

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...	4,788	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	1,414
.....1945...	6,259	.....1945...	2,190
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,344,000	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	125
.....1945...	15.4	.....1945...	119
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	15.4	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	1,289
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	158,478	.....1945...	2,071
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	29,983	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	1,578
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,117	.....1945...	2,182
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	9,304	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	802
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	180,285	.....1945...	875
.....1945...	194,887	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	288
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	37.7	.....1945...	305
.....1945...	31.1	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	501
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	10,972	.....1945...	520
.....1945...	8,572	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	168
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	801.57	.....1945...	168
.....1945...	204.87	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	97
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945...	95
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3,212	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	48
.....1944...	5,088	.....1945...	45
.....acres 1949...	40,482	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	21
.....1944...	48,515	.....1945...	18
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2,087	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	49
.....1944...	5,785	.....1945...	50
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	589	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1944...	652	.....1945...	11
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	247	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
.....1944...	285	.....1945...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	185		
.....1944...	211	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	88	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	114	White operators.....number 1950...	4,776
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	26	.....1945...	8,248
.....1944...	35	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	10
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....1945...	11
.....1944...	8	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	2,491	Full owners.....number 1950...	4,170
.....1944...	1,885	.....1945...	5,441
.....acres 1949...	32,877	Part owners.....number 1950...	282
.....1944...	19,847	.....1945...	288
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	878	Managers.....number 1950...	11
.....1944...	5,941	.....1945...	14
.....acres 1949...	2,774	All tenants.....number 1950...	283
.....1944...	187	.....1945...	506
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	1,171	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	5.9
.....1944...	185	.....1945...	8.1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	149
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945...	286
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	526	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	4,770	.....1945...	5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,488	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	15
.....1944...	2,085	.....1945...	25
.....acres 1949...	22,808	Crop-shares tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	15
.....1944...	29,115	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	115
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,144	.....1945...	192
.....1944...	2,851	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	28
.....acres 1949...	55,837	.....1945...	87
.....1944...	57,581	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	87
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,059		
.....1944...	1,987	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...	10,085	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,555
.....1944...	22,821	.....1945...	2,308
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	4,249	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	4,408
.....1944...	5,907	.....1945...	5,758
.....acres 1949...	12,787	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	4,388
.....1944...	14,484	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.19
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	58	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	2,447
.....1944...	1	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,925
.....acres 1949...	1,551	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	455
.....1944...	1	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	4,077
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	58	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	906
.....1944...	1,298	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	86
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	946
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	28
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	4,642	.....number 1950...	31
.....1945...	6,151	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	76	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945...	71	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	16
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	2,879	.....number 1950...	16
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	2,894	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	417
.....1944...	5,759	.....number 1950...	551
.....1949...	2,859	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	40
.....1944...	5,481	.....number 1950...	40

*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...	1,788	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1
1945.....	1,698	General farms.....number 1950...	1
number 1950.....	2,094	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	1
1945.....	1,882	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,106	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	1
1945.....	1,581	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1
number 1950.....	2,587		
1945.....	1,716		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,525		
number 1950.....	1,654		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	725		
number 1950.....	750		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	187		
number 1950.....	203		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	5,787		
1945.....	5,103		
number 1950.....	4,859		
1945.....	5,956		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	2,094		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	288		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	241		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	278		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,885		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD[*]		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	240	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,181	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	1
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,856	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	1
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	498	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	1
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	1
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,455	Other farms.....number 1950...	1
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	408	Part-time.....number 1950...	1
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,020	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	125	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.7		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	2,252		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,500		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	375		
FARM LABOR[*]		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	11,215.4
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	5,819	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	9,554.3
persons 1950...	8,256	1944.....	2,765.7
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	3,798	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	308.1
Operators.....persons 1950...	3,573	1944.....	196.2
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,481	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	641.1
persons 1950...	1,954	1944.....	91.7
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	345	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	75.5
persons 1950...	744	1944.....	25.3
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	54.5
		1944.....	35.5
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,917.7
		1944.....	7,480.1
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,292.7
		1944.....	4,416.4
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,543.2
		1944.....	2,077.1
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,239.7
		1944.....	75.1
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	215.5
		1944.....	53.2
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	2
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945 ³	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945 ³	1
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		1949.....	1
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	1
		pounds 1949...	150,645.
		1944.....	139,268.
		dollars 1949...	5,220.
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	1
		pounds of butterfat 1949...	115.
		1944.....	115.
		dollars 1949...	70.
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1949.....	1
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		1950.....	1
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		1950.....	1
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
		number 1950...	1
		1945.....	1

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...	103	Corn:	
1943...	91	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	128
number 1950...	846	1944...	146
1945...	887	acres 1949...	704
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	672
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	117	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1950...	511	1944...	2
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	97	acres 1949...	124
1945 ¹ ...	52	1944...	6
number 1950...	458	bushels 1949...	2,196
1945 ¹ ...	429	1944...	60
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	54	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	77
number 1950...	164	acres 1949...	462
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	78	tons, green weight 1949...	3,705
number 1950...	294	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	35	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	41
number 1950...	53	acres 1949...	118
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	71	Small grains:	
number 1950...	355	Grains grown together and threshed	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	84	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	35	acres 1949...	68
number shorn 1949...	580	bushels 1949...	5,570
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	2,748	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944...	2,090	1944...	13
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949...	356
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	91
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.. farms reporting 1950...	3,006	bushels 1949...	6,620
1945...	4,793	1944...	4,298
number 1950...	241,719	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1945...	596,585	1944...	6
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	768	acres 1949...	170
number 1949...	587,251	1944...	27
dollars 1949...	801,307	bushels 1949...	5,664
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,360	1944...	406
dozens 1949...	2,760,708	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	250
dollars 1949...	1,359,913	1944...	177
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand... farms reporting 1950...	31	acres 1949...	3,755
number 1950...	2,088	1944...	2,451
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	76	bushels 1949...	251,189
1944...	96	1944...	150,200
number 1949...	42,078	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	99
1944...	45,305	1944...	346
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	610
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		1944...	1,817
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,313	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	13
dollars 1949...	1,065,570	1944...	7
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,181	acres 1949...	89
1944...	2,011	1944...	94
number 1949...	12,956	bushels 1949...	3,756
1944...	9,800	1944...	2
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.. farms reporting 1949...	1,685	acres 1949...	13
number 1949...	5,935	1944...	.....
dollars 1949...	790,408	bushels 1949...	175
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,310	1944...	.....
number 1949...	7,001	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	111,888	Dry field and seed beans harvested	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	302	for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	529	1944 ²...	.....
number 1949...	5,006	acres 1949...	17
1944...	8,091	1944 ²...	.....
dollars 1949...	136,436	pounds 1949...	25,240
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	80	1944 ²...	.....
1944...	23	Dry field and seed peas, other than	
number 1949...	514	Austrian winter peas, harvested for	
1944...	188	peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dollars 1949...	4,721	1944...	18
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	100	acres 1949...	40
number 1949...	182	1944...	471
dollars 1949...	10,187	pounds 1949...	81,970
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	1,107,600
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,468	Hay crops:	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,947	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2,658
number 1949...	2,943	acres 1949...	27,799
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.. farms reporting 1949...	1,130	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
1944...	1,258	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	81
number 1949...	1,599	1944...	52
1944...	1,628	acres 1949...	427
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,009	1944...	174
1944...	1,027	tons 1949...	1,019
number 1949...	1,544	1944...	523
1944...	1,817	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,879
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,279	1944...	2,156
1944...	1,916	acres 1949...	15,944
number 1949...	2,197	1944...	17,932
1944...	5,723	tons 1949...	22,217
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	54	1944...	40,269
number 1949...	114	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	548
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	522	1944...	577
dollars 1949...	58,484	acres 1949...	2,858
		1944...	2,958
		tons 1949...	5,272
		1944...	5,650

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include soybeans.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	340	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	405
1944.....	135	acres 1949...	695
acres 1949...	2,478	pounds 1949...	3,875,882
1944.....	795		
tons 1949...	3,866	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	16
1944.....	1,057	acres 1949...	11
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	406	pounds 1949...	33,647
acres 1949...	5,663		
1944.....	6,946	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	530
acres 1949...	6,284	acres 1949...	282
1944.....	14,039	pounds 1949...	1,166,325
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	248	Boysenberries, loganberries, and youngberries.....farms reporting 1949...	22
acres 1949...	2,977	acres 1949...	11
tons..green weight 1949...	17,807	pounds 1949...	16,281
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	3,507
1944.....	2	acres 1950 ² ..	2,508
acres 1949...	6	1945.....	819
1944.....	.....	1945.....	1,279
pounds 1949...	(*)	farms reporting 1950...	5,541
1944.....	8	1945.....	4,084
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	24,413
1944.....	74	trees not of bearing age..number 1950 ..	3,281
acres 1949...	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950 ..	21,132
1944.....	3,882	quantity harvested..loose boxes 1949...	32,888
pounds 1949...	1,080	1944.....	56,293
1944.....	.....	
Austrian winter peas, including Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	790
acres 1949...	.....	acres 1945...	884
pounds 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,978
		1945...	2,858
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	487	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,484
1944.....	518	trees of bearing age..number 1950 ..	3,494
acres 1949 ¹ ..	282	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	175,854
1944.....	518	1944.....	281,128
100-lb. bags 1949...	45,807	Bartlett pears.....farms reporting 1950...	1,865
1944.....	70,822	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,822
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	927
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,365
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	62
acres 1949...	.....	
1944.....	.....	Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting 1950...	850
tons 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,702
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	523
Hops harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950 ..	1,378
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	29
acres 1949...	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	956
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,806
pounds 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	345
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,341
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	25,630
acres 1949...	25		
		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	2,407
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	5,488	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,667
1944.....	4,657	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,001
		trees of bearing age..number 1950 ..	7,598
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	208	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	159,272
1944.....	376	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	2,525
acres 1949...	4,371	1945...	5,080
1944.....	7,591	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,410
sold..dollars 1949...	629,712	1945...	11,019
1944.....	951,782	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,855
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,055
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	154
1944.....	29	1944.....	147
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	80		
1944.....	86	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	171
acres 1949...	117	1945...	207
1944.....	17	trees of all ages..number 1950...	274
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1945...	417
1944.....	29	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	177
acres 1949...	108	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	97
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	670
		1944.....	281
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	823
acres 1949...	5	1945...	800
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	18	vines of all ages..number 1950...	9,022
acres 1949...	10	1945...	17,244
1944.....	101	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	927
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	114	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	8,095
1944.....	740	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	110,067
acres 1949...	492	1944.....	111,760
1944.....	.....	
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting 1950...	456
acres 1949...	28	1945...	515
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	671
acres 1949...	1	1945...	817
1944.....	105	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	278
Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	198	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	595
acres 1949...	5,087	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7,284
1944.....	8,404	1944.....	6,041
		Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting 1950...	588
Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945...	494
acres 1949...	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	14,071
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945...	17,984
acres 1949...	9	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,251
1944.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,820
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	430	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	45,022
		1944.....	99,145

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
^{*}Reported in small fractions.

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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...	3,727	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	640
1945.....	4,688	1945.....	1,215
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,128,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	144
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	74.7	1945.....	308
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	598,150	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	496
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	298,841	1945.....	912
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,684	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	586
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	60,710	1945.....	725
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	848,885	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	262
1945.....	848,576	1945.....	334
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	236.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	149
1945.....	181.2	1945.....	189
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	23,042	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	305
1945.....	11,125	1945.....	351
average per acre, dollars 1950*	104.85	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	196
1945.....	61.89	1945.....	318
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	300
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3,176	1945.....	367
1944.....	3,970	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	184
acres 1949...	805,592	1945.....	127
1944.....	384,891	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	157
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	684	1945.....	171
1944.....	1,394	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	515
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	405	1945.....	558
1944.....	464	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	350
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	262	1945.....	344
1944.....	299	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	138
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	850	1945.....	150
1944.....	407		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	419	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	407	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	865	White operators.....number 1950...	3,700
1944.....	418	1945.....	4,657
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	401	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	87
1944.....	496	1945.....	85
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,378	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	1,100	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,618
acres 1949...	35,001	1945.....	2,285
1944.....	84,288	Part owners.....number 1950...	710
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,745	1945.....	779
acres 1949...	112,874	Managers.....number 1950...	14
1944.....	94,112	1945.....	23
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	1,195	All tenants.....number 1950...	385
acres 1949...	89,181	1945.....	646
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	698	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.3
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	390	1945.....	13.8
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	106	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	66
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	827	1945.....	234
acres 1949...	23,698	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	43
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,357	1945.....	34
1944.....	1,522	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	192
acres 1949...	214,185	1945.....	260
1944.....	215,095	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	170
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	669	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	22
1944.....	819	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	64
acres 1949...	59,409	1945.....	78
1944.....	26,420	Other tenants.....number 1950...	27
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	790	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	37
1944.....	1,261		
acres 1949...	81,673	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	184,391	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	2,370
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	8,297	1945.....	2,188
1944.....	4,156	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	3,584
acres 1949...	84,601	1945.....	3,908
1944.....	19,489	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	3,534
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	682	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.70
1944.....	996	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	2,314
acres 1949...	9,458	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1,906
1944.....	7,122	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	511
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	100	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	3,277
acres 1949...	2,704	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	994
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	122
		Milk machine.....farms reporting 1950...	580
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	811
		number 1950...	884
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	241
		number 1950...	266
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	92
		number 1950...	114
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		number 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,514		
1945.....	4,471		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	133		
1945.....	190		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,692		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,897		
1944.....	2,193		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,851		
1944.....	1,753		

*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...	2,284	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	269
.....1945.....	2,310	General farms.....number 1950...	205
.....number 1950.....	2,262	.....number 1950.....	61
.....1945.....	2,677	.....number 1950.....	41
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,319	.....number 1950.....	113
.....1945.....	1,761	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,617
.....number 1950.....	3,242		
.....1945.....	2,067		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,678		
.....number 1950.....	1,846		
.....1945.....	448		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	458		
.....number 1950.....	805		
.....1945.....	988		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,872		
.....number 1950.....	3,581		
.....1945.....	3,578		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,047		
.....number 1950.....	981		
.....1945.....	116		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	370		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	762		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or			
mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,648		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...			
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...			
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	2,215
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	270	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	77
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,246	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	409
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	856	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	484
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,180	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	468
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	513
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	264
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,719	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,512
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	586	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	648
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	750	Residential (Less than \$250 value of	
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	151	products sold).....number 1950.....	854
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.9	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	10
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,292	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,176,168
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,270	.....1944.....	16,300,349
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	979	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	9,126,656
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	10,284,507
Week preceding enumeration:		Field crops, other than vegetables	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	3,231	and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	6,884,784
.....persons 1950.....	5,520	.....1944.....	8,199,219
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	3,201	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	626,368
Operators.....persons 1950.....	3,046	.....1944.....	911,394
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,233	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	498,145
.....persons 1950.....	1,680	.....1944.....	848,029
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	474	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,122,389
.....persons 1950.....	844	.....1944.....	581,055
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,961,629
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	3,465	.....1944.....	5,805,775
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,449	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,414,614
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,636	.....1944.....	1,910,915
.....dollars 1949...	308,497	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,461,612
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,694	.....1944.....	1,250,836
.....dollars 1949...	1,694,128	Livestock and livestock products, other	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	2,897	than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,095,408
.....dollars 1949...	2,832,605	.....1944.....	2,644,024
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,224	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	87,883
.....dollars 1949...	1,285,139	.....1944.....	39,687
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees		HORSES AND MULES	
purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,384	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,251
.....dollars 1949...	548,807	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,237
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and		.....1945.....	2,089
oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,584	.....number 1950.....	9,015
.....dollars 1949...	951,178	.....1945.....	6,879
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,564	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	24
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	562,534	.....1945.....	58
.....dollars 1949...	1,610	.....number 1950.....	44
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	890,132	.....1945.....	82
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
No sales.....number 1950.....	303	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,648
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	555	.....1945.....	3,477
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	258	.....number 1950.....	39,862
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	243	.....1945.....	41,923
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	308	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,506
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	297	.....1945.....	3,405
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	384	.....number 1950.....	18,155
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	277	.....1945.....	22,708
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	275	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,378
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	350	.....number 1950.....	12,412
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	492	.....1945.....	1,720
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	8,652
Field-crop farms other than vegetable		.....number 1950.....	1,407
and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	706	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,282
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	703	.....number 1950.....	1,507
Cotton.....number 1950.....	5	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,973
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	96	.....number 1950.....	566
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	78	.....1944.....	581
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	489	.....pounds 1949...	42,800,604
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	250	.....1944.....	40,700,214
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....		.....dollars 1949...	2,110,045
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,002
		.....1944.....	1,681
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	500,212
		.....1944.....	892,253
		.....dollars 1949...	808,695
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk,	
		and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		.....dollars 1949...	974
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	879
		.....1945.....	1,436
		.....number 1950.....	9,925
		.....1945.....	17,557
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	789
		.....number 1950.....	5,392
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	365
		.....number 1950.....	4,534
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	387
		.....1945.....	725
		.....number 1950.....	1,293
		.....1945.....	2,271

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...	59	Corn:	
1945.....	118	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	88
number 1950.....	1,019	1944.....	184
1945.....	2,489	acres 1949.....	147
1944.....		1944.....	588
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	55	1944.....	60
number 1950.....	589	acres 1949.....	28
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	54	1944.....	187
1945 ¹	88	bushels 1949.....	804
number 1950.....	544	1944.....	4,101
1945 ¹	1,680	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	22	1944.....	80
number 1950.....	94	tons..green weight 1949.....	185
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	49	Hogged or grazed, or out for	
number 1950.....	450	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Rams and vethers.....farms reporting 1950...	32	1944.....	89
number 1950.....	45	Small grains:	
Lambs born since Oct.1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	43	Grains grown together and threshed	
number 1950.....	480	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	44	1944.....	
1944.....	70	bushels 1949.....	
number shorn 1949.....	549	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,238
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	5,863	1944.....	987
1944.....	16,782	acres 1949.....	135,667
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	83,640
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949.....	2,631,856
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.. farms reporting 1950...	2,589	1944.....	2,388,222
1945.....	3,801	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	287
number 1950.....	215,279	1944.....	499
1945.....	303,468	acres 1949.....	10,922
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	974	1944.....	25,567
number 1949.....	332,242	bushels 1949.....	143,186
dollars 1949.....	361,273	1944.....	581,606
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,458	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	787
dozens 1949.....	1,934,519	1944.....	789
dollars 1949.....	986,875	acres 1949.....	15,357
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	37	1944.....	19,339
number 1950.....	1,157	bushels 1949.....	450,974
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1944.....	643,943
1944.....	119	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	111
number 1949.....	15,566	1944.....	475
1944.....	6,447	acres 1949.....	1,254
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	6,631
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		bushels 1949.....	399
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,040	1944.....	506
dollars 1949.....	3,001,828	acres 1949.....	11,343
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,511	1944.....	16,038
1944.....	2,290	bushels 1949.....	207,295
number 1949.....	18,586	1944.....	409,934
1944.....	21,203	acres 1949.....	9
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	1,443	1944.....	20
number 1949.....	12,507	acres 1949.....	187
dollars 1949.....	2,158,667	1944.....	572
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,136	bushels 1949.....	332
number 1949.....	6,029	1944.....	5,892
dollars 1949.....	287,103	Annual legumes:	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	804	Dry field and seed beans harvested	
1944.....	1,437	for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	110
number 1949.....	13,983	1944.....	55
1944.....	41,721	acres 1949.....	3,861
dollars 1949.....	494,377	1944.....	1,351
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	43	pounds 1949.....	2,145,807
1944.....	77	1944.....	1,445,100
number 1949.....	877	Dry field and seed peas, other than	
1944.....	5,740	Austrian winter peas, harvested for	
dollars 1949.....	14,850	peas.....farms reporting 1949...	454
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	121	1944.....	551
number 1949.....	1,446	acres 1949.....	59,144
dollars 1949.....	52,301	1944.....	84,904
FARM SLAUGHTER		pounds 1949.....	34,887,564
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,925	1944.....	99,859,500
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,475	Hay crops:	
number 1949.....	2,061	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	2,405
1944.....	685	1944.....	57,755
number 1949.....	974	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
1944.....	866	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,897
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,288	1944.....	2,399
number 1949.....	368	acres 1949.....	37,457
1944.....	974	1944.....	43,728
number 1949.....	1,195	tons 1949.....	48,499
1944.....	1,799	1944.....	48,207
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,251	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	276
1944.....	1,887	1944.....	313
number 1949.....	2,422	acres 1949.....	3,752
1944.....	5,058	1944.....	4,769
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	22	tons 1949.....	5,513
number 1949.....	59	1944.....	5,564
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	465	small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	580
dollars 1949.....	24,065	1944.....	987
		acres 1949.....	6,882
		1944.....	12,546
		tons 1949.....	7,279
		1944.....	15,827

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include soybeans.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	820	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	160
1944.....	167	acres 1949...	197
acres 1949...	5,148	pounds 1949...	490,986
1944.....	4,680		
tons 1949...	5,884	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	4,782	acres 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	190	pounds 1949...	986
acres 1949...	4,879	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	813
1944.....	9,898	acres 1949...	184
tons 1949...	5,110	pounds 1949...	844,745
1944.....	12,606	Boysenberries, loganberries, and youngberries.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	9	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	163	pounds 1949...	1,162
tons..green weight 1949...	791		
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,890
1944.....	1	1945.....	456
acres 1949...	1	1950 ²	1,970
1944.....	10	acres 1945...	1,980
pounds 1949...	10	1945.....	1,158
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	922
1944.....	1	1945.....	74,421
acres 1949...	47	trees of all ages..number 1950...	78,806
1944.....	20	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	15,966
pounds 1949...	3,550	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	58,435
1944.....	1,200	quantity harvested..loose boxes 1949...	284,950
Austrian winter peas, including Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1944.....	286,715
acres 1949...	465		
pounds 1949...	844,198	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	866
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	626	1945.....	258
1944.....	1,147	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,459
acres 1949...	1,035	1945.....	1,728
1944.....	2,618	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,847
100-lb. bags 1949...	70,942	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,192
1944.....	94,012	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	19,504
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	66,976
1944.....	2	Bartlett pears.....farms reporting 1950...	288
acres 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,216
1944.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,412
tons 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,800
1944.....	10	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	284
Hops harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting 1950...	191
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,712
acres 1949...	10	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	441
1944.....	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,871
pounds 1949...	12,000	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	46
1944.....	12,000	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	476
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,808
acres 1949...	128	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,540
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,768
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	246,967
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,285	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	500
1944.....	3,662	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,428
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,510
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	390	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,912
1944.....	567	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	72,615
acres 1949...	2,151	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	866
1944.....	3,599	1945.....	497
acres 1949...	636,368	trees of all ages..number 1950...	9,574
1944.....	911,204	1945.....	10,204
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,520
acres 1949...	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,054
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	52	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	260
1944.....	94	1944.....	284
acres 1949...	48	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	292
1944.....	295	1945.....	199
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	80	trees of all ages..number 1950...	784
1944.....	108	1945.....	1,843
acres 1949...	510	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	282
1944.....	621	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	462
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	87	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,569
acres 1949...	126	1944.....	12,115
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	58	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	294
acres 1949...	100	1945.....	120
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	126	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,995
1944.....	197	1945.....	2,871
acres 1949...	344	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,945
1944.....	478	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,050
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	37	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	12,024
acres 1949...	179	1944.....	27,223
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting 1950...	41
acres 1949...	25	1945.....	13
1944.....	25	trees of all ages..number 1950...	153
Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1945.....	60
1944.....	36	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	21
acres 1949...	16	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	74
1944.....	278	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	220
Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1944.....	200
acres 1949...	24	Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting 1950...	22
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	144	1945.....	142
1944.....	229	trees of all ages..number 1950...	.....
acres 1949...	218	1945.....	.....
1944.....	438	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	28
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	545	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	61
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	115
		1944.....	.....

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags 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...	2,138	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	93
.....1945...	2,284	.....1945...	90
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,591,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....1945...	1,591,040	.....1945...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	41.1	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	75
.....1945...	41.1	.....1945...	78
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	550,989	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	109
.....1945...	550,989	.....1945...	107
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	133,636	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	109
.....1945...	133,636	.....1945...	161
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,000	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	51
.....1945...	1,000	.....1945...	43
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	31,027	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	187
.....1945...	31,027	.....1945...	262
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	654,598	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	203
.....1945...	645,881	.....1945...	190
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	306.2	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	342
.....1945...	282.8	.....1945...	398
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	12,670	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	141
.....1945*	6,613	.....1945...	148
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	42.90	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	120
.....1945*	23.39	.....1945...	140
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	456
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,940	.....1945...	468
.....1944...	2,165	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	222
.....acres 1949...	100,081	.....1945...	199
.....1944...	107,468	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	105
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	254	.....1945...	78
.....1944...	286		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	314	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	273	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	254	White operators.....number 1950...	2,130
.....1944...	326	.....1945...	2,261
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	409	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	500	.....1945...	23
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	445	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	547	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,609
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	197	.....1945...	1,721
.....1944...	183	Part owners.....number 1950...	363
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	57	.....1945...	334
.....1944...	50	Managers.....number 1950...	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	811	.....1945...	8
.....1944*	510	All tenants.....number 1950...	165
.....acres 1949...	20,762	.....1945...	221
.....1944*	11,656	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	7.7
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	986	.....1945...	9.7
.....acres 1949...	33,138	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	49
.....1944...	17,696	.....1945...	132
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	619	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	16
.....acres 1949...	18,299	.....1945...	9
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	534	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	50
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	74	.....1945...	51
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	11	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	29
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	584	.....1945...	21
.....acres 1949...	14,839	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	50
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,446	.....1945...	29
.....1944...	1,676	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	27
.....acres 1949...	319,847	.....1945...	23
.....1944...	355,389	Other tenants.....number 1950...	27
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	662	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	23
.....1944...	233		
.....acres 1949...	110,966	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	30,640	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	743
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	530	.....1945...	764
.....1944*	821	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,769
.....acres 1949...	52,790	.....1945...	1,298
.....1944*	112,494	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,769
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,054	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.34
.....1944...	2,128	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	859
.....acres 1949...	17,014	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	633
.....1944...	10,538	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	164
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	206	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,629
.....1944...	137	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	476
.....acres 1949...	4,786	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	36
.....1944...	2,565	Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	410
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	313
.....acres 1949...	1,585	.....number 1950...	344
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
FARM OPERATORS		.....number 1950...	.....
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,030	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	161
.....1945...	2,130	.....number 1950...	161
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	73	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....1945...	126	.....number 1950...	32
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	906	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	35
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,116	.....number 1950...	40
.....1944...	1,026		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	653		
.....1944...	615		

*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...	1,124	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	523
.....1945.....	951	General farms.....number 1950...	216
.....number 1950.....	1,258	.....number 1950.....	58
.....1945.....	1,006	.....number 1950.....	96
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,289	.....number 1950.....	62
.....1945.....	709	.....number 1950.....	905
.....number 1950.....	1,665		
.....1945.....	771		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,174	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,336	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,309
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
.....number 1950.....	50	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	63
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	223	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	244
.....number 1950.....	279	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	344
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,454	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	412
.....1945.....	1,551	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	244
.....number 1950.....	1,676	Other farms.....number 1950...	829
.....1945.....	1,689	Part-time ².....number 1950...	444
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	385
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	307	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	87		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	425	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	705	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,148,871
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	614	.....1944.....	3,931,896
		.....dollars 1949...	1,066,335
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....1944.....	575,840
Distanced to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	996,406
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	116	.....1944.....	495,297
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	552	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	4,716
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	705	.....1944.....	6,227
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	671	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	52,438
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	10	.....1944.....	74,246
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	12,775
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	691	.....1944.....	70
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	195	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,805,859
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	681	.....1944.....	3,172,853
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	290	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,406,394
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.5	.....1944.....	1,165,500
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	253,685
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	412	.....1944.....	169,676
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	791	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,145,780
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	756	.....1944.....	1,837,677
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	276,677
FARM LABOR⁵		.....1944.....	183,203
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,879	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,316
.....persons 1950...	3,257	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,309
.....farms reporting 1950...	1,864	.....1945.....	1,660
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,784	.....number 1950.....	4,049
Operators.....persons 1950...	851	.....1945.....	6,299
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,258	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	23
.....persons 1950...	129	.....1945.....	32
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	215	.....number 1950.....	51
.....persons 1950...	215	.....1945.....	62
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁶		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,969	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,824
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,269	.....1945.....	1,999
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	971	.....number 1950...	36,682
.....dollars 1949...	155,525	.....1945.....	42,473
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	799	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,771
.....dollars 1949...	326,249	.....1945 ⁷	1,953
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,674	.....number 1950...	16,536
.....dollars 1949...	693,976	.....1945 ⁸	20,963
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,303	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,594
.....dollars 1949...	547,740	.....number 1950...	9,265
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,354	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,415
.....dollars 1949...	140,890	.....number 1950...	8,531
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,459	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,194
.....dollars 1949...	404,276	.....number 1950...	6,031
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	878	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,268
.....dollars 1949...	119,186	.....number 1950...	5,584
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,053	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	287
.....dollars 1949...	106,831	.....1944.....	206
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949...	22,393,587
No sales.....number 1950...	137	.....1944.....	15,850,273
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	248	.....dollars 1949...	1,009,876
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	132	.....1944.....	925
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	229	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,382
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	254	.....1944.....	629,597
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	163	.....dollars 1949...	396,382
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	322	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	5
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	258	.....1944.....	136
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	203	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	127	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	767
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	65	.....1945.....	1,071
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	8,207
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	140	.....1945.....	10,257
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	140	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,813
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	3,990
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	337
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	4,217
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	364
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	325	.....1945.....	556
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	24	.....number 1950...	1,112
		.....1945.....	1,555

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...	82	Corn:	
1945...	161	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	59
number 1950...	3,244	1944...	88
1945...	6,951	acres 1949...	295
1944...		1944...	488
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	34
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	80	1944...	50
number 1950...	1,753	acres 1949...	193
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	78	1944...	244
1945 ¹ ...	138	bushels 1949...	5,529
number 1950...	1,649	1944...	5,428
1945 ¹ ...	5,186	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	41	1944...	45
number 1950...	311	acres 1949...	200
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	71	tons..green weight 1949...	
number 1950...	1,338		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	51		
number 1950...	104	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
		green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	65	1944...	57
number 1950...	1,491		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Small grains:	
1944...	128	Grains grown together and threshed	
number shorn 1949...	1,740	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	53
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	15,036	acres 1949...	989
1944...	48,501	bushels 1949...	24,631
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	414
		1944...	294
		acres 1949...	13,125
		1944...	6,833
		bushels 1949...	256,360
		1944...	194,606
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	484
		1944...	351
		acres 1949...	11,042
		1944...	7,531
		bushels 1949...	173,187
		1944...	144,372
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	579
		1944...	401
		acres 1949...	11,453
		1944...	7,894
		bushels 1949...	350,554
		1944...	331,805
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	54
		1944...	240
		acres 1949...	415
		1944...	2,191
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	387
		1944...	302
		acres 1949...	5,941
		1944...	4,258
		bushels 1949...	145,650
		1944...	123,409
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
		1944...	31
		acres 1949...	231
		1944...	538
		bushels 1949...	2,399
		1944...	8,685
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested	
		for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	8
		1944 ² ...	1
		acres 1949...	93
		1944 ² ...	4
		pounds 1949...	57,840
		1944 ² ...	500
		Dry field and seed peas, other than	
		Austrian winter peas, harvested for	
		peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		1944...	2
		acres 1949...	222
		1944...	3
		pounds 1949...	66,457
		1944...	2,800
		Hay crops:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,809
		acres 1949...	24,864
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,629
		1944...	1,854
		acres 1949...	39,826
		1944...	50,970
		tons 1949...	61,128
		1944...	67,887
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	296
		1944...	392
		acres 1949...	4,602
		1944...	5,895
		tons 1949...	7,009
		1944...	8,644
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
		small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	440
		1944...	856
		acres 1949...	5,546
		1944...	11,076
		tons 1949...	6,548
		1944...	13,435

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include soybeans.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	150	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	41
1944.....	109	acres 1949...	12
acres 1949...	2,675	pounds 1949...	31,060
1944.....	1,551		
tons 1949...	3,553	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	1,610	acres 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	161	pounds 1949...	604
acres 1949...	2,935		
1944.....	6,178	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	39
tons 1949...	4,299	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	7,924	pounds 1949...	12,980
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Boysenberries, loganberries, and youngberries.....farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949...	324	acres 1949...	1
tons, green weight 1949...	1,480	pounds 1949...	610
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	914
1944.....	15	1945.....	500
acres 1949...	57	acres 1950 ² ...	386
1944.....	199	1945.....	847
pounds 1949...	3,645	1945.....	869
1944.....	11,160	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	869
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	1,038
1944.....	26	trees of all ages..number 1950...	13,143
acres 1949...	26	1945.....	21,855
1944.....	1,890	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,140
pounds 1949...	1,890	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,003
1944.....		quantity harvested..loose boxes 1949...	40,083
Austrian winter peas, including Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	26,332
acres 1949...			
pounds 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	204
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	757	1945.....	278
1944.....	946	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,232
acres 1949...	242	1945.....	3,131
1944.....	630	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,337
100-lb. bags 1949...	20,625	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	875
1944.....	29,518	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	32,063
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	183,648
1944.....		Bartlett pears.....farms reporting 1950...	272
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	799
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	212
tons 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	587
1944.....		quantity harvested..tons 1949...	16
Hops harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting 1950...	184
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	640
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	272
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	368
pounds 1949...		quantity harvested..tons 1949...	17
1944.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	268
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn.....farms reporting 1949...	8	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,167
acres 1949...	78	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	815
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	352
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,354	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,241
1944.....	1,802		
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	41	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	282
1944.....	74	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,784
acres 1949...	29	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,084
1944.....	55	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	700
sold, dollars 1949...	4,716	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	31,418
1944.....	6,227	1950.....	451
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 1	trees of all ages..number 1945...	535
acres 1949...		1950.....	2,062
1944.....		1945.....	2,450
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	579
1944.....	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,483
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	34
1944.....	1	1944.....	74
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	239
1944.....	1	1945.....	255
acres 1949...	18	trees of all ages..number 1950...	939
1944.....	4	1945.....	1,121
1944.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	308
Centaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	631
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	36,069
1944.....	2	1944.....	64,089
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	142
acres 1949...	1	1945.....	130
1944.....	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,521
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	16	1945.....	2,315
1944.....	34	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	507
acres 1949...	13	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,014
1944.....	22	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,486
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	27,693
acres 1949...	(*) 2	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting 1950...	25
1944.....		1945.....	20
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	50
acres 1949...	1	1945.....	46
1944.....	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	20
Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	30
1944.....	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	325
acres 1949...	(*) 1	1944.....	179
1944.....		Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting 1950...	14
Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	4
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	32
1944.....		1945.....	9
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	25
1944.....	12	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7
acres 1949...	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	28
1944.....	2	1944.....	45
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2		

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags 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...	2,022	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	522
.....1945.....	2,848	.....1945.....	788
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	468,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	27
.....1945.....	57,2	.....1945.....	37
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	142,151	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	295
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	27,978	.....1945.....	751
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,450	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	610
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,857	.....1945.....	966
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	170,840	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	509
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	164,835	.....1945.....	377
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	84.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	144
.....1945.....	54.4	.....1945.....	145
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	9,857	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	172
.....1945.....	4,951	.....1945.....	198
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	121.80	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	116
.....1945.....	91.07	.....1945.....	110
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	105
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,404	.....1945.....	89
.....1944.....	2,008	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	57
.....acres 1949.....	24,187	.....1945.....	48
.....1944.....	29,521	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	42
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	768	.....1945.....	24
.....1944.....	1,206	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	94
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	276	.....1945.....	72
.....1944.....	555	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	39
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	180	.....1945.....	25
.....1944.....	189	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	12
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	121	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	180		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	87	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	90	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	20	White operators.....number 1950...	2,022
.....1944.....	33	.....1945.....	2,858
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944.....	5	.....1945.....	10
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,025	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	1,254	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,746
.....acres 1949.....	23,000	.....1945.....	2,801
.....1944.....	18,801	Part owners.....number 1950...	177
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	457	.....1945.....	98
.....acres 1949.....	10,174	Managers.....number 1950...	5
.....1944.....	5,111	.....1945.....	9
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	126	All tenants.....number 1950...	94
.....acres 1949.....	2,125	.....1945.....	140
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	129	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	4.8
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....1945.....	4.9
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	40
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	357	.....1945.....	95
.....acres 1949.....	7,981	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	817	.....1945.....	12
.....1944.....	1,444	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	6
.....acres 1949.....	53,256	.....1945.....	6
.....1944.....	65,920	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	6
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	606	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	6
.....1944.....	582	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	42
.....acres 1949.....	21,299	.....1945.....	58
.....1944.....	15,249	Other tenants.....number 1950...	17
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	446	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	25
.....1944.....	592		
.....acres 1949.....	17,911	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	19,857	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,259
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,820	.....1945.....	1,216
.....1944.....	2,788	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,854
.....acres 1949.....	10,834	.....1945.....	2,520
.....1944.....	8,296	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,618
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	186	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.66
.....1944.....	84	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	1,639
.....acres 1949.....	2,279	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	734
.....1944.....	545	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	263
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	88	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,749
.....acres 1949.....	1,125	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	410
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	22
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	557
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,915	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	41
.....1945.....	2,802	.....number 1950...	41
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	45	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	39	.....number 1950...	.....
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,199	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	21
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,275	.....number 1950...	21
.....1944.....	1,528	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	72
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,046	.....number 1950...	81
.....1944.....	1,438	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	51
		.....number 1950...	51

*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...	759	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	77
.....1945.....	850	General farms.....number 1950...	71
.....number 1950.....	856	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	24
.....1945.....	856	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	33
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,028	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	14
.....1945.....	850	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,348
.....number 1950.....	1,283		
.....1945.....	856		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	788	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	850	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	721
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	320	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	28
.....number 1950.....	345	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	72
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	118	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	110
.....number 1950.....	118	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	188
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,494	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	220
.....1945.....	2,591	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	105
.....number 1950.....	1,843	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,301
.....1945.....	2,580	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	465
Farms by class of work report:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	830
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	898	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	5
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	111		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	172	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	284	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,887,580
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	777	.....1944.....	2,884,897
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	705,114
		.....1944.....	308,616
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	162,724
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	138,872
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	105,533
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	755	.....1944.....	38,117
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	823	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	250,459
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	481	.....1944.....	102,980
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	186,426
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	29,847
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,007	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,856,616
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	185	.....1944.....	2,522,704
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	460	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,179,914
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	108	.....1944.....	1,009,053
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.0	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,019,018
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	750,861
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	878	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	757,684
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	720	.....1944.....	707,300
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	295	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	205,880
		.....1944.....	23,377
FARM LABOR^a		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	542
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,523	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	529
.....persons 1950...	2,509	.....1945.....	735
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,497	.....number 1950...	1,203
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,482	.....1945.....	1,656
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	851	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	29
.....persons 1950...	836	.....1945.....	22
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	183	.....number 1950...	51
.....persons 1950...	271	.....1945.....	32
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,809	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,590
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,020	.....1945.....	2,050
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	780	.....number 1950...	15,765
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	78,880	.....1945.....	17,458
.....1949.....	819	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,454
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	559,865	.....1945.....	1,971
.....dollars 1949...	1,324	.....number 1950...	7,931
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,080,758	.....1945.....	9,708
.....dollars 1949...	1,088	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,347
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	442,870	.....number 1950...	6,310
.....dollars 1949...	987	.....number 1950...	956
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	100,770	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,916
.....dollars 1949...	1,159	.....number 1950...	694
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	217,124	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,594
.....dollars 1949...	559	.....number 1950...	778
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	87,055	.....1949.....	2,324
.....dollars 1949...	414	.....1944.....	480
	48,968	.....pounds 1949...	852
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	27,891,638
No sales.....number 1950...	358	.....dollars 1949...	31,084,499
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	474	.....1944.....	1,108,454
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	188	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	242
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	158	.....1944.....	284
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	258	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	113,955
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	148	.....1944.....	272,744
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	183	.....dollars 1949...	72,840
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	129	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	18
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	81	.....dollars 1949...	820
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	86		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	100	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	408
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	10	.....1945.....	510
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	10	.....number 1950...	5,327
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945.....	5,037
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	264
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	14	.....number 1950...	2,162
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	39	.....farms reporting 1950...	173
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	279	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,445
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	185	.....number 1950...	87
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	183
		.....1945.....	334
		.....number 1950...	387

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...	42	Corn:	
1945...	44	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	33
number 1950...	1,285	1944...	52
1945...	1,287	acres 1949...	93
		1944...	243
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	37	1944...	6
number 1950...	737	acres 1949...	18
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	37	1944...	28
1945 ¹ ...	32	bushels 1949...	282
number 1950...	702	1944...	445
1945 ¹ ...	929		
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	28	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950...	232	acres 1949...	51
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	31	tons, green weight 1949...	418
number 1950...	470		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Hogged or grazed, or out for	
number 1950...	35	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	14
		acres 1949...	28
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	58	Small grains:	
number 1950...	528	Grains grown together and threshed	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	30	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1944...	23	acres 1949...	481
number shorn 1949...	708	bushels 1949...	9,125
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,192	1944...	56
1944...	5,035	acres 1949...	17
		1944...	727
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949...	115
		1944...	15,780
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			2,385
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.. farms reporting 1950...	1,555	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	35
1945...	2,242	1944...	31
number 1950...	117,787	acres 1949...	511
1945...	155,612	1944...	353
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	422	bushels 1949...	7,802
number 1949...	185,990	1944...	8,959
dollars 1949...	207,505		
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	808	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	202
dozens 1949...	1,184,329	1944...	187
dollars 1949...	578,528	acres 1949...	5,345
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	19	1944...	4,029
number 1950...	2,048	bushels 1949...	108,729
		1944...	185,648
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	48	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	88
1944...	93	1944...	131
number 1949...	35,745	acres 1949...	860
1944...	32,431	1944...	1,543
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	913	1944...	21
dollars 1949...	890,081	acres 1949...	180
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	803	1944...	163
1944...	810	bushels 1949...	5,122
number 1949...	5,528	1944...	3,975
1944...	4,236		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	541	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1949...	2,442	1944...	7
dollars 1949...	338,868	acres 1949...	227
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	543	1944...	221
number 1949...	5,084	bushels 1949...	2,741
dollars 1949...	107,108	1944...	2,851
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	239	Annual legumes:	
1944...	281	Dry field and seed beans harvested	
number 1949...	8,331	for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	15,054	1944 ² ...	
dollars 1949...	234,158	acres 1949...	2
1944...	23	1944 ² ...	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	23	pounds 1949...	460
1944...	24	1944 ² ...	
number 1949...	557	Dry field and seed peas, other than	
1944...	880	Austrian winter peas, harvested for	
dollars 1949...	7,925	peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	83	1944...	
number 1949...	99	acres 1949...	35
dollars 1949...	4,022	1944...	
		pounds 1949...	50,570
		1944...	
FARM SLAUGHTER		Hay crops:	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,070	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,075
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	791	acres 1949...	15,208
number 1949...	1,544	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	371	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	43
1944...	481	1944...	30
number 1949...	529	acres 1949...	337
1944...	681	1944...	175
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	506	tons 1949...	680
1944...	579	1944...	423
number 1949...	1,005	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	449
1944...	1,288	acres 1949...	415
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	599	1944...	5,874
1944...	801	acres 1949...	4,857
number 1949...	1,068	tons 1949...	9,408
1944...	1,348	1944...	9,105
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
number 1949...	48	small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	497
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944...	517
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	195	acres 1949...	4,890
dollars 1949...	38,502	1944...	5,258
		tons 1949...	5,871
		1944...	9,309

