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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	240	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	2
1945.....	284	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	2
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	872,960	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	25.2	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	189,370	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	8
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	35,487	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	3
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	680	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	12
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	5,782	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	21
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	219,655	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	17
1945.....	222,676	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	37
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	915.2	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	40
1945.....	784.1	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	6
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950.....	22,684	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	9
1945.....	7,327	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	11
average per acre, dollars 1950*	20.13		46
1945.....	9.34		61
Land in farms according to use:			52
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	221		58
1944.....	257		47
acres 1949.....	18,074		48
1944.....	22,276		48
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	20		48
1944.....	16		48
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	23		48
1944.....	22		48
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	19		48
1944.....	28		48
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	43		48
1944.....	43		48
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	54		48
1944.....	68		48
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	41		48
1944.....	56		48
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	21		48
1944.....	25		48
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	79		48
1944 ¹	70		48
acres 1949.....	14,286		48
1944 ¹	21,766		48
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	41		48
1944.....	1,454		48
acres 1949.....	998		48
1944.....	19		48
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	561		48
1944.....	15		48
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	4		48
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	25		48
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	88		48
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	150		48
1944.....	77		48
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	113,181		48
1944.....	16,594		48
acres 1949.....	19		48
1944.....	20		48
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	5,682		48
1944.....	731		48
acres 1949.....	94		48
1944 ¹	233		48
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	57,590		48
1944 ¹	156,847		48
acres 1949.....	237		48
1944.....	244		48
etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	9,279		48
1944.....	3,534		48
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	154		48
1944.....	165		48
acres 1949.....	16,683		48
1944.....	17,220		48
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....		48
1944.....	.....		48
acres 1949.....	.....		48
FARM OPERATORS		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	223	Farms by color of operator:	
1945.....	252	White operators.....number 1950.....	240
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	16	1945.....	284
1945.....	20	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	.....
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	58	1945.....	.....
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	89	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	84	Full owners.....number 1950.....	168
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	29	1945.....	181
1944.....	41	Part owners.....number 1950.....	45
		1945.....	52
		Managers.....number 1950.....	1
		1945.....	4
		All tenants.....number 1950.....	26
		1945.....	37
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	10.8
		1945.....	13.0
		Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	14
		1945.....	24
		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	.....
		1945.....	.....
		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	6
		1945.....	9
		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	4
		1945.....	4
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	2
		1945.....	6
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	4
		1945.....	3
		Other tenants.....number 1950.....	3
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	3
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	85
		1945.....	87
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	120
		1945.....	58
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	119
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	15.21
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	26
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	26
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	57
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	94
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
		number 1950.....	24
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
		number 1950.....	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	16
		number 1950.....	16
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
		number 1950.....	.....
		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*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	149	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	14
.....1945.....	181	General farms.....number 1950...	54
.....number 1950.....	164	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	189	.....number 1950.....	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	78	.....number 1950.....	17
.....1945.....	78	.....number 1950.....	54
.....number 1950.....	163		
.....1945.....	84	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	182	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	186
.....1945.....	145	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	15
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	21
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	28
.....1945.....	18	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	55
.....number 1950.....	18	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	28
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	112	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	22
.....1945.....	181	Other farms.....number 1950...	54
.....number 1950.....	119	Part-time ².....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	187	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	46
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	6	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	11	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,425,758
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	79	.....1944.....	188,432
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	144	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	187,618
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	.....1944.....	34,589
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	187,600
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	38,818
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	13	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	57	.....1944.....	449
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	36	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	112	.....1944.....	1,022
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	13	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	15
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	59	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,838,644
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	22	.....1944.....	944,517
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	45	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	38,051
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	4.7	.....1944.....	50,761
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6.6	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	19,818
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	16,798
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	42	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,888,421
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	55	.....1944.....	877,084
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	106	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	9,285
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	4,830
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	178	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	215
.....persons 1950.....	397	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	215
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	170	.....1945.....	254
Operators.....persons 1950.....	155	.....number 1950.....	1,228
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	87	.....1945.....	1,650
.....persons 1950.....	143	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	13
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	77	.....1945.....	14
.....persons 1950.....	99	.....number 1950.....	20
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945.....	38
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	194	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	169	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	195
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	90	.....1945.....	238
.....dollars 1949.....	17,885	.....number 1950...	11,064
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	144	.....1945.....	10,519
.....dollars 1949.....	165,618	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	171
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	183	.....1945 ³	227
.....dollars 1949.....	99,677	.....number 1950.....	4,854
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	148	.....1945 ³	6,583
.....dollars 1949.....	899,191	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	175
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	127	.....number 1950.....	740
.....dollars 1949.....	16,864	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	14
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	184	.....number 1950...	2,154
.....dollars 1949.....	88,076	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	182
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	50	.....number 1950...	2,954
.....dollars 1949.....	11,068	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	189
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	96	.....number 1950...	1,180
.....dollars 1949.....	28,124	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	4
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	2
No sales.....number 1950.....	20	gallons 1949.....	17,848
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	26	.....1944.....	10,280
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	6,788
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	18	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	91
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	12	.....1944.....	119
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	17	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	40,190
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	17	.....1944.....	68,298
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	58	.....dollars 1949.....	29,818
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	12	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	18	.....dollars 1949.....	57
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	47	HOGS.	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	141
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	6	.....1945.....	137
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	6	.....number 1950.....	1,248
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1,311
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	108
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	780
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	27
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950...	468
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	91
		.....1945.....	89
		.....number 1950.....	275
		.....1945.....	836

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...	74	Corn:	
1945...	97	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	41
number 1950...	14,268	1944...	41
1945...	30,173	acres 1949...	260
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	878
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	78	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	38
1950...	13,115	1944...	33
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	73	acres 1949...	239
1945 ¹ ...	92	1944...	285
number 1950...	12,830	bushels 1949...	6,664
1945 ¹ ...	26,522	1944...	3,605
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	54	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1950...	1,966	acres 1949...	.....
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	54	tons..green weight 1949...	.....
1950...	10,864	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	50	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1950...	285	acres 1949...	21
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	32		
1950...	1,158		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	58	Sorghums:	
1944...	101	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	8
number shorn 1949...	13,694	1944...	1
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	102,543	acres 1949...	7
1944...	237,599	1944...	4
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.23	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	.....
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	195	acres 1949...	1
1945...	285	1944...	.....
number 1950...	8,172	bushels 1949...	6
1945...	9,655	1944...	.....
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	3,208	acres 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	3,256	1944...	.....
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	85	tons..green weight 1949...	.....
dozens 1949...	25,853	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949...	11,020	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	42	acres 1949...	6
1950...	250	1944...	.....
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	43	tons cut 1949...	6
1944...	32	Small grains:	
number 1949...	1,199	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
1944...	2,042	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	72
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949...	1,720
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	198	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	46
dollars 1949...	1,217,755	1944...	31
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	164	acres 1949...	1,184
1944...	77	1944...	599
number 1949...	6,272	bushels 1949...	24,133
1944...	6,799	1944...	18,940
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	128	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	76
1949...	5,478	acres 1949...	1,493
dollars 1949...	861,763	1944...	1,894
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	78	bushels 1949...	35,396
1949...	794	1944...	25,722
dollars 1949...	72,037	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	87
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	102	1944...	75
1944...	94	acres 1949...	1,841
number 1949...	2,058	1944...	1,117
1944...	2,231	bushels 1949...	58,637
dollars 1949...	53,233	1944...	30,571
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	62	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944...	92	1944...	21
number 1949...	13,278	acres 1949...	208
1944...	26,749	1944...	310
dollars 1949...	228,969	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	52
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	18	1944...	40
1949...	91	acres 1949...	722
dollars 1949...	1,763	1944...	691
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	24,851
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	173	1944...	16,514
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	74	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	114	1944...	3
1944...	44	acres 1949...	70
number 1949...	62	1944...	88
1944...	94	bushels 1949...	1,050
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	82	1944...	450
1944...	26	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	39	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
1944...	34	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	19
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	140	1944...	13
1944...	130	acres 1949...	37
number 1949...	310	1944...	37
1944...	354	100-lb. bags 1949...	72
number 1949...	43	1944...	33
1944...	238	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	43	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1949...	21	1944...	10
dollars 1949...	4,190	acres 1949 ² ...	5
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 ² ...	39
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	21	100-lb. bags 1949...	15
1949...	21	1944 ² ...	22
dollars 1949...	4,190	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	208
		acres 1949...	12,208

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con. Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	139	Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
1944.....	151	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	4,291	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	5,248	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	8,394	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	8,720	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	84	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	88	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	6,684	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	7,932	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	9,716	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	9,984	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	37	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	40	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	503	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	547	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	768	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	551	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	45	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	632	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	1,468	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	722	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1,072	quarts 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	214	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1,560	quarts 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	274	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	1,722	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	34
Field crops (other):		1945.....	23
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1950 ²	63
1944.....	24	1945.....	40
acres 1949.....	25	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	34
1944.....	203	1945.....	35
pounds 1949.....	1,375	trees of all ages..number 1950...	991
1944.....	36,540	1945.....	845
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	17	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	90
acres 1949.....	260	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	901
pounds 1949.....	140,152	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	944
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	1,064
acres 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	10
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	38	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4
1944.....	19	1945.....	49
acres 1949 ¹	63	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4
1944.....	37	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
100-lb. bags 1949.....	5,867	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	43
1944.....	1,145	1944.....	
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	2
acres 1949.....		1945.....	3
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	3
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	37
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	97
1944.....		1944.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	5
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	10
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	151	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1
1944.....	214	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	9
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	64
acres 1949.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	2
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	6
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	240	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	4
acres 1949.....		1945.....	10
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	68
acres 1949.....		1945.....	58
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	12
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	56
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	82
acres 1949.....		1944.....	71
1944.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	1
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1945...	2
1944.....		1945.....	1
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	2
1944.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	2
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	100
1944.....		1945.....	68
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	100
1944.....		1945.....	68
acres 1949.....		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	180
1944.....		1944.....	1,580

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.....	999	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	825	.....1945.....	5
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	1,841,800	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	78.9	.....1945.....	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	745,470	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	5
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	590,919	.....1945.....	4
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	55,480	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	7
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	86,529	.....1945.....	8
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	1,295,340	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	4
.....1945.....	1,041,555	.....1945.....	5
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	1,296.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	1,282.5	.....1945.....	5
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	\$9,645	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	7
.....1945.....	12,579	.....1945.....	8
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	50.85	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	9.96	.....1945.....	6
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	51
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	951	.....1945.....	11
.....1944.....	784	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	7
.....acres 1949.....	470,216	.....1945.....	5
.....1944.....	555,802	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	12
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	.....1945.....	9
.....1944.....	5	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	256
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	200
.....1944.....	5	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	504
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	.....1945.....	279
.....1944.....	7	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	574
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	13	.....1945.....	288
.....1944.....	11		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	59	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	52	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	125	White operators.....number 1950.....	997
.....1944.....	151	.....1945.....	825
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	742	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	2
.....1944.....	575	.....1945.....	2
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	158	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	131	Full owners.....number 1950.....	251
acres 1949.....	20,535	.....1945.....	222
1944.....	27,442	Part owners.....number 1950.....	437
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	782	.....1945.....	545
acres 1949.....	276,643	Managers.....number 1950.....	6
1944.....	155,542	.....1945.....	9
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	684	All tenants.....number 1950.....	505
acres 1949.....	245,634	.....1945.....	251
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	52	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	30.5
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	244	.....1945.....	30.4
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	588	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	12
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	190	.....1945.....	16
acres 1949.....	31,009	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	16
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	.....1945.....	3
acres 1949.....	5,315	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	232
1944.....	2,650	.....1945.....	225
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	252
acres 1949.....	5	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	10
1944.....	18,103	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	15
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	647	.....1945.....	7
acres 1949.....	485,888	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	6
1944.....	476,280	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	9
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	824	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	21,062	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	145
1944.....	19,958	.....1945.....	93
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	22	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	476
acres 1949.....	6	.....1945.....	254
1944.....	1,371	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	121
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	580	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	630
acres 1949.....	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	63
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	30
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	57
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	291
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	21
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	605
		number 1950.....	671
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	18
		number 1950.....	24
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
		number 1950.....	5
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
		number 1950.....	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
		number 1950.....	14
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	751		
.....1945.....	675		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	248		
.....1945.....	146		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	52		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	503		
.....1944.....	155		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	100		
.....1944.....	63		

*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...	801	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	188
.....1945.....	478	General farms.....number 1950...	80
.....number 1950...	1,215	.....number 1950...	58
.....1945.....	574	.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	895	.....number 1950...	57
.....1945.....	893	.....number 1950...	32
.....number 1950...	1,824	.....number 1950...	21
.....1945.....	1,024	.....number 1950...	31
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	893	.....number 1950...	52
.....number 1950...	1,548	.....number 1950...	32
.....1945.....	88	.....number 1950...	11
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	33	.....number 1950...	.....
.....number 1950...	34	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	40	.....number 1950...	.....
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	778	.....number 1950...	.....
.....number 1950...	653	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	987	.....number 1950...	.....
.....number 1950...	721	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	62	.....number 1950...	.....
Farms by class of work power:		.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	62	.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	25	.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	474	.....number 1950...	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	458	.....number 1950...	.....
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	458	.....number 1950...	.....
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	667
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	71	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).number 1950...	149
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	122	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).number 1950...	515
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	194	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).number 1950...	276
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	575	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).number 1950...	99
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	14	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).number 1950...	71
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹ .number 1950...	56
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	69	Other farms.....number 1950...	32
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	18	Part-time ².....number 1950...	52
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	198	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	11
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	578	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	9.1	.....number 1950...	.....
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	81	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	16,625,514
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	121	.....dollars 1944...	8,585,503
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	725	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	12,444,241
FARM LABOR*		.....dollars 1944...	6,753,708
Week preceding enumeration:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	12,443,949
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	799	.....dollars 1944...	6,753,222
.....persons 1950...	1,492	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	70
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	775	.....dollars 1944...	60
.....persons 1950...	758	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	222
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	758	.....dollars 1944...	458
.....persons 1950...	255	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	588	.....dollars 1944...	.....
.....persons 1950...	209	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,179,275
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	209	.....dollars 1944...	1,651,570
.....persons 1950...	388	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	79,631
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....dollars 1944...	124,950
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	950	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	79,129
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	918	.....dollars 1944...	82,951
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	722	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,080,513
.....dollars 1949...	1,003,242	.....dollars 1944...	1,423,659
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	818	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
.....dollars 1949...	1,728,854	.....dollars 1944...	25
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	875	HORSES AND MULES	
.....dollars 1949...	444,561	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	514
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	622	.....farms reporting 1950...	510
.....dollars 1949...	1,328,191	.....1945.....	816
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	781	.....number 1950...	1,886
.....dollars 1949...	216,804	.....1945.....	2,595
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	917	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	14
.....dollars 1949...	1,128,200	.....1945.....	29
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	831	.....number 1950...	35
.....dollars 1949...	408,867	.....1945.....	101
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	741	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1949...	301,085	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	755
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1945.....	712
No sales.....number 1950...	11	.....number 1950...	59,487
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1945...	55,543
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	41	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	717
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	15	.....1945.....	690
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	10	.....number 1950...	18,567
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	15	.....1945.....	16,980
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	87	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	624
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	65	.....number 1950...	2,504
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	104	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	508
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	208	.....number 1950...	6,450
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	465	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	527
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950...	6,785
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	755	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	553
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	585	.....number 1950...	7,625
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	35
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	170	.....1944...	12
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....gallons 1949...	64,536
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....dollars 1949...	53,495
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	5	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	31,963
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....farms reporting 1949...	239
		.....1944...	404
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	82,165
		.....1944...	218,620
		.....dollars 1949...	47,531
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		.....dollars 1949...	137
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	444
		.....1945.....	452
		.....number 1950...	5,399
		.....number 1950...	4,977
		.....number 1950...	585
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	3,089
		.....number 1950...	222
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	2,330
		.....number 1950...	222
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	259
		.....1945.....	742
		.....number 1950...	710
		.....1945.....	.....

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

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950..	18	Corn:	
1945..	29	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949..	198
number 1950..	5,099	1944..	585
1945..	11,888	acres 1949..	8,205
Sheep and lambs born before		1944..	15,257
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950..	18	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949..	182
number 1950..	4,959	1944..	555
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950..	15	acres 1949..	7,780
1945..	19	1944..	14,069
number 1950..	4,865	bushels 1949..	119,350
1945..	7,125	1944..	183,031
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950..	7	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949..	.....
number 1950..	768	acres 1949..	.....
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950..	11	tons green weight 1949..	.....
number 1950..	4,079	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950..	8	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949..	20
number 1950..	94	acres 1949..	425
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950..	8		
number 1950..	140	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949..	7	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949..	663
1944..	19	1944..	652
number shorn 1949..	3,377	acres 1949..	88,755
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949..	22,242	1944..	92,579
1944..	68,228	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949..	470
Average date of enumeration.....1950..	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944..	457
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949..	87,954
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950..	710	1944..	55,394
1945..	677	bushels 1949..	1,191,228
number 1950..	50,319	1944..	775,538
1945..	61,611	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949..	8
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949..	172	acres 1949..	457
number 1949..	12,718	tons green weight 1949..	2,304
dollars 1949..	13,022	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949..	391	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949..	406
dozens 1949..	181,014	acres 1949..	20,544
dollars 1949..	80,350	tons cut 1949..	20,957
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950..	28	Small grains:	
number 1950..	118	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949..	24	mixture.....farms reporting 1949..	15
1944..	32	acres 1949..	2,117
number 1949..	1,120	bushels 1949..	25,614
1944..	681	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949..	724
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944..	569
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949..	282,692
alive.....farms reporting 1949..	671	1944..	121,211
dollars 1949..	3,007,674	bushels 1949..	4,850,978
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949..	598	1944..	2,431,782
1944..	511	acres 1949..	1,300
number 1949..	22,426	bushels 1949..	150
1944..	19,124	1944..	24,691
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949..	449	1944..	2,900
number 1949..	15,514	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949..	5
dollars 1949..	1,965,530	acres 1949..	2
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949..	395	1944..	159
number 1949..	8,812	bushels 1949..	12
dollars 1949..	820,550	1944..	4,884
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949..	561	1944..	225
1944..	401	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949..	4
number 1949..	5,701	acres 1949..	2
1944..	9,765	1944..	186
dollars 1949..	180,950	1944..	51
1944..	7	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949..	134
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949..	15	1944..	204
number 1949..	2,220	acres 1949..	8,935
1944..	7,117	1944..	18,099
dollars 1949..	36,284	bushels 1949..	188,189
1944..	58	1944..	568,656
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949..	159	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949..	35
number 1949..	8,420	1944..	91
dollars 1949..	8,420	acres 1949..	1,864
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944..	5,008
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949..	559	bushels 1949..	15,881
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949..	335	1944..	48,512
number 1949..	424	Annual legumes:	
1944..	89	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949..	211	beans.....farms reporting 1949..	8
number 1949..	115	1944..	35
1944..	288	acres 1949..	410
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949..	259	1944..	1,459
number 1949..	120	100-lb. bags 1949..	1,289
1944..	309	1944..	4,042
1944..	158	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949..	467	for peas.....farms reporting 1949..	.....
1944..	540	1944..	.....
number 1949..	1,104	acres 1949..	.....
1944..	1,438	1944..	.....
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949..	7	100-lb. bags 1949..	.....
number 1949..	14	1944..	.....
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949..	75	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949..	58
dollars 1949..	2,555	acres 1949..	1,700

1-Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
 2-Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	51	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	54	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,009	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	971	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,255	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,105	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	10	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	10	1944.....	
1944.....	10	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	4	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	40	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	255	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	40	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	298	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	591	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	10	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	355	quarts 1949.....	(*) 60
1944.....	10	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	5	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	76	quarts 1949.....	
1944.....	45	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	141	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	141
1944.....	80	acres 1950.....	7
Field crops (other):		acres 1945.....	35
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1945.....	16
1944.....	9	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	85
acres 1949.....	378	1945.....	15
1944.....	323	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	790
pounds 1949.....	56,381	1945.....	152
1944.....	19,580	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	525
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	462
acres 1949.....	10	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	159
1944.....	1,600	1944.....	157
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	110
acres 1949.....	4,024	1945.....	18
pounds 1949.....	1,187,850	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1,310
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	310
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	648
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	652
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	609
100-lb. bags 1949.....		1944.....	469
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	52
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	377	1945.....	5
acres 1949.....	74,394	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	154
1944.....	21,552,298	1945.....	11
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	102
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	52
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	42
acres 1949.....		1944.....	12
1944.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	67
tons 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	572
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	532
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	540
acres 1949.....	50	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	2,778
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	170	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	32
1944.....	232	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	129
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	102
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	27
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	91
1944.....	1	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	71
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	9
1944.....	70	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	470
1944.....	50	1945.....	99
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	190
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	280
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	94
1944.....		1944.....	35
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	47
1944.....		1945.....	6
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	219
1944.....		1945.....	22
Centaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	112
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	105
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	40
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	59
acres 1949.....		1945.....	11
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949.....	696
acres 1949.....		1945.....	177
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	275
1944.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	420
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,545
1944.....	(*)	1944.....	1,080

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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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... 638 1945... 630	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 29 1945... 16
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 970,880 1945... 911.6	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 11 1945... 3
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 495,308	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 18 1945... 13
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 376,234	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 35 1945... 23
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 41,297	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 18 1945... 27
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 32,556	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 23 1945... 19
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 889,278	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 45 1945... 37
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 789,376	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 27 1945... 28
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 1,396.9 1945... 1,174.6	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 109 1945... 145
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950... 27,892 1945... 18,032	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 21 1945... 25
.....average per acre, dollars	1950*... 22.18 1945... 15.36	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 37 1945... 36
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 111 1945... 104
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 564 1944... 550	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 68 1945... 53
.....acres	1949... 100,386 1944... 70,427	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 115 1945... 86
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 23 1944... 15	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 20 1944... 15	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 19 1944... 12	White operators.....number	1950... 629 1945... 618
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 41 1944... 33	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... 9 1945... 12
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 121 1944... 160	Farms by tenure of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 201 1944... 227	Full owners.....number	1950... 273 1945... 246
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 189 1944... 87	Part owners.....number	1950... 152 1945... 119
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 169 1944... 119	Managers.....number	1950... 5 1945... 3
.....acres	1949... 10,022 1944... 2,727	All tenants.....number	1950... 206 1945... 262
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 242 1944... 30,144	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 32.6 1945... 41.6
.....acres	1949... 9,574 1944... 122	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 25 1945... 26
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 21,497 1944... 50	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 18 1945... 5
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 35 1944... 37	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 156 1945... 127
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 37 1944... 157	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 83 1945... 9
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 8,547 1944... 8	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 33 1945... 44
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 5 1944... 465	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 8 1945... 6
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 280 1944... 4	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres	1949... 260 1944... 6	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 388 1945... 304
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 162 1944... 90	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 436 1945... 442
.....acres	1949... 785,091 1944... 653,534	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 437 1945... 437
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 389 1944... 418	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 8.92 1945... 315
.....acres	1949... 653,534 1944... 577	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 30 1945... 31
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 454 1944... 444	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 348 1945... 40
.....acres	1949... 51,552 1944... 55,407	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 7 1945... 7
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 1 1944... 20	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 219 1945... 242
FARM OPERATORS		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 125 1945... 125
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 543 1945... 591	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 186 1945... 186
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 84 1945... 85	Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 20 1945... 21
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 121 1944... 225	Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 27 1945... 27
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 120 1944... 91	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... 33 1945... 33
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 91 1944... 57	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 37 1945... 37
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 44 1945... 44
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 44 1945... 44

*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...	360	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	162
.....1945...	256	General farms.....number 1950...	224
.....number 1950...	511	.....1945...	
.....272		Primarily crop.....number 1950...	140
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	461	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	15
.....1945...	399	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	59
.....number 1950...	858	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	85
.....1945...	491		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	461	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950...	802	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	558
.....9		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	63
.....number 1950...	9	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	108
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	33	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	168
.....number 1950...	47	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	92
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	497	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	59
.....number 1950...	523	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	80
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	662	Other farms.....number 1950...	28
.....1945...	633	Part-time ².....number 1950...	
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	51
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	93	Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	80	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,281,045
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	252	.....1944...	5,877,054
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	228	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,478,127
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944...	1,568,474
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,281,284
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	17	.....1944...	1,387,802
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	199	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	208,889
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	117	.....1944...	175,017
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	249	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	464
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	10	.....1944...	249
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	2,710
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	238	.....1944...	1,400
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	56	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,807,808
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	128	.....1944...	2,314,550
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	118	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	121,115
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5.7	.....1944...	185,282
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	308,522
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	154	.....1944...	690,108
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	301	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,477,270
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	121	.....1944...	1,498,940
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	10
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	564	.....1944...	250
.....persons 1950...	1,238	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	560	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	316
Operators.....persons 1950...	550	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	310
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	244	.....1945...	518
.....persons 1950...	359	.....number 1950...	1,505
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	144	.....1945...	3,266
.....persons 1950...	527	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	22
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		.....1945...	73
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	574	.....number 1950...	50
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	482	.....1945...	207
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	342	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1949...	168,582	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	453
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	406	.....1945...	566
.....dollars 1949...	720,945	.....number 1950...	82,352
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	472	.....1945...	41,014
.....dollars 1949...	712,811	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	451
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	420	.....1945...	554
.....dollars 1949...	1,422,225	.....number 1950...	15,784
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	447	.....1945...	21,256
.....dollars 1949...	122,141	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	407
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	490	.....number 1950...	1,504
.....dollars 1949...	476,732	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	318
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	410	.....number 1950...	5,976
.....dollars 1949...	147,176	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	284
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	588	.....number 1950...	5,113
.....dollars 1949...	222,380	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	510
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950...	5,459
No sales.....number 1950...	9	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	29
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	42	.....gallons 1949...	44
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	20	.....1944...	226,075
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	35	.....dollars 1949...	181,772
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	20	.....1944...	89,181
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	20	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	157
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	60	.....1944...	214
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	50	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	55,769
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	80	.....1944...	95,812
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	180	.....dollars 1949...	31,665
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	172	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....dollars 1949...	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	127	HOGS	
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	127	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	557
Cotton.....number 1950...		.....1945...	527
Other field-crop.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	7,775
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	15	.....1945...	4,465
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	82
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	5	.....number 1950...	5,644
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	20	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	211
		.....number 1950...	4,129
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	207
		.....1945...	187
		.....number 1950...	1,023
		.....1945...	700

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...	135	Corn:	
1945...	123	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	380
number 1950...	31,377	1944...	464
1945...	56,868	acres 1949...	12,033
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	15,772
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	107	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	359
number 1950...	23,553	1944...	403
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	89	acres 1949...	10,647
1945 ¹ ...	64	1944...	13,741
number 1950...	18,808	bushels 1949...	502,316
1945 ² ...	15,754	1944...	589,738
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	40	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	33
number 1950...	5,934	acres 1949...	1,001
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	89	tons..green weight 1949...	10,448
number 1950...	12,954	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	63	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	54
number 1950...	4,886	acres 1949...	435
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	103		
number 1950...	7,824	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	97	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	350
1944...	65	1944...	375
number shorn 1949...	23,218	acres 1949...	23,018
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	208,235	1944...	15,357
1944...	118,041	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	254
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	1944...	247
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	15,659
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	501	1944...	7,432
1945...	559	bushels 1949...	308,839
number 1950...	45,470	1944...	200,889
1945...	60,093	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	230	acres 1949...	350
number 1949...	55,252	tons..green weight 1949...	1,721
dollars 1949...	29,854	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	351	cut for dry fo. ge or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	157
dozens 1949...	249,689	acres 1949...	7,010
dollars 1949...	92,842	tons cut 1949...	8,658
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	17	Small grains:	
number 1950...	77	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	57	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944...	190	acres 1949...	306
number 1949...	52,845	bushels 1949...	6,999
1944...	104,708	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	254
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	245
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	27,669
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	481	1944...	6,037
dollars 1949...	4,377,622	bushels 1949...	386,452
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	383	1944...	208,799
1944...	381	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1949...	21,773	acres 1949...	200
1944...	11,768	1944...	255
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	279	bushels 1949...	2,269
number 1949...	15,259	1944...	5,440
dollars 1949...	2,620,935	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	53
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	283	acres 1944...	66
number 1949...	8,514	acres 1949...	844
dollars 1949...	581,093	bushels 1949...	740
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	313	1944...	16,126
1944...	331	1944...	33,924
number 1949...	9,876	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944...	11,564	1944...	2
dollars 1949...	370,448	acres 1949...	11
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	124	1944...	14
1944...	95	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	306
number 1949...	46,022	1944...	290
1944...	36,881	acres 1949...	7,833
dollars 1949...	797,908	1944...	5,602
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	80	bushels 1949...	194,070
number 1949...	340	1944...	223,744
dollars 1949...	7,238	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	15
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	356	acres 1949...	82
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	208	1944...	355
number 1949...	283	bushels 1949...	742
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	81	1944...	4,770
1944...	90	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	107	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
1944...	221	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	18
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	132	1944...	28
1944...	121	acres 1949...	558
number 1949...	156	1944...	383
1944...	150	100-lb. bags 1949...	1,305
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	232	1944...	875
1944...	360	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
number 1949...	545	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	978	1944...	
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres 1949 ² ...	
number 1949...	91	1944 ² ...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		100-lb. bags 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	65	1944 ² ...	
dollars 1949...	1,455	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	335
		acres 1949...	24,135

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con- Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... 388		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
1944... 410		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... 7	
acres 1949... 23,518		acres 1949... 31	
1944... 21,576		Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949... 2	
tons 1949... 47,811		acres 1949... (*)	
1944... 47,901		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... 29	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 2		acres 1949... 458	
1944... 8		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... 5	
acres 1949... 65		acres 1949... 5	
1944... 118		1944... (*)	
tons 1949... 62		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949... 2	
1944... 184		acres 1949... (*)	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... 7		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... 15	
1944... 8		acres 1949... 18	
acres 1949... 228		acres 1949... 203	
1944... 407		1944... 9	
tons 1949... 119		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... 6	
1944... 329		acres 1949... 58	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 3		acres 1949... 6	
1944... 1		Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... 8	
acres 1949... 315		acres 1949... 8	
1944... 3			
tons 1949... 505		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944... 2		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... 10		acres 1949... ..	
acres 1949... 257		quarts 1949... ..	
1944... 38		farms reporting 1949... ..	
tons 1949... 185		acres 1949... ..	
1944... 55		quarts 1949... ..	
Field crops (other):		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... ..	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 202		acres 1949... ..	
1944... 128		quarts 1949... ..	
acres 1949... 6,281		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944... 2,850		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... 93	
pounds 1949... 703,356		1945... 2	
1944... 252,420		acres 1950 ² ... 6	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 10		1945... 1	
acres 1949... 194		Apples.....farms reporting 1950... 56	
pounds 1949... 52,685		1945... 35	
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 2		acres 1950... 235	
acres 1949... 12		1945... 190	
acres 1949... 12		trees of all ages..number 1950... 115	
pounds 1949... 5,400		1945... 180	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 2		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 18	
1944... 6		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 78	
acres 1949... 36		1944... 84	
1944... 18		trees of all ages..number 1950... 50	
100-lb. bags 1949... 6,100		1945... 35	
1944... 581		trees of all ages..number 1950... 284	
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... 6		1945... 200	
acres 1949... 276		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 177	
lb. of brush 1949... 31,600		1945... 77	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949... 38		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 2	
1944... 88		1944... 154	
acres 1949... 979		Pears.....farms reporting 1950... 20	
1944... 1,702		1945... 8	
tons 1949... 14,387		trees of all ages..number 1950... 43	
1944... 18,138		1945... 18	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949... ..		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 27	
acres 1949... ..		1945... 16	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... 189		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 7	
1944... 296		1944... 6	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... 37		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 8	
1944... 84		1944... 8	
acres 1949... 952		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950... 53	
1944... 868		trees of all ages..number 1950... 146	
sold..dollars 1949... 208,889		1945... 98	
1944... 175,017		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 50	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... 2		1944... 102	
1944... 11		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 11	
acres 1949... 4		1945... 44	
1944... 2		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 31	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1945... 15	
1944... 4		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 15	
acres 1949... ..		1944... ..	
1944... (*)		quantity harvested..pounds 1949... ..	
Cantaloupes, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... 14		Flums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... 42	
acres 1949... 208		1945... 22	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949... 2		trees of all ages..number 1950... 257	
acres 1949... 2		1945... 200	
1944... 2		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 185	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1945... 184	
acres 1949... ..		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 111	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1944... 60	
acres 1949... ..		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950... 19	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... 7		1945... 2	
acres 1949... 10		trees of all ages..number 1950... 37	
1944... 15		1945... 4	
1944... 3		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 24	
		1945... 15	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
		1944... ..	
		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	
		1944... ..	
		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... 18	
		1945... 9	
		vines of all ages..number 1950... 274	
		1945... 210	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 88	
		1945... 151	
		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 561	
		1949... 561	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1,170	
		1944... 1,170	

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.
³Reported in small fractions.

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,320	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	328
1945.....	1,425	1945.....	350
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	481,920	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	96
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	55.1	1945.....	59
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	183,571	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	232
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	100,715	1945.....	291
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,585	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	166
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	23,252	1945.....	194
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	265,619	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	78
1945.....	237,632	1945.....	88
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	201.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	49
1945.....	166.8	1945.....	28
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	21,364	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	146
1945.....	11,586	1945.....	183
average per acre, dollars 1950*	136.52	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	94
1945.....	69.48	1945.....	97
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	135
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,021	1945.....	182
1944.....	1,164	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	44
acres 1949.....	87,295	1945.....	43
1944.....	86,090	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	63
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	226	1945.....	44
1944.....	312	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	124
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	65	1945.....	136
1944.....	75	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	52
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	45	1945.....	45
1944.....	54	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	41
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	84	1945.....	35
1944.....	104		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	261	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	295	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	241	White operators.....number 1950...	1,313
1944.....	253	1945.....	1,415
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	99	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	7
1944.....	71	1945.....	10
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	292	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	200	Full owners.....number 1950...	783
acres 1949.....	6,241	1945.....	773
1944.....	7,498	Part owners.....number 1950...	218
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	352	1945.....	146
1944.....	17,679	Managers.....number 1950...	6
acres 1949.....	21,519	1945.....	11
1944.....	270	All tenants.....number 1950...	313
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	15,527	1945.....	495
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	189	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	23.7
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	62	1945.....	34.7
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	60
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	117	1945.....	125
acres 1949.....	2,152	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	29
1944.....	76	1945.....	11
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	54	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	197
1944.....	26,054	1945.....	341
acres 1949.....	24,771	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	174
1944.....	13	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	23
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	27
1944.....	1,427	1945.....	18
acres 1949.....	619	Other tenants.....number 1950...	15
1944.....	673	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	12
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	861		
1944.....	108,255	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	85,677	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,174
1944.....	1,254	1945.....	916
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,392	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,275
1944.....	18,668	1945.....	1,213
acres 1949.....	11,458	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,264
1944.....	1,047	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.75
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1,154	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	778
1944.....	73,307	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	398
acres 1949.....	80,934	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	194
1944.....	4	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,128
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	227
acres 1949.....		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	343
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	218
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,262	number 1950...	234
1945.....	1,340	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	52
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	52	number 1950...	52
1945.....	65	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	36
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	443	number 1950...	36
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	602	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	408
1944.....	435	number 1950...	309
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	365	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	96
1944.....	330	number 1950...	110

*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...	805	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	231
.....1945.....	753	General farms.....number 1950...	156
.....number 1950.....	1,076	.....1945.....	
.....1945.....	903	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	31
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	849	.....1945.....	31
.....1945.....	678	Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	54
.....number 1950.....	1,386	.....1945.....	387
.....1945.....	865	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....number 1950.....	774		
.....1945.....	1,244	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	80	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	942
.....1945.....	80	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	71
.....number 1950.....	80	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	161
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	62	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	356
.....1945.....	62	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	223
.....number 1950.....	62	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950...	121
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	1,134	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	50
.....1945.....	1,155	Other farms.....number 1950...	358
.....number 1950.....	1,526	Part-time.....number 1950...	151
.....1945.....	1,414	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	197
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....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...	24	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	11,397,294
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	120	.....1944.....	9,201,287
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	420	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,484,723
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	408	.....1944.....	2,211,194
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,112,112
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	88	.....1944.....	1,766,588
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	999	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	122,231
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	430	.....1944.....	247,722
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	168	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	17,263
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	5	.....1944.....	43,804
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	233,120
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	656	.....1944.....	153,082
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	185	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,908,636
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	284	.....1944.....	6,987,676
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	96	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,572,319
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	1.0	.....1944.....	1,109,488
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,284,231
Hard surfaces.....farms reporting 1950...	465	.....1944.....	722,901
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	608	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	6,051,456
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	181	.....1944.....	5,155,287
FARM LABOR*		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,965
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	2,417
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,161	HORSES AND MULES	
.....1945.....	2,261	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	561
.....number 1950.....	1,147	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	541
.....1945.....	1,116	.....1945.....	754
.....number 1950.....	557	.....number 1950.....	2,155
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	820	.....1945.....	3,356
Operators.....persons 1950...	200	.....1944.....	42
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	325	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	76
.....1945.....		.....1945.....	115
.....number 1950.....		.....1944.....	317
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....1945.....		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	998
.....number 1950.....		.....1945.....	1,097
.....1944.....		.....number 1950...	36,212
.....1945.....		.....1945.....	41,933
.....number 1950...		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	942
.....1945.....		.....1945 ³	1,015
.....number 1950...		.....number 1950...	12,091
.....1945.....		.....1945 ³	15,047
.....number 1950...		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	895
.....1945.....		.....number 1950...	7,198
.....number 1950...		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	711
.....1945.....		.....number 1950...	9,560
.....number 1950...		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	637
.....1945.....		.....number 1950...	10,575
.....number 1950...		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	646
.....1945.....		.....number 1950...	3,986
.....number 1950...		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	493
.....1945.....		.....1944.....	552
.....number 1950...		.....gallons 1949...	4,235,316
.....1945.....		.....1944.....	3,470,078
.....number 1950...		.....dollars 1949...	1,535,337
.....1945.....		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	165
.....number 1950...		.....1944.....	141
.....1945.....		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	63,919
.....number 1950...		.....1944.....	81,121
.....1945.....		.....dollars 1949...	37,123
.....number 1950...		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....1945.....		.....dollars 1949...	459
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		HOGS	
No sales.....number 1950...	42	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	414
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	155	.....1945.....	472
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	88	.....number 1950...	6,847
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	41	.....1945.....	4,825
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	67	.....number 1950...	341
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	73	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	3,520
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	93	.....number 1950...	226
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	184	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	3,227
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	122	.....number 1950...	226
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	223	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	191
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	232	.....1945.....	1,029
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	566
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	109		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	96		
Cotton.....number 1950.....	13		
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	18		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	13		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	255		
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	143		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...			

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of \$250-\$1,199 and operator either reporting 100 days or more of off-farm work or reporting other income exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	67	Corn:	
1945.....	94	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	568
number 1950...	3,653	1944.....	654
1945.....	17,535	acres 1949...	11,821
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	12,397
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	63	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	243
number 1950...	2,446	1944.....	272
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	62	acres 1949...	3,136
1945 ¹	65	1944.....	3,816
number 1950...	1,555	bushels 1949...	170,433
1945 ¹	7,482	1944.....	127,401
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	413
number 1950...	227	acres 1949...	7,937
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	56	tons..green weight 1949...	67,134
number 1950...	1,328	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	26	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	91
number 1950...	891	acres 1949...	748
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	49		
number 1950...	1,207	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	47	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	58	1944.....	12
number shorn 1949...	3,204	acres 1949...	76
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	24,683	1944.....	117
1944.....	68,130	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Average date of enumeration.....1950..Apr.15-Apr.28		1944.....	14
		acres 1949...	748
		1944.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	1,010	acres 1949...	
1945.....	1,200	tons..green weight 1949...	
number 1950...	103,594	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1945.....	151,645	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	427	acres 1949...	62
number 1949...	195,326	tons cut 1949...	93
dollars 1949...	193,064	Small grains:	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	640	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
dozens 1949...	887,899	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	20
dollars 1949...	385,889	1944.....	249
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	53	acres 1949...	6,533
number 1950...	253	bushels 1949...	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	86	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	303
1944.....	104	1944.....	258
number 1949...	122,507	acres 1949...	15,645
1944.....	48,017	1944.....	11,670
		bushels 1949...	390,913
		1944.....	177,552
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	116
		acres 1949...	2,109
		1944.....	4,413
		bushels 1949...	67,467
		1944.....	85,608
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	351
		1944.....	367
		acres 1949...	4,571
		1944.....	4,504
		bushels 1949...	209,299
		1944.....	151,428
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	25
		1944.....	52
		acres 1949...	227
		1944.....	504
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	627
		1944.....	638
		acres 1949...	20,965
		1944.....	17,156
		bushels 1949...	968,709
		1944.....	605,439
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949...	101
		1944.....	18
		bushels 1949...	2,934
		1944.....	140
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	5
		acres 1949...	
		1944.....	31
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944.....	63
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	
		acres 1949 ²	12
		1944 ²	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	130
		1944 ²	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	839
		acres 1949...	26,381

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres reported for 1944 and 1945 are based on 1944 data.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	732	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	21
1944.....	840	acres 1949...	50
acres 1949...	19,657	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	10
1944.....	22,720	acres 1949...	33
tons 1949...	49,767	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944.....	53,449	acres 1949...	38
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	23	acres 1949...	44
acres 1949...	760	acres 1949...	343
1944.....	312	1944...	882
tons 1949...	888	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	464	acres 1949...	2
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	79	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	18
1944.....	18	acres 1949...	41
acres 1949...	835	acres 1949...	103
1944.....	182	1944...	330
tons 1949...	1,100	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	170	acres 1949...	2
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	119	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	125
1944.....	105	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	4,384	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	24
1944.....	4,451	acres 1949...	4
tons 1949...	4,936	quarts 1949...	5,364
1944.....	4,844	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	21
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	31	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	540	quarts 1949...	2,178
1944.....	1,357	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	562	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	713
1944.....	1,578	acres 1945...	227
Field crop (other):		acres 1950 ² ...	260
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	18	1945...	289
1944.....	10	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	655
acres 1949...	173	acres 1945...	649
1944.....	72	trees of all ages..number 1950...	10,580
pounds 1949...	10,150	1945...	12,510
1944.....	7,920	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,034
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8,546
acres 1949...	126	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	13,276
1944.....	30,766	1944...	16,887
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	182
acres 1949...		1945...	119
pounds 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	860
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945...	306
1944.....	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	437
acres 1949 ¹		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	423
1944.....	8	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	427
100-lb. bags 1949...	12	1944...	391
1944.....	31	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	64
Broccorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1945...	51
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	189
lb. of brush 1949...		1945...	94
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	126	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	126
1944.....	218	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	63
acres 1949...	2,865	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	21
1944.....	4,060	1944...	39
tons 1949...	46,679	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	260
1944.....	52,716	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,234
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	362
acres 1949...	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,872
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	662	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	33,017
1944.....	1,075	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	150
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	68	trees of all ages..number 1950...	622
1944.....	133	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	214
acres 1949...	852	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	408
1944.....	2,592	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	8,210
acres 1949...	122,231	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	243
1944.....	247,720	acres 1945...	125
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	8	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,030
1944.....	6	1945...	504
acres 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	265
1944.....	80	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	765
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	15	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	536
1944.....	30	1944...	372
acres 1949...	96	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	53
1944.....	258	acres 1945...	15
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydevs, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	89
acres 1949...	4	1945...	27
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	51
acres 1949...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	38
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16
acres 1949...	(*)	1944...	1
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	149
acres 1949...	8	acres 1945...	124
1944.....	31	vines of all ages..number 1950...	2,604
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945...	4,152
acres 1949...	42	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	291
1944.....	33	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,313
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	7,830
		1944...	32,946

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.....1945.....	8161945.....	54
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	664,960	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945.....	21.0	.....1945.....	13
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	88,000	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	14
.....1945.....	48,080	.....1945.....	41
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,746	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	22
.....1945.....	1,971	.....1945.....	39
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	139,795	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	9
.....1945.....	140,198	.....1945.....	15
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	675.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	4
.....1945.....	448.7	.....1945.....	10
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950*	16,557	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	20
.....1945.....	7,591	.....1945.....	21
Land in farms.....acres 1950*	28,90	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	10
.....1945.....	17.11	.....1945.....	12
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	82.7	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945.....	85	.....1945.....	37
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	15,557	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	7
.....1945.....	7,591	.....1945.....	11
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	28.90	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	16
.....1945.....	17.11	.....1945.....	24
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	40
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	183	.....1945.....	55
.....1944.....	271	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	17
.....acres 1949.....	12,638	.....1945.....	20
.....1944.....	16,276	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	23
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	26	.....1945.....	18
.....1944.....	85		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	17	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	24	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	15	White operators.....number 1950...	207
.....1944.....	18	.....1945.....	816
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944.....	27	.....1945.....	.....
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	49	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	59	Full owners.....number 1950...	152
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	29	.....1945.....	215
.....1944.....	44	Part owners.....number 1950...	25
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	12	.....1945.....	28
.....1944.....	14	Managers.....number 1950...	4
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	86	.....1945.....	2
.....1944 ¹	94	All tenants.....number 1950...	25
.....acres 1949.....	4,863	.....1945.....	71
.....1944 ¹	2,629	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	12.1
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....1945.....	22.5
.....1944.....	763	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	12
.....acres 1949.....	670	.....1945.....	41
.....1944.....	14	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	16	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	122	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	11
.....acres 1949.....	26,329	.....1945.....	14
.....1944.....	22,825	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	8
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	1	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	2
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945.....	16
.....1944.....	1	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	40	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	1,992		
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	72	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	122	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	173
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	25,329	.....1945.....	147
.....1944.....	22,825	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	230
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	22	.....1945.....	217
.....1944.....	3	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	229
.....acres 1949.....	9,425	.....dollars 1950...	7.54
.....1944.....	2,885	Average of last monthly electric bill.....farms reporting 1950...	153
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	118	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	47
.....1944 ¹	261	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	52
.....acres 1949.....	73,924	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	52
.....1944 ¹	88,744	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	219
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	208	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	85
.....1944.....	296	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	15
.....acres 1949.....	9,959	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	6
.....1944.....	6,072	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	10
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	184	.....number 1950...	10
.....1944.....	299	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949.....	16,734	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944.....	19,266	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....number 1950...	.....
.....acres 1949.....	26	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
FARM OPERATORS		Farms reporting 1950...	.....
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	198	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	275	Farms reporting 1950...	.....
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	7	.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	23	Farms reporting 1950...	.....
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	51	.....number 1950...	.....
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	92	Farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....1944.....	150	.....number 1950...	.....
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	60	Farms reporting 1950...	.....
.....1944.....	107	.....number 1950...	.....

