	145
.....1944...	1	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	823	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	204	All tenants.....number 1950...	199
.....acres 1949...	36,682	.....1945...	163
.....1944...	4,622	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	11.7
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945...	8.1
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	317	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	60
.....1944...	7,932	.....1945...	62
.....acres 1949...	578	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....1944...	906	.....1945...	.....
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,098	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	54
.....1944...	13,759	.....1945...	88
.....acres 1949...	17,827	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	19
.....1944...	553	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	35
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	519	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	76
.....1944...	7,874	.....1945...	7
.....acres 1949...	6,944	Other tenants.....number 1950...	22
.....1944...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	54
Other pasture (not cropland and		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,224	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	927
.....1944...	1,962	.....1945...	1,077
.....acres 1949...	31,569	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,407
.....1944...	134,951	.....1945...	710
Other land (house lots, roads,		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,407
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,576	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.88
.....1944...	1,918	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	191
.....acres 1949...	13,353	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	135
.....1944...	14,225	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	165
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,210
.....1944...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	246
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
.....1944...	.....	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	135
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1944...	.....	.....number 1950...	5
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	10
FARM OPERATORS		.....number 1950...	10
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,571	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
.....1945...	1,787	.....number 1950...	6
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	91	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
.....1945...	220	.....number 1950...	6
With other income of family exceeding value		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	65
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	494	.....number 1950...	65
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	706	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
.....1944...	594	.....number 1950...	5
.....1949...	418		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	317		
.....1944...	.....	

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	306	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	
1945.....	183	General farms.....number 1950...	
number 1950...	331	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	
1945.....	194	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	481	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	
1945.....	245	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
number 1950...	481		
1945.....	259		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	401		
number 1950...	426		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	40		
number 1950...	40		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15		
number 1950...	15		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,098		
1945.....	1,335		
number 1950...	1,218		
1945.....	1,453		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	379		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	100		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	786		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	255		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	175		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	120	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	642	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	535	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	360	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	871	Other farms.....number 1950...	
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	105	Part-time ².....number 1950...	
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	291	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	510		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	847		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	220		
FARM LABOR^a		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,616
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,452	1944.....	1,888
persons 1950...	2,593	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	116
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,452	1944.....	59
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,392	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	100
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	700	1944.....	50
persons 1950...	1,095	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	86	1944.....	12
persons 1950...	106	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	8
		1944.....	1
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	
		1944.....	
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,462
		1944.....	1,804
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	626
		1944.....	527
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	449
		1944.....	454
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,387
		1944.....	822
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	37
		1944.....	24
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		number 1950...	2
		1945.....	3
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		number 1950...	
		1945.....	
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		number 1950...	33
		1945.....	23
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		number 1950...	9
		1945.....	10
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	9
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	5
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	4
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	3
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		pounds 1949...	11,223
		1944.....	9,414
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	403
		1944.....	
		pounds of butterfat 1949...	1
		1944.....	407
		1944.....	529
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	321
		dollars 1949...	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		number 1950...	7
		1945.....	3
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	3
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	4
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	
		1945.....	
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	322	Corn:	
1945.....	572	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,296
number 1950...	15,030	1944.....	1,448
1945.....	26,466	acres 1949...	8,547
1945.....	26,466	1944.....	9,087
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,289
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	314	1944.....	1,447
number 1950...	11,879	acres 1949...	8,291
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	297	1944.....	8,829
1945 ¹	552	bushels 1949...	429,260
number 1950...	8,597	1944.....	364,951
1945 ¹	16,540	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	37
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	194	acres 1949...	167
number 1950...	3,282	tons green weight 1949...	1,655
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	181	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950...	3,151	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	22
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	300	acres 1949...	89
1944.....	572	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	12,999	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	116,565	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	234,857	acres 1949...	63
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	bushels 1949...	1,369
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	591
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,453	acres 1949...	3,729
1945.....	1,661	1944.....	3,560
number 1950...	102,216	bushels 1949...	75,695
1945.....	120,635	1944.....	52,981
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	743	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	213
number 1949...	59,463	1944.....	147
dollars 1949...	73,602	acres 1949...	887
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,161	1944.....	245
dozens 1949...	719,141	bushels 1949...	21,834
dollars 1949...	277,464	1944.....	12,308
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	28	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	88
number 1950...	427	1944.....	141
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	36	acres 1949...	330
1944.....	112	1944.....	571
number 1949...	15,959	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	21,269	1944.....	1
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	6
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944.....	4
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,422	bushels 1949...	215
dollars 1949...	1,316,266	1944.....	85
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,340	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	1,501	1944.....	1
number 1949...	9,080	acres 1949...	14
1944.....	9,684	1944.....	2
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	1,002	bushels 1949...	237
number 1949...	5,872	1944.....	18
dollars 1949...	818,029	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	811	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	3,208	bushels 1949...	
dollars 1949...	158,784	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	773	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	42
1944.....	869	1944 ² ...	100
number 1949...	8,399	acres 1949...	215
1944.....	8,172	1944 ² ...	332
dollars 1949...	243,280	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	232	1944.....	2
1944.....	284	acres 1949...	97
number 1949...	6,464	1944.....	17
1944.....	7,669	bushels 1949...	2,057
dollars 1949...	88,765	1944.....	245
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	78	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	27
number 1949...	132	acres 1949...	70
dollars 1949...	7,408	tons 1949...	128
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,368	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	429	acres 1949...	41
number 1949...	460	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	314	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	561	acres 1949...	7
number 1949...	332	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	618	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	119	acres 1949...	26,590
1944.....	29	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
number 1949...	128	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	562
1944.....	39	1944.....	772
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,340	acres 1949...	4,192
1944.....	1,555	1944.....	4,908
number 1949...	3,930	tons 1949...	7,269
1944.....	4,962	1944.....	9,062
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	276		
dollars 1949...	9,897		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,243	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	1,261	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	19,138	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	19,029	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	21,546	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	20,058	acres 1949.....	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	3	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	28	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	13	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	25	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
1944.....	14	1944.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	1
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	78	1944.....	
1944.....	119	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	296	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	407	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	277	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	360	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	190	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	2,813	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	8,425	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2,788	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	8,832	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	26	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
tons..green weight 1949.....	160	1944.....	
acres 1949.....		acres 1949.....	1
Field crops (other):		1944.....	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	10	1944.....	
1944.....	15	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	20	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	6	acres 1949.....	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	36	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	104	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	25
acres 1949.....	142	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	628	quarts 1949.....	7,598
bushels 1949.....	141	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	7
1944.....	498	acres 1949.....	1
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	quarts 1949.....	848
acres 1949.....	4	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	6	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alaska clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	526
acres 1949.....		1945.....	735
bushels 1949.....		acres 1950 ²	163
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	668
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	745	acres 1945.....	968
1944.....	840	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	468
acres 1949 ¹	101	1945.....	968
1944.....	167	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	6,331
bushels 1949.....	13,361	1945.....	15,885
1944.....	17,507	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,194
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,157
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	111	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	12,160
1944.....	6	1944.....	10,203
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	311
1944.....	1	1945.....	740
bushels 1949.....	301	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,793
1944.....	42	1945.....	8,415
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	37	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,275
1944.....	56	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,820
acres 1949.....	20	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,026
1944.....	44	1944.....	5,918
pounds 1949.....	28,959	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	224
1944.....	53,369	1945.....	599
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	23	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	632
acres 1949.....	6	1945.....	1,750
gallons 1949.....	576	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	109
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	513
acres 1949.....	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	716
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	62	1944.....	3,399
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	142
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	610
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	157
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	460
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,532
1944.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	111
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	469
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,257	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	159
1944.....	1,816	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	310
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	488
1944.....	3	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	162
acres 1949.....	3	1945.....	367
1944.....	3	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	515
acres 1949.....	3	1945.....	1,328
1944.....	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	244
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	111	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	271
1944.....	164	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	22
acres 1949.....		1944.....	283
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	292
1944.....		1945.....	830
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,191
1944.....		1945.....	3,484
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	189
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,062
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	9,477
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	68,041
acres 1949.....			

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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This release presents figures from the 1950 Census of Agriculture, together with available comparative data from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. The figures from the 1950 Census are preliminary and are subject to revision. A similar report will be released for every county in the United States. A preliminary report, covering State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the counties in the State. After that, final figures for this county and for other counties in the State will be published in a State Report.

Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,527	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	124
1945.....	1,611	1945.....	131
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	168,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	31
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	78.5	1945.....	8
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	80,796	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	93
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	57,221	1945.....	123
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,069	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	193
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,874	1945.....	183
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	132,212	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	224
1945.....	138,933	1945.....	238
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	86.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	156
1945.....	86.2	1945.....	185
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	17,814	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	293
1945.....	10,732	1945.....	338
average per acre, dollars 1950*	213.10	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	252
1945.....	124.45	1945.....	263
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	141
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,427	1945.....	133
1944.....	1,540	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	69
acres 1949.....	96,838	1945.....	77
1944.....	97,254	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	42
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	136	1945.....	31
1944.....	167	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	29
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	126	1945.....	29
1944.....	120	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	4
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	119	1945.....	1
1944.....	129	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	254	1945.....	2
1944.....	298	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	461	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	526	White operators.....number 1950...	1,527
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	297	1945.....	1,611
1944.....	276	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1945.....	.....
1944.....	29	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	579	Full owners.....number 1950...	865
1944.....	514	1945.....	821
acres 1949.....	5,028	Part owners.....number 1950...	360
1944.....	4,417	1945.....	322
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	8
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	416	1945.....	19
1944.....	5,887	All tenants.....number 1950...	294
acres 1949.....	6,805	1945.....	449
1944.....	458	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.3
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	521	1945.....	27.9
1944.....	7,263	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	38
acres 1949.....	438	1945.....	81
1944.....	240	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	33
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	4,664	1945.....	25
1944.....	2,134	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	194
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945.....	329
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	230	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	131
1944.....	526	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	63
acres 1949.....	2,532	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
1944.....	5,500	1945.....	14
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	4
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,422	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	25
1944.....	1,595	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	12,042	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	696
1944.....	15,460	1945.....	568
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,446
1944.....	3	1945.....	1,311
acres 1949.....	47	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,416
1944.....	3	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.72
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,031
1944.....	4	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	536
FARM OPERATORS		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	296
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,420	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,331
1945.....	1,492	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	505
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	84	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
1945.....	111	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	216
With other income of family exceeding value		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	545
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	423	number 1950...	550
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	683	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	236
1944.....	397	number 1950...	230
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	451	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	120
1944.....	292	number 1950...	120
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	81
		number 1950...	90
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	661	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	72
.....1945.....	583	General farms.....number 1950...	326
.....number 1950.....	764	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	67
.....1945.....	629	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	36
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,281	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	223
.....1945.....	1,255	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	351
.....number 1950.....	2,063		
.....1945.....	1,689		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,241		
.....number 1950.....	1,878		
.....1945.....	150		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	155		
.....number 1950.....	30		
.....1945.....	30		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	30		
.....number 1950.....	1,361		
.....1945.....	1,437		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,361		
.....number 1950.....	1,707		
.....1945.....	1,812		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	205		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	30		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	145		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,137		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	40		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	651		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	630		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	150		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,236		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	35		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	80		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	40		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,176		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	270		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	20		
FARM LABOR^a			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,241		
.....persons 1950.....	1,853		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,205		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,165		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	340		
.....persons 1950.....	460		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	146		
.....persons 1950.....	228		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,451		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,251		
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	171,630		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	801		
.....dollars 1949.....	466,234		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,095		
.....dollars 1949.....	429,800		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	896		
.....dollars 1949.....	367,017		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,176		
.....dollars 1949.....	173,776		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,271		
.....dollars 1949.....	427,430		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,070		
.....dollars 1949.....	143,545		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	940		
.....dollars 1949.....	125,350		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950...	31		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	102		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	56		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	66		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	136		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	140		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	229		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	278		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	199		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	209		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	81		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	527		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	518		
Cotton.....number 1950.....	9		
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	13		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	112		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	86		
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	40		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	40		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,185
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	14
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	67
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	272
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	434
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	334
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	84
		Other farms.....number 1950...	352
		Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	209
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	133
		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,300,415
		.....1944.....	4,300,860
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	3,324,509
		.....1944.....	2,828,989
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,585,042
		.....1944.....	1,797,358
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	277,369
		.....1944.....	355,125
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	452,851
		.....1944.....	631,003
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	9,247
		.....1944.....	23,493
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,860,988
		.....1944.....	1,560,382
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	691,899
		.....1944.....	661,333
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	303,951
		.....1944.....	287,838
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	665,133
		.....1944.....	608,211
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,918
		.....1944.....	4,689
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	208
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	202
		.....number 1950.....	637
		.....1945.....	424
		.....number 1950.....	1,340
		.....1945.....	6
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	17
		.....number 1950.....	12
		.....1945.....	29
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	903
		.....1945.....	1,198
		.....number 1950...	7,962
		.....1945.....	9,795
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	860
		.....1945 ³	1,152
		.....number 1950...	4,012
		.....1945 ³	6,142
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	822
		.....number 1950...	3,825
		.....1945.....	522
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,660
		.....number 1950...	329
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,531
		.....number 1950...	355
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	759
		.....number 1950...	591
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	795
		.....1944.....	17,001,603
		.....pounds 1949.....	21,830,833
		.....1944.....	199,829
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	119
		.....1944.....	135
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	54,608
		.....1944.....	46,009
		.....dollars 1949.....	30,747
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		.....dollars 1949...	1,293
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	422
		.....1945.....	619
		.....number 1950...	6,062
		.....1945.....	7,159
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	379
		.....number 1950...	2,899
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	220
		.....number 1950...	3,163
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	296
		.....1945.....	398
		.....number 1950...	847
		.....1945.....	1,035

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	93	Corn:	
1945...	130	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,107
number 1950...	1,680	1944...	1,173
1945...	2,273	acres 1949...	20,691
1944...		1944...	18,089
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,094
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	90	1944...	1,158
number 1950...	1,101	acres 1949...	19,804
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	89	1944...	17,648
1945 ¹ ...	117	bushels 1949...	934,584
number 1950...	906	1944...	763,726
1945 ¹ ...	1,762	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	61
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	46	acres 1949...	493
number 1950...	195	tons, green weight 1949...	4,250
Lambs born since Oct..1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	54	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950...	579	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	55
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	86	acres 1949...	394
1944...	116	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	1,166	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	9,992	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944...	14,708	acres 1949...	154
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	bushels 1949...	3,583
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	962
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,055	acres 1949...	17,155
1945...	1,279	1944...	17,948
number 1950...	80,865	bushels 1949...	446,360
1945...	118,768	1944...	472,807
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	444	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	829
number 1949...	41,805	1944...	918
dollars 1949...	52,570	acres 1949...	9,160
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	782	1944...	8,928
1949...	553,504	bushels 1949...	317,596
dollars 1949...	226,416	1944...	288,647
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number 1950...	16	1944...	21
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	acres 1949...	68
1944...	12	1944...	99
number 1949...	3,435	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944...	2,603	1944...	73
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	116
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944...	470
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	875	bushels 1949...	3,825
dollars 1949...	849,185	1944...	14,061
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	766	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944...	970	1944...	10
number 1949...	4,384	acres 1949...	66
1944...	4,942	1944...	41
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	441	bushels 1949...	1,645
number 1949...	2,351	1944...	723
dollars 1949...	485,878	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	612	acres 1949...	40
number 1949...	2,033	bushels 1949...	950
dollars 1949...	83,436	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	411	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,062
1944...	610	1944 ² ...	1,064
number 1949...	7,399	acres 1949...	27,046
1944...	11,659	1944 ² ...	25,297
dollars 1949...	261,018	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,059
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1944...	1,027
1944...	99	acres 1949...	26,570
number 1949...	922	1944...	24,679
1944...	1,630	bushels 1949...	535,288
dollars 1949...	15,730	1944...	503,128
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	174	acres 1949...	26
dollars 1949...	3,123	tons 1949...	22
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	559	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	255	acres 1949...	11
number 1949...	322	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	208	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	49
1944...	291	acres 1949...	439
number 1949...	237	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944...	313	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	984
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	71	acres 1949...	13,505
number 1949...	77	Alfalfa out for hay (or	
1944...	85	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	773
1944...	90	1944...	729
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	458	acres 1949...	9,555
1944...	754	1944...	7,648
number 1949...	1,050	tons 1949...	18,891
1944...	1,948	1944...	13,563
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	74		
dollars 1949...	5,747		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	367	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	728	1944.....	34
acres 1949...	3,904	acres 1949...	14
1944.....	7,597	1944.....	128
tons 1949...	5,350	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	10,496	acres 1949...	5
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	10	acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	10	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	10	acres 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	23
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944.....	13
1944.....	28	acres 1949...	26
acres 1949...	36	1944.....	23
1944.....		acres 1949...	109
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	92	acres 1949...	4
acres 1949...	74	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	111	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	14
tons 1949...	92	1944.....	30
1944.....	10	acres 1949...	104
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	65	1944.....	167
acres 1949...	367	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons, green weight 1949...		acres 1949...	4
Field crops (other):		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	85	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	100	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	209
acres 1949...	462	1944.....	298
1944.....	659	acres 1949...	1,907
bushels 1949...	370	1944.....	2,092
1944.....	474	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	51	acres 1949...	12
1944.....	176	1944.....	23
acres 1949...	467	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,497	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
bushels 1949...	372	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	34
1944.....	836	acres 1949...	7
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	quarts 1949...	7,190
acres 1949...	41	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	24
bushels 1949...	102	acres 1949...	6
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	quarts 1949...	5,150
acres 1949...	85	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949...	122	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Irish potatoes harvested for home		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	619
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	65	1945.....	761
1944.....	69	acres 1950 ² ...	5,614
acres 1949...	34	1945.....	6,845
1944.....	168	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	574
bushels 1949...	5,130	1945.....	639
1944.....	17,014	trees of all ages..number 1950...	71,109
Sweet potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	95,542
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,143
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15,966
acres 1949...	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	197,022
1944.....	(*)	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	267
bushels 1949...	33	1945.....	1,008
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	180,047
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	20,462
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	43,492
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	227,645
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	194,944
pounds 1949...		1944.....	170,654
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	271
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	176
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	19,891
gallons 1949...	90	1945.....	24,264
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,787
acres 1949...	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	17,086
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	106	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	24,643
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	133	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	131
1944.....	117	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,953
acres 1949...	1,253	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	867
1944.....	697	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,886
tons 1949...	13,862	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	69,804
1944.....	6,257	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	86
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950...	919
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	853	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	191
1944.....	1,279	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	762
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	12,954
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	245	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	149
1944.....	364	1945.....	155
acres 1949...	2,407	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,364
1944.....	2,972	1945.....	5,838
sold..dollars 1949...	277,369	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,637
1944.....	355,135	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,727
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,551
acres 1949...	(*)	1944.....	3,153
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	190
1944.....	5	1945.....	224
acres 1949...	3	vines of all ages..number 1950...	409,236
1944.....	1	1945.....	510,430
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	29,300
acres 1949...	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	380,936
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	4	1949...	1,431,715
acres 1949...	1	1944.....	1,662,753