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include soybeans.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	231	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	125
1944.....	162	acres 1949...	365
acres 1949...	2,543	pounds 1949...	565,185
1944.....	1,750	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	10
tons 1949...	2,953	acres 1949...	22
1944.....	1,949	pounds 1949...	41,879
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	179	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	184
acres 1949...	2,121	acres 1949...	482
1944.....	8,796	pounds 1949...	845,750
tons 1949...	2,627	Boysenberries, Loganberries,	
1944.....	13,919	and youngberries.....farms reporting 1949...	19
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949...	26	acres 1949...	51
acres 1949...	367	pounds 1949...	18,117
tons, green weight 1949...	1,544	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves,	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,374
1944.....	.....	acres 1945...	765
acres 1949...	10	acres 1950...	898
1944.....	.....	acres 1945...	681
pounds 1949...	1,200	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,274
1944.....	.....	1945...	1,707
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	25	trees of all ages, number 1950...	15,760
1944.....	5	1945...	15,928
acres 1949...	352	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	2,415
1944.....	53	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	11,365
pounds 1949...	19,455	quantity harvested, loose boxes 1949...	13,328
1944.....	2,780	1944...	24,842
Austrian winter peas, including		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	359
Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	523
acres 1949...	.....	trees of all ages, number 1950...	6,105
pounds 1949...	.....	1945...	5,056
Irish potatoes harvested for home		trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	3,775
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	124	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	2,532
1944.....	75	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	33,682
acres 1949...	54	1944...	61,632
1944.....	60	Bartlett pears.....farms reporting 1950...	776
100-lb. bags 1949...	6,714	trees of all ages, number 1950...	1,928
1944.....	2,276	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	355
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	1,575
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	39
acres 1949...	.....	Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting 1950...	312
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages, number 1950...	719
tons 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	143
Hops harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	671
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	9
acres 1949...	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	409
pounds 1949...	.....	trees of all ages, number 1950...	21,359
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	15,206
Root and grain crops hopped or grazed,		trees of bearing age, number 1950...	6,035
other than corn.....farms reporting 1949...	6	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	14,810
acres 1949...	16	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	743
Vegetables harvested for home use (other		trees of all ages, number 1950...	2,872
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,452	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	501
1944.....	2,587	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	2,371
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	91	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	22,371
1944.....	69	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	832
acres 1949...	865	1945...	955
1944.....	240	trees of all ages, number 1950...	5,526
1944.....	105,530	1945...	7,397
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	620
acres 1949...	2	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	2,906
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	53	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	37
1944.....	25	1944.....	75
acres 1949...	82	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	42
1944.....	25	1945...	88
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of all ages, number 1950...	78
1944.....	8	1945...	194
acres 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	88
1944.....	2	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	12
Centaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	120
acres 1949...	.....	1944...	302
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	302
acres 1949...	4	1945...	598
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	26	vines of all ages, number 1950...	7,422
1944.....	20	1945...	9,842
acres 1949...	19	vines not of bearing age, number 1950...	509
1944.....	26	vines of bearing age, number 1950...	6,913
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	15,355
acres 1949...	14	1944...	28,147
1944.....	2	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting 1950...	149
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945...	118
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages, number 1950...	671
Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1945...	247
1944.....	8	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	129
acres 1949...	295	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	242
1944.....	42	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	1,550
Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944...	2,555
acres 1949...	14	Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting 1950...	185
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945...	187
1944.....	14	trees of all ages, number 1950...	8,445
acres 1949...	2	1945...	6,756
1944.....	8	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	613
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	259	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	7,827
		quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	24,052
		1944...	19,412

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 394 1945... 458	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 23 1945... 31
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 172,160	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 19.1	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 23 1945... 30
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 27,775	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 88 1945... 120
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 4,446	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 81 1945... 93
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 840	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 40 1945... 49
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 252	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 63 1945... 69
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 32,809	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 32 1945... 42
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 83.3 1945... 68.9	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 32 1945... 28
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 13,967 1945... 7,219	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 8 1945... 7
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 161.30 1945... 104.83	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 9 1945... 6
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 13 1945... 11
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 350 1944... 432	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 5 1945... 2
acres	1949... 4,924 1944... 5,484	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 148 1944... 207	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 118 1944... 138	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 48 1944... 54	White operators.....number	1950... 394 1945... 458
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 30 1944... 28	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 5 1944... 4	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 1	Full owners.....number	1950... 330 1945... 394
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Part owners.....number	1950... 35 1945... 33
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 268 1944... 95	Managers.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
acres	1949... 7,509 1944... 1,781	All tenants.....number	1950... 28 1945... 31
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 44 1944... 552	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 7.1 1945... 6.8
acres	1949... 267 1944... 21	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 17 1945... 26
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 21 1944... 130	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 21	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 1 1945... 3
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... ..	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... ..
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... ..	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 1
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 29 1944... 422	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 9 1945... 2
acres	1949... 125 1944... 198	Other tenants.....number	1950... 3
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 125 1944... 4,735	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 6
acres	1949... 3,251 1944... 198	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 209 1944... 10,362	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 270 1945... 309
acres	1949... 10,362 1944... 10,252	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 380 1945... 375
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 110 1944... 284	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 380
acres	1949... 3,011 1944... 5,235	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 8.66
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 357 1944... 453	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 140
acres	1949... 1,716 1944... 5,268	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 220
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 11 1944... 288	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 70
acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 375
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 11 1944... 278	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 35
acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 5
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 185
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 386 1945... 435	Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... ..
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 5 1945... 22	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... ..
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 183	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... ..
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 161 1944... 250	Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 45 1945... 50
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 160 1944... 218	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 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...	165	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	14
.....1945.....	146	General farms.....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	180	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	167	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	260	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	209	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	300	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	10
.....1945.....	226		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	250		
.....number 1950.....	255		
.....1945.....	35		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	35		
.....number 1950.....	10		
.....1945.....	10		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	295		
.....number 1950.....	312		
.....1945.....	320		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	345		
.....number 1950.....			
.....1945.....			
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	123		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....			
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	46		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	220		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	254
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	5
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	240	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	16
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	23
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	67
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	62
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	21
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	230	Other farms.....number 1950.....	140
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Part-time.....number 1950.....	21
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	47
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	145		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	225		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....			
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,173,523
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	315	.....1944.....	1,087,843
.....persons 1950.....	575	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	27,760
.....1944.....	315	.....1944.....	60,926
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	190	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	24,037
.....persons 1950.....	490	.....1944.....	50,615
Operators.....persons 1950.....	180	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,771
.....persons 1950.....	260	.....1944.....	5,000
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	692
.....persons 1950.....	25	.....1944.....	854
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	200
.....persons 1950.....	25	.....1944.....	5,027
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,121,764
		.....1944.....	1,021,165
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	930,827
		.....1944.....	915,709
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	26,623
		.....1944.....	35,424
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	164,334
		.....1944.....	70,032
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	24,089
		.....1944.....	752
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	60
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	60
		.....1945.....	114
		.....number 1950.....	88
		.....1945.....	191
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	
		.....1945.....	
		.....number 1950.....	
		.....1945.....	
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	369
		.....1945.....	423
		.....number 1950.....	7,912
		.....1945.....	7,965
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	342
		.....1945.....	407
		.....number 1950.....	4,423
		.....1945.....	5,193
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	317
		.....number 1950.....	3,947
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,462
		.....number 1950.....	1,344
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	178
		.....number 1950.....	243
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	947
		.....number 1950.....	424
		.....1945.....	361
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	28,349,390
		.....1944.....	29,007,212
		.....pounds 1949.....	617,366
		.....1944.....	8
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
		.....1944.....	20,928
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	3,400
		.....1944.....	13,367
		.....dollars 1949.....	
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
		.....1944.....	24
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	26
		.....1945.....	48
		.....number 1950.....	79
		.....1945.....	127
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15
		.....number 1950.....	34
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	13
		.....number 1950.....	45
		Ewes and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	4
		.....1945.....	1
		.....number 1950.....	5
		.....1945.....	7

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...	7	Corn:	
1945.....	6	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1950....	24	1944.....	22
1945.....	60	acres 1949....	87
1944.....	60	1944.....	86
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950....	5	1944.....	3
number 1950....	21	acres 1949....	13
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950....	5	1944.....	475
1945.....	1	bushels 1949....	
number 1950....	15	1944.....	
1945.....	2	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950....	4	acres 1949....	52
number 1950....	5	tons green weight 1949....	532
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950....	5		
number 1950....	10	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950....	2	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1950....	6	acres 1949....	35
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950....	2	Small grains:	
number 1950....	3	Grains grown together and threshed	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949....	5	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1	acres 1949....	
number shorn 1949....	18	bushels 1949....	
1944.....	1	farms reporting 1949....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949....	132	1944.....	
1944.....	110	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950....	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949....	
		1944.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.. farms reporting 1950...	208	1944.....	
1945....	327	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949....	
number 1950....	7,199	acres 1949....	1
1945....	11,827	1944.....	8
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949....	27	bushels 1949....	267
number 1949....	2,923	1944.....	
dollars 1949....	3,847	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949....	70	acres 1949....	
dozens 1949....	45,529	1944.....	
dollars 1949....	22,700	bushels 1949....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950....	3	1944.....	
number 1950....	17	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949....	4
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949....	2	1944.....	39
1944....	3	acres 1949....	20
number 1949....	10	1944.....	142
1944....	81	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949....	
		acres 1949....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949....	
		1944.....	
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949....	
		acres 1949....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949....	
		1944.....	
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested	
		for beans.....farms reporting 1949....	
		acres 1949....	
		1944.....	
		pounds 1949....	
		1944.....	
		Dry field and seed peas, other than	
		Austrian winter peas, harvested for	
		peas.....farms reporting 1949....	
		acres 1949....	
		1944.....	
		pounds 1949....	
		1944.....	
		Hay crops:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949....	327
		acres 1949....	4,469
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949....	2
		acres 1949....	2
		1944.....	13
		acres 1944....	21
		number 1949....	36
		1944.....	89
		tons 1944....	77
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	12
		acres 1949....	930
		1944.....	147
		acres 1944....	1,938
		number 1949....	466
		1944.....	
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
		small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949....	44
		acres 1949....	369
		1944.....	
		acres 1944....	741
		number 1949....	
		1944.....	
		tons 1949....	
		1944.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include soybeans.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops—Continued		Barries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	(*) 1
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	284	pounds 1949.....	120
1944.....	5		
tons 1949.....	563	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	6	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	197	pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,356	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	3
1944.....	4,699	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	5,244	pounds 1949.....	1,144
1944.....	12,843		
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949.....	46	Boysenberries, Loganberries, and youngberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	660	acres 1949.....	
tons green weight 1949.....	4,012	pounds 1949.....	
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	260
1944.....		acres 1945.....	243
acres 1949.....		acres 1950 ²	37
1944.....		1945.....	90
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	255
1944.....		1945.....	275
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,860
1944.....		trees of all ages number 1950.....	1,668
acres 1949.....		1945.....	161
1944.....		trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	1,699
pounds 1949.....		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	2,906
1944.....		quantity harvested loose boxes 1949.....	2,645
Austrian winter peas, including Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....			
acres 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	2
		trees of all ages number 1950.....	49
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	38	1945.....	3
1944.....	131	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	33
acres 1949.....	3	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	16
1944.....	19	quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	335
100-lb. bags 1949.....	422	1944.....	48
1944.....	1,401	Bartlett pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	100
		trees of all ages number 1950.....	221
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	29
1944.....		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	192
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested tons 1949.....	7
1944.....			
tons 1949.....		Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting 1950.....	83
1944.....		trees of all ages number 1950.....	174
Hops harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	33
1944.....		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	141
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested tons 1949.....	14
1944.....		17	
pounds 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
1944.....		trees of all ages number 1950.....	9
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	1
acres 1949.....	2	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	207
		quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	264		
1944.....	375	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	107
		trees of all ages number 1950.....	269
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	30
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	219
acres 1949.....	6	quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	1,273
1944.....	17		
sold dollars 1949.....	2,771	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	175
1944.....	5,000	1945.....	196
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages number 1950.....	612
acres 1949.....		1945.....	790
1944.....		trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	35
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	587
1944.....		quantity harvested tons 1949.....	27
acres 1949.....		1944.....	19
1944.....			
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	4
1944.....	1	1945.....	
acres 1949.....	(*) 6	trees of all ages number 1950.....	7
1944.....		1945.....	
		trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	5
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	2
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	21
acres 1949.....	(*) 1	1945.....	1
1944.....		vines of all ages number 1950.....	67
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	3
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	30
1944.....		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	37
		quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	220
		1944.....	
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	1		
acres 1949.....	(*) 1	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting 1950.....	29
1944.....		1945.....	4
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages number 1950.....	60
acres 1949.....		1945.....	6
1944.....		trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	21
Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age number 1950.....	39
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	147
1944.....		1944.....	120
Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....		Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
acres 1949.....		1945.....	3
1944.....		trees of all ages number 1950.....	43
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	68
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age number 1950.....	19
1944.....		trees of bearing age number 1950.....	24
		quantity harvested pounds 1949.....	250
Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	5	1944.....	235

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Farms.....number 1950...	1,228	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	263
.....1945.....	1,2941945.....	327
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	824,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	16
.....1945.....	824,320	.....1945.....	39
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	96.3	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	247
.....1945.....	96.3	.....1945.....	288
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	365,978	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	237
.....1945.....	462,444	.....1945.....	255
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	21,915	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	88
.....1945.....	58,369	.....1945.....	58
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	793,968	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	57
.....1945.....	747,578	.....1945.....	60
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	646.6	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	51
.....1945.....	577.7	.....1945.....	34
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	59,394	100 to 129 acres.....number 1950...	38
.....1945.....	50,426	.....1945.....	47
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	87.17	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	49
.....1945.....	52.67	.....1945.....	24
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	28
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,054	.....1945.....	25
.....1944.....	1,136	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	17
.....acres 1949.....	283,062	.....1945.....	20
.....1944.....	270,177	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	100
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	310	.....1945.....	90
.....1944.....	377	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	84
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	147	.....1945.....	89
.....1944.....	145	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	218
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	66	.....1945.....	217
.....1944.....	75		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	82	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	56	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	82	White operators.....number 1950...	1,225
.....1944.....	93	.....1945.....	1,288
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	88	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	3
.....1944.....	83	.....1945.....	6
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	299	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	507	Full owners.....number 1950...	688
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	447	.....1945.....	762
.....1944.....	275	Part owners.....number 1950...	310
acres 1949.....	15,848	.....1945.....	258
1944.....	14,925	Managers.....number 1950...	15
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	579	.....1945.....	20
.....1944.....	211,943	All tenants.....number 1950...	215
acres 1949.....	211,943	.....1945.....	274
1944.....	443	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	17.5
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	214,338	.....1945.....	21.2
.....1944.....	140	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	44
acres 1949.....	74	.....1945.....	99
1944.....	74	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	15
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	229	.....1945.....	8
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	202	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	130
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	15,898	.....1945.....	148
acres 1949.....	99	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	114
1944.....	53	.....1945.....	16
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	21,786	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	26
.....1944.....	3,850	.....1945.....	19
acres 1949.....	47	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
1944.....	6,852	.....1945.....	18
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944.....	1,101	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	18
acres 1949.....	430		
1944.....	637	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	218,352	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	818
.....1944.....	232,212	.....1945.....	814
acres 1949.....	1,078	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,101
1944.....	1,136	.....1945.....	1,081
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	19,862	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,087
.....1944.....	15,371	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.36
acres 1949.....	645	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	848
1944.....	568	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	759
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	24,323	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	248
.....1944.....	16,360	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,041
acres 1949.....	244	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	293
1944.....	10,203	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	163
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	367
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,123	.....number 1950...	491
.....1945.....	1,192	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	9
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	101	.....number 1950...	10
.....1945.....	87	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	24
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	389	.....number 1950...	24
.....1949.....	501	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	513	.....number 1950...	5
.....1944.....	513	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	58
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	351	.....number 1950...	58
.....1944.....	380		

*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...	854	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	91
.....1945.....	746	.....number 1950.....	84
.....number 1950.....	1,741	General farms.....number 1950.....	61
.....1945.....	1,235	.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	869	.....number 1950.....	40
.....1945.....	802	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	544
.....number 1950.....	1,853		
.....1945.....	802	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	520	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	680
.....number 1950.....	689	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	215
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	186	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	174
.....number 1950.....	389	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	165
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	644	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	154
.....number 1950.....	980	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	114
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,054	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	84
.....1945.....	1,567	Other farms.....number 1950.....	354
.....number 1950.....	1,243	Part-time.....number 1950.....	185
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	172
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	204	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	42		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	75	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	450	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	17,767,632
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	457	.....1944.....	15,515,086
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	14,810,751
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		.....1944.....	12,388,188
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	12,447,006
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	92	.....1944.....	10,189,284
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	420	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,615,037
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	287	.....1944.....	1,423,507
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	343	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	321,523
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	9	.....1944.....	874,217
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	207,124
0.3 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	778	.....1944.....	440,540
0.3 to 0.4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	61	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,152,654
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	82	.....1944.....	2,884,331
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	48	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	781,382
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.6	.....1944.....	513,743
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	689,201
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	752	.....1944.....	480,577
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	256	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,771,543
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	122	.....1944.....	1,980,104
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,043
FARM LABOR⁴		.....1944.....	1,451
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,080	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	315
.....persons 1950...	2,215	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	297
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,070	.....1945.....	663
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,045	.....number 1950.....	1,853
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	348	.....1945.....	2,428
.....persons 1950...	451	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	24
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	302	.....1945.....	31
.....persons 1950...	719	.....number 1950.....	106
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	191
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,113	.....1945.....	921
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	910	.....number 1950.....	17,543
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	555	.....1945.....	19,145
.....dollars 1949.....	287,150	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	751
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	800	.....1945.....	871
.....dollars 1949.....	2,183,823	.....number 1950.....	10,083
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	844	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	671
.....dollars 1949.....	968,774	.....number 1950.....	4,041
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	649	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	534
.....dollars 1949.....	461,485	.....number 1950.....	3,623
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	769	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,821
.....dollars 1949.....	595,743	.....number 1950.....	1,591
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	963	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	571
.....dollars 1949.....	887,842	.....number 1950.....	3,254
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	658	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	101
.....dollars 1949.....	553,014	.....1944.....	123
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	656	.....pounds 1949.....	11,694,790
.....dollars 1949.....	510,994	.....1944.....	11,170,571
		.....dollars 1949.....	643,081
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	173,851
No sales.....number 1950...	68	.....1944.....	278,008
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	104	.....dollars 1949...	107,568
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	88		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	44	HOGS	
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	61	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	343
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	61	.....1945.....	430
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	89	.....number 1950.....	5,886
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	105	.....1945.....	7,841
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	95	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	770
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	123	.....number 1950.....	9,584
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	390	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	868
		.....number 1950.....	3,122
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	150
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	404	.....1945.....	825
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	329	.....1945.....	101
Cotton.....number 1950.....	75		
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	113		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	50		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	89		
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	50		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	50		

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 1940... 88		Corn:	
1945... 103		Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 25	
number 1950... 38,786		1944... 51	
1945... 30,785		acres 1949... 75	
		1944... 156	
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... 73		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... 22	
number 1950... 19,127		1944... 25	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... 73		acres 1949... 48	
number 1950... 18,655		1944... 136	
1945... 27,930		bushels 1949... 2,937	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950... 47		1944... 4,276	
number 1950... 3,629			
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950... 63		Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 5	
number 1950... 14,807		acres 1949... 27	
Hens and weathers.....farms reporting 1950... 497		tons..green weight 1949... 288	
number 1950... 497			
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... 68		Hogged or grazed, or out for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
number 1950... 17,689		acres 1949... ..	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949... 54			
1944... 71		Small grains:	
number shorn 1949... 20,005		Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949... 6	
1944... 218,410		acres 1949... 420	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... 344,378		bushels 1949... 11,976	
1944... 344,378		acres 1949... 319	
Agepage date of enumeration.....1950... Apr. 15-Apr. 28		1944... 308	
		acres 1949... 157,217	
		1944... 170,306	
		bushels 1949... 4,205,306	
		1944... 5,380,749	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... 865		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 267	
1945... 1,005		1944... 369	
number 1950... 47,755		acres 1949... 76,269	
1945... 66,888		1944... 43,055	
		bushels 1949... 1,872,427	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949... 251		1944... 1,402,606	
number 1949... 247,881			
dollars 1949... 263,888		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 83	
		1944... 85	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... 371		acres 1949... 1,669	
dollars 1949... 311,172		1944... 1,345	
		bushels 1949... 62,336	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950... 16		1944... 56,070	
number 1950... 2,714			
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949... 68		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949... 29	
1944... 67		1944... 85	
number 1949... 33,245		acres 1949... 412	
1944... 51,741		1944... 843	
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 123	
		1944... 150	
		acres 1949... 4,672	
		1944... 4,974	
		bushels 1949... 160,339	
		1944... 198,281	
		Eye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1	
		1944... 1	
		acres 1949... 1	
		1944... 8	
		bushels 1949... 4	
		1944... 60	
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1	
		1944... 2	
		acres 1949... 24	
		1944... 12	
		pounds 1949... 19,700	
		1944... 4,900	
		Dry field and seed peas, other than Austrian winter peas, harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949... 23	
		1944... 104	
		acres 1949... 3,629	
		1944... 16,698	
		pounds 1949... 2,006,996	
		1944... 17,719,100	
		Hay crops:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... 610	
		acres 1949... 11,851	
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 456	
		1944... 532	
		acres 1949... 8,464	
		1944... 11,206	
		tons 1949... 28,593	
		1944... 32,673	
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 7	
		1944... 1	
		acres 1949... 150	
		1944... 10	
		tons 1949... 214	
		1944... 15	
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 845	
		1944... 185	
		acres 1949... 2,270	
		1944... 2,129	
		tons 1949... 3,556	
		1944... 2,924	

*Ewes and five lambs kept for breeding does not include scybans.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	57
1944.....	1	acres 1949...	278
acres 1949...	9	pounds 1949...	580,241
1944.....	4		
tons 1949...	10	Blueberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	5	acres 1949...	(*)
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	35	pounds 1949...	806
acres 1949...	999		
1944.....	884	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	27
tons 1949...	1,589	acres 1949...	12
1944.....	1,039	pounds 1949...	36,744
Silage made from grass or hay crops....farms reporting 1949...	2	Boysenberries, loganberries, and youngberries.....farms reporting 1949...	8
acres 1949...	13	acres 1949...	5
tons..green weight 1949...	92	pounds 1949...	4,956
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	531
1944.....	9	1945.....	180
acres 1949...	318	acres 1950 ² ..	812
1944.....	266	1945.....	700
pounds 1949...	55,854	farms reporting 1950...	895
1944.....	30,420	1945.....	869
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,885
1944.....	.....	1945.....	7,177
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,527
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,758
pounds 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..loose boxes 1949...	58,795
1944.....	.....	1944.....	31,516
Austrian winter peas, including Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	280
acres 1949...	7,145	1945.....	208
pounds 1949...	4,969,432	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,451
		1945.....	3,472
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	187	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,404
1944.....	120	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,027
acres 1949 ¹ ..	119	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	461,780
1944.....	331	1944.....	235,872
100-lb. bags 1949...	13,159	Bartlett pears.....farms reporting 1950...	140
1944.....	22,676	trees of all ages..number 1950...	387
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	124
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	78	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	263
1944.....	34	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	23
acres 1949...	229		
1944.....	700	Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting 1950...	84
tons 1949...	45,654	trees of all ages..number 1950...	462
1944.....	7,315	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	58
Hops harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	404
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	74
acres 1949...	.....	farms reporting 1950...	127
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	253
pounds 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	82
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	171
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,355
acres 1949...	22		
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	671	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	240
1944.....	693	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,825
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	671
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	235	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,155
1944.....	304	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	220,379
acres 1949...	16,274	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	259
1944.....	14,594	1945.....	215
sold..dollars 1949...	1,615,037	trees of all ages..number 1950...	53,595
1944.....	1,423,507	1945.....	30,198
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	89	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,139
acres 1949...	832	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	50,457
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	16	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	1,870
1944.....	42	1944.....	2,198
acres 1949...	6		
1944.....	9	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	254
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	93	1945.....	187
1944.....	118	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,292
acres 1949...	69	1945.....	676
1944.....	118	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	188
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,094
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	22	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	30,058
acres 1949...	7	1944.....	25,268
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	109	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	147
acres 1949...	194	1945.....	123
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	32	vines of all ages..number 1950...	61,048
1944.....	53	1945.....	23,148
acres 1949...	86	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,093
1944.....	86	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	57,953
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	222,745
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	113	1944.....	400,670
acres 1949...	245		
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	121	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting 1950...	65
acres 1949...	314	1945.....	22
Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	40	trees of all ages..number 1950...	183
1944.....	59	1945.....	79
acres 1949...	15,521	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	42
1944.....	12,396	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	121
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	881
Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	112	1944.....	747
acres 1949...	374	Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting 1950...	32
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1945.....	6
1944.....	59	trees of all ages..number 1950...	120
acres 1949...	11	1945.....	17
1944.....	26	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	71
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	615	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	49
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	430
		1944.....	50

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags 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.

Table with 4 columns: Item, County total, Item, and County total. It is divided into three main sections: FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE; FARMS BY SIZE; and FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR. It contains numerous rows of data with years and acreage figures.

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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...	1,547	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	94
.....1945.....	1,376	General farms.....number 1950...	121
.....number 1950.....	1,743	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	1,477	.....number 1950.....	34
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,297	.....number 1950.....	91
.....1945.....	1,541	.....number 1950.....	1,555
.....number 1950.....	2,658		
.....1945.....	1,672		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,997	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	2,182	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	8,113
.....1945.....	895	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	81
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	400	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	216
.....number 1950.....	76	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	688
.....1945.....	76	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	750
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	3,892	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	641
.....number 1950.....	4,148	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	376
.....1945.....	4,480	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,521
.....number 1950.....	4,752	Part-time ².....number 1950...	761
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	750
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,567	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	225		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	346	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	371	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	15,341,909
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,927	.....1944.....	14,240,378
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,804,330
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	2,294,140
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	240	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,060,730
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,700	.....1944.....	1,163,129
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,886	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	871,179
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	856	.....1944.....	826,443
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,228,199
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	616,621
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	2,852	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	224,221
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	380	.....1944.....	187,830
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	710	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	18,416,680
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	40	.....1944.....	11,923,231
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.5	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,206,979
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	6,821,613
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	2,057	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,927,656
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,875	.....1944.....	4,366,790
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	205	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,822,028
FARM LABOR⁵		.....1944.....	724,930
Week preceding enumeration:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	120,999
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	3,813	.....1944.....	23,006
.....persons 1950.....	6,296	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	2,788	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	909
Operators.....persons 1950.....	3,603	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	901
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	1,870	.....1945.....	1,534
.....persons 1950.....	2,145	.....number 1950.....	1,751
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	328	.....1945.....	9,044
.....persons 1950.....	548	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	24
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁶		.....1945.....	25
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	4,028	.....number 1950.....	25
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	3,058	.....1945.....	25
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	2,532	.....number 1950.....	25
.....dollars 1949...	398,280	.....1945.....	41
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	2,248	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1949...	1,491,626	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,371
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	8,708	.....1945.....	4,096
.....dollars 1949...	5,946,405	.....number 1950...	60,901
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,252	.....1945.....	58,591
.....dollars 1949...	1,080,915	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	3,543
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	2,297	.....1945 ³	4,043
.....dollars 1949...	201,900	.....number 1950.....	24,125
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	2,843	.....1945 ³	39,472
.....dollars 1949...	509,078	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	3,479
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,397	.....number 1950...	23,313
.....dollars 1949...	143,295	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,975
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,397	.....number 1950...	15,543
.....dollars 1949...	142,385	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,114
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	4,034
No sales.....number 1950...	817	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,381
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	441	.....number 1950...	9,159
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	180	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3,039
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	285	.....1944.....	3,459
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	400	.....pounds 1949...	205,584,451
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	390	.....1944.....	824,528,062
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	651	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	7,146,402
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	468	.....1944.....	104
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	458	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	88,904
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	528	.....1944.....	86,271
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	328	.....dollars 1949...	57,600
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	55	.....dollars 1949...	2,924
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	30	HOGS	
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	560
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	25	.....1945.....	754
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	84	.....number 1950...	2,644
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	168	.....1945.....	3,065
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	1,750	.....number 1950...	408
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	666	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,459
		.....number 1950...	246
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,201
		.....number 1950...	119
		.....1945.....	317
		.....number 1950...	212
		.....1945.....	742

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...	67	Corn:	
1945.....	81	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	167
number 1950...	1,254	1944.....	509
1945.....	1,110	acres 1949...	652
1944.....		1944.....	882
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	61	1944.....	1
number 1950...	772	acres 1949...	3
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	58	1944.....	8
1945 ¹ ...	58	bushels 1949...	162
number 1950...	712	1944.....	50
1945 ¹ ...	839	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	116
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	37	1944.....	523
number 1950...	346	acres 1949...	6,552
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	49	tons, green weight 1949...	
number 1950...	465		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	89		
number 1950...	60		
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	45		
number 1950...	482		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	44		
1944.....	45		
number shorn 1949...	598		
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	4,747		
1944.....	4,704		
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28		
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.. farms reporting 1950...	2,684		
1945.....	8,615		
number 1950...	499,392		
1945.....	810,131		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,174		
number 1949...	625,037		
dollars 1949...	652,806		
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,641		
dozens 1949...	6,764,311		
dollars 1949...	3,828,047		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	27		
number 1950...	1,381		
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	56		
1944.....	43		
number 1949...	10,806		
1944.....	7,927		
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or			
mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2,707		
dollars 1949...	1,201,949		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3,622		
1944.....	2,274		
number 1949...	16,878		
1944.....	10,126		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	2,025		
number 1949...	7,351		
dollars 1949...	946,197		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,705		
number 1949...	11,022		
dollars 1949...	121,224		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	227		
1944.....	297		
number 1949...	3,330		
1944.....	2,640		
dollars 1949...	22,155		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	31		
1944.....	38		
number 1949...	384		
1944.....	457		
dollars 1949...	6,153		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	108		
number 1949...	211		
dollars 1949...	10,110		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2,277		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,811		
number 1949...	2,557		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves..farms reporting 1949...	1,337		
1944.....	1,456		
number 1949...	1,617		
1944.....	1,320		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	627		
1944.....	595		
number 1949...	1,040		
1944.....	925		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,055		
1944.....	1,523		
number 1949...	1,749		
1944.....	4,092		
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	23		
number 1949...	79		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	549		
dollars 1949...	43,045		
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	3,380
		acres 1949...	48,991
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	292
		1944.....	254
		acres 1949...	1,937
		1944.....	2,071
		tons 1949...	5,575
		1944.....	6,265
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2,647
		1944.....	2,754
		acres 1949...	26,105
		1944.....	25,789
		tons 1949...	28,306
		1944.....	28,748
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
		small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	280
		1944.....	444
		acres 1949...	1,311
		1944.....	2,220
		tons 1949...	2,650
		1944.....	4,481

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include soybeans.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	220	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	254
1944.....	30	acres 1949.....	2,222
acres 1949.....	1,713	pounds 1949.....	6,962,202
1944.....	189		
tons 1949.....	2,906	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	346	acres 1949.....	4
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	447	pounds 1949.....	20,122
acres 1949.....	4,868		
1944.....	10,425	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	234
tons 1949.....	9,818	acres 1949.....	252
1944.....	24,172	pounds 1949.....	1,822,202
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	857	Boysenberries, loganberries, and youngberries.....farms reporting 1949...	24
acres 1949.....	3,717	acres 1949.....	7
tons..green weight 1949.....	24,850	pounds 1949.....	17,472
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	2,322
1944.....	6	acres 1950 ¹	2,221
acres 1949.....	6	1945.....	220
1944.....	922	1945.....	272
pounds 1949.....	38	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	2,221
1944.....	16	1945.....	2,221
acres 1949.....	325	trees of all ages..number 1950...	220,122
1944.....	127	1945.....	24,224
pounds 1949.....	28,166	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,222
1944.....	28,640	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	22,222
		quantity harvested..loose boxes 1949...	22,222
		1944.....	22,222
Austrian winter peas, including Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	11	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	222
acres 1949.....	11	1945.....	222
pounds 1949.....	14,000	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,222
		1945.....	2,222
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	475	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	535	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	22,222
acres 1949.....	1,886	1944.....	22,222
1944.....	1,810		
100-lb. bags 1949.....	289,167	Bartlett pears.....farms reporting 1950...	2,222
1944.....	187,872	1945.....	2,222
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,222
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	222
acres 1949.....	.....	1944.....	222
1944.....	.....	
tons 1949.....	.....	Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting 1950...	222
1944.....	.....	1945.....	222
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
Hops harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	.....	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	222
acres 1949.....	.....	1944.....	222
1944.....	.....	
pounds 1949.....	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	222
1944.....	.....	1945.....	222
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	222
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	222
acres 1949.....	7	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	222
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	222
		1944.....	222
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	3,476	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	2,222
1944.....	3,706	1945.....	2,222
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,222
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	187	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	277	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	222
acres 1949.....	919	1944.....	222
1944.....	1,488		
acres 1949.....	291,177	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	2,222
1944.....	326,449	1945.....	2,222
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,222
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	2,222
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	129	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	137	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
acres 1949.....	818	quantity harvested..tons 1949...	222
1944.....	889	1944.....	222
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	6		
1944.....	11	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	222
acres 1949.....	7	1945.....	222
1944.....	168	trees of all ages..number 1950...	222
		1945.....	222
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	222
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	222
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	222
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	80	1944.....	222
acres 1949.....	142		
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	222
1944.....	90	1945.....	222
acres 1949.....	152	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	741	1945.....	2,222
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	6	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	222
acres 1949.....	18	1944.....	222
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	5		
acres 1949.....	1	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting 1950...	222
Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1945.....	222
acres 1949.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	187	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	222
Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944.....	222
acres 1949.....	14		
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting 1950...	222
1944.....	13	1945.....	222
acres 1949.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,222
1944.....	7	1945.....	2,222
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	126	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,222
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	222
		1944.....	222

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

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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... 2,012 1945... 2,399	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 132 1945... 217
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 1,386,880 1945... 97.6	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 21 1945... 62
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 97.6 1945... 97.6	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 111 1945... 155
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 662,107 1945... 717,003	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 104 1945... 143
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 60,098 1945... 85,382	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 42 1945... 66
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 60,098 1945... 85,382	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 24 1945... 25
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 1,353,676 1945... 1,397,600	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 30 1945... 51
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 1,353,676 1945... 1,397,600	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 31 1945... 55
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 670.9 1945... 609.6	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 106 1945... 137
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 85,718 1945... 48,880	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 57 1945... 67
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 135.48 1945... 79.20	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 89 1945... 94
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 499 1945... 535
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,907 1944... 2,099	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 543 1945... 555
acres	1949... 674,209 1944... 719,676	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 362 1945... 348
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 130 1944... 199		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 56 1944... 66	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 42 1944... 45	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 37 1944... 45	White operators.....number	1950... 2,015 1945... 2,293
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 93 1944... 114	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 3 1945... ..
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 380 1944... 363	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 1,229 1944... 1,267	Full owners.....number	1950... 701 1945... 997
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 691 1944... 777	Part owners.....number	1950... 658 1945... 632
acres	1949... 20,775 1944... 22,267	Managers.....number	1950... 21 1945... 14
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 1,440 1944... 384,777	All tenants.....number	1950... 638 1945... 710
acres	1949... 278,245 1944... 300,841	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 31.6 1945... 31.0
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 1,314 1944... 300,841	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 26 1945... 63
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 233 1944... 556	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 98 1945... 4
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 525 1944... 586	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 480 1945... 611
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 325 1944... 396	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 440 1945... 40
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 23,936 1944... 165	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 34 1945... 32
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 47 1944... 23,580	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 7 1945... 27
acres	1949... 8,914 1944... 97		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 23 1944... 7,085	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres	1949... 1,798 1944... 351,212	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 1,705 1945... 1,815
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 921 1944... 1,261	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,952 1945... 1,976
acres	1949... 279,594 1944... 351,212	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,952 1945... 1,972
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 1,652 1944... 2,165	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 11.72 1945... 1,290
acres	1949... 23,925 1944... 18,778	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 1,559 1945... 623
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 69 1944... 38	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 1,251 1945... 651
acres	1949... 2,045 1944... 900	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 91 1945... 149
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 26 1944... 1,145	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 1,275 1945... 1,645
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 84 1945... 43
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 2 1945... 2
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 1,275 1945... 1,645
		Grain combines.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 132 1945... 133
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 34 1945... 43
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 2 1945... 2
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 1,896 1945... 2,126		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 177 1945... 153		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 246 1944... 699		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 699 1944... 568		
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 291 1944... 289		

*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...	1,749	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	108
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,708	General farms.....number 1950...	61
.....number 1950.....	3,185	.....number 1945.....	5
.....number 1945.....	4,561	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	20
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,654	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	36
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,586	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	219
.....number 1950.....	3,059	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....number 1945.....	2,233		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	788	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	836	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,804
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	163	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	364
.....number 1950.....	164	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	738
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,542	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	382
.....number 1950.....	2,059	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	150
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,789	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	80
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,842	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	90
.....number 1950.....	2,438	Other farms.....number 1950...	214
.....number 1945.....	2,800	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	99
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	114
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	289	Abnormal ⁴.....number 1950...	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	58	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	70	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	31,317,866
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	655	.....dollars 1944.....	85,847,801
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	951	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	26,782,907
		.....dollars 1944.....	30,452,249
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁵		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	26,608,168
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	30,253,243
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	217	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	59,797
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	594	.....dollars 1944.....	13,590
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	692	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	92,219
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	495	.....dollars 1944.....	169,941
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	32,943
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	5,475
0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,241	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,582,496
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	44	.....dollars 1944.....	5,894,288
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	315	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	457,312
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	70	.....dollars 1944.....	532,254
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.8	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	501,015
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944.....	366,085
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	432	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,574,168
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	1,266	.....dollars 1944.....	4,475,949
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	262	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,465
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,404
FARM LABOR⁶		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	810
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,824	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	804
.....persons 1950...	3,860	.....number 1945.....	1,202
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,794	.....number 1950...	2,359
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,740	.....number 1945.....	4,502
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	456	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	24
.....persons 1950...	698	.....number 1945.....	30
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	577	.....number 1950...	40
.....persons 1950...	922	.....number 1945.....	217
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁷		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,969	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,682
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,785	.....number 1945.....	2,063
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,020	.....number 1950...	88,422
dollars 1949...	667,157	.....number 1945.....	45,949
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,565	Cows, including heifers that have calved,.....farms reporting 1950...	1,644
dollars 1949...	2,977,122	.....number 1945 ⁸	2,042
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,656	.....number 1950...	17,642
dollars 1949...	1,181,382	.....number 1945 ⁹	24,352
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,357	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,303
dollars 1949...	1,117,998	.....number 1950...	4,739
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,407	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,081
dollars 1949...	817,949	.....number 1950...	6,459
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	1,797	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,046
dollars 1949...	1,723,123	.....number 1950...	5,822
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,482	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,126
dollars 1949...	1,026,667	.....number 1950...	3,503
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	1,548	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	91
dollars 1949...	1,194,054	.....pounds 1944.....	85
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949...	5,815,313
No sales.....number 1950...	48	.....dollars 1944.....	5,375,499
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	66	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	224,412
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	41	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	945
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	51	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,436
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	81	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	285,087
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	36	.....dollars 1949...	641,682
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	60	.....dollars 1949...	172,667
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	80	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	151	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	758
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	301	.....number 1945.....	1,272
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	1,103	.....number 1950...	16,596
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1945.....	24,609
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	1,540	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	756
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	1,540	.....number 1950...	7,651
Cotton.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	466
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	10,465
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	573
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	15	.....number 1945.....	950
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	60	.....number 1950...	2,631
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	15	.....number 1945.....	4,188

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...	142	Corn:	
1945...	149	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1950...	32,952	1944...	4
1945...	42,455	acres 1949...	62
1945...		1944...	17
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	136	1944...	2
number 1950...	19,850	acres 1949...	58
1945...	134	1944...	10
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	184	bushels 1949...	8,361
1945 ¹ ...	18,080	1944...	890
number 1950...	80,858	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945 ¹ ...	76	1944...	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	10,601	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	125	tons green weight 1949...	
1945...	7,479	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	125	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	7,479	1944...	4
1945...	80	Small grains:	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	80	Grains grown together and threshed	
number 1950...	1,270	as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	16
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	115	1944...	1,456
number 1950...	18,602	bushels 1949...	84,008
1944...	118	farms reporting 1949...	1,597
number shorn 1949...	18,988	1944...	1,316
1944...	180,978	acres 1949...	434,188
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	290,404	1944...	278,245
		bushels 1949...	11,999,799
		1944...	9,641,100
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	298
		1944...	680
		acres 1949...	28,951
		1944...	108,168
		bushels 1949...	681,665
		1944...	9,166,082
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	887
		1944...	511
		acres 1949...	9,920
		1944...	17,125
		bushels 1949...	421,899
		1944...	848,686
		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	85
		1944...	57
		acres 1949...	198
		1944...	742
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	604
		1944...	916
		acres 1949...	37,287
		1944...	64,885
		bushels 1949...	996,848
		1944...	2,525,178
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944...	1
		acres 1949...	18
		1944...	9
		bushels 1949...	325
		1944...	166
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested	
		for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944 ² ...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944 ² ...	
		pounds 1949...	
		1944 ² ...	
		Dry field and seed peas, other than	
		Austrian winter peas, harvested for	
		peas.....farms reporting 1949...	787
		1944...	1,056
		acres 1949...	126,748
		1944...	218,809
		pounds 1949...	99,178,177
		1944...	295,954,900
		Hay crops:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,883
		acres 1949...	24,228
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	921
		1944...	1,231
		acres 1949...	14,067
		1944...	28,617
		tons 1949...	28,860
		1944...	38,415
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	147
		1944...	74
		acres 1949...	2,052
		1944...	1,256
		tons 1949...	2,987
		1944...	1,780
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
		small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	528
		1944...	651
		acres 1949...	6,561
		1944...	10,278
		tons 1949...	10,860
		1944...	16,644