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...	160	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	24
.....number 1945.....	138	General farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1945.....	167	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	4
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	148	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1945.....	104	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1945.....	164	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	61
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	117		
.....number 1945.....	133	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	149	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	144
.....number 1945.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	6
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1945.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	26
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	180	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	38
.....number 1945.....	198	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	51
.....number 1945.....	194	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	4
Farms by class of work power:	223	Other farms.....number 1950.....	63
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	24
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	4	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	89
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	46	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	100		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	26	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	859,399
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	871,653
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	85,070
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	188	.....1944.....	96,158
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	77	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	67,217
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	27	.....1944.....	60,214
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,802
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	18,111
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	23	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,661
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	.....1944.....	9,337
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,500
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	.....1944.....	8,486
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.9	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	772,429
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	472,614
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	89	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	106,853
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	.....1944.....	105,849
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	116	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	81,424
FARM LABOR⁴		.....1944.....	81,306
Week preceding enumeration:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	632,280
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	190	.....1944.....	838,653
.....persons 1950.....	393	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	900
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	190	.....1944.....	2,897
Operators.....persons 1950.....	185		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	98	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	162	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	144
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	143
.....persons 1950.....	46	.....number 1945.....	507
		.....number 1945.....	953
		.....number 1945.....	1,147
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
		.....number 1945.....	7
		.....number 1945.....	28
		.....number 1945.....	60
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁵		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	170	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	178
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	160	.....1945.....	215
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	101	.....number 1950.....	6,883
.....dollars 1949.....	12,690	.....number 1945.....	8,695
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	140	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	162
.....dollars 1949.....	72,101	.....1945 ³	211
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	140	.....number 1950.....	9,546
.....dollars 1949.....	133,522	.....1945 ³	4,222
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	128	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	142
.....dollars 1949.....	222,025	.....number 1950.....	765
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	118	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	114
.....dollars 1949.....	11,820	.....number 1950.....	954
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	155	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	108
.....dollars 1949.....	48,053	.....number 1950.....	1,013
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	97	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	112
.....dollars 1949.....	7,780	.....number 1950.....	1,870
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	122	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	19
.....dollars 1949.....	13,765	.....1944.....	33
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....gallons 1949.....	182,629
No sales.....number 1950.....	34	.....dollars 1949.....	82,422
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	5	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	75
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	9	.....1944.....	93
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	.....	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	45,153
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	18	.....1944.....	48,802
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	10	.....dollars 1949.....	26,078
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	52	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	25	.....dollars 1949.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	25		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	14	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	20	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	109
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945.....	189
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,984
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	2,780
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	101
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	337
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	61
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	4	.....number 1950.....	1,145
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	26	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	74
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	101
		.....number 1950.....	268
		.....1945.....	424

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	41	Corn:	
1945.....	32	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950.....	7,629	1944.....	1
1945.....	4,881	acres 1949.....	35
1944.....		1944.....	3
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	37	1944.....	1
number 1950.....	4,188	acres 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	37	1944.....	1
1945 ¹	29	bushels 1949.....	1
number 1950.....	4,058	1944.....	14
1945 ¹	4,621	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	26	1944.....	1
number 1950.....	1,146	acres 1949.....	35
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	28	tons..green weight 1949...	230
number 1950.....	2,912	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	23	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	130	acres 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	27		
number 1950.....	3,441	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	31	1944.....	
number shorn 1949.....	4,576	acres 1949.....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	42,660	1944.....	
1944.....	49,311	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949.....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	159	1944.....	
1945.....	259	bushels 1949.....	
number 1950.....	9,512	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	15,201	acres 1949.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	69	1944.....	
number 1949.....	6,272	tons..green weight 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	7,564	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	68	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
dozens 1949.....	45,925	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	20,707	tons cut 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	16	Small grains:	
number 1950...	93	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	33	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	20	acres 1949.....	46
number 1949.....	695	bushels 1949...	1,352
1944.....	405	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	2
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949.....	195
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	155	1944.....	12
dollars 1949.....	609,026	bushels 1949.....	5,770
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	125	1944.....	200
1944.....	150	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	37
number 1949.....	3,767	acres 1949.....	235
1944.....	3,317	bushels 1949.....	789
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	97	1944.....	6,122
number 1949.....	1,974	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	78
dollars 1949.....	245,277	acres 1944.....	90
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	95	1944.....	1,029
number 1949.....	1,793	bushels 1949.....	1,128
dollars 1949.....	152,975	1944.....	43,144
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	103	1944.....	41,355
1944.....	117	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1949.....	2,623	acres 1944.....	6
1944.....	4,177	1944.....	255
dollars 1949.....	84,069	1944.....	27
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	86
1944.....	30	acres 1944.....	112
number 1949.....	4,663	1944.....	1,449
1944.....	4,702	bushels 1949.....	2,537
dollars 1949.....	93,112	1944.....	57,963
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1944.....	25,329
number 1949.....	89	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	3,603	acres 1944.....	
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	121	bushels 1949.....	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	70	1944.....	
number 1949...	107	Annual legumes:	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	21	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
1944.....	24	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949.....	28	1944.....	1
1944.....	50	acres 1949.....	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	53	1944.....	4
1944.....	57	100-lb. bags 1949.....	
number 1949.....	79	1944.....	60
1944.....	114	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	111	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	23
1944.....	166	1944.....	43
number 1949.....	262	acres 1949 ²	207
1944.....	495	1944 ²	692
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	6	100-lb. bags 1949.....	4,275
number 1949.....	16	1944 ²	5,023
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	174
dollars 1949...	422	acres 1949...	9,126

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con. Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	132	Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1944.....	172	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	8,763	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
1944.....	8,859	acres 1949.....	34
tons 1949.....	7,517	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1944.....	6,695	acres 1949.....	.....
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	52	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	72	acres 1949.....	6
acres 1949.....	2,065	1944.....	1
1944.....	3,215	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
tons 1949.....	3,108	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	4,456	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	28	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	46	1944.....	.....
acres 1949.....	818	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	458	1944.....	.....
tons 1949.....	417	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
1944.....	518	acres 1949.....	.....
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	43	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	58	acres 1949.....	.....
acres 1949.....	2,509	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale: Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	4
1944.....	2,540	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	2,384	quarts 1949.....	1,036
1944.....	2,468	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	4
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	21	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	458	quarts 1949.....	295
1944.....	216	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes: Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	69
tons 1949.....	525	1945.....	95
1944.....	377	acres 1950 ²	32
Field crops(other): Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	1945.....	137
1944.....	.....	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	69
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	176
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	3,311
pounds 1949.....	.....	1945.....	6,369
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	169
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	3,142
acres 1949.....	10	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	3,763
pounds 1949.....	5,000	1944.....	15,678
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	3
pounds 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	.....
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	28	1945.....	8
1944.....	85	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	.....
acres 1949 ¹	28	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	.....
1944.....	84	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	.....
100-lb. bags 1949.....	2,737	1944.....	.....
1944.....	2,102	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	4
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	1945.....	33
acres 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	7
lb. of brush 1949.....	.....	1945.....	77
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	3
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4
acres 1949.....	.....	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	3
1944.....	.....	1944.....	27
tons 1949.....	.....	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
1944.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	42
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5
acres 1949.....	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	37
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	109	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	445
1944.....	225	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4
1944.....	26	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
acres 1949.....	40	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
1944.....	135	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	24
acres 1949.....	8,802	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
1944.....	18,111	1945.....	53
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	24
1944.....	.....	1945.....	181
acres 1949.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	4
1944.....	.....	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	20
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	12
1944.....	8	1944.....	146
acres 1949.....	1	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	4
1944.....	20	1945.....	27
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	7
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	80
1944.....	.....	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
acres 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	.....
1944.....	.....	1944.....	102
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	.....
Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	1945.....	.....
1944.....	.....	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	.....
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	.....
acres 1949.....	3	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	.....
1944.....	2	1944.....	.....
acres 1949.....	2		
1944.....	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.

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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. It is divided into sections: FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE; FARMS BY SIZE; FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR; and SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT. The table lists various agricultural metrics and their values for 1945 and 1950.

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

Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	287
1945.....	189
number 1950.....	566
1945.....	213
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	278
1945.....	308
number 1950.....	484
1945.....	328
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	275
number 1950.....	444
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
number 1950.....	20
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	266
1945.....	374
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	348
1945.....	440
Farms by class of work power:	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	18
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	39
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	203
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	141
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:	
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	53
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	208
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	14
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	33
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	100
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	152
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6.4
Kind of road on which farm is located:	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	19
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	16
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	259
FARM LABOR*	
Week preceding enumeration:	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	284
persons 1950.....	622
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	273
Operators.....persons 1950.....	271
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	147
persons 1950.....	231
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	67
persons 1950.....	120
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	509
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	284
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	233
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	566,678
dollars 1949.....	248
288,248	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	248
dollars 1949.....	292,906
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	208
dollars 1949.....	817,944
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	197
dollars 1949.....	65,964
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	279
dollars 1949.....	333,893
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	270
dollars 1949.....	91,244
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	243
dollars 1949.....	107,423
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD	
No sales.....number 1950.....	6
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	14
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	14
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	42
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	16
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	64
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	57
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	189
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	168
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	168
Cotton.....number 1950.....	
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	14
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	

Item	County total
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950.....	156
General farms.....number 1950.....	45
Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	8
Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	
Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	37
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	19
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	383
Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	64
Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	125
Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	79
Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	58
Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	43
Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199).....number 1950.....	14
Other farms.....number 1950.....	19
Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	13
Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	
Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	6
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,638,996
1944.....	2,531,856
All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,112,112
1944.....	934,199
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,111,877
1944.....	984,027
Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	825
1944.....	165
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	10
1944.....	17
Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	
1944.....	
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,883,574
1944.....	1,417,537
Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	44,857
1944.....	85,104
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	55,655
1944.....	66,906
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,423,068
1944.....	1,264,648
Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,310
1944.....	
HORSES AND MULES	
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	249
1950.....	247
1945.....	357
number 1950.....	1,243
1945.....	2,421
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
1945.....	29
number 1950.....	41
1945.....	96
CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	531
1945.....	409
number 1950.....	25,995
1945.....	39,823
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	321
1945 ³	408
number 1950.....	13,442
1945 ³	20,359
Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	256
number 1950.....	1,066
number 1950.....	288
Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,501
number 1950.....	277
Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,788
number 1950.....	289
Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	5,224
number 1950.....	10
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	7
1944.....	
gallons 1949.....	15,540
1944.....	33,710
dollars 1949.....	4,889
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	122
1944.....	251
pounds of butterfat 1949.....	67,609
1944.....	160,549
dollars 1949.....	59,872
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
dollars 1949.....	96
HOGS	
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	162
1945.....	221
number 1950.....	1,522
1945.....	1,014
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	127
number 1950.....	858
Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	80
number 1950.....	670
Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	33
1945.....	118
number 1950.....	268
1945.....	261

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.....	25	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	56
.....number 1950.....	7,896	.....1944.....	222
.....1945.....	12,906	.....acres 1949.....	5,033
.....1944.....		.....1944.....	12,424
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	50
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	17	.....1944.....	206
.....number 1950.....	6,401	.....acres 1949.....	2,350
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	15	.....1944.....	10,724
.....1945.....	30	.....bushels 1949.....	42,990
.....number 1950.....	6,301	.....1944.....	161,961
.....1945 ¹	14,581		
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
.....number 1950.....	1,596	.....acres 1949.....	325
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	13	.....tons green weight 1949.....	1,725
.....number 1950.....	4,705		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
.....number 1950.....	100	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	6
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	12	.....acres 1949...	328
.....number 1950.....	1,495		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Sorghums:	
.....1944.....	28	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	271
.....number shorn 1949.....	5,879	.....1944.....	379
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	54,852	.....acres 1949.....	34,925
.....1944.....	124,728	.....1944.....	60,209
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	127
		.....1944.....	212
		.....acres 1949.....	18,907
		.....1944.....	28,558
		.....bushels 1949.....	289,744
		.....1944.....	348,871
		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		.....acres 1949.....	235
		.....tons green weight 1949.....	860
		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	218
		.....acres 1949.....	15,783
		.....tons cut 1949.....	23,251
		Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
		mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	7
		.....acres 1949.....	349
		.....bushels 1949.....	5,045
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	239
		.....1944.....	53
		.....acres 1949.....	115,794
		.....1944.....	11,053
		.....bushels 1949.....	1,444,031
		.....1944.....	127,940
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		.....acres 1949.....	215
		.....1944.....	
		.....bushels 1949.....	3,560
		.....1944.....	
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		.....1944.....	31
		.....acres 1949.....	611
		.....1944.....	261
		.....bushels 1949.....	10,037
		.....1944.....	4,855
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		.....1944.....	1
		.....acres 1949.....	47
		.....1944.....	11
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	56
		.....1944.....	121
		.....acres 1949.....	3,707
		.....1944.....	10,327
		.....bushels 1949.....	41,461
		.....1944.....	191,038
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		.....1944.....	44
		.....acres 1949.....	335
		.....1944.....	2,021
		.....bushels 1949.....	3,450
		.....1944.....	23,222
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		.....1944.....	3
		.....acres 1949.....	5
		.....1944.....	31
		.....100-lb. bags 1949.....	18
		.....1944.....	43
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....1944.....	
		.....acres 1949.....	
		.....1944.....	
		.....100-lb. bags 1949.....	
		.....1944.....	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	33
		.....acres 1949.....	1,338
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	295		
.....1945.....	389		
.....number 1950.....	26,257		
.....1945.....	36,877		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	82		
.....number 1949.....	6,289		
.....dollars 1949.....	6,872		
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	190		
.....dozens 1949.....	130,260		
.....dollars 1949.....	47,055		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	12		
.....number 1950.....	66		
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	11		
.....1944.....	44		
.....number 1949.....	288		
.....1944.....	797		
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold			
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	327		
.....dollars 1949.....	2,408,140		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	310		
.....1944.....	341		
.....number 1949.....	17,650		
.....1944.....	17,175		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	254		
.....number 1949.....	11,569		
.....dollars 1949.....	1,775,305		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	220		
.....number 1949.....	6,061		
.....dollars 1949.....	517,418		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	142		
.....1944.....	215		
.....number 1949.....	2,220		
.....1944.....	4,425		
.....dollars 1949.....	82,802		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	12		
.....1944.....	23		
.....number 1949.....	1,916		
.....1944.....	12,834		
.....dollars 1949.....	30,775		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	35		
.....number 1949.....	121		
.....dollars 1949.....	3,842		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	240		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	175		
.....number 1949.....	222		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	95		
.....1944.....	175		
.....number 1949.....	117		
.....1944.....	192		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	85		
.....1944.....	15		
.....number 1949.....	105		
.....1944.....	17		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	179		
.....1944.....	308		
.....number 1949.....	343		
.....1944.....	656		
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	6		
.....number 1949.....	16		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	15		
.....dollars 1949.....	264		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	7	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*) 1
1944.....	1	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	204	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949.....	
1944.....	21	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	250	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949.....	
1944.....	40	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949.....	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949.....	12	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	1	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	12	berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	24	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... quarts 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	4	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949... quarts 1949.....	
1944.....	8	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949...	63	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	46
1944.....	325	1945.....	6
tons 1949.....	119	acres 1950 ²	6
1944.....	174	1945.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	13	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945.....	20
1944.....	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	8
acres 1949...	716	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	105
1944.....	683	quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944.....	14
tons 1949...	639	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945.....	18
1944.....	673	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	67
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	11	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	10
acres 1949...	343	quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944.....	41
1944.....	30		
tons 1949...	467	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945.....	4
1944.....	20	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	1
Field crops (other):		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	11
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	3
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	7
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944.....	4
1944.....			
pounds 1949...		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945.....	25
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	184
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	43
acres 1949...	188	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	81
1944.....	27,205	quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944.....	742
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	106		
acres 1949...	14,444	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945.....	25
1944.....	4,381,563	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	25
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	8
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	15
acres 1949 ¹	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944.....	320
1944.....	34		
100-lb. bags 1949...	34	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945.....	2
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	7
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	21
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944.....	146
lb. of brush 1949.....			
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945.....	1
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	29
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	3
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944.....	13
1944.....			
tons 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945.....	23
1944.....		vines not of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	2
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...		vines of bearing age..number 1950... 1945.....	20
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	80		
1944.....	301		
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	4		
1944.....	3		
acres 1949...	10		
1944.....	8		
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1		
acres 1949...	(*)		
1944.....	(*)		
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...			
1944.....			
acres 1949...			
1944.....			
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	2		
acres 1949...	2		
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...			
acres 1949...			
1944.....			
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...			
acres 1949...			
1944.....			
Celery.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...			
acres 1949...			
1944.....			
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	3		
acres 1949...	4		
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.
 Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	26	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	23	.....1945.....	5
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	252,160	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	6.8	.....1945.....	.....
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	13,006	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	8
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	4,235	.....1945.....	5
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	17,241	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	2
.....1945.....	10,850	.....1945.....	.....
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	663.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	2
.....1945.....	471.7	.....1945.....	.....
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	39,875	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	11,199	.....1945.....	3
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	31.68	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	23.74	.....1945.....	2
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	17	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	415	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	769	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	2
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	.....	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	.....1945.....	5
.....1944.....	5	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	5
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	2	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	6
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	3
.....1944.....	2		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	2	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	White operators.....number 1950.....	26
.....1944.....	1	.....1945.....	23
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	1	.....1945.....	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	1	Full owners.....number 1950.....	17
.....acres 1949.....	618	.....1945.....	14
.....1944.....	38	Part owners.....number 1950.....	4
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	.....	Managers.....number 1950.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	27	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	.....	All tenants.....number 1950.....	5
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	6
.....1944.....	.....	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	19.2
.....acres 1949.....	15	.....1945.....	26.1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	2
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	5
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	.....
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	12	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	16	.....1945.....	.....
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	1.6	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	11,896	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	3
.....1944.....	1	.....1945.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	3,200	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	2
.....1944.....	140	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	1
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	4		
.....1944.....	19	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....acres 1949.....	699	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	15
.....1944.....	8,578	.....1945.....	13
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	24	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	15
.....1944.....	23	.....1945.....	14
.....acres 1949.....	386	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
.....1944.....	1,325	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	13.53
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	11	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	140	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	573	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	15
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	.....	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	23	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	21	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	3	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	2	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	11	.....number 1950.....	5
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	11	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	7	.....number 1950.....	.....
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	10	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	7	.....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...	20	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	3
.....1945.....	14	General farms.....number 1950.....	2
.....number 1950.....	20	.....number 1950.....	2
.....1945.....	16	.....number 1950.....	2
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	2
.....1945.....	5	.....number 1950.....	2
.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	15
.....1945.....	6		
.....number 1950.....	5	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....1945.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	15
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	2
.....number 1950.....	5	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	2
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	5
.....number 1950.....	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	3
.....number 1950.....	15	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945.....	15	Other farms.....number 1950.....	4
.....number 1950.....	21	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	7
.....1945.....	21	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	7
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	7
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	13		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	72,926
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	.....1944.....	24,789
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,309
		.....1944.....	1,175
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,309
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	1,150
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	25
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	.....1944.....	25
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,238
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	.....1944.....	10,332
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4.3	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,042
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	2,815
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	67,520
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....1944.....	23,614
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,238
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	10,332
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4.3	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,042
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	2,815
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	31,240
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	10,467
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,097
		.....1944.....	
FARM LABOR^a		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
.....persons 1950.....	45	.....1945.....	19
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	.....number 1950.....	195
.....persons 1950.....	20	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....1945.....	163
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	1
.....persons 1950.....	10	.....1945.....	
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....persons 1950.....	15	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
		.....1945.....	19
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....number 1950.....	439
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	.....1945.....	404
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	.....1945 ³	17
.....dollars 1949.....	965	.....number 1950.....	123
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	.....1945 ³	260
.....dollars 1949.....	10	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	7,665	.....number 1950.....	45
.....dollars 1949.....	20	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	61,515	.....number 1950.....	139
.....dollars 1949.....	15	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	12
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	40,030	.....number 1950.....	122
.....dollars 1949.....	10	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	540	.....number 1950.....	33
.....dollars 1949.....	20	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	5
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	6,745	.....1944.....	3
.....dollars 1949.....	5	gallons 1949.....	14,944
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	640	.....dollars 1944.....	27,375
.....dollars 1949.....	5	.....farms reporting 1949.....	9,381
	250	.....dollars 1949.....	6
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	3,068
No sales.....number 1950.....	3	.....1944.....	70
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	4	.....dollars 1949.....	1,837
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	1		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	2	HOGS	
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	2	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	2	.....1945.....	4
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	3	.....number 1950.....	193
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	2	.....1945.....	6
\$4,000 to \$7,999.....number 1950.....	4	.....number 1950.....	5
\$8,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	2	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	95
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	1	.....number 1950.....	4
	2	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	98
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	1
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1	.....1945.....	10
Cotton.....number 1950.....	1	.....1945.....	
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	1		
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	1		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	1		
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	1		
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	3		

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.....	1	Corn:	
1945.....	1	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....	5	1944.....	
1945.....	5	acres 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....		1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
1945 ¹		1944.....	
number 1950.....		bushels 1949.....	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		1944.....	
number 1950.....		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....		tons..green weight 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....		Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
number 1950.....		green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....			
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Sorghums:	
number shorn 1949.....	1	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	10	1944.....	
1944.....	10	acres 1949.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.15-Apr. 28	1944.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	14	1944.....	
1945.....	18	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	2,844	1944.....	
1945.....	1,258	bushels 1949.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	1944.....	
number 1949.....	8,061	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	11,602	acres 1949.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	tons..green weight 1949.....	
dozens 1949.....	29,073	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949.....	13,428	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	4	acres 1949.....	
number 1950...	3	1944.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	3	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	16	1944.....	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949.....	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949.....	
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	23,335	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
1949.....	11	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	12	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	153	1944.....	
1944.....	212	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	
number 1949.....	105	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	16,078	bushels 1949.....	
1949.....	8	1944.....	
1944.....	48	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949.....	2,668	1944.....	4
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	4	acres 1949.....	15
number 1949.....	2	1944.....	58
1944.....	124	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1944.....	6	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	4,430	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	6	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	6	1944.....	
1944.....	6	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949.....	2	1944.....	
number 1949.....	4	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	159	bushels 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	159	1944.....	
FARM SLAUGHTER		Annual legumes:	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	3	beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1949.....	3	1944.....	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1	1944.....	
number 1949.....	1	100-lb. bags 1949.....	
1944.....	1	1944.....	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
number 1949.....	2	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	4	1944.....	
number 1949.....	2	acres 1949 ²	
1944.....	6	1944 ²	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	5	100-lb. bags 1949...	
number 1949.....	7	1944 ²	
1944.....	10	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
number 1944.....	10	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	2		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7		
dollars 1949...	7		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	5
1945.....	14	General farms.....number 1950...	2
number 1950...	20	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
1945.....	16	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	2
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
1945.....	5	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	15
number 1950.....	5		
1945.....	6	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	15
1945.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	2
1945.....	.....	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	2
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	5
1945.....	.....	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	3
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	3
1945.....	17	Other farms.....number 1950.....	11
number 1950.....	15	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	4
1945.....	21	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	7
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	13		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	72,926
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	1944.....	24,789
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,309
		1944.....	1,175
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,309
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		1944.....	1,150
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	1944.....	25
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	1944.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	15	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		1944.....	.....
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	67,520
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	1944.....	23,614
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,238
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	1944.....	10,332
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4.3	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	25,042
Kind of road on which farm is located:		1944.....	2,815
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	31,240
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	1944.....	10,467
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,097
		1944.....	.....
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	1950.....	17
persons 1950.....	45	1945.....	19
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	number 1950.....	195
Operators.....persons 1950.....	20	1945.....	163
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
persons 1950.....	10	1945.....	.....
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	number 1950.....	1
persons 1950.....	15	1945.....	.....
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	1945.....	19
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	10	number 1950.....	439
1945.....	965	1945.....	404
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
dollars 1949.....	7,665	1945 ³	17
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	number 1950.....	123
dollars 1949.....	61,515	1945 ³	263
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
dollars 1949.....	40,030	number 1950.....	43
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	1945.....	10
dollars 1949.....	540	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	159
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	number 1950.....	12
dollars 1949.....	6,745	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	122
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	number 1950.....	9
dollars 1949.....	640	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	33
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	number 1950.....	5
dollars 1949.....	250	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		1944.....	14,944
No sales.....number 1950.....	3	gallons 1949.....	27,375
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	4	1944.....	9,381
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	1	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	2	1944.....	1
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	2	pounds of butterfat 1949.....	3,068
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	3	1944.....	370
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	2	dollars 1949.....	1,857
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	4	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	2	1944.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	1		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	2	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	1945.....	4
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	193
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	1945.....	5
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	5
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	95
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	number 1950.....	4
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	1	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	98
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	3	number 1950.....	1
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
		1945.....	.....
		number 1950.....	10
		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.
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SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950.....		Corn:	
1945.....	1	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....		1944.....	
1945.....	5	acres 1949.....	
1945.....		1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		1944.....	
number 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		1944.....	
1945 ¹		bushels 1949.....	
number 1950.....		1944.....	
1945 ¹		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		1944.....	
number 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		1944.....	
number 1950.....		tons..green weight 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....		Hogged or grazed, or out for	
number 1950.....		green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		1944.....	
number 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....		Sorghums:	
1944.....	1	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949.....	
number shorn 1949.....		1944.....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944.....	10	1944.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950.....	14	1944.....	
1945.....	18	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	2,844	1944.....	
1945.....	1,258	bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949.....	8,061	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	11,602	1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	1944.....	
dozens 1949.....	29,073	tons cut 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	13,428	Small grains:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950.....	4	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
number 1950.....	3	mixture.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		1944.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944.....	3	1944.....	
number 1949.....		bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	16	1944.....	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	
alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	12	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	23,335	1944.....	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	12	1944.....	
number 1949.....	153	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	212	1944.....	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949.....	8	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	105	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	16,078	bushels 1949.....	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	1944.....	
number 1949.....	48	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	2,668	1944.....	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	2	1944.....	
number 1949.....	124	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	6	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	4,430	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....		1944.....	4
number 1949.....		acres 1949.....	15
1944.....		1944.....	58
dollars 1949.....		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1944.....	
number 1949.....	4	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	159	1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
FARM SLAUGHTER		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	1944.....	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	3	1944.....	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949.....	1	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	1	1944.....	
number 1949.....	1	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	1	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	beans.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	4	1944.....	
number 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	6	1944.....	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	100-lb. bags 1949.....	
1944.....	7	1944.....	
number 1949.....	10	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
1944.....	10	for peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
number 1949.....		acres 1949 ²	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 ²	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	100-lb. bags 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	7	1944 ²	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres 1949.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Acres and bushels reported on separate sheets.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	26	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	48	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	5	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	200	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	80	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	220	1944.....	
1944.....	70	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	20	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	45	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	21	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	90	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	14	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	155	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	558	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	152	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	394	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	40	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	60	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 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.....	2
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		acres 1950 ²	(*)
1944.....		1945.....	
pounds 1949.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
1944.....		1945.....	
Sweetlover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	12
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
pounds 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	7
pounds 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	6
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
pounds 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
pounds 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	1	1944.....	
100-lb. bags 1949.....	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	
1944.....	30	1945.....	
Broccorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
tons 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....			

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

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	872	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	75
.....1945.....	793	.....1945.....	66
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	613,440	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1945.....	54.0	.....1945.....	66
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	283,887	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	56
.....1945.....	149,607	.....1945.....	66
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,831	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	124
.....1945.....	7,656	.....1945.....	125
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	439,069	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	75
.....1945.....	869,970	.....1945.....	71
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	508.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	50
.....1945.....	466.5	.....1945.....	44
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	24,837	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	74
.....1945.....	10,236	.....1945.....	65
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	51.54	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	53
.....1945.....	23.05	.....1945.....	55
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	56
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	806	.....1945.....	50
.....1944.....	770	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	45
.....acres 1949.....	103,280	.....1945.....	45
.....1944.....	91,686	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	51
.....1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	181	.....1945.....	43
.....1944.....	123	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	113
.....10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	77	.....1945.....	73
.....1944.....	80	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	52
.....20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	61	.....1945.....	56
.....1944.....	45	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	51
.....30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	91	.....1945.....	53
.....1944.....	100		
.....50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	187	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	147	Farms by color of operator:	
.....100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	160	White operators.....number 1950...	803
.....1944.....	138	.....1945.....	783
.....200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	119	.....1950...	23
.....1944.....	116	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	11
.....Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	344	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	123	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....acres 1949.....	22,128	Full owners.....number 1950...	369
.....1944.....	11,769	.....1945.....	408
.....Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	240	.....1950...	289
.....1949.....	10,401	Part owners.....number 1950...	187
.....acres 1949.....	6,550	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	111	Managers.....number 1950...	2
.....Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	4,301	.....1945.....	2
.....1949.....	85	All tenants.....number 1950...	92
.....50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	23	.....1945.....	104
.....1944.....	3	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.6
.....200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	157	.....1945.....	13.1
.....1944.....	6,100	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	35
.....Other.....farms reporting 1949...	99	.....1945.....	35
.....1944.....	57	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
.....Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	58,037	.....1945.....	3
.....1944.....	21,384	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	35
.....acres 1949.....	16	.....1945.....	35
.....1944.....	25	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	9
.....Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	3,815	.....1945.....	11
.....1949.....	2,226	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	29
.....acres 1949.....	464	.....1945.....	4
.....1944.....	525	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	7
.....acres 1949.....	231,456	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	227,796		
.....Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	775	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	710	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	377
.....acres 1949.....	14,970	.....1945.....	303
.....1944.....	8,559	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	733
.....Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	825	.....1945.....	594
.....1944.....	770	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	6,528
.....acres 1949.....	143,268	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	289
.....1944.....	119,816	.....farms reporting 1950...	49
.....Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	79
.....acres 1949.....		.....farms reporting 1950...	386
.....1944.....		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	52
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	9
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	37
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	133
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	133
		Grain combines.....number 1950...	133
		.....number 1945.....	
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		.....number 1945.....	
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		.....number 1945.....	
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		.....number 1945.....	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		.....number 1950...	
		.....number 1945.....	
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	594		
.....1945.....	702		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	178		
.....1945.....	90		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	394		
.....1949.....	374		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	280		
.....1944.....	238		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	238		
.....1944.....	238		

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

Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^a—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	575
1945.....	424
number 1950.....	745
1945.....	488
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	514
1945.....	818
number 1950.....	1,088
1945.....	462
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	494
number 1950.....	770
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	10
number 1950.....	20
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	182
number 1950.....	248
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	680
1945.....	459
number 1950.....	811
1945.....	518
Farms by class of work power:	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	189
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	193
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	826
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	159
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:	
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	82
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	366
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	261
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	210
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	245
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	83
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	291
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	288
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	3.8
Kind of road on which farm is located:	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	97
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	147
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	516
FARM LABOR^a	
Week preceding enumeration:	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	815
persons 1950.....	2,096
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	792
persons 1950.....	746
Operators.....persons 1950.....	377
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	571
persons 1950.....	810
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	779
persons 1950.....	779
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	878
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	728
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	585
dollars 1949.....	235,546
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	568
dollars 1949.....	1,155,208
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	620
dollars 1949.....	397,829
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	538
dollars 1949.....	828,874
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	454
dollars 1949.....	261,270
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	663
dollars 1949.....	421,779
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	464
dollars 1949.....	188,224
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	496
dollars 1949.....	188,707
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD	
No sales.....number 1950...	76
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	125
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	47
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	51
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	28
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	44
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	51
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	76
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	58
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	95
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	226
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	115
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	60
Cotton.....number 1950.....	55
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	4
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	4
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	12
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	4

Item	County total
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	857
General farms.....number 1950...	90
Primarily crop.....number 1950...	38
Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	8
Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	43
Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	290
FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Commercial farms.....number 1950...	585
Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	65
Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	171
Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	132
Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	92
Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	79
Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	56
Other farms.....number 1950...	281
Part-time ².....number 1950...	86
Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	201
Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,551,561
1944.....	3,387,762
All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,987,798
1944.....	1,619,477
Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	2,676,706
1944.....	1,023,054
Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	810,882
1944.....	595,548
Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	240
1944.....	360
Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
1944.....	475
All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	3,562,973
1944.....	1,768,755
Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	101,885
1944.....	74,686
Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	42,903
1944.....	36,883
Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	3,418,685
1944.....	1,652,685
Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,190
1944.....	4,580
HORSES AND MULES	
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	547
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	545
1945.....	608
number 1950.....	2,169
1945.....	2,927
Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	21
1945.....	35
number 1950.....	45
1945.....	96
CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	644
1945.....	597
number 1950.....	24,588
1945.....	18,568
Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	654
1945 ³	539
number 1950.....	12,518
1945 ³	12,183
Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	589
number 1950.....	1,514
1950.....	846
Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,538
number 1950.....	318
Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,411
number 1950.....	438
Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	5,481
number 1950.....	128
Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	180
gallons 1949.....	298,001
1944.....	285,635
dollars 1949.....	89,415
Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	44
1944.....	88
pounds of butterfat 1949.....	20,680
1944.....	14,703
dollars 1949.....	11,749
Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dollars 1949.....	221
HOGS	
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	494
1945.....	425
number 1950.....	13,690
1945.....	8,756
4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	465
number 1950.....	8,587
1950.....	278
Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	5,163
number 1950.....	385
Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	387
1945.....	1,660
number 1950.....	1,456
1945.....	1,456

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...	348	Corn:	
1945...	288	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1950...	118,549	1944...	3
1945...	90,795	acres 1949...	74
1944...		1944...	15
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	317	1944...	
number 1950...	77,727	acres 1949...	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	315	1944...	
1945 ¹ ...	257	bushels 1949...	
number 1950...	75,941	1944...	
1945 ¹ ...	81,972	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	185	acres 1949...	20
number 1950...	12,941	tons..green weight 1949...	100
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	298	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
number 1950...	68,000	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Hans and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	202	acres 1949...	54
number 1950...	1,785		
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	284		
number 1950...	40,822	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	278	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	
1944...	256	1944...	
number shorn 1949...	74,410	acres 1949...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	780,207	1944...	
1944...	783,847	bushels 1949...	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944...	
		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	614	acres 1949...	
1945...	597	1944...	
number 1950...	27,934	bushels 1949...	
1945...	32,309	1944...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	78	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	4,550	acres 1949...	
dollars 1949...	5,806	tons..green weight 1949...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	226	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dozens 1949...	79,783	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	33,276	acres 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	92	tons cut 1949...	
number 1950...	407	Small grains:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	87	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
1944...	103	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	24
number 1949...	1,191	acres 1949...	1,116
1944...	1,372	bushels 1949...	43,257
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		1944...	3
		acres 1949...	39
		1944...	83
		bushels 1949...	739
		1944...	550
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	252
		acres 1949...	3,903
		1944...	3,674
		bushels 1949...	99,537
		1944...	83,258
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	331
		1944...	286
		acres 1949...	10,951
		1944...	7,525
		bushels 1949...	450,231
		1944...	270,201
		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
		1944...	49
		acres 1949...	280
		1944...	501
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	454
		1944...	368
		acres 1949...	24,889
		1944...	10,749
		bushels 1949...	824,849
		1944...	361,741
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944...	
		acres 1949...	77
		1944...	
		bushels 1949...	1,450
		1944...	
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	120
		1944...	128
		acres 1949...	480
		1944...	417
		100-lb. bags 1949...	2,495
		1944...	1,864
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	202
		1944...	195
		acres 1949 ² ...	4,417
		1944 ² ...	4,093
		100-lb. bags 1949...	43,975
		1944 ² ...	35,156
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	632
		acres 1949...	52,183

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	480	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	454	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	19,022	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	18,285	acres 1949.....	271
tons 1949.....	80,726	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	30,155	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	49	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	70
1944.....	108	acres 1949.....	157
acres 1949.....	1,268	acres 1949.....	2,741
1944.....	2,734	1944.....	7,412
tons 1949.....	1,558	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	3,136	acres 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	88	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	94	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,700	1944.....	
1944.....	1,436	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,962	1944.....	
1944.....	1,879	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	255	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	232	acres 1949.....	4
acres 1949.....	26,160	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
1944.....	22,390	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	22,562	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	22,325	acres 1949.....	(*)
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	53	quarts 1949.....	100
acres 1949.....	2,255	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	3,682	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	2,358	quarts 1949.....	75
1944.....	4,041	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	47
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	1
1944.....	1	acres 1950 ²	1
acres 1949.....	25	1945.....	1
1944.....	88	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	45
pounds 1949.....	4,210	acres 1945.....	12
1944.....	1,800	trees of all ages..number 1950...	187
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	87	1945.....	140
acres 1949.....	2,119	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	45
1944.....	701,416	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	142
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	409
acres 1949.....		1944.....	218
1944.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	190	acres 1945.....	1
1944.....	196	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949 ¹	8,817	1945.....	10
1944.....	8,967	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
100-lb. bags 1949.....	936,026	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	522,397	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	1
acres 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	2
lb. of brush 1949.....	9	acres 1945.....	5
1944.....	14	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	199	1945.....	5
1944.....	286	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
tons 1949.....	1,340	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	1,968	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	90	1944.....	2
acres 1949.....	2,072	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	4
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	394	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	44
1944.....	492	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	4
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	81	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	40
acres 1949.....	171	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	123
1944.....	8,576	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	4
acres 1944.....	8,564	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	14
sold..dollars 1949.....	810,852	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	595,548	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	14
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	90
acres 1949.....	1	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	10
1944.....	87	acres 1945.....	1
(*)		1945.....	1
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	44
1944.....	19	1945.....	2
acres 1949.....	269	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	14
1944.....	391	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	20
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	44
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	10	acres 1945.....	1
1944.....	18	1945.....	1
acres 1949.....	294	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	1
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....	3	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	3	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	3	acres 1945.....	
		1945.....	
		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	
		1945.....	
		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		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.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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This release presents figures from the 1950 Census of Agriculture, together with available comparative data from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. The figures from the 1950 Census are preliminary and are subject to revision. A similar report will be released for every county in the United States. A preliminary report, 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...	468	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	65
.....1945.....	553	.....1945.....	65
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	777,600	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	71.9	.....1945.....	.....
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	199,251	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	62
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	125,513	.....1945.....	65
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	252,189	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	106
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,171	.....1945.....	140
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	558,782	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	63
.....1945.....	463,806	.....1945.....	73
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1,194.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	31
.....1945.....	838.7	.....1945.....	48
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	21,606	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	32
.....1945.....	6,150	.....1945.....	51
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	17.87	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	29
.....1945.....	7.33	.....1945.....	35
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	32
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	439	.....1945.....	38
.....1944.....	525	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	20
.....acres 1949.....	31,494	.....1945.....	23
.....1944.....	34,733	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	14
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	95	.....1945.....	22
.....1944.....	116	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	38
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	78	.....1945.....	39
.....1944.....	85	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	19
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	53	.....1945.....	11
.....1944.....	69	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	19
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	61		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	67	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	83	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	58	White operators.....number 1950...	456
.....1944.....	72	.....1945.....	515
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	36	.....1950...	12
.....1944.....	39	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	38
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	111	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	58	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....acres 1949.....	5,699	Full owners.....number 1950...	330
.....1944.....	23,903	.....1945.....	355
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	170	.....1950...	90
.....1944.....	9,331	Part owners.....number 1950...	70
.....acres 1949.....	5,634	.....1945.....	3
.....1944.....	43	Managers.....number 1950...	2
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	2,501	.....1945.....	45
.....1944.....	28	All tenants.....number 1950...	126
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	.....1945.....	9.6
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	22.8
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	143	.....1945.....	.....
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	6,830	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
.....1944.....	45	.....1945.....	16
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	2
.....1944.....	66,350	.....1945.....	28
.....acres 1949.....	996	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	29
.....1944.....	12	.....1945.....	76
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	27
.....1944.....	36,668	.....1945.....	2
.....acres 1949.....	127	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....1944.....	124	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	6
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	238	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	393,743	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....acres 1949.....	392,125		
.....1944.....		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	395	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	104
.....1944.....	449	.....1945.....	57
.....acres 1949.....	15,497	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	407
.....1944.....	6,288	.....1945.....	183
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	441	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	402
.....1944.....	538	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.46
.....acres 1949.....	40,353	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	145
.....1944.....	40,792	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	17
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	69
.....acres 1949.....	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	322
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	37
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	115
		.....number 1950...	121
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		.....number 1950...	24
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	17
		.....number 1950...	22
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		.....number 1950...	6
			8
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	430		
.....1945.....	480		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	37		
.....1945.....	65		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	233		
.....1944.....	189		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	38		
.....1944.....	38		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	126		
.....1944.....	20		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	294	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	74
.....1945.....	209	General farms.....number 1950.....	31
.....number 1950.....	381	.....number 1950.....	15
.....1945.....	238	.....number 1950.....	16
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	234	.....number 1950.....	233
.....1945.....	180		
.....number 1950.....	439	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....1945.....	229	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	235
.....number 1950.....	234	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	33
.....1945.....	374	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	35
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	53
.....number 1950.....	15	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	71
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	29	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	29
.....number 1950.....	30	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ².....number 1950.....	34
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	233	Other farms.....number 1950.....	233
.....1945.....	252	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	69
.....number 1950.....	275	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	164
.....1945.....	275	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	131	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,523,926
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	19	.....1944.....	1,662,039
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	92	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,406,093
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	117	.....1944.....	998,233
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	109	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,072,364
		.....1944.....	613,628
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD³		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	333,150
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	374,003
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	579
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	176	.....1944.....	197
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	121	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	162	.....1944.....	10,435
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	12	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,117,385
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	662,310
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	80	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,803
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....1944.....	6,367
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	205	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	17,004
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	124	.....1944.....	9,798
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4.1	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,094,578
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	646,145
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	47	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	448
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	125	.....1944.....	1,496
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	234		
FARM LABOR³		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	266
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	393	.....1945.....	297
.....persons 1950.....	787	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	344
.....1945.....	388	.....number 1950.....	848
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	363	.....1945.....	1,274
Operators.....persons 1950.....	138	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	226	.....1945.....	23
.....persons 1950.....	80	.....number 1950.....	47
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	195	.....1945.....	50
.....persons 1950.....	195		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES³		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	398	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	256
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	353	.....1945.....	328
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	275	.....number 1950.....	5,114
.....dollars 1949.....	60,618	.....1945.....	3,727
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	223	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	253
.....dollars 1949.....	509,266	.....1945.....	282
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	200	.....number 1950.....	2,597
.....dollars 1949.....	44,655	.....1945.....	2,170
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	201	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	205
.....dollars 1949.....	405,525	.....number 1950.....	458
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	221	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	115
.....dollars 1949.....	115,850	.....number 1950.....	511
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	278	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	83
.....dollars 1949.....	236,350	.....number 1950.....	1,233
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	217	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	131
.....dollars 1949.....	84,800	.....number 1950.....	773
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	214	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	10
.....dollars 1949.....	68,429	.....1944.....	21
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....gallons 1949.....	9,572
No sales.....number 1950.....	55	.....1944.....	20,204
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	109	.....dollars 1949.....	3,332
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	39	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	16
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	19	.....1944.....	13
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	14	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	3,994
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	15	.....1944.....	2,798
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	25	.....dollars 1949.....	2,417
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	37	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	42	.....dollars 1949.....	54
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	25		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	68	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	293
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	102	.....1945.....	272
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	68	.....number 1950.....	4,985
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	4,333
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	34	.....number 1950.....	276
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	28	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,520
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	192
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,465
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	227
		.....1945.....	204
		.....number 1950.....	930
		.....1945.....	702

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...	97	Corn:	
.....farms reporting 1945...	99	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	31
.....number 1950...	20,821	.....1944...	21
.....1945...	25,056	.....acres 1949...	49
.....1944...		.....1944...	125
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	22
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	93	.....1944...	10
.....number 1950...	14,452	.....acres 1949...	25
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	89	.....1944...	40
.....1945...	90	.....bushels 1949...	426
.....number 1950...	14,232	.....1944...	479
.....1945...	20,673		
.....1950...	58	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number 1950...	2,614	.....acres 1949...	
.....1950...	79	.....tons..green weight 1949...	
.....number 1950...	11,618		
.....1950...	44	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
.....farms reporting 1950...	220	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	12
.....number 1950...	69	.....acres 1949...	24
.....1950...	6,359		
.....number 1950...			
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	81	Sorghums:	
.....1944...	85	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	
.....number shorn 1949...	14,673	.....1944...	
.....pounds 1949...	129,092	.....acres 1949...	
.....1944...	190,027	.....1944...	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		.....acres 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		.....bushels 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....acres 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		.....tons..green weight 1949...	
		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		.....acres 1949...	
		.....1944...	
		.....tons cut 1949...	
		Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
		mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	11
		.....acres 1949...	125
		.....bushels 1949...	2,722
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	22
		.....1944...	9
		.....acres 1949...	605
		.....1944...	187
		.....bushels 1949...	14,670
		.....1944...	2,725
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	207
		.....acres 1949...	2,292
		.....1944...	1,939
		.....bushels 1949...	46,713
		.....1944...	32,976
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	101
		.....1944...	80
		.....acres 1949...	2,325
		.....1944...	1,579
		.....bushels 1949...	83,203
		.....1944...	30,486
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		.....1944...	16
		.....acres 1949...	385
		.....1944...	135
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	252
		.....1944...	220
		.....acres 1949...	6,232
		.....1944...	5,546
		.....bushels 1949...	184,203
		.....1944...	135,110
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		.....1944...	2
		.....acres 1949...	20
		.....1944...	35
		.....bushels 1949...	400
		.....1944...	500
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	150
		.....1944...	125
		.....acres 1949...	589
		.....1944...	773
		.....100-lb. bags 1949...	4,804
		.....1944...	4,453
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	186
		.....1944...	237
		.....acres 1949...	6,637
		.....1944...	10,142
		.....100-lb. bags 1949...	77,676
		.....1944...	96,775
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	290
		.....acres 1949...	7,941
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	326		
.....1945...	338		
.....number 1950...	12,154		
.....1945...	13,800		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	35		
.....number 1949...	1,553		
.....dollars 1949...	2,099		
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	74		
.....dozens 1949...	32,412		
.....dollars 1949...	13,889		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	17		
.....number 1950...	131		
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	30		
.....1944...	7		
.....number 1949...	413		
.....1944...	218		
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold			
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	288		
.....dollars 1949...	1,033,336		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	126		
.....1944...	112		
.....number 1949...	4,409		
.....1944...	6,038		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	71		
.....number 1949...	3,810		
.....dollars 1949...	54,946		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	96		
.....number 1949...	399		
.....dollars 1949...	54,901		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	223		
.....1944...	165		
.....number 1949...	5,227		
.....1944...	5,539		
.....dollars 1949...	184,250		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	77		
.....1944...	59		
.....number 1949...	12,833		
.....1944...	14,906		
.....dollars 1949...	236,618		
.....number 1949...	6		
.....dollars 1949...	2,621		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	275		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	53		
.....number 1949...	78		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	13		
.....1944...	25		
.....number 1949...	30		
.....1944...	63		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	41		
.....1944...	22		
.....number 1949...	48		
.....1944...	28		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	236		
.....1944...	178		
.....number 1949...	536		
.....1944...	635		
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	75		
.....number 1949...	498		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	32		
.....dollars 1949...	405		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	249	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	276	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	5,915	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	4,504	acres 1949.....	24
tons 1949.....	8,827	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	6,799	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	37	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	12	acres 1949.....	31
acres 1949.....	712	acres 1949.....	171
1944.....	249	1944.....	24
tons 1949.....	1,061	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	403	acres 1949.....	31
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	22	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	354	1944.....	1
1944.....	218	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	344	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	199	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	4
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	33	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	31	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	637	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	3,325	quarts 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	667	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	3,567	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	20	quarts 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	384	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	1,130	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	68
tons 1949.....	488	1945.....	5
1944.....	1,628	acres 1950.....	12
Field crops (other):		1945.....	1
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	55
1944.....	4	1945.....	14
acres 1949.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	570
1944.....	36	1945.....	179
pounds 1949.....	160	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	107
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2,880	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	461
acres 1949.....	7	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	678
1944.....	17,000	1944.....	210
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
pounds 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	103	1945.....	
1944.....	39	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949 ¹	1,818	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	1,045	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
100-lb. bags 1949.....	418,518	1944.....	
1944.....	122,355	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	6
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	2
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	81
lb. of brush 1949.....		1945.....	10
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	16
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	69
acres 1949.....	259	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....		1944.....	2
tons 1949.....	1,518	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	7
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	35
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	60	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	35
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	193	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	632
1944.....	262	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	20
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	105	trees of all ages..number 1950...	64
1944.....	216	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	24
acres 1949.....	2,088	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	40
1944.....	3,672	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	236
sold..dollars 1949.....	333,150	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	15
1944.....	374,003	1945.....	4
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	74
1944.....	3	1945.....	14
acres 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	27
1944.....	16	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	47
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	28	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	20
1944.....	54	1944.....	13
acres 1949.....	595	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	884	1945.....	
Cantaloupe, honeyballs, honeydews, and melons.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	61	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	94	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
acres 1949.....	841	1944.....	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	4	vines of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....	17	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		1944.....	