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,509	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	91
1945...	1,601	1945...	112
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	266,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	21
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.4	1945...	20
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	123,799	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	70
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	142,994	1945...	92
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	300	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	101
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	21,144	1945...	149
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	245,949	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	102
1945...	250,307	1945...	98
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	163.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	56
1945...	156.3	1945...	62
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	25,456	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	182
1945...	15,157	1945...	169
average per acre, dollars 1950A..	157.32	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	206
1945...	96.94	1945...	211
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	215
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,343	1945...	245
1944...	1,397	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	157
acres 1949...	183,171	1945...	191
1944...	191,671	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	133
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	47	1945...	134
1944...	64	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	239
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	29	1945...	201
1944...	38	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	24
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	49	1945...	28
1944...	41	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	117	1945...	1
1944...	120		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	336	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	327	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	505	White operators.....number 1950...	1,501
1944...	532	1945...	1,584
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	260	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	8
1944...	275	1945...	17
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	629	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	460	Full owners.....number 1950...	614
acres 1949...	8,996	1945...	653
1944 ¹ ...	7,280	1945...	429
Cropland not harvested and not		Part owners.....number 1950...	422
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	517	1945...	2
acres 1949...	14,752	Managers.....number 1950...	4
1944...	6,819	1945...	464
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	526	All tenants.....number 1950...	30.7
1944...	590	1945...	32.6
acres 1949...	11,110	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15
1944...	12,175	1945...	23
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	456	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	111
1944...	286	1945...	6
acres 1949...	8,585	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	303
1944...	4,558	1945...	458
Other pasture (not cropland and		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	244
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	523	1945...	59
1944 ¹ ...	959	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	35
acres 1949...	8,624	1945...	35
1944 ¹ ...	17,829	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	11
Other land (house lots, roads,		1950...	24
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,432	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A	
1944...	1,550	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	829
acres 1949...	10,711	1945...	930
1944...	9,975	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,305
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	1,207
1944...		1945...	1,305
acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	7.11
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	889
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	299
acres 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	242
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,234
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	512
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	236
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	706
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	734
		number 1950...	406
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	408
		number 1950...	74
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	75
		number 1950...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	86
		number 1950...	103
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,399		
1945...	1,526		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	90		
1945...	69		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	272		
1949...	575		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	335		
1949...	279		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	136		
1944...			

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	345	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	64
1945.....	270	General farms.....number 1950.....	213
number 1950.....	391	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	43
number 1945.....	288	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	171
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,166	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	197
1945.....	1,178	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	
number 1950.....	1,732		
number 1945.....	1,651	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,126	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,321
1945.....	1,794	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	5
number 1950.....	111	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	146
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	111	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	320
1945.....	27	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	439
number 1950.....	27	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	278
Drawbar tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,337	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	83
1945.....	1,474	Other farms.....number 1950.....	181
number 1950.....	1,695	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	139
number 1945.....	1,760	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	42
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	212	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	11	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,377,715
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	1944.....	5,529,657
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	103	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,164,765
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,156	1944.....	3,216,695
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,104,673
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	3,129,891
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	96	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	32,237
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	693	1944.....	62,409
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	501	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,438
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	8	1944.....	3,473
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	40	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	23,282
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	1,122
0.0 to 0.5 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,047	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,236,691
0.5 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	1944.....	2,336,344
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	171	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	624,958
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	1944.....	719,377
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.4	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	550,035
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	439,256
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	677	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,032,053
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	633	1944.....	1,087,721
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,734
FARM LABOR*		1944.....	6,423
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,220	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	169
persons 1950.....	1,721	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	164
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,214	1945.....	52
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,164	number 1950.....	332
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	335	1945.....	1,336
persons 1950.....	480	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	63	1945.....	21
persons 1950.....	77	number 1950.....	15
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		1945.....	40
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,336	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,031	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,159
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	883	1945.....	1,407
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	185,865	number 1950.....	9,504
dollars 1949.....	711	1945.....	11,959
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	244,559	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,123
1945.....	1,074	1945 ³	1,320
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	481,199	number 1950.....	5,143
1945.....	933	1945 ³	7,452
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	180,780	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,682
1945.....	1,031	number 1950.....	4,741
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	178,608	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	656
1945.....	1,200	number 1950.....	2,129
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	499,505	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	357
1945.....	1,061	number 1950.....	945
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	173,923	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	561
1945.....	976	number 1950.....	1,277
dollars 1949.....	145,485	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	374
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	1,016
No sales.....number 1950.....	42	pounds 1949.....	18,769,101
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	61	1944.....	20,264,960
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	39	dollars 1949.....	581,935
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	50	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	151
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	129	1944.....	328
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	218	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	74,019
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	363	1944.....	167,911
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	271	dollars 1949.....	42,185
\$4,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	245	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	151	1944.....	713
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	920	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	625
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	920	1945.....	911
Cotton.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	11,147
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		1945.....	15,106
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	589
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		number 1950.....	2,164
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	75	number 1950.....	349
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	44	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,373
		number 1950.....	484
		number 1945.....	639
		number 1950.....	1,696
		number 1945.....	2,106

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.

²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	220	Corn:	
1945.....	363	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,183
number 1950.....	5,629	1944.....	1,262
1945.....	10,127	acres 1949.....	42,435
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	47,290
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	214	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,177
number 1950.....	3,504	1944.....	1,255
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	211	acres 1949.....	41,745
1945.....	347	1944.....	46,224
number 1950.....	3,274	bushels 1949.....	1,858,771
1945.....	7,237	1944.....	1,620,023
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	110	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	43
number 1950.....	230	acres 1949.....	341
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	161	tons .green weight 1949...	1,839
number 1950.....	2,123	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	195	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	50
1944.....	341	acres 1949.....	349
number shorn 1949.....	3,515	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	28,770	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	60,108	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	37
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949.....	584
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949.....	15,544
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,107	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,085
1945.....	1,349	acres 1949.....	36,715
number 1950.....	93,867	1944.....	13,494
1945.....	134,671	bushels 1949.....	824,433
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	688	1944.....	310,872
number 1949.....	115,327	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,104
dollars 1949.....	116,485	1944.....	1,045
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	888	acres 1949.....	29,950
dozens 1949.....	814,364	1944.....	25,870
dollars 1949.....	319,966	bushels 1949.....	1,060,851
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	7	1944.....	607,369
number 1950.....	17	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	7
1944.....	15	acres 1949.....	92
number 1949.....	15,481	1944.....	43
1944.....	10,719	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	6
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949.....	8
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,171	1944.....	34
dollars 1949.....	1,001,161	bushels 1949.....	250
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,036	1944.....	705
1944.....	1,214	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1949.....	4,785	1944.....	34
1944.....	5,789	acres 1949.....	168
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	557	1944.....	300
number 1949.....	1,768	bushels 1949.....	2,486
dollars 1949.....	291,215	1944.....	3,980
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	922	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1949.....	3,017	acres 1949.....	146
dollars 1949.....	139,768	bushels 1949...	1,530
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	615	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	936	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,145
number 1949.....	14,187	1944 ²	1,244
1944.....	25,715	acres 1949.....	49,274
dollars 1949.....	498,659	1944 ²	72,445
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	188	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,136
1944.....	289	1944.....	1,225
number 1949.....	3,667	acres 1949.....	48,524
1944.....	8,390	1944.....	69,840
dollars 1949.....	69,275	bushels 1949.....	984,676
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1944.....	1,030,825
number 1949.....	54	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	62
dollars 1949.....	2,244	acres 1949.....	303
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949.....	384
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	755	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	336	or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949.....	402	acres 1949.....	17
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	253	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....	430	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	29
number 1949.....	294	acres 1949.....	430
1944.....	460	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	94	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	618
1944.....	62	acres 1949.....	13,800
number 1949.....	108	Alfalfa out for hay (or	
1944.....	68	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	368
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	640	1944.....	412
1944.....	1,078	acres 1949.....	5,245
number 1949.....	1,388	1944.....	5,444
1944.....	2,460	tons 1949.....	8,552
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	7,819
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	163		
dollars 1949.....	7,594		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	542	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	888	1944.....	3
acres 1949.....	8,144	1945.....	4
1944.....	16,452	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	7,566	1944.....	1
1944.....	16,412	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	1
1944.....		acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....	17	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	17	1944.....	
1944.....	184	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	179	1944.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	11
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	47	1944.....	31
acres 1949.....	561	acres 1949.....	51
1944.....	207	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	560	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	302	1944.....	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	19	1944.....	
tons, green weight 1949.....	105	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Field crops (other):		1944.....	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	142	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	81	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	1,529	1944.....	103
bushels 1949.....	35	acres 1949.....	214
1944.....	1,040	1944.....	569
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	249	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
1944.....	536	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	4,228	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	8,912	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
bushels 1949.....	3,081	1944.....	
1944.....	5,468	acres 1949.....	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	26	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	222	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	414	acres 1949.....	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	172	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	3,972	bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	3,638	1944.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	83	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	11
1944.....	52	acres 1949.....	4,470
acres 1949 ¹	16	quarts 1949.....	1
1944.....	183	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)
bushels 1949.....	1,879	acres 1949.....	213
1944.....	22,061	quarts 1949.....	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	18	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1944.....	2	vinyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	45
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	1945.....	59
1944.....	(*)	acres 1950 ²	3
bushels 1949.....	40	1945.....	32
1944.....	8	1945.....	28
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,904
1944.....		1945.....	3,870
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	84
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,111
pounds 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	4,053
1944.....		1944.....	3,300
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	5
gallons 1949.....	62	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	96
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	1945.....	29
acres 1949.....	40	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	28
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	758	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	79
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....	69	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	31
1944.....	33	1944.....	8
acres 1949.....	1,143	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
1944.....	238	1945.....	17
tons 1949.....	8,619	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	64
1944.....	1,648	1945.....	53
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	8
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	922	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,108
1944.....	1,042	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,108
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	42	1944.....	18
1944.....	138	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	66
acres 1949.....	369	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	66
1944.....	817	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	18
sold..dollars 1949.....	32,237	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	47
1944.....	82,409	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,658
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	4
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	17
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	11
1944.....	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	8
acres 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	38
1944.....	1	Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	19
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1945.....	3
acres 1949.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	63
1944.....	1	1945.....	59
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	17
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	43
	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	17
		1944.....	9
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
		1945.....	13
		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	1,373
		1945.....	1,000
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	13
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,402
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	7,203
		1944.....	4,340

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,570	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	92
.....1945...	2,075	.....1945...	219
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	261,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	20
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	63.1	.....1945...	9
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	129,179	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	72
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	39,776	.....1945...	210
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,697	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	181
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,441	.....1945...	281
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	165,211	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	168
.....1945...	189,621	.....1945...	222
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	105.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	154
.....1945...	91.4	.....1945...	223
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	6,968	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	291
.....1945...	3,829	.....1945...	366
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	69.00	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	258
.....1945...	41.90	.....1945...	320
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	190
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,386	.....1945...	210
.....1944...	1,898	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	104
.....acres 1949...	52,868	.....1945...	101
.....1944...	61,488	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	53
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	292	.....1945...	47
.....1944...	607	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	70
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	233	.....1945...	79
.....1944...	263	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	9
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	195	.....1945...	7
.....1944...	244	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	282	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	340	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	294	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	363	White operators.....number 1950...	1,566
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	77	.....1945...	2,069
.....1944...	71	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	4
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....1945...	6
.....1944...	10	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	948	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,164
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,102	.....1945...	1,572
.....acres 1949...	24,417	Part owners.....number 1950...	179
.....1944 ¹ ...	30,848	.....1945...	147
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	6
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	386	.....1945...	8
.....acres 1949...	8,735	All tenants.....number 1950...	221
.....1944...	3,348	.....1945...	348
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	726	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	14.1
.....1944...	780	.....1945...	16.8
.....acres 1949...	15,104	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	62
.....1944...	16,686	.....1945...	112
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	637	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....1944...	764	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	13,569	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	91
.....1944...	13,687	.....1945...	133
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	16
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,036	.....1945...	75
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,429	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	58
.....acres 1949...	34,806	.....1945...	.....
.....1944 ¹ ...	50,318	Other tenants.....number 1950...	19
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,495	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	2,016	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	876
.....acres 1949...	15,712	.....1945...	807
.....1944...	13,246	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,396
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,038
.....1944...	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,396
.....acres 1949...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.46
.....1944...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	611
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	281
.....acres 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	236
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,286
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	285
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	161
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	135
		.....number 1950...	135
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	120
		.....number 1950...	125
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		.....number 1950...	50
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	110
		.....number 1950...	135
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,470		
.....1945...	1,887		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	80		
.....1945...	172		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	764		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	798		
.....1944...	1,048		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	568		
.....1944...	810		

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	405	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	393
.....farms reporting 1945.....	285	General farms.....number 1950...	151
.....number 1950.....	410	.....number 1945.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	309	.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	821	.....number 1950.....	165
.....farms reporting 1945.....	595	.....number 1950.....	41
.....number 1950.....	1,086	.....number 1950.....	734
.....farms reporting 1945.....	634	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	736	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	821
.....farms reporting 1950.....	861	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	210	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	210	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	23
.....number 1950.....	15	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	125
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	249
.....number 1950.....	115	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	240
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,226	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	184
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,613	Other farms.....number 1950...	749
.....number 1950.....	1,446	Part-time ².....number 1950...	370
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,797	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	379
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	286	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	102	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,879,877
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	343	.....dollars 1944...	2,198,931
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	287	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	476,326
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	552	.....dollars 1944...	192,922
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	439,895
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944...	163,606
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	55	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	13,678
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	701	.....dollars 1944...	4,366
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	515	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	12,577
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	255	.....dollars 1944...	18,410
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	10,176
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944...	6,540
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,371	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,392,920
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	871	.....dollars 1944...	1,996,377
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	602,662
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	45	.....dollars 1944...	577,147
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.8	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	330,237
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944...	368,767
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	536	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,460,021
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	870	.....dollars 1944...	1,050,398
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	95	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,631
.....farms reporting 1945.....	95	.....dollars 1944...	9,702
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	686
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,341	.....farms reporting 1950...	566
.....persons 1950...	2,253	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,072
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,326	.....number 1950...	1,393
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,231	.....number 1945...	2,362
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	545	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	26
.....persons 1950...	820	.....farms reporting 1945...	65
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	106	.....number 1950...	41
.....persons 1950...	202	.....number 1945...	122
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,411	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,340
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,036	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,561
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	931	.....number 1950...	17,228
.....dollars 1944...	122,911	.....number 1945...	19,159
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	641	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,289
.....dollars 1949...	185,081	.....farms reporting 1945 ³ ...	1,517
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,271	.....number 1950...	7,930
.....dollars 1949...	507,845	.....number 1945 ³ ...	9,568
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	966	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,166
.....dollars 1949...	316,196	.....number 1950...	6,023
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	851	.....number 1945...	929
.....dollars 1949...	61,565	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,103
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	851	.....number 1950...	690
.....dollars 1949...	162,526	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,690
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	515	.....number 1950...	2,545
.....dollars 1949...	47,245	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	502
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	611	.....pounds 1949...	15,114,871
.....dollars 1949...	55,410	.....pounds 1944...	16,182,617
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	388
No sales.....number 1950...	187	.....dollars 1949...	450
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	192	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	135,214
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	169	.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	232,930
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	109	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	71,963
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	193	.....dollars 1949...	2,243
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	174	HOGS	
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	149	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	978
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	184	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,014
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	131	.....number 1950...	17,804
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	59	.....number 1945...	13,146
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	23	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	908
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	8,207
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	41	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	547
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	41	.....number 1950...	9,397
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	677
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	673
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	2,328
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,793
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	203		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	28		