¹Wes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Wes not include soybeans.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting: 1949...	46	Strawberries.....farms reporting: 1949...	5
1944.....	6	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	490	pounds 1949...	470
1944.....	198		
tons 1949...	760	Blackberries and dewberries (time).....farms reporting: 1949...	4
1944.....	354	acres 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting: 1949...	113	pounds 1949...	806
acres 1949...	1,327		
1944.....	1,438	Raspberries (time).....farms reporting: 1949...	16
tons 1949...	1,861	acres 1949...	3
1944.....	1,928	pounds 1949...	2,420
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting: 1949...	3		
acres 1949...	54	Boysenberries; loganberries, and youngberries.....farms reporting: 1949...	1
tons green weight 1949...	294	acres 1949...	(*)
		pounds 1949...	180
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and rapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting: 1949...	21	Land in bearing and nonbearing; fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting: 1950...	768
1944.....	3	1945...	62
acres 1949...	476	acres 1950 ² ...	390
1944.....	30	1945...	653
pounds 1949...	26,572	farms reporting: 1950...	728
1944.....	5,100	1945...	306
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting: 1949...	2	trees of all ages, number 1950...	7,073
1944.....	1	1945...	3,970
acres 1949...	29	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	1,822
1944.....	25	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	5,231
pounds 1949...	1,700	quantity harvested, loose boxes 1949...	7,345
1944.....	780	1944...	76,831
Austrian winter peas, including: Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting: 1949...	56		
acres 1949...	10,269	Peaches.....farms reporting: 1950...	145
pounds 1949...	5,750,940	1945...	80
		trees of all ages, number 1950...	29,204
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting: 1949...	456	1945...	32,600
1944.....	313	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	11,903
acres 1949...	125	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	17,302
1944.....	312	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	1,650,550
100-lb. bags 1949...	8,840	1944...	2,902,124
1944.....	14,228	Bartlett pears.....farms reporting: 1950...	190
		trees of all ages, number 1950...	2,341
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting: 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	139
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	2,101
acres 1949...	.....	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	113
1944.....	.....	
tons 1949...	.....	Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting: 1950...	87
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages, number 1950...	204
Hops harvested.....farms reporting: 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	73
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	121
acres 1949...	.....	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	2
1944.....	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting: 1950...	232
pounds 1949...	.....	trees of all ages, number 1950...	922
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	241
Root and grain crops bagged or graded, other than corn.....farms reporting: 1949...	6	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	681
acres 1949...	39	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	10,472
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting: 1949...	1,268	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting: 1950...	131
1944.....	1,967	trees of all ages, number 1950...	3,011
		trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	727
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting: 1949...	32	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	3,024
1944.....	24	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	269,847
acres 1949...	451	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting: 1950...	306
1944.....	60	1945...	124
sold, dollars 1949...	58,797	trees of all ages, number 1950...	1,920
1944.....	13,590	1945...	522
Asparagus.....farms reporting: 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	718
acres 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	1,752
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting: 1949...	6	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	46
1944.....	4	1944...	22
acres 1949...	1		
1944.....	1	Apricots.....farms reporting: 1950...	225
Cabbage.....farms reporting: 1949...	2	1945...	97
1944.....	3	trees of all ages, number 1950...	7,029
acres 1949...	1	1945...	7,316
1944.....	3	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	244
acres 1949...	1	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	6,539
1944.....	2	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	662,084
		1944...	1,141,315
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting: 1949...	7	Grapes.....farms reporting: 1950...	65
acres 1949...	12	1945...	12
Carrots.....farms reporting: 1949...	6	vines of all ages, number 1950...	512
acres 1949...	1	1945...	106
Sweet corn.....farms reporting: 1949...	15	vines not of bearing age, number 1950...	123
1944.....	5	vines of bearing age, number 1950...	272
acres 1949...	6	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	1,679
1944.....	2	1944...	1,580
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting: 1949...	2	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting: 1950...	12
acres 1949...	(*)	1945...	4
Dry onions.....farms reporting: 1949...	2	trees of all ages, number 1950...	59
acres 1949...	1	1945...	21
Green peas.....farms reporting: 1949...	6	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	21
1944.....	3	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	32
acres 1949...	414	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	276
1944.....	2	1944...	45
		Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting: 1950...	15
Spinach.....farms reporting: 1949...	3	1945...	2
acres 1949...	(*)	trees of all ages, number 1950...	27
1944.....	15	1945...	16
Tomatoes.....farms reporting: 1949...	14	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	23
acres 1949...	11	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	23
1944.....	23	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	244
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1	1944...	100

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags 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...	6,959	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	1,114
.....1945.....	6,721	.....1945.....	1,145
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	2,734,720	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	152
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	41.1	.....1945.....	174
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	456,147	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	992
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	389,809	.....1945.....	971
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	337,561	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	2,355
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	59,788	.....1945.....	2,248
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	1,123,749	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	1,237
.....1945.....	1,099,000	.....1945.....	1,195
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	161.5	to 69 acres.....number 1950...	409
.....1945.....	163.5	.....1945.....	402
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	21,180	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	741
.....1945.....	14,070	.....1945.....	771
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	112.70	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	505
.....1945.....	86.05	.....1945.....	286
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	269
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6,445	.....1945.....	214
.....1944.....	6,281	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	124
.....acres 1949.....	237,438	.....1945.....	110
.....1944.....	223,978	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	69
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,918	.....1945.....	66
.....1944.....	1,825	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	169
.....acres 1949.....	1,552	.....1945.....	141
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,478	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	84
.....1944.....	788	.....1945.....	88
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	770	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	85
.....1944.....	948	.....1945.....	76
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,010		
.....1944.....	802	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	823	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944.....	517	White operators.....number 1950...	6,745
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	268	.....1945.....	6,559
.....1944.....	118	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	214
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	111	.....1945.....	165
.....1944.....	2,294	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,455	Full owners.....number 1950...	4,874
.....acres 1949.....	50,906	.....1945.....	4,725
.....1944.....	59,777	Part owners.....number 1950...	950
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,540	.....1945.....	677
.....acres 1949.....	55,552	Managers.....number 1950...	80
.....1944.....	25,533	.....1945.....	179
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	318	All tenants.....number 1950...	1,055
.....acres 1949.....	28,955	.....1945.....	1,142
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	280	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15.2
.....1944.....	14	.....1945.....	17.0
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	568
.....acres 1949.....	24	.....1945.....	701
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1,304	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	58
.....acres 1949.....	28,417	.....1945.....	20
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	213	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	263
.....acres 1949.....	108	.....1945.....	358
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	124,459	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	251
.....1944.....	22,526	.....1945.....	32
.....acres 1949.....	72	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	146
.....1944.....	5,912	.....1945.....	83
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,885	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
.....1944.....	721,814	.....1945.....	217
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	2,112		
.....1944.....	3,197	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949.....	596,721	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	3,566
.....1944.....	721,814	.....1945.....	2,616
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	5,744	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	6,694
.....1944.....	5,157	.....1945.....	6,064
.....acres 1949.....	52,992	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	6,693
.....1944.....	45,890	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.27
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	6,920	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	5,322
.....1944.....	6,440	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	4,170
.....acres 1949.....	288,460	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,028
.....1944.....	253,065	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	6,287
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	489	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1,239
.....acres 1949.....	10,816	.....1945.....	119
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	789
FARM OPERATORS		.....1945.....	138
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	6,499	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	149
.....1945.....	6,503	.....number 1950...	54
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	382	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	65
.....1945.....	382	.....number 1950...	101
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,957	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	106
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	5,285	.....number 1950...	166
.....1944.....	1,823	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	194
.....1944.....	1,837	.....number 1950...	225
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,169	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	229
.....1944.....	1,169	.....number 1950...	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	111	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	53
1944.....	78	acres 1949...	23
acres 1949...	4,139	pounds 1949...	287,507
1944.....	4,002		
tons 1949...	5,529	Blackberries and dewberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	3,855	acres 1949...	43
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	83	pounds 1949...	21,242
acres 1949...	840		
1944.....	1,153	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	122
tons 1949...	1,158	acres 1949...	21
1944.....	2,858	pounds 1949...	112,552
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Boysenberries, loganberries,	
acres 1949...	152	and youngberries.....farms reporting 1949...	9
tons, green weight 1949...	887	acres 1949...	3
		pounds 1949...	2,622
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	198	Land in bearing and nonbearing; fruit orchards, groves,	
1944.....	49	vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	4,234
acres 1949...	3,459	1945.....	7,121
1944.....	682	acres 1950 ² ...	55,487
pounds 1949...	2,207,371	1945.....	43,393
1944.....	97,740	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,002
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	46	1945.....	1,722
1944.....	24	trees of all ages, number 1950...	1,241,513
acres 1949...	632	1945.....	1,243,471
1944.....	293	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	233,562
pounds 1949...	197,537	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	1,113,413
1944.....	62,440	quantity harvested, loose boxes 1949...	14,375,553
Austrian winter peas, including		1944.....	15,023,732
Dixie Wonder, harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
acres 1949...	7	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	2,622
pounds 1949...	22,000	1945.....	2,000
Irish potatoes harvested for home		trees of all ages, number 1950...	62,042
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	577	1945.....	63,522
1944.....	698	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	131,427
acres 1949 ¹ ...	8,213	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	660,741
1944.....	8,322	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	59,405,692
100-lb. bags 1949...	2,002,265	1944.....	68,169,508
1944.....	1,583,800	Bartlett pears.....farms reporting 1950...	2,022
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	455	trees of all ages, number 1950...	941,522
1944.....	480	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	119,077
acres 1949...	11,361	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	628,511
1944.....	11,491	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	67,622
tons 1949...	241,745		
1944.....	164,491	Pears other than Bartlett.....farms reporting 1950...	941
Hops harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	500	trees of all ages, number 1950...	169,527
1944.....	298	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	24,511
acres 1949...	12,740	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	168,035
1944.....	8,490	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	15,722
pounds 1949...	17,658,854	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	521
1944.....	14,755,871	trees of all ages, number 1950...	3,424
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed,		trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	65
other than corn.....farms reporting 1949...	24	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	3,124
acres 1949...	511	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	227,522
Vegetables harvested for home use (other			
than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	3,445	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	2,522
1944.....	3,857	trees of all ages, number 1950...	180,249
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,299	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	34,035
1944.....	1,314	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	152,213
acres 1949...	19,453	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	25,043,722
1944.....	15,880	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	1,421
acres 1949...	3,507,260	1945.....	1,122
1944.....	2,894,755	trees of all ages, number 1950...	223,522
Asparagus.....farms reporting 1949...	588	1945.....	179,522
acres 1949...	4,578	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	121,222
1944.....	98	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	205,222
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	115	quantity harvested, tons 1949...	6,522
1944.....	224	1944.....	13,522
acres 1949...	266		
1944.....	27	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	1,421
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	18	1945.....	1,421
acres 1949...	15	trees of all ages, number 1950...	227,043
1944.....	25	1945.....	227,043
Cantaloups and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	239	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	59,522
acres 1949...	1,056	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	192,422
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	121	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	15,250,222
acres 1949...	292	1944.....	10,215,222
1944.....	292	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	1,120
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	449	1943.....	634
1944.....	387	vines of all ages, number 1950...	1,542,022
acres 1949...	6,877	1945.....	1,427,022
1944.....	4,581	vines not of bearing age, number 1950...	512,522
Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	27	vines of bearing age, number 1950...	1,422,522
acres 1949...	42	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	21,250,222
Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	118	1944.....	14,622,022
acres 1949...	380		
1944.....	90	Walnuts (English or Persian).....farms reporting 1950...	122
acres 1949...	2,074	1945.....	57
1944.....	2,154	trees of all ages, number 1950...	974
Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	275
acres 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	147
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	323	trees of bearing age, number 1950...	627
1944.....	353	quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	12,545
acres 1949...	1,454	1944.....	4,022
1944.....	1,455	Filberts and hazelnuts.....farms reporting 1950...	51
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2,460	1945.....	2
		trees of all ages, number 1950...	608
		1945.....	22
		trees not of bearing age, number 1950...	172
		trees of bearing age, number 1950...	421
		quantity harvested, pounds 1949...	4,422
		1944.....	1,622

¹For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags 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 State and for the 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	State total	Item	State total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	81,434	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	8,811
1945...	97,600	1945...	14,964
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	15,411,200	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	1,034
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	53.3	1945...	2,132
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	7,107,493	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	7,777
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,131,037	1945...	12,832
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	115,349	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	13,667
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	139,253	1945...	17,085
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	8,214,626	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	11,049
1945...	8,719,579	1945...	12,733
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	100.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	10,339
1945...	89.3	1945...	11,961
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	5,852	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	10,611
1945...	3,494	1945...	11,839
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	59.31	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	10,280
1945...	39.11	1945...	11,494
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	5,553
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	71,152	1945...	6,021
1944...	90,964	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	3,531
acres 1949...	1,218,239	1945...	3,768
1944...	1,489,919	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	2,005
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	35,108	1945...	2,135
1944...	47,499	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	3,973
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16,186	1945...	4,105
1944...	19,323	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	1,257
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8,451	1945...	1,171
1944...	9,870	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	358
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	7,001	1945...	324
1944...	8,462	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3,432	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	4,582	White operators.....number 1950...	81,062
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	805	1945...	96,900
1944...	1,030	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	372
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	189	1945...	700
1944...	198	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	28,553	Full owners.....number 1950...	67,583
1944...	13,574	1945...	78,398
acres 1949...	786,927	Part owners.....number 1950...	5,280
1944...	311,622	1945...	4,398
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	19,891	Managers.....number 1950...	218
acres 1949...	348,515	1945...	417
1944...	171,530	All tenants.....number 1950...	8,353
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	34,899	1945...	14,387
1944...	32,675	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.3
acres 1949...	1,206,421	1945...	14.7
1944...	1,099,848	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	3,346
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	40,661	1945...	8,976
1944...	49,308	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	148
acres 1949...	1,990,494	1945...	84
1944...	2,126,628	Share tenants.....number 1950...	970
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	47,630	1945...	1,820
1944...	71,092	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	763
acres 1949...	2,325,744	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	207
1944...	3,243,927	Croppers.....number 1950...	625
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	73,031	1945...	642
1944...	82,290	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	3,264
acres 1949...	338,286	1945...	2,865
1944...	276,105	Other tenants.....number 1950...	1,136
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	2,128
1944...	11	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	40	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	21,724
1944...	42	1945...	21,599
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	59,141
acres 1949...	14	1945...	38,763
FARM OPERATORS		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	58,610
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	76,157	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.26
1945...	91,260	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	13,915
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	3,319	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	5,479
1945...	5,824	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	4,756
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting 1949...	46,523	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	49,089
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	45,590	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	5,598
1944...	45,337	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	854
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	35,071	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,303
1944...	38,859	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	621
		number 1950...	626
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	393
		number 1950...	394
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	612
		number 1950...	618
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2,381
		number 1950...	3,221
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	68
		number 1950...	74

*Data 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...	21,635	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	9,945
.....1945.....	14,843	General farms.....number 1950...	2,920
.....number 1950.....	24,631	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	16,285	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	228
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	11,613	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	1,754
.....1945.....	6,358	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	938
.....number 1950.....	14,005	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	58,834
.....1945.....	6,863		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	9,393	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	10,661	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	23,266
.....1945.....	2,655	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	239
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	2,730	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	1,143
.....number 1950.....	563	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	2,024
.....1945.....	614	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	3,767
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	32,850	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	6,549
.....1945.....	37,670	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	9,564
.....number 1950.....	37,271	Other farms.....number 1950...	58,148
.....1945.....	40,477	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	14,344
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	43,747
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	27,437	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	57
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	18,142		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	24,282	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	6,058	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	82,751,443
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	5,515	.....1944.....	63,352,528
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	12,717,433
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....1944.....	13,180,697
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	5,177,629
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	7,735	.....1944.....	4,023,222
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	32,736	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	619,055
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	19,683	.....1944.....	1,014,566
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	19,003	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,908,065
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944.....	7,491,119
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,012,684
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	25,605	.....1944.....	651,810
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	8,648	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	67,778,957
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	24,635	.....1944.....	48,283,889
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	4,063	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	15,435,868
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.3	.....1944.....	11,794,705
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	19,461,012
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	29,009	.....1944.....	15,717,165
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	12,240	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	32,882,077
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	36,568	.....1944.....	20,774,019
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,255,053
FARM LABOR⁵		.....1944.....	1,885,982
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	63,510	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	49,176
.....persons 1950.....	105,190	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	46,374
.....1945.....	62,594	.....number 1950.....	50,317
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	56,933	.....1945.....	85,681
Operators.....persons 1950.....	24,845	.....number 1950.....	97,336
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	35,553	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	3,861
.....persons 1950.....	7,055	.....1945.....	4,942
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	12,704	.....number 1950.....	6,306
.....persons 1950.....		.....1945.....	7,777
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁶		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	68,808	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	65,042
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	33,897	.....1945.....	77,302
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	20,102	.....number 1950...	588,306
dollars 1949.....	1,357,941	.....1945.....	573,083
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	25,850	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	63,222
dollars 1949.....	10,962,165	.....1945.....	74,435
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	58,283	.....number 1950...	286,664
dollars 1949.....	22,167,894	.....1945.....	309,592
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	35,200	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	58,999
dollars 1949.....	11,965,690	.....number 1950...	203,997
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	46,056	.....1945.....	30,653
dollars 1949.....	2,522,148	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	124,189
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	19,283	.....number 1950...	17,602
dollars 1949.....	2,929,775	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	89,801
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	6,045	.....number 1950...	29,132
dollars 1949.....	637,381	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	87,652
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	13,229	.....number 1950...	9,042
dollars 1949.....	992,630	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10,196
		.....1944.....	293,582,870
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	247,644,690
No sales.....number 1950...	15,987	.....dollars 1949...	13,330,587
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	27,789	.....1944.....	12,560
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	7,912	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13,375
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	6,538	.....1944.....	3,270,581
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	7,436	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	2,550,122
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	4,351	.....1944.....	1,745,755
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	4,230	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	5,137
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	2,807	.....dollars 1949...	359,526
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	1,597		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	1,396	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	1,391	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	43,782
		.....1945.....	48,072
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	197,027
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	1,597	.....1945.....	165,283
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	360	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	36,242
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	114,436
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	1,237	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	14,850
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	96	.....number 1950...	82,591
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	382	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	10,853
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	4,330	.....1945.....	12,958
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	3,330	.....number 1950...	21,202
		.....1945.....	22,254

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	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	10,391
1945.....	13,160
number 1950.....	421,700
1945.....	322,123
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	10,094
number 1950.....	252,504
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	10,012
number 1945 ¹	12,650
number 1950.....	232,638
1945 ¹	279,766
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....	6,640
number 1950.....	19,866
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	8,731
number 1950.....	169,196
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	9,796
1944.....	12,406
number shorn 1949.....	241,782
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	1,284,174
1944.....	1,545,537
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	66,647
1945.....	79,070
number 1950.....	2,961,984
1945.....	3,541,313
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	21,919
number 1949.....	11,739,985
dollars 1949.....	10,467,121
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	32,288
dozens 1949.....	12,621,223
dollars 1949.....	5,383,149
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,785
number 1950.....	26,435
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	2,142
1944.....	2,375
number 1949.....	610,598
1944.....	257,945
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	50,384
dollars 1949.....	31,590,261
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	45,565
1944.....	47,760
number 1949.....	243,894
1944.....	275,064
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	22,234
number 1949.....	113,694
dollars 1949.....	17,418,818
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	38,844
number 1949.....	130,200
dollars 1949.....	6,723,742
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	18,044
1944.....	17,148
number 1949.....	183,853
1944.....	172,809
dollars 1949.....	3,802,749
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	9,254
1944.....	11,026
number 1949.....	197,559
1944.....	228,798
dollars 1949.....	3,279,022
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3,169
number 1949.....	5,265
dollars 1949.....	365,930
FARM SLAUGHTER	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	58,362
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	4,927
number 1949.....	6,270
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	3,243
1944.....	6,983
number 1949.....	3,861
1944.....	9,718
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,824
1944.....	1,799
number 1949.....	2,409
1944.....	2,783
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	57,727
1944.....	74,582
number 1949.....	131,055
1944. #	193,341
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	5,295
dollars 1949.....	440,720

Item	State total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Corn:	
Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	51,173
1944.....	63,978
acres 1949.....	238,306
1944.....	332,452
Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	49,586
1944.....	63,023
acres 1949.....	219,160
1944.....	316,373
bushels 1949.....	9,659,976
1944.....	8,835,020
Small grains:	
Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8,149
1944.....	
acres 1949.....	64,680
1944.....	85,114
bushels 1949.....	1,208,423
1944.....	1,586,408
Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5,982
1944.....	6,383
acres 1949.....	29,442
1944.....	32,502
bushels 1949.....	825,058
1944.....	817,038
Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	7,742
1944.....	12,175
acres 1949.....	23,699
1944.....	42,349
Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,183
1944.....	998
acres 1949.....	11,188
1944.....	8,261
bushels 1949.....	351,464
1944.....	221,025
Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	259
1944.....	785
acres 1949.....	1,229
1944.....	5,050
bushels 1949.....	16,709
1944.....	67,999
Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1,700
1944.....	6,109
acres 1949.....	123,088
1944.....	
bushels 1949.....	
Annual legumes:	
Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4,685
1944.....	9,760
acres 1949.....	14,131
1944.....	33,176
Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	149
1944.....	169
acres 1949.....	1,372
1944.....	898
bushels 1949.....	22,414
1944.....	10,369
Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4,056
1944.....	10,811
acres 1949.....	17,985
1944.....	
tons 1949.....	
Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	193
1944.....	792
acres 1949.....	363
1944.....	1,156
Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	
acres 1949.....	
1944.....	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	53,718
1944.....	737,865
acres 1949.....	
1944.....	
Alfalfa out for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	7,809
1944.....	7,177
acres 1949.....	63,958
1944.....	51,954
tons 1949.....	122,014
1944.....	93,013
Clover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	36,962
1944.....	36,344
acres 1949.....	429,885
1944.....	434,612
tons 1949.....	525,693
1944.....	466,225
Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	5,561
1944.....	3,817
acres 1949.....	40,714
1944.....	25,297
tons 1949.....	44,436
1944.....	22,482
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4,969
1944.....	2,519
acres 1949.....	18,612
1944.....	10,335
tons 1949.....	20,097
1944.....	10,918

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

SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued			SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		
Item	State total		Item	State total	
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued			SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Continued			Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	15,747		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	989	
acres 1949...	188,593		acres 1949...	341	
tons 1949...	246,088		quarts 1949...	287,134	
1944...	203,440		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	672	
	238,397		acres 1949...	347	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	230		quarts 1949...	120,544	
acres 1949...	3,161				
tons..green weight 1949...	13,016		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:		
Field crops (other):			Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	48,641	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	495		1945...	44,722	
1944...	142		acres 1950 ² ..	73,774	
acres 1949...	3,625		1945...	104,587	
1944...	906		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	45,124	
bushels 1949...	3,008		1945...	70,125	
1944...	1,163		trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,334,177	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	52,250		1945...	3,664,609	
1944...	67,908		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	420,227	
acres 1949 ¹ ..	14,345		1950...	1,913,254	
1944...	27,352		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,429,868	
bushels 1949...	1,571,067		1949...	6,408,268	
1944...	2,160,497		quantity harvested..bushels 1944...		
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	11,425				
1944...	10,537		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	23,456	
acres 1949 ¹ ..	232		1945...	43,827	
1944...	1,666		trees of all ages..number 1950...	764,988	
acres 1949...	61,730		1945...	1,172,685	
1944...	122,350		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	192,227	
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,801		1950...	372,694	
1944...	2,479		trees of bearing age..number 1949...	504,824	
acres 1949...	2,760		1944...	865,724	
1944...	2,969				
pounds 1949...	3,755,502		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	17,133	
1944...	2,982,087		1945...	28,884	
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	405		trees of all ages..number 1950...	65,643	
acres 1949...	235		1945...	104,031	
gallons 1949...	17,621		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	15,641	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	70,481		1950...	49,819	
1944...	91,211		trees of bearing age..number 1949...	26,334	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	2,841		1944...	173,437	
1944...	5,960				
acres 1949...	4,850		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	20,774	
1944...	7,560		1945...	36,619	
sold..dollars 1949...	619,055		trees of all ages..number 1950...	217,133	
1944...	1,014,506		1945...	330,477	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2,026		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	62,771	
1944...	2,656		1950...	124,381	
acres 1949...	1,264		trees of bearing age..number 1949...	2,777,111	
1944...	1,655		1944...	6,656,338	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	586				
1944...	1,045		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	12,297	
acres 1949...	227		1945...	20,021	
1944...	404		trees of all ages..number 1950...	74,474	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1,693		1950...	20,428	
1944...	2,067		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	53,542	
acres 1949...	1,936		1949...	6,224	
1944...	1,936		quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	44,444	
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,644				
1944...	3,036		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	22,927	
acres 1949...	1,048		1945...	38,773	
1944...	1,789		vines of all ages..number 1950...	145,642	
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	375		1945...	244,547	
			vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	25,893	
			1950...	119,343	
			vines of bearing age..number 1949...	880,249	
			1949...	4,156,076	
			quantity harvested..pounds 1944...		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage 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...	1,838	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	151
1945...	1,976	1945...	168
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	215,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	11
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	78.0	1945...	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	151,595	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	140
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,348	1945...	168
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	379	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	293
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,592	1945...	320
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	167,730	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	290
1945...	183,648	1945...	297
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	91.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	295
1945...	92.9	1945...	293
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	4,759	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	256
1945...	3,503	1945...	282
average per acre, dollars 1950*	56.52	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	226
1945...	37.69	1945...	243
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	120
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,716	1945...	141
1944...	1,875	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	73
acres 1949...	30,453	1945...	84
1944...	36,000	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	34
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	658	1945...	45
1944...	678	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	74
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	489	1945...	77
1944...	528	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	23
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	288	1945...	20
1944...	302	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	202	1945...	6
1944...	244		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	67	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	102	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	White operators.....number 1950...	1,767
1944...	18	1945...	1,876
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	71
1944...	3	1945...	100
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	366	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	83	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,585
acres 1949...	10,197	1945...	1,666
1944...	2,595	Part owners.....number 1950...	137
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	312	1945...	114
acres 1949...	4,694	Managers.....number 1950...	1
1944...	1,226	1945...	9
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	949	All tenants.....number 1950...	115
1944...	989	1945...	187
acres 1949...	18,339	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	6.2
1944...	21,285	1945...	9.5
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	628	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	21
1944...	500	1945...	56
acres 1949...	19,755	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	5
1944...	15,747	1945...	8
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,547	Share tenants.....number 1950...	32
1944...	1,855	1945...	4
acres 1949...	78,661	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	4
1944...	102,520	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	19
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,643	Croppers.....number 1950...	12
1944...	1,461	1945...	62
acres 1949...	5,361	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	87
1944...	4,275	1945...	33
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	29
1944...			
acres 1949...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	242
acres 1949...		1945...	228
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,498
		1945...	1,006
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,473
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.00
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	242
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	106
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,303
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	177
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		number 1950...	10
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		number 1950...	6
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	82
		number 1950...	98
		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...	497	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	233
.....1945...	271	General farms.....number 1950...	103
.....number 1950...	527	.....number 1950...	19
.....1945...	284	.....number 1950...	56
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	282	.....number 1950...	22
.....1945...	113	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,332
.....number 1950...	303		
.....1945...	115		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	232	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....umber 1950...	233	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	525
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	60	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
.....number 1950...	65	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	19
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	24
.....number 1950...	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	53
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	958	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	154
.....1945...	885	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	263
.....number 1950...	1,043	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,313
.....1945...	937	Part-time ².....number 1950...	418
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	895
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	640	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	265		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	661		
Tractor and horse and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	166		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	106		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,421,263
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....1944...	1,135,853
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	740	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	120,282
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	622	.....1944...	99,473
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	436	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	66,665
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944...	36,992
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	7,119
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	777	.....1944...	9,821
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	240	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	20,136
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	490	.....1944...	23,215
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	26,362
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9	.....1944...	29,410
Kind of road on which farm is located:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,245,317
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	903	.....1944...	978,240
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	115	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	223,452
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	835	.....1944...	179,136
FARM LABOR⁴		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	162,403
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944...	167,231
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,503	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	899,502
.....persons 1950...	2,501	.....1944...	631,873
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,492	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	55,624
.....persons 1950...	1,332	.....1944...	58,115
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	601		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	836	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	192	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,176
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	333	.....1945...	1,155
.....persons 1950...		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,223
		.....number 1950...	2,185
		.....1945...	2,530
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	39
		.....number 1950...	31
		.....1945...	60
		.....1945...	43
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,579
		.....1945...	1,676
		.....number 1950...	15,561
		.....1945...	16,087
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,552
		.....1945 ⁵ ...	1,625
		.....number 1950...	7,412
		.....1945 ⁵ ...	8,599
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,444
		.....number 1950...	5,276
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	840
		.....number 1950...	3,121
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	485
		.....number 1950...	3,100
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	738
		.....number 1950...	2,223
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	211
		.....1944...	265
		.....pounds 1949...	3,891,340
		.....1944...	3,533,935
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	156,695
		.....1944...	475
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	540
		.....1944...	112,126
		.....dollars 1949...	129,623
		.....1944...	61,068
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	97
		.....dollars 1949...	6,749
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,185
		.....1945...	1,034
		.....number 1950...	4,276
		.....1945...	2,531
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,065
		.....number 1950...	2,860
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	276
		.....number 1950...	1,435
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	277
		.....1945...	261
		.....number 1950...	367
		.....1945...	300
		.....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...	121	Corn:	
1945.....	181	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,404
number 1950...	3,607	1944.....	1,496
1945.....	2,640	acres 1949...	4,383
		1944.....	5,739
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,401
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	120	1944.....	1,491
number 1950...	2,032	acres 1949...	4,214
		1944.....	5,658
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	119	bushels 1949...	228,720
number 1945 ¹ ..	178	1944.....	222,510
number 1950...	1,861		
1945 ¹ ..	2,437	Small grains:	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	70	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	154
number 1950...	171	1944.....	
		acres 1949...	536
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	93	1944.....	608
number 1950...	1,575	bushels 1949...	9,683
		1944.....	10,298
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	122	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	233
1944.....	170	1944.....	263
number shorn 1949...	1,998	acres 1949...	773
1944.....	9,876	1944.....	956
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	10,811	bushels 1949...	20,990
1944.....		1944.....	24,173
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr 28	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	249
		1944.....	209
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	646
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,585	1944.....	628
1945.....	1,727		
number 1950...	62,891	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1945.....	71,358	1944.....	1
		acres 1949...	2
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	586	1944.....	4
number 1949...	33,025	bushels 1949...	30
dollars 1949...	37,375	1944.....	135
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	922	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dozens 1949...	269,896	1944.....	1
dollars 1949...	114,118	acres 1949...	
		1944.....	5
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	38	bushels 1949...	
number 1950...	151	1944.....	75
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	76
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	41	acres 1949...	177
1944.....	31	bushels 1949...	3,259
number 1949...	1,650		
1944.....	1,248	Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	54
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944 ² ..	75
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		acres 1949...	105
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,319	1944 ² ..	187
dollars 1949...	838,632	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,226	1944.....	
1944.....	1,265	acres 1949...	2
number 1949...	7,006	1944.....	
1944.....	8,307	bushels 1949...	40
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	636	1944.....	
number 1949...	3,737	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	35
dollars 1949...	579,975	acres 1949...	66
		tons 1949...	115
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,072	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949...	3,269	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
dollars 1949...	166,884	acres 1949...	24
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure. farms reporting 1949...	6
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	448	acres 1949...	13
1944.....	408	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
number 1949...	3,182	Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	1,560
1944.....	2,798	acres 1949...	22,605
dollars 1949...	50,670	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	114	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	68
1944.....	148	1944.....	14
number 1949...	1,867	acres 1949...	346
1944.....	2,234	1944.....	71
dollars 1949...	31,972	tons 1949...	492
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	101	1944.....	133
number 1949...	135		
dollars 1949...	9,131	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,005
		1944.....	586
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1949...	10,247
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,518	1944.....	7,326
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	107	tons 1949...	12,509
number 1949...	151	1944.....	9,321
		Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	74	1944.....	3
1944.....	170	acres 1949...	43
number 1949...	81	1944.....	16
1944.....	210	tons 1949...	45
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1944.....	25
1944.....	43	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
number 1949...	70	small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	326
1944.....	58	1944.....	292
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,513	acres 1949...	946
1944.....	1,655	1944.....	1,010
number 1949...	3,622	tons 1949...	384
1944.....	4,379	1944.....	1,087
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	179		
dollars 1949...	11,559		

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--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	798	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	35
acres 1949...	11,074	acres 1949...	5
1944...	16,387	quarts 1949...	5,538
tons 1949...	11,299		
1944...	15,647	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	24
		acres 1949...	4
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		quarts 1949...	2,207
acres 1949...			
tons, green weight 1949...		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit	
Field crops (other):		orchards, groves, vineyards, and	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,346
1944...		1945...	1,122
acres 1949...	9	acres 1950 ² ...	882
1944...		1945...	1,853
bushels 1949...	5		
1944...		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,249
Irish potatoes harvested for home		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,532
use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,481	1945...	30,423
1944...	1,202	1945...	54,169
acres 1949 ¹ ...	431	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,383
1944...	595	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	27,040
bushels 1949...	53,665	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	35,465
1944...	44,967	1944...	61,194
Sweetpotatoes harvested for			
home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	216	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	679
1944...	4	1945...	857
acres 1949 ¹ ...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,168
1944...	1	1945...	4,913
bushels 1949...	648	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,355
1944...	33	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,813
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	412
1944...		1944...	4,964
acres 1949...	(*)		
1944...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	547
pounds 1949...	65	1945...	609
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,774
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945...	2,092
acres 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	354
gallons 1949...	199	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,420
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	421
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,551	1944...	4,394
1944...	1,836		
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	92	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	791
1944...	112	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,137
acres 1949...	65	1945...	6,166
1944...	61	1945...	11,164
sold..dollars 1949...	7,119	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	707
1944...	9,881	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,399
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	84	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	14,898
1944...	30	1944...	234,392
acres 1949...	20		
1944...	20	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	467
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1945...	510
1944...	16	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,621
acres 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,011
1944...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,610
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	58	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	123
1944...	34	1944...	1,054
acres 1949...	24		
1944...	12	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	772
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	52	1945...	751
1944...	42	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,889
acres 1949...	10	1945...	2,725
1944...	14	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	398
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	8	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,491
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	23,782
		1944...	70,091

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²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

*Less than 1 acre.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,096	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	126
1945...	1,338	1945...	182
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	202,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	14
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	69.1	1945...	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	104,705	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	112
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	33,884	1945...	179
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,904	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	153
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,725	1945...	194
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	139,768	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	81
1945...	148,806	1945...	116
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	127.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	90
1945...	111.2	1945...	115
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	11,264	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	129
1945...	6,703	1945...	149
average per acre, dollars 1950*..	98.83	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	191
1945...	60.27	1945...	111
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	147
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	895	1945...	94
1944...	1,168	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	101
acres 1949...	47,512	1945...	51
1944...	59,383	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	46
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	215	1945...	106
1944...	331	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	99
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	110	1945...	16
1944...	122	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	16
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	89	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	6
1944...	84	1945...	2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	125		
1944...	185	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	222	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	280	White operators.....number 1950...	1,089
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	104	1945...	1,325
1944...	133	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	7
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1945...	13
1944...	33	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	549	Full owners.....number 1950...	820
1944...	486	1945...	962
acres 1949...	19,573	Part owners.....number 1950...	64
1944...	13,341	1945...	50
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	264	Managers.....number 1950...	24
1944...	6,946	1945...	75
acres 1949...	4,487	All tenants.....number 1950...	188
1944...	304	1945...	251
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	300	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	17.2
1944...	8,097	1945...	18.8
acres 1949...	8,292	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	40
1944...	512	1945...	65
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	24,973	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
1944...	23,895	1945...	72
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	624	Share tenants.....number 1950...	91
1944...	1,058	1945...	63
acres 1949...	26,279	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	9
1944...	35,049	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	9
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	978	Croppers.....number 1950...	30
1944...	1,093	1945...	63
acres 1949...	6,388	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	61
1944...	4,359	1945...	21
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	42
1944...			
acres 1949...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	469
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	418
acres 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	963
1944...		1945...	647
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	953
		1945...	6.35
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	487
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	184
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	71
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	880
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	197
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	27
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	108
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	32
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	32
		number 1950...	45
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		number 1950...	42
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	72
		number 1950...	48
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	86
		number 1950...	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,007		
1945...	1,280		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	45		
1945...	56		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	418		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	509		
1944...	471		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	366		
1944...	418		

*Data 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...	468	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	100
.....1945.....	406	General farms.....number 1950...	72
.....number 1950.....	580	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	14
.....1945.....	581	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	19
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	603	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	59
.....1945.....	435	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	482
.....number 1950.....	825		
.....1945.....	496		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	512	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	635	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	633
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	141	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	74
.....number 1950.....	146	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	72
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	33	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	123
.....number 1950.....	44	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	166
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	875	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	152
.....1945.....	1,046	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	90
.....number 1950.....	1,119	Other farms.....number 1950...	463
.....1945.....	1,259	Part-time ².....number 1950...	162
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	297
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	273	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	4
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	93		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	171	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	270	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,197,037
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	289	.....1944.....	4,066,037
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,482,000
		.....1944.....	2,531,287
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	314,487
		.....1944.....	167,662
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	39,687
		.....1944.....	110,877
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,106,852
		.....1944.....	2,289,924
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	21,059
		.....1944.....	14,798
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,692,784
		.....1944.....	1,432,181
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	943,154
		.....1944.....	571,809
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	895,750
		.....1944.....	437,268
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	851,870
		.....1944.....	425,667
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	22,282
		.....1944.....	28,500
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	572
		.....1950.....	536
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	723
		.....number 1950.....	1,263
		.....1945.....	2,264
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	91
		.....1945.....	91
		.....number 1950.....	143
		.....1945.....	143
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	848
		.....1945.....	991
		.....number 1950.....	14,704
		.....1945.....	11,779
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	825
		.....1945.....	935
		.....number 1950.....	7,478
		.....1945.....	7,746
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	753
		.....number 1950.....	5,861
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	541
		.....number 1950.....	3,128
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	468
		.....number 1950.....	1,687
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	526
		.....number 1950.....	2,211
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	297
		.....1944.....	291
		.....pounds 1949.....	21,573,929
		.....1944.....	14,393,777
		.....dollars 1949.....	883,935
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	224
		.....1944.....	256
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	105,298
		.....1944.....	127,514
		.....dollars 1949.....	56,275
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	39
		.....1944.....	2,964
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	732
		.....1945.....	681
		.....number 1950.....	8,018
		.....1945.....	9,748
		.....farms reporting 1950...	575
		.....number 1950.....	4,207
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	429
		.....number 1950.....	3,811
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	351
		.....1945.....	395
		.....number 1950.....	1,012
		.....1945.....	873

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...	100	Corn:	
1945... number 1950...	156	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	674
1945... number 1950...	4,541	1944... acres 1949...	851
1945... number 1950...	4,342	1944... acres 1949...	9,842
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	99	1944... acres 1949...	11,801
number 1950...	2,424	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	628
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	99	1944... acres 1949...	839
number 1945 ¹ ...	152	acres 1949...	8,946
number 1950...	2,221	1944... bushels 1949...	10,952
1945 ¹ ...	3,650	1944... bushels 1949...	390,099
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	70	1944... bushels 1949...	223,498
number 1950...	203	Small grains:	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	91	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	383
number 1950...	2,117	acres 1949...	6,200
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	99	1944... acres 1949...	9,468
1944... number shorn 1949...	149	bushels 1949...	122,156
number shorn 1949...	2,379	1944... bushels 1949...	193,367
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	14,782	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	182
1944... pounds 1949...	28,415	1944... acres 1949...	126
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	1,487
		1944... bushels 1949...	905
		1944... bushels 1949...	46,708
		1944... bushels 1949...	17,372
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	863	1944... acres 1949...	97
1945... number 1950...	1,100	acres 1949...	61
number 1950...	51,350	1944... acres 1949...	510
1945... number 1950...	70,525	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	306
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	370	1944... acres 1949...	248
number 1949...	199,652	acres 1949...	3,768
dollars 1949...	191,072	1944... bushels 1949...	2,846
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	564	1944... bushels 1949...	129,759
dozens 1949...	274,786	1944... bushels 1949...	75,594
dollars 1949...	119,750	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	38
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	13	1944... acres 1949...	146
number 1950...	3,969	acres 1949...	268
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	48	1944... acres 1949...	1,425
1944... number 1949...	36	bushels 1949...	3,304
number 1949...	91,689	1944... bushels 1949...	18,980
1944... number 1949...	33,568	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
		acres 1949...	71
		bushels 1949...	1,123
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	745	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	21
dollars 1949...	809,547	1944 ² ... acres 1949...	55
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	677	acres 1949...	96
1944... number 1949...	799	1944 ² ... acres 1949...	341
1944... number 1949...	6,049	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944... number 1949...	5,413	1944... acres 1949...	1
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	393	acres 1949...	26
number 1949...	2,539	1944... bushels 1949...	15
dollars 1949...	409,697	1944... bushels 1949...	575
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	600	1944... bushels 1949...	40
number 1949...	3,510	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
dollars 1949...	146,526	acres 1949...	67
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	465	tons 1949...	130
1944... number 1949...	482	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944... number 1949...	7,935	acres 1949...	2
1944... number 1949...	8,580	Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	209,567	acres 1949...	1
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	94	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944... number 1949...	107	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	683
1944... number 1949...	2,001	acres 1949...	13,379
dollars 1949...	2,793	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	463
dollars 1949...	35,871	1944... acres 1949...	558
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	73	acres 1949...	6,464
number 1949...	124	1944... acres 1949...	6,062
dollars 1949...	7,816	1944... tons 1949...	14,385
		1944... tons 1949...	9,698
FARM SLAUGHTER		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	462
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	808	1944... acres 1949...	548
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	126	acres 1949...	6,441
number 1949...	183	1944... tons 1949...	8,582
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	96	1944... tons 1949...	8,558
1944... number 1949...	117	1944... tons 1949...	8,196
1944... number 1949...	111	Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944... number 1949...	141	1944... acres 1949...	5
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1949...	82
1944... number 1949...	20	1944... acres 1949...	42
1944... number 1949...	72	1944... tons 1949...	85
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	799	1944... tons 1949...	31
1944... number 1949...	1,031	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944... number 1949...	3,005	1944... acres 1949...	13
1944... number 1949...	4,440	acres 1949...	35
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	124	1944... tons 1949...	119
dollars 1949...	14,054	1944... tons 1949...	37
		1944... tons 1949...	131