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1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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CROWLEY COUNTY, COLORADO

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*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...	357	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	13
.....1945.....	262	General farms.....number 1950.....	20
.....number 1950.....	452	.....number 1950.....	12
.....1945.....	291	.....number 1950.....	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	386	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	310	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	671	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	402	.....number 1950.....	1
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	375		
.....number 1950.....	642		
.....1945.....	10		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10		
.....number 1950.....	10		
.....1945.....	18		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	19		
.....number 1950.....	19		
.....1945.....	419		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	423		
.....number 1950.....	518		
.....1945.....	483		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	53		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	2		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	33		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	178		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	224		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	42	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	49
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	235	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	30
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	67	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	102
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	124	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	114
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	81
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ^b.....number 1950.....	15
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	85	Other farms.....number 1950.....	21
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	52	Part-time ^c.....number 1950.....	19
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	163	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	34
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	107	Abnormal ^d.....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4.2		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	57	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,115,425
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	215	.....1944.....	2,858,640
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	174	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,031,182
		.....1944.....	1,727,762
FARM LABOR^a		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,556,742
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	1,107,182
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	428	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	470,118
.....persons 1950.....	873	.....1944.....	597,143
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	428	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	865
Operators.....persons 1950.....	406	.....1944.....	5,455
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	222	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,320
.....persons 1950.....	289	.....1944.....	20,000
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	56	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,084,250
.....persons 1950.....	178	.....1944.....	1,146,514
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	110,461
		.....1944.....	74,750
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	228,071
		.....1944.....	216,514
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,745,724
		.....1944.....	849,028
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	715
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	217
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	217
		.....1945.....	368
		.....number 1950.....	600
		.....1945.....	1,747
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	31
		.....1945.....	41
		.....number 1950.....	13
		.....1945.....	158
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	385
		.....1945.....	415
		.....number 1950.....	18,770
		.....1945.....	19,401
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	319
		.....1945.....	358
		.....number 1950.....	8,735
		.....1945.....	10,068
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	334
		.....number 1950.....	1,180
		.....1945.....	254
		.....number 1950.....	3,442
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	238
		.....number 1950.....	3,582
		.....1945.....	260
		.....number 1950.....	2,961
		.....1945.....	29
		.....number 1950.....	33
		.....1944.....	1,60,882
		.....gallons 1949.....	79,590
		.....1944.....	69,920
		.....dollars 1949.....	157
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	231
		.....1944.....	71,210
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	98,018
		.....1944.....	40,475
		.....dollars 1949.....	1
		.....farms reporting 1949.....	66
		.....dollars 1949.....	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	304
		.....1945.....	219
		.....number 1950.....	5,403
		.....1945.....	3,432
		.....number 1950.....	217
		.....1945.....	2,880
		.....number 1950.....	171
		.....1945.....	2,923
		.....number 1950.....	184
		.....1945.....	155
		.....number 1950.....	825
		.....1945.....	657

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...	23	Corn:	
1945.....	13	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	366
number 1950.....	3,563	1944.....	401
1945.....	8,404	acres 1949.....	11,821
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	14,287
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	17	1944.....	339
number 1950.....	2,352	1944.....	378
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	16	acres 1949.....	10,575
1945 ¹	8	1944.....	12,869
number 1950.....	2,337	bushels 1949.....	418,206
1945 ¹	5,965	1944.....	469,877
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	19
number 1950.....	11	acres 1949.....	352
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	13	tons..green weight 1949...	2,684
number 1950.....	2,326	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	5	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	34
number 1950.....	15	acres 1949.....	694
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	17		
number 1950.....	1,211	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	119
1944.....	6	1944.....	221
number shorn 1949.....	1,959	acres 1949.....	7,879
1944.....	17,018	1944.....	8,464
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	39,505	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	39,505	1944.....	60
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949.....	4,075
		1944.....	1,371
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1949.....	55,581
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	390	1944.....	17,391
1945.....	457	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1950.....	27,739	acres 1949.....	220
1945.....	35,861	tons..green weight 1949...	1,635
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	151	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
number 1949.....	15,316	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	57
dollars 1949.....	15,200	acres 1949.....	3,584
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	236	tons out 1949...	2,859
dozens 1949.....	133,882	Small grains:	
dollars 1949.....	52,816	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	7	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1950...	42	acres 1949.....	150
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	28	bushels 1949...	1,968
1944.....	95	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	44
number 1949.....	26,760	1944.....	52
1944.....	24,037	acres 1949.....	8,592
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944.....	626
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		bushels 1949.....	97,400
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	386	1944.....	18,787
dollars 1949...	1,733,448	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	286	acres 1949.....	236
1944.....	274	1944.....	38
number 1949.....	10,340	bushels 1949.....	1,176
1944.....	9,653	1944.....	1,206
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	235	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	63
number 1949...	7,206	1944.....	26
dollars 1949...	1,112,972	acres 1949.....	675
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	189	1944.....	267
number 1949...	3,134	bushels 1949.....	20,960
dollars 1949...	260,049	1944.....	12,464
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	272	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	244	acres 1949.....	9
number 1949...	7,344	1944.....	66
1944.....	6,801	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	222
dollars 1949...	263,459	1944.....	158
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	22	acres 1949...	4,879
1944.....	9	1944.....	2,514
number 1949...	4,895	bushels 1949.....	114,847
1944.....	10,948	1944.....	79,282
dollars 1949...	92,673	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	39	1944.....	5
number 1949...	130	acres 1949...	15
dollars 1949...	4,295	1944.....	100
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949...	75
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	311	1944.....	1,475
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	174	Annual legumes:	
number 1949...	232	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	72	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	80
1944.....	88	1944.....	170
number 1949...	93	acres 1949...	3,748
1944.....	99	1944.....	6,598
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	109	100-lb. bags 1949...	9,150
1944.....	100	1944.....	24,617
number 1949...	129	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
1944.....	112	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	253	1944.....	30
1944.....	315	acres 1949...	179
number 1949...	443	1944 ²	
1944.....	600	100-lb. bags 1949...	
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1944 ²	
number 1949...	11	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	379
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	34	acres 1949...	13,039
dollars 1949...	1,127		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	325	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	307	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	12,370	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	8,775	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	32,208	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	20,623	acres 1949.....	77
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	10	1944.....	1
1944.....	47	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	9	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	46	1944.....	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	61
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	75
acres 1949.....	586	1944.....	75
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	75
tons 1949.....	388	1944.....	75
1944.....	16	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	34
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	51
acres 1949.....	5	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	51
1944.....	401	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	5	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	440	acres 1949.....	2
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	quarts 1949.....	300
acres 1949.....	81	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	12	acres 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	141	quarts 1949.....	1
1944.....	22	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	41
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	95	1945.....	5
1944.....	56	acres 1950 ²	18
acres 1949.....	1,615	1945.....	9
1944.....	823	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	21
pounds 1949.....	150,844	1945.....	1
1944.....	72,860	trees of all ages..number 1950...	617
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	457
acres 1949.....	91	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	173
1944.....	21,225	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	444
pounds 1949.....	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	735
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	85	1944.....	603
acres 1949.....	14,293	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	2
1944.....	3	1945.....	1
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	248
1944.....	5	1945.....	57
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	142
1944.....	49	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	104
100-lb. bags 1949.....	6	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6
1944.....	1,914	1944.....	125
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	100	1945.....	1
lb. of brush 1949.....	16,000	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	145	1945.....	1
1944.....	206	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	3,358	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
1944.....	3,854	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1
tons 1949.....	44,069	1944.....	1
1944.....	39,807	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	11
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	9	trees of all ages..number 1950...	124
acres 1949.....	88	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	57
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	157	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	59
1944.....	315	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	390
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	100	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	8
1944.....	186	trees of all ages..number 1950...	14
acres 1949.....	2,000	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	20
1944.....	3,982	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4
sold..dollars 1949.....	470,118	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1
1944.....	597,143	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	15
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	5
1944.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	153
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	165
1944.....	9	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	77
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	56
1944.....	14	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	14
acres 1949.....	14	1944.....	27
1944.....	17	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	7
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydeys, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	17	1945.....	19
acres 1949.....	406	trees of all ages..number 1950...	19
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	19
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	1
Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	65
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	6
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	vines of all ages..number 1950...	681
acres 1949.....	3	1945.....	2,102
1944.....	3	1945.....	197
1944.....	3	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	482
		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1,425
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	10,700
		1944.....	10,700

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FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	222	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	265	.....1945.....	5
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	471,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	58.5	.....1945.....	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	167,142	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	8
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	79,647	.....1945.....	4
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	12,000	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	8
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	6,496	.....1945.....	1
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	252,298	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	4
.....1945.....	285,904	.....1945.....	3
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1186.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	4
.....1945.....	925.1	.....1945.....	4
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	28,894	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	9,798	.....1945.....	5
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	24.04	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	10.69	.....1945.....	6
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	19
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	196	.....1945.....	20
.....1944.....	222	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	8
.....acres 1949.....	25,594	.....1945.....	7
.....1944.....	25,047	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	6
.....1949.....	5	.....1945.....	8
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	60
.....1944.....	14	.....1945.....	71
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	44
.....1944.....	10	.....1945.....	59
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	23	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	65
.....1944.....	23	.....1945.....	56
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	57		
.....1944.....	50	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	45	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944.....	60	White operators.....number 1950...	221
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	42	.....1945.....	255
.....1944.....	41	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	68	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	53	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	5,682	Full owners.....number 1950.....	126
.....1944.....	1,651	.....1945.....	168
.....acres 1949.....	24	Part owners.....number 1950.....	56
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,608	.....1945.....	39
.....1944.....	2,675	Managers.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	11	.....1945.....	8
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	616	All tenants.....number 1950.....	39
.....1944.....	8	.....1945.....	45
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	17.6
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	.....1945.....	17.6
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	20
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	892	.....1945.....	26
.....acres 1949.....	102	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	3
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	45	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	46,117	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	10
.....acres 1944.....	12,110	.....1945.....	16
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	9
.....1944.....	8	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	4,854	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	6
.....1944.....	1,482	.....1945.....	3
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	151	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	288	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	162,873		
.....1944.....	191,880	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	215	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	116
.....1944.....	188	.....1945.....	88
.....acres 1949.....	5,165	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	122
.....1944.....	1,109	.....1945.....	59
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	130	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	122
.....1944.....	146	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	6.59
.....acres 1949.....	25,285	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	101
.....1944.....	17,255	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	47
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	56
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	126
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
		.....1945.....	8
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	51
		.....1945.....	17
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	22
		.....1945.....	22
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
		.....1945.....	1
		Grain combines.....number 1950.....	1
		.....1945.....	1
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
		.....1945.....	29
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
		.....1945.....	12
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
		.....1945.....	1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
		.....1945.....	1

*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	168	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry..... number 1950	11
.....1945	184	General farms.....number 1950	11
.....number 1950	218	.....number 1950	.....
.....1945	144	.....number 1950	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950	187	.....number 1950	.....
.....1945	89	.....number 1950	.....
.....number 1950	228	.....number 1950	.....
.....1945	101	.....number 1950	.....
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950	188	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950	61
.....number 1950	206		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950	.....	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950	.....	Commercial farms.....number 1950	121
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950	17	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950	.....
.....number 1950	17	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950	.....
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950	153	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950	.....
.....1945	149	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950	.....
.....number 1950	229	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950	.....
.....1945	172	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950	.....
Farms by class of work power:		Other farms.....number 1950	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950	25	Part-time ².....number 1950	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950	15	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950	46	Abnormal ³.....number 1950	.....
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950	121		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950	15	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949	1,509,235
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944	592,442
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950	5	All crops sold.....dollars 1949	120,427
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950	24	.....1944	94,978
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950	53	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949	116,071
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950	131	.....1944	84,955
Average distance reported.....miles 1950	17	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949	2,415
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944	9,511
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950	15	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950	12	.....1944	106
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950	32	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949	.....
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950	152	.....1944	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950	9.6	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949	1,331,311
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944	481,325
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950	.....	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949	171,222
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950	24	.....1944	101,024
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950	189	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949	25,487
		.....1944	16,125
FARM LABOR*		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949	1,124,424
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944	323,642
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950	198	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949	7,511
.....persons 1950	450	.....1944	17,841
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950	167		
Operators.....persons 1950	128	HORSES AND MULES	
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950	110	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950	111
.....persons 1950	202	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1945	212
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950	45	.....number 1950	1,111
.....persons 1950	66	.....1945	1,381
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1949	.....
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949	223	.....number 1950	11
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949	152	.....1945	12
Machine hire.....dollars 1949	114	.....number 1950	12
.....1945	35,890	.....1945	21
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949	147		
.....dollars 1949	140,604	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949	152	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950	125
.....dollars 1949	144,607	.....1945	201
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949	156	.....number 1950	12,821
.....dollars 1949	155,527	.....1945	11,221
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949	115	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950	121
.....dollars 1949	14,457	.....1945	124
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949	188	.....number 1950	6,875
.....dollars 1949	78,899	.....1945	7,521
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949	107	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950	140
.....dollars 1949	20,577	.....number 1950	1,227
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949	130	.....number 1950	121
.....dollars 1949	31,523	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950	2,202
		.....number 1950	125
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950	2,043
No sales.....number 1950	22	.....number 1950	152
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950	12	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950	2,016
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950	.....	.....number 1950	45
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950	12	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949	25
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950	.....	.....1944	393,754
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950	13	.....gallons 1949	278,591
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950	25	.....dollars 1949	152,125
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950	49	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949	50
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950	39	.....pounds of butterfat 1949	80,344
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950	7	.....1944	48,860
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950	42	.....dollars 1949	19,704
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949	.....
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950	19	.....dollars 1949	.....
Cash-grain.....number 1950	19	HOGS	
Cotton.....number 1950	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950	27
Other field-crop.....number 1950	.....	.....1945	107
Vegetable farms.....number 1950	.....	.....number 1950	256
.....1950	.....	.....1945	235
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950	.....	.....number 1950	72
Dairy farms.....number 1950	31	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950	618
Poultry farms.....number 1950	.....	.....number 1950	90
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950	222
		.....number 1950	33
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950	50
		.....1945	155
		.....number 1950	124
		.....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...	19	Corn:	
1945...	30	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	17
number 1950...	3,420	1944...	25
1945...	8,148	acres 1949...	650
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	623
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	18	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1950...	2,852	1944...	12
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	18	acres 1949...	232
1945 ¹ ...	26	1944...	212
number 1950...	2,771	bushels 1949...	4,405
1945 ¹ ...	6,522	1944...	6,165
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	12	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
number 1950...	885	acres 1949...	325
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	15	tons..green weight 1949...	1,147
number 1950...	2,886	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	10	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1950...	61	acres 1949...	52
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11		
number 1950...	568		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Sorghums:	
1944...	22	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	4
number shorn 1949...	2,558	1944...	7
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	23,232	acres 1949...	127
1944...	59,295	1944...	142
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944...	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	155	acres 1949...	6
1945...	187	1944...	10
number 1950...	7,151	bushels 1949...	50
1945...	9,924	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	38	acres 1949...	24
number 1949...	3,950	tons..green weight 1949...	30
dollars 1949...	4,080	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	76	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3
dozens 1949...	27,256	acres 1949...	127
dollars 1949...	11,596	tons cut 1949...	227
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	7	Small grains:	
number 1950...	54	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	10	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944...	23	acres 1949...	241
number 1949...	1,539	bushels 1949...	4,397
1944...	465	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	6
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	19
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	37
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	177	1944...	229
dollars 1949...	1,168,549	bushels 1949...	1,112
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	183	1944...	5,155
1944...	180	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	22
number 1949...	8,220	acres 1949...	292
1944...	4,535	1944...	305
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	112	bushels 1949...	6,095
number 1949...	4,543	1944...	5,808
dollars 1949...	779,898	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	94
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	180	1944...	89
number 1949...	2,577	acres 1949...	2,776
dollars 1949...	214,894	1944...	1,222
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	65	bushels 1949...	73,623
1944...	65	1944...	50,453
number 1949...	1,169	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	965	1944...	51
dollars 1949...	34,550	acres 1949...	212
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1944...	1,122
1944...	80	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	84
number 1949...	1,957	1944...	93
1944...	7,512	acres 1949...	2,655
dollars 1949...	35,979	1944...	2,029
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	25	bushels 1949...	69,362
number 1949...	93	1944...	41,209
dollars 1949...	3,122	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944...	20
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	141	acres 1949 ² ...	235
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	80	1944...	608
number 1949...	127	bushels 1949...	6,294
1944...	53	1944...	4,844
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	35	Annual legumes:	
1944...	53	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
number 1949...	70	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	60	acres 1949...	52
number 1949...	29	100-lb. bags 1949...	219
1944...	74	1944...	
dollars 1949...	38	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	113	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	140	1944...	2
number 1949...	263	acres 1949 ² ...	20
1944...	362	100-lb. bags 1949...	
number 1949...	9	1944 ² ...	
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	31	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	176
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	21	acres 1949...	17,827
dollars 1949...	948		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	75	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	71	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,216	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	1,460	acres 1949.....	5
tons 1949.....	4,821	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	2,728	acres 1949.....	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	53	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	45	acres 1949.....	7
acres 1949.....	6,768	acres 1944.....	1
1944.....	1,995	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	7,624	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	2,888	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	26	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	11	acres 1944.....	
acres 1949.....	528	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	263	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	650	acres 1944.....	
1944.....	237	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	84	berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	125	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949.....	7,900	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	18,205	quarts 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	9,234	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	15,976	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	10	quarts 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	518	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	722	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1930...	5
tons 1949.....	517	acres 1945.....	(*)
1944.....	984	acres 1945.....	
Field crops (other):		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	3
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	27
1944.....	40	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8
acres 1949.....	4,800	1945.....	129
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5
1944.....		1944.....	125
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....	25	1945.....	1
1944.....	2,700	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	1
1944.....	84	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949 ¹	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	191	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
100-lb. bags 1949.....	247	1944.....	2
1944.....	5,176	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	2
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	7
lb. of brush 1949.....		1945.....	7
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....		1944.....	15
tons 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	99	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	88	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....	18	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	13	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	89	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
acres 1949.....	2,415	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	9,517	1945.....	2
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	20
1944.....	1	1945.....	20
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....	4	1944.....	20
acres 1949.....	3	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	19	1945.....	
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
		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.

³Reported in small fractions.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,657	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	150
Approximate land area.....acres 1945...	1,686	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	180
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	45.3	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	28
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	286,790	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	134
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	57,550	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	152
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	2,397	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	855
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	11,316	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	355
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	335,421	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	294
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	285,715	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	286
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	202.4	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	128
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	169.5	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	141
.....average per acre, dollars 1945...	18,418	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	215
Land in farms according to use:	8,958	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	208
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	80.98	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	124
.....acres 1949...	41.04	.....number 1945...	143
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1,541	.....number 1950...	119
.....acres 1949...	1,621	.....number 1945...	121
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	55,662	.....number 1950...	62
.....acres 1949...	58,297	.....number 1945...	61
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	855	.....number 1950...	29
.....acres 1949...	406	.....number 1945...	42
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	325	.....number 1950...	96
.....acres 1949...	287	.....number 1945...	104
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	235	.....number 1950...	50
.....acres 1949...	214	.....number 1945...	59
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	261	.....number 1950...	55
.....acres 1949...	333	.....number 1945...	46
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	280		
.....acres 1949...	275	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	89	Farms by color of operator:	
.....acres 1949...	89	White operators.....number 1950...	1,651
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	18	.....number 1945...	1,677
.....acres 1949...	17	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	6
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	611	.....number 1945...	9
.....acres 1949...	689	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14,464	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,196
.....acres 1949...	12,668	.....number 1945...	1,147
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	522	Part owners.....number 1950...	255
.....acres 1949...	8,050	.....number 1945...	250
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	3,147	Managers.....number 1950...	17
.....acres 1949...	85	.....number 1945...	19
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	965	All tenants.....number 1950...	209
.....acres 1949...	85	.....number 1945...	290
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	258	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	12.6
.....acres 1949...	5,085	.....percent 1945...	17.2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	5,085	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	56
.....acres 1949...	225	.....number 1945...	65
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	97	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	15
.....acres 1949...	45,755	.....number 1945...	3
.....acres 1944...	7,773	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	125
.....acres 1944...	86	.....number 1945...	162
.....acres 1949...	28	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	102
.....acres 1944...	5,149	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	25
.....acres 1944...	1,753	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	35
.....acres 1944...	1,753	.....number 1945...	40
.....acres 1949...	829	Other tenants.....number 1950...	16
.....acres 1944...	857	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	19
.....acres 1949...	148,197		
.....acres 1944...	156,428	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,568	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,145
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,633	.....farms reporting 1945...	909
.....acres 1949...	80,146	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,583
.....acres 1944...	45,851	.....farms reporting 1945...	1,340
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1,816	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,558
.....farms reporting 1944...	1,647	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.15
.....acres 1949...	84,577	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	359
.....acres 1944...	77,687	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	271
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	159
.....acres 1949...	323	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,577
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	551
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	41
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	125
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	104
		.....number 1950...	104
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		.....number 1950...	11
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	60
		.....number 1950...	60
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	55
		.....number 1950...	55
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	267
		.....number 1950...	267
		.....number 1950...	268
		.....number 1950...	268

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHREEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	149	Corn:	
1945...	173	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	717
number 1950...	45,264	1944...	854
1945...	54,502	acres 1949...	7,082
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	5,578
Oct. 1, 1949:.....farms reporting 1950...	136	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	543
number 1950...	54,098	1944...	514
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	132	acres 1949...	4,306
1945 ¹ ...	149	1944...	4,107
number 1950...	32,985	bushels 1949...	228,772
1945 ¹ ...	49,640	1944...	188,735
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	188
number 1950...	5,676	acres 1949...	2,045
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	120	tons..green weight 1949...	18,828
number 1950...	27,307	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	74	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	119
number 1950...	1,105	acres 1949...	731
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	110		
number 1950...	11,178		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	106	Sorghums:	
1944...	123	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	9
number shorn 1949...	33,722	1944...	28
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	281,640	acres 1949...	45
1944...	445,782	1944...	127
Average date of enumeration.....1950... Apr.18-Apr.28		Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		1944...	1
		acres 1949...	11
		1944...	2
		bushels 1949...	150
		1944...	30
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,343	acres 1949...	
1945...	1,480	1944...	
number 1950...	87,258	tons..green weight 1949...	
1945...	81,415	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	459	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6
number 1949...	56,961	acres 1949...	34
dollars 1949...	66,663	1944...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	758	tons cut 1949...	88
dozens 1949...	555,649		
dollars 1949...	185,233	Small grains:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	101	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
number 1950...	490	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	142
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	132	1944...	1,970
1944...	175	acres 1949...	64,106
number 1949...	9,599	bushels 1949...	
1944...	11,167	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	78
		1944...	128
		acres 1949...	746
		1944...	1,122
		bushels 1949...	22,474
		1944...	55,255
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	297
		1944...	1,761
		acres 1949...	2,163
		1944...	56,712
		bushels 1949...	65,210
		1944...	
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	482
		1944...	496
		acres 1949...	4,199
		1944...	4,517
		bushels 1949...	180,699
		1944...	188,945
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	71
		1944...	131
		acres 1949...	294
		1944...	677
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	404
		1944...	403
		acres 1949...	4,543
		1944...	4,275
		bushels 1949...	187,539
		1944...	193,828
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		1944...	2
		acres 1949...	20
		1944...	7
		bushels 1949...	354
		1944...	140
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	115
		1944...	155
		acres 1949...	1,437
		1944...	1,714
		100-lb. bags 1949...	17,951
		1944...	10,592
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944...	2
		acres 1949 ² ...	
		1944 ² ...	4
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944 ² ...	26
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,171
		acres 1949...	23,606

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,104	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	1,153	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	18,997	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	20,966	acres 1949...	5
tons 1949...	49,178	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	65
1944.....	49,917	acres 1949...	571
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	107	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	142	acres 1949...	5
acres 1949...	2,060	1944.....	1
1944.....	1,573	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	3,595	1944.....	1
1944.....	2,844	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	119	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	58	acres 1949...	65
acres 1949...	868	1944.....	121
1944.....	347	acres 1949...	167
tons 1949...	1,140	1944.....	250
1944.....	596	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	26	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	19	acres 1949...	3
acres 1949...	645	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
1944.....	512	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949...	1,168	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944.....	1,127	acres 1949...	19
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	57	quarts 1949...	17,194
acres 1949...	1,614	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	1,450	acres 1949...	12,801
tons 1949...	2,225	quarts 1949...	
1944.....	2,531	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,040
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1945.....	769
1944.....	28	acres 1950 ² ...	7,655
acres 1949...	236	1945.....	7,785
1944.....	241	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	827
pounds 1949...	15,964	1945.....	644
1944.....	15,300	trees of all ages..number 1950...	254,183
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1945.....	251,639
acres 1949...	171	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	36,613
1944.....	49,895	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	216,534
pounds 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	658,635
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	1,161,901
acres 1949...	3	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	777
1944.....	250	1945.....	796
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	318	trees of all ages..number 1950...	303,317
1944.....	507	1945.....	297,580
acres 1949 ¹ ...	183	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	59,639
1944.....	511	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	246,453
100-lb. bags 1949...	19,214	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	401,500
1944.....	36,575	1944.....	466,032
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	274
acres 1949...		1945.....	263
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	16,799
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	84	1945.....	16,509
1944.....	105	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,163
acres 1949...	679	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10,033
1944.....	1,108	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	16,791
tons 1949...	9,877	1944.....	17,074
1944.....	13,550	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	300
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	24,636
acres 1949...	55	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	21,141
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,202	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,607
1944.....	1,438	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	124,180
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	129	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	414
1944.....	255	trees of all ages..number 1950...	25,670
acres 1949...	605	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	12,794
1944.....	1,365	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12,784
acres 1949...	188,847	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	973,365
1944.....	301,090	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	472
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	11	1945.....	442
1944.....	18	trees of all ages..number 1950...	38,908
acres 1949...	30	1945.....	20,615
1944.....	45	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	7,405
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	26,505
1944.....	9	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	23,151
acres 1949...	2	1944.....	23,140
1944.....	5	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	624
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1945.....	711
acres 1949...	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	52,651
1944.....	5	1945.....	54,577
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5,633
acres 1949...	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	28,559
1944.....	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	63,069
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944.....	66,429
acres 1949...	4	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	220
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	241
acres 1949...	2	vines of all ages..number 1950...	7,089
1944.....	21	1945.....	19,557
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	29	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,451
acres 1949...	11	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	5,639
1944.....	13	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	64,701
		1944.....	135,022

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.
³Reported in small fractions.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	157	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	135
	194	1945.....	144
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	42,240	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	74
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	2.5	1945.....	70
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,123	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	59
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	52	1945.....	74
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	14	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	19
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	92	1945.....	24
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	1,077	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	1
	5,445	1945.....	10
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	5.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	3
	17.8	1945.....	2
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	18,163	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	5
	15,875	1945.....	2
average per acre, dollars 1950*	6,081.11	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	2
	882.69	1945.....	2
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	2
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1945.....	2
	162	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	3
acres 1949.....	547	1945.....	3
1944.....	2,198	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	1
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	59	1945.....	1
	125	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	6	1945.....	1
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	1
	5	1945.....	1
1944.....	7	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	1
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	1
	5		
1944.....	3	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	White operators.....number 1950...	157
	1	1945.....	188
1944.....	3	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	6
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	6
	1	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	3	Full owners.....number 1950...	148
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	88	1945.....	150
acres 1949.....	177	Part owners.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	3	1945.....	31
acres 1949.....	565	Managers.....number 1950...	2
1944.....	14	1945.....	14
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	3	All tenants.....number 1950...	6
acres 1949.....	21	1945.....	18
1944.....	565	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	3.8
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	9.8
acres 1949.....	21	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	6
1944.....	2	1945.....	15
acres 1949.....	25	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	4
1944.....	1	1945.....	4
acres 1949.....	1	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	1	1945.....	1
acres 1949.....	1	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	1	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	1
1944.....	1	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	1
1944.....	1	Other tenants.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	19	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	10		
acres 1949.....	120	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	160	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	71
acres 1949.....	121	1945.....	148
1944.....	124	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	76
acres 1949.....	291	1945.....	166
1944.....	519	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	70
1944.....	49	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.37
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	146	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	20
acres 1949.....	293	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	10
1944.....	1,328	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	5
1944.....	1,328	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	60
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	48	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
acres 1949.....	48	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	152	number 1950.....	1
	169	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	3.8
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	5	number 1950.....	1
	34	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	53	number 1950.....	1
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	45	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
	58	number 1950.....	1
1944.....	58	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	45	number 1950.....	1
1944.....	48		

*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...	44	Livestock: farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	154	General farms.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	89	.....number 1945.....	.....
.....number 1945.....	195	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	13	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....farms reporting 1945.....	50	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	29	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	94
.....number 1945.....	58		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	110
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	13	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	14
.....number 1950.....	24	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	11
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	21
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	32
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	73	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	32
.....farms reporting 1945.....	143	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	47
.....number 1950.....	75	Other farms.....number 1950.....	12
.....number 1945.....	168	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	55
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	103	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,188,067
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	9	.....dollars 1944.....	2,270,160
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	11	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,581,544
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....dollars 1944.....	1,705,987
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,814
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	51	.....dollars 1944.....	14,795
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	100,845
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1944.....	199,656
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.2	.....dollars 1944.....	1,310
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,845,087
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	46	.....dollars 1944.....	1,430,228
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	188,615
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1944.....	564,173
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	55,100
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.1	.....dollars 1944.....	236,051
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	105,558
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	51	.....dollars 1944.....	241,847
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	46,055
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1944.....	56,295
FARM LABOR^a		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	.....
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	252	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	29
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	23
Operators.....persons 1950.....	71	.....farms reporting 1945.....	42
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	.....number 1950.....	52
.....persons 1950.....	25	.....number 1945.....	100
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
.....persons 1950.....	156	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....number 1950.....	3
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	54	.....number 1945.....	2
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	34	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
.....dollars 1949.....	50	.....farms reporting 1945.....	40
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	29	.....number 1950.....	514
.....dollars 1949.....	319,581	.....number 1945.....	905
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	30	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	19
.....dollars 1949.....	10,350	.....farms reporting 1945.....	16
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	.....number 1950.....	135
.....dollars 1949.....	715	.....number 1945.....	735
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	14	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	15
.....dollars 1949.....	18,975	.....number 1950.....	68
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
.....dollars 1949.....	5,975	.....number 1950.....	64
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
.....dollars 1949.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	119
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
.....dollars 1949.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	17
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
No sales.....number 1950.....	29	.....farms reporting 1944.....	18
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	6	.....gallons 1949.....	64,651
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	9	.....gallons 1944.....	825,390
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	9	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	9	.....farms reporting 1944.....	2
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	17	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	9,188
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	9	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	920
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	21	.....dollars 1949.....	5,500
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	52	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	25	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945.....	22
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	70
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	151
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	42	.....farms reporting 1945.....	58
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945.....	32
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	21	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1945.....	10
		.....farms reporting 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.....	1	Corn:	
1945.....	1	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950.....	24	1944.....	20
1945.....	24	acres 1949.....	150
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	604
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....		1944.....	7
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		acres 1949.....	108
1945.....	1	1944.....	2,145
number 1950.....	10	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	10	1944.....	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
number 1950.....		acres 1949.....	
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....		tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....		Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....		green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
number 1950.....		acres 1949.....	150
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....			
number 1950.....			
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....		Sorghums:	
1944.....		Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	2
number shorn 1949.....		1944.....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....		acres 1949.....	25
1944.....		1944.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	85	acres 1949.....	
1945.....	107	1944.....	
number 1950.....	12,658	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	14,873	1944.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	23	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1949.....	34,382		
dollars 1949.....	35,882	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	50	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
dozens 1949.....	153,296	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	69,668	tons cut 1949.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	2	Small grains:	
number 1950.....	44	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	2	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	5	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	13	bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	1,811	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	4
		acres 1949.....	118
		1944.....	82
		bushels 1949.....	3,680
		1944.....	1,418
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	25
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	400
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	6
		acres 1949.....	150
		1944.....	4,585
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	5
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	7
		acres 1949.....	12
		1944.....	297
		bushels 1949.....	500
		1944.....	4,580
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	58
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	550
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949 ²	
		1944 ²	
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	
		1944 ²	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	6
		acres 1949.....	78

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	6	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	17	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	78	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1944.....	222	acres 1949.....	24
tons 1949.....	153	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944.....	548	acres 1949.....	5
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....		1944.....	15
acres 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	5
tons 1949.....		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....		acres 1949.....	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	3	acres 1949.....	39
acres 1949.....		1944.....	12
1944.....	14	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944.....	26	1944.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...		Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	11
1944.....	1	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	18	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		quarts 1949.....	
1944.....	36	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		quarts 1949.....	
1944.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....		1945.....	15
Field crops (other):		acres 1950 ²	(*)
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1945.....	15
1944.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....	28	1945.....	24
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
pounds 1949.....	2,247	1945.....	311
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	115
1944.....		1944.....	
pounds 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	4
acres 1949.....		1945.....	5
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	5
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949 ¹		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	4
1944.....	(*)	1944.....	
100-lb. bags 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	1	1945.....	1
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	1
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
lb. of brush 1949.....		1945.....	2
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	2
1944.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	43	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....	277	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	37	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	137	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	34	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....	97	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	140	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	524	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
lb. of brush 1949.....	103,843	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
1944.....	199,656	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	2
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	25	1945.....	15
1944.....	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	61	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	37	1944.....	4
1944.....	98	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydeus, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	5
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	5
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	7	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	8	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	12	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1945.....	15
acres 1949.....	36	1945.....	22
acres 1949.....	36	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....	39	1945.....	22
acres 1949.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
1944.....	14	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.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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This release presents figures from the 1950 Census of Agriculture, together with available comparative data from the 1945 Census of Agriculture. The figures from the 1950 Census are preliminary and are subject to revision. A similar report will be released for every county in the United States. A preliminary report, 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... 246 1945... 237	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 657,920 1950... 22.3	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 112,151 1950... 41,135	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 1 1945... ..
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 6,884 1950... 146,422	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 2 1945... ..
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 114,154 1950... 595.2	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 4 1945... ..
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 481.7 1950... 22,825	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... 2 1945... ..
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 9,272 1950... 38.59	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 2 1945... ..
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 19.25 1945... ..	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 5 1945... ..
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 285 1945... 230	140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 19 1945... 29
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 61,442 1945... 42,914	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... 8 1945... 1.5
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 2 1945... 7	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 15 1945... 14
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 99 1945... 90
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 5 1944... 8	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 62 1945... 47
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 2 1944... 3	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 28 1945... 25
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 7 1944... 5		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 8 1944... 12	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 3 1944... 19	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 23 1944... 37	White operators.....number	1950... 246 1945... 237
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 61 1944... 70	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 128 1944... 86	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 52 1944... 84	Full owners.....number	1950... 118 1945... 135
acres	1949... 1,664 1944... 5,190	Part owners.....number	1950... 106 1945... 70
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 80 1944... 7,281	Managers.....number	1950... .. 1945... 1
acres	1949... 7,495 1944... 5,550	All tenants.....number	1950... 20 1945... 51
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 54 1944... 17	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 8.1 1945... 15.1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 25 1944... 12	Cash tenants.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 15 1944... 55	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 55 1944... 1,945	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 18 1945... 30
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 39 1944... 19	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 18 1945... ..
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 19 1944... 18,101	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... .. 1945... 2
acres	1949... 5,773 1944... 71	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 21 1944... 10,074	Other tenants.....number	1950... 1 1945... 1
acres	1949... 2,513 1944... 44,705	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... .. 1945... ..
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 108 1944... 190		
acres	1949... 30,441 1944... 44,705	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 236 1944... 232	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 36 1945... 24
acres	1949... 17,205 1944... 9,998	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 134 1945... 42
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 10 1944... 10	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 129 1945... 6.92
acres	1949... 884 1944... 874	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... .. 1945... ..
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... .. 1944... ..	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 36 1945... 22
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 22 1945... 22
		Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 98 1945... 15
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 174
		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 230 1945... ..
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... .. 1945... ..
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... 5 1945... 5
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 10 1945... 15
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 188 1945... 206		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 56 1945... 28		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 32 1944... 101		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 70 1944... 45		
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 20 1944... 20		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT¹--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	192	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	2
.....1945...	130	General farms.....number 1950...	15
.....number 1950...	287	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	15
.....1945...	144	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	227	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	2
.....1945...	181	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	2
.....number 1950...	472		
.....1945...	242	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	228	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	22
.....number 1950...	429	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	1
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	5	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	50
.....number 1950...	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	7
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	35	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	44
.....number 1950...	38	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	48
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	182	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	11
.....1945...	154	Other farms.....number 1950...	1
.....number 1950...	219	Part-time ².....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	141	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	11
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ³.....number 1950...	.....
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	15	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	.....	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,005,182
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	5	.....1944...	948,571
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	84	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,655,551
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	142	.....1944...	749,425
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD⁴		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,655,128
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944...	749,141
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	52
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	87	.....1944...	44
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	96	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	23
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	59	.....1944...	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	11	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944...	269,358
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	45	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	198,140
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	71	.....1944...	2,150
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	108	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,653
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	5.4	.....1944...	5,006
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	.....	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,584
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944...	.....
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	27	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	265,248
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	26	.....1944...	181,502
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	184	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	17
FARM LABOR⁵		.....1944...	1,007
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	211	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	78
.....persons 1950...	365	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	78
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	206	.....number 1945...	113
Operators.....persons 1950...	198	.....number 1950...	231
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	72	.....1945...	408
.....persons 1950...	102	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	11
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	55	.....1945...	13
.....persons 1950...	87	.....number 1950...	31
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES⁶		.....1945...	24
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	247	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	252	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	122
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	184	.....1945...	186
dollars 1949...	60,508	.....number 1950...	2,084
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	197	.....1945...	5,408
dollars 1949...	184,553	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	113
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	171	.....1945...	189
dollars 1949...	27,385	.....number 1950...	1,408
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	145	.....1945...	1,781
dollars 1949...	46,248	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	100
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	144	.....number 1950...	81
dollars 1949...	59,190	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	211
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	258	.....number 1950...	85
dollars 1949...	192,159	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	195
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	191	.....number 1950...	55
dollars 1949...	70,948	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	170
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	181	.....number 1950...	5
dollars 1949...	42,705	.....1944...	9
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944...	2,850
No sales.....number 1950...	6	.....1944...	6,718
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	6	.....dollars 1949...	1,088
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	.....	.....farms reporting 1949...	10
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	5	.....1944...	45
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	.....	.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	1,680
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	15	.....1944...	15,428
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	85	.....dollars 1949...	1,104
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	20	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	1
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	89	.....dollars 1949...	13
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	84	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	58	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	58
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1945...	59
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	201	.....number 1950...	484
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	201	.....1945...	315
Cotton.....number 1950...	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	159
Other field-crop.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	404
Vegetable farms.....number 1950...	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	18
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....number 1950...	280
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	21
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	.....	.....1945...	24
		.....number 1950...	74
		.....1945...	84