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	265	Corn:	
1945.....	367	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,202
number 1950...	11,686	1944.....	1,462
1945.....	15,037	acres 1949...	17,254
1944.....		1944.....	19,935
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,192
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	258	1944.....	1,462
number 1950...	8,874	acres 1949...	16,596
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	255	1944.....	19,414
1945 ¹ ...	350	bushels 1949...	833,836
number 1950...	7,642	1944.....	789,616
1945 ¹ ...	11,225		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	169	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	83
number 1950...	1,232	acres 1949...	459
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	132	tons..green weight 1949...	4,625
number 1950...	2,812		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	242		
1944.....	363	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number shorn 1949...	9,019	For green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	30
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	70,543	acres 1949...	199
1944.....	110,744		
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Small grains:	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Grains grown together and threshed	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,339	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1945.....	1,717	acres 1949...	24
number 1950...	91,344	bushels 1949...	250
1945.....	127,094		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	599	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	888
number 1949...	27,700	acres 1949...	14,784
dollars 1949...	71,465	1944.....	14,669
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	828	bushels 1949...	294,922
dozens 1949...	645,997	1944.....	240,591
dollars 1949...	252,204		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	143
number 1950...	105	1944.....	103
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	47	acres 1949...	831
1944.....	35	1944.....	613
number 1949...	1,017	bushels 1949...	22,863
1944.....	586	1944.....	16,054
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944.....	13
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,181	acres 1949...	109
dollars 1949...	1,417,166	1944.....	55
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,012	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	1,169	1944.....	7
number 1949...	5,939	acres 1949...	45
1944.....	6,986	1944.....	126
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	715	bushels 1949...	1,130
number 1949...	3,413	1944.....	2,945
dollars 1949...	496,127		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	652	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	2,526	1944.....	11
dollars 1949...	128,199	acres 1949...	10
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	842	1944.....	73
1944.....	967	bushels 1949...	100
number 1949...	20,325	1944.....	935
1944.....	23,742		
dollars 1949...	694,583	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	229	acres 1949...	22
1944.....	235	bushels 1949...	380
number 1949...	5,147		
1944.....	5,720	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	80,531	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	95
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	84	1944 ² ...	244
number 1949...	292	acres 1949...	576
dollars 1949...	17,726	1944 ² ...	1,409
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	34
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,097	1944.....	62
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	486	acres 1949...	358
number 1949...	538	1944.....	583
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	297	bushels 1949...	5,763
1944.....	483	1944.....	7,066
number 1949...	324		
1944.....	520	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	64
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	197	acres 1949...	207
1944.....	113	tons 1949...	315
number 1949...	214		
1944.....	128	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,025	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	1,353	acres 1949...	7
number 1949...	2,588		
1944.....	4,079	Soybeans plowed under for	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	1
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	214	acres 1949...	4
dollars 1949...	6,938		
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,139
		acres 1949...	17,670
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
		for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	113
		1944.....	82
		acres 1949...	884
		1944.....	468
		tons 1949...	1,429
		1944.....	1,125

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,096	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	1,364	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	16,421	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	20,573	1944.....	1
tons 1949.....	20,093	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	26,832	acres 1949.....	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	49	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	49	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	16
1944.....	.....	1944.....	9
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	29
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	acres 1944.....	16
1944.....	7	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	61	1944.....	1
1944.....	23	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	51	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	24	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	28	acres 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	310	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
1944.....	681	1944.....	2
tons 1949.....	262	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	610	1944.....	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	15	acres 1949.....	.....
tons, green weight 1949.....	85	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Field crops (other):		acres 1949.....	1
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	15
1944.....	4	1944.....	5
acres 1949.....	21	acres 1949.....	12
1944.....	12	1944.....	5
bushels 1949.....	11	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	6	1944.....	5
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	218	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	12
1944.....	421	acres 1949.....	5
acres 1949.....	2,068	acres 1949.....	12
1944.....	4,791	1944.....	5
bushels 1949.....	1,957	acres 1949.....	5
1944.....	3,639	1944.....	12
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	115	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	897	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
bushels 1949.....	2,051	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	23
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	4	quarts 1949.....	10,533
bushels 1949.....	2	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	22
Irish potatoes harvested for home		acres 1949.....	3
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	480	quarts 1949.....	4,455
1944.....	259	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	49	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1944.....	106	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	590
bushels 1949.....	8,655	1945.....	764
1944.....	7,272	acres 1950 ²	336
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		1945.....	925
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	173	farms reporting 1950.....	505
1944.....	39	1945.....	1,158
acres 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	9,649
1944.....	5	1945.....	25,066
bushels 1949.....	726	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,902
1944.....	397	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	7,747
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	8,802
1944.....	.....	1944.....	6,036
acres 1949.....	.....	farms reporting 1950.....	344
1944.....	.....	1945.....	976
pounds 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4,191
1944.....	.....	1945.....	10,194
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,781
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,410
gallons 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,303
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	14	1944.....	8,036
acres 1949.....	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	284
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	25	1945.....	768
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	1950.....	804
1944.....	.....	1945.....	2,257
acres 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	143
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	641
tons 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,003
1944.....	.....	1944.....	5,760
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	179
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,326	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	428
1944.....	1,936	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	163
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	265
1944.....	23	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	733
acres 1949.....	88	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	145
1944.....	34	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	524
Acparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	13,678	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	188
acres 1949.....	4,366	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	338
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	7	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	420
1944.....	2	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	118
acres 1949.....	7	1945.....	211
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	533
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	1945.....	962
acres 1949.....	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	152
1944.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	381
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	84
acres 1949.....	4	1944.....	452
		1950.....	388
		vines of all ages..number 1945.....	1,065
		1950.....	1,538
		1945.....	4,023
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	297
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,241
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	10,547
		1944.....	90,876

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,750	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	130
1945...	1,996	1945...	197
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	324,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	21
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	99.4	1945...	12
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	155,423	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	109
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	174,237	1945...	185
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,541	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	151
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,610	1945...	196
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	322,591	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	87
1945...	324,108	1945...	97
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	184.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	123
1945...	162.4	1945...	135
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	28,429	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	155
1945...	14,340	1945...	210
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	141.51	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	208
1945...	88.31	1945...	255
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	198
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,541	1945...	227
1944...	1,770	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	178
acres 1949...	197,554	1945...	185
1944...	199,638	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	125
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	106	1945...	138
1944...	185	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	310
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	65	1945...	288
1944...	94	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	79
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1945...	62
1944...	78	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	6
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	163	1945...	6
1944...	198	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	388	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	451	White operators.....number 1950...	1,749
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	513	1945...	1,989
1944...	528	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	255	1945...	7
1944...	236	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,343	Full owners.....number 1950...	869
1944 ¹ ...	1,481	1945...	1,052
acres 1949...	58,718	Part owners.....number 1950...	281
1944 ¹ ...	61,222	1945...	188
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	15
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	265	1945...	29
acres 1949...	7,154	All tenants.....number 1950...	585
1944...	5,200	1945...	727
acres 1949...	463	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	33.4
1944...	376	1945...	36.4
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	10,524	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	50
1944...	8,368	1945...	98
acres 1949...	377	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	49
1944...	351	1945...	22
acres 1949...	6,508	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	425
1944...	4,793	1945...	570
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	134
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	724	1945...	291
1944 ¹ ...	925	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	61
acres 1949...	21,110	1945...	37
1944 ¹ ...	25,908	Other tenants.....number 1950...	5
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	56
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,684	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	1,918	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,174
acres 1949...	21,023	1945...	1,083
1944...	18,979	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,675
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945...	1,686
1944...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,675
acres 1949...	130	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.84
1944...	4	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,090
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	572
acres 1949...	127	1945...	418
FARM OPERATORS		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,495
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,598	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	745
1945...	1,781	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	45
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	116	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	302
1945...	202	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	690
With other income of family exceeding value		Grain combines.....number 1950...	748
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	288	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	729
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	578	1945...	780
1944...	466	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	208
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	312	1945...	217
1944...	305	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	274
		1945...	374
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		1945...	11

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	800	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	793
1945.....	602	General farms.....number 1950...	793
number 1950.....	960	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	50
1945.....	668	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	74
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,368	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	179
1945.....	1,295	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	266
number 1950.....	2,595		
1945.....	1,777		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,322		
number 1950.....	2,388		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	192		
number 1950.....	192		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15		
number 1950.....	15		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,570		
1945.....	1,760		
number 1950.....	2,278		
1945.....	2,491		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	283		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	30		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	57		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	557		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	823		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	45		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	673		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	689		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	298		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,106		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	60		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	250		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	50		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,265		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	390		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	25		
FARM LABOR^a			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,600		
persons 1950.....	3,724		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,543		
operators.....persons 1950.....	1,456		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	668		
persons 1950.....	1,138		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	590		
persons 1950.....	1,130		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,675		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,475		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,224		
dollars 1949.....	353,871		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,260		
dollars 1949.....	1,578,771		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,544		
dollars 1949.....	1,926,869		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,284		
dollars 1949.....	1,589,243		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,335		
dollars 1949.....	371,998		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,460		
dollars 1949.....	833,212		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,174		
dollars 1949.....	261,087		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,114		
dollars 1949.....	296,314		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950.....	17		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	139		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	61		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	50		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	61		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	71		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	131		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	210		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	215		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	361		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	434		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	281		
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	281		
Cotton.....number 1950.....			
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....			
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....			
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....			
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	128		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	49		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,489
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	77
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	376
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	429
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	311
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	163
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	113
		Other farms.....number 1950.....	261
		Part-time ².....number 1950.....	93
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	156
		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	7
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,104,875
		1944.....	9,419,349
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,227,931
		1944.....	3,109,033
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,939,503
		1944.....	2,863,855
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	217,255
		1944.....	172,189
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	23,833
		1944.....	26,533
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	41,711
		1944.....	42,322
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,873,777
		1944.....	6,306,974
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	904,997
		1944.....	785,816
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	748,984
		1944.....	511,183
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,164,844
		1944.....	4,924,978
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,867
		1944.....	3,364
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	640
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	616
		1945.....	1,219
		number 1950.....	1,604
		1945.....	1,643
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	13
		1945.....	39
		number 1950.....	30
		1945.....	39
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,508
		1945.....	1,762
		number 1950.....	2,335
		1945.....	1,689
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,466
		1945 ³	1,666
		number 1950.....	14,826
		1945 ³	16,429
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,311
		number 1950.....	7,651
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,663
		number 1950.....	7,445
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	914
		number 1950.....	6,600
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	910
		number 1950.....	4,404
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	794
		1944.....	793
		pounds 1949.....	24,971,659
		1944.....	22,191,190
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	904,697
		1944.....	226
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	411
		1944.....	107,517
		1944.....	188,804
		dollars 1949.....	57,008
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
		1949.....	254
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,353
		1945.....	1,467
		number 1950.....	166,831
		1945.....	72,793
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,321
		number 1950.....	48,364
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,081
		number 1950.....	58,447
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,227
		1945.....	1,288
		number 1950.....	14,179
		1945.....	10,509

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income based on value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	509	Corn:	
1945...	712	Corn for all purposes.....farms' reporting 1949...	1,436
number 1950...	17,179	1944...	1,607
1945...	19,277	acres 1949...	82,617
		1944...	84,173
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,431
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	498	1944...	1,601
number 1950...	11,764	acres 1949...	78,293
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	488	1944...	81,311
1945 ¹ ...	688	bushels 1949...	4,310,083
number 1950...	11,111	1944...	3,104,675
1945 ² ...	17,538		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	319	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	179
number 1950...	653	acres 1949...	2,697
		tons..green weight 1949...	22,227
Lambs born since Oct..1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	341		
number 1950...	5,415	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	485	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	146
1944...	633	acres 1949...	1,627
number shorn 1949...	12,383		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	92,245	Small grains:	
1944...	130,007	Grains grown together and threshed	
average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres 1949...	155
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	3,190
Hens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,446	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,220
1945...	1,747	acres 1949...	63,765
number 1950...	129,046	1944...	61,396
1945...	182,400	bushels 1949...	1,312,950
		1944...	1,179,445
Hens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	836	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	348
number 1949...	191,739	1944...	184
dollars 1949...	194,359	acres 1949...	6,569
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,106	1944...	2,645
dozens 1949...	1,007,599	bushels 1949...	164,976
dollars 1949...	404,987	1944...	68,500
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	24	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number 1950...	1,506	1944...	30
Chickens raised.....farms reporting 1949...	48	acres 1949...	259
1944...	37	1944...	997
number 1949...	20,549		
1944...	16,714	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		1944...	18
		acres 1949...	48
		1944...	175
		bushels 1949...	1,450
		1944...	3,344
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
		1944...	24
		acres 1949...	271
		1944...	215
		bushels 1949...	4,260
		1944...	2,887
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres 1949...	52
		bushels 1949...	1,660
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	297
		1944 ² ...	710
		acres 1949...	9,578
		1944 ² ...	20,141
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	223
		1944...	655
		acres 1949...	9,327
		1944...	18,637
		bushels 1949...	216,221
		1944...	262,533
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28
		acres 1949...	167
		tons 1949...	343
		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
		or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		Soybeans plowed under for	
		green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		acres 1949...	24
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,082
		acres 1949...	28,723
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
		for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	425
		1944...	503
		acres 1949...	5,723
		1944...	4,900
		tons 1949...	10,848
		1944...	9,531

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	859	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	792	1944.....	35
acres 1949.....	22,498	acres 1949.....	18
1944.....	20,959	1944.....	20
tons 1949.....	29,550	acres 1949.....	15
1944.....	24,914	acres 1949.....	42
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	17	Galery.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	17	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	150
1944.....	.....	1944.....	257
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	2,242
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1944.....	2,832
1944.....	4	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	278	acres 1949.....	16
1944.....	42	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949.....	283	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	39	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	35
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	29	1944.....	95
acres 1949.....	497	acres 1949.....	714
1944.....	199	1944.....	850
tons 1949.....	751	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	276	acres 1949.....	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	232	acres 1949.....	2
tons..green weight 1949.....	1,360	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Field crops (other):		1944.....	38
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	acres 1949.....	63
1944.....	17	1944.....	24
acres 1949.....	.....	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	252	acres 1949.....	7
bushels 1949.....	121	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	11
1944.....	87	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	87	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	38
1944.....	91	acres 1949.....	13
acres 1949.....	1,291	quarts 1949.....	25,288
1944.....	1,827	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	17
bushels 1949.....	818	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	1,049	quarts 1949.....	1,819
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	121	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....	1,899	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
bushels 1949.....	3,999	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	455
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	138
acres 1949.....	.....	1950 ²	241
bushels 1949.....	.....	1945.....	224
Irish potatoes harvested for home		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	336
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	163	trees of all ages..number 1945...	292
1944.....	184	1950.....	10,918
acres 1949 ¹	50	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,937
1944.....	149	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,784
bushels 1949.....	10,483	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	7,134
1944.....	11,324	1944.....	12,498
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	6,001
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	45	1945.....	253
1944.....	11	1945.....	263
acres 1949.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1945...	4,274
1944.....	3	1945.....	5,754
bushels 1949.....	639	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,127
1944.....	242	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,147
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,145
1944.....	.....	1944.....	8,471
acres 1949.....	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	209
1944.....	.....	1945.....	164
pounds 1949.....	744	trees of all ages..number 1950...	703
1944.....	.....	1945.....	553
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	214
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	489
gallons 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	771
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1944.....	1,361
acres 1949.....	3	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	174
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	505
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	22	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	215
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	290
acres 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,565
1944.....	.....	1944.....	84
tons 1949.....	.....	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	223
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	110
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	113
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,176	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	942
1944.....	1,564	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	170	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	108
1944.....	342	1945.....	71
acres 1949.....	3,642	trees of all ages..number 1950...	439
1944.....	4,208	1945.....	677
sold..dollars 1949.....	217,826	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	231
1944.....	172,109	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	206
Amparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	100
acres 1949.....	39	1944.....	320
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11	1944.....	255
1944.....	53	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	206
acres 1949.....	66	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,047
1944.....	48	1945.....	2,885
Green Lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	24	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	336
acres 1949.....	421	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,711
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	25,230
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	19,589

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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This release presents figures from the 1950 Census of Agriculture, together with available comparative data from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. The figures from the 1950 Census are preliminary and are subject to revision. A similar report will be released for every county in the United States. A preliminary report, carrying State totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for all of the counties in the State. After that, final figures for this county and for other counties in the State will be published in a State Report.

Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,437	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	62
1945...	1,656	1945...	92
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	283,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	67.1	1945.....	55
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	149,829	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	92
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	42,612	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	131
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,271	1945.....	171
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,601	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	149
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	190,111	1945.....	175
1945...	204,384	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	152
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	132.3	1945.....	181
1945...	123.4	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	224
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	7,924	1945.....	265
1945...	3,945	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	230
average per acre, dollars 1950A..	59.38	1945.....	275
1945...	31.96	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	169
Land in farms according to use:		1945.....	169
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,231	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	106
1944...	1,444	1945.....	101
acres 1949...	48,558	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	72
1944...	51,598	1945.....	73
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	321	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	109
1944...	472	1945.....	126
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	251	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	26
1944...	285	1945.....	23
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	155	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	7
1944...	186	1945.....	5
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	190		
1944...	197	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	202	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	181	White operators.....number 1950...	1,419
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	87	1945...	1,624
1944...	95	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	18
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	25	1945...	32
1944...	28	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	655	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,095
1944 ¹ ...	703	1945...	1,270
acres 1949...	16,873	Part owners.....number 1950...	160
1944 ¹ ...	15,257	1945...	149
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	7
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	599	1945...	5
acres 1949...	15,367	All tenants.....number 1950...	177
1944...	13,764	1945...	223
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	569	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	12.3
1944...	655	1945...	13.5
acres 1949...	25,847	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	24
1944...	19,803	1945...	47
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	860	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	5
1944...	1,019	1945...	3
acres 1949...	51,044	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	89
1944...	52,010	1945...	130
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	64
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	689	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	25
1944 ¹ ...	1,199	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	59
acres 1949...	20,863	1945...	43
1944 ¹ ...	40,983	Other tenants.....number 1950...	15
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	44
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,381		
1944...	1,613	SPECIFIED MACHINES AND EQUIPMENT^A	
acres 1949...	11,559	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	317
1944...	11,009	1945...	304
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,388
1944...		1945...	373
acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,388
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.73
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	236
acres 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	140
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	76
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	911
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	115
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	71
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	63
		number 1950...	63
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	130
		number 1950...	137
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	70
		number 1950...	70
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		number 1950...	62
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,363		
1945...	1,548		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	51		
1945...	100		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	689		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	678		
1944...	694		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	478		
1944...	457		

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	402	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	243
.....farms reporting 1945.....	255	General farms.....number 1950...	134
.....number 1950.....	455	.....number 1945.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	272	.....number 1950.....	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	587	.....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	403	.....number 1950.....	77
.....farms reporting 1945.....	750	.....number 1950.....	57
.....number 1950.....	471	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	769
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	587		
.....number 1950.....	728		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	16	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	681
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	5
.....number 1950.....	6	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	42
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	922	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	55
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,062	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	138
.....number 1950.....	1,014	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	206
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,169	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	231
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950...	756
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	438	Part-time ².....number 1950...	300
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	111	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	456
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	298	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	332		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	258	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,359,687
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,693,153
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	797,901
		.....dollars 1944.....	350,178
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	791,218
		.....dollars 1944.....	336,780
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,334
		.....dollars 1944.....	6,622
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,878
		.....dollars 1944.....	6,351
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,471
		.....dollars 1944.....	425
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,493,226
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,296,875
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	373,562
		.....dollars 1944.....	307,480
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	234,876
		.....dollars 1944.....	257,656
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	884,783
		.....dollars 1944.....	731,523
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	68,560
		.....dollars 1944.....	46,100
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	805
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	753
		.....number 1950.....	1,018
		.....number 1945.....	1,531
		.....number 1950.....	2,491
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	76
		.....number 1950.....	122
		.....number 1945.....	127
		.....number 1950.....	206
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,197
		.....number 1950.....	1,340
		.....number 1945.....	11,482
		.....number 1950.....	11,273
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,153
		.....number 1950.....	1,269
		.....number 1945.....	5,650
		.....number 1950.....	6,180
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,031
		.....number 1950.....	4,331
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	640
		.....number 1950.....	2,478
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	365
		.....number 1950.....	1,301
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	601
		.....number 1950.....	2,083
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	220
		.....pounds 1944.....	224
		.....pounds 1949.....	8,742,111
		.....pounds 1944.....	7,064,745
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	330,280
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	340
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	56
		.....dollars 1949.....	80,523
		.....dollars 1944.....	159,414
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	42,737
		.....dollars 1949.....	545
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	913
		.....number 1950.....	945
		.....number 1945.....	13,886
		.....number 1950.....	11,284
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	811
		.....number 1950.....	5,927
		.....number 1950.....	505
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	7,879
		.....number 1950.....	509
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	508
		.....number 1950.....	1,743
		.....number 1945.....	1,481

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	73 113 1,919 2,336	Corn:	
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	70 1,287 66	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1,076 1,204 23,391 25,593
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... 1945 ¹ ... number 1950... 1945 ¹ ...	111 1,063 1,935	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1,073 1,192 23,012 25,153 1,003,935 719,419
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	43 224	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons..green weight 1949...	19 178 1,568
Lambs born since Oct..1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	49 632	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	20 201
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number shorn 1949... 1944... pounds 1949... 1944...	61 101 1,196 8,428 11,613	Small grains:	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950... Apr.15-Apr.28		Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bushels 1949...	1 6 115
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	446 8,896 7,389 168,567 120,212
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	1,201 1,394 82,801 105,299	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	138 74 1,807 658 40,569 13,184
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	485 63,233 62,565	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	35 145 299 953
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... dozens 1949... dollars 1949...	798 468,187 171,492	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	2 23 560
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	5 29	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	5 11 66 134 979 1,734
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	7 17 150 399	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bushels 1949...	11 109 1,308
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	1,064 878,926	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ² ... acres 1949... 1944 ² ...	202 508 1,545 4,701
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949...	879 983 4,298 5,261 410 1,749 248,122 737 2,549 126,755	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	40 84 638 1,257 9,370 13,637
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	1,749 248,122	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons 1949...	167 841 1,193
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	737 2,549 126,755	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1 1
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949...	727 779 15,147 18,360 481,638	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	6 65
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949...	59 75 1,053 1,026 13,759	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay: Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	792 12,727
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	76 123 6,652	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	126 115 1,732 1,615 3,377 3,080
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	971 116 123		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949...	43 111 45 118		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949...	111 45 118		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	76 43 78 44		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	953 1,167 2,054 2,796		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	31 1,041		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	503	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	561	1944.....	1
acres 1949.....	7,347	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	7,170	1944.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	8,340	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	7,299	acres 1949.....	1
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	229	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	168	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,639	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	1,736	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2,791	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
1944.....	1,193	1944.....	13
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	2
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	88	1944.....	19
1944.....	6	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
acres 1949.....	850	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	32	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	980	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	14	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	25	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	222	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	221	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949.....	198	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	241	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	5
tons, green weight 1949.....		acres 1949.....	6
Field crops (other):		1944.....	2
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		acres 1949.....	1
1944.....		1944.....	1
acres 1949.....		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
1944.....		acres 1949.....	2
bushels 1949.....		1944.....	2
1944.....		Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	42	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	16
acres 1949.....	141	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	477	quarts 1949.....	2,930
bushels 1949.....	103	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	517	acres 1949.....	4
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	9	quarts 1949.....	3,158
acres 1949.....	138	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	205	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	672
acres 1949.....		1945.....	362
bushels 1949.....		acres 1950 ² ...	304
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	722
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	758	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	535
1944.....	924	1945.....	667
acres 1949 ¹ ...	117	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,969
1944.....	397	1945.....	14,460
bushels 1949.....	12,542	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,831
1944.....	20,030	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,158
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	6,351
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	395	1944.....	5,581
1944.....	74	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	311
acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	1945.....	574
1944.....	15	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,668
bushels 1949.....	1,663	1945.....	5,462
1944.....	785	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,235
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	94	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,273
1944.....	99	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	493
acres 1949.....	121	1944.....	3,723
1944.....	126	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	173
pounds 1949.....	130,648	1945.....	256
1944.....	147,033	trees of all ages..number 1950...	609
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	1,121
acres 1949.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	125
gallons 1949.....	158	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	478
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	28	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	373
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	1,960
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	59	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	150
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	532
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	177
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	335
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,044
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	65
1944.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	191
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages..number 1950...	67
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,249	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	128
1944.....	1,577	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	293
quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	113
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1945.....	157
1944.....	56	trees of all ages..number 1950...	501
acres 1949.....	18	1945.....	643
1944.....	59	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	152
acres 1949.....	1,334	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	409
1944.....	6,622	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	286
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	241
acres 1949.....	10	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	332
1944.....	19	1945.....	473
acres 1949.....	8	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,343
1944.....	13	1945.....	2,567
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	38
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,207
1944.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	15,704
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1944.....	44,311
acres 1949.....	(*)		

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,930	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	226
1945...	3,494	1945...	426
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	322,560	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	19
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	69.9	1945...	21
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	189,046	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	207
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	40,838	1945...	405
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,663	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	545
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,950	1945...	695
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	225,602	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	406
1945...	244,000	1945...	478
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	77.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	452
1945...	69.9	1945...	491
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	11,670	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	495
1945...	6,932	1945...	541
average per acre, dollars 1950*	149.35	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	402
1945...	93.51	1945...	457
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	204
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,725	1945...	203
1944...	3,300	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	90
acres 1949...	89,176	1945...	92
1944...	105,723	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	42
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	667	1945...	36
1944...	901	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	61
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	496	1945...	67
1944...	555	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	6
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	377	1945...	7
1944...	436	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	599	1945...	1
1944...	696		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	480	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	604	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	97	White operators.....number 1950...	2,925
1944...	9	1945...	3,487
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	5
1944...	9	1945...	7
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	896	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	165	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,313
acres 1949...	13,121	1945...	2,611
1944...	2,411	Part owners.....number 1950...	417
Cropland not harvested and not		1945...	311
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,281	Managers.....number 1950...	4
acres 1949...	21,501	1945...	14
1944...	19,476	All tenants.....number 1950...	196
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,035	1945...	558
1944...	916	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	6.7
acres 1949...	26,934	1945...	16.0
1944...	27,554	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	90
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,008	1945...	282
1944...	620	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	12
acres 1949...	21,139	1945...	8
1944...	11,344	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	42
Other pasture (not cropland and		1945...	133
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,392	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	20
1944...	2,204	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	22
acres 1949...	34,299	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	52
1944...	63,792	1945...	129
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	30
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,810	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	22
1944...	3,345		
acres 1949...	19,432	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	13,720	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,988
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	42	1945...	1,446
1944...	25	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,828
acres 1949...	790	1945...	3,035
1944...	311	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,828
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.72
acres 1949...	750	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	2,283
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,218
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	586
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,608
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	865
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	686
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	302
		number 1950...	302
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	115
		number 1950...	115
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	141
		number 1950...	141
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	752
		number 1950...	919
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		number 1950...	15
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,805		
1945...	3,265		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	86		
1945...	161		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,486		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,690		
1944...	1,728		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,442		
1944...	1,572		

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	954	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	217
1945.....	693	General farms.....number 1950...	149
number 1950...	1,098	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	24
1945.....	776	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	53
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,094	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	72
1945.....	1,800	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,434
number 1950...	2,648		
1945.....	1,968	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,919	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,511
number 1950...	2,271	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	13
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	275	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	101
number 1950...	280	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	249
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	97	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	531
number 1950...	97	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	435
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,439	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	182
1945.....	2,916	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,419
number 1950...	3,259	Part-time ².....number 1950...	640
1945.....	3,485	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	779
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	503	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	79	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,161,054
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	264	1944.....	5,955,008
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	648	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,044,517
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,436	1944.....	1,661,077
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,230,759
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	597,770
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	527,140
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,221	1944.....	692,321
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,072	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	165,045
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	505	1944.....	236,471
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	121,579
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	134,515
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,651	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,041,637
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	195	1944.....	4,244,843
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	612	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,669,618
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	70	1944.....	2,569,832
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.7	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,073,347
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	934,184
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,682	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,298,672
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	921	1944.....	740,827
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	265	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	74,900
FARM LABOR*		1944.....	49,088
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,418	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	981
persons 1950...	4,190	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	972
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,407	1945.....	1,752
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,322	number 1950...	2,130
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	981	1945.....	3,896
persons 1950...	1,386	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	22
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	262	1945.....	49
persons 1950...	482	number 1950...	35
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		1945.....	80
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,699	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,109	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,103
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,992	1945.....	2,473
dollars 1949...	312,669	number 1950...	24,644
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,194	1945.....	26,757
dollars 1949...	534,981	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,997
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,354	1945.....	2,381
dollars 1949...	1,358,622	number 1950...	13,575
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,874	1945.....	16,282
dollars 1949...	680,916	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,903
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,094	number 1950...	12,983
dollars 1949...	237,949	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,333
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,144	number 1950...	5,807
dollars 1949...	463,620	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	929
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,477	number 1950...	2,615
dollars 1949...	123,726	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,014
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,312	number 1950...	2,647
dollars 1949...	146,653	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	990
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	1,189
No sales.....number 1950...	290	pounds 1949...	67,393,974
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	489	1944.....	75,067,198
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	217	dollars 1949...	2,619,396
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	237	1944.....	176
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	237	pounds of butterfat 1949...	198
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	276	1944.....	70,472
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	290	dollars 1949...	75,595
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	423	1944.....	42,016
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	211	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	85
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	146	1944.....	8,206
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	114	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,168
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	79	1945.....	1,244
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	77	number 1950...	10,678
Cotton.....number 1950...	2	1945.....	8,288
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	2	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	977
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	77	number 1950...	5,481
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	19	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	544
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	824	number 1950...	5,197
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	131	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1945...	611
		number 1950...	491
		1945.....	1,561

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	116	Corn:	
1945.....	153	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,211
number 1950.....	3,093	1944.....	2,585
1945.....	3,493	acres 1949.....	23,784
1944.....		1944.....	27,760
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,155
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	110	1944.....	2,511
number 1950.....	2,222	acres 1949.....	18,360
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	109	1944.....	21,199
1945 ¹	125	bushels 1949.....	947,738
number 1950.....	2,050	1944.....	722,284
1945 ¹	2,599	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	622
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	68	acres 1949.....	5,049
number 1950.....	172	tons..green weight 1949...	47,731
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	81	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	871	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	94
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	95	acres 1949...	774
1944.....	109	Small grains:	
number shorn 1949...	2,277	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	17,502	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	20,931	acres 1949...	100
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949...	3,282
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,714
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,075	acres 1949...	17,068
1945.....	2,711	1944.....	14,178
number 1950.....	164,068	bushel: 1949...	464,823
1945.....	230,598	1944.....	359,957
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	911	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,728
number 1949...	360,175	1944.....	1,917
dollars 1949...	370,982	acres 1949...	16,656
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,222	1944.....	17,977
dozens 1949...	1,205,084	bushels 1949...	559,620
dollars 1949...	574,655	1944.....	572,130
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	22
number 1950...	70	1944.....	35
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	52	acres 1949...	110
1944.....	41	1944.....	229
number 1949...	20,910	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	4,341	1944.....	3
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	29
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		bushels 1949...	1,390
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,881	1944.....	475
dollars 1949...	1,225,431	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	66
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,580	1944.....	154
1944.....	1,753	acres 1949...	400
number 1949...	10,640	1944.....	845
1944.....	12,301	bushels 1949...	6,421
number 1949...	963	1944.....	14,363
1944.....	4,052	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	73
dollars 1949...	631,568	acres 1949...	400
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,294	bushels 1949...	8,812
number 1949...	6,588	1944 ² ...	
dollars 1949...	191,236	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	932	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	265
1944.....	877	1944 ² ...	591
number 1949...	11,644	acres 1949...	1,302
1944.....	10,332	1944 ² ...	3,470
dollars 1949...	340,607	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	103
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	87	1944.....	173
1944.....	94	acres 1949...	618
number 1949...	2,040	1944.....	1,372
1944.....	1,914	bushels 1949...	11,948
dollars 1949...	37,004	1944.....	21,134
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	132	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	134
number 1949...	349	acres 1949...	458
dollars 1949...	25,016	tons 1949...	677
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,397	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	598	acres 1949...	13
number 1949...	774	Soybeans plowed under for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	427	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944.....	506	acres 1949...	213
number 1949...	497	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	562	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,895
number 1949...	212	acres 1949...	24,373
1944.....	163	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
number 1949...	277	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	275
1944.....	256	1944.....	213
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,214	acres 1949...	2,185
1944.....	1,620	1944.....	1,519
number 1949...	2,515	tons 1949...	4,221
1944.....	3,796	1944.....	3,156
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	236		
dollars 1949...	16,761		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,787	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	2,354	1944.....	10
acres 1949.....	21,657	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	29,969	1944.....	10
tons 1949.....	37,420	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	44,583	acres 1949.....	4
Leopards cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	10
acres 1949.....	23	1944.....	.....
1944.....	.....	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949.....	35	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	.....	1944.....	10
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	10
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	19	1944.....	10
acres 1949.....	30	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	64	acres 1949.....	10
tons 1949.....	40	1944.....	.....
1944.....	62	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	357	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	100	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	556	1944.....	.....
1944.....	361	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	22	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	210	1944.....	.....
tons, green weight 1949.....	1,479	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949.....	1
Field crops (other):		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	10	acres 1949.....	15
1944.....	11	1944.....	15
acres 1949.....	40	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	61	acres 1949.....	1
bushels 1949.....	23	1944.....	.....
1944.....	72	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	76	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	71	1944.....	.....
acres 1949.....	539	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	487	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
bushels 1949.....	451	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	203	quarts 1949.....	47,500
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	26	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	112	acres 1949.....	1
bushels 1949.....	293	quarts 1949...	9,200
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	
acres 1949.....	.....	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949.....	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Irish potatoes harvested for home		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	716	1945.....	1,500
1944.....	1,453	acres 1950 ²	2,100
acres 1949.....	1,562	1945.....	1,100
1944.....	3,135	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
bushels 1949.....	394,347	acres 1945.....	2,400
1944.....	340,790	trees of all ages..number 1950...	71,100
Sweet potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	104,000
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	35	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	10,400
1944.....	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,000
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	174,100
1944.....	2	1944.....	191,000
bushels 1949.....	103	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
1944.....	82	acres 1945.....	1,400
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	1,800
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	24,400
acres 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	9,100
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,200
pounds 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,600
1944.....	.....	1944.....	14,400
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
acres 1949.....	.....	acres 1945.....	1,800
gallons 1949.....	.....	1945.....	2,400
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,800
acres 1949.....	9	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	700
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	84	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,600
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,100
acres 1949.....	.....	1944.....	1,100
1944.....	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	3,000
tons 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,000
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,000
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,300
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,374	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	50,000
1944.....	3,133	1944.....	50,000
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	242	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
acres 1949.....	401	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,000
acres 1949.....	1,674	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,000
1944.....	2,468	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,000
sold..dollars 1949.....	527,140	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,000
1944.....	692,321	1944.....	2,000
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	13	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000
acres 1949.....	10	acres 1945.....	1,000
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	54	trees of all ages..number 1950...	23,000
acres 1949.....	111	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	64,000
1944.....	100	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,000
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	177	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	73,000
acres 1949.....	28	1944.....	350,000
1944.....	19		
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	25		
acres 1949.....	19		