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949....	44	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949....	65
acres 1949....	501	acres 1949....	39
1944....	262	quarts 1949....	33,569
tons 1949....	715		
1944....	272	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949....	25
		acres 1949....	18
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949....	3	quarts 1949....	11,795
acres 1949....	21		
tons, green weight 1949....	102	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	354
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	61	1945....	468
1944....	9	acres 1950 ² ...	11,236
acres 1949....	663	1945....	16,000
1944....	70		
bushels 1949....	487	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	231
1944....	70	trees of all ages..number 1950...	479
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	497	1945....	378,295
1944....	621	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	68,726
acres 1949....	91	'trees of bearing age..number 1950...	309,569
1944....	403	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	1,054,332
bushels 1949....	11,795	1944....	1,440,019
1944....	17,237		
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	69	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	162
1944....	49	1945....	324
acres 1949....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	129,223
1944....	9	1945....	168,297
bushels 1949....	369	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	24,785
1944....	434	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	104,434
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	192,257
1944....		1944....	228,692
acres 1949....			
1944....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	64
pounds 1949....		1945....	220
1944....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,279
		1945....	6,817
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	54
acres 1949....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,225
gallons 1949....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	5,314
		1944....	2,297
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949....	921	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	92
1944....	1,293	1945....	514
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	48	trees of all ages..number 1950...	23,663
1944....	180	1945....	26,435
acres 1949....	66		
1944....	286	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	9,812
sold, dollars 1949....	39,687	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	14,051
1944....	110,897	quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	791,898
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949....	28	1944....	1,044,790
1944....	102		
acres 1949....	8	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	26
1944....	34	1945....	123
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949....	8	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,711
1944....	45	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,259
acres 1949....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	452
1944....	14	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	190
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949....	42	1944....	689
1944....	123		
acres 1949....	31	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	50
1944....	101	1945....	247
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949....	30	vines of all ages..number 1950...	445
1944....	101	1945....	1,079
acres 1949....	11	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	129
1944....	34	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	325
Other vegetables.....acres 1949....	15	quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	3,372
		1944....	21,683

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Farms.....number 1950...	641	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	146
.....1945...	1,3511945...	371
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	320,640	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	20
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	10.6	.....1945...	41
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	29,242	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	126
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	6,466	.....1945...	330
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	147
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,566	.....1945...	321
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	34,142	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	101
.....1945...	65,805	.....1945...	183
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	53.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	76
.....1945...	48.7	.....1945...	148
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	4,226	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	72
.....1945...	2,418	.....1945...	119
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	80.94	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	43
.....1945...	49.65	.....1945...	110
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	28
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	569	.....1945...	52
.....1944...	1,310	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....acres 1949...	2,754	.....1945...	16
.....1944...	6,988	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	6
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	505	.....1945...	12
.....1944...	1,115	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	8
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	57	.....1945...	16
.....1944...	169	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	3
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	7	.....1945...	3
.....1944...	18	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	6	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	2	White operators.....number 1950...	632
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,341
.....1944...	.....	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	9
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	10
.....1944...	.....	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	234	Full owners.....number 1950...	494
.....1944 ¹ ...	252	.....1945...	793
.....acres 1949...	3,031	.....1945...	38
.....1944 ¹ ...	2,574	Part owners.....number 1950...	127
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	190	.....1945...	.....
.....acres 1949...	3,451	Managers.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	3,491	.....1945...	109
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	211	All tenants.....number 1950...	429
.....1944...	464	.....1945...	17.0
.....acres 1949...	6,480	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	31.8
.....1944...	16,396	.....1945...	67
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	302	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	378
.....1944...	701	.....1945...	2
.....acres 1949...	13,466	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	27,897	.....1945...	1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	111	Share tenants.....number 1950...	14
.....1944 ¹ ...	555	.....1945...	1
.....acres 1949...	2,109	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944 ¹ ...	6,559	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	2
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	502	Croppers.....number 1950...	3
.....1944...	1,105	.....1945...	37
.....acres 1949...	2,851	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	33
.....1944...	1,900	.....1945...	5
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Other tenants.....number 1950...	32
.....1944...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	65
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	82
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	535
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	707
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	505
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.68
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	140
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	460
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....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...	.....
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	605		
.....1945...	1,321		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	17		
.....1945...	29		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	423		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	399		
.....1944...	949		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	356		
.....1944...	850		

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...	105	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	14
.....1945.....	136	General farms.....number 1950...	7
.....number 1950.....	115	.....number 1950.....	7
.....1945.....	148	.....number 1950.....	7
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....number 1950.....	583
.....1945.....	10	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	20	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	58
.....1945.....	11	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	4
.....number 1950.....	10	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	14
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	40
.....number 1950.....	.....	Other farms.....number 1950.....	523
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	175	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	86
.....1945.....	314	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	497
.....number 1950.....	215	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	318	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Farms by class of work power:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	118,068
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	320	.....1944.....	240,333
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	200	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	47,631
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....1944.....	83,475
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	38,958
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	21	.....1944.....	62,484
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD[*]		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,976
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	8,642
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,237
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	285	.....1944.....	11,627
4 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	115	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	460
9 to 10 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	130	.....1944.....	722
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	6	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	61,754
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	.....	.....1944.....	135,456
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,682
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	190	.....1944.....	32,080
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	80	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	30,374
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	145	.....1944.....	55,157
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	25,898
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.3	.....1944.....	48,219
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,683
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	210	.....1944.....	21,402
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	85	HORSES AND MULES	
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	285	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	367
FARM LABOR[*]		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	302
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1945.....	519
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	405	.....number 1950.....	365
.....persons 1950.....	605	.....1945.....	661
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	405	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	76
Operators.....persons 1950.....	365	.....1945.....	96
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	155	.....number 1950.....	97
.....persons 1950.....	230	.....1945.....	131
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	10	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....persons 1950.....	10	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	421
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES[*]	1945.....	958
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	425	.....number 1950...	838
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	160	.....1945.....	2,441
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	55	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	394
.....dollars 1949.....	1,495	.....1945 ³	924
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	130	.....number 1950.....	522
.....dollars 1949.....	7,665	.....1945 ³	1,376
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	365	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	388
.....dollars 1949.....	80,780	.....number 1950.....	508
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	205	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	93
.....dollars 1949.....	18,735	.....number 1950.....	143
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	295	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	53
.....dollars 1949.....	9,580	.....number 1950.....	75
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	118
.....dollars 1949.....	4,075	.....number 1950.....	148
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	52
.....dollars 1949.....	550	.....1944.....	188
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....pounds 1949.....	63,755
.....dollars 1949.....	75	.....1944.....	464,942
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....dollars 1949.....	2,901
No sales.....number 1950...	243	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	16
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	254	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	1,169
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	47	.....1944.....	.....
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	21	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	681
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	47	.....dollars 1949.....	4,100
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	20	HOGS	
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	5	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	156
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	4	.....1945.....	585
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950.....	358
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945.....	1,374
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	190
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	267
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	11	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	36
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	91
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	11	.....1945.....	63
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	4	.....number 1950.....	5
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	4	.....1945.....	86
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	18		

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...	2	Corn:	
1945...	3	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	451
number 1950...	6	1944...	904
1945...	60	acres 1949...	1,492
		1944...	3,407
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	401
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2	1944...	901
number 1950...	6	acres 1949...	1,256
		1944...	3,402
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	2	bushels 1949...	40,830
number 1945 ¹ ...	2	1944...	90,647
number 1950...	4		
number 1945 ¹ ...	34	Small grains:	
1945 ¹ ...	1	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	2	acres 1949...	7
number 1950...	2	1944...	2
		bushels 1949...	125
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...		1944...	25
number 1950...		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		1944...	1
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949...	7
1944...	1	1944...	1
number shorn 1949...	9	bushels 1949...	85
1944...	53	1944...	30
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	70		
1944...		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	38
		1944...	44
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949...	67
		1944...	121
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	526	1944...	2
1945...	1,071	acres 1949...	40
number 1950...	18,604	1944...	
1945...	39,558	bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	170	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	10,400	1944...	
dollars 1949...	11,457	acres 1949...	2
		1944...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	186	bushels 1949...	30
dozens 1949...	39,066	1944...	
dollars 1949...	18,371		
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	5	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	15	1944...	
		bushels 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944...	
1944...	5		
number 1949...	44	Annual legumes:	
1944...	339	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	85
		1944 ² ...	351
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	142
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		1944 ² ...	746
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	146		
dollars 1949...	21,756	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	116	acres 1949...	
1944...	361	1944...	
number 1949...	201	bushels 1949...	
1944...	916	1944...	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	88		
number 1949...	91	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	81
dollars 1949...	10,245	acres 1949...	135
		tons 1949...	227
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	83	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949...	110	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
dollars 1949...	4,502	acres 1949...	3
		1944...	3
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	32	Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	118	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	158	1944...	
1944...	839		
dollars 1949...	5,301	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	120
1944...	1	acres 1949...	326
number 1949...	2		
1944...	2	Alfalfa out for hay (or for	
dollars 1949...	38	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	33
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	18	1944...	19
number 1949...	22	acres 1949...	48
dollars 1949...	1,670	1944...	35
		tons 1949...	128
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	78
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	218	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	61
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944...	55
number 1949...	6	acres 1949...	147
		1944...	139
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	2	tons 1949...	253
1944...	63	1944...	183
number 1949...	3	Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	25
1944...	107	1944...	71
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1949...	67
1944...	8	1944...	195
number 1949...	3	tons 1949...	93
1944...	12	1944...	220
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	218	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
1944...	1,025	small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1949...	377	1944...	14
1944...	2,115	acres 1949...	34
		1944...	32
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		tons 1949...	52
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944...	43
dollars 1949...	505		

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--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	23	acres 1949...	1
1944...	37	quarts 1949...	393
tons 1949...	39	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	39	acres 1949...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quarts 1949...	848
acres 1949...	.....	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	533
Field crops (other):		1945...	774
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	acres 1950 ² ...	342
1944...	.....	1945...	844
acres 1949...	.....	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	427
1944...	.....	1945...	1,042
bushels 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1930...	11,801
1944...	.....	1945...	27,374
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	477	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,202
1944...	1,134	trees of bearing age..number 1930...	9,569
acres 1949 ¹ ...	190	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,553
1944...	288	1944...	28,884
bushels 1949...	13,468	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	174
1944...	24,477	1945...	642
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	118	trees of all ages..number 1930...	2,159
1944...	752	1945...	8,983
acres 1949 ¹ ...	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	854
1944...	97	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,305
bushels 1949...	1,116	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	25
1944...	9,347	1944...	2,408
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	66	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	124
1944...	87	1945...	391
acres 1949...	66	trees of all ages..number 1950...	330
1944...	114	1945...	992
pounds 1949...	81,524	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	95
1944...	105,317	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	235
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	44
acres 1949...	2	1944...	2,140
gallons 1949...	190	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	183
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	571	1945...	568
1944...	1,312	trees of all ages..number 1950...	901
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1945...	2,740
1944...	191	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	200
acres 1949...	28	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	701
1944...	67	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	492
sold..dollars 1949...	3,976	1944...	18,186
1944...	8,042	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	118
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	17	1945...	382
1944...	104	trees of all ages..number 1950...	781
acres 1949...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	135
1944...	20	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	646
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	8	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	37
1944...	45	1944...	441
acres 1949...	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	148
1944...	5	1945...	482
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	14	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,069
1944...	55	1945...	2,940
acres 1949...	12	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	164
1944...	10	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	905
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	11	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,505
1944...	103	1944...	29,018
acres 1949...	3		
1944...	14		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage 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... 2,241	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 111
	1945... 2,667		1945... 212
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 330,880	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 18
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 71.2		1945... 64
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 214,431	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 93
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 23,075		1945... 148
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 1,164	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 254
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 2,965		1945... 315
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 235,705	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 294
	1945... 267,394		1945... 371
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 105.2	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 349
	1945... 100.3		1945... 390
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 3,611	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 381
	1945... 2,357		1945... 406
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 35.41	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 352
	1945... 23.51		1945... 386
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 170
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 2,109		1945... 200
	1944... 2,481	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 114
acres	1949... 34,018		1945... 135
	1944... 38,268	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 70
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 896		1945... 82
	1944... 1,133	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 119
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 605		1945... 137
	1944... 653	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 25
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 293		1945... 30
	1944... 343	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 2
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 229		1945... 3
	1944... 246	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 80	Farms by color of operator:	
	1944... 96	White operators.....number	1950... 2,234
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 6		1945... 2,693
	1944... 10	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 7
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... ..		1945... 14
	1944... ..	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 589	Full owners.....number	1950... 1,910
	1944... 82		1945... 2,258
acres	1949... 21,152	Part owners.....number	1950... 151
	1944... 1,298		1945... 89
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting	1949... 391	Managers.....number	1950... 3
	1944... 813		1945... ..
acres	1949... 6,031	All tenants.....number	1950... 177
	1944... 813		1945... 320
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 1,022	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 7.9
	1944... 780		1945... 12.0
acres	1949... 33,400	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 44
	1944... 23,434		1945... 120
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 1,257	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 1
	1944... 1,828		1945... 7
acres	1949... 48,492	Share tenants.....number	1950... 15
	1944... 74,603		1945... 45
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 1,742	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 10
	1944... 2,496		1945... 5
acres	1949... 87,028	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 15
	1944... 125,408		1945... 15
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 2,137	Croppers.....number	1950... 102
	1944... 1,611		1945... 133
acres	1949... 5,584	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 48
	1944... 3,570		1945... 54
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... ..	Other tenants.....number	1950... ..
	1944... ..	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... ..
acres	1949... ..	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
	1944... ..	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 228
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... ..		1945... 307
	1944... ..	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,073
acres	1949... ..		1945... 401
	1944... ..	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,068
FARM OPERATORS		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 3.38
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 2,125	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 105
	1945... 2,461	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 35
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 95	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 36
	1945... 194	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 733
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold...operators reporting	1949... 1,354	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 85
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 10
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 1,112	Milking machines.....farms reporting	1950... 5
	1944... 1,090	Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... ..
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 715		1950... ..
	1944... 820	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... ..
			1950... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... ..
			1950... ..
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 15
			1945... 13
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... ..
			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... 1945...	511 248	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950... 1945...	451
number 1950... 1945...	546 262	General farms.....number 1950...	65
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	126 30	Primarily crop.....number 1950... 1945...	5
number 1950... 1945...	162 34	Primarily livestock.....number 1950... 1945...	30
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	101 101	Crop and livestock.....number 1950... 1945...	30
number 1950... 1945...	40 40	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,591
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	16 21	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
number 1950... 1945...	467 423	Commercial farms.....number 1950... 1945...	660
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	512 439	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950... 1945...	6
number 1950... 1945...	616 651	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950... 1945...	6
Farms by class of work power:		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950... 1945...	65
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	616	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950... 1945...	184
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	651	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950... 1945...	370
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	841	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950... 1945...	1,581
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	82	Other farms.....number 1950... 1945...	581
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	51	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	1,000
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1,000
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	265 1,050	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	442 285	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,395,360 1,089,819 113,619
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	8	All crops sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	113,619 125,138
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	25	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	67,279 74,878 17,197
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.7	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	21,764 26,893 28,131
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	2,250 365
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	416 211	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	1,221,585 926,369 82,714
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	826 826	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	82,714 78,705 214,877
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	135 1.7	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	214,877 196,273
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1.7	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	923,994 651,391 60,156
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	38,312
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	61.2 175	HORSES AND MULES	
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,320	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,534 1,488
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	.....	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,551 2,751
FARM LABOR^a		number 1950... 1945...	2,898
Week preceding enumeration:		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	84 121
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,813 3,005	number 1950... 1945...	150 223
persons 1950... 1945...	1,783 1,608	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	716 1,086	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,958 2,314
Operators.....persons 1950... 1945...	1,608 716	number 1950... 1945...	17,211 16,717
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,086 198	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,922 2,283
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	311 311	number 1950... 1945...	8,261 9,860
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,776 5,800
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	1,908 918	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	979 3,596
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	918 463	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	556 2,503
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	463 13,395	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,007 2,851
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	778 126,108	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	84 65
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	1,493 282,147	pounds 1949... 1944... 1945...	408,272 443,941
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	853 139,425	dollars 1949... 1944... 1945...	30,277 453 488
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	1,523 55,046	pounds of butterfat 1949... 1944... 1945...	86,235 88,334 47,845
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	386 46,345	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... 1945...	159 4,592
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	61 1,670	HOGS	
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949... 1948...	417 13,017	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	1,317 1,350
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		number 1950... 1945...	4,402
No sales.....number 1950... 1945...	227 773	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	3,183
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950... 1945...	321 212	number 1950... 1945...	1,106 2,518
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950... 1945...	347 166	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	386 1,884
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950... 1945...	89 57	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950... 1945...	271 218
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950... 1945...	12 31	number 1950... 1945...	393 304
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950... 1945...	6	FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM	
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950... 1945...	.....	Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	10
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950... 1945...	.....	Cash-grain.....number 1950... 1945...	10
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950... 1945...	.....	Cotton.....number 1950... 1945...	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950... 1945...	.....	Other field-crop.....number 1950... 1945...	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950... 1945...	.....	Vegetable farms.....number 1950... 1945...	.....
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950... 1945...	15
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	10	Dairy farms.....number 1950... 1945...	30
Cash-grain.....number 1950... 1945...	10	Poultry farms.....number 1950... 1945...	79
Cotton.....number 1950... 1945...	.....	
Other field-crop.....number 1950... 1945...	.....	
Vegetable farms.....number 1950... 1945...	.....	
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950... 1945...	15		
Dairy farms.....number 1950... 1945...	30		
Poultry farms.....number 1950... 1945...	79		

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...	463	Corn:	
.....1945...	533	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,680
.....number 1950...	16,997	.....1944...	2,100
.....1945...	10,756	.....acres 1949...	6,632
.....1944...		.....1944...	9,158
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,659
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	441	.....1944...	2,090
.....number 1950...	9,136	.....acres 1949...	6,576
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	438	.....1944...	9,116
.....number 1945 ¹ ...	504	.....bushels 1949...	349,438
.....number 1950...	8,697	.....1944...	259,876
.....1945 ¹ ...	9,168		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	306	Small grains:	
.....number 1950...	439	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	60
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	433	.....acres 1949...	279
.....number 1950...	7,861	.....1944...	368
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	428	.....bushels 1949...	4,317
.....1944...	505	.....1944...	4,521
.....number shorn 1949...	8,801	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	19
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	38,491	.....1944...	24
.....1944...	42,328	.....acres 1949...	66
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	.....1944...	110
		.....bushels 1949...	1,345
		.....1944...	1,439
		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	345
		.....1944...	500
		.....acres 1949...	1,073
		.....1944...	1,670
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		.....1944...	
		.....acres 1949...	3
		.....1944...	90
		.....bushels 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		.....acres 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		.....bushels 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		.....acres 1949...	3
		.....bushels 1949...	45
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	118
		.....1944...	254
		.....acres 1949...	280
		.....1944...	655
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		.....acres 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		.....bushels 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	107
		.....acres 1949...	242
		.....tons 1949...	457
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
		out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		.....acres 1949...	8
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		.....acres 1949...	30
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	1,796
		.....acres 1949...	23,847
		Alfalfa out for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	73
		.....1944...	35
		.....acres 1949...	329
		.....1944...	153
		.....tons 1949...	664
		.....1944...	266
		Clover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,034
		.....1944...	621
		.....acres 1949...	11,783
		.....1944...	6,493
		.....tons 1949...	14,404
		.....1944...	7,128
		Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	277
		.....1944...	280
		.....acres 1949...	1,724
		.....1944...	1,499
		.....tons 1949...	1,934
		.....1944...	1,570
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
		small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	212
		.....1944...	113
		.....acres 1949...	732
		.....1944...	418
		.....tons 1949...	770
		.....1944...	403

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949....	887	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949....	7
acres 1949.....	9,493	acres 1949....	4
1944.....	16,479	quarts 1949....	4,184
tons 1949.....	10,352		
1944.....	17,664	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949....	28
		acres 1949....	8
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949....		quarts 1949....	2,199
acres 1949.....			
tons..green weight 1949.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950....	1,367
Field crops (other):		1945....	803
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949....		acres 1950 ² ..	1,356
1944.....	1	1945....	1,310
acres 1949.....			
1944.....	4	Apples.....farms reporting 1950....	1,369
bushels 1949.....		1945....	2,264
1944.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950....	41,366
		1945....	62,739
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	1,936	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	7,656
1944.....	2,240	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	33,710
acres 1949 ¹ ..	457	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	40,997
1944.....	664	1944....	68,305
bushels 1949....	64,269		
1944.....	76,980	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950....	852
		1945....	1,544
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	721	trees of all ages..number 1950....	18,759
1944.....	75	1945....	26,227
acres 1949 ¹ ..	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	6,421
1944.....	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	12,332
bushels 1949....	2,690	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	7,263
1944.....	583	1944....	19,273
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949....	8		
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950....	562
acres 1949....	1	1945....	875
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950....	1,872
pounds 1949....	1,035	1945....	2,453
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	508
		trees of bearing age..number 1950....	1,370
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949....	23	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	389
acres 1949....	10	1944....	4,124
gallons 1949....	681		
		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950....	712
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949....	2,072	1945....	3,133
1944.....	2,507	trees of all ages..number 1950....	6,311
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949....	61	1945....	8,161
1944.....	78	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	1,489
acres 1949....	70	trees of bearing age..number 1950....	4,822
1944.....	81	quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	20,607
sold..dollars 1949....	17,197	1944....	134,741
1944.....	21,764		
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949....	41	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950....	433
1944.....	5	1945....	527
acres 1949....	14	trees of all ages..number 1950....	3,023
1944.....	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950....	773
		trees of bearing age..number 1950....	2,247
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949....	12	quantity harvested..bushels 1949....	203
1944.....	4	1944....	1,092
acres 1949....	2		
1944.....	(*)	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950....	685
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949....	30	1945....	1,096
1944.....	8	vines of all ages..number 1950....	2,914
acres 1949....	8	1945....	3,643
1944.....	4	vines not of bearing age..number 1950....	444
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949....	35	vines of bearing age..number 1950....	2,469
1944.....	14	quantity harvested..pounds 1949....	18,287
acres 1949....	10	1944....	73,751
1944.....	3		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949....	36		

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

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release presents figures from the 1950 Census of Agriculture, together with comparable data from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. The figures are preliminary and are subject to revision. A similar report is being prepared for every county in the United States. A preliminary report, showing totals only, will be issued following the publication of figures for the counties in the State. After that, final figures for this county and for the 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	
.....number 1950...	357	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	74
.....number 1945...	466	.....number 1945...	122
Land area.....acres 1950...	56,960	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	14
.....percent 1950...	61.5	.....number 1945...	10
Owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	28,091	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	60
.....acres 1945...	5,161	.....number 1945...	112
Owned from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,500	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	60
.....acres 1945...	700	.....number 1945...	80
Owned to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	35,052	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	41
.....acres 1945...	36,894	.....number 1945...	46
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	98.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	25
.....acres 1945...	79.2	.....number 1945...	31
Land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	9,930	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	34
.....1945...	4,566	.....number 1945...	52
Average per acre, dollars 1950*	103.32	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	45
.....1945...	57.67	.....number 1945...	45
Farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	37
Harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	274	.....number 1945...	32
.....1944...	414	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	17
.....acres 1949...	7,325	.....number 1945...	23
.....acres 1944...	8,153	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	7
5 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	114	.....number 1945...	11
.....1944...	220	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	11
19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	40	.....number 1945...	11
.....1944...	60	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	3
29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	25	.....number 1945...	6
.....1944...	40	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....number 1945...	1
.....1944...	50		
99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	35	Farms by color of operator:	
199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4	White operators.....number 1950...	352
.....1944...	7	.....number 1945...	460
2 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	2	.....number 1945...	6
Used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	146	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	52	Full owners.....number 1950...	311
.....acres 1949...	3,700	.....number 1945...	335
.....acres 1944...	1,207	Part owners.....number 1950...	15
Not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	119	.....number 1945...	22
.....acres 1949...	4,035	Managers.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1944...	9,497	.....number 1945...	5
Partly pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	140	All tenants.....number 1950...	21
.....acres 1949...	174	.....number 1945...	104
.....acres 1944...	4,907	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	5.9
Not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,738	.....percent 1945...	22.3
.....acres 1949...	127	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	16
.....acres 1944...	151	.....number 1945...	86
Pasture (not cropland and woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	5,847	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....acres 1949...	3,555	.....number 1945...	2
.....acres 1944...	119	Share tenants.....number 1950...	3
.....acres 1945...	305	.....number 1945...	2
.....acres 1949...	4,181	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	3
.....acres 1944...	8,181	.....number 1945...	1
Land (house lots, roads, wasteland, and in farms).....farms reporting 1949...	312	Croppers.....number 1950...	3
.....1944...	457	.....number 1945...	1
.....acres 1949...	5,037	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....acres 1944...	3,563	.....number 1945...	13
Irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Other tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
FARM OPERATORS		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	335	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	223
.....operators reporting 1945...	461	.....farms reporting 1945...	158
Owned on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	9	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	357
.....operators reporting 1945...	5	.....farms reporting 1945...	395
Income of family exceeding agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	208	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	352
.....operators reporting 1949...	212	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.19
.....operators reporting 1944...	254	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	216
Owned or more.....operators reporting 1949...	178	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	106
.....operators reporting 1944...	248	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	61
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	236
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	100
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	31
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		.....number 1950...	11
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....number 1950...	10
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		.....number 1950...	11
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		.....number 1950...	23
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....

* 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...	127	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	21
.....1945.....	101	General farms.....number 1950...	21
.....number 1950.....	149	.....1945.....	108
.....1945.....	108	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	133
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	153	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	100
.....1945.....	100	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	182
.....number 1950.....	182	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	107
.....1945.....	107		123
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	139	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	35	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	139
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	6
.....number 1950.....	6	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	8
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	8	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	242
.....number 1950.....	242	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	296
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	296	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	303
.....1945.....	303	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950.....	317
.....number 1950.....	317	Other farms.....number 1950.....	118
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ³.....number 1950.....	38
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	118	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	37
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	38	Abnormal ⁴.....number 1950.....	81
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	37		63
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	81	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	63	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	421,295
		.....1944.....	194,444
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	20,491
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	10,441
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	15,711
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	171	.....1944.....	8,441
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	156	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,941
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	41	.....1944.....	1,441
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,491
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	1,441
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	131	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,941
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	.....1944.....	1,441
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	34,291
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	1	.....1944.....	14,441
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.8	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,491
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	14,441
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	187	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,491
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	66	.....1944.....	14,441
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,491
		.....1944.....	14,441
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	14,491
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	14,441
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	307	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	614	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	291	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Operators.....persons 1950.....	281	.....number 1950.....	24
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	110	.....1945.....	24
.....persons 1950.....	215	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	42	.....number 1950.....	24
.....persons 1950.....	118	.....1945.....	24
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	353	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	183	.....1945.....	24
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	157	.....number 1950.....	24
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	138,802	.....1945.....	24
.....dollars 1949.....	232	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	165,721	.....1945.....	24
.....dollars 1949.....	227	.....number 1950.....	24
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	45,023	.....1945.....	24
.....dollars 1949.....	233	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	45,224	.....number 1950.....	24
.....dollars 1949.....	143	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	32,052	.....number 1950.....	24
.....dollars 1949.....	83	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	8,856	.....number 1950.....	24
.....dollars 1949.....	82	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	9,374	.....number 1950.....	24
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	24
No sales.....number 1950.....	64	.....1944.....	24
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	118	.....pounds 1949.....	24
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	30	.....1944.....	24
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	25	.....dollars 1949.....	24
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	37	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	24
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	20	.....1944.....	24
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	10	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	24
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	19	.....1944.....	24
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	15	.....dollars 1949.....	24
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	8	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	24
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	11	.....dollars 1949.....	24
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
.....number 1950.....	1	.....1945.....	24
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1	.....number 1950.....	24
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1	.....1945.....	24
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	1	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	1	.....number 1950.....	24
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	3	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	36	.....number 1950.....	24
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	21	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
		.....1945.....	24
		.....number 1950.....	24
		.....1945.....	24

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...	21	Corn:	
1945... number 1950...	37 762	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	195
1945... number 1950...	1,346	1944... acres 1949...	257 1,290
1945... number 1950...		1944... acres 1944...	1,720
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	184
number 1950...	627	1944... acres 1949...	254
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	20	1944... acres 1949...	1,151
number 1945 ¹ ...	35	1944... acres 1944...	1,634
number 1950...	505	1944... bushels 1949...	51,191
1945 ¹ ...	972	1944... bushels 1944...	43,125
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	14	Small grains:	
number 1950...	122	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	87
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	1944... acres 1949...	620
number 1950...	135	1944... acres 1944...	491
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1944... bushels 1949...	13,742
1944... number shorn 1949...	29 651	1944... bushels 1944...	9,432
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,459	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	96
1944... pounds 1944...	10,485	1944... acres 1949...	85
Average date of enumeration..... 1950... Apr. 1-Apr.14		1944... acres 1944...	713
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944... bushels 1949...	626
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	263	1944... bushels 1944...	23,257
1945... number 1950...	403 15,741	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	16
1945... number 1950...	19,347	1944... acres 1949...	47
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	114	1944... acres 1944...	51
number 1949...	21,867	1944... acres 1944...	174
dollars 1949...	27,070	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	138	1944... acres 1949...	7
dozens 1949...	78,623	1944... acres 1944...	105
dollars 1949...	40,614	1944... bushels 1949...	105
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950...	7	1944... acres 1949...	1
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944... acres 1944...	9
1944... number 1949...	10 572	1944... bushels 1949...	10
1944... number 1944...	334	1944... bushels 1944...	190
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944... bushels 1944...	120
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	182	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	93,999	1944... acres 1949...	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	156	1944... acres 1944...	
1944... number 1949...	178 822	Annual legumes:	
1944... number 1944...	883	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	96	1944... acres 1949...	39
number 1949...	373	1944... acres 1944...	58
dollars 1949...	53,064	1944... acres 1944...	161
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	129	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	449	1944... acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	13,396	1944... acres 1944...	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	77	1944... bushels 1949...	9
1944... number 1949...	77	1944... bushels 1944...	9
1944... number 1944...	733	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	20
dollars 1949...	768	1944... acres 1949...	26
dollars 1949...	24,822	1944... acres 1944...	26
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944... number 1949...	19	1944... acres 1949...	5
1944... number 1944...	216	1944... acres 1944...	6
dollars 1949...	348	1944... acres 1944...	33
dollars 1949...	2,142	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	196
number 1949...	12	1944... acres 1949...	4,070
dollars 1949...	535	Alfalfa out for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	106
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944... acres 1944...	139
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	181	1944... acres 1949...	1,315
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	50	1944... acres 1944...	944
number 1949...	66	1944... tons 1949...	2,264
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	35	1944... tons 1944...	1,987
1944... number 1949...	54	Olover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	152
1944... number 1944...	38	1944... acres 1949...	130
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	126	1944... acres 1944...	2,385
1944... number 1949...	21	1944... acres 1944...	1,918
1944... number 1944...	26	1944... tons 1949...	3,260
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	172	1944... tons 1944...	2,561
1944... number 1949...	294	Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944... number 1944...	509	1944... acres 1949...	4
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1944... acres 1944...	8
dollars 1949...	3,219	1944... tons 1949...	8
		1944... tons 1944...	
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		1944... acres 1949...	71
		1944... acres 1944...	96
		1944... tons 1949...	
		1944... tons 1944...	

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²acres grown alone except for green manure.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	13	Corn:	
1945... number 1950...	16	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,106
1945... number 1950...	204	1944...	1,584
1945... number 1950...	362	acres 1949...	4,091
		1944...	8,023
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	13	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,086
1950... number 1950...	122	1944...	1,562
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	12	acres 1949...	4,958
number 1945...	14	1944...	7,810
number 1950...	115	bushels 1949...	173,121
1945... number 1950...	321	1944...	129,449
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Small grains:	
number 1950...	7	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	83
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	9	acres 1949...	457
number 1950...	82	1944...	287
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	9	bushels 1949...	7,906
1944... number shorn 1949...	12	1944...	3,304
1944... number shorn 1949...	121	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	608	1944...	19
1944... pounds 1949...	2,042	acres 1949...	73
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr 15-Apr 28	1944...	80
		bushels 1949...	1,386
		1944...	1,460
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats out for seeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	96
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,542	1944...	328
1945... number 1950...	1,960	acres 1949...	364
1945... number 1950...	64,541	1944...	1,279
1945... number 1950...	79,652	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	425	1944...	3
number 1949...	39,626	acres 1949...	36
dollars 1949...	41,020	1944...	72
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	595	bushels 1949...	1,075
dozens 1949...	223,030	1944...	2,236
dollars 1949...	98,604	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	36	1944...	
number 1950...	129	acres 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	35	1944...	
1944... number 1949...	37	bushels 1949...	
1944... number 1949...	2,258	1944...	
1944... number 1949...	3,159	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	
		bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,048	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	221
dollars 1949...	263,871	1944...	436
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	919	acres 1949...	641
1944... number 1949...	890	1944...	1,872
1944... number 1949...	2,819	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944... number 1949...	3,829	1944...	1
1944... number 1949...	394	acres 1949...	4
1944... number 1949...	961	1944...	2
dollars 1949...	120,280	bushels 1949...	44
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	793	1944...	30
number 1949...	1,858	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	205
dollars 1949...	86,557	acres 1949...	588
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	354	tons 1949...	901
1944... number 1949...	270	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944... number 1949...	2,903	acres 1949...	2
1944... number 1949...	2,688	Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	12
dollars 1949...	43,010	acres 1949...	47
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944... number 1949...	11	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	911
1944... number 1949...	136	1944...	7,159
1944... number 1949...	199	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	1,701	Alfalfa out for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	260
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	82	1944...	241
1944... number 1949...	173	acres 1949...	1,071
1944... number 1949...	12,323	1944...	1,058
		tons 1949...	1,741
		1944...	1,602
FARM SLAUGHTER		Clover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	486
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,234	1944...	492
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	43	acres 1949...	3,128
number 1949...	55	1944...	3,290
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	19	tons 1949...	3,694
1944... number 1949...	43	1944...	2,899
1944... number 1949...	23	Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	345
1944... number 1949...	113	1944...	495
1944... number 1949...	26	acres 1949...	1,745
1944... number 1949...	47	1944...	2,699
1944... number 1949...	32	tons 1949...	1,837
1944... number 1949...	63	1944...	1,990
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,221	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	193
1944... number 1949...	1,847	1944...	111
1944... number 1949...	2,387	acres 1949...	734
1944... number 1949...	4,690	1944...	463
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	63	tons 1949...	746
dollars 1949...	3,978	1944...	361

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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	
.....number 1950...	1,579	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	74
.....number 1945...	1,527	.....number 1945...	54
.....acres 1950...	179,840	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
.....percent 1950...	85.8	.....number 1945...	69
.....acres 1950...	137,839	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	54
.....acres 1950...	19,146	.....number 1945...	187
.....acres 1950...	2,669	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	157
.....acres 1950...	154,316	.....number 1945...	238
.....acres 1945...	155,598	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	202
.....acres 1950...	97.7	.....number 1945...	274
.....acres 1945...	101.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	277
.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	4,240	.....number 1945...	271
.....average per farm, dollars 1945...	2,577	.....number 1950...	316
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	41.53	.....number 1945...	229
.....average per acre, dollars 1945...	25.29	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	240
in farms according to use:		.....number 1945...	123
.....farms reporting 1949...	1,433	.....number 1950...	104
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,478	.....number 1945...	69
.....acres 1949...	23,214	.....number 1945...	45
.....acres 1944...	25,539	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	32
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	603	.....number 1945...	36
.....farms reporting 1944...	560	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	64
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	431	.....number 1945...	83
.....farms reporting 1944...	461	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	17
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	196	.....number 1945...	11
.....farms reporting 1944...	211	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	147	.....number 1945...	2
.....farms reporting 1944...	186	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	Farms by color of operator:	
.....farms reporting 1944...	54	White operators.....number 1950...	1,578
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....number 1945...	1,526
.....farms reporting 1944...	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....number 1945...	1
.....farms reporting 1944...	2	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....acres 1949...	7,056	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,297
.....acres 1944...	1,292	.....number 1945...	1,318
.....acres 1949...	220	Part owners.....number 1950...	107
.....acres 1949...	2,658	.....number 1945...	47
.....acres 1944...	2,020	Managers.....number 1950...	1
.....acres 1944...	844	.....number 1945...	1
.....acres 1949...	496	All tenants.....number 1950...	175
.....acres 1949...	24,969	.....number 1945...	161
.....acres 1944...	15,369	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	11.1
.....acres 1944...	965	.....percent 1945...	10.5
.....acres 1949...	1,203	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	49
.....acres 1944...	40,079	.....number 1945...	40
.....acres 1944...	46,588	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	1,353	.....number 1945...	2
.....acres 1944...	1,469	Share tenants.....number 1950...	21
.....acres 1949...	52,223	.....number 1945...	40
.....acres 1944...	61,801	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	21
.....acres 1949...	1,489	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	22
.....acres 1944...	1,340	.....number 1945...	5
.....acres 1949...	4,117	Croppers.....number 1950...	81
.....acres 1944...	2,989	.....number 1945...	74
.....acres 1949...	1,479	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	32
.....acres 1945...	1,400	.....number 1945...	49
.....acres 1945...	83	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1945...	93	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	496
.....acres 1945...	1,024	.....farms reporting 1945...	573
.....acres 1949...	880	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	516
.....acres 1944...	574	.....farms reporting 1945...	209
.....acres 1949...	570	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	516
.....acres 1944...	436	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.26
		.....dollars 1945...	11.5
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	60
		.....farms reporting 1945...	25
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	396
		.....farms reporting 1945...	20
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....farms reporting 1945...	30
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....farms reporting 1945...	5

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...	271	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	206
.....farms reporting 1945.....	130	General farms.....number 1950...	56
.....number 1950.....	285	.....number 1945.....	5
.....number 1945.....	134	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	41
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	.....number 1945.....	10
.....farms reporting 1945.....	35	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,297
.....number 1950.....	105		
.....number 1945.....	35		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	80		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	80		
.....number 1950.....	25		
.....number 1945.....	25		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	.....	
.....number 1950.....	381		
.....number 1945.....	419		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	406		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	444		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	574		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	372		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	537		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	53		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	43		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD²		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	292
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	145	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	.....
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	825	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	6
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	331	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	10
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	315	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	15
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	72
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ³.....number 1950...	189
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	571	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,287
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	185	Part-time ⁴.....number 1950...	322
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	585	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	963
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Abnormal ⁵.....number 1950...	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.1		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	745	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	661,741
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	155	.....dollars 1944...	475,345
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	681	All crops sold.....dollar ⁶ 1949...	31,661
		.....dollar ⁶ 1944...	16,637
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	23,856
		.....dollars 1944...	9,596
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,220
		.....dollars 1944...	487
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	4,555
		.....dollars 1944...	2,961
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	30
		.....dollars 1944...	595
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	598,860
		.....dollars 1944...	445,827
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	37,846
		.....dollars 1944...	40,316
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	80,726
		.....dollars 1944...	85,632
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	478,288
		.....dollars 1944...	319,507
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	31,220
		.....dollars 1944...	12,881
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	992
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	935
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	916
		.....number 1950.....	1,679
		.....number 1945.....	1,626
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	90
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	85
		.....number 1950.....	171
		.....number 1945.....	176
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,307
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,339
		.....number 1950...	9,965
		.....number 1945...	9,784
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,269
		.....farms reporting 1945...	1,270
		.....number 1950...	4,709
		.....number 1945...	4,466
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,143
		.....number 1950...	3,115
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	701
		.....number 1950...	2,330
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	322
		.....number 1950...	1,383
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	572
		.....number 1950...	1,543
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	39
		.....farms reporting 1944...	44
		.....pounds 1949...	319,424
		.....pounds 1944...	423,490
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13,359
		.....farms reporting 1944...	285
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	161
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	47,344
		.....dollars 1949...	34,433
		.....dollars 1949...	24,506
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	49
		.....dollars 1949...	1,981
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,005
		.....farms reporting 1945...	827
		.....number 1950...	3,100
		.....number 1945...	1,763
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	865
		.....farms reporting 1950...	2,124
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	260
		.....farms reporting 1950...	976
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	221
	farms reporting 1945...	237
	number 1950...	314
	number 1945...	299