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...	14	Corn:	
1945.....	14	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	89
number 1950.....	6,005	1944.....	78
1945.....	5,180	acres 1949.....	288
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	741
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	14	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	15
number 1950.....	5,910	1944.....	43
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	13	acres 1949.....	111
1945 ¹	5	1944.....	317
number 1950.....	5,729	bushels 1949.....	1,520
1945 ¹	5,022	1944.....	4,290
number 1950.....	10	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1945 ¹	568	1944.....	56
number 1950.....	9	acres 1949.....	121
1945 ¹	5,181	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	10	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	181	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	25
number 1950.....	181	1944.....	141
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	95	Sorghums:	
number 1950.....	95	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	2
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	7
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	4
number shorn 1949.....	6,225	1944.....	44
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	58,878	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	17,942	1944.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	acres 1949.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	150	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	155	1944.....	
number 1950.....	5,159	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	7,257	1944.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	22	acres 1949.....	
number 1949.....	720	tons..green weight 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	751	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	51	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	2
dozens 1949.....	4,913	1944.....	4
dollars 1949.....	2,086	acres 1949.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	8	1944.....	
number 1950...	58	bushels 1949.....	8,650
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	163
1944.....	5	1944.....	127
number 1949.....	46	acres 1949.....	21,714
1944.....	44	1944.....	12,493
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		bushels 1949.....	594,288
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	201,385
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	89	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
dollars 1949...	231,917	1944.....	605
1944.....	85	acres 1949.....	289
number 1949.....	115	bushels 1949.....	10,294
1944.....	1,166	1944.....	5,155
number 1949.....	2,499	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	52	1944.....	7
number 1949.....	628	acres 1949.....	258
dollars 1949.....	78,608	1944.....	102
1944.....	89	bushels 1949.....	7,115
number 1949.....	540	1944.....	2,140
dollars 1949.....	55,918	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1944.....	17
1944.....	68	acres 1949.....	61
number 1949.....	514	1944.....	392
1944.....	1,250	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	27
dollars 1949.....	15,184	1944.....	59
1944.....	10	acres 1949.....	589
number 1949.....	5,024	1944.....	555
1944.....	2,281	bushels 1949.....	12,859
dollars 1949.....	85,975	1944.....	8,226
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	11	1944.....	2
dollars 1949.....	254	acres 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	25
FARM SLAUGHTER		bushels 1949.....	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	100	1944.....	175
1949.....	45	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	60	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
1944.....	15	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	206
number 1949.....	28	1944.....	177
1944.....	16	acres 1949.....	56,717
number 1949.....	55	1944.....	25,726
1944.....	50	100-lb. bags 1949.....	156,189
number 1949.....	40	1944.....	105,530
1944.....	44	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
number 1949.....	55	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	88	1944.....	
1944.....	125	acres 1949 ²	
number 1949.....	175	1944 ²	
1944.....	580	100-lb. bags 1949.....	
number 1949.....	8	1944 ²	
1944.....	107	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	489	acres 1949.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	35	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	52	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	520	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	992	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	755	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	1,039	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	5	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	74	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	230	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	188	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	365	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	14	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	113	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	433	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	165	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	352	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	6	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	92	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	215	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	109	acres 1949.....	(*)
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	quarts 1949.....	400
acres 1949.....	45	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	15	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	45	quarts 1949.....	415
1944.....	20	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	81
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	1945.....	61
1944.....	5	acres 1950 ¹	38
acres 1949.....	33	1945.....	51
1944.....	83	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	63
pounds 1949.....	1,750	1945.....	38
1944.....	4,820	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	449
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	287
acres 1949.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	131
pounds 1949.....	4,500	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	268
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	273
acres 1949.....		1944.....	107
pounds 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	64
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	70	1945.....	39
1944.....	81	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	484
acres 1949 ²	64	1945.....	415
1944.....	284	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	92
100-lb. bags 1949.....	4,880	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	372
1944.....	10,180	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	358
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	298
acres 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	31
lb. of brush 1949.....		1945.....	16
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	85
1944.....		1945.....	44
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	54
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	51
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	35
1944.....		1944.....	1
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	59
acres 1949.....	25	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	101
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	134	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	30
1944.....	135	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	61
acres 1949.....	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,116
1944.....	1	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	57
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	80
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	33
acres 1949.....	33	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	53
1944.....	50	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	501
acres 1949.....	1	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	52
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	30
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	393
acres 1949.....		1945.....	175
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	40
Santaloups, honeyballs, honeydevs, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	353
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	229
1944.....		1944.....	69
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	73
acres 1949.....		1945.....	45
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	469
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	384
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	55
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	416
Galery.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	442
acres 1949.....		1944.....	255
1944.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	85
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	24
acres 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	342
1944.....		1945.....	224
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	65
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	279
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	2,225
		1944.....	2,975

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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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...	410	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	21
.....1945.....	485	.....1945.....	9
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	589,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	66.2	.....1945.....	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	296,844	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	16
.....1945.....	69,515	.....1945.....	8
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	6,050	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	17
.....1945.....	15,460	.....1945.....	10
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	356,949	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	10
.....1945.....	875,491	.....1945.....	11
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	870.6	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	868.2	.....1945.....	2
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,195	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	12,408	.....1945.....	18
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	35.04	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945.....	14.87	.....1945.....	7
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	870.6	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	24
.....1945.....	868.2	.....1945.....	49
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	22,195	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	15
.....1945.....	12,408	.....1945.....	7
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	35.04	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	16
.....1945.....	14.87	.....1945.....	19
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	61
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	345	.....1945.....	97
.....1944.....	352	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	107
acres 1949.....	42,371	.....1945.....	103
1944.....	50,764	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	25
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	19	.....1945.....	103
.....1944.....	7		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	23	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	17	White operators.....number 1950...	409
.....1944.....	23	.....1945.....	438
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	46	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
.....1944.....	40	.....1945.....	2
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	92	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	97	Full owners.....number 1950...	265
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	105	.....1945.....	294
.....1944.....	129	Part owners.....number 1950...	64
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	52	.....1945.....	55
.....1944.....	73	Managers.....number 1950...	3
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	77	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	44	All tenants.....number 1950...	78
acres 1949.....	7,821	.....1945.....	76
1944.....	6,219	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.0
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	183	.....1945.....	17.9
acres 1949.....	14,316	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	85
.....1944.....	15,485	.....1945.....	93
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	142	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	12
acres 1949.....	11,631	.....1945.....	3
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	7	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	15
.....1944.....	49	.....1945.....	27
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	6
.....1944.....	77	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	9
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2,685	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	13
.....1944.....	83	.....1945.....	5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	34	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
acres 1949.....	23,906		
.....1944.....	6,710	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	242
acres 1949.....	5	.....1945.....	189
.....1944.....	5,868	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	389
Other pasture (not cropland and not wooded).....farms reporting 1949...	312	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	117
.....1944.....	398	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	322
acres 1949.....	254,395	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	9.71
.....1944.....	285,977	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	189
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	427	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	96
acres 1949.....	8,771	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	77
.....1944.....	9,121	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	272
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	65	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	51
acres 1949.....	37	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	16
.....1944.....	4,836	Milk machine.....farms reporting 1950...	98
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	97
acres 1949.....	158	number 1950...	107
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		number 1950...	11
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	132
		number 1950...	162
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		number 1950...	7

*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...	289	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1
.....farms reporting 1945.....	288	General farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	289	.....number 1945.....	1
.....number 1945.....	284	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	908	.....number 1945.....	1
.....farms reporting 1945.....	897	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	488	.....number 1945.....	1
.....number 1945.....	869	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	908	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1945.....	480		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	17	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	25	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1945.....	30	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	1
.....farms reporting 1945.....	31A	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	285	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1945.....	418	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	488	Other farms.....number 1950.....	1
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ².....number 1950.....	1
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	54	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	45		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	282	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	79	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,762,811
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		.....dollars 1944.....	1,635,285
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	266,782
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	80	.....dollars 1944.....	246,177
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	362,82
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	68	.....dollars 1944.....	241,90
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	190	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,821
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	14	.....dollars 1944.....	1,342
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,25
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	112	.....dollars 1944.....	1,47
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	11	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	106	.....dollars 1944.....	.....
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	184	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,386,221
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6.1	.....dollars 1944.....	1,881,828
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	541,84
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	194	.....dollars 1944.....	404,74
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	182	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	182,82
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	88	.....dollars 1944.....	161,72
FARM LABOR^A		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,641,877
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	824,67
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	284	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,12
.....persons 1950.....	672	.....dollars 1944.....	1,21
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	248	HORSES AND MULES	
Operators.....persons 1950.....	324	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	282
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	169	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	282
.....persons 1950.....	223	.....number 1945.....	1,42
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	73	.....number 1950.....	1,94
.....persons 1950.....	116	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		.....number 1945.....	11
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	264	.....number 1950.....	11
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	244	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	188	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
.....dollars 1949.....	47,007	.....number 1945.....	28,22
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	194	.....number 1950.....	20,17
.....dollars 1949.....	209,267	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	219	.....number 1945.....	11,12
.....dollars 1949.....	222,994	.....number 1950.....	10,74
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	218	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
.....dollars 1949.....	714,072	.....number 1945.....	2,02
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	228	.....number 1950.....	2,02
.....dollars 1949.....	23,360	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,22
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	227	.....number 1945.....	4,22
.....dollars 1949.....	118,793	.....number 1950.....	4,24
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	202	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
.....dollars 1949.....	22,220	.....number 1945.....	4,22
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	222	.....number 1950.....	12
.....dollars 1949.....	22,220	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	121
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....dollars 1944.....	1,546,222
No sales.....number 1950.....	18	.....dollars 1949.....	1,256,944
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	33	.....dollars 1944.....	212,210
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	22	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	28
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	18	.....farms reporting 1944.....	28
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	18	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	46,277
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	9	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	72,774
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	22	.....dollars 1949.....	22,724
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	22	BUTTER, BUTTERMILK, SKIM MILK, AND CHEESE SOLD	
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	76	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	67	.....dollars 1949.....	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	26	HOGS	
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	121
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	21	.....number 1945.....	121
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	21	.....number 1950.....	727
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	28
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	79
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1945.....	28
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	28
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	100	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	17	.....number 1945.....	28
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
		.....number 1945.....	28
		.....number 1950.....	154

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 preceding value of agricultural products sold.

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

³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	218	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	203	acres 1949...	4
acres 1949...	7,515	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	8,941	acres 1949...	(*)
tons 1949...	12,636	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	10,477	acres 1949...	1
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	40	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	5	acres 1949...	(*)
acres 1949...	2,060	1944.....	(*)
1944.....	327	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	2,873	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	340	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	4
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	61	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	81	acres 1949...	4
acres 1949...	1,627	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	736	1944.....	4
tons 1949...	1,287	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	685	acres 1949...	5
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	73	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	5
1944.....	110	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	2,654	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	4,289	acres 1949...	5
tons 1949...	2,737	quarts 1949...	1,280
1944.....	5,454	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	48	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	1,144	quarts 1949...	1
1944.....	121	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	906	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	65
1944.....	162	1945.....	9
Field crops (other):		acres 1950 ¹ ...	45
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1945.....	16
1944.....	11	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	45
acres 1949...	270	1945.....	68
1944.....	84	trees of all ages..number 1950...	890
pounds 1949...	10,142	1945.....	1,919
1944.....	3,980	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	30
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	298
1944.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	560
acres 1949...	1	1944.....	1,610
pounds 1949...	1	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	7
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	7
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	13
acres 1949...	1	1945.....	21
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	10
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	8
1944.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5
acres 1949 ¹ ...	1	1944.....	1
1944.....	1	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	3
100-lb. bags 1949...	15	1945.....	6
1944.....	15	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	19
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3
acres 1949...	15	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3
1944.....	12	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2
lb. of brush 1949...	1	1944.....	1
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	8
acres 1949...	15	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6
1944.....	12	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2
tons 1949...	246	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	11
1944.....	10	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6
1944.....	91	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2
acres 1949...	91	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	11
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	146	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1
1944.....	300	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	12
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	16
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	79
acres 1949...	18	1945.....	78
1944.....	69	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	25
sold..dollars 1949...	2,596	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	23
1944.....	3,642	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	13
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	11
1944.....	1	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	2
acres 1949...	(*)	1945.....	2
1944.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	7
1944.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3
acres 1949...	18	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1
1944.....	18	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydevs, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	5
1944.....	1	1945.....	4
acres 1949...	2	vines of all ages..number 1950...	56
1944.....	2	1945.....	22
acres 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4
1944.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	4
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4
1944.....	2	1944.....	4
acres 1949...	7	1944.....	4
1944.....	2	1944.....	4
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	4
1944.....	3	1944.....	4
acres 1949...	1	1944.....	4
1944.....	1	1944.....	4
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	4
1944.....	1	1944.....	4
acres 1949...	2	1944.....	4
1944.....	2	1944.....	4
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	4
1944.....	3	1944.....	4
acres 1949...	2	1944.....	4
1944.....	3	1944.....	4

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FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	235	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	5
1945...	256	1945...	4
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,078,400	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	22.8	1945.....	.....
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	180,762	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	4
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	46,753	1945...	4
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	23,745	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	10
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	8,665	1945...	5
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	242,594	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	5
1945...	284,289	1945...	6
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1,032.3	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	4
1945...	876.1	1945...	3
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	38,075	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	15
1945...	15,806	1945...	17
average per acre, dollars 1950*	35.62	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	13
1945...	18.04	1945...	13
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	30
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	217	1945...	52
1944...	236	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	15
acres 1949...	23,586	1945...	15
1944...	28,893	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	8
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945...	9
1944...	10	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	44
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1945...	51
1944...	16	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	40
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945...	34
1944...	19	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	46
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	22	1945...	47
1944...	28		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	59	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944...	64	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	62	White operators.....number 1950...	235
1944...	70	1945...	256
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
1944...	29	1945...	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	93	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹ ...	31	Full owners.....number 1950...	151
acres 1949...	7,832	1945...	170
1944 ¹ ...	1,974	Part owners.....number 1950...	35
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	36	1945...	31
acres 1949...	1,123	Managers.....number 1950...	3
1944...	1,314	1945.....	.....
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	15	All tenants.....number 1950...	46
acres 1949...	523	1945...	55
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	13	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.6
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945...	21.5
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	10
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	23	1945...	17
acres 1949...	600	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	7
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	79	1945.....	.....
1944...	91	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	24
acres 1949...	37,730	1945...	31
1944...	31,794	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	21
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	3
1944...	9	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	5
acres 1949...	2,798	1945...	7
1944...	1,103	Other tenants.....number 1950...	3
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	156	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	2
1944 ¹ ...	216		
acres 1949...	158,861	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944 ¹ ...	152,401	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	113
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	220	1945...	113
1944...	249	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	117
acres 1949...	10,664	1945...	132
1944...	6,810	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	98
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	222	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.25
1944...	223	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	21
acres 1949...	33,072	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	23
1944...	34,234	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	21
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	106
acres 1949...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		Gorn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	7
		number 1950...	7
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...
		number 1950...
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...
		number 1950...

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	155	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	23
.....1945.....	144	.....number 1950.....	3
.....number 1950.....	193	General farms.....number 1950.....	3
.....1945.....	179	.....number 1950.....	3
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	113	.....number 1950.....	3
.....1945.....	101	.....number 1950.....	3
.....number 1950.....	155	.....number 1950.....	3
.....1945.....	127	.....number 1950.....	3
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	107	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	3
.....number 1950.....	141		
.....number 1950.....	5	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	18
.....number 1950.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	11
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	9	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	3
.....number 1950.....	9	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	3
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	142	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	13
.....1945.....	176	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	30
.....number 1950.....	162	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945.....	229	Other farms.....number 1950.....	11
Farms by class of work power:		Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	11
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	33	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	3
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	59		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	130	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	13	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	8,537,777
		.....1944.....	1,823,077
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	459,796
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....1944.....	288,587
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	445,505
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	.....1944.....	285,108
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	71	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	15,438
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	42	.....1944.....	4,438
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	11	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	606
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....1944.....	583
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	43	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	.....
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	60	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,375,531
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	75	.....1944.....	1,529,946
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5.4	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	64,516
Kind of road on which farm is located:		.....1944.....	54,274
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	19,945
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	42	.....1944.....	14,119
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	116	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,290,972
		.....1944.....	1,451,432
FARM LABOR^A		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,250
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	4,644
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	174		
.....persons 1950.....	451	HORSES AND MULES	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	166	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	207
Operators.....persons 1950.....	166	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	230
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	77	.....number 1950.....	1,782
.....persons 1950.....	149	.....1945.....	2,071
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	49	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
.....persons 1950.....	136	.....number 1950.....	21
		.....1945.....	54
		.....number 1950.....	83
		.....1945.....	83
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	185	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	135	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	629
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	99	.....number 1950.....	111
.....dollars 1940.....	15,875	.....number 1950.....	18,024
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	155	.....number 1950.....	17,112
.....dollars 1949.....	338,051	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	207
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	150	.....number 1950.....	201
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	243,484	.....number 1950.....	8,482
.....dollars 1949.....	124	.....number 1950.....	8,691
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	347,882	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	190
.....dollars 1949.....	27,022	.....number 1950.....	637
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	139	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	173
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	68,167	.....number 1950.....	2,933
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	10,044	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	145
.....dollars 1949.....	134	.....number 1950.....	4,259
	20,812	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	145
		.....number 1950.....	2,547
		.....number 1950.....	11
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	21
No sales.....number 1950.....	9	.....gallons 1949.....	76,866
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	86	.....1944.....	78,362
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	13	.....dollars 1949.....	39,222
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	13	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	105
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	119
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	7	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	39,965
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	46	.....1944.....	76,593
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	31	.....dollars 1949.....	25,367
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	12	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	31	.....dollars 1949.....	27
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	47		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	37	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	118
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	6	.....number 1950.....	130
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,106
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	31	.....number 1950.....	1,245
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	111
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	68
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	48
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	450
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	59
		.....number 1950.....	65
		.....number 1950.....	166
		.....1945.....	171

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.....	67	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	5
number 1950.....	58,837	1944.....	25
1945.....	51,428	acres 1949.....	25
1944.....		1944.....	
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	73	1944.....	
number 1950.....	47,835	acres 1949.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	1944.....	
1945.....	63	bushels 1949.....	
number 1950.....	45,899	1944.....	
1945.....	43,415		
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	42	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
number 1950.....	6,761	acres 1949.....	1.6
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	64	tons..green weight 1949.....	160
number 1950.....	39,138		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950.....	53	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
number 1950.....	1,936	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	acres 1949.....	9
number 1950.....	11,008		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949.....	65	Sorghums:	
1944.....	61	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	
number shorn 1949.....	50,666	1944.....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	375,156	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	353,365	1944.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.16-Apr.28	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		tons..green weight 1949.....	
		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949.....	
		tons cut 1949.....	
		Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
		mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		acres 1949.....	96
		bushels 1949.....	4,090
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949.....	40
		1944.....	27
		bushels 1949.....	990
		1944.....	500
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	92
		acres 1949.....	1,101
		1944.....	851
		bushels 1949.....	45,526
		1944.....	30,487
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	106
		1944.....	94
		acres 1949.....	1,428
		1944.....	1,358
		bushels 1949.....	85,772
		1944.....	71,933
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	12
		1944.....	13
		acres 1949.....	105
		1944.....	129
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	72
		1944.....	55
		acres 1949.....	763
		1944.....	839
		bushels 1949.....	41,170
		1944.....	25,892
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		1944.....	5
		acres 1949.....	60
		1944.....	53
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	900
		1944.....	84
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	208
		acres 1949.....	19,108

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	158	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	188	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	8,099	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	12,493	acres 1949.....	10
tons 1949.....	18,332	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	22,046	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	83	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	71	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	8,681	acres 1949.....	110
1944.....	10,709	1944.....	24
tons 1949.....	14,731	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	13,567	acres 1949.....	19
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	14	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	214	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	199	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	449	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	189	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,390	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	386	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	4
tons 1949.....	1,813	acres 1949.....	2
1944.....	591	quarts 1949.....	962
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	798	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	899	quarts 1949.....	120
tons 1949.....	1,013	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	844	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	29
Field crops (other):		acres 1945.....	6
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	acres 1950 ²	6
1944.....		1945.....	8
acres 1949.....	3	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	33
1944.....		1945.....	35
pounds 1949.....	126	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	441
1944.....		1945.....	504
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	57
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	534
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	189
pounds 1949.....		1944.....	638
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	1
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	94	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
1944.....	111	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949 ¹	818	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....	1,071	1944.....	
100-lb. bags 1949.....	137,013	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	4
1944.....	117,634	1945.....	7
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	12
acres 1949.....		1945.....	29
lb. of brush 1949.....		1945.....	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	11
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	22
tons 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	11
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	31
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
acres 1949.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	15
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	136	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	60
1944.....	183	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	5
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	10
1944.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
acres 1949.....	139	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
1944.....	30	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
sold..dollars 1949.....	13,495	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	3
1944.....	4,498	1945.....	10
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	25
1944.....		1945.....	22
acres 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
1944.....	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	10
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	7
1944.....	2	1944.....	14
acres 1949.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	19
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	21
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	54
acres 1949.....		1945.....	89
1944.....		1945.....	8
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	56
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	56
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	222
Gauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	3
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	15
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....	2	vines of all ages..number 1950.....	12
1944.....	(*)	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	20
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	

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1945.....	893	1945.....	6
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,192,960	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	91.3	1945.....	3
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	783,023	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	3
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	267,776	1945.....	3
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	77,410	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	5
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	39,409	1945.....	8
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	1,088,800	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	3
1945.....	1,186,671	1945.....	8
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1,342.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	3
1945.....	1,320.9	1945.....	3
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	29,052	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	9
1945.....	12,067	1945.....	9
average per acre, dollars 1950*	21.74	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	10
1945.....	9.10	1945.....	4
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	15
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	770	1945.....	24
1944.....	853	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	8
acres 1949...	154,209	1945.....	15
1944.....	166,980	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	20
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	12
1944.....	7	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	164
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1945.....	185
1944.....	11	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	260
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1945.....	266
1944.....	20	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	305
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	40	1945.....	334
1944.....	31		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	153	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	143	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	276	White operators.....number 1950...	611
1944.....	320	1945.....	693
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	271	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
1944.....	321	1945.....	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	102	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944 ¹	90	Full owners.....number 1950...	422
acres 1949.....	9,763	1945.....	342
1944 ¹	5,147	Part owners.....number 1950...	250
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	573	1945.....	322
acres 1949...	74,778	Managers.....number 1950...	12
1944.....	66,769	1945.....	10
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	497	All tenants.....number 1950...	127
acres 1949...	60,476	1945.....	219
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	177	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	15.7
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	240	1945.....	24.5
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	80	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	31
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	221	1945.....	52
acres 1949...	14,302	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	29
1944.....	155	1945.....	45
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	82	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	57
1944.....	155	1945.....	96
acres 1949...	34,982	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	50
1944.....	21,810	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	7
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
1944.....	3	1945.....	28
acres 1949...	5,201	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
1944.....	980	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	3
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	741		
1944 ¹	868	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	794,885	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	451
1944 ¹	903,045	1945.....	405
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	766	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	618
1944.....	800	1945.....	189
acres 1949...	14,982	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	600
1944.....	21,940	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.53
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	271
1944.....	11	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	187
acres 1949...	1,211	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	80
1944.....	521	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	525
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	42
acres 1949.....		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	168
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	264
		number 1950...	279
		1945.....	22
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	22
		1945.....	20
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		number 1950...	107
		1945.....	141
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	89
		number 1950...	104
		1945.....	
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
		number 1950...	
		1945.....	

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	36	Corn:	
1945...	59	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	48
number 1950...	11,224	1944...	514
1945...	26,784	acres 1949...	20,128
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	89,191
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	31	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	187
number 1950...	9,951	1944...	382
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	30	acres 1949...	6,388
1945 ¹ ...	50	1944...	26,712
number 1950...	9,552	bushels 1949...	71,075
1945 ¹ ...	24,024	1944...	296,779
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	18	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	132
number 1950...	1,446	acres 1949...	3,346
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	28	tons..green weight 1949...	9,093
number 1950...	8,106	Hogged or grazed, or out for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	28	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	236
number 1950...	399	acres 1949...	10,616
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	24		
number 1950...	1,273	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	280
1944...	48	1944...	600
number shorn 1949...	8,652	acres 1949...	9,665
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	66,252	1944...	19,787
1944...	125,656	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	1944...	1
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	83
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand...farms reporting 1950...	665	acres 1949...	113
1945...	807	bushels 1949...	3,875
number 1950...	53,400	1944...	740
1945...	77,669	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	238	acres 1949...	47
number 1949...	22,752	tons..green weight 1949...	57
dollars 1949...	22,773	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	445	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	275
dozens 1949...	311,227	acres 1949...	9,315
dollars 1949...	121,513	tons cut 1949...	4,751
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	89	Small grains:	
number 1950...	196	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	50	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	62
1944...	77	1944...	4,520
number 1949...	2,854	acres 1949...	72,521
1944...	2,927	bushels 1949...	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	350
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944...	371
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	740	acres 1949...	45,032
dollars 1949...	3,748,478	1944...	26,816
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	716	bushels 1949...	689,005
1944...	755	1944...	278,220
number 1949...	26,890	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	120
1944...	28,906	acres 1949...	5,753
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	615	1944...	4,373
number 1949...	18,459	bushels 1949...	65,521
dollars 1949...	2,712,147	1944...	32,004
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	463	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	221
number 1949...	8,431	acres 1949...	220
dollars 1949...	726,393	1944...	7,636
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	819	bushels 1949...	121,949
1944...	594	1944...	112,324
number 1949...	5,877	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	100
1944...	10,563	acres 1944...	113
dollars 1949...	201,108	1944...	2,085
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	33	1944...	2,410
1944...	45	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	388
number 1949...	6,571	acres 1949...	423
1944...	23,434	1944...	25,740
dollars 1949...	101,884	bushels 1949...	25,285
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1944...	431,146
number 1949...	186	1944...	345,908
dollars 1949...	7,001	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	20
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1944...	94
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	538	1944...	2,538
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	352	bushels 1949...	2,444
number 1949...	445	1944...	17,598
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	177	Annual legumes:	
1944...	232	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
number 1949...	213	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	121
1944...	263	1944...	356
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	188	acres 1949...	12,399
1944...	217	1944...	20,871
number 1949...	232	100-lb. bags 1949...	25,753
1944...	253	1944...	58,350
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	409	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
1944...	521	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	706	1944...	.....
1944...	1,152	acres 1949 ².....	.....
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1944 ².....	.....
number 1949...	37	100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 ².....	.....
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	124	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
dollars 1949...	3,461	Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	501
		acres 1949...	30,287

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include coopers and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT^A—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	532	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	329
.....farms reporting 1945.....	368	General farms.....number 1950.....	72
.....number 1950.....	699	.....number 1945.....	11
.....number 1945.....	417	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	11
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	644	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	50
.....farms reporting 1945.....	680	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	47
.....number 1950.....	995	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	47
.....number 1945.....	801		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	634	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....farms reporting 1945.....	936	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	764
.....number 1950.....	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more)..number 1950.....	41
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Class II (Value of products sold,\$10,000-\$24,999)..number 1950.....	180
.....farms reporting 1945.....	20	Class III (Value of products sold,\$5,000-\$9,999)..number 1950.....	246
.....number 1950.....	38	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999)..number 1950.....	210
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	38	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499)..number 1950.....	84
.....farms reporting 1945.....	39	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹ ..number 1950.....	58
.....number 1950.....	591	Other farms.....number 1950.....	47
.....number 1945.....	701	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	28
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	24
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	39	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	12	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	64	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,394,048
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	567	.....dollars 1944.....	3,798,730
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	180	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,734,345
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		.....dollars 1944.....	797,338
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,734,300
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	.....dollars 1944.....	796,631
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	126	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	250	.....dollars 1944.....	70
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	340	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	45
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	18	.....dollars 1944.....	632
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	.....dollars 1944.....	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,651,755
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	185	.....dollars 1944.....	2,998,532
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	425	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	706,574
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7.7	.....dollars 1944.....	464,639
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	162,035
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	.....dollars 1944.....	170,826
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	167	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,783,146
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	544	.....dollars 1944.....	2,863,057
FARM LABOR^A		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,949
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	2,865
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	691	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	1,501	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	584
.....persons 1945.....	678	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	531
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	561	.....number 1950.....	763
Operators.....persons 1950.....	374	.....number 1945.....	2,124
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	660	.....number 1945.....	3,951
.....persons 1950.....	118	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	26
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	180	.....farms reporting 1945.....	50
.....persons 1950.....	180	.....number 1950.....	68
.....persons 1945.....	180	.....number 1945.....	149
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	729	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	743
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	609	.....farms reporting 1945.....	828
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	480	.....number 1950.....	46,226
.....dollars 1949.....	163,762	.....number 1945.....	45,075
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	497	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	727
.....dollars 1949.....	348,501	.....farms reporting 1945.....	799
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	632	.....number 1950.....	20,752
.....dollars 1949.....	533,828	.....number 1945.....	23,903
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	568	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	625
.....dollars 1949.....	1,369,484	.....number 1950.....	5,861
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	612	.....number 1945.....	596
.....dollars 1949.....	117,549	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	9,602
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	696	.....number 1950.....	612
.....dollars 1949.....	429,106	.....number 1945.....	9,175
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	542	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	595
.....dollars 1949.....	113,149	.....number 1950.....	6,697
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	625	.....number 1945.....	200
.....dollars 1949.....	144,814	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	133
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....gallons 1949.....	1,544,818
No sales.....number 1950.....	8	.....dollars 1944.....	895,247
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	16	.....dollars 1949.....	533,562
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	.....	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	283
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	11	.....farms reporting 1944.....	520
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	29	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	206,619
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	40	.....pounds 1944.....	425,131
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	80	.....dollars 1949.....	123,012
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	135	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	172	.....dollars 1949.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	149	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	171	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	322
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....farms reporting 1945.....	549
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	164	.....number 1950.....	4,108
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	164	.....number 1945.....	4,591
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	270
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1945.....	2,116
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	156
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	1,892
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	189	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	177
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	10	.....farms reporting 1945.....	307
		.....number 1950.....	529
		.....number 1945.....	867

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	287	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	260	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	7,902	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	7,073	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	13,335	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	10,419	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	19	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	417	1944.....	
1944.....	283	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	620	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	840	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	133	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	75	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,891	1944.....	
1944.....	1,811	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2,580	1944.....	
1944.....	1,009	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	240	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	226	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	7,449	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	7,923	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	7,630	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	7,538	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	103	quarts 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,531	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	1,094	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,959	quarts 1949.....	
1944.....	834	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	134
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	15	1945.....	1
1944.....	3	acres 1950 ²	1
acres 1949.....	386	1945.....	1
1944.....	72	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
pounds 1949.....	23,175	1945.....	3
1944.....	5,100	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	42
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	1945.....	794
acres 1949.....	119	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	121
1944.....	14,650	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	239
pounds 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	263
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	34
acres 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	14
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	11
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	14
1944.....	7	1945.....	14
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	49
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	23
100-lb. bags 1949.....	68	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2
1944.....	12	1944.....	27
	13,874	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	1
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	11
lb. of brush 1949.....		1945.....	15
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	1
1944.....		1944.....	23
tons 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	350
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	121
acres 1949.....	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	413
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	3,512
1944.....	535	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	(*)	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
sold..dollars 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	37
1944.....		1945.....	34
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....	70	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	263
1944.....		1945.....	533
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	77
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	132
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	41
1944.....		1944.....	124
acres 1949.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	13
1944.....		1945.....	10
Cantaloupe, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	43
acres 1949.....		1945.....	51
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	13
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	27
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	13
1944.....		1944.....	47
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
Calary.....farms reporting 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	14
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
1944.....	(*)	vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	3
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....			

¹ 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags harvested.
² 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...	1,187	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	111
1945.....	1,355	1945.....	215
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,381,120	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	48
1945.....	1,320	1945.....	136
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	89.7	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	63
1945.....	797,161	1945.....	79
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	388,743	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	69
1945.....	95,654	1945.....	74
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	42,426	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	33
1945.....	1,239,132	1945.....	38
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,226,962	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	24
1945.....	1,043.9	1945.....	19
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	905.5	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	43
1945.....	21,079	1945.....	40
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	10,053	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	30
1945.....	22.85	1945.....	32
average per acre, dollars 1950*	11.10	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	46
1945.....		1945.....	52
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	22
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	919	1945.....	28
1944.....	1,049	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	28
acres 1949.....	145,471	1945.....	26
1944.....	163,446	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	204
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	69	1945.....	257
1944.....	120	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	293
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	50	1945.....	304
1944.....	34	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	284
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	35	1945.....	270
1944.....	82		
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	69	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	170	Farms by color of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	161	White operators.....number 1950...	1,186
1944.....	269	1945.....	1,350
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	310	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	258	1945.....	5
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	207	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	217	Full owners.....number 1950...	680
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	116	1945.....	658
1944*.....	75,642	Part owners.....number 1950...	326
acres 1949.....	11,029	1945.....	353
1944*.....	978	Managers.....number 1950...	20
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	32,138	1945.....	34
1944.....	22,367	All tenants.....number 1950...	161
acres 1949.....	191	1945.....	305
1944.....	14,201	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	22.5
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1945.....	59
1944.....	105	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	104
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	68	1945.....	10
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	12
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	250	1945.....	81
1944.....	17,937	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	140
acres 1949.....	156	1945.....	71
1944.....	134	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	10
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	54,645	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	31
1944.....	45,585	1945.....	49
acres 1949.....	45	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	22
1944.....	16	1945.....	9
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	6,052		
1944.....	3,143	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	891	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	607
1944.....	1,048	1945.....	581
acres 1949.....	908,842	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,025
1944.....	966,537	1945.....	618
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,101	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	962
1944.....	1,148	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.50
acres 1949.....	16,342	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	485
1944.....	14,855	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	237
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	150	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	235
1944.....	222	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	831
acres 1949.....	14,380	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	184
1944.....	9,685	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	24
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	290
1944.....	209	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	127
		number 1950...	130
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	39
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,100	number 1950...	39
1945.....	1,251	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	27
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	69	number 1950...	27
1945.....	95	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	102
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	316	number 1950...	123
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	450	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	89
1944.....	411	number 1950...	97
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	268		
1944.....	277		

*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...	720	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	30
.....1945.....	495	General farms.....number 1950...	137
.....number 1950.....	945	.....number 1950.....	18
.....1945.....	610	.....number 1950.....	54
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	894	.....number 1950.....	61
.....1945.....	653	.....number 1950.....	276
.....number 1950.....	1,248		
.....1945.....	732		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	849	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	1,154	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	922
.....1945.....	44	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	47
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	70
.....number 1950.....	42	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	287
.....1945.....	44	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	237
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,016	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	181
.....number 1950.....	1,109	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	261
.....1945.....	1,444	Other farms.....number 1950.....	211
.....number 1950.....	1,356	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	365
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	145
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	182	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	3
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	55		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	126	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	457	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	7,896,776
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	267	.....1944.....	5,400,034
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,811,060
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	1,054,513
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,068,933
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	56	.....1944.....	704,271
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	169	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	73,150
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	209	.....1944.....	40,704
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	823	Equits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,652
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	19	.....1944.....	4,030
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	666,345
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	311	.....1944.....	305,508
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	73	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,068,729
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	307	.....1944.....	4,337,288
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	490	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,235,173
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	5.8	.....1944.....	932,741
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	484,987
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	185	.....1944.....	522,423
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	564	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,348,577
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	467	.....1944.....	2,882,122
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	16,977
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	8,233
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,185	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	738
.....persons 1950.....	2,406	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	733
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,146	.....1945.....	897
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,090	.....number 1950.....	3,277
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	530	.....1945.....	4,887
.....persons 1950.....	816	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	33
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	167	.....1945.....	117
.....persons 1950.....	500	.....number 1950.....	60
		.....1945.....	303
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,179	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	987
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	845	.....1945.....	1,111
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	652	.....number 1950.....	46,091
.....1949.....	161,697	.....1945.....	48,015
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	670	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	954
.....dollars 1949.....	819,362	.....1945.....	1,049
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,018	.....number 1950.....	22,169
.....dollars 1949.....	1,146,959	.....1945.....	23,812
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	868	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	867
.....dollars 1949.....	1,347,247	.....number 1950.....	7,663
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	839	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	730
.....dollars 1949.....	197,120	.....number 1950.....	9,975
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	937	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	722
.....dollars 1949.....	449,068	.....number 1950.....	6,551
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	640	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	740
.....dollars 1949.....	125,623	.....number 1950.....	7,394
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	681	.....number 1950.....	271
.....dollars 1949.....	140,150	.....1944.....	320
		.....gallons 1949.....	2,827,065
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	2,400,477
No sales.....number 1950.....	71	.....dollars 1949.....	1,061,755
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	75	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	358
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	53	.....1944.....	483
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	31	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	282,995
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	58	.....1944.....	411,174
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	120	.....dollars 1949.....	170,062
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	116	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	161	.....dollars 1949.....	3,358
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	174		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	209	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	119	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	465
		.....1945.....	675
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	8,314
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	108	.....1945.....	8,611
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	108	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	400
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	4,302
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	205
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	4	.....number 1950.....	1,812
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	224
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	245	.....1945.....	308
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	54	.....number 1950.....	1,004
		.....1945.....	1,518

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	50	Corn:	
1945.....	68	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	565
number 1950...	6,011	1944.....	762
1945.....	11,648	acres 1949.....	33,956
1944.....		1944.....	55,022
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	353
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	48	1944.....	401
number 1950...	4,805	acres 1949.....	18,859
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	46	1944.....	27,628
1945.....	59	bushels 1949.....	162,460
number 1950...	4,552	1944.....	178,219
1945.....	7,897	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	89
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	22	1944.....	3,444
number 1950...	1,835	acres 1949.....	13,714
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	40	tons green weight 1949...	
number 1950...	2,717	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	29	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	288
number 1950...	253	1944.....	11,653
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	29	Sorghums:	
number 1950...	1,206	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	220
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	37	1944.....	427
1944.....	54	acres 1949.....	7,201
number shorn 1949...	6,579	1944.....	14,645
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	52,890	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	76,711	1944.....	10
1950.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1949.....	659
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....		1944.....	181
		bushels 1949.....	6,317
		1944.....	1,585
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	11
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	941	1944.....	311
1945.....	1,176	acres 1949.....	434
number 1950...	89,317	tons green weight 1949...	
1945.....	134,401	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	366	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	203
number 1949...	149,474	1944.....	6,231
dollars 1949...	154,107	acres 1949...	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	616	1944.....	3,068
number 1949...	607,155	Small grains:	
dollars 1949...	284,247	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	63	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	16
number 1950...	252	1944.....	842
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	88	acres 1949...	14,420
number 1949...	168	bushels 1949...	
1944.....	7,512	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	120
	22,380	1944.....	89
		acres 1949...	11,821
		1944.....	3,510
		bushels 1949...	154,398
		1944.....	38,574
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	153
		1944.....	5,974
		acres 1949...	3,439
		1944.....	53,214
		bushels 1949...	20,972
		1944.....	
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	200
		1944.....	166
		acres 1949...	7,714
		1944.....	5,711
		bushels 1949...	108,637
		1944.....	81,506
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	142
		1944.....	243
		acres 1949...	4,014
		1944.....	5,925
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	262
		1944.....	178
		acres 1949...	13,313
		1944.....	5,295
		bushels 1949...	196,507
		1944.....	78,080
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	35
		1944.....	74
		acres 1949...	883
		1944.....	2,191
		bushels 1949...	5,969
		1944.....	14,364
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	374
		1944.....	498
		acres 1949...	33,715
		1944.....	45,066
		100-lb. bags 1949...	82,636
		1944.....	92,944
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	
		acres 1949 ²	172
		1944 ²	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	640
		1944 ²	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	570
		1944.....	23,992
		acres 1949...	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	249	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	217	acres 1949...	4
acres 1949...	7,541	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	6,088	acres 1949...	10
tons 1949...	14,918	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	4
1944.....	13,151	acres 1949...	3
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	4	acres 1949...	7
acres 1949...	941	1944.....	(*) 7
1944.....	245	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
tons 1949...	1,285	acres 1949...	(*) 1
1944.....	210	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	184	1944.....	1
1944.....	109	acres 1949...	1
acres 1949...	5,358	1944.....	(*) 1
1944.....	2,671	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	3,236	acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,614	acres 1949...	265
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	190	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	
1944.....	255	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	5,439	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	8,376	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	5,202	quarts 1949...	100
1944.....	8,459	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	187	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	4,842	quarts 1949...	
1944.....	3,668	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	2,716	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	255
1944.....	2,172	1945.....	47
Field crops (other):		acres 1950 ²	63
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	81
1944.....	3	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	144
acres 1949...	42	1945.....	193
1944.....	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,754
pounds 1949...	1,500	1945.....	2,367
1944.....	960	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	625
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,129
acres 1949...	89	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,812
1944.....	10,400	1944.....	2,422
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	57
acres 1949...	42	1945.....	61
pounds 1949...	3,000	trees of all ages..number 1950...	234
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1945.....	274
1944.....	21	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	136
acres 1949 ¹	(*) 56	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	98
1944.....	6	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	171
100-lb. bags 1949...	6	1944.....	76
1944.....	1,265	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	21
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	27
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	77
lb. of brush 1949...		1945.....	80
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	13	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	56
1944.....	25	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	21
acres 1949...	279	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2
1944.....	455	1944.....	78
tons 1949...	3,716	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	160
1944.....	3,231	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,171
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	418
acres 1949...	63	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,753
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	469	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	15,146
1944.....	867	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	41
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	18	trees of all ages..number 1950...	235
1944.....	33	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	81
acres 1949...	555	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	154
1944.....	528	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	393
sold..dollars 1949...	73,150	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	76
1944.....	40,704	1945.....	97
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	699
1944.....	7	1945.....	821
acres 1949...	(*) 20	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	180
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	519
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	9	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	195
1944.....	13	1944.....	221
acres 1949...	38	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	36
1944.....	78	1945.....	36
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	178
acres 1949...		1945.....	124
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	88
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	90
acres 1949...	12	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	23
1944.....	2	1944.....	71
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	31
acres 1949...	1	1945.....	16
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	164
acres 1949...		1945.....	98
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	88
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	14	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	76
acres 1949...	23	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	79
1944.....	221	1944.....	316
1944.....	193		

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.....	846	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	317
.....1945.....	948	.....1945.....	383
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	999,686	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	30
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	46.8	.....1945.....	49
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	309,939	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	287
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	126,424	.....1945.....	334
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	52,957	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	184
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	21,425	.....1945.....	211
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	467,765	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	64
.....1945.....	408,589	.....1945.....	51
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	553.2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	24
.....1945.....	431.0	.....1945.....	25
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950.....	14,146	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	26
.....1945.....	7,710	.....1945.....	19
.....average per acre, dollars 1950.....	27.59	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	15
.....1945.....	13.25	.....1945.....	15
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	29
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	748	.....1945.....	35
.....1944.....	850	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	16
.....acres 1949.....	20,948	.....1945.....	18
.....1944.....	22,349	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	6
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	418	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	475	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	36
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	109	.....1945.....	59
.....1944.....	121	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	46
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	51	.....1945.....	46
.....1944.....	49	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	83
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	69	.....1945.....	78
.....1944.....	85		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	62	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	74	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	23	White operators.....number 1950.....	846
.....1944.....	35	.....1945.....	947
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	11	.....1945.....	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	149	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	65	Full owners.....number 1950.....	593
.....acres 1949.....	5,721	.....1945.....	655
.....1944.....	6,370	Part owners.....number 1950.....	159
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	183	.....1945.....	142
.....acres 1949.....	3,666	Managers.....number 1950.....	9
.....1944.....	1,782	.....1945.....	14
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	35	All tenants.....number 1950.....	85
.....acres 1949.....	1,514	.....1945.....	137
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	31	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	10.0
.....1944.....	4	.....1945.....	14.5
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	42
.....1944.....	1	.....1945.....	88
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	160	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	3
.....acres 1949.....	2,152	.....1945.....	1
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	75	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	23
.....acres 1949.....	75	.....1945.....	24
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	26	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	20
.....1944.....	26	.....1945.....	3
.....acres 1949.....	87,697	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	17
.....1944.....	12,260	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	24
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	.....1945.....	10
.....acres 1949.....	5,540	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	7
.....1944.....	133		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	303	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	338	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	537
.....acres 1949.....	334,733	.....1945.....	362
.....1944.....	357,338	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	794
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	811	.....1945.....	583
.....1944.....	595	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	788
.....acres 1949.....	10,110	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	5.88
.....1944.....	8,307	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	251
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	731	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	159
.....1944.....	835	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	85
.....acres 1949.....	18,536	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	655
.....1944.....	20,195	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	118
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
.....acres 1949.....	.....	Milk machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	56
		Grain combines.....number 1950.....	16
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	21
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	787	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	863	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	26
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	52	.....number 1950.....	26
.....1945.....	69	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	37
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	496	.....number 1950.....	38
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	433	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	55
.....1944.....	261	.....number 1950.....	
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	321		
.....1944.....	180		