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
³Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,361	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	195
1945...	2,572	1945...	237
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	273,920	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	26
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.3	1945...	17
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	152,707	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	169
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	116,897	1945...	220
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,066	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	252
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,728	1945...	266
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	252,902	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	210
1945...	265,464	1945...	233
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	107.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	226
1945...	103.2	1945...	254
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	17,699	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	382
1945...	10,680	1945...	453
average per acre, dollars 1950A...	166.74	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	411
1945...	103.47	1945...	428
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	319
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,130	1945...	338
1944...	2,296	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	144
acres 1949...	152,036	1945...	144
1944...	157,403	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	87
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	217	1945...	93
1944...	271	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	127
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	152	1945...	116
1944...	159	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	169	1945...	10
1944...	171	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	350	1945...	
1944...	367	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	717	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	790	White operators.....number 1950...	2,358
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	445	1945...	2,562
1944...	473	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	3
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	80	1945...	10
1944...	65	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,427	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,467
1944 ¹ ...	1,492	1945...	1,467
acres 1949...	30,148	Part owners.....number 1950...	259
1944 ¹ ...	32,742	1945...	260
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	4
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	397	1945...	13
acres 1949...	6,903	All tenants.....number 1950...	631
1944...	11,018	1945...	832
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,006	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	26.7
1944...	933	1945...	32.3
acres 1949...	21,393	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	33
1944...	21,428	1945...	60
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	455	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944...	342	1945...	45
acres 1949...	6,670	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	521
1944...	5,080	1945...	546
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	115
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,016	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	406
1944 ¹ ...	1,260	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	61
acres 1949...	19,967	1945...	181
1944 ¹ ...	25,886	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
Other land (house lots, roads,		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	54
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,265	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	2,496	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,592
acres 1949...	15,785	1945...	1,568
1944...	11,907	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,277
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	2,170
1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,277
acres 1949...	5	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.11
1944...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,547
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	682
acres 1949...	5	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	636
FARM OPERATORS		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,142
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,274	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	906
1945...	2,452	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	60
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	58	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	495
1945...	108	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	502
With other income of family exceeding value		number 1950...	503
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	637	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	797
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	962	number 1950...	818
1944...	712	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	171
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	643	number 1950...	171
1944...	544	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	266
		number 1950...	286
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	761	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1,762
.....farms reporting 1945.....	465	General farms.....number 1950.....	355
.....number 1950.....	814	.....number 1950.....	135
.....number 1945.....	474	.....number 1950.....	135
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,897	.....number 1950.....	127
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,683	.....number 1950.....	47
.....number 1950.....	2,835	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	47
.....number 1945.....	1,973		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,777	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1945.....	2,362	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,560
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	406	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	21
.....number 1945.....	417	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	239
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	67
.....number 1945.....	26	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	459
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,077	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	267
.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,370	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	15
.....number 1950.....	2,448	Other farms.....number 1950.....	45
.....number 1945.....	2,838	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	26
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	72
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	323	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	35		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	91	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	504	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,431,500
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,452	.....dollars 1944.....	9,634,950
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,440,750
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....dollars 1944.....	1,352,710
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,199,450
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	165	.....dollars 1944.....	1,295,620
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,101	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,880
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	715	.....dollars 1944.....	18,468
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	323	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,388
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	.....dollars 1944.....	31,591
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,145
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,335	.....dollars 1944.....	13,081
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	181	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,930,750
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	405	.....dollars 1944.....	7,324,100
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,658,230
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.6	.....dollars 1944.....	1,435,645
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	692,150
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,490	.....dollars 1944.....	809,724
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	706	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,580,570
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	95	.....dollars 1944.....	5,015,840
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,780
FARM LABOR*		.....dollars 1944.....	1,270
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,102	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	62
.....persons 1950.....	3,368	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	58
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,082	.....number 1950.....	1,100
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,997	.....number 1945.....	1,400
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	791	.....number 1950.....	3,350
.....persons 1950.....	1,086	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	0
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	257	.....number 1945.....	19
.....persons 1950.....	285	.....number 1950.....	10
		.....number 1945.....	35
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,217	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,600
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,872	.....number 1950.....	2,370
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	1,676	.....number 1945.....	27,100
Hired labor.....dollars 1949.....	301,212	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,800
.....dollars 1945.....	1,327	.....number 1950.....	2,110
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	496,305	.....number 1945.....	19,500
.....dollars 1949.....	2,007	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,700
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,706,765	.....number 1950.....	10,400
.....dollars 1949.....	1,657	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,400
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,897	.....number 1950.....	6,350
.....dollars 1949.....	334,543	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,100
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,822	.....number 1950.....	4,700
.....dollars 1949.....	604,152	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,500
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,460	.....number 1950.....	3,800
.....dollars 1949.....	196,305	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,200
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,392	.....pounds 1949.....	45,201,500
.....dollars 1949.....	201,132	.....pounds 1944.....	44,885,000
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Creem sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	20
No sales.....number 1950.....	68	.....pounds 1944.....	6
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	159	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	112,700
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	84	.....dollars 1949.....	97,700
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	123	.....dollars 1949.....	60,100
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	148		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	162	HOGS	
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	197	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,700
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	322	.....number 1950.....	1,500
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	342	.....number 1950.....	100,000
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	500	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	73,000
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	256	.....number 1950.....	44,000
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,100
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	5,000
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	187	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,500
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	178	.....number 1945.....	1,500
Cotton.....number 1950.....	9	.....number 1950.....	13,200
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1945.....	12,700
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	235		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	42		
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....			
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....			

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	325	Corn:	
1945.....	579	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,011
number 1950...	7,125	1944.....	2,132
1945.....	9,754	acres 1949...	71,864
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	74,121
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	318	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,994
number 1950...	4,406	1944.....	2,128
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	319	acres 1949...	68,717
1945 ¹	571	1944.....	72,185
number 1950...	4,028	bushels 1949...	3,879,742
1945 ¹	8,337	1944.....	3,065,584
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	209	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	184
number 1950...	376	acres 1949...	1,225
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	247	tons..green weight 1949...	14,164
number 1950...	2,721	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	299	For green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	202
1944.....	521	acres 1949...	1,922
number shorn 1949...	4,451	Small grains:	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	35,488	Grains grown together and threshed	
1944.....	62,929	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949...	244
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949...	4,614
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,932	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,495
1945.....	2,310	acres 1949...	40,707
number 1950...	137,882	1944.....	35,702
1945.....	192,616	bushels 1949...	808,817
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,139	1944.....	729,952
number 1949...	185,774	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	807
dollars 1949...	215,057	acres 1949...	783
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,350	1944.....	10,922
dozens 1949...	1,024,200	acres 1949...	9,985
dollars 1949...	413,166	bushels 1949...	367,632
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	21	1944.....	339,889
number 1950...	524	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	53
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1944.....	132
number 1949...	39	acres 1949...	443
1944.....	8,974	1944.....	1,087
1944.....	9,648	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1944...	27
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		acres 1949...	117
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,054	1944.....	289
dollars 1949...	6,520,687	bushels 1949...	2,775
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,729	1944.....	5,798
1944.....	1,839	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1949...	14,079	1944.....	70
1944.....	16,178	acres 1949...	227
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,173	1944.....	685
number 1949...	8,641	bushels 1949...	3,023
dollars 1949...	1,395,203	1944.....	9,829
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	5,438	acres 1949...	3
dollars 1949...	281,334	bushels 1949...	20
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,711	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1,826	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	123
number 1949...	123,329	1944 ²	382
1944.....	132,410	acres 1949...	1,985
dollars 1949...	4,745,732	1944 ²	4,778
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	297	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	67
1944.....	338	1944.....	298
number 1949...	4,910	acres 1949...	1,541
1944.....	5,162	1944.....	4,088
dollars 1949...	89,345	bushels 1949...	37,387
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	108	1944.....	59,809
number 1949...	198	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	62
dollars 1949...	9,073	acres 1949...	392
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	668
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,482	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	789	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	890	acres 1949...	13
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	466	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....	775	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	509	acres 1949...	39
1944.....	830	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	337	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,557
1944.....	201	acres 1949...	25,076
number 1949...	381	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944.....	233	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	804
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,332	1944.....	807
1944.....	1,820	acres 1949...	9,367
number 1949...	2,853	1944.....	7,457
1944.....	4,465	tons 1949...	15,467
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	11,811
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	241		
dollars 1949...	9,319		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con-		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	935	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	1,466	1944.....	6
acres 1949.....	14,533	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	21,753	1944.....	2
tons 1949.....	15,706	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	27,779	acres 1949.....	4
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....		acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....		Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	24
1944.....		1944.....	28
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	53
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	79	1944.....	100
1944.....	10	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	666	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	108	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	639	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	64	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	(*)
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	49	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	457	1944.....	3
1944.....	49	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	438	1944.....	1
1944.....	41	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Silage made from grass or hay, crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	76	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons..green weight 1949.....	305	acres 1949.....	
Field crops (other):		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	25
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	34
1944.....	41	acres 1949.....	18
acres 1949.....		1944.....	24
1944.....	409	acres 1949.....	2
bushels 1949.....		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	283	acres 1949.....	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	34	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	266		
acres 1949.....	487	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	3,482	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	32
bushels 1949.....	285	acres 1949.....	6
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2,706	quarts 1949.....	9,743
acres 1949.....	46	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	10
1944.....	405	acres 1949.....	1
bushels 1949.....	755	quarts 1949.....	675
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
bushels 1949.....		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	942
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	41
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	510	acres 1950 ¹	239
1944.....	150	1945.....	153
acres 1949 ¹	160	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	692
1944.....	109	1945.....	601
bushels 1949.....	51,451	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	8,928
1944.....	13,067	1945.....	13,707
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,030
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	262	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	6,896
1944.....	74	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	14,143
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	10,835
bushels 1949.....	10	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	482
1944.....	871	1945.....	389
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	306	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,413
1944.....	101	1945.....	4,017
acres 1949.....	111	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,153
1944.....	448	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,260
acres 1949.....	357	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,238
pounds 1949.....	625,589	1944.....	599
1944.....	336,578	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	506
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	1945.....	464
acres 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,280
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	87	1945.....	1,522
gallons 1949.....	36	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	297
acres 1949.....	52	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	981
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....100 lb. ear corn farms reporting 1949.....	819	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1,519
1944.....		1944.....	3,027
acres 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	417
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,170
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	435
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1,818	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	731
1944.....	1,638	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	2,911
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	38	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	126
1944.....	75	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	283
acres 1949.....	64	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	93
1944.....	194	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	280
sold..dollars 1949.....	7,804	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,328
1944.....	15,448	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	219
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	1945.....	287
acres 1949.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,076
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	14	1945.....	1,894
1944.....	11	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	265
acres 1949.....	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	611
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	237
acres 1949.....	6	1944.....	331
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	497
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	137
1944.....	(*)	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	3,533
		1945.....	7,008
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	488
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,045
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	33,110
		1944.....	32,925

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 2,601 1945... 2,717	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 242 1945... 226
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 311,040	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 80 1945... 29
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 94.0	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 162 1945... 197
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 181,808	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 164 1945... 194
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 138,196	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 155 1945... 165
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 979	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 129 1945... 150
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 28,591	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 569 1945... 609
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 292,392 1945... 298,156	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 540 1945... 587
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 112.4 1945... 109.7	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 386 1945... 380
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 21,213 1945... 13,256 1950*... 185.52 1945... 120.80	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 175 1945... 182
Land in farms according to use:		220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 103 1945... 100
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 2,295 1944... 2,426	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 128 1945... 117
acres	1949... 213,814 1944... 219,069	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 10 1945... 7
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 103 1944... 112	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 53 1944... 68	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 70 1944... 76	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 226 1944... 234	White operators.....number	1950... 2,601 1945... 2,717
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1,002 1944... 1,108	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 704 1944... 706	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 137 1944... 122	Full owners.....number	1950... 1,343 1945... 1,385
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 1,653 1944... 1,582	Part owners.....number	1950... 540 1945... 530
acres	1949... 24,217 1944... 24,277	Managers.....number	1950... 4 1945... 11
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 292 1944... 4,393	All tenants.....number	1950... 714 1945... 791
acres	1949... 2,310 1944... 1,013	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 27.5 1945... 29.1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 923 1944... 14,084	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 53 1945... 63
acres	1949... 11,655 1944... 672	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 76 1945... 12
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 608 1944... 8,925	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 530 1945... 585
acres	1949... 8,190 1944... 8,190	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 210 1945... 320
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 717 1944... 912	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 320 1945... 55
acres	1949... 11,328 1944... 16,143	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 131 1945... 13
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 2,467 1944... 2,641	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 42 1945... ..
acres	1949... 15,631 1944... 16,512	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 1	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 2,116 1945... 2,170
acres	1949... 34 1944... 10	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 2,596 1945... 2,300
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 34	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 2,586 1945... 8,775
FARM OPERATORS		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 2,072
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 2,452 1945... 2,553	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 971
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 90 1945... 139	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 315
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 320 1944... 741	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 2,456
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 562 1944... 361	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 1,431
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 361 1944... 329	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 15
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 615
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 1,136
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 1,157
		number	1950... 551
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 558
		number	1950... 131
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 132
		number	1950... 176
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 184
		number	1950... 10
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 10
		number	1950... 10

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	371	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	399
1945.....	229	General farms.....number 1950...	1,061
number 1950...	422	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	9
1945.....	243	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	366
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,046	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	656
1945.....	2,012	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	257
number 1950...	3,147		
1945.....	2,369		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	2,021	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950...	2,951	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,344
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	175	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	6
number 1950...	175	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	199
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	21	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	883
number 1950...	21	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	767
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,486	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	524
1945.....	2,520	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	148
number 1950...	3,366	Other farms.....number 1950...	257
1945.....	3,050	Part-time ².....number 1950...	124
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold) ³.....number 1950...	133
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	551	Abnormal ⁴.....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	15		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	39	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	229	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	13,637,945
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,767	1944.....	10,640,235
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	5,441,470
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		1944.....	3,774,736
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	5,208,807
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	240	1944.....	3,491,441
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,601	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	150,153
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	725	1944.....	227,853
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	80	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	6,245
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4	1944.....	8,425
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	76,290
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,965	1944.....	47,017
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	55	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,192,673
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	175	1944.....	6,860,315
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	55	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,962,144
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.3	1944.....	1,456,919
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,743,712
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	2,085	1944.....	1,562,453
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	430	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,866,801
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	25	1944.....	3,890,953
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,626
FARM LABOR*		1944.....	5,164
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,371	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	267
persons 1950...	4,405	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	259
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,351	1945.....	1,273
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,296	number 1950...	495
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,096	1945.....	2,831
persons 1950...	1,801	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	13
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	181	1945.....	48
persons 1950...	308	number 1950...	21
		1945.....	88
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,561	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,233
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,111	1945.....	2,397
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	1,911	number 1950...	25,798
1945.....	65	1945.....	29,533
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	352,899	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,161
dollars 1949...	1,311	1945 ⁵	2,147
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	425,918	number 1950...	12,344
dollars 1949...	2,361	1945 ⁵	15,611
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,776,273	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,659
dollars 1949...	2,106	number 1950...	11,458
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	912,285	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,479
dollars 1949...	2,006	number 1950...	5,000
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	329,940	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,023
dollars 1949...	2,211	number 1950...	4,533
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	849,445	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,174
dollars 1949...	1,886	number 1950...	3,015
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	280,915	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,745
dollars 1949...	1,986	1944.....	1,622
	256,838	pounds 1949...	46,728,676
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	44,125,178
No sales.....number 1950...	22	dollars 1949...	1,467,345
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	111	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	251
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	32	1944.....	431
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	65	pounds of butterfat 1949...	198,923
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	83	1944.....	279,553
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	190	dollars 1949...	114,174
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	226	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	462	1944.....	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	603	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	602	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,790
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	205	1945.....	1,912
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		number 1950...	64,972
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	681	1945.....	51,463
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	676	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,736
Cotton.....number 1950...	5	number 1950...	26,080
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	9	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,159
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	9	number 1950...	38,487
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,509
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	97	1945.....	1,651
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	97	number 1950...	9,800
		1945.....	8,607