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	638	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	7
acres 1949...	7,113	acres 1949...	2
1944...	8,412	quarts 1949...	1,200
tons 1949...	8,295		
1944...	6,494	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	14
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	40	quarts 1949...	3,825
tons..green weight 1949...	160		
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,099
1944.....		1945...	1,166
acres 1949...		1950 ² ...	721
1944.....		1945...	1,332
bushels 1949...		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,047
1944.....		1945...	1,345
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,221	trees of all ages..number 1950...	21,433
1944.....	1,355	1945...	37,283
acres 1949 ¹ ...	233	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,524
1944.....	467	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	19,131
bushels 1949...	29,027	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	18,519
1944.....	33,099	1944...	20,310
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	428	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	761
1944.....	90	1945...	1,168
acres 1949 ¹ ...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	17,335
1944.....	11	1945...	21,389
bushels 1949...	1,539	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,487
1944.....	1,290	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,888
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	11,898
1944.....	7		
acres 1949...	(*)	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	412
1944.....	1	1945...	758
pounds 1949...	315	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,273
1944.....	270	1945...	1,379
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	16	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	22
acres 1949...	7	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	877
gallons 1949...	524	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,371
1944.....		1944...	2,783
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,433	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	482
1944.....	1,415	1945...	681
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	16	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,863
1944.....	12	1945...	3,323
acres 1949...	42	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	778
1944.....	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,112
sold..dollars 1949...	3,220	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,364
1944.....	485	1944...	21,424
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	13		
1944.....	1	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	356
acres 1949...	24	1945...	579
1944.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,700
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	379
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,372
acres 1949...	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	217
1944.....	(*)	1944...	862
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	361
1944.....	1	1945...	888
acres 1949...	2	vines of all ages..number 1950...	4,214
1944.....	(*)	1945...	4,450
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	10	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	330
1944.....	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,772
acres 1949...	15	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	19,700
1944.....	(*)	1944...	21,027
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Less than 1 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...	1,281	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	129
.....1945...	1,263	.....1945...	159
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	218,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	37.5	.....1945...	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	74,442	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	122
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,808	.....1945...	156
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	100	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	282
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,222	.....1945...	262
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	82,128	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	239
.....1945...	80,654	.....1945...	239
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	64.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	222
.....1945...	63.9	.....1945...	197
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	3,342	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	162
.....1945...	1,864	.....1945...	160
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	53.88	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	136
.....1945...	29.19	.....1945...	137
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	51
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,177	.....1945...	43
.....1944...	1,152	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	21
.....acres 1949...	11,019	.....1945...	24
.....1944...	12,029	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	11
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	783	.....1945...	11
.....1944...	711	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	21
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	262	.....1945...	26
.....1944...	275	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	7
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	92	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	78	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	55	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	19	White operators.....number 1950...	1,281
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	1,263
.....1944...	.....	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	.....	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	262	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,104
.....1944...	243	.....1945...	1,079
.....acres 1949...	4,559	Part owners.....number 1950...	32
.....1944...	3,073	.....1945...	7
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	265	Managers.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	4,383	.....1945...	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2,424	All tenants.....number 1950...	144
.....1944...	546	.....1945...	176
.....acres 1949...	15,373	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	11.2
.....1944...	4,322	.....1945...	13.9
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	654	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	51
.....1944...	978	.....1945...	129
.....acres 1949...	22,799	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	32,340	.....1945...	1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	581	Share tenants.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	771	.....1945...	8
.....acres 1949...	18,740	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	22,655	.....1945...	1
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,094	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	1,218	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	5,259	Croppers.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	3,811	.....1945...	1
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	83
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	37
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1950...	11
.....1944...	.....	.....1950...	72
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		.....1945...	53
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	850
		.....1945...	288
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	845
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.39
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	40
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	45
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	595
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
		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*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	195	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	5
.....farms reporting 1945.....	140	General farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	205	.....number 1945.....	1
.....number 1945.....	143	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	11	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	3
.....number 1950.....	35	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,132
.....number 1945.....	11		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	10	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	100
.....number 1950.....	10	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....farms reporting 1945.....	25	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	25	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	31
.....farms reporting 1945.....	320	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	43
.....number 1950.....	309	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,132
.....number 1945.....	330	Part-time.....number 1950.....	134
Farms by class of work power:	310	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	3,527
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	468	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	482	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	299	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	321,144
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	9	.....dollars 1944.....	234,993
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	23	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	12,580
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....dollars 1944.....	24,177
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,942
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	200	.....dollars 1944.....	2,805
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	690	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	250	.....dollars 1944.....	1,298
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	210	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,022
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5	.....dollars 1944.....	3,444
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,279
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	210	.....dollars 1944.....	5,611
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	105	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	271,543
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	475	.....dollars 1944.....	212,376
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	18,450
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.6	.....dollars 1944.....	12,129
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	69,128
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	500	.....dollars 1944.....	53,127
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	135	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	183,770
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	710	.....dollars 1944.....	147,144
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	37,064
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	8,420
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	930	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	1,375	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	80
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	920	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	79
Operators.....persons 1950.....	795	.....farms reporting 1945.....	599
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	380	.....number 1950.....	1,047
.....persons 1950.....	530	.....farms reporting 1945.....	976
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	99
.....persons 1950.....	50	.....farms reporting 1945.....	73
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....number 1950.....	142
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,090	.....farms reporting 1945.....	117
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	350	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	70	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	991
dollars 1949.....	2,805	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,011
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	325	.....number 1950.....	4,298
dollars 1949.....	24,545	.....number 1945.....	4,208
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	905	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	994
dollars 1949.....	127,500	.....farms reporting 1945 ³	941
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	360	.....number 1950.....	2,671
dollars 1949.....	75,465	.....number 1945 ³	2,337
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	780	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	545
dollars 1949.....	14,320	.....number 1950.....	1,500
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	95	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	113
dollars 1949.....	20,945	.....number 1950.....	127
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	131
dollars 1949.....	25	.....number 1950.....	102
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	55	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	311
dollars 1949.....	800	.....number 1950.....	600
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	7
No sales.....number 1950.....	495	.....farms reporting 1944.....	7
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	572	pounds 1949.....	327,276
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	68	.....pounds 1944.....	252,377
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	68	dollars 1949.....	13,611
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	53	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	28
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	34	.....farms reporting 1944.....	28
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	25	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	4,299
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	19	.....pounds 1944.....	1,243
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	5	dollars 1949.....	2,939
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	5	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	33
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	5	.....farms reporting 1944.....	1,263
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	193
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945.....	118
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,381
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	1,645
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	337
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,278
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	214
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	32	.....farms reporting 1950.....	796
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	41
	farms reporting 1945.....	113
	number 1950.....	142
	number 1945.....	224

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	53	Corn:	
1945... number 1,566	55	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	817
1945... number 1,069	1,566	1944... 781	
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	49	acres 1949... 2,236	
1945... number 904	904	1944... 3,178	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	48	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	802
1945 ¹ ... number 49	49	1944... 777	
1945 ¹ ... number 813	813	acres 1949... 2,233	
1945 ¹ ... number 931	931	1944... 3,144	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	18	bushels 1949... 102,493	
1945... number 91	91	1944... 63,866	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	42	Small grains:	
1945... number 662	662	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	40	acres 1949... 46	
1944... number shorn 47	47	1944... 48	
1949... number shorn 791	791	bushels 1949... 620	
1949... pounds 3,089	3,089	1944... 468	
1944... pounds 3,274	3,274	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Average date of enumeration..... 1950... Apr. 15-Apr. 28		1944... 4	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949... 30	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,028	1944... 10	
1945... number 929	929	bushels 1949... 655	
1945... number 43,335	43,335	1944... 140	
1945... number 33,264	33,264	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	211
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	181	1944... 273	
1949... number 17,181	17,181	1944... 265	
1949... dollars 15,988	15,988	acres 1949... 875	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	237	1944... 875	
1949... dozens 121,859	121,859	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1949... dollars 52,882	52,882	1944... ..	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	18	acres 1949... 3	
1945... number 62	62	1944... ..	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	17	bushels 1949... 60	
1944... number 10	10	1944... ..	
1944... number 94	94	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944... number 148	148	1944... 1	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949... 2	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	524	1944... 1	
dollars 1949... 175,834	175,834	bushels 1949... 40	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	459	1944... 15	
1944... number 516	516	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944... number 1,485	1,485	acres 1949... 2	
1944... number 2,177	2,177	1944... 16	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	195	Annual legumes:	
1949... number 723	723	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	158
dollars 1949... 109,494	109,494	1944 ² ... 282	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	380	acres 1949... 298	
1949... number 762	762	1944 ² ... 706	
dollars 1949... 41,159	41,159	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	152	1944... ..	
1944... number 144	144	acres 1949... 11	
1949... number 877	877	1944... ..	
1944... number 705	705	bushels 1949... 140	
dollars 1949... 12,275	12,275	1944... ..	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	138
1944... number 38	38	1949... 259	
1949... number 541	541	acres 1949... 402	
1944... number 698	698	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	13
dollars 1949... 5,521	5,521	1944... 25	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	44	acres 1949... 2	
1949... number 60	60	1944... 3	
dollars 1949... 4,385	4,385	Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949...	2
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1949... 3	
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	848	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	22	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	677
1949... number 23	23	1944... 6,083	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	12	acres 1949... ..	
1944... number 55	55	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	17
1949... number 12	12	1944... 17	
1944... number 78	78	acres 1949... 126	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944... 113	
1944... number 31	31	1949... 147	
1949... number 11	11	1944... 73	
1944... number 39	39	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	63
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	846	1944... 357	
1944... number 983	983	acres 1949... 2,175	
1949... number 1,464	1,464	1944... 2,879	
1944... number 2,053	2,053	1949... 2,376	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1944... 2,677	
dollars 1949... 1,673	1,673	1949... 108	
		1944... 72	
		acres 1949... 611	
		1944... 377	
		1949... 617	
		1944... 287	
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	39
		1944... 10	
		acres 1949... 147	
		1944... 26	
		1949... 191	
		1944... 21	

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,205	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	47
1945...	1,359	1945...	52
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	204,160	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	78.9	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	42
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	140,390	1945...	52
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	14,911	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	111
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	6,985	1945...	143
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,170	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	161
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	161,116	1945...	169
1945...	173,456	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	174
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	133.7	1945...	201
1945...	127.6	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	183
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	4,449	1945...	227
1945...	3,118	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	185
average per acre, dollars 1950*	33.31	1945...	202
1945...	24.43	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	105
		1945...	109
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	70
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,111	1945...	78
1944...	1,292	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	36
acres 1949...	18,289	1945...	44
1944...	21,162	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	97
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	537	1945...	98
1944...	617	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	26
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	285	1945...	29
1944...	333	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	10
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	135	1945...	7
1944...	174		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	93	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	99	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	51	White operators.....number 1950...	1,205
1944...	27	1945...	1,359
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944...	9	1945...	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944...	3	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,030
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	408	1945...	1,105
1944...	38	Part owners.....number 1950...	71
acres 1949...	17,413	1945...	3
1944...	783	Managers.....number 1950...	8
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	130	1945...	97
1944...	2,440	All tenants.....number 1950...	185
acres 1949...	1,119	1945...	8.0
1944...	634	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.6
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	645	1945...	29
1944...	30,551	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	86
acres 1949...	25,902	1945...	3
1944...	613	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	869	1945...	3
1944...	25,771	Share tenants.....number 1950...	20
acres 1949...	33,487	1945...	3
1944...	876	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,305	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	7
1944...	62,140	1945...	1.1
acres 1949...	87,369	Croppers.....number 1950...	55
1944...	1,110	1945...	66
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,236	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	25
1944...	4,512	1945...	30
acres 1949...	3,634	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
1944...			
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	384
acres 1949...		1945...	369
1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	811
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		1945...	411
acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	806
1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.59
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	213
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	65
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	57
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	684
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	16
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		Rick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		number 1950...	1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,130		
1945...	1,182		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	64		
1945...	172		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	763		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	657		
1944...	565		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	480		
1944...	469		

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	260	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	201
.....1945.....	144	General farms.....number 1950...	34
.....number 1950.....	281	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	149	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	13
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	110	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	48	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	881
.....number 1950.....	112		
.....1945.....	48	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	75	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	339
.....number 1950.....	77	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	5
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	9
.....number 1950.....	35	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	27
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	54
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	111
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	515	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	133
.....1945.....	555	Other farms.....number 1950.....	866
.....number 1950.....	598	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	298
.....1945.....	598	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	568
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	386	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	248	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	827,650
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	457	.....1944.....	640,682
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	57	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	20,611
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	57	.....1944.....	22,037
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	18,085
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	14,672
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	753
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	321	.....1944.....	1,762
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	473	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,821
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	349	.....1944.....	5,500
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	131
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	327	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	736,112
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	160	.....1944.....	524,524
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	520	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	115,538
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	110,423
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.1	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	68,896
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	32,557
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	327	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	551,728
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	137	.....1944.....	361,912
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	700	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	70,907
FARM LABOR^a		.....1944.....	93,741
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	999	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	771
.....persons 1950.....	1,615	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	771
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	998	.....1945.....	724
Operators.....persons 1950.....	877	.....number 1950.....	1,484
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	427	.....1945.....	1,556
.....persons 1950.....	534	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	29
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	138	.....1945.....	34
.....persons 1950.....	204	.....number 1950.....	58
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....1945.....	64
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,065	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	650	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	951
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	309	.....1945.....	1,075
dollars 1949.....	9,495	.....number 1950.....	10,772
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	569	.....1945.....	11,406
dollars 1949.....	116,034	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	934
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	939	.....1945.....	1,021
dollars 1949.....	187,580	.....number 1950.....	4,622
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	502	.....1945.....	5,646
dollars 1949.....	205,145	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	871
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	665	.....number 1950.....	2,563
dollars 1949.....	17,195	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	543
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	251	.....number 1950.....	2,527
dollars 1949.....	24,548	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	351
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	45	.....number 1950.....	2,321
dollars 1949.....	4,210	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	457
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	232	.....number 1950.....	1,327
dollars 1949.....	14,695	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	179
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	177
No sales.....number 1950.....	204	.....pounds 1949.....	2,107,689
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	364	.....1944.....	2,554,458
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	175	.....dollars 1949.....	79,990
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	131	.....1944.....	281
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	104	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	256
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	82	.....1944.....	62,898
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	50	.....1944.....	58,165
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	38	.....dollars 1949.....	33,028
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	31	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	51
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	12	.....dollars 1949.....	2,430
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	14	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	649
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	681
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,739
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,411
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	561
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,242
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	130
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	81	.....number 1950.....	548
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	14	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	115
		.....1945.....	96
		.....number 1950.....	161
		.....1945.....	135

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...	285	Corn:	
1945...	321	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	732
number 1950...	10,203	1944...	893
1945...	7,210	acres 1949...	1,976
1944...		1944...	2,851
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	727
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	276	1944...	888
number 1950...	5,932	acres 1949...	1,924
1944...		1944...	2,810
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	272	bushels 1949...	98,603
number 1945 ¹ ...	312	1944...	89,388
number 1950...	5,651		
1945 ¹ ...	6,665	Small grains:	
number 1950...	184	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944...	281	acres 1949...	33
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	247	1944...	23
number 1950...	4,271	bushels 1949...	573
1944...		1944...	313
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	273	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	305	1944...	
number shorn 1949...	5,813	acres 1949...	12
1944...	26,964	1944...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	29,329	bushels 1949...	250
1944...		1944...	
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	54
		1944...	54
		acres 1949...	157
		1944...	138
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	
		bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	
		bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	32
		1944 ² ...	50
		acres 1949...	61
		1944 ² ...	120
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944...	1
		acres 1949...	1
		1944...	1
		bushels 1949...	10
		1944...	1
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28
		acres 1949...	47
		tons 1949...	88
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres 1949...	13
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	990
		acres 1949...	15,261
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	53
		1944...	24
		acres 1949...	192
		1944...	38
		tons 1949...	273
		1944...	84
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	818
		1944...	424
		acres 1949...	11,152
		1944...	4,938
		tons 1949...	11,900
		1944...	5,408
		Leopedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	48
		1944...	29
		acres 1949...	315
		1944...	112
		tons 1949...	347
		1944...	159
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
		small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	52
		1944...	30
		acres 1949...	236
		1944...	83
		tons 1949...	248
		1944...	81

POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE

FARM SLAUGHTER

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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--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	225	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	3,420	acres 1949...	2
1944...	10,952	quarts 1949...	1,810
tons 1949...	3,454		
1944...	11,154	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres 1949...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		quarts 1949...	925
acres 1949...			
tons..green weight 1949...		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	729
Field crops (other):		1945...	670
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1950 ² ..	502
1944...	1	1945...	824
acres 1949...	5		
1944...	10	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	619
bushels 1949...	3	1945...	202
1944...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,308
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	919	1945...	18,974
1944...	923	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,804
acres 1949 ¹ ..	206	1950...	9,581
1944...	346	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,111
bushels 1949...	21,821	1949...	12,373
1944...	23,764	quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	185		
1944...	67	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	386
acres 1949 ¹ ..		1945...	604
1944...	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	5,432
bushels 1949...	537	1945...	10,515
1944...	384	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,399
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1950...	4,439
1944...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	365
acres 1949...		1949...	7,503
1944...	125	quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	
pounds 1949...			
1944...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	264
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	332
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	219
gallons 1949...	73	1945...	1,052
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	132
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,082	1950...	687
1944...	1,214	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	206
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	25	1949...	1,909
1944...	46		
acres 1949...	14	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	243
1944...	23	1945...	311
sold..dollars 1949...	705	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,333
1944...	1,762	1945...	1,826
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	16	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	311
1944...	20	1950...	982
acres 1949...	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	433
1944...	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	12,771
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2		
1944...	8	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	148
acres 1949...	(*)	1945...	189
1944...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	123
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1950...	121
1944...	10	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	62
acres 1949...	3	1950...	29
1944...	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	291
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9		
1944...	22	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	417
acres 1949...	1	1945...	643
1944...	3	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,559
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...		1945...	1,723
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	179
		1950...	1,380
		vines of bearing age..number 1949...	14,740
		1944...	49,186
		quantity harvested..pounds 1944...	

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Farms.....number: 1950...	1,748	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	462
1945...	2,429	Under 3 acres.....number 1945...	894
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	421,760	1950...	30
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	17.1	1945...	169
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	64,444	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	432
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,091	1945...	745
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	513
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	46	1945...	621
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	72,109	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	251
1945...	84,932	1945...	326
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	41.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	211
1945...	35.0	1945...	225
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	4,514	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	149
1945...	4,543	1945...	177
average per acre, dollars 1950*	109.22	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	87
1945...	72.72	1945...	105
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	32
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,556	1945...	34
1944...	2,285	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	20
acres 1949...	13,742	1945...	21
1944...	18,551	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	8
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,078	1945...	7
1944...	1,645	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	11
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	399	1945...	14
1944...	115	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	4
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	148	1945...	5
1944...	50	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	86	1945...	.....
1944...	12	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Farms by color of operator:	
1944...	3	White operators.....number 1950...	1,721
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	2,349
1944...	.....	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	27
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	80
1944...	.....	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,005	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,518
1944 ¹	753	1945...	1,948
acres 1949.....	14,746	Part owners.....number 1950...	89
1944 ¹	8,921	1945...	102
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	565	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	6,775	1945...	3
acres 1949.....	4,025	All tenants.....number 1950...	141
1944.....	463	1945...	376
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	755	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	8.1
1944.....	755	1945...	15.5
acres 1949.....	9,108	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	73
1944.....	13,732	1945...	273
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	764	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	971	1945...	1
acres 1949.....	18,777	Share tenants.....number 1950...	5
1944.....	22,565	1945...	14
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	347	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	4
1944.....	777	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	4,786	1945...	6
1944 ¹	13,250	Croppers.....number 1950...	7
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,476	1945...	56
1944.....	1,694	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	81
acres 1949.....	4,175	1945...	13
1944.....	3,888	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	43
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	.....	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	335
acres 1949.....	.....	1945...	308
1944.....	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,705
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	1,672
acres 1949.....	.....	1941.....	1,705
From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.75
1944.....	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	260
Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	130
Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	150
Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,495
Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	230
Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	25
Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	5
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	5
Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	.....
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	.....
Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	15
Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
number 1950...	.....	number 1950...	.....
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,652		
1945...	2,392		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	29		
1945...	27		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,212		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,130		
1944.....	1,568		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	953		
1944.....	1,447		

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...	515	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	61
.....farms reporting 1945.....	379	General farms.....number 1950.....	12
.....number 1950.....	575	.....number 1945.....	411
.....number 1945.....	411	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	250	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	82	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	15
.....number 1950.....	265	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,622
.....number 1945.....	85		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	185	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	190	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	145
.....number 1945.....	65	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	5
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	65	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	12
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	10	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	53
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	645	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	67
.....farms reporting 1945.....	879	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,321
.....number 1950.....	685	Part-time.....number 1950.....	257
.....number 1945.....	930	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1,348
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	711	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	480	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	494,325
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	317	.....dollars 1944.....	469,246
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	101	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	44,800
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	139	.....dollars 1944.....	77,302
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	28,457
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	26,423
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	205	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,177
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	750	.....dollars 1944.....	18,723
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	440	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,823
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	385	.....dollars 1944.....	28,872
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	650
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	3,477
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	555	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	424,694
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	260	.....dollars 1944.....	378,727
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	435	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	112,131
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	45	.....dollars 1944.....	120,784
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	134,897
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944.....	101,477
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	620	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	176,862
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	245	.....dollars 1944.....	154,596
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	915	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	16,032
FARM LABOR⁴		.....dollars 1944.....	10,417
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,345	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	45
.....persons 1950.....	2,090	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	863
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,330	.....number 1945.....	1,006
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,155	.....number 1950.....	1,307
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	585	.....number 1945.....	1,823
.....persons 1950.....	795	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	51
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	95	.....number 1945.....	152
.....persons 1950.....	140	.....number 1950.....	114
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵		.....number 1945.....	179
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,500	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	660	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,191
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	385	.....number 1945.....	1,752
.....dollars 1949.....	19,250	.....number 1950.....	4,230
Hired labor.....dollars 1949.....	405	.....number 1945.....	6,672
.....dollars 1949.....	67,320	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,113
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,330	.....number 1945.....	1,732
.....dollars 1949.....	341,970	.....number 1950.....	2,419
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	765	.....number 1945.....	1,942
.....dollars 1949.....	77,535	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,067
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,015	.....number 1945.....	2,079
.....dollars 1949.....	46,645	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	436
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	310	.....number 1945.....	1,547
.....dollars 1949.....	19,935	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	184
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	90	.....number 1945.....	492
.....dollars 1949.....	4,425	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	321
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	135	.....number 1945.....	545
.....dollars 1949.....	7,180	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	116
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1944.....	1,844,342
No sales.....number 1950...	541	.....dollars 1949.....	1,490,036
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	805	.....pounds 1944.....	97,253
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	167	.....dollars 1949.....	83
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	81	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	11
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	67	.....pounds 1944.....	10,071
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	19	.....dollars 1949.....	4,263
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	43	.....dollars 1944.....	5,392
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	5	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	168
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	10	.....dollars 1949.....	9,856
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	10	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	10	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	768
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1945.....	1,175
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,987
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	3,997
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	594
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	1,315
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	242
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1945.....	672
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	34	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	73
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	14	.....number 1945.....	231
		.....number 1950.....	127
		.....number 1945.....	140

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.....	85	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,067
number 1950...	965	1944.....	1,442
1945.....	1,651	acres 1949...	3,128
1944.....		1944.....	4,841
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,030
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	59	1944.....	1,382
number 1950...	536	acres 1949...	2,994
1944.....		1944.....	4,690
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	38	bushels 1949...	123,022
number 1945 ¹ ...	76	1944.....	121,725
number 1950...	452		
1945 ¹ ...	1,059	Small grains:	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	48
number 1950...	44	acres 1949...	193
1944.....		1944.....	290
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	37	bushels 1949...	3,537
number 1950...	429	1944.....	4,881
1944.....			
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	34	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	87
number shorn 1949...	82	1944.....	84
1944.....	529	acres 1949...	307
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	4,884	1944.....	364
1944.....	5,238	bushels 1949...	7,965
1944.....		1944.....	8,373
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	307
		1944.....	480
		acres 1949...	868
		1944.....	1,457
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,459	1944.....	2
1945.....	2,034	acres 1949...	1
number 1950...	59,234	1944.....	7
1945.....	69,783	bushels 1949...	14
1944.....		1944.....	131
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	419	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949...	50,574	1944.....	9
dollars 1949...	48,173	acres 1949...	180
1944.....		1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	565	bushels 1949...	45
dozens 1949...	170,490	acres 1949...	119
dollars 1949...	83,490	1944.....	2,423
1944.....		bushels 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	40	Annual legumes:	
number 1950...	150	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	106
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	61	1944 ² ...	250
1944.....	20	acres 1949...	247
number 1949...	756	1944 ² ...	7.8
1944.....	669	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	1
		acres 1949...	2
		1944.....	2
		bushels 1949...	11
		1944.....	40
		Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	98
		acres 1949...	230
		1944.....	410
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres 1949...	5
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure, farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres 1949...	10
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,031
		acres 1949...	7,016
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	31
		1944.....	20
		acres 1949...	138
		1944.....	51
		tons 1949...	222
		1944.....	101
		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9.3
		1944.....	1,028
		acres 1949...	6,202
		1944.....	6,356
		tons 1949...	7,311
		1944.....	5,784
		Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		1944.....	6
		acres 1949...	29
		1944.....	28
		tons 1949...	39
		1944.....	14
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
		small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	42
		1944.....	25
		acres 1949...	124
		1944.....	94
		tons 1949...	135
		1944.....	78

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	127	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	17
acres 1949...	600	acres 1949...	7
1944.....	537	quarts 1949...	4,503
tons 1949...	697	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	448	acres 1949...	6
tons green weight 1949...		quarts 1949...	1,470
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,201
tons green weight 1949...		1949...	1,527
Field crops (other):		acres 1950 ² ...	1,150
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945...	1,051
1944.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,077
acres 1949...	12	1949...	1,174
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,818
bushels 1949...	6	1949...	2,359
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,100
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,256	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11,718
1944.....	1,723	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	8,091
acres 1949 ¹ ...	441	1944...	81,510
1944.....	618	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	48
bushels 1949...	37,284	1949...	1,501
1944.....	48,637	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,307
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	159	1949...	8,309
1944.....	358	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,202
acres 1949 ¹ ...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,075
1944.....	73	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	115
bushels 1949...	905	1944...	2,857
1944.....	2,743	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	41
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1949...	490
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,153
acres 1949...	(*)	1949...	1,791
1944.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	451
pounds 1949...	50	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	950
1944.....	125	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	115
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944...	2,189
acres 1949...	5	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	107
gallons 1949...	408	1949...	1,461
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,513	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,430
1944.....	2,306	1949...	10,000
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	68	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,007
1944.....	235	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,127
acres 1949...	98	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	6,160
1944.....	115	1944...	11,006
sold..dollars 1949...	10,170	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	27
1944.....	18,728	1949...	29
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	60	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,011
1944.....	77	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	408
acres 1949...	22	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,424
1944.....	20	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	20
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1944...	1,014
1944.....	67	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	11
acres 1949...	6	1949...	1,001
1944.....	9	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,001
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	58	1949...	1,001
1944.....	80	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	75
acres 1949...	29	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,745
1944.....	22	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,105
1944.....	43	1944...	10,101
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	127		
1944.....	34		
acres 1949...	18		
1944.....	6		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	6		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage for farms with less than 1/2 acre.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
³less than 1 acre.

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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... 1,246 1945... 1,343	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 55 1945... 37
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 216,960	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 6 1945... 1
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 76.2	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 49 1945... 36
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 148,997	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 100 1945... 112
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 17,328	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 136 1945... 132
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 1,199	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 144 1945... 181
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 2,106	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 205 1945... 238
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 165,418	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 202 1945... 203
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 180,212 1945... 132.8 1945... 134.2	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 133 1945... 142
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 5,025 1945... 3,180	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 89 1945... 85
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 39.16 1945... 23.70	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 52 1945... 67
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 97 1945... 110
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,153 1944... 1,299	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 26 1945... 31
acres	1949... 21,099 1944... 25,497	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 7 1945... 5
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 420 1944... 436	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 338 1944... 383	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 193 1944... 209	White operators.....number	1950... 1,245 1945... 1,343
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 147 1944... 187	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 43 1944... 68	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 11 1944... 15	Full owners.....number	1950... 1,060 1945... 1,143
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 1	Part owners.....number	1950... 74 1945... 75
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 448 1944... 12	Managers.....number	1950... 2 1945... 1
acres	1949... 19,687 1944... 193	All tenants.....number	1950... 110 1945... 124
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting	1949... 183 1944... 4,127	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 8.8 1945... 9.2
acres	1949... 260 1944... 18,938	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 28 1945... 40
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 566 1944... 405	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 3 1945... ..
acres	1949... 18,938 1944... 16,556	Share tenants.....number	1950... 10 1945... 32
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 849 1944... 1,111	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 6 1945... 4
acres	1949... 40,478 1944... 50,483	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 4 1945... 15
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 861 1944... 1,309	Croppers.....number	1950... 4 1945... 54
acres	1949... 55,029 1944... 83,851	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 48 1945... 32
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 1,194 1944... 1,164	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 22 1945... ..
acres	1949... 6,060 1944... 3,372	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 399 1945... 426
acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 646 1945... 247
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
acres	1949... .. 1944... ..	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 2.94 1945... 156
FARM OPERATORS		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 46 1945... 71
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 1,145 1945... 1,142	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 491 1945... 20
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 84 1945... 193	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 6
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold....operators reporting	1949... 600	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 635 1944... 521	Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 440 1944... 386	Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 10
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 3 1945... 3
		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^a—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	255	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	157
.....1945.....	151	General farms.....number 1950...	23
.....number 1950.....	277	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	159	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	14
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	68	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	24	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	238
.....number 1950.....	79		
.....1945.....	63	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	406
.....number 1950.....	64	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	15	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	10
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	15
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	118
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	380	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	240
.....1945.....	394	Other farms.....number 1950.....	235
.....number 1950.....	395	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	249
.....1945.....	420	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	589
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	355		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	262	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	563	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	879,241
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	37	.....1944.....	836,821
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	29	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	11,620
		.....1944.....	27,129
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	27,269
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	17,268
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	151	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,639
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	462	.....1944.....	1,971
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	306	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,912
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	353	.....1944.....	1,264
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	946
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	414	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	784,159
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....1944.....	581,421
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	511	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	64,822
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	100	.....1944.....	41,325
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.5	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	20,870
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	21,129
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	471	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	67,267
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	50	.....1944.....	426,427
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	731	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	49,000
		.....1944.....	28,111
FARM LABOR^a			
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,017	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	57
.....persons 1950.....	1,664	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	23
.....1945.....	997	.....1945.....	27
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	957	.....number 1950.....	1,759
Operators.....persons 1950.....	370	.....1945.....	1,839
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	530	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	27
.....persons 1950.....	125	.....1945.....	2
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	177	.....number 1950.....	21
.....persons 1950.....	177	.....1945.....	79
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,132	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	707	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,071
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	346	.....1945.....	1,186
.....dollars 1949.....	9,707	.....number 1950...	11,776
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	637	.....1945.....	11,867
.....dollars 1949.....	97,144	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,021
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	936	.....1945 ³	1,140
.....dollars 1949.....	137,643	.....number 1950...	1,600
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	541	.....1945 ³	6,028
.....dollars 1949.....	151,385	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	99
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	745	.....number 1950...	2,234
.....dollars 1949.....	21,040	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	140
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	245	.....number 1950...	2,222
.....dollars 1949.....	21,230	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	57
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	28	.....number 1950...	1,822
.....dollars 1949.....	2,350	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	276
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	194	.....number 1950...	1,891
.....dollars 1949.....	8,972	.....1949.....	69
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
No sales.....number 1950...	182	.....1944.....	28
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	407	.....pounds 1949...	84,248
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	179	.....1944.....	84,821
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	139	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	114	.....dollars 1949...	26,000
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	105	.....1944.....	23
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	70	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	286
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	30	.....1944.....	48,137
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	14	.....1944.....	61,824
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	1	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	24,949
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	5	.....dollars 1949...	.....
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	.....	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	788
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	727
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	2,343
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945.....	1,797
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	693
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	24	.....number 1950...	1,624
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	4	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	185
		.....number 1950...	919
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	140
		.....1945.....	164
		.....number 1950...	198
		.....1945.....	210

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...	257	Corn:	
1945...	299	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	886
number 1950...	10,343	1944...	990
1945...	6,789	acres 1949...	3,352
1944...		1944...	4,513
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	251	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	883
number 1950...	5,503	1944...	988
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	248	acres 1949...	3,305
number 1945 ¹ ...	287	1944...	4,463
number 1950...	5,200	bushels 1949...	169,840
1945 ¹ ...	6,217	1944...	141,843
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	175	Small grains:	
number 1950...	303	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	240	acres 1949...	22
number 1950...	4,842	1944...	122
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	234	bushels 1949...	330
1944...	288	1944...	1,455
number shorn 1949...	5,367	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	23,428	1944...	10
1944...	27,675	acres 1949...	14
1944...		1944...	23
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	bushels 1949...	375
		1944...	327
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	56
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,079	1944...	78
1945...	1,094	acres 1949...	188
number 1950...	37,323	1944...	283
1945...	41,687	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	307	1944...	1
number 1949...	11,632	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	11,684	1944...	1
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	565	bushels 1949...	
dozens 1949...	129,785	1944...	25
dollars 1949...	49,261	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	34	1944...	
number 1950...	161	acres 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1944...	
1944...	24	bushels 1949...	
number 1949...	4,184	1944...	
1944...	784	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	929	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	18
dollars 1949...	617,847	1944 ² ...	47
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	875	acres 1949...	34
1944...	946	1944 ² ...	122
number 1949...	5,046	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	6,123	1944...	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	410	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	2,089	1944...	
dollars 1949...	306,199	bushels 1949...	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	779	1944...	
number 1949...	2,957	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	16
dollars 1949...	199,175	acres 1949...	33
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	272	tons 1949...	61
1944...	290	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	2,207	acres 1949...	
1944...	1,855	1944...	
dollars 1949...	33,534	Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949...	1
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	217	acres 1949...	1
1944...	253	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
number 1949...	5,006	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,022
1944...	5,263	acres 1949...	16,936
dollars 1949...	74,842	Alfalfa out for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	56
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	52	1944...	38
number 1949...	62	acres 1949...	260
dollars 1949...	4,097	1944...	129
		tons 1949...	557
		1944...	242
FARM SLAUGHTER		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	233
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,005	1944...	220
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	55	acres 1949...	4,407
number 1949...	60	1944...	2,822
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	36	tons 1949...	5,746
1944...	96	1944...	3,219
number 1949...	38	Leapedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	129
1944...	106	1944...	76
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	20	acres 1949...	842
1944...	3	1944...	403
number 1949...	22	tons 1949...	986
1944...	3	1944...	469
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,001	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	71
1944...	1,105	1944...	43
number 1949...	2,061	acres 1949...	248
1944...	2,724	1944...	152
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	60	tons 1949...	284
dollars 1949...	3,703	1944...	144

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

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	872	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	54
.....1945...	1,010	.....1945...	140
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	305,280	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	26
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	68.8	.....1945...	91
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	201,129	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	28
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	14,709	.....1945...	49
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	68
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,937	.....1945...	78
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	209,901	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	72
.....1945...	208,289	.....1945...	73
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	240.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	60
.....1945...	206.2	.....1945...	72
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	7,016	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	80
.....1945...	4,883	.....1945...	82
average per acre, dollars 1950*	30.64	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	117
.....1945...	23.68	.....1945...	122
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	78
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	735	.....1945...	83
.....1944...	843	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	58
acres 1949...	18,677	.....1945...	81
.....1944...	24,893	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	49
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	237	.....1945...	55
.....1944...	253	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	142
10 to 17 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	185	.....1945...	130
.....1944...	185	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	63
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	99	.....1945...	70
.....1944...	134	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	31
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	121	.....1945...	26
.....1944...	128	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	108	White operators.....number 1950...	864
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....1945...	1,002
.....1944...	27	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	8
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	4	.....1945...	8
.....1944...	8	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	277	Full owners.....number 1950...	739
.....1944...	105	.....1945...	846
acres 1949...	13,076	Part owners.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	2,812	.....1945...	46
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	175	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	3,921	.....1945...	2
acres 1949...	1,921	All tenants.....number 1950...	22
.....1944...	269	.....1945...	116
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	458	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	2.5
.....1944...	587	.....1945...	11.5
acres 1949...	44,958	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	56,497	.....1945...	40
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	441	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	305	.....1945...	.....
acres 1949...	61,751	Share tenants.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	34,347	.....1945...	8
Other pastures (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	595	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	847	.....1945...	1
acres 1949...	53,468	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	84,499	.....1945...	1
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	748	Croppers.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	986	.....1945...	4
acres 1949...	9,052	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....1944...	4,972	.....1945...	64
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Other tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	6
acres 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	47
.....1944...	.....	.....1945...	80
acres 1949...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	532
FARM OPERATORS		.....1945...	306
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	789	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	521
.....1945...	899	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.50
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	50	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	184
.....1945...	111	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	59
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	274	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	35
.....1944...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	444
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	392	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	17
.....1944...	239	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	8
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	227	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	11
.....1944...	170	Grain combines.....number 1950...	12
		.....1945...	12
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	14
		.....1945...	14
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	80
	1945...	77
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
	1945...	5

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 2,474	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 286
	1945... 2,721	Under 3 acres.....number	1945... 580
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 656,640	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 36
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 42.4	10 to 29 acres.....number	1945... 214
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 244,495	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 250
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 30,771	50 to 69 acres.....number	1945... 366
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 10,946	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 424
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 7,759	100 to 139 acres.....number	1945... 455
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 278,453	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 329
	1945... 262,869	180 to 219 acres.....number	1945... 307
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 112.6	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 288
	1945... 96.6	260 to 499 acres.....number	1945... 289
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*.. 8,919	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 309
	1945... 4,774	1,000 acres and over.....number	1945... 290
average per acre, dollars	1950*.. 77.47		1950... 268
	1945... 49.41		1945... 300
Land in farms according to use:			1950... 160
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,986		1945... 158
	1944... 2,627		1950... 97
acres	1949... 39,060		1945... 71
	1944... 45,978		1950... 76
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 772		1945... 74
	1944... 1,275		1950... 164
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 490		1945... 124
	1944... 515		1950... 58
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 294		1945... 54
	1944... 332		1950... 15
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 296		1945... 19
	1944... 327		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 109		
	1944... 145		
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 22		
	1944... 28		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 3		
	1944... 5		
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 863		
	1944 ¹ 331		
acres	1949... 21,784		
	1944 ¹ 3,663		
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting	1949... 351		
	1944... 8,439		
acres	1949... 1,528		
	1944... 1,128		
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 1,054		
	1944... 50,922		
acres	1949... 48,386		
	1944... 901		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 834		
	1944... 52,765		
acres	1949... 45,442		
	1944... 111,537		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 1,614		
	1944... 2,276		
acres	1949... 95,763		
	1944... 111,537		
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 2,186		
	1944... 2,278		
acres	1949... 9,720		
	1944... 6,335		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 3		
	1944... 10		
acres	1949... 10		
	1944... 10		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 3		
	1944... 10		
acres	1949... 10		
	1944... 10		
FARM OPERATORS		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 2,352	Farms by color of operator:	
	1945... 2,578	White operators.....number	1950... 2,446
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 93		1945... 2,669
	1945... 140	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 28
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 1,092		1945... 52
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 1,330	Farms by tenure of operator:	
	1944... 1,306	Full owners.....number	1950... 2,083
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 1,003		1945... 2,246
	1944... 1,048	Part owners.....number	1950... 187
			1945... 177
		Managers.....number	1950... 23
			1945... 22
		All tenants.....number	1950... 181
			1945... 276
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 7.3
			1945... 10.1
		Cash tenants.....number	1950... 59
			1945... 186
		Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 1
			1945... 4
		Share tenants.....number	1950... 15
			1945... 38
		Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 7
			1945... 8
		Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 30
			1945... 29
		Croppers.....number	1950... 76
			1945... 19
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 17
			1945... 59
		Other tenants.....number	1950... 17
		Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 59
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephones.....farms reporting	1950... 640
			1945... 633
		Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 2,016
			1945... 1,078
		From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 2,016
			1945... 1,078
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 4.69
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 373
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 273
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 230
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 1,669
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 143
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 37
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 133
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 30
			1945... 30
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 66
			1945... 66
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 163
			1945... 287
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 287
			1945... 287
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 287
			1945... 287

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	826	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	401
.....1945.....	557	General farms.....number 1950...	122
.....number 1950.....	924	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	598	.....number 1950.....	61
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	483	.....number 1950.....	56
.....1945.....	218	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,644
.....number 1950.....	554		
.....1945.....	230		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	448	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	506	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	842
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	42	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	14
.....number 1950.....	42	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	70
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	6	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	74
.....number 1950.....	6	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	155
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,008	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	243
.....1945.....	1,166	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	286
.....number 1950.....	1,228	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,632
.....1945.....	1,265	Part-time.....number 1950...	473
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1,159
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	865	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	399		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	722	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	290	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,278,860
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	198	.....1944.....	2,080,510
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	191,316
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	153,766
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	112,975
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	266	.....1944.....	114,490
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,051	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,699
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	614	.....1944.....	11,993
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	448	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	14,173
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	.....1944.....	18,711
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	61,469
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	925	.....1944.....	8,575
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	276	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,027,216
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	680	.....1944.....	1,848,176
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	123	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	928,573
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.2	.....1944.....	398,206
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	274,396
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,054	.....1944.....	339,222
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	454	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,824,247
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	824	.....1944.....	1,110,748
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	60,338
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	78,568
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,994	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	3,558	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,313
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,955	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,298
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,780	.....1945.....	1,409
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	858	.....number 1950.....	2,748
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,279	.....1945.....	3,082
.....persons 1950.....	255	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	54
.....persons 1950.....	499	.....number 1950.....	69
		.....1945.....	104
		.....1945.....	125
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,198	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,343
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	1,297	.....1945.....	2,337
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	1,000	.....number 1950...	27,530
.....dollars 1949.....	111,206	.....1945.....	24,038
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	856	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,113
.....dollars 1949.....	588,667	.....1945 ³	2,213
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,785	.....number 1950...	12,654
.....dollars 1949.....	855,864	.....1945 ³	12,487
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,204	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,913
.....dollars 1949.....	812,561	.....number 1950...	1,879
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,287	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,002
.....dollars 1949.....	71,849	.....number 1950...	5,265
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	757	.....number 1950...	5,544
.....dollars 1949.....	200,566	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,313
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	276	.....number 1950...	1,115
.....dollars 1949.....	30,288	.....number 1950...	4,285
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	438	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	277
.....dollars 1949.....	42,593	.....1944.....	281
		.....pounds 1949...	17,212,271
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	9,061,637
No sales.....number 1950...	295	.....dollars 1949...	866,119
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	864	.....number 1950...	367
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	279	.....1944.....	348
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	160	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	96,603
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	230	.....1944.....	88,004
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	131	.....dollars 1949...	52,670
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	202	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	178
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	119	.....dollars 1949...	9,764
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	48		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	62	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	84	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,446
		.....1945.....	1,580
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	7,278
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	16	.....1945.....	5,951
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	12	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,219
Cotton.....number 1950...	4	.....number 1950...	4,081
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		.....1945.....	56
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	2,193
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	486
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	219	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	354
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	72	.....1945.....	682
		.....1945.....	779