*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...	540	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry..... number 1950...	134
..... 1945...	434	General farms..... number 1950...	22
..... number 1950...	679	..... number 1950...	9
..... 1945...	511	..... number 1950...	4
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	395	..... number 1950...	9
..... 1945...	225	..... number 1950...	470
..... number 1950...	503		
..... 1945...	258		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	353		
..... number 1950...	429		
..... 1945...	70		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	70		
..... number 1950...	3		
..... 1945...	4		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	591		
..... number 1950...	625		
..... 1945...	731		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	689		
..... number 1950...			
..... 1945...			
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	280		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	82		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	103		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	208		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	173		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms..... number 1950...	376
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more)..... number 1950...	12
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	499	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999)..... number 1950...	53
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	123	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999)..... number 1950...	33
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	169	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999)..... number 1950...	64
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499)..... number 1950...	112
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹ number 1950...	99
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	350	Other farms..... number 1950...	470
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	76	Part-time ¹ number 1950...	182
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	231	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold)..... number 1950...	287
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	116	Abnormal ² number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	364		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	194		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	283		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,177,375
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	794	..... 1944...	1,659,153
..... persons 1950...	1,474	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	418,993
..... 1945...	778	..... 1944...	623,684
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	732	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	131,407
..... persons 1950...	341	..... 1944...	75,461
Operators.....farms reporting 1950...	463	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	141,709
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	190	..... 1944...	225,930
..... persons 1950...	279	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	118,163
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	190	..... 1944...	311,045
..... persons 1950...	279	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	27,709
		..... 1944...	11,248
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,745,582
		..... 1944...	1,016,656
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	277,951
		..... 1944...	193,058
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	212,286
		..... 1944...	259,091
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,256,345
		..... 1944...	564,507
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	11,800
		..... 1944...	18,813
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	371
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	367
		..... 1945...	446
		..... number 1950...	1,412
		..... 1945...	1,963
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	12
		..... 1945...	39
		..... number 1950...	25
		..... 1945...	72
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	527
		..... 1945...	534
		..... number 1950...	17,634
		..... 1945...	16,935
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	502
		..... 1945...	497
		..... number 1950...	9,470
		..... 1945...	9,487
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	458
		..... number 1950...	1,703
		..... 1945...	315
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,239
		..... number 1950...	235
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,868
		..... number 1950...	253
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	2,057
		..... number 1950...	66
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	91
		..... 1944...	619,402
		..... gallons 1949...	487,904
		..... 1944...	248,324
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	121
		..... 1944...	178
		..... pounds of butterfat 1949...	44,086
		..... 1944...	62,911
		..... dollars 1949...	26,878
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		..... 1944...	2,749
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	280
		..... 1945...	318
		..... number 1950...	2,374
		..... 1945...	3,533
		..... number 1950...	209
		..... 1945...	1,138
		..... number 1950...	141
		..... 1945...	1,256
		..... number 1950...	139
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	147
		..... 1945...	147
		..... number 1950...	382
		..... 1945...	556

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...	30	Corn:	
1945...	17	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	251
number 1950...	3,423	1944...	314
1945...	4,714	acres 1949...	2,416
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	3,978
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	27	1949...	195
number 1950...	2,788	acres 1944...	239
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	27	1949...	1,593
1945 ¹ ...	14	acres 1944...	2,572
number 1950...	2,701	bushels 1949...	54,244
1945 ¹ ...	2,239	1944...	69,684
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	22
number 1950...	864	acres 1949...	510
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	24	tons..green weight 1949...	3,432
number 1950...	1,837	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	16	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	55
number 1950...	87	acres 1949...	313
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	18		
number 1950...	635	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	13
1944...	10	1944...	39
number shorn 1949...	3,896	acres 1949...	411
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	31,204	1944...	370
1944...	19,810	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	1944...	3
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949...	303
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	655	1944...	25
1945...	737	bushels 1949...	4,275
number 1950...	41,891	1944...	350
1945...	51,919	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	226	acres 1949...	7
number 1949...	32,579	tons..green weight 1949...	32
dollars 1949...	32,925	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	356	cut for dry forag. or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
dozens 1949...	279,366	acres 1949...	101
dollars 1949...	109,039	tons cut 1949...	32
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	43	Small grains:	
number 1950...	255	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	60	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	5
1944...	83	acres 1949...	84
number 1949...	9,662	bushels 1949...	1,387
1944...	6,566	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	38
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		1944...	46
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949...	1,604
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	448	1944...	542
dollars 1949...	1,237,341	bushels 1949...	15,053
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	377	1944...	8,971
1944...	333	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	136
number 1949...	9,472	acres 1949...	58
1944...	8,084	bushels 1949...	2,181
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	248	1944...	1,545
number 1949...	5,546	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	78
dollars 1949...	761,436	1944...	68
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	291	acres 1949...	795
number 1949...	3,926	1944...	727
dollars 1949...	313,179	bushels 1949...	23,121
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	212	1944...	24,660
1944...	247	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	28
number 1949...	4,384	1944...	78
1944...	5,733	acres 1949...	169
dollars 1949...	116,733	1944...	910
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	117
1944...	9	1944...	83
number 1949...	2,201	acres 1949...	1,990
1944...	1,027	1944...	1,305
dollars 1949...	40,948	bushels 1949...	49,928
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	58	1944...	35,327
number 1949...	135	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
dollars 1949...	5,045	1944...	7
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1949...	41
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	379	1944...	172
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	195	bushels 1949...	500
number 1949...	266	1944...	2,215
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	66	Annual legumes:	
1944...	72	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
number 1949...	106	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944...	115	1944...	24
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	134	acres 1949...	103
1944...	66	1944...	304
number 1949...	160	100-lb. bags 1949...	498
1944...	94	1944...	1,622
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	305	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
1944...	364	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	537	1944...	1
1944...	711	acres 1949 ² ...	70
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944 ² ...	3
number 1949...	32	100-lb. bags 1949...	700
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		1944 ² ...	18
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	32	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
dollars 1949...	2,263	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	481
		acres 1949...	10,163

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	451	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	20
1944.....	490	acres 1949...	6
acres 1949...	6,037	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	47
1944.....	5,148	acres 1949...	136
tons 1949...	13,429	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	27
1944.....	11,604	acres 1949...	26
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	16
1944.....	10	acres 1949...	23
acres 1949...	1,387	1944.....	9
1944.....	227	acres 1949...	56
tons 1949...	1,669	1944.....	
1944.....	297	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	49	acres 1949...	12
1944.....	47	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	39
acres 1949...	650	1944.....	53
1944.....	742	acres 1949...	16
tons 1949...	790	1944.....	16
1944.....	677	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	22	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	22	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	92
acres 1949...	1,524	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	3,235	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	40
tons 1949...	1,515	acres 1949...	19
1944.....	3,084	quarts 1949...	16,670
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	32	acres 1949...	36
acres 1949...	558	quarts 1949...	8
1944.....	1,308	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	7,865
tons 1949...	622	acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,697	quarts 1949...	
Field crops (other):		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	525
1944.....	2	1945.....	451
acres 1949...	52	acres 1950 ² ...	1,600
1944.....	9	1945.....	2,250
pounds 1949...	1,079	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	487
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,260	1945.....	576
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	70,405
pounds 1949...		1945.....	85,250
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	18,416
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	51,988
pounds 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	140,447
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	188,641
1944.....	4	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	162
acres 1949...	(*)	1945.....	181
100-lb. bags 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	4,204
1944.....	13	1945.....	2,207
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	58	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,161
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,043
lb. of brush 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	715
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1944.....	1,443
1944.....	9	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	178
acres 1949...	43	1945.....	238
1944.....	56	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,472
tons 1949...	478	1945.....	1,479
1944.....	482	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	455
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,017
acres 1949...	101	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	2,845
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	513	1944.....	5,440
1944.....	600	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	352
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	113	trees of all ages..number 1950...	26,749
1944.....	187	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	6,701
acres 1949...	538	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	20,048
1944.....	941	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	388,233
sold..dollars 1949...	141,709	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	76
1944.....	225,930	1945.....	780
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	27	trees of all ages..number 1950...	399
1944.....	39	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	381
acres 1949...	30	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,364
1944.....	78	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	35	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	202
1944.....	55	1945.....	251
acres 1949...	52	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,848
1944.....	89	1945.....	2,611
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	670
acres 1949...	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,378
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	21	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	704
acres 1949...	8	1944.....	2,047
1944.....	15	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	27
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	51	1945.....	7
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	408
acres 1949...		1945.....	19
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	108
acres 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	300
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	11
acres 1949...		1944.....	3
acres 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	204
acres 1949...		1945.....	280
acres 1949...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	12,168
acres 1949...		1945.....	18,601
acres 1949...		1945.....	1,276
acres 1949...		vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	10,852
acres 1949...		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	65,500
acres 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	66,500
acres 1949...		1944.....	161,832

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...	787	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	54
	831		1945... 47
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,916,160	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	7
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	24.0		1945... 1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	318,490	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	47
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	117,984		1945... 46
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	40,762	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	86
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	17,757		1945... 79
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	459,429	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	62
	428,846		1945... 60
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	568.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	46
	509.4		1945... 49
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	22,066	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	65
	10,389		1945... 66
average per acre, dollars 1950*	38.58	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	52
	20.89		1945... 61
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	79
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	727		1945... 108
	776	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	35
	51,937		1945... 41
	55,040	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	19
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	115		1945... 60
	106	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	100
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	91		1945... 123
	77	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	61
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	69		1945... 67
	82	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	108
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	116		1945... 101
	127		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	169	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
	204	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	115	White operators.....number 1950...	787
	185		1945... 830
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	52	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
	45		1945... 1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	336	Farms by tenure of operator:	
	147	Full owners.....number 1950...	572
	13,948		1945... 579
	5,192	Part owners.....number 1950...	92
Cropland not harvested and not pastured..farms reporting 1949...	142		1945... 81
	4,592	Managers.....number 1950...	8
	2,510		1945... 13
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	62	All tenants.....number 1950...	115
	2,011		1945... 158
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	53	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	14.6
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6		1945... 19.0
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	35
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	38		1945... 46
	2,561	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	6
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	248		1945... 3
	42	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	53
	189,998		1945... 82
	10,869	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	44
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	54		1945... 9
	24	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	21
	15,632		1945... 27
	1,751	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	462		1945... 11
	689	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
	225,024	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950...	517
	322,406		1945... 460
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	176	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	614
	721		1945... 219
	18,303	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	513
	25,858	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.29
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	737	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	167
	761	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	69
	64,400	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	109
	58,430	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	500
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	68
	83	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	37
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	62
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	742		1945... 58
	790	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	37		1945... ..
	31	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	21
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	229		1945... 22
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	331	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
	173		1945... 20
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	198	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	67
	92		1945... 7

*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...	508	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	499	General farms.....number 1950...	6
number 1950.....	559	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	6
1945.....	508	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	431	Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	4
1945.....	308	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	14
number 1950.....	608		
1945.....	350		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	891		
number 1950.....	804		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	51		
number 1950.....	56		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	48		
number 1950.....	48		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950...	541		
1945.....	516		
number 1950.....	684		
1945.....	568		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	152		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	80		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	194		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	304		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	117		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*			
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:			
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	17		
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	266		
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	306		
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	309		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	8		
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:			
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	265		
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	60		
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	271		
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	117		
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	155		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	347		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	264		
FARM LABOR*			
Week preceding enumeration:			
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	708		
persons 1950.....	1,491		
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	665		
Operators.....persons 1950.....	670		
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	381		
persons 1950.....	465		
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	178		
persons 1950.....	386		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*			
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	694		
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	564		
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949...	457		
dollars 1949.....	102,958		
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	444		
dollars 1949.....	467,818		
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949...	487		
dollars 1949.....	289,158		
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	478		
dollars 1949.....	1,094,798		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	470		
dollars 1949.....	56,685		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	494		
dollars 1949.....	176,416		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	294		
dollars 1949.....	48,338		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	285		
dollars 1949.....	68,302		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD			
No sales.....number 1950...	80		
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	46		
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	20		
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	59		
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	78		
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	74		
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	64		
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	118		
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	63		
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	113		
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	122		
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM			
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	30		
Cash-grain.....number 1950...	18		
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	12		
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950...	18		
Dairy farms.....number 1950...	49		
Poultry farms.....number 1950...	12		
		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	34
		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more), number 1950...	3
		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999), number 1950...	17
		Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999), number 1950...	163
		Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999), number 1950...	116
		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499), number 1950...	61
		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹ , number 1950...	194
		Other farms.....number 1950...	111
		Part-time.....number 1950...	N
		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	N
		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	.....
		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,526,111
		1944.....	2,848,871
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	609,961
		1944.....	1,079,421
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	784,804
		1944.....	698,811
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,184
		1944.....	2,580
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	117,917
		1944.....	176,470
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	18,050
		1944.....	900
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,004,104
		1944.....	2,271,374
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	207,756
		1944.....	187,099
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	109,046
		1944.....	69,477
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,607,222
		1944.....	2,084,848
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,102
		1944.....	2,176
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	599
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	291
		1945.....	688
		number 1950.....	2,781
		1945.....	6,216
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	62
		1945.....	64
		number 1950.....	169
		1945.....	147
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	665
		1945.....	710
		number 1950.....	23,901
		1945.....	24,768
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	651
		1945 ³	671
		number 1950.....	15,431
		1945 ³	17,056
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	611
		number 1950.....	2,642
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	491
		number 1950.....	6,822
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	450
		number 1950.....	7,109
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	441
		number 1950.....	4,473
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	55
		1944.....	54
		gallons 1949.....	260,761
		1944.....	219,035
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	90,907
		1944.....	260
		pounds of butterfat 1949.....	426
		1944.....	204,042
		1944.....	217,015
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....dollars 1949...	116,912
		1949.....	1
		dollars 1949.....	41
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	972
		1945.....	460
		number 1950.....	5,428
		1945.....	4,769
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	285
		number 1950.....	2,220
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	177
		number 1950.....	2,160
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	194
		1945.....	220
		number 1950.....	764
		1945.....	814

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...	156	Corn:	
1945.....	159	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	115
number 1950.....	89,817	1944.....	185
1945.....	81,125	acres 1949.....	968
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	917
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	142	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	41
number 1950.....	48,767	1944.....	74
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	187	acres 1949.....	188
1945 ¹	141	1944.....	446
number 1950.....	47,574	bushels 1949.....	5,967
1945 ¹	55,544	1944.....	12,957
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	79	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	54
number 1950.....	4,870	acres 1949.....	641
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	187	tons..green weight 1949.....	5,913
number 1950.....	48,804	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	99	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	23
number 1950.....	1,193	acres 1949.....	188
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	111	Sorghums:	
number 1950.....	20,850	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	9
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	126	1944.....	7
1944.....	140	acres 1949.....	57
number shorn 1949.....	50,638	1944.....	86
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	424,859	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	512,937	1944.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	acres 1949.....	
		1944.....	
		bushels 1949.....	
		1944.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	542	acres 1949.....	
1945.....	715	1944.....	
number 1950.....	31,611	tons..green weight 1949.....	
1945.....	40,604	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	187	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number 1949.....	15,094	acres 1949.....	57
dollars 1949.....	19,041	tons cut 1949.....	208
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	805	Small grains:	
dozens 1949.....	124,728	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
dollars 1949.....	52,468	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	125	acres 1949.....	235
number 1950.....	705	bushels 1949.....	9,094
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	112	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	85
1944.....	147	1944.....	69
number 1949.....	7,245	acres 1949.....	2,154
1944.....	8,965	1944.....	1,087
		bushels 1949.....	51,809
		1944.....	29,532
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	284
		acres 1949.....	3,949
		1944.....	3,370
		bushels 1949.....	96,161
		1944.....	108,505
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	316
		1944.....	346
		acres 1949.....	3,230
		1944.....	4,842
		bushels 1949.....	169,259
		1944.....	195,103
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		1944.....	39
		acres 1949.....	84
		1944.....	317
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	298
		1944.....	283
		acres 1949.....	4,404
		1944.....	4,124
		bushels 1949.....	217,151
		1944.....	160,461
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	12
		1944.....	15
		acres 1949.....	199
		1944.....	184
		bushels 1949.....	2,984
		1944.....	2,743
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		1944.....	11
		acres 1949.....	6
		1944.....	75
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	12
		1944.....	1,175
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949 ²	
		1944 ²	
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	
		1944 ²	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	635
		acres 1949.....	84,745

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	598	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*) 8
1944.....	662	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*) 1
acres 1949...	29,903	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*) 1
1944.....	33,210	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*) 3
tons 1949...	58,344	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*) (*)
1944.....	70,161	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	11
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	72	1944.....	11
1944.....	26	1944.....	11
acres 1949...	2,886	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	1
1944.....	788	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	(*) 5
tons 1949...	4,510	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	1,403	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	39
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	52	1944.....	21
1944.....	36	quarts 1949...	25,817
acres 1949...	405	1944.....	34
1944.....	257	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	39
tons 1949...	569	1944.....	31,657
1944.....	389	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	419
1944.....	15	1945.....	272
acres 1949...	978	acres 1950 ²	692
1944.....	550	1945.....	1,043
tons 1949...	1,712	Apples.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950...	25,339
1944.....	630	1945.....	25,033
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	88	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	8,868
acres 1949...	1,092	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	17,646
1944.....	861	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	47,449
tons 1949...	1,856	1944.....	63,788
1944.....	1,192	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950...	211
Field crops (other):		1945.....	170
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	72	1945.....	14,167
1944.....	58	1945.....	16,072
acres 1949...	1,669	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,013
1944.....	1,153	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	13,164
pounds 1949...	176,482	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	13,746
1944.....	85,680	1944.....	16,286
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Pears.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950...	117
acres 1949...	142	1945.....	111
pounds 1949...	29,960	1950.....	694
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	763
acres 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	216
pounds 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	389
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	125	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	622
1944.....	297	1944.....	868
acres 1949 ¹	737	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950...	160
1944.....	1,753	1945.....	1,165
100-lb. bags 1949...	121,153	1950.....	162
1944.....	198,377	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,003
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	25,697
acres 1949...		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950...	155
lb. of brush 1949...		1945.....	6,397
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	45	1950.....	2,895
1944.....	100	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,513
acres 1949...	508	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	137,234
1944.....	1,194	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
tons 1949...	7,615	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950...	198
1944.....	15,566	1945.....	157
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	4,362
acres 1949...		1945.....	4,704
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	544	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	418
1944.....	705	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,944
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	19	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	3,102
1944.....	24	1944.....	5,072
acres 1949...	23	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950...	305
1944.....	24	1945.....	235
sold..dollars 1949...	3,184	1945.....	5,730
1944.....	2,680	1945.....	6,256
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	610
1944.....	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	5,180
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	8,064
1944.....	1	1944.....	9,888
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... vines of all ages..number 1950...	62
acres 1949...	1	1945.....	76
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	3,262
Cantaloupe, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	15,885
acres 1949...	3	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	625
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,427
acres 1949...	2	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	48,645
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	102,608
acres 1949...			
Calary.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
acres 1949...	(*)		
1944.....	14		
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	8		
acres 1949...	6		
1944.....	9		

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.

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.....	24	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	21	.....1945.....	.....
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	95,360	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	12,5	.....1945.....	.....
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	7,035	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	2,105	.....1945.....	.....
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	2,800	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	2
.....1945.....	11,940	.....1945.....	1
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	18,338	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	497,5	.....1945.....	.....
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	875,2	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	8,583	.....1945.....	.....
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	14,767	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	39,65	.....1945.....	.....
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	16,91	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	.....	.....1945.....	2
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	.....	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	4
.....1945.....	.....	.....1945.....	4
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*.....	.....	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*.....	.....	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	2
.....1945.....	.....	.....1945.....	2
Land in farms according to use:	.....	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	7
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	19	.....1945.....	6
.....1944.....	20	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	6
.....acres 1949.....	897	.....1945.....	5
.....1944.....	1,103	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	2
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	3
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	1	Farms by color of operator:	.....
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	White operators.....number 1950.....	24
.....1944.....	3	.....1945.....	21
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	3	.....1945.....	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	Farms by tenure of operator:	.....
.....1944.....	3	Full owners.....number 1950.....	14
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....1945.....	15
.....1944.....	7	Part owners.....number 1950.....	7
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	4
.....1944.....	1	Managers.....number 1950.....	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	.....
.....1944.....	11	All tenants.....number 1950.....	2
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	2
.....acres 1949.....	2,167	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	8,3
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	9,5
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	170	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	105	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	.....
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	170	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	.....	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	.....
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	9	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	1	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
.....acres 1949.....	2,414	.....1945.....	10
.....1944.....	70	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	20
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	.....	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
.....acres 1949.....	2,404	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	11,00
.....1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	20	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	3,218	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	16,184	.....1945.....	.....
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	22	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	21	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	570	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	876	.....1945.....	.....
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	9	.....1945.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	150	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	459	.....1945.....	.....
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....acres 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	21	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	16	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	3	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	5	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	11	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	16	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	10	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	10	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	10	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	9		

*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..	25	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950..	4
.....1945.....	11	General farms.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	30	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	11	.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	2	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	3	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	13
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	.....	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	14
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	.....
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	4
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	7
.....1945.....	12	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	3
.....number 1950.....	15	Other farms.....number 1950.....	10
.....1945.....	16	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	.....
Farms by class of work power:	.....	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	10
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	4	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	3	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	17	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	83,739
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	9,814
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	864
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....1944.....	800
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:	.....	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	859
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	800
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	5
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	.....
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	20	.....1944.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:	.....	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....1944.....	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	88,815
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	8,539
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,127
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	10.5	.....1944.....	645
Kind of road on which farm is located:	.....	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	664
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	.....1944.....	128
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	18,024
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	.....1944.....	7,763
FARM LABOR^a		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	60
Week preceding enumeration:	.....	.....1944.....	575
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	35	HORSES AND MULES	
.....persons 1950.....	55	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	19
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	36	.....1950.....	19
Operators.....persons 1950.....	30	.....1945.....	80
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	.....number 1950.....	127
.....persons 1950.....	25	.....1945.....	76
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....persons 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	1
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		.....number 1950.....	2
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	35	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	.....	.....1945.....	17
.....1949.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	405
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	.....1945.....	508
.....dollars 1949.....	1,550	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	25	.....1945 ³	17
.....dollars 1949.....	9,735	.....number 1950.....	810
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	.....1945 ³	368
.....dollars 1949.....	4,220	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	.....number 1950.....	85
.....dollars 1949.....	20	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	12
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	30	.....number 1950.....	76
.....dollars 1949.....	4,410	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	12
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	33
.....dollars 1949.....	.....	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	20	.....number 1950.....	76
.....dollars 1949.....	450	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	3
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....1944.....	.....
No sales.....number 1950.....	3	gallons 1949.....	9,354
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	7	.....1944.....	.....
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	.....	dollars 1949.....	3,653
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1949.....	3
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	6
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	3	.....1944.....	.....
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	4	.....1944.....	.....
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	3	.....1944.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	4	.....1944.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	.....
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....1949.....	.....
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1949.....	.....
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	HOGS	
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	3
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	3
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	4
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	7	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	6
.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold or \$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...	1	Corn:	
1945.....	1	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	8	1944.....	
1945.....	.....	acres 1949.....	
Sheep and Lambs born before	1	1944.....	
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	6	1944.....	
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	1	acres 1949.....	
1945 ¹.....	.....	1944.....	
number 1950.....	4	bushels 1949.....	
1945 ¹.....	.....	1944.....	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	1	acres 1949.....	
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	1	1944.....	
number 1950.....	3	tons green weight 1949.....	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
number 1950.....	2	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	2	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	.....	1944.....	
number shorn 1949...	4	acres 1949...	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	30	1944.....	
1944.....	.....	1944.....	
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	10	acres 1949.....	
1945.....	16	1944.....	
number 1950.....	320	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	407	1944.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	250	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949...	291	1944.....	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3	tons green weight 1949.....	
dozens 1949...	746	Sorghum or corn hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949...	373	cut for dry storage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	.....	acres 1949.....	
number 1950.....	.....	1944.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1944.....	
1944.....	.....	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	.....	1944.....	
1944.....	.....	1944.....	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold	.....	acres 1949.....	
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	12	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	15,635	bushels 1949.....	
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	10	1944.....	
1944.....	12	acres 1949.....	
number 1949...	128	1944.....	
1944.....	176	bushels 1949.....	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	8	1944.....	
number 1949...	57	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949...	8,868	1944.....	
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	7	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949...	71	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	5,946	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	3	1944.....	
1944.....	1	acres 1949.....	
number 1949...	15	1944.....	
1944.....	2	bushels 1949.....	
dollars 1949...	643	1944.....	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	.....	1944.....	
number 1949...	2	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	.....	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	28	bushels 1949.....	
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	
number 1949...	9	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	
dollars 1949...	150	1944.....	
1944.....	.....	acres 1949...	
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	10	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	7	1944.....	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	5	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	.....	1944.....	
number 1949...	3	100-lb. bags 1949.....	
1944.....	.....	1944.....	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
1944.....	7	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	4	1944.....	
1944.....	7	acres 1949 ²	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944 ²	
1944.....	5	100-lb. bags 1949.....	
number 1949...	13	1944 ²	
1944.....	6	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1949...	.....	acres 1949...	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products	3	1944.....	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	98	1944.....	
dollars 1949...	.....	1944.....	

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²... include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con. Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. tons 1949... .. 1944... .. Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. tons 1949... .. 1944... .. Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. tons 1949... .. 1944... .. Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. tons 1949... .. 1944... .. Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. tons 1949... .. 1944... .. Field crops (other): Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. pounds 1949... .. 1944... .. Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. pounds 1949... .. Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. pounds 1949... .. Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949 ¹ 1944... .. 100-lb. bags 1949... .. 1944... .. Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. lb. of brush 1949... .. Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. tons 1949... .. 1944... .. Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. sold, dollars 1949... .. 1944... .. Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Carrots.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Celery.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... ..		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. Spinach.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. 1944... .. Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... .. Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale: Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. quarts 1949... .. Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... .. 1944... .. acres 1949... .. quarts 1949... .. Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes: Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. acres 1950 ² 1945... .. Apples.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. trees of all ages, number 1950... .. 1945... .. trees not of bearing age, number 1950... .. trees of bearing age, number 1950... .. quantity harvested, bushels 1949... .. 1944... .. Peaches.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. trees of all ages, number 1950... .. 1945... .. trees not of bearing age, number 1950... .. trees of bearing age, number 1950... .. quantity harvested, bushels 1949... .. 1944... .. Pears.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. trees of all ages, number 1950... .. 1945... .. trees not of bearing age, number 1950... .. trees of bearing age, number 1950... .. quantity harvested, bushels 1949... .. 1944... .. Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. trees of all ages, number 1950... .. trees not of bearing age, number 1950... .. trees of bearing age, number 1950... .. quantity harvested, pounds 1949... .. Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. trees of all ages, number 1950... .. trees not of bearing age, number 1950... .. trees of bearing age, number 1950... .. quantity harvested, pounds 1949... .. Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. trees of all ages, number 1950... .. 1945... .. trees not of bearing age, number 1950... .. trees of bearing age, number 1950... .. quantity harvested, bushels 1949... .. 1944... .. Apricots.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. trees of all ages, number 1950... .. 1945... .. trees not of bearing age, number 1950... .. trees of bearing age, number 1950... .. quantity harvested, bushels 1949... .. 1944... .. Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... .. 1945... .. vines of all ages, number 1950... .. 1945... .. vines not of bearing age, number 1950... .. vines of bearing age, number 1950... .. quantity harvested, pounds 1949... .. 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.
 *Reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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GRAND COUNTY, COLORADO

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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...	187	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945.....	218	.....1945.....	6
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,186,880	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	88.2	.....1945.....	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	208,814	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	4
.....1945.....	115,139	.....1945.....	4
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,304	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	11
.....1945.....	4,483	.....1945.....	5
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	334,884	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	332,825	.....1945.....	1
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,780.9	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	1,540.9	.....1945.....	1
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	40,322	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	18,709	.....1945.....	5
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	2,634	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	4
.....1945.....	1,214	.....1945.....	1
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1,214	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	181	.....1945.....	6
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	194	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	18
.....1945.....	41,137	.....1945.....	4
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	38,810	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	5
.....1945.....	5	.....1945.....	3
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	3
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1945.....	33
.....1944.....	8	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	39
.....acres 1949.....	7	.....1945.....	43
.....1944.....	7	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	84
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	.....1945.....	87
.....1944.....	13		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	38	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	40	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	47	White operators.....number 1950...	185
.....1944.....	57	.....1945.....	215
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	67	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	2
.....1944.....	62	.....1945.....	5
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	60	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	31	Full owners.....number 1950...	94
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18,729	.....1945.....	95
.....1944.....	2,241	Part owners.....number 1950...	58
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	44	.....1945.....	61
.....1944.....	4,278	Managers.....number 1950...	5
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	2,179	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	17	All tenants.....number 1950...	32
.....acres 1949.....	1,367	.....1945.....	54
.....1944.....	8	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	17.1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	8	.....1945.....	25.0
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944.....	3	.....1945.....	26
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
.....1944.....	31	.....1945.....	15
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	2,912	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	25
.....acres 1949.....	73	.....1945.....	10
.....1944.....	144	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	5
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	53,024	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....1944.....	51,964	.....1945.....	3
.....acres 1949.....	56	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	3
.....1944.....	19	.....1945.....	2
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	14,833	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944.....	2,670		
.....acres 1949.....	127	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944.....	186	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	134
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	194,780	.....1945.....	125
.....1944.....	228,040	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	130
.....acres 1949.....	173	.....1945.....	99
.....1944.....	213	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	111
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	8,132	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.40
.....1944.....	6,921	.....farms reporting 1950...	95
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	172	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	29
.....1944.....	185	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	79
.....acres 1949.....	41,833	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	118
.....1944.....	39,438	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	18
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
.....acres 1949.....	250	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	4
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....number 1950...	4
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	185	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	4
.....1945.....	198	.....number 1950.....	4
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	10	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	4
.....1945.....	18	.....number 1950.....	4
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	37	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1949.....	52	.....number 1950.....	
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944.....	64	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	
.....1949.....	31	.....number 1950.....	
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1944.....	34		

*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...	126	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	101
.....1945.....	137	General farms.....number 1950.....	91
.....number 1950.....	141	.....1945.....	11
.....1945.....	176	.....number 1950.....	25
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	158	.....number 1950.....	27
.....1945.....	103	.....number 1950.....	18
.....number 1950.....	260	.....number 1950.....	11
.....1945.....	146	.....number 1950.....	11
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	158	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	239	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	11
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	16	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	16	.....number 1950.....	11
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	121	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	134	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	154	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	184	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	29	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	144	.....number 1950.....	11
.....number 1950.....	9	.....number 1950.....	11
Farms by class of work power:		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	154
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	10
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	29	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	17
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	144	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	21
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	9	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	54
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	26
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	29
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	Other farms.....number 1950.....	11
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	11
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	50	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	13
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	13
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,472,052
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	44	.....1944.....	1,405,211
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	32	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	254,164
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	64	.....1944.....	118,371
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	141,154
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.0	.....1944.....	89,052
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	72,974
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	38	.....1944.....	45,436
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	48	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	58
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	.....1944.....	17
FARM LABOR^A		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,827
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	1,205,960
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	167	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,272,024
.....persons 1950.....	386	.....1944.....	44,019
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	161	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	89,401
.....persons 1950.....	154	.....1944.....	9,497
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	72	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	11,850
.....persons 1950.....	80	.....1944.....	1,150,441
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,100,787
.....persons 1950.....	152	.....1944.....	13,835
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	70	.....1944.....	13,418
.....persons 1950.....	152	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	13,835
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^A		.....1944.....	13,418
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	182	HORSES AND MULES	
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	157	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	164
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	79	.....farms reporting 1950.....	164
.....dollars 1949.....	37,314	.....1945.....	180
.....dollars 1949.....	137	.....number 1950.....	1,870
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	137	.....1945.....	2,504
.....dollars 1949.....	241,597	.....number 1950.....	4
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	146	.....1945.....	11
.....dollars 1949.....	84,565	.....number 1950.....	84
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	114	.....1945.....	20
.....dollars 1949.....	281,747	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	96	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	161
.....dollars 1949.....	17,920	.....1945.....	183
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	162	.....number 1950.....	16,210
.....dollars 1949.....	65,804	.....1945.....	16,484
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	111	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	168
.....dollars 1949.....	30,722	.....1945 ³	173
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	142	.....1945 ³	8,438
.....dollars 1949.....	24,033	.....1945 ³	8,411
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	148
No sales.....number 1950.....	3	.....number 1950.....	194
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	10	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	127
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	9	.....number 1950.....	3,744
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	9	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	124
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	2,477
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	4	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	111
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	2,018
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	4	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	29
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	13	.....1944.....	33
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	26	.....gallons 1949.....	85,006
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	27	.....dollars 1949.....	80,842
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	23,878
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1	.....1944.....	68
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	107
Cottons.....number 1950.....	1	.....1944.....	38,184
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	1	.....dollars 1949.....	70,078
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	12	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	20,544
.....number 1950.....	12	.....dollars 1949.....	
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	12	HOGS	
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	6	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	49
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	6	.....1945.....	64
.....number 1950.....	6	.....number 1950.....	232
.....number 1950.....	6	.....1945.....	190
.....number 1950.....	6	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	39
.....number 1950.....	6	.....number 1950.....	145
.....number 1950.....	6	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	15
.....number 1950.....	6	.....number 1950.....	87
.....number 1950.....	6	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	18
.....number 1950.....	6	.....1945.....	24
.....number 1950.....	6	.....1945.....	65
.....number 1950.....	6	.....1945.....	50

¹Part-time farms include those with value of products sold of exceeding value of agricultural products sold.
²Public and private institutional farms, community projects, etc.
³Cows and heifers 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	26	Corn:	
1945...	29	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	8,480	1944.....	.....
1945...	12,694	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....		1944.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	25	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	7,923	acres 1949.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	21	1944.....	.....
1945 ¹	26	bushels 1949.....	.....
number 1950...	7,714	1944.....	.....
1945 ²	12,287	Cut for silage:.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	16	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	1,494	acres 1949.....	.....
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	19	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	6,820	tons green weight 1949...	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	20	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
number 1950...	209	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	557	acres 1949.....	.....
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Sorghums:	
1944.....	23	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number shorn 1949...	8,661	1944.....	1
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	42,885	acres 1949...	.....
1944.....	100,197	1944.....	150
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	.....
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	128	acres 1949.....	.....
1945.....	185	bushels 1949.....	.....
number 1950...	5,034	1944.....	.....
1945.....	6,352	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	21	1944.....	.....
number 1949...	1,671	acres 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	2,078	tons green weight 1949...	.....
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	46	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dozens 1949...	11,464	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	4,974	1944.....	.....
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	8	tons cut 1949...	.....
number 1950...	32	Small grains:	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
1944.....	21	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	471	1944.....	72
1944.....	221	acres 1949...	.....
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		bushels 1949...	1,446
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	13
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	149	1944.....	11
dollars 1949...	1,127,722	acres 1949...	1,076
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	147	1944.....	154
1944.....	167	bushels 1949...	18,613
number 1949...	6,142	1944.....	1,851
1944.....	9,199	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	130	1944.....	259
number 1949...	4,648	acres 1949...	59
dollars 1949...	771,185	bushels 1949...	5,174
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	67	1944.....	660
number 1949...	1,494	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	43
dollars 1949...	166,737	1944.....	32
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres 1949...	1,562
1944.....	44	1944.....	1,084
number 1949...	311	bushels 1949...	41,329
1944.....	419	1944.....	19,284
dollars 1949...	9,004	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	9
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	25	1944.....	13
1944.....	20	acres 1949...	79
number 1949...	9,189	1944.....	367
1944.....	15,226	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	39
dollars 1949...	171,866	1944.....	31
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	25	acres 1949...	1,246
number 1949...	216	1944.....	1,805
dollars 1949...	8,920	bushels 1949...	35,812
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	27,038
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	121	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	73	1944.....	3
number 1949...	183	acres 1949...	120
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	51	1944.....	28
1944.....	84	bushels 1949...	1,641
number 1949...	96	1944.....	255
1944.....	126	Annual legumes:	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
1944.....	22	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	67	1944.....	.....
1944.....	56	acres 1949...	.....
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	87	100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
1944.....	105	1944.....	.....
number 1949...	192	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
1944.....	287	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	19	1944.....	.....
number 1949...	89	acres 1949...	.....
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949...	1,371	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	178
		1944.....	55,815
		acres 1949...	.....

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	15	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	33	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	237	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	961	acres 1949.....	336
tons 1949.....	324	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	1,174	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	129	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	30	acres 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	23,502	1944.....	
1944.....	2,746	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	9
tons 1949.....	35,143	acres 1949.....	61
1944.....	3,472	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	15	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	3	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	674	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	50	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	617	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	45	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	68	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	154	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949.....	11,242	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	51,192	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	14,129	quarts 1949.....	120
1944.....	32,221	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	321	quarts 1949.....	
1944.....	307	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949.....	486	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	8
1944.....	418	1945.....	1
Field crops (other):		acres 1950.....	(*)
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	
1944.....	1	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	2
acres 1949.....	8	1945.....	2
1944.....	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	35
pounds 1949.....	1,200	1945.....	19
1944.....	300	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	5
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	10
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
pounds 1949.....		1944.....	18
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
pounds 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	
1944.....	16	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	4	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	14	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
100-lb. bags 1949.....	119	1944.....	
1944.....	254	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
lb. of brush 1949.....		1945.....	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
1944.....		1944.....	
tons 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	2
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	40	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	112	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	13	1945.....	
1944.....	26	trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	399	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	516	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....	72,974	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	45,428	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	
1944.....	(*)	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....	(*)	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950...	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....		1944.....	