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	668	Corn:	
1945.....	893	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2,146
number 1950...	15,966	1944.....	2,284
1945.....	17,663	acres 1949...	66,232
1944.....		1944.....	66,118
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2,133
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	655	1944.....	2,282
number 1950...	10,598	acres 1949...	63,654
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	648	1944.....	65,312
1945 ¹ ..	854	bushels 1949...	3,284,455
number 1950...	9,723	1944.....	3,041,395
1945 ¹ ..	14,693	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	140
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	332	acres 1949...	857
number 1950...	875	tons..green weight 1949...	7,494
Lambs born since Oct..1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	437	Hogged or grazed, or out	
number 1950...	5,368	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	194
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	637	acres 1949...	1,721
1944.....	827		
number shorn 1949...	10,929		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	86,446		
1944.....	118,424		
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28		
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2,158	Small grains:	
1945.....	2,396	Grains grown together and threshed	
number 1950...	303,042	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1945.....	387,501	acres 1949...	283
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,509	bushels 1949...	7,2..
number 1949...	229,257	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2,055
dollars 1949...	224,486	acres 1949...	51,661
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,013	1944.....	35,066
dozens 1949...	3,525,581	bushels 1949...	1,361,041
dollars 1949...	1,332,368	1944.....	884,244
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	11	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,988
number 1950...	3,544	1944.....	1,864
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	20	acres 1949...	32,680
1944.....	11	1944.....	25,404
number 1949...	28,013	bushels 1949...	1,347,941
1944.....	13,932	1944.....	935,437
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944.....	3
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,261	acres 1949...	74
dollars 1949...	4,801,982	1944.....	18
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,026	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	35
1944.....	2,165	1944.....	45
number 1949...	13,362	acres 1949...	293
1944.....	16,175	bushels 1949...	348
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	1,177	1944.....	8,915
number 1949...	6,700	1944.....	9,325
dollars 1949...	1,301,315	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	55
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,716	1944.....	52
number 1949...	6,662	acres 1949...	445
dollars 1949...	338,013	1944.....	433
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,736	bushels 1949...	7,639
1944.....	1,972	1944.....	6,519
number 1949...	79,281	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	95,313	acres 1949...	11
dollars 1949...	2,965,008	bushels 1949...	300
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	618	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	697	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,341
number 1949...	10,156	1944 ² ..	1,930
1944.....	12,738	acres 1949...	30,391
dollars 1949...	190,077	1944 ² ..	53,567
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	62	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1,339
number 1949...	141	1944.....	1,928
dollars 1949...	7,569	acres 1949...	30,155
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	53,358
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,739	bushels 1949...	707,028
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	878	1944.....	1,036,873
number 1949...	1,065	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	24
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	672	acres 1949...	60
1944.....	889	tons 1949...	117
number 1949...	770	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
1944.....	1,041	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	246	acres 1949...	67
1944.....	225	Soybeans plowed under for	
number 1949...	295	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	648	acres 1949...	89
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,567	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	2,069	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,774
number 1949...	3,951	acres 1949...	26,983
1944.....	5,830	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,012
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	355	1944.....	763
dollars 1949...	18,339	acres 1949...	11,529
		1944.....	7,967
		tons 1949...	21,248
		1944.....	12,102

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,115	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	1,620	1944...	1
acres 1949...	15,144	acres 1949...	2
1944...	25,112	1944...	3
tons 1949...	17,853	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	28,295	acres 1949...	12
Leapsedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	20	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	20	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	25	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	25	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...		1944...	13
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949...	27
small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944...	46
1944...	1	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	23
acres 1949...	65	acres 1949...	34
1944...	5	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	83	acres 1949...	
1944...	8	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	42	1944...	37
acres 1949...	436	acres 1949...	27
1944...	22	1944...	270
tons 1949...	599	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	24	acres 1949...	(*)
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	54	acres 1949...	1
tons, green weight 1949...	204	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	173
Field crops (other)		1944...	238
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	31	acres 1949...	1,051
1944...	195	1944...	974
acres 1949...	286	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	1,881	acres 1949...	(*)
bushels 1949...	151	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
1944...	1,332	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	367	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1944...	778	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	4,796	quarts 1949...	3,444
1944...	11,016	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
bushels 1949...	3,052	acres 1949...	(*)
1944...	5,697	quarts 1949...	20
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	70	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	463	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
1944...	1,212	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,001
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	147	1945...	12
acres 1949...	2,110	acres 1950 ² ...	10
1944...	1,823	1945...	10
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945...	10
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	305	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	9,121
1944...	261	1945...	8,121
acres 1949 ¹ ...	490	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,621
1944...	476	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,521
bushels 1949...	109,252	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,001
1944...	59,212	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	10,421
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		1944...	10,421
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	42
1944...	2	1945...	24
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,421
1944...	(*)	1945...	1,721
bushels 1949...	52	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	621
1944...	12	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,821
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,421
1944...		1944...	1,021
acres 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	10
1944...		1945...	10
pounds 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,421
1944...		1945...	10
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	29	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,221
acres 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,321
gallons 1949...	790	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,421
1944...	46	1944...	1,421
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	258	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	1,621
acres 1949...	3,706	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,621
1944...	159	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,221
acres 1949...	119	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9,421
1944...	1,591	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	23
tons 1949...	734	1944...	23
1944...	18,269	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	23
1944...	7,928	trees of all ages..number 1950...	23
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	23
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,620	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,221
1944...	1,797	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,221
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	194	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	40
1944...	324	1945...	10
acres 1949...	1,212	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,421
1944...	1,619	1945...	1,421
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	150,158	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,421
acres 1949...	227,853	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,421
1944...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,421
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944...	1,421
acres 1949...	6	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	40
1944...	2	1945...	40
acres 1949...	2	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,221
1944...	17	1945...	2,321
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,321
acres 1949...	13	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,721
1944...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	30,221
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944...	24,221
acres 1949...	14		

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,538	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	201
1945...	2,920	1945...	271
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	318,080	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	14
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	80.9	1945...	6
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	196,987	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	187
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	71,058	1945...	265
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,583	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	301
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	15,255	1945...	322
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	257,375	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	244
1945...	282,344	1945...	292
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	101.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	235
1945...	96.7	1945...	263
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	12,408	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	492
1945...	7,992	1945...	604
average per acre, dollars 1950A..	109.50	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	402
1945...	82.66	1945...	490
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	322
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,238	1945...	352
1944...	2,704	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	140
acres 1949...	123,886	1945...	150
1944...	139,963	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	86
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	323	1945...	71
1944...	435	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	104
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	211	1945...	90
1944...	289	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	208	1945...	12
1944...	214	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	461	1945...	3
1944...	580		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	716	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	864	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	285	White operators.....number 1950...	2,534
1944...	288	1945...	2,918
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	34	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	4
1944...	34	1945...	2
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,078	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	807	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,874
1944...	22,031	1945...	2,643
1944...	13,269	Part owners.....number 1950...	320
		1945...	339
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	10
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	816	1945...	23
acres 1949...	15,584	All tenants.....number 1950...	324
1944...	13,081	1945...	515
1944...	998	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	12.8
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,315	1945...	17.6
acres 1949...	21,095	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	39
1944...	26,072	1945...	120
1944...	1,149	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	11
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,257	1945...	9
acres 1949...	24,026	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	206
1944...	19,433	1945...	281
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	93
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,267	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	118
1944...	2,128	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	68
acres 1949...	29,588	1945...	105
1944...	51,227	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	51
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,452	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...	2,861	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,668
acres 1949...	21,165	1945...	1,886
1944...	19,299	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,438
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945...	2,322
1944...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,423
acres 1949...	224	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.06
1944...	4	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,753
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	912
acres 1949...	224	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	637
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,238
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	856
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	47
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	553
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	622
		number 1950...	647
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	475
		number 1950...	485
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	213
		number 1950...	213
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	308
		number 1950...	370
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,401		
1945...	2,742		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	76		
1945...	140		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	931		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,328		
1944...	1,187		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,075		
1944...	968		

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	668	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	412
.....number 1945.....	421	General farms.....number 1950...	500
.....number 1950.....	734	.....number 1945.....	5
.....number 1945.....	458	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	301
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,974	.....number 1945.....	194
.....number 1950.....	1,696	.....number 1950...	975
.....number 1945.....	2,883	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,943	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,586
.....number 1945.....	1,844	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	11
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	2,437	.....number 1945.....	70
.....number 1950.....	423	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	333
.....number 1945.....	22	.....number 1945.....	551
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	23	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	440
.....number 1950.....	2,178	.....number 1945.....	181
.....number 1945.....	2,543	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	952
.....number 1950.....	3,079	.....number 1945.....	486
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,727	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	460
.....number 1945.....	444	.....number 1945.....	6
.....number 1950.....	44	RESIDENTIAL (Less than \$250 value of products sold)	
Farms by class of work power:		.....number 1950...	460
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	122	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	6
.....number 1945.....	471	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	1,457	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,551,384
.....number 1945.....		.....dollars 1944.....	5,716,866
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,966,430
.....number 1945.....		.....dollars 1944.....	1,585,794
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,645,477
.....number 1945.....		.....dollars 1944.....	1,285,905
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	58,351
.....number 1945.....		.....dollars 1944.....	59,243
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	109,376
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	167,442
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	91	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	153,026
.....farms reporting 1950...	1,101	.....dollars 1944.....	71,202
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	975	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,552,749
.....farms reporting 1950...	305	.....dollars 1944.....	4,121,679
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,537,311
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	5	.....dollars 1944.....	1,507,642
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1,311	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	837,049
.....miles 1945.....	165	.....dollars 1944.....	844,634
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,378,389
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	165	.....dollars 1944.....	1,769,403
.....farms reporting 1950...	405	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	32,205
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....dollars 1944.....	9,413
.....farms reporting 1950...	0.8	HORSES AND MULES	
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,187	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	708
.....farms reporting 1950...	1,151	.....farms reporting 1950...	691
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	70	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,453
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...		.....number 1950.....	1,506
.....miles 1945.....		.....number 1945.....	3,502
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	23
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,187	.....farms reporting 1945.....	67
.....farms reporting 1950...	1,151	.....number 1950...	47
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	70	.....number 1945...	131
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....farms reporting 1950...		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,067
FARM LABOR*		.....farms reporting 1945...	2,379
Week preceding enumeration:		.....number 1950...	24,084
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,213	.....number 1945...	25,501
.....persons 1950...	3,806	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	3,959
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,182	.....farms reporting 1945 ³ ...	2,311
.....persons 1950...	2,092	.....number 1950...	12,284
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,092	.....number 1945 ³ ...	14,974
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	905	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,849
.....persons 1950...	1,330	.....number 1950...	10,677
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	263	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,379
.....persons 1950...	384	.....number 1950...	6,030
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	913
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,354	.....number 1950...	2,582
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,909	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,146
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,741	.....number 1950...	3,183
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	250,345	.....farms reporting 1949...	1,004
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,119	.....pounds 1945...	1,216
.....dollars 1949...	613,115	.....dollars 1949...	37,670,745
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,084	.....dollars 1944...	44,537,180
.....dollars 1949...	1,382,854	.....dollars 1949...	1,425,416
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,789	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	589
.....dollars 1949...	692,380	.....farms reporting 1945...	584
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,004	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	193,383
.....dollars 1949...	222,505	.....pounds 1944...	285,632
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,939	.....dollars 1949...	107,618
.....dollars 1949...	535,220	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	4,297
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,904	.....dollars 1949...	
.....dollars 1949...	168,955	HOGS	
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,409	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,511
.....dollars 1949...	193,490	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,687
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	30,772
No sales.....number 1950...	161	.....number 1945...	26,772
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	459	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,420
.....number 1950...	168	.....number 1950...	14,564
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	193	.....number 1945...	934
.....number 1950...	183	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	36,208
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	237	.....number 1950...	1,172
.....number 1950...	326	.....number 1945...	1,172
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	383	.....number 1950...	4,388
.....number 1950...	265	.....number 1945...	3,647
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	265	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....number 1950...	241	.....farms reporting 1950...	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	82	.....farms reporting 1945...	
.....number 1950...			
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	205		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	199		
Cotton.....number 1950...	6		
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	4		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	390		
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	47		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...			

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,630	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	2,078	1944.....	25
acres 1949...	23,792	acres 1949...	20
1944.....	28,306	1944.....	28
tons 1949...	* 31,145	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	41,426	acres 1949...	3
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	3	acres 1949...	5
acres 1949...	3	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	4	acres 1949...	21
tons 1949...	4	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	45
1944.....	4	1944.....	74
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949...	117
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944.....	142
1944.....	1	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	15
acres 1949...	22	acres 1949...	47
1944.....	1	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	6
tons 1949...	34	acres 1949...	16
1944.....	2	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	27	1944.....	7
acres 1949...	292	acres 1949...	51
1944.....	13	1944.....	2
tons 1949...	324	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	23	acres 1949...	3
tons 1949...	24	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	592	acres 1949...	1
tons, green weight 1949...	2,102	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	27
Field crops (other):		1944.....	47
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949...	50
1944.....	9	1944.....	40
acres 1949...	8	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	50	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
bushels 1949...	2	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	43	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	253	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	675	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	51
acres 1949...	2,194	acres 1949...	23
1944.....	6,360	quarts 1949...	60,454
bushels 1949...	1,391	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	24
1944.....	5,246	acres 1949...	5
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	183	quarts 1949...	4,752
acres 1949...	1,639	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
bushels 1949...	5,188	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,215
acres 1949...	51	1945.....	1,459
bushels 1949...	41	1950 ²	1,231
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	1,215
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	400	1950.....	1,000
1944.....	536	1945.....	1,375
acres 1949...	492	trees of all ages..number 1950...	25,488
1944.....	777	1945.....	5,212
bushels 1949...	137,432	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	43,031
1944.....	145,969	1945.....	19,470
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	80,220
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	40	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	61,100
1944.....	13	1944.....	51
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	1945.....	1,214
1944.....	5	1945.....	17,350
bushels 1949...	97	1950.....	26,254
1944.....	441	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,001
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	9,327
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,282
acres 1949...		1945.....	23,109
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
pounds 1949...		1944.....	
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	67
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	25
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,179
gallons 1949...	70	1945.....	6,245
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	26	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	23
acres 1949...	146	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,778
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	2,305	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,441
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	2,424
1944.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	43
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,744
1944.....		1945.....	876
tons 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	92
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,482
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	31
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,950	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	79
1944.....	2,639	trees of all ages..number 1950...	29
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	52	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	72
1944.....	141	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,851
acres 1949...	381	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	436	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	411
sold..dollars 1949...	58,351	1945.....	57
1944.....	59,245	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,830
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	2,523
acres 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	87
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	.20	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,000
1944.....	13	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	45
acres 1949...	11	1944.....	1,560
1944.....	19	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	62
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1945.....	86
acres 1949...	16	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,242
1944.....	7	1945.....	7,031
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	7	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,442
acres 1949...	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,900
1944.....	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,171
		1944.....	107,659

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Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	81.41945.....	3
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Land in farms.....acres 1950...	357,778	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	209
.....1945.....	361,9831945.....	212
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	149.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	230
.....1945.....	141.7	.....1945.....	243
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A..	13,829	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	239
.....1945.....	7,8171945.....	271
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.....1944.....	449	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	308
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2431945.....	293
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20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1401945.....	82
.....1944.....	168	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	15
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	216	.....1945.....	16
.....1944.....	237		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	384	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	417	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	312	White operators.....number 1950...	2,351
.....1944.....	328	.....1945.....	2,489
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	182	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	35
.....1944.....	171	.....1945.....	65
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,253	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹	980	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,537
acres 1949.....	44,096	.....1945.....	1,607
.....1944 ¹	38,787	Part owners.....number 1950...	275
Cropland not harvested and not		.....1945.....	190
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	639	Managers.....number 1950...	9
acres 1949.....	16,128	.....1945.....	20
.....1944.....	11,251	All tenants.....number 1950...	565
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	867	.....1945.....	737
.....1944.....	1,061	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	23.7
acres 1949.....	33,057	.....1945.....	28.9
.....1944.....	40,451	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	52
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,044	.....1945.....	121
.....1944.....	841	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	23
acres 1949.....	53,057	.....1945.....	4
.....1944.....	39,988	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	407
Other pasture (not cropland and		.....1945.....	560
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,340	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	136
.....1944 ¹	1,479	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	271
acres 1949.....	46,775	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	83
.....1944 ¹	61,330	.....1945.....	52
Other land (house lots, roads,		Other tenants.....number 1950...	21
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,228	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	62
.....1944.....	2,500		
acres 1949.....	22,989	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	25,349	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,335
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945.....	1,102
.....1944.....	2	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,216
acres 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	1,385
.....1944.....	2	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,211
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.25
acres 1949.....	2	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	892
		.....1945.....	430
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	254
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,967
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	607
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	43
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	198
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	457
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	465
		.....1945.....	492
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	502
		.....number 1950...	140
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	140
		.....number 1950...	140
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	197
		.....number 1950...	221
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		.....number 1950...	7