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.
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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT* —Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM —Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	602	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	79
.....1945.....	519	General farms.....number 1950...	4
.....number 1950.....	802	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	632	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	431	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	330	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	601	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	45
.....1945.....	368		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	350	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	420	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	68
.....1945.....	67	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	67	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	1
.....number 1950.....	103	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	1
.....1945.....	114	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	689	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	1
.....number 1950.....	802	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	1
.....1945.....	841	Other farms.....number 1950...	25
.....number 1950.....	934	Part-time ².....number 1950...	25
.....1945.....	366	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	15
Farms by class of work power:	201	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	297		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	255	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	150	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,088,407
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	255	.....1944.....	2,344,447
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	150	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,211,709
		.....1944.....	1,230,573
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	124,700
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	40,700
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	56	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	24,784
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	339	.....1944.....	23,704
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	281	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,111,111
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	625	.....1944.....	1,111,111
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	11	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	.....
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	375	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,903,701
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	65	.....1944.....	1,104,701
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	522	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	99,200
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	103	.....1944.....	81,700
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.7	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	906,200
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	806,200
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	546	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	298,700
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	168	.....1944.....	422,700
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	561	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	73,700
		.....1944.....	111,700
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	79
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,180	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	79
.....persons 1950.....	2,240	.....1945.....	80
.....1945.....	1,163	.....number 1950.....	143
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,097	.....1945.....	143
Operators.....persons 1950.....	412	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	105
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	595	.....1945.....	91
.....persons 1950.....	209	.....number 1950.....	91
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	548	.....1945.....	138
.....persons 1950.....	548		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,246	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,700
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	851	.....1945.....	1,177
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	623	.....number 1950.....	1,700
.....dollars 1949.....	47,505	.....1945.....	9,400
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	576	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
.....dollars 1949.....	691,404	.....1945 ³	1,100
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,044	.....number 1950.....	1,100
.....dollars 1949.....	664,904	.....1945 ³	1,100
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	739	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
.....dollars 1949.....	558,953	.....number 1950.....	1,100
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	837	.....1945 ³	1,100
.....dollars 1949.....	72,684	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	656	.....number 1950.....	1,100
.....dollars 1949.....	140,643	.....number 1950.....	1,100
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	293	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
.....dollars 1949.....	39,457	.....number 1950.....	1,100
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	407	.....number 1950.....	1,100
.....dollars 1949.....	39,517	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,100
		.....number 1950.....	1,100
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,100
No sales.....number 1950...	60	.....1944.....	1,100
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	290	.....pounds 1949...	1,200,800
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	171	.....1944.....	1,200,800
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	139	.....dollars 1949...	97,500
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	125	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	97,500
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	95	.....1944.....	97,500
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	136	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	97,500
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	71	.....1944.....	97,500
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	40	.....dollars 1949...	97,500
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	58	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	97,500
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	84	.....dollars 1949...	97,500
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	9	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	85
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	9	.....1945.....	78
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	8,400
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	4,400
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	1	.....number 1950.....	700
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	96	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	3,400
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	35	.....number 1950.....	3,400
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	168	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	3,400
		.....number 1950.....	3,400
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	3,400
	1945.....	3,400
	number 1950.....	3,400
	1945.....	3,400

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	366	Corn:	
1945....	423	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	788
number 1950....	13,818	1944....	905
1945....	8,562	acres 1949....	5,022
		1944....	6,892
and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	765
1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	356	1944....	904
number 1950....	7,627	acres 1949....	4,356
		1944....	6,351
was.....farms reporting 1950...	355	bushels 1949....	197,349
number 1945 ¹ ..	417	1944....	163,077
number 1950....	7,179		
1945 ¹ ..	8,027	Small grains:	
rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	170	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	414
number 1950....	448	acres 1949....	3,078
		1944....	3,817
rams born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	318	bushels 1949....	56,678
number 1950....	6,191	1944....	67,926
and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	349		
1944....	422	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	326
number shorn 1949....	6,772	1944....	329
shorn.....pounds 1949....	37,074	acres 1949....	1,664
1944....	41,998	1944....	1,649
date of enumeration..... 1950....	Apr.15-Apr.28	bushels 1949....	39,634
		1944....	35,033
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	978	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	30
1945....	1,245	1944....	78
number 1950....	76,950	acres 1949....	96
1945....	77,294	1944....	309
chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	522	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	62
number 1949....	628,712	1944....	59
dollars 1949....	576,691	acres 1949....	407
		1944....	329
eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	645	bushels 1949....	12,679
dozens 1949....	350,632	1944....	11,055
dollars 1949....	143,585		
hens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	32	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	23
number 1950....	121	1944....	109
		acres 1949....	94
hens raised.....farms reporting 1949...	55	1944....	677
1944....	82	bushels 1949....	1,289
number 1949....	33,364	1944....	7,248
1944....	8,334	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	118
		acres 1949....	588
		bushels 1949....	12,564
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	37
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	981	1944 ² ..	48
dollars 1949....	861,715	acres 1949....	157
1944....	853	1944 ² ..	188
cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	853		
1944....	980	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949....	5,285	1944....	
1944....	4,943	acres 1949....	
cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	387	1944....	
number 1949....	2,505	bushels 1949....	
dollars 1949....	386,919	1944....	
		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29
calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	759	acres 1949....	93
number 1949....	2,780	tons 1949....	155
dollars 1949....	175,803		
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
pigs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	533	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944....	461	acres 1949....	11
number 1949....	7,839	Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	5
1944....	6,137	acres 1949....	53
dollars 1949....	193,520		
sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	304	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944....	377	Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	935
number 1949....	5,487	acres 1949....	14,228
1944....	6,606		
dollars 1949....	99,637	Alfalfa out for hay (or for	
horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	51	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	208
number 1949....	89	1944....	226
dollars 1949....	5,836	acres 1949....	1,517
		1944....	1,347
		tons 1949....	2,637
		1944....	2,399
FARM SLAUGHTER			
cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,007	Clover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	742
cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	61	1944....	670
number 1949....	75	acres 1949....	9,801
		1944....	8,682
cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	38	tons 1949....	12,030
1944....	84	1944....	9,325
number 1949....	48	Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29
1944....	133	1944....	9
calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	24	acres 1949....	215
1944....	18	1944....	44
number 1949....	27	tons 1949....	243
1944....	26	1944....	58
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
pigs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,002	small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944....	1,221	1944....	13
number 1949....	3,098	acres 1949....	86
1944....	4,524	1944....	39
		tons 1949....	76
		1944....	35
hides, lard, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	109		
dollars 1949....	16,106		

1. Res and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
2. Acres 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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	262	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	24
acres 1949...	2,723	acres 1949...	12
1944...	4,200	quarts 1949...	12,799
tons 1949...	3,083		
1944...	3,756	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	32
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949...	31
acres 1949...	50	quarts 1949...	22,899
tons..green weight 1949...	90		
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	497
1944.....	.....	1945.....	618
acres 1949...	224	acres 1950 ² ...	9,036
1944.....	.....	1945.....	10,422
bushels 1949...	308	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	333
1944.....	.....	1945.....	717
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	807	trees of all ages..number 1950...	253,781
1944.....	836	1945.....	278,711
acres 1949 ¹ ...	294	1945.....	.....
1944.....	533	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	58,371
bushels 1949...	41,972	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	195,210
1944.....	30,953	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	569,421
		1944.....	649,362
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	230
1944.....	26	1945.....	395
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	200,873
1944.....	2	1945.....	250,089
bushels 1949...	193	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	36,363
1944.....	137	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	164,036
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	172,744
1944.....	.....	1944.....	210,195
acres 1949...	.....	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	87
1944.....	.....	1945.....	487
pounds 1949...	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,771
1944.....	.....	1945.....	1,491
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	47
acres 1949...	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,361
gallons 1949...	20	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,811
		1944.....	3,493
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,056	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	77
1944.....	1,464	1945.....	178
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	29	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,199
1944.....	77	1945.....	6,472
acres 1949...	182	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	421
1944.....	265	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,108
sold..dollars 1949...	24,936	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	14,194
1944.....	23,914	1944.....	57,792
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	48
1944.....	20	1945.....	169
acres 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	637
1944.....	11	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	888
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	279
1944.....	9	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	341
acres 1949...	1	1944.....	562
1944.....	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	118
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1945.....	313
1944.....	30	vines of all ages..number 1950...	740
acres 1949...	134	1945.....	1,376
1944.....	198	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	90
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	20	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	670
1944.....	17	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,882
acres 1949...	34	1944.....	37,898
1944.....	18		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	9		

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	141	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	106	General farms.....number 1950...	5
.....number 1950.....	160	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	120	.....number 1950.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	151	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	93	.....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	178	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	104	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	293
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	131		
.....number 1950.....	145	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	55
.....number 1950.....	25	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	10
.....number 1950.....	8	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	5
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	271	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	15
.....1945.....	208	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	24
.....number 1950.....	365	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	
.....1945.....	241	Other farms.....number 1950.....	284
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ².....number 1950.....	92
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	106	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	196
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	47	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	63	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	47	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	410,100
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	80	.....1944.....	368,399
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All crops sold.....dollar ³ 1949...	179,566
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	154,913
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	22,683
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	235	.....1944.....	14,823
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	126	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	15,702
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	35	.....1944.....	13,477
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	190,986
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	124,283
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	221	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	3,975
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	35	.....1944.....	1,250
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	95	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	211,995
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	5	.....1944.....	211,485
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.5	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	72,254
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	62,033
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	221	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	37,533
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	70	.....1944.....	32,245
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	121,608
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	87,307
Week preceding enumeration:		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,159
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	296	.....1944.....	2,201
.....persons 1950.....	530	HORSES AND MULES	
.....1945.....	295	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	160
.....number 1950.....	280	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	151
.....1945.....	280	.....1945.....	187
.....number 1950.....	110	.....number 1950.....	499
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	145	.....1945.....	432
.....persons 1950.....	21	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	10
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	21	.....1945.....	23
.....persons 1950.....	105	.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945.....	105	.....1945.....	31
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	306	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	234
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	151	.....1945.....	242
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	116	.....number 1950...	1,925
.....dollars 1949.....	9,830	.....1945.....	2,567
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	81	.....number 1950...	230
.....dollars 1949.....	205,935	Cows including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	194
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	286	.....1945.....	194
.....dollars 1949.....	111,950	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	207
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	160	.....number 1950...	127
.....dollars 1949.....	11,335	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	157
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	221	.....number 1950...	215
.....dollars 1949.....	19,700	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	64
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	141	.....number 1950...	86
.....dollars 1949.....	34,320	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	201
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	66	.....number 1950...	36
.....dollars 1949.....	9,580	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	49
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	31	.....pounds 1949...	1,544,572
.....dollars 1949.....	6,170	.....1944.....	2,167,578
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....dollars 1949...	47,861
No sales.....number 1950.....	88	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	14
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	108	.....1944.....	11
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	32	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	4,158
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	28	.....1944.....	3,275
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	19	.....dollars 1949...	2,487
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	19	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	13
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	18	.....dollars 1949...	1,906
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	10	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	5	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	111
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	5	.....1945.....	139
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	11	.....number 1950...	548
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	440
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	85
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	251
Cotton.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	49
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	295
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	5	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	40
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	11	.....1945.....	84
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	19	.....number 1950...	75
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	5	.....1945.....	97

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...	10	Corn:	
1945...	15	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	179
number 1950...	216	1944...	204
1945...	337	acres 1949...	775
1945...		1944...	1,151
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	166
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	8	1944...	200
number 1950...	173	acres 1949...	768
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	7	1944...	1,106
number 1945 ¹ ...	11	bushels 1949...	34,258
number 1950...	148	1944...	32,930
1945 ¹ ...	24C		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Small grains:	
number 1950...	25	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	86
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	5	acres 1949...	528
number 1950...	43	1944...	605
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	9	bushels 1949...	13,974
1944...	11	1944...	12,472
number shorn 1949...	165	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	95
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	1,063	1944...	78
1944...	1,632	acres 1949...	586
		1944...	709
Average date of emmersion..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	bushels 1949...	19,458
		1944...	20,229
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	259	1944...	37
1945...	258	acres 1949...	29
number 1950...	11,593	1944...	130
1945...	12,035	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	70	1944...	
number 1949...	5,452	acres 1949...	3
dollars 1949...	9,222	1944...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	107	bushels 1949...	30
dozens 1949...	52,143	1944...	
dollars 1949...	25,556	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2	1944...	6
number 1950...	8	acres 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944...	17
1944...	5	bushels 1949...	
number 1949...	442	1944...	303
1944...	150	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		bushels 1949...	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	6
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	142	1944 ² ...	16
dollars 1949...	117,828	acres 1949...	13
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	127	1944 ² ...	58
1944...	124	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	612	1944...	1
1944...	825	acres 1949...	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	56	1944...	2
number 1949...	262	bushels 1949...	
dollars 1949...	95,879	1944...	20
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	108	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	350	acres 1949...	10
dollars 1949...	11,404	tons 1949...	12
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	55	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
1944...	53	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	451	acres 1949...	
1944...	423	1944...	2
dollars 1949...	9,033	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.farms reporting 1949...	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres 1949...	3
1944...	6	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
number 1949...	20	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	196
1944...	79	acres 1949...	3,069
dollars 1949...	196	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	15	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	74
number 1949...	24	1944...	122
dollars 1949...	1,316	acres 1949...	496
		1944...	1,191
		tons 1949...	799
		1944...	1,920
FARM SLAUGHTER		Olover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	159
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	172	1944...	167
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	52	acres 1949...	2,382
number 1949...	65	1944...	2,661
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	35	tons 1949...	2,926
1944...	55	1944...	2,839
number 1949...	45	Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	70	1944...	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	19	acres 1949...	
1944...	7	1944...	
number 1949...	20	tons 1949...	
1944...	11	1944...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	158	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
1944...	199	small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14
number 1949...	454	acres 1949...	
1944...	748	1944...	31
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		tons 1949...	31
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	26	1944...	
dollars 1949...	2,940		

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	10
acres 1949...	121	acres 1949...	3
1944...	61	quarts 1949...	2,291
tons 1949...	128	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	47	acres 1949...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quarts 1949...	313
acres 1949...	540	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	1,649	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	249
Field crops (other):		1945...	223
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1950 ² ...	1,006
1944...	1	1945...	2,774
acres 1949...	1	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	248
1944...	1	1945...	228
bushels 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	42,702
1944...	2	1945...	66,348
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	20	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,708
1944...	39	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	29,977
acres 1949 ¹ ...	7	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	127,285
1944...	26	1944...	137,139
bushels 1949...	528	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	201
1944...	1,555	1945...	182
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,877
1944...	1	1945...	9,341
acres 1949 ¹ ...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,866
1944...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,811
bushels 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,681
1944...	1	1944...	7,787
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	179
1944...	1	1945...	71
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,001
1944...	1	1945...	598
pounds 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	179
1944...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	862
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	194
acres 1949...	1	1944...	1,419
gallons 1949...	1	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	149
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	310	1945...	119
1944...	295	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,086
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	20	1945...	1,876
1944...	36	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	162
acres 1949...	121	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	706
1944...	116	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	664
sold..dollars 1949...	15,702	1944...	37,494
1944...	13,377	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	89
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	12	1945...	47
1944...	15	trees of all ages..number 1950...	477
acres 1949...	11	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	179
1944...	17	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	568
Cabbages.....farms reporting 1949...	15	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1
1944...	9	1944...	86
acres 1949...	14	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	149
1944...	10	1945...	76
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	18	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,411
1944...	22	1945...	3,059
acres 1949...	74	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	100
1944...	48	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,313
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	16	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	5,781
1944...	31	1944...	21,183
acres 1949...	15		
1944...	26		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	7		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage 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...	1,124	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	99
1945...	1,330	1945.....	255
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	374,400	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	18
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	59.7	1945.....	122
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	202,968	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	81
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,398	1945.....	133
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,839	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	107
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,702	1945.....	122
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	223,703	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	88
1945.....	232,976	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	79
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	199.0	1945.....	92
1945.....	175.2	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	97
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	7,226	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	119
1945.....	4,516	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	145
average per acre, dollars 1950*	35.00	1945.....	156
1945.....	25.78	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	100
Land in farms according to use:		1945.....	113
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	965	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	81
1944.....	1,136	1945.....	93
acres 1949...	23,222	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	56
1944.....	29,571	1945.....	54
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	354	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	147
1944.....	460	1945.....	146
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	206	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	62
1944.....	215	1945.....	75
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	151	28	28
1944.....	145	1945.....	28
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	139		
1944.....	156	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	86	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	110	White operators.....number 1950...	1,121
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	26	1945.....	1,310
1944.....	40	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	3
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	20
1944.....	10	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	524	Full owners.....number 1950...	937
1944.....	85	1945.....	1,053
acres 1949...	17,159	Part owners.....number 1950...	100
1944.....	1,780	1945.....	110
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	173	Managers.....number 1950...	6
1944.....	3,663	1945.....	8
acres 1949...	961	All tenants.....number 1950...	81
1944.....	582	1945.....	159
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	582	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	7.2
1944.....	553	1945.....	12.0
acres 1949...	41,936	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	9
1944.....	48,633	1945.....	61
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	687	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	705	1945.....	5
acres 1949...	86,839	Share tenants.....number 1950...	15
1944.....	75,375	1945.....	17
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	675	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	8
1944.....	1,108	1945.....	7
acres 1949...	46,533	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	20
1944.....	71,045	1945.....	6
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	986	Croppers.....number 1950...	36
1944.....	1,279	1945.....	70
acres 1949...	4,351	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	9
1944.....	5,581	1945.....	27
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
1944.....			
acres 1949...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	351
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	421
1944.....		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	783
acres 1949...		1945.....	657
1944.....		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	763
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.04
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	314
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	34
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	668
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	23
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	9
		number 1950...	9
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	9
		number 1950...	9
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	4
		number 1950...	4
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	139
		number 1950...	208
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,044		
1945.....	1,263		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	30		
1945.....	66		
With other incomes of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	355		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	544		
1944.....	422		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	261		
1944.....	305		

*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...	520	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	131
.....1945...	358	General farms.....number 1950...	22
.....number 1950...	591	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945...	407	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	12
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	350	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945...	230	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	246
.....number 1950...	448		
.....1945...	249	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	308	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	83
.....number 1950...	348	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	123
.....number 1950...	65	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	222
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	242
.....number 1950...	35	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	188
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	601	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	2
.....1945...	681	Other farms.....number 1950...	24
.....number 1950...	691	Part-time.....number 1950...	113
.....1945...	797	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	12
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	348	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	182	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,965,177
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	241	.....1944...	5,322,215
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	207	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	118,100
Tractor and no horse or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	146	.....1944...	254,803
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	74,897
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944...	26,881
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	107	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,275
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	397	.....1944...	1,423
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	193	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	39,904
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	400	.....1944...	226,224
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	10	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,021
.....1945...	.....	.....1944...	25
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,794,443
3.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	180	.....1944...	5,018,000
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	64	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	133,027
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	401	.....1944...	125,779
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	126	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,605,421
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.4	.....1944...	4,016,911
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry sold.....dollars 1949...	1,256,133
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	335	.....1944...	672,775
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	151	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	22,362
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	568	.....1944...	29,421
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	45
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	978	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	42
.....persons 1950...	1,823	.....1945...	7
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	961	.....number 1950...	1,127
.....persons 1950...	873	.....1945...	1,177
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	873	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	433	.....1945...	.....
.....persons 1950...	602	.....number 1950...	.....
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	168	.....1945...	.....
.....persons 1950...	348	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,059	.....1945...	.....
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	684	.....number 1950...	.....
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	451	.....1945...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	41,314	.....number 1950...	.....
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	578	.....1945...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	244,470	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	907	.....1945...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	2,666,125	.....number 1950...	.....
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	738	.....1945...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	938,770	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Seeds, bulks, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	725	.....number 1950...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	69,285	.....1945...	.....
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	603	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	133,193	.....number 1950...	.....
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	229	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	25,259	.....number 1950...	.....
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	336	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	41,039	.....number 1950...	.....
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
No sales.....number 1950...	23	.....1944...	.....
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	103	.....pounds 1949...	2,172,225
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	50	.....1944...	2,254,111
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	35	.....dollars 1949...	97,515
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	81	.....1945...	5,815
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	66	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	153	.....number 1950...	.....
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	146	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	159	.....number 1950...	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	164	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	144	.....number 1950...	.....
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	.....
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	5	.....1944...	.....
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	693,111
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	.....1944...	32,517
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....dollars 1949...	52,211
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	Butter, buttermilk, skin milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	15	.....dollars 1949...	.....
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	683	HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....

*Part-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.
 *Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
 *Cows 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...	520	Corn:	
1945...	543	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	761
number 1950...	24,650	1944...	836
1945...	12,579	acres 1949...	6,835
		1944...	9,104
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	739
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	513	1944...	816
number 1950...	13,193	acres 1949...	4,933
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	512	1944...	7,825
number 1945 ¹ ...	532	bushels 1949...	230,658
number 1950...	12,689	1944...	223,634
1945 ¹ ...	11,941		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	243	Small grains:	
number 1950...	504	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	346
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	482	acres 1949...	2,306
number 1950...	11,457	1944...	4,591
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	510	bushels 1949...	46,054
1944...	520	1944...	86,676
number shorn 1949...	11,756	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	234
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	62,307	1944...	288
1944...	58,010	acres 1949...	1,177
		1944...	1,479
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	bushels 1949...	27,930
		1944...	32,865
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	49
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	916	1944...	51
1945...	1,033	acres 1949...	148
number 1950...	83,275	1944...	179
1945...	98,999	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	73
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	824	1944...	48
number 1949...	3,742,010	acres 1949...	513
dollars 1949...	3,023,798	1944...	443
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	656	bushels 1949...	13,025
dozens 1949...	514,562	1944...	12,223
dollars 1949...	227,619	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	49	1944...	74
number 1950...	16,683	acres 1949...	74
		1944...	354
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	118	bushels 1949...	1,007
1944...	70	1944...	4,745
number 1949...	201,036	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	39
1944...	80,563	acres 1949...	106
		bushels 1949...	1,820
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	25
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	961	1944 ² ...	67
dollars 1949...	1,219,704	acres 1949...	119
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	826	1944 ² ...	235
1944...	819	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	5,598	1944...	1
1944...	6,749	acres 1949...	2
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	324	1944...	1
number 1949...	2,955	bushels 1949...	50
dollars 1949...	563,594	1944...	8
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	735	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23
number 1949...	2,643	acres 1949...	85
dollars 1949...	164,444	tons 1949...	165
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	552	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
1944...	512	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1949...	13,458	acres 1949...	32
1944...	13,629	Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	324,519	acres 1949...	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	484	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944...	490	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	826
number 1949...	9,701	acres 1949...	10,797
1944...	10,676	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
dollars 1949...	161,672	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	201
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	65	1944...	207
number 1949...	88	acres 1949...	1,558
dollars 1949...	5,475	1944...	1,325
		tons 1949...	2,638
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	2,701
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	970	Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	665
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	45	1944...	674
number 1949...	58	acres 1949...	7,697
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	36	1944...	7,478
1944...	51	tons 1949...	11,331
number 1949...	38	1944...	9,452
1944...	68	Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1944...	3
1944...	13	acres 1949...	64
number 1949...	20	1944...	17
1944...	15	tons 1949...	80
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	967	1944...	14
1944...	1,039	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
number 1949...	2,995	small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	26
1944...	3,599	acres 1949...	23
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944...	109
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	86	1944...	114
dollars 1949...	4,023	tons 1949...	112
		1944...	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--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	173	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	12
acres 1949...	1,275	acres 1949...	63
1944...	1,056	quarts 1949...	7
tons 1949...	1,472	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	1,048	acres 1949...	808
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	15	quarts 1949...	
acres 1949...	239		
tons..green weight 1949...	949	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	454
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	71	1945...	452
1944...	11	acres 1950 ² ...	796
acres 1949...	652	1945...	2,224
1944...	115		
bushels 1949...	473	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	397
1944...	159	1945...	783
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	799	trees of all ages..number 1950...	27,085
1944...	1,081	1945...	58,377
acres 1949 ¹ ...	326	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	829
1944...	621	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	26,261
bushels 1949...	32,662	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	27,085
1944...	47,151	1944...	100,733
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	126
1944...	122	1945...	371
acres 1949 ¹ ...	16	trees of all ages..number 1950...	14,554
1944...	180	1945...	19,479
bushels 1949...	180	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,148
1944...	656	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12,338
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4,308
1944...		1944...	29,774
acres 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	169
1944...		1945...	362
pounds 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,422
1944...		1945...	1,725
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	139
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,304
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	254
gallons 1949...		1944...	3,336
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	955	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	23
1944...	1,306	1945...	499
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	14	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,117
1944...	18	1945...	2,824
acres 1949...	17	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	17
1944...	14	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,948
sold..dollars 1949...	2,276	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	11,284
1944...	1,428	1944...	114,400
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	8	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	113
1944...	8	1945...	24
acres 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	54
1944...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	57
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	447
1944...	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	76
acres 1949...	1	1944...	564
1944...	(*)	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	30
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1945...	299
1944...	10	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,487
acres 1949...	2	1945...	2,881
1944...	8	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	174
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	9	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,306
1944...	6	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	14,822
acres 1949...	12	1944...	86,724
1944...	2		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	1		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Less than 1 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...	2,241	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	274
.....1945...	2,615	.....1945...	363
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	267,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	25
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	77.9	.....1945...	13
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	167,959	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	249
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	37,781	.....1945...	350
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,903	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	469
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	3,211	.....1945...	563
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	208,432	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	320
.....1945...	220,525	.....1945...	394
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	93.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	254
.....1945...	84.3	.....1945...	270
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	8,530	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	260
.....1945...	5,288	.....1945...	306
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	96.20	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	262
.....1945...	62.71	.....1945...	273
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	141
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,033	.....1945...	168
.....1944...	2,420	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	83
acres 1949...	29,650	.....1945...	90
1944...	34,763	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	42
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,069	.....1945...	47
.....1944...	1,303	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	90
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	504	.....1945...	107
.....1944...	567	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	35
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	226	.....1945...	26
.....1944...	257	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	11
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	139	.....1945...	8
.....1944...	193		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	71	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	80	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	White operators.....number 1950...	2,239
.....1944...	16	.....1945...	2,611
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	4	.....1945...	4
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	843	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	867	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,839
acres 1949...	38,963	.....1945...	2,094
1944...	38,323	Part owners.....number 1950...	160
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	465	.....1945...	129
.....1944...	1,387	Managers.....number 1950...	15
acres 1949...	3,965	.....1945...	26
1944...	599	All tenants.....number 1950...	227
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	138	.....1945...	366
.....1944...	10,040	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.1
acres 1949...	6,375	.....1945...	14.0
1944...	794	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	91
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	806	.....1945...	252
.....1944...	20,383	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
acres 1949...	15,456	.....1945...	7
1944...	1,334	Share tenants.....number 1950...	22
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,565	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	87,132	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	2
acres 1949...	113,986	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	17
1944...	2,014	Croppers.....number 1950...	11
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,408	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	109
.....1944...	10,877	.....1945...	81
acres 1949...	7,657	Other tenants.....number 1950...	24
1944...		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	85
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,314
acres 1949...		.....1945...	1,012
1944...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,145
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		.....1945...	1,757
.....1944...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,119
acres 1949...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.51
1944...		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	704
Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	208
Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	215
Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,959
Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	268
Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	65
Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	117
Grain combines.....number 1950...		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	25
Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...		number 1950...	30
Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...		Corn pickers.....number 1950...	10
Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	10
Farms reporting 1950...		number 1950...	116
Farms reporting 1950...		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	156
Farms reporting 1950...		number 1950...	5
Farms reporting 1950...		Farms reporting 1950...	5
Farms reporting 1950...		Farms reporting 1950...	5

*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...	622	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	271
1945.....	386	General farms.....number 1950...	37
number 1950...	707	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	9
1945.....	424	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	27
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	474	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	1
1945.....	162	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,593
number 1950...	586		
1945.....	168		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	309		
number 1950...	385		
1945.....	166		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	166		
number 1950...	166		
1945.....	30		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	30		
number 1950...	35		
1945.....	1,442		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,435		
number 1950...	1,604		
1945.....	1,557		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	631		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	432		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	723		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	244		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	211		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD²		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	671
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	165	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	4
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	840	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	53
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	678	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	77
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	607	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	114
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	244
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	177
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,248	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,570
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	250	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	454
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	356	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1,116
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	41	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,310		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	333		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	612		
FARM LABOR⁴		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,861,782
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,855	1944.....	2,246,822
persons 1950...	3,153	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	170,662
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,773	1944.....	179,320
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,638	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	37,158
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	623	1944.....	28,724
persons 1950...	878	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	12,622
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	408	1944.....	65,379
persons 1950...	637	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	15,750
		1944.....	55,720
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	105,132
		1944.....	29,497
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,636,112
		1944.....	2,047,502
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	850,293
		1944.....	854,468
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	347,932
		1944.....	245,872
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,437,887
		1944.....	947,162
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	55,008
		1944.....	20,000
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,421
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,389
		1945.....	1,451
		number 1945.....	3,053
		1945.....	3,277
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	72
		1945.....	70
		number 1950...	125
		1945.....	117
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,872
		1945.....	2,051
		number 1950...	21,043
		1945.....	21,599
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,792
		1945.....	1,927
		number 1950...	9,258
		1945.....	10,980
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,697
		number 1950...	6,723
		1945.....	958
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,835
		number 1950...	370
		1945.....	4,571
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	775
		number 1950...	2,409
		1945.....	388
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	731
		number 1950...	16,376,234
		1945.....	20,275,747
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	795,345
		1944.....	238
		number 1949...	176
		1944.....	79,761
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	79,384
		1944.....	38,668
		number 1949...	
		1944.....	
		pounds of butterfat	
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	174
		1944.....	16,485
		dollars 1949...	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	924
		1945.....	1,060
		number 1950...	3,157
		1945.....	3,000
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	783
		number 1950...	2,015
		1945.....	241
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,143
		number 1950...	178
		1945.....	280
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	279
		number 1950...	532
		1945.....	

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	215	Corn:	
1945...	287	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,215
number 1950...	7,804	1944...	1,518
1945...	6,702	acres 1949...	3,558
		1944...	5,674
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,376
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	204	1944...	1,472
number 1950...	4,375	acres 1949...	3,206
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	203	1944...	5,295
number 1945 ¹ ...	273	bushels 1949...	168,908
number 1950...	4,066	1944...	204,139
1945 ¹ ...	6,065		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	146	Small grains:	
number 1950...	309	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	39
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	195	acres 1949...	147
number 1950...	3,429	1944...	157
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	207	bushels 1949...	2,622
1944...	269	1944...	2,780
number shorn 1949...	4,307	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	17
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	21,156	1944...	22
1944...	29,911	acres 1949...	66
		1944...	77
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	bushels 1949...	1,582
		1944...	2,287
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	117
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,816	1944...	121
1945...	2,062	acres 1949...	350
number 1950...	75,523	1944...	376
1945...	82,076	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	566	1944...	15
number 1949...	84,154	acres 1949...	549
dollars 1949...	94,523	1944...	.....
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	915	bushels 1949...	.....
dozens 1949...	400,324	1944...	.....
dollars 1949...	200,927	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	38	1944...	.....
number 1950...	161	acres 1949...	.....
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	61	1944...	.....
1944...	53	bushels 1949...	.....
number 1949...	6,943	1944...	.....
1944...	5,924	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		bushels 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	121
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,488	1944...	167
dollars 1949...	1,411,842	acres 1949...	326
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,393	1944...	494
1944...	1,470	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	11,205	1944...	.....
1944...	11,893	acres 1949...	3
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	754	1944...	.....
number 1949...	6,895	bushels 1949...	7
dollars 1949...	1,101,682	1944...	.....
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,171	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	83
number 1949...	4,310	acres 1949...	209
dollars 1949...	190,691	1944...	417
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	308	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
1944...	309	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1949...	2,501	acres 1949...	58
1944...	3,164	Soybeans plowed under for green manure, farms reporting 1949...	22
dollars 1949...	40,357	acres 1949...	56
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	199	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944...	269	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,767
number 1949...	4,147	acres 1949...	23,654
1944...	5,839	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
dollars 1949...	62,208	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	214
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	98	1944...	170
number 1949...	224	acres 1949...	1,174
dollars 1949...	16,904	1944...	801
		tons 1949...	2,099
		1944...	1,775
FARM SLAUGHTER		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	938
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,532	1944...	1,039
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	239	acres 1949...	10,582
number 1949...	289	1944...	10,806
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	162	tons 1949...	14,399
1944...	261	1944...	12,933
number 1949...	171	Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944...	367	1944...	5
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	81	acres 1949...	112
1944...	63	1944...	25
number 1949...	118	tons 1949...	162
1944...	162	1944...	29
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,490	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
1944...	1,888	small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	144
number 1949...	3,439	1944...	109
1944...	5,211	acres 1949...	561
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944...	531
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	195	tons 1949...	680
dollars 1949...	13,038	1944...	635

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--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	869	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	4
acres 1949...	10,892	acres 1949...	11
1944...	13,287	quarts 1949...	10,427
tons 1949...	11,843		
1944...	16,529	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres 1949...	4
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	21	quarts 1949...	2,621
acres 1949...	321		
tons..green weight 1949...	1,614	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,227
Field crops (other):		1945...	92
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1950 ² ...	1,029
1944...	11	1945...	1,144
acres 1949...	11		
1944...	13	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,181
bushels 1949...	13	1945...	1,774
1944...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	31,600
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,491	1945...	55,422
1944...	1,749	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,136
acres 1949 ¹ ...	299	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	26,464
1944...	466	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	19,648
bushels 1949...	30,948	1944...	47,725
1944...	40,766		
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	181	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	561
1944...	23	1945...	96
acres 1949 ¹ ...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,211
1944...	3	1945...	12,448
bushels 1949...	661	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,927
1944...	162	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4,800
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	413
1944...		1944...	9,531
acres 1949...	(*)		
pounds 1949...	245	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	421
1944...		1945...	724
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,651
acres 1949...	(*)	1945...	2,611
gallons 1949...	27	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	422
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,281
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,002	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	311
1944...	2,386	1944...	6,527
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	106		
1944...	286	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	54
acres 1949...	100	1945...	95
1944...	235	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,226
sold..dollars 1949...	12,622	1945...	7,227
1944...	65,379	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	72
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	64	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,922
1944...	117	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,227
acres 1949...	30	1944...	89,583
1944...	40		
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	111
1944...	41	1945...	617
acres 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,941
1944...	17	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	257
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	70	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,784
1944...	91	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	122
acres 1949...	43	1944...	1,524
1944...	54		
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	62	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	674
1944...	143	1945...	1,709
acres 1949...	19	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,622
1944...	41	1945...	6,227
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	5	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	62
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,061
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,159
		1944...	132,541

¹For 1949, does not include acreage for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.
²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
 *Less than 1 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...	2,130	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	75
.....1945...	2,190	.....1945...	103
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	296,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	83.1	.....1945...	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	222,272	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	88
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	26,894	.....1945...	101
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,370	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	197
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,410	.....1945...	208
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	246,126	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	248
.....1945...	252,404	.....1945...	240
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	115.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	254
.....1945...	115.3	.....1945...	287
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	5,118	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	388
.....1945...	3,971	.....1945...	394
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	45.70	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	421
.....1945...	34.45	.....1945...	378
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	224
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,914	.....1945...	215
1944...	2,003	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	112
acres 1949...	41,713	.....1945...	143
1944...	43,370	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	74
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	574	.....1945...	68
1944...	631	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	112
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	520	.....1945...	126
1944...	533	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	18
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	362	.....1945...	22
1944...	353	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	7
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	301	.....1945...	6
1944...	298		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	131	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	160	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	White operators.....number 1950...	2,130
1944...	26	.....1945...	2,190
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
1944...	2	.....1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	370	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	210	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,834
acres 1949...	17,327	.....1945...	1,717
1944 ¹ ...	10,362	Part owners.....number 1950...	159
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	230	.....1945...	175
acres 1949...	3,878	Managers.....number 1950...	2
1944...	4,224	.....1945...	7
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,255	All tenants.....number 1950...	135
1944...	717	.....1945...	291
acres 1949...	37,333	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	6.3
1944...	20,314	.....1945...	13.3
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	801	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	27
1944...	920	.....1945...	98
acres 1949...	24,418	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
1944...	25,412	.....1945...	2
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,777	Share tenants.....number 1950...	36
1944 ¹ ...	1,919	.....1945...	55
acres 1949...	115,320	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	27
1944 ¹ ...	135,628	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	9
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,923	Croppers.....number 1950...	9
1944...	1,723	.....1945...	31
acres 1949...	6,137	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	61
1944...	13,094	.....1945...	105
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Other tenants.....number 1950...	11
1944...	1	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	50
acres 1949...	10		
1944...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	644
acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	911
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,337
		.....1945...	981
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,332
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	3.88
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	291
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	135
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	150
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,045
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	68
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	62
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		.....number 1950...	12
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		.....number 1950...	12
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		.....number 1950...	23
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	37
		.....number 1950...	51
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,959		
.....1945...	1,998		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	122		
.....1945...	154		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	789		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	824		
.....1944...	592		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	601		
.....1944...	488		

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

Main data table with columns: Item, County total, Item, County total. Sections include Specified Facilities and Equipment, Farms by Type of Farm, Farms by Economic Class, Trading Center and Road, Farm Labor, Specified Farm Expenditures, Farms by Total Value of Products Sold, Farms by Type of Farm, and Horses and Mules.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	223	Corn:	
1945...	307	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,428
number 1950...	7,570	1944...	1,471
1945...	6,355	acres 1949...	7,254
		1944...	8,189
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,370
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	210	1944...	1,445
number 1950...	4,206	acres 1949...	6,915
		1944...	7,676
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	210	bushels 1949...	329,748
number 1945 ¹ ...	294	1944...	204,333
number 1950...	3,997		
1945 ¹ ...	5,212	Small grains:	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	134	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	207
number 1950...	209	acres 1949...	1,258
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	197	1944...	872
number 1950...	3,364	bushels 1949...	21,850
		1944...	11,141
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	213	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	38
1944...	295	1944...	15
number shorn 1949...	4,436	acres 1949...	129
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	24,761	1944...	202
1944...	30,922	bushels 1949...	3,810
		1944...	4,714
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	156
		1944...	141
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	560
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,731	1944...	553
1945...	1,795	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950...	121,588	1944...	3
1945...	121,254	acres 1949...	35
		1944...	680
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	708	bushels 1949...	680
number 1949...	55,118	1944...	3
dollars 1949...	53,915	acres 1949...	9
		1944...	9
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1,272	bushels 1949...	95
dozens 1949...	704,335	1944...	95
dollars 1949...	269,672	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	70	acres 1949...	
number 1950...	386	1944...	
		bushels 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	76	1944...	
1944...	128	acres 1949...	
number 1949...	5,154	1944...	
1944...	3,333	bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	127
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,674	1944 ² ...	211
dollars 1949...	918,684	acres 1949...	406
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,586	1944 ² ...	969
1944...	1,666		
number 1949...	8,673	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	11,084	1944...	6
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	829	acres 1949...	12
number 1949...	3,243	1944...	37
dollars 1949...	465,783	bushels 1949...	150
		1944...	605
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,406	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	112
number 1949...	5,430	acres 1949...	362
dollars 1949...	281,947	tons 1949...	613
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	654	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	563	acres 1949...	11
number 1949...	5,408	1944...	9
1944...	4,650	Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949...	21
dollars 1949...	105,564	acres 1949...	21
1944...	199		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	281	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944...	3,679	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,767
number 1949...	5,271	acres 1949...	31,880
dollars 1949...	55,870		
1944...	66	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	124	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	344
number 1949...	9,520	1944...	238
dollars 1949...		acres 1949...	3,029
		1944...	1,524
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	6,077
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,705	1944...	2,885
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	72	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,253
number 1949...	73	1944...	1,144
		acres 1949...	17,315
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	43	1944...	18,834
1944...	117	tons 1949...	21,980
number 1949...	43	1944...	17,826
1944...	121	Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	587
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	29	1944...	340
number 1949...	16	acres 1949...	5,577
1944...	30	1944...	2,719
1944...	16	tons 1949...	6,829
		1944...	2,444
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,703	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
1944...	1,766	small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	206
number 1949...	3,554	1944...	185
1944...	4,018	acres 1949...	903
		1944...	914
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		tons 1949...	1,041
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	109	1944...	991
dollars 1949...	5,687		

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	400	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	11
acres 1949...	5,152	acres 1949...	3
1944...	7,765	quarts 1949...	8,505
tons 1949...	5,891	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944...	7,480	acres 1949...	(*)
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quarts 1949...	100
acres 1949...	45	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	75	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	784
Field crops (other):		1945...	677
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres 1950*	382
1944...	2	1945...	870
acres 1949...	29	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	683
1944...	6	1945...	1,299
bushels 1949...	35	1950...	11,236
1944...	9	1945...	27,812
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,529	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,630
1944...	1,444	1950...	9,606
acres 1949*	229	1945...	6,119
1944...	374	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12,630
bushels 1949...	30,563	1944...	
1944...	24,790	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	473
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	632	1945...	1,087
1944...	151	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,849
acres 1949*	18	1945...	19,537
1944...	18	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,417
bushels 1949...	2,480	1950...	5,432
1944...	1,523	1945...	613
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	125	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	10,290
1944...	81	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	247
acres 1949...	77	1945...	420
1944...	62	trees of all ages..number 1950...	751
pounds 1949...	120,118	1945...	1,389
1944...	67,644	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	254
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1950...	497
acres 1949...	7	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	226
gallons 1949...	665	1949...	1,833
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,858	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	363
1944...	2,037	1945...	734
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	79	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,652
1944...	156	1945...	5,782
acres 1949...	110	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	834
1944...	152	1950...	1,828
sold..dollars 1949...	12,161	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,649
1944...	20,887	1949...	28,278
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	64	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944...	74	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	204
acres 1949...	47	1945...	299
1944...	21	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,380
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1950...	441
1944...	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	939
acres 1949...	2	1950...	5
1944...	6	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	354
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	436
1944...	26	1945...	792
acres 1949...	41	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,936
1944...	55	1945...	3,264
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	37	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	612
1944...	74	1950...	1,324
acres 1949...	10	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	13,213
1944...	44	1949...	73,845
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	9	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		1944...	