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	207	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	3
.....1945.....	258	.....1945.....	1
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	2,072,320	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	13,2	.....1945.....	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	218,649	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	56,093	.....1945.....	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	5,295	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	4
.....1945.....	5,946	.....1945.....	7
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	274,091	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	8
.....1945.....	237,612	.....1945.....	1
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,324.1	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	921	.....1945.....	3
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	53,879	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	16,895	.....1945.....	7
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	44.37	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	18.35	.....1945.....	11
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	190	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	30
.....1945.....	244	.....1945.....	6
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	43,809	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	14
.....1945.....	45,860	.....1945.....	5
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	5	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	9
.....1945.....	14	.....1945.....	36
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	40
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	14	.....1945.....	48
.....1944.....	7	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	66
.....acres 1949.....	11	.....1945.....	78
.....1944.....	5	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	71
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	7	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1944.....	5	White operators.....number 1950...	207
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	10	.....1945.....	258
.....1944.....	14	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	31	.....1945.....	
.....1944.....	29	Farms by tenure of operator:	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	39	Full owners.....number 1950...	150
.....1944.....	42	.....1945.....	187
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	101	Part owners.....number 1950.....	41
.....1944.....	97	.....1945.....	42
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	88	Managers.....number 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	12	.....1945.....	2
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	16,769	All tenants.....number 1950.....	11
.....1944.....	647	.....1945.....	27
.....acres 1949.....	21	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	5.3
.....1944.....	2,791	.....1945.....	10.5
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	105	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	6	.....1945.....	15
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	974	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	3	.....1945.....	3
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	2	.....1945.....	1
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	2
.....1944.....	1	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	3
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	16	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	6
.....1944.....	1,817	.....1945.....	1
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	2
.....1944.....	62	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	161
.....1944.....	30,861	.....1945.....	149
.....acres 1949.....	5,592	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	187
.....1944.....	14	.....1945.....	148
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	5	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	160
.....1944.....	5,479	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	16.41
.....acres 1949.....	354	.....1945.....	107
.....1944.....	156	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	15
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	245	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	30
.....1944.....	165,222	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	166
.....acres 1949.....	174,232	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	18
.....1944.....	199	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	22
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	249	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	2
.....1944.....	9,160	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	2
.....acres 1949.....	10,822	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	1
.....1944.....	195	.....number 1950.....	2
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	249	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
.....1944.....	60,202	.....number 1950.....	7
.....acres 1949.....	56,174	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
.....1944.....		.....number 1950.....	7
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
.....acres 1949.....		.....number 1950.....	1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950.....	1
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	188		
.....1945.....	243		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	18		
.....1945.....	12		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	35		
.....1944.....	55		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	42		
.....1944.....	36		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	33		
.....1944.....	33		

*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...	149	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	13
.....1945.....	154	General farms.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	184	.....1945.....	.....
.....1945.....	182	Primarily crop.....number 1950.....	.....
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	180	Primarily livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1945.....	98	Crop and livestock.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	311	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	32
.....1945.....	116		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	158	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	270	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	175
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	29
.....number 1950.....	10	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	60
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	23
.....number 1950.....	31	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	34
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	183	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	17
.....1945.....	167	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	12
.....number 1950.....	331	Other farms.....number 1950.....	32
.....1945.....	200	Part-time.....number 1950.....	23
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	9
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	33	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	132	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,771,803
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	37	.....1944.....	1,531,377
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	104,903
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		.....1944.....	76,043
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	104,050
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	.....1944.....	74,465
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	408
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	44	.....1944.....	1,270
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	138	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	300
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	1.5	.....1944.....	310
Distances over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	145
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	49	.....1944.....	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	12	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,665,924
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	67	.....1944.....	1,454,667
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	66	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	54,966
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6.7	.....1944.....	67,544
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,863
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	45	.....1944.....	9,831
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	67	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry.....dollars 1949.....	2,604,095
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	101	.....1944.....	1,377,272
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	976
FARM LABOR*		.....1944.....	645
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	226	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	188
.....persons 1950.....	606	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	187
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	205	.....1945.....	241
Operators.....persons 1950.....	2021	.....number 1950.....	2,312
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	63	.....1945.....	2,920
.....persons 1950.....	93	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	12
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	127	.....1945.....	19
.....persons 1950.....	311	.....number 1950.....	96
		.....1945.....	75
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	216	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	191
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	176	.....1945.....	235
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	84	.....number 1950.....	30,179
Hired labor.....dollars 1949.....	52,340	.....1945.....	30,137
.....1949.....	176	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	186
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	632,063	.....1945 ³	230
.....dollars 1949.....	206	.....number 1950.....	16,523
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	514,102	.....1945 ³	17,794
.....dollars 1949.....	184	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	167
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	430,065	.....number 1950.....	857
.....dollars 1949.....	89	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	125
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	10,899	.....number 1950.....	6,142
.....dollars 1949.....	204	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	181
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	105,368	.....number 1950.....	5,417
.....dollars 1949.....	126	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	125
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	27,837	.....number 1950.....	2,097
.....dollars 1949.....	167	Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	17
	44,822	.....1944.....	19
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....gallons 1949.....	94,260
No sales.....number 1950.....	9	.....1944.....	76,298
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	9	.....dollars 1949.....	33,850
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	9	.....1944.....	75
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	.....	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	143
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	19	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	33,779
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	10	.....1944.....	75,468
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	14	.....dollars 1949.....	21,116
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	31	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	26	.....dollars 1949.....	.....
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	26	HOGS	
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	89	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	50
		.....1945.....	77
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	236
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	1	.....1945.....	192
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	1	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	30
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	146
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	90
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	29	.....1945.....	21
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	6	.....1950.....	23
		.....1945.....	32

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...	18	Corn:	
1945.....	48	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....	6,177	1944.....	300
1945.....	21,040	acres 1949.....	2944.....
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	18	1944.....	300
number 1950.....	5,760	acres 1949.....	8,662
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	17	1944.....	
1945.....	41	bushels 1949.....	
number 1950.....	5,591	1944.....	
1945.....	18,720	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	11	1944.....	
number 1950.....	825	acres 1949.....	
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	16	tons green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	4,766	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	14	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	
number 1950.....	169	acres 1949.....	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	9		
number 1950.....	417	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	13	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	42	1944.....	
number shorn 1949.....	5,228	acres 1949.....	
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	38,571	1944.....	
1944.....	148,998	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	1944.....	
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		acres 1949.....	
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	131	bushels 1949.....	
1945.....	200	1944.....	
number 1950.....	4,129	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
1945.....	5,815	acres 1949.....	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	15	tons green weight 1949.....	
number 1949.....	935	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949.....	1,215	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1949.....	
dozens 1949.....	9,446	tons cut 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	4,658	Small grains:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	8	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
number 1950.....	24	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	11	acres 1949...	10
1944.....	8	bushels 1949...	150
number 1949.....	198	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
1944.....	91	1944.....	1
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		acres 1949...	698
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944.....	20
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	185	bushels 1949...	12,646
dollars 1949...	2,576,385	1944.....	840
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	176	acres 1949...	6
1944.....	212	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	28
number 1949.....	14,178	acres 1949...	7
1944.....	13,296	bushels 1949...	766
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	167	1944.....	270
number 1949...	11,360	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	13
dollars 1949...	1,788,679	1944.....	11
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	61	acres 1949...	346
number 1949...	2,818	1944.....	262
dollars 1949...	287,573	bushels 1949...	15,031
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	27	1944.....	10,470
1944.....	15	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949...	293	1944.....	9
1944.....	175	acres 1949...	39
dollars 1949...	9,056	1944.....	121
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	23	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	41	1944.....	7
number 1949...	28,017	acres 1949...	181
1944.....	17,237	1944.....	87
dollars 1949...	486,585	bushels 1949...	5,968
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	30	1944.....	3,390
number 1949...	203	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
dollars 1949...	4,492	1944.....	
FARM SLAUGHTER		acres 1949...	40
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	151	1944.....	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	121	bushels 1949...	500
number 1949...	267	1944.....	
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	93	Annual legumes:	
1944.....	91	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
number 1949...	201	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	174	1944.....	
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	35	acres 1949...	
1944.....	45	100-lb. bags 1949...	
number 1949...	66	1944.....	
1944.....	87	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	91	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	107	1944.....	
number 1949...	209	acres 1949 ²	
1944.....	226	1944 ²	
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	16	100-lb. bags 1949...	
number 1949...	288	1944 ²	
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	36	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	186
dollars 1949...	6,386	acres 1949...	41,407

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	23	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	50	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	588	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	1,076	acres 1949.....	7
tons 1949.....	1,290	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	2,014	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	89	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	89	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	13,936	1944.....	
1944.....	9,959	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	22,657	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	14,810	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	23	1944.....	
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	667	1944.....	
1944.....	91	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,170	1944.....	
1944.....	160	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	101	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	159	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	25,773	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	33,629	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	36,429	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	46,709	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	acres 1949.....	1
acres 1949.....	404	quarts 1949.....	630
1944.....	405	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	577	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	590	quarts 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.....	3
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		acres 1950 ²	6
1944.....		1945.....	
pounds 1949.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
1944.....		1945.....	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	330
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	310
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	32	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
1944.....	57	1945.....	
acres 1949 ¹	15	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	136
1944.....	124	1945.....	
100-lb. bags 1949.....	902	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	3,346	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	136
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
lb. of brush 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	6
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
tons 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	6
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	87	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....	113	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	5	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	7	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
1944.....	19	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	12
sold..dollars 1949.....	408	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	1,270	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	12
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
1944.....		1945.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	12
1944.....	2	1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	12
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
Garrots.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	4
1944.....		1945.....	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
		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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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...	27	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	2
1945.....	46	1945.....	1
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	676,480	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	5.2	1945.....	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	15,482	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	2
1945.....	1,440	1945.....	1
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,598	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	180	1945.....	1
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	55,158	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	24,748	1945.....	1
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1801.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	557.9	1945.....	1
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	19,742	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	8,211	1945.....	2
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	80.15	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	17.81	1945.....	1
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	17.81	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	17.81	1945.....	8
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	19,742	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	8,211	1945.....	1
average per acre, dollars 1950*	20.15	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	1
1945.....	17.81	1945.....	1
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	8
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	24	1945.....	15
1944.....	32	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	8
acres 1949.....	5,280	1945.....	15
1944.....	3,740	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	7
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	8
1944.....	1		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	2	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	White operators.....number 1950...	27
1944.....	4	1945.....	48
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	1
1944.....	4	1945.....	1
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	4	Full owners.....number 1950...	15
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	1945.....	31
1944.....	15	Part owners.....number 1950...	9
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	1945.....	9
1944.....	4	Managers.....number 1950...	2
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	1945.....	2
1944*.....	2	All tenants.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	1,695	1945.....	4
1944*.....	80	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	5.7
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	8.7
1944.....	19	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	40	1945.....	1
1944.....	1	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	1
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	1
1944.....	19	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	1
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	1	1945.....	1
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	9	1945.....	5
acres 1949.....	7,520	Other tenants.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	480	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	5		
1944.....	2	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	1,571	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	18
1944.....	170	1945.....	27
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	20
1944.....	45	1945.....	15
acres 1949.....	20,912	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	5
1944.....	18,382	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.10
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	27	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	10
1944.....	34	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	401	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	10
1944.....	1,841	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	10
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	24	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	53	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	1
acres 1949.....	3,992	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	4,685	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	1945.....	1
1944.....	10	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		1945.....	1
FARM OPERATORS		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	20	1945.....	1
1945.....	54	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	2	1945.....	1
1945.....	11	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	8	1945.....	1
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	9		
1944.....	12		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	4		
1944.....	10		

*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...	21	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	15
.....1945.....	23	General farms.....number 1950...	6
.....number 1950.....	31	.....number 1950.....	8
.....1945.....	25	.....number 1950.....	8
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	.....number 1950.....	8
.....1945.....	8	.....number 1950.....	8
.....number 1950.....	11	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950.....	8
.....1945.....	7		
.....number 1950.....	6	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	6	Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	19
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	.....	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	.....
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	12
.....number 1950.....	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	.....
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499) ¹.....number 1950.....	6
.....1945.....	22	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	.....
.....number 1950.....	25	Other farms.....number 1950.....	8
.....1945.....	36	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	5
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	5
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	.....
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	22	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	190,022
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	121,195
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	15,100
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		.....1944.....	5,200
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	15,100
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	.....1944.....	4,830
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	900
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	16	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	22	.....1944.....	.....
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	.....
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	178,922
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	6	.....1944.....	115,965
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,811
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	17.4	.....1944.....	4,689
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	815
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	512
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	175,599
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	.....1944.....	110,784
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
FARM LABOR^a		.....1944.....	.....
Week preceding enumeration:		HORSES AND MULES	
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
.....persons 1950.....	55	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	31	.....1945.....	59
Operators.....persons 1950.....	31	.....number 1950.....	398
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	15	.....1945.....	547
.....persons 1950.....	20	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	1	.....number 1950.....	1
.....persons 1950.....	2	.....1945.....	8
		.....1945.....	5
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES^a		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	28	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	.....1945.....	86
Machine hire.....dollars 1949.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	2,188
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	.....1945.....	2,755
.....dollars 1949.....	10,288	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	24
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....1945.....	37
.....dollars 1949.....	4,570	.....number 1950.....	1,244
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	11	.....1945.....	1,574
.....dollars 1949.....	57,680	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	19
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	10	.....number 1950.....	85
.....dollars 1949.....	210	.....number 1950.....	20
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	21	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	468
.....dollars 1949.....	3,654	.....number 1950.....	19
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	378
.....dollars 1949.....	241	.....number 1950.....	15
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	75
.....dollars 1949.....	1,827	.....number 1950.....	.....
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
No sales.....number 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	3
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	.....	.....gallons 1949.....	.....
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	270
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	.....	.....dollars 1949.....	9
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	.....	.....farms reporting 1949.....	8
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	8
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	4	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	4,128
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1944.....	2,023
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	6	.....dollars 1949.....	2,811
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	6	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	1	.....dollars 1949.....	.....
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		HOGS	
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	.....	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	11
Cotton.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	3
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	.....	.....1945.....	40
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	.....	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	3
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	.....	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	.....
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	.....	.....number 1950.....	.....
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
		.....1945.....	.....
		.....number 1950.....	11
		.....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...	2	Corn:	
1945...	5	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	820	acres 1944...	.....
1945...	2,550	acres 1949...	.....
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	2	acres 1944...	.....
number 1950...	810	acres 1949...	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	2	bushels 1944...	.....
1945 ¹ ...	5	bushels 1949...	.....
number 1950...	781	1944...	.....
1945 ¹ ...	2,212	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	2	acres 1949...	.....
number 1950...	105	tons..green weight 1949...	.....
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	2	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
number 1950...	876	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	2	acres 1949...	.....
number 1950...	29	Sorghums:	
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	1	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	10	1944...	.....
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	4	1944...	.....
number shorn 1949...	824	acres 1949...	.....
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	5,959	1944...	.....
1944...	18,875	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	acres 1944...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		bushels 1944...	.....
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	14	bushels 1949...	.....
1945...	24	1944...	.....
number 1950...	515	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1945...	617	acres 1949...	.....
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	tons..green weight 1949...	.....
number 1949...	.....	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
dollars 1949...	.....	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres 1949...	.....
dozens 1949...	958	tons cut 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	395	Small grains:	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	.....	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
number 1950...	.....	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	1	bushels 1949...	.....
number 1949...	.....	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944...	7	acres 1944...	.....
		acres 1949...	17
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		bushels 1944...	255
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		1944...	.....
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	22	Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	170,588	acres 1949...	.....
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	22	bushels 1944...	50
1944...	31	1944...	700
number 1949...	1,174	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944...	1,588	acres 1944...	.....
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	19	acres 1949...	.....
number 1949...	1,024	bushels 1944...	.....
dollars 1949...	148,288	1944...	.....
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	150	acres 1944...	.....
dollars 1949...	15,246	acres 1949...	8
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944...	.....
1944...	1	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	14	acres 1944...	1
1944...	50	acres 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	289	bushels 1944...	20
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944...	400
1944...	5	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	562	acres 1944...	.....
1944...	1,104	acres 1949...	.....
dollars 1949...	10,710	bushels 1944...	.....
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944...	.....
number 1949...	5	1944...	.....
dollars 1949...	75	Annual legumes:	
FARM SLAUGHTER		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	17	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	14	acres 1944...	.....
number 1949...	52	acres 1949...	.....
Cattle butchered, excluding calves....farms reporting 1949...	5	100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
1944...	22	1944...	.....
number 1949...	17	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
1944...	46	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	7	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	4	100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
number 1949...	15	1944...	.....
1944...	6	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	24
1944...	12	acres 1949...	5,175
number 1949...	9	acres 1944...	.....
1944...	32	acres 1949...	.....
1944...	2	acres 1944...	.....
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	23		
number 1949...	5		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	5		
dollars 1949...	150		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowboys and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	4	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
1944.....	5	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
acres 1949.....	247	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
1944.....	125	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
tons 1949.....	444	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
1944.....	151	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
1944.....	17	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1,443	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	2,194	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
tons 1949.....	2,333	quarts 1949.....	
1944.....	3,470	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... acres 1949...	
Cats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...		quarts 1949.....	
1944.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
acres 1949.....		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... acres 1945... acres 1950 ² ... acres 1945...	
1944.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	
tons 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	12	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	14	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
acres 1949.....	1,525	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	
1944.....	1,345	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950... trees of all ages..number 1950... 1945... trees not of bearing age..number 1950... trees of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..bushels 1949... 1944...	
tons 1949.....	1,878	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... vines of all ages..number 1950... 1945... vines not of bearing age..number 1950... vines of bearing age..number 1950... quantity harvested..pounds 1949... 1944...	
1944.....	1,875		
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
acres 1949.....	160		
1944.....	18		
tons 1949.....	160		
1944.....	17		
Field crops (other):			
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...			
1944.....			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
pounds 1949.....			
1944.....			
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
pounds 1949.....			
1944.....			
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
pounds 1949.....			
1944.....			
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1		
1944.....	8		
acres 1949 ¹	(*)		
1944.....	4		
100-lb. bags 1949.....	5		
1944.....	151		
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
lb. of brush 1949.....			
1944.....			
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
tons 1949.....			
1944.....			
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...			
1944.....	21		
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...			
1944.....			
acres 1949.....	2		
1944.....			
sold..dollars 1949.....	8		
1944.....			
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	900		
1944.....			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...			
1944.....			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and melons.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
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, 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...	459	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	13
1945.....	587	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	5
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,009,920	1945.....	1
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	75.6	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	8
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	504,599	1945.....	11
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	251,956	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	22
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	31,800	1945.....	24
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	25,104	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	17
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	785,051	1945.....	51
1945.....	801,200	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	12
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1,662.4	1945.....	7
1945.....	1,413.1	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	25
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	19,639	1945.....	30
1945.....	7,659	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	11
average per acre, dollars 1950*...	11.86	1945.....	36
1945.....	5.42	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	29
Land in farms according to use:		1945.....	68
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	382	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	22
1944.....	468	1945.....	22
acres 1949.....	30,983	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	13
1944.....	35,290	1945.....	12
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	44	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	65
1944.....	57	1945.....	88
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	54	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	71
1944.....	80	1945.....	83
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	41	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	159
1944.....	66	1945.....	168
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	63		
1944.....	71	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	90	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	85	White operators.....number 1950...	458
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	53	1945.....	565
1944.....	78	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	37	1945.....	2
1944.....	36	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	101	Full owners.....number 1950...	235
1944.....	46	1945.....	354
acres 1949.....	12,436	Part owners.....number 1950...	180
1944.....	3,115	1945.....	167
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	139	Managers.....number 1950...	4
acres 1949.....	11,214	1945.....	3
1944.....	7,435	All tenants.....number 1950...	80
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	56	1945.....	63
acres 1949.....	5,470	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.1
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	32	1945.....	11.1
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	17	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	21
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1945.....	26
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	97	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	3
acres 1949.....	5,744	1945.....	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	139	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	20
1944.....	18	1945.....	50
acres 1949.....	117,658	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	14
1944.....	6,525	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	6
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	25	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	16
1944.....	9	1945.....	6
acres 1949.....	19,957	Other tenants.....number 1950...	13
1944.....	3,495	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	3
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	359		
1944.....	540	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	558,329	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	98
1944.....	721,146	1945.....	87
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	419	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	212
1944.....	544	1945.....	119
acres 1949.....	32,474	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	162
1944.....	24,194	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	5.48
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	285	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	84
1944.....	330	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	14
acres 1949.....	19,578	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	28
1944.....	24,815	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	156
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	28
acres 1949.....	.....	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Milking machines.....farms reporting 1950...	20
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	73
		number 1950...	79
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	68
		number 1950...	68
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		number 1950...	1
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		number 1950...	2
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operator reporting 1950...	401		
1945.....	512		
Not residing on farm operated.....operator reporting 1950...	45		
1945.....	50		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operator reporting 1949...	103		
Working off their farm, total.....operator reporting 1949...	151		
1944.....	184		
100 days or more.....operator reporting 1949...	77		
1944.....	104		

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	87	Corn:	
.....number 1945...	106	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	73
.....number 1950...	20,090	.....acres 1944...	214
.....number 1945...	28,115	.....acres 1949...	886
.....number 1945...	28,115	.....acres 1944...	2,827
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....acres 1949...	44
.....number 1950...	14,887	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	140
.....number 1950...	85	.....acres 1949...	373
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	85	.....acres 1944...	2,071
.....number 1945...	86	.....bushels 1949...	8,158
.....number 1950...	14,587	.....bushels 1944...	25,915
.....number 1945...	26,954		
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	46	.....farms reporting 1949...	1
.....number 1950...	2,279	.....acres 1949...	15
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	76	.....tons..green weight 1949...	77
.....number 1950...	12,288		
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	86	Hogged or grazed, or out for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	28
.....number 1950...	320	.....acres 1949...	298
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	72		
.....number 1950...	5,205		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	89	Sorghums:	
.....number 1944...	94	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	20
.....number shorn 1949...	15,172	.....acres 1944...	58
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	121,286	.....acres 1949...	825
.....pounds 1944...	253,715	.....acres 1944...	1,199
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 1-Apr. 14	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		.....acres 1944...	8
		.....acres 1949...	75
		.....bushels 1944...	134
		.....bushels 1949...	140
		.....bushels 1944...	1,425
		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		.....acres 1949...	.....
		.....tons..green weight 1949...	.....
		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	18
		.....acres 1949...	548
		.....tons cut 1949...	445
		Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	11
		.....acres 1949...	554
		.....bushels 1949...	6,508
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	42
		.....acres 1944...	74
		.....acres 1949...	4,581
		.....bushels 1944...	3,064
		.....bushels 1949...	52,133
		.....bushels 1944...	55,998
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	49
		.....acres 1949...	554
		.....bushels 1944...	391
		.....bushels 1949...	7,509
		.....bushels 1944...	5,174
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	123
		.....acres 1944...	114
		.....acres 1949...	1,916
		.....bushels 1944...	1,552
		.....bushels 1949...	71,516
		.....bushels 1944...	46,085
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	15
		.....acres 1944...	68
		.....acres 1949...	127
		.....acres 1944...	540
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	219
		.....acres 1944...	200
		.....acres 1949...	5,524
		.....bushels 1944...	3,714
		.....bushels 1949...	151,857
		.....bushels 1944...	102,712
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
		.....acres 1944...	12
		.....acres 1949...	45
		.....bushels 1944...	181
		.....bushels 1949...	580
		.....bushels 1944...	1,775
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	50
		.....acres 1944...	176
		.....acres 1949...	151
		.....acres 1944...	1,745
		.....100-lb. bags 1949...	285
		.....100-lb. bags 1944...	3,765
		Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	12
		.....acres 1944...	12
		.....acres 1949...	20
		.....acres 1944...	46
		.....100-lb. bags 1949...	94
		.....100-lb. bags 1944...	211
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	351
		.....acres 1949...	16,058
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	378		
.....number 1945...	471		
.....number 1950...	16,968		
.....number 1945...	22,284		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	81		
.....number 1949...	7,987		
.....dollars 1949...	10,812		
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	156		
.....dozens 1949...	68,881		
.....dollars 1949...	25,914		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	27		
.....number 1950...	115		
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	56		
.....number 1944...	77		
.....number 1949...	9,898		
.....number 1944...	10,078		
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	589		
.....dollars 1949...	1,858,181		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	322		
.....number 1944...	317		
.....number 1949...	15,898		
.....number 1944...	11,585		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1949...	258		
.....number 1949...	9,154		
.....dollars 1949...	1,202,987		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	859		
.....number 1949...	4,542		
.....dollars 1949...	395,429		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	227		
.....number 1944...	187		
.....number 1949...	5,879		
.....dollars 1944...	4,182		
.....dollars 1949...	110,027		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	75		
.....number 1944...	95		
.....number 1949...	14,371		
.....dollars 1944...	21,594		
.....dollars 1949...	224,583		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	45		
.....number 1949...	155		
.....dollars 1949...	3,375		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	286		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	187		
.....number 1949...	209		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves.....farms reporting 1944...	29		
.....number 1949...	37		
.....number 1944...	43		
.....number 1949...	85		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	111		
.....number 1944...	87		
.....number 1949...	168		
.....number 1944...	150		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	228		
.....number 1944...	503		
.....number 1949...	498		
.....number 1944...	698		
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	42		
.....number 1949...	209		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	54		
.....dollars 1949...	3,039		

¹Does and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	291	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	308	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	8,980	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	10,228	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	14,974	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	17,241	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	65	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	51	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	3,242	1944.....	
1944.....	2,511	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949.....	4,614	acres 1949...	
1944.....	3,950	1944.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	28	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	18	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	323	1944.....	
1944.....	297	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	348	1944.....	
1944.....	179	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	42	acres 1949...	
1944.....	76	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	1,831	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	4,553	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2,412	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	4,729	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	45	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,610	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	2,207	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,945	tons 1949.....	
1944.....	2,988	1944.....	
Field crops (other):		Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	17	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	12	acres 1949...	
acres 1949.....	253	quarts 1949...	12
1944.....	266	acres 1949...	(*)
pounds 1949.....	15,912	acres 1949...	
1944.....	23,580	acres 1949...	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	acres 1949...	
acres 1949...	15	acres 1949...	
1944.....	2,100	pounds 1949...	2,548
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	6,988
acres 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	
pounds 1949.....		acres 1950...	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	
1944.....	1	acres 1950...	
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	1945.....	
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	18
100-lb. bags 1949...	11	1945.....	178
1944.....	30	trees of all ages..number 1950...	3,476
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	3,748
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	68
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	3,847
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...		1949.....	2,548
1944.....	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	6,988
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....	128	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	
tons 1949.....		acres 1950...	
1944.....	1,293	1945.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees of all ages..number 1950...	41
acres 1949.....	50	1945.....	151
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	216	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	21
1944.....	346	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	153
1944.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,661
1944.....	2	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....	(*)	acres 1950...	
1944.....	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	13
acres 1949.....		1945.....	45
1944.....	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	21
1944.....	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	27
1944.....	40	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	35
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	
1944.....		acres 1950...	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	241
1944.....		1945.....	551
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	47
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	293
1944.....		1949.....	87
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	854
1944.....		1944.....	
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydeas, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....		acres 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	17
1944.....		1945.....	3
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	10
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5
1944.....		1944.....	5
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	
acres 1949.....		acres 1950...	
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	6
1944.....		1945.....	2
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...		vines of all ages..number 1950...	56
acres 1949.....		1945.....	5
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	35
acres 1949.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950...	1
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	25
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	
acres 1949.....			
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.
 *reported in small fractions.

1950 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE
FARMS, FARM CHARACTERISTICS, FARM PRODUCTS

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number	1950... 139	Under 10 acres.....number	1950... 7
	1945... 155		1945... 7
Approximate land area.....acres	1950... 1,086,720	Under 3 acres.....number	1950... 1
Proportion in farms.....percent	1950... 89.7		1945... ..
Land owned by farm operators.....acres	1950... 243,741	3 to 9 acres.....number	1950... 6
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 121,180		1945... 7
Land managed by farm operators.....acres	1950... 60,807	10 to 29 acres.....number	1950... 1
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres	1950... 13,025		1945... ..
Land in farms.....acres	1950... 412,642	30 to 49 acres.....number	1950... 1
	1945... 429,014		1945... ..
Average size of farm.....acres	1950... 2,968.6	50 to 69 acres.....number	1950... ..
	1945... 2,767.8		1945... ..
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars	1950*... 55,580	70 to 99 acres.....number	1950... 2
	1945... 28,845		1945... 1
average per acre, dollars	1950*... 21.62	100 to 139 acres.....number	1950... 2
	1945... 10.42		1945... ..
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number	1950... 5
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting	1949... 127		1945... 3
	1944... 186	180 to 219 acres.....number	1950... ..
acres	1949... 95,459		1945... 2
	1944... 96,894	220 to 259 acres.....number	1950... 2
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1		1945... 1
	1944... 1	260 to 499 acres.....number	1950... 5
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 2		1945... 10
	1944... 1	500 to 999 acres.....number	1950... 18
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 2		1945... 24
	1944... 3	1,000 acres and over.....number	1950... 96
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 6		1945... 107
	1944... 1		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 4	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
	1944... 2	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 18	White operators.....number	1950... 139
	1944... 18		1945... 155
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 99	Nonwhite operators.....number	1950... ..
	1944... 115		1945... ..
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting	1949... 88	Farms by tenure of operator:	
	1944*... ..	Full owners.....number	1950... 64
acres	1949... 11,790		1945... 70
	1944*... ..	Part owners.....number	1950... 50
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 6		1945... 51
	1944... 259	Managers.....number	1950... 7
acres	1949... 426		1945... 18
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting	1949... 1	All tenants.....number	1950... 18
	1944... 1		1945... 21
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1	Proportion of tenancy.....percent	1950... 12.9
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting	1949... 1		1945... 18.5
200 acres and over.....farms reporting	1949... 1	Cash tenants.....number	1950... 6
Other.....farms reporting	1949... 5		1945... 13
	1944... 1,185	Share-cash tenants.....number	1950... 2
acres	1949... 40		1945... 1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 2	Share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 8
	1944... 2		1945... 7
acres	1949... 21,093	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number	1950... 8
	1944... 3,185	Livestock-share tenants.....number	1950... 5
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting	1949... 6	Other and unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 2
	1944... 8		1945... ..
acres	1949... 2,175	Other tenants.....number	1950... ..
	1944... 3,455	Unspecified tenants.....number	1950... 2
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting	1949... 180		
	1944... 153	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres	1949... 272,844	Telephone.....farms reporting	1950... 99
	1944... 323,706		1945... 104
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting	1949... 186	Electricity.....farms reporting	1950... 106
	1944... 150		1945... 79
acres	1949... 7,720	From a power line.....farms reporting	1950... 12
	1944... 2,015	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars	1950... 10.64
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting	1949... 122	Electric water pump.....farms reporting	1950... 71
	1944... 186	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting	1950... 3
acres	1949... 142,619	Home freezer.....farms reporting	1950... 9
	1944... 188,533	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting	1950... 94
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting	1949... 1	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting	1950... 10
	1944... 690	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting	1950... 1
		Milking machine.....farms reporting	1950... 11
FARM OPERATORS		Grain combines.....farms reporting	1950... 1
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 118		1945... 1
	1945... 148	Corn pickers.....farms reporting	1950... ..
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting	1950... 19		1945... ..
	1945... 12	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting	1950... 5
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting	1949... 21		1945... 8
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting	1949... 41	Upright silos.....farms reporting	1950... ..
	1944... 25		1945... ..
100 days or more.....operators reporting	1949... 20	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting	1950... 1
	1944... 22		1945... 1

*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...	108	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	70
.....1945.....	92	General farms.....number 1950...	94
.....number 1950.....	158	.....number 1950.....	19
.....1945.....	115	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	91	.....number 1950.....	21
.....1945.....	71		
.....number 1950.....	186		
.....1945.....	99		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	91		
.....number 1950.....	180		
.....1945.....	5		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
.....number 1950.....	6		
.....1945.....	6		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	104		
.....number 1950.....	128		
.....1945.....	166		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	168		
.....number 1950.....	6		
.....1945.....	37		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	6		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	90		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	8		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	37		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	90		
	8		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	118
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	43
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	30	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	27
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	18	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	29
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	66	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	4
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	10	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	11
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	11
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	43	Other farms.....number 1950.....	21
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	21	Part-time ¹.....number 1950.....	11
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	24	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	.....
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	83	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	4.5		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	51	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,407,684
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	40	.....1944.....	2,214,321
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	878,322
		.....1944.....	1,85,058
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	878,022
		.....1944.....	134,953
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	690
		.....1944.....	35
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	100
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,128,762
		.....1944.....	2,127,442
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	20,918
		.....1944.....	27,241
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	6,492
		.....1944.....	2,022
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,107,351
		.....1944.....	2,094,020
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	201
		.....1944.....	1,870
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	122
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	122
		.....number 1950.....	145
		.....1945.....	3,028
		.....number 1950.....	4,422
		.....1945.....	16
		.....number 1950.....	.....
		.....1945.....	.....
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	122
		.....1945.....	125
		.....number 1950.....	21,840
		.....1945.....	29,694
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	122
		.....1945.....	123
		.....number 1950.....	16,074
		.....1945.....	18,821
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	115
		.....number 1950.....	617
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	111
		.....number 1950.....	6,488
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	108
		.....number 1950.....	5,840
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	68
		.....number 1950.....	618
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
		.....number 1950.....	2
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	.....
		.....1944.....	.....
		.....gallons 1949.....	20,311
		.....1944.....	40,105
		.....dollars 1949.....	6,120
		.....1944.....	12
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	48
		.....1944.....	.....
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	24,050
		.....1944.....	26,628
		.....dollars 1949.....	14,493
		.....1944.....	.....
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	2
		.....dollars 1949.....	45
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	28
		.....1945.....	26
		.....number 1950.....	95
		.....1945.....	87
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	25
		.....number 1950.....	21
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	4
		.....number 1950.....	24
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	7
		.....1945.....	5
		.....number 1950.....	21
		.....1945.....	16

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...	88	Corn:	
1945.....	85	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	24,716	1944.....	.....
1945.....	22,148	acres 1949.....	.....
1945.....	22,148	1944.....	.....
Sheep and lambs born before		Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	81	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	24,184	acres 1949.....	.....
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	81	1944.....	.....
1945 ¹	85	bushels 1949.....	.....
number 1950...	28,108	1944.....	.....
1945 ¹	20,688	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	24	number 1950...	.....
number 1950...	3,787	acres 1949.....	.....
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	89	tons..green weight 1949.....	.....
number 1950...	19,376	Hogged or grazed, or 'out for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	88	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1950...	1,081	acres 1949.....	.....
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	15		
number 1950...	582	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	87	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	.....
1944.....	88	1944.....	.....
number shorn 1949...	22,625	acres 1949.....	.....
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	188,150	1944.....	.....
1944.....	206,786	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.15-Apr.28	1944.....	.....
		acres 1949.....	.....
		1944.....	.....
		bushels 1949.....	.....
		1944.....	.....
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	86	acres 1949.....	.....
1945.....	110	1944.....	.....
number 1950...	2,814	tons..green weight 1949.....	.....
1945.....	2,284	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	501	acres 1949.....	.....
dollars 1949...	727	1944.....	.....
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	17	tons cut 1949.....	.....
dozens 1949...	3,779	Small grains:	
dollars 1949...	1,766	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950.....	.....	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1950.....	.....	acres 1949...	40
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	bushels 1949...	764
1944.....	1	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
number 1949.....	18	1944.....	.....
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	187
		1944.....	.....
		bushels 1949.....	2,550
		1944.....	.....
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold		acres 1949.....	4
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	116	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949...	2,009,109	bushels 1949.....	93
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	110	1944.....	.....
1944.....	124	bushels 1949.....	36
number 1949...	18,030	1944.....	.....
1944.....	26,140	450	
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	108	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	3
number 1949...	10,076	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949...	1,411,839	acres 1949.....	97
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	54	1944.....	.....
number 1949...	2,954	bushels 1949.....	2,080
dollars 1949...	295,780	1944.....	.....
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	11	578	
1944.....	5	Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1949...	78	acres 1949.....	18
1944.....	64	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949...	2,686	7	
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	29	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	31	1944.....	.....
number 1949...	14,798	acres 1949.....	60
1944.....	18,087	1944.....	.....
dollars 1949...	295,727	bushels 1949...	690
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	28	1944.....	.....
number 1949...	108	590	
dollars 1949...	3,689	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		1944.....	.....
		acres 1949.....	94
		1944.....	.....
		bushels 1949...	45
		1944.....	.....
		860	
		500	
FARM SLAUGHTER		Annual legumes:	
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	95	Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	82	beans.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	252	1944.....	.....
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	76	acres 1949.....	.....
1944.....	57	1944.....	.....
number 1949...	281	100-lb. bags 1949.....	.....
1944.....	189	1944.....	.....
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Dry field and seed peas harvested	
1944.....	29	for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
number 1949...	31	1944.....	.....
1944.....	56	acres 1949 ².....	.....
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	41	1944.....	.....
1944.....	57	100-lb. bags 1949.....	.....
number 1949...	80	1944 ².....	.....
1944.....	121	.....	.....
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	14	Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
number 1949...	169	Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	134
Meat, lard, hides, and other products		acres 1949...	94,700
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	22		
dollars 1949...	2,256		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	2	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	6	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1
1944.....	32	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	12	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944.....	11	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1
1944.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....	1,445	acres 1949... ..	(*)
1944.....		1944.....	
tons 1949.....	1,742	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944.....		acres 1949... ..	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944.....	1	acres 1949... ..	
acres 1949.....	142	1944.....	
1944.....	25	acres 1949... ..	
tons 1949.....	107	1944.....	
1944.....	14	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... ..	119	acres 1949... ..	
1944.....	182	Other vegetables.....acres 1949... ..	(*)
acres 1949... ..	92,907		
1944.....	96,078	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949... ..	91,918	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944.....	88,001	acres 1949... ..	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1	quarts 1949... ..	
acres 1949... ..	200	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949... ..	
1944.....		acres 1949... ..	
tons 1949... ..	214	quarts 1949... ..	
1944.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950... ..	3
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1945... ..	
1944.....		acres 1950 ²	(*)
acres 1949... ..		1945... ..	
1944.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950... ..	
pounds 1949... ..		1945... ..	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1945... ..	
acres 1949... ..		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
pounds 1949... ..		trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	
acres 1949... ..		1944... ..	
pounds 1949... ..		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950... ..	1
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949... ..	9	1945... ..	
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	1
acres 1949 ¹	1	1945... ..	
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	1
100-lb. bags 1949... ..	52	trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
1944.....	60	quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1944... ..	
acres 1949... ..		Pears.....farms reporting 1950... ..	
lb. of brush 1949... ..		1945... ..	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949... ..		trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	
1944.....		1945... ..	
acres 1949... ..		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
tons 1949... ..		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	
1944.....		1944... ..	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949... ..		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950... ..	
acres 1949... ..		trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949... ..	38	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
1944.....	58	trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949... ..	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949... ..	
1944.....	1	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950... ..	
acres 1949... ..	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	
1944.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
sold..dollars 1949... ..	890	trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949... ..	85	quantity harvested..pounds 1949... ..	
1944.....	1	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950... ..	
acres 1949... ..	(*)	1945... ..	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1945... ..	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
acres 1949... ..		trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	
Cantaloupe, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1944... ..	
acres 1949... ..		Apriots.....farms reporting 1950... ..	
1944.....		1945... ..	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949... ..		trees of all ages..number 1950... ..	
acres 1949... ..		1945... ..	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949... ..		trees of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
acres 1949... ..		quantity harvested..bushels 1949... ..	
1944.....		1944... ..	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949... ..		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950... ..	
acres 1949... ..		1945... ..	
1944.....		vines of all ages..number 1950... ..	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949... ..		1945... ..	
acres 1949... ..		vines not of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
1944.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950... ..	
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949... ..	
		1944... ..	

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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...	1,528	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	575
	1,918	1945.....	835
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	503,040	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	102
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	58.6	1945.....	33
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	171,310	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	473
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	109,482	1945.....	802
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	23,325	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	389
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	9,203	1945.....	476
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	294,920	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	96
1945.....	257,266	1945.....	120
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	193.0	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	49
1945.....	134.1	1945.....	31
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	24,204	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	62
1945.....	10,088	1945.....	73
average per acre, dollars 1950*	120.60	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	51
1945.....	75.06	1945.....	60
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	48
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,111	1945.....	70
1944.....	1,409	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	22
acres 1949.....	44,002	1945.....	22
1944.....	54,901	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	20
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	57	1945.....	25
1944.....	755	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	95
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	165	1945.....	85
1944.....	178	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	62
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	78	1945.....	66
1944.....	98	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	59
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	74	1945.....	55
1944.....	96		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	115	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
1944.....	130	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	72	White operators.....number 1950...	1,523
1944.....	96	1945.....	1,907
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	50	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	5
1944.....	58	1945.....	11
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	361	Farms by tenure of operator:	
1944.....	169	Full owners.....number 1950...	1,146
acres 1949.....	7,780	1945.....	1,345
1944.....	3,235	Part owners.....number 1950...	202
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	349	1945.....	225
acres 1949.....	14,539	Managers.....number 1950...	24
1944.....	12,276	1945.....	30
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	168	All tenants.....number 1950...	155
acres 1949.....	10,294	1945.....	318
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	113	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	10.2
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	42	1945.....	16.6
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	13	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	77
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	212	1945.....	121
acres 1949.....	4,245	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	15
1944.....	173	1945.....	28
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	83	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	30
acres 1949.....	75,941	1945.....	89
1944.....	21,225	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	24
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	62	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	6
1944.....	35	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	33
acres 1949.....	16,716	1945.....	10
1944.....	3,373	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	485	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	26
1944.....	1,010		
acres 1949.....	119,065	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
1944.....	153,740	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,294
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,430	1945.....	1,260
1944.....	1,811	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,415
acres 1949.....	13,887	1945.....	1,553
1944.....	8,518	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,407
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1,001	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	10.48
1944.....	1,081	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	953
acres 1949.....	26,787	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	321
1944.....	37,158	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	290
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,171
acres 1949.....	119	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	254
		Electric feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	61
FARM OPERATORS		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	142
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,448	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	104
1945.....	1,869	number 1950...	211
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	58	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	5
1945.....	48	number 1950...	5
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	891	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	19
1944.....	839	number 1950...	20
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	713	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	60
1944.....	779	number 1950...	108
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	719	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	87
1944.....	661	number 1950...	70

*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...	789	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	135
.....farms reporting 1945.....	718	.....number 1950.....	39
.....number 1950.....	1,023	.....number 1950.....	14
.....1945.....	695	.....number 1950.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	661	.....number 1950.....	13
.....farms reporting 1945.....	521	.....number 1950.....	537
.....number 1950.....	970		
.....1945.....	642		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	550		
.....number 1950.....	708		
.....number 1950.....	156		
.....number 1950.....	171		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	84		
.....number 1950.....	91		
.....number 1950.....	81		
.....number 1950.....	91		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,267		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,584		
.....number 1950.....	1,811		
.....number 1950.....	1,811		
.....number 1945.....	1,870		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,267		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,584		
.....number 1950.....	1,811		
.....number 1950.....	1,811		
.....number 1945.....	1,870		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	501		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	95		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	255		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	297		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	380		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^A		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	723
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	102	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	85
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	899	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	96
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	448	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	147
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	240	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	173
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	6	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	188
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	34
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	901	Other farms.....number 1950.....	605
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	93	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	294
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	295	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	521
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	85	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	.....
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	0.9		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	572	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,068,122
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	612	.....dollars 1944.....	4,387,312
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	209	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	2,583,540
		.....dollars 1944.....	1,804,646
FARM LABOR^A		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	783,666
Week preceding enumeration:		.....dollars 1944.....	512,348
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,199	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	400,660
.....persons 1950.....	2,428	.....dollars 1944.....	440,529
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,168	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	84,891
.....persons 1950.....	1,078	.....dollars 1944.....	156,542
Operators.....persons 1950.....	529	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	1,183,654
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	730	.....dollars 1944.....	695,353
.....persons 1950.....	200	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,658,356
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	620	.....dollars 1944.....	2,572,931
.....persons 1950.....	620	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,339,609
		.....dollars 1944.....	896,144
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,540,089
		.....dollars 1944.....	884,102
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,827,706
		.....dollars 1944.....	644,345
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	18,372
		.....dollars 1944.....	9,533
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	650
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	642
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	856
		.....number 1950.....	2,593
		.....number 1945.....	3,219
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	81
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	52
		.....number 1950.....	39
		.....number 1945.....	84
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	677
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,110
		.....number 1950.....	20,021
		.....number 1945.....	26,878
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	783
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	844
		.....number 1950.....	10,006
		.....number 1945.....	6,374
		.....number 1950.....	739
		.....number 1945.....	4,614
		.....number 1950.....	418
		.....number 1945.....	4,089
		.....number 1950.....	405
		.....number 1945.....	3,122
		.....number 1950.....	3,181
		.....number 1945.....	2,410
		.....number 1950.....	881
		.....number 1945.....	501
		.....number 1950.....	2,054,699
		.....number 1945.....	2,863,870
		.....number 1950.....	1,102,187
		.....number 1945.....	113
		.....number 1950.....	99
		.....number 1945.....	56,055
		.....number 1950.....	50,965
		.....number 1945.....	35,826
		.....number 1950.....	15
		.....number 1945.....	766
		HOGS	
		Hog and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	354
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	403
		.....number 1950.....	5,522
		.....number 1945.....	2,879
		.....number 1950.....	281
		.....number 1945.....	1,833
		.....number 1950.....	163
		.....number 1945.....	1,847
		.....number 1950.....	700
		.....number 1945.....	124
		.....number 1950.....	418
		.....number 1945.....	427

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

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SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	604	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	77
1944.....	756	acres 1949.....	14
acres 1949.....	9,877	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	31
1944.....	14,818	acres 1949.....	31
tons 1949.....	22,018	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	41,879	acres 1949.....	17
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	44	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1944.....	21	acres 1949.....	15
acres 1949.....	1,557	1944.....	10
1944.....	1,912	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	12
tons 1949.....	1,498	acres 1949.....	14
1944.....	1,041	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	34
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	109	acres 1949.....	39
1944.....	50	acres 1949.....	58
acres 1949.....	1,158	1944.....	73
1944.....	859	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949.....	1,208	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	785	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	319
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	85	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	61
acres 1949.....	3,108	acres 1949.....	14
1944.....	3,159	quarts 1949.....	29,689
tons 1949.....	3,938	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	28
1944.....	2,881	acres 1949.....	75
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	27	quarts 1949.....	35,450
acres 1949.....	334	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	852	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	729
tons 1949.....	395	1945.....	242
1944.....	985	acres 1950 ¹ ..	477
Field crops (other):		1945.....	622
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	610
1944.....	1	acres 1950.....	724
acres 1949.....	8	trees of all ages..number 1950...	15,113
1944.....	4	1945.....	22,083
pounds 1949.....	300	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,759
1944.....	240	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	13,354
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	15,423
acres 1949.....	20	1944.....	21,547
pounds 1949.....	1,000	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	119
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		acres 1950.....	66
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	739
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	491
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	649
1944.....	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	160
acres 1949 ²	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	859
1944.....	3	1944.....	144
100-lb. bags 1949.....	12	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	50
1944.....	135	acres 1950.....	47
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	145
acres 1949.....		1945.....	143
lb. of brush 1949.....	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	75
1944.....	18	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	68
acres 1949.....	84	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	44
1944.....	280	1944.....	111
tons 1949.....	711	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	303
1944.....	2,882	trees of all ages..number 1950...	9,615
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,365
acres 1949.....	20	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	6,150
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	702	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	91,255
1944.....	1,299	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	71
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	240	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,173
1944.....	322	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	323
acres 1949.....	2,222	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	850
1944.....	2,260	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	4,273
acres 1949.....	400,980	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	207
1944.....	440,503	acres 1950.....	274
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	32	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,066
1944.....	33	1945.....	3,435
acres 1949.....	71	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	315
1944.....	47	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,651
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	86	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,201
acres 1949.....	35	1944.....	5,063
acres 1949.....	46	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	40
1944.....	85	acres 1950.....	18
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	115
acres 1949.....		1945.....	47
farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	80
acres 1949.....	40	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	55
acres 1949.....	90	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	29
acres 1949.....	14	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	17	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	87
Caulery.....farms reporting 1949...	58	acres 1950.....	114
acres 1949.....	213	vines of all ages..number 1950...	10,612
farms reporting 1949...	180	1945.....	15,288
acres 1949.....	150	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	287
acres 1949.....	1,272	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	10,645
1944.....	923	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	22,961
		1944.....	150,282

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Farms.....number 1950...	495	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	10
.....1945...	3821945...	18
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,146,890	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945...	71.0	.....1945...	10
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	71.0	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	8
.....1945...	481,994	.....1945...	5
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	359,141	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	5
.....1945...	87,050	.....1945...	2
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	75,512	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	814,843	.....1945...	1
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	887,237	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	1,652.8	.....1945...	5
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	2,270.5	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	45,015	.....1945...	1
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	15,808	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1945...	25.85	.....1945...	1
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	5.08	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	28
.....1945...	.....	.....1945...	20
Land in farms according to use:		180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	1
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	417	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	314	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....acres 1949...	225,482	.....1945...	1
.....1944...	80,555	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	98
.....1949...	1	.....1945...	70
.....1944...	1	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	119
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....1945...	105
.....1944...	5	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	219
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945...	178
.....1944...	1		
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	1	Farms by color of operator:	
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	White operators.....number 1950...	495
.....1944...	15	.....1945...	582
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
.....1944...	46	.....1945...	.....
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	87	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	87	Full owners.....number 1950...	179
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	502	.....1945...	61
.....1944...	182	Part owners.....number 1950...	197
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	77	.....1945...	195
.....1944...	59	Managers.....number 1950...	9
.....acres 1949...	30,081	.....1945...	4
.....1944...	23,756	All tenants.....number 1950...	108
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	522	.....1945...	102
.....acres 1949...	170,055	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	21.9
.....1944...	12,715	.....1945...	26.7
.....1944...	142,240	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	7
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	17	.....1945...	6
.....acres 1949...	79	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....1944...	123	.....1945...	72
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	175	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	46
.....1944...	27,795	.....1945...	65
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	7
.....1944...	701	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	6
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	23
.....1944...	15	.....1945...	5
Other pastures (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	282	Other tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944...	385	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	15
.....acres 1949...	581,756		
.....1944...	745,905	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	553	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	72
.....1944...	538	.....1945...	41
.....acres 1949...	8,899	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	225
.....1944...	4,231	.....1945...	164
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	58
.....1944...	1	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.50
.....acres 1949...	80	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	58
.....1944...	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	30
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	43
.....acres 1949...	.....	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	145
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	10
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	188
		.....number 1950...	288
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		.....number 1950...	1
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		.....number 1950...	1
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	2
		.....number 1950...	2
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	15
		.....number 1950...	15
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	516		
.....1945...	355		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	166		
.....1945...	22		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	76		
.....1944...	172		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	165		
.....1944...	78		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	114		
.....1944...	.....	