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Year	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	305	Corn:	
1945.....	400	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,683
number 1950.....	10,357	1944.....	1,763
1945.....	11,896	acres 1949.....	65,067
		1944.....	66,861
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,662
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	296	1944.....	1,745
number 1950.....	6,511	acres 1949.....	61,865
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	292	1944.....	64,107
1945 ¹	379	bushels 1949.....	3,282,280
number 1950.....	6,150	1944.....	2,228,760
1945 ¹	9,652		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	193	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	125
number 1950.....	361	acres 1949.....	1,387
		tons green weight 1949...	12,725
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	222	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
number 1950.....	3,846	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	161
1949.....	270	acres 1949...	1,815
1944.....	338		
number 1949.....	6,835	Small grains:	
1944.....	52,702	Grains grown together and threshed	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	72,568	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	72,568	acres 1949.....	186
		bushels 1949...	4,316
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,071
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949.....	42,843
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	2,018	1944.....	40,323
1945.....	2,215	bushels 1949.....	841,541
number 1950.....	115,804	1944.....	742,291
1945.....	151,821		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	840	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	166
number 1949.....	84,200	1944.....	136
dollars 1949.....	92,536	acres 1949.....	2,070
1944.....	1,211	1944.....	1,500
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,211	bushels 1949.....	42,032
dollars 1949.....	567,200	1944.....	35,774
dollars 1943.....	211,205		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	49	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	37
number 1950.....	150	1944.....	88
1949.....	77	acres 1949.....	270
1944.....	84	1944.....	723
number 1949.....	17,966	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	5,737	1944.....	5
		acres 1949.....	84
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	93
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		bushels 1949.....	2,409
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,843	1944.....	2,224
dollars 1949.....	4,680,726		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,497	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1944.....	1,532	1944.....	56
number 1949.....	13,084	acres 1949.....	218
1944.....	14,049	1944.....	694
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	848	bushels 1949.....	3,019
number 1949.....	7,872	1944.....	9,174
dollars 1949.....	1,256,545		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,139	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949.....	5,212	acres 1949.....	40
dollars 1949.....	329,361	bushels 1949...	830
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,442		
1944.....	1,285	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	80,444	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	177
1944.....	80,154	1944.....	489
dollars 1949.....	2,964,118	acres 1949.....	2,783
		1944.....	7,555
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	249	Soybeans harvested for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	87
1944.....	276	1944.....	244
number 1949.....	6,074	acres 1949.....	2,203
1944.....	8,274	1944.....	5,395
dollars 1949.....	106,013	bushels 1949.....	46,251
		1944.....	74,740
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	118	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	94
number 1949.....	447	acres 1949.....	509
dollars 1949.....	24,699	tons 1949...	777
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,512	or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	444	acres 1949...	3
number 1949.....	499		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	224	Soybeans plowed under for	
1944.....	243	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949.....	258	acres 1949...	63
1944.....	477		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	226	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	168	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,294
number 1949.....	241	acres 1949...	25,689
1944.....	184		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
1944.....	1,508	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	485
number 1949.....	3,532	1944.....	607
1944.....	5,330	acres 1949.....	5,374
		1944.....	5,281
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		tons 1949.....	9,172
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	117	1944.....	10,672
dollars 1949.....	6,859		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	929	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	946	1944.....	5
acres 1949.....	18,203	acres 1949.....	6
1944.....	16,055	1944.....	7
tons 1949.....	21,092	acres 1949.....	9
1944.....	19,941	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	13
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	15	acres 1949.....	8
acres 1949.....	287		
1944.....	255	Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	314	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	62
1944.....	228	1944.....	52
		acres 1949.....	531
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		1944.....	577
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	91	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	8
1944.....	12	acres 1949.....	10
acres 1949.....	768		
1944.....	88	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	5
tons 1949.....	678	acres 1949.....	9
1944.....	88	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		1944.....	14
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	59	acres 1949.....	30
acres 1949.....	966	1944.....	114
1944.....	299	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	3
tons 1949.....	1,025	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	319		
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	67	acres 1949.....	8
tons..green weight 1949...	525	1944.....	21
		acres 1949.....	15
Field crops (other):		1944.....	30
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	acres 1949.....	32
1944.....	9	1944.....	8
acres 1949.....	87	acres 1949.....	23
1944.....	49	1944.....	16
bushels 1949.....	49		
1944.....	130	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	176	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	45
acres 1949.....	2,186	acres 1949.....	18
1944.....	3,395	quarts 1949.....	16,942
bushels 1949.....	1,103		
1944.....	2,839	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	25
		acres 1949.....	10
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	42	quarts 1949.....	7,254
acres 1949.....	612		
bushels 1949.....	1,002	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949.....		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	830
bushels 1949.....		1945.....	228
		acres 1950...	1,668
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	1,991
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	482	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	613
1944.....	324	1945.....	683
acres 1949...	311	trees of all ages..number 1950...	47,971
1944.....	490	1945.....	69,347
bushels 1949.....	48,409	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,090
1944.....	41,680	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	40,881
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	95,174
Sweet potatoes harvested for home		1944.....	117,969
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	148	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	448
1944.....	19	1945.....	500
acres 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	22,091
1944.....	2	1945.....	32,331
bushels 1949.....	735	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,573
1944.....	79	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	14,818
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	40	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12,715
1944.....	33	1944.....	22,282
acres 1949.....	47		
1944.....	60	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	282
pounds 1949.....	69,945	1945.....	213
1944.....	68,751	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,235
		1945.....	715
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	553
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	682
gallons 1949.....	65	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	486
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1944.....	2,821
acres 1949.....	1	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	239
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	36	trees of all ages..number 1950...	784
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	236
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	458
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,021
1944.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	116
tons 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	348
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	191
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	157
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	451
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,900		
1944.....	2,398	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	173
		1945.....	153
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	79	trees of all ages..number 1950...	834
1944.....	87	1945.....	811
acres 1949.....	746	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	320
1944.....	1,068	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	514
sold..dollars 1949.....	65,821	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	97
1944.....	83,527	1944.....	276
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	373
acres 1949.....	2	1945.....	401
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	13	vines of all ages..number 1950...	10,989
1944.....	11	1945.....	20,103
acres 1949.....	22	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	911
1944.....	44	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	10,078
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	6	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	22,087
acres 1949.....	28	1944.....	69,340
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	4		
acres 1949.....	9		

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,130	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	162
.....1945...	2,282	.....1945...	242
.....1945...		Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945...		.....1945...	29
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	262,400	.....1945...	138
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.5	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	213
.....1945...		.....1945...	212
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	130,294	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	235
.....1945...	119,494	.....1945...	162
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,502	.....1945...	163
.....1945...	12,221	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	166
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...		.....1945...	171
.....1945...		50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	381
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...		.....1945...	420
.....1945...		70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	376
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	240,069	.....1945...	416
.....1945...	237,756	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	276
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	112.7	.....1945...	281
.....1945...	104.2	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	173
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	19,185	.....1945...	154
.....1945...	12,156	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	93
.....1945...	175.05	.....1945...	82
.....1945...	116.68	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	122
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	114
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,988	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	2,119	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	168,646	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	169,924	.....1945...	
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	184		
.....1944...	252		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	86		
.....1944...	94		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	102		
.....1944...	115		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	252		
.....1944...	247		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	711		
.....1944...	771		
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	547		
.....1944...	542		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	106		
.....1944...	98		
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,092		
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,001		
.....acres 1949...	14,362		
.....1944 ¹ ...	11,455		
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	477		
.....acres 1949...	6,590		
.....1944...	7,179		
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	775		
.....acres 1949...	14,613		
.....1944...	15,170		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	586		
.....acres 1949...	360		
.....1944...	8,725		
.....1944...	4,899		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	571		
.....1944 ¹ ...	896		
.....acres 1949...	8,425		
.....1944 ¹ ...	13,612		
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,044		
.....1944...	2,244		
.....acres 1949...	18,708		
.....1944...	15,517		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
.....1944...			
.....acres 1949...	1		
.....1944...			
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
.....acres 1949...	1		
FARM OPERATORS		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,990	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1945...	2,120	White operators.....number 1950...	2,129
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	113	.....1945...	2,281
.....1945...	153	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	453	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	813	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	555	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,108
.....1944...	555	.....1945...	1,141
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	485	Part owners.....number 1950...	409
.....1944...	371	.....1945...	388
		Managers.....number 1950...	7
		.....1945...	9
		All tenants.....number 1950...	606
		.....1945...	744
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	28.5
		.....1945...	32.6
		Cash tenants.....number 1950...	70
		.....1945...	72
		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	36
		.....1945...	11
		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	454
		.....1945...	655
		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	243
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	211
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	46
		.....1945...	6
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	11
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	35
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,327
		.....1945...	1,169
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,062
		.....1945...	1,894
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,057
		.....1945...	10,06
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	1,637
		.....1945...	946
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	451
		.....1945...	1,897
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	755
		.....1945...	25
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	585
		.....1945...	826
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	831
		.....1945...	655
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	655
		.....1945...	241
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	241
		.....1945...	
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	246
		.....1945...	287
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....1945...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
	1945...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
	1945...	

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	787	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	258
.....farms reporting 1945.....	599	General farms.....number 1950...	545
.....number 1950.....	876	.....number 1945.....	57
.....number 1945.....	655	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	234
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,777	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	354
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,692	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	342
.....number 1950.....	2,938	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	342
.....number 1945.....	2,177		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,702	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	2,652	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,788
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	250	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	17
.....number 1950.....	250	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	153
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	32	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	583
.....number 1950.....	36	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	616
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,932	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	318
.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,096	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	92
.....number 1950.....	2,477	Other farms.....number 1950...	342
.....number 1945.....	2,799	Part-time ².....number 1950...	206
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	136
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	296	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	10	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	35	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	10,401,761
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	291	.....dollars 1944.....	8,275,246
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,498	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	5,020,634
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		.....dollars 1944.....	3,913,581
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,328,869
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	55	.....dollars 1944.....	3,144,439
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,017	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	825,493
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	740	.....dollars 1944.....	330,424
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	175	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	360,699
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	.....dollars 1944.....	359,316
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	105,691
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,440	.....dollars 1944.....	107,412
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	50	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,375,543
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	105	.....dollars 1944.....	4,356,474
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	0.1	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,784,839
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.1	.....dollars 1944.....	1,489,337
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	682,987
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,677	.....dollars 1944.....	764,948
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	235	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,897,727
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....dollars 1944.....	2,161,619
FARM LABOR⁴		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,364
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	5,191
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,877	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	2,834	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	341
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,872	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	131
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,782	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,342
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	620	.....number 1950.....	743
.....persons 1950.....	830	.....number 1945.....	2,642
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	172	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	24
.....persons 1950.....	222	.....farms reporting 1945.....	58
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵		.....number 1950.....	55
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,027	.....number 1945.....	302
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,737	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,567	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,627
.....dollars 1949.....	324,484	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,684
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,062	.....number 1950...	21,731
.....dollars 1949.....	604,180	.....number 1945.....	23,673
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,697	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,848
.....dollars 1949.....	1,006,360	.....farms reporting 1945 ³	1,611
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,422	.....number 1950...	10,244
.....dollars 1949.....	895,985	.....number 1945 ³	12,694
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,656	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,476
.....dollars 1949.....	310,015	.....number 1950...	9,900
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,732	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,153
.....dollars 1949.....	657,237	.....number 1950...	4,814
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,532	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	920
.....dollars 1949.....	236,325	.....number 1950...	4,606
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,482	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	808
.....dollars 1949.....	273,570	.....number 1950...	2,067
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,123
No sales.....number 1950...	48	.....farms reporting 1944.....	1,322
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	88	.....pounds 1949...	47,416,503
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	83	.....pounds 1944.....	45,961,264
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	41	.....dollars 1949...	1,721,961
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	119	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	190
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	156	.....farms reporting 1944.....	319
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	223	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	110,607
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	432	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	168,701
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	402	.....dollars 1949...	61,279
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	362	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	176	.....dollars 1949...	1,389
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field—crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	610	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,038
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	595	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,302
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	25,840
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	15	.....number 1945.....	27,061
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	10	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	988
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	21	.....number 1950...	12,717
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	277	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	593
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	67	.....number 1950...	13,123
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	695
	farms reporting 1945.....	977
	number 1950...	3,794
	number 1945.....	3,897

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	687	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	65
1944.....	927	1944.....	247
acres 1949... 9,463		acres 1949... 137	
1944... 12,648		1944... 1,264	
tons 1949... 13,344		Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	61
1944... 17,421		acres 1949... 176	
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....		acres 1949... 2	
acres 1949... 194		Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944... 194		acres 1949... 14	
tons 1949... 24		Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	61
1944... 45		1944... 147	
tons 1949... 24		acres 1949... 171	
1944... 37		1944... 643	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	37
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949... 211	
1944... 7		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949... 24		acres 1949... 1	
1944... 45		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	9
tons 1949... 24		1944... 13	
1944... 37		acres 1949... 45	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1944... 209	
acres 1949... 167		1944... 11	
1944... 649		Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	6
tons 1949... 304		acres 1949... 6	
1944... 937		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	37	acres 1949... 154	
acres 1949... 360		1944... 221	
tons, green weight 1949... 1,622		acres 1949... 687	
Field crops (other):		1944... 932	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944... 46		acres 1949... 24	
acres 1949... 231		Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	21
1944... 370			
bushels 1949... 198		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944... 255		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	77
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	51	acres 1949... 13	
1944... 157		quarts 1949... 40,670	
acres 1949... 541		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	44
1944... 1,887		acres 1949... 15	
bushels 1949... 312		quarts 1949... 13,306	
1944... 1,026		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
acres 1949... 248		vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	821
bushels 1949... 755		1945... 310	
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1950 ² ... 2,004	
acres 1949... 9		1945... 1,734	
bushels 1949... 15		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	641
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945... 711	
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	248	trees of all ages..number 1950...	37,206
1944... 520		1945... 43,333	
acres 1949... 234		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,502
1944... 907		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	31,784
bushels 1949... 62,644		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	97,892
1944... 79,890		1944... 107,127	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	31
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945... 30	
1944... 5		trees of all ages..number 1950...	41,653
acres 1949... 1		1945... 30,313	
bushels 1949... (*) 83		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	11,421
1944... 43		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	30,469
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	53,119
1944... 1		1944... 92,833	
acres 1949... 1		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	362
1944... 1		1945... 377	
pounds 1949... 43		trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,597
1944... 43		1945... 3,027	
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,182
acres 1949... 3		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,697
gallons 1949... 171		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,197
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1944... 1,421	
acres 1949... 103		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	216
100 lb. ear corn 1949... 1,979		trees of all ages..number 1950...	17,459
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	155	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,657
1944... 117		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12,422
acres 1949... 1,942		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,128,419
1944... 1,062		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	25
tons 1949... 23,341		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,239
1944... 11,085		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	650
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,219
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,334	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	34,775
1944... 2,067		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	29
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	224	1945... 24	
1944... 505		trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,082
acres 1949... 1,793		1945... 4,810	
1944... 3,405		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,631
sold..dollars 1949... 225,595		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,449
1944... 290,224		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,427
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	28
acres 1949... 42		1945... 97	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	8	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,434
1944... 16		1945... 14,976	
acres 1949... 2		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	64
1944... 6		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,786
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	11	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	21,761
acres 1949... 2		1944... 109,311	
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	5		
acres 1949... 1			

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950..	2,373	Under 10 acres.....number 1950..	296
1945..	3,144	1945..	499
Approximate land area.....acres 1950..	389,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950..	26
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950..	52.8	1945..	26
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950..	167,758	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950..	270
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950..	41,493	1945..	473
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950..	3,884	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950..	412
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950..	7,535	1945..	594
Land in farms.....acres 1950..	205,600	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950..	382
1945..	237,377	1945..	562
Average size of farm.....acres 1950..	86.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950..	263
1945..	75.5	1945..	275
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950..	6,097	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950..	325
1945..	3,448	1945..	408
average per acre, dollars 1950*	75.94	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950..	315
1945..	45.67	1945..	364
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950..	141
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949..	2,034	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950..	162
1944..	2,913	1945..	80
acres 1949..	51,420	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950..	108
1944..	61,811	1945..	44
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	963	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950..	61
1944..	1,584	1945..	89
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	361	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950..	20
1944..	486	1945..	13
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	206	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950..	6
1944..	246	1945..	6
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	235		
1944..	260	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	166	Farms by color of operator:	
1944..	229	White operators.....number 1950..	2,371
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949..	81	1945..	3,142
1944..	87	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950..	2
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949..	22	1945..	2
1944..	21	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949..	911	Full owners.....number 1950..	1,862
1944..	999	1945..	2,428
acres 1949..	18,507	Part owners.....number 1950..	250
1944..	14,198	1945..	217
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950..	7
pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	803	1945..	21
1944..	13,752	All tenants.....number 1950..	254
acres 1949..	9,265	1945..	478
1944..	1,063	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950..	10.7
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	656	1945..	15.2
1944..	30,901	Cash tenants.....number 1950..	59
acres 1949..	16,719	1945..	187
1944..	1,163	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950..	19
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949..	1,696	1945..	2
1944..	55,567	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950..	93
acres 1949..	65,114	1945..	168
1944..		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950..	54
Other pasture (not cropland and		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950..	39
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949..	946	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950..	83
1944..	2,447	1945..	121
acres 1949..	21,763	Other tenants.....number 1950..	31
1944..	54,090	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950..	52
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949..	2,199	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944..	2,629	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950..	631
acres 1949..	13,690	1945..	772
1944..	16,180	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950..	2,143
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949..	8	1945..	1,607
1944..		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950..	2,128
acres 1949..	249	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950..	4.91
1944..		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950..	582
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949..	6	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950..	205
1944..	219	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950..	138
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950..	1,801
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950..	291
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950..	46
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950..	194
		Grain combines.....number 1950..	78
		number 1950..	78
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950..	116
		number 1950..	120
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950..	54
		number 1950..	54
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950..	171
		number 1950..	221
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950..	
		number 1950..	

*Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	577	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	117
.....1945...	452	General farms.....number 1950...	136
.....number 1950...	666	.....number 1950...	40
.....1945...	493	.....number 1950...	36
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	827	.....number 1950...	60
.....1945...	628	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,555
.....number 1950...	1,080		
.....1945...	716	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	751	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	821
.....number 1950...	936	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	17
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	132	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	42
.....number 1950...	132	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	127
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	143
.....number 1950...	12	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	255
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,673	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	237
.....1945...	2,146	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,552
.....number 1950...	1,910	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	451
.....1945...	2,258	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1,101
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	768	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	369	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,373,481
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	400	.....1944...	2,600,376
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	404	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,419,681
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	432	.....1944...	985,621
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,058,176
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944...	683,549
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	111	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	210,926
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	766	.....1944...	167,197
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	547	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	62,528
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	887	.....1944...	74,741
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	88,051
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944...	60,134
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,085	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,904,562
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	225	.....1944...	1,585,824
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	570	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	317,481
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....1944...	751,408
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.1	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	349,954
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944...	294,707
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,095	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	737,117
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	736	.....1944...	539,709
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	405	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	49,238
FARM LABOR⁴		.....1944...	28,931
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,918	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,338
.....persons 1950...	3,163	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,077
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,892	.....1945...	1,572
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,722	.....number 1950...	2,058
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	696	.....number 1945...	3,193
.....persons 1950...	1,031	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	269
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	208	.....1945...	379
.....persons 1950...	410	.....number 1950...	358
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵		.....number 1945...	593
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,113	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,158	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,803
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	852	.....1945...	2,515
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	88,239	.....number 1950...	14,513
.....dollars 1949...	798	.....number 1945...	17,255
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	508,450	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,704
.....dollars 1949...	1,756	.....1945...	2,421
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	635,318	.....number 1950...	7,324
.....dollars 1949...	1,332	.....1945...	9,055
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,993	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,596
.....dollars 1949...	134,281	.....number 1950...	6,328
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	837	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	623
.....dollars 1949...	206,693	.....number 1950...	3,413
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	517	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	556
.....dollars 1949...	59,170	.....number 1950...	1,761
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	406	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	618
.....dollars 1949...	35,030	.....number 1950...	2,029
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	229
No sales.....number 1950...	374	.....1944...	727
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	727	.....pounds 1949...	18,074,002
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	237	.....1944...	18,402,443
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	171	.....dollars 1949...	762,574
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	217	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	397
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	121	.....1944...	663
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	197	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	93,680
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	102	.....1944...	175,322
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	55	.....dollars 1949...	51,638
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	113	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	47
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	59	.....dollars 1949...	3,279
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	250	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,243
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	128	.....1945...	1,371
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	8,973
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	122	.....1945...	7,462
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	14	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	991
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	22	.....number 1950...	4,710
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	215	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	570
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	54	.....number 1950...	4,263
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	455
	1945...	479
	number 1950...	1,091
	1945...	889

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Corn:	
.....1945...	20	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,611
.....number 1950...	421	.....1944...	2,129
.....1945...	279	.....acres 1949...	22,875
.....1944...		.....1944...	27,344
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,575
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	24	.....1944...	2,064
.....number 1950...	275	.....acres 1949...	21,735
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	23	.....1944...	25,274
.....1945 ¹ ...	12	.....bushels 1949...	977,546
.....number 1950...	257	.....1944...	810,574
.....1945 ¹ ...	177		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	13	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	111
.....number 1950...	18	.....acres 1949...	863
		.....tons..green weight 1949...	7,901
Lambs born since Oct., 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	15		
.....number 1950...	146	Hogged or grazed, or cut	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	22	for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	56
.....1944...	8	.....acres 1949...	277
.....number shorn 1949...	291		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	1,865	Small grains:	
.....1944...	970	Grains grown together and threshed	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	11
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		.....acres 1949...	121
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,917	.....bushels 1949...	3,440
.....1945...	2,691	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	512
.....number 1950...	88,808	.....acres 1949...	6,738
.....1945...	131,266	.....1944...	5,650
		.....bushels 1949...	137,170
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	655	.....1944...	101,295
.....number 1949...	176,590	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	93
.....dollars 1949...	174,470	.....1944...	63
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	873	.....acres 1949...	707
.....dozens 1949...	366,525	.....1944...	367
.....dollars 1949...	149,035	.....bushels 1949...	16,963
		.....1944...	7,033
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	30	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	138
.....number 1950...	610	.....1944...	388
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	38	.....acres 1949...	891
.....1944...	24	.....1944...	1,518
.....number 1949...	3,941	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
.....1944...	2,749	.....1944...	30
		.....acres 1949...	119
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		.....bushels 1949...	202
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		.....1944...	3,179
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,403	.....1944...	4,329
.....dollars 1949...	725,815	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,147	.....1944...	9
.....1944...	1,382	.....acres 1949...	12
.....number 1949...	5,626	.....1944...	20
.....1944...	6,750	.....bushels 1949...	158
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	627	.....1944...	248
.....number 1949...	2,590	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
.....dollars 1949...	345,430	.....acres 1949...	41
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	909	.....bushels 1949...	911
.....number 1949...	3,036	Annual legumes:	
.....dollars 1949...	110,497	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	591
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	742	.....1944...	1,335
.....1944...	807	.....acres 1949...	3,516
.....number 1949...	8,735	.....1944...	7,306
.....1944...	9,868	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	95
.....dollars 1949...	249,548	.....1944...	69
		.....acres 1949...	1,150
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	17	.....1944...	839
.....1944...	9	.....bushels 1949...	20,194
.....number 1949...	233	.....1944...	10,860
.....1944...	162	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	503
.....dollars 1949...	3,688	.....acres 1949...	2,237
		.....tons 1949...	2,998
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	128	Soybeans hogged or grazed,	
.....number 1949...	329	or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....dollars 1949...	16,652	.....acres 1949...	49
FARM SLAUGHTER		Soybeans plowed under for	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458	green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	28
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	228	.....acres 1949...	80
.....number 1949...	285	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	114	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,174
.....1944...	160	.....acres 1949...	13,143
.....number 1949...	134	Alfalfa cut for hay (or	
.....1944...	182	for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	251
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	120	.....1944...	218
.....1944...	48	.....acres 1949...	1,685
.....number 1949...	151	.....1944...	1,950
.....1944...	56	.....tons 1949...	2,931
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,419	.....1944...	3,529
.....1944...	2,372		
.....number 1949...	2,686		
.....1944...	4,947		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	123		
.....dollars 1949...	6,630		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Acres grown alone except for green manure.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	874	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	41
1944.....	1,069	1944.....	74
acres 1949.....	8,470	acres 1949.....	26
1944.....	10,443	1944.....	47
tons 1949.....	10,530	Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	11,676	acres 1949.....	2
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	239	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	216	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	1,894	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	1,520	acres 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	2,021	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	79
1944.....	1,417	acres 1949.....	168
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949.....	176
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	132	1944.....	367
1944.....	9	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	24
acres 1949.....	848	acres 1949.....	59
1944.....	74	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	10
tons 1949.....	785	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	45	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	76	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	521	1944.....	7
1944.....	490	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	16
tons 1949.....	486	acres 1949.....	28
1944.....	377	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949.....	31
acres 1949.....	6	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	70
tons, green weight 1949.....	30	1944.....	138
Field crops (other):		acres 1949.....	64
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	82
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	8
acres 1949.....	25	1944.....	4
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	282
bushels 1949.....	9	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	.....	acres 1949.....	.....
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	21	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	11	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
acres 1949.....	165	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	69	acres 1949.....	.....
bushels 1949.....	101	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	55	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	97
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	18
acres 1949.....	15	quarts 1949.....	17,988
bushels 1949.....	50	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	23
Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	acres 1949.....	14
acres 1949.....	.....	quarts 1949.....	9,776
bushels 1949.....	.....	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Irish potatoes harvested for home		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,329	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,886
1944.....	2,050	acres 1950 ²	284
acres 1949 ¹	735	1945.....	843
1944.....	1,918	1945.....	1,178
bushels 1949.....	105,641	acres 1950.....	984
1944.....	149,052	1945.....	1,275
Sweet potatoes harvested for home		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	10,322
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	349	1945.....	11,799
1944.....	152	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	9,773
acres 1949 ¹	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	22,447
1944.....	22	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	45,269
bushels 1949.....	1,989	1944.....	43,821
1944.....	2,012	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	501
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	314	acres 1950.....	971
1944.....	283	trees of all ages..number 1945.....	9,120
acres 1949.....	436	1945.....	14,325
1944.....	486	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5,621
pounds 1949.....	577,037	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4,919
1944.....	529,401	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,069
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	10,456
acres 1949.....	7	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	521
gallons 1949.....	501	acres 1950.....	293
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	trees of all ages..number 1945.....	1,318
acres 1949.....	28	1945.....	1,379
100 lb. ear corn 1949.....	297	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	581
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	284
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	273
acres 1949.....	.....	1944.....	1,277
1944.....	.....	1944.....	199
tons 1949.....	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	1,340
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	115
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	224
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,019	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2,440
1944.....	3,037	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	110
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	97	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	366
acres 1949.....	310	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	199
acres 1949.....	746	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	207
1944.....	1,361	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	190
1944.....	210,926	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	227
1944.....	167,197	acres 1950.....	111
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1945.....	273
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	489
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	61	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	273
1944.....	114	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	494
acres 1949.....	50	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	74
1944.....	115	1944.....	181
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	626
acres 1949.....	7	acres 1950.....	901
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...	10	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	4,837
acres 1949.....	13	1945.....	5,397
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,340
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	1,908
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	29,991
		1944.....	64,725

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
³Reported in small fractions.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Generally, the data for both 1950 and 1945 are based upon the tabulation of reports for all farms in the county. However, the 1950 data for items followed by a star (*) represent estimates for all farms made on the basis of reports from a sample of approximately 20 percent of the farms.

Inventory items are for April 1, 1950 and January 1, 1945; and production items are for the calendar years 1949 and 1944.

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	2,524	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	208
1945...	2,643	1945...	195
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	352,640	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	65
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	93.2	1945...	17
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	180,640	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	143
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	175,433	1945...	178
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,945	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	168
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	29,364	1945...	169
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	328,654	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	142
1945...	338,977	1945...	151
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	130.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	104
1945...	128.3	1945...	105
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950A...	17,799	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	422
1945...	12,429	1945...	485
average per acre, dollars 1950*	135.29	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	463
1945...	96.91	1945...	452
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	475
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,290	1945...	423
1944...	2,483	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	233
acres 1949...	216,976	1945...	276
1944...	231,786	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	144
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	138	1945...	142
1944...	198	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	188
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	75	1945...	179
1944...	63	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	19
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	86	1945...	16
1944...	69	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	216	1945...	1
1944...	193		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	840	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	987	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	793	White operators.....number 1950...	2,523
1944...	839	1945...	2,642
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	142	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944...	134	1945...	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,496	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	1,466	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,279
acres 1949...	23,985	1945...	1,181
1944 ¹ ...	21,664	Part owners.....number 1950...	401
		1945...	387
Cropland not harvested and not		Managers.....number 1950...	5
pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	646	1945...	13
acres 1949...	11,300	All tenants.....number 1950...	234
1944...	4,075	1945...	1,062
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,114	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	32.2
1944...	1,100	1945...	40.2
acres 1949...	23,557	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	49
1944...	20,918	1945...	102
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	840	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	19
1944...	743	1945...	12
acres 1949...	14,122	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	761
1944...	11,583	1945...	923
Other pasture (not cropland and		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	299
not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	769	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	402
1944 ¹ ...	1,208	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	70
acres 1949...	15,790	1945...	15
1944 ¹ ...	27,313	Other tenants.....number 1950...	12
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	58
Other land (house lots, roads,			
wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,447	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT²	
1944...	2,620	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,777
acres 1949...	22,924	1945...	1,539
1944...	21,638	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,423
		1945...	2,443
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,423
1944...	1	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.67
acres 1949...	30	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,923
1944...	30	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,058
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	740
acres 1949...	30	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,303
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,356
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	30
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	580
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	1,007
		number 1950...	1,023
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	783
		number 1950...	783
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	206
		number 1950...	206
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	321
		number 1950...	361
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,346		
1945...	2,527		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	116		
1945...	103		
With other income of family exceeding value			
of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	483		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	813		
1944...	630		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	489		
1944...	383		

¹Data for 1944 not strictly comparable with those for 1949.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	753	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	469
.....1945...	508	General farms.....number 1950...	731
.....number 1950...	844	.....1945...	5
.....1945...	548	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	262
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,073	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	464
.....1945...	2,065	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	343
.....number 1950...	3,270	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....1945...	2,621		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	2,028	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	3,005	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	2,199
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	240	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	19
.....number 1950...	240	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	177
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	776
.....number 1950...	25	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	683
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,323	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	372
.....1945...	2,502	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	190
.....number 1950...	2,941	Other farms.....number 1950...	325
.....1945...	3,285	Part-time.....number 1950...	195
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	124
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	418	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	6
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	64	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,656,600
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	443	.....1944...	10,323,319
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,594	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	4,927,778
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944...	4,120,047
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,605,525
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	120	.....1944...	3,967,065
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,062	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	52,857
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,026	.....1944...	72,591
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	255	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	21,147
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944...	35,147
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	248,249
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,098	.....1944...	45,244
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	25	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,713,638
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	55	.....1944...	6,187,368
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,930,170
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.2	.....1944...	1,845,613
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	999,232
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	2,217	.....1944...	987,276
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	181	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,784,236
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	115	.....1944...	3,354,499
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	15,184
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944...	15,884
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	2,293	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	4,171	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	530
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,258	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	516
Operators.....persons 1950...	2,127	.....1945...	1,525
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,158	.....number 1950...	1,111
.....persons 1950...	1,647	.....1945...	3,791
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	237	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	22
.....persons 1950...	397	.....1945...	100
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....number 1950...	37
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,343	.....1945...	198
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,037	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	1,887	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,112
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	348,170	.....1945...	2,364
.....dollars 1949...	1,297	.....number 1950...	26,128
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	682,020	.....1945...	11,624
.....dollars 1949...	2,153	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,084
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,321,765	.....1945...	2,336
.....dollars 1949...	1,892	.....number 1950...	1,538
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,003	.....1945...	18,428
.....dollars 1949...	303,669	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,975
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,158	.....number 1950...	12,590
.....dollars 1949...	818,327	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,474
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,798	.....number 1950...	6,840
.....dollars 1949...	245,380	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,091
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,818	.....number 1950...	3,407
.....dollars 1949...	248,965	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,447
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	3,123
No sales.....number 1950...	21	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,382
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	109	.....1944...	1,550
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	58	.....pounds 1949...	48,884,375
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	121	.....1944...	48,704,406
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	107	.....dollars 1949...	1,789,064
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	141	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	387
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	310	.....1944...	655
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	436	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	258,090
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	530	.....1944...	499,428
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	495	.....dollars 1949...	140,289
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	196	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	9
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....dollars 1949...	827
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	645	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	645	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,679
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....1945...	1,976
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	50,805
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	.....1945...	82,169
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,408
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	239	.....number 1950...	24,041
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	87	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,116
		.....number 1950...	26,764
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,440
		.....1945...	1,619
		.....number 1950...	7,626
		.....1945...	7,703

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,498	Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	1,846	1944.....	38
acres 1949...	25,784	acres 1949...	61
1944.....	31,958	1944.....	169
tons 1949...	30,789	Cantaloupe and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	9
1944.....	45,095	acres 1949...	19
Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	38	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	38	Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	46	acres 1949...	
tons 1949...	46	Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	23
1944.....	27	1944.....	33
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other		acres 1949...	59
small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1944.....	146
1944.....	2	acres 1949...	15
acres 1949...	33	1944.....	137
1944.....	37	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	27	acres 1949...	
1944.....	27	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	26	acres 1949...	8
acres 1949...	238	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	161	1944.....	1
tons 1949...	285	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	174	Sweet peppers and pimientos.....farms reporting 1949...	(*)
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	19	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	175	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons..green weight 1949...	1,085	acres 1949...	14
Field crops (other):		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	21
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1944.....	48
1944.....	103	acres 1949...	133
acres 1949...	111	1944.....	272
1944.....	790	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6
bushels 1949...	80	acres 1949...	9
1944.....	637	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	349	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	915	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	37
acres 1949...	4,458	acres 1949...	15
1944.....	11,655	quarts 1949...	16,539
bushels 1949...	2,690	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944.....	7,806	acres 1949...	5
bushels 1949...	195	quarts 1949...	5,591
Timothy seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,715	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	5,375	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
bushels 1949...	16	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	909
-Alsike clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	219	1945.....	981
acres 1949...	122	acres 1950 ² ...	775
Irish potatoes harvested for home		1945.....	1,010
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	333	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	761
1944.....	603	1945.....	914
acres 1949 ¹ ...	98	trees of all ages..number 1950...	12,562
1944.....	597	1945.....	20,999
bushels 1949...	14,882	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,925
1944.....	47,184	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,637
Sweet potatoes harvested for home		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	23,239
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1944.....	30,716
1944.....	8	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	404
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	1945.....	568
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,870
bushels 1949...	102	1945.....	5,084
1944.....	88	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,266
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,604
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,666
acres 1949...		1944.....	3,958
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	505
pounds 1949...		1945.....	671
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,405
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1945.....	1,807
acres 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	254
gallons 1949...	260	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,151
Popcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	29	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,029
acres 1949...	210	1944.....	2,615
100 lb. ear corn 1949...	2,657	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	330
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	84	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,287
1944.....	83	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	482
acres 1949...	1,285	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	805
1944.....	930	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,879
tons 1949...	12,173	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	204
1944.....	9,120	trees of all ages..number 1950...	541
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	190
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,784	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	351
1944.....	2,426	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	9,231
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	44	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	274
1944.....	116	1945.....	370
acres 1949...	447	trees of all ages..number 1950...	944
1944.....	774	1945.....	1,571
sold..dollars 1949...	52,857	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	232
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	72,591	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	712
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	347
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	537
1944.....	8	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	456
acres 1949...	3	1945.....	675
1944.....	3	vines of all ages..number 1950...	3,869
Green lima beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	18,961
acres 1949...	2	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	590
Beets (table).....farms reporting 1949...		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	3,479
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	38,498
		1944.....	150,814

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Reported in small fractions.