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	614	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	51
.....1945...	927	.....1945...	169
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	135,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	4
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	83.9	.....1945...	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	64,447	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	47
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	44,600	.....1945...	168
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,723	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	58
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,418	.....1945...	122
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	113,352	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	25
.....1945...	121,056	.....1945...	48
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	184.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945...	126.5	.....1945...	52
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	28,016	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	50
.....1945...	11,695	.....1945...	54
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	131.73	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	87
.....1945...	92.45	.....1945...	134
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	93
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	546	.....1945...	119
.....1944...	799	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	59
.....acres 1949...	53,121	.....1945...	95
.....1944...	59,889	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	47
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	54	.....1945...	64
.....1944...	157	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	90
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	39	.....1945...	86
.....1944...	56	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	22
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	33	.....1945...	13
.....1944...	33	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	8
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	39	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	87		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	164	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	242	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	152	White operators.....number 1950...	598
.....1944...	190	.....1945...	913
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	16
.....1944...	34	.....1945...	44
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	370	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....acres 1949...	16,981	Full owners.....number 1950...	353
.....1944...	16,110	.....1945...	537
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	177	Part owners.....number 1950...	59
.....acres 1949...	4,932	.....1945...	25
.....1944...	1,064	Managers.....number 1950...	11
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	152	.....1945...	56
.....acres 1949...	3,850	All tenants.....number 1950...	191
.....1944...	4,822	.....1945...	339
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	180	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	31.1
.....acres 1949...	6,577	.....1945...	35.4
.....1944...	6,130	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	27
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland)..farms reporting 1949...	401	.....1945...	88
.....1944...	785	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....acres 1949...	23,096	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	28,612	Share tenants.....number 1950...	124
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	585	.....1945...	161
.....1944...	936	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	96
.....acres 1949...	4,795	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	28
.....1944...	4,429	Croppers.....number 1950...	23
		.....1945...	34
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	9
		.....1945...	54
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	2
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	7
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	246
		.....1945...	327
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	464
		.....1945...	580
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	449
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.46
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	302
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	163
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	130
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	364
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	188
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	24
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	122
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	61
		.....number 1950...	61
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	99
		.....number 1950...	100
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	46
		.....number 1950...	48
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	131
		.....number 1950...	122
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	555		
.....1945...	878		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	53		
.....1945...	74		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	142		
Working off their farms, total.....operators reporting 1949...	230		
.....1944...	265		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	136		
.....1944...	223		

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a-Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	213	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	8
.....farms reporting 1945.....	306	General farms.....number 1950...	82
.....number 1950.....	501	.....number 1945.....	398
.....number 1945.....	378	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	13
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	339	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	5
.....farms reporting 1945.....	606	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	12
.....number 1950.....	381	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	12
.....number 1945.....	533		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	51	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	67
.....number 1950.....	19	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	3
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	433	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	12
.....farms reporting 1945.....	749	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	23
.....number 1950.....	658	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1945.....	916	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	12
Farms by class of work power:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	12
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Other farms.....number 1950.....	2
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	37	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	11
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	58	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	226	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	1
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	213		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,284,828
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	31	.....dollars 1944.....	3,669,728
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	181	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,987,862
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1945.....	219	.....dollars 1944.....	2,019,249
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	72	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	614,862
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1945.....	6	.....dollars 1944.....	605,625
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	282	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,761
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1945.....	41	.....dollars 1944.....	1,761,862
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.4	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,412,862
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	8,428
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	41	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,299,728
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	57	.....dollars 1944.....	1,540,728
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	979,982
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	0.4	.....dollars 1944.....	643,982
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	165,982
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	368	.....dollars 1944.....	242,214
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	76	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,143,862
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	60	.....dollars 1944.....	734,411
FARM LABOR^a		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,392
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	9,822
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	464	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	1,513	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	31
.....persons 1945.....	442	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	34
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	422	.....number 1950.....	591
.....persons 1950.....	217	.....number 1945.....	1,131
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	340	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	22
.....persons 1950.....	238	.....number 1950.....	2
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	751	.....number 1945.....	2,628
.....persons 1950.....			
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....persons 1950...		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	511
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....farms reporting 1945.....	771
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	504	.....number 1950...	15,628
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	419	.....number 1945.....	12,761
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	333	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	23
.....dollars 1949.....	73,588	.....farms reporting 1945 ² ...	726
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1945.....	409	.....number 1950...	1,177
.....dollars 1949.....	1,287,310	.....number 1945 ² ...	7,762
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	451	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	46
.....dollars 1949.....	271,194	.....number 1950...	6,211
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	370	.....number 1945...	38
.....dollars 1949.....	561,427	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,775
Stems, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	416	.....number 1950...	1,781
.....dollars 1949...	125,488	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	1,775
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	404	.....number 1950...	74
.....dollars 1949...	205,263	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,228
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	306	.....number 1950...	25
.....dollars 1949...	82,994	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	71
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	337	.....pounds 1949...	24,679,815
.....dollars 1949...	114,505	.....pounds 1944...	17,554,313
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....dollars 1945...	941,487
No sales.....number 1950...	14	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	212
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	96	.....farms reporting 1944...	23
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	5	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	65,179
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	5	.....pounds 1944...	110,666
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	31	.....dollars 1949...	31,123
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	5	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	30	.....dollars 1949...	592
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	125	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	103	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	448
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	80	.....farms reporting 1945...	613
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	95	.....number 1950...	12,149
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1945...	9,331
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	105	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	423
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	105	.....number 1950...	5,345
Cotton.....number 1950.....		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	315
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	6,609
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1945...	499
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	49	.....number 1950...	1,644
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	169	.....number 1945...	1,777
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	12		

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... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	98 174 ¹ 7,161 6,471	Corn: Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	496 665 14,909 16,046
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	97 3,960	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	488 648 13,658 14,260 636,342 366,052
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945 ¹ ... 1950... 1945 ¹ ...	96 171 3,723 5,953	Small grains: Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	324 11,193 17,140 206,647 391,701
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	88 237	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	102 38 1,402 272 41,294 4,411
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	92 3,201	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	10 39 82 277
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number shorn 1949... Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... 1944...	100 175 3,952 27,097 41,292	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	215 145 3,405 1,567 106,306 43,236
Average date of enumeration..... 1950... Apn.15-Apr.28		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	17 69 166 760 2,421 13,822
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949...	3 60 1,000
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	488 843 32,779 62,720	Annual legumes: Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ² ... acres 1949... 1944 ² ...	9 32 79 196
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	173 19,206 23,369	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	3 1 39 8 576 40 ¹
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... dozens 1949... dollars 1949...	354 161,963 62,987	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949...	3 14 15
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	16 1,072	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	..... ..... 4 26
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	24 46 10,865 5,302	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay: Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949...	458 14,694
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Alfalfa out for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	345 361 7,633 5,543 14,365 8,147
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	532 1,127,090	Clover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944... Lespedeza, out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	300 420 6,545 9,327 7,977 7,176 5 2 60 23 48 17
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	488 665 6,446 7,280 308 3,129 571,496	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	..... ..... 32 18
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	424 3,317 134,552		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949... 1944...	409 518 13,225 15,688 345,305		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949... 1944...	98 169 3,513 6,420 65,354		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	68 200 10,383		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949...	467 75 88		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	52 46 58 65 27 9 30 10		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	461 761 2,276 3,949		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	53 3,010		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	392	acres 1949...	
1944...	42	quarts 1949...	
tons 1949...	376	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	14	acres 1949...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	6	quarts 1949...	
acres 1949...	127	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	356	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	
Field crops (other):		1945...	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1950 ¹ ...	
1944...	2	1945...	
acres 1949...	813	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	25	1945...	
bushels 1949...	554	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...	25	1945...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	321	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	478	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949 ¹ ...	40	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944...	107	1944...	
bushels 1949...	5,435	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	7,032	1945...	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	32	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...	69	1945...	
acres 1949 ¹ ...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	99	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
bushels 1949...	329	quantity harvested, bushels 1949...	
1944...		1944...	
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...		1945...	
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...		1945...	
pounds 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944...		1944...	
acres 1949...		Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
gallons 1949...		1945...	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	522	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...	901	1945...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	45	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	14	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944...	49	1944...	
sold..dollars 1949...	470	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	3,093	1945...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944...	17	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		1944...	
1944...	10	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949...	1	1945...	
1944...	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1945...	
1944...	34	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	14	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	27	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944...	
1944...	17	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	1		
1944...	3		
acres 1949...			

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Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 581,120 1945... 19.4	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 49 1945... 487
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 19.4 1945... 18,120	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 366 1945... 1,208
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 95,619 1945... 18,120	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 597 1945... 1,138
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 964 1945... 1,619	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 375 1945... 550
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 1,619 1945... 113,084	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 275 1945... 493
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 113,084 1945... 184,486	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 210 1945... 396
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 51.7 1945... 39.3	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 162 1945... 246
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 51.7 1945... 39.3	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 60 1945... 72
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 7,232 1945... 3,207	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 41 1945... 60
.....average per acre, dollars	1950*... 134.51 1945... 81.59	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 18 1945... 26
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 28 1945... 45
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 1,673 1944... 4,453	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 6 1945... 13
.....acres	1949... 13,179 1944... 24,503	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 282 1944... 483		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 75 1944... 139	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 55 1944... 61	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 17 1944... 30	White operators.....number	1950... 2,182 1945... 4,660
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 4	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 5 1945... 34
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... 1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... 1	Full owners.....number	1950... 1,860 1945... 3,595
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 783 1944... 140	Part owners.....number	1950... 67 1945... 77
.....acres	1949... 14,675 1944... 2,169	Managers.....number	1950... 6 1945... 10
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 699 1944... 10,335	All tenants.....number	1950... 254 1945... 1,012
.....acres	1949... 5,227 1944... 780	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 11.6 1945... 21.6
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 1,039 1944... 18,212	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 122 1945... 830
.....acres	1949... 23,912 1944... 1,074	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 4 1945... 2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 2,191 1944... 32,409	Share tenants.....number	1950... 9 1945... 32
.....acres	1949... 54,960 1944... 754	Crop-share tenants.....number	1950... 8 1945... 1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 754 1944... 2,935	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 17
.....acres	1949... 15,836 1944... 68,156	Croppers.....number	1950... 13 1945... 102
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 2,009 1944... 3,422	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 135 1945... 27
.....acres	1949... 8,238 1944... 5,559	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 75 1945... ..
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... 1	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres	1949... .. 1944... 3	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 695 1945... 842
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 1,805 1945... 2,938
		From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 1,800 1945... 4,18
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 490 1945... 110
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 230 1945... 1,495
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 145 1945... 20
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 35 1945... ..
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 10
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 10
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 2,068 1945... 4,547		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 58 1945... 143		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 1,469		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 1,414 1944... 2,813		
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 1,264 1944... 2,693		

*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...	485	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	73
.....farms reporting 1945...	659	General farms.....number 1950...	22
.....number 1950...	545	.....number 1945...	22
.....number 1945...	729	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	14
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	230	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	16
.....farms reporting 1945...	120	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	14
.....number 1950...	250	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1,935
.....number 1945...	126		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	100	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	100	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	291
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	135	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
.....number 1950...	145	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	22
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	22
.....number 1950...	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	39
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	830	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	24
.....farms reporting 1945...	1,738	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	181
.....number 1950...	905	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,925
.....number 1945...	1,817	Part-time ².....number 1950...	377
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1,555
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	853	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	682	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	416	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,354,563
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	67	.....dollars 1944...	1,301,145
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	169	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	350,427
		.....dollars 1944...	223,397
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	24,437
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944...	14,315
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	230	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	35,581
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	725	.....dollars 1944...	32,282
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	570	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	28,835
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	551	.....dollars 1944...	19,061
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	279,737
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944...	157,454
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	636	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	681,765
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	240	.....dollars 1944...	1,064,641
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	500	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	510,469
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....dollars 1944...	599,656
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.2	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	232,899
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944...	290,653
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	811	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	272,395
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	320	.....dollars 1944...	174,284
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	875	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,554
		.....dollars 1944...	13,407
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,152
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,661	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,581
.....persons 1950...	2,527	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,653
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,635	.....number 1950...	1,613
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,470	.....number 1945...	2,091
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	585	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	133
.....persons 1950...	820	.....farms reporting 1945...	211
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	156	.....number 1950...	232
.....persons 1950...	237	.....number 1945...	313
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,787	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,556
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	607	.....farms reporting 1945...	2,567
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	221	.....number 1950...	6,247
.....dollars 1949...	8,508	.....number 1945...	12,131
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	462	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,475
.....dollars 1949...	189,739	.....farms reporting 1945...	2,651
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,551	.....number 1950...	3,631
.....dollars 1949...	608,172	.....number 1945...	6,431
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	896	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,421
.....dollars 1949...	125,080	.....number 1950...	3,478
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,002	.....number 1945...	1,421
.....dollars 1949...	47,837	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	500
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	327	.....number 1950...	1,350
.....dollars 1949...	32,623	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	713
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	81	.....number 1950...	627
.....dollars 1949...	11,043	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	517
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	156	.....number 1950...	970
.....dollars 1949...	15,184	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	121
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....farms reporting 1944...	406
No sales.....number 1950...	719	.....pounds 1949...	8,542,721
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	820	.....pounds 1944...	10,482,458
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	201	.....dollars 1949...	482,157
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	144	.....farms reporting 1949...	97
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	150	.....number 1944...	8
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	36	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	14,311
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	26	.....number 1944...	8,608
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	14	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	5,555
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	33	.....dollars 1949...	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	14	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	235
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	30	.....dollars 1949...	19,301
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	9	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,322
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		.....farms reporting 1945...	2,052
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....number 1950...	3,820
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	9	.....number 1945...	5,658
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	911
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	2,552
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	58	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	311
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	52	.....number 1950...	1,721
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	124
		.....farms reporting 1945...	29
		.....number 1950...	33
		.....number 1945...	54

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...	20	Corn:	
1945.....	24	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,035
number 1950.....	672	1944.....	2,121
1945.....	479	acres 1949...	3,529
		1944.....	7,370
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	947
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	19	1944.....	2,072
number 1950.....	353	acres 1949...	3,033
		1944.....	6,954
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	19	bushels 1949...	80,996
number 1945...	15	1944.....	127,115
number 1950...	320		
1945...	251	Small grains:	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	13	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950...	33		
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	17	acres 1949...	76
number 1950...	319	1944.....	85
		bushels 1949...	1,134
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1944.....	1,299
1944.....	18		
number shorn 1949...	359	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	1,907	1944.....	8
1944.....	2,230	acres 1949...	61
		1944.....	67
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 29-May 12	bushels 1949...	1,240
		1944.....	969
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	154
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,753	1944.....	335
1945.....	3,545	acres 1949...	518
number 1950...	77,063	1944.....	1,017
1945.....	127,110		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	447	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	74,678	1944.....	6
dollars 1949...	74,744	acres 1949...	35
		1944.....	1
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	609	bushels 1949...	10
dozens 1949...	249,074	1944.....	150
dollars 1949...	119,892		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	47	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	227	1944.....	10
		acres 1949...	150
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	57	bushels 1949...	150
1944...	34		
number 1949...	1,298	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	751	1949...	6
		acres 1949...	35
		bushels 1949...	1
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Annual legumes:	
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,046	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	254
dollars 1949...	258,442	1944...	740
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	856	acres 1949...	693
1944...	969	1944...	2,347
number 1949...	2,807	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	3,302	1944...	6
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	375	acres 1949...	13
number 1949...	1,095	1944...	12
dollars 1949...	134,234	bushels 1949...	93
		1944...	142
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	681	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	223
number 1949...	1,712	acres 1949...	613
dollars 1949...	68,874	tons 1949...	825
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	297	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
1944...	249	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	12
number 1949...	2,256	acres 1949...	32
1944...	2,158	Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949...	19
dollars 1949...	41,395	acres 1949...	35
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	20		
1944...	12	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
number 1949...	350	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	839
1944...	146	acres 1949...	6,028
dollars 1949...	4,914	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	73	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	85
number 1949...	115	1944...	53
dollars 1949...	9,025	acres 1949...	509
		1944...	293
FARM SLAUGHTER		tons 1949...	846
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,557	1944...	564
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	94	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	496
number 1949...	130	1944...	581
		acres 1949...	3,024
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	40	1944...	3,850
1944...	99	tons 1949...	3,367
number 1949...	71	1944...	3,499
1944...	139	Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	141
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	56	1944...	111
1944...	44	acres 1949...	657
number 1949...	59	1944...	474
1944...	53	tons 1949...	870
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,540	1944...	378
1944...	3,314	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
number 1949...	2,793	small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	52
1944...	6,760	1944...	75
		acres 1949...	160
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944...	280
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	67	tons 1949...	163
dollars 1949...	7,488	1944...	168

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--Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	275	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	79
acres 1949...	1,645	acres 1949...	43
1944...	2,955	quarts 1949...	20,635
tons 1949...	1,996	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	41
1944...	2,088	acres 1949...	25
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quarts 1949...	8,585
acres 1949...	34	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	140	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,420
Field crops (other):		1945...	1,122
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1950 ² ...	1,260
1944.....	.....	1945...	1,749
acres 1949...	10	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,405
1944.....	.....	1945...	3,143
bushels 1949...	8	trees of all ages..number 1950...	39,238
1944.....	.....	1945...	63,959
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,078	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,965
1944.....	2,261	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	31,273
acres 1949 ¹ ..	271	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	19,082
1944.....	616	1944...	43,374
bushels 1949...	22,972	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	686
1944.....	28,559	1945...	1,752
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	305	trees of all ages..number 1950...	9,518
1944.....	643	1945...	27,215
acres 1949 ¹ ..	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,420
1944.....	93	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,095
bushels 1949...	1,675	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	543
1944.....	4,429	1944...	5,743
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	510
1944.....	23	1945...	767
acres 1949...	17	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,577
1944.....	21	1945...	3,176
pounds 1949...	20,155	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	632
1944.....	16,918	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	945
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	6	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	251
acres 1949...	4	1944...	1,650
gallons 1949...	306	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	634
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,846	1945...	1,232
1944.....	4,515	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,507
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	106	1945...	9,070
1944.....	192	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,547
acres 1949...	175	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,960
1944.....	179	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,630
sold..dollars 1949...	25,521	1944...	24,722
1944.....	32,282	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	464
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	90	1945...	711
1944.....	106	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,876
acres 1949...	45	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	673
1944.....	43	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,206
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	17	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	235
1944.....	21	1944...	1,410
acres 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	538
1944.....	5	1945...	1,039
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	75	1950...	5,494
1944.....	63	vines of all ages..number 1945...	8,312
acres 1949...	57	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,153
1944.....	45	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	4,341
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	86	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	13,514
1944.....	110	1944...	33,247
acres 1949...	38		
1944.....	40		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	31		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage 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.

Table with 4 columns: Item, County total, Item, County total. Sections include FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE; FARMS BY SIZE; FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR; and SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT.

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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...	315	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	402
.....number 1945...	213	General farms.....number 1950...	41
.....number 1950...	372	.....number 1945...	238
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	209	.....number 1950...	5
.....number 1945...	69	.....number 1950...	36
.....number 1950...	241	.....number 1950...	919
.....number 1945...	78	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	163	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	591
.....number 1950...	177	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	2
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	46	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	28
.....number 1950...	53	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	49
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	116
.....number 1950...	11	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	163
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	585	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	213
.....number 1945...	726	Other farms.....number 1950...	100
.....number 1950...	675	Part-time.....number 1950...	270
.....number 1945...	794	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	634
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	5
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	456	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	220	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,777,061
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	605	.....dollars 1944...	1,304,949
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	166	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	48,403
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	53	.....dollars 1944...	73,392
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	21,124
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944...	22,780
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	85	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	3,159
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	461	.....dollars 1944...	17,560
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	349	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	10,126
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	499	.....dollars 1944...	25,631
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	13,400
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944...	7,421
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	506	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,674,974
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	131	.....dollars 1944...	1,203,884
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	335	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	369,723
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	30	.....dollars 1944...	251,478
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	0.9	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	164,783
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944...	127,858
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	639	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,140,468
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	175	.....dollars 1944...	821,518
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	533	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	53,704
FARM LABOR⁴		.....dollars 1944...	28,673
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,091	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,002
.....persons 1950...	1,958	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	983
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,054	.....number 1950...	1,023
Operators.....persons 1950...	979	.....number 1945...	2,680
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	455	.....number 1950...	2,251
.....persons 1950...	588	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	41
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	244	.....number 1945...	30
.....persons 1950...	391	.....number 1950...	69
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵		.....number 1945...	61
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,190	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	780	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,301
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	361	.....number 1945...	1,395
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	17,125	.....number 1950...	18,395
.....dollars 1949...	695	.....number 1945...	18,748
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	282,781	Gows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,279
.....dollars 1949...	1,004	.....number 1945...	1,365
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	380,650	.....number 1950...	7,947
.....dollars 1949...	664	.....number 1945...	8,864
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	402,729	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,188
.....dollars 1949...	782	.....number 1950...	4,898
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	33,229	.....number 1950...	693
.....dollars 1949...	365	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,757
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	56,185	.....number 1950...	454
.....dollars 1949...	107	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,918
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	10,160	.....number 1950...	735
.....dollars 1949...	262	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,653
.....dollars 1949...	16,292	.....number 1950...	1,590
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	182
No sales.....number 1950...	211	.....pounds 1949...	6,827,547
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	423	.....pounds 1944...	5,382,415
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	151	.....dollars 1949...	320,448
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	110	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	337
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	203	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	375
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	65	.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	84,431
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	142	.....dollars 1949...	93,144
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	99	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	43,965
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	27	.....dollars 1949...	94
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	39	.....dollars 1949...	5,310
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	30	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	798
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1945...	766
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	2,634
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	2,278
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	5	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	672
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	1,830
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	215
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	102	.....number 1950...	804
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	31	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	123
	number 1945...	132
	number 1950...	226
	number 1945...	236

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³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	470 587 18,796 12,942	Corn: Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1,046 1,179 3,749 4,767
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	459 10,153	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1,017 1,175 3,349 4,543 158,627 197,744
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945 ¹ ... number 1950... 1945 ¹ ...	457 581 9,535 12,140	Small grains: Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	30 123 400 2,188 7,332
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	309 618	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	11 22 32 84 703 1,797
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	437 8,643	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	83 44 215 148
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number shorn 1949... 1944... pounds 1949... 1944...	445 589 9,991 44,140 55,534	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	3 1 6 2 150 56
Average date of enumeration..... 1950... Apr.15-Apr.28		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1 8 96
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bushels 1949...	..... ..... .....
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	1,256 1,367 49,293 54,922	Annual legumes: Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	51 107 173 324
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	351 56,731 56,279	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1 1 1 2
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... dozens 1949... dollars 1949...	665 269,444 98,956	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... tons 1949...	38 97 194
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	27 143	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... acres 1949...	9 54 9
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	29 33 1,341 1,043	Soybeans plowed under for green manure...farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	22
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay: Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1,300 20,933
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	1,110 1,109,220	Alfalfa out for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	55 22 352 136 683 231
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949... 1944...	1,040 1,182 7,836 10,231 588 4,370 734,818	Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	532 814 7,685 12,065 11,348 15,431
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	588 4,370 734,818	Lespedeza cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	122 122 990 575 1,415 866
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	890 3,466 189,114	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	136 149 486 593 863 844
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949... 1944...	297 312 2,163 2,298 39,473		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949... 1944...	422 547 8,600 11,469 137,404		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	52 77 8,411		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949...	1,119 81 86		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	69 185 71 209		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	12 12 15 27		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	1,110 1,267 2,329 3,342		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	101 7,992		

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

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SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	320	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	41
.....1945.....	175	.....number 1950.....	41
.....number 1950.....	365	General farms.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	185	.....number 1950.....	41
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	9	.....number 1950.....	41
.....number 1950.....	35	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	11	.....number 1950.....	41
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	15	.....number 1950.....	41
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	20	.....number 1950.....	41
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	20	.....number 1950.....	41
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	295	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	297	.....number 1950.....	41
.....number 1950.....	415	.....number 1950.....	41
.....1945.....	260	.....number 1950.....	41
Farms by class of work power:		.....number 1950.....	41
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	643	.....number 1950.....	41
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	824	.....number 1950.....	41
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	705	.....number 1950.....	41
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	21	.....number 1950.....	41
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	15	.....number 1950.....	41
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	41
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	460	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	41
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,270	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	41
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	175	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	41
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	230	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	41
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	4	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	41
Distances over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	41
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	465	Other farms.....number 1950.....	41
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	275	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	41
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	870	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	41
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	55	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	41
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	445	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	848,188
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	205	.....dollars 1944.....	828,188
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,430	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	482,882
FARM LABOR^A		.....dollars 1944.....	462,882
Week preceding enumeration:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	44,187
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,500	.....dollars 1944.....	44,087
.....persons 1950.....	2,060	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,882
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,490	.....dollars 1944.....	2,882
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,255	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,882
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	580	.....dollars 1944.....	2,882
.....persons 1950.....	750	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,882
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	30	.....dollars 1944.....	2,882
.....persons 1950.....	55	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,882
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		.....dollars 1944.....	2,882
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,775	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	183,188
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	535	.....dollars 1944.....	183,188
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	115	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	67,882
.....dollars 1949.....	3,190	.....dollars 1944.....	67,882
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	460	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	158,882
.....dollars 1949.....	74,790	.....dollars 1944.....	158,882
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,525	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	77,882
.....dollars 1949.....	153,440	.....dollars 1944.....	77,882
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	615	HORSES AND MULES	
.....dollars 1949.....	43,310	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,400
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,160	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,400
.....dollars 1949.....	34,690	.....1945.....	1,400
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	120	.....number 1950.....	1,400
.....dollars 1949.....	12,985	.....number 1945.....	1,400
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	2,882
.....dollars 1949.....	1,270	.....number 1945.....	2,882
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	125	.....number 1950.....	2,882
.....dollars 1949.....	6,075	.....number 1945.....	2,882
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
No sales.....number 1950.....	652	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,882
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	839	.....1945.....	2,882
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	119	.....number 1950.....	2,882
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	219	.....number 1945.....	2,882
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	154	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	2,882
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	129	.....1945 ³	2,882
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	65	.....number 1950.....	2,882
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	23	.....number 1945.....	2,882
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	.....	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	2,882
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	2,882
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	8	.....number 1945.....	2,882
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,882
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	368	.....number 1950.....	2,882
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	2,882
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,882
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	368	.....number 1950.....	2,882
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	2,882
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,882
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	4	.....number 1950.....	2,882
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	4	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,882
		.....1944.....	2,882
		.....pounds 1949.....	1,199,882
		.....1944.....	1,199,882
		.....dollars 1949.....	48,882
		.....1944.....	48,882
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	8,882
		.....1944.....	8,882
		.....dollars 1949.....	4,882
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2,882
		.....dollars 1949.....	2,882
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,400
		.....1945.....	1,400
		.....number 1950.....	1,400
		.....number 1945.....	1,400
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	1,400
		.....number 1950.....	1,400
		.....number 1950.....	1,400
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,400
		.....number 1950.....	1,400
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	1,400
	1945.....	1,400
	number 1950.....	1,400
	number 1945.....	1,400

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	9	Corn:	
1945.....	8	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,531
number 1950.....	200	1944.....	1,733
1945.....	107	acres 1949.....	6,552
1945.....		1944.....	9,319
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,521
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	8	1944.....	1,691
number 1950.....	102	acres 1949.....	6,518
1944.....		1944.....	9,207
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	8	bushels 1949.....	189,197
number 1945 ¹	7	1944.....	171,405
number 1950.....	92	Small grains:	
1945 ¹	77	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	18
number 1950.....	5	acres 1949.....	63
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	8	1944.....	92
number 1950.....	98	bushels 1949.....	1,183
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	8	1944.....	928
number 1950.....	98	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	30
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944.....	9
1944.....	5	acres 1949.....	112
number shorn 1949.....	83	1944.....	37
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	446	bushels 1949.....	2,118
1944.....	394	1944.....	411
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	271
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	316
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,939	acres 1949.....	857
1945.....	1,966	1944.....	1,232
number 1950.....	65,535	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	67,718	1944.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	355	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	23,996	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	25,846	bushels 1949.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	685	1944.....	
dozens 1949.....	97,579	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	41,228	1944.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	44	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	128	1944.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	26	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	14	1944.....	
number 1949.....	151	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	96	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....		bushels 1949.....	80
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	277
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	939	1944 ²	362
dollars 1949.....	146,728	acres 1949.....	647
1944.....		1944 ²	891
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	828	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	574	1944.....	
number 1949.....	1,787	acres 1949.....	12
1944.....	2,101	1944.....	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	260	bushels 1949.....	118
number 1949.....	705	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	76,225	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	275
1944.....		acres 1949.....	625
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	665	1944.....	1,170
number 1949.....	1,082	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949.....	47,214	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	204	1944.....	
1944.....	129	Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949.....	1,243	acres 1949.....	10
1944.....	891	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	17,089	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	774
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944.....	4,472
number 1949.....	4	Alfalfa out for hay (or for	
1944.....	89	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	57
dollars 1949.....	41	1944.....	31
1944.....		acres 1949.....	155
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,230	1944.....	88
number 1949.....	46	tons 1949.....	232
dollars 1949.....	4,970	1944.....	135
FARM SLAUGHTER		Clover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	579
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,470	1944.....	372
number 1949.....	16	acres 1949.....	3,243
1944.....	16	1944.....	2,768
number 1949.....	8	tons 1949.....	3,629
1944.....	47	1944.....	2,489
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	8	Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	189
number 1949.....	8	1944.....	263
1944.....	56	acres 1949.....	771
number 1949.....	33	1944.....	1,348
1944.....	8	tons 1949.....	802
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	39	1944.....	1,148
number 1949.....	1,469	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
1944.....	1,734	small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	49
dollars 1949.....	2,627	1944.....	16
1944.....	3,505	acres 1949.....	156
1944.....		1944.....	64
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	38	tons 1949.....	150
number 1949.....	1,745	1944.....	53
1944.....			
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	38		
dollars 1949.....	1,745		

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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 spe ed annual legumes and sorghum hay—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	64	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	10
acres 1949...	175	acres 1949...	12
1944...	157	quarts 1949...	257
tons 1949...	208		
1944...	130	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	6
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	.....	quarts 1949...	655
tons..green weight 1949...	.....	
Field crops(other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,254
1944...	2	acres 1945...	682
acres 1949...	21	acres 1950 ² ...	1,122
1944...	4	1945...	722
bushels 1949...	14	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,221
1944...	2	1945...	1,275
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,638	trees of all ages..number 1950...	31,695
1944...	1,769	1945...	39,683
acres 1949...	427	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	8,954
1944...	426	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	22,711
bushels 1949...	38,771	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	15,182
1944...	34,144	1944...	25,629
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	662	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	730
1944...	633	1945...	894
acres 1949...	24	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,134
1944...	79	1945...	18,879
bushels 1949...	5,506	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,671
1944...	7,911	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,463
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	653	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	786
1944...	703	1944...	4,649
acres 1949...	784	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	365
1944...	965	1945...	295
pounds 1949...	1,021,912	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,243
1944...	925,637	1945...	824
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	567
acres 1949...	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	676
gallons 1949...	640	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	277
1944...	640	1944...	379
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,018	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	397
1944...	2,376	1945...	372
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	38	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,593
1944...	65	1945...	2,661
acres 1949...	34	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,020
1944...	52	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,513
sold..dollars 1949...	3,560	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,498
1944...	8,311	1944...	5,749
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	33	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	266
1944...	19	1945...	197
acres 1949...	19	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,463
1944...	22	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	599
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	869
1944...	5	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	161
acres 1949...	1	1944...	82
1944...	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	220
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945...	399
1944...	3	1945...	399
acres 1949...	5	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,076
1944...	3	1945...	2,332
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	13	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	481
1944...	11	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	595
acres 1949...	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,611
1944...	6	1944...	5,911
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	5		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	175	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	144	General farms.....number 1950...	6
.....number 1950...	190	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	153	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	6
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	7	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	227
.....number 1950...	10		
.....1945.....	10	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	22
.....number 1950...	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	.....
.....number 1950...	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	.....
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	6
.....number 1950...	.....	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	.....
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	160	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950...	22
.....1945.....	209	Other farms.....number 1950...	221
.....number 1950...	165	Part-time.....number 1950...	73
.....1945.....	218	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	743
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	206		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	422	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	111	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	202,242
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	5	.....1944.....	235,193
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	5	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	19,340
		.....1944.....	32,472
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	16,934
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	21,547
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	105	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	1,389
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	360	.....1944.....	4,669
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	130	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,017
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	230	.....1944.....	5,931
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	623
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	200	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	173,221
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	110	.....1944.....	179,166
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	280	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	104,273
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	45	.....1944.....	101,137
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.4	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	25,954
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	32,552
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	250	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	42,964
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	35	.....1944.....	43,477
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	545	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,081
		.....1944.....	21,555
FARM LABOR⁴		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	490
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	580	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	369
.....persons 1950...	995	.....number 1950...	322
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	580	.....1945.....	446
Operators.....persons 1950...	495	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	692
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	290	.....number 1950...	142
.....persons 1950...	500	.....1945.....	219
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	182
.....persons 1950...	.....	.....1945.....	269
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	495	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	551
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	60	.....number 1950...	1,132
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	15	.....1945.....	1,420
.....1944.....	1,580	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	520
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	65	.....number 1950...	1,660
.....1944.....	9,790	.....number 1950...	629
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	445	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	452
.....dollars 1949...	60,255	.....number 1950...	742
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	255	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	131
.....dollars 1949...	14,095	.....number 1950...	252
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	335	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	43
.....dollars 1949...	7,490	.....number 1950...	77
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	190
.....dollars 1949...	1,795	.....number 1950...	262
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	72
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....1944.....	113
.....dollars 1949...	175	.....pounds 1949...	1,144,821
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	1,456,866
No sales.....number 1950...	460	.....dollars 1949...	103,626
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	283	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	58	.....1944.....	9
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	10	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	997
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	11	.....1944.....	845
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	21	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	.....	.....dollars 1949...	736
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	6		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	.....	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	339
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	757
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	949
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	10	.....1945.....	1,763
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	310
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	673
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	10	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	105
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	276
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	48
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945.....	137
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	6	.....number 1950...	63
		.....1945.....	207

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	5
acres 1949...	31	acres 1949...	2
1944...	20	quarts 1949...	1,180
tons 1949...	37		
1944...	27	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	quarts 1949...	.....
acres 1949...	.....	
tons, green weight 1949...	.....	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	567
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	877
1944...	.....	acres 1950 ¹ ...	541
acres 1949...	5	1945...	644
1944...	.....	
bushels 1949...	4	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	550
1944...	.....	1945...	1,044
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	17,244
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	446	1945...	25,738
1944...	1,178		
acres 1949 ¹ ...	140	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,648
1944...	423	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12,596
bushels 1949...	10,253	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,781
1944...	25,442	1944...	24,390
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	95	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	271
1944...	598	1945...	723
acres 1949 ¹ ...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,405
1944...	111	1945...	8,611
bushels 1949...	1,050		
1944...	7,661	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,333
		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,072
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	24	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	35
1944...	32	1944...	2,735
acres 1949...	22		
1944...	39	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	165
pounds 1949...	26,252	1945...	281
1944...	31,001	trees of all ages..number 1950...	568
		1945...	756
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	266
acres 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	302
gallons 1949...	88	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	61
		1944...	1,087
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	619	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	212
1944...	1,322	1945...	451
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	8	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,127
1944...	42	1945...	2,564
acres 1949...	34		
1944...	57	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	505
sold..dollars 1949...	1,389	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	622
1944...	4,669	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	303
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11	1944...	8,382
1944...	11		
acres 1949...	5	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	152
1944...	4	1945...	233
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	859
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	309
1944...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	550
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	9
1944...	2	1944...	897
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	149
1944...	6	1945...	321
acres 1949...	15	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,363
1944...	4	1945...	3,191
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	10		
1944...	22	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	581
acres 1949...	6	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	782
1944...	8	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,069
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	4	1944...	15,866

¹For 1949, does not include acreage 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...	1,134	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	303
.....1945...	1,467	.....1945...	347
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	341,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	75
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	18.0	.....1945...	39
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	24,917	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	228
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	36,844	.....1945...	308
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	346
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	192	.....1945...	504
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	61,569	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	162
.....1945...	66,460	.....1945...	201
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	54.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	96
.....1945...	45.3	.....1945...	166
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	3,458	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	79
.....1945...	1,717	.....1945...	88
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	81.10	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	57
.....1945...	37.89	.....1945...	75
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	23
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	832	.....1945...	19
.....1944...	1,369	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	22
.....acres 1949...	3,549	.....1945...	23
.....1944...	5,670	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	3
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	760	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	1,234	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	26
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	55	.....1945...	26
.....1944...	115	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	16
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....1945...	13
.....1944...	15	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	4	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	1	White operators.....number 1950...	1,220
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	1,448
.....1944...	.....	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	14
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945...	19
.....1944...	.....	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	392	Full owners.....number 1950...	673
.....1944...	325	.....1945...	953
acres 1949...	4,834	Part owners.....number 1950...	13
1944...	2,521	.....1945...	27
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	361	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949...	5,852	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	6,571	All tenants.....number 1950...	448
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	226	.....1945...	487
.....acres 1949...	159	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	39.5
.....1944...	2,667	.....1945...	33.2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	619	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	338
.....acres 1949...	1,042	.....1945...	485
.....1944...	34,928	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	43,670	.....1945...	.....
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	52	Share tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	347	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	1,296	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944...	4,283	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	971	Croppers.....number 1950...	1
.....acres 1949...	758	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	4,460	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	103
.....1944...	1,078	.....1945...	2
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	24
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	79
.....1944...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	55
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	15
FARM OPERATORS		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	685
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,099	.....1945...	551
.....1945...	1,462	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	655
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	10	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.29
.....1945...	3	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	100
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	892	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	50
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	759	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	530
.....1944...	986	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	25
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	664	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
.....1944...	952	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milk machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Orain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		.....number 1950...	10
		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...	180	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	5
.....farms reporting 1945.....	106	General farms.....number 1950.....	19
.....number 1950.....	185	.....number 1950.....	19
.....farms reporting 1945.....	109	.....number 1950.....	19
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	.....number 1950.....	19
.....farms reporting 1945.....	2	.....number 1950.....	19
.....number 1950.....	30	.....number 1950.....	1,090
.....farms reporting 1945.....	2		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	44
.....number 1950.....	10	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	4
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	6
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	245	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	3
.....farms reporting 1945.....	242	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,090
.....number 1950.....	255	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	89
.....farms reporting 1945.....	244	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1,001
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	539	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	468	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	99,884
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	100	.....dollars 1944.....	117,173
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	16,623
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	11	.....dollars 1944.....	21,360
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,551
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	4,588
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	95	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,855
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	551	.....dollars 1944.....	3,825
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	288	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,817
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	.....dollars 1944.....	12,642
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	303
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	195	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	69,118
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	95	.....dollars 1944.....	87,427
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	446	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,082
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	.....dollars 1944.....	17,567
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.0	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,979
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....dollars 1944.....	39,628
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	225	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	37,263
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	.....dollars 1944.....	30,217
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	706	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,900
FARM LABOR^a		.....dollars 1944.....	8,426
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	601	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	586
.....persons 1950.....	926	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	497
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	391	.....farms reporting 1945.....	501
Operators.....persons 1950.....	516	.....number 1950.....	585
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	240	.....farms reporting 1945.....	569
.....persons 1950.....	375	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	158
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	.....farms reporting 1945.....	161
.....persons 1950.....	35	.....number 1950.....	115
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....farms reporting 1945.....	169
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	816	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	100	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	757
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	10	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,274
.....dollars 1949.....	125	.....number 1950.....	1,597
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	90	.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,794
.....dollars 1949.....	7,970	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	737
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	756	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,223
.....dollars 1949.....	105,365	.....number 1950.....	984
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	350	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,755
.....dollars 1949.....	21,515	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	687
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	475	.....number 1950.....	910
.....dollars 1949.....	10,970	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	142
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	90	.....number 1950.....	241
.....dollars 1949.....	7,920	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	45
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	.....number 1950.....	88
.....dollars 1949.....	350	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	190
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	.....number 1950.....	242
.....dollars 1949.....	545	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	37
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....farms reporting 1944.....	97
No sales.....number 1950.....	585	.....pounds 1949.....	40,176
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	416	.....pounds 1944.....	244,188
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	59	Cream sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,041
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	41	.....dollars 1949.....	20
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	23	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	?
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	6	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	1,351
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	.....	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	1,000
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	782
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	.....	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	44
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	4	.....dollars 1949.....	2,249
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	.....	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	462
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945.....	889
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,035
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	2,147
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	354
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1950.....	713
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	4	.....number 1950.....	140
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	9	.....number 1950.....	322
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	4	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	35
	farms reporting 1945.....	71
	number 1950.....	64
	number 1950.....	93

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	15	Corn:	
1945...	25	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	600
number 1950...	205	1944...	961
1945...	286	acres 1949...	1,521
		1944...	2,687
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	493
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	14	1944...	945
number 1950...	138	acres 1949...	1,266
		1944...	2,663
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	14	bushels 1949...	30,494
number 1945 ¹ ..	24	1944...	58,422
number 1950...	118		
1945 ² ..	243	Small grains:	
	10	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	20	acres 1949...	11
number 1950...	67	1944...	2
		bushels 1949...	116
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	10	1944...	50
number 1950...	67		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944...	20	1944...	9
number shorn 1949...	103	acres 1949...	36
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	368	1944...	13
1944...	920	bushels 1949...	585
		1944...	260
Average date of emumeration..... 1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	39
		1944...	95
		acres 1949...	106
		1944...	258
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	
		bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	
		bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
		Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres 1949...	4
		1944...	48
		bushels 1949...	
		Annual legumes:	
		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		1944 ² ..	27
		acres 1949...	15
		1944 ² ..	45
		Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	
		1944...	
		bushels 1949...	
		1944...	
		Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8
		acres 1949...	11
		1944...	13
		tons 1949...	
		Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
		out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		acres 1949...	4
		1944...	
		Soybeans plowed under for green manure..farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	186
		acres 1949...	526
		Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
		dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	5
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	7
		1944...	
		tons 1949...	12
		1944...	
		Clover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	154
		1944...	108
		acres 1949...	433
		1944...	387
		tons 1949...	524
		1944...	393
		Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	7
		1944...	
		tons 1949...	8
		1944...	
		Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
		small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	11
		1944...	6
		acres 1949...	20
		1944...	23
		tons 1949...	24
		1944...	24

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	21	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	6
acres 1949...	52	acres 1949...	2
1944...	223	quarts 1949...	1,073
tons 1949...	49		
1944...	176	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	2
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949...	(*) 94
acres 1949...		quarts 1949...	
tons..green weight 1949...			
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	751
1944...		acres 1945...	679
acres 1949...	3	acres 1950*	646
1944...		1945...	677
bushels 1949...	3		
1944...		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	741
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	633	1945...	937
1944...	1,129	trees of all ages..number 1950...	23,196
acres 1949 ¹ ...	236	1945...	31,834
1944...	419	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,733
bushels 1949...	14,165	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	15,443
1944...	21,493	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12,834
Sweet potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	151	1944...	44,534
1944...	466		
acres 1949 ¹ ...	11	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	238
1944...	76	1945...	343
bushels 1949...	1,495	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,243
1944...	6,517	1945...	4,166
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,688
1944...	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,535
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	94
1944...		1944...	328
pounds 1949...	300		
1944...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	190
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	243
acres 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	719
gallons 1949...	150	1945...	665
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	892	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	378
1944...	1,319	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	341
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	20	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	55
1944...	24	1944...	347
acres 1949...	30		
1944...	28	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	334
acres 1949...	1,855	1945...	405
1944...	3,825	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,840
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	13	1945...	2,302
1944...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	724
acres 1949...	12	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,116
1944...	61	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,203
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1944...	33,994
1944...	6		
acres 1949...	2	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	129
1944...	1	1945...	173
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	15	trees of all ages..number 1950...	642
1944...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	234
acres 1949...	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	408
1944...	6	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	30
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944...	276
1944...	15		
acres 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	225
1944...	7	1945...	388
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,644
		1945...	2,036
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	732
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	912
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,994
		1944...	52,046

¹For 1949, does not include acreage for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.