*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...	287	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	117
.....1945.....	175	General farms.....number 1950...	18
.....number 1950.....	465	.....number 1950.....	6
.....1945.....	193	.....number 1950.....	12
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	280	.....number 1950.....	63
.....1945.....	245	.....number 1950.....	
.....number 1950.....	549		
.....1945.....	280		
.....number 1950.....	278		
.....1945.....	510		
.....number 1950.....	12		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	12		
.....1945.....	25		
.....number 1950.....	27		
.....1945.....	315		
.....number 1950.....	524		
.....1945.....	566		
.....number 1950.....	561		
.....1945.....	561		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	165		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	5		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	148		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	148		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	163		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	450
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	52	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	40
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	65	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	104
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	84	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	103
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	210	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	70
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	13	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	77
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	36
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	61	Other farms.....number 1950...	63
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	92	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	16
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	46
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	165	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	7.3		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	45		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	79		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	261		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,861,011
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	315	.....1944.....	1,010,469
.....1949.....	742	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	5,158,199
.....1944.....	508	.....1944.....	545,147
.....1949.....	500	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	5,158,149
.....1944.....	148	.....1944.....	544,862
.....1949.....	80	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	50
.....1944.....	84	.....1944.....	250
.....1949.....	152	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	35
.....1944.....	274	.....1944.....	55
.....1949.....	547,861	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	274	.....1944.....	.....
.....1949.....	302,911	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	1,702,812
.....1944.....	208	.....1944.....	1,874,319
.....1949.....	525,517	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	50,052
.....1944.....	261	.....1944.....	58,965
.....1949.....	75,801	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	48,985
.....1944.....	549	.....1944.....	76,496
.....1949.....	402,975	Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	1,025,775
.....1944.....	285	.....1944.....	1,839,060
.....1949.....	109,648	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	.....
.....1944.....	274	.....1944.....	.....
.....1949.....	127,227		
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		HORSES AND MULES	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949...	579	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	167
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949...	315	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	165
.....1944.....	248	.....1945.....	519
.....1949.....	549,528	.....number 1950.....	975
.....1944.....	274	.....1945.....	2,167
.....1949.....	547,861	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	13
.....1944.....	274	.....1945.....	15
.....1949.....	302,911	.....number 1950.....	29
.....1944.....	208	.....1945.....	122
.....1949.....	525,517		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949...	261		
.....dollars 1949...	75,801		
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949...	549		
.....dollars 1949...	402,975		
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	285		
.....dollars 1949...	109,648		
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949...	274		
.....dollars 1949...	127,227		
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
No sales.....number 1950...	1	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	295
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950...	46	.....1945.....	360
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950...	16	.....number 1950...	23,132
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950...	6	.....1945.....	38,552
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950...	27	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	288
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950...	21	.....1945 ³	547
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950...	59	.....number 1950...	11,127
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950...	47	.....1945 ³	17,153
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950...	42	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	244
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950...	84	.....number 1950...	825
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950...	144	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	219
		.....number 1950...	5,191
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	214
		.....number 1950...	2,955
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	218
		.....number 1950...	5,019
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		.....1944.....	19
		.....gallons 1949...	11,634
		.....dollars 1944.....	14,778
		.....dollars 1949...	4,442
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	93
		.....1944.....	192
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	41,848
		.....1944.....	110,937
		.....dollars 1949...	26,010
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		.....dollars 1949...	.....
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	168
		.....1945.....	207
		.....number 1950...	1,980
		.....1945.....	1,622
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	142
		.....number 1950...	1,180
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	61
		.....number 1950...	600
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	87
		.....1945.....	79
		.....number 1950...	227
		.....1945.....	195

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...	15	Corua:	
1945...	29	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	46
number 1950...	2,800	1944...	184
1945...	12,095	acres 1949...	2,121
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	8,782
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	11	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	59
number 1950...	2,065	1944...	178
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	9	acres 1949...	1,985
1945 ¹ ...	28	1944...	8,655
number 1950...	815	bushels 1949...	28,517
1945 ¹ ...	8,998	1944...	118,950
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	4	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
number 1950...	6	acres 1949...	15
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	8	tons, green weight 1949...	50
number 1950...	809	Hogged or grazed, or out for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	5	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	7
number 1950...	1,250	acres 1949...	121
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	5		
number 1950...	555	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	295
1944...	27	1944...	298
number shorn 1949...	2,921	acres 1949...	74,583
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	21,792	1944...	58,789
1944...	185,514	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	255
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 28	1944...	202
		acres 1949...	60,953
		1944...	35,550
		bushels 1949...	858,781
		1944...	475,595
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	8
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	517	acres 1949...	651
1945...	344	tons, green weight 1949...	2,708
number 1950...	26,111	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1945...	57,477	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	162
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	103	acres 1949...	12,779
number 1949...	7,980	tons cut 1949...	11,722
dollars 1949...	8,122	Small grains:	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	188	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
dozens 1949...	114,030	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	18
dollars 1949...	40,477	acres 1949...	1,796
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	11	bushels 1949...	44,149
number 1950...	54	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	289
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	14	1944...	27
1944...	20	acres 1949...	132,445
number 1949...	180	1944...	5,590
1944...	5,548	bushels 1949...	1,245,765
		1944...	107,287
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		acres 1949...	280
		1944...	100
		bushels 1949...	2,102
		1944...	700
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	4
		1944...	1
		acres 1949...	80
		1944...	22
		bushels 1949...	950
		1944...	620
		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....
		acres 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	49
		1944...	47
		dollars 1949...	5,780
		67,527	4,237
		acres 1949...	105,935
		1944...	77,847
		bushels 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		1944...	22
		acres 1949...	95
		1944...	1,485
		bushels 1949...	550
		1944...	14,458
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	5
		1944...	1
		acres 1949...	9
		1944...	40
		100-lb. bags 1949...	10
		1944...	98
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	.....
		1944...	.....
		acres 1949 ²...	.....
		1944 ²...	.....
		100-lb. bags 1949...	.....
		1944 ²...	.....
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was out.....farms reporting 1949...	24
		acres 1949...	898

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	14	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	9	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	443	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	279	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	446	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	414	acres 1949.....	
Glover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	70	1944.....	
1944.....		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	70	acres 1949.....	
1944.....		Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		acres 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	6	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	340	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	210	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	150	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	101	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	quarts 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	125	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	130	quarts 1949.....	
1944.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	14	1945.....	2
1944.....	9	acres 1950 ²	1
acres 1949.....	558	1945.....	5
1944.....	544	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
pounds 1949.....	44,037	1945.....	
1944.....	56,240	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	23
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	1945.....	
acres 1949.....	55	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	20
pounds 1949.....	9,400	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	8
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	36	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2
acres 1949.....	4,595	1944.....	
pounds 1949.....	2,997,554	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	47
acres 1949 ¹		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	54
100-lb. bags 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	18
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	2
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	650	Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
lb. of brush 1949.....	25,800	1945.....	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	5
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	2
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	1
tons 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	9
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	46
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	56	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	25
1944.....	109	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	23
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	34
1944.....	1	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....	10	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
sold..dollars 1949.....	50	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....	250	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	4
acres 1949.....		1945.....	8
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	20
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	49
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	16
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	4
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydeus, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	15
acres 1949.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	8
1944.....		1945.....	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	13
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	4
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	9
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	6
1944.....		1944.....	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	6
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	8
acres 1949.....		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
		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.
 *Reported in small fractions.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950...	1,067	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	10
	1945...		22
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,389,440	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	14
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	80.2	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	10
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	764,177		9
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	560,104	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	10
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	9,600		9
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	80,554	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	3
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	1,253,327		5
	1945...	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	2
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1,174.8		2
	1945...	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	5
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	58,619		9
	1945...	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	8
average per acre, dollars 1950*	31.88		8
	1945...	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	42
Land in farms according to use:			40
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,020		10
	1944...		4
acres 1949...	355,500	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	13
	1944...		9
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	221
	1944...		244
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5		321
	1944...	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	309
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	11		421
	1944...	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	361
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18		
	1944...	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	92	Farms by color of operator:	
	1944...	White operators.....number 1950...	1,067
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	262		1,016
	1944...	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	628		
	1944...	Farms by tenure of operator:	
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	117	Full owners.....number 1950...	354
	1944...		242
acres 1949...	15,423	Part owners.....number 1950.....	457
	1944...		477
7,273		Managers.....number 1950.....	4
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	906		4
	1944...	All tenants.....number 1950.....	252
acres 1949...	279,948		295
	1944...	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	23.6
138,609			28.8
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	876	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	14
	1944...		31
acres 1949...	251,592	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	59
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	102		47
	1944...	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	185
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	355		207
	1944...	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	159
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	419		26
	1944...	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	14
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	227		8
	1944...	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	2
acres 1949...	28,356	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	12
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	7		
	1944...	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949...	1,020	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	427
	1944...		280
4		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	501
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	6		304
	1944...	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	96
acres 1949...	1	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6.97
	1944...	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	45
798		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	36
25		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	31
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	931	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	340
	1944...	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	5
acres 1949...	958	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	2
	1944...	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	61
714,854		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	616
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,005		763
	1944...	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	96
acres 1949...	874		96
	1944...	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	84
22,337			84
27,920		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	39
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	8		44
	1944...	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	65
acres 1949...	1,530		79
	1944...		
124			
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...			
acres 1949.....			
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	893		
	1945...		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	151		
	1945...		
	87		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	95		
	1944...		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	355		
	1944...		
	211		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	109		
	1944...		
	71		

*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...	757	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	4
.....1945.....	411	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	1,107	General farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	504	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	914	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	764	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	1,472	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	978	.....number 1950.....	1
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	914	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	1,423	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	25	.....number 1950.....	1
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	25	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	25	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	23	.....number 1950.....	1
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	23	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	24	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	24	.....number 1950.....	1
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	901	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	879	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	1,164	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	1,021	.....number 1950.....	1
Farms by class of work power:		.....number 1950.....	1
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	106	.....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	20	.....number 1950.....	1
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	39	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	469	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	433	.....number 1950.....	1
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950.....	1,021
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	47	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	24
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	140	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	24
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	281	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	24
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	542	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	24
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	11	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950.....	24
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950.....	24
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	132	Other farms.....number 1950.....	24
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	82	Part-time ².....number 1950.....	24
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	258	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	24
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	495	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	24
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	7.0	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Kind of road on which farm is located:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,196,485
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	.....1944.....	5,144,808
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	242	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,775,288
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	694	.....1944.....	2,523,722
FARM LABOR*		All crops sold, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	5,774,688
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	2,520,282
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	948	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,075
.....persons 1950.....	2,020	.....1944.....	243
.....1945.....	926	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	122
.....1945.....	889	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,422
.....1945.....	889	.....1944.....	4,425,276
.....1945.....	535	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	2,618,766
.....1945.....	913	.....1944.....	185,722
.....1945.....	149	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	253,822
.....1945.....	218	.....1944.....	178,722
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	188,788
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,016	.....1944.....	4,065,444
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	813	.....1944.....	2,178,122
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	593	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,142
.....dollars 1949.....	475,985	.....1944.....	1,142
.....1949.....	688	HORSES AND MULES	
.....1949.....	1,720,594	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	62
.....1949.....	830	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950.....	62
.....1949.....	439,132	.....1945.....	62
.....1949.....	771	.....number 1950.....	2,484
.....1949.....	1,246,995	.....1945.....	5,682
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	751	Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	18
.....dollars 1949.....	189,595	.....1945.....	74
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	932	.....number 1950.....	132
.....dollars 1949.....	616,582	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....1949.....	770	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	513
.....1949.....	227,128	.....1945.....	942
.....1949.....	885	.....number 1950.....	52,343
.....1949.....	348,631	.....1945.....	61,682
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	923
No sales.....number 1950.....	8	.....1945 ³	923
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	8	.....number 1950.....	22,611
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	10	.....1945 ³	26,582
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	5	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	732
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	5	.....number 1950.....	3,921
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	45	.....1945.....	635
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	45	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	10,967
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	100	.....number 1950.....	725
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	165	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	10,584
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	212	.....number 1950.....	724
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	200	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	8,221
	289	.....number 1950.....	34
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	24
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....	517	.....gallons 1949.....	65,926
.....number 1950.....	517	.....1944.....	75,064
.....number 1950.....	517	.....dollars 1949.....	21,595
.....number 1950.....	517	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	509
.....number 1950.....	517	.....1944.....	724
.....number 1950.....	517	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	270,812
.....number 1950.....	517	.....1944.....	490,055
.....number 1950.....	517	.....dollars 1949.....	163,682
.....number 1950.....	517	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
.....number 1950.....	517	.....dollars 1949.....	48
.....number 1950.....	517	HOGS	
.....number 1950.....	517	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	584
.....number 1950.....	517	.....1945.....	897
.....number 1950.....	517	.....number 1950.....	7,939
.....number 1950.....	517	.....1945.....	10,073
.....number 1950.....	517	.....number 1950.....	505
.....number 1950.....	517	.....number 1950.....	4,306
.....number 1950.....	517	.....number 1950.....	506
.....number 1950.....	517	.....number 1950.....	533
.....number 1950.....	517	.....number 1950.....	422
.....number 1950.....	517	.....number 1950.....	1,412
.....number 1950.....	517	.....1945.....	1,723

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.
³Some are less than 2 years old and over.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	28	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	819	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	82	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,743	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	139	acres 1949.....	(*)
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	5	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	135	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	142	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	157	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	153	acres 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	35	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	22	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	1,244	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	814	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	1,134	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	535	acres 1949.....	(*)
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	58	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	35		
acres 1949.....	2,674	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	2,527	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
tons 1949.....	2,639	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	2,315	quarts 1949.....	36
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	50	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,596	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1,475	quarts 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,998	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	1,252	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	187
Field crops (other):		1945.....	5
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	8	acres 1950 ²	24
1944.....	2	1945.....	3
acres 1949.....	69	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	65
1944.....	22	1945.....	11
pounds 1949.....	8,229	trees of all ages..number 1950...	371
1944.....	3,180	1945.....	64
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	200
acres 1949.....	42	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	38
pounds 1949.....	7,000	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	42
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	17	1944.....	55
acres 1949.....	696	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	12
pounds 1949.....	269,147	1945.....	20
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	17	trees of all ages..number 1950...	504
1944.....	34	1945.....	54
acres 1949 ¹	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	236
1944.....	20	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	226
100-lb. bags 1949.....	136	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	4
1944.....	486	1944.....	1
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	21
acres 1949.....		1945.....	4
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	226
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	21
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	217
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	14
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1
tons 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	140
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,451
acres 1949.....	40	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	625
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	287	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	844
1944.....	706	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,889
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	2	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	22
1944.....	7	trees of all ages..number 1950...	167
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	114
1944.....	9	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	68
sold..dollars 1949.....	57	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	27
1944.....	1,075	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	72
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	24
1944.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	602
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	257
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	285
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	317
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	65
acres 1949.....	(*)	1944.....	27
1944.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	44
Cantaloups, honeydews, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	10
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	222
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	1945.....	39
acres 1949.....	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	142
Gauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	80
acres 1949.....	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	12
1944.....		1944.....	15
Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	20
acres 1949.....	(*)	1945.....	1
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	105
1944.....	4	1945.....	10
acres 1949.....	(*)	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	45
1944.....	3	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	60
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	323
		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.
³Reported in small fractions.

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....number 1950.....	19	Under 10 acres.....number 1950.....	2
.....1945.....	20	.....1945.....	2
Approximate land area.....acres 1950.....	243,200	Under 3 acres.....number 1950.....	2
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950.....	6.2	.....1945.....	2
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	10,323	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950.....	1
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	1,979	.....1945.....	1
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	2,941	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	1
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950.....	185	.....1945.....	1
Land in farms.....acres 1950.....	15,058	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	14,977	.....1945.....	1
Average size of farm.....acres 1950.....	792.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	748.9	.....1945.....	1
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950.....	3,500	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	13,238	.....1945.....	1
.....average per acre, dollars 1950.....	9.21	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	17.68	.....1945.....	1
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950.....	1
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	16	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	2,735	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	4,314	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950.....	1
* 1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	1
.....1944.....	1	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950.....	2
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	2
.....1944.....	1	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950.....	4
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	4
.....1944.....	1	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950.....	7
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	.....1945.....	6
.....1944.....	1		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	2	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	White operators.....number 1950.....	19
.....1944.....	2	.....1945.....	20
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	10	.....1945.....	1
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949.....	7	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	7	Full Owners.....number 1950.....	15
.....acres 1949.....	925	.....1945.....	15
.....1944.....	925	Part Owners.....number 1950.....	5
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	2	Managers.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	2	.....1945.....	2
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	All tenants.....number 1950.....	2
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	2
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950.....	100.0
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	100.0
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Cash tenants.....number 1950.....	2
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	2
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	1
Other.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	2	.....1945.....	1
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	2	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	515	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	515	.....1945.....	1
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	Other tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....1944.....	3	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950.....	1
.....acres 1949.....	760		
.....1944.....	760	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949.....	10	Telephones.....farms reporting 1950.....	7
.....1944.....	20	.....1945.....	7
.....acres 1949.....	9,011	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	10,186	.....1945.....	5
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949.....	19	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	20	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	1,112	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	475	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	16	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	5,374	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	4,614	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949.....	4	Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....acres 1949.....	4	Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
		.....number 1950.....	5
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	16	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	16	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950.....	3	.....number 1950.....	5
.....1945.....	4	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949.....	1	.....number 1950.....	5
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949.....	7	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950.....	5
.....1944.....	5number 1950.....	5
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949.....	2		
.....1944.....	4		

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*—Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM—Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	10	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	1
.....1945.....	12	General farms.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	10	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	21	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	7	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	7	.....number 1950.....	1
.....number 1950.....	8	.....number 1950.....	1
.....1945.....	8	.....number 1950.....	1
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....			
.....number 1950.....			
.....1945.....			
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....			
.....number 1950.....			
.....1945.....			
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....			
.....number 1950.....			
.....1945.....			
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5		
.....1945.....	13		
.....number 1950.....	5		
.....1945.....	14		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950.....	4		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	7		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	7		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	7		
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.....		Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950.....	1
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....		Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950.....	1
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950.....	1
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950.....	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	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.....		Other farms.....number 1950.....	1
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....		Part-time ².....number 1950.....	1
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	10	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950.....	1
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	2.5	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....			
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	121,300
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	128,300
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,200
		.....1944.....	3,900
FARM LABOR*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,100
Week preceding enumeration:		.....1944.....	3,900
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	
.....persons 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	
.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	
.....persons 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	120
.....persons 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	
Operators.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	109,700
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	125,300
.....persons 1950.....	5	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	45,500
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950.....	5	.....1944.....	61,200
.....persons 1950.....	5	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	40
		.....1944.....	
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	63,200
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....1944.....	6,000
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	1,200
.....dollars 1949.....		.....1944.....	
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....			
.....dollars 1949.....		HORSES AND MULES	
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
.....dollars 1949.....	500	.....1945.....	1
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....number 1950.....	15
.....dollars 1949.....	1,000	.....1945.....	15
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....number 1950.....	1
.....dollars 1949.....		.....1945.....	1
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....			
.....dollars 1949.....		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	.....1945.....	1
.....dollars 1949.....	500	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....		.....1945.....	1
.....dollars 1949.....			
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
.....dollars 1949.....	1,000	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
		.....1945.....	11
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....number 1950.....	64
No sales.....number 1950.....	2	.....1945.....	1,500
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	3	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	1	.....1945.....	11
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	1	.....number 1950.....	33
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	1	.....1945.....	57
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	1	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950.....	11
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	2	.....number 1950.....	25
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	2	.....1945.....	12
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	2	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	10
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	2	.....number 1950.....	11
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	5	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	17
		.....number 1950.....	7
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950.....	30
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950.....		.....number 1949.....	5
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....		.....gallons 1949.....	6
Cotton.....number 1950.....		.....1944.....	125,400
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....		.....dollars 1949.....	121,431
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....		.....1944.....	43,700
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	4	.....farms reporting 1944.....	
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	350
		.....1944.....	
		.....dollars 1949.....	26
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	
		.....dollars 1949.....	
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950.....	2
		.....1945.....	3
		.....number 1950.....	9
		.....1945.....	17
		.....number 1950.....	1
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
		.....number 1950.....	1
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950.....	3
		.....number 1950.....	1
		Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950.....	1
	1945.....	1
	number 1950.....	2
	1945.....	2

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	6	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,097	1944.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	850	1944.....	
1944.....		Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	2	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	8	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	50	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	16	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	46	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	9	1944.....	
1944.....	15	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,620	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	4,264	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	1,139	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	2,209	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	quarts 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	10	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	8	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	8	quarts 1949.....	
1944.....		Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		acres 1950*.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
pounds 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
100-lb. bags 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
Brookcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
tons 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
1944.....	7	1945.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydevs, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
Celery.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			

For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags harvested.
 *For 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...	902	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	86
.....1945...	986	.....1945...	46
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,078,400	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	12
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	86.5	.....1945...	13
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	806,984	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	24
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	116,125	.....1945...	28
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	524,578	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	45
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	14,410	.....1945...	46
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	988,277	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	45
.....1945...	599,079	.....1945...	45
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	1,084.7	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	25
.....1945...	640.0	.....1945...	21
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	14,863	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	101
.....1945...	7,542	.....1945...	104
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	34.60	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	59
.....1945...	11.78	.....1945...	55
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	122
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	821	.....1945...	146
.....1944...	844	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	50
.....acres 1949...	68,261	.....1945...	44
.....1944...	59,811	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	50
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	85	.....1945...	50
.....1944...	87	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	175
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	78	.....1945...	175
.....1944...	75	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	108
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	78	.....1945...	117
.....1944...	85	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	85
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	145	.....1945...	87
.....1944...	164		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	242	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	260	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	130	White operators.....number 1950...	872
.....1944...	128	.....1945...	895
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	63	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	30
.....1944...	45	.....1945...	41
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	356	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	381	Full owners.....number 1950...	576
.....acres 1949...	26,731	.....1945...	498
.....1944...	21,646	Part owners.....number 1950...	203
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	260	.....1945...	192
.....acres 1949...	18,020	Managers.....number 1950...	6
.....1944...	7,006	.....1945...	8
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	155	All tenants.....number 1950...	117
.....acres 1949...	7,102	.....1945...	343
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	112	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	13.0
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	36	.....1945...	26.0
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	81
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	142	.....1945...	95
.....acres 1949...	5,918	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	9
.....1944...	520	.....1945...	9
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	293	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	44
.....acres 1949...	408,838	.....1945...	75
.....1944...	168,688	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	38
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	187	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	11
.....acres 1949...	20	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	38
.....1944...	29,183	.....1945...	64
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	385	Other tenants.....number 1950...	18
.....1944...	725	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	15
.....acres 1949...	867,738		
.....1944...	328,974	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	830	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	385
.....1944...	919	.....1945...	284
.....acres 1949...	22,512	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	719
.....1944...	20,374	.....1945...	444
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	784	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	703
.....1944...	725	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	7.80
.....acres 1949...	60,212	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	349
.....1944...	51,538	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	178
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	189
.....acres 1949...	10	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	608
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	343
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	35
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	98
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	164
		.....number 1950...	165
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		.....number 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		.....number 1950...	44
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	27
		.....number 1950...	28
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	41
		.....number 1950...	46
FARM OPERATORS			
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	847		
.....1945...	842		
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	46		
.....1945...	78		
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	235		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	376		
.....1944...	296		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	208		
.....1944...	141		

*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...	541	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	274
.....number 1945...	392	General farms.....number 1950...	156
.....number 1950...	515	.....number 1945...	89
.....number 1945...	427	Primarily crop.....number 1950...	27
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	575	.....number 1945...	104
.....number 1945...	380	.....number 1950...	209
.....number 1950...	738	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
.....number 1945...	365		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	564		
.....number 1945...	658		
.....number 1950...	15		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	15		
.....number 1945...	59		
.....number 1950...	65		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950...	556		
.....number 1945...	491		
.....number 1950...	709		
.....number 1945...	584		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	98		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	25		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	208		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	397		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	184		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	691
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950...	41	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	22
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	187	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	99
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	158	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	115
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	475	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	282
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	18	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	159
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	72
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	346	Other farms.....number 1950...	209
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	75	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	120
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950...	179	Residential (less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	87
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950...	157	Abnormal ².....number 1950...	2
Average distance reported.....miles 1950...	2.8		
Kind of road on which farm is located:			
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950...	170		
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950...	347		
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950...	318		
FARM LABOR*		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Week preceding enumeration:		All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	8,811,531
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	796	.....dollars 1944...	2,230,114
.....persons 1950...	1,460	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,036,558
.....persons 1945...	790	.....dollars 1944...	486,107
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	750	Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,054,074
Operators.....persons 1950...	496	.....dollars 1944...	438,807
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	116	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	2,323
.....persons 1950...	214	.....dollars 1944...	1,904
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	116	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,595
.....persons 1950...	214	.....dollars 1944...	2,870
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	11,800
		.....dollars 1944...	28,228
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	2,628,729
		.....dollars 1944...	1,289,011
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	439,377
		.....dollars 1944...	288,555
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	142,818
		.....dollars 1944...	148,054
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	2,137,137
		.....dollars 1944...	1,255,302
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	24,244
		.....dollars 1944...	4,955
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	628
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	522
		.....number 1945...	734
		.....number 1950...	3,185
		.....number 1945...	3,970
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	44
		.....number 1945...	42
		.....number 1950...	168
		.....number 1945...	150
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	729
		.....number 1945...	278
		.....number 1950...	23,310
		.....number 1945...	22,421
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	717
		.....number 1945...	757
		.....number 1950...	10,550
		.....number 1945...	12,175
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	671
		.....number 1945...	3,680
		.....number 1950...	535
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	4,590
		.....number 1945...	495
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,950
		.....number 1945...	479
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	3,220
		.....number 1945...	99
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	42
		.....gallons 1949...	708,554
		.....gallons 1944...	258,817
		.....dollars 1949...	289,163
		.....dollars 1944...	357
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	561
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	281,705
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944...	500,240
		.....dollars 1949...	169,219
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		.....dollars 1949...	995
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	425
		.....number 1945...	435
		.....number 1950...	4,045
		.....number 1945...	4,299
		4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	363
		.....number 1945...	2,240
		.....number 1950...	353
		Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	1,805
	number 1945...	225
	number 1950...	219
	number 1945...	732
	number 1950...	584

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Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	187	Corn:	
1945.....	805	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	148
number 1950.....	41,275	1944.....	143
1945.....	86,545	acres 1949.....	1,264
Sheep and lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	179	1944.....	1,240
number 1950.....	34,276	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	79
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	176	1944.....	54
1945 ¹	188	acres 1949.....	519
number 1950.....	38,074	1944.....	456
1945 ¹	38,831	bushels 1949.....	14,125
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	122	1944.....	10,220
number 1950.....	5,891	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	40
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950.....	156	1944.....	436
number 1950.....	27,188	acres 1949.....	3,594
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	109	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	1,202	Hogged or grazed, or cut for green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	89
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	111	1944.....	809
number 1950.....	6,999	acres 1949.....	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	161	Sorghums:	
1944.....	178	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	9
number shorn 1949.....	32,047	1944.....	14
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	259,230	acres 1949.....	54
1944.....	299,825	1944.....	124
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.1-Apr.14	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		1944.....	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	716	acres 1949.....	2
1945.....	757	1944.....	3
number 1950.....	44,571	bushels 1949.....	7
1945.....	48,958	1944.....	30
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	250	tons..green weight 1949.....	80
number 1949.....	21,937	1944.....	80
dollars 1949.....	25,171	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	407	1944.....	
dozens 1949.....	245,009	acres 1949.....	
dollars 1949.....	99,448	1944.....	
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	98	tons..green weight 1949.....	
number 1950.....	638	1944.....	
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	127	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	7
1944.....	164	1944.....	52
number 1949.....	8,500	acres 1949.....	55
1944.....	9,007	tons out 1949.....	
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE		Small grains:	
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	691	Grains grown together and threshed as a mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	16
dollars 1949.....	1,943,159	1944.....	251
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	579	acres 1949.....	7,945
1944.....	573	bushels 1949.....	
number 1949.....	10,323	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	355
1944.....	10,269	1944.....	351
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	407	acres 1949.....	18,343
number 1949.....	6,823	1944.....	12,869
dollars 1949.....	925,005	bushels 1949.....	423,753
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	368	1944.....	276,022
number 1949.....	3,500	acres 1949.....	233
dollars 1949.....	289,521	1944.....	3,544
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	383	acres 1949.....	2,604
1944.....	441	1944.....	90,085
number 1949.....	7,199	bushels 1949.....	63,353
1944.....	9,685	1944.....	
dollars 1949.....	201,051	Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	399
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	155	1944.....	350
1944.....	152	acres 1949.....	5,354
number 1949.....	25,004	1944.....	4,749
1944.....	29,416	bushels 1949.....	212,795
dollars 1949.....	513,393	1944.....	163,423
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	75	Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	36
number 1949.....	145	1944.....	74
dollars 1949.....	10,184	acres 1949.....	275
FARM SLAUGHTER		1944.....	551
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	556	Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	301
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	249	1944.....	302
number 1949.....	315	acres 1949.....	4,005
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	96	1944.....	3,977
1944.....	166	bushels 1949.....	149,843
number 1949.....	119	1944.....	116,568
1944.....	457	Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	24
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	159	1944.....	19
1944.....	137	acres 1949.....	228
number 1949.....	136	1944.....	367
1944.....	299	bushels 1949.....	3,979
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	465	1944.....	3,768
1944.....	478	Annual legumes:	
number 1949.....	928	Dry field and seed beans harvested for beans.....farms reporting 1949...	95
1944.....	1,451	1944.....	69
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	68	acres 1949.....	6,235
number 1949.....	339	1944.....	2,674
Meat, lard, hides, and other products sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	73	100-lb. bags 1949.....	18,513
dollars 1949.....	3,467	1944.....	4,847
		Dry field and seed peas harvested for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	2
		acres 1949 ²	3
		1944 ²	11
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	5
		1944 ²	20
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay: Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	676
		acres 1949.....	22,333

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

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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...	1,741	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	282
.....1945...	1,766	.....1945...	251
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,672,960	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	81
.....1945...	1,672,960	.....1945...	42
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	44.7	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	201
.....1945...	44.7	.....1945...	209
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	525,969	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	202
.....1945...	525,969	.....1945...	226
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	246,975	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	99
.....1945...	246,975	.....1945...	93
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	22,842	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	63
.....1945...	22,842	.....1945...	57
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	47,197	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	185
.....1945...	47,197	.....1945...	179
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	748,589	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	137
.....1945...	748,589	.....1945...	130
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	430.0	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	239
.....1945...	422.5	.....1945...	267
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	25,583	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	73
.....1945*	13,969	.....1945...	63
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	56.50	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	71
.....1945*	33.06	.....1945...	82
Land in farms according to use:		260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	172
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,484	.....1945...	192
.....1944...	1,610	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	79
.....acres 1949...	145,869	.....1945...	84
.....1944...	147,245	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	139
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	274	.....1945...	142
.....1944...	338		
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	90	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944...	95	Farms by color of operator:	
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	76	White operators.....number 1950...	1,741
.....1944...	85	.....1945...	1,766
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	142	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	
.....1944...	139	.....1945...	
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	348	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944...	391	Full owners.....number 1950...	999
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	384	.....1945...	837
.....1944...	406	Part owners.....number 1950...	291
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	170	.....1945...	282
.....1944...	156	Managers.....number 1950...	10
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	447	.....1945...	25
.....1944...	283	All tenants.....number 1950...	481
.....acres 1949...	12,698	.....1945...	602
.....1944...	5,215	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	27.6
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	513	.....1945...	34.1
.....acres 1949...	37,827	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	55
.....1944...	39,005	.....1945...	100
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	390	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	39
.....acres 1949...	32,758	.....1945...	26
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	241	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	325
.....1944...	104	.....1945...	342
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	45	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	289
.....1944...	207	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	36
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	5,069	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	62
.....acres 1949...	156	.....1945...	134
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	38	Other tenants.....number 1950...	28
.....1944...	92,903	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	34
.....acres 1949...	14,170		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	34	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944...	25	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1,468
.....acres 1949...	23,312	.....1945...	988
.....1944...	1,830	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,690
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	850	.....1945...	1,311
.....1944...	1,061	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,613
.....acres 1949...	412,480	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	8.39
.....1944...	510,631	.....1945...	920
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	1,619	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	534
.....1944...	1,713	.....1945...	446
.....acres 1949...	23,500	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1,485
.....1944...	28,070	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	217
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1,392	.....1945...	17
.....1944...	1,411	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	338
.....acres 1949...	113,423	.....1945...	244
.....1944...	117,889	Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	261
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	14	.....1945...	26
.....acres 1949...	210	Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	26
		.....1945...	100
FARM OPERATORS		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	131
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,564	.....1945...	229
.....1945...	1,615	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	270
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	97	.....1945...	368
.....1945...	127	Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	415
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	526		
.....1949...	743		
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1944...	529		
.....1944...	437		
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	437		
.....1944...	318		

*Data for 1946 not strictly comparable with those for 1945.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	1,283	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	48
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,044	General farms.....number 1950...	238
.....number 1950.....	1,766	.....number 1945.....	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,279	.....number 1950.....	37
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,306	.....number 1950.....	145
.....number 1950.....	962	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	44
.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,079		
.....number 1950.....	1,278	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	1,236	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	1,321
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,935	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	136
.....number 1950.....	90	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	236
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	90	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	282
.....farms reporting 1945.....	52	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	327
.....number 1950.....	54	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	267
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	1,649	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	7
.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,508	Other farms.....number 1950...	44
.....number 1950.....	2,334	Part-time ¹.....number 1950...	27
.....number 1945.....	1,884	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	16
Farms by class of work power:		Abnormal ².....number 1950...	1
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	291	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	38	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949.....	15,427,621
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	168	.....dollars 1944.....	10,019,112
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	535	All crops sold.....dollars 1949.....	4,445,229
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	709	.....dollars 1944.....	3,322,136
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD*		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	3,821,132
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		.....dollars 1944.....	2,439,762
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	165	Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	227,617
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	702	.....dollars 1944.....	158,965
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	512	Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	274,742
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	404	.....dollars 1944.....	654,788
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	8	Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	121,638
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		.....dollars 1944.....	68,644
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	852	All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949.....	10,053,324
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	158	.....dollars 1944.....	1,316,114
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	361	Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949.....	952,811
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	190	Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949.....	473,878
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	2.1	.....dollars 1944.....	531,774
Kind of road on which farm is located:		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949.....	9,165,940
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	713	.....dollars 1944.....	5,197,497
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	798	Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	29,111
Dir or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	247	.....dollars 1944.....	15,112
FARM LABOR*		HORSES AND MULES	
Week preceding enumeration:		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	721
Family and/or hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	1,600	Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	70
.....persons 1950.....	3,225	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,122
Family workers, including operator.....farms reporting 1950...	1,568	.....number 1950.....	3,227
Operators.....persons 1950.....	1,493	.....number 1945.....	5,946
Unpaid members of operator's family.....farms reporting 1950...	759	Mules and male colts.....farms reporting 1950...	8
.....persons 1950.....	1,127	.....farms reporting 1945.....	15
Hired workers.....farms reporting 1950...	397	.....number 1950.....	111
.....persons 1950.....	605	.....number 1945.....	32
SPECIFIED FARM EXPENDITURES*		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Specified farm expenditures.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,683	Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	1,341
Machine hire and/or hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,407	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,438
Machine hire.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,015	.....number 1950.....	56,228
.....dollars 1943.....	496,921	.....number 1945.....	56,497
Hired labor.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,157	Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	1,347
.....dollars 1949.....	1,645,791	.....farms reporting 1945.....	1,371
Feed for livestock and poultry.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,433	.....number 1950.....	20,297
.....dollars 1949.....	2,159,143	.....number 1945.....	24,394
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,326	Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	1,820
.....dollars 1949.....	5,056,901	.....number 1950.....	7,734
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,094	Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	13,054
.....dollars 1949.....	267,319	.....number 1950.....	824
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,367	Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	15,638
.....dollars 1949.....	841,402	.....number 1950.....	890
Tractor repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	955	Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	7,032
.....dollars 1949.....	253,083	.....number 1950.....	626
Other farm machinery repairs.....farms reporting 1949.....	1,049	.....number 1945.....	691
.....dollars 1949.....	300,291	.....dollars 1949.....	3,532,271
FARMS BY TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD		.....dollars 1944.....	3,525,938
No sales.....number 1950.....	70	.....dollars 1949.....	1,235,607
\$1 to \$249.....number 1950.....	90	Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	284
\$250 to \$399.....number 1950.....	108	.....farms reporting 1944.....	320
\$400 to \$599.....number 1950.....	74	.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	130,880
\$600 to \$999.....number 1950.....	99	.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	141,529
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....number 1950.....	138	.....dollars 1949.....	79,223
\$1,500 to \$2,499.....number 1950.....	177	Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949.....	6
\$2,500 to \$3,999.....number 1950.....	194	.....farms reporting 1944.....	3,638
\$4,000 to \$5,999.....number 1950.....	209	HOGS	
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....number 1950.....	204	Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	572
\$10,000 and over.....number 1950.....	378	.....farms reporting 1945.....	592
FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM		.....number 1950.....	7,944
Field-crop farms other than vegetable and fruit-and-nut.....number 1950...	241	.....number 1945.....	6,996
Cash-grain.....number 1950.....	180	4 months old and over.....farms reporting 1950...	462
Cotton.....number 1950.....	61	.....farms reporting 1950.....	4,200
Other field-crop.....number 1950.....	19	Less than 4 months old.....farms reporting 1950...	283
Vegetable farms.....number 1950.....	61	.....farms reporting 1950.....	2,744
Fruit-and-nut farms.....number 1950.....	56	Sows and gilts for spring farrowing.....farms reporting 1950...	270
Dairy farms.....number 1950.....	173	.....farms reporting 1945.....	232
Poultry farms.....number 1950.....	79	.....number 1950.....	1,129
		.....number 1945.....	413

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 of 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...	231	Corn:	
1945.....	300	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	666
number 1950.....	46,408	1944.....	806
1945.....	160,894	acres 1949.....	12,048
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	13,809
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	199	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	276
number 1950.....	36,053	1944.....	263
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	169	acres 1949.....	3,589
1945.....	174	1944.....	3,128
number 1950.....	19,948	bushels 1949.....	152,484
1945.....	15,090	1944.....	109,046
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	92	Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	420
number 1950.....	4,957	acres 1949.....	7,556
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	148	tons..green weight 1949.....	65,679
number 1950.....	14,991	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	123	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	101
number 1950.....	16,105	acres 1949.....	903
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	163		
number 1950.....	10,355		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	142	Sorghums:	
1944.....	149	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup.....farms reporting 1949...	13
number shorn 1949.....	16,557	1944.....	36
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	133,839	acres 1949.....	166
1944.....	133,989	1944.....	398
Average date of enumeration.....1950.....	Apr.15-Apr.28	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944.....	3
		acres 1949.....	10
		1944.....	28
		bushels 1949.....	90
		1944.....	232
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Out for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,384	acres 1949.....	21
1945.....	1,488	tons..green weight 1949.....	165
number 1950.....	122,918	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1945.....	155,162	out for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	10
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	607	acres 1949.....	135
number 1949.....	92,541	tons cut 1949.....	236
dollars 1949.....	91,203		
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	890	Small grains:	
dozens 1949.....	736,950	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
dollars 1949.....	297,084	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	42
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	92	acres 1949.....	1,802
number 1950.....	772	bushels 1949.....	48,750
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	117	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	305
1944.....	107	1944.....	164
number 1949.....	14,058	acres 1949.....	22,675
1944.....	27,844	1944.....	9,552
		bushels 1949.....	468,299
		1944.....	102,432
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	216
		acres 1949.....	5,158
		1944.....	9,911
		bushels 1949.....	141,939
		1944.....	168,340
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	404
		1944.....	579
		acres 1949.....	6,281
		1944.....	9,033
		bushels 1949.....	254,844
		1944.....	321,732
		Oats out for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	35
		1944.....	83
		acres 1949.....	461
		1944.....	791
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	964
		1944.....	931
		acres 1949.....	36,593
		1944.....	33,752
		bushels 1949.....	1,457,356
		1944.....	1,081,103
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	10
		1944.....	14
		acres 1949.....	111
		1944.....	255
		bushels 1949.....	1,803
		1944.....	2,613
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	72
		1944.....	84
		acres 1949.....	1,041
		1944.....	1,281
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	17,163
		1944.....	6,752
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		1944.....	3
		acres 1949.....	41
		1944.....	35
		100-lb. bags 1949.....	382
		1944.....	153
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,143
		acres 1949.....	45,880

¹ Does and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
² Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	997	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	1,118	acres 1949...	34
acres 1949.....	30,571	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	35,896	acres 1949.....	(*)
tons 1949.....	71,263	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	77,854	acres 1949.....	4
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	43	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	39
1944.....	45	acres 1949.....	48
acres 1949.....	1,950	acres 1949.....	51
1944.....	1,837	1944.....	63
tons 1949.....	1,981	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	2,032	acres 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	96	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	15
1944.....	44	acres 1949.....	28
acres 1949.....	968	1944.....	2
1944.....	587	acres 1949.....	22
tons 1949.....	1,231	1944.....	
1944.....	412	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	115	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	116	acres 1949.....	34
acres 1949.....	10,752	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	13,120	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	10,173	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	11,261	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	65	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,095	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	7	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2,237	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	668	acres 1949.....	
Field crops (other):		Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	20	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	26	acres 1949.....	3
acres 1949.....	183	quarts 1949.....	2,924
1944.....	273	quarts 1949.....	29
pounds 1949.....	13,888	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	8
1944.....	25,920	acres 1949.....	4,817
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	2	quarts 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	10	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
pounds 1949.....	1,950	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	850
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	522
acres 1949.....		acres 1950*	2,152
acres 1949.....		1945.....	2,670
pounds 1949.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	62
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	34	1945.....	73
1944.....	39	trees of all ages..number 1950...	22,422
acres 1949.....	301	1945.....	41,541
1944.....	476	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,374
100-lb. bags 1949.....	39,451	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	20,444
1944.....	59,065	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	25,862
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1944.....	66,122
acres 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	61
lb. of brush 1949.....		1945.....	22
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	364	1945.....	188
1944.....	469	trees of all ages..number 1950...	147
acres 1949.....	8,674	1945.....	99
1944.....	9,110	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	69
tons 1949.....	137,569	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	73
1944.....	110,435	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	111
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	5	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	49	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	42
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	825	1945.....	28
1944.....	1,226	trees of all ages..number 1950...	113
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	164	1945.....	63
1944.....	187	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	46
acres 1949.....	1,349	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	87
1944.....	1,724	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	49
acres 1949.....	227,677	1944.....	73
1944.....	158,963	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	490
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	26	1945.....	179,788
1944.....	41	trees of all ages..number 1950...	27,217
acres 1949.....	151	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	152,371
1944.....	314	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,702,582
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	12	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
1944.....	17	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	80
acres 1949.....	6	1945.....	1,094
1944.....	26	trees of all ages..number 1950...	926
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	2,108
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950...	22,269
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	9	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	190
acres 1949.....	2	1945.....	142
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	924
acres 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	1,379
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	203
acres 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	721
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	646
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	721
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	1	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	32
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	11
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	55
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	27
acres 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	29
acres 1949.....	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	26
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	19
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	6
acres 1949.....	1	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	72
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	30
acres 1949.....	1	vines of all ages..number 1950...	725
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	352
acres 1949.....	1	1945.....	199
acres 1949.....	1	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	566
acres 1949.....	1	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	2,338
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,230
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	
acres 1949.....	1	1944.....	

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

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

*Reported in small fractions

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*--Continued		FARMS BY TYPE OF FARM--Continued	
Motortrucks.....farms reporting 1950...	554	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	397
.....1945.....	460	General farms.....number 1950...	61
.....number 1950.....	723	.....Primarily crop.....number 1950...	30
.....1945.....	532	.....Primarily livestock.....number 1950...	5
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	476	.....Crop and livestock.....number 1950...	23
.....1945.....	320	.....Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	296
.....number 1950.....	379		
.....1945.....	379		
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950.....	438	FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
.....number 1950.....	591	Commercial farms.....number 1950...	649
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	20	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	76
.....number 1950.....	20	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	105
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	62	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	189
.....number 1950.....	68	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	311
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	554	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	131
.....1945.....	646	Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	87
.....number 1950.....	755	Other farms.....number 1950...	276
.....1945.....	698	Part-time ².....number 1950...	96
Farms by class of work power:		Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	182
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	107	Abnormal ³.....number 1950.....	
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	36		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	310	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	587	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	6,847,355
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	106	.....1944.....	5,055,501
		All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	1,025,155
		.....1944.....	607,020
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	1,001,912
		.....1944.....	582,005
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949...	925
		.....1944.....	42,298
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	398
		.....1944.....	2,069
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949...	22,000
		.....1944.....	30
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	5,781,395
		.....1944.....	2,405,097
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	205,770
		.....1944.....	259,890
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	92,502
		.....1944.....	58,890
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	5,485,123
		.....1944.....	2,111,627
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949...	40,805
		.....1944.....	43,584
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	712
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	708
		.....1945.....	857
		.....number 1950.....	5,858
		.....1945.....	5,914
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	50
		.....1945.....	50
		.....number 1950.....	91
		.....1945.....	168
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	769
		.....1945.....	687
		.....number 1950...	77,195
		.....1945.....	78,756
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	749
		.....1945.....	811
		.....number 1950...	37,658
		.....1945.....	40,142
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	577
		.....number 1950...	2,322
		Heifers born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	512
		.....number 1950...	13,494
		Steers and bulls born before Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	488
		.....number 1950...	15,474
		Calves born since Jan. 1.....farms reporting 1950...	559
		.....number 1950...	12,547
		Whole milk sold.....farms reporting 1949...	84
		.....1944.....	120
		.....gallons 1949...	312,628
		.....1944.....	538,865
		.....dollars 1949...	137,482
		Cream sold.....farms reporting 1949...	166
		.....1944.....	255
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949...	91,602
		.....1944.....	159,287
		.....dollars 1949...	54,002
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	11
		.....dollars 1949...	12,406
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	454
		.....1945.....	465
		.....number 1950...	1,015
		.....1945.....	2,538
		.....farms reporting 1950...	364
		.....number 1950...	1,600
		.....farms reporting 1950...	130
		.....number 1950...	1,404
		.....farms reporting 1950...	196
		.....1945.....	220
		.....number 1950...	499
		.....1945.....	448

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con. Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	387	Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
1944.....	378	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	\$ 1
acres 1949...	10,237	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	9,881	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	2
tons 1949...	18,881	acres 1949...	(*)
1944.....	17,880	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	85	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	100	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949...	4,740	acres 1944...	1
1944.....	5,882	acres 1949...	1
tons 1949...	4,787	1944.....	1
1944.....	5,454	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	3
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	53	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	25	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	2
acres 1949...	812	acres 1944...	2
1944.....	493	acres 1949...	2
tons 1949...	489	1944.....	2
1944.....	487	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	77	acres 1949...	2
1944.....	43	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
acres 1949...	5,919	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	5,782	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	
tons 1949...	5,188	acres 1949...	
1944.....	5,787	quarts 1949...	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	27	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	954	acres 1949...	
1944.....	1,985	quarts 1949...	
tons 1949...	529	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	1,788	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	253
Field crops (other):		1945.....	80
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	53	acres 1950 ² ..	45
1944.....	85	1943.....	54
acres 1949...	855	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	200
1944.....	821	1945.....	175
pounds 1949...	70,497	trees of all ages..number 1950...	2,027
1944.....	98,840	1945.....	2,035
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	291
acres 1949...	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	1,746
pounds 1949...	100	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,584
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1944.....	3,091
acres 1949...	120	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	93
pounds 1949...	24,000	1945.....	66
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	487
1944.....	5	trees of all ages..number 1950...	261
acres 1949 ² ..	2	1945.....	251
1944.....	19	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	256
100-lb. bags 1949...	10	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	166
1944.....	96	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	284
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	7	1944.....	
acres 1949...	1,107	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	35
lb. of brush 1949...	240,920	1945.....	37
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	43	trees of all ages..number 1950...	84
1944.....	76	1945.....	93
acres 1949...	884	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	46
1944.....	1,286	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	39
tons 1949...	8,578	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	79
1944.....	8,489	1944.....	175
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	85
acres 1949...	75	trees of all ages..number 1950...	448
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	245	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	118
1944.....	582	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	535
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	2,158
1944.....	112	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	24
acres 1949...	10	trees of all ages..number 1950...	79
1944.....	865	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	81
acres 1949...	925	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	48
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	42,286	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	226
1944.....	4	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	102
acres 1949...	5	1945.....	84
1944.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	771
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	923
1944.....	2	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	172
acres 1949...	2	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	599
1944.....	(*)	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	169
acres 1949...	21	1944.....	414
1944.....	21	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	17
Cantaloupe, honeyballs, honeydeus, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	7
acres 1949...	2	trees of all ages..number 1950...	37
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	4	1945.....	39
acres 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	80
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	17
acres 1949...	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	5
1944.....	1	1944.....	5
Calary.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	22
acres 1949...	5	1945.....	12
acres 1949...	5	vines of all ages..number 1950...	188
1944.....	2	1945.....	85
1944.....	2	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	122
1944.....	19	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	81
1944.....	19	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	50
1944.....	19	1944.....	755

1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags harvested.
1950, does not include acres for farms reporting less than 1/2 acre.
* 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...	723	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	14
.....1945.....	763	.....1945.....	13
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,659,520	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	3
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	92.3	.....1945.....	6
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	890,568	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	11
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	468,187	.....1945.....	7
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	274,438	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950.....	2
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	85,375	.....1945.....	2
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	1,547,518	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	2
.....1945.....	1,549,056	.....1945.....	7
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	2,140.8	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	3
.....1945.....	2,030.2	.....1945.....	3
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	37,801	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	4
.....1945.....	13,881	.....1945.....	7
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	18.91	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	6
.....1945.....	6.24	.....1945.....	2
Land in farms according to use:		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	29
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	640	.....1945.....	29
.....1944.....	668	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	6
.....acres 1949.....	219,114	.....1945.....	6
.....1944.....	152,322	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	5
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	5	.....1945.....	3
.....1944.....	7	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	89
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	7	.....1945.....	143
.....1944.....	8	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	194
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	14	.....1945.....	183
.....1944.....	12	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	371
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	.....1945.....	368
.....1944.....	45		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	70	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
.....1944.....	118	Farms by color of operator:	
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	146	White operators.....number 1950...	723
.....1944.....	185	.....1945.....	763
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	322	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950.....	.....
.....1944.....	298	.....1945.....	.....
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	76	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944 ¹	74	Full owners.....number 1950...	233
.....acres 1949.....	17,130	.....1945.....	197
.....1944 ¹	7,608	Part owners.....number 1950...	380
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	506	.....1945.....	389
.....acres 1949.....	188,871	Managers.....number 1950...	16
.....1944.....	121,229	.....1945.....	6
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	443	All tenants.....number 1950...	144
.....acres 1949.....	159,035	.....1945.....	171
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	46	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	19.9
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	142	.....1945.....	22.4
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	255	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	9
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	199	.....1945.....	44
.....acres 1949.....	24,835	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	19
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945.....	16
.....1944.....	1	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	99
.....acres 1949.....	515	.....1945.....	103
.....1944.....	20	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	91
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	5	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	8
.....1944.....	.....	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	17
.....acres 1949.....	705	.....1945.....	8
.....1944.....	.....	Other tenants.....number 1950...	7
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	645	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	10
.....1944 ¹	733		
.....acres 1949.....	1,102,066	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
.....1944 ¹	1,248,693	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	203
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	661	.....1945.....	219
.....1944.....	593	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	342
.....acres 1949.....	24,417	.....1945.....	245
.....1944.....	19,184	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	121
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	15	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	6,935
.....1944.....	11	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	75
.....acres 1949.....	1,293	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	39
.....1944.....	638	Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	25
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	3	Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	241
.....acres 1949...	270	Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	61
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	6
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	25
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	307
		number 1950...	371
FARM OPERATORS		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	42
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	623	number 1950...	46
.....1945.....	695	Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	19
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	97	number 1950...	6
.....1945.....	65	Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	11
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	92	number 1950...	6
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	198	Fit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	6
.....1944.....	154	number 1950...	6
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	73		
.....1944.....	45		

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...	545	Livestock farms other than dairy and poultry.....number 1950...	141
.....farms reporting 1945.....	349	General farms.....number 1950...	41
.....number 1945.....	727	.....number 1950.....	1
Tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	405	.....number 1950.....	4
.....farms reporting 1945.....	557	.....number 1950.....	43
.....number 1945.....	528	.....number 1950.....	44
.....number 1945.....	860	Miscellaneous and unclassified farms.....number 1950...	
Wheel tractors other than garden.....farms reporting 1950...	543		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	819		
.....number 1950.....	9		
.....number 1950.....	10		
Garden tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	29		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	29		
.....number 1945.....	81		
Crawler tractors.....farms reporting 1950.....	21		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	21		
.....number 1945.....	83		
Automobiles.....farms reporting 1950.....	525		
.....farms reporting 1945.....	683		
.....number 1945.....	573		
.....number 1945.....	717		
Farms by class of work power:			
No tractor, horses, or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	72		
No tractor and only 1 horse or mule.....farms reporting 1950...	16		
No tractor and 2 or more horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	74		
Tractor and horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	801		
Tractor and no horses or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	260		
TRADING CENTER AND ROAD^a		FARMS BY ECONOMIC CLASS	
Distance to trading center visited most frequently:		Commercial farms.....number 1950...	659
Under 1 mile.....farms reporting 1950.....	41	Class I (Value of products sold, \$25,000 or more).....number 1950...	18
1 to 4 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	55	Class II (Value of products sold, \$10,000-\$24,999).....number 1950...	111
5 to 9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	166	Class III (Value of products sold, \$5,000-\$9,999).....number 1950...	165
10 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	444	Class IV (Value of products sold, \$2,500-\$4,999).....number 1950...	143
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	200	Class V (Value of products sold, \$1,200-\$2,499).....number 1950...	121
Distance over dirt or unimproved roads:		Class VI (Value of products sold, \$250-\$1,199) ¹.....number 1950...	31
0.0 to 0.2 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	104	Other farms.....number 1950.....	14
0.3 to 0.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	41	Part-time.....number 1950.....	28
1.0 to 4.9 miles.....farms reporting 1950.....	131	Residential (Less than \$250 value of products sold).....number 1950...	83
5.0 miles and over.....farms reporting 1950.....	373	Abnormal ².....number 1950.....	1
Average distance reported.....miles 1950.....	11.0		
Kind of road on which farm is located:		VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD, BY SOURCE	
Hard surface.....farms reporting 1950.....	19	All farm products sold.....dollars 1949...	7,707,000
Gravel, shell, or shale.....farms reporting 1950.....	218	.....dollars 1944.....	3,421,871
Dirt or unimproved.....farms reporting 1950.....	465	All crops sold.....dollars 1949...	3,144,916
		.....dollars 1944.....	767,104
		Field crops, other than vegetables and fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949...	3,144,841
		.....dollars 1944.....	765,865
		Vegetables sold.....dollars 1949.....	300
		.....dollars 1944.....	153
		Fruits and nuts sold.....dollars 1949.....	919
		.....dollars 1944.....	
		Horticultural specialties sold.....dollars 1949.....	
		.....dollars 1944.....	
		All livestock and livestock products sold.....dollars 1949...	4,562,004
		.....dollars 1944.....	2,908,769
		Dairy products sold.....dollars 1949...	116,358
		.....dollars 1944.....	174,857
		Poultry and poultry products sold.....dollars 1949...	139,729
		.....dollars 1944.....	167,275
		Livestock and livestock products, other than dairy and poultry, sold.....dollars 1949...	4,312,087
		.....dollars 1944.....	2,682,546
		Forest products sold.....dollars 1949.....	
		.....dollars 1944.....	
		HORSES AND MULES	
		Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting 1950...	481
		Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting 1950...	628
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	600
		.....number 1950.....	1,770
		.....number 1945.....	3,907
		Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting 1950...	21
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	61
		.....number 1950.....	40
		.....number 1945.....	136
		CATTLE AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	
		Cattle and calves.....farms reporting 1950...	590
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	663
		.....number 1950.....	52,864
		.....number 1945.....	58,384
		Cows, including heifers that have calved.....farms reporting 1950...	530
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	640
		.....number 1950.....	22,546
		.....number 1945.....	23,284
		Milk cows.....farms reporting 1950...	439
		.....number 1950.....	2,853
		.....number 1950.....	471
		.....number 1950.....	11,170
		.....number 1950.....	482
		.....number 1950.....	11,538
		.....number 1950.....	453
		.....number 1950.....	7,092
		.....number 1949.....	13
		.....number 1944.....	15
		.....gallons 1949.....	48,431
		.....gallons 1944.....	66,868
		.....dollars 1949.....	16,702
		.....dollars 1949.....	291
		.....number 1950.....	463
		.....pounds of butterfat 1949.....	153,062
		.....pounds of butterfat 1944.....	302,136
		.....dollars 1949.....	94,294
		Butter, buttermilk, skim milk, and cheese sold.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		.....dollars 1949.....	17
		HOGS	
		Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting 1950...	331
		.....farms reporting 1945.....	464
		.....number 1950.....	4,574
		.....number 1945.....	4,467
		.....farms reporting 1950.....	282
		.....number 1950.....	2,671
		.....number 1950.....	171
		.....number 1950.....	1,922
		.....number 1950.....	178
		.....number 1945.....	224
		.....number 1950.....	753
		.....number 1945.....	806

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...	33	Corn:	
1945.....	74	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	233
number 1950.....	5,861	1944.....	412
1945.....	31,815	acres 1949...	17,061
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	31,988
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	32	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	195
number 1950.....	4,740	1944.....	361
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	30	acres 1949...	18,615
1945 ¹	51	1944.....	25,158
number 1950.....	4,476	bushels 1949...	171,548
1945 ¹	23,167	1944.....	207,048
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	17	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	2
number 1950.....	923	acres 1949...	68
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	27	tons..green weight 1949...	405
number 1950.....	3,583	Rogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	22	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	83
number 1950.....	284	acres 1949...	3,388
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	14		
number 1950.....	1,121	Sorghums:	
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	30	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	398
1944.....	59	1944.....	518
number shorn 1949.....	9,273	acres 1949...	82,599
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949.....	70,873	1944.....	36,889
1944.....	252,775	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	118
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr. 15-Apr. 23	1944.....	101
		acres 1949...	10,057
		1944.....	5,954
		bushels 1949...	92,851
		1944.....	53,370
		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	
		acres 1949...	
		tons..green weight 1949...	
		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	259
		acres 1949...	22,542
		tons cut 1949...	17,062
		Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
		mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	43
		acres 1949...	3,857
		bushels 1949...	55,446
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	347
		1944.....	152
		acres 1949...	102,750
		1944.....	30,750
		bushels 1949...	1,256,026
		1944.....	810,231
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	21
		acres 1949...	1,768
		1944.....	997
		bushels 1949...	15,365
		1944.....	6,749
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	54
		1944.....	46
		acres 1949...	1,623
		1944.....	1,550
		bushels 1949...	81,815
		1944.....	25,912
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	14
		1944.....	10
		acres 1949...	354
		1944.....	238
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	297
		1944.....	256
		acres 1949...	38,276
		1944.....	22,282
		bushels 1949...	557,729
		1944.....	292,609
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		1944.....	103
		acres 1949...	506
		1944.....	5,352
		bushels 1949...	4,072
		1944.....	50,952
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	68
		1944.....	159
		acres 1949...	5,051
		1944.....	9,409
		100-lb. bags 1949...	11,782
		1944.....	20,222
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	3
		1944.....	3
		acres 1949 ²	50
		1944 ²	60
		100-lb. bags 1949...	186
		1944 ²	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	214
		acres 1949...	10,464
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	554		
1945.....	684		
number 1950.....	47,785		
1945.....	65,806		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	190		
number 1949.....	18,471		
dollars 1949...	18,056		
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	391		
dozens 1949.....	213,417		
dollars 1949...	73,375		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	87		
number 1950.....	192		
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	40		
1944.....	43		
number 1949...	6,798		
1944.....	7,800		
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold			
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	595		
dollars 1949...	4,277,257		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	569		
1944.....	535		
number 1949...	30,503		
1944.....	31,533		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	485		
number 1949...	18,920		
dollars 1949...	2,792,343		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	397		
number 1949...	11,683		
dollars 1949...	1,071,044		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	314		
1944.....	441		
number 1949...	8,469		
1944.....	10,267		
dollars 1949...	223,346		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	83		
1944.....	50		
number 1949...	10,511		
1944.....	18,175		
dollars 1949...	179,577		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	61		
number 1949...	290		
dollars 1949...	10,947		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	428		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	257		
number 1949...	316		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	141		
1944.....	232		
number 1949...	169		
1944.....	271		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	122		
1944.....	78		
number 1949...	147		
1944.....	109		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	348		
1944.....	497		
number 1949...	627		
1944.....	936		
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	17		
number 1949...	82		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	98		
dollars 1949...	2,441		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.

²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	51	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	21	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	880	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	873	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	1,788	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	1,289	acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	2	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	2	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	70	1944.....	
1944.....	45	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	40	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	15	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	16	acres 1949.....	1
1944.....	8	1944.....	(*)
acres 1949.....	591	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	284	1944.....	
tons 1949.....	459	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	218	acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	155	Other vegetables.....acres 1949.....	
1944.....	94	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	6,005	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	7,259	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
tons 1949.....	5,816	acres 1949.....	(*)
1944.....	5,545	quarts 1949.....	320
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	82	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	2,918	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	871	quarts 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	2,482	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	579	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	97
Field crops (other):		1945.....	8
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	3	acres 1950 ²	11
1944.....	2	1945.....	12
acres 1949.....	55	Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	41
1944.....	66	acres 1945.....	47
pounds 1949.....	5,600	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	182
1944.....	2,520	1945.....	577
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	5	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	105
acres 1949.....	98	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	89
pounds 1949.....	8,000	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	61
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....	15	1944.....	158
acres 1949.....	559	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	29
pounds 1949.....	99,245	acres 1945.....	22
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	137
1944.....	21	1945.....	108
acres 1949 ¹	(*)	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	95
1944.....	16	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	42
100-lb. bags 1949.....	4	quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	29
1944.....	250	1944.....	51
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	6
acres 1949.....		acres 1945.....	5
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	40
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	53
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	5
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	37
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		1944.....	12
1944.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	45
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	505
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	246
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	646	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	253
1944.....	377	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	1,561
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	20
1944.....	8	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	156
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	95
1944.....	6	trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	45
sold..dollars 1949.....	500	quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	92
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	22
acres 1949.....		acres 1945.....	35
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	125
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	355
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	25
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	100
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	22
acres 1949.....		1944.....	52
1944.....	4	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	21
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	acres 1945.....	16
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	57
Gauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	76
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	21
Galery.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	55
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	8
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	8
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	15
1944.....	1	acres 1945.....	9
acres 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	38
1944.....	(*)	1945.....	155
		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	9
		vines of bearing age..number 1950.....	29
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	286
		1944.....	510

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

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

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
FARMS, ACREAGE, AND VALUE		FARMS BY SIZE	
Farms.....Number 1950...	1,482	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	70
.....1945...	1,447	.....1945...	30
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	1,169,280	Under 3 acres.....number 1950...	29
.....1945.....	94.0	.....1945.....	8
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	611,200	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	41
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	502,327	.....1945.....	22
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	56,222	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	38
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	70,991	.....1945.....	16
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	1,098,768	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	17
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	1,091,724	.....1945.....	14
.....1945.....	741.4	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	11
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	751.5	.....1945.....	7
.....1945.....	30,147	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	74
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950...	14,002	.....1945.....	67
.....1945.....	37.73	100 to 139 acres.....number 1950...	58
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	18.56	.....1945.....	76
.....1945.....		140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	180
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945.....	201
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1,342	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	48
.....1944.....	1,363	.....1945.....	42
acres 1949.....	320,945	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	73
1944.....	325,053	.....1945.....	61
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	25	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	330
1944.....	10	.....1945.....	358
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	18	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	325
1944.....	15	.....1945.....	332
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	16	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	258
1944.....	20	.....1945.....	243
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	42		
1944.....	33		
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	219		
1944.....	251		
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	432		
1944.....	434		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	590		
1944.....	600		
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	250		
1944.....	277		
acres 1949.....	13,408		
1944 ¹	16,974		
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	986		
acres 1949.....	167,240		
1944.....	142,911		
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	790		
acres 1949.....	142,698		
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	181		
acres 1949.....	333		
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	276		
acres 1949.....	465		
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	24,552		
acres 1949.....	34		
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	16		
acres 1949.....	3,340		
1944.....	1,599		
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	22		
acres 1949.....	11		
1944.....	1,400		
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	538		
acres 1949.....	1,061		
1944 ¹	1,159		
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	567,062		
acres 1949.....	573,653		
1944.....			
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	1,382		
acres 1949.....	1,419		
1944.....	25,363		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	30,996		
acres 1949.....	608		
1944.....	597		
acres 1949.....	74,817		
1944.....	67,248		
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	2		
acres 1949.....	66		
FARM OPERATORS		FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	1,333	Farms by color of operator:	
.....1945.....	1,331	White operators.....number 1950...	1,475
Not residing on farm operated.....operators reporting 1950...	115	.....1945.....	1,421
.....1945.....	105	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	7
With other income of family exceeding value of agricultural products sold.....operators reporting 1949...	199	.....1945.....	26
Working off their farm, total.....operators reporting 1949...	511	Farms by tenure of operator:	
.....1944.....	278	Full owners.....number 1950...	448
100 days or more.....operators reporting 1949...	198	.....1945.....	341
acres 1944.....	68	Part owners.....number 1950...	449
		.....1945.....	430
		Managers.....number 1950...	7
		.....1945.....	10
		All tenants.....number 1950...	578
		.....1945.....	666
		Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	39.0
		.....1945.....	46.0
		Cash tenants.....number 1950...	23
		.....1945.....	46
		Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	92
		.....1945.....	84
		Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	418
		.....1945.....	527
		Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	31
		Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	43
		Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	9
		.....1945.....	22
		Other tenants.....number 1950...	23
		Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	
		SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
		Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	857
		.....1945.....	647
		Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1,242
		.....1945.....	803
		From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1,136
		Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	9.79
		Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	737
		Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	256
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	255
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1,099
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	128
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	11
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	91
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	748
		number 1950...	869
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	216
		number 1950...	218
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	60
		number 1950...	61
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	19
		number 1950...	21
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	195
		number 1950...	203

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	36	Corn:	
1945.....	77	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	714
number 1950...	5,780	1944.....	949
1945.....	47,428	acres 1949...	37,539
Sheep and lambs born before		1944.....	52,539
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	34	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	644
number 1950...	4,622	1944.....	802
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	34	acres 1949...	33,821
1945 ¹ ...	48	1944.....	45,096
number 1950...	3,750	bushels 1949...	852,205
1945 ¹ ...	9,003	1944.....	802,169
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	19	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	111
number 1950...	2,053	1944.....	2,155
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	28	acres 1949...	20,636
number 1950...	1,697	tons..green weight 1949...	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	16	Kept or grazed, or out for	
number 1950...	872	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	100
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	23	acres 1949...	1,583
number 1950...	1,158		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....farms reporting 1949...	19	Sorghums:	
1944.....	49	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup....farms reporting 1949...	350
number shorn 1949...	1,255	1944.....	628
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	11,974	acres 1949...	10,244
1944.....	97,113	1944.....	21,818
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	Apr.1-Apr.14	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	22
		1944.....	46
		acres 1949...	638
		1944.....	1,903
		bushels 1949...	6,361
		1944.....	15,417
		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	13
		acres 1949...	623
		tons..green weight 1949...	1,395
		Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
		cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	328
		acres 1949...	8,983
		tons cut 1949...	9,473
		Small grains:	
		Grains grown together and threshed as a	
		mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	80
		acres 1949...	3,676
		bushels 1949...	80,790
		Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	792
		1944.....	679
		acres 1949...	146,239
		1944.....	121,749
		bushels 1949...	2,076,917
		1944.....	1,148,957
		Spring wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	48
		acres 1949...	3,758
		1944.....	1,746
		bushels 1949...	42,629
		1944.....	9,559
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	379
		1944.....	438
		acres 1949...	10,329
		1944.....	10,546
		bushels 1949...	354,286
		1944.....	261,437
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	88
		1944.....	123
		acres 1949...	1,935
		1944.....	2,880
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	882
		1944.....	1,020
		acres 1949...	45,147
		1944.....	50,933
		bushels 1949...	1,312,235
		1944.....	1,021,717
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	55
		1944.....	125
		acres 1949...	3,009
		1944.....	4,974
		bushels 1949...	22,698
		1944.....	35,104
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	215
		1944.....	256
		acres 1949...	4,696
		1944.....	4,880
		100-lb. bags 1949...	39,011
		1944.....	29,137
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
		1944.....	
		acres 1949 ²	
		1944 ²	
		100-lb. bags 1949...	
		1944 ²	
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	811
		acres 1949...	36,023
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS			
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	1,230		
1945.....	1,303		
number 1950...	118,288		
1945.....	156,630		
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	518		
number 1949...	43,526		
dollars 1949...	41,878		
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	959		
dozens 1949...	747,341		
dollars 1949...	283,206		
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand.....farms reporting 1950...	38		
number 1950...	158		
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	37		
1944.....	66		
number 1949...	2,655		
1944.....	7,625		
ANIMALS SOLD ALIVE			
Cattle, hogs, sheep, horses, or mules sold			
alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,225		
dollars 1949...	11,920,723		
Cattle and/or calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	1,146		
1944.....	1,077		
number 1949...	60,854		
1944.....	44,410		
Cattle sold alive, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	948		
number 1949...	53,628		
dollars 1949...	10,632,601		
Calves sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	673		
number 1949...	7,226		
dollars 1949...	629,918		
Hogs and pigs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	626		
1944.....	886		
number 1949...	11,686		
1944.....	21,854		
dollars 1949...	399,714		
Sheep and lambs sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	25		
1944.....	53		
number 1949...	11,635		
1944.....	38,340		
dollars 1949...	237,068		
Horses and mules sold alive.....farms reporting 1949...	126		
number 1949...	413		
dollars 1949...	21,422		
FARM SLAUGHTER			
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	926		
Cattle and/or calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	562		
number 1949...	728		
Cattle butchered, excluding calves...farms reporting 1949...	319		
1944.....	392		
number 1949...	408		
1944.....	462		
Calves butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	265		
1944.....	178		
number 1949...	320		
1944.....	208		
Hogs and pigs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	776		
1944.....	1,030		
number 1949...	1,635		
1944.....	2,248		
Sheep and lambs butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	8		
number 1949...	14		
Meat, lard, hides, and other products			
sold from animals butchered.....farms reporting 1949...	227		
dollars 1949...	4,593		

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	584	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	12
1944.....	570	acres 1949.....	45
acres 1949.....	20,389	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	19,285	acres 1949.....	2
tons 1949.....	55,506	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	2
1944.....	50,312	acres 1949.....	2
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	4	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	
1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	62	1944.....	
1944.....	67	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	85	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	70	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	1
acres 1949.....	1,586	acres 1949.....	3
1944.....	2,028	1944.....	8
tons 1949.....	1,708	acres 1949.....	16
1944.....	1,517	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	154	acres 1949.....	4
1944.....	98	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	2
acres 1949.....	10,958	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
1944.....	10,218	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	6
tons 1949.....	12,335	acres 1949...	1
1944.....	9,395	quarts 1949...	59
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	147	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	
acres 1949...	3,709	acres 1949...	
1944.....	2,282	quarts 1949...	
tons 1949...	3,675	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
1944.....	1,798	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	218
Field crops (other):		1945.....	24
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	119	acres 1950...	31
1944.....	70	1945.....	14
acres 1949.....	1,829	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	129
1944.....	1,144	1945.....	68
pounds 1949.....	166,085	trees of all ages..number 1950...	778
1944.....	146,640	1945.....	45
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	4	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	148
acres 1949.....	40	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	190
pounds 1949.....	10,565	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	391
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	6	1944.....	59
acres 1949.....	162	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	61
pounds 1949.....	59,160	1945.....	16
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	29	trees of all ages..number 1950...	312
1944.....	120	1945.....	49
acres 1949...	145	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	159
1944.....	523	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	184
100-lb. bags 1949.....	12,360	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	176
1944.....	23,005	1944.....	16
Broccoli harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	26
acres 1949.....		1945.....	9
lb. of brush 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950...	63
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	323	1945.....	13
1944.....	416	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	48
acres 1949.....	8,125	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	23
1944.....	9,582	trees of bearing age..number 1949...	6
tons 1949.....	126,860	quantity harvested..bushels 1944...	9
1944.....	108,033	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	105
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	691
acres 1949.....	30	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	290
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	408	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	403
1944.....	832	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	3,299
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	23	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	81
1944.....	23	trees of all ages..number 1950...	318
acres 1949.....	151	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	312
1944.....	112	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	106
sold..dollars 1949.....	32,018	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	689
1944.....	10,058	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	81
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	63
1944.....	(*)	trees of all ages..number 1950...	623
acres 1949.....		1945.....	686
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	299
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	3	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	324
1944.....	6	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	132
acres 1949.....	23	1944.....	387
1944.....	28	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	27
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydeys, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1945.....	8
acres 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950...	80
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	1	1945.....	68
acres 1949.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	99
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...	5	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	21
acres 1949.....	1	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	31
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	2	1944.....	23
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	33
acres 1949.....	6	1945.....	15
1944.....	4	vines of all ages..number 1950...	307
acres 1949.....	15	1945.....	104
1944.....	16	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	57
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	6	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	250
acres 1949.....	4	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	1,734
1944.....	15	1944.....	836

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SHEEP AND WOOL		SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED	
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting 1950...	227	Corn:	
1945...	202	Corn for all purposes.....farms reporting 1949...	1,039
number 1950...	53,445	1944...	1,247
1945...	41,957	acres 1949...	9,552
Sheep and lambs born before		1944...	10,819
Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	195	Harvested for grain.....farms reporting 1949...	838
number 1950...	43,922	1944...	1,091
Ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	192	acres 1949...	6,856
1945 ¹ ...	189	1944...	8,594
number 1950...	42,602	bushels 1949...	294,280
1945 ¹ ...	37,675	1944...	317,574
Yearling ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	107	Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	181
number 1950...	4,306	acres 1949...	2,108
Older ewes.....farms reporting 1950...	171	tons..green weight 1949...	20,797
number 1950...	38,296	Hogged or grazed, or cut for	
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting 1950...	117	green or dry fodder.....farms reporting 1949...	110
number 1950...	1,320	acres 1949...	588
Lambs born since Oct. 1, 1949.....farms reporting 1950...	154	Sorghums:	
number 1950...	9,523	Sorghum for all purposes except sirup...farms reporting 1949...	29
Sheep and lambs shorn:.....farms reporting 1949...	167	1944...	102
number shorn 1949...	180	acres 1949...	209
Wool shorn.....pounds 1949...	44,472	1944...	507
1944...	371,370	Harvested for grain or for seed.....farms reporting 1949...	5
Average date of enumeration.....1950...	421,194	1944...	12
	Apr.15-Apr.28	acres 1949...	18
		1944...	34
		bushels 1949...	375
		1944...	527
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS		Cut for silage.....farms reporting 1949...	1
Chickens, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	1,783	acres 1949...	4
1945...	2,131	tons..green weight 1949...	25
number 1950...	82,372	Sorghum or cane hogged or grazed, or	
1945...	110,905	cut for dry forage or hay.....farms reporting 1949...	23
Chickens sold.....farms reporting 1949...	516	acres 1949...	187
number 1949...	41,127	tons cut 1949...	307
dollars 1949...	42,627	Small grains:	
Chicken eggs sold.....farms reporting 1949...	872	Grains grown together and threshed as a	
dozens 1949...	347,200	mixture.....farms reporting 1949...	20
dollars 1949...	1,37,391	acres 1949...	229
Turkeys, 4 months old and over, on hand....farms reporting 1950...	155	bushels 1949...	7,952
number 1950...	680	Winter wheat threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	180
Turkeys raised.....farms reporting 1949...	186	1944...	164
1944...	290	acres 1949...	2,288
number 1949...	13,680	1944...	1,635
1944...	13,402	bushels 1949...	59,083
		1944...	38,886
		acres 1949...	214
		1944...	1,505
		bushels 1949...	1,738
		1944...	44,991
		1944...	47,803
		Oats threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	578
		1944...	549
		acres 1949...	5,281
		1944...	4,705
		bushels 1949...	222,307
		1944...	183,348
		Oats cut for feeding unthreshed.....farms reporting 1949...	94
		1944...	248
		acres 1949...	604
		1944...	1,444
		Barley threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	343
		1944...	451
		acres 1949...	3,734
		1944...	4,183
		bushels 1949...	141,846
		1944...	147,138
		Rye threshed or combined.....farms reporting 1949...	16
		1944...	10
		acres 1949...	161
		1944...	135
		bushels 1949...	4,180
		1944...	1,128
		Annual legumes:	
		Dry field and seed beans harvested for	
		beans.....farms reporting 1949...	312
		1944...	366
		acres 1949...	6,469
		1944...	6,809
		100-lb. bags 1949...	64,841
		1944...	63,630
		Dry field and seed peas harvested	
		for peas.....farms reporting 1949...	2
		1944...	2
		acres 1949 ² ...	5
		1944 ² ...	11
		100-lb. bags 1949...	62
		1944 ² ...	35
		Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay:	
		Land from which hay was cut.....farms reporting 1949...	1,555
		acres 1949...	36,198

¹Ewes and ewe lambs kept for breeding.
²Does not include cowpeas and/Austrian peas.

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED--Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS--HARVESTED--Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay--Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale--Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949...	1,514	Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949...	72
1944.....	1,515	acres 1949...	66
acres 1949...	32,118	Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949...	11
1944.....	31,491	acres 1949...	14
tons 1949...	79,606	Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949...	17
1944.....	66,950	acres 1949...	176
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	54	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949...	6
1944.....	79	acres 1949...	6
acres 1949...	1,236	acres 1949...	4
1944.....	861	1944.....	12
tons 1949...	1,742	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949...	1
1944.....	1,214	acres 1949...	(*)
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949...	115	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949...	190
1944.....	87	acres 1949...	371
acres 1949...	769	acres 1949...	783
1944.....	631	1944.....	2,039
tons 1949...	1,100	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949...	14
1944.....	745	acres 1949...	12
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	24	Other vegetables.....acres 1949...	23
1944.....	6	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
acres 1949...	1,275	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949...	50
1944.....	391	acres 1949...	31
tons 1949...	1,481	quarts 1949...	39,341
1944.....	635	Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949...	23
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949...	38	acres 1949...	5
acres 1949...	836	quarts 1949...	11,339
1944.....	1,297	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
tons 1949...	1,781	Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950...	1,709
1944.....	1,983	1945.....	1,193
Field crops (other):		acres 1950 ² ...	9,221
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	81	1945.....	8,202
1944.....	122	Apples.....farms reporting 1950...	565
acres 1949...	1,115	1945.....	58
1944.....	1,977	trees of all ages..number 1950...	29,137
pounds 1949...	232,567	1945.....	19,523
1944.....	154,440	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	15,272
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	17	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	17,855
acres 1949...	80	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	26,512
pounds 1949...	14,935	1944.....	43,445
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	1	Peaches.....farms reporting 1950...	1,279
acres 1949...	3	1945.....	1,203
pounds 1949...	3,000	trees of all ages..number 1950...	878,823
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	291	1945.....	812,477
1944.....	481	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	242,556
acres 1949 ¹ ...	706	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	636,354
1944.....	1,564	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	1,282,391
100-lb. bags 1949...	98,532	1944.....	1,347,159
1944.....	128,686	Pears.....farms reporting 1950...	371
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949...		1945.....	34
acres 1949...		trees of all ages..number 1950...	70,752
lb. of brush 1949...		1945.....	57,137
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949...	77	1945.....	11,633
1944.....	127	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	59,654
acres 1949...	1,251	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	143,353
1944.....	1,794	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	87,115
tons 1949...	22,114	Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	432
1944.....	21,074	trees of all ages..number 1950...	16,641
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	3,335
acres 1949...	106	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	12,836
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949...	1,448	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	521,546
1944.....	1,704	Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950...	417
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949...	255	trees of all ages..number 1950...	6,344
1944.....	503	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,754
acres 1949...	1,305	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	2,193
1944.....	3,333	quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	58,355
sold..dollars 1949...	300,661	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950...	629
1944.....	556,292	1945.....	632
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949...	17	trees of all ages..number 1950...	11,356
1944.....	18	1945.....	10,229
acres 1949...	8	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	4,115
1944.....	8	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	7,221
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949...	14	quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	8,475
1944.....	21	1944.....	6,426
acres 1949...	10	Apricots.....farms reporting 1950...	647
1944.....	8	1945.....	1,084
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949...	34	trees of all ages..number 1950...	37,706
acres 1949...	114	1945.....	29,243
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949...	12	trees not of bearing age..number 1950...	13,024
acres 1949...	33	trees of bearing age..number 1950...	24,338
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949...		quantity harvested..bushels 1949...	29,374
acres 1949...		1944.....	24,062
Celery.....farms reporting 1949...	6	Grapes.....farms reporting 1950...	371
acres 1949...	8	1945.....	447
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949...	46	vines of all ages..number 1950...	35,876
acres 1949...	47	1945.....	34,175
1944.....	51	vines not of bearing age..number 1950...	1,329
1944.....	54	vines of bearing age..number 1950...	33,837
		quantity harvested..pounds 1949...	246,218
		1944.....	309,428

For 1949, does not include acres for farms with less than 10 bags harvested.
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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...	9	Under 10 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	23	.....1945.....	.....
Approximate land area.....acres 1950...	569,440	Under 2 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	8.1	.....1945.....	.....
Proportion in farms.....percent 1950...	8.1	.....1945.....	.....
Land owned by farm operators.....acres 1950...	18,140	3 to 9 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	10	.....1945.....	.....
Land rented from others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	.....1945.....	.....
Land managed by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	10 to 29 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	.....	.....1945.....	.....
Land rented to others by farm operators.....acres 1950...	.....	.....1945.....	.....
Land in farms.....acres 1950...	18,150	30 to 49 acres.....number 1950...	.....
.....1945.....	27,795	.....1945.....	.....
Average size of farm.....acres 1950...	2,016.7	.....1945.....	.....
.....1945.....	1,208.5	50 to 69 acres.....number 1950...	.....
Value of land and buildings.....average per farm, dollars 1950*	.....	.....1945.....	.....
.....1945.....	15,878	.....1945.....	.....
.....average per acre, dollars 1950*	.....	.....1945.....	.....
.....1945.....	18.14	70 to 99 acres.....number 1950...	.....
Land in farms according to use:		.....1945.....	.....
Cropland harvested.....farms reporting 1949...	9	100 to 199 acres.....number 1950...	1
.....1944.....	13	.....1945.....	1
acres 1949.....	1,685	.....1945.....	1
1944.....	2,210	140 to 179 acres.....number 1950...	1
1 to 9 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945.....	4
1944.....	1	.....1945.....	1
10 to 19 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	180 to 219 acres.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	.....1945.....	1
20 to 29 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	.....1945.....	1
1944.....	.....	220 to 259 acres.....number 1950...	.....
30 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	1	.....1945.....	.....
1944.....	1	.....1945.....	.....
50 to 99 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	260 to 499 acres.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	3	.....1945.....	4
100 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	3	.....1945.....	1
1944.....	4	500 to 999 acres.....number 1950...	.....
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	2	.....1945.....	5
1944.....	4	.....1945.....	5
Cropland used only for pasture.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1,000 acres and over.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	8	.....1945.....	8
acres 1949.....	729		
1944.....	.....	FARMS BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR	
Cropland not harvested and not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Farms by color of operator:	
1944.....	.....	White operators.....number 1950...	9
acres 1949.....	210	1945.....	23
1944.....	.....	Nonwhite operators.....number 1950...	.....
Cultivated summer fallow.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	1945.....	.....
1944.....	.....	Farms by tenure of operator:	
acres 1949.....	.....	Full owners.....number 1950...	8
1944.....	.....	1945.....	21
1 to 49 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Part owners.....number 1950...	1
1944.....	.....	1945.....	1
50 to 199 acres.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Managers.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	1945.....	1
200 acres and over.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	All tenants.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	1945.....	.....
Other.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Proportion of tenancy.....percent 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	1945.....	.....
Woodland pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Cash tenants.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	.....	1945.....	.....
acres 1949.....	7	Share-cash tenants.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	7	1945.....	.....
Woodland not pastured.....farms reporting 1949...	6,710	Share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	1	1945.....	.....
acres 1949.....	1	Crop-share tenants and croppers.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	4,700	Livestock-share tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Other pasture (not cropland and not woodland).....farms reporting 1949...	8	Other and unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	15	1945.....	.....
acres 1949.....	10,602	Other tenants.....number 1950...	.....
1944.....	16,645	Unspecified tenants.....number 1950...	.....
Other land (house lots, roads, wasteland, etc.).....farms reporting 1949...	6		
1944.....	13	SPECIFIED FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT*	
acres 1949.....	1,818	Telephone.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	1,801	1945.....	13
Irrigated land in farms.....farms reporting 1949...	8	Electricity.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	11	1945.....	6
acres 1949.....	560	From a power line.....farms reporting 1950...	1
1944.....	1,915	Average of last monthly electric bill.....dollars 1950...	20.00
Land irrigated by sprinklers.....farms reporting 1949...	.....	Electric water pump.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
acres 1949.....	.....	Electric hot-water heater.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Home freezer.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		Electric washing machine.....farms reporting 1950...	1
		Electric chick brooder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Electric power feed grinder.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Milking machine.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Grain combines.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Corn pickers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Pick-up hay balers.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Upright silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		Pit or trench silos.....farms reporting 1950...	.....
		number 1950.....	.....

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

Item	County total	Item	County total
SPECIFIED CROPS HARVESTED—Continued		SPECIFIED CROPS—HARVESTED—Continued	
Hay crops, excluding specified annual legumes and sorghum hay—Con.		Vegetables harvested for sale—Continued	
Alfalfa cut for hay (or for dehydrating).....farms reporting 1949.....		Cucumbers.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		Lettuce and romaine.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		Dry onions.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
Clover or timothy cut for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	Green peas.....farms reporting 1949.....	1
1944.....	4	acres 1949.....	6
acres 1949.....	800	Spinach.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	660	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....	700	Tomatoes.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	800	1944.....	
Oats, wheat, barley, rye, or other small grain out for hay.....farms reporting 1949.....	1	acres 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....	50	acres 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
tons 1949.....	50	Watermelons.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....		acres 1949.....	
Wild hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....	8	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	10	Other vegetables.....farms reporting 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	1,886	acres 1949.....	
1944.....	1,508	Berries and other small fruits harvested for sale:	
tons 1949.....	1,865	Strawberries.....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	1,888	acres 1949.....	
Other hay cut.....farms reporting 1949.....		quarts 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		Raspberries (tame).....farms reporting 1949.....	
1944.....	17	acres 1949.....	
tons 1949.....		quarts 1949.....	
1944.....	18	Tree fruits, nuts, and grapes:	
Field crops (other):		Land in bearing and nonbearing fruit orchards, groves, vineyards, and planted nut trees.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Alfalfa seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		acres 1950 ²	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		Apples.....farms reporting 1950.....	
pounds 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
Sweetclover seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
pounds 1949.....		Peaches.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Sudan grass seed harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
pounds 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Irish potatoes harvested for home use or for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
acres 1949.....		1944.....	
1944.....		Pears.....farms reporting 1950.....	
100-lb. bags 1949.....		1945.....	
1944.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
Broomcorn harvested.....farms reporting 1949.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
lb. of brush 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Sugar beets harvested for sugar.....farms reporting 1949.....		Sour cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
tons 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed, other than corn and sorghums.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Sweet cherries.....farms reporting 1950.....	
Vegetables harvested for home use (other than Irish and sweet potatoes).....farms reporting 1949.....	1	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....	1	trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
Vegetables harvested for sale.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
acres 1949.....	3	Plums and prunes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
1944.....	48	1945.....	
sold..dollars 1949.....	\$,956	trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
Green beans (snap, string, or wax).....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
1944.....		1944.....	
Cabbage.....farms reporting 1949.....		Apricots.....farms reporting 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of all ages..number 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
Cantaloups, honeyballs, honeydews, and muskmelons.....farms reporting 1949.....		trees not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..bushels 1949.....	
Carrots.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....		Grapes.....farms reporting 1950.....	
1944.....		1945.....	
Cauliflower.....farms reporting 1949.....		vines of all ages..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		1945.....	
Calery.....farms reporting 1949.....		vines not of bearing age..number 1950.....	
acres 1949.....		trees of bearing age..number 1950.....	
1944.....		quantity harvested..pounds 1949.....	
Sweet corn.....farms reporting 1949.....		1944.....	
acres 1949.....			
1944.....			

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