²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

*Less than 1 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...	2,081	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	241
.....1945...	2,686	.....1945...	481
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	197,760	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	65.9	.....1945...	52
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	114,633	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	229
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,208	.....1945...	429
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	688	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	517
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,168	.....1945...	667
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	130,361	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	348
.....1945...	148,617	.....1945...	428
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	62.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	289
.....1945...	35.3	.....1945...	341
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*..	5,387	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	285
.....1945...	3,181	.....1945...	300
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*..	85.24	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	210
.....1945...	37.50	.....1945...	250
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	86
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,789	.....1945...	109
.....1944...	2,455	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	49
.....acres 1949...	21,091	.....1945...	52
.....1944...	27,901	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	18
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,045	.....1945...	22
.....1944...	1,469	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	32
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	427	.....1945...	33
.....1944...	526	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	5
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	177	.....1945...	3
.....1944...	262	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	95	.....1945...	
.....1944...	143	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	37	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	49	White operators.....number 1950...	2,074
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	7	.....1945...	2,677
.....1944...	5	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	7
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	9
.....1944...	1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	988	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,773
.....1944...	82	.....1945...	2,218
.....acres 1949...	27,857	Part owners.....number 1950...	117
.....1944...	1,135	.....1945...	113
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	302	Managers.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	6,287	.....1945...	4
.....acres 1949...	3,452	All tenants.....number 1950...	186
.....1944...	652	.....1945...	351
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	570	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	8.9
.....1944...	12,415	.....1945...	15.1
.....acres 1949...	8,943	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	77
.....1944...	862	.....1945...	256
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,055	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	22,889	.....1945...	
.....acres 1949...	22,700	Share tenants.....number 1950...	0
.....1944...		.....1945...	29
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,056	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	2,347	.....1945...	2
.....acres 1949...	33,279	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	78,031	.....1945...	6
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,785	Croppers.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	2,271	.....1945...	92
.....acres 1949...	6,543	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	59
.....1944...	6,455	.....1945...	38
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	54
.....1944...		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949...		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	961
.....1944...		.....1945...	1,074
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,816
.....1944...		.....1945...	1,595
.....acres 1949...		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,801
.....1944...		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.54
FARM OPERATORS		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	390
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,946	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	150
.....1945...	2,548	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	170
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	85	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,585
.....1945...	135	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	240
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,370	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	25
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,381	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	50
.....1944...	1,602	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	5
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,188	.....number 1950...	5
.....1944...	1,485	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	6
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		.....number 1950...	35
		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*--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	431	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	110
.....farms reporting 1945.....	378	General farms.....number 1950.....	71
.....number 1950.....	467	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	412	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1950.....	311	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	131	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	339	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	139	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1950.....	186	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	189	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1950.....	145	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	145	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1950.....	980	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,460	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	1,120	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,583	.....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:		.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	789	.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	362	.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and /or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	621	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	135	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	174	.....number 1950.....	.....
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	295
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	100	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	790	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	13
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	866	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	19
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	310	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	34
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	85
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	147
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	721	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1,786
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	305	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	446
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	645	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1,346
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	25	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.8	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Kind of road on which farm is located:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	936,359
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	801	.....dollars 1944.....	927,056
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	230	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	59,374
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,000	.....dollars 1944.....	73,760
FARM LABOR*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	15,522
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	20,345
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,551	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	4,870
.....persons 1950.....	2,161	.....dollars 1944.....	10,731
.....farms reporting 1950...	1,931	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	13,217
.....persons 1950.....	1,471	.....dollars 1944.....	21,962
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	421	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	25,653
.....persons 1950.....	556	.....dollars 1944.....	10,722
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	1,471	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	839,128
.....persons 1950.....	1,471	.....dollars 1944.....	814,766
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	421	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	232,456
.....persons 1950.....	556	.....dollars 1944.....	315,658
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	101	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	195,074
.....persons 1950...	134	.....dollars 1944.....	190,923
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	391,478
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,811	.....dollars 1944.....	308,373
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	791	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	38,457
.....dollars 1949...	521	.....dollars 1944.....	35,364
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	20,690	HORSES AND MULES	
.....dollars 1949...	541	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,181
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	127,140	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,137
.....dollars 1949...	1,691	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,235
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	439,980	.....number 1950.....	2,061
.....dollars 1949...	996	.....number 1945.....	2,245
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	138,785	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	71
.....dollars 1949...	1,131	.....farms reporting 1945.....	75
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	24,958	.....number 1950.....	122
.....dollars 1949...	441	.....number 1945.....	123
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	16,657	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1949...	126	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,598
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	6,469	.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,644
.....dollars 1949...	280	.....number 1950...	10,244
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	5,280	.....number 1945...	11,221
.....dollars 1949...	5,280	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,822
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....farms reporting 1945 ¹ ...	1,945 ¹
No sales.....number 1950...	576	.....number 1950...	4,914
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	770	.....number 1945 ² ...	5,828
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	194	.....number 1950...	1,733
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	139	.....number 1945...	3,487
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	159	.....number 1950...	784
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	90	.....number 1945...	2,462
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	30	.....number 1950...	496
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	19	.....number 1945...	1,673
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	15	.....number 1950...	550
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	19	.....number 1945...	1,215
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	10	.....number 1949...	233
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1944...	297
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	.....	.....pounds 1949...	4,324,133
.....number 1950...	.....	.....pounds 1944...	4,930,002
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	.....	.....dollars 1949...	191,822
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	.....farms reporting 1949...	235
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1944...	366
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	61,444
.....number 1950...	.....	.....pounds 1944...	116,423
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....dollars 1949...	36,327
.....number 1950...	.....	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	192
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	81	.....dollars 1949...	16,407
.....number 1950...	.....	HOGS	
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	28	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	732
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	806
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	2,268
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	2,090
.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	559
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	1,322
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	249
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	946
.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	139
.....number 1950...number 1945...	189
.....number 1950...number 1950...	192
.....number 1950...number 1945...	301

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	108	Corn:	
1945.....	161	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,117
number 1950...	2,923	1944.....	1,411
1945.....	3,094	acres 1949...	3,011
		1944.....	4,557
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,057
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	102	1944.....	1,395
number 1950...	1,916	acres 1949...	2,795
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	100	1944.....	4,481
number 1945 ¹ ..	155	bushels 1949...	138,306
number 1950...	1,746	1944.....	150,232
1945 ¹ ..	2,730		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	57	Small grains:	
number 1950...	170	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	46
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	87	acres 1949...	174
number 1950...	1,017	1944.....	124
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	97	bushels 1949...	3,139
1944.....	141	1944.....	2,214
number shorn 1949...	1,917	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	34
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	10,168	1944.....	38
1944.....	15,124	acres 1949...	135
		1944.....	146
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	bushels 1949...	3,388
		1944.....	3,886
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	166
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,615	1944.....	281
1945.....	2,129	acres 1949...	490
number 1950...	61,199	1944.....	843
1945.....	71,167	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	414	1944.....	
number 1949...	34,362	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	50,051	1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	690	bushels 1949...	
dozens 1949...	272,649	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	138,541	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	29	1944.....	
number 1950...	129	acres 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	33	1944.....	
1944.....	18	bushels 1949...	
number 1949...	1,086	1944.....	
1944.....	943	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
		acres 1949...	21
		bushels 1949...	373
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	147
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,016	1944 ² ..	240
dollars 1949...	374,425	acres 1949...	373
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	928	1944 ² ..	731
1944.....	1,178	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	3,661	1944.....	
1944.....	4,475	acres 1949...	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	519	1944.....	
number 1949...	1,800	bushels 1949...	
dollars 1949...	241,325	1944.....	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	715	Soybeans cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	121
number 1949...	1,861	acres 1949...	307
dollars 1949...	82,400	1944.....	398
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	212	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
1944.....	210	cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1949...	1,838	acres 1949...	21
1944.....	1,840	farms reporting 1949...	22
dollars 1949...	29,368	acres 1949...	45
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	84	Soybeans plowed under for green manure.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	105	1944.....	
number 1949...	1,266	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944.....	1,584	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,518
dollars 1949...	36,483	acres 1949...	15,652
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	53	Alfalfa cut for hay (or for	
number 1949...	88	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	132
dollars 1949...	4,829	1944.....	104
		acres 1949...	689
		1944.....	455
		tons 1949...	1,142
		1944.....	794
FARM SLAUGHTER		Glover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1,004
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,293	1944.....	1,039
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	251	acres 1949...	8,892
number 1949...	292	1944.....	9,777
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	155	tons 1949...	8,995
1944.....	400	1944.....	10,041
number 1949...	182	Leaspedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	453	1944.....	4
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	100	acres 1949...	37
1944.....	105	1944.....	5
number 1949...	110	tons 1949...	27
1944.....	124	1944.....	8
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,246	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
1944.....	1,943	small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	140
number 1949...	2,552	1944.....	113
1944.....	5,095	acres 1949...	488
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944.....	371
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	160	tons 1949...	493
dollars 1949...	9,927	1944.....	405

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	551	For sale:	
acres 1949...	5,626	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	7,381	acres 1949...	11
tons 1949...	5,653	quarts 1949...	3,513
1944...	6,709		
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	3
acres 1949...	30	acres 1949...	4
tons..green weight 1949...	210	quarts 1949...	1,394
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,098
1944...	.....	1945...	1,104
acres 1949...	5	acres 1950 ² ...	803
1944...	.....	1945...	1,265
bushels 1949...	5		
1944...	.....	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	94
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,023	trees of all ages..number 1945...	1,374
1944...	1,967	1950...	26,506
acres 1949 ¹ ...	183	1945...	47,362
1944...	477	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,994
bushels 1949...	18,913	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	20,911
1944...	37,234	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	18,380
		1944...	68,339
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	120		
1944...	244	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	52
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	1945...	1,041
1944...	26	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,001
bushels 1949...	377	1945...	2,887
1944...	1,110	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,104
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,971
1944...	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	44
acres 1949...	1	1944...	5,005
1944...	.....	
pounds 1949...	300	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	43
1944...	.....	1945...	923
		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,720
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945...	1,940
acres 1949...	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	34
gallons 1949...	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,145
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	79
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,841	1944...	4,719
1944...	2,501		
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	66	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	46
1944...	175	1945...	871
acres 1949...	77	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,328
1944...	82	1945...	5,491
sold..dollars 1949...	4,870	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	78
1944...	10,731	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,428
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	49	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,377
1944...	111	1944...	21,288
acres 1949...	25		
1944...	16	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	79
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	16	1945...	76
1944...	53	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,389
acres 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,745
1944...	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,775
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	55	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	115
1944...	97	1944...	1,184
acres 1949...	36		
1944...	25	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	82
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1945...	1,922
1944...	109	vines of all ages..number 1950...	6,109
acres 1949...	8	1945...	8,043
1944...	12	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,772
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	3	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	4,828
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	36,742
		1944...	111,648

¹For 1949, does not include acreage for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.

²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

Less than 1 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...	1,495	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	100
.....1945...	1,603	.....1945...	116
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	195,840	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	10
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	81.2	.....1945...	6
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	130,210	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	90
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	33,954	.....1945...	110
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	607	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	174
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,733	.....1945...	186
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	159,038	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	132
.....1945...	164,571	.....1945...	152
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	106.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	184
.....1945...	102.7	.....1945...	180
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	6,526	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	236
.....1945...	4,110	.....1945...	259
average per acre, dollars 1950*	64.92	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	278
.....1945...	40.03	.....1945...	298
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	172
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,344	.....1945...	193
.....1944...	1,464	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	94
acres 1949...	32,054	.....1945...	104
.....1944...	36,326	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	54
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	364	.....1945...	46
.....1944...	431	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	62
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	308	.....1945...	62
.....1944...	308	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	8
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	231	.....1945...	5
.....1944...	242	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	308	.....1945...	2
.....1944...	298	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	122	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	169	White operators.....number 1950...	1,494
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	.....1945...	1,603
.....1944...	15	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	.....
.....1944...	1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	680	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,115
.....1944 ¹ ...	369	.....1945...	1,115
acres 1949...	23,932	Part owners.....number 1950...	130
.....1944 ¹ ...	16,299	.....1945...	88
Cropland not harvested and not pastured...farms reporting 1949...	289	Managers.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	6,007	.....1945...	2
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,790	All tenants.....number 1950...	246
.....1944...	746	.....1945...	398
acres 1949...	17,459	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	16.4
.....1944...	21,945	.....1945...	24.8
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	711	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	100
.....1944...	674	.....1945...	259
acres 1949...	23,135	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	22,817	.....1945...	2
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	936	Share tenants.....number 1950...	50
.....1944 ¹ ...	1,028	.....1945...	108
acres 1949...	49,080	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	32
.....1944 ¹ ...	57,991	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	18
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,403	Croppers.....number 1950...	20
.....1944...	1,573	.....1945...	24
acres 1949...	7,371	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	68
.....1944...	7,403	.....1945...	5
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Other tenants.....number 1950...	30
.....1944...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	38
acres 1949...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	841
.....1949...	.....	.....1945...	713
FARM OPERATORS		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,357
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,349	.....1945...	604
.....1945...	1,514	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,317
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	42	.....1945...	5.49
.....1945...	83	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	406
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold...operators reporting 1949...	678	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	211
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	767	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	105
.....1944...	479	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,186
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	565	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	175
.....1944...	405	.....1945...	16
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	281
		.....1945...	25
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		.....1945...	25
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....1945...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....1945...	5
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	206
		.....1945...	241
		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 EQUIPMENT¹-Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM-Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950..	505	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	138
.....1945.....	290	General farms.....number 1950...	54
.....number 1950.....	585	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	321	.....number 1950.....	
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	355	.....number 1950.....	
.....1945.....	164	.....number 1950.....	41
.....number 1950.....	400	.....number 1950.....	13
.....1945.....	176	.....number 1950.....	732
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950..	310	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	335	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	772
.....1945.....	45	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	9
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	45	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	61
.....number 1950.....	20	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	263
.....1945.....	20	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	276
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950..	1,017	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ².....number 1950.....	163
.....1945.....	914	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950.....	723
.....number 1950.....	1,147	Other farms.....number 1950.....	302
.....1945.....	975	Part-time ³.....number 1950.....	
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	416
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	294	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	3
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950..	109	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	755	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949..	2,126,621
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	242	.....1944.....	1,545,293
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	95	All crops sold.....dollars 1949..	199,999
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		.....1944.....	176,938
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949..	63,019
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950..	41	.....1944.....	82,307
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	415	.....dollars 1949..	31,082
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	566	.....1944.....	29,856
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950..	545	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949..	29,856
Average distance reported.....miles 1950..	8	.....1944.....	49,345
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949..	86,319
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	556	.....1944.....	35,360
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	146	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949..	1,891,236
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950..	380	.....1944.....	1,347,902
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950..	90	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949..	1,044,245
Average distance reported.....miles 1950..	1.2	.....1944.....	794,935
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949..	224,255
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950..	611	.....1944.....	177,363
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950..	430	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949..	622,732
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950..	301	.....1944.....	375,634
FARM LABOR⁵		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949..	35,395
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	20,435
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950..	1,406	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950..	2,512	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950..	1,642
.....1945.....	1,396	.....1950.....	1,647
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950..	1,291	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950..	1,653
.....persons 1950..	606	.....1945.....	2,243
Operators.....persons 1950..	968	.....1945.....	2,428
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950..	181	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950..	53
.....persons 1950..	253	.....1945.....	83
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950..	1,291	.....number 1950..	96
.....persons 1950..	253	.....1945.....	136
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁶		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949..	1,482	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950..	1,500
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949..	802	.....1945.....	1,345
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949..	602	.....number 1950..	15,832
.....dollars 1949..	42,405	.....1945.....	13,526
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949..	622	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950..	1,254
.....dollars 1949..	193,305	.....1945 ³	1,241
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949..	1,347	.....number 1950..	8,299
.....dollars 1949..	612,987	.....1945 ³	8,457
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949..	891	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950..	1,207
.....dollars 1949..	158,162	.....number 1950..	7,687
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949..	1,207	.....1945 ³	921
.....dollars 1949..	88,625	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	3,356
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949..	671	.....number 1950..	537
.....dollars 1949..	75,932	.....number 1950..	1,444
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949..	235	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	752
.....dollars 1949..	20,000	.....number 1950..	2,133
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949..	657	.....number 1949..	690
.....dollars 1949..	40,980	.....1944.....	697
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950..	15,832
No sales.....number 1950..	160	.....number 1950..	13,526
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950..	256	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950..	1,254
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950..	119	.....1945 ³	1,241
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950..	86	.....number 1950..	8,299
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950..	190	.....1945 ³	8,457
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950..	185	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950..	1,207
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950..	166	.....number 1950..	7,687
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950..	203	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	921
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950..	84	.....number 1950..	3,356
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950..	37	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	537
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950..	9	.....number 1950..	1,444
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950..	752
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950..	5	.....number 1950..	2,133
Cash-grain.....number 1950..		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949..	690
Cotton.....number 1950..		.....1944.....	697
Other field-crop.....number 1950..		.....pounds 1949..	24,103,641
Vegetable farms.....number 1950..	5	.....1944.....	22,593,668
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950..		.....dollars 1949..	977,293
Dairy farms.....number 1950..	553	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949..	232
Poultry farms.....number 1950..	13	.....1944.....	247
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949..	115,210
		.....1944.....	129,202
		.....dollars 1949..	55,784
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949..	54
		.....dollars 1949..	11,163
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950..	680
		.....1945.....	677
		.....number 1950..	4,679
		.....1945.....	3,031
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950..	610
		.....number 1950..	2,329
		.....number 1950..	277
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950..	2,990
		.....number 1950..	352
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950..	363
		.....1945.....	623
		.....number 1950..	559
		.....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...	304	Corn:	
1945.....	394	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	998
number 1950...	16,751	1944.....	1,117
1945.....	23,008	acres 1949...	4,861
1944.....		1944.....	6,789
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	961
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	292	1944.....	1,102
number 1950...	13,335	acres 1949...	4,246
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	281	1944.....	6,267
number 1945 ¹ ...	381	bushels 1949...	187,865
number 1950...	9,411	1944.....	178,334
1945 ¹ ...	14,033	Small grains:	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	206	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	359
number 1950...	3,924	acres 1949...	1,630
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	170	1944.....	1,600
number 1950...	3,416	bushels 1949...	32,515
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	284	1944.....	23,938
1944.....	380	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	303
number shorn 1949...	13,944	1944.....	317
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	121,047	acres 1949...	1,276
1944.....	186,422	1944.....	1,707
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr 14	bushels 1949...	27,852
		1944.....	39,063
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	147
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,216	1944.....	255
1945.....	1,305	acres 1949...	511
number 1950...	55,664	1944.....	1,063
1945.....	64,982	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	592	1944.....	6
number 1949...	48,838	acres 1949...	23
dollars 1949...	69,389	1944.....	19
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	734	bushels 1949...	491
dozens 1949...	316,836	1944.....	463
dollars 1949...	140,346	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	46	1944.....	4
number 1950...	241	acres 1949...	1
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1944.....	12
1944.....	60	bushels 1949...	30
number 1949...	2,372	1944.....	101
1944.....	1,912	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	1
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules		bushels 1949...	13
sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,136	Annual legumes:	
dollars 1949...	549,714	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	105
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,038	1944 ² ...	109
1944.....	990	acres 1949...	328
number 1949...	6,199	1944 ² ...	326
1944.....	5,814	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1949...	587	1944.....	1
dollars 1949...	1,994	acres 1949...	18
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	244,102	1944.....	1
1944.....		bushels 1949...	208
number 1949...	904	1944.....	15
dollars 1949...	4,205	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	87
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	127,001	acres 1949...	241
1944.....		tons 1949...	462
number 1949...	535	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949...	565	out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	5,070	1944.....	47
1944.....	5,090	acres 1949...	7
dollars 1949...	125,124	Soybeans plowed under for green manure, farms reporting 1949...	22
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	170	acres 1949...	
1944.....	221	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
number 1949...	4,232	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,188
1944.....	5,251	acres 1949...	22,075
dollars 1949...	46,739	Alfalfa out for hay (or for	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	63	dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	730
number 1949...	102	1944.....	811
dollars 1949...	6,748	acres 1949...	6,878
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	6,991
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,028	tons 1949...	13,222
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	276	1944.....	13,020
number 1949...	298	Clover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	926
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	210	1944.....	830
1944.....	402	acres 1949...	12,243
number 1949...	217	1944.....	12,085
1944.....	451	tons 1949...	14,113
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	73	1944.....	11,204
1944.....	31	Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1949...	81	1944.....	1
1944.....	39	acres 1949...	38
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	993	1944.....	3
1944.....	1,121	tons 1949...	32
number 1949...	2,740	1944.....	2
1944.....	3,370	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	156
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	165	1944.....	53
dollars 1949...	9,450	acres 1949...	568
		1944.....	179
		tons 1949...	522
		1944.....	156

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	156	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	2,384	acres 1949...	
1944...	2,819	quarts 1949...	11
tons 1949...	1,977	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	2,757	acres 1949...	
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	6	quarts 1949...	1
acres 1949...	30		
tons..green weight 1949...	141	Trees fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	
acres 1949...	8	acres 1950 ² ...	
1944...	8	1945...	
bushels 1949...	10	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	10	trees of all ages..number 1945...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	905	1950...	
1944...	1,160	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949 ¹ ...	235	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	510	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
bushels 1949...	21,095	1944...	
1944...	44,310	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	85	trees of all ages..number 1945...	
1944...	26	1950...	
acres 1949 ¹ ...	(*)	1945...	
1944...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
bushels 1949...	326	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	723	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1944...	
1944...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1945...	
1944...		1950...	
pounds 1949...		1945...	
1944...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
gallons 1949...		1944...	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,344	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	1,473	trees of all ages..number 1945...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	114	1950...	
1944...	169	1945...	
acres 1949...	215	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	247	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
sold..dollars 1949...	31,082	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944...	29,896	1944...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	61	Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	73	trees of all ages..number 1945...	
acres 1949...	32	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	29	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	19	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944...	28	1944...	
acres 1949...	18	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944...	8	vines of all ages..number 1945...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	93	1950...	
1944...	110	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949...	87	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944...	96	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	91	1944...	
1944...	138		
acres 1949...	57		
1944...	65		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	21		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage for farms with less than 15 bushels harvested.

²For 1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.

*Less than 1 acre.

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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...	2,082	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	198
.....1945...	2,202	.....1945...	207
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	276,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	10
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	82.4	.....1945...	17
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	188,917	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	188
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	31,754	.....1945...	190
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	11,951	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	291
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,825	.....1945...	301
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	227,797	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	257
.....1945...	225,529	.....1945...	278
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	109.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	270
.....1945...	102.4	.....1945...	330
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	5,937	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	311
.....1945...	4,146	.....1945...	310
average per acre, dollars 1950*	58.94	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	297
.....1945...	40.48	.....1945...	317
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	152
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,721	.....1945...	168
.....1944...	1,929	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	108
acres 1949...	41,468	.....1945...	107
.....1944...	42,846	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	55
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	691	.....1945...	50
.....1944...	827	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	96
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	395	.....1945...	94
.....1944...	422	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	28
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	229	.....1945...	11
.....1944...	243	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	12
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	219		
.....1944...	239	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	127	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944...	147	White operators.....number 1950...	2,079
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	41	.....1945...	2,199
.....1944...	38	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	3
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	19	.....1945...	3
.....1944...	13	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	594	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,667
.....1944*	323	.....1945...	1,829
acres 1949...	20,594	Part owners.....number 1950...	219
.....1944*	13,640	.....1945...	106
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	486	Managers.....number 1950...	11
acres 1949...	8,456	.....1945...	13
.....1944...	6,214	All tenants.....number 1950...	185
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	924	.....1945...	254
.....1944...	980	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1945...	11.5
acres 1949...	42,972	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	32
.....1944...	30,529	.....1945...	76
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	891	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944...	771	.....1945...	64
acres 1949...	35,980	Share tenants.....number 1950...	70
.....1944...	27,663	.....1945...	53
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,321	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	11
.....1944*	1,761	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	22
acres 1949...	69,656	.....1945...	25
.....1944*	96,211	Croppers.....number 1950...	63
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,943	.....1945...	83
.....1944...	1,911	Other tenants.....number 1950...	24
acres 1949...	8,671	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	39
.....1944...	8,426		
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	1	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	509
acres 1949...	1	.....1945...	532
.....1944...	1	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,820
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	601
acres 1949...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,815
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.88
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	384
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	239
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	115
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,382
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	253
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	23
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	129
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		.....number 1950...	44
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	63
		.....number 1950...	63
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	49
		.....number 1950...	50
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	79
		.....number 1950...	120
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....number 1950...	15
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,855		
.....1945...	1,979		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	166		
.....1945...	191		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,016		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	996		
.....1944...	851		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	752		
.....1944...	734		

*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...	670	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	143
.....1945.....	355	General farms.....number 1950...	247
.....number 1950.....	754	.....number 1950.....	14
.....1945.....	389	.....number 1950.....	158
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	381	.....number 1950.....	43
.....1945.....	185	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	1,137
.....number 1950.....	615		
.....1945.....	232		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	341	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	506	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	938
.....1945.....	86	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	12
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	91	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	5
.....number 1950.....	17	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	86
.....1945.....	18	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	115
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	703	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	44
.....number 1950.....	715	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	431
.....1945.....	811	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,147
.....number 1950.....	791	Part-time ².....number 1950...	326
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	817
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	749	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	4
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	269		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	698	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	168	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,113,441
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	198	.....1944.....	1,778,364
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	713,414
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....1944.....	359,837
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	613,734
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	192	.....1944.....	264,860
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	943	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	64,878
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	422	.....1944.....	53,731
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	561	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	34,123
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7	.....1944.....	40,476
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	875
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	906	.....1944.....	375
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	176	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,380,977
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	555	.....1944.....	1,403,346
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,131,491
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.0	.....1944.....	641,779
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	213,378
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	525	.....1944.....	232,161
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	877	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,034,908
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	690	.....1944.....	530,055
FARM LABOR^a		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	19,054
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	15,401
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,672	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950...	3,023	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,268
.....1945.....	1,664	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,270
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,664	.....1945.....	2,790
Operators.....persons 1950...	1,534	.....1945.....	2,763
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	743	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	152
.....persons 1950...	1,004	.....1945.....	108
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	195	.....number 1950...	185
.....persons 1950...	485	.....1945.....	261
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	1,617	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,579
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	840	.....1945.....	1,765
Machine hire.....dollars 1949...	585	.....number 1950...	19,995
.....1945.....	60,857	.....1945.....	17,790
Hired labor.....dollars 1949...	655	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,534
.....1945.....	449,816	.....1945 ³	1,659
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,304	.....number 1950...	9,953
.....dollars 1949...	556,624	.....1945 ³	10,541
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	904	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,447
.....dollars 1949...	323,592	.....number 1950...	7,789
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,016	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	827
.....dollars 1949...	70,967	.....number 1950...	5,337
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	576	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	490
.....dollars 1949...	135,013	.....number 1950...	2,134
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	224	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	797
.....dollars 1949...	32,877	.....number 1950...	2,371
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	344	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	164
.....dollars 1949...	29,810	.....1944.....	127
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds 1949...	23,297,973
No sales.....number 1950...	332	.....1944.....	14,081,047
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	489	.....dollars 1949...	1,047,397
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	157	.....1949.....	577
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	218	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	152,836
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	309	.....1944.....	213,519
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	171	.....dollars 1949...	83,506
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	143	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	36
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	97	.....dollars 1949...	1,533
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	34	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	70	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,148
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	62	.....1945.....	1,069
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	6,237
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	326	.....1945.....	3,645
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	43	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	871
Cotton.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	3,545
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	278	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	513
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	10	.....number 1950...	2,712
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	383
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	150	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	393
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	58	.....1945.....	714
		.....number 1950...	591

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...	78	Corn:	
1945...	105	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,223
number 1950...	4,680	1944...	1,294
1945...	2,464	acres 1949...	10,981
		1944...	12,013
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	77	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	1,193
number 1950...	1,616	1944...	1,274
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	77	acres 1949...	9,539
number 1945 ¹ ...	100	1944...	10,566
number 1950...	1,547	bushels 1949...	414,731
1945 ¹ ...	2,260	1944...	241,216
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	47	Small grains:	
number 1950...	69	Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	301
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	58	acres 1949...	3,124
number 1950...	1,064	1944...	2,746
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	77	bushels 1949...	61,935
1944...	105	1944...	40,526
number shorn 1949...	1,679	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	64
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	8,850	1944...	26
1944...	13,600	acres 1949...	672
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	1944...	230
		bushels 1949...	18,946
		1944...	4,828
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	164
Chicken ^r , 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,567	1944...	191
1945...	1,699	acres 1949...	754
number 1950...	86,878	1944...	1,096
1945...	106,355	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	25
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	521	1944...	29
number 1949...	35,600	acres 1949...	258
dollars 1949...	36,922	1944...	458
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	932	bushels 1949...	8,617
dozens 1949...	405,747	1944...	9,158
dollars 1949...	159,134	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	67	1944...	6
number 1950...	307	acres 1949...	92
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	64	1944...	46
1944...	62	bushels 1949...	1,486
number 1949...	2,901	1944...	537
1944...	2,238	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		acres 1949...	7
		bushels 1949...	80
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Annual legumes:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,399	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	232
dollars 1949...	1,019,952	1944 ² ...	583
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,318	acres 1949...	1,594
1944...	1,319	1944 ² ...	2,651
number 1949...	8,822	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	42
1944...	9,035	1944...	6
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	649	acres 1949...	560
number 1949...	4,393	1944...	87
dollars 1949...	672,826	bushels 1949...	10,034
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,166	1944...	859
number 1949...	4,429	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	193
dollars 1949...	179,148	acres 1949...	867
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	607	tons 1949...	1,477
1944...	473	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	6,087	acres 1949...	52
1944...	4,500	Soybeans plowed under for green manure. farms reporting 1949...	9
dollars 1949...	145,028	acres 1949...	115
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	59	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
1944...	94	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,368
number 1949...	1,078	acres 1949...	22,377
1944...	1,751	Alfalfa out for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	420
dollars 1949...	16,406	1944...	263
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	77	acres 1949...	3,815
number 1949...	119	1944...	2,348
dollars 1949...	6,544	tons 1949...	8,388
		1944...	4,759
FARM SLAUGHTER		Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	948
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,466	1944...	991
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	99	acres 1949...	12,017
number 1949...	111	1944...	12,710
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	66	tons 1949...	14,812
1944...	115	1944...	12,491
number 1949...	73	Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	440
1944...	134	1944...	337
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	34	acres 1949...	4,185
1944...	35	1944...	3,059
number 1949...	38	tons 1949...	4,399
1944...	38	1944...	2,363
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	1,451	Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	210
1944...	1,578	1944...	95
number 1949...	3,328	acres 1949...	1,100
1944...	4,277	1944...	572
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	109	tons 1949...	1,225
dollars 1949...	7,027	1944...	517

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	145	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	21
acres 1949...	1,458	acres 1949...	12
1944...	1,313	quarts 1949...	11,167
tons 1949...	1,352	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944...	812	acres 1949...	1
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	6	quarts 1949...	362
acres 1949...	45	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons..green weight 1949...	291	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	726
Field crops (other)..		1945...	630
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1950 ² ...	1,519
1944...	4	1945...	1,340
acres 1949...	70	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	534
1944...	29	1945...	1,147
bushels 1949...	38	trees of all ages..number 1950...	37,334
1944...	39	1945...	64,753
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	929	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,374
1944...	1,335	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	33,960
acres 1949 ¹ ...	236	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	27,547
1944...	537	1944...	26,542
bushels 1949...	29,719	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	365
1944...	33,533	1945...	981
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	202	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,645
1944...	237	1945...	18,429
acres 1949 ¹ ...	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,167
1944...	55	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,478
bushels 1949...	1,385	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,331
1944...	3,753	1944...	2,761
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	541	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	207
1944...	427	1945...	187
acres 1949...	526	trees of all ages..number 1950...	639
1944...	438	1945...	2,060
pounds 1949...	772,694	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	275
1944...	456,762	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	524
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	11	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	234
acres 1949...	7	1944...	2,522
gallons 1949...	497	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	251
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,688	1945...	771
1944...	1,935	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,673
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	186	1945...	7,175
1944...	226	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	720
acres 1949...	563	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,178
1944...	655	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	11,052
sold..dollars 1949...	64,870	1944...	34,227
1944...	53,731	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	173
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	155	1945...	477
1944...	157	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,051
acres 1949...	210	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	234
1944...	281	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	817
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	8	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	166
1944...	5	1944...	250
acres 1949...	7	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	327
1944...	2	1945...	803
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	69	vines of all ages..number 1950...	1,647
1944...	79	1945...	3,670
acres 1949...	294	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	477
1944...	213	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,170
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	33	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	13,491
1944...	33	1944...	50,163
acres 1949...	17		
1944...	31		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	36		

¹For 1949, does not include acreage 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...	2,721	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	522
.....1945...	3,092	.....1945...	832
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	266,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	26
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	65.8	.....1945...	19
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	154,449	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	496
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	21,389	.....1945...	813
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,248	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	675
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,541	.....1945...	708
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	175,545	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	411
.....1945...	183,256	.....1945...	398
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	64.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	323
.....1945...	59.4	.....1945...	324
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	5,893	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	277
.....1945...	3,822	.....1945...	264
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	90.91	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	231
.....1945...	64.38	.....1945...	226
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	110
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,206	.....1945...	135
.....1944...	3,019	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	58
.....acres 1949...	22,621	.....1945...	72
.....1944...	31,298	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	31
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,419	.....1945...	35
.....1944...	2,012	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	71
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	467	.....1945...	75
.....1944...	543	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	19
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	176	.....1945...	17
.....1944...	244	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	3
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	99	.....1945...	6
.....1944...	140		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	42	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	60	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	White operators.....number 1950...	2,701
.....1944...	15	.....1945...	3,047
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	20
.....1944...	5	.....1945...	45
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	1,215	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹ ...	221	Full owners.....number 1950...	2,366
.....acres 1949...	22,597	.....1945...	2,647
.....1944 ¹ ...	2,986	Part owners.....number 1950...	110
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	832	.....1945...	117
.....acres 1949...	13,061	Managers.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	2,796	.....1945...	5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	919	All tenants.....number 1950...	239
.....1944...	714	.....1945...	323
.....acres 1949...	22,643	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	8.8
.....1944...	13,456	.....1945...	10.4
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	1,238	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	95
.....1944...	1,556	.....1945...	199
.....acres 1949...	47,065	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....1944...	59,936	.....1945...	3
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	1,310	Share tenants.....number 1950...	37
.....1944 ¹ ...	2,345	.....1945...	55
.....acres 1949...	38,458	Crop-share tenants.....number 1950...	34
.....1944 ¹ ...	68,672	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	3
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	2,371	Croppers.....number 1950...	28
.....1944...	2,223	.....1945...	30
.....acres 1949...	9,100	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	77
.....1944...	4,412	.....1945...	36
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Other tenants.....number 1950...	33
.....1944...	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	44
.....acres 1949...	.....	
.....1944...	.....	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	285
.....acres 1949...	.....	.....1945...	315
.....1944...	.....	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	2,363
		.....1945...	1,871
FARM OPERATORS		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	2,343
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2,562	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	4.20
.....1945...	2,985	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	671
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	90	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	200
.....1945...	104	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	160
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	1,903	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2,022
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	1,750	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	245
.....1944...	1,904	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	1,467	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	30
.....1944...	1,710	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		.....number 1950...	5
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	6
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	36
		.....number 1950...	47
		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...	622	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	13
.....1945.....	373	General farms.....number 1950...	4
.....number 1950.....	702	.....1945.....	2
.....1945.....	400	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	2
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	197	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	75	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	12
.....number 1950.....	219	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	2,007
.....1945.....	78		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	122	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	124	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	24
.....number 1950.....	95	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	95	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	20
.....number 1950.....	95	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	29
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	41
.....number 1950.....	887	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	52
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,067	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950...	12
.....1945.....	978	Other farms.....number 1950...	1,176
.....number 1950.....	1,088	Part-time ³.....number 1950...	42
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	1,974
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,183	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	740	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	600	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,161,770
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	87	.....1944.....	982,768
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	111	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	286,703
		.....1944.....	242,438
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	51,262
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	197,283
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	420	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	13,345
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	1,206	.....1944.....	17,424
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	582	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	11,575
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	425	.....1944.....	116,413
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	212,411
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	1,175
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	821	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	811,220
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	356	.....1944.....	683,582
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	786	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	237,633
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	90	.....1944.....	259,147
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.2	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	110,246
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	132,222
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	1,066	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	443,191
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	376	.....1944.....	293,219
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,121	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	63,961
		.....1944.....	51,738
FARM LABOR^a		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	1,842
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,727	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	1,253
.....persons 1950...	2,684	.....1945.....	1,432
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,687	.....number 1950.....	2,385
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	1,232	.....1945.....	2,193
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	640	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	153
.....persons 1950...	940	.....1945.....	152
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	162	.....number 1945...	133
.....persons 1950...	242	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	2,253
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	2,224	.....1945...	2,379
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	929	.....number 1950...	10,152
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	562	.....1945...	10,131
dollars 1949...	23,010	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,451
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	609	.....1945 ³ ...	2,271
dollars 1949...	185,475	.....number 1950...	5,217
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	1,925	.....1945 ³ ...	6,162
dollars 1949...	412,500	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,870
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	893	.....number 1950...	4,742
dollars 1949...	115,300	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	732
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	1,264	.....number 1950...	2,054
dollars 1949...	46,590	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	73
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	328	.....number 1950...	1,064
dollars 1949...	29,193	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	623
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	67	.....number 1950...	1,214
dollars 1949...	5,375	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	214
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	217	.....pounds 1949...	4,112,791
dollars 1949...	14,510	.....1944...	4,518,019
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	137
No sales.....number 1950...	799	.....1944...	53
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	1,177	pounds of butterfat 1949...	32,376
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	277	.....1944...	14,255
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	134	dollars 1949...	19,937
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	143	BUTTER, BUTTERMILK, SKIM MILK, AND CHEESE SOLD	
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	55	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	417
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	49	.....dollars 1949...	33,256
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	48	HOGS	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	14	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	1,336
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	8	.....1945...	1,524
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	17	.....number 1950...	1,713
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945...	4,244
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	4	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	979
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	2,307
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	461
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	4	.....number 1950...	1,486
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	4	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	183
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945...	254
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	56	.....number 1950...	300
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	20	.....1945...	623

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...	150 204 6,099 4,516	Corn: Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	1,460 1,845 5,528 8,768
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	246 3,166	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1,405 1,765 5,205 8,147 192,841 249,317
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950... number 1945... number 1950... 1945 ¹ ...	146 193 2,899 4,135	Small grains: Wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	170 1,130 1,912 21,068 32,142
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	104 267	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	102 44 416 222 11,318 4,165
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	140 2,933	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944...	586 968 1,841 3,510
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number shorn 1949... 1949... pounds 1949... 1944...	141 174 3,163 14,425 15,756	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	7 3 23 10 510 263
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949... 1944...	14,425 15,756	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	8 11 36 44 562 577
Average date of enumeration..... 1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Buckwheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bushels 1949...	59 191 2,957
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Annual legumes:	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950... 1945... number 1950... 1945...	2,212 2,614 69,121 86,624	Soybeans grown for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949... 1944 ² ... acres 1949... 1944 ² ...	68 132 212 568
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	558 27,700 31,379	Soybeans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... bushels 1949... 1944...	1 3 30 56
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949... dozens 1949... dollars 1949...	904 163,530 75,256	Soybeans out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... bushels 1949... 1944...	185 287
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950... number 1950...	82 359	Soybeans hogged or grazed, or out for silage.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... Soybeans plowed under for green manure. farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	3 10 5 14
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	75 51 945 1,472	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay: Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1,412 10,738
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Alfalfa out for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	114 83 517 526 873 1,295
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...	1,349 414,868	Glover or timothy out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	1,257 1,112 8,973 8,965 9,637 8,813
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... 4,569	1,195 1,217 3,981 4,569	Lespedeza out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	14 7 37 34 39 31
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	526 1,562 184,747	Cats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... acres 1949... 1944... tons 1949... 1944...	70 32 243 113 244 96
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	1,005 2,419 125,155		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949... 1944...	381 358 3,052 2,879 55,728		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944... dollars 1949... 1944...	126 189 2,548 3,953 43,881		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949... number 1949... dollars 1949...	73 85 5,357		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle or hogs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949...	1,872 133 208		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949...	70 122 108 146		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	68 70 100 74		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	1,855 2,571 3,823 5,967		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949... 1944... number 1949... 1944...	178 15,857		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949... dollars 1949...			

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—Continued		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	159	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	25
acres 1949...	1,156	acres 1949...	8
1944...	1,008	quarts 1949...	12,151
tons 1949...	1,180		
1944...	883	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	17
Silage made from grass or hay crops.....farms reporting 1949...	3	acres 1949...	5
acres 1949...	17	quarts 1949...	1,552
tons green weight 1949...	80		
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Red clover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	2,234
1944...	.....	1945...	1,625
acres 1949...	.....	acres 1950 ² ...	1,734
1944...	.....	1945...	2,754
bushels 1949...	.....	
1944...	.....	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	1,567
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1,632	1945...	2,782
1944...	2,216	trees of all ages..number 1950...	55,221
acres 1949 ¹ ...	403	1945...	105,465
1944...	940	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	8,596
bushels 1949...	37,880	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	46,627
1944...	63,770	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	19,418
		1944...	179,879
Sweetpotatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	446	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	891
1944...	399	1945...	1,222
acres 1949 ¹ ...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8,917
1944...	42	1945...	14,126
bushels 1949...	2,053	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,636
1944...	2,192	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,301
Tobacco harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	426
1944...	3	1944...	3,560
acres 1949...	3	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	785
1944...	5	1945...	1,129
pounds 1949...	5,673	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,492
1944...	7,328	1945...	3,452
Sweet sorghum harvested for sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	23	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	517
acres 1949...	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,975
gallons 1949...	674	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	231
		1944...	1,786
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	2,162	Cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	1,089
1944...	2,989	1945...	1,926
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	88	trees of all ages..number 1950...	7,792
1944...	231	1945...	14,143
acres 1949...	95	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,526
1944...	137	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,273
sold..dollars 1949...	13,365	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	9,479
1944...	17,434	1944...	189,797
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	70	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	652
1944...	123	1945...	1,126
acres 1949...	24	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,424
1944...	68	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	861
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,563
1944...	37	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	84
acres 1949...	9	1944...	2,439
1944...	13	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	1,125
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	58	1945...	2,012
1944...	53	vines of all ages..number 1950...	5,800
acres 1949...	43	1945...	10,961
1944...	22	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,134
Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	59	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	4,706
1944...	115	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	41,094
acres 1949...	12	1944...	258,414
1944...	20		
Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	7		